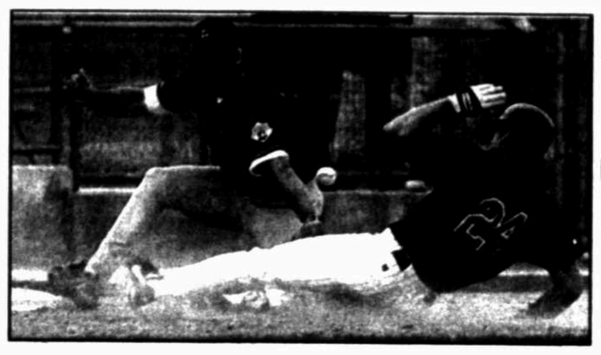


FOOD

All about veggies

Today's "What's Cooking?" features a couple who knows all about those fresh veggies, even lets some people run up a tab./**1B**



SPORTS

Fans come back

By the thousands they came back. They came despite a strike that settled nothing except stealing the World Series from them./**1D**

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News Watch



File photo

Ginger Rogers and Fred Astaire perform in the 1936 film "Follow the Fleet." Rogers died Tuesday.

Ginger Rogers, 83

Ginger Rogers, the vivacious actress whose supple grace in the arms of Fred Astaire lifted the spirits of Depression-era moviegoers in 10 of the most elegantly romantic musical films ever made, died Tuesday at her home in Rancho Mirage, Calif., at 83. **Page 4B**

Unabomber, too

SAN FRANCISCO — The cool and meticulous Unabomber, who has attacked without warning during 17 years of terror, wrote letters this time around that indicate he's unraveling, federal sources said Tuesday. **Page 6B**

O.J. trial resumes

LOS ANGELES — After two days of questioning rebellious jurors, the usually easy-going Judge Lance Ito got tough Tuesday, snapping orders, ejecting spectators and making clear he will tolerate no further delays in O.J. Simpson's trial. 'He appears to be a man with a mission to end this case," said Loyola University law professor Laurie Levenson. "It's as if he made a promise to those jurors and he's going to make good on it." **Page 6B**

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Conoco to put $650 million in assets on block

Area chief doesn't expect core basin properties sale

By John Paul Pitts
Business/Oil Editor

DuPont's announcement Tuesday that it would sell $650 million in assets of its Conoco subsidiary to raise funds needed to repurchase $8.8 billion of DuPont stock from Seagram Co. could mean more Conoco properties would go on the block in the Permian Basin.

If additional Conoco properties are sold in the Permian Basin, Bob Irelan, Conoco district manager in Midland, said he doesn't think it will involve core properties here, and that Conoco should be able to come up with enough non-core properties to meet its share of needed funds. He noted that the $650 million would be spread across the entire company, both domestic and international.

"We have been in the process of portfolio management for the past two years, and will continue with those programs. But if we do have to sell additional properties, they will be other non-core properties."

Irelan said any time a business restructures properties, there is always a potential for employee downsizing, but he didn't anticipate any in Midland. He said there could be some changes in the field as properties change hands, but doesn't think it would affect Midland operations.

DuPont Chairman Edgar Woolard said the company would sell a total of about $2 billion in assets to help buy shares from Seagram, the liquor and beverage company that has agreed to purchase Hollywood entertainment conglomerate MCA, and a spokesman said DuPont would raise about a third of that amount from the sale of assets of the Houston-based integrated oil company.

Conoco, with 988 million barrels of oil reserves and 5.16 trillion cubic feet of natural-gas reserves, normally contributes about 30 percent of DuPont earnings. Last year Conoco accounted for $680 mil-

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AP Laserphoto

A man installs a sign near the bombing area of downtown Oklahoma City. The city is trying to recover from last week's deadly car bombing of a federal building.

Agents' probe links brothers, bomb suspect

■ Motel manager says she recognizes 'John Doe No. 2' in more detailed FBI sketch; grisly search of wreckage goes on.

N.Y. Times News Service

WASHINGTON — Two brothers jailed as witnesses in the Oklahoma City bombing were charged Tuesday with engaging in a bomb-building conspiracy in Michigan with the former Army sergeant who is accused of setting the blast.

The criminal complaint filed in a Federal District Court in Michigan did not link the two directly to the Oklahoma bombing. But it said the brothers, James D. Nichols, 41, and Terry Nichols, 40, built "bottle bombs" and experimented with other explosives in 1992 and 1994 with Timothy J. McVeigh, who has been accused of planting the Oklahoma City bomb.

Until Tuesday, the Nichols brothers had been held as material witnesses but had not been accused of a crime. The conspiracy charges, which the Justice Department has been considering for several days, were designed to keep them in custody as investigators dig

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Tragedy spurs new debate about hate talk, consequences

By Mike Feinsilber
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — A senator says the president had better not visit his state without a bodyguard. An anti-abortion leader describes shooting abortion doctors as "justifiable homicide."

A radio talk-show host advises listeners to shoot at the head if attacked by federal agents wearing bullet-proof vests.

Too much wild talk, says President Clinton, who has been the target of an extraordinary amount of hostility, more than most presidents.

And not just Clinton. These days the government and federal bureaucrats — like those who worked in the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building in Oklahoma City — are often pictured as enemies of the people.

With authorities convinced that home-grown haters were the bombing villains, America is debating whether hateful talk sooner or later leads to hateful action.

Does the lunatic fringe take encouragement from harsh language or does it listen only to its own inner voic-

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One nurse's sacrifice: A good Samaritan rushes to her doom

By Sharon Cohen
Associated Press

OKLAHOMA CITY — Nobody ordered Rebecca Anderson to run for the door when her house shook from the force of the blast. No one demanded this nurse leave her new husband and four children and rush to the heart of chaos, where the injured needed her.

She just had to do it.

So she raced downtown, where a 4,000-pound package of terror had just torn apart a nine-story federal building, burying hundreds of people in a tower of rubble. Rebecca wanted to be there. She wanted to help.

She never got a chance. Shortly after she arrived, she was struck on the head by concrete from the collapsing building. Within hours, she was hospitalized. Within five days, she was dead. She was 37 years old.

Then, she went to the rescue once more: Her great heart was implanted in a sick man's

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AP Laserphoto

Rebecca Anderson, left, receives emergency care Wednesday.

Heated exchange ends MISD hearing on arming its officers

By Katherine Poteet
Staff Writer

Public discussion on the issue of arming four certified school-district police officers Tuesday ended with two trustees arguing over whether the debate should be continued at the board meeting.

Midland Independent School District board members Jackie Hamilton and James Fuller began arguing after Mrs. Hamilton told residents at the meeting that comments would have to stop because board members "had to be somewhere at 7 p.m."

Board members were scheduled to be at the Texas Scholars' Banquet at the Midland Center.

Fuller said the issue of arming officers was important and that all the residents should be heard.

"We have to finish this business in the next 10 minutes because we have somewhere we

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Volunteer's idea rewrites national policy

By Gary Shanks
Staff Writer

A Midland Red Cross volunteer was given an opportunity to write national Red Cross policy in a recent push by national Red Cross officials to fine-tune their disaster relief services. Her idea is one way to better prepare for disasters on the scale of the Oklahoma bombing.

Cathryn DeNife's idea on avenues to expand basic life support training for the community was one of only 200 ideas out of 1,200 suggestions nationwide to be adopted by the national organization.

Ms. DeNife and other volunteers in the local Red Cross office are serving as communications conduits for nine families in the Midland area with loved ones still missing in the Oklahoma bombing tragedy, said Executive Director Ellen Pate.

Most are aware of the Red Cross' commitment to providing relief to victims of disaster, but another part of their charter is to help people prevent, prepare for and respond to emergencies, Ms. DeNife said.

It is in this preparatory role that Ms. DeNife's insight comes into play. To provide an opportunity to impart basic first-aid training to large numbers of people in a com-

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Cathryn DeNife volunteers at Midland's Red Cross office and recently submitted an idea regarding Red Cross activities in the community adopted by the national organization.

Joe D. Williams
Reporter-Telegram

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600 Rwandan refugees resist eviction

KIBEHO, Rwanda (AP) — About 600 refugee holdouts from Rwanda's latest cycle of horror barricaded themselves Monday inside a school strewn with mangled bodies, facing down army troops who pointed recoilless rifles and demanded they come out.

The refugees refused to join 100,000 terrified people trudging through ankle-deep mud away from the slaughter at the Kibeho camp, closed down by Rwandan troops in a chaotic, bloody weekend operation that left at least 2,000 dead from gunfire and stampedes.

A report issued Monday by a human rights group criticized U.N. troops who were there at the time, saying they failed to protect civilians in their care.

The report by Human Rights Watch-Africa acknowledged there were just 200 U.N. troops, too few to confront the 2,000 Rwandan soldiers at Kibeho. But it said the U.N. force failed to anticipate the threat posed by the Rwandan army buildup and didn't call in more U.N. troops.

A U.N. spokesman in New York, Joe Sills, declined direct comment on the report but noted that peacekeepers have been sheltering 400 children, put their medical facilities on alert and were transporting the injured by helicopter.

After initially saying as many as 5,000 people had been killed, the U.N. Assistance Mission reduced its estimate Sunday to "a more scientific count" of about 2,000 dead and 600 hurt.

About 20 U.N. medical corpsmen, guarded by 20 U.N. soldiers with automatic rifles — some with bayonets attached — moved onto the school grounds Monday to evacuate the wounded.

At least 60 people in blood-soaked clothes, most badly beaten or wounded by machetes, were put on the road outside where Red Cross doctors examined their wounds and determined who would be moved first. None appeared to have bullet wounds.

Stretcher bearers stumbled through the trash that carpeted the courtyard and buried some bodies, including one baby.

Inside, several bodies were sprawled on a staircase leading to the second floor. In one room, a woman lay next to the corpse of an old man while naked children played on the floor.

"Please find us another place to go. We are afraid," said Jenne Mukamana, one of the refugees inside the school grounds.

Many of the people there apparently were hard-line Hutus who have the most to fear from the Tutsi-led army for the slaughter last year of some 500,000 Rwandans, most of them Tutsis. Tens of thousands of Hutus fled to Kibeho in July as Tutsi rebels overthrew the Hutu government. Many are afraid to return.

"We can't go home. They will kill us," said one of the leaders of the refugees, 73-year-old Silas Ndangamira.

No bodies could be seen outside the school grounds; soldiers buried most of the dead in mass graves Sunday. Only 300 or 400 refugees remained in the rest of the camp; mostly, it is a ghost town of acres upon acres of deserted huts, shards of cooking pots, clothing, shoes and machetes.

A team from Doctors Without Borders arrived Monday morning in Kibeho with medical supplies, but soldiers threatened to bomb their field hospital if they went inside, said Joelle Tanguy, executive director of the group's American branch.

"The RPA (Rwandan Patriotic Army) is afraid that we're going to be a magnet for the population," Tanguy said.

Inside the school compound, the courtyard was littered with machetes, shell casings, filthy and trampled Bibles, family pictures, old food, clothing, broken plastic containers, old mattresses and other trash.

Eight bodies were lined up along a walkway in the school grounds. All appeared to have been hacked with machetes or clubbed to death. Some refugees said they had been killed by other refugees at the school because they wanted to leave.

On a top-floor balcony, a man stood beside the body of another, shouting that Rwandan soldiers were going to kill them.

"The RPA and UNAMIR are killers," shouted Mathias Nsanzimana as he ran his finger across his throat. UNAMIR is the U.N. force.

The army gave the holdouts until 4 p.m. to end their standoff. Troops moved into the camp briefly when the deadline passed, but pulled out, apparently after noticing journalists watching from a distance.

Brig. Gen. Henry Anyidoho, the deputy U.N. force commander, said the army had agreed to stay back and let the United Nations evacuate the school. He said the refugees considered the U.N. troops neutral but were afraid of the Rwandan army.

Meanwhile, 100,000 people, many sick or wounded, fled from Kibeho toward the provincial capital of Butare, 20 miles east. Ray Wilkinson, spokesman for the U.N. High Commissioner for Refugees in Nairobi, Kenya, said they were "totally terrified." The column of refugees, he said, stretched for miles.

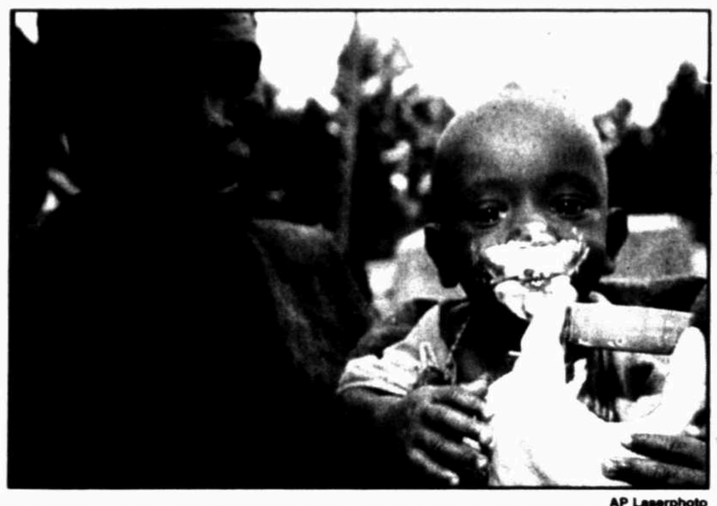
Agency staffers in Geneva reported that more than 50,000 people reached Butare on Monday. An estimated 10,000 arrived in the capital, Kigali, and thousands more were returning to their home villages.

The U.N. High Commissioner for Refugees, Sadako Ogata, issued a statement condemning the "brutal killing of thousands of internally displaced people."

Francois Musoni, 25, nursing a bullet wound in a foot, said soldiers fired on refugees Saturday without provocation.

"The (army) came and told us that we had to go home," he said. "And we looked up and saw soldiers surrounding us on a hill and they fired."

Kibeho was the largest of several camps set up by French troops in southern Rwanda for 250,000 displaced people.



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Ndekezi, 39, left, holds an unidentified child at the Butari transit camp as a nurse gives him milk, Tuesday. Ndekezi picked up the abandoned baby, Saturday.

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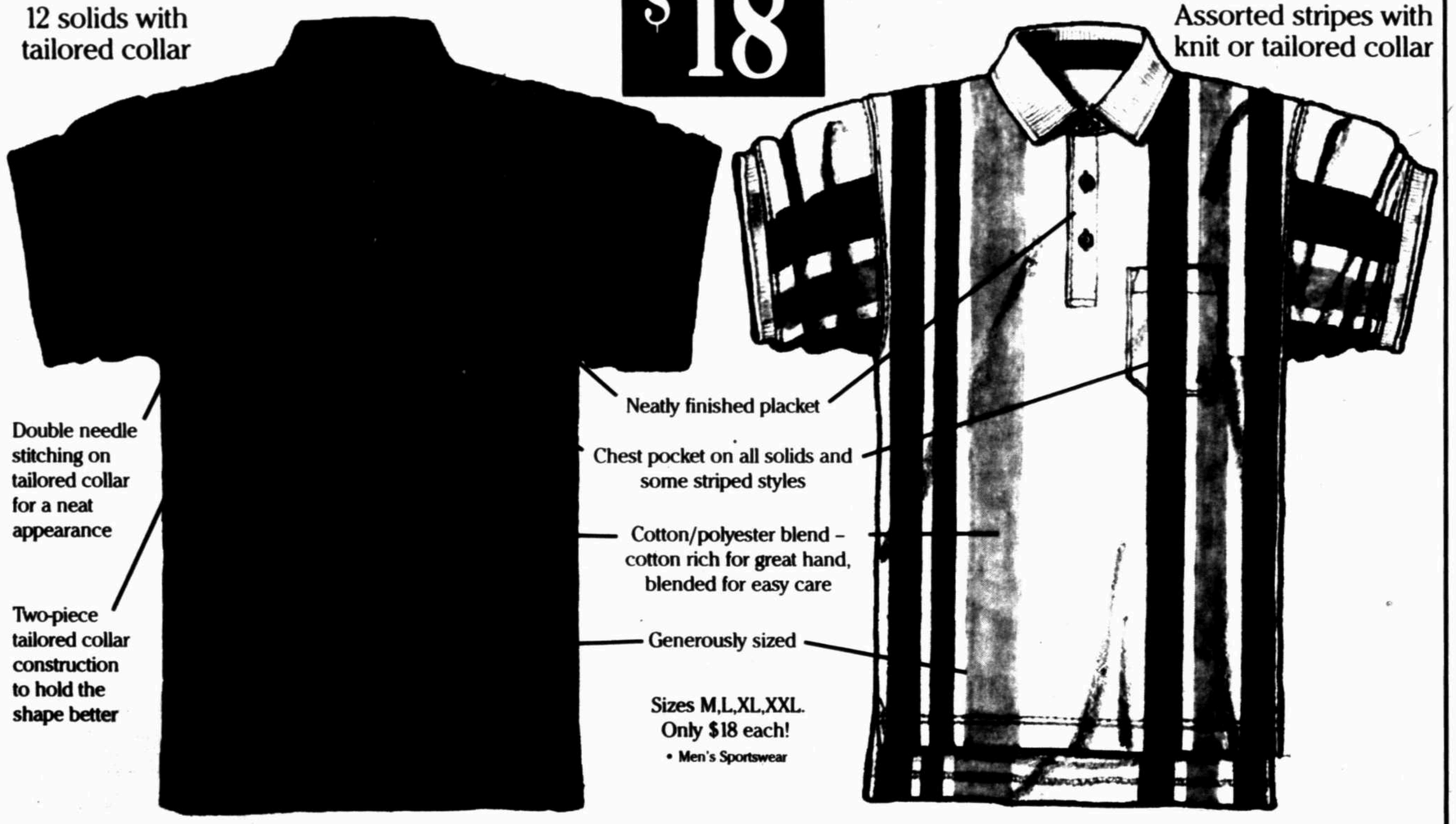
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Yeltsin backs move for formation of new political movement

MOSCOW (AP) — In a move backed by Boris Yeltsin, Prime Minister Viktor Chernomyrdin announced plans Tuesday to create a centrist political movement to fight the extremism that has frustrated reform efforts.

The announcement is one of the clearest signs yet of the government's strategy for December parliamentary elections, and for the presidential balloting six months later.

It was unclear who initiated the move, disclosed by Chernomyrdin at a ceremony marking the completion of the Central Army Museum.

Yeltsin immediately endorsed the decision as well as the creation of another centrist movement, to be led by parliament speaker and Yeltsin supporter Ivan Rybkin.

"This is yet another major step toward political stability," the president said.

The president and prime minister are closely linked, and as Yeltsin's popularity wanes, speculation has risen that he has been priming Chernomyrdin to take over. Neither has said whether he plans to run for president in 1996.

The move would consolidate Yeltsin's power base, snubbing extremist forces which dominated parliamentary elections in December 1993. It also demonstrates Yeltsin's shift away from the liberal forces which brought him to power.

Yeltsin has avoided direct links with any single party but apparently is trying to marshal support with elections nearing. He supported the reformist Russia's Choice, led by his former prime minister Yegor Gaidar, but the party broke with him over his use of force in Chechnya.

"Russia has had enough revolutions," Chernomyrdin said. "Russia is our home and we must make every effort to ensure stability and restore order in it."

He also reiterated the government's commitment to holding the Dec. 12 elections, dismissing speculation the government would postpone them for fear of a repeat of the 1993 election outcome.

Parliament, while largely ineffectual, has managed to frustrate Yeltsin's economic reform efforts in several areas, including the budget.

Gaidar said he was unlikely to support the new movements but called the initiative "natural."

"The government needs its own political base. The government's party has no defined structure, and this muddles the voter," Gaidar said in the State Duma, or lower house of parliament.

The new alliances, as yet unnamed, both will be centrist and aimed at uniting groups and parties loyal to the government and its current economic policy. They will also bring together some of the country's most powerful economic interests.

Chernomyrdin, former director of the Soviet Union's huge natural gas industry, is still closely tied to the gas lobby. His movement will include the recently formed centrist Stability party and Deputy Prime Minister Sergei Shakhrai.

Rybkin, who will lead the second movement, represents the powerful agriculture sector and the Agrarian Party.

He is joined by Yuri Petrov, head of the huge Russian Investment Corporation and a former presidential aide; Mikhail Shmakov, chairman of the country's biggest trade union; and parliament deputies from various parties.

Legislator Vladimir Isakov assailed the moves as "indecent" and unconstitutional because of the government's blatant political involvement.

U.N. could bow to Serb pressure over airport use

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina (AP) — Crippled by a critical fuel shortage, the United Nations signaled Tuesday that it may give in to Serb demands to ban civilian use of the front-line Sarajevo airport.

U.N. officials a day ahead of today's scheduled airport talks expressed little hope they could avoid further restricting use of Sarajevo's lifeline to the outside world.

It's likely the Serbs will be less than cooperative today with the United Nations because a U.N. tribunal in The Hague on Monday named Bosnian Serb leader Radovan Karadzic and his military commander, Gen. Ratko Mladic, as war crimes suspects.

Karadzic, who has yet to comment on the tribunal's announcement, met Tuesday with Patriarch Pavle, the head of the Serbian Orthodox Church.

Pavle has criticized Serbia President Slobodan Milosevic for cutting ties to his proteges in Bosnia in hopes of forcing them to accept an international peace plan that would cost the Serb rebels one-third of their territorial gains since war broke out three years ago.

Karadzic used Pavle's visit to try to argue that God was on the Bosnian Serb side, while claiming he was committed to peace.

"We are making efforts to make the war stop as soon as possible and that it stops without a winner or loser," Karadzic said, but added: "We think it is our duty to defend ourselves."

"Everything else would not please God and would not be in keeping with our Orthodox tradition," he said. "Our people endure and the one who endures wins."

U.N. officials in Bosnia on Monday expressed concern that the tribunal's move could lead to further retaliation against peacekeepers and tightened restrictions on aid deliveries.

Following several successful offensives by government forces in recent weeks, Serbs have increasingly squeezed Sarajevo. Seven people were wounded in the city Tuesday, including five bus passengers targeted by snipers.

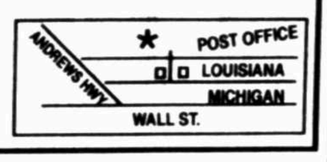
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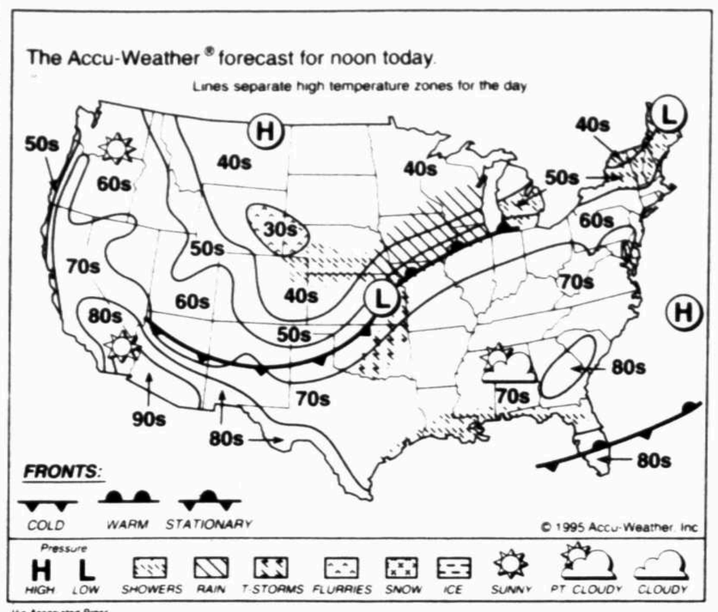
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Basin should return to 80s

Staff Report

Today's forecast calls for mostly sunny skies with a high in the lower 80s and southwest winds at 15-25 mph. Tonight should be partly cloudy with a low in the upper 40s, according to the National Weather Service in Midland.

Thursday should be mostly cloudy with a high in the lower 70s.

After an overnight low of 44, Tuesday's high reached 81, compared to the record high for that date of 98 set in 1943. The record low was 39 set in 1937.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Today mostly sunny high in the lower 80s southwest winds 15-25 mph
Tonight partly cloudy low in the upper 40s
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NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS
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Texas temperatures

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Laredo	77	56	
Lubbock	82	43	
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San Antonio	78	45	
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Wink	87	49	

Border forecasts

NEW MEXICO — Today, partly cloudy northeast in the morning. Otherwise fair skies. Cooler northeast and a little cooler northwest. Highs 50s and 60s mountains and north with 70s to mid-80s south. Tonight, partly cloudy east with fair skies west. Lows 20s and 30s mountains and north with mid-30s to 40s south. Thursday and Thursday night, increasing high clouds northwest. Thursday afternoon and across the north Thursday night. Mostly fair skies elsewhere. Highs mid-50s to lower 70s mountains and north with 70s to lower 80s south. Lows mid-20s to near 40 mountains and north with upper 30s to 40s south. Extended forecast: Friday, partly cloudy, breezy and mild with a slight chance for showers northern mountains. Highs upper 50s to mid-70s mountains and north with upper 70s to 80s south. Saturday, slight chance for showers or thundershowers central mountains eastward. Fair to partly cloudy west. Cooler northeast with slight cooling northwest and southeast. Lows mid-20s to near 40 mountains and north with upper 30s to lower 50s lower elevations south. Highs 50s and 60s mountains and north with 70s to mid 80s south. Sunday, partly cloudy east with temperatures below seasonal. Mostly fair west with near seasonal average temperatures. Lows 20s and 30s mountains and northwest with mid 30s to 40s elsewhere. Highs mid 50s to lower 70s mountains, north and east to the lower 80s southwest.

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Baltimore	69	46	.02	cdy
Boston	65	42	cdy	
Charlotte N.C.	69	39	cdy	
Cheyenne	50	37	.01	cdy
Chicago	58	37	.07	cdy
Cincinnati	59	40	.08	rn
Cleveland	55	33	.17	rn
Denver	59	37	cdy	
Detroit	52	43	.02	rn
Flagstaff	64	24	cdy	
Honolulu	80	68	.44	cdy
Indianapolis	59	40	.08	rn
Kansas City	70	39	cdy	
Las Vegas	89	55	cdy	
Los Angeles	77	59	cdy	
Louisville	65	47	.01	cdy
Memphis	71	47	rn	
Miami Beach	87	71	2.37	cdy
Milwaukee	57	39	.01	rn
Mpls-St Paul	61	37	cdy	
Nashville	68	42	rn	
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New York City	69	46	rn	
Oklahoma City	70	39	clr	
Philadelphia	67	49	clr	
Phoenix	89	57	cdy	

MISD: School board discusses arming its officers

(From 1A)

have to be," Mrs. Hamilton said.

"We need to stay here until midnight, if necessary, on this issue," Fuller responded.

"You are out of order," said Mrs. Hamilton, rapping her gavel.

The two then argued back and forth until Mrs. Hamilton, over Fuller's voice, told a resident he could speak, but that would end the discussion.

The argument ended about an hour of discussion on the issue, with a majority of speakers supporting the idea of arming the officers.

"There has been a lot of talk about accidents that could happen if we arm these officers," said Tammy Rhodes. "However, I would rather there be an accident than nothing done to protect my children."

Mitch Landry said officers who respond to incidents both on and off campus should have the proper equipment.

"I can't imagine not letting these officers be able to defend themselves," Landry said.

Chuck Brawner, who works with the Texas Association of School District Police, said research into arming officers revealed no instances of students taking guns away from officers in the state.

"You should not let liability get in the way of providing a safe environment for your students," he said.

Several Midland police officers, including Chief Richard Czech, attended the meeting. Officers turned in a petition with about 200 signatures supporting the arming of the district officers, said Officer Phyllis Blair.

Sgt. Dale Seago spoke in favor of arming the officers in the face of escalating violence in the schools.

"Fights in my generation were settled in the parking lot with fists," Seago said. "Kids today don't finish it with their fists. If you start an argument with one of these kids, the next step is deadly force, which is usually a gun.

"The Midland of 20 years ago is not here today," he said. "We have the same problems as Los Angeles and New York."

Seago said officers, whether armed or unarmed, became the enemies of some students."

"If a kid sees one of these officers in their vehicle, they became the enemy," he said.

Board member Dianne Anderson asked if the problem could be alleviated by taking the officers out of their vehicles and assigning each to a different campus.

"Are you willing to put 15-16 new officers on the payroll?" Seago responded.

Arguments against arming the officers included the safety of students and exploring alternatives to having the guns.

"I have a lot of respect and support for the MISD officers," said Jeannette Gragisic. "However, my question is, are they going to shoot a child? Children are not wearing bulletproof vests, while the officers are. If an armed officers had been at the Lee (High School) shooting last week, would that child be dead now?"

Fred Newman said the solution was not arming the officers, but putting teachers and principals back in control of the schools.

He recommended allowing teachers to make the decision as whether or not a student will stay in their classes and creating a fourth campus for students deemed by the principals as too disruptive or dangerous.

"Taxpayers do not want guns," he said. "They want safe schools."

Before public discussion on arming officers, the board approved a procedure for a policy that would allow random metal detector searches.

Superintendent Joseph Baressi Jr. said the district policy allows scans with handheld metal detectors if there is probable cause. The new policy will allow principals to make the decision to conduct random searches of classes.

In other business, the board approved adding character education to the district's curriculum.

CONOCO: Area manager doesn't expect downsizing

(From1A)

lion, of DuPont total earnings of $2.7 billion. Analysts have estimated Conoco's total value at $13 billion.

Rumors have persisted that DuPont might sell Conoco outright, but Irelan called that a "12-year rumor that never goes away." Said Ireland: "I don't think DuPont will sell Conoco, because they have said they are quiet happy with the synergy developed between the total company." DuPont has said it will not sell a minority interest in Conoco because it might hinder the company's flexibility.

Asked how hard it would be to sell $650 million in assets and if the sale would cripple Conoco, Irelan said it would be a challenge to sell $650 million in assets, but not an enormous challenge. "We may have to accelerate some of our divestiture plans already in place, but I think we can raise the funds without causing serious problems for Conoco."

The Midland executive also said he doesn't think Conoco will have to sell out of any of its exploration positions in the Permian Basin to raise the funds, such as the Val Verde Basin, where the company has a successful gas play under way.

Neither DuPont nor analysts who follow the firm would speculate on what parts of the company will be put on the block.

Conoco was bought by DuPont in 1981 in a bidding war with Seagram, as a result Seagram, which is controlled by the Bronfman family, became DuPont's largest shareholder.

DuPont has agreed to pay $8.8 billion to buy back almost all of the Seagram shares, and will resell some of the shares on the open market. About $500 million in stock would be issued to DuPont's pension fund, and another $1.5 billion to an employee-benefit program, bringing the total to about $3 billion, according to the Associated Press.

Seagram, in turn, will use the money to buy controlling interest in MCA from Matsushita Electrical Industrial Co. of Japan.

Last week, the company filed federal registration documents for a public offering of 17 million shares at $61.94 a share, the average market price the day before the registration, for net proceeds to the company of $1 billion.

Conoco was the first large U.S. company to start producing oil in Russia. And earlier this month, dropped a $1 billion offshore oil and gas development contract with Iran last month after President Clinton issued an executive order prohibiting deals between U.S. firms and the Iranian government.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

DEBATES: Americans question hate-talk climate

(From 1A)

es?

"I don't know how to make the link," says Alan Brinkley, a Columbia University historian. "I do think it is plausible at a time when the federal government is subject to so much abuse. But it is impossible to prove that."

But Rep. Andrew Jacobs, D-Ind., saw a link last year between radio talk-show chatter and the three attacks on the White House that occurred in short order last fall.

"Use right-wing monopoly airwaves to preach hatred and practice character assassination against the president," said Jacobs, "and watch the bullets fly at the White House from unstable listeners — or listeners to listeners."

Some current domestic issues — gun control and abortion especially — stir strong feelings. In Alabama, where an abortion doctor was killed in 1993, the Rev. David C. Trosch, leader Life Enterprises Unlimited, was thwarted when he tried to run newspaper advertisements calling such shootings "justifiable homicide."

For his part, Clinton doesn't draw a direct link between harsh words and action. But he sees talk being used "to keep some people as paranoid as possible and the rest of us all torn up and upset with each other."

His advice: Talk back. "We have freedom of speech, too," Clinton said Monday, and a responsibility to speak out against "reckless speech and behavior."

Conservatives are taking offense at what they're hearing about their talk.

House Speaker Newt Gingrich found "grotesque and offensive" any suggestion that the anti-government sentiment that brought him to power could have created the climate that led to the bombing.

Talk show host Rush Limbaugh told his vast audience: "Liberals intend to use this tragedy for their own gain."

"I don't know what the president was talking about yesterday when he said 'loud and angry voices' spread hate and 'leave the impression that by their very words this violence is acceptable,'" Sen. Don Nickles, R-Okla., told the Senate Tuesday.

The antenna of civil liberty advocates also quivered.

The president's "cautionary admonitions" were "jolly good," unless they lead toward limiting free speech, said William Van Allstyne, a First Amendment expert at the Duke University Law School. "Harsh criticism of government is nothing I want to discourage," he said.

"Openness and tolerance defuse home-grown terrorist movements whereas measures that move closer toward police state tactics provide a rationale for them in the minds of some," argued Roger Pilon, at the libertarian Cato Institute.

Some experts commented that what's openly said on the airwaves is far less worrisome than messages carried by computer networks, shortwave radio and newsletters.

And a liberal, Harvard Law professor Alan Dershowitz, longtime student of hate speech, sees less hate in general, but more "public expression of hate" these days. "It has become more legitimate to express it."

Hate-filled rhetoric is nothing new. In the 1930s, priest Charles Coughlin, with the biggest audience in radio, advocated the elimination of Franklin D. Roosevelt by "the use of bullets."

But in the past, "you wouldn't have heard anything from a U.S. senator" comparable to Jesse Helms' comment that Clinton "better have a bodyguard" if he visits North Carolina, Brinkley said. Helms called the remark a mistake, and a joke.

No contrition was offered by broadcaster G. Gordon Liddy, who had counseled "head shots, head shots" for someone attacked with lethal force by federal agents.

On Tuesday, he went further. He said the head is too hard to hit. "So you shoot twice to the body, center of mass, and if that does not work, then shoot to the groin area."

He also confirmed that during a family outing at a rifle range last July 4, he made up targets by drawing stick figures and naming them Bill and Hillary.

"Now, having said that, I accept no responsibility for somebody shooting up the White House," Liddy said, adding: "I don't feel that I am fueling the lunatic fringe."

IDEA: Volunteer writes national policy

(From 1A)

munity, Red Cross officials in local offices across the nation will be attempting to establish relationships with larger employers such as banks and hospitals.

Red Cross officials hope to strike mutually beneficial bargains with these employers, trading training in basic life-saving techniques for all employees in exchange for supplies and/or free publicity for the Red Cross, she said.

This basic course contains enough practical first-aid information, that in some cases insurance rates will drop if a business' employees have completed the course. "This teaches what to do until professional help gets there," Ms. DeNife said.

In exchange, Red Cross officials hope participating businesses will help with purchases of equipment for the local office, such as CPR dummies, which, in the numbers needed, are a great expense for any Red Cross office.

In wake of the Oklahoma disaster, Ms. Pate is hoping to draw more volunteers from the community willing to undergo disaster relief training.

Right now, there are about 60 well-trained volunteers in Midland, Ms. Pate said. And even though these volunteers are trained to use non-trained volunteers in the event of disaster, this number of trained volunteers is far too low to handle a catastrophe on the scale of the Oklahoma bombing, she said.

"While we have a number of well-trained volunteers, we need support personnel," Ms. Pate said.

For such a massive catastrophe, Ms. Pate said the local office would need a core of about 250 volunteers who have at least completed 32 hours of disaster relief training. "Sixty wouldn't be anywhere near enough," she said.

"We need to put the training in ahead of time. When a disaster like that happens, there's no time to train," she said.

Local Red Cross officials will be set up at the Midland Park Mall all day Saturday in hopes of signing volunteers. "All of our disaster relief training is free, and it's all available right here in Midland," Ms. Pate said.

For more information on the local Red Cross, call 684-6161.

LINKS: Motel manager says she recognizes sketch

(From 1A)

deeper into what law-enforcement officials suspect are their links to the bombing plot. Neither man has formally entered a plea. It is not clear how long the government could have held the men without charging them.

McVeigh was named as a coconspirator in the criminal complaint but was not charged.

The Federal Bureau of Investigation continued its nationwide manhunt for a second suspect in the bombing, releasing a more detailed sketch of the tattooed man identified as "John Doe No. 2." The new drawing was much like the earlier one but showed the heavy-browed, square-jawed man wearing a baseball cap.

A motel manager in Junction City, Kan., said she recognized the man in the sketch as a guest who had stayed there two days before the bombing. She said she had told FBI agents about the incident, but declined to elaborate or to say what name he had used when he registered. Another employee of the hotel told the Associated Press that the same guest had a foreign accent and seemed nervous.

In Buffalo, N.Y., federal agents questioned McVeigh's sister, Jennifer, who arrived there on Monday after investigators searched her home in Pensacola, Fla., on Sunday night looking for bomb-making materials and books on explosives.

And at the blast site, the grisly search of the wreckage went on with the death toll exceeding 100 Tuesday as searchers reported finding a group of about 30 bodies.

At the site, tensions flared between emergency officials in charge of the rescue operations and investigators trying to gain fuller and quicker access to the building.

As the legal case progressed, President Clinton sought to keep up the political initiative in response to the bombing, summoning congressional leaders to the White House on Wednesday to discuss a package of counterrorism proposals he hopes to quickly present to legislators.

The momentum to broaden the government's authority to investigate domestic terror groups was slowed, however, by a serious rift between the Justice Department, which seeks broad new powers, and the Treasury Department, which views existing authority as adequate.

Investigators, working leads in every region of the country, pieced together a mosaic of information filling out their picture of McVeigh's life and his known associates. With leads pouring in and aggressive surveillance of McVeigh's family members and friends under way in several states, investigators said they remained confident they would apprehend the second man.

Investigators said that the evidentiary web tying McVeigh to the bombing was drawing tighter with the discovery of trace residues of ammonium nitrate and high explosives inside the 1977 Mercury he was driving when he was stopped by a local law enforcement officer in Perry, Okla., about 80 minutes after the bombing.

SACRIFICE: Injuries kill practical nurse while she helped others

(From 1A)

chest.

On Tuesday, her husband, Fred, her children — ages 10 to 17 — and other family and friends bid farewell to Rebecca Anderson in her hometown of Fort Smith, Ark. As they mourn, they also find solace knowing she died doing a good deed.

"Rarely do we go out of life doing what we want," Anderson said, puffing on a cigarette, his eyes red with tears and fatigue. "She gave her life doing what she wanted to do."

"I wish," he said, "I had half the compassion and heart that she had."

Rebecca was just beginning a new life when tragedy struck. Divorced, she started nursing school about three years ago and then went to work at the Brookwood Nursing Center.

Her personal life was flourishing, too, thanks, to a husky, blue-eyed truck driver she'd met through a mutual friend. Their first date was Oct. 2, 1993 — Rebecca's 36th birthday. He had scouted out a restaurant that served her favorite dish, Alaskan king crab. The next day he brought her gladiolas. Nine months later, they stood hand in hand at the church altar.

Both Andersons had work off last Wednesday and were watching television when their house shook. Immediately, Rebecca grabbed some clothes and told her husband they needed to go help.

Though they'd been wed less than nine months, Anderson knew his wife was a determined woman. He would take her to the blast site, and then go off, looking to help where he could.

"If I told her no, I wouldn't have made a difference," he said wistfully. "Nobody could change her mind. If she told me it was important, it WAS important."

Before leaving, she called a friend and co-worker, Ava Muzny. "I told her to be careful and call me that night," Muzny recalled.

Nearly 200 miles away, in Fort Smith, her younger sister, Lori Hughen, watched the horror on television. She kept an eye out for Rebecca.

"I thought I'd see her there putting on Band-Aids," she said, smiling though tears as she huddled with Rebecca's 15-year-old daughter, Hilary.

Rebecca always had a big smile and a big heart. A prim and proper girl who never cursed or got riled, as a child she brought home stray animals — even field mice — to feed. She picked up hitchikers against her husband's warnings and once quit a debt collecting job because she couldn't stand to hurt anyone.

So it was inevitable Rebecca would rush to the bombing site. Within hours after he dropped her off, Anderson was paged by University Hospital. The message: His wife was injured badly. No, he said, it must be a mistake, she was not in the bombed building. It was no mistake.

It was only after Rebecca's death that Anderson pieced together what happened. There were public appeals for information, and a photo of his wife fainting appeared in a local newspaper. Finally, witnesses told him Rebecca was hit by a large slab of concrete while helping rescuers near the building.

She sat down, someone went to get help, then she got up again and began walking. She went a short distance, her eyes rolled into her head; then she fainted, her head smacking against the pavement.

When Anderson arrived at the hospital, he said, a doctor showed him X-rays, indicating a severe blow to the back of her head and small hemorrhages. When he entered his wife's room, she recognized him. "I said, baby, 'what happened?'" he recalled. "She said, 'I don't remember."

That night, she lost consciousness.

Over the next five days, her family, including four brothers and a sister, kept vigil, exhilarated when Rebecca answered a command to wiggle her toes, distraught when all the drugs, surgery and modern marvels of medicine couldn't quell the swelling of her brain.

"Rebecca was fighting so hard to stay alive," her husband said, his voice breaking. "With all the trauma she had suffered, she surprised people she had lasted so long. I said a word of prayer and said, 'God, go and take her. It's OK.' I said to Rebecca, 'Quit fighting now. You can go now.'"

He stops talking, bows his head, covers his eyes with hands and starts sobbing.

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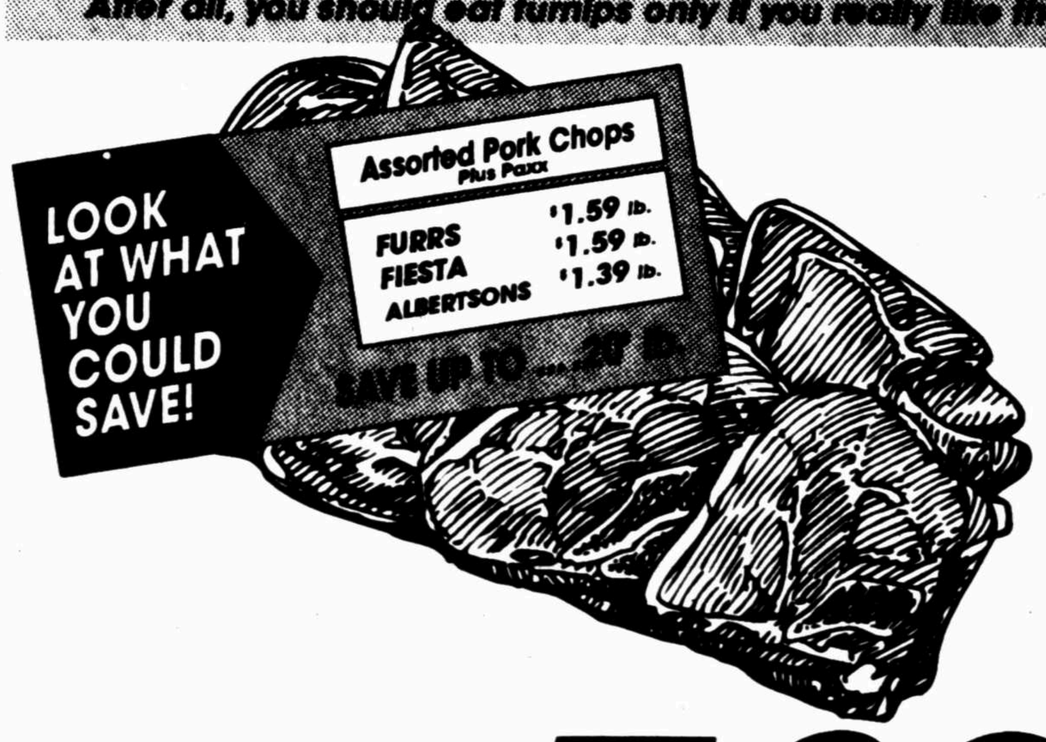
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Congress needs to be cautious in crackdown

In the wake of the Oklahoma City bombing and indications it may have been the handiwork of home-grown anti-government terrorists — Timothy McVeigh and one of the paramilitary groups that have been springing up across America in recent years — it would be extremely easy for otherwise rational people to throw caution to the wind and to grab at easy "solutions."

Already congressional leaders from both political parties are rushing to expand a bill aimed at cracking down on terrorists to include domestic groups. Certainly there is cause for concern because of the number of so-called "hate groups" that have surfaced in recent times.

Yet one danger appears to be that in the wake of the Oklahoma City bombing government overreaction aimed at targeting domestic terrorism groups will lead to legislation that will condone the very government excesses many of the so-called "hate groups" fear.

No doubt the temptation will be great to give law enforcement agencies more intrusive powers than they need or that would be wise in an open society. With such power necessarily comes the potential for abuse and the trampling of the peoples' constitutional rights.

A delicate balance exists between giving law enforcement agencies too much or too little authority, but that balance must be maintained even during trying times such as these.

Fortunately, the means already exist for Americans to deal with aspects of a government that they may not like. That means is not through violent acts but through the ballot box, exemplified most recently in the 1994 elections. Political pressure can also be exercised through letter-writing, petition drives and action in political campaigns. That is the American way, the non-violent, civilized way.

Having said that, however, it's obvious there are and perhaps always will be people who will choose violent, uncivilized ways such as the Oklahoma City terror attack. And the American people deserve protection against them.

Restraints were placed against the FBI and other of the nation's top law enforcement agencies in the wake of Watergate and the abuses of power it unveiled. It is possible that legislation at the time went too far in the direction of protecting activities of even the most dangerous anti-government organizations.

That is for the Congress to decide, of course, and the bipartisan effort now underway must include a thorough look at both sides of the coin.

One thing is certain: There is too much hate being spewed out in this country, too much reckless, unfounded trash passed out as truth, too much defining the government of our country as "the enemy."

Once that course is taken it can be, for some, a relatively small step across the line into irrational, senseless acts of violence.

The challenge for the Republican-controlled Congress is to provide the people a higher degree of protection against the kind of slaughter witnessed last week without undue damage to the personal freedoms inherent in our free society.

JACK ANDERSON

Commission funnels funds to wrong projects

WASHINGTON — The Republican Congress is forging ahead with funding for a 30-year-old pork barrel program that promised economic renaissance but has produced little more than dashed dreams.

We pointed out this hypocrisy of Republicans who profess to be budget-cutters — but save the Lyndon Johnson-founded Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) — in a recent column that stirred controversy on Capitol Hill.



Anderson

Our four-month investigation of ARC, including travel through all 13 states affected by it, uncovered the fact that the commission has failed in its prime mission. Nevertheless, it keeps on collecting gobs of federal money.

The 1965 act that created the commission defined its prime directive: "To build the foundation for a vigorous, diversified, self-sustaining Appalachian economy that affords a wide range of social and economic opportunities for the people of the region."

That has not happened. The window dressing of public works projects, like new roads, is evident. But it has failed to put forth a long-term solution to poverty.

Certainly there are other signs of visible progress: Mobile homes and trailers, purchased during the coal boom and not by the ARC, have now replaced many of the tar paper shacks. Indoor plumbing is a more common feature than outhouses. The ARC built $11 million-a-mile roads, hospitals, and water and sewer lines.

Asked for signs of progress, officials most often point to a Wendy's, Pizza Hut or McDonald's that's come to town in the last decade.

Our examination revealed that one of the reasons the ARC failed was because of the relative pittance it applied to what is considered the most important factor in propelling a people out of poverty — education.

The largest single expenditure the ARC made for education — more than $400 million over the last three decades — was not for high schools or colleges in the region, but toward a massive effort building and equipping 700 vocational facilities at 510 vocational schools. The ARC's public relations magazine, Appalachia, has touted this as one of their greatest achievements.

As one critic of the ARC put it, this largest single ARC education expenditure did "a double disservice to the region's people: It locked them into the fickle job-demand system of marginal industries and deprived them of the analytical skills needed to press for long-term reconstruction of the region."

Scarce education dollars have gone to programs such as the Regional Truck Driving Training Program in North Carolina ($89,910). The Arch A. Moore Junior Vocational Technical Center in West Virginia got $232,000 for equipment at the behest of its namesake (who was later sent to jail for corruption).

The ARC wouldn't abandon voc-ed programs when the Cabinet agency over education advised that what was needed was not more voc-ed training but more than 200,000 college graduates. That number would barely bring the region up to national norms and provide a truly educated job pool for high-paying employment. Instead, one ARC staffer charged that the ARC was giving Appalachians "a choice of becoming skilled machine laborers, or starving."

ARC federal co-chair Jacqueline Phillips conceded in 1991 that voc-ed was "on the decline almost universally in the nation" and that it was a "somewhat larger decline in the Appalachian region because it has a disproportionate number of area voc-tech schools."

The bricks and mortar aspect of the whole ARC program had them concentrating on construction more than curriculum. Dr. Richard Powers, hired by the ARC to take an in-house look at the voc-ed building program, warned: "That the ARC program for vocational education construction has been a success is a statement that can be hardly challenged. However, it is limited to buildings, thus providing a place where learning can take place. More than buildings is required. A student trained in a new building but in an obsolete program is as inadequately trained as an obsolete program in an obsolete building."

One aspect of the voc-ed program that truly disturbed families in the Appalachian region is that they required graduates to leave the region to find a job. Many saw it is a way the ARC was solving poverty by depopulating central Appalachia — an approach which should not cost $400 million.

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WILLIAM SAFIRE

Democratic values, individual rights are universal

WASHINGTON — The dictatorial regime in Singapore, long critical of American weakness in upholding the law, hired a trio of American dry-bone experts to help gain moral absolution for too quickly executing a Filipino maid questionably convicted of murder.



Safire

Last month's hanging of Flor Contemplacion, who was one of the 60,000 Filipino household workers treated as little better than slaves by their Singaporean masters, has made a mockery of Strongman Lee Kuan Yew's pretense of upholding "Asian values" against the decadent West.

Remember how Singapore's prosecutors and local counsel extracted a "confession" out of an American teen-ager last year for the crime of graffiti?

The boy was sentenced to lashing by cane, and President Clinton's plea for mercy got exactly two lashes off his brutal beating. Lee exulted in humiliating the United States, lecturing us on the efficacy of torture, while the local U.S. business community, sucking up to the dictator, cheered.

Now consider an Asian reaction to Singapore justice. When a Filipino maid and her ward were found dead, suspicion was directed away from a father-employer and toward Mrs. Contemplacion, another maid.

She was jailed, confessed — perhaps under torture — and her country's embassy did little in her behalf. Just another maid; who cared?

When Singapore's judges sentenced her to death, the Philippine public showed it cared. Protesters in that democracy burned Singaporean flags; Manila newspapers denounced the ruthless judicial system.

Lee Kuan Yew shrugged that off; his judges rejected appeals for a real investigation into the murders, the presentation of new evidence and independent interviews with the condemned woman. Promptly on schedule, Flor Contemplacion was hanged. Case closed. Message sent.

An unexpected message came back. Filipinos erupted in fury. Ramos, under election pressure, fired his uncaring embassy officials and sent home Singapore's ambassador. The Philippine foreign minister who failed to stop the hanging quit.

When Filipino investigators dug up the body of the murdered maid, they found that she had been beaten, bones broken, and one later charged the Singapore pathologists had "tampered with the cadaver to simulate signs of strangulation."

The dictator's front man, Prime Minister Goh Chok Tong, realized this had caused a rift between two members of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations. He agreed to a joint autopsy, at which the Philippine forensic experts saw their suspicions confirmed, but the Singaporeans — apparently supported by their American experts — professed to see the opposite.

I doubt if examination after four years of a corpse will determine if the hanged woman was guilty or if Singapore's judicial system protected a wealthy man and framed an innocent domestic servant, thereby maintaining its reputation as the world capital of punishment.

We do know this: the accused was given inadequate representation. As questions arose, the accusers were too quick with the noose — suggesting cover-up of official wrongdoing.

The Contemplacion case teaches us also that democratic values — individual rights — are not culturally "Western," as the dictator scornfully insists, but universal. Even a poor Asian expatriate worker abandoned by her embassy has those rights.

Isn't it about time the world's free press broke the shackles imposed by Singapore's corrupt judiciary? Here's an idea I have not discussed with colleagues (if it's antitrust, come and get me): only a united front by all publishers with operations in Singapore will stop the judiciary from intimidating us one by one.

The Economist, Time, The Wall Street Journal, New York Times and Washington Post (owners of The International Herald Tribune) have all thundered at Singapore in home publications, but when publishing in the Far East write on eggs for fear of libel judgments or circulation harassment by the hanging judges.

Kowtowing to such coercion is not "respecting the laws of other societies." Filipinos are showing us that free speech knows no boundaries, and that silent submission to injustice need not be the price of doing business in Asia.

And if economic solidarity does not affect the dictator's judges — why not cover the area from free Manila?

William Safire's column is distributed by New York Times News Service.

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Wednesday, April 26, the 116th day of 1995. There are 249 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On April 26, 1986, the world's worst nuclear accident occurred at the Chernobyl plant in the Soviet Union. An explosion and fire in the No. 4 reactor sent radioactivity into the atmosphere; at least 31 Soviets died immediately.

On this date:

In 1607, an expedition of English colonists, including Captain John Smith, went ashore at Cape Henry, Va., to establish the first permanent English settlement in the Western Hemisphere.

In 1785, the American naturalist and artist John James Audubon was born in Haiti.

In 1865, John Wilkes Booth, the assassin of President Lincoln, was surrounded by federal troops near Bowling Green, Va., and killed.

In 1900, seismologist Charles Richter, who devised the earthquake-measuring scale that bears his name, was born in Hamilton, Ohio.

In 1937, planes from Nazi Germany raided the Basque town of Guernica during the Spanish Civil War.

In 1945, 50 years ago, Marshal Henri Philippe Petain, the head of France's Vichy government during World War II, was arrested.

In 1961, Roger Maris of the New York Yankees hit the first of a record 61 home runs in a single season; the homer was off Detroit's Paul Foytack at Tiger Stadium.

In 1964, the African nations of Tanganyika and Zanzibar merged to form Tanzania.

In 1970, 25 years ago, the Broadway musical "Company," by Stephen Sondheim and George Furth, opened at the Alvin Theatre in New York.

In 1980, following an unsuccessful attempt by the United States to rescue the U.S. Embassy hostages in Iran, the Tehran government announced the captives were being scattered to thwart any future rescue effort.

In 1992, worshippers celebrated the first Russian Orthodox Easter in Moscow in 74 years.

Ten years ago: The U.S. Senate passed, by voice vote, a resolution urging President Reagan to alter his plans to visit the German military cemetery at Bitburg.

Five years ago: Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir, leader of the right-wing Likud bloc, was chosen to form a new government after Labor Party leader Shimon Peres failed in his attempt to form a coalition.

ART BUCHWALD

Stomach dictates to dealer how to run world

If you want to know who's running the world — I'll tell you who. It's a money speculator named Reister.

Reister, who is popularly known as the Bauer Lac monster, spends his day at the Zurich Bourse buying and selling hard and soft currency. Everyone knows what he does, but no one knows how he does it. Yet Reister can affect the lives of every man, woman and child on this planet.



Buchwald

Here's how he operates. Suppose he wakes up in the morning with a sour stomach. Whenever Reister had a bad stomach in the past, he had the urge to buy German marks and sell American dollars.

So he kisses his wife goodby and she whispers to him, "Promise me you won't buy any Mexican pesos today."

Reister laughs and says, "For godssakes, woman, I'm only human."

After arriving in the city Reister stops at the Golden Nestle Cafe for coffee. He is joined by Hegel, the broker, and says to him, "I can't talk to you for very long because I'm going to buy German marks."

Hegel's ears go up. "What are you going to sell?"

"British pounds, Spanish pesetas and American dollars."

As soon as Reister leaves for the bourse, Hegel gets on the phone and calls his brother. "Don't ask questions. Sell all our dollars and buy German marks, Japanese yen and Greek drachmas."

Hegel's brother immediately starts dealing, and on the floor of the bourse Reister notices the dollar plunging into the sea. He is elated that his sour stomach hunch was right and others have spotted the weakness of the U.S. currency.

It doesn't take the London, Paris or Tokyo money markets long to see what's going on. "If Switzerland is selling dollars, that means Wall Street is about to catch pneumonia," a business TV reporter from Iceland declares.

The phones are ringing in Hong Kong. "Sell dollars and buy Norwegian krone," the dealers are shouting.

The Secretary of the U.S. Treasury is awakened from a sound sleep and told that someone somewhere is trying to destroy the dollar. He is advised to start buying greenbacks to protect their value. The secretary calls up the Treasury's night teller and instructs him to go to the safe and withdraw a billion dollars to shore up the country's currency. Unfortunately, once the word is out concerning the Treasury's actions, the dollar sinks even lower than before.

The worldwide money markets are rocking by this time, and nobody knows what to bet on any more. In the meantime, Reister comes home from work and sits down to a large plate of chicken and dumplings.

"What happened today?" Mrs. Reister asks.

"Nothing much. I sold a few dollars, bought some Portuguese escudos and then played chess with Hegel for the rest of the afternoon."

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

Vietnam appeals for full relations with U.S. 20 years after war's end

HANOI, Vietnam (AP) — Twenty years after the end of the Vietnam War, Premier Vo Van Kiet appealed Tuesday for full diplomatic and trade relations with Washington.

He also said Vietnam's celebration of the war's end is not directed against the United States, the former foe.

> 'We believe it's high time for Vietnam and the United States to establish normal diplomatic ties as well as full commercial relations. We have to close the past and look to the future.'
> — Premier Vo Van Kiet

"We do not intend to invoke hatred," Kiet said in a 75-minute meeting with foreign journalists to mark the coming anniversary.

He said parades, speeches and other festivities planned this weekend in Hanoi and the former Saigon are intended to awaken Vietnamese "patriotism and the spirit of self-resilience and resolve to make our homeland a beautiful and powerful one."

It was April 30, 1975, when Communist North Vietnam's army captured Saigon, the capital of U.S.-allied South Vietnam, and toppled its government. The United States, which pulled out its last diplomats hours earlier, retaliated with an economic embargo on unified Vietnam that it lifted only last year.

The two countries set up low-level liaison offices in each other's capitals this year.

Kiet applauded these moves but said, "We believe it's high time for Vietnam and the United States to establish normal diplomatic ties as well as full commercial relations. We have to close the past and look to the future."

He also affirmed Vietnam's determination to pursue free-market reforms.

"We are determined to have fresh successes on the threshold of the 21st century," he said. He spoke in Vietnamese, sometimes from prepared remarks, through an official translator.

In answer to a question, Kiet said he has not read the newly published memoirs of former Defense Secretary Robert McNamara, who helped craft the U.S. war policy in Vietnam under two presidents but now says the war was wrong.

He said, however, that he had been following the controvery in the United States over the belated confession.

"Personally I think the fact that a person who was involved in the war can tell the truth is extremely necessary to help us get a better understanding," he said. "I know McNamara to a certain extent expressed the truth."

Vietnam's government policy is to downplay the war-related tensions that linger among north and south Vietnamese, Communists and former anti-Communist fighters.

Kiet acknowledged, "National reconciliation is a process. We cannot obtain it overnight." But he insisted the divisions are no more serious than those within a family.

He also spoke of the war's emotional toll on survivors.

"There is hardly any family in our country whose relatives were not killed or injured in the war," he said.

His family is no exception. His first wife and two small children were killed in 1966 in what Kiet has previously said was a U.S. helicopter attack on a civilian passenger ship. Their remains were never found.



AP Laserphoto

Vietnamese Prime Minister Vo Van Kiet responds to questions by foreign journalists at a press conference in Hanoi, Tuesday.

Suicide bomber wounds 22

BINT JBEIL, Lebanon (AP) — A suicide bomber crashed an explosives-packed car into an Israeli army convoy in south Lebanon on Tuesday, wounding 22 people, including nine Israeli soldiers, security sources said.

The pro-Iranian group Hezbollah claimed responsibility for the bombing, the first suicide attack against the Israelis in Lebanon since 1989. It said the bomber died.

Israel's military command confirmed nine soldiers were wounded in a blast in the southern Lebanese town of Bin Jbeil.

The Lebanese security sources initially said 10 Israelis were wounded, but later revised the figure to nine soldiers, a militiaman of Israel's surrogate militia, the South Lebanon Army, and 12 civilians.

The Lebanese sources said the blast occurred at the entrance to a compound used by the Israeli military to run the day-to-day affairs of Bint Jbeil's predominantly Shiite Muslim community.

The town is in the western sector of an Israeli-occupied enclave in south Lebanon, less than three miles from the Israeli border.

The sources said the car was an old German-made Audi packed with at least 220 pounds of explosives.

The convoy consisted of three armored personnel carriers, one truck and four jeeps. The wounded Israelis were evacuated by helicopter to Israel's northern port city of Haifa.

The blast carved 7-foot crater in the pavement. A 40-bed hospital abutting the bombed compound was badly damaged and patients were hurriedly evacuated.

After the explosion, Hezbollah guerrillas mounted an attack on Bint Jbeil with mortars and rocket-propelled grenades, the sources added.

Hezbollah's leader later appeared on their Al-Manar television station to warn Israel against retaliating for the attack.

"I instruct all our Mujahedeen to go on maximum alert. Be ready for orders to rocket (Israel's) northern settlements if our civilian population is subjected to enemy reprisals," said Sheik Hassan Nasrallah.

He proclaimed the bomber a "glorious martyr who earned his shiny place in paradise."

Hezbollah is opposed to the U.S.-sponsored Middle east peace negotiations and has vowed to wreck the process through stepped up attacks in south Lebanon, the last active Arab-Israeli war front.

The Shiite group has been fighting to dislodge Israeli troops from their self-styled "security zone," which has a mostly Shiite population of 200,000.

The zone covers 440 square miles from the Mediterranean coast to the foothills of Mount Hermon. It was carved out in 1985 to shield Israel's northern towns from cross-border attacks.

Tuesday's casualties raised this year's toll in south Lebanon to 61 killed and 145 wounded, including four Israeli soldiers killed and 29 wounded.

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Government vows to win 'war' against cult

TOKYO (AP) — Japan's top security official said Tuesday the huge police investigation of a doomsday cult suspected in the nerve gas attack on Tokyo's subways was like a war, and vowed to win it quickly.

The cult came under further attack from disgruntled individuals. Two days after the fatal stabbing of a senior cult leader in Tokyo, police on Tuesday seized a sword-wielding man at a cult office in Kyoto, in western Japan. There were no reports of injuries.

Hiromu Nonaka, a Cabinet minister who chairs the National Public Safety Commission, provided the government's most severe description yet of Aum Shinri Kyo, a quasi-Buddhist sect that predicts the world will end in 1997.

His comments could indicate the government is readying a major new move against the group.

"My feeling now is that it's like a battle between two countries," Nonaka said, noting that the group has its own mini-government patterned after Japan's central bureaucracy.

"Their unusual way of thinking, in which they consider themselves a race unto themselves willing to risk their own lives, gives me a strong feeling of danger," he added.

More than 100 Aum members have been arrested on various charges, but police have yet to name a suspect in the March 20 attack in Tokyo's subways that killed 12 people and sickened 5,500.

Nonake said the public call to charge cult member with subversion "shows just how much a danger this presents to our very state."

The man arrested Tuesday in Kyoto was armed with a 2-foot Japanese sword. He was identified as Koji Ozawa, said an official who spoke on condition of anonymity. His motive and background were not immediately known.

Kyodo News Service said the man shouted, "Come out, you guys!" after breaking into a building housing cult offices. It said four cult members inside locked themselves in one room of the office.

Hideo Murai, head of the cult's "Science and Technology Ministry," was stabbed to death Sunday in Tokyo. Murai had frequently appeared on television to deny the cult produced sarin, the nerve gas used in the subway poisoning.

Police arrested Hiroyuki Jo, 29, a South Korean living in Japan, in connection with Murai's slaying. They reportedly believe he may be connected to Japan's largest underworld crime syndicate, and are trying to determine his motive.

Police have discovered chemicals and equipment that could be used to manufacture sarin, the nerve gas used in the attack, at cult facilities.

The cult has denied making sarin, saying the seized chemicals were being used to make pesticides. They also denied any involvement in the subway attack.

A panel of religion experts sponsored by the Education Ministry began Tuesday to study whether laws governing religious groups should be tightened.

Some believe the Aum case shows the government needs more power to monitor religious groups for potential law violations, but others say Japan's constitutional guarantee of freedom of religion doesn't allow that.

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Japan to unload 14-ton shipment of nuclear waste

ROKKASHO, Japan (AP) — After a day of wrangling, Japan's first high-level nuclear waste shipment had approval to unload today despite protesters and safety concerns over a storage site.

The 14-ton shipment of highly radioactive material, carried by the Pacific Pintail cargo ship, had been delayed by Morio Kimura, governor of Aomori prefecture.

Kimura turned the ship away Tuesday until the government promised that the temporary nuclear waste storage site — Japan's first — would not become a permanent dump without the governor's approval.

"The important thing is that we gained the promise so that we don't have to leave the current problem to our next generation," Kimura told reporters Tuesday.

The waste from Japan's nuclear power program, reprocessed in France and stored in 28 casks, will be the first shipment to be held outside Rokkasho, a fishing and farming town 325 miles northeast of Tokyo.

Japan does not have the capability to reprocess its own spent fuel, so it sends the waste overseas to France and Britain. The reprocessed material is then shipped back along secret routes. At least 3,000 more radioactive cylinders are to come back to Japan by 2010.

The Pacific Pintail, with a crew of 28, spent the night offshore, following a two-month trip during which it was banned from the territorial waters of several countries.

About 500 anti-nuclear protesters, carrying banners proclaiming "We don't need nuclear waste," were briefly cheered when the ship was turned away, but their victory was short-lived.

Theirs was not the only anti-nuclear protest Tuesday.

Thousands of anti-nuclear protesters faced off against riot police and formed human barricades Tuesday to block the transport of radioactive waste to a storage site in northern Germany.

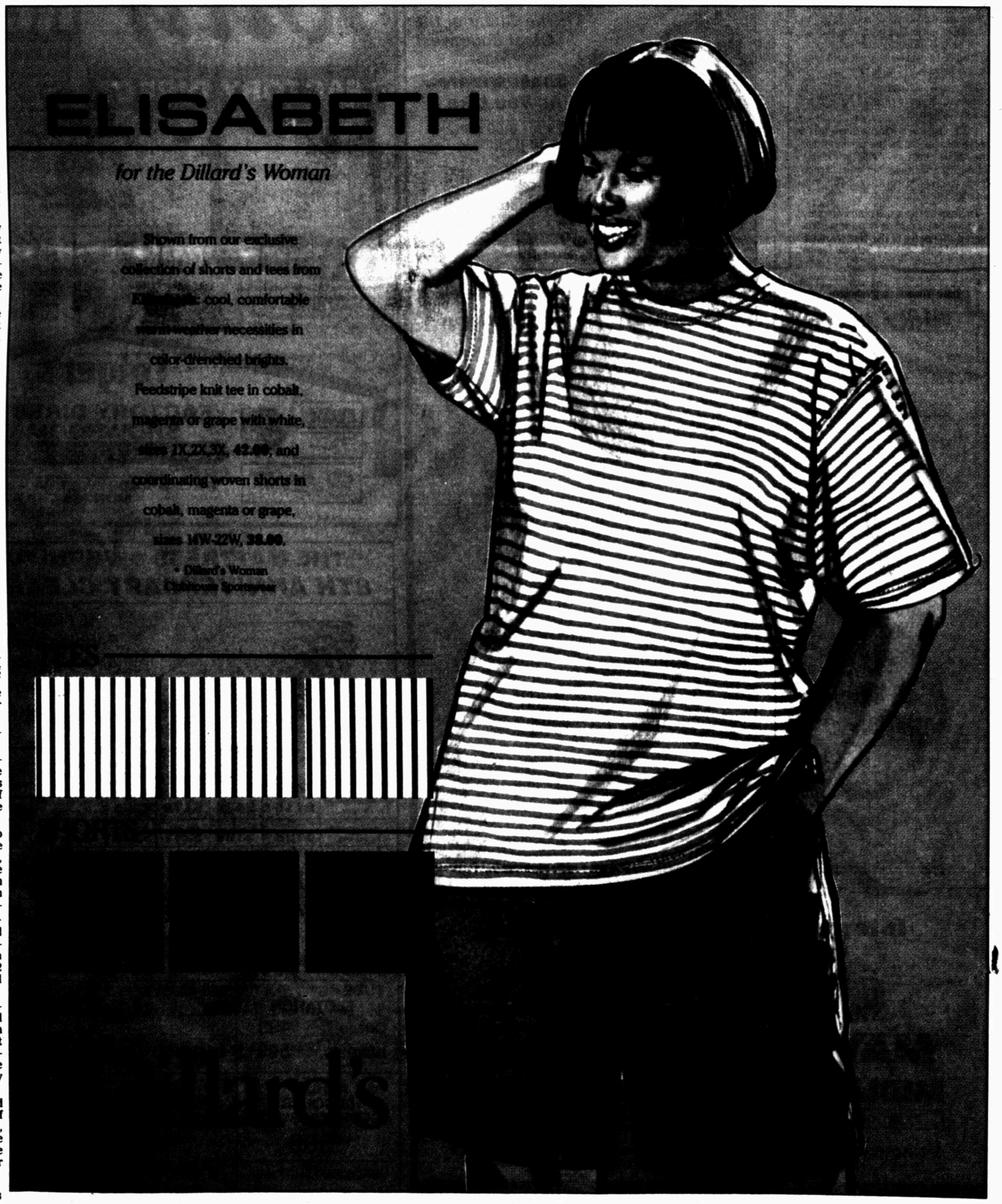
More than 200 protesters tried to block the train carrying the waste by putting burning tires and hay, logs and other obstacles on the track near the Dannenberg train station. Police used water cannon to disperse stone-throwing protesters and arrested 25 protesters.

The nuclear waste, protected by flanks of helmeted, shield-carrying officers, was taken from the station by road to Gorleben, 12 miles away, where it will be stored in a new facility.

The two situations are strikingly similar. Both the German and the Japanese facilities have been designated as temporary — but since neither country has any permanent storage facilities, the radioactive waste is likely to stay at both sites indefinitely.

Energy-poor Japan has adopted an aggressive nuclear program. Of its 49 reactors, 38 are in operation, supplying about 28 percent of the country's electricity. Others are undergoing repairs or regular inspection.

Critics, however, say Japan's vulnerability to seismic disasters — from earthquakes to volcanoes — make it a dangerous place for nuclear power plants.



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DAY WATCH

Card for victims

Midland Park Mall is coordinating a giant card for Midlanders to express their sentiments for the victims of the Oklahoma City bomb attack. Beginning today through May 1, shoppers are invited to stop by the mall and write a message on the card, which will then be sent to Midland Park Mall's sister mall in Oklahoma City.

Physics Circus

Imploding barrels, exploding food, walking on glass and launching water balloons: Who says physics can't be as fun as a three-ring circus? Not physics teachers Chuck Bell and Andrew Franks. The teachers, from Midland and Lee high schools, respectively, have planned a Physics Circus of jaw-dropping demonstrations to teach the laws of physics. The public is invited to attend the Physics Circus, which will include a 40-minute outdoor demonstration 7 p.m. Thursday at the Midland High School soccer field. Midland and Lee high school physics students will conduct the demonstrations, which will include indoor activities.

Scholarship winner

The National Merit Scholarship Corporation announced Tuesday that Sarah McCullough of Midland High School will receive a $2,000 merit scholarship. She is one of 2,000 students nationwide to reach the finalist level in the national academic competition. Her scholarship is being sponsored by the Digital Equipment Corporation. She plans to study civil engineering in college. The National Merit Scholar is also a National Science Scholar finalist, a member of the National Honor Society and a member of the All-State Ensemble Orchestra.

TODAY'S AGENDA

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

Permian Basin Small Business Association, 7 a.m., 405 N. Marienfeld 3rd Floor Conference Room.

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

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

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

Singles Group, First United Methodist Church, 6:30-8 p.m., parlor.

Uptown Chapter of the Business & Professional Women luncheon meeting, The Petroleum Club 683-3000.

Midland Rape Crisis support for incest survivors, 11:30 a.m., call 6827273 for confidential location.

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

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

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

Midland Downtown Lions Club noon, Midland Center.

MCC Womens Golf Association 9 a.m.

Westside Optimist, noon, Granada Club.

Midland County Advisory Committee on Aging, 10 a.m., County Commissioners' Courtroom.

UTPB Alumni Writers' Forum, 7:30 p.m., 8719 Pica St., Odessa.

NARFE, PB Chapter 1281, 2 p.m., 3303 Illinois Ave., 699-5023.

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Historical museum moves up to new address

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

For the first time in its 63-year history, the Midland County Historical Museum literally will see the light of day.

No longer in a "dungeon" apart from sunlight, the museum now has a street-level address on a downtown lot shared by the Midland County Public Library.

And from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, Midlanders and out-of-town museum buffs will have an opportunity to tour the museum in its new building at 301 W. Missouri Ave.

"It is really grand to be able to have windows, to be on ground level, to have a street address, and to, at last, have windows with sunshine coming in," said Nancy Rankin McKinley, president of the Midland County Historical Society, a principal force behind the preservation of Midland County artifacts and archives, and a mover and shaker in encouraging the Midland County Commissioners' Court to reserve the funds to construct the 3,000-square-foot museum for about $40,000.

The museum's usable space now is double what it was in the basement of the 1957-built library, which was expanded in 1993. Before 1958 and beginning in 1932, the museum was part of the county library, which then was in the basement of the 1929-1930-vintage Midland County Courthouse. Marguerite Hester, then county librarian, established the museum in 1932 within the walls of the courthouse library.

Commissioner Henry Goulet, who is the Commissioners' Court liaison to the museum, said that Mrs. McKinley throughout the years "has been so dedicated to the history of Midland and the history of Midland County."

Goulet said Mrs. McKinley "almost single-handedly" ensured the restoration of the two-story, 1899-built Brown-Dorsey Medallion Home just east of downtown Midland.

In the museum's former home in the library's basement, Mrs. McKinley "worked practically in a dungeon in that basement all of these years," Goulet recalled.

"It is great (for the museum) just to get above the ground and into daylight," Goulet

Please see **MOVE**/3B



Nancy Rankin McKinley, president of the Midland County Historical Society, was the principal force behind museum's move.

Dedication honors Corrales

City renames planned park in memory of late civic leader

■ U.S. Rep. Henry Bonilla speaks at ceremony, donates $1,000 toward construction of site.

By Michael Kashgarian
Staff Writer

A planned park — off Lamesa Road at South and Mineola streets — was dedicated Tuesday in honor of the late Oralia Corrales, an active civic leader who was instrumental in the development of Lamesa Road.

"I just wanted to say thank you on behalf of the Corrales family," said her son, David Corrales. "I know she would be really proud to know the city is honoring her with this park in her memory."

Unity Park — a name suggested by an 8-year-old girl and adopted two and a half years ago during a name-the-park contest — was revised to "Unity Park in Memory of Oralia Corrales."

The girl who originally named the park, Betty Baker, attended the ceremony at the park site along with students from DeZavala Elementary School, located across Lamesa Road from the park.

'That's what this symbolizes here, the hard work left behind by Oralia Corrales.'
— U.S. Rep. Henry Bonilla

Among those who spoke to the children and community leaders for the dedication was U.S. Rep. Henry Bonilla, who also donated $1,000 toward the construction of the park.

Bonilla — who likened east Midland to the San Antonio neighborhood where he was raised — praised the efforts behind the park and spoke of the determination and dedication needed to accomplish goals. "That's what this symbolizes here, the hard work left behind by Oralia Corrales," he said.

Ms. Corrales, who died May 31, 1994, was active in civic work — especially in the minority community — and a former City Council representative. She was committed to the development and beautification of Lamesa Road.

The First Association of Mexican Americans (FAMA) — composed of eight organizations — hopes to contribute to Ms. Corrales' vision of beautifying Lamesa Road with the completion of the park this year.

"We look forward to many community activities that will be held at Unity Park in Memory of Oralia Corrales," said FAMA president Jose Perales.

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Photos by Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

U.S. Rep. Henry Bonilla helps display a replica of the $1,000 check he is donating for use at the future "Unity Park in Memory of Oralia Corrales" in East Midland. Below, 10-year-year-old Betsy Baker, who came up with the name of the park, attended Tuesday's ceremony with her mother, Kay Baker.



Photos by Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

City Council approves bids for traffic signals, road work

By Michael Kashgarian
Staff Writer

Approval was given by the City Council on Tuesday to award contracts to the lowest bidders for traffic signals at two intersections, the annual seal-coating of a portion of the city's roadways and federally funded street paving and drainage improvements.

Traffic signals at Big Spring Street and Golf Course Road, and Main Street and Scharbauer Drive, came a step closer to becoming a reality with the council giving the go-ahead to appropriate about $99,700 to Roy Willis Electric Co. of Abilene to complete the projects.

City traffic engineers last fall conducted studies at the intersections that revealed the need for the signals.

A signal at the T-intersection of Big Spring Street and Golf Course Road was prompted by dangers caused by interruptions of traffic on Big Spring Street by motorists coming off Golf Course Road, officials said. Furthermore, the delay of drivers on Golf Course Road trying to get on Big Spring Street causes a regular back-up of waiting cars, officials added.

A few blocks to the northeast, the need for a signal at the intersection of Main Street and Scharbauer Avenue was prompted by traffic volume, limited visibility and a

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LHS, MHS students earn scholastic recognition as 1995 Texas Scholars

By Myra Lee Salcedo
Staff Writer

They sweated through complex algebra problems, tackled intricate science projects, kept their grades up and spent 20 hours volunteering in the community. On Tuesday night the extra effort to achieve scholastically — and to be responsible citizens — paid off for close to 300 students who received their white graduation cords and certificates designating them 1995 Texas Scholars.

Midland and Lee high school seniors will wear the white cords, similar to honor cords, with their cap and gowns at graduation. The 1995 Texas Scholars satisfied requirements set up in the program sponsored by the Midland Chamber of Commerce's Education Combination and the Junior League of Midland. The program is operated in cooperation with Midland Independent School District.

"We are blessed to have a corporate community — the Junior League and the Midland Chamber — who cares about our youth," said MISD Superintendent Joseph Baressi Jr. at the Tuesday banquet held in Midland Center. About 600

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Philip King, 18, chats with fellow Texas Scholar honoree Shelley Sherman, 17, back to camera, before the awards ceremony; both are LHS students. Also seated, left, are Curtis and Betty King.

Joe D. Williams/Reporter-Telegram

Riding club hopes to rope good turnout for its second rodeo

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

Cowboys and cowgirls on and off the saddle will be riding and hanging on for money and trophies in the West Texas Rangers Riding Club's second annual Championship Rodeo at 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday in the Midland County Arena east of town.

"We hope to have a good turnout," said Midland horseman Bill Stone, who is president of the West Texas Rangers Riding Club. "We had a good turnout last year."

Professional and novice rodeo riders will be competing in several events for which Lubbock stock contractor Charles Thompson is furnishing the wild stock of horses, bulls, steers and calves. Thompson operates the C Bar T Rodeo Company.

A western parade to promote the rodeo will be held at 3 p.m. Saturday. The parade of mounted riders, antique cars and floats will be staged on the Robert E. Lee High School parking lot off Neely Avenue and will proceed southward on Godfrey Drive to the Andrews Highway and then to Dennis the Menace Park.

Parade marshal will be Midland Mayor Bobby Burns.

West Texas riding clubs from the Midland, San Angelo, Lamesa, Big Spring, Pecos and Levelland areas will be featured in the parade, Stone said.

People who would like to enter the parade may contact Stone by calling his telephone pager number, 567-6434, or by telephoning Darrell Ward at 694-9611.

Partial proceeds from the rodeo will benefit the horse program of the Midland Cerebral Palsy Center.

"The kids (there) have a million-dollar smile when they are out doing something with the horses," Stone said.

Rodeo events for the seasoned rodeo riders include bareback riding, saddle bronco riding, calf roping, break-away roping, team roping, wild-cow milking, barrel racing and bull riding.

Events for the novice riders include bareback riding, bull riding, saddle bronco riding and barrel racing.

Admission to the rodeo is $5 per person; children aged

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DEATHS

Robert O'Donnell

Graveside services for Robert E. O'Donnell of Midland, who was a key player in the 1987 rescue of Jessica McClure, have been set for 1 p.m. Thursday at Resthaven Memorial Park with the Rev. Wayman Swopes of Greenwood Baptist Church officiating. Ellis Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

O'Donnell, 37, died Monday on a ranch in Glasscock County.

He was born on Aug. 27, 1957, in Midland and had been a lifelong resident. He graduated from Midland High School and attended Howard College and Midland College.

In 1979, O'Donnell joined the fire department and became a certified fireman and paramedic in the state of Texas. At the time of his death, he was employed as an environmental specialist by King Companies of Lubbock.

He was a member of Alamo Heights Baptist Church in Midland.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents, A.E. "Casey" Jones, Minnie O'Donnell and Cy O'Donnell.

Survivors include two sons, Casey Shane O'Donnell and Chance Dillon O'Donnell, both of Midland; his parents, Yvonne and David Poe of Stanton; two brothers, Ricky O'Donnell of Fort Worth and Rusty O'Donnell of Greenwood; one grandparent, Johnie Bert Jones of Midland; two nieces and one nephew.

The family requests memorials be directed to First National Bank of Stanton, Attention: Raymond Walton, Trust Fund for Casey and Chance O'Donnell, Stanton, Texas, 79782.

Sarah Smith

Services for Sarah Smith will be 2 p.m. today in the Thomas Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Thomas Funeral Home.

She died Saturday in a Stanton hospital after a lengthy illness.

Pallbearers will be U.L. Strambler, Eddie Harmon, Charlie Brown, Walter Murray, Ben McPherson and Willie Jackson.

J.B. Jackson

Services are pending with Thomas Funeral Home for J.B. Jackson of Ballenger. He died at his home Saturday after a sudden illness.

Louella Sterns

Services for Louella Sterns will be 11 a.m. Thursday at the Macedonia Baptist Church with the Rev. John Blakemore officiating. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

She died Sunday at a local hospital after a lengthy illness.

She was born July 25, 1905, in Huntsville and had lived in Midland for the past three years. She was preceded in death by her husband, one son, one daughter and a sister.

She is survived by a daughter, Ruth Tate of Midland; six grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren and nine great-great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Jackie Jackson, Jerry Stanford, Norman Jones, Marcus Stanford, Marchell Nibblett and Roman Estrada. Honorary pallbearers will be Richard Carter, Bobby Jackson, Bobby Lee and James Webb.

Concepcion Sandoval

Services for Concepcion Sandoval will be 9 a.m. today at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church with burial in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Thomas Funeral Home.

She died Monday in an Odessa hospital after a lengthy illness.

Pallbearers will be Roger Robles, Humberto Sandoval, Daniel Sandoval and David Sandoval.

Jodi Matlock

Services for Jodi Matlock of Midland are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Matlock died Tuesday at a local hospital.

Evelyn Hollars

Services for Evelyn Hollars of Midland are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Hollars died Tuesday at a local hospital.

Lyndia Owens

Services for Lyndia Owens of Midland are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Owens died Tuesday at her residence.

Freda Thompson

Graveside services for Freda Sullinger Thompson of Midland will be held at a future date. Ellis Funeral Home will be in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Thompson died Monday at a local nursing care center.

She was born Oct. 4, 1902, in Cridersville, Ohio. She moved to Texas with her family in 1919. She graduated from Our Lady of Victory High School in Fort Worth. She attended Texas Women's College in Denton, and she married Lee Thompson in 1926 in Coleman. The family lived in Breckenridge and the Phillips Camp in Penwell prior to moving to Midland in the early 1950s.

Mrs. Thompson was self-employed in the insurance and real estate industry. She was active in Desk & Derrick, Midland Gem & Mineral Society and several insurance and real estate organizations in the Midland/Odessa area.

Mrs. Thompson was preceded in death by a son, Jackie Lee Thompson, in 1983.

Survivors include one sister, Helen Kathtyn Humphries of Balmorhea; three grandchildren, Mary Helen Wilkins and William Thompson, both of Houston, and Mark Lee Thompson of Singapore; and one great-grandchild.

The family requests memorials be directed to Hospice of Midland, P.O. Box 2621, Midland, Texas, 79702.

Charles McKenney

Services for Charles Richard McKenney will be at 11 a.m. today at St. Ann's Catholic Church with Father Fred Nawarskas officiating. Burial will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

He died Sunday at a local hospital.

Pallbearers will be James Bezina, Gary Thurman, Gene Hancock, Robert Pickett and Gene Hanks. Honorary pallbearers will be J.R. Wright, Dock Handley, R.C. Ham, LeJeune Horton, Ken Renfrow, Warren Grown Jr. and Bill Switzer.

Ralph Stark

Services for Ralph E. Stark of Midland will be at 2 p.m. today at First Baptist Church Chapel with the Rev. Bob Hopkins officiating. Burial will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.



Stark

He died Monday at his home in Midland after a lengthy illness.

He was born Nov. 8, 1921, in New Salisbury, Ohio. He was a member of First Baptist Church, the Lions Club and served as president of the Petroleum Accountants Association. He was employed by B.T.A. Oil Producers for 20 years.

He is survived by two sons, Ralph R. Stark of Midland and John R. Stark of Oklahoma City, Okla.; a daughter, Marsha Krenek of Snyder; six grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers will be Barry Beal, Hal Kempf, Dr. Gregory Bartha, David Krenek, Dan Krenek and Jim Sanders.

Memorials may be sent to Arthritis Foundