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2 health bills emerge

House, Senate adopt reorganization plans

N.Y. Times News Service

AUSTIN — The House and Senate have approved separate bills reorganizing the state's dozen health and human service agencies under new leadership, but both plans fall far short of the savings originally sought.

Instead of realizing a savings of more than $200 million in 1992-93, the plans, approved Wednesday, would save no more than $30 million.

But supporters said the changes are worthwhile because they would improve services for the needy and help tap as much as $700 million in new federal matching money.

"This is certainly a step forward for our state," Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock said.

"This is not all just about money. It's about efficiency, productivity, providing of services. I don't think you can put a dollar figure on that," Bullock said.

Added House Speaker Gib Lewis, D-Fort Worth: "I hope it will not be

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House officials OK $85-a-day increase

N.Y. Times News Service

AUSTIN — While the Legislature is in session trying to save money, House officials have quietly given the OK to spend more of it — on themselves.

The House Business Office circulated a memo to House members this week authorizing them to begin collecting an additional $85 a day to cover their expenses while they're in session at the Capitol.

House members who live more than 50 miles outside Austin may claim $85 for each day they've been in session since an attorney general's opinion authorizing the payments was issued May 2, according to a letter from the House's chief accountant, Leon Branch.

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City presents 'Spirit' award on Capitol Hill

■ Mayor Carroll Thomas presents plaque to Yakima, Wash., officials.

By James R. Owen
Reporter-Telegram Washington bureau

WASHINGTON — In recognition of its community-wide effort against drugs, the city of Yakima, Wash., received the Midland Community Spirit Award for 1990 at a Capitol Hill ceremony here Wednesday.

Midland Mayor Carroll Thomas, presenting a specially cast bronze plaque to Yakima officials, praised the Washington State community for its efforts to rid the city and county of drugs.

The honor is given by the city to celebrate the kind of community spirit shown when Midlanders united in October 1987 to save the life of 18-month-old Jessica McClure, who tumbled into an abandoned well shaft. She was rescued after a 52-hour ordeal that captured the hearts of the nation and that displayed the community values symbolized by the spirit award.

Likewise, Thomas said, "The town of Yakima banded together to fight a community problem. ... They showed a wonderful community spirit that is prevalent in America's smaller towns."

Yakima Mayor Pat Berndt accepted

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Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

Rain paints Tall City

Evening cloudiness has brought picturesque skies over Midland recently, as enchanced by a photographic filter. Between Tuesday evening and 10 p.m. Wednesday, the city recorded more than 2 inches of rain. Weather story/1B.

CEO Branson resigns from Midland Memorial

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

Ray Branson, president and chief executive officer (CEO) of Midland's Memorial Hospital and Medical Center since 1980, on Wednesday announced his resignation admit plaudits for his service in Midland.

The 48-year-old administrator, who witnessed the hospital's budget soar from about $12 million in 1980 to almost $140 million in 1991, is returning to his native Oklahoma to take over the presidency of South Community Hospital in Oklahoma City.

"Ray, we will miss you," said Dr. Stephen Wiesenfeld, president of the Midland County Hospital District's board of

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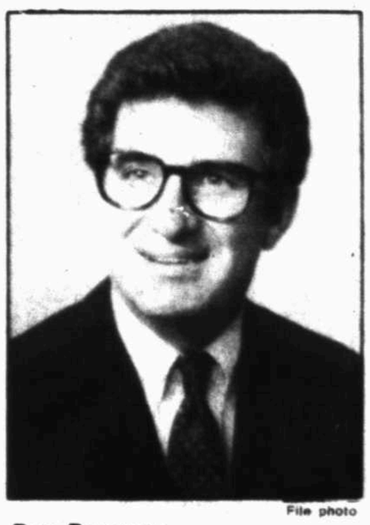

File photo

Ray Branson

Council to consider City Hall renovation

By Brian Pearson
Staff Writer

City officials are hoping to do $150,000 worth of City Hall rearranging and renovations to improve public access and employee efficiency.

City managers on Tuesday took councilmen on a door-to-door tour of proposed changes for departments on the first, second and fourth floors.

"The plan is to consolidate most of the public access so it will be more convenient for the citizens," Assistant City Manager Susan Thorpe said.

Personnel, volunteer programs, risk management, customer service and credit union offices would be on the first floor, Ms. Thorpe said.

Planning and development, code enforcement and building inspection offices would be housed on the second floor, she said. Finances, auditing, accounting and city secretary offices would be on the fourth floor.

Although some of those of-

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Police: Convicted child molester confesses to mutilation killings

■ Police chief refuses to comment on report of cannibalism.

Associated Press

MILWAUKEE — The convicted child molester whose apartment held body parts of 11 men confessed to drugging, strangling and dismembering the victims and boiling some of their skulls to preserve them, police said Wednesday.

Jeffrey L. Dahmer, 31, told police he met his victims at taverns or shopping malls and lured them to his apartment for photographs, Police Lt. David Kane wrote in an affidavit submitted in Milwaukee County Circuit Court.

"Dahmer further stated that he would drug these individuals and usually strangle them and then he would dismember the bodies, often boiling the heads to remove flesh so he could retain the skulls," the affidavit said.

"Mr. Dahmer further stated that he took Polaroid photographs of a number of these persons while they were still alive, after he had killed them, and of their heads and body parts after he had dismembered them," it said.

■ Nation's serial killers/2A

Circuit Judge Frank T. Crivello accepted the affidavit during a brief probable-cause hearing and set bail at $1 million cash. Prosecutors said they plan to file a criminal complaint charging Dahmer this afternoon.

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AP Laserphoto

A Milwaukee police officer takes photos of bones found across an alley behind an apartment building where police discovered several body parts.

THURSDAY NEWS WATCH

Two bodies found

Two bodies — the decomposed remains of a man and the badly burned body of a 5-year-old boy — have been discovered in remote portions of Big Bend National Park within the past four days, authorities say. The bodies were found in southeastern portions of the park near the Rio Grande by Mexican residents and campers, Robert Valen, a spokesman for the National Park Service, said Wednesday. /2B

Lone Star tags

AUSTIN — The Texas Highway Commission voted Wednesday to add the phrase "The Lone Star State" to Texas license plates. Highway department chief Arnold Oliver said the commission "agreed it was time to put Texas' unofficial but best-loved label on the platews." Oliver said. "We obviously have a lot to be proud of, and our newest license plates . . . couldn't trumpet that any more loudly." /5B

Kuwait exports oil

KUWAIT CITY — With more than a third of its oil well fires extinguished, Kuwait plans this weekend to export its first crude oil since the Iraqi occupation, a Kuwait Petroleum Corp. official said Wednesday. The 2 million barrels of oil are to be loaded at the North Pier at Mina al-Ahmadi, where Kuwaiti engineers have built a makeshift ship loading facility. The oil official, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said the oil would likely be shipped to Europe for processing.

Two new editions

NEW YORK — "Today" star Katie Couric and newswoman Maria Shriver each have given birth to a girl, NBC said Wednesday. It was the first child for Couric, who is married to Washington attorney Jay Monahan. The girl, named Elinor Tully, was born Tuesday in Arlington, Va. Couric began her maternity leave from "Today" on July 1 and is to return Sept. 9. Shriver, who does NBC specials, and husband Arnold Schwarzenegger hadn't yet named their daughter, who also was born Tuesday, NBC said. Their first child, Katherine, is 18 months old.

Couric

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WEATHER SUMMARY
Showers might stick around

Staff Report

Today is expected to be mostly cloudy with a 50 percent chance of rain and a high in the mid-80s with 10 to 20 mph east winds, the National Weather Service in Midland said.

Tonight will be mostly cloudy with a 50 percent chance of thunderstorms and a low in the mid-60s, NWS said. Friday will be mostly cloudy with a 30 percent chance of rain and a high in the mid-80s.

The record high of 103 for Wednesday's date was set in 1958, while the record low for today's date was 62 in 1976. Wednesday's high was 82, with a low of 65.

STATE

A cool front drove deeper into North and West Texas on Wednesday, with thunderstorms forming ahead of it. Only the Panhandle had clear skies.

An organized line of showers and thunderstorms had developed along the front from Abilene to Wichita Falls into southern Oklahoma. The front was expected to continue to drift southeast and enhance thunderstorm development across North Central and Northeast Texas today.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

Midland statistics

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NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	82 degrees
Overnight Low	65 degrees
Sunset today	8:51 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:00 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	00.97 inches
This month to date	2.87 inches
Year to date	8.97 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 p.m.	86	6 a.m.	73
7 p.m.	83	7 a.m.	65
8 p.m.	79	8 a.m.	66
9 p.m.	76	9 a.m.	66
10 p.m.	76	10 a.m.	67
11 p.m.	74	11 a.m.	68
midnight	73	noon	72
1 a.m.	73	1 p.m.	77
2 a.m.	74	2 p.m.	78
3 a.m.	73	3 p.m.	80
4 a.m.	72	4 p.m.	81
5 a.m.	73	5 p.m.	80
		6 p.m.	78

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Amarillo	87	61	.03
Austin	95	72	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	91	73	.32
Brownsville	92	75	
Bryan-College Station	94	73	
Corpus Christi	92	75	
Dallas	96	76	
El Paso	89	66	.08
Fort Worth	97	75	
Galveston	87	81	
Houston	89	73	.14
Laredo	101	75	
Longview	97	74	
Lubbock	75	67	
Marfa	79	63	1.95
Presidio	93	67	.03
San Antonio	94	74	
Victoria	92	74	
Waco	96	73	.20

POLLEN COUNT:

Trees	0 L
Weeds	3 L
Grasses	11 L
Molds	513 M
Dust	light
Warning:	none

Provided by office of Dr. John D. Bray

AWARD: City recognizes Yakima, Wash., effort

(From 1A)

the award, saying, "It wasn't just a one-shot effort. It is on ongoing community effort, and it continues still."

Officials said Yakima, a city of 55,000 in central Washington's fruit-growing country, had become the northern end of a "drug pipeline" bringing cocaine, narcotics and other drugs from Mexico and South America to the Pacific Northwest. To battle the problem, a community-wide coalition of civic leaders, service groups, educators, law enforcement officials and neighborhood groups formed a coalition in 1989.

By all accounts, the coalition has worked. Drug arrests are down, the community has become involved at all levels, and, as Berndt said, "You can walk down the street today without being accosted by drug pushers ... two years ago, you couldn't say that."

This year's presentation marks the second annual Midland Community Spirit Award, and Thomas recalled the 1987 accident that nearly claimed the life of young Jessica:

"The volunteer effort to rescue Jessica embodied the courageous, strong, and giving nature of the citizens of our great nation," Thomas said. "The citizens of Midland, wishing to recognize others who have followed in this tradition, have created the annual Midland Community Spirit Ward."

President Bush, himself a former Midland resident, presented the 1989 award to the citizens of Sioux City, Iowa, for their generosity and compassion to the survivors of a United Airlines plane crash in July 1989.

Thomas, who heads the nine-member Midland award selection committee, said the prize has become both celebrated and coveted in the past two years, with 154 nominations from 35 states received for the 1990 award.

"The award is definitely becoming accepted by the nation," said Thomas, pointing out that selection is not limited to one-time events, but also includes ongoing campaigns such as the anti-drug program in Yakima.

Joining Thomas for the ceremony were Linnie Donnelly and Don Byerly, both members of the selection committee, along with 5-year-old Jessica McClure, her mother, Cissy Porter, and grandmother Reba Wilborn Porter.

"She feels great, she's just an everyday girl," Cissy Porter said of her young daughter, who was mugging for TV cameras nearby. The Midland family arrived in Washington Tuesday and returned to Texas late Wednesday after a day of sightseeing in the capital.

Byerly is manager of the Sears Roebuck Co. in Midland, which has underwritten the expense of the award, including transportation, for the past two years.

AP Laserphoto

From left, Midland Sears manager Don Byerly, whose store underwrote expenses for the Community Spirit award; Cissy Porter and her 5-year-old daughter, Jessica McClure; Yakima, Wash., Mayor Pat Berndt and Mayor Carroll Thomas were on hand for the award ceremony Wednesday on Capitol Hill.

Both of Washington state's U.S. senators, Democrat Brock Adams and Republican Slade Gorton, were on hand for the presentation, and each praised Yakima's drug campaign.

Gorton lauded the town's willingness to tackle its drug woes with very little federal aid and Yakima's "tradition of volunteerism" in fighting a drug war.

"It's the kind of war that doesn't end," Gorton said. "It's not like the war in the (Persian) gulf, where we can see a beginning, a middle and an end."

Added Adams, "They went out to win the battle, and they are winning the battle."

Two Texas Republicans, Sen. Phil Gramm and Rep. Lamar Smith of Midland, were scheduled to appear at the ceremony, but were unable to attend.

BRANSON: Administrator set for return to Oklahoma

(From 1A)

directors. "I have worked in a lot of institutions, and you're the best."

Branson, who now runs a 272-bed public regional hospital and 49-bed psychiatric center called Memorial West, is scheduled to take command of South Community Hospital, which is sustained by a $160-million budget and 392-beds, in early September.

Coincidentally, Branson is returning to the Oklahoma City hospital where he served as vice president from 1973 until 1980, when he, as executive vice president, moved to Midland as chief administrator of what then was called Midland Memorial Hospital.

Though Branson said it is difficult for him to leave Midland and his "many friends and business associates, I'm excited about the opportunities at South Community Hospital."

The hospital, which Branson called the flagship of the South Community Health Services Inc., employs 1,600 workers.

Midland's Memorial Hospital and Medical Center has 1,350 people on the payroll.

During Branson's tenure, the hospital's assets increased from $15.1 million to $84.5 million, and the hospital's "fund balance" or "accumulation of profits" increased from $13.6 million to $39.7 million. The hospital's new programs and services under Branson's rule include the Allison Permian Basin Cancer Center, Urgent Care Center, heart surgery, Community Health Care Clinic, Magnetic Resonance Imaging Center, the Abell-Hanger Medical Pavilion and Memorial West psychiatric center.

Branson said that he was flattered to be invited to return to the Oklahoma hospital where his career in hospital administration began. South Community Hospital's president is retiring.

Branson will round out his career in Midland on Aug. 30 and is scheduled to start his new job in Oklahoma City in early September. Meanwhile, a committee made up of hospital directors and trustees will be seeking Branson's successor.

Wiesenfeld said, "Mr. Branson has had a tremendous effect on the medical community" and has made health professionals "feel that we are part of the process" of operating a hospital.

Branson helped create an atmosphere in which "doctors and hospitals are not adversaries" but partners in not only providing quality health care but in combating the ills of bureaucracy and politics.

Tom Bruner, a Midland lawyer and hospital board member who is ex-president of the board, cited Branson's roles as "innovator and leader" who guided the hospital's transition from a community hospital to a "a fairly substantial regional institution for medical care."

Dr. Ray Yell, Midland College's vice president for instruction, said Branson has been "a fantastic guy to work with." The college and the hospital are in cooperative programs in the college's medical technology and nursing programs.

"It's a real loss for the college and for the hospital for Ray to be leaving," Yell said. "He has been extremely encouraging of our programs and our people."

In reviewing his years at the hospital, Branson later Wednesday said that a hospital's CEO's role now "is to have a vision for the company.

"The vision has been based on quality," Branson said. "Without a quality product, you don't have anything to sell."

Branson, who applied an entrepreneurial approach to running Midland's public hospital, said that all too often "public hospitals don't think entrepreneurially. You've got to get out of the box of your thinking."

While Branson is intent on ensuring that the hospital doesn't lose money and is in the vanguard of medical technology, he said the hospital's administrators "don't pay more attention to the bottom line than we do to quality services or to the market.

"It's clear to me," Branson said. "The board (of directors) has the ultimate responsibility for everything, including the quality of care that is delivered. The board understands that and insists that we have quality-assurance programs in place."

KILLINGS: Police won't comment on cannabalism

(From 1A)

Dahmer, a former chocolate factory worker on probation for a 1988 sexual assault of a teen-age boy, didn't appear in court.

Earlier, Police Chief Philip Arreola wouldn't comment on a report that Dahmer had confessed to cannibalism.

Arreola said it appeared all the victims were male.

Dahmer's lawyer, Gerald Boyle, said Dahmer held himself responsible for the killings.

"He said, quote, he has no one to blame but himself, not the police, not the courts and not the probation department," Boyle told reporters.

"He said there comes a time when you have to be honest and this is the time."

Boyle said his client is mentally competent to participate in court proceedings and wouldn't contest efforts to keep him jailed.

"He wants to continue to talk to the authorities, to assist the authorities in identifying the victims," the lawyer said. "The state has every right to hold him."

Dahmer, originally from Medina, Ohio, served less 10 months in prison for a 1988 sexual assault of a 13-year-old boy in Milwaukee. Dahmer was released in March 1990 and was on five years' probation, but his probation officer never visited his home as is usually required for felons.

Arreola called that "a damning indictment" of the judicial system.

"Here we see the dramatic and tragic results," Arreola said.

State corrections spokesman Joe Scislowizc said the requirement that probation agents visit probationers' homes was waived in Dahmer's case because the agent's workload was heavy and Dahmer lived in a high-crime neighborhood.

Scislowizc said the agent met with Dahmer monthly in her office.

"There we no signs, apparently, no overt signs, no clues, no hints, of a nature that would cause this agent to do anything other than what she did," he said.

Dahmer was arrested late Monday after a man with handcuffs dangling from one wrist flagged down police and told them he had been threatened with a knife.

He led the officers to Dahmer's apartment, which was littered with skulls, torsos and other body parts, police said. Three heads were in a refrigerator and a dresser was filled with pictures of bodies in various stages of dismemberment, police said.

Medical Examiner Jeffrey Jentzen said authorities had recovered five full skeletons from Dahmer's apartment and partial remains of six others. "There were parts in various stages of deterioration," he said.

The Milwaukee Sentinel, quoting an unidentified source, reported Wednesday that Dahmer had confessed to 11 killings and had acknowledged cannibalism. It also reported there may be as many 18 victims.

Arreola would say only that police were checking many missing persons reports and the possibility that other perpetrators and victims were involved.

One victim has been positively identified through fingerprints as Oliver Lacey, 23, who recently was staying in Milwaukee with his mother, Deputy Inspector Vincent Partipilo said.

The victim's mother, Catherine Lacey, 43, said her son moved to Milwaukee from Chicago about four months ago and last was seen by a friend July 12 as he left his job at an office cleaning company. Her son had planned to go to a Milwaukee shopping mall for ice cream, Mrs. Lacey said.

"I felt something was wrong. My son would call me to let me know what was going on," she said.

Police said they had been flooded with calls from people across the Midwest who have missing relatives they fear were found in Dahmer's apartment.

Nation's serial murder cases

■ Donald Harvey, a former nurse's aide, is serving life in prison after pleading guilty to 37 murders in Ohio and Kentucky. Most were mercy killings in hospitals where he worked. Most of the murders were in 1986 and 1987 but some dated to 1970. He used cyanide, petroleum distillate, and suffocation to kill many of his victims.

■ John Wayne Gacy Jr., on death row in Illinois, was convicted in 1980 of murdering 33 young men and boys. More than a year earlier 27 bodies were found buried in shallow graves in the crawl space underneath Gacy's suburban Chicago home. The killings occurred between 1972 and 1978.

■ Patrick Wayne Kearney in 1977 confessed to killing 32 men, many of whose dismembered remains were dumped in trash bags along southern California highways. He was convicted of 21 of the so-called "trash bag" murders and was sentenced to life.

■ Dean Corll, Elmer Wayne Henley and David Owen Brooks killed 27 boys and young men in a torture-murder ring at Houston, Texas, from 1969 to 1971. Henley shot Corll, the ring's mastermind, to death Aug. 8, 1973. He confessed his part in the killings to police and led them to the 27 bodies. Henley's first 1974 conviction of six of the murders was overturned on appeal. He was found guilty of the charges in a 1979 retrial and is serving six consecutive life terms. Brooks was sentenced to life imprisonment.

■ Juan Corona was found guilty of the slaying of 25 farm workers whose bodies were found buried around in Yuba City, Calif., in 1971.

■ Albert DeSalvo claimed he was the "Boston Strangler" who killed 13 women in the Boston area from 1962 to 1964. Police lacked evidence to bring him to trial and he was tried on a series of unrelated assaults, convicted and sentenced to life imprisonment. He was stabbed to death in his cell in 1973.

■ William Bonin, known as the "Freeway Killer," was convicted of murdering 14 boys and young men. He abandoned their bodies near freeways in Southern California in 1979 and 1980 after having sex with them and robbing them.

■ Richard Ramirez was convicted Sept. 20, 1989, and sentenced to death in the "Night Stalker" killings in Southern California in 1984-85. Fourteen people were slain during a string of house break-ins. His sentence is on appeal.

■ Henry Lee Lucas, a drifter, has been convicted in 13 murders. He once claimed involvement in more than 360 murders nationwide, but now claims to have killed only his mother.

■ Angelo Buono and Kenneth Bianchi became known for their role in the "Hillside Strangler" killings that terrified the Los Angeles area in late 1977 and 1978. Buono was sentenced to life imprisonment for nine of the 10 killings. Bianchi, his cousin, was sentenced to seven consecutive life terms. Bianchi pleaded guilty to five slayings of women and girls in the Los Angeles area and earlier was convicted of killing two women students in Washington state.

■ David Berkowitz, known as the "Son of Sam," from 1976 to 1977 in New York City killed six people, five of them women and one a male companion of one of the women.

■ Theodore R. Bundy was convicted of three Florida slayings and was executed Jan. 24, 1989. Authorities considered him a suspect in as many as 36 killings, mostly in the Northwest.

■ Wayne Williams was convicted in 1982 for the slayings of two black men out of 29 black children and young adults whose killings and disappearances were investigated by a special Atlanta police task force. He is serving two life sentences. Police blamed him for the killings of 22 other young people, but he was never charged with those deaths.

Unresolved cases:

■ The "Green River Killer" is blamed for the deaths of as many as 45 young women in Washington and Oregon. Thirty-four women are known dead and the killer also is blamed for 11 disappearences. The bodies of the first five victims were found in the summer of 1982.

■ The "Southside Slayer" is believed responsible for 17 killings in south-central Los Angeles and nearby suburbs. All the victims were women, all but three were black and most were prostitutes. The slayings date back to September 1983.

■ The "Zodiac" killer claimed in a series of letters to San Francisco newspapers and police to have killed 37 people, but hasn't been heard from in almost 15 years.

BILLS: House, Senate approve separate plans

(From 1A)

more of a quagmire. I think the main thing we are trying to do is make it more efficient."

A House-Senate negotiating committee will be appointed to iron out significant differences in the two chambers' approaches. Among the biggest conflicts is that the House put the agencies under the authority of a single commissioner while the Senate opted for a three-member commission.

The governor would make the appointments of the agency chiefs under either plan — another victory for Gov. Ann Richards' efforts to secure appointive power for agency heads.

Both plans also contain new federal guidelines for health-care workers stating that they "should know" whether they have the AIDS virus or the hepatitis B virus, and barring those infected with the viruses from performing certain "exposure-prone" medical procedures.

The House bill makes patients who test positive for AIDS virus and don't inform physicians or dentists of their status liable for as much as $5,000 in civil fines.

"The patient notification in this law is clearly still fairly irrational hysteria," said Rep. Glen Maxey, D-Austin.

EXPENSES: Meter ticks away another $85 a day

(From 1A)

All but six of the House's 150 members live more than 50 miles outside Austin, said Larry Crawford, executive director of the House Business Office. If they all claim the $2,380 in expenses they're due for the 28 days they've been in session since May 2, the total is $342,720.

And the meter is ticking for each day through mid-August when the 30-day special session ends, and for additional special sessions after that.

Lawmakers are in session furiously trying to plug a $4.7 billion hole in the state budget by cutting spending for such programs as higher education and teacher retirement.

Crawford said that since the letter was sent out Tuesday, no legislators have filed for their newly authorized expenses. Before now, legislators could collect for expenses only when they were conducting legislative business such as committee meetings or conferences when the Legislature was not in session.

House members will not be required to produce receipts proving that they actually spent $85 on food and lodging each day.

Voters have authorized lawmakers to receive $30 a day when they're in session, plus $600 monthly salary. The new expense entitlement more than doubles their daily compensation.

RENOVATE: City considers plan

(From 1A)

fices already are on those respective floors, she said personnel for some departments are working on different floors in some cases.

"They don't have the most efficient use of the employees of those departments," Ms. Thorpe said.

Some department facelifts would take place, she said, but the city would try to re-use petitions, ceiling tiles, lighting fixtures, glass and other materials.

"We would be re-using just about everything," she said. "We're not talking about major improvements."

She said some departments would be consolidated, such as the merging of accounting, treasury and auditing personnel.

Customer service offices, meanwhile, would be expanded, as would the mail room, Ms. Thorpe said.

Third- and fifth-floor offices, including the city manager's office, would not be affected, she said.

The renovations, which would depend on council approval, would take place sometime during the 1991-92 and take about three months to complete, Ms. Thorpe said. Financing, she said, would come either through general funds, reserve funds or certificates of obligation.

District 1 Councilman James Devenport said the proposal has merit, but mostly because City Hall needs a facelift.

"I think it should be done. That place is an old place down there," Devenport said.

But at-large Councilman J.D. Faircloth, who refused to even take Tuesday's tour, said the renovations would be a waste of taxpayer money during a time of tight municipal budgeting.

"I'm not going to even support spending $1 on this," Faircloth said. "Everybody else on council seems to be kind of in favor of it, but I can assure you I am substantially against it.

"I just can't justify renovating the building just to move people from one office to another."

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The Nation

Missionary heard of 'hundreds of affairs'

Associated Press

NEW ORLEANS — An Assemblies of God minister working as a missionary in Belgium testified on Wednesday that an employee of Jimmy Swaggart Ministries told him a rival evangelist had left the denomination because he had hundreds of ongoing affairs.

Rev. Roger Myers said Jim Woolsey, the director of missions for Jimmy Swaggart Ministries, visited him in the spring of 1987 and they discussed Marvin Gorman's resignation.

"Mr. Woolsey said the Louisiana district was in turmoil because of the Rev. Mr. Gorman," Roger Myers said. "He said that he had ongoing affairs with more than 100 women and they had come forward to Jimmy Swaggart and confessed."

Gorman is suing Swaggart for $90 million for defamation. He claims in the suit, now in its third week of trial in Orleans Parish Civil District Court, that lies spread by Swaggart in the mid-1980s destroyed his New Orleans ministry.

On cross examination by Phillip Wittmann, an attorney for Swaggart, Myers acknowledged the claim of hundreds of ongoing affairs was preposterous.

"Have you ever heard of anyone who was capable of sustaining hundreds of ongoing affairs?" Wittmann asked.

"No."

"It would get in the Guiness Book of World Records, wouldn't it, to have hundreds of ongoing affairs?" Wittmann said.

"I don't know," Myers replied. "I haven't researched it."

The Rev. John Edward Tramell, a New Orleans minister who testified Monday, returned to the witness stand earlier Wednesday.

On Monday, Tramell said Swaggart told him and the board of the First Assembly of God church at a July 19, 1986, meeting that he wouldn't be surprised if Gorman's affairs dated back 25 years to the time Gorman was statewide youth director for the Assemblies of God.

Tramell said Swaggart alluded to 15 or 16 affairs Gorman had had.

Gorman charges that Swaggart and others conspired to ruin Gorman's ministry by spreading false rumors that he had numerous affairs. Gorman contends there was only one act of adultery — with a pastor's wife in 1978.

The board meeting with Swaggart was held after Swaggart confronted Gorman on July 15, 1986, with claims of adultery and after Gorman had resigned his longtime job as pastor of First Assembly of God church near New Orleans.

Tramell, business administrator of Gorman's church at the time, said the board was investigating Gorman's admitted affair.

Pressed by Gorman attorney Hunter Lundy for exactly what Swaggart told the board, Tramell recalled, "His remarks were something like, 'I understand there may even have been a list of some 15 or 16 other women.'"

Tramell said he didn't ask Swaggart who the women were.

MIAs enslaved on potato farm?

WASHINGTON (AP) — A California attorney said Wednesday that his father and two other men, allegedly shown in a photo of American prisoners in Southeast Asia, were being held as slaves on a potato farm.

A relative of another of the three men, all fliers shot down during the Vietnam War, told a news conference that the government had lost fingerprint records that could help verify whether the men are alive.

Albro Lundy III, a California attorney and son of Air Force Maj. Albro Lundy Jr., said the men were being held on a potato farm but refused, under questioning, to reveal any more information, including his source or which nation the nation the potato farm was in.

He said the men were enslaved first for their technological skills and later as laborers.

If the men are being enslaved on a Southeast Asian potato farm, it shouldn't be too difficult to find them, said Gary Lucier, of the vegetable analysis section of the Agriculture Department's Economic Research Service.

Such farms are relatively rare, he said, and the potatoes are lousy.

"You wouldn't want to make french fries out of them," Lucier said. "There can't be that many that can be classified as potato farms."

All three men — Robertson, Lundy and Navy Lt. Cmdr. Larry Stevens — have been declared killed in action. Their bodies were not recovered.

The Vietnamese government said last week that it had returned Robertson's remains in April 1990. The Pentagon subsequently said the remains Vietnam had identified as Robertson's were animal bones.

On Tuesday, a government broadcast from Hanoi said Robertson was killed when his plane was destroyed and denounced the photograph as "groundless."

At the United Nations, Vietnam's ambassador called the purported photograph of three missing soldiers "a cruel fake" and said again that no U.S. prisoners remain in Vietnam.

The families said the government had provided them in late 1990 with part of the photo that surfaced last week and, subsequently, with fingerprints and palm prints that had been attached to the photo when the government obtained it.

But, the families added, the government had lost earlier fingerprints of the men.

"We can't find them," said Cmdr. Ned Lundquist, a spokesman for the Pentagon.

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Johanna Lundy, wife of MIA Maj. Albro Lundy Jr., holds a United States policy report about MIAs and POWs during a Washington news conference Wednesday. Ms. Lundy's son, California attorney Albro Lundy III, says his father is being held as a slave on a potato farm in Southeast Asia.

Gorbachev fears demonstrators

WASHINGTON — President Mikhail Gorbachev, avoiding the chance of setting off another anti-Soviet demonstration in the fractious Ukraine, will not accompany President Bush on his trip to Kiev next week, a senior White House official said.

Bush, in turn, will not use his brief stop in the Ukrainian capital to further the dispute over the relationship between the populous republic and the central Soviet government, the official said. He and other Bush aides made clear, however, the administration has reservations about at least some of the independence moves afoot in the sprawling superpower.

"We're certainly not working for the disintegration of the Soviet Union," the official said, even as he contended Bush is "going to make every effort not to get drawn into internal disputes."

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New planet detected beyond solar system

N.Y. Times News Service

Astronomers say they have discovered a planet around a distant star. If their claim is confirmed, this would be the first established detection of a planet beyond the solar system.

The object they have observed appears to be stranger than its discoverers even imagined: a massive object orbiting the remnant of a star that collapsed in a violent explosion.

British astronomers reported they had observed fluctuations in radio signals from such a star, a neutron star also known as a pulsar. They believe that these fluctuations are caused by the gravitational effects from an orbiting companion about 10 times the mass of Earth. The rate of radio pulses, usually three per second, would speed up and then slow down in a cycle that repeated itself every six months.

The finding is not likely to be accepted without considerable caution and further study. Despite many suggestive clues from visual, infrared and radio telescopes in the last decade, astronomers have yet to find conclusive evidence of other planetary systems, though their existence is generally assumed.

The discovery of a planet in orbit around a pulsar could upset prevailing theories about the formation of planetary systems, the birth of pulsars and other dynamics and repercussions of exploding stars, known as supernovas.

Other planetary scientists reacted with excitement and puzzlement, saying the discovery, if confirmed, could have a profound effect on astrophysics.

Marfan gene identified

Only months after they gained their first slender clue into the baffling biochemistry of Marfan syndrome, a common disease of the body's connective tissue, researchers have identified the gene behind the syndrome.

Moving rapidly ahead, they then pinpointed a particularly deadly mutation that results in the worst form of the illness.

Marfan syndrome is best known for its role in the deaths of the Olympic volleyball player Flo Hyman and the University of Maryland basketball star Chris Patten, and for possibly being the cause of Abraham Lincoln's towering frame and outsized hands and feet.

With the gene isolated, researchers hope to have a simple test soon for detecting those who carry the trait for the disease. Doctors now rely on physical examinations to identify Marfan patients, but some people have such mild outward symptoms that it is only upon death from cardiovascular complications that their condition becomes known.

Researchers said that a genetic test would make it easier to diagnose Marfan patients and to treat any heart condition they may have with medication or surgery before catastrophe strikes.

Cranston case faces delays

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Jeff Bingaman, D-N.M., said Wednesday a potential conflict of interest keeps him from taking part in further deliberations about Sen. Alan Cranston in the Ethics Committee.

Committee members said the decision means a months-long delay in deciding the last of the Keating Five cases. The committee is trying to determine whether Cranston, D-Calif. violated Senate rules and, if so, whether he should be punished by the full Senate.

Under its rules, the committee will need a Democrat to replace Bingaman because it must have three members of each party to decide a case.

Bingaman said he only learned Tuesday of the conflict, which involves his wife's law firm. Anne Bingaman is a partner in the Washington firm of Powell Goldstein Frazer & Murphy.

Cranston was one of five senators who received $1.3 million in political donations from Charles H. Keating Jr. and his associates, most of it while he was battling regulators to save his Lincoln Savings and Loan. The thrift failed, costing taxpayers a $2.6 billion bailout bill.

The panel criticized the behavior of the four other senators but decided that no action was required by the full Senate. In Cranston's case, however, the committee said there may have been violations and carried the investigation to its final stage.

Bingaman told reporters that his wife learned Tuesday that her firm was owed legal fees from its representation of aides to Cranston who testified during committee hearings last year.

Quayle nixes shuttle plans

The Bush administration doesn't want to fund any more space shuttles, and will concentrate instead developing on a generation of cheaper, more dependable launch vehicles, Vice President Dan Quayle says.

Quayle's announcement, made Wednesday in a speech at Vandenberg Air Force Base in central California, could cause an upheaval among Southern California contractors that work on the shuttle for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

As new systems are developed, different companies could be selected to build them.

Rockwell International Corp. of Los Angeles, the shuttle's builder, has relied on that work for as much as one-sixth of its $12 billion in annual revenue and about 14,000 jobs.

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Sexual assault case ignites debate

N.Y. Times News Service

NEW YORK — When a Queens jury resoundingly rejected allegations that three former St. John's University students sexually assaulted another student after getting her drunk, they touched off celebrations in Bethpage, N.Y., where the three men live.

But they also touched off debate around the nation, as everyone from straphangers on New York City subways to rape-crisis counselors in Berkeley, Calif., tried to discern the meaning of the verdict in the case, one of relatively few to come to trial on charges of sexual violence on college campuses. The defendants in the case were charged with sodomy and sexual abuse.

While some people viewed the verdict as a just one, those condemning it were the most vocal. To some blacks, like the Rev. Herbert D. Daughtry, the Brooklyn minister and civil rights figure, the verdict Tuesday was "one of the greatest miscarriages of justice the world has ever seen" and requires federal intervention.

To some advocates of women's rights, the verdict signaled to men, especially those on college campuses, that "it's open season on women," as Peggy R. Sanday, a professor at the University of Pennsylvania, said.

But the reaction of the woman at the center of the case, a 22-year-old black woman from the island of Jamaica, was what many people fear will deter others from even reporting sexual assaults. Daughtry, who has acted as her spokesman, told reporters that when the woman heard the verdict, she wept inconsolably and said through her tears: "They didn't believe me. They just didn't believe me."

What one makes of the verdict depends upon what one expected out of the trial. Blacks saw an opportunity to right a historic wrong: white men, from the time of the slave trade, viewing black women as fair game.

For feminists and rape-crisis counselors, it was an opportunity to raise the consciousness of the nation about what women on campuses are increasingly reporting: sexual assaults by men they know. For the Queens district attorney's office, it was an opportunity to press for justice in a still emerging area of criminal law.

The defendants had hoped to be exonerated but seemed stunned when they were.

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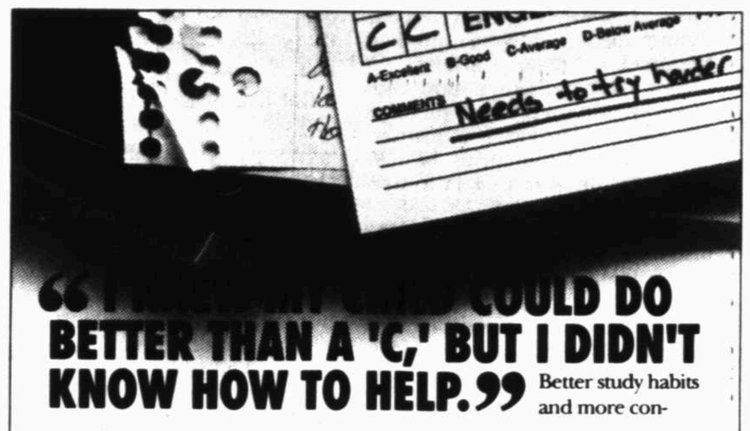

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Gorbachev achieves pact with republics

N.Y. Times News Service

MOSCOW — President Mikhail S. Gorbachev announced Wednesday that he had reached agreement with most of the country's republics on a draft treaty for a drastically decentralized system of power sharing in the Soviet Union.

By achieving a draft accord with nine of the 15 Soviet republics, Gorbachev has achieved a signficant political success on the eve of an important Communist Party central committee meeting, and next week's meeting in Moscow with President Bush.

Given Gorbachev's urgent efforts to encourage Western and Japanese investment and economic aid, the unity treaty will make it easier for Bush and other leaders to discuss such help more concretely.

One problem in the past has been uncertainty by foreign governments and companies whether such funds should be given to the central government or the separate republics.

The Soviet leader said the proposed treaty, one of the keys to his hopes for the political and economic reconstruction of this battered nation, would settle all major differences between his central government and the republics except the precise system of tax sharing.

Gorbachev emerged early Wednesday morning with the announcement after a final 12-hour burst of negotiations that capped a three-month process of seeking compromise with the restless, sovereignty-hungry republics on a blueprint for a new Soviet Union.

He hailed the treaty as "a very deep reforming of our federation and a serious redistribution of powers in favor of the republics."

"The most important thing is that we have finally reached agreement," the Soviet leader declared.

The taxation formula is supposed to be worked out in special negotiations within the next day, said Gorbachev, who was obviously delighted to announce progress toward liberalizing the nation as he faced a week of Communist Party intrigues and superpower summitry.

In addition to Russia, the key republic with most of the the country's population and wealth, the republics involved in the original negotiations in April were the Ukraine, Byelorussia, Uzbekistan, Kazakhstan, Azerbaijan, Khirghizistan, Tadzhikistan and Turkmenistan.

Not taking part were the three Baltic republics demanding outright independence — Latvia, Lithuania and Estonia — plus Georgia, Moldavia and Armenia, which have been vowing independence at a slower pace.

Shamir urges Israel to attend conference

N.Y. Times News Service

JERUSALEM — Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir stressed Wednesday that Israel should seize the opportunity to attend the American-designed peace conference, but only if no Palestinians from East Jerusalem or with any connection to the Palestine Liberation Organization will be there.

The prime minister said that if it turns out that no Palestinians are prepared to come to a conference on such terms, Israel would be willing to negotiate directly with any Arab country. But he cautioned both Syria and Jordan that they must not expect to get any land for peace — only peace for peace.

The thrust of Shamir's remarks, as well as those made by Palestinians on Wednesday, suggested that the Bush administration's initial optimism that a peace conference could be announced when the president meets with President Mikhail S. Gorbachev in Moscow next week may be premature.

It appears that neither Israelis nor Palestinians are prepared to compromise on the longstanding issue of who will represent the Palestinians. And until that is resolved, it is difficult to imagine the convening of a peace conference.

Equally important, Shamir held out no hope to the Syrians and Jordanians that if they engaged in direct talks about "real and true peace," they had a chance to regain any of the Golan Heights or West Bank occupied by Israel since the 1967 war.

The prime minister, questioned in a television interview, said:

"I do not believe in territorial compromise. Our country is very small. Where would you find among the nations of the world a people who would be ready to give up the territory of their homeland?

"I believe with all my heart and soul that we are eternally tied to this homeland. Peace and security go together. Security, and a territory, a homeland — it all goes together. That is our belief, that is the belief of the party I belong to and in my opinion, that is the feeling of a large majority of the Jewish nation."

Kuwait to export its first oil since crisis

KUWAIT CITY (AP) — With more than a third of its oil well fires extinguished, Kuwait plans this weekend to export its first crude oil since the Iraqi occupation, a Kuwait Petroleum Corp. official said Wednesday.

The 2 million barrels of oil are to be loaded at the North Pier at Mina al-Ahmadi, where Kuwaiti engineers have built a makeshift ship loading facility. The oil official, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said the oil would likely be shipped to Europe for processing.

Kuwaiti oil exports stopped last August when the United Nations imposed a worldwide embargo on Iraq and Kuwait to keep the government of President Saddam Hussein from profiting from his army's Aug. 2 invasion of the emirate.

An allied coalition drove Iraq from Kuwait in February, but the retreating Iraqis blew up about 750 of the emirate's 900 oil wells, leaving more than 600 burning.

Larry Flak, the American who coordinates firefighting efforts for Kuwait Oil Co., said earlier this week that teams from the four American and Canadian companies in the field were putting out an average of two well fires per day and had put out a total of 240.

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Gulf planes could wipe out Iraqi nukes

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Air Force general who directed the allied air war against Iraq said Wednesday that American warplanes could wipe out all of Iraq's known nuclear research and production facilities if so ordered by President Bush.

Lt. Gen. Charles Horner said it would take at least several days of continuous bombing to eliminate the Iraqi nuclear program, but he also obliquely suggested that any amount of bombing might not change Saddam Hussein's nuclear ambitions.

"How're you going to hurt Saddam Hussein?" Horner mused. Many of his own people are in revolt against Saddam, "and here he is continuing to want to protect his nuclear weapons program" in disregard of U.N. demands it be destroyed.

"I'm at a loss as to what you do with a guy like that," Horner told a group of reporters.

Bush, meanwhile, told reporters, that Iraqi officials "know what they have to do."

He declined to discuss the options he might consider if Iraq continues to defy the United Nations. Asked if Thursday was a "D-day" for Iraq, Bush said, "No, no it's not."

At the State Department, spokesman Dave Denny noted that United Nations officials have said much analysis remains to be done before officials can draw conclusions about how complete Saddam's nuclear disclosures have been.

Horner repeatedly stressed that he'd been given no orders to plan a renewed aerial bombardment of Iraq, and that he could not comment on the likelihood or the wisdom of U.S. military action against Iraq's nuclear facilities.

But the three-star general said he'd begun thinking about the possibility of renewed combat. He said that about 10 percent of the U.S. air force used in the Persian Gulf War was still in the area and was prepared to strike if ordered.

"The president has indicated this may be a necessary line of action, so to say that I haven't been thinking about something like that is inappropriate," said Horner, commander of the 9th Air Force at Shaw Air Force Base, S.C.

"The military potential is there" if Bush chose to use it, Horner said.

Among the U.S. warplanes still in the gulf area are F-16 fighter planes, F-15E ground attack aircraft, F-117A stealth attack planes and a variety of Navy aircraft.

The general declined to discuss specific Iraqi nuclear facilities that might be targeted.

Oil embargo may be eased

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — The U.N. Sanctions Committee made no decision Wednesday on whether to allow Iraq to sell oil to finance purchases of food and medicine for its people, and passed the matter on to the Security Council.

The council will hold closed consultations Thursday to discuss a senior U.N. official's recommendation that the war-devastated country be allowed to finance its own urgent purchases of humanitarian supplies.

The United Nations was expected to closely monitor any future Iraqi oil sales, including the collection of revenues and distribution of purchased goods.

The United States and Britain, two of the five permanent Security Council members, insist that any plan adopted by the Security Council prevent Iraqi President Saddam Hussein from benefiting in any way from oil sale revenues.

The deadline for Iraq to fully disclose its nuclear and weapons programs approached Thursday without any sign of allied military action against Iraq.

Canadians rally around man suing top Tories

OTTAWA (AP) — Glen Kealey's struck a chord.

The Quebec man's first victory last week in his fight to charge 13 prominent politicians with graft has inspired such support that his lawyer has set aside an employee just to deal with fan calls, the attorney said Wednesday.

"We're getting quite a reaction," Richard Bosada, Kealey's attorney, told The Associated Press. "We've had a multitude of calls."

Since July 17, when a justice of the peace gave Kealey permission to press charges as a private citizen against the government's sports minister and other figures in Prime Minister Brian Mulroney's party, the response has been overwhelming, he said.

"Kealey's literally had 200 calls a day" at his home, and people have been offering him financial and other support, Bosada said. "I've designated someone (at my office) to take all the calls."

Kealey, who was already well-known on Parliament Hill for his daily protests and colorful antics, said Tuesday that citizens felt inspired by his example.

"There has been such despair across the country that nobody could do anything about anything," he said. "Now they're seeing that just maybe we can do something."

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Drive toward new U.S. energy policy begins running out of gas

By James R. Owen
Hearst News Service

■ Analysis

WASHINGTON — The government's much-heralded initiative to build a comprehensive new energy policy may be running out of gas, say congressional sources, industry lobbyists and energy specialists.

Long before Saddam Hussein invaded Kuwait almost a year ago, sending crude oil prices over $40 a barrel and frightening oil-dependent Americans, President Bush ordered the Energy Department to devise a program to make the United States less reliant on imported oil.

Americans now import nearly half of the 17 million barrels of oil they consume daily, more than Germany and Japan combined.

Concern about energy availability and price smoldered into the winter, when the administration unveiled its new energy strategy with fanfare, calling for bolstered domestic energy production and a variety of voluntary conservation measures.

But when Iraq was expelled from from Kuwait in March, crude oil prices settled to around $20 a barrel and gasoline prices about the same as a year ago.

Much of the urgency for overhauling U.S. energy policy appears to have evaporated on Capitol Hill, and that fact, coupled with the thorny regulatory, environmental and regional battles that stalemated earlier attempts, has caused many here to predict that nothing will happen in the end.

"This usually happens once or twice a decade," said a House staffer familiar with the debate. "It usually occurs when we're sitting in gas lines or turning down our thermostats, but once the crisis has passed, people forget about it."

Congress hasn't forgotten about it, though, and a bewildering array of competing energy bills have surfaced that overlap or contradict the administration's draft.

Leading the pack was Sen. Bennett Johnston, the Louisiana Democrat who chairs the Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee. That panel has already passed an omnibus measure that would study mandatory fuel-efficiency standards for cars, streamline regulation for construction of nuclear plants and allow allow oil exploration in the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge in Alaska.

Wobblies as radical as ever despite thin ranks

By Carl T. Hall
N.Y. Times News Service

IWW leaders claim their militant message gains new relevance every time an AFL-CIO union suffers a defeat or sells out its members' interests.

SAN FRANCISCO — Once famous as America's most radical union, the Industrial Workers of the World has become so anonymous that hardly anyone noticed when it recently moved its international headquarters to San Francisco from Chicago.

While many other unions have evolved over the years, the IWW's guiding philosophy remains unchanged. It's based on the idea that all workers, regardless of race, sex, national origin or craft, should be organized into "one big union" seeking not only short-term improvements in wages and working conditions but also the eventual overthrow of the "wage slave system."

For now, though, it appears capitalists have little to worry about. The IWW's brand of no-holds-barred unionism — a "world without bosses" — is one that almost nobody seems to be buying anymore.

"Most people don't even know we still exist," lamented General Secretary-Treasurer Jess Grant, the union's elected administrative officer.

Worldwide membership, mostly in the United States and Canada, now numbers about 500 — down from a high of more than 100,000 during the IWW's pre-World War I heyday.

The IWW moved to San Francisco although the Bay Area branch has only about 60 dues-paying members, who carry red membership cards. Another 150 or so sympathizers are on the mailing list.

In fact, the Berkeley Ecology Center's recycling operation is the only IWW bargaining unit in the Bay Area.

Some other members have formed "solidarity shops" at worker-owned collectives, such as Typesetting Etc. in San Francisco and New Earth Press in Berkeley, where no formal labor bargaining occurs.

"This union stands for the worker, not for compromise," said Matthew Carlstroem, shop steward for about 14 IWW members who work at the Ecology Center, a nonprofit organization that handles the city's curbside recycling program.

The Wobblies, as IWW members long have been known, were crushed as a mass movement during the aftermath of World War I. The union's refusal to support the war effort left it vulnerable to red-baiting and a government-led crackdown in which a number of leaders were jailed and prosecuted under anti-sedition statutes.

A stubborn core kept on agitating, though. The union even enjoyed a minor revival during the 1960s, as student militants active in opposing the Vietnam War pushed Wobbly membership up to about 1,000.

Today, the IWW shares some members and tactics with Earth First, the radical environmental group active in Northern California. IWW Local 1 is located in the timber country.

"The IWW is kind of the spiritual forebear of Earth First," said Judi Barri, an Earth First leader nearly killed last year when a bomb exploded in her car. "We're carrying on the Wobbly tradition."

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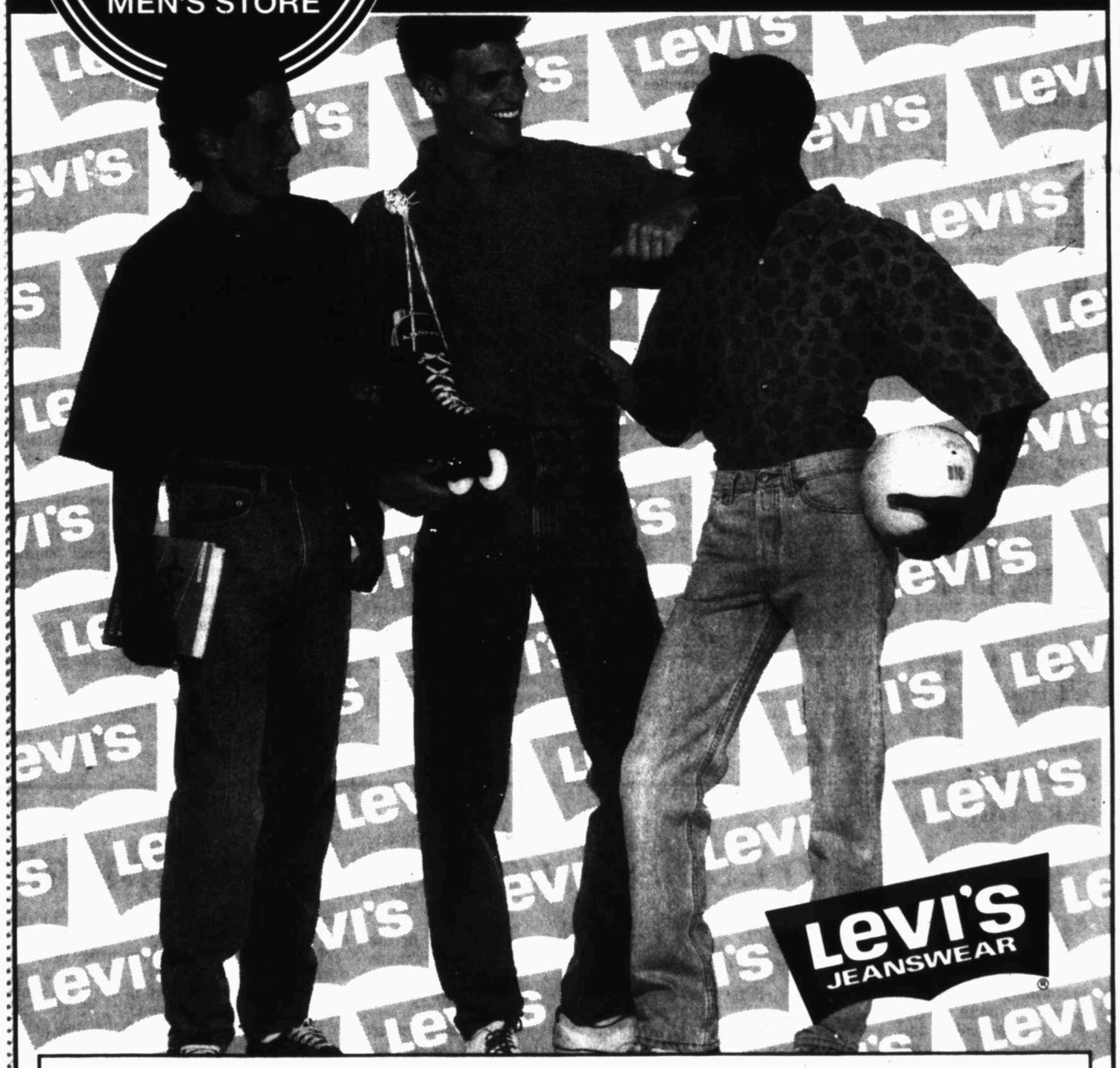

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Where's courage to 'just say no?'

It's easy to be steamed at the U.S. senators for voting themselves a pay raise of $23,200 annually at a time when most Americans are struggling just to break even and many businesses are enduring cutbacks and salary freezes to remain solvent.

The Senate's justification for the raise — that the House voted itself a similar increase two years ago and that the senators are giving up speaking fees as part of the bargain — comes off as flimsy when one considers all the prestige and perks also accorded members of Congress.

Even the fact that Lloyd Bentsen already did not accept honoraria — or speaking fees — and that Phil Gramm voted against the salary increase will not earn the Texas senators "brownie points" with many of the state's voters.

The truly galling aspect of the pay raise is the flippant way in which it was enacted. So what, here's a vote on another $2,320,000 expenditure. There are, after all, 100 senators. Who cares?

We do! This nation is drowning in debt, yet our senators don't have the courage to collectively say "enough is enough." The senators who are truly concerned about this trend need to get out to where their message will be heard and rail against these increases.

Maybe, hopefully, millions more "somebodies" are starting to care about this destruction of our institution of public service and are willing to do something about the "so what" attitude of our so-called public servants.

It isn't just a question of whether the senators deserve the pay raise; no doubt many of them have earned it. Rather it's a question of whether the U.S. Congress is to be an exclusive political club with all the perks enjoyed by senators during the days of the Roman Republic or the legislative forum that can begin to restore a degree of reason to the institution of government service.

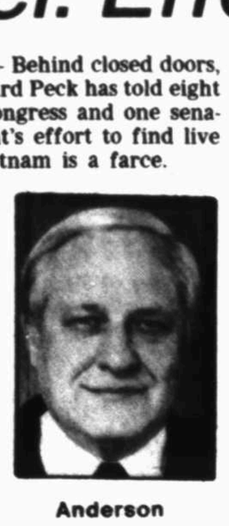
Where is the selflessness and concern for our society that has been exhibited by statesmen down through history? Where is the forum willing to collectively say, "No, this is not needed. Debt reduction is this nation's need."

That is the need facing our government and until it is shown by our top leaders, we shouldn't expect much change in the outlook for this nation.

JACK ANDERSON

Colonel: Effort to find POWs 'farce'

WASHINGTON — Behind closed doors, Army Col. Millard Peck has told eight members of Congress and one senator that the government's effort to find live American POWs in Vietnam is a farce.



Anderson

Peck told the riveted lawmakers about his feelings when he joined the Pentagon's Office for Prisoners of War and Missing in Action. "I initially just wanted to fix the office." After a while, Peck changed his mind. "I don't want to be part of this," he decided. "I don't want anyone to say I sold out my buddies in Vietnam."

His comments came in a closed-door session of a House Foreign Affairs subcommittee hearing on May 30. The session has been classified as top secret, but our associate Jim Lynch has pieced together what transpired.

The meeting was chaired by Rep. Stephen Solarz, D-N.Y., who walked out after less than a half hour and declared to the waiting press that Peck's allegations were flimsy and that there was no government conspiracy to block POW investigations. Solarz missed out on the last two hours of the secret session in which Peck exposed the failures of the program.

Peck's debut on Capitol Hill came shortly after his pithy resignation letter was made public. In that letter, he challenged President Bush's assertion that the POW/MIA issue was of the "highest priority" in his administration. Peck wrote that "the entire issue is being manipulated by unscrupulous people in the government or associated with the government."

There have been 1,400 reported sightings of U.S. servicemen in Vietnam since the end of the war. None of them have been confirmed, but Peck implied that the Pentagon goes out of its way to debunk each report.

Peck told the committee about an Air Force captain who, while researching the war, found a credible Laotian general with new information about Site 85, an Air Force radar base in Laos. The general claimed he had participated in a raid on Site 85 and that he was sure two or three American soldiers were captured and taken north. The general was willing to talk, and Peck was willing to listen. But he said he was stopped by Ann Mills Griffiths, the director of the private National League of Families of American Prisoners and Missing in Southeast Asia. Peck said Griffiths told him, "You're forbidden to do this. I'll handle it."

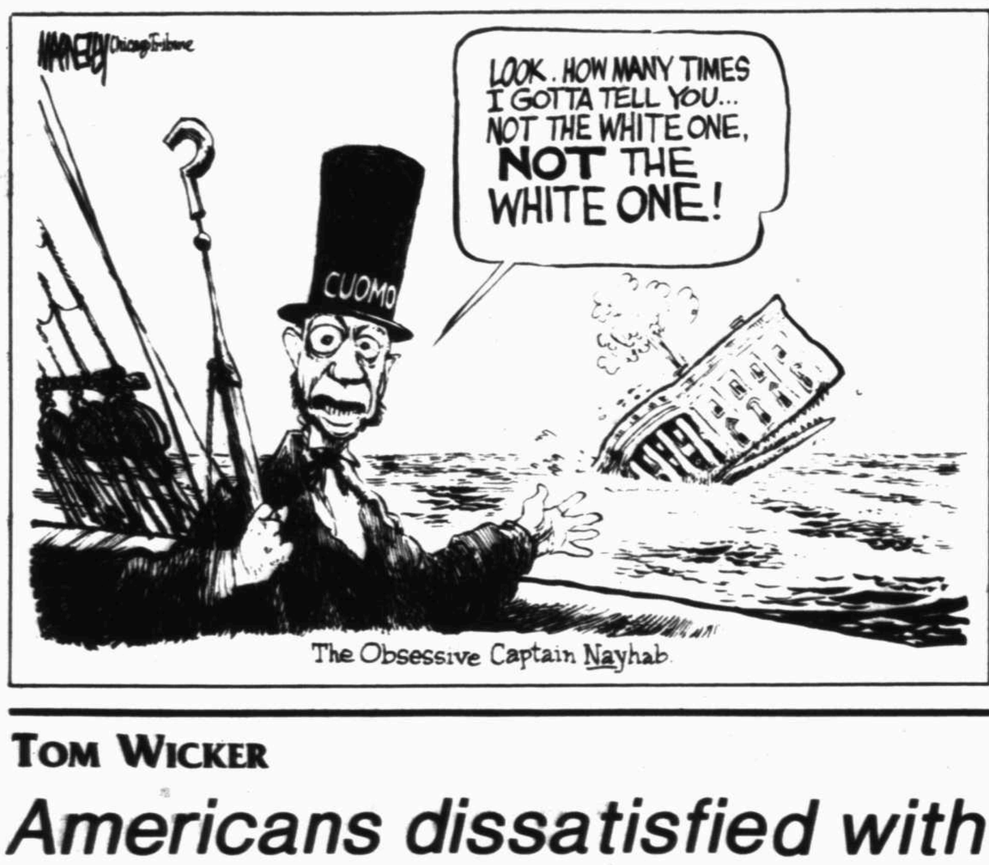
We have reported in the past that Griffiths is not a government official and is supposed to be a watchdog for the prisoners and their families, but she mouths the government line. Peck told the committee that Griffiths repeatedly blocked his and others' efforts to pursue sighting reports and had access to intelligence data often before the Defense Intelligence Agency was able to review it.

Griffiths has previously denied Peck's allegations and called them "ludicrous," considering he only worked in the POW office for eight months.

It was long enough to convince Peck that the government wasn't sincere about going after remaining POWs if they exist. He described one report from a Laotian birdwatcher who reported seeing American prisoners. Peck said the information was dismissed on the grounds that the testimony of a birdwatcher was not credible.

In the closed hearing, Rep. Robert Lagomarsino, R-Calif., asked Peck if the problems were a matter of "disorganization or conspiracy." Peck replied, "It is charitable to say disorganized. I really think it's much more." By the time Peck uttered those words, Solarz had already left the meeting to tell the press there was no conspiracy, and had gone off to other commitments.

Peck privately concedes he is a marked man for speaking out, and we have learned that an effort to discredit him is already underway. But he is still speaking out, and is scheduled to address the Senate Rules Committee today. The hearing will focus on a bill proposed by Sens. Charles Grassley, R-Iowa and Robert Smith, R-N.H., that would create a select committee to study the POW issue.



The Obsessive Captain Nayhab

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TOM WICKER

Americans dissatisfied with health care

CLEVELAND — Among the people of 10 industrialized nations, those of the United States were found in 1990 to be the least satisfied with their health care system. Yet, the U.S. allocates to medical care the highest proportion of income — 12.2 percent of gross national product — of any nation.

Wicker

You don't have to be a brain surgeon to know that there's something wrong here — spiraling expense not least. The cost of corporate medical benefits rose to $3,161 per employee in 1990, 44 percent more than in 1988.

But that figure is misleading, not because it's wrong, but because of that seemingly precise phrase "per employee." The experience of Blue Cross-Blue Shield in the Cleveland area suggests that a major cause of rising health care costs is the expense of caring for a small number of people with very severe medical problems.

In this area, Blue Cross-Blue Shield insures about 64,000 employees in "small groups" ranging from two to 150 employees, with more than half numbering less than 50 members. In 1989, health benefits paid out to group members totaled $123 million, an average of $1,923 each.

In fact, a study for John Burry Jr., chief executive of Ohio's Blue Cross-Blue Shield, found that for 90 percent of all those insured, benefit payments averaged only $794. For the remaining 10 percent, with major health problems, average benefits soared to $10,529. Thus, 10 percent of small-group employees accounted for $79.7 million of the $123 million in total benefits — about twice the benefits of the other 90 percent.

The same principle applies to that expensive top 10 percent. Among these very sick individuals, just 1 percent received $29.1 million in benefits, nearly half the total. That 1 percent received about a quarter of all benefits.

Put another way, 50 people — victims of major, sometimes chronic problems like muscular dystrophy, cancer and mental disorders — alone required more in health-care benefits than 40,000 of the people in the 90 percent requiring the least care. Three organ transplants, for a graphic example, generated nearly $1 million in benefit payouts. Similarly, a 12 percent increase in "inpatient days per thousand" — which could drive up a small group's costs — could be the result of increased hospitalization for only one person.

No wonder Burry argues that "the health problems of the top few percentiles of health-care utilizers drive the overall health-care costs of the entire group." But traditional "per employee" cost-containment efforts rarely are based on or effectively deal with this fact — which probably would be replicated on a larger scale than the reasonably representative Cleveland study.

Burry advocates "key strategies" for employers that would recognize the importance of these relatively few high-cost cases. One would rely on "individual case management" — for instance, shortening the hospital stay of a hip-replacement patient by paying for a ramp to his or her home.

Another asks whether every hospital should be capable of every form of exotic treatment — transplants, open heart surgery and the like. Burry, instead, would establish "centers of excellence" and negotiate with each a fixed fee for such expensive procedures, to be charged by the hospital; it would then pay surgeons, specialists, staff, etc. He believes this would drive down the current high costs of the kind of treatment usually needed by only a small number of patients.

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ANOTHER VIEW

Mosbacher correct to stick by count

It is not surprising that Commerce Secretary Robert Mosbacher's refusal to adjust the 1990 census is drawing fire from many quarters. His decision carries enormous political and financial consequences. The announcement means that congressional and legislative redistricting will proceed, and that an estimated $50 billion in federal funds will be parceled out to states and cities on the basis of the original census figures.

Still, Mosbacher was right to stick with the raw numbers, at least for now. The Census Bureau estimates that its count missed 5 million people. Although the commerce secretary acknowledged that using the adjusted numbers would have increased the accuracy of the overall census, he went on to explain that serious problems arose in trying to determine exactly where the missing 5 million live. After looking at all the evidence, he could not conclude that an adjustment would have improved the count for states, cities and neighborhoods.

But Mosbacher also was troubled by the fact that a disproportionate number of the people missed were minorities and by the prospect that his decision will have a detrimental effect on them.

In the end, the best way to ensure that these communities receive their fair share of money is not by undercutting the integrity of the census but by perfecting the accuracy of any statistical adjustment.

— The Dallas Morning News

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Thursday, July 25, the 206th day of 1991. There are 159 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On July 25, 1956, 51 lives were lost when the Italian liner Andrea Doria sank after it collided with the Swedish ship Stockholm south of Nantucket Island off the New England coast.

On this date:

In 1593, France's King Henry IV converted from Protestantism to Roman Catholicism.

In 1866, Ulysses S. Grant was named general of the Army, the first officer to hold the rank.

In 1868, Congress passed an act creating the Wyoming Territory.

In 1909, French aviator Louis Bleriot flew across the English Channel in a monoplane, traveling from Calais to Dover in 37 minutes.

In 1943, Benito Mussolini was dismissed as premier of Italy during World War II.

In 1963, the United States, the Soviet Union and Britain initialed a treaty in Moscow prohibiting the testing of nuclear weapons in the atmosphere, in space or underwater.

In 1969, a week after the Chappaquiddick accident that claimed the life of Mary Jo Kopechne, Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., pleaded guilty to a charge of leaving the scene of an accident, then went on television to address his constituents.

In 1979, President Carter issued a letter absolving Dr. Samuel Mudd, the physician who'd treated the broken leg of John Wilkes Booth, of any role in the assassination of President Lincoln.

In 1984, Soviet cosmonaut Svetlana Savitskaya became the first woman to walk in space as she carried out more than three hours of experiments outside the orbiting space station Salyut VII.

ART BUCHWALD

'Thelma and Louise' want equal treatment

The movie of the summer seems to be "Thelma and Louise." It's the story of two women driving around the United States in a demolition derby, bashing male pigs who have done them wrong. In fact, it is a female vigilante movie with the two ladies doing everything that women would like to do to men by taking the law into their own hands. It's well made if you like "Smokey and the Bandit"-type pictures, and it features two very talented actresses, Geena Davis and Susan Sarandon, playing Thelma and Louise.

Buchwald

The trouble with the film is that if you go with your wife she wants to discuss it all night, and you can lose a lot of sleep.

"What did you think of the movie?" my wife asked when we got home. Like a dummy I answered, "I don't have much respect for women who drive over 55 miles an hour."

The lights went on, and she was off and running.

"That picture showed what women have to put up with all the time. The man who tried to rape Geena had it coming to him."

I said, "Susan Sarandon shot him in the heart with a gun. Even in the movies that's against the law."

My wife smiled. "The audience liked it. They cheered."

"Movie audiences never want to take time to go through the legal process. Just because he attempted to rape her doesn't give them the right to shoot him dead and become 'Bonnie and Clyde.'"

"They wouldn't have done it if that cowboy hadn't made love to Geena Davis and stole all of Thelma and Louise's savings. Women are tired of being made love to and then having guys take their money. It hurts them because they can never be sure if the guy likes them for themselves or for the cash they carry around in brown envelopes."

I don't know why I was digging myself into such a big hole. "Having their money stolen didn't give Thelma and Louise a reason to commit an armed robbery of a general store. That wasn't 'politically correct.'"

"The audience loved it," she said. "Besides, if someone steals money from you I don't see any reason why you shouldn't take money from somebody else. That's what the picture is all about. For the first time women are standing up for their rights, and saying that they are not going to be assaulted by a guy just because he tells them how wonderful they are."

"Not all men rob women after they bed down with them," I declared. "I know a lot of guys who aren't interested in a woman's money, but in her as a person."

"Name them," my wife challenged me.

"I'm not going to give names because then you'll just tell everyone and they'll get into trouble. I am aware that 'Thelma and Louise' is just a movie, but I feel that its success is because the playing field is tilted toward the female perspective, and that's bad for better relations between the sexes."

"It is not tilted," my wife said.

"Then why did Thelma and Louise get a standing ovation when they stuffed a state patrolman at gunpoint into the trunk of his car?"

"It wasn't because he was a man, it was because he was a police officer. Look, the movie is a fairy tale. All we are saying is that we want to be treated like men."

"That message comes through loud and clear," I told her. "But if 'Thelma and Louise' is what women really want, I'm going to stay off the highways in Oklahoma and Arizona until they get it."

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KILLING OUR OWN

Challenges of friendly fire remain difficult to overcome

Fourth in a four-part series
By Stewart M. Powell
Hearst News Service

WASHINGTON — The hazards of friendly fire in desert warfare were well known to the Pentagon long before American armed forces were sent to the Arabian peninsula to oust Iraqi troops from Kuwait.

Troops and pilots had been equipped and trained for the chaotic, day-and-night warfare that makes distinctions between friend and foe difficult to determine.

No less than three studies at the Army's desert-warfare training center at Fort Irwin, Calif., in the mid-1980s had underscored the special dangers of fratricide.

Some of the reports' recommendations were being implemented when the war broke out, recalled Army Maj. Rick Bogdan, who studied the causes of friendly fire over a two-year period at the center.

Yet the search for new defenses against fratricide didn't really gain high-level attention until thousands of American troops were in Saudi Arabia preparing to go to war side-by-side with Arab allies that were using the same Soviet-made tanks as Iraq.

Then, "once the war started, we had to go with what we had," said Army Lt. Col. Charles Willey, a spokesman for Army Gen. John J. Yeosock, commander of Army forces in Operation Desert Storm.

Tanks and armored combat vehicles were adorned with everything from fluorescent orange plastic banners and luminous "V" for victory symbols to store-bought, battery-powered beacons dubbed "Bud lights."

Portable satellite navigation systems were rushed into the field to combat confusion over units' location in the featureless, ocean-like desert. Some 2,000 forward air controllers accompanied ground combat units to coordinate close air support.

But the war had been going only 12 days when 11 Marines were killed in two incidents of friendly fire on Jan. 29.

At that point, the Pentagon redoubled its efforts. The Joint Chiefs of Staff ordered the armed services to find "a quick fix." The Army, designated the lead service, scoured the country for distinctive black paint that would be visible in night-vision goggles so that allied pilots could identify allied combat vehicles. It also established a center for combat identification technology at Fort Meade, Md.

An off-the-cuff design for a battery-powered infrared beacon by Robert Walleston, an engineering technician with Test Systems Inc., in Hudson, N.H., was dashed into production. The Army ordered 10,000 Walleston beacons, but only 190 made it to Saudi Arabia before the war ended.

Despite all the effort, American forces killed or wounded at least 42 Americans and 11 Britons in 11 separate instances of friendly fire identified so far by military investigators. After more probing, Pentagon officials told Hearst Newspapers, the number of confirmed incidents may double.

The American casualties represented almost 9 percent of the 488 combat casualties suffered by U.S. forces — four times the estimated rate of fratricide by American forces in the past wars of the 20th century.

"The procedures and materiel used by coalition forces (to avoid friendly fire) were only marginally effective," the Pentagon admitted in its first post-war assessment. "We have yet to devise a cost-effective approach to achieving improved identification procedures."

The fast pace of the 43-day war and the absence of sustained hostile fire left many U.S. ground forces little opportunity to hone their skills in actual combat, said Charles Hawkins, an executive with the Historical Evaluation and Research Organization, a defense contractor.

"Once you have experience fighting, the little tricks of identification and how you do things start being developed," Hawkins said.

Now that the war is over, the armed services are undertaking new measures to reduce friendly fire casualties in the future.

"It's a high priority," Pentagon spokesman Pete Williams said Tuesday.

The Army is leading a multi-service task force at the Training and Doctrine Command at Fort Monroe, Va., to grapple with distinguishing friend from foe. More than 40 specialists met last week. They will gather again in early August to identify solutions and then in mid-September to decide how new devices can be acquired, according to Army Capt. Joe Curtin.

The Army's Center for Lessons Learned at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., also has teams in the field examining the problem of friendly fire, according to Army Lt. Col. John Head, a spokesman.

The Army, sources said, wants to change battlefield doctrine to move the free-fire line, now just in front of American forces, to at least 18 miles ahead of them to avoid fratricide by U.S. aircraft.

The Army also wants to develop a beacon or an encoded radio transmitter to aid U.S. planes and tanks in recognizing allied combat vehicles.

"There's new momentum to develop a technical solution," said James A. Blackwell Jr., a former Army officer serving as deputy director of political-military studies at the Center for Strategic and International Studies in Washington, D.C. "It was not a priority before because it was felt that it would cost a great deal and those resources were being put elsewhere."

Army's navigation units helped reduce fratricide

By Charles J. Lewis
Hearst News Service

WASHINGTON — The Army, worried by the risks of friendly fire casualties in the Persian Gulf War, was rushing portable satellite navigation devices to armored units in the field when the order came to retake Kuwait.

The small, hand-held devices, capable of pinpointing units' locations upon the vast, open desert, were considered a crucial defense against fratricide among U.S. armored units attacking Iraqi forces.

"If you can eliminate being lost, you can eliminate a significant majority of fratricide," said Army Maj. Rick Bogdan, whose 1988 study of simulated fratricide during Army training led to a series of recommended changes, including the installation of satellite navigation systems within armored units.

The study, assessing friendly fire during 312 "battles" over a two-year period at the Army's desert warfare training center at Fort Irwin, Calif., concluded that the "single biggest fix" would be armored units' widespread use of the U.S. government's $10 billion global positioning system (GPS).

The web of 16 satellites in orbit around the earth enable a person on foot, in a tank, flying a plane or piloting a ship to establish his or her location quickly within a matter of a few yards.

The Army study recommended that GPS equipment be issued "one per vehicle or at least one per platoon," Bogdan said. "As many as Uncle Sam could afford."

The Army acquisition bureaucracy was in the process of buying the recommended equipment for field units when the Persian Gulf War erupted.

U.S. military planners frantically began buying GPS equipment off the shelf, skirting the normal time-consuming government acquisition process.

Military units bought directly from U.S. manufacturers such as the Magellan Systems Corp. and Trimble Navigation, which had ready-made GPS receivers intended for hunters, boaters, private fliers, prospectors and surveyors.

The 1st Infantry Division based in Fort Riley, Kans., bought 500 hand-held Magellan receivers for $2 million right before leaving for Saudi Arabia.

Trimble was so busy filling military needs in the weeks before the war that it turned away orders from individual soldiers who tried to buy their own private unit.

"We were getting calls from parents who wanted to buy units and send them to Saudi Arabia," said Sandra Bateman, spokeswoman for Trimble. "They wanted to protect their children — they wanted to buy by credit card over the phone."

Trimble, based in Sunnyvale, Calif., turned down individual orders because it was too busy filling the new military contracts, Bateman said.

By the time the war started, the U.S. military was still short of GPS receivers.

One out of six American troops killed in combat died from attacks by U.S. aircraft or ground fire during the 43-day offensive. The rate of U.S.-inflicted casualties on American forces was more than four times greater than the estimated rate of fratricide suffered by U.S. troops in other 20th century military conflicts.

Defense Secretary Dick Cheney, in the Pentagon's first post-war report on the conduct of the war, indicated the value of the GPS devices is reducing friendly fire.

"Although GPS system receivers were available among the coalition forces, wider distribution greatly would have aided the command, control and safety of ground units," Cheney said in his July 9 interim report to Congress.

British cite U.S. Air Force in wrong-target incident

By Stewart M. Powell
Hearst News Service

WASHINGTON — The British government Wednesday cited two American Air Force pilots for mistakenly attacking a column of 37 well-marked British armored vehicles parked in the Iraqi desert in the worst case of friendly fire of the Persian Gulf war.

British Defense Minister Tom King, reporting to the House of Commons in London, said British investigators "could not establish precisely why" the unnamed pilots of the two A-10 Thunderbolt aircraft each fired infrared-guided Maverick anti-tank missiles at "the wrong target."

Nine British soldiers were killed and 11 others wounded in the attack that came amid "clear skies and good visibility" shortly after 3 p.m. on Feb. 26.

However, King said neither the British Army nor the British air attack coordination officer bore "blame or responsibility" for the friendly fire incident.

King said the British Warrior armored vehicles' carried bright fluorescent orange identification panels that were plainly visible to allied aircraft at 6,000 feet. He said other pilots were able to visually identify the vehicles from altitudes up to 14,000 feet.

The Warriors also had the inverted "V" symbol that identified coalition vehicles.

"On the basis of the evidence before it, the board was unable to establish why the attacked Warrior vehicles were misidentified by the A-10 pilots as enemy T-54/55 tanks," particularly in view of the previous identification runs that the A-10s made at 8,000 feet and 15,000 feet before firing their missiles from an altitude of 9,000 feet, the report said.

However, the report said the British inquiry "did not establish" whether the American pilots "were at fault."

The casualties, announced earlier, are among at least 42 Americans and 22 Britons killed or wounded by U.S. fire in Iraq and Kuwait during the 43-day war that ended Feb. 27.

Nine percent of U.S. combat losses were victims of American weaponry – four times the estimated rate of fratricide in past wars. The 9 British soldiers killed by the U.S. air attack represented 38 percent of the 24 British troops killed in combat.

Air Force Lt. Gen. Charles A. Horner, commander of U.S. air forces in Operation Desert Storm, said there "may have been miscommunication" between the U.S. pilots and the British air attack coordinator who had called in an American air strike on an Iraqi armored column 12 miles away.

"There's no doubt about it, the wrong target was hit," Horner said. "Mistakes were made. . . . We all feel badly about this."

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MCHD board discusses tax increase

■ **Although it would take a 56.1 percent increase to have a zero deficit, directors consider 8 percent increase.**

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

Midland taxpayers would be confronted with up to a 56.1 percent increase in hospital taxes to effect a "zero" deficit on projected $9 million in indigent-care costs in 1991-92.

Such a proposed increase would invite a rollback election.

However, directors of Midland's County Hospital District on Wednesday discussed a less than 8 percent tax increase, which would drop the deficit to $2.46 million. The deficit would be absorbed by the hospital's paying patients and their insurers.

"We've got a duty here," Dr. Stephen Wiesenfeld, board president, told the group in considering the 1991-92 tax rate.

"Whatever it takes, we've got to pay it," said board member Richard Dulaney, a landman.

However, board members the Rev. S.V. Ferguson, a minister, and Margaret Williams, a retired school teacher, recommended that the tax increase not exceed 8 percent.

Ray Branson, the hospital's president and chief executive officer, said that ideally if the hospital were "paid a dollar for a dollar billed," there would be no deficit and overall billings could be reduced by 15 to 20 percent "overnight."

The directors are to hold a public hearing on a new tax rate at 5:30 p.m. on Aug. 12, as required any time a proposed tax-rate increase is more than 3 percent over the effective tax rate.

On Aug. 28, the board is to adopt the hospital's $140-million budget for the 1991-92 fiscal year and set a new rate.

A proposed new rate could represent anywhere from an 8 percent to a 56 percent tax-rate increase.

Should the tax rate exceed an 8 percent increase, voters could demand a rollback election.

That happened last year, when the directors voted in a 19.6 percent tax increase to help cut down the hospital's indigent-care deficit. Subsequently, a rollback election was held to knock down the tax increase. But on Jan. 19, Midland voters rejected the rollback and, effectively, sanctioned the hospital's new tax rate, which currently stands at 16.62 cents per $100 valuation based on a $3.7-billion tax base.

Without a tax increase, the hospital's indigent-care costs, projected at $9 million in 1991-92, would a suffer $3-million shortfall. That deficit, necessarily, would be paid from the hospital's revenues.

The hospital treats almost 8,000 indigent patients per year.

"The number of indigents is increasing," said Wiesenfeld, "and the cost of delivering the service is increasing."

A proposed 56.1 percent increase in the tax rate would eliminate the deficit by raising the tax rate to 24.49 cents per $100, up from 16.62 cents. A 24.49-cent tax rate would bring in $9 million.

With a 7.99 percent tax-rate increase, which would bring the tax rate to 17.63 cents from 16.61 cents, the hospital would suffer a $2.4-million deficit. That rate would generate $6.5 million in tax revenue, while projected indigent-care costs hover at $9 million.

"It's hard for us to continue to run a $2.6-million deficit," Wiesenfeld lamented following Wednesday's board meeting.

Indigent care in the 1990-91 fiscal year is costing about $8.5 million, while tax revenue is taking care of about $6 million of that.

"We've got to try to cut into that over the next four years," Wiesenfeld said. "I'm be happy if we could cut that down to $1 million over the next three or four years."

Cost-cutting measures include the Community Health Care Clinic on Delano Street "that is going to save big dollars," said Wiesenfeld. Prenatal and pediatric indigent patients will be treated there.

Instead of going to the more-costly hospital emergency room, indigent patients would be treated at the clinic, which will "really save some major dollars through preventative programs, especially prenatal care.

Any 56.1 percent tax increase would be a "break-even proposal," Wiesenfeld said.

More than likely, however, the board will "go with the 8 percent hike," which will "not be enough," Wiesenfeld said. However, it would not invite a rollback election.

"We want to show people what kind of costs are out there, what kind of deficit we face," Wiesenfeld said.

The hospital is absorbing the indigent-care deficit cost of $2.6 million in the current fiscal year.

The "burden for paying" for health care for indigent patients

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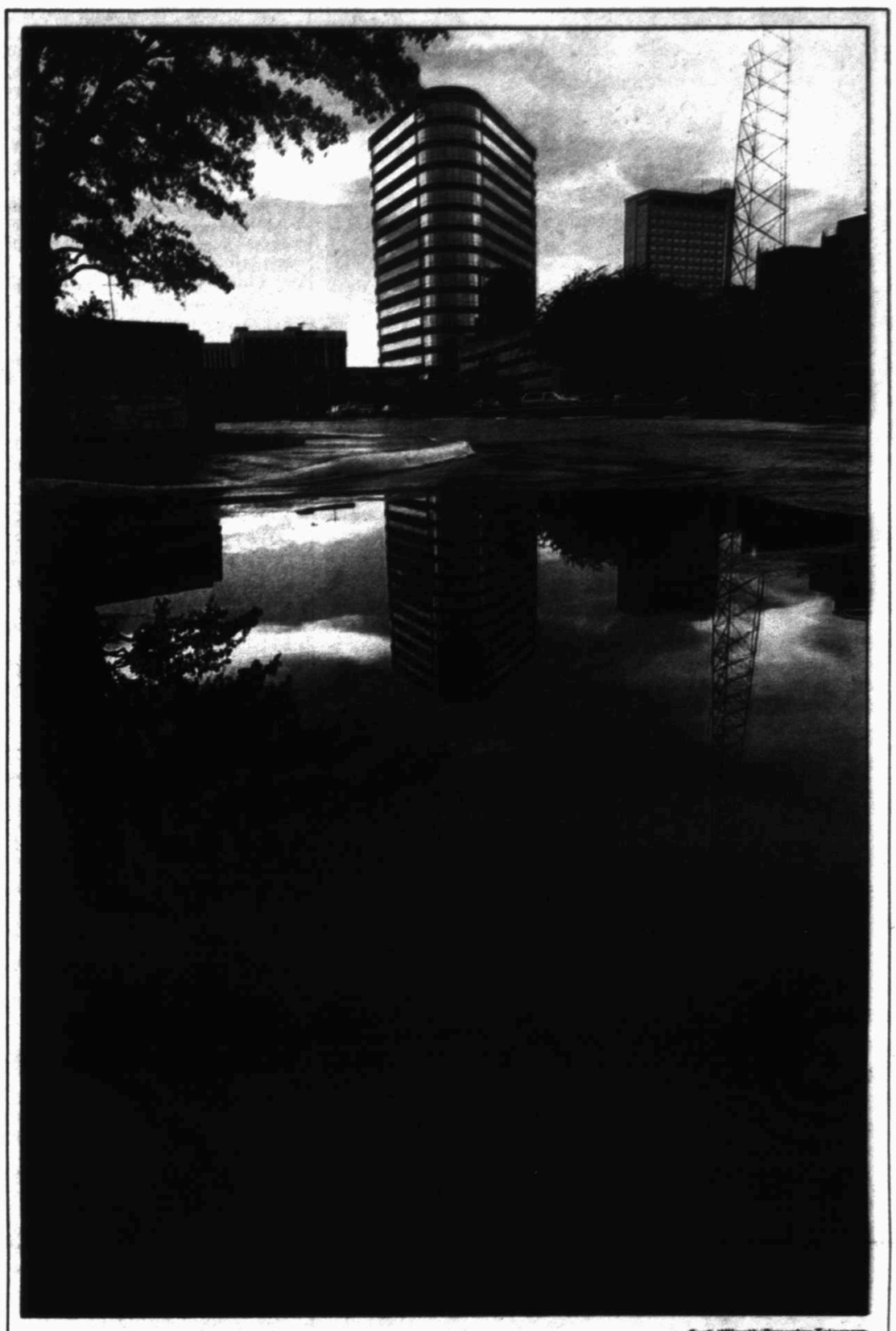

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Wednesday morning's rain left time for reflection in downtown Midland as nearly an inch of precipitation fell during the 24 hours ending at 6 p.m.

Storm dumps record amount of rain

Staff Report

A wave of thunderstorms crashing through the area Wednesday dumped a record more than 2 inches of rain on the city for July 24, a National Weather Service official in Midland said.

A stalled cold front released 0.97 inches of precipitation during a 24-hour period ending 6 p.m. Wednesday, the official said. Another 1.09 inches had fallen by 10 p.m., pushing the total over 2 inches. The previous record rainfall for Wednesday's date was 0.33 inches in 1938.

The forecaster also said the 10.06 inches of rain officially collected so far this year is well ahead of the average 7.13 inches for the period.

And more thunderstorms are on the way, he said.

Today is expected to be mostly cloudy with a 50 percent chance of rain and a high in the mid-80s with 10 to 20 mph east winds, NWS said.

Tonight will be mostly cloudy with a 50 percent chance of thunderstorms and a low in the mid-60s, NWS said. Friday will be mostly cloudy with a 30 percent chance of rain and a high in the mid-80s.

The record high of 103 for Wednesday's date was set in 1958, while the record low for today's date was 62 in 1976. Wednesday's high was 82, with a low of 65.

Expert says fire set on purpose

■ **A fire investigator for the State Fire Marshal's Office testifies at arson trial that fire was intentional.**

By Michael Kashgarian
Staff Writer

The Dec. 28, 1989, house fire that claimed the life of a 6-year-old boy was intentionally set, an expert witness testified during the third day of Jimmy George Vanover Jr.'s arson trial.

But defense attorney Thomas Hirsh challenged the accuracy of that opinion on cross-examination in 238th District Court Wednesday.

Other testimony revealed conflicting reports of the defendant's actions during the early stages of the fire.

The 28-year-old Vanover is on trial for arson with bodily injury or death and injury to a child in connection with a fire that destroyed his south Midland County home and killed his stepson.

Vanover pleaded not guilty to the charges on Monday before Judge John Hyde.

If convicted by the 12-person jury, Vanover may be sentenced to a maximum of 99 years or life in the penitentiary for the arson charge and two to 10 years for injury to a child.

During a fire inquest presided over by Justice of the Peace Keith Jobe in April 1990 to determine the cause of the fire, a six-person jury concluded that the fire was intentionally set by Vanover.

Rick Womack, a fire investigator for the State Fire Marshal's Office, testified on the origin and cause of the fire most of Wednesday afternoon.

The fire began either at a propane space heater or at love seat.

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UT winery facility closing

Staff Report

An official with a local winery run by the University of Texas System said he has no sour grapes over an announcement Wednesday that the operation will be closed.

In fact, research conducted at the 2324 Commerce St. winery has provided valuable information for the future of West Texas winemaking, Steven Hartmann said.

Hartmann, Midland-based manager of UT System lands surface interests, said the closing in September was expected.

"This was not a major shock. This has been discussed for quite some time," he said. "This was not a commercial venture. It certainly cost money to operate, but it was a research project. You don't sit there and keep going once you've reached an endpoint."

The winery has been operating for the past 15 years at a $500,000 annual cost, UT officials told the Austin American-Statesman.

The closing will not affect a larger vineyard owned by the UT System on 1,000 acres in Bakersfield, near Fort Stockton, officials

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Toxic chemical release down, report shows

■ **Amount of chemicals released in the air in Midland County decreased by 288 pounds, according to consumers lobby group.**

By John Powers
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — The amount of toxic chemicals released into the air in Midland County declined slightly from 148,986 pounds in 1988 to 144,698 in 1989, according to figures released by a consumers lobby group.

A report from Texas Citizen Action shows Midland County ranked 64th of the state's 254 counties in the release of toxic chemicals into the air in 1989.

The report, released Tuesday, marks the third year Texas Citizen has complied information from the Environmental Protection Agency's Toxic Release Inventory. By law, chemical manufacturing companies must report the data to the EPA.

Texas ranked first in the nation in toxic chemicals put into the air, water and land in 1989. It also ranked first in the initial Texas Citizen report, but was second to Louisiana in the next report.

Tim Curtis, executive director of Texas Citizen, said Louisiana had reduced its toxic chemical output in 1989 so Texas once again is the leader.

He said his organization, which is involved in education and research in lobbying for consumer issues, prepares the report so the public will have access to usable data.

It lists the toxic chemicals legally released in the air and water and on land; injected into deep wells; sent to sewage treatment plants; and sent off-site to treatment, storage or disposal operations.

Curtis warned that the release of toxic chemicals is much worse than the figures indicate because of the amount of environmental pollution that is not reported.

He said reporting is required only of manufacturers, and the data does not include such sources as vehicles, agriculture, utilities, service stations and most dry cleaning businesses.

Also, many chemicals are not required for the list, even though they are regulated by other government agencies and some are known carcinogens. Reporting enforcement by the EPA also is lax, and only two out of every three chemical plants are obeying the law and reporting their toxic releases, the report said.

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ED TODD

All of God's creatures flow in harmony when it rains

On a day like Wednesday, when it rained and cleansed the lower heavens, swept the streets clean and awakened the living soil, you wish that all hearts could be made pure.

Todd

And, for awhile, they are.

That's the magic of a gentle, quieting rain pouring from the firmament and often accompanied by a chorus of resounding thunder and flashes of bright lightning.

All of God's creatures somehow fall into accord and flow into harmony when the sky pours out its most precious gift. They know that rain, when nature is working at its optimum, is pure. It's first water. It re-affirms life. It is a free gift to all wherever it falls. It is impartial and without judgment.

When the sky withholds rain and the drought sets in, people plead, beg and pray for rain. When it comes, they are exceedingly thankful. Life begins anew.

But when the rain turns into a torrent and causes the Earth's basins, rivers, streams and channels to overflow and disrupts mankind's agenda, the rain takes on the qualities of an angry Thor, the Norsemen's god of thunder and war.

The once-gentle gift snarls and rages and then, after awhile, becomes calm. Eventually, broken things are mended.

And, once again, the Earth's denizens are beckoning for the gentle rain to return.

The magic which mankind needs is a gentle, cleansing rain in the heart and soul.

That comes about through a quest which each person must pursue with surety. Most grope. Many struggle. How many know their quest? How many endure? How many finish the course?

Some are sidetracked. They fight with themselves. They make war with others. They abuse and neglect themselves and those who dare to enter their world. They become absorbed in their self-seeking interests without knowing or caring what is best for themselves. They fall into quagmire and crawl. The luster that they imagined in decadence quickly fades and corrodes their lives. They seek external stimulation. It is temporal. They long for purpose and meaning but see nothing but darkness and void. Their lives become embedded in pain, violence, suffering, hurt. There is no joy. They are imprisoned. For them, life becomes defeating.

Life begs for renewal over and over.

Life yearns for purpose.

Life longs for that cleansing, gentle rain.

And each person must be the seeker, take on the quest, and find that gentle spirit in the heart.

Ed Todd is a writer for the Midland Reporter-Telegram.

DEATHS

Genaro Guebara

Services for Genaro N. Guebara, 65, are set for 3 p.m. today at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church, with the Rev. Larence D'Mello officiating. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Thomas Funeral Home.

Guebara

A rosary service for Guebara, who died Tuesday in a local hospital after a short illness, was held 8 p.m. Wednesday in the Thomas Funeral Home Chapel.

Born Dec. 3, 1925, in Mexico, he moved to Midland in 1975 from Pecos, where he lived for 20 years. He was preceded in death by his wife in 1988.

Survivors include: four sons, Harvey Guebara, Gino Guebara, Arthur Guebara and Joe Guebara, all of Midland; six daughters, Nellie Velasco of Andrews, Grace Valdez of Pecos, Linda Young of Plano, Blanca Guebara of Midland, Veronica Gonzales of Midland and Alva Rosa Guebara of Midland; four brothers, Fidencio Guebara, Domingo Guebara, Ramon Guebara and Gregorio Guebara, all of Mexico; one sister, Victoria Villa of Midland; and 21 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Louis Velasco, Aldolfo Valdez, Edward Gonzales, Richard Young, Jacob Guebara, Louis Joe Guebara, Ruben Gomez and Hector Villa. Honorary pallbearer will be Robert Valencia.

John Ross Jr.

Services for John Ross Jr., 59, of Midland are set for 10 a.m. Friday at Mount Calvary Baptist Church with the Rev. Robert Lathan officiating. Services also will be held at 2:30 Friday at Lyons Chapel in Lubbock with the Rev. Charles Tanner officiating. Burial will be in Liberal, Kan., under the direction of Miller Funeral Home. Local arrangements are under the direction of Baker-Jackson Funeral Home.

Ross died Tuesday at a local hospital.

He was born March 5, 1932 in O'Donnell and had worked for Bancroft Paper Co. for 41 years.

Survivors include: his wife, Vera Ross of Liberal, Kan.; six sons, Ricky Ross, Robert Ross, Bobby Ross, John Ross III, William Ross and Jerry Ross, all of Liberal; four daughters, Pauline Ross White of Lubbock and Joanne Ross, Sandra Ross and Shirley Love, all of Liberal; one brother, Jessie Ross of Lubbock; one nephew, 11 grandchildren and one great-grandson.

Pallbearers will be deacons of Mount Calvary Baptist Church.

TOXIC: Chemical release down

(From 1B)

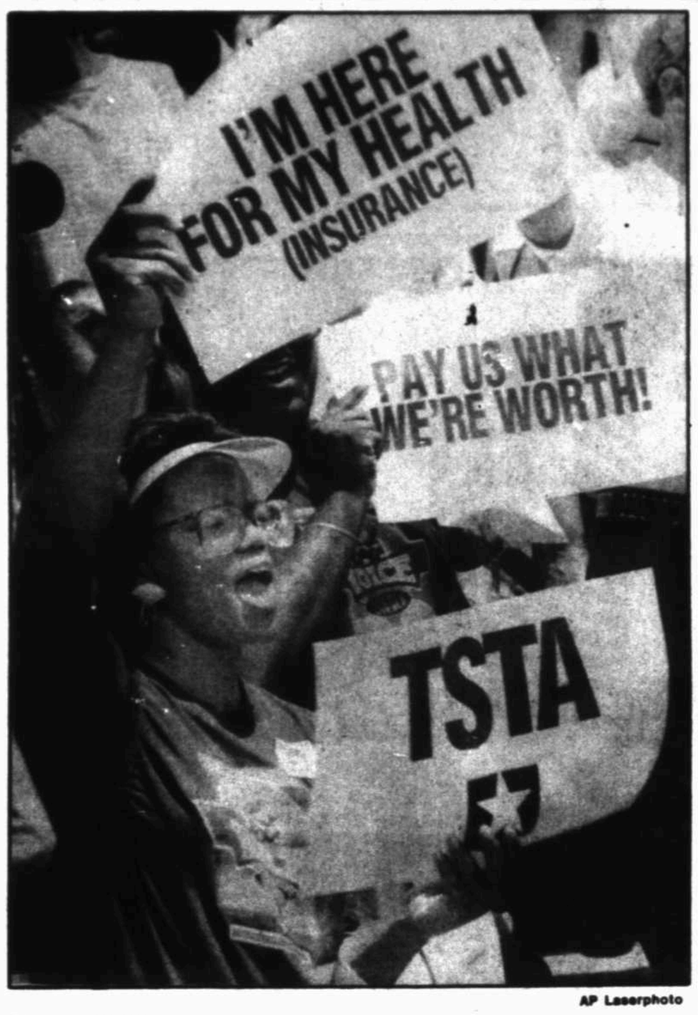
While Midland County had a moderate amount of toxic chemicals released in the air in 1989, the report did not show any releases into the water, land, underground wells or public sewage. About 5,400 pounds were shipped offsite for disposal.

Total releases of all toxic chemicals in the state amounted to almost 800 million pounds, up from 724.5 million in 1988.

Brazoria County led the top 10 with more than 225 million pounds, followed by Harris with almost 133 million pounds and Jefferson with almost 115 million pounds. Calhoun, Galveston, Victoria, Orange, Nueces, Harrison and Tarrant counties rounded out the top 10.

Texas ranks first in the nation in disposal of chemicals that are known or suspected causes of cancer and of birth defects, Curtis said.

"Until we make the environment a top priority, we are going to stay No. 1 in the hearts of polluters," he said.



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Sharon Phillips, a teacher from Lamarque, participates in a rally with other educators from around the state Wednesday on the steps of the Capitol. They are demanding better pay and health benefits.

Teachers demand raise, insurance

AUSTIN (AP) — With hundreds of teachers demonstrating on the Capitol steps Wednesday, the head of the state's largest teacher organization said some are so angry they're beginning to talk about a strike.

Several hundred Texas State Teachers Association members converged on the Legislature to demand a pay raise and state-funded health insurance.

"I hear the word strike," TSTA President Ollie Besteiro said as some protesters chanted: "Strike, strike, strike."

She noted that Oklahoma school teachers walked out for nearly a week last year to win passage of school reform and financing legislation.

"Our neighbors in Oklahoma had all they could take last year. And while I'm not proposing that at this point ... if things get any worse we may not be able to hold teachers and other educational employees back," Ms. Besteiro told the crowd.

In an interview later, Ms. Besteiro noted that state law prohibits public employee strikes, but she said that may not stop them.

She said teachers are growing increasingly angry over actions like those by the House early Wednesday — cutting funds for many school programs — and threats to cut Teacher Retirement System contributions and not fund a health insurance plan approved by lawmakers this spring.

"It's hard to determine at this time. But anything is possible," Ms. Besteiro said.

"If the Legislature does some of the kinds of crazy things that they attempted to do last night, it's always a possibility. There are legal problems, certainly ... But if educational employees get upset enough they can always refuse to go to work," she said.

With the protesting teachers singing "I want more money" and chanting "Pay us what we're worth," Ms. Besteiro and several lawmakers urged them to demand more from the Legislature.

"It's absolutely ludicrous to think that less than two months ago we got health insurance for every educational employee in this state and (today) the Legislature is back in town and is now trying to take that away," Ms. Besteiro said.

"It's about time we hold accountable all those state officials that, when they were campaigning, claimed to be friends of education," she said.

Rep. Ernestine Glossbrenner, D-Alice, who chairs the House Public Education Committee, unsuccessfully fought many of the fund-cutting proposals approved by the House Wednesday night and early Thursday. Those included stripping funds from 3-year-old pre-kindergarten, programs for students at risk of dropping out and rolling back the school year from 180 to 175 days.

"This is a fight that you cannot back away from. You've got to fight for decent salaries, health insurance, for kids," Ms. Glossbrenner told the teachers.

"You have to fight or you're going to lose. The forces of evil are well and healthy and part of them are living in Austin, Texas," she said.

WINERY: Research office closing

(From 1B)

said Tuesday.

Hartmann said the closing will mark the end of research to determine what grapes grown in West Texas make the best wine.

"We learned very much. We accomplished what we set out to do," Hartmann said. "We're not ashamed of the job we did. I think we made a really good contribution."

He said 70 types of grapes were tested, and the field was narrowed to about 15 varieties that would yield acceptable wine. The wine industry has a bright future in West Texas, he said.

"The industry is still a very young industry in this state," Hartmann said.

MCHD: Board discusses 8% tax increase

(From 1B)

"has to come from somewhere," said Wiesenfeld.

"It falls to the state and the local levels where we see people on one side trying to raise taxes in order to cover the necessary costs," he said. "On the other side, throughout the nation, we see a tax revolt going on, and one can see the point of both sides."

Both the indigent patient and the "paying" patient receive the same health care, Wiesenfeld noted.

Tom Bruner, a Midland lawyer who is former board president, recalled the 1991 rollback election, which a group of voters had sought to protest the 19.6 percent tax increase.

"We are very fortunate that the citizens supported us" by defeating the rollback, Bruner said. "If they had not supported us on the rollback, we'd be having a $3.5-million deficit instead" of the $2.6-million deficit, which is being absorbed by revenues from paying" patients and their insurers.

"Unfortunately. That's been our story a number of years."

Bruner was wary of proposing a 56.1 percent tax increase.

" I'm not for sure they (the voting taxpayers) will support that large of an increase."

LOCAL/AREA REPORTS

Drug charge

Staff Reports

A man charged with cocaine possession with intent to deliver was released Wednesday on $7,500 bond, Midland Police Department officials said.

Tommy Lee Christian, 30, of 1103 E. Chestnut Ave., was arrested about 11 p.m. Tuesday after police responded to a report of a gunshot in the area, officials said.

A woman told police that a man driving a 1990 Pontiac Grand Prix had shot at her, authorities said. Police said they spotted the vehicle on Lamesa Road near Chestnut.

After determining the occupant, Christian, was driving with a suspended license, police searched the vehicle and found 13 rocks of a substance believed to be crack cocaine, police said. Police said they confiscated the substance, estimated to be worth $260, and $827 in cash.

Christian was arrested and bond was set by Justice of the Peace Keith Jobe.

Teen caught

One of four juveniles who escaped from the Culver Youth Home was caught Wednesday, Midland Police Department officials said.

A 14-year-old boy was arrested shortly before 2:30 a.m. after he was seen driving a 1989 Chevrolet Suburban in the 1800 block of East Front Street, police said. He was returned to the Culver Youth Home, 3800 Lamesa Road.

The boy was among four juveniles who escaped from Culver sometime between 11:30 p.m. Tuesday and 12:30 a.m. Wednesday, officials said. Police said the youths are suspected of stealing the Suburban.

Officials said they are still looking for the three other youngsters. Descriptions of the youths were unavailable.

Bodies found

SAN ANGELO (AP) — The bodies of a decomposed man and a badly burned 5-year-old boy were found in remote portions of Big Bend National Park within the past five days, authorities said Wednesday.

The body of an unidentified male, clad only in a T-shirt, was found Friday evening on the United States side of the Rio Grande. Tuesday, the child's body was discovered at a campsite in the park near the Mexican village of San Vicente.

The deaths did not appear to be related, said Robert Valen, a spokesman for the National Park Service. The identities were not released.

TRIAL: Expert says fire intentional

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both located in the living room of the house, Womack told the jury.

And the blaze was intentionally set, said Womack, who first inspected the fire scene six days after the incident.

Womack dismissed the possibility of a water heater pilot light igniting propane from a gas valve that fed the space heater.

Hirsh questioned Womack's denial that a fire flashback could have occurred.

Hirsh suggested that the propane, which flows near the ground underneath air, may have crept into a room adjacent to the living room and subsequently was ignited by the water heater pilot light.

The ignited gas would then have flashed back to the living room where the biggest pool of gas was collected according to characteristics of such fires, Hirsh substantiated in his questioning.

Womack allowed such flashbacks can and do occur "but not in this instance."

The possibility of the water heater as an ignition source was brought up during the fire inquest. Midland Fire Marshal Jerry Petree testified that an open gas valve fed the fire, which he said may have been accidentally or intentionally set.

Petree testified again at the trial but not on the origin or the source of the fire.

At the inquest, Womack went beyond his contentions given at the trial and said he believed Vanover set the fire which got out of control despite attempts to douse it.

A videotaped visit to the fire scene by Womack and Vanover was viewed by the trial jury.

On the tape, Vanover recalled arriving home with his 3-year-old daughter on the night of the fire. After unlocking the door, Vanover said he pushed it with his knee but was knocked back by a sudden burst of pressure.

He then saw flames near the top of the door, went inside the house, set his daughter on a couch and attempted to quell the fire with a skillet of water.

Observing the fire was uncontrollable, Vanover said he grabbed the girl and exited.

Earlier testimony revealed that his stepson, Derryle Glen "D.J." Milholland Jr., was in the bedroom.

Vanover and his common-law wife, Vicky Milholland, patronized a bar on the night of the fire. After Ms. Milholland, angered at her husband, left the nightclub, Vanover picked up the children from baby sitters and returned home. He left the boy home asleep and took the girl to search for Ms. Milholland.

Conflicting stories about Vanover's actions that evening were presented in the courtroom.

In two statements given by Vanover to a sheriff's deputy, the defendant related similar events as he did on the videotape.

Elaine Leonard of the Department of Human Resources gave a different account of Vanover's actions on Wednesday.

That account came from notes taken by Ms. Leonard during an interview with Vanover about the welfare of his daughter on Dec. 28, 1989.

According to those notes, made without review by Vanover, the defendant came home and laid the children on the couch so they could watch television the next morning.

He then went to his pickup truck to get a jacket, returned and encountered an explosion at the door. Ms. Leonard testified that Vanover said he was able to take his daughter outside but not his son because deputies who arrived at the scene restrained him.

The trial resumes this morning.

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HEALTH

YOUR FOOD PHARMACY

Food with high folic acid content may prevent cataracts

By Jean Carper

Greens good for eyes

Eating foods like spinach, collard and turnip greens, as well as liver and dried beans, may help save you from cataracts. Such foods are rich in folic acid.

Carper

Researchers at the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Human Nutrition Research Center at Tufts have found that people who skimp on folic acid are more likely to develop cataracts as they age. "We were very surprised," said Dr. Paul Jacques, chief researcher. "We had not expected it." The elderly often have impaired vision due to cataracts in which the lens of the eye becomes opaque.

In the study of 98 subjects, ages 40 to 79, those who ate less than 270 micrograms of folic acid a day had five times the risk of cataract as those who ate 550 micrograms of folic acid a day. However, it did not follow that the more folic acid, the less the cataract risk. Jacques says that eating more than 300 micrograms daily did not produce much additional benefit.

Some good sources of folic acid: 1 cup fresh cooked spinach (262 mcg), ½ cup chicken livers (539 mcg); 1 cup cooked dried white beans (240 mcg); 1 Florida avocado (162 mcg); 3 ounces cooked calf liver (251 mcg); 1 cup cooked asparagus (176 mcg).

Soy sauce surprise

Imagine finding something good about soy sauce. Hardly likely. That's what scientists at the University of Wisconsin at Madison thought, too, when they started feeding 300 mice soy sauce.

According to Dr. Michael W. Pariza, they expected to find what many had thought — that soy sauce somehow promotes cancer of the stomach. Japan's high stomach cancer rate has often been blamed on a diet doused with soy sauce.

Instead, to Pariza's surprise, animals that got soy sauce were less likely to develop stomach cancer than animals given only water. Of the water-drinkers, 98 percent got cancer, averaging nine tumors per mouse. Of those getting soy sauce in their drinking water, 72 percent got cancer with an average 2½ tumors per mouse, according to a report in Science News. Further, those getting the most soy sauce — 20 percent of their diet — had the least stomach cancer.

This doesn't mean, of course, that you should start drinking soy sauce. The point is that soy sauce appears to have anti-cancer properties, and thus may not be the cancer-causing villain once thought.

Weight and cholesterol

If you lose weight, you would expect your blood cholesterol to go down, right? Well, don't be alarmed if instead it takes a jump upward. The rise is most likely temporary, and after a bit, your cholesterol will be better than ever, suggests a new study at the University of California at Davis.

Researchers tracked the cholesterol of six obese women who went on a very-low-calorie diet and had major weight loss. After the first month or two, their average cholesterol count dived from 212 to 140. But then it rose to 230, higher than before their weight loss. The most extreme rises occurred about six months into the diet.

However, after they stopped losing weight, cholesterol settled down to an average 190. Also, most women had a better ratio of good-type HDL cholesterol to bad-type LDL cholesterol, reducing their risk of heart disease.

The researchers worry that some people, unaware of this phenomenon, might go on cholesterol-lowering drugs unnecessarily during the period of temporary high cholesterol. They say weight should stabilize after a diet to determine the final cholesterol numbers before considering drug treatment.

Jean Carper's column is distributed by King Features Syndicate.

Exercisers advised to drink water

By Alexa Boer
N.Y. Times News Service

Each time Gerald F. Hunter hits the hot pavement during his lunch hour, summertime heat and humidity take a toll on his 50-year-old body. Sometimes he loses three pounds — most of it water — during a 40-minute run.

But 25 years of running experience has taught him to pay close attention to signs of heat distress, even if it means stopping and walking.

"If you are sensible in the way you handle yourself, you can avoid problems," says Hunter, an Atlana accountant who regularly braves the heat and runs downtown. "Every time you think that you can outsmart your body, it will outsmart you."

Health experts agree. Whether you are preparing for a marathon or tending to the undergrowth in that backyard garden you slaved over last spring, it takes little more than common sense to avoid health problems caused by summertime heat.

The best advice: Drink water. Stay in the shade as much as possible. Wear cool, loose clothing. And avoid strenuous work and exercise in the middle of the day.

The oppressive heat and humidity should never be taken lightly, experts warn. Thousands of people end up in emergency rooms every year because they ignore the danger posed by extremely hot, humid weather.

Keeping the body's temperature in a narrow range around 98.6 degrees is one of the skin's most important jobs — otherwise vital enzymes and proteins are destroyed, with serious consequences.

The body copes by sweating and by bringing more blood to the skin's surface, giving a flushed appearance. The evaporating water cools the skin, and the increased blood flow to the cooler surface blows off additional heat.

These cooling mechanisms work well on a mild day in the desert. But when the temperature rises above 92 degrees or the humidity rises above 60 percent, they can be inadequate.

Athletes and people working outdoors are always vulnerable to the ravages of heat, especially if they are not used to exercising in a hot and humid climate. "Heat exhaustion really comes on suddenly, and you can be surprised by it," says Thomas Branch, medical director of the Sports Medicine Clinic at Emory University.

Water is the key to avoiding the most common problems, but waiting until thirst sets in may be too late.

Active people should drink before, during and after any outdoor activity. "It seems that I'm drinking water all day long," says Hunter, who runs up to 30 miles a week.

Branch advises drinking water before you exercise, wearing a hat and a T-shirt to help keep sweat from evaporating too quickly, and bringing water along to drink while working out.

"Drink fluids not only for your heat management but for your performance," he adds. He recommends sports drinks such as Gatorade because the sugar in them helps athletes exercise longer in the hot conditions.

Caffeinated drinks such as soda, coffee and tea naturally cause water loss and are a poor choice in summer weather.

Branch also cautions that although activities such as biking may feel cooler than running, water balance is still important. The breeze generated in biking helps keep body temperature down, but the faster rate of evaporation may make the rider lose too much water and cause equally severe problems.

One way to gauge fluid loss is by comparing weight changes before and after exercising. Hunter says he drinks two or three glasses of water to make up for the three pounds of water he can lose during a run.

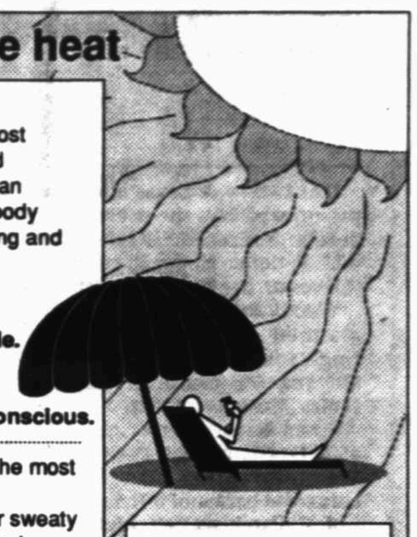
Urine color can also be used to determine how much fluid the body has to spare. If urine is darker than usual, it's a cue to start drinking more fluid.

Experts advise watching infants and elderly people closely to make sure they are not developing symptoms of heat cramps, heat exhaustion and heat stroke. All three conditions are related but vary in seriousness.

People with chronic medical conditions — such as diabetes, high blood pressure and obesity — should be especially careful. Certain medications, such as diuretics, may also cause problems when exercising or working outdoors.

If a person loses consciousness during outdoor activities on a hot, humid day, seek medical help immediately, experts advise.

How to beat the heat



Too much heat can:

■ **Cause heat stroke**, the most dangerous of the heat-related illnesses. Symptoms include an inability to sweat, increased body temperature, dizziness, fainting and loss of consciousness.

➡ **Get help immediately. Remove as much of the victim's clothing as possible. Sponge the skin with cool, not cold, water. Do not force liquid if victim is unconscious.**

■ **Cause heat exhaustion**, the most common heat-related illness. Symptoms include clammy or sweaty skin, normal or slightly elevated temperature, rapid pulse, nausea and thirst.

➡ **Get out of the heat and rest. Restore fluids by drinking slowly. Gently apply wet towels to the body. Check with doctors to see if salt or medication is needed.**

■ **Cause heat cramps**, the least serious of heat-related illnesses. If untreated, can lead to more serious problems. Heat cramps usually occur after exercise or physical labor. Symptoms include sweaty skin, weakness or nausea, tingling in the arms and legs.

➡ **Get out of the heat and rest. Drink cool liquids. Check with a physician to see if salt or medication is needed.**

Cooling Off

- Reduce physical activity.
- When outside, stay in the shade, wear wide-brimmed hat or use umbrella.
- Use air conditioners or fans.
- Bathe or shower in cool water.
- Drink plenty of liquids. Avoid alcohol, coffee, tea or other drinks that cause fluid loss.
- Do not take salt tablets.
- Wear light-colored, loose-fitting clothes.

AP/Martha P. Hernandez

The body copes by sweating and by bringing more blood to the skin's surface, giving a flushed appearance. The evaporating water cools the skin, and the increased blood flow to the cooler surface blows off additional heat.

Protein may counteract hair loss

MIAMI (AP) — A protein found naturally in the body may counteract the hair loss that accompanies chemotherapy, researchers say.

University of Miami researchers said recently the protein known as Interleukin-1 has been shown to protect against hair loss in laboratory rats.

If successfully produced, IL-1 could be added to the treatment regimen of cancer patients receving chemotherapy, they said.

Joann Schellenbach, a spokeswoman for the American Cancer Society, said it could be a significant step in cancer treatment.

"We take hair loss as a serious symptom," Schellenbach said. "It takes away the opportunity to normalize your life."

The protein has shown success only in laboratory animals, said Dr. Adel Yunis, a university medical researcher, adding there is a "good possibility" human testing will begin within a year.

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Thieves take rings valued at $25 million

■ Texas woman living in France, who doesn't believe in insurance, loses ring collection.

Associated Press

DALLAS — A Texas museum patron who says she doesn't believe in insurance has lost a $25 million dollar ring collection to thieves at her home in France.

Wendy Russell Reves, 75, had planned to exhibit the 387 rings, some dating back to the 5th and 6th centuries, at the Dallas Museum of Art.

Susan Barnes, senior curator of Western art for DMA, said Wednesday that Mrs. Reves contacted museum officials Saturday, after the theft, which occurred sometime between last Thursday and Friday.

"She was devastated," Ms. Barnes said.

Mrs. Reves, who was not at home when contacted Wednesday by The Associated Press, has not notified police in the village of Rocquebrune-Cap-Martin, France, about last week's theft of the uninsured gems.

Police confirmed Wednesday they had not been notified of any theft at the Reves home.

"My husband didn't believe in insurance and neither do I," Mrs. Reves told The Dallas Morning News in a telephone interview from France. None of the missing pieces were insured.

Mrs. Reves said she didn't report the crime to French police because she doesn't trust them.

"They come and drink your wine but don't really help you," she said.

Ms. Barnes said the museum, which features the Wendy and Emery Reves Wing, a $40 million display of impressionist paintings donated by Mrs. Reves, is concerned about her personal safety.

"We're all thinking about her," Ms. Barnes said.

Ms. Barnes says she has not seen the ring collection and could not put a price tag on its worth.

Mrs. Reves, a Marshall native, is the widow of Hungarian writer and publisher Emery Reves.

Mrs. Reves said the thieves left behind several paintings by Renoir, van Gogh and Monet when they left her 20-room home.

"We're horrified and absolutely heartbroken for her," Meg Wilson, DMA spokeswoman, told the Dallas Times Herald. "We're just grateful she's OK."

Letters may hold clue to actress' murder

HOUSTON (AP) — Friends of a drama professor and the actress he is accused of killing speculated Wednesday that the murder may have occurred because she spurned his advances. Police theorize the two were having an affair.

The answers may lie in letters written in French that University of Houston professor Claude Caux left in his car the day police say he stabbed Mary Avey Chovanetz and then himself in Memorial Park.

Caux, who was listed in poor condition at Ben Taub Hospital Wednesday with stab wounds to the abdomen, has admitted killing Ms. Chovanetz, police said. But he refuses to discuss the reason for the attack.

"He told us he wants to keep it private," homicide detective A.J. Toepoel said.

But Houston homicide detective Hub Mayer said since the letters have been translated, "we can prove it was premeditated." He would not reveal specific contents of the letters.

Using the letters, police theorized the two were having an affair, but friends say Caux was outraged over spurned advances.

A memorial service for Ms. Chovanetz, who was married with two children, was conducted Wednesday.

Caux's wife, Rosie, has remained in Caux's hospital room, the Houston Chronicle reported. Friends said when Caux wakes up, he weeps.

"If he could only have those two minutes back," said Cecil Pickett, a retired UH drama professor and friend of both Caux and Ms. Chovanetz. "You have your fatal attractions, your Othellos ...It must have been a driving rage boiling up."

Caux has hired defense lawyer Dick DeGuerin, who said it was "premature" to discuss the case. Bond has been set at $50,000.

"It sounds like unrequited love," said Karen Douglas, an actress who has worked with Ms. Chovanetz. "We really did talk girly-talk, and she never even hinted at anything. She was a tantalizing woman, though. I can see how a man could become enamored of her. This all reminds me of a bad movie scene."

DOE hears Pantex testimony

By Chip Brown

The State

AMARILLO (AP) — The battle lines were clearly drawn as Department of Energy officials began hearing testimony Wednesday about the proposed expansion of the Pantex nuclear weapons assembly plant.

Farmers whose land surrounds the Pantex plant, about 20 miles northeast of Amarillo, carried signs reading "NO!" while most business and city leaders wore buttons reading "YES."

More than 350 people have signed up to testify at the two-day hearing, expected to conclude tonight.

State and city officials as well as local residents took turns speaking to two DOE panels in separate rooms at the Amarillo Civic Center all day Wednesday.

Pantex is one of five weapons plants nationwide being considered for expansion as part of a downsizing of the country's nuclear weapons complex.

Among the proposals would be the relocation of the plutonium processing from the Rocky Flats plant near Denver to Pantex, the nation's final assembly point for nuclear weapons.

Reports of plutonium, a lethal carcinogen used to make triggers for nuclear warheads, seeping into the groundwater near the Rocky Flats plant have raised the fears of local farmers who draw water from the precious Ogallala Aquifer running beneath Pantex.

City officials, who see the expansion as a needed boost to pull the economy out of a tailspin caused by a depressed oil market, feel the DOE should be given a second chance to build safe, state-of-the-art facilities.

"I strongly support the expansion of the Pantex plant," said U.S. Rep. Bill Sarpalius, D-Amarillo, who testified Wednesday.

Sarpalius presented the DOE officials with a letter signed by 25 of the 27 members of the Texas delegation — Democrats and Republicans — who support the expansion at Pantex.

"If myself and the other Texas members of Congress who signed this letter are convinced that expansion isn't safe, then you can be assured that we will work as a delegation to prevent expansion," Sarpalius told the DOE officials.

But hundreds of farmers in Carson County, where Pantex is located, have lined up to voice their concerns.

C.C. Kelly, speaking on behalf of a group of about 544 Carson County farmers, said a perceived threat of contamination could be as harmful as an actual emergency.

Kelly, who farms wheat and grain sorghum on 1,000 acres near Pantex, reminded DOE officials of the Alar scare in the apple industry a few years ago that caused apple sales to plunge.

"If people think our wheat and grain sorghum is contaminated because of the new expansion at Pantex and the rest of the market boycotts our product, I want the DOE to be prepared to reimburse us for our product," Kelly testified. "We have between a $3 and $4 billion dollar agriculture industry out here and I don't want to see it ruined."

Diana Webb, one of the DOE panel members, said Amarillo's list of people testifying was the largest among the hearings being conducted across the country near each of the 13 nuclear weapons facilities.

"It's very clear that the people here are concerned," Ms. Webb said Wednesday.

Susan Rieff, a spokeswoman for Gov. Ann Richards, told DOE officials the state would demand open access to reconfiguration plans and assurances that the disposal of nuclear waste be safe.

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STATE IN BRIEF

■ Parolee charged with murder

HOUSTON — An ex-convict paroled for three days has been charged with capital murder, accused of kidnapping and killing a 4-year-old girl.

A Harris County grand jury on Tuesday indicted Demetrius Lott Simms, 20, who already was in jail on charges of trying to kidnap a 10-year-old girl on June 3.

The latest charge accuses Simms of kidnapping Monique Miller and killing her one or more of three ways: beating her to death with a tree branch, strangling her with a piece of cloth or fatally cutting her with an unknown object.

The child disappeared June 1, and her body was found June 5 in a wooded area. An autopsy showed she died from blows to the head and strangulation, and also revealed hairs of "unknown origin" on her body.

Simms has served two years of a six-year sentence for indecency with a child. He was paroled three days before the murder.

■ Dress code change rejected

BASTROP — School officials rejected a proposal to relax a student dress code that has drawn national attention after a third-grade boy was isolated from his classmates because of his ponytail.

A school district committee had recommended male students in Bastrop be allowed to wear longer hair, but school trustees Tuesday rejected that proposal.

The dress code fight started last year when Zachariah Toungate was separated from his classmates because he refused to cut his wispy 9-inch ponytail.

He was taught in a small room. Later his mother, September Toungate, withdrew him from school after a pediatrician said he was being hurt emotionally by his isolation. She said she planned to teach him at home.

After the school board's decision Tuesday, Ms. Toungate said, "The board doesn't represent the community. They are representing their friends who call them at home and customers who come into their businesses."

■ Mayor outspends opponent

FORT WORTH — Newly elected Mayor Kay Granger spent 17 times more than her opponent to secure her landslide victory May 4, records show.

Ms. Granger spent more than $102,000 of the $108,000 collected during the first six months of this year.

Her opponent, Ben Boothe, who collected 34 percent of the vote, raised about $8,300 and spent $5,876 for the same time period.

The latest campaign report details contributions and expenditures for the period April 25 to June 30. During that time frame, Ms. Granger collected $40,495 and spent $34,111.

Ms. Granger won 62 percent or 13,123 votes cast while Boothe collected 7,139 votes.

Ms. Granger's biggest contributions came from Bass family members Perry, Lee and Ed, and political action committees affiliated with the Basses and their associates.

Bass family contributions totaled about $10,500.

■ Convicted killers imprisoned

TYLER — Two South Texas men convicted in the videotaped slaying of an East Texas constable have been transferred to a federal prison in Texarkana, according to the U.S. Marshals office.

Baldemar and Reynaldo Villarreal, who are half-brothers, were taken from Tyler to the Federal Correctional Institution in Texarkana on Tuesday, said U.S. Marshal J. Keith Gary.

The Villarreals will remain at the facility on "holding" status for up to three weeks until authorities determine where they will spend their sentences.

Baldemar Villarreal, 29, received a life sentence without parole July 11 for the Jan. 23 shooting of Nacogdoches County constable Darrell Lunsford. Reynaldo Villarreal, 25, was sentenced to 40 years in prison for his part in the incident.

Lunsford's slaying was partially captured by a videotape camera attached to the dash of his patrol car.

■ Radio station to go off the air

GEORGETOWN — Georgetown's only radio station, KGTN-AM, has ceased operations for at least six months and may be sold after much of the station's equipment was stolen last week, owner Dan Kubiak said.

Kubiak, a state representative from Rockdale, told the Austin American-Statesman on Tuesday the station is closing despite the fact that most of $10,000 in equipment stolen July 17 has been recovered.

Georgetown police officer Steve Benton said the investigation into the theft was dropped at Kubiak's request.

Kubiak said he is seeking investors to buy the station or help fund upgrading of the station from 1,000 watts to 10,000 watts.

■ Strips to be added to crossings

AUSTIN — The Texas Highway Commission has voted to add reflective strips to state railroad crossings that lack active warning devices.

The highway department will pay for the reflective strips, which officials said would be in place by August.

The strips were approved on an emergency basis in April and made permanent with a vote Wednesday, officials said.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

'The Lone Star State' to be on license plates

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas Highway Commission voted Wednesday to add the phrase "The Lone Star State" to Texas license plates.

Highway department chief Arnold Oliver said the commission "agreed it was time to put Texas' unofficial but best-loved label on the plates."

"Texans have made their pride plain, to the point of making it the object of legislation," Oliver said. "We obviously have a lot to be proud of, and our newest license plates, with its flag and 'The Lone Star State,' couldn't trumpet that any more loudly."

The new slogan, which will be added in blue lettering at the bottom of passenger vehicle tags, should start appearing on Texas highways in early 1992.

"We'll use up our existing stock, and we're looking for them to start showing up next spring," said department spokesman Al Zucha.

The commission approved the change in response to a resolution passed in the Legislature's regular session that urged the motto be added.

"The Legislature passed a resolution expressing their interest in seeing 'The Lone Star State' on a license plate. We just followed that," Zucha said.

Adding the logo shouldn't raise the cost of making the plates, which now feature a Texas flag along with blue numbers and letters, Zucha said.

In August 1989, the commission decided to leave the state tags sloganless after nearly 25,000 Texans protested a highway department proposal for adding "Friendship State." But commissioners did add a Texas flag to the upper left of the previously plain plates.

State Sen. Carlos Truan, D-Corpus Christi, said earlier this year that he sponsored the "Lone Star" resolution because "Friendship," the official state motto, was "too wimpy."

A spokesman for Gov. Ann Richards on Wednesday called the move "fitting and appropriate and truly Texan."

"We like it. It's Texas through and through," said Chuck McDonald.

In other action Wednesday, a Laredo group asked the commission to authorize intersections and crossings of the proposed first private toll road in Texas. The commission took no action on the requests.

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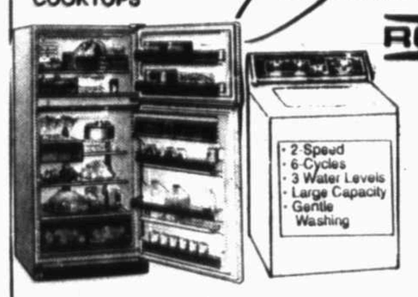

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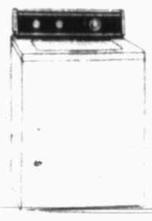

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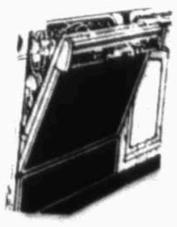

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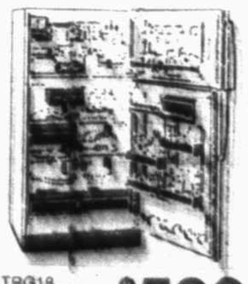

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Is feminine beauty a masculine plot?

By Caryn James
N.Y. Times News Service

Even by the standards of pop-cultural feminist studies, "The Beauty Myth" is a mess, but that doesn't mean it's wrong.

One of the most astute and troubling feminist observations I can recall leaped out of the least likely place: a movie about an aircraft carrier caught in a time warp.

When the ship went spiraling from the 1980s back to 1941, there was the film's token woman, Katharine Ross as a senator's beautiful, brilliant speech writer. "I've spent a lot of time trying to hide the way I look, hoping to be recognized for my abilities," she confessed to a man from the future, who asked, "How's it going so far?"

"Let me put it this way," she said, calmly acknowledging her beauty, her brains and her exasperation at living in a man's world. "If the way I look helps me get in the door, then God help 'em when I get through."

It was an utterly modern and dangerously honest statement, something 1980s feminists might have thought but never said.

Naomi Wolf's slick, provocative book, "The Beauty Myth: How Images of Beauty Are Used Against Women" (William Morrow & Co.) is very much like that fraught feminist scene embedded in the silly movie "The Final Countdown."

One of several current books that are staking out the next wave of feminist thought, this sloppily researched polemic against the tyranny of beauty may seem as dismissible as a hackneyed adventure film.

Often it gets lost in a time-warp all its own, an age when Betty Friedan was more influential than Jane Fonda.

BUT MS. WOLF'S theory — that the pressure on women to look thin, young and gorgeous is the last bastion of male power, a reactionary way to undermine the feminist gains of the last 25 years — is valuable nonetheless.

No other work has so forcefully confronted the anti-feminism that emerged during the conservative, yuppified 1980s, or so honestly depicted the confusion of accomplished women who feel emotionally and physically tortured by the need to look like movie stars.

Even by the standards of pop-cultural feminist studies, "The Beauty Myth" is a mess, but that doesn't mean it's wrong.

Ms. Wolf, a 28-year-old American who began devising her theory while studying at Oxford, created a stir last fall when her book appeared in Britain, where it became a best seller.

It has been praised by women with impeccable feminist credentials, like the novelist Fay Weldon, whose dust-jacket blurb calls the author an "early heroine of Women's World, '90s Style." But British reviewers also responded with a great, angry chorus of "So what's new?" as if "The Beauty Myth" was just so much publishers' hype.

In fact, the book's post-feminist '90s perspective is what's new and important.

Ms. Wolf cites the growth of eating disorders like anorexia, the surge in cosmetic surgery and the prevalence of pornography as evidence that "we are in the midst of a violent backlash against feminism that uses female beauty" as a weapon to thwart women.

IN EFFECT, the pressure to look beautiful undermines ordinary women's self-esteem and makes them weak just at the moment when the social advances of the past two decades ought to make them feel better and stronger.

Ms. Wolf sees this as a fearful response by men, whose power is threatened by feminist gains. Women internalize the myth because it "exploits female guilt and apprehension about our own liberation."

These claims of an intensified anti-feminism are plausible, but Ms. Wolf doesn't begin to prove them because her logic is so lame, her evidence so easily knocked down.

She examines how women's magazines have substituted the impossible ideal of youthful beauty for the pre-feminist goal of a clean house and domestic bliss.

But she writes as if women's magazines were as powerful today as they were in the 1950s. More damaging, she virtually ignores how television, film and videos have shaped women's self-images and their bodies.

How can any credible analysis of the way beauty tyrannizes women afford to ignore Oprah Winfrey's liquid diet, Jane Fonda's mega-hit exercise tapes or Madonna's ever-changing sexual parade?

Her statistics are shamefully secondhand and outdated.

When she makes the preposterous claim that in the United States only 48 percent of women use contraception regularly, her source is a 1984 pop-psychology book called "Swept Away: Why Women Confuse Love and Sex." And who knows where those old numbers came from?

BUT IF "The Beauty Myth" offers pathetic answers, at least it stirs up some essential questions for our times.

The fact that Oprah and Jane come so easily to mind as omissions from the book may be the best evidence that it touches a nerve about the ever-changing mass-media images of strong, beautiful women.

Is Oprah no longer beautiful now that she has put weight back on? What does Jane Fonda's widely reported breast-implant surgery say about women and aging? Do women still need looks to get them through the door so they can play hardball once they get in?

These are the kinds of questions that go to the heart of contemporary feminism, but because of their pop-cultural edge they are also issues that serious feminist writers seem reluctant to address.

It says something about images of women that "The Beauty Myth" is the most powerful among the spate of recent books about female identity, work as varied as Camille Paglia's crackpot anti-feminism and Louise J. Kaplan's well-informed feminist psychology.

Ms. Paglia's erudite and widely publicized "Sexual Personae: Art and Decadence from Nefertiti to Emily Dickinson" (Yale University Press) is angry and reactionary in its blithe, unsupported assumption that women are part of a chaotic, destructive natural world and that men, running from the clutches of the Great Mother, have compensated with logic and all the major achievements of Western civilization and art.

THIS IS THE kind of approach, heavily loaded with Freud, that leads Ms. Paglia to assert that "if civilization had been left in female hands, we would still be living in grass huts," and to find "submerged lesbian incest" in the romance between Cathy and Heathcliff in "Wuthering Heights." At the very least, "The Beauty Myth" makes more sense than that.

On the opposite side of the barricade from Ms. Paglia, Ms. Kaplan's "Female Perversions: The Temptations of Emma Bovary" (Doubleday) is a solidly researched feminist corrective and complement to Freud.

Fluently written for a general audience, it explores the female versions of the sexual fetishes and complexes that have ordinarily been associated only with men.

In a passing comment, Ms. Kaplan intersects "The Beauty Myth" by noting that after the most recent wave of feminist achievements there was a backsliding into a "myth" of femininity that is "manipulated by those hostile to feminist causes."

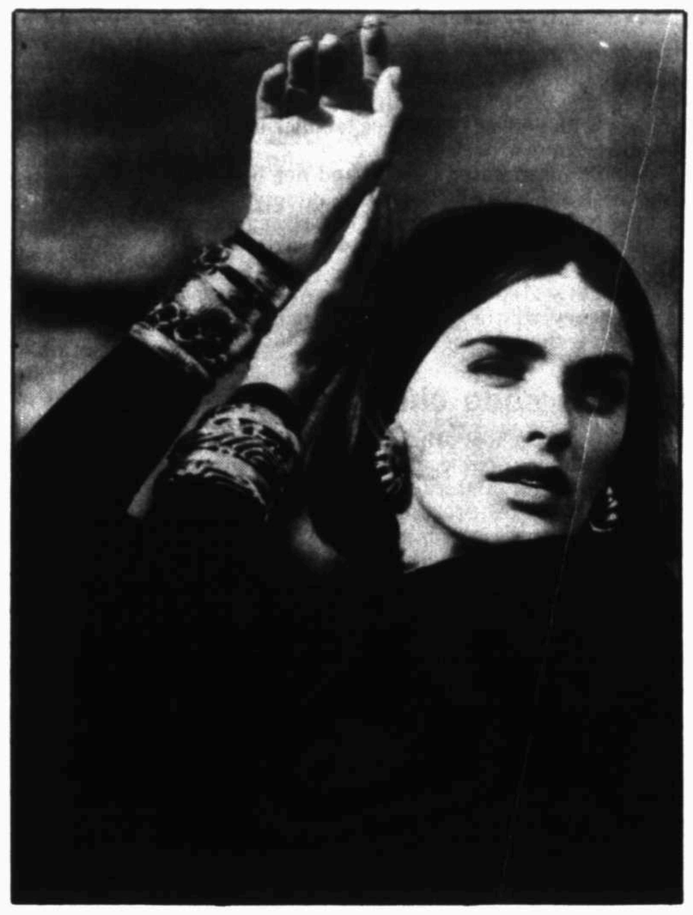
Her observation that opponents of abortion are part of the new myth of old-fashioned femininity supports Ms. Wolf's conspiracy theory much better than Ms. Wolf does herself. It is more evidence that "The Beauty Myth" may be on target in spite of itself.

It wouldn't be the first time Ms. Wolf was right for the wrong reasons.

IN HER BOOK she recalls a college meeting of women who objected to soft-core pornography on campus.

"I mentioned politics, symbolism, male cultural space," she writes, only to admit that the last word about the photos went to another student who told her: "I have no idea what you're talking about. All I know is that they make me feel incredibly bad about myself."

Ms. Wolf still has trouble figuring out why, but "The Beauty Myth" is an important breakthrough in dragging that bad feeling into the public forum.



Bold gold

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Pearls perfect for any occasion

By Carrie Donovan
N.Y. Times News Service

NEW YORK — If you were in the Rhine Valley recently, it would be hard to miss Carolee Friedlander on her cycling vacation. She was wearing a colorful helmet, sizzling yellow gloves, neon pink cycling shirt — and two sizable pink pearl bracelets, one on each wrist.

"A necklace is too hot on the bike," she said, "but bracelets are perfect." She also carries a spare pair of earrings for "when I take the helmet off; they're better than a spare tire." Ms. Friedlander also packs a "suitcaseful" of extra pearls to wear on evening stopovers (they are stashed in a van that follows the cyclists).

Pearls are not part of most cyclists' gear, but they make sense for Ms. Friedlander, the owner of Carolee Designs Inc., a manufacturer of fashionable fake pearls. Her business is booming, even in these recessionary times.

Creamy white earrings, necklaces, and bracelets continue to be the No. 1 choice of women shopping in the Carolee boutique at Bloomingdale's, but they are buying cosmetically colored ones almost as avidly. Dipped in shades of pink, peach, beige, bronze, platinum, gold, or gray, these have the same flattering effect on complexions as do eye shadows, blushers or face powders.

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Full, fashionable lips possible without surgery

Associated Press

A full, sensual mouth has become as stylish as it is sexy, but you can get the right look without surgery — even if it isn't what comes naturally.

Just look at celebrities such as Julia Roberts, Kim Basinger and Madonna, according to an article in the current issue of Harper's Bazaar, and you can see America is becoming obsessed with lips.

"A day doesn't go by that someone isn't in here asking for a 'lip fill,'" said Dr. George Brennan, a cosmetic surgeon in Newport Beach, Calif. And a New York City makeup artist added, "Full lips definitely grab your attention."

Luckily, noticeably full, sensual lips nowadays depend neither on the right genes nor a good doctor. Enterprising cosmetics companies have begun spinning out products based on the idea that lips, like all skin, can benefit from extra care.

Lip-emphasizing looks depend on more precise — and, bottom line, more time consuming — application techniques.

"I'm using more lip-liner now than I have in the past 10 years," said Sandy Linter, New York City makeup pro.

Lip brushes, once considered old-fashioned, also are making a reappearance. New York City makeup pro Ilise Heitzner Harris recommended discarding the miniature ones that come with lipsticks and lipglosses.

"It's just impossible to work with doll-sized tools," she said. "In order to apply lipstick correctly, you need a long-handled brush with high quality sable or synthetic bristles."

Fill brush with color, wipe the excess on a tissue, then stroke on color, starting in the center and working out toward the edges.

To make the most of your lips — whether thick or thin — work with your mouth open.

"Most often people make horrible faces when they apply lipstick," said Lana G., the New York City makeup artist. "By relaxing the jaw and the mouth, you can easily get into the hard-to-reach corners for a more finished effect."

While the hot colors of spring were bright and sheer, there are now also a host of new opaques. Linter leans exclusively to matte shades when working with the "pop" tones of pink, coral and orange.

"Even a thin mouth can look extraordinarily voluptuous with a sweep of brilliant color," she said.

Heitzner Harris is a firm believer in the appeal of a matte red mouth.

"Nothing sets off perfect, slightly tanned skin better than a richly pigmented crimson or scarlet lipstick," she said.

Summer's lip schtick, it seems, is merely a preview of what's ahead. On runways for fall, there were several distinct trends.

At Chanel, Karl Lagerfeld revised the idea of "natural" with pale, almost flesh-toned, pink lips to contrast with deep, smoky-painted eyes.

Complice played up the Cupid's Bow look — feminine and relatively easy to achieve by women handy with a lip pencil. Outline the area just outside your natural lip line with a pencil one shade darker than your lipstick. Use a small, thin brush to fill in with lipstick.

Showcased at Oscar de la Renta, Yves Saint Laurent and Norma Kamali, among others, according to Harper's Bazaar, were vibrant and vivacious reds. Sporty orange-reds to sophisticated blue-reds proved the perfect complement to everything from line-and-lavender plaid blouses to classic black-and-white pinstriped suits.

At Wit's End

Cleanliness vs. godliness in home wars

By Erma Bombeck

Bombeck

I'm expecting company next week and I've worked my tail feathers off making this house look like it has never been lived in.

The "company" is my best friend and her husband. We go back a lot of years — college, to be exact. No matter what she does in her lifetime, I will always remember when we were young housewives in Ohio. When the parish priest came to bless her house, she was seven months pregnant, was baking bread and had a copy of Bishop Fulton J. Sheen's book on her coffee table. I don't think I've ever really forgiven her for that.

I have never been in her house when all the cupboard doors weren't closed and the lid down on the toilet seat. The pressure is on.

In preparation for their visit, I have substituted the sliver of soap in the hall bathroom with a brand-new bar. I don't want her to know that I perform soap grafts because I'm cheap.

We have replaced all the outside lights. In case this goes unnoticed, I will make a point of saying to my husband, "Oh, did you turn off all the outside lights?"

I have hidden the beach towel that my husband drapes over his leather lounger in the summer because the chair is too hot to sit in. When they leave, he can have it back.

The bathroom scale is no longer straddling the carpet and the floor because it weighs you less. I wrote her last year that I didn't do that anymore, as it was childish and weight is no longer important to me.

I lined up all my glasses according to size and dug out the sugar bowl and cream pitcher that matches my set. I haven't seen them in years.

The eight tablecloths waiting to be ironed have been stored out of sight. The rugs have been cleaned, the windows washed, and I moved all the cookbooks I keep in the oven to the garage. I was going to bleach the dish towels, but decided to buy new ones instead.

The ashes have been removed from the fireplace, an unclaimed Christmas present finally stored away, and a pencil and notepad have been put by every phone. We reset all the blinking clocks.

I will buy live plants 15 minutes before they walk in the door.

Yesterday, I couldn't help surveying this monument to cleanliness. My husband picked up a large book strategically placed on the coffee table, "Martha Stewart Entertains," and shook his head.

"Two can play this little game," I said.

Erma Bombeck's column is distributed by Universal Press Syndicate.

UVB rays not only cause of skin problems from sun

NEW YORK (AP) — Consumers who carefully check the SPF, or sun protection factor, on sunscreen labels are not getting information about all the harmful solar rays, dermatologists say.

The SPF refers to protection against ultraviolet B rays, called UVB. These rays are the most powerful for causing sunburn and skin cancer.

But sunshine also contains ultraviolet A rays, or UVA, which are of a different wavelength from UVB. These rays take much longer to cause a sunburn, but like ultraviolet B rays they can age the skin and cause skin cancer.

UVA causes about 15 percent of skin cancer risk, compared to 85 percent from UVB, said dermatologist Madhukar Pathak of Harvard Medical School. UVA also triggers many adverse reactions to sunlight that are caused by taking certain medications, he said.

SPF ratings are based on a standard test, and the Food and Drug Administration has not chosen such a standard for measuring UVA protection. The holdup lies in getting agreement among experts in choosing a single test procedure, said FDA spokeswoman Bonnie Aikman.

In the meantime, FDA will generally not let sunscreen makers put claims on their labels about how much protection the sunscreens provide against UVA. It does allow UVA claims for products called Photoplex and Filteray because they contain a formula FDA approved for UVA protection.

FDA also allows other sunscreens to advertise an unspecified degree of UVA protection, such as references to "broad-spectrum," if they started doing so before March 1972, when FDA began a review of sunscreen labeling, and if they contain at least one ingredient from a list of chemicals that absorb UVA, Aikman said.

Most sunscreens with an SPF of 15 or higher offer some degree of UVA protection whether they say so or not, said Dr. Vincent DeLeo, assistant professor of dermatology at Columbia-Presbyterian Medical Center in New York.

When choosing among these sunscreens, consumers should look for UVA-absorbing ingredients dibenzoyl-methane, dioxybenzone, oxybenzone, or sulisobenzone, he said.

"You will be getting fairly good protection (but) not as good as we would hope to have sometime in the future," he said.

There is no way for the consumer to compare products as they can for UVB protection through the SPF system, he said.

It is also not clear how much protection sunscreens give against the long-term effects of UVA, aging of the skin and skin cancer, he said.

Pathak said some people get burning, itching and smarting on their faces from dibenzoyl-methane. If that occurs, switch sunscreens, he said.

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DEAR ABBY

Daughter feels guilty for not seeing parents more often

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: For quite a long time now, when certain situations arise, I ask myself, "What would Dear Abby say?" I would like to address this situation:

Van Buren

Before I was married, I visited my parents (they live nearby) several times a week. Now I am married — with new friends, wanting to spend time with my husband and also visit my other siblings. This means that my husband and I don't visit my parents as much.

The problem? I feel guilty for not spending more time with them. My mother makes comments like, "Oh, we haven't seen you for months!" (Not true, Abby; we see them at least twice a month.)

I know that we are only as guilty as we make ourselves feel, but I would like to know, in Dear Abby's opinion, how often is often enough to visit parents? They don't seem to understand that there are other people in my life now, and working every day makes me tired at the end of the day and weekends are precious. Any comments? — FEELING GUILTY

DEAR GUILTY: No one can "make" you feel guilty without your permission.

Your reasons for seeing less of your parents now are legitimate, so when you mother "reminds" you that your visits are less frequent, don't apologize (like a child); explain to her — as you did to me — that there are other people in your life now, and working every day is very tiring and weekends are precious.

DEAR ABBY: My brother's son is getting married soon in Chicago. The number of family on the groom's side will be limited, as none of us live in Chicago. We will have to fly in the night before in order to attend the wedding, which is scheduled for 2 p.m. We will not be able to leave for home the day of the wedding because there are no evening flights.

So — after the airfare, hotel for two nights, meals, car rental, etc. — the wedding will cost each of us well over $700, not including the gift.

I have just found out that the groom's family will not be invited to the rehearsal dinner, even though we are all from out of town. (There will be only six or eight of us.)

We are very hurt to think that we will be left alone in a hotel in a strange city after all of the effort and expense we will go through to attend this wedding.

Don't tell us it is our choice to go or not. We know that, but his wife would never forgive us if we didn't come, and besides, we really want to be there to see this nephew married.

Please try to explain why my brother and his wife are excluding us from the rehearsal dinner. It can't be the cost — they can well afford a few more dinners. What do the etiquette books say? — HURT IN NEW YORK

DEAR HURT: I don't know why your brother and his wife are excluding you from the rehearsal dinner if — as you say — they can well afford it.

The etiquette books say that all out-of-town guests should be invited to the rehearsal dinner, which is traditionally hosted by the groom or his family.

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MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL — Boston Red Sox 2, Texas Rangers 1.

St. Louis Cardinals 4, Houston Astros 3.

MINOR LEAGUE BASEBALL — Tulsa Drillers 4, Midland Angels 2.

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Sports Today

YOUTH BASEBALL — Senior League Sectional Tournament: Midland American at tournament in Abilene.

Junior League Sectional Tournament: 1o a.m., 1 p.m., 4 p.m. and 7 p.m., Angels Stadium.

Little League Sectionals (best-of-three): Midland Mid City at San Angelo Southern, 5:30 p.m., San Angelo.

MINOR LEAGUE BASEBALL — Midland Angels at Tulsa Drillers, 7:35 p.m., KCRS Radio (550 AM).

White's prayers

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Reggie White is worried a crackdown by the NFL on players lingering on the field will hinder his postgame prayer circles, but a league spokesman doesn't foresee any problems.

The Philadelphia Eagles defensive end, also a Baptist minister, said this week he thinks he'll be fined for holding his brief prayer circle. At issue is a new effort by the league to clear the field quickly after a game.

"It's the stupidest rule that's ever been implemented," White told the Philadelphia Daily News. "And I think one of the reasons is that they don't want us to pray. And I know we're going to get fined, but we're going to pray anyway."

League spokesman Greg Aiello said the rule has been misinterpreted. He said NFL owners basically reaffirmed a rule that was already on the books to get players and coaches to leave the field when the game is over.

Aiello said he believed the league took up the issue because of a postgame confrontation last season between Phil Simms of the New York Giants and Ronnie Lott, then of the San Francisco 49ers.

"We have not outlawed or banned praying," Aiello said. "We don't anticipate that being a problem as long as they do it in a somewhat prompt and private fashion.

Dykstra hearing

MEDIA, Pa. (AP) — Len Dykstra's arraignment on drunken driving and other charges from his May 6 automobile accident has been postponed until the Philadelphia Phillies complete their West Coast trip.

The court proceeding will be Aug. 8, according to the Delaware County District Attorney's Office.

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Tulsa beats Valenzuela

■ Fernando Valenzuela allows four earned runs in five innings to fall for the first time in his stay with the Midland Angels.

Staff Report

TULSA, Okla. — Fernando Valenzuela's untarnished jaunt through the minor league's came to an end Wednesday night when the former National League Cy Young award winner and Rookie of the Year suffered his first Texas League loss, 4-2, to the Tulsa Drillers.

Valenzuela is now 3-1 during his brief tenure with Midland.

Mike Campbell (4-7) picked up the win for Tulsa with Barry Manuel earning his 15th save of the season.

The Angels squandered numerous scoring opportunities. Twice — in the fifth and eighth innings — the Angels had the bases juiced with no outs and failed to bring home a run. Twice more — in the fourth and ninth — Midland left a runner stranded on second. The Angels left a total of nine men on base.

The Angels' two runs came on 11 hits. Both of their runs were on solo homers — by Damion Easley and Walt McConnell — at the packed Drillers Stadium. A fourth-largest record crowd of 11,266 turned out to watch their Drillers' defeat Valenzuela and the West Division co-leading Angels.

Rain halted the game for 25 minutes in the first inning.

It is unknown whether Valenzuela will make another start for the Class AA Angels before being called up to either Class AAA Edmonton or the major league club in Anaheim. If Valenzuela does get another appearance for the Angels, it would likely come Monday in Shreveport.

Midland and El Paso, both with 15-14 second-half records, are tied for first place in the West; Wichita and San Antonio, both at 14-15, are one game behind the co-leaders.

Fili Martinez (2-2) will throw tonight for the Angels; Tulsa counters with Cedric Shaw (6-5). Incidentally, both of Martinez' wins have come on the road while both of his losses have come at Angels Stadium. Gametime in Tulsa is scheduled fo 7:35 p.m.

Midland	ab	r	h	bi	Tulsa	ab	r	h	bi
Lawton lf	5	0	0	0	Frye 2b	4	1	2	2
Flora 2b	5	0	1	0	Morris rf	4	0	1	1
Howie 3b	4	0	2	0	Rohrmeier lf	4	0	1	0
Barbara 1b	3	0	1	0	Green dh	4	0	1	0
Salmon rf	4	0	0	0	Sable 3b	3	1	0	0
Easley ss	4	1	2	1	Burton 1b	4	0	0	0
McConnell dh	3	1	2	1	Hernandez ss	4	1	1	1
Williams cf	4	0	2	0	Kreuter c	4	0	1	0
Gonzales c	4	0	1	0	Harris cf	3	1	3	0
Totals	36	2	11	2	Totals	34	4	10	4

Midland	020	000	000—2
Tulsa	040	000	000—4

LOB—Midland 9, Tulsa 7. DP—Tulsa 1. 2B—Barbara, 3B—Frye. HR—Easley (4), McConnell (4). SB—Howie, Sable, Easley. CS—Morris.

Midland	ip	hi	r-er	bb	so
Valenzuela L, 3-1	5.0	8	4-4	0	3
Montalvo	2.0	2	0-0	0	2
Butcher	1.0	0	0-0	0	1
Tulsa	**ip**	**hi**	**r-er**	**bb**	**so**
Campbell W, 4-7	6.0	7	2-2	1	5
Brown	2.0	2	0-0	1	2
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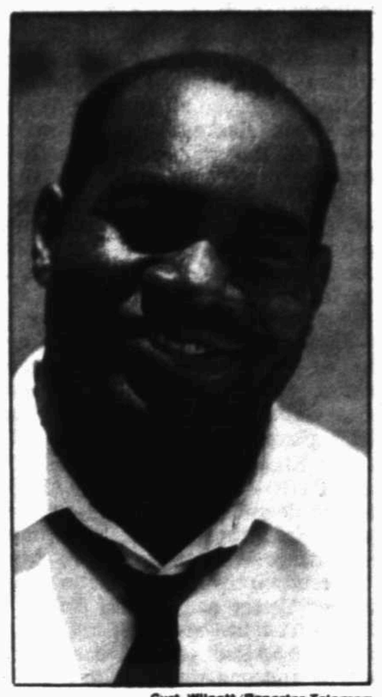
HBP—Sable (by Valenzuela). WP—Valenzuela 4. T—2:53. A—11,266



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Zachery

Zachery tough to beat

By Terry Williamson
Sports Editor

Midland's James Zachery: "You're never beat till you quit, and I never quit."

That is the philosophy developed by Zachery through three levels of football — high school with Midland High, college with Texas A&M and professional with the Canadian Football League — and that is the same philosophy that he is using to bridge the gap between football and the rest of his life.

And the rest of his life, he hopes, will find a career in acting, directing, writing, singing and coaching, or more probably, a combination of the above.

Since his retirement from the Edmonton Eskimos in 1988, after winning a Grey Cup title, he has had some major roles in the Canadian theater and was seen this past year in the television series "Wise Guy". He also played football player Leroy Selmon in a made for TV movie "Triumphant of the Heart," which was also seen in the United States.

Recently Zachery auditioned for a potential CBS series, "Ned Blessing: My Life and Times," which is a western that is scheduled to debut as a two-hour movie.

Meanwhile, he is living in Midland and would like to hold football clinics for some of the younger kids, applying martial arts to football, a technique that "revolutionized my game," he said. He also would like

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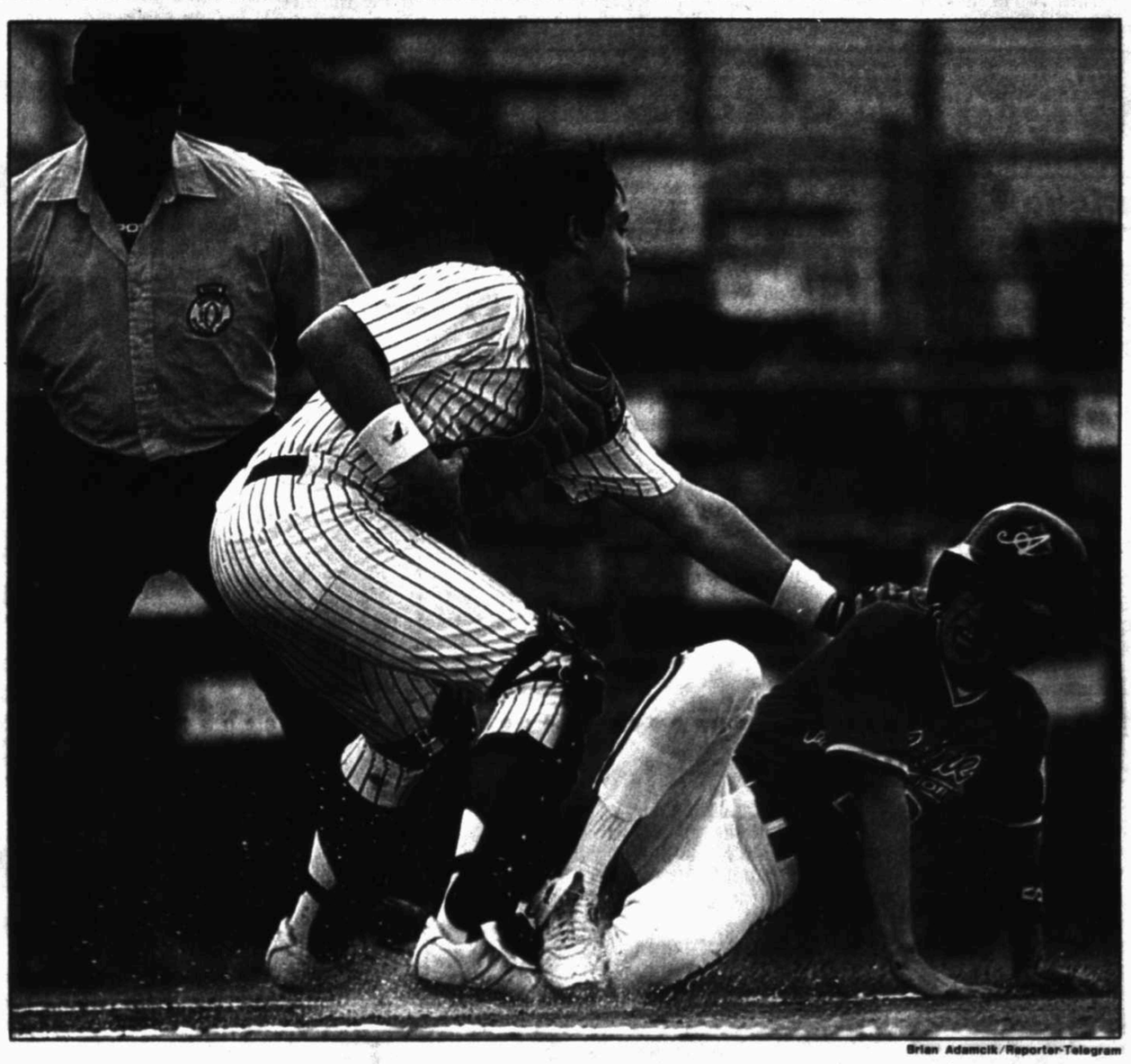

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Safe at home

Abilene's David Longbine slides home safely as the ball eludes Weatherford's Jason Cardin in rain-delayed Junior League action Wednesday at Angels Stadium. See tournemant results, 2C.

Dibble says it slipped

Associated Press

CHICAGO — Rob Dibble is at it again, finding people instead of the plate with his throws. He says he's innocent this time but, after reviewing the evidence, his latest victim says no way.

"After seeing the film clips, yes, it was intentional," said Chicago's Doug Dascenzo, who was hit on the back of the leg by a Dibble throw as he ran out a squeeze bunt.

Umpire Joe West immediately ejected Dibble from Tuesday night's game between Cincinnati and the Cubs, saying the All-Star reliever with the wayward aim deliberately tried to hurt Dascenzo.

Dascenzo put down a bunt that scored Rick Wilkins from third. After Dibble fielded the ball, he seemed to hold it as he took a couple of steps and then hit Dascenzo in the leg with the throw.

Dibble said the ball slipped out of his grip and that he was trying to throw Dascenzo out, not hit him.

"It was an accident," Dibble said. "You can't justify yourself after being ejected. It was a bang-bang play. I came off the mound late and didn't have time to think. I almost hit Dun-

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Cowboys set sights on Del Rio

■ With John Gesek and Danny Noonan in camp, Dallas coach Jimmy Johnson says signing linebacker Jack Del Rio is a big key now.

Associated Press

AUSTIN — The Dallas Cowboys whittled their list of veteran holdouts to four Wednesday afternoon by signing guard John Gesek to a three-year deal and set their sights on holdout middle linebacker Jack Del Rio.

NFL Camps

"One key now is Jack Del Rio," coach Jimmy Johnson said. "He needs to be in here fighting for a position. And I think it's going to be a battle.

Del Rio has been replaced as starter by Ken Norton.

"Kenny Norton's really doing a good job at middle linebacker and I'd like to see Jack in here competing. It's really up for grabs at this stage."

Defensive linemen Dean Hamel and Danny Stubbs and fullback Alonzo Highsmith also entered the 11th days of their holdouts.

Johnson welcomed starting defensive tackle Danny Noonan Wednesday after Noonan ended his 10-day holdout and went through his first training camp workout.

"He's a key player for us," Johnson said. "He's outstanding against the run and in our division, that's a key. Our defensive front should be as strong as it's been since I've been here, by far."

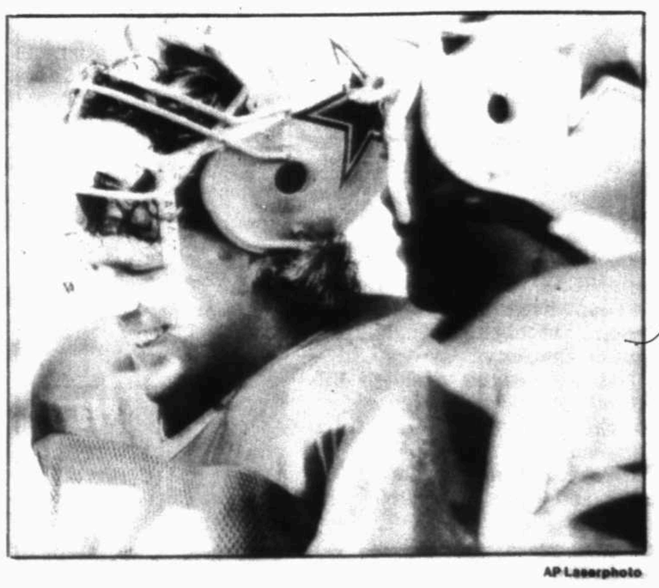
Noonan, 26, praised the Cowboys for keeping negotiations on a positive note.

"I never got an offer until yesterday, and then we got it done in a matter of hours," Noonan said Wednesday. "But I was always confident the deal would get done. It was always kept on a professional level."

Noonan, Dallas' first-round pick in the 1987 draft, made $325,000 last season in the final year of his contract. Last season was the best of his four with the Cowboys, finishing fourth on the team in tackles with a career-high 85.

Sources close to the negotiations told The Dallas Morning News that Noonan will receive $2.025 million for the life of the contract.

Noonan will claim his old job on the right side, while newly-acquired defensive tackle Tony Casillas will play at left tackle.



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Dallas defensive tackle Danny Noonan (left) jokes with Jimmie Jones in his first day of camp Wednesday.

Casillas and Noonan are old Big Eight rivals, Casillas at Oklahoma and Noonan at Nebraska. Now they'll compete for tackles and sacks.

"That's going to help a lot, as far as the run defense is concerned," Noonan said. "Whoever gets to the running back or the quarterback first, that'll be fine."

Noonan worked out in pads only a few hours after signing and passing his physical. Johnson said Noonan should be able to quickly get into the swing of camp.

Johnson cut short morning practice by 15 minutes Wednesday after several players complained of muscle tightness. A few others are nursing slight muscle pulls.

"We've got so many players with tight hamstrings and pulled groins who are unable to go at full speed," Johnson said. "We decided to give them a little time off."

Johnson said he expects Thursday night's scrimmage against

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Sox ruin Boyd's debut

Associated Press

ARLINGTON — Joe Hesketh and two relief pitchers combined on a two-hitter as Boston spoiled Oil Can Boyd's Texas debut Wednesday night with a 2-1 victory that snapped a six-game losing streak.

Hesketh (4-1) went 6 2-3 innings before Jeff Gray and Jeff Reardon finished up as the Red Sox broke a four-game Texas winning streak. Hesketh gave up two hits, a walk and had four strikeouts. Reardon pitched a perfect ninth for his 24th save.

Boyd, who was 6-8 at Montreal, went five innings against his old teammates and gave up two runs, six hits, three walks and had four strikeouts. Wayne Rosenthal relieved him in the top of the sixth.

Boyd, who arrived in Arlington at 2 a.m. Wednesday, left after having thrown 96 pitches. Boyd, who pitched seven years for Boston, was obtained from Montreal on Sunday in a trade for two minor leaguers and a player to be named later.

Blue Jays 2, White Sox 1

CHICAGO — David Wells won his seventh straight decision and John Olerud and Joe Carter each drove in a run as Toronto beat the Chicago White Sox.

Olderud hit his 12th home run of the season and Carter had an RBI single.

Wells (12-4) has won 10 of his last 11 decisions. In 6 1-3 innings he gave up one run on six hits and one walk, striking out two.

Tigers 6, Twins 3

DETROIT — Bill Gullickson survived a three-run homer by Chili Davis in the eighth inning for his 13th victory as Detroit beat Minnesota.

Gullickson (13-5) moved into a five-way tie for the American League lead in victories with late relief help from Mike Henneman, who gained his 15th save with a 1 and 1-3 innings of shutout relief.

Yankees 10, Mariners 2

NEW YORK — Mel Hall collected four hits and drove in four runs and Pat Kelly circled the bases on a two-error fielder's choice that led to three runs as the New York Yankees defeated Seattle.

Jeff Johnson (4-3) allowed 10 hits over seven innings but didn't issue a walk before being relieved by Erik Plunk and Tim Leary, who pitched one scoreless inning each.

Orioles 5, Angels 2

BALTIMORE — Rookie Chito Martinez hit his second game-winning home run since being called up from the minors on July 5 as Baltimore beat California.

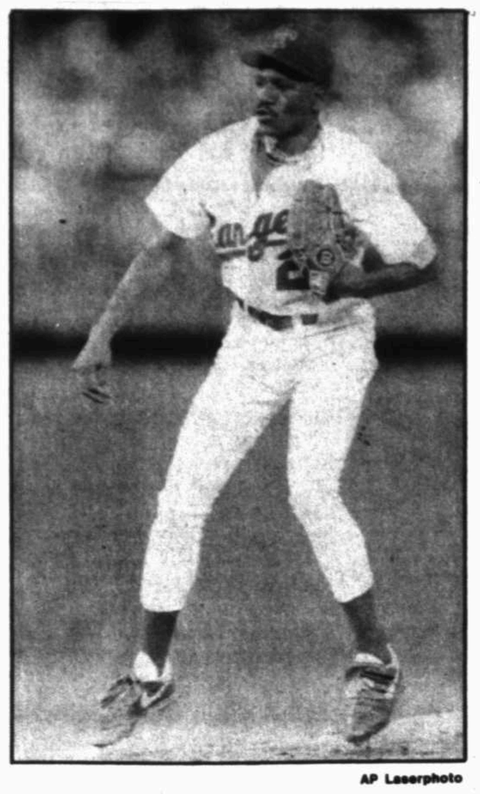
Martinez's fourth homer in 16 games broke a seventh-inning tie.

Athletics 8, Indians 4

CLEVELAND — Eric Show got his first American League win and Dave Henderson and Jose Canseco homered as Oakland beat Cleveland.

Show (1-2), making his 11th appearance and third start for the A's, allowed three runs, two of them unearned, and six hits in six innings.

American



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Dennis 'Oil Can' Boyd gave up two runs in five innings in his first Texas start.

Royals 7, Brewers 4

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Todd Benzinger had four hits and drove in three runs, and Kansas City snapped a tie with a three-run eighth inning to beat Milwaukee.

Reliever Storm Davis won for the first time since April 23.

Rain throws wrench in Jr. league tourney

By Jimmy Patterson
Assistant Sports Editor

After debating for close to 10 hours on whether the weather would hamper play in the Junior League sectional baseball tournament at Angels Stadium, officials finally decided at 5 p.m. Wednesday that play they would.

And they did. Until, of course, the rains came again.

Two games were completed Wednesday before the rain started falling about 9:30 p.m. Midland American, the host team on a roll in the tournament, had its game with Iowa Park postponed due to rain after just one inning.

Midland and Iowa Park will restart their winner's bracket contest at 10 a.m. today — unless, of course, it rains throughout the night.

In games that were finished, Abilene eliminated Weatherford, 19-8, and Pecos sent Farmers Branch packing, 10-7.

Abilene and Pecos play in an elimination contest at 1 p.m. today. The winner of that game plays the loser of the Midland American-Iowa Park game at 7 p.m. today.

Midland American scored three runs in the top of the first, and Iowa Park answered with three of its own in the bottom half before the game was halted, and finally called off 15 minutes later.

The championship game in the tournament is set for 4 p.m. Friday with an 'if necessary' game scheduled for 7 p.m.

Wet weather hampers play in Abilene

Staff Report

ABILENE — The Senior League sectional game between Midland American and Arlington West was postponed due to Wednesday's rainy weather in Abilene.

The game has been rescheduled for 2 p.m. today.

In elimination games that were played between rainy spells, Abilene Southwest defeated Farmers Branch, 12-6, and Iowa Park and Pecos played in a late game Wednesday night.

Southwest will play either Pecos or Iowa Park today at 5 p.m.; the winner of the 5 p.m. game is scheduled to meet the loser of the Arlington West-Midland American game today at 8 p.m.

Cardinals sweep Astros

Associated Press

ST. LOUIS — Jose Oquendo's bases-loaded single over a drawn-in outfield gave the St. Louis Cardinals a 4-3 victory over Houston Wednesday night, completing a three-game sweep of the Astros.

Felix Jose drew a walk from Al Osuna (5-3) with one out in the ninth. Todd Zeile singled and Tom Pagnozzi walked on four pitches before Oquendo hit a fly ball over the head of center fielder Gerald Young. It was Oquendo's third hit of the game.

Lee Smith (5-2) pitched one inning for the victory.

The Astros have lost five straight games and 10 of their last 12 to drop 20 games under .500, at 37-57.In their last five games, they've managed only seven runs.

The Cardinals outscored Houston 18-5 in the three games.Overall, their 7-2 against the Astros this season and have outscored them 58-28.

The Cardinals stranded 11 runners the fourth through eighth innings. Osuna got out of a bases-loaded jam in the eighth when he got Ray Lankford on a called third strike.

After losing the opener of the three-game series, the Pirates won the final two by a combined 19-7 score, giving them 11 victories in their last 14 games. The Braves have lost two straight since winning nine of 11.

The anticipated duel between All-Star left-handers Glavine (13-5) and John Smiley (12-6) didn't develop — neither pitched past the sixth — but Smiley managed to win his third in a row.

Giants 8, Mets 4

SAN FRANCISCO — Kevin Bass hit his second homer in as many nights and Kevin Mitchell also homered as San Francisco battered David Cone and the New York Mets.

Bass and Mitchell combined to drive in six runs, and John Burkett (7-5) pitched an eight-hitter for his third complete game.

Expos 8, Padres 2

SAN DIEGO — Montreal scored five runs in the first inning off Dennis Rasmussen, and the Expos went on to beat San Diego.

Rasmussen (3-7) lasted only two-thirds of an inning, allowing five runs on seven hits, in failing to go at least six innings for the first time in 12 starts this season.

Reds 12, Cubs 3

CHICAGO — Chris Sabo drove in three runs and Cincinnati beat the Chicago Cubs for just its second victory in 14 games.

One day after Rob Dibble and Andre Dawson were ejected for flagrant displays, the teams played a tame game before 36,215 fans, the Cubs' largest crowd of the season.

Tom Browning (11-7) ended his three-game losing streak. He gave up 10 hits in his first complete game in 22 starts this year. Mike Bielecki (10-7) allowed six runs on 10 hits in 5 1-3 innings.

With the score tied at 3, Hal Morris singled to start the Reds' sixth. Singles by Paul O'Neill and Sabo put Cincinnati ahead and Joe Oliver followed with an RBI single, breaking an 0-for-18 slump.

Pirates 7, Braves 4

PITTSBURGH — Lloyd McClendon had three hits and drove in two runs against NL All-Star starter Tom Glavine, leading Pittsburgh to a victory over the Atlanta Braves.

National

DIBBLE: No immediate response from NL

(From 1C)

ston the same way. I've seen it happen a hundred times. But because it's me, I get tossed out of the game."

It was the third time this year Dibble found himself in trouble with baseball's law for putting the ball where it didn't belong.

In May, he hit a fan in the stands with a throw from the mound as a game ended, drawing a suspension that is being appealed.

Tuesday night's appearance in an 8-5 Cubs victory was Dibble's first game back from a three-game suspension for hitting Houston's Eric Yelding with a pitch in April. That timing should support his plea of innocence, Dibble said.

"It's ludicrous to think I'd come off suspension to do something to get suspended again," he said. "It's ridiculous."

Dibble said there was no way to tell if his past problems would effect how this latest case is handled.

"I don't live in the past," he said. "I don't like it being brought up. It gets on my nerves."

National League president Bill White was traveling Wednesday, so there was no immediate decision.

"We're waiting for the videotapes and we're waiting for the (umpires') reports," NL spokeswoman Katy Feeney said.

Feeney said she did not know when a decision would be made.

West said Tuesday night that Dibble was guilty of "a blatant display of unsportsmanship. He intentionally went out of his way to injure a player who had outsmarted him."

Dibble said West was entitled to his opinion.

"He has to back up a reason for tossing me out. What can I say?" the pitcher said.

Dibble also pointed out that earlier in the game, West ejected Andre Dawson, "one of the class guys in the game," for arguing balls and strikes. But Dawson said there was a big difference.

"No, no, those are two different cases. Two different circumstances," Dawson said.

Reds manager Lou Piniella refused to talk about the incident.

"I haven't seen the films, I don't want to talk about it," said Piniella.

Most of the players refused comment, but teammate Bill Doran said Dibble "did it out of frustration."

"Rob's too good a guy," Doran said. "I don't think he really knew what he was doing. I think he had a brain cramp. It didn't look good."

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Gedman 1b	4	0	1	0
JClark dh	3	0	1	1
Grmsl lf	3	0	0	0
Brsky rf	4	0	0	0
Burks cf	4	0	1	0
Pena c	4	0	0	0
Rivera ss	4	1	1	0
Hesketh W,4-1	6	2	3	2
Gray	1	1	0	0
Reardon S,24	1	0	0	0

TEXAS

	ab	r	h	bi
Incvgla rf	4	0	0	0
Palmer lf	3	0	0	0
Ridngz c	3	0	1	0
Huson ss	3	0	0	0
Reimer rf	1	0	0	0
Totals	33	2	7	2

	ab	r	h	bi
Incaviglia	4	0	0	0
Palmer	3	0	0	0
Ridngz c	3	0	1	0
Huson ss	3	0	0	0
Reimer rf	1	0	0	0
Totals	33	2	7	2

Boston 100 100 000—2
Texas 000 100 000—1

E—Quintana (7). DP—Boston 1, Texas 1. LOB—Boston 7, Texas 2. 2B—Burks (20), Rivera (10). HR—Downing (10). SB—Franco (18).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Boston						
Hesketh W,4-1	6 2-3	2	1	1	2	4
Gray	1 1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Reardon S,24	1	0	0	0	0	0
Texas						
Boyd L,0-1	5	6	2	2	3	4
Rosenthal	2	1	0	0	0	2
Jeffcoat	1	0	0	0	0	0

T—2:42 A—39,439.

Orioles 5, Angels 2

CALIFORNIA

	ab	r	h	bi
Polonia lf	4	0	1	0
Joyner 1b	4	0	0	0
Wnfield rf	4	0	1	0
DPrsor dh	4	0	1	0
Gantn 2b	3	1	1	0
Schfer 3b	3	0	0	0
Sndbrg cf	3	1	1	0
Sipin ss	3	0	0	0
Totals	32	2	6	2

BALTIMORE

	ab	r	h	bi
Dwson cf	4	0	1	0
Chlton rf	3	2	2	1
Olpkon ss	4	0	1	1
Rlghtn 1b	4	0	0	0
Evans dh	3	2	1	0
Bdgr lf	4	0	0	0
Bhden lf	0	0	0	0
Hlton c	4	0	0	0
Totals	30	5	6	5

California 000 010 100—2
Baltimore 000 100 13x—5

E—Schofield (8). LOB—California 5, Baltimore 7. 2B—Santti (10), Chlbrttnez (3), O'Brien (24). SB—Polonia (24), DPrsor (9), Chlbrttnez (4), Gmeaux (8). SB—Chlpton (6). CS—Devereaux (7). S—Gantner.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
California						
Finley L,13-6	6	9	5	5	3	5
Baltimore						
Mitchell W,9-4	7 1-3	6	2	2	1	4
Plesac	2-3	1	0	0	0	1
Olson S,2,1	1	0	0	0	0	1

T—2:57. A—47,390.

Yanks 10, Mariners 2

SEATTLE

	ab	r	h	bi
Cotto lf	4	0	2	0
Dyktra 2b	5	2	2	0
Vizquel 2b	0	0	0	0
Brtlyo rf	4	0	1	0
Powell lf	2	0	2	0
J Jones dh	4	0	0	0
Jeffersn cf	4	1	1	0
Gllrzzi 3b	4	1	4	1
Mrtnez 1b	3	0	0	0
Briley lf	1	0	0	0
Sheets c	4	0	1	0
Scheifer ss	4	0	1	0
Totals	36	2	13	2

NEW YORK

	ab	r	h	bi
Wlkens cf	5	0	2	1
Bss 2b	5	1	1	0
Velardo 3b	1	0	0	0
Hall rf	1	0	1	0
Hall lf	1	2	2	4
Nokes c	5	0	0	0
Jeffersn rf	3	1	1	0
Shrdon 2b	2	0	1	0
Mattngly 1b	4	1	1	1
Slnda ss	3	0	0	0
Totals	30	5	9	5

Seattle 010 100 000—2
New York 000 131 10x—5

E—Martinez (8). Cochrane (4). DP—Seattle 1, New York 4. LOB—Seattle 7, New York 7. 2B—Gllrzzi (14), Mattngly (30). HR—Hall (18), Hall 2 (14), Pfaffy (8). 3B—Powell (1). HR—Gllrzzi (8), Hall (14), Mnlone (4). S—Reynolds.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Seattle						
Hanson L,5-6	4 1-3	9	7	4	2	3
Davis	1 1-3	3	2	2	0	0
Murphy	1	2	2	2	0	0
Mathenson	1	2	0	0	1	1
New York						
Johnson W,4-3	7	10	2	2	0	0
Plunk	1	1	0	0	0	0
Leary	1	2	0	0	0	1

WP—Leary. T—2:54. A—21,588.

A's 8, Indians 4

OAKLAND

	ab	r	h	bi
Rnldsn lf	3	2	2	0
Dntsn cf	5	3	3	0
Canseco dh	5	1	3	2
Stlbach c	4	0	2	2
Bsmore rf	4	0	0	0
Bsmore rf	4	0	0	0
Weiss ss	4	0	0	0
McGwir 1b	3	0	1	0
Lansford 3b	4	0	0	0
Lee 3b	0	0	0	0
Gallgh 2b	4	0	1	0
Sandrsn ph	1	0	0	0
Gundsn ss	4	0	0	0
Totals	37	8	11	7

CLEVELAND

	ab	r	h	bi
Gnell rf	2	0	0	0
Cole ss	3	0	0	0
Bnzngr 3b	3	1	1	0
Bnzngr 3b	3	1	1	1
Cadzlsc dh	4	1	2	2
Thmas lf	4	0	0	0
Aldrete 1b	3	0	0	0
Jcobly 2b	4	0	0	0
SAlmar c	4	0	1	0
CLewis cf	4	1	1	1
Bnzngr ph	1	0	0	0
MLewis 2b	3	0	0	0
Browne ph	1	0	1	0
Totals	36	4	7	4

Oakland 100 003 004—8
Cleveland 001 000 003—4

E—Shaw (2), Belle (7), Alomar (1). DP—Oakland 2. LOB—Oakland 8, Cleveland 6. 2B—Canseco (28), Steinbach (22), Fermin (9). HR—Obradzor (10), Canseco (24), Cadzlsca (11). SB—Rhnldsn (33), CS—Hinderaker (13). SF—Steinbach, Belle.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Oakland						
Shaw W,1-2	6	6	3	1	1	2
Klink	2	2	1	1	0	1
Chitren	1	1	0	0	0	0
Cleveland						
Swindell L,6-9	6 2-3	9	6	6	1	6
Reames	1 1-3	0	1	1	0	0
Hillegas	1	2	2	1	0	0

Shaw pitched to 1 batter in the 7th. WP—Shaw, Swindell. PB—Steinbach. Balk—Shaw. T—2:57. A—14,553.

Tigers 6, Twins 3

MINNESOTA

	ab	r	h	bi
Bush rf	4	0	1	0
Knblch 2b	4	0	0	0
Puckett cf	3	0	1	0
Hrbek 1b	4	1	1	0
CDavis dh	4	1	2	3
Gaetti 3b	4	0	0	0
Mack lf	4	0	1	0
Pghetti 2b	3	0	1	0
Gagne ss	3	0	0	0
Leius ph	1	0	0	0
Totals	34	3	6	3

DETROIT

	ab	r	h	bi
Phillips 2b	4	0	1	0
Barnes 3b	3	0	1	0
Whitkr 2b	2	0	2	1
Dear rf	4	1	1	0
Fielder 1b	4	0	0	0
Tettlbn dh	4	0	0	0
Frymn ss	3	3	3	1
Shelby lf	4	0	0	0
Brkmn cf	4	0	0	0
Coyler cf	2	2	1	0
Totals	34	3	9	3

Minnesota 000 000 030—3
Detroit 010 020 03x—6

E—Knoblauch (12), Puckett (3). DP—Detroit 1. LOB—Minnesota 7, Detroit 9. 2B—CDavis (20), Pughetti (16), Dear (9), Frymn (17), Coyler (8). 3B—Frymn (2). HR—CDavis (21). SB—Knoblauch (11), Frymn (7), Coyler (22).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Minnesota						
West L,1-2	6 2-3	6	3	3	2	6
Leach	1 1-3	1	0	0	0	1
Guthrie	1 2-3	2	1	1	1	3
Bedrosian	1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Detroit						
Gibson W,13-6	7 2-3	7	3	3	3	2
Hennemn S,16	1 1-3	1	0	0	0	2

Leach pitched to 2 batters in the 7th. T—2:16. A—18,391.

Royals 7, Brewers 4

MILWAUKEE

	ab	r	h	bi
Mollitr dh	2	1	1	0
Rdlph 2b	4	1	2	1
Thmas lf	3	0	1	0
Grgns lf	1	0	0	0
Brnnsky rf	4	0	0	0
Shffield 3b	4	0	0	0
Bohelto rf	4	1	0	0
Hntton cf	4	0	0	0
Spiers ss	3	1	1	0
Totals	30	4	6	2

KANSAS CITY

	ab	r	h	bi
McRae cf	5	1	2	0
Wilson lf	4	1	2	1
Brett 3b	5	3	3	1
Balboni dh	5	0	1	2
Brngr 1b	4	1	4	3
Pecota 2b	4	0	1	0
Eastrdg c	4	0	0	0
Sharpn ss	3	1	1	0
Howard ph	1	0	0	0
Totals	39	7	15	7

Milwaukee 220 000 000—4
Kansas City 103 300 00x—7

E—Reynolds (8), Magrane (3). DP—Kansas City 1. LOB—Milwaukee 4, Kansas City 7. 2B—Spiers (7), Brett (24), Boehlinger (2). 3B—Wilson (5). HR—Balboni (13), Counsell (12). CS—Boehlinger (3). S—Pecota. Sharpnack. SF—Burkett, Eisenreich.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Milwaukee						
August	4	10	4	4	3	0
Haines	3	1	0	0	1	1
Crim L,6-6	1	4	3	3	0	0
Kansas City						
Saberhagen	6	5	4	3	3	6
Montgm W,5-7	2	1	0	0	0	1
Magrane S,17	1	0	0	0	0	0

August pitched to 3 batters in the 5th. HBP—by Saberhagen (Mollitor). Saberhagen. T—2:52. A—26,020.

Blue Jays 2, Chisox 1

TORONTO

	ab	r	h	bi
White cf	4	0	0	0
Ridnr 2b	4	0	2	0
Fnly rf	4	0	1	0
Clrud 1b	4	1	1	0
Grnbrr 3b	3	0	0	0
Hrbek c	4	0	1	0
Mlwsky lf	4	0	1	0
Dwsny lf	4	0	0	0
McLse ss	4	1	1	0
Totals	36	2	10	2

CHICAGO

	ab	r	h	bi
Hall lf	3	0	0	0
Newsn cf	1	0	0	0
Thmas lf	1	0	0	0
Vlnzul ss	4	0	1	0
Thmas 1b	3	0	0	0
Fisk c	4	0	1	0
Kmnkvs pr	0	0	0	0
Kittle 1b	3	0	1	0
Gallgh rf	3	0	0	0
Pasqua rf	1	0	0	0
Grbeck ss	3	0	2	0
Mnclln dh	3	0	0	0
Ljkssl pr	0	0	0	0
Reinsz lf	1	0	0	0
Cora 2b	3	0	1	0
Totals	30	1	6	0

Toronto 000 110 000—2
Chicago 000 000 100—1

LOB—Toronto 6, Chicago 5. 2B—Grnbrr (12), Mlwsky (2). HR—Clrud (12), Mnclln (2). SB—Ridnour 2 (32), Gallgh (18). CS—Cora (6). S—White, Grubor.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Toronto						
Wells W,12-4	6 1-3	6	1	1	1	2
Henke	2-3	0	0	0	1	1
Ward	1	0	0	0	0	0
Henke S,20	1	0	0	0	0	1
Chicago						
McDowell L,12-5	9	10	2	2	0	0

PB—Fisk. T—2:04. A—40,665.

Baseball Standings

All Times CDT

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Toronto	66	39	.629	—	z-6-5	Won 1	30-17	36-22
Detroit	60	44	.577	6	z-7-3	Won 2	30-17	30-27
New York	46	45	.505	6½	z-5-5	Won 1	23-19	22-26
Boston	46	48	.489	9½	3-7	Won 1	24-23	22-25
Milwaukee	41	53	.436	14½	3-7	Lost 3	24-25	17-28
Baltimore	38	55	.409	17	3-7	Won 1	15-28	23-27
Cleveland	31	61	.337	23½	4-6	Lost 2	14-27	17-34

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Minnesota	56	40	.583	—	z-6-4	Won 1	27-22	29-18
Chicago	50	43	.538	4	z-6-4	Lost 1	27-22	23-21
Texas	49	42	.538	4	4-6	Lost 1	28-17	21-25
Oakland	51	44	.537	4	z-6-4	Won 1	30-20	21-24
California	46	45	.516	6	4-6	Lost 1	24-26	24-19
Seattle	46	46	.516	6	z-7-3	Lost 1	26-20	23-26
Kansas City	45	48	.484	8	z-8-2	Won 4	22-29	23-19

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Pittsburgh	58	34	.630	—	z-7-3	Won 2	29-20	29-14
New York	53	40	.570	5½	4-6	Lost 2	27-22	26-18
St. Louis	51	43	.543	8	7-3	Won 3	27-21	24-22
Chicago	48	46	.479	11	6-4	Lost 1	28-20	20-26
Montreal	42	52	.447	17	z-5-5	Won 1	23-26	19-26
Philadelphia	40	53	.430	18½	z-6-4	Lost 2	23-26	17-27

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Los Angeles	52	40	.565	—	3-7	Won 1	26-16	26-24
Atlanta	48	44	.522	4	6-4	Lost 2	24-23	24-21
Cincinnati	46	46	.500	6	2-8	Won 1	24-23	22-23
San Diego	45	50	.474	8½	5-5	Lost 1	19-27	26-23
San Francisco	42	51	.452	10½	z-7-3	Won 1	22-22	20-29
Houston	37	57	.394	16	2-8	Lost 5	20-24	17-33

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AMERICAN LEAGUE
Wednesday's Games
New York 10, Seattle 2
Baltimore 5, California 2
Oakland 8, Cleveland 4
Detroit 6, Minnesota 3
Toronto 2, Chicago 1
Kansas City 7, Milwaukee 4
Boston 2, Texas 1

Thursday's Games
Seattle (Krueger 7-3) at New York (Taylor 5-4), noon.
Cleveland (Stottlemyre 10-3) at Chicago (Garcia 1-3), 12:05 p.m.
California (McCaskill 7-12) at Baltimore (R.Smith 5-2), 6:35 p.m.
Oakland (Hawkins 4-6) at Cleveland (Otto 0-0), 6:35 p.m.
Minnesota (Erickson 13-3) at Detroit (Aldred 0-0), 6:35 p.m.
Milwaukee (Hanter 0-3) at Kansas City (Aquino 3-2), 7:35 p.m
Only games scheduled

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Wednesday's Games
Late Games Not Included
Cincinnati 12, Chicago 3
Pittsburgh 7, Atlanta 4
St. Louis 4, Houston 3
Montreal 8, San Diego 2
San Francisco 5, New York 4
Philadelphia at Los Angeles, (n)

Thursday's Games
Cincinnati (Browning 11-7) at Chicago (Maddux 8-6), 1:20 p.m.
New York (Whitehurst 6-6) at San Francisco (Wilson 5-9), 2:35 p.m.
Montreal (Darling 6-7) at San Diego (G.Harris 2-2), 3:05 p.m.
Philadelphia (Ruffin 2-2) at Los Angeles (R.Martinez 12-5), 9:35 p.m.
Only games scheduled

Late Tuesday Boxes

Giants 4, Mets 2

NEW YORK

	ab	r	h	bi
Miller lf	3	0	0	0
Hayes ss	3	1	0	0
Magdon 1b	3	0	0	0
Marnez 2b	3	0	1	0
Mlhollt cf	4	0	0	0
Mollytt cf	4	0	1	1
Jessie 3b	3	0	1	0
Brooks rf	4	0	1	0
Carrns c	4	0	0	0
Elster ss	2	0	0	0
Sasser ph	1	0	0	0
Burke p	2	0	0	0
Viola p	1	0	0	0
Innis p	0	0	0	0
Innis p	0	0	0	0
Boston cf	1	0	0	0
Totals	34	2	4	1

SAN FRAN

	ab	r	h	bi
Lewis cf	4	1	1	0
RThmp 2b	4	1	1	3
WClark 1b	4	1	1	0
Mitchell rf	4	0	0	0
MaThm 3b	3	0	1	0
Reed rf	3	1	1	0
Melvin c	1	0	0	0
Wilson W,3-2	1	0	0	0
Totals	29	4	5	4

T—2:28. A—14,007

Dodgers 6, Phillies 5

PHILA

	ab	r	h	bi
Dykstr cf	4	1	2	0
Mrndzi 2b	4	0	1	0
Chbln lf	4	0	1	0
Dlhnty rf	4	0	1	0
Hollins 3b	4	1	1	0
Parrish c	4	0	1	0
Bowser p	0	0	0	0
MWhms p	0	0	0	0
Jrdn ph	1	0	0	0
Lndmn rf	1	0	0	0
Grgnsch p	0	0	0	0
Thon ss	4	1	0	0
Grnbrg p	3	0	2	2
Grnbrg p	0	0	0	0
Jdmnz ph	1	0	0	0
RMrtnz p	2	0	0	0
Totals	36	4	10	4

LOS ANGELES

	ab	r	h	bi
Butlerr cf	3	0	0	0
Murray 1b	5	0	1	0
Gibson lf	4	1	1	1
ODayn lf	2	2	1	0
Shaw rf	1	0	0	0
LHrns 3b	3	1	2	1
Scioscia c	3	0	2	0
Griffin ss	4	0	0	0
Hrnndz p	1	0	0	0
Hrtley p	0	0	0	0
Javier ph	1	0	0	0
Gott p	0	0	0	0
KGbrsn ph	1	0	0	0
Cmpnrs p	0	0	0	0
GCrter ph	1	0	0	0
JDell p	0	0	0	0
Belcher p	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	4	8	2

Philadelphia 000 401 000 0—5
Los Angeles 000 000 201 3—6

E—Jeltsma (8). DP—Philadelphia 1, Los Angeles 2. LOB—Philadelphia 10, Los Angeles 7. 2B—Mrandzi (6), Chamberlain (7), LHrnndz (7). HR—Grnbrg (1), Gibson (2). SB—Morandini (8), Griffin (3). CS—Samuel (8). S—Backman, Scioscia.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Philadelphia						
Grnbrg	6	5	4	4	1	3
Ritchie	1	0	0	0	0	1
Bowser	2	2	1	1	0	0
MWhtlams	0	2	1	1	0	2
McDowell L,3-6	1-3	2	1	1	2	1
Los Angeles						
Morgan	5 2-3	8	5	5	4	3
Hartley	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Gott	1	1	0	0	0	1
Kellgrws	1 2-3	1	1	0	1	3
Candelaria	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
JHowell W,3-2	1	0	0	0	2	0

Grnbrg pitched to 3 batters in the 7th. Bowser pitched to 1 batter in the 8th. HBP—by Grnbrg (LHarris). WP—Morgan. T—3:42. A—48,925.

Tour de France

MORZINE, France (AP) — Results Wednesday of the 181th stage of the 23-stage Tour de France — a 158-mile stage from Bourg d'Oisans to Morzine, with rider, country, team and leader's time (Motorola is the sponsor for the American team):

1. Thierry Claveyrolat, France, RMO, 7 hours, 26 minutes, 47 seconds.

2. Thierry Bourguignon, France, Toshiba, 8 seconds behind.

3. Claudio Chiappucci, Italy, Carrera, 30.

4. UWe Ampler, Germany, Histor, 30.

5. Gert-Jan Theunisse, Netherlands, TVM, same time.

6. Eric Caritoux, France, RMO, same time.

7. Gianni Bugno, Italy, Chateau d'Ax, same time.

8. Stephen Rooks, Netherlands, Buckler, same time.

9. Didier Virvalaix, France, Histor, same time.

10. Gerrard Rue, France, Helvetia, same time.

11. Miguel Indurain, Spain, Banesto, same time.

12. Loc Leblanc, France, Castorama, same time.

13. Charly Mottet, France, RMO, same time.

14. Alvaro Mejia, Colombia, Ryalcao, same time.

15. Pedro Delgado, Spain, Banesto, same time.

Other Motorola and American riders

16. Andrew Hampsten, Boulder, Colo., 46 seconds behind.

63. Phil Anderson, Australia, 7:00.

69. Greg LeMond, Wayzata, Minn., Z, 7:52.

111. Dag-Otto Lauritzen, Norway, 27:44.

117. Andy Bishop, Tucson, Ariz., 27:44.

126. Ron Kiefel, Boulder, Colo., same time.

130. Steve Bauer, Canada, same time.

137. Urs Zimmermann, Switzerland, same time.

Overall Standings
(After 18 stages)

1. Indurain, 86 hours, 32 minutes, 42 seconds.

2. Bugno, 3 minutes, 9 seconds behind.

3. Chiappucci, 4:48.

4. Mottet, 4:57.

5. Lauritzen, 6:53.

6. Laurent Fignon, France, Castorama, 7:03.

7. Hampsten, 9:43.

8. LeMond, 14:01 behind.

9. Roe, 16:56.

10. Delgado, 17:14.

11. Eduardo Chozas, Spain, Once, 18:04.

12. Abelardo Rondon, Colombia, Banesto, 20:41.

13. Theunisse, 23:17.

14. Jean-Francois Bernard, France, Banesto, 25:08.

15. Marcello Tondriest, Italy, Panasonic, 25:37.

Other Motorola and American riders

45. Anderson, 1:00:02

78. Lauritzen, 1:29:41.

106. Bauer, 1:53:58.

113. Zimmermann, 1:57:04

132. Bishop, 2:06:46

139. Kiefel, 2:13:18

Transactions

BASEBALL
American League
CLEVELAND INDIANS—Sent Doug Jones, pitcher, to Colorado Springs of the Pacific Coast League. Activated Rudy Seanez, pitcher, from Canton-Akron of the Eastern League.

MINNESOTA TWINS—Optioned Allan Anderson, pitcher, to Portland of the Pacific Coast League. Activated Dan Gladden, outfielder, from the 15-day disabled list.

National League
MONTREAL EXPOS—Sold the contract of Scott Service, pitcher, to the Chunichi Dragons of the Japan League.

NEW YORK METS—Named R.C. Reetsman general manager of baseball operations of Binghamton of the Eastern League.

FOOTBALL
National Football League
ATLANTA FALCONS—Signed Mike Pritchard, wide receiver, to a three-year contract.

DALLAS COWBOYS—Signed John Gesek, guard, to a three-year contract.

INDIANAPOLIS COLTS—Waived Darrin Trieb, linebacker.

MIAMI DOLPHINS—Signed Aaron Craver, running back, to a three-year contract. Placed Lifford Hobley, safety, on the physically-unable-to-perform list.

NEW YORK GIANTS—Signed Howard Cross, tight end, to a two-year contract, and Henry Blades, nose tackle. Waived Daniel Kelner, wide receiver, and gave Mark Williams, defensive lineman. Agreed to terms with Kenavis McGhee, linebacker, on a three-year contract.

TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS—Agreed to terms with Ervin Randle, linebacker. Signed Robert Martz, defensive tackle. Waived Dave Colonna, tight end.

WASHINGTON REDSKINS—Agreed to terms with Mark Rypien, quarterback.

HOCKEY
National Hockey League
ST. LOUIS BLUES—Agreed to terms with Brandon Shanahan, right wing.

COLLEGE
CHAPMAN—Named Derek Anderson sports information director.

MARIST—Named Nick Macarchuk III man's assistant basketball coach.

TEXAS A&M—Suspended Marcus Bailey, defensive back, indefinitely for violating team rules.

WISCONSIN-SUPERIOR—Named Dan Lounsbury football coach.

YALE—Named John Glynne interim men's assistant hockey coach.

Pirates 7, Braves 4

ATLANTA

	ab	r	h	bi
Nixon rf	3	1	1	0
Blauser ss	5	1	1	0
Berryhl 3b	4	0	0	0
Gant cf	4	0	2	0
Lemke lf	4	0	1	0
Hunter 1b	4	1	1	1
Bragor p	0	0	0	0
Mahler p	0	0	0	0
Lmbrd p	0	0	0	0
Pecota p	0	0	0	0
Mrdzlk p	0	0	0	0
Kipper p	0	0	0	0
Gregg p	0	0	0	0
Lind ph	1	0	0	0
Slvsky p	1	0	0	0
Olivar ph	1	0	0	0
Totals	34	4	10	4

PITTSBURGH

	ab	r	h	bi
Redus lf	4	2	2	0
JBell ss	3	2	2	1
Bnilla 2b	4	0	1	0
Bonilla rf	3	1	1	1
Lavalle 1b	4	0	1	1
Ortiz c	4	0	0	0
LVlnte c	0	0	0	0
Walker 3b	4	0	1	0
Drabek p	0	0	0	0
Kipper p	0	0	0	0
Plactice p	0	0	0	0
Lind dh	4	0	0	0
Slvsky p	1	0	0	0
Olivar ph	1	0	0	0
Totals	32	7	10	6

Atlanta 000 000 004—4
Pittsburgh 300 131 00x—7

E—Olson (3). DP—Atlanta 1, Pittsburgh 1. LOB—Atlanta 7, Pittsburgh 6. 2B—Gant (23), Redus (9), JBell (16). 3B—Van Slyke (5). HR—Hunter (13), JBell (1), Bonilla (22). SB—Blauser (13), Redus (9), Bonilla (23). CS—McClendon (1). SF—Pendleton, JGonzalez.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Atlanta						
Pecota L,13-6	5	8	6	6	3	2
Freeman	1	2	1	1	0	1
Mercker	1	0	0	0	1	0
Montgomer	1	0	0	0	0	1
Pittsburgh						
Bailey W,12-6	6 1-3	8	3	3	2	3
Palacios	2-3	2	1	1	0	3
Kipper	2-3	0	0	0	1	1
Belinda S,9	1	0	0	0	0	1

WP—Glavine. T—2:50. A—36,508.

Giants 8, Mets 4

NEW YORK

	ab	r	h	bi

NFL: Redskins' Rypien ends 10-day holdout

(From 1C)

the Houston Oilers at Austin's Burger Center to last about 130 plays.

Starting running back Emmitt Smith and first-team wide receiver Michael Irvin will be held out of the scrimmage. Smith has been slowed by a hamstring pull and Irvin has a sore back.

"It's good for our guys to go up against another team," Johnson said. "It gets old when you're competing against the same guy day in and day out."

Johnson said he will primarily use his base defense against the Oilers' Run-and-Shoot offense. In a regular season game, the Cowboys would employ a nickel defense against the pass-oriented scheme.

Elsewhere in the camps:

Redskins

The Washington Redskins gained a quarterback but lost a tight end on Wednesday.

Quarterback Mark Rypien ended a 10-day holdout and signed a new contract. Team officials said he would report to training camp on Thursday.

Rypien's signing came just hours after tight end Don Warren broke his right ankle. He is expected to be out for at least 10 weeks.

A mainstay to the Redskins' offense, Warren, a 12-year veteran, was injured while blocking during the first play of a controlled scrimmage. Coach Joe Gibbs said another player fell over the back of Warren's legs.

Falcons

At Suwanee, Ga., Atlanta signed first-round draft choice Mike Pritchard, a wide receiver from national champion Colorado, to a three-year contract.

Pritchard became the 12th of 13 drafted players to sign with the Falcons, leaving only the top choice — cornerback Bruce Pickens of Nebraska — unsigned.

Pickens was selected third overall. Pritchard was the 13th player chosen.

Financial terms of Pritchard's contract weren't disclosed.

Pritchard had 1,528 combined yards for the Buffaloes last year.

ZACHERY: Grid retirement leaves many irons in the fire

(From 1C)

to become involved with the Midland Community Theatre either as a director of some of the plays he has done or written, or as an actor. He plans to complete the seven hours needed for his A&M college degree at the University of Texas of the Permian Basin. Zachery is also writing a book, "Under the Armor: 33 Years on the Rhythm of Life," which he says is almost completed.

In short, Zachery has a lot of irons in the fire — and a lot of dreams.

"My wife (Molly) sometimes thinks my dreams are a little risky," Zachery says, "but I've seen a lot of professional athletes who can't do anything when football is over. I have a lot of dreams and this is the time to pursue them.

"I'm now doing what I've wanted to do all along, but football always took a front seat. Football was great to me, but that's over now and I have the opportunity to do the things I've always wanted."

Until 1988, Zachery's major focus was on football, but he managed to keep things in perspective under the lights of public attention.

"Football can put you on a pedestal, but that pedestal sometimes has weak legs. You become a target when you get in the limelight and you can fall hard. I've seen it happen to guys," he says. "Still, football teaches perseverance. Life is a lot like the cycles you have in football. Sometimes you have to get back up and back at it."

Some of his best memories in football come from his linebacker days at Midland High under Coach John Reddell in the mid-1970s.

"That's when football was really fun. Football gets to be a business pretty soon after that. So, you really hold onto your high school days.

"I'll never forget one game against Permian when Darrell Hunt blocked Mike Gaddy's punt with six seconds left to beat us 6-2."

Zachery loved his days as an Aggie, where he played three years and started his last two. He admits, however, that the experience probably cost him some money.

"My last year at A&M, I was up for all-conference at defensive end and I had some great stats, but we had an injury and I was moved to tackle. I was glad to do it for the team, but I didn't make all-conference because I didn't have just one position. It probably cost me some money in the NFL draft."

He played at 6-2, 215-pounds at MHS and grew to 6-2, 260 at A&M when he was drafted.

"I might note that I did it without steriods. That was just a lot of hard work. Still, I was small by professional standards and learned to survive by finesse, using some martial arts techniques. I knew some players who built massive bodies using steroids, but they always seem to be injured. Steroids make the muscles tight and they rip right off the bone."

Zachery was drafted in the 11th round by the New York Jets in 1980, but had to compete against the likes of Mark Gastineau, Joe Klecko and Marty Lyons.

"Still, I had the team made until a cornerback tore his knee up. They had to keep another cornerback and I was the odd man out."

That sent him packing to the Montreal Alouettes and the CFL where he survived a revolving door management for five years.

"Staying there that long was a miracle in itself," he remembers. "We won two games in three years. The management was bad and they moved players in and out. We had some talent, but we were never together long enough to come together as a team."

In 1984, Zachery got a tryout with the Washington Redskins.

"I had that team made, too," he says. "They were looking for huge players, but I had more sacks than the all the front four combined. But that was the year that Dave Butts came out of retirement after two-a-day workouts and I got cut."

Even though that was a major blow to Zachery, it led to the highlight of his pro career when he landed with the Edmonton Eskimos, again in the CFL.

"When I got there, Edmonton had lost four in a row. We then won eight in a row and then lost to Winnipeg by one-point in the semifinals. In 1986, we won 20 of 22 games, but lost to Hamilton, something like 55-12, in the Grey Cup. We had beaten them three times that year, but they totally destroyed us in the Grey Cup.

"However, we came back to win the Grey Cup in 1987. I hurt my neck the week before. I played in the Grey Cup, but I didn't realize how bad my neck was hurt. I was forced to give up football after that."

Zachery left the game as a champion, but 1987 was also the year that a killer tornado ripped through Edmonton, killing 28 people.

"The tornado missed my place by 35 yards. It was a terrible experience. My wife and I went through the debris that day trying to help people. The next day I had to play in a football game

"I've seen and done a lot of things — some good and some bad, but life is always exciting."

LeMond not even Tour's leading American anymore

Associated Press

MORZINE, France — Miguel Indurain of Spain remained in control of the Tour de France with four stages to go, while Greg LeMond dropped so far behind he's not even the leading American.

Indurain, who finished 11th in Wednesday's 18th of 22 stages, maintained his overall lead of 3 minutes, 9 seconds over Italy's Gianni Bugno, seventh in the 158-mile stage that began in Bourg d'Oisans.

Thierry Claveyrolat of France won the stage, the final one in the Alps and second longest of the Tour. LeMond, meanwhile, dropped 14 minutes behind the leader and tumbled to eighth overall.

Andy Hampsten, from Boulder, Colo., moved past LeMond into seventh place, 9:43 behind Indurain.

Tour de France

On a cool, rainy day in the Alps, Indurain handled all challenges made to cut into his lead.

"The rain was annoying," said Indurain, moving closer to his first Tour victory. "But I think the yellow jersey still fits me."

Indurain has ridden in the shadow of teammate Pedro Delgado, but the 27-year-old won the 1990 Paris-to-Nice race and was second in the Tour of Spain this year.

Claudio Chiappucci of Italy remained third overall and Charly Mottet of France was fourth.

LeMond was fifth when the stage began, but struggled throughout and even thought about dropping out.

"I wanted to stop but I knew I couldn't do that," said LeMond, the three-time champion who has never finished lower than third in five previous Tours.

"This morning when I got on my bike I knew right away things wouldn't go right."

On Wednesday, Claveyrolat and Thierry Bourguignon went on a long breakaway as the field went over three tough climbs in the final 62 miles. Claveyrolat, a good climber, won in 7:26:47, with Bourguignon second and Chiappucci leading the main group of leaders about 30 seconds back.

Though LeMond entered the race as the strong favorite, he had not fared well in previous races this year. The 30-year-old from Wayzata, Minn., has been plagued with problems over the past two weeks, ranging from sore feet to a virus to a fall several days ago.

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P185/75R14	24.75	99
P195/75R14	25.75	103
P205/75R14	27.75	111
P205/75R15	30.75	123
P215/75R15	31.75	127
P235/75R15	32.75	131

16-8600 series

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SIZE	EACH	SET/4
P155/80R13	21.75	$87
P165/80R13	23.75	95
P175/80R13	24.75	99
P185/80R13	25.75	103
P185/75R14	26.75	107
P195/75R14	28.75	115
P205/75R14	30.75	122
P215/75R14	31.75	127
P205/75R15	32.75	131
P215/75R15	33.75	135
P225/75R15	34.75	140
P235/75R15	35.75	143

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SIZE	EACH	SET/4
P155/80R13	25.75	$103
P165/80R13	27.75	111
P175/80R13	29.75	119
P185/80R13	30.75	123
P185/75R14	31.75	127
P195/75R14	33.75	135
P205/75R14	35.75	143
P215/75R14	37.75	151
P205/75R15	39.75	159
P215/75R15	40.75	163
P225/75R15	41.75	167
P235/75R15	42.75	171

16-9150 series

60,000 MILE Ultra 775 All-Season 4 TIRES FOR P155/80R13 $123

SIZE	EACH	SET/4
P155/80R13	30.75	$123
P165/80R13	32.75	131
P175/80R13	34.75	139
P185/80R13	36.75	147
P185/75R14	37.75	151
P195/75R14	38.75	155
P205/75R14	41.75	167
P215/75R14	42.75	171
P205/75R15	42.75	171
P215/75R15	43.75	175
P225/75R15	44.75	179
P235/75R15	45.75	183

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P235/75R15	86.37

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P215/70SR14	49.95
P225/70SR14	51.95
P225/70SR15	53.95
P235/70SR15	54.95
P205/60SR13	49.95
P235/60SR14	54.95
P245/60SR1..	57.95
P215/65SR15	48.75
P235/60SR15	62.75
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U.S. moves on Pan Am pensions

Federal agency seeks to protect private funds worth $840 million

N.Y. Times News Service

The federal agency that insures private pensions sought court permission Wednesday to take over two Pan Am Corp. pension funds, worth about $840 million and covering almost 35,000 current and former employees, contending the airline had not set aside enough money to meet its obligations to retirees.

If the court agrees, it will be the biggest takeover ever for the pension corporation. James B. Lockhart, executive directior of the agency, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corp., expressed concern at the same time about similar problems — underfunded liabilities as they are known — of several other carriers he did not identify, as well as companies in the automobile and steel industries.

The pension plans involved in Wednesday's suit filed in the U.S. District Court in New York are Pan Am's Cooperative Retirement Income Plan, with about 34,000 participants including 11,000 retirees, which is $800 million short, and the defined benefit plan for flight engineers, which has 750 participants including 550 retirees, and is underfunded by about $40 million.

Both plans were frozen at the end of 1983.

The pension agency said it expected that its maximum guarantee, currently $2,250 a month, would cover full retirement payments for virtually all retirees in the cooperative plan. Some flight engineers, primarily younger retirees, may receive reduced benefits, it said, but those amounts may be increased, depending on how much the pension agencies recovers on its claims in bankruptcy proceedings.

The pension agency said it was gathering additional information about another Pan Am plan, covering 2,300 pilots, and analyzing whether it had enough money to pay guaranteed benefits.

Wednesday morning the pension agency asked the federal court for an order within three days to terminate the Pan Am plans. But the carrier petitioned for more time to respond, and the court set a hearing for Sept. 13.

Jeff Kriendler, vice president of corporate communications for Pan Am, said, "We will set forth our position before the judge at that time."

A spokeswoman for the agency who agreed to speak only if she was not identified said Pan Am had acted "irresponsibly by seeking to delay the hearing date."

Kriendler declined to comment on her statement.

The pension agency said it was moving against Pan Am because the carrier had missed a series of pension contributions, including three since last fall, posing an imminent risk to the insurance program.

Lockhart said, "The action not only protects the interest of the plans' participants, but also eliminates uncertainty over the pension liability, which will help clear the way for sales of Pan Am assets."

Pan Am, which has operated under Chapter 11 protection since January, has been involved in a series of negotiations to sell its assets.

THURSDAY

BUSINESS WATCH

SPOT MARKET
W.T. INTERMEDIATE
- Wednesday $21.52
- Previous Close $21.32
- One Year Ago $20.56

POSTED PRICE
- Today $20.25
- Previous Week $21.00
- One Year Ago $19.25

Prices rebound

NEW YORK (AP) — Energy futures prices closed higher Wednesday as traders adjusted their positions while waiting to see if Iraq would be allowed to resume oil exports.

Prices seesawed during the session, with crude oil falling and then recovering in a late rally.

The September contract for West Texas Intermediate ended the day 20 cents higher at $21.52 a 42-gallon barrel on the New York Mercantile Exchange.

Local crude purchasers such as Texaco Trading and Transportation and Scurlock Permian raised their posted price 25 cents to $20.25.

Refined products traded on the exchange also advanced.

Analysts said Wednesday's late rally came on short-covering, which occurs when traders have sold borrowed contracts and then must buy others to fulfill their commitments.

Pipeline loses

HOUSTON (AP) — Panhandle Eastern Corp. reported a $1.8 million loss for the second quarter Wednesday, down from the $13.6 million loss the pipeline company suffered a year ago.

Panhandle Eastern lost 2 cents a share on revenue of $480.2 million for the quarter that ended June 30. A year ago, the company lost 15 cents a share on revenue of $494 million.

No sale

HOUSTON (AP) — Continental Airlines, unable to find a buyer for its Chelsea Catering, has pulled the food service outfit off the selling block.

MARKET IN BRIEF

NYSE issues consolidated trading
July 24, 1991

Volume in shares
196,460,010

Issues traded
2,093

Up
660
Unchanged
560
Down
873

NYSE Index
207.69 **Down 0.53**

S&P Composite
378.64 **Down 0.78**

Dow Jones Industrials
2,966.23 **Down 17.00**

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RTC official: Real estate glut eases

HOUSTON — The head of the Resolution Trust Corp. in Texas said Wednesday the agency is making progress reducing the real estate glut left in the wake of the banking and savings-and-loan mess.

"I'm pleased to report that I think we have turned the corner on our real estate inventory and the numbers are finally starting to decrease," said Carmen Sullivan, Dallas-based director for the RTC's southwest region, which includes all of Texas.

After reaching 17,600 properties worth $8.1 billion from failed financial institutions as of last September, the numbers have started to slide, with a 50 percent decrease in the FTC residential portfolio alone, she said.

"That's quite a dramatic decline," Mrs. Sullivan said.

In addition, the FTC land portfolio has been trimmed by 30 percent and its commercial properties, after peaking at 2,200 in February, are now down 10 percent.

"We think these results are due to two primary factors: aggressive marketing and flexible pricing," she said. "We think the pace of sales will increase substantially."

She listed the RTC Texas holdings now at $6.8 billion in real estate, including 5,400 residential units, 3,400 parcels of land and 2,000 commercial properties.

She said Houston, while having the most RTC property among the state's largest cities, also is the best at reducing its inventory, followed by Dallas, San Antonio and then Austin.

Nationally, the RTC has taken control of 600 savings and loan associations, including 133 in Texas. Of the Texas thrifts, 106 have been resolved, including 39 which have resulted in insured deposit payoffs.

The Texas payoff figure is the highest in the nation.

"I think it is very evident to all of us that in the course of the last four or five years there have been more bank and thrift failures than anyone could imagine," she said. "Bidders probably have purchased the most attractive pieces."

Mrs. Sullivan said it was possible as many as 10 more Texas S&L's would be taken over by the government agency by the end of the year.

AP Laserphoto

More IBM power

William Colton, vice president of graphic systems for IBS Corp., holds the new POWER Gt4 color graphics board for the RISC System/6000 introduced at a New York news conference Wednesday. The POWER Gt4 and Gt4x support 256 colors out of a 16.7-million palette and runs five times faster than the current board.

State's jobless workers rally for extension

WASHINGTON (AP) — Hundreds of jobless workers rallied Wednesday on the steps of the Labor Department for an extension in unemployment benefits as Sen. Lloyd Bentsen promised to declare an emergency and get the money flowing to the nation's struggling families.

Chanting "Lay off Bush" and "26 weeks is not enough," the crowd called for President Bush to extend unemployment benefits for jobless workers whose checks stop after 26 weeks.

But Bush's spokesman, Marlin Fitzwater, said Wednesday that the president believes the economy is in recovery and would likely veto emergency legislation to extend unemployment benefits.

"The Bush administration calls for an emergency for the Kurds, for the Turks, for the Bangladesh. And even in the president's budget, they declared an emergency for the Panama Canal Commission," said Bentsen, D-Texas.

"I say it's time to declare an emergency for the unemployed workers of America," Bentsen told the crowd under a sizzling noonday sun.

Bentsen, chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, promised the panel would act Thursday on a proposal to extend unemployment benefits up to 20 weeks.

Bentsen would not raise taxes or cut other programs to pay for his proposal's $5.8 billion cost. Instead, he would declare the recession an emergency and allow the government to simply borrow the needed money, thus driving up the deficit.

INVESTORS' GUIDE

Trip to convert savings bonds unnecessary

By Bill Doyle

Q. You make it seem quite simple to change series E and EE U.S. Savings Bonds to series HH bonds. So I want to tell you my story.

Doyle

My older brother, whose name I had as an "or" payee on a number of my E and EE bonds died last winter. I took the bonds from my safe deposit box and asked a counselor at our largest savings and loan association here in St. Paul, Minn., for help in converting them. He was completely blank but agreed it would be a good trick to defer tax on the interest somehow.

I went to my "personal banker" in a large branch of our area-wide banking system and met with even more amazement. The advice there was to go across the Mississippi River to the Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis.

I asked in mock horror, "Are you telling a 70-year-old woman to board a bus and walk through downtown Minneapolis, guarding not only her handbag but a bundle of bonds." They were indeed.

The wind was blowing strong on Marquette Avenue, but I made it safely to the Fed. After passing through several security checks, I entered a marble hall so elegant it made the trip worthwhile. An efficient and courteous woman came to a barred window as if she had risen from the orchestra pit.

When I finished my story, she said my S&L or bank would have to attest my signature on the bonds. You can believe my horror wasn't feigned at that point. She produced a large envelope, filled it with forms and wrote out specific instructions. As I walked away, she called out, "Don't forget to take along a copy of the death certificate."

I wrote to a city clerk in Texas, where my brother lived, sending along a $10 check on a guess. In due time, I received the death certificate.

When I returned to the St. Paul bank, my contact had been replaced. I had to retell my story. As other bankers heard about my visit to the Minneapolis Fed, they gathered around and asked questions. The forms in that big envelope were handled carefully. Step by step, one of the bank employees followed the instructions. She seemed utterly astounded that I had the death certificate, as that requirement was in fine print.

A month later, reissued bonds arrived in the mail and I returned to the St. Paul bank to reassure the help there.

This isn't a criticism, just a true narrative. In the future, please don't let anyone think this is easy.

A. Having endured winter winds on Marquette Avenue, I can empathize with you. Although exchanging those bonds was not easy for you, it should have been. The true horror of your well-told story is that your trip was not necessary.

If the people you spoke to at the S&L or bank in St. Paul used the brains they were born with, they would have reached for "The Book on U.S. Savings Bonds," a 67-page guide the Treasury Department provides to all banks, S&Ls and other savings bonds issuing and paying agents.

Among other things, that book explains Form PD 3253 must be filled out and sent to a Federal Reserve Bank or branch with E and/or EE bonds being exchanged for HH bonds and that Form PD F 4000 is used to remove the name of a deceased co-owner.

Q. Our pension and Social Security benefits are enough for our style of living. Our problem is real estate taxes. We have $80,000 in E bonds. Should we redeem $5,000 of the Es every year, to pay the real estate taxes and also income tax on the accrued E bond interest, or should we exchange the Es for HH bonds?

A. Make the exchange. By doing that, you can postpone the income tax bite on the accrued E bond interest until you redeem the HHs received in the exchange. That can be put off for 20 years.

Meanwhile, you will collect 6 percent annual interest on the HHs. On $80,000, that's $4,800 a year and should solve your real estate tax problem.

Bill Doyle is a syndicated columnist for King Features. He welcomes written questions, but is able to provide answers only through the column.

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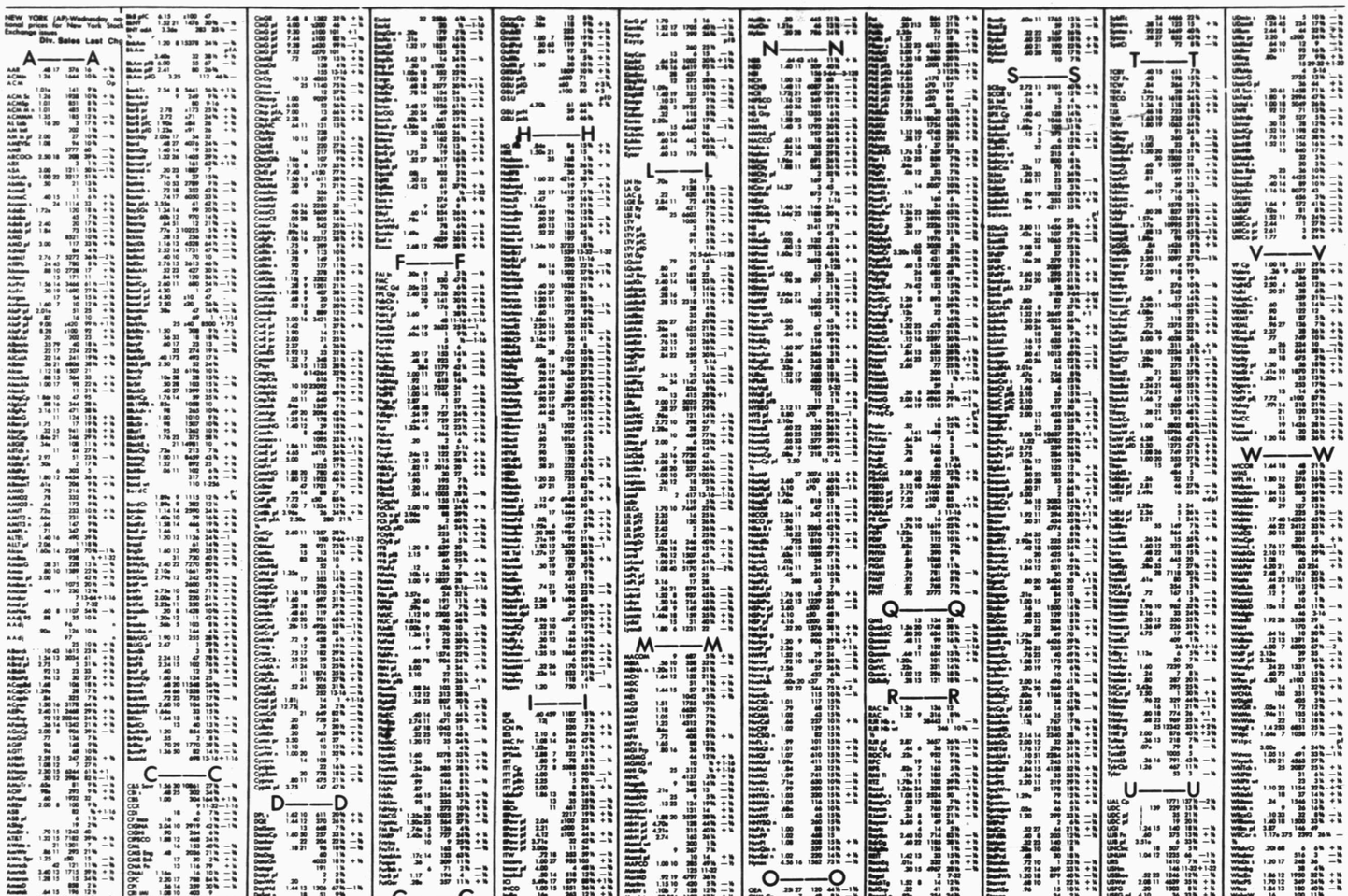
NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE



MARKET PERFORMANCE

Ups & Downs

NEW YORK (AP) — The following list shows the Over-the-Counter stocks and warrants that have gone up the most and down the most based on percentage changes. The list includes stocks trading below $1 or 1000 shares on the day.

Net and percentage changes are the difference between the previous day's closing price and today's or bid price.

Name	UPS Last	Chg	Pct.
1 Hospitalit	15 3/4	+ 3	Up 33.3
2 Chiles In	7	+ 1	Up 30.2
3 Adpal Ltd	7	+ 1	Up 30.0
4 ACX Inc	11	+ 2	Up 30.0
5 Fidelcor	11	+ 2	Up 30.0
6 Fidelcor	11	+ 2	Up 30.0
7 Fidelcor	11	+ 2	Up 30.0
8 Fidelcor	11	+ 2	Up 30.0
9 Fidelcor	11	+ 2	Up 30.0
10 Fidelcor	11	+ 2	Up 30.0
11 Fidelcor	11	+ 2	Up 30.0

Name	DOWNS Last	Chg	Pct.
1 Yorktown	1	- 1/2	Off 33.3
2 Tomkins	1	- 1/2	Off 33.3
3 Colorado	1	- 1/2	Off 33.3
4 Bonanza	1	- 1/2	Off 33.3
5 Bonanza	1	- 1/2	Off 33.3
6 Bonanza	1	- 1/2	Off 33.3
7 Bonanza	1	- 1/2	Off 33.3
8 Bonanza	1	- 1/2	Off 33.3
9 Bonanza	1	- 1/2	Off 33.3
10 Bonanza	1	- 1/2	Off 33.3
11 PCAlpha	1	- 1/2	Off 33.3

NEW YORK (AP) — The following list shows the New York Stock Exchange stocks and warrants that have gone up the most and down the most based on percentage changes. The list includes stocks trading below $1 or 100 shares on the day.

Net and percentage changes are the difference between the previous day's closing price and today's 5:30 p.m. price.

Name	UPS Last	Chg	Pct.
1 Comfed	1 3/4	+ 1/4	Up 16.7
2 Cmt Edison	1 3/4	+ 1/4	Up 16.7
3 Hawker	1 3/4	+ 1/4	Up 16.7
4 Hartford	1 3/4	+ 1/4	Up 16.7
5 FPV Cp	1 3/4	+ 1/4	Up 16.7
6 Hartford	1 3/4	+ 1/4	Up 16.7
7 Hartford	1 3/4	+ 1/4	Up 16.7
8 HDC Chrp	1 3/4	+ 1/4	Up 16.7
9 Hartford	1 3/4	+ 1/4	Up 16.7
10 Hartford	1 3/4	+ 1/4	Up 16.7
11 Hartford	1 3/4	+ 1/4	Up 16.7

Name	DOWNS Last	Chg	Pct.
1 Tiberin	1	- 1/4	Off 20.0
2 Hartford	1	- 1/4	Off 20.0
3 Hartford	1	- 1/4	Off 20.0
4 Hartford	1	- 1/4	Off 20.0
5 Hartford	1	- 1/4	Off 20.0
6 Hartford	1	- 1/4	Off 20.0
7 Hartford	1	- 1/4	Off 20.0
8 Hartford	1	- 1/4	Off 20.0
9 Hartford	1	- 1/4	Off 20.0
10 Hartford	1	- 1/4	Off 20.0
11 Hartford	1	- 1/4	Off 20.0

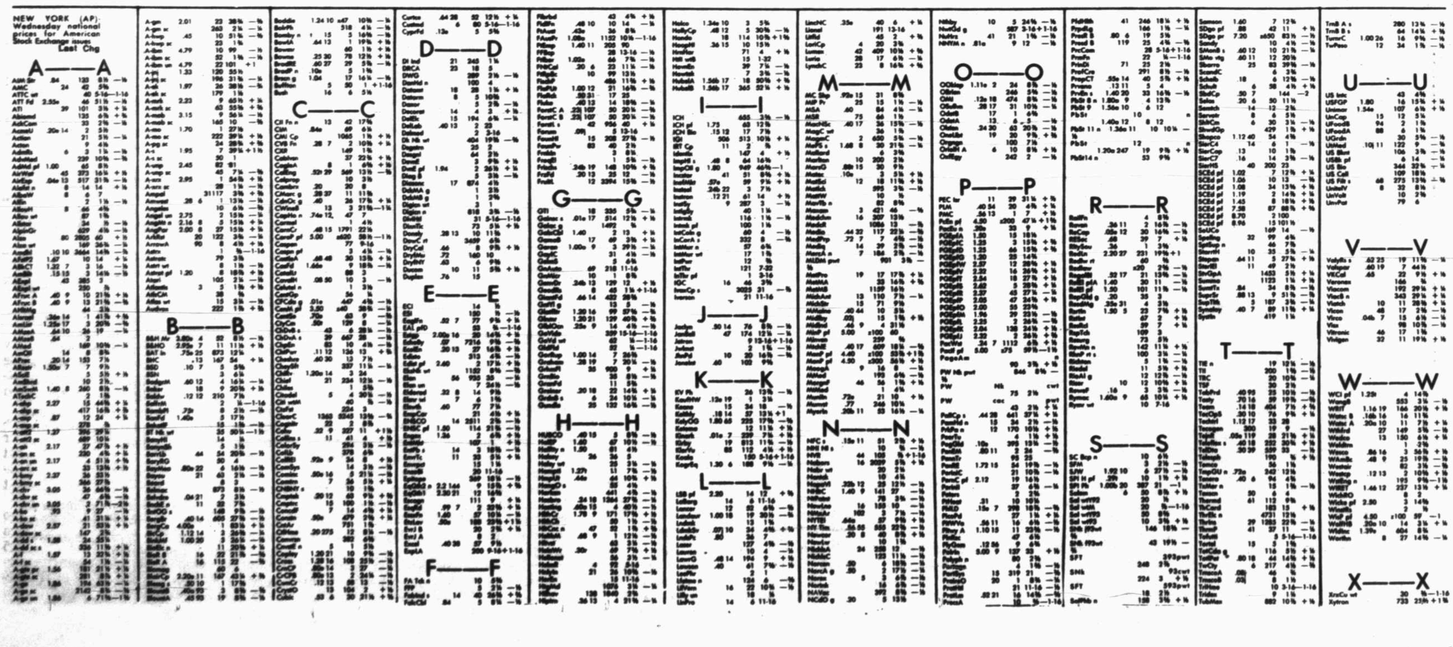
NEW YORK (AP) — The following list shows the American Stock Exchange stocks and warrants that have gone up the most and down the most based on percentage changes. The list includes stocks trading below $1 or 1000 shares on the day.

Net and percentage changes are the difference between the previous day's closing price and today's or bid price.

Name	UPS Last	Chg	Pct.
1 Oil Corp	1 3/4	+ 1/4	Up 16.7
2 Hallcraft	1 3/4	+ 1/4	Up 16.7
3 Hallcraft	1 3/4	+ 1/4	Up 16.7
4 Hallcraft	1 3/4	+ 1/4	Up 16.7
5 Hallcraft	1 3/4	+ 1/4	Up 16.7
6 Hallcraft	1 3/4	+ 1/4	Up 16.7
7 Hallcraft	1 3/4	+ 1/4	Up 16.7
8 Hallcraft	1 3/4	+ 1/4	Up 16.7
9 Hallcraft	1 3/4	+ 1/4	Up 16.7
10 Hallcraft	1 3/4	+ 1/4	Up 16.7
11 Hallcraft	1 3/4	+ 1/4	Up 16.7

Name	DOWNS Last	Chg	Pct.
1 Austin e	1	- 1/4	Off 20.0
2 Hallcraft	1	- 1/4	Off 20.0
3 Hallcraft	1	- 1/4	Off 20.0
4 Hallcraft	1	- 1/4	Off 20.0
5 Hallcraft	1	- 1/4	Off 20.0
6 Hallcraft	1	- 1/4	Off 20.0
7 Hallcraft	1	- 1/4	Off 20.0
8 Hallcraft	1	- 1/4	Off 20.0
9 Hallcraft	1	- 1/4	Off 20.0
10 Hallcraft	1	- 1/4	Off 20.0
11 Bankvtl	1	- 1/4	Off 20.0

AMERICAN STOCK EXCHANGE



COMMODITIES

Petroleum

NEW YORK (AP) —Futures trading on the New York Mercantile Exchange Wed.:

	Open	High	Low	Settle	Chg.
CRUDE OIL					
1,000 bbl.; dollars per bbl.					
Sep	21.27	21.55	21.10	21.52	+.20
Oct	21.20	21.45	21.06	21.43	+.19
Nov	21.13	21.35	21.01	21.36	+.17
Dec	21.05	21.28	20.90	21.26	+.17
Jan	20.95	21.10	20.84	21.12	+.15
Feb	20.87	20.91	20.74	20.99	+.14
Mar	20.73	20.73	20.65	20.86	+.13
Apr	20.43	20.55	20.43	20.74	+.12
May				20.66	+.12
Jun	20.50	20.50	20.50	20.61	+.12
Jul	20.42	20.47	20.37	20.59	+.12
Aug	20.41	20.42	20.35	20.60	+.12
Sep				20.62	+.12
Oct				20.65	+.12
Nov				20.68	+.12
Dec				20.71	+.12
Jan				20.74	+.12
Mar				20.80	+.12
Jun				20.89	+.12

Tue.'s sales 113,509.
Tue.'s open int 272,437, off 6,699.

HEATING OIL
42,000 gal; cents per gal

Aug	57.50	58.20	57.40	58.09	+.41
Sep	58.75	59.25	58.50	59.17	+.40
Oct	60.10	60.35	59.60	60.32	+.42
Nov	61.20	61.30	60.75	61.42	+.42
Dec	62.10	62.40	61.70	62.37	+.44
Jan	62.30	62.50	61.85	62.49	+.29
Feb	61.05	61.15	60.60	61.19	+.28
Mar	58.50	58.60	58.15	58.59	+.23
Apr	56.35	56.35	56.05	56.49	+.23
May	54.50	54.50	54.50	54.84	+.18
Jun	53.75	54.00	53.75	53.94	+.13
Jul	53.40	53.70	53.40	53.59	+.13
Aug	54.60	54.60	54.60	54.19	+.13
Sep	55.50	55.50	55.50	55.19	+.13
Oct	56.50	56.50	56.50	56.09	+.13

Tue.'s sales 30,056.
Tue.'s open int 121,898, up 1,176.

UNLEADED GASOLINE
42,000 gal; cents per gal

Aug	65.60	66.30	64.80	66.17	+.95
Sep	63.60	64.25	62.40	64.03	+.70
Oct	61.00	61.00	60.00	60.89	+.21
Nov	59.45	59.45	58.75	59.30	+.12
Dec	58.20	58.20	57.50	58.05	+.12
Jan	57.10	57.23	57.10	57.35	+.12
Feb	57.90	57.90	57.10	57.50	+.10
Mar				58.40	+.05
Apr	62.00	62.00	62.00	61.90	
May				61.50	
Jun	61.00	61.00	61.00	60.60	—.05

Tue.'s sales 23,654.
Tue.'s open int 76,445, up 3,719.

NATURAL GAS
10,000 mm british thermal units

Sep	1.200	1.220	1.195	1.216	—.002
Oct	1.400	1.410	1.385	1.403	—.012
Nov	1.660	1.670	1.650	1.670	—.006
Dec	1.915	1.920	1.895	1.919	—.007
Jan	2.050	2.070	2.035	2.070	
Feb	1.780	1.815	1.780	1.802	—.018
Mar	1.445	1.490	1.445	1.480	+.010
Apr	1.380	1.390	1.380	1.390	+.005
May	1.390	1.395	1.390	1.395	
Jun	1.400	1.400	1.400	1.405	
Jul	1.415	1.415	1.410	1.415	

Tue.'s sales 2,848.
Tue.'s open int 19,652, up 82.

Cotton

BC-Qk510-NY-COTTON—NEW YORK (AP)—Cotton no. 2 futures on the N.Y. Cotton ExchangeWed.:

	Open	High	Low	Settle	Chg.
COTTON 2					
50,000 lbs.; cents per lb.					
Oct	70.20	70.30	69.25	69.32	—1.66
Dec	70.00	70.00	68.96	69.02	—1.38
Mar	71.10	71.10	70.15	70.20	—1.35
May	72.00	72.00	71.00	71.07	—1.25
Jul	72.80	72.90	71.90	71.90	—1.02
Oct				69.20	
Dec	68.00	68.00	67.85	67.90	—.05

Tue.'s sales 6,253.
Tue.'s open int 40,641, off 204.

MUTUAL FUNDS

NEW YORK (AP) — The following quotations, from the National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc., are the prices at which these securities could have been sold (net asset value) or bought (value plus sales charge) Wednesday.

	Sell	Buy	Chg.
AALMutual:			
CaGr p	12.55	13.18	—.01
Inco p	9.71	10.19	+.02
MuBd p	10.14	10.65	+.01
AARP Invst:			
CaGr	27.78	N.L.	—.09
GlnIM	15.35	N.L.	+.06
GblInc	26.09	N.L.	—.05
HQ Bd	15.13	N.L.	+.05
TxFBd	16.93	N.L.	+.03
TxFSh	15.18	N.L.	
ABT Funds:			
Emrg p	10.32	10.83	—.10
FL TF	10.41	10.93	+.01
GNtln p	9.62	10.10	—.01
Utilln p	11.70	12.28	+.01
AdvnCo p	19.00	19.59	—.05
AEGON USA:			
CapApp	4.14	4.35	—.02
HiYld	9.78	10.27	+.02
Gwth	6.01	6.31	—.01
TaxEx	11.46	12.03	+.01
AFA NAv	10.15	10.66	—.06
AFA Tele	14.41	15.13	—.06
AHA 115	11.15	N.L.	—.01
AHA Util	10.12	N.L.	+.02
AIM Funds:			
Chart p	7.82	8.28	—.03
Const p	10.22	10.81	—.06
CvYld p	11.31	11.87	—.05
HiYld p	5.16	5.42	+.01
LimM p	9.94	10.12	+.01
Summ	9.04		—.04
Weing p	14.72	15.58	—.03
A M A Family:			
CtaGr p	8.10	8.50	—.05
GlbGr p	22.00	23.10	—.04
GlbIn p	18.66	19.57	+.10
USGv p	8.68	9.11	+.01
AMEV Funds:			
AstAl p	12.45	13.04	—.01
Capitl p	15.22	15.98	—.05
CnAp p	16.77	17.56	—.06
Fidcr p	24.57	25.73	—.13
GvTR p	8.95	9.37	+.03
Gwth p	22.53	23.65	—.12
HiYld p	7.48	7.83	
TF MN	9.83	10.29	+.01
TF Nat	10.07	10.54	+.02
TF NY	10.64	11.14	+.02
US Gvt	9.67	10.13	+.03
AMF Funds:			
Cp Bd	9.27	N.L.	+.03
IntlLiq	10.49	N.L.	+.01
MtgSc	10.93	N.L.	+.02
ASO Bd	10.37	10.69	+.02
ASO Eq	12.43	12.81	—.04
AcornF	41.05	41.05	—.11
Afuture	10.41	N.L.	—.08
Advance America:			
Eqinc	9.75	10.24	—.04
TF In p	9.88	10.37	+.01
US Gv p	9.25	9.71	+.01
Advest Advsnt:			
Govt p	8.56	8.56	+.01
Gwth p	14.80	14.80	—.02
HY Bd p	7.55	7.55	—.01
Inco p	10.75	10.75	
Spcl p	13.74	13.74	+.03
AlgrSCp t	19.35	19.35	—.08
AlgerG t	16.13	16.13	—.03
Alliance Cap:			
Alian p	6.12	6.48	—.04
Balan p	12.26	12.97	—.01
Canad p	5.88	6.22	—.02
Count p	18.17	19.23	—.04
GlbSA p	9.91	10.49	—.01
Govt p	8.04	8.44	+.03
Grinc p	2.43	2.57	—.01
HiYld p	5.26	5.52	
IntlA p	14.37	15.21	+.06
ICalT p	12.56	13.15	+.02
InsMu	9.70	10.16	+.02
Manin px	11.21	11.77	—.03
Mortg p	8.79	9.23	+.03
Mtln	2.00	2.00	
MMS A	9.85	10.15	+.01
MMS B	9.85	9.85	+.01
MuCA	9.78	10.24	
MuNY	9.10	9.53	+.01
NtlMu	9.82	10.28	+.01
NtlIn p	8.83	9.34	+.03
QuanA p	19.82	20.97	—.07
ST Mlo p	9.83	10.13	+.01
ST Mlt t	9.82	9.82	
Tech p	23.42	24.78	—.10
WldInc	1.98	1.98	
AlpnCA	9.97	10.36	
Altura Funds:			
Gvtst	10.16	10.58	+.03
Grwth	13.74	14.31	—.04
Inco	10.17	10.59	+.03
TF Inc	9.90	10.31	+.01
Amer AAdvant:			
Balan	11.00	N.L.	—.01
Equity	11.62	N.L.	—.05
LtdTr	9.89	N.L.	+.01
Amer Capital:			
Cmstk	16.35	17.87	—.07
CpBd p	6.49	6.81	+.01
EmGr p	18.64	19.78	—.08
Entrp p	12.76	13.54	—.08
Eqinc p	4.43	4.70	
Exch	90.45		—.33
FdMtg p	12.93	13.47	—.01
GvSc p	10.27	10.78	+.04
GvTrP	10.47	10.79	+.05
Grinc p	11.47	12.17	—.04
Harbr p	13.83	14.67	—.03
HiYld p	5.64	5.92	+.01
MunB p	19.04	19.99	+.01
Pace p	12.69	13.46	—.05
TEMY p	10.72	11.25	
TxE I p	10.95	11.50	
AExpEV	12.54	12.80	—.07
American Funds:			
A Bal p	11.34	12.03	
Amcp p	11.62	12.33	—.06
AMutl p	20.25	21.49	—.03
Bond p	12.92	13.56	+.05
CapIB p	27.94	29.64	+.01
CapWr p	14.70	15.43	+.02
Expac p	31.28	33.19	+.10
Fdinv p	16.46	17.46	—.08
Govt p	13.36	14.03	+.04
Gwth p	21.46	22.77	—.09
HI Tr p	13.33	13.99	+.01
Inco p	12.43	13.19	
IntBd p	13.48	14.15	+.03
ICA p	16.18	17.17	
NEco p	21.63	22.95	—.04
N Per p	11.40	12.10	+.01
SmCp p	16.82	17.85	—.03
TxEx p	11.30	11.76	+.01
TECA p	14.45	15.17	+.01
TEMd p	14.26	14.97	—.01
TEVA p	14.71	15.44	+.02
TNote	15.14	16.06	—.03
A GthFd	7.88	8.61	—.02
A Hertg	1.13	N.L.	
A Invst	6.73	7.36	—.01
A Inv In	5.48	5.77	—.05
Amer Natl Funds:			
Grth	4.56	4.98	—.01
Inco	21.25	23.22	—.07
Trifltex	15.07	16.29	
Am Performn:			
Bond	10.38	10.81	+.03
Equity	11.50	11.98	+.01
IntBd	10.32	10.75	+.02
A Allnc			
API Gr fp	11.96	11.96	—.13
Amway t	8.15	8.40	—.06
Analyt		12.67	N.L. —.04
AnchrCa			
Anstng		6.90	N.L. —.01
Aquila Funds:			
AZ TF	9.96	10.38	
CO TF	9.90	10.31	
HI TF	10.92	11.38	
KY TF	10.11	10.53	+.01
OR TF	9.99	10.41	
ArchCap	12.47	13.06	—.03
ArcPSfd	19.47	20.44	—.12
AtlasCA		10.24	N.L. +.02
AtlasGv		10.04	N.L. +.03
BB&K		10.47	N.L. —.02
BakerGv		15.56	N.L.
Babson Group:			
Bond		11.53	N.L. —.01
Enterp		13.54	N.L. —.03
Grwth		11.25	N.L. —.04
Intl		12.09	N.L. +.08
Shadw		9.14	N.L. —.05
TaxFr		8.81	N.L. +.01
UMB St		14.35	N.L. —.04
UMB B		10.76	N.L. +.02
Value		19.65	N.L. —.09
BairdBl p		16.24	17.23	—.10
BairdCa p		20.64	21.90	—.02
BaronA r		14.25	14.25	—.10
Bartlett Funds:				
BarVl		12.61	N.L.	—.03
FixedI		9.61	N.L.	+.02
VI Intl		9.19	N.L.	+.06
Bascom		21.59	21.59	+.02
Basc Hill		31.90	N.L.	+.11
BellAtBd		10.25	N.L.	+.02
BellAtEq		10.95	N.L.	—.01
Benham Capital:				
CalTr		10.91	N.L.	+.02
CalTin		9.37	N.L.	+.01
CalTH		8.78	N.L.	+.01
CoTFI		10.39	N.L.	
EqGro		9.94	N.L.	—.01
GNMA		10.25	N.L.	+.01
GoldIn		8.87	N.L.	—.21
IncGro		11.85	N.L.	—.02
NITFI		10.27	N.L.	
NITFL		11.01	N.L.	+.01
Tg1995		73.83	N.L.	+.23
Tg2000		48.82	N.L.	+.38
Tg2005		31.93	N.L.	+.34
Tg2010		22.44	N.L.	+.33
Tg2015		16.18	N.L.	+.33
Tg2020		11.07	N.L.	+.26
TNote		10.21	N.L.	+.01
Berger Group:				
100		9.72	9.72	—.05
101		8.10	8.10	+.03
Bernstein Fds:				
GvSh		12.74	N.L.	+.01
ShtDur		12.70	N.L.	
IntDur		12.80	N.L.	+.02
Ca Mu		12.76	N.L.	+.01
DivMu		12.82	N.L.	
NYMu		12.89	N.L.	+.01
Blanchard Funds:				
PrcM p	5.95	5.95	—.09	
ST GI	1.94	1.94		
StrGr p	9.66	9.66		
BdEndw	17.66	N.L.	+.09	
Boston Co:				
CpAp p	26.09	N.L.	—.15	
Intl	11.35	N.L.	+.06	
IntGv p	12.00	N.L.	+.02	
MgdI p	10.76	N.L.	+.02	
SpGth p	16.04	N.L.	—.22*	
Bradyw	18.85	N.L.	—.05	
Bruce	81.89	N.L.	+1.58	
Bull & Bear Gp:				
CaGr p	6.70	N.L.	—.05	
Eqinc p	12.21	N.L.	+.01	
FNCI p	16.16	N.L.	—.10	
Gold p	12.73	N.L.	—.16	
HiYld p	8.11	N.L.	+.01	
SpEq p	17.06	N.L.	+.23	
TxFr p	17.34	N.L.	+.03	
USGv p	13.90	N.L.	+.03	
Bunshn	20.25	21.32	—.03	
CGM Funds:				
CapDv	27.95	N.L.	—.18	
Mutl	25.93	N.L.	+.04	
Calmos t		N.L.		
CalMun			p	
CalTrst	11.73	N.L.	+.02	
CalUS	9.57	N.L.	+.05	
Calvert Group:				
Ariel	27.32	28.68	—.14	
ArielA	17.88	18.77	—.08	
Capitl p	21.24	22.30	+.01	
GvInd	14.79	15.09	+.02	
Inco	15.85	16.64	+.04	
Social p	27.52	28.89	—.01	
SocBd	15.77	16.56	+.03	
SocEq	18.79	19.73	—.03	
TxF Ut	10.61	10.83		
TxF Lg	15.62	16.40	+.03	
TxF Vt	15.73	16.51	+.03	
US Gov	14.76	15.50	+.03	
WshA p	12.20	12.81	—.07	
Capstone Group:				
CshFr	9.58	10.06	—.09	
Fd SW	15.38	16.15	—.11	
Gvtinc	4.68	4.68		
MadRs	16.26	17.07	+.01	
PBHG	10.99	11.54	—.10	
Ray Et	6.54	6.87		
Trend	13.89	14.58	—.03	
CarltCo	12.00	12.63		
Carneg Cappiello:				
EmGr p	10.49	10.98	—.04	
Grow p	18.48	19.36	—.01	
TRstn p	11.03	11.55		
Carnegie Funds:				
Govt p	9.11	9.54	+.03	
TECHG	9.24	9.68	+.01	
TENHG	9.63	10.08	+.01	
Cardnl	11.70	12.79	—.02	
CrdnlGv	8.90	9.32		
Cst Shs	19.23	N.L.	—.27	
ChartBC	11.17	11.17	—.03	
Chastnr	108.74	N.L.	—.70	
CIGNA Funds:				
Agrsv p	15.54	16.36	—.10	
GvSc px	9.92	10.44	—.05	
Grth p	14.62	15.39	—.04	
HiYld px	8.43	8.87	—.05	
Inco px	7.48	7.87	—.02	
MunB px	7.81	8.22	—.03	
USI px	12.66	13.33	—.02	
Value p	16.51	17.38	—.02	
Citibank IRA-CIT:				
Balan f	2.52	N.L.	—.02	
Equit f	2.80	N.L.	—.03	
Incm f	2.19	N.L.		
ShrTr f	1.82	N.L.		
Clipper	44.37	44.37	+.04	
Colonial Funds:				
AGold p	16.36	17.36	—.18	
CalTE	7.04	7.39	+.01	
CpCsh p	44.56	45.47	+.07	
DvsMn	6.70	7.03	+.01	
Fund p	20.48	21.73	—.07	
GvSec p	10.47	10.99	+.05	
Gwth p	12.77	13.55	—.04	
HiYld p	5.62	5.90	+.01	
Incom p	6.18	6.49	+.02	
IntEq p	15.80	16.76	+.15	
MATx	7.24	7.60	+.01	
MI TE	6.60	6.93	+.01	
MN TE	6.94	7.29	+.01	
NY TE	6.67	7.00		
ObTE	6.59	6.74		
Smlln p	11.65	12.36	—.07	
TXInc p	7.77	8.16	+.01	
TxEx p	13.03	13.68	+.01	
US Gv p	6.98	7.33	+.01	
US Id p	18.47	19.60	—.03	
Colonial VIP:				
DvRat t	11.04	11.04		
FdSec t	9.86	9.86	+.02	
Gwth t	11.33	11.33	—.03	
Hilnc t	8.81	8.81	+.02	
HYMu t	9.68	9.68	+.01	
IntMd t	10.39	10.39	—.05	
Columbia Funds:				
Fixed	12.79	N.L.	+.04	
Govt	8.48	N.L.	+.01	
Grth	25.53	N.L.	—.10	
Muni	11.86	N.L.	+.01	
Spcl	46.65	N.L.	—.20	
Common Sense:				
Govt	10.98	11.77	+.04	
Grwth	14.36	15.69	—.09	
Grinc	13.85	15.14	—.06	
MunB	12.56	13.19		
CwlthBl	2.04	2.21	—.01	
Compass Capital:				
Eqinc	11.48	N.L.	—.03	
FixIn	10.12	N.L.	+.04	
Gwth	11.91	N.L.	+.06	
Shint	10.20	N.L.	+.02	
Composite Group:				
BdStk p	10.95	11.41		
Gwth p	11.79	12.28		
InFd p	8.41	8.76	+.02	
NW50 p	26.00	27.33	—.15	
TxEx p	7.24	7.54		
USGv p	10.16	10.58	+.02	
Conn Mutual:				
Govt	10.81	11.32	+.01	
Grwth	13.67	14.58	—.02	
TotRet	13.28	14.17	+.01	
Copley	14.67	N.L.		
CorpEqin	11.85	N.L.	—.05	
Counselors Fd:				
CapAp	11.75	N.L.	—.03	
EQIn	14.54	N.L.	—.17	
FixInc	9.28	N.L.	+.02	
GblFxd	9.58	N.L.	+.05	
IntEqu	13.10	N.L.	+.05	
IntGvt	10.41	N.L.	+.02	
NYMu	9.75	N.L.	+.01	
CtryCo	17.64	18.19	—.05	
Cowen p	11.13	11.70	—.01	
CownOp p		13.70	14.40	—.04
CnbldG	10.98	10.98		
DR Funds:				
Bal	9.74	N.L.	—.01	
Equity	10.52	N.L.		
EurEq	7.02	N.L.	—.02	
Dean Witter:				
AmVl t	17.64	17.64	—.08	
CalTF t	12.15	12.15	+.02	
CapGr t	12.74	12.74		
Convt t	8.30	8.30	—.02	
DevGr t	12.89	12.89	—.10	
DivGr t	24.59	24.59	—.09	
Euro t	8.89	8.89		
Glbl t	9.82	9.82	+.02	
GPlus t	9.12	9.12	+.04	
HiYld	5.83	6.17		
Intmd t	9.47	9.47	+.02	
NYTF t	11.25	11.25	+.01	
NtlIn t	10.93	10.93	—.08	
Optn t	8.85	8.85	—.02	
PacGr t	12.03	12.03	+.03	
PrcM t	9.02	9.02	—.14	
Premr p				
SearT p	11.48	11.48	+.02	
AdTr p	7.99	7.99	+.01	
Mngd t	10.73	10.73	—.05	
Strat t	12.72	12.72	—.01	
TaxEx	11.29	11.76	+.01	
USGvt t	9.27	9.27	+.02	
Util t	11.68	11.68	+.02	
ValAd t	15.03	15.03	—.05	
WWIn	9.08	9.08	—.03	
WldW t	14.45	14.45	+.05	
Delaware Group:				
Dectrl	15.84	17.31	—.07	
Decstl p	12.75	13.39	—.06	
Delcor	18.06	19.37	—.07	
Delcp p	20.20	21.21	—.06	
Delchl	6.28	6.73		
Dlchll p	6.28	6.59		
Gvt II p	8.68	9.11	+.02	
Invt	9.79	10.09	+.01	
Invr II p	9.79	N.L.	+.01	
TxFPo	7.91	8.30	+.01	
TxIns	10.81	11.35		
TxFU	11.43	12.00		
Trend	9.38	9.85	—.09	
Value	13.82	14.51	—.08	
Dimensional Fds:				
US Sml	6.07	N.L.	—.01	
Japan	25.64	N.L.	+.34	
UKing	18.93	N.L.	+.12	
Cont	14.50	N.L.	+.16	
Fixd	102.13	N.L.	+.03	
GlBd	100.53	N.L.	+.11	
Govt	104.97	N.L.	+.29	
IntGv	103.85	N.L.	+.31	
DG Div	23.54	N.L.	—.18	
Dodge&Cox:				
Balan	38.36	N.L.	—.07	
Inco	10.82	N.L.	+.03	
Stock	44.04	N.L.	—.36	
Dreyfus:				
A Bond	13.62	N.L.	+.05	
CalTx	14.62	N.L.	+.02	
CapVl p	13.16	13.78	—.11	
CvSec	7.93	N.L.	—.02	
Dreyf	11.97	N.L.	—.02	
GNMA p	14.70	N.L.	+.03	
GthOp	10.78	N.L.	—.02	
Index	15.98	N.L.	—.03	
InsMu p	17.81	N.L.	+.02	
Interm	13.66	N.L.	+.01	
Levge	17.35	18.17	—.02	
Mass Tx	15.71	N.L.	+.02	
NJ Mun	12.68	N.L.	+.01	
NorId p	20.29	N.L.	—.01	
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Peapin	13.55	N.L.	—.02	
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Strev p	20.02	20.96	—.05	
StrW p	28.15	29.02	+.09	
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USG In	12.35	N.L.	+.03	
Dreyfus General:				
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CTMu p	11.25	11.78	+.02	
FLMu p	14.00	14.66	+.02	
Gnma p	12.98	13.60	+.03	
MDM p	12.15	12.72	+.02	
MiMu p	14.40	15.08	+.02	
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MNIM p	14.32	14.99	+.02	
NYM p	13.18	13.80	+.02	
OHMu p	12.05	12.62	+.02	
PAMu p	15.27	15.99	+.02	
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Eaton Vance:				
EVSfA	13.83	14.50	—.03	
GvtOb p	11.29	11.85	+.02	
Growth p	8.03	8.43		
Invst fp	7.22	7.58	+.01	
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STOBd t	9.91	9.91		
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SpEqt p	26.36	27.67	—.04	
TotRt p	9.08	9.53	+.03	
ColMkt t	9.84	9.84	+.01	
Eqinc t	10.77	10.77		
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OhTxF t	10.02	10.02	+.02	
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Emblem Fund:				
EmrEq	11.01	11.47	—.03	
IntGv	10.33	10.76	+.03	
OH Reg	10.26	10.69	—.03	
RelEq	11.33	11.80	—.06	
SI Fnd	10.12	10.54	+.01	
EmrldEq	10.15	10.63	—.03	
EmpBld	17.20	17.96	+.02	
Endow	17.61	N.L.	—.04	
Enterprise Group:				
CapA p	22.31	23.42	—.02	
GvSec p	12.03	12.63	+.01	
Grinc p	15.18	15.94	—.03	
Gwth p	7.47	7.84	—.02	
HYBd p	9.89	10.38		
IntlGr p	13.10	13.75	+.07	
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GovScB		9.80	9.80	+.03
BalB t	14.51	14.51	+.07	
GwthB t	17.19	17.19	—.07	
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STWB t	9.34	9.34		
TxEB t	10.25	10.25	+.02	
EqStrat	28.06	N.L.	+.43	
Evergreen Funds:				
Evgrn	12.84	N.L.	—.02	
TotRtn	18.07	N.L.		
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GNMA	11.29	N.L.	+.02	
FGRO	20.79	N.L.	—.01	
FHYT	8.14	N.L.	+.01	
FIT	10.39	N.L.	+.02	
FIMT	10.04	N.L.	—.01	
FSIMT	10.19	N.L.		
FSIGT	10.14	N.L.	+.01	
FSBF	15.34	N.L.	+.01	
FST	23.22	N.L.	—.05	
FGVT	9.43	N.L.	+.04	
SP 500	10.69	N.L.	—.02	
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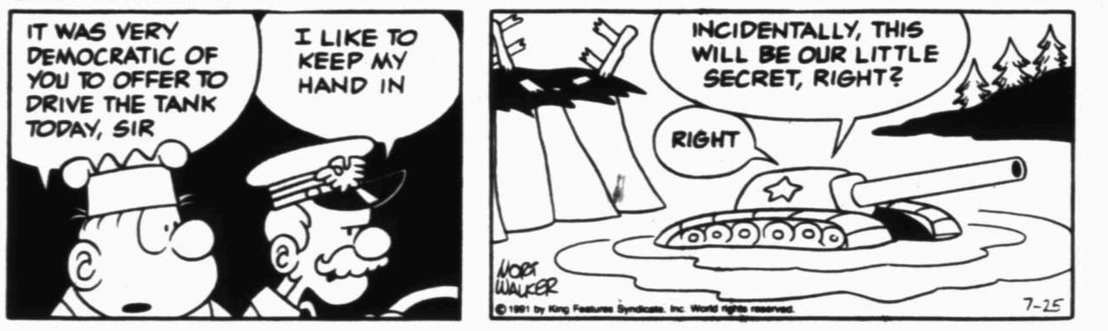

YOUR HOROSCOPE

By Jeane Dixon

THURSDAY, JULY 25, 1991

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Savvy investments let you make some smart financial moves. A last-minute decision relating to your career will work to your advantage in late fall. Show more independence and the domestic scene will be happier. In February of 1992, you will meet valuable new contacts who can make an important contribution to your life. Find out why you and a higher-up are out of sync and do something about it!

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: actress Estelle Getty, running back Walter Payton, activist Midge Decter, actor Jack Gilford.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Stay away from capricious people when doing business. Nitpicking could degenerate into an embarrassing fight. You find an older individual very attractive. Go slow; this person may try to dominate you.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Relinquish worn-out items and sell those ventures you are not able to manage efficiently. Friendships are rewarding for both the young and the old. Give compliments to the deserving. Share the spotlight.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Stop worrying so much about your obligations. You will soon get everything under control. Spend time with your friends if not ready for romance. Dine in a charming but inexpensive restaurant.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): If you have substantial savings, think about making some new investments. A belligerent attitude will win you no friends. Be patient. Romance takes a happy turn when you show more understanding.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): A wonderful day for making long-range career or business plans. Seek advice from experts only if making new investments. Real estate deals can be very lucrative. Ignore a neighbor who annoys you.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Make an effort to work efficiently even if your thoughts are elsewhere. Chances are you are exaggerating a problem by dwelling on it. A telephone call or letter boosts your spirits.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): A new co-worker deserves your help. There are signs of increased prosperity, thanks to your recent efforts. Loved ones applaud a decision they have wanted you to make for a long time.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): No matter how hard you try, it will be impossible to please everyone. Please yourself! Your mate may be busy tonight. Try not to resent it. Be loyal to your old friends.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Go ahead and admit to being a "coward" about certain things. Loved ones will be understanding, not judgmental! The mail brings good financial news. Film classics are in vogue. See one tonight.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): You find a newcomer fascinating. Remember, work has to come first. Exercise self-discipline when it comes to shopping for special gifts or new clothes. Romance still holds a few surprises.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Do not let your personal pleasures interfere with career progress. Work is more rewarding than you thought possible. Look forward to spending a relaxing evening with close friends or former neighbors.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Spontaneous gestures make romance especially meaningful. Take charge in business situations. You gain financially from deals made by a member of the opposite sex. A windfall comes at the right time.

TODAY'S CHILDREN are loyal, fun-loving and ambitious! Energetic but peace-loving, these youngsters will never find the rougher sports very appealing. Tennis, track and hiking are more their style.

PEANUTS

SHOE

ANDY CAPP

CATHY

THE WIZARD OF ID

STEVE ROPER

GOREN BRIDGE

With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

PLAY IT SAFE

Both vulnerable. South deals.

NORTH
♠ J 10 6 2
♡ Q J 8
◇ 6 4 3
♣ A Q J

WEST
♠ Q 5 4 3
♡ 6
◇ A 8 7 2
♣ 10 9 8 7

EAST
♠ 9 8 7
♡ 7 3 2
◇ Q J 10
♣ K 6 5 2

SOUTH
♠ A K
♡ A K 10 9 5 4
◇ K 9 5
♣ 4 3

The bidding:

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

Opening lead: Ten of ♠

Bridge at its best is a thrilling battle between declarer and the defenders. There are those, however, who look no deeper into a hand than the first finesse.

North had a pretty good hand in support of partner's jump rebid. However, most of the honors were secondary and the holding was devoid of any ruffing value, so North wisely chose the conservative course of a simple raise to game.

The play was soon over. West led the ten of clubs, declarer finessed and East won. The shift to the queen of diamonds was automatic, and the defenders reeled in three tricks in the suit for a one-trick set.

Let's see how the play would go with a skilled card technician at the helm. The opening lead makes it a moral certainty that the club finesse will lose, and there'e really no need for it—a ruffing finesse for the queen of spades offers greater safety. Fortunately, dummy's trump holding provides declarer with three entries—just enough to virtually guarantee the contract.

Declarer should rise with the ace of clubs at trick one and then cash the ace and king of spades. A low trump to the eight provides the entry to lead the jack of spades through East. If East covers, declarer ruffs high, draws trumps ending on the table, discards the club loser on the ten of spades and leads to the king of diamonds for an overtrick. If East does not cover, declarer discards the club loser then and there.

In with the queen of spades, West must kill the remaining spade by returning the suit. East ruffs, declarer overruffs and gets back to dummy with a trump. Now the queen of clubs is led. If East does not cover, declarer discards a diamond. If West wins, the king of diamonds is safe from attack and declarer will get to discard another diamond on the jack of clubs. If East does cover, declarer ruffs, leads a trump to dummy and takes a diamond discard on the jack of clubs. Either way, the contract is home.

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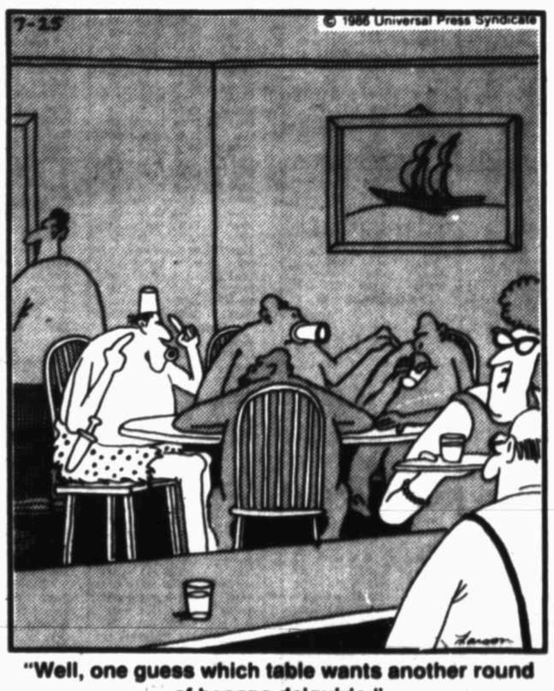

"Well, one guess which table wants another round of banana daiquiris."

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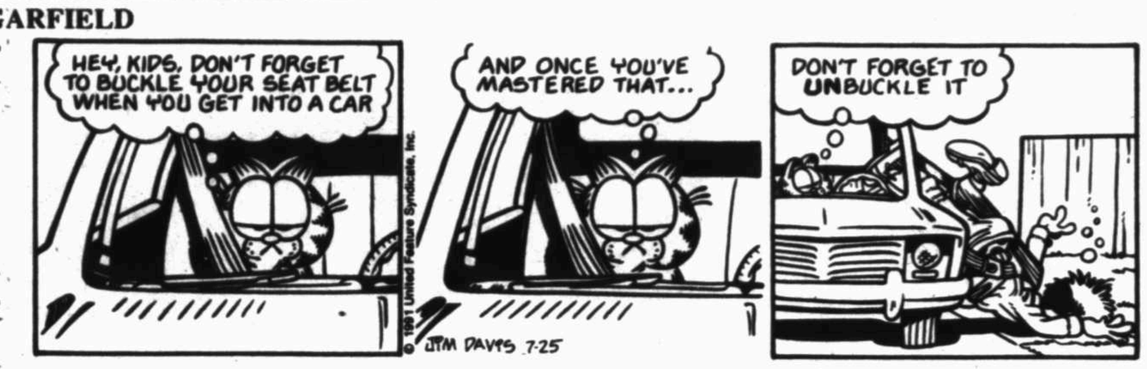
GARFIELD



FAMILY CIRCUS

"Can we send a message up to Granddad?"

DENNIS THE MENACE

"IF HE CAN'T TALK YET, HOW DO YOU KNOW WHAT HIS NAME IS?"

TODAY'S TV SCHEDULE

THURSDAY JULY 25, 1991 — Programs subject to change without notice

	KMID (3) Md/Od CABLE 3	KOSA (7) Odessa CABLE 8	KTPX (9) Odessa CABLE 9	KPEJ (24) Md/Od CABLE 14	FAM Family CABLE 4	WTBS Atlanta CABLE 7	SIN (45) Spanish CABLE 10	WGN Chicago CABLE 11	ESPN Sports CABLE 12	KOCV (36) Odessa CABLE 13	HSE Sports CABLE 20
7:00	Good Morning America	This Morning	Today	Muppets Chipmunks	Flintstones Popeye	Brady Bunch Jeannie	TV Mujer	Banana Splits Bozo	Nation's Bus. SportsCenter	Body Electric Reading	
7:30											
8:00				Menace Flintstones	Flying Nun Hazel	Little House on the Prairie	La Movida	Cartoon	Baseball Mag. Cycling: Tour	Sesame Street	
8:30											
9:00	Sally Jessy Raphael	Design. W. Family Feud	Wheel-Fortune Concentration	Highway to Heaven	700 Club	Eight Is Enough: Yes, Ni-		Trapper John, M.D.	de France Auto Racing	Mister Rogers Reading	
9:30											
10:00	Home	Price Is Right	Full House Trial/Watch	Live -- Regis & Kathie Lee	Sheila Walsh Paid Program	cholas, Santa Claus	El Lobo	Joan Rivers	Getting Fit Basic Training	3-2-1 Contact Needle	Body by Janis Tennis Mag.
10:30											
11:00	Hard Copy News	Young and the Restless	Joker's Wild Closer Look	Jeannie B. Hillbillies	Paid Program Healthy Kids	CHiPs	Simplemente Maria	Geraldo	Senior PGA Golf: U.S. Sen-	Acrylic Fun Taste of La.	Team Tennis: Los Angeles at
11:30											
12:00	All My Children	The Judge Bold, Bea.	Days of Our Lives	Love Connect. It's a Living	Movie: "Super Seal"	Movie: "A Christmas	Cristal	News	ior Open	MacNeil/ Lehrer	Wichita
12:30											
1:00	One Life to Live	As the World Turns	Another World	Robert Tilton		Story"	TV Mujer	Lead-off Man Major League	Hydroplane Racing	Masterpiece Theatre	Hot Sports CART Week
1:30											
2:00	General Hospital	Guiding Light	Santa Barbara	700 Club	Father Knows Father Knows	Tom & Jerry's Funhouse	Movie: "Los Cuates de la	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds	NFL Yearbook Inside Sr. PGA	Adventure	Motor Sports Hour
2:30											
3:00	Geraldo	Oprah Winfrey	Challengers Trump Card	Chip 'n' Dale Peter Pan	Batman Augie Doggie	Flintstones	Rosenda"	at Chicago Cubs	Senior PGA Golf: U.S. Sen-	3-2-1 Contact Mister Rogers	Motorcycle Racing
3:30											
4:00	Donahue	Growing Pains Night Court	Daily Journal People's Court	Tale Spin Tiny Toon	Popeye Popeye	Laverne Happy Days	Cristina	M.A.S.K.	ior Open	Reading Sesame Street	PRCA Rodeo
4:30											
5:00	Cosby Show ABC News	Jeopardy! CBS News	News NBC News	Ninja Turtles ALF	Our House	Bewitched Andy Griffith	Maria Noticiero Uni.	Andy Griffith Jeannie	Th'breds Up Close	Secret City	Sporting Clays World
5:30											
6:00	News Wheel-Fortune	News Golden Girls	News Current Affair	Who's Boss? Mama	Scarecrow and Mrs. King	Jeffersons Good Times	Alcanzar una Estrella II	Night Court Andy Griffith	SportsCenter America's Cup	MacNeil/ Lehrer	Golf Fishing
6:30											
7:00	Peter Jennings	Top Cops	Cosby Show Dif. World	Simpsons True Colors	Dirty Dozen: The Series	Movie: "Missing in Action	En Carne P. Dona Beija /	Movie: "Crazy Moon"	'92 Windsurfing	Skyscraper	Fishing Motorcycle
7:30											
8:00	Gabriel's Fire	Trials of Rosie O'Neill	Cheers Wings	Beverly Hills, 90210	Dirty Dozen: The Series	2: The Beginning"	Dona Bella Amor de N.		Boxing: Alfred Cole vs. Fran-	Mystery!: Rumpole	Racing CART Week
8:30											
9:00	Primetime Live	Golden Years	L.A. Law	Hunter	700 Club	Movie: "St.	Fama-Fortuna Noticiero Uni.	News	kie Swindell	Alive Off Ctr. New TV	Auto Racing
9:30											
10:00	News Cheers	News M*A*S*H	News Tonight Show	Arsenio Hall	Scarecrow and Mrs. King	Ives"	La Movida	Twilight Zone Magnum, P.I.	Baseball SportsCenter	World of Ideas Telecourse	This Week in NASCAR
10:30											
11:00	Ent. Tonight Nightline	Fly by Night	David Letter-	Love Connect. Party Machine	Dirty Dozen: The Series	Movie: "The		Movie: "Crime	Motorcycle	Telecourse Telecourse	Speedway America
11:30											
12:00	Into the Night	Night Heat	man Bob Costas	Hawaii Five-0	Dirty Dozen: The Series	Killer Elite"	Cristina	Lords"	Racing Trucks	Sign-Off	Boxing
12:30											

	SHOWTIME Mov/Spec CABLE 5	TMC Movies CABLE 17	DISNEY CABLE 18	MAX Movies CABLE 21	HBO Movies/Var CABLE 22	TNN Country CABLE 23	USA Variety CABLE 24	NICK Children CABLE 25	A&E Cultural CABLE 26	KMLM (42) Relig CABLE 31	TNT Turner Net CABLE 37
7:00	Greatest Show "Professor	Movie: "A Tale of Two Ci-	Donald Duck Pooh Corner	Rally 'Round	Babar Wizard of Oz		Jem Cartoon Ex-	Insp. Gadget Heathcliff	Survival World Crusade	BJ Robinson Robison	Popeye
7:30											
8:00	Popper's Problems"	ties"	Umbrella Tree Dumbo	Movie: "Voyage to the Bot-	Movie: "Loverboy"	VideoMorning	press	Lassie Maya the Bee	Mrs. Columbo	Rich Roberts Joy	Fraggle Rock Pink Panther
8:30											
9:00	Movie: "Moby Dick"	Movie: "Spaced In-	Movie: "Lassie Come Home"	tom of the Sea"	Movie: "Tor-		Lost in Space	Eureeka's Castle	Fugitive	Larry Lea M. Hickey	Daktari
9:30		vaders"									
10:00			The Rocket	Movie: "Autumn Leaves"	rents of Spring"		Divorce Court Divorce Court	Elephant Penner's	Avengers	K. Copeland L.&E. Tripp	Daktari
10:30											
11:00	Movie: "Hope and Glory"	Movie: "King David"	Lunch Box Music Box			Cookin' U.S.A. Our Way	The Judge The Judge	David-Gnome Little Koala	Movie: "High Treason"	T.L. Osborn Ron Cottie	Movie: "The Four Feath-
11:30					Movie: "Pretty						
12:00			Movie: "Dennis the Men-	Movie: "Time Trackers"	in Pink"	Top Card Be a Star	Chain Rea. Name Tune	Noozles Maya the Bee		Behind Scenes J. Swaggart	ers"
12:30											
1:00	Movie: "To Kill a Cop"	Movie: "Tell Them Willie	ace" Land of Oz	Movie: "Our	Movie: "Bronco	Country Standard Time	Wipeout Lose or Draw	Littl' Bits Lassie	City of Angels	Robison Benny Hinn	Movie: "Clip-
1:30											
2:00		Boy Is Here"	Raccoons Puppies	Man Flint"	Billy"	Cookin' U.S.A. Top Card	Hollywood Sq. $25K Pyramid	Flipper Looney Tunes	Movie: "Puzzle of a Down-	700 Club	per Ship"
2:30											
3:00	OWL/TV Gaucho	"Indian Uprising"	Care Bears Donald Duck	Movie:	Movie: "The Witches"	Club Dance	PGA Golf: Greater Hart-	Heathcliff Yogi Bear	fall Child"	Another Life M. Hickey	Movie: "The Law and Jake
3:30											
4:00	"Professor	Movie: "Braddock: Missing	Kids Inc. Mickey Mouse	"Blame It on the Night"	Movie: "My	VideoPM	ford Open	Mork & Mindy Hey Dude	Fugitive	Praise the Lord	Wade"
4:30											
5:00	Popper's Problems"	in Action III"	Lose or Draw Cinderella	Movie: "Ferris Bueller's Day	Blue Heaven"		Cartoon Express	Crazy Kids Get Picture	Avengers		Buga Bunny &
5:30											
6:00	Movie: "A World Apart"	Movie: "Shy People"		Off"	Movie: "Loverboy"	Be a Star	MacGyver	Insp. Gadget Looney Tunes	Survival World Crusade	Jerry Barc.ard	Pals
6:30											
7:00			Movie: "The Bear"	Movie: "Children of a Les-		On Stage Music Shop	Murder, She Wrote	Mork & Mindy Bewitched	Air Combat: The Choppers	Behind Scenes Dale Evans	Movie: "Westworld"
7:30											
8:00	Movie: "The Banker"	Movie: "Drugstore Cowboy"	Animals-Africa	ser God"	Movie: "Pretty in Pink"	Nashville Now	Movie: "Return of the	Get Smart Dragnet	Movie: "Going in Style"	Dwight Thompson	
8:30											
9:00	30-Min. Movie		Movie: "Born Free"	Movie: "The Unbelievable	Dream On	Crook	Beverly Hillbillies"	A. Hitchcock Green Acres		Praise the Lord	Movie: "The Day of the Trif-
9:30											
10:00	30-Min. Movie Movie: "Peni-	Movie: "Spaced In-	Ozzie	Truth" Movie: "Quick	1st & Ten Movie: "Doub-	On Stage Music Shop	PGA Golf: Greater Hart-	Best of SNL Mister Ed	Ben Vereen at the Improv		ffds"
10:30											
11:00	tentiary III"	vaders"	Movie: "Black Gold"	Change"	lecrossed"	Nashville Now	ford Open	Looney Tunes Dobie Gillis	Air Combat: The Choppers		Movie: "Dr. Jekyll and Mr.
11:30											
12:00	Communion	Braddock: III	Cinderella	Movie: "Another Chance"	"Out on Bail"	Crook	Movie: "High Season"	Patty Duke My 3 Sons	Movie: "Going in Style"	Behind Scenes Jay Sekulow	Hyde"
12:30											

PEOPLE

Lowe marries makeup artist

LOS ANGELES — **Rob Lowe**, the Hollywood "Brat Pack" actor who starred in the movies "St Elmo's Fire" and "Bad Influence," has married makeup artist **Sheryl Berkoff**.

Lowe

Lowe, 27, and Miss Berkoff, whose age wasn't available, exchanged wedding vows during a private ceremony this week at an undisclosed time and location in Los Angeles, publicist Lisa Kasteler said Wednesday.

No further details were disclosed by Kasteler. It was the first marriage for Lowe, but it wasn't known if Berkoff was married previously.

They met while Lowe worked on the movie "Bad Influence." The couple will live in Lowe's Hollywood Hills home.

Lowe's publicist said the couple were on a honeymoon, but she refused to give any details.

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LOS ANGELES — Warrant's lead singer **Jani Lane** and model **Bobbie Brown** met over "Cherry Pie" and now plan to marry.

The rocker met his future bride while filming the video "Cherry Pie," a song from Warrant's second album released in 1990.

Miss Brown appeared in the video after winning a modeling competition on the TV show "Talent Search."

The two are scheduled to marry Saturday in a private ceremony, said Columbia records publicity agent Leslie Grinner.

The band's first album "Dirty, Rotten, Filthy, Stinking Rich" sold more than 2 million copies following its 1989 release.

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HACKENSACK, N.J. — Charges have been reduced against singer **Wilson Pickett**, accused of screaming death threats during an early morning spin on the lawn of his neighbor, the mayor of Englewood.

Pickett

Prosecutors downgraded the charges this week to two counts of disorderly person violations to be heard in Municipal Court. Pickett could have faced up to 21½ years in prison if the original charges had been pressed in Superior Court.

Wilson could get up to a year in prison on each of the two new counts, but his attorney Walter Nealy said Wednesday that such infractions typically draw fines or probation.

Pickett allegedly took a joyride in the midnight hours of May 7, driving back and forth across the lawn and shouting death threats against his neighbor of 20 years, Mayor Donald Aronson.

"No one was hurt, the property damage was not great," Bergen County Prosecutor John J. Fahy said Monday.

Pickett was originally charged with criminal mischief, resisting arrest, making terroristic threats, and two counts of weapons possession for an aluminum baseball bat and a 10-inch knife found in his car. A drunken driving charge still stands for which he faces a possible fine and suspended license.

Pickett is known for "In The Midnight Hour," "Land of a Thousand Dances" and other R&B hits.

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ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. — Singer-songwriter **Debbie Gibson** wants audiences to look past her "teen queen" image and see that at age 20 she is maturing as an artist.

Gibson

"A lot of people say my music is young, it's simple," she said recently. "But a lot of pop music is like that.

"I do try to encourage people with positive messages. But the critics say, 'She's lived a sheltered life and writes sappy songs.'

"There are problems in the world. But I don't want to say things will never get better. I don't like to dwell on those things."

Gibson, appearing here at the Sands Hotel this weekend, said her latest album, "Anything Is Possible," reflects her growth.

Gibson, who began performing in community theater at age 5, signed with Atlantic Records at 16. At 17, she became the youngest pop artist to write, produce and perform a No. 1 single with "Foolish Beat" from her 1988 debut album, "Out of the Blue."

She tied with Bruce Springsteen in 1988 for the Songwriter of the Year award from the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers.

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UNIVERSAL CITY, Calif. — ABC may delete from a new series the appearance of a convicted murderer who is the father of "Cheers" star **Woody Harrelson**. The series is scheduled for the same day and time as NBC's "Cheers."

The reality-based series, "F.B.I.: The Untold Stories," is set to debut this fall. It was widely reported by supermarket tabloids as featuring **Charles Harrelson** in a segment that mentions his murder conviction in connection with the contract killing of a Texas judge.

The connection between the two Harrelsons is not mentioned in the ABC program and the segment may be cut all together, Ted Harbert, ABC executive vice president of programming, said this week.

Both shows are scheduled for broadcast on Thursdays at 9 p.m.

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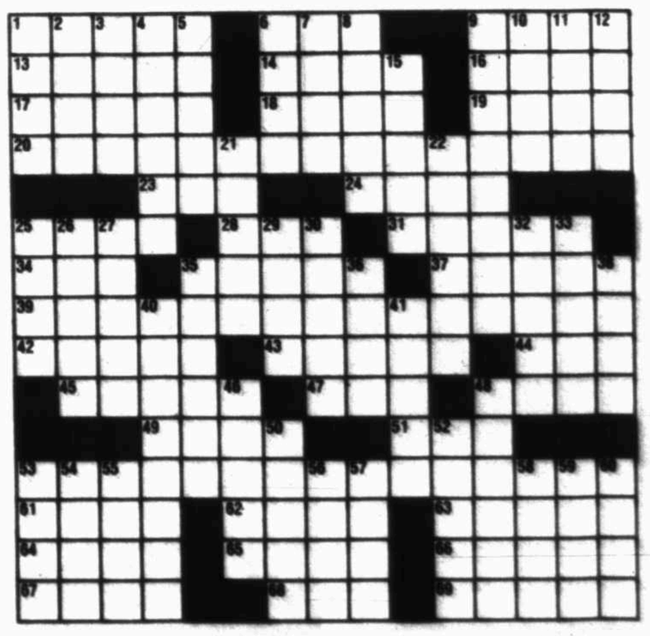

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Film director Billy Wilder doesn't want to retire

By Hillel Italie

NEW YORK (AP) — The phone rings at Billy Wilder's office and the director himself answers. His voice is high and thin, laced with a clipped Viennese accent.

Wilder

"Turning 85 means nothing," he said. "I'm in good health. I feel the same as I did 20 years ago. Now turning 75 or 100, that's a milestone."

And then he has to go. Very important business. Call back in a couple of hours.

"I have an office full of people who have nothing to do with the motion picture industry," he explains. "Important members of the medical and scientific profession."

Is this a joke — a takeoff on "The Fortune Cookie," when lawyer Walter Matthau boosts his bargaining power by pretending his empty office is crammed with clients?

When he's finally available, he mentions that he has a number of projects underway, including another motion picture.

"I have been working on a book, 600 and some pages, but I decided to put it to the side and start from scratch, with a different concept," he says.

"I don't want to it be a Hollywood book: 'Then I did this.' 'Then I slept with her.' In order to get away from that, I am trying to get some distance, get a picture on it legs and make a movie first."

It's a comeback attempt Norma Desmond of "Sunset Boulevard" would have envied. He has an office, but no job. He's at an age when no major director has made a film. Wilder's last movie, "Buddy, Buddy," came out 10 years ago and his last big hit was "Irma La Douce" in 1963. I.A.L. Diamond, his writing partner since 1957, died three years ago.

But Hollywood's great cynic is an optimist, too. Wilder's a little like William Holden in "Stalag 17," a wise guy and a wheeler-dealer who hasn't given up on humanity. He's a cross between Matthau and screen partner Jack Lemmon, alternating between the former's sharp-tongued growl and the latter's high-spirited yelp.

"Who's not cynical, nowadays?" Wilder once said. "It's a cold, cruel world. So you can make the downers, but you still have to give people something to hang onto in the end."

The director was born Samuel Wilder on June 22, 1906, in Galicia, a section of Poland then part of the Austria-Hungary empire, and he moved to Vienna eight years later. He received the nickname "Billy" because of his mother's fascination with Buffalo Bill.

His father, Max, had a variety of occupations; he owned a hotel where Wilder first encountered the cardsharps and pool hustlers who would so profoundly affect him.

"I learned many things about human nature, none of them favorable," he later said. But Wilder wasn't above that himself. He gambled and stole tips from waiters, eventually receiving a beating and stern lecture from his father.

He loved sports, music, literature and, of course, movies. Ernst Lubitsch, the master of sophisticated comedy, was his favorite.

By 1925, he was working as a journalist in Vienna, writing interviews, sports stories and crime pieces. A year later, Wilder landed a job in Berlin doing publicity for bandleader Paul Whiteman and ghostwriting dozens of scenarios for silent movies.

The Nazis' rise to power prompted him to flee in 1933. Unable to speak a word of English, he soon arrived in Hollywood and roomed with fellow emigre Peter Lorre, picking up enough of the language to get a few screenplay credits.

In 1937, he signed with Paramount Pictures and was paired with ex-theater critic Charles Brackett, their credits eventually including such classic comedies as "Midnight," Lubitsch's "Ninotchka" and "Ball of Fire."

But Wilder was a little too sure of himself; his nickname was "The Terror." He fought with directors over changes in his stories. Wilder had directed a film, "Mauvaise Graine" ("Bad Seed"), in Paris in 1933 and didn't care for the experience, but he was ready to give it another try.

"If you had Lubitsch for a director or John Ford, that was wonderful because they made the scripts even better," he said.

"But they were the exceptions and you had no rights. Directors could tear out the pages, tear out the dialogue. Somebody asked me once, 'Is it necessary or advantageous for a director to know how to write?' I said, 'Not necessarily, but it helps if the director knows how to read.'"

He debuted with "The Major and the Minor," a comedy starring Ray Milland as an Army officer and Ginger Rogers as a woman who dresses like a 12-year-old to get half-fare for a train trip.

It's a lighthearted film, a polite introduction. Much of the humor and visual style was standard for the time, but reviews were generally favorable, with Eileen Creelman of The New York Sun praising the director for "never relaxing into dullness or bad taste."

Rarely would Wilder be accused of dullness; bad taste was another matter. "A Foreign Affair," with the soundtrack blaring "Isn't It Romantic?" to the sight of crumbling post-war Berlin, was deemed to be in "rotten taste" by critic James Agee.

Footage of Marilyn Monroe and Tony Curtis embracing in "Some Like It Hot" was deleted from Kansas theaters. "Hold Back the Dawn" was criticized by the Mexican government for its depiction of a seedy border town. "Kiss Me, Stupid," which featured Kim Novak as a prostitute, was condemned by the Roman Catholic Church's Legion of Decency.

Wilder's films suggest that the con artists of his father's hotel have taken over the world. In "Double Indemnity," Fred MacMurray and Barbara Stanwyck plot to murder her husband and pick up the insurance. Kirk Douglas stars in "Ace in the Hole" as a struggling journalist who keeps a man trapped in a cave so he can get the exclusive.

Characters often assume fake identities: Claudette Colbert pretends she's a baroness in "Midnight"; Franchot Tone impersonates a waiter in "Five Graves to Cairo"; Lemmon and Curtis are in drag through much of "Some Like It Hot."

"Making pictures is a bit like walking into a dark room," the director says. "Some people stumble across pieces of furniture, others break their legs, but some of us see better in the dark than others."

So when summing up his movies, think of rooms. Darks rooms with cheap furniture. Sunlit offices where the desks are lined up like a military procession. Crowded hallways full of gangsters, politicians and nuns who bet on football games.

Some rooms have liquor bottles, a used typewriter and possibly a mouse on the wall. Those rooms can be found in "The Lost Weekend." Other rooms are set in a POW camp during World War II, with gambling and hidden microphones and a commandante who puts on his boots to answer the phone. Those rooms can be found in "Stalag 17."

"Sunset Boulevard" has cobwebs, a shiny dance floor and a projector that runs silent films. "Double Indemnity" is dark. The shades are drawn. People speak in whispers. The rain brushes softly against the windows.

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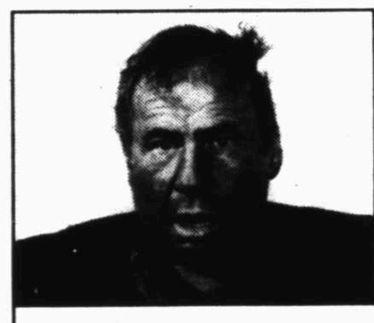
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Experts want close look at asteroids

Hearst News Service

SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO, Calif. — Hitch a ride on an asteroid? It sounds wild, but it might be in NASA's future.

Some experts gaze into the past to unravel the origins of celestial debris — from asteroids to comets to meteors, which now spark across summer skies, delighting campers.

But other experts gaze into the future, when astronauts might visit an asteroid to study how it formed, to strip-mine it for precious minerals — or to stop it from clobbering Earth and annihilating humanity.

Such science-fictionish talk is in the air recently at a conference sponsored by NASA, the Planetary Society of Pasadena and other space groups. It has drawn dozens of asteroid authorities from around the globe, including bout a dozen from the Soviet Union and a number from Eastern Europe.

While the nine known planets including Earth circle the Sun in well-known, stately orbits, asteroids, comets and meteors often appear from all angles of the sky, without warning, and in some cases they probably disappear before being seen.

The most gorgeous comets to view from Earth are glowing balls of rock and ice with long, bridal-like veils. They have struck fear or awe into human hearts for millenia. In contrast, asteroids are so tiny and dim — micro-planets, as it were — that the first one wasn't discovered until the early 19th century.

For the purposes of this conference, the scariest asteroids are those that cross Earth's orbit, or near-Earth asteroids (NEAs). Recently one such asteroid came closer to the Earth than the Moon itself.

And while meteors — rocks that burn up while entering Earth's atmosphere — have startled skywatchers since ancient times, scientists didn't accept their interplanetary origins until about the 1800s.

In recent years, evidence has grown indicating these three types of heavenly weirdoes are, in fact, related.

Scientists at the conference debated over details, but the general consensus includes:

■ Some NEAs could be "defunct" comets, or comets whose chemical inventory has been depleted so they no longer display a glowing tail when flying by the Sun.

Many, probably most, NEAs originated in the "main" asteroid belt, a swarm of rocks — some of them miles in diameter — between the orbits of Mars and Jupiter. Occasionally, Jupiter's gravity snares a main belt asteroid and hurls it into the inner solar system, where it becomes an NEA — and a potential threat to Earth.

Meteors and meteorites (meteors that actually strike the Earth instead of burning up in the atmosphere) are, literally, chips off the old blocks in the main asteroid belt. When asteroids there collide, the fragments travel into the inner solar system, sometimes in "showers" like the annual Perseid meteor shower that entertain campers from late July through mid-August.

Passions were high at the conference when a French scientist, Paul Pellas of the Paris Museum, loudly declared it was "totally wrong" to believe certain types of meteorites are fragments from small asteroids.

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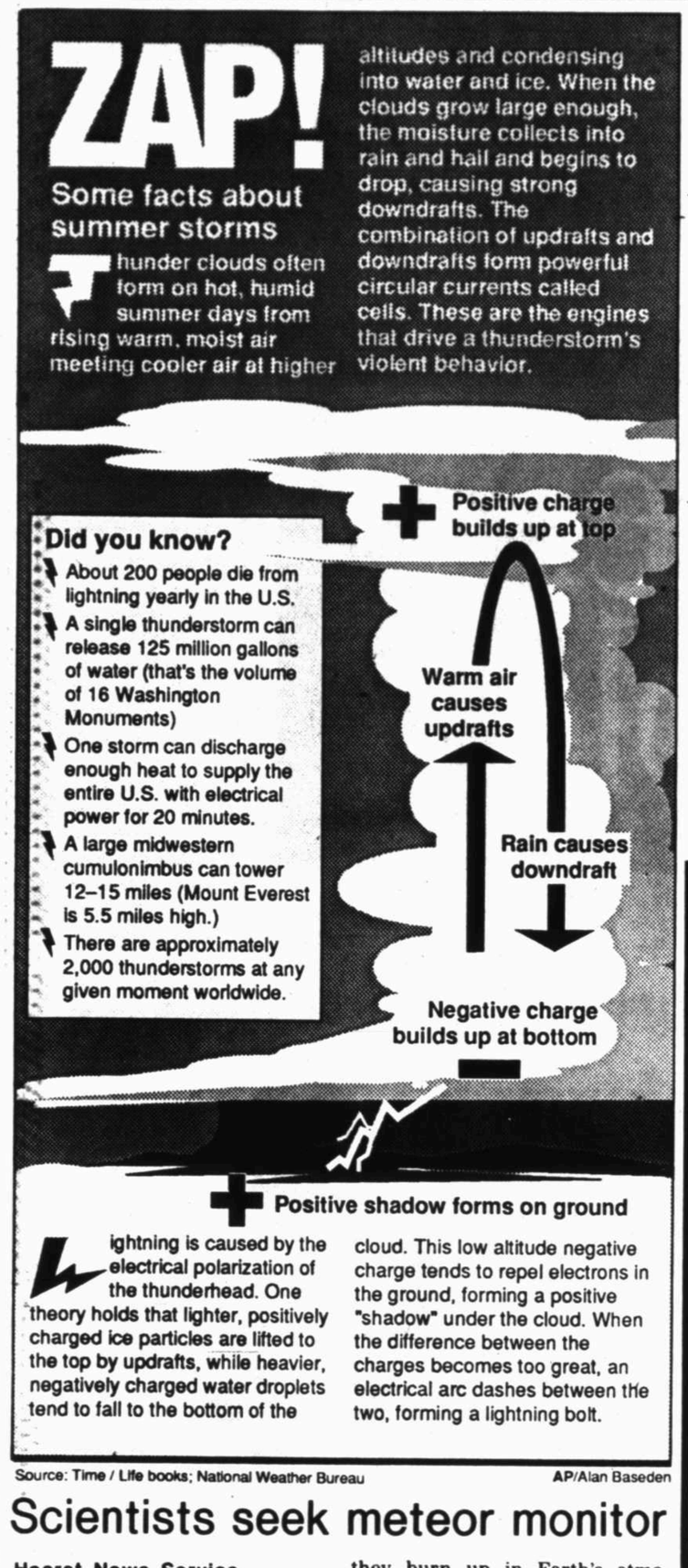
Also scientists discussed the possibility of sending unmanned robot probes to an NEA as early as 1997. One reason for such a mission is to conduct scientific experiments to better understand the asteroid's relationship to comets and meteors.

Based on his analysis of these meteorites, he concludes they must come from a much larger asteroid that cooled from its original molten state in a more complex way than for small asteroids.



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Scientists seek meteor monitor

Hearst News Service

SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO, Calif. — If scientists go along, Congress is prepared to ask the secretary of Defense to program military satellites to watch for incoming meteors, according to a congressional aide.

The satellites have hypersensitive infrared scanners able to see, from space, the hot afterburners of fighter aircraft in Earth's atmosphere, said Terry Dawson, an engineer and staff member of the House Committee on Science, Technology and Space chaired by Rep. George Brown, D-Calif.

Although Dawson gave no specifics, presumably the satellites would be used only to improve counts of routine, small meteors as they burn up in Earth's atmosphere. A satellite system to detect truly dangerous, large objects — say, asteroids millions of miles in space — might require a more sophisticated warning system.

Recently a fair-sized asteroid passed unusually close to Earth, and "I was astounded the astronomers didn't see it until it had passed us," Dawson said.

If an incoming asteroid were spotted, some means must be found to push it off course, Dawson said. He didn't give details, but alluded to the possibility of "nudging it slightly (off course)."

Scientists have suggested a variety of ways of doing this, such as sending astronauts to the asteroid, attaching rockets to it and propelling it elsewhere.

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Graduates study at M.D. Anderson

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Warren

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"It's just like in the book, but in the book they're just little yellow squigglies," Sabrina Warren, 18, of Lampasas, said of her experience watching surgery. "But right there, I could touch it."

"You really don't think about when you come here that you're actually doing the stuff they're developing now," said Krishna Polu, 18, of Houston. "I look in the library to see if it's been done before and it's not. You get a good feeling. I'm not just some peon in the lab cleaning test tubes. You're actually doing research."

Miss Warren, Polu and their fellow students, along with six science teachers, are completing an eight-week session designed to encourage them to pursue careers in science and encourage the teachers to motivate their students toward careers in science.

The Summer Program in Biomedical Sciences is paid for by the Dallas-based Carl B. and Florence E. King Foundation. More than 600 students have participated in the program, now in its 31st year.

"The program was established to bring students into the laboratory because it's the kind of experience that turns them on to science," says Dr. Michael Ahearn, the program director.

"We're very sad to leave," Stephanie Cecere, 18, of San Antonio, said. "The time went by very, very fast."

Students from around the state are assigned a project for which they do the research and experiments and then give a written and oral presentation.

Texas high schools are allowed to nominate one student, who submits an application and essay and whose academic achievements, aptitude in science and participation in extracurricular activities are scrutinized by a committee.

This year, more than 200 students applied.

"One of the things we try to show them while they're here is that there is no division line between the disciplines," Ahearn says. "In actuality the bioligist uses physics and chemistry as much as he uses biology.

"Sometimes in high school, particularly where they have to take two units of science to graduate, everyone takes biology, a few take chemistry and those who take the third unit may get around to physics. But that's not the real world. We try to show them while they're here that they need to have a background in all three areas."

For Miss Cecere, who will be attending Rice University in the fall, the summer has been spent in a laboratory with leukemia patients and researching blood separators.

"I decided after coming here I definitely want to be a doctor," she says.

Miss Warren, meanwhile, who will be attending Baylor University in the fall, has been studying the effects of cytomegalovirus, a disease suffered by patients taking cyclosporin, a drug that helps people cope with transplants.

Polu, headed for Stanford, is researching medulloblastoma, brain tumors in children.

"I came here undecided what career to go into," he said. "I found this is what I want."

Projects by the other students include research into the genetics of breast cancer and the effects of radiation.

They're joined by six high school science teachers in a companion program also underwritten by the King Foundation.

"Teachers are able to take back to the classroom their experience working with the most up-to-date laboratory equipment, as well as their understanding of the various career opportunities available in science today," Ahearn says.

3 generations cut out to be barbers

KERRVILLE (AP) — Eighty years ago, Florin Sanchez opened a barbershop on Main Street in Kerrville. Although a few feet from the original location, today the shop still flourishes as son, then grandson, have carried on the family business.

But while the business has kept the same name for 80 years, much has changed in the trade. A customer wanting a haircut in 1911 paid 25 cents. In the late 1940s, the price had gone up to 75 cents. When Florin's grandson, Jose Louis, started cutting hair in 1969, $1.25 would buy a haircut, while $4 would buy a style cut.

"I was the first stylist in the family," said Sanchez.

Today, prices for a haircut range from $11 to $25, he said.

Shaves also were a common offering at the Sanchez barbershop, but those were done away with as the shop discarded reclining barber chairs nearly two years ago.

The barbershop's founder — who died in 1938 — originally came to Kerrville while playing with a band. After meeting his future wife, the late Florin moved here in 1909 and opened the barbershop two years later.

The founding Sanchez's son, Florin B. Sanchez, served as proprietor of the barbershop from 1946 to 1988. In 1969, Jose Luis followed his grandfather's footsteps and began cutting hair professionally at the family business.

And as the three generations have shared the same choice of careers, the Sanchezes also have pursued similar recreational choices. All three barbers share a love of playing musical instruments.

While the barbershop might be viewed as a male dominated establishment, women do seek out the barber's skills. Sanchez estimates 25 percent of his business comes from women. He noted that his father also cut women's hair occasionally.

"Some women just prefer a barber's cut," Sanchez said.

The Sanchez men were not the only ones in the family interested in cutting hair.

Jose Luis' mother, Pauline, operated a beauty shop out of the original location — where a car wash now stands — for five or six years. And in the late 1970s and early 1980s, one of Sanchez's sisters, Maria Florinda, also ran a beauty shop.

For Jose Luis, there was never any doubt about what profession to choose.

The barbershop wasn't just where his father earned a living, it was where Jose Luis worked as a child: shining shoes, sweeping the floor, even cutting a customer's hair on occasion.

And Jose Luis hopes the barbershop will pass on to the fourth Sanchez generation, but doesn't push 11-year-old son Christen with thoughts about barbering.

However, it may be a woman who will carry on the Sanchez tradition as Jose Luis' daughter, Melanie, 15, "has shown some interest."

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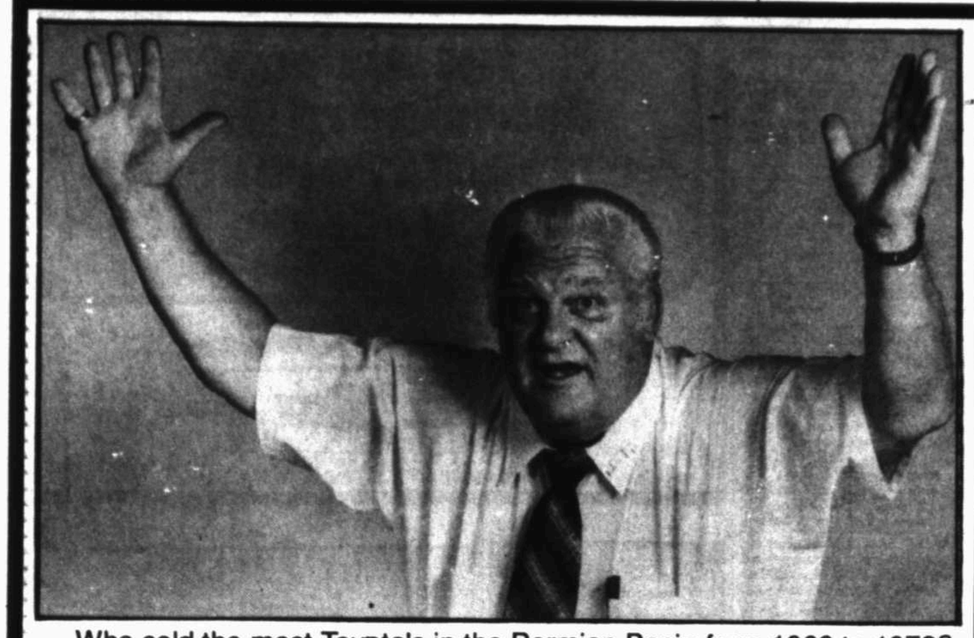

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BOX C-11 c/o
The Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, Texas 79702

NOW ACCEPTING applications for the following: full time 3-11, front desk clerk, apply in person . Lexington Hotel Suite, 1003 S. Midkiff.

RESPONSIBLE, mature woman to take care of 11 month old in my home. CPR a must. Call after 4pm. 570-6403.

FAST FREDDY'S
NOW HIRING
• Waitresses (Beer & Wine)
No Experience Necessary
Full & Part Time
Perfect For College Students
Apply in Person 10am - 6pm
4358 W. Illinois
Westwood Village
Shopping Center
E.O.E.

WAITPERSON position - open. Hours available between 10 am. - 9 pm. closed on Sundays. Minimum wage plus tips. Apply in person 3211 W. Wadley.

SERVICE STATION ATTENDANT needed must be dependable and well groomed. Apply at L & L Inc. 808 S. Big Spring, Midland, Texas.

SHORT STOP Burgers now taking applications for cashiers and cook. Apply in person 908 Andrews Highway.

NEED EXPERIENCED Brick layers. Call 682-5708 or 563-6309.

LAUNDROMAT ATTENDANT, full time, afternoon and evenings. Apply at 807 S. Midkiff. 697-3632.

MR. GATTIS PIZZA, 3205 W. Cuthbert. Now hiring for the following positions: Day and evening Cashiers, $4.50 and up. Oven tenders, Morning Prep person, Dishwasher, $4.50/ hourly. Delivery Drivers, $4.50 per hour plus tips and $1 per delivery (averaging $10.75 per hour). Apply weekdays, 9 - 5.

DENNY'S Now hiring all positions. Must apply in person and be able to work any shifts, any hours. 3701 W. Wall.

SHAKEY'S
Full or Part - Time
Bartender, kitchen help needed. 5 PM til Midnight. Must be neat and well groomed. Apply in person 3305 Andrews Highway.

COOK: nursing home experience. Apply in person Rockwood Manor, 2000 N. Main (Midland). EOE.

2 MAINTENANCE positions available. Must have own tools. Salary DOE. 2 temporary openings, 1 will turn into permanent position. Apply between, 4 - 6 p.m. only. 2438 Whitmier.

FWA Drilling Company Incoporated is looking for 2 experienced rigup truck drivers. Wages starting at $8.95 - $9.50. Cash and gloves safety incentive paid monthly. Drug screen required for acceptable applicants. Bring driver license and social security card to 640 N. Loop 250 W. Midland, Texas

COUNTER PEOPLE. Now hiring for full and part time Cashiers. Experience necessary. Apply in person, Fuddruckers, Midland Park Mall.

CONVENIENT Store now taking applications for full and part time help. Prefer non-smoker. Apply 9 am - 12 noon, Wednesday - Friday. Ask for Mrs. Scarbrough. 3301 Andrews Hwy. No phone calls please.

TENNIS shop manager position available at Ranchland Hill Country Club Tennis Shop, full-time working Tuesday - Saturday. Tennis background a must. $5 hourly plus club benefits. Call 682-3729.

311 Medical Help Wanted

PEDIATRIC OFFICE needs part-time LVN or RN to work Wednesday's and Friday's on a regular basis. Send resume to 2002 W. Ohio, Midland, Tx. 79701. Attention Sharon.

MEDICAL Receptionist. Extended hours clinic. Computer experience required. 697-0291.

MEDICAL TRANSCRIPTIONIST for surgeons office, part - time, flexible hours. Reply to BOX D-01 The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

RN for Director of Nurses (full time) or RN Consultant (4 hours per week) needed for Golden Manor Nursing Home. Call 1-558-3888.

FULL TIME NURSE PRACTITIONER/ PA or RN part time insurance clerk. Arthritis and Osteoporosis Center. 684-0941.

LVN 7-3. Full or part time. For information contact Tom Killingsworth (Administer). Rockwood Manor. 686-1898.

LVN for drug program part time, early morning hours. LVN full time, for medical office. Typing and insurance knowledge preferred. Send resume to BOX C-10 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

MEDICAL RECEPTIONIST- answer telephones, make appointments, filing, computer skills, 8-5. Salary DOE. Start ASAP. Send replies to BOX D-04 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

DOCTORS OFFICE. Insurance billing clerk. Part-time. Medical office experience necessary. Apply to Box D-03 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

DENTAL ASSISTANT- experience preferred, very busy office, non smoker. Call 689-3014.

DENTAL RECEPTIONIST- Business preventive office experienced preferred. Computer experience very helpful, non- smoker. Call 689-3014.

312 Professional Help Wanted

IMMEDIATE OPENING: qualified mental retardation professional (QMRP). Persons applying for this position must possess at least a bachelors degree from a accredited college or university and have at least one year experience working directly with persons with mental retardation or other developmental disability.

Call 682-2611 to set up time for interview.

INDEPENDENT seeking individual for position in accounting. Heavy oil and gas experience required including joint interest, revenue and general ledger. Must be self starter, non-smoking office. Send resume with salary requirement to: Personnel, P.O. Box 3233, Midland Texas, 79702

DENTAL HYGIENIST
The team oriented purpose driven individual for a fast paced practice. Send resume to:
2409 W. Illinois, Suite B.
Midland, Texas. 79701.

CPA FIRM has opening for an accountant. Requires a degree in accounting. Salary commensurate with experience. Send resume to Hardisty, Kelley, Smith & Co., CPA's, P.O. Box 640, Monahans, Texas 797568.

WANTED: Speech Therapist and Special Education teacher, Middle School. Call 915-884-2787, Regan County I.S.D., Big Lake, Texas

PROGRAMMER
Programmer analyst needed for assignment in Midland. Ideal candidate will have 3+ years Clipper & experience programming a handheld device. IMS a plus. Jeff Hallan. 214-234-2067.

316 Clerical Help Wanted

TEMPORARY RESOURCES
Needs experienced office workers NOW!!!
Call 684-0527.

KEL-MAR Distributing placed a help wanted ad and received over 80 applicants in one day. To see how great Classified ads can work for you, just call one of our friendly consultants today at 682-6222.

ESTABLISHED Midland Service Company is looking for dependable person with multi-phone line and radio dispatch experience. Non-Smoker. Send resume to: Personnel Department, P.O. Box 3449, Midland, Tx 79702.

320 Sales Help Wanted

SALES Manager. Chaparral Portable Buildings for Midland and Odessa. Great Opportunity, salary - commission. 512-379-5179.

SALES POSITION
A local distributor of industrial and institutional products, has an opening for a sales person. Experience calling on businesses or route sales helpful, but not required. No overnight travel. Must have automobile. An excellent sales opportunity with advancement unlimited for the right individual. Mail resume to:
BOX C-12
The Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O.Box 1650, Midland Tx 79702

AGGRESSIVE GROWING Manufacture of oil field production equipment is looking for a permanent sales person to service existing accounts and help develope new ones. Company over 10 years old, stable and growing, training available. Oil field knowledge preferred. Base salary plus commission. Income $25,000 - $50,000 per year depends on ability. Call Executive Secretary Mrs. Barbara Koehler 915-563-1266 or send resume to Permian Production Equipment Inc. PO Box 50725, Midland, Texas. 79710.

SALES REPRESENTATIVE
Sebastian International seeking one Representative in this area.
1-800-228-7101
EOE

CONSULTANT
Mature person to help children and adults with a serious problem, Enuresis. Appointments set by us. Hard work and travel required. Make $40,000 to $50,000 commission.
Call 1-800-477-2233.

ARE YOU AGGRESSIVE?
We are a West Texas owned Medical Supply company seeking an aggressive sales person to call on accounts in and around Midland/ Odessa.
This challenging position calls directly on the Medical Professional community and requires strong prospecting, presentation, cold calling and closing skills. the right person will have a minimum of 3 years sales experience and have a strong desire to work as part of a team.
Customer service is our first concern, if it's your's too, then let's talk. Send resume and references to:
Sales
623 West 29th Street
San Angelo, Texas 76903

320 Sales Help Wanted

$1800 GUARANTEE!
Leading Import Dealer Looking For Salespeople
* 8 Deliveries Guaranteed $1800/mo.
* Must Be Well Groomed
* Strong Desire To Succeed
* Previous Sales Experience not required
* Demo plan
* Health Insurance Plan
APPLY IN PERSON
MON.-FRI.
4040 W. WALL
MIDLAND, TX.

DAY AND Evening telephone sales, full and part time positions available, top wages paid, no experience needed. Call 687-2320.

330 Situations Wanted

Mature, honest, woman would like position as live-in maid & babysitter. Experienced. Salary negotiable. Call 684-9444.

335 Adult Care

COME Live with us - 24 hour, elderly care, residential home. Doctor's references. 687-5623.

PRIVATE SITTER with references, to sit in a hospital or home with your loved ones. 697-9430 or 683-7547.

340 Child Care Needed

NEED daytime babysitter/ light housekeeper in my home. Will pay top dollar. References required. Call after 5:30, 699-5391.

SIITER NEEDED FOR 2 children; one in school. In Quanah Parker school area. Monday through Friday 8-5. Leave message or call after 5. 694-1408.

NEED Christian Individual to care for 2 school age children, in our home, during summer, after school and school holidays. Please send resume with references to P.O. Box 8975, Midland, Tx 79708.

341 Child Care Providers

RAINBOW CHRISTIAN DAY CARE 1009 W. Missouri. Age 2 weeks thru 12 years. 6:30 AM to 7:30 PM. 683-5161.

UP, UP AND AWAY Learning Center, now open. Located in Northland Shopping Center on Scharbauer and A. We will care for infants - 13 years. 687-2715.

30 YEAR old Mother would like to keep children of any age in my home. Monday - Friday, 7 - 5:30. Fannin School area. $50/ weekly. Call 570-6314.

CHILD CARE. A Home registered with the Texas Department of Human Services is not licensed, inspected, or otherwise regulated by the Department.

FULL or part time child care provided. No overcrowding. Excellent references. 12 years experience. 699-1429.

MOTHER OF ONE would like to keep children, ages 0 - 4, in her home. Has experience and references furnished. Meals provided. 697-9615.

GRANNY'S PLAYHOUSE. Licensed 18 months to 3 years. Two openings full - time only. 4406 Thomason. 694-0104.

CHILD CARE in my home. Will take and pick up from Rusk and Henderson School. 520-7608.

341 Child Care Providers

CERTIFIED medical assistant, previous day care director, Mother of 2, would like to care for your children. References, lunch, snacks. 520-2903.

AFTER SCHOOL CHILD CARE. Grades 1-3, Rusk area only. 2 blocks north of Rusk. Registered home. Nutritious snacks, limited openings. 689-7752.

REGISTERED HOME playroom, classroom, planned activities, hot lunches, afternoon snacks. 10 years experience. 699-6845.

EXPERIENCED Childcare - my home. Planned activities and fun. Nutritious meals/ snacks. Most of all - lots of love. Limited openings. 699-7730.

BRING Your child to play and learn in a relaxed atmosphere. Wonderful activities, lots of sun, fenced yard and nutritious meals. Call Shelley, 520-5817.

INFANTS ONLY! The most important decision you will ever make for the most important person in your life. Licensed. Please call Jan, 694-8024.

MOTHER Of 1 would like to keep children 0-4, in my home. Experienced, CPR certified, references furnished. 697-0855.

GRANDMOTHER Would like to babysit wee infant in my home, for working mother. Monday - Friday. References. 694-7001.

CHILD care for 1 or 2 children after 5:00 pm. References. Call 697-6581.

OPENING August 5, Childcare in home environment. Hot lunch, snacks, activities. GREENWOOD Bus Route. Easy access to Hwy 80 or Loop 250. 684-5235, for information.

350 Business Opportunities

WESTERN Schools is offering classes to obtain/ update your real estate license; locally owned, 682-4045.

REAL ESTATE OPPORTUNITY. Get your real estate license quickly. Short state accredited courses. Day, weekend, evenings, Southwest College, 683-4555.

UNUSUAL - innovative - creative! Business fixtures, inventory, prepaid rent. Terms negotiable. Box 4853, Midland, 79704.

CREATIVE AND TALENTED people wanted. Space available for lease for antiques or gift items. Call 520-7541 (Midland) or 683-5164.

DIXIE'S DINER, located in Greenwood, well established. Call 686-1986 or 682-3966, ask for Dixie.

EUROPEAN Company open U.S.A. Catch the wave. Small investment, large return. Make what you want. Call Ann, 550-5612.

START Your own career in a fast growing business. Sales experience or training not necessary. For appointment call 694-7052, today! Please leave message.

405 Garage/Yard Sales

★2117 BUTTERNUT. Friday & Saturday. Four family sale. Kids, baby girls and women's name brand clothing, and household goods.

★GARAGE SALE: Lots of baby clothes, dishes, flat bed trailer, record albums, folding table, lots more. 4204 Pasadena Dr. Friday, Saturday, Sunday, 8 am - 5 pm.

★2517 NEELY linens, fabrics, patterns, needlework kit, laces, yarns, pictures frames, ice crusher, roller skates, records, tapes, children's books, toys, shoes, clothing. Friday noon and Saturday.

★MOVING IN SALE- 5014 Castleford Friday 7-12. Antique Dr. Pepper machine, furniture, glassware, clothes, tools.

★FRIDAY AND SATURDAY 7-1, metal shelves, men's and women's clothing, "Especially for Girls" series books. Mickey Mouse books," Little Golden Books", Bedspreads, glassware, toys, games, pictures, electric motors, gas motors, wedding dress (size 6), Cabbage Patch dolls, and lots more. In alley at 2407 Flare Ct. by Goddard Junior High School.

CARPORT SALE- Upright freezer, bed, a little bit of everything. Priced to sell. 2501 W. Washington. Friday, Saturday, Sunday.

5119 DAVENTRY- FRIDAY ONLY 10-2, microwave, flower pot, ladies shoes, books and records. Cash only.

THREE family sale. 220 N. Eisenhower. Large wing back chair, wall mirror, dining table/ chairs, lots of miscellaneous. Thursday and Friday, 8 - 5.

4 FAMILY Yard Sale. Friday and Saturday only, 8 am - 5 pm. 3215 Baumann. Boys clothes, sporting equipment, odities.

501 N. D STREET- Friday 7- ?, Saturday 7am-2pm, tires, miscellaneous odds and ends.

COUNTRY GARAGE SALE
8 Family Sale
Cars, Vans, Motorcycles, furniture, and lots of clothes; Many Odds and Ends & carpets.
County Road 59 East.
Take Loop 250 East to County Road 1130 North. Friday & Saturday 8:00 till.

FRIDAY, one day only. Clothes and lots of miscellaneous. 2206 Culver.

3 FAMILIES - Thursday - Sunday. Clothing (large ladies), glass collectibles, linens, furniture, Nintendo, tri-pod, Moped, cookware, lawnmower. 1619 E. Maple.

4216 FERNCLIFF. Friday and Saturday. Bicycle, ceiling fans, games galore, teenage clothes, stuffed animals, household items, miscellaneous.

ESTATE SALE
Entire contents including living room, dining room, bedroom, furniture, china, Royal Doulton, Hummels figurines, cut glass, Belleek, Franciscan, quilts, linens, full kitchen, appliances, garage.
3503 W. OHIO
(off midkiff) Midland
Friday- Saturday 10-5
Sunday Noon-5

104 E. DORMARD. Multi-family. Boy's, ladies and men's clothing, toys, furniture. Friday and Saturday.

414 IDLEWILDE- (off loop & Illinois) Friday 9-3 sofa, stroller, baby items, toys, clothes.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

WANT TO BUY Oriental wood sculptures, American wood or stone. Dave's Trading Post, 2910 W. Wall, 697-2588.

AUTOMOTIVE DETAIL service best in town. $39.95 to $59.95 cars, boats, trucks, vans, RV's. Satisfaction guaranteed. Call 520-8303

ANATOMOTER Chiropractic Massage Table, fully equipped with vibrator, heat, rollers, and traction attachments. 684-7409.

TREES
Large red and Live Oaks
Guaranteed and planted at 25% to 40% below retail
Tree farm 2 miles
East of Airport on Hwy 80.
BIG TREE KOMPANY
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ODOR PROBLEM? Cat box? Shoes? Smoke? Call for a free Non-Scents® Demonstration. 694-4316

DEMO Spa, portable with full warrantee. Morgan. 563-1860.

WEDDING Gown, size 5, worn once with veil, full train, pearls and sequins. $500. Call 697-7365, after 5.

LARGE SELECTION. Like new vacuum cleaners, priced to sell. Rankin Highway Flea Market. Every Saturday and Sunday.

TWO MAUSOLEUM Spaces for sale. Make offer. Call 682-5463 or 697-7128

KEG BEER COOLER old refrigerator conversion. $75. 683-5371.

JUST BACK FROM MARKET. NEW MATERNITY CLOTHING. Just a bit above cost. Call Special Deliveries - Karin Zaya/ Owner 699-5213 for appointment. My house or yours.

SEARS 400 Watt portable A/C generator with 12 volt DC charger. Great for camping, like new. $235. 570-4790

I BUY old guitar's and amplifiers, any condition. Local collector. Call 682-3929 leave message.

WATER FILTERS: new (in carton) NSA 5,000 gallon counter top, disposable water filters. Originally, $179, $50 each. 687-1199.

PORCH SWINGS, heavy duty $30. Dog Houses, new $30; Bookcases $30, picnic table $45. 563-0452.

TANNING bed for sale, commercial type with built in air-conditioning and radio. Call 697-2264.

BUMPER POOL TABLE, with two cues sticks and card table cover, excellent condition. $250. 684-5277.

Two Cemetery Plots, Rest Haven Garden of Love, lot 14; spaces 1 and 2. $500 each. 684-5277.

BABY Cradle $20, Kirsch metal mini blinds $25, maternity clothes. Call 689-0304.

CORPUS Christi - one way airline ticket. Departs July 27th, 4:15 p.m. $80. Call 684-6061.

PROFESSIONAL Merridian Tanning Bed. New cost over $10,000, asking $1,500. See at Junction Apartments #2105.

COWBOY BOOTS, 12 B and 12 D, Lizzard, Ant Eater, full quill Ostrich, and horn-backed lizzard. Excellent condition. $50 to $150. 682-6386.

MUST SELL: Baby bed $50, 42-inch Hotpoint electric stove $65 or best offer. Call 686-7680.

(2) CEMETARY LOTS - Space 1 and 2, $795 each/ negotiable. Call 686-8258.

SALE: 4312 Aroyyo. Chests, Lazy-Boys, dishes, typewriter, shelves, etc.

FRIDAY AND Saturday: 4312 Aroyyo. Clothes, shelves, suit cases, dishware, yarn, etc.

220 Trucks And Vans

THE ALL NEW REDESIGNED 1992 CHEVROLET SUBURBAN MAY BE ORDERED NOW!
-See Us For Details -
Jack Sherman
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694-9601 4100 W. WALL 563-0214

410 Miscellaneous Sales

VARIOUS DRAFTING supplies, all in excellent condition, good for business or student. Call 685-3179.

DRUM Corp International DCI World Championship finals in Cottonbowl - Dallas, 5 tickets, August 17th. 694-7441.

ONE year old fiberglass camper shell in excellent condition. Fits Mazda pickup. $400. 694-5317.

415 Miscellaneous Wanted

AVID Die Hard Rebel Fan wants to buy Lee Football season tickets. Willing to pay negotiable price. Call 697-3592.

WANT to buy nice quality traditional sofa, 3 cushions (loose). 697-6407 or 1-263-7456 (Big Spring).

420 Good Things To Eat

★ DELICIOUS homemade decorated cakes for parties, weddings, etc. Reasonably priced. Call Mickie Perkins, 694-8445.

CUSTOM PECAN SHELLING - Buy and sell in shell or shelled - Pick up and deliver. 682-4887.

BLACK EYED PEAS FOR SALE. 697-4215 after 5:00 PM.

VEGETABLES and grapes for sale. Call 687-2942. Someone always home keep calling.

430 Household Goods

Refrigerator, Washer and Dryer, Freezer, Stove, Call 559-2943.

INSTANT CASH for your working and non-working appliances. Call 559-2943.

USED WASHERS & DRYERS Sell, Buy or Trade. 30 Day Guarantee. 694-5350.

BETTER HOMES & BARGAINS
Home furnishings consignment
3326 N. Midkiff
699-5524

ICE MAKERS perfect for the office or home. Call 685-3387.

BEDROOM SUITE, King size waterbed with underdrawers, dresser with lighted cabinet and 2 night stands. $750. 685-1290.

WE need good used furniture. We pay extra. Call D & K New and Used for estimate. 4404 W. Illinois. 697-4847.

SOLID OAK Twin Bed Frames, head and foot boards, $135; Matching dresser/ mirror, $165. 694-5222.

BASSETT, beautiful, formal dining set. Large table, with 6 chairs and lighted hutch. $1,500. 682-0601.

GIRLS WHITE bedroom suite, includes full bed, dresser, corner desk, hutch, and stereo cabinet. Also boy's loft bed with dreiser, desk and ladder. 694-6097.

25" RCA CONSOLE TV excellent condition. Non remote control. $200. Call 689-7812 after 5.

NEED good used furniture. Buy, sell & trade used furniture and appliances. Rowe's New & Used. 1211 S. Big Spring. 687-5966.

WE SELL And service used washer and dryers: Whirlpool, GE, Hotpoint, Kenmore. 682-5366.

L SHAPED Bunk Bed with matching chest, $200. Full size Tappan Microwave, $75. Small 3 drawer filing cabinet, $20. Call after 5, 570-0414

SLEEPER sofa, Lacrosse Elite; queen size, earth tone colors, $350. Call 697-7195.

COUCH AND Love Seat, blue, peach and cream stripe, oak frame, $300. Call 699-2041

QUEEN WATER BED- Mirrored, headboard $100. Matching avocado washer and dryer $150, Refrigerator with ice maker $200. Full sized bed $50, all excellent condition. 686-4931 or after 5pm. 682-8586.

MOVING SALE: All furniture must go! 2600 N. Loop 250 West, #510 (Windmill Apartments).

MAYTAG WASHER, white color, 5 years old. In use now, new one ordered. $225. 699-5284.

BEAUTIFUL, formal dining suite. Chromecraft beveled glass table/ 6 fabric chairs. $450. 682-3037.

GOING OUT OF BUSINESS: Up to 50% off! Everything MUST GO! 503 W. Florida West Florida Used Furniture 685-0171.

STAINLESS Steel kitchen sink with Delta faucet and sprayer includes connections. Good condition $75. Call 688-7968.

ANTIQUE Cherrywood dresser with large mirror, Chest of drawers, Drexel Heritage Desk, Triple Mirror, few cookie jars, too much to list. Cash only. 684-3784

GIRLS' bedroom suite with mirror, dresser, desk and twin bed, good condition. $200 negotiable. 683-5101.

NEUTRAL Tone love seat $50. Brown tone chair and ottoman $25. 683-1529.

KENMORE Gas Dryer, very good condition. $50. Please call 550-4014.

KING size waterbed with 6 drawer underdresser and linens. Call 687-4729.

FURNITURE For Sale. 6 piece living room set, $450. King size waterbed with side pad, underdrawers, heater and large headboard, $200. 520-8203.

ETHAN ALLEN pine bedroom suite. Full bed, corner desk and small chest with hutches. 694-2942.

220 Trucks And Vans

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485 Radios Stereos and Tv

SWIVEL rocking chair, beige color, in good condition. $79. Call 699-5955.

FOR SALE: Matching sleeper sofa and chair, neutral color, very good condition. $275. Call 699-3265.

CARPET Remnants and Rollins. $3 per yard and up. Country Floors and Marble. 2606 W. Front. 687-0107.

440 Firewood

THE WOOD YARD. Oak, Mesquite, Pecan. 701 N. Fairgrounds. Call 686-8107 or 684-8918.

450 Sporting Goods

JIM'S GOLF Club Repair. Regrip $3.00; reshaft $13.50; custom made clubs; special ladies clubs. Lowest prices - Best work. 3115 Haynes. 694-1334.

SHOOT SPORTING Clays: Have fun shooting. Improve your game shooting. Oprn Tuesday thru Sunday. 694-2311.

30-06 RIFLE Belguim Mgf. Sling - 3.9 var. scope. Carrying case plus 5 box shells incl. $380

REMINGTON 20 ga shotgun model 1-870 - 2¾" shells, carrying case (10 box shells, - $1.50) Box, $275

BERETTA - 9 mm PB model 92-S Italy Mfg, 2 magazines, cape - 15 Rd, pouch case, $435

38 CAL Special - 4" BBL - Lama Mfg, $250

44 MAGNUM "Texas Marshall - 6 BBL with Holster & cartridge belt included, $265

H & R 22 LR and magnum cylinder convertible D-A. Buntline spec - 12½" BBL - with belt & Holster, $275

10 BOX 12 ga shells (Dove & Quail) $1.50 box

PHONE 694-3849

GOLF clubs: Wilson Staff Irons, 2 - PW, new grips, only asking $200. Call 697-3902.

RUGER S.S. mini 14 with scope, $400; Smith & Wesson 357, $280; Remington model 11 - 12 gauge, $100. After 5, 520-4306.

SET of bar-bells and weights. Make offer. 683-1529.

DUNLOP MAXFLI irons, 2 - PW, excellent condition, blade clubs, $250. 699-5284.

EXERCISE bike, like new, $25, Call 684-6797.

FLOATATION TANK. A revolutionary tool for pain relief, stress reduction, total relaxation, and the liberation of the powers of mind and body. Original cost $6,000, selling $3,000. See video by appointment. 682-1164. Believed to be the only unit in the area. Privately owned.

460 Antiques and Art

WE BUY 19th and Early 20th Century paintings. American and European. 214-871-1097. Send photos to 2925 Fairmount, Dallas. 75201.

HAVE Surplus Antiques? I buy and take on consignment quality antiques and accessories - a single item or an entire estate. References available. Call Joe at: Pat's Antiques, 682-4000.

ANTIQUES ETC - Fine collectibles, American oak, Victorian, cut crystal, unique furniture and more. Garfield and Wadley in Plaza Center, 11 a.m. - 6 p.m., Monday - Saturday, 1 - 5 p.m., Sunday. 682-9257.

ORIENTAL RUGS, Antique rug 12' x 20', $5,500. Also 6' x 10' rug, $1,500. 687-2790.

FOR SALE: Large roll top desk and chair, solid oak, $900. 5 Bentwood Chairs, $175. 4 solid oak, ladder back chairs, $225. Call 697-5335 or 520-5335.

1918 SLEEPER Sofa with 2 matching rockers, 25% off. Plaza Antiques, #15 Plaza Shopping Center. Jeanette Tinajero.

470 Musical Instruments

FOR SALE: HAMMOND B3 Organ with separate Leslie speaker. $2,500. To see call Living Way Church 683-1750.

FULL SIZED CELLO good student instrument, Cordura case, horse hair wood bow. $600 . Call 689-7929.

FIDDLES Unique: Buy, Sell, Trade, Rent 3118 Franklin. Make violins, rehair bows, repair. Other instruments. 697-3849, 694-3780.

ARMSTRONG OPEN HOLE flute with case. Excellent condition, excellent for beginners. $150. Call 699-4552.

YAMAHA DS55 synthesizer (New) $450. 682-7073.

KING TROMBONE, case $225. Peavey T15 electric guitar, case with built in amplifier $225. 683-5870.

I BUY old guitar's and amplifiers, any condition. Local collector. Call 682-3929 leave message.

J. BAUER upright piano very good condition, $300. Call 682-4913.

NORMANDY WOODEN Clarinet $150. Wurlitzer console piano $1,000. Both in excellent condition. 689-6368.

480 Cameras and Supplies

VISIT BASIN Camera and Video for all your photo needs. We buy, sell, trade and repair all types of photo equipment. 2507 West Wall, 683-7011.

485 Radios Stereos and Tv

AMAZING SATELLITE TV! Over 200 channels available. 0 down. Payments starting at $39.95 per month. Call anytime, 563-6900.

21" ZENITH Color TV. Very good condition. 699-0921 after 6:00 pm. Must see to appreciate.

SONY WATCHMAN, new 2½" black and white. Watch TV anywhere $75. Call 699-5284.

490 Computers and Accessories

FOXBASE/ FOXPRO programer for hire. 682-7073.

495 For Free

STUDENTS can't take pets to college, Miniature Schnauzer, small Poodle, neutered/ declawed house cat need good homes. Good with children. 689-8732.

FREE KITTENS, male and female, different colors, litter trained, Call 694-5723 after 5 pm.

FREE TO GOOD HOME: Beautiful Blonde male puppy, 3 months old, very sweet and friendly. Call 687-5122.

FREE Male Pit Bull, 5 years old, can be seen at 2804 Franklin, after 6 pm. 683-3958.

CATS to give away, one Siamese two year old female, one year old male Oriental short hair. MUST FIND HOMES. 694-8702.

ONE ADORABLE female, mixed breed puppy, will be medium sized dog, 17 weeks old. Call 683-6453 after 5:30.

FREE to good home: Golden Retriever, 9 month old female, very well trained. Good with children. Moving, she can't go! Please call 697-9476, 683-2534.

FREE TO Good home. One 4 year old, black, male Lab. One Mixed breed, female, neutered. Prefer dogs stay together. 699-1516.

FREE, FREE, FREE, need homes for cute and cuddly kittens, 3 males, 1 female, gold in color, litter box trained. Please call 520-0400.

FOUND: Female reddish blonde dog, recently groomed. Vicinity of Midland Drive and Neely. Call 694-9558 to identify.

FREE TO Good homes: White Chow, male, and medium sized, mixed breed, female, spayed. Call 682-1059

FREE TO Good Homes: Border Collie/ Collie female pup; BRITTANY Spaniel/ Border Collie male puppy. Call 697-7979.

500 Pets and Supplies

GERMAN BRED, American born Shepherd puppies. Grandparents working K-9, Midland Police Department. 694-4421.

AFFORDABLE Vet clinic, reasonable price - spay - neuter - vaccinations - House calls available. Call 682-3524, for appointment.

FULL Blood Pit Bull puppies, have shots. Will negotiate prices. Call 915-523-7022, Andrews.

SHAR-PEI, 6 WEEKS - Black, papers, shots. $350. MUST SELL THIS WEEKEND. 689-6475

8 WEEK Whippet puppies for sale, 2 males $150, 1 female $200. Call 682-5846.

BEAUTIFUL GERMAN Sherpherd puppies. Full blood (unregistered) Born June 15th, 5 males, 4 females. $75 each. Call 686-9605.

AKC REGISTERED Afghan Hound puppies. Show quality, blues, creams. $275 health guaranteed. 687-1571 or 683-6980.

DOG TRAINING in your home. Obedience/ problem correction. Local references available. 23 years experience. 699-0039.

DOG HOUSES. Four sizes. Dependable building materials. Always at your service. Andy's Lumber Company, 682-8294 or 682-1801.

FOR SALE: AKC German Short Haired Pointers. Call 682-5463 OR 697-7128

FOR SALE COCKATIELS and Parakeets. Call 697-1397 for appointment.

AKC MINATURE DACHSHUND-puppies 6 weeks old red or black, shots, $125. 694-4930.

AKC REGISTERED Basset Hounds. 2 males, 2 females. Parents on premises. $100 each. Call 1-263-8924.

FOR SALE: Full Blood German Shepherd puppies, 3 months old, $25 each. Call 683-6475.

FOR Sale: registered full blooded beautiful Rottweiler puppies has first set of shots. 6 weeks old. 1-(806) 872-6331.

SISSY'S Aquarium Care. Aquarium/ pond cleaning, set-ups, and house or pet setting. Call 683-8809.

AKC COCKER SPANIEL- puppies for sale - Call 697-1146.

SIBERIAN Husky: 10 week old full blood male, red and white with blue eyes. $75. 694-7640.

TIBETAN TERRIER pups- AKC, (shaggy dog), excellent with children, show and breeding prospects, $500. 697-6944.

2 YORKSHIRE TERRIERS - Registered - shots - wormed. 758-6441.

CAIRN Terrier Puppies, AKC, parents on premisis. 2 males, 2 females. 685-0863.

MIXED Breed Puppies to give away, to good homes. 2 males, 7 females. Call 684-8446.

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Merchandise

400	Auctions	460	Antiques & Art	510	Office Supplies
405	Garage/Yard Sales	470	Musical Instruments	520	Store, Shop, Cafe Equip.
410	Miscellaneous Sales	475	Crafts & Supplies	530	Air Cond. & Heating
415	Miscellaneous Wanted	480	Cameras & Supplies	540	Building Materials
420	Good Things To Eat	485	Radios, Stereo & TV	550	Portable Buildings
430	Household Goods	490	Computers & Access.	560	Machinery & Tools
440	Firewood	495	For Free	570	Oilfield Supplies
450	Sporting Goods	500	Pets & Supplies	580	Farm Equipment
		505	Livestock - Poultry		

400 Auctions

BALOG & BALOG Auctioneering Business liquidations, oil field Estates, etc. Call (915)561-5133

405 Garage/Yard Sales

★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★
The ★ star on garage sale ads means the address and day of the sale will appear in our Garage Sale Directory which runs each Friday. To get your sale listed in the Garage Sale Directory, simply call your garage sale ad in by 4 p.m. Tuesday.
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The Texas Bedding Law requires all second hand bedding to be sanitized by a licensed germicidal treatment operator and properly labeled before being offered for sale.

MONDAY - Saturday, Sunday afternoon. Mowers, tools, air-conditioners, waterbeds, living, dining, bedroom suites. All appliances, microwave, guitar, pickups, miscellaneous. 570-4851.

★4312 PARKDALE Friday and Saturday- 7-6, Quilt pieces, dishes, carpet, riding lawn mower, bicycle, and lots more. Everyone Welcome.

★HUGE GARAGE SALE- Getting married all the old stuff must go. Furniture: sofas, kitchen table, coffee table, end tables, waterbed, pool table with all accessories, kitchen utensils, and lots of odd and ends. 5009 Greentree Blvd Saturday and Sunday starts 8am.

405 Garage/Yard Sales

★3301 PRINCETON! Rattan, oak dry bar, mirrored hutch, clothing, bedspreads, decorator items. Starts Wednesday until all sold.

★Furniture, electric stove, dishes, pots/ pans, draperies/ rods, clothing, lots of miscellaneous. 1004 W. Kansas. Thursday - Saturday.

★YARD Sale. Men's work clothes, boy's and ladies clothes, odds and ends. 200 W. Parker. Thursday - Friday only.

FURNITURE, GLASSWARE, collectibles, tools, bicycles, pictures, jewelry. 1601 Carter Street. Thursday - Saturday.

★HUGE GARAGE SALE- clothes, furniture, dishes. 612 Waverly Street. Thursday only 8-4 no early sales.

★BIG BIG BIG Garage sale in alley behind 3400 Bedford off of Upland. Rain or shine. Thursday & Friday 8:00 - 5:00. Lawn mower, walking sprinkler, Coleman heaters, clothes, shoes, books, lots and lots of odds and ends.

★MOVING SALE 403 B. West Hamby, Thursday, Friday and Saturday 10-3 , Furniture etc.

★GARAGE SALE: Thursday - Saturday. 419B W. Spruce. Lots of miscellaneous, also 1980 Volvo.

★MULTI-FAMILY. Nice clothes - cheap - by bag or separately, toys, dishes. 4609 Leisure. Friday - Saturday.

★4710 West Storey, FRIDAY & SATURDAY, 8 to 5 toys, girls' clothing, baskets, curtains, some wood crafts and miscellaneous.

★LOTS OF JUNK, GE Refrigerator, file cabinet, pet box, step ladder, yard tools, office desk, Diablo printer, kids clothes and shoes, toys, baby stuff and knick-knacks. Thursday 1-5, Friday 9-5. 4617 Anetta.

405 Garage/Yard Sales

TRADE VILLAGE Flea Market. Indoor, 2905 Rankin Highway. Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

★301 E. PINE - Wednesday through Saturday, lots of junk,

610 Apartments Unfurnished

Midland Apartments At A Glance!

	EFFICIENCY	1 BEDROOM	2 BEDROOM	3 BEDROOM	TOWNHOUSE	FURNISHED	CLUBHOUSE	EXTRA STORAGE	PATIO/BALCONY	COVERED PARKING	SWIMMING	TENNIS	SAUNA	SPA/WHIRLPOOL	FITNESS FACILITY	PLAYGROUND	CABLE TV READY	FREE BASIC CABLE	LAUNDRY	W/D/FURNISHED	W/D/ CONNECTIONS	MINI-BLINDS/VERTICALS	CEILING FANS	FIREPLACE	PETS	R.O. WATER	WATER VOLLEYBALL
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Watch these pages daily for more information on these apartment communities listed above.

625 Houses Unfurnished

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Century 21 Midtex Real Estate

PROPERTY MANAGEMENT
Mon.-Sat. 9-5
689-0021
Call for further listings

4705 D SHADY LANE	2 bdrm, 1 ba	$ 35 Mo.
3302 TANNER	2 bdrm, 1ba	$ 25 Mo.
1106 B. CARRIZO	2 bdrm, 1 ba	$275 Mo.
1102 CARRIZO	2 bdrm, 1 ba	$275 Mo.
500 HOWARD	2 bdrm, 1 ba	$295 Mo.
4513 ANETTA	3 bdrm, 2 ba	$400 Mo.
4306 NELSON	3 bdrm, 2 ba	$700 Mo.
#8 SARAH LANE	3 bdrm, 2 ba	$750 Mo.

Ask for Alton Keith

610 Apartments Unfurnished

GARDEN COURT APARTMENTS
2301 N PECOS #150
CALL 683-9270

LAKESIDE PARK APARTMENTS
2438 WHITMIRE 687-0053

LA CASITA APARTMENTS
Eff. 1 & 2 bdrm.
694-2466.

NEAR Midland College. Two bedroom, 1 ½ bath duplex. Fireplace, covered parking, washer/ dryer connections, privacy patio, lots of storage. Children welcome. No pets. $400 monthly. 685-1056.

ONE and Two bedroom, $200 - $225, water paid. Crestlawn Apartments 601 Watson. Call 683-2535.

BILLS PAID: 2 bedrooms, $218, 1 bedroom $185. Off street parking, laundry, shade trees. 685-3327.

VILLA TRIESTE APARTMENTS
4331 Dengar 694-8591
1, 2 & 3 Bdrm Apt Homes

THE TRELLIS
3212 W. WADLEY
697-3121

SERENE LIVING- Willowcreek apartments. 2901 W. Louisiana. 2 bedroom, washer dryer connections. $250/monthly. 694-9853.

TWO Bedroom townhouse. Near downtown. $325. All bills paid. Microwave. Call Clint. 684-5856.

QUAIL Hollow now leasing. $99 move-in special for 1 and 2 bedroom apartments. 697-6039.

615 Apartments Furn. & Unfurn.

STUDIO and large 1 bedroom apartments, walk-in closets, clean/ maintained, covered parking, pool. 697-3510.

620 Houses Furnished

FOR RENT: Small, furnished house, 1 bedroom/ living area, kitchen and dining area with bath. Ideal for single. No pets. All bills paid. Call 694-5053.

625 Houses Unfurnished

Four blocks north of Midland High, 1 bedroom, brick duplex with stove and refrigerator, carpeted, evaporative air condition, no pets please. Call 682-0605.

HOUSE FOR RENT 3 bedroom, 1 bath. $400 per month. $150 deposit. Please call 685-3245.

NICE 2 bedroom, 1 bath, fenced, washer/ dryer connections. $275 monthly, 300 E. Nobles. 694-9853.

REDUCED - duplex - 911 W. College. 2 bedroom, 1 bath, stove and refrigerator, central heat and evaporative air, private side and backyard. $250 plus $100 deposit. 686-7932.

DUPLEX - clean, upstairs, two bedroom, one bath, laundry, fenced yard, $375 monthly, deposit, lease. See at 4303-B W. Dengar, then call Pat Carl, 682-4000/ Don Harvey Realty, 683-5333.

CR 150	$250
CR 116	$575
Dentcrest	$675
Missouri	$1,200
Teakwood	$1,700

Carriage Co. Realtors
684-5881

FOR LEASE- 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, large living area with fireplace, Fairmont Park area. Walk to park and Bush elementary. 3702 Dentcrest available 8/15. $750 per month plus deposit 699-4907.

ALAMO/ Bonham District, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, double garage. $575 monthly, $325 deposit. Call 697-5144, after 5:30 weekdays.

1705 N. MARIENFELD. 2 bedroom, 1 bath, stove, refrigerator. $350/ month, $150/ deposit. 697-9965.

CLEAN, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, garage. 1105 College. $225 monthly. 694-4067 or 682-9398.

FOR LEASE: 3-2-2, two living areas, plus separate office. $850/month. 2611 Boeing. 697-0665.

FAIRWAY Park - 3 bedroom, 2 bath. $575 per month plus deposit. For appointment call, 684-8506, ask for Jeanne.

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, $550 monthly, references. Leave message at 682-5036.

AVAILABLE August 1, nice 2 bedroom, 1 bath duplex. $150 deposit, $250 monthly. Call Patricia, 682-6948.

IN TOWN: Two bedroom home, one bath. Fresh paint, big storage. No appliances. $275. 685-3327.

ON LEISURE: 3 bedroom home, one bath, washer/ dryer connections. No appliances furnished. $370. 685-3327.

4912 SAN ANTONIO 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, fenced yard, covered patio, $800 per month $650/deposit. Call 697-0272.

3400 WEDGEWOOD. 4 bedroom, 2 full baths, 2 car garage with openers. Pets negotiable. $800 monthly, $300 deposit. Contact Jan Melton, Re/Max of Midland, 684-3864 or 682-8820.

SMALL office & Several homes and duplexes, $375 - $850. Call Jeannie Printz, agent, 699-5636.

607 M Street. Small, fenced house, refrigerator and stove, water and gas paid, $200 monthly, $100 cleaning deposit. 697-2105.

FOR RENT: 3 bedroom, 2 baths, 2 living areas, 2 car garage, refrigerated air, built-ins, $600/month, $200/deposit. 3322 Mariana, 683-6786 after 3 pm.

FOR SALE OR LEASE Option: Large 4 bedroom, 3 bath home on 5 acres, in Stanton. Call 702-454-3291.

4/2, 2 car garage. $825/month. Available August 18. Rusk/ Lee area. Please call 697-0210, after 5.

2 BEDROOM HOUSE, attached carport, 1506 S. Loraine. Call 694-2811 after 5pm. $125 per month.

I NEED YOUR Rental Properties, call me before you place an ad. I will lease them on a one time basis, or I will manage them. I qualify the tenant. At this time I'm being covered up with calls. Please ask for Willa Dean Berry, Dene Kelly Realtors Apartment Placement, 687-2384, evenings-694-8956

NICE 3 bedroom, 2 bath, stove, dishwasher, disposal, refrigerated air, garage. $550 monthly. Dene Kelly Apartment Placement. Willa Dean Berry. 687-2384, evenings 694-8956.

SPACIOUS 2 bedroom, duplex, Hollywood bath, stove, dishwasher, disposal, refrigerator, central heat/air, covered parking, $425/monthly. Dene Kelly Realtors Apartment Placement; Willa Dean Berry, 687-2384; evenings 694-8956.

A LITTLE cash, a lot of sweat and $400 per month will buy three bedroom, 1 ¾ bath brick at 4403 Versailles. Call owner/ agent, 682-7047.

ALL BILLS Paid- 3 bedroom, 1 ½ baths, ceiling fans, washer and dryer connections, fenced yard. $550 per month plus deposit. 687-5829.

3213 KESSLER. Nice three bedroom, two bath, central air/ heat. Some appliances available. $375. 689-7731.

TRINITY ESTATES EXECUTIVE HOME for lease- 4 bedroom, 3 baths, $1,400/month, $1,500/deposit. References. 684-8742.

2 BEDROOMS, 2 ½ baths, atrium, spiral staircase, no pets, no smoking, low yard maintenance. $750. Call Georgia at 563-1429.

SPACIOUS 3 bedroom, 2 bath, fireplace, double garage, $700 monthly, $300 deposit. 3801 Neely. Call 687-3640.

$550. 4804 THOMASON. Open daily. 1,800 sq. ft. Beautiful. 3 bedroom, 2 bath. Refrigerated. 699-4461.

NEWLY REDECORATED 3 bedroom, 1 ¾ bath, separate dining, microwave oven, cathedral ceiling, fireplace, double garage with openers. 4302 Nelson. $775. Shown by appointment. 694-1334.

EXECUTIVE LIVING Townhouse- 2 bedroom, 2 ½ baths, no pets. $750 /month. 1 year lease required. Ask for Suellen Nall 697-3915 or 683-5333.

3/ 2/ 2, alarm system, sprinkler system, gas grill large covered patio and large backyard. Close to Sam Houston and San Jacinto schools. $650 per month, $500/deposit. Call after 6. 683-2339.

630 Houses Furn. and Unfurn.

COZY AND PRIVATE country home, 1 bedroom, partially furnished. $165/month. Children and pets welcome. 689-3625 or 570-8900.

635 Condos and Townhouses Furnished

LUXURY furnished two bedroom executive condo overlooking pool and palms. Near Claydesta. $650, bills paid. 699-4461.

AFFORDABLE, GRACIOUS LIVING: 2 bedroom 1 ½ bath Town Houses start at $330. WESTPARK APARTMENTS 687-4514.

640 Condos and Townhouses Unfurnished

FAIRGATE Townhomes. 2 and 3 bedroom 2 bath, 1600 sq. ft. liveable - with garage, fireplace, two private patio areas. Northwest Midland. Call 697-9566. 4411 Fairgate Drive.

Elegant and Prestigious - Find it at REGENCY TOWNHOMES. 2 bedrooms, over 2,000 sq.ft., hot tub plus more. 699-1694.

SAGEWOOD Studio Loft. Bright and beautiful, best apartment in Midland. $375. 699-0677.

724 MELTON ALLEY, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, garage, fireplace, no yard maintenance, $560 monthly. 683-3203.

EXECUTIVE TOWNHOUSES- luxurious, 2 bedroom, 2 bath, formal dining, fireplace, book shelves, ceiling fans, huge closets, dishwasher, disposal, stove, double oven, washer, dryer, refrigerator, private courtyard with hot tub, double garage. $1,100/monthly. Dene Kelly Realtors Apartment Placement. Willa Dean Berry 687-2384; evenings 694-8956.

650 Mobile Homes Furnished

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath partially furnished including washer, dryer, appliances, couch, covered porch. Nice Country Living. 684-5920 Greenwood District.

655 Mobile Homes Unfurnished

2 BEDROOM, 1 bath $200 monthly. $100 deposit. Off of Cotton Flat. No Pets. 694-2047.

LARGE 2 bedroom, 2 baths with pantry, utility room, walk in closets, stove and refrigerator furnished. $225. Deposit required. 563-3510 and 550-7505.

3 BEDROOMS, 2 Baths, appliances furnished, fenced yard, $275/month, $100 deposit. Call 687-6324.

660 Mobile Home Spaces For Rent

TWIN OAKS - Midland's finest. All spaces have 5 foot chain link fences, trees, paved streets, cable TV, natural gas, playground, state approved water, basketball court, 24 hour management, free garbage pickup. Cleanest park in Midland. Move-in special. Call 687-6324 or 683-4169

$39 Monthly, for 1 year, nice park, cable available, 563-3510/ 550-7505.

WESTGATE Mobile Home Park. Free move and set-up by state licensed personnel. Paved streets, security lights. Free water and satellite television. 563-5607.

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9 to choose from! All have some factory warranty left. These cars are equipped with auto. tran., air, am/fm stereo, power drivers seat, windows & locks, tilt & cruise.
$988 Down Payment Cash or Trade Plus Tax, Title & Lic. with Approved Credit, 60 Months of 12.9 APR Amount Financed $12,000.

1986 FORD MUSTANG — ONLY $4,195
Air, AM/FM cass., power windows & door locks, 5 speed, priced right

1986 PONTIAC PARISIENE — ONLY $5,995
4 Door, Air, AM/FM cassette, power seats, power windows, locks, tilt & cruise.

1990 CHEVROLET BERETTA — ONLY $8,995
2 Door, Air, AM/FM, low mileage, Bright red.

1989 DODGE DYNASTY — ONLY $8,995
Air, AM/FM Cassette, power seats, locks, windows, tilt.

1985 OLDSMOBILE DELTA 88 — ONLY $4,495
4 Door, Air, AM/FM Cassette, power seats, tilt, cruise, exceptionally clean car.

1989 MERCURY COUGAR LS — ONLY $9,995
Air, AM/FM cassette, power drivers seat, tilt & cruise. Clean car

1991 PONTIAC FIREBIRD — ONLY $12,995
Red paint and sporty, all the buttons and only 6,203 miles. Priced to move.

1990 MERCURY COUGAR LS — ONLY $11,995
Air, AM/FM cassette, power windows, tilt, cruise, window tint. Priced to sell at

1991 MUSTANG LX CONV. — ONLY $17,995
Fun in the Sun - These cars have it all, 5.0L V8 engine, AM/FM stereo, power tops, locks windows - both with under 8,000 miles. 2 to choose from. Sale Price

1991 FORD PROBE GL — ONLY $11,988
Air, AM/FM stereo, several to choose from.

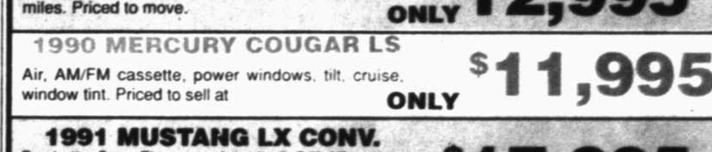
1991 FORD MUSTANG LX — ONLY $12,995
5.0L engine, automatic, air, AM/FM stereo, power locks, windows. Only 3 left.

1991 TEMPO GL's — ONLY $9,995
Air, AM/FM stereo, power locks, tilt, cruise control, good economy cars. Several to choose from...As Low as

1991 CROWN VICTORIA's — ONLY $13,988
Air, power seats, windows & locks, low mileage. Several to choose from...As Low As

1991 TAURUS GL's — ONLY $12,991
Air, AM/FM stereo, power windows & locks. Several to choose from. As Low As.

1988 NISSAN SUPERCAB 4X4 — ONLY $8,995
5 speed, transmission, air, am/fm cassette, custom wheels.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694-8801 4200 W. WALL, MIDLAND 563-1125

500 Pets and Supplies

AKC Registered Cocker Spaniel Puppies, white and buff, $150 each. Mom and Dad on premisis. Call 689-0122.

WE ARE AKC REGISTERED Cocker Spaniels and we are looking for a new home. Our human family loves us but can't keep us. If you can give us a loving home please call 685-3119.

505 Livestock and Poultry

ALFALFA hay for sale. Good quality and reasonably priced. Call 756-3682 in Stanton.

DENNIS Walker will buy your horse's or sell you his. Call 458-3786, Greenwood.

FENCE POST - 2½ ", 2 " and 4½ " any length in good condtion. 570-0203; 683-6329

SHOW Quality Geldings for pleasure. Good child's horse. Serious inquires. Appointment only. 689-6440

HIGHLY TRAINED Arabian gelding. 683-1529.

2 HORSE side by side tandem axle WW trailer. Good condition. Asking $1,250/ offer. 570-1509

510 Office Supplies

OFFICE DESK and chair $200. Brand new calculator $50. 683-1529.

550 Portable Buildings

FOR SALE: 14x40 Portable Building with walk-in cooler. Call 689-7212.

We Move, buy, sell, and rent portable buildings.
MORGAN PORTABLE BUILDINGS
563-1860

10 X 16 and 10 X 20 barns. Will deliver. Chaparral Portable Buildings, 563-0022.

560 Machinery and Tools

COATES 20 20 air flate tire machine, $800. Industrial air compressor, 40 gallon, 5 horse power, $350. 1112 Ainslee.

570 Oilfield Supplies

(2) 312 Stage, DN 1300 REDA Submersible Pumps. 125 HP Motors, Cable, panel & set-up transformer, with 6350' of #4 cable each. Max. flow rate = 1750 BFPD. Purchased new in January, 1991. Call (817) 735-4811.

TUBING 2⅜" and 2⅞", Drifted and tested, structural tubing and rods also. Call 682-3131 or 697-9620.

FOR SALE: Monorail and Tracker and two ton hoist. Please call 689-7212.

FOR SALE: oilfield electric motors. Rebuilt with guarantee from 5 horsepower 1,200 - 1,800 RPM. 682-1546, 685-0636.

FOR sale: structural rods and pipe of all sizes at bargain prices. Call 682-1546

LUFKIN 640 Pump Jack, double reduction with 168 inch stroke, with 75hp electric motor, portable base, excellent unit. $35,000. 561-8939.

320. LUFKIN PUMPING UNIT with 8½ x 10 Ajax engine, 2⅜ flowline, & structural tybing .45¢ Call 683-2966 or 694-2047.

1981 MARK 320 - 305 - 120, base, motor, $23,000. 2,300 - 7⅝ N-80, 29.70#, $7.75/ ft. 2,200 - 7" 29#, $3/ ft. Call 699-6960.

12,000 gallon pressure tank, complete. 1984 new condition. 915-653-5765.

1986 2 ½ ton Chevy Truck with flatbed Ingersol Rand 250 air compressor. Sand blasting pot and equipment set up for blasting, painting, and coating. $18,000. 683-0004.

580 Farm Equipment

FORD 9N Tractor, new motor, new tires, good condition, $2,500. 16' Tandem axle trailer, 3' metal sides, new tires heavy duty. $1,500. Utility bed for ½ Ton Pickup $500. Call 687-4198.

Rentals

600	Rooms For Rent	640	Condos & Townhomes
601	Motel Rooms For Rent	645	Condos & Townhomes Furn./Unfurn.
603	Roommates Wanted	650	Mobile Homes Furnished
604	Want To Rent	655	Mobile Homes Unfurnished
605	Apartments Furnished	660	Mobile Homes Space Rental
610	Apartments Unfurnished	665	Business Prop. Office Rental
615	Apartments Furn. & Unfurn.	670	Warehouses & Storage Rental
620	Houses Furnished	675	Recreation & Resort Rental
625	Houses Unfurnished	680	Out Of Town Rental
630	Houses Furn. & Unfurn.	685	Hunting Leases
635	Condos & Townhouses Furn.	690	Oil And Gas Leases

601 Hotel/Motel Rooms For Rent

$69 Wkly - Kitchenettes $79/$85
No Lease/Deposits!
FREE Midland /Odessa Calls.
MORE! No Children. 520-3000

603 Roomate Wanted

LOOKING for responsible individual to share 3 bedroom home on west side, partially furnished, cable television and garage. Call Steve or Dave 689-8907.

605 Apartments Furnished

REDUCED Rates. Spacious 1 or 2 bedrooms now available. All utilities paid. Refrigerated air, swimming pool, laundry, carports. Imperial Apartments, 405 Sunset, 694-9978.

ALL UTILITYS PAID- 1 and 2 bedroom. Reeco Place Apartments 501 W. Louisiana. 685-0911 or 683-5161.

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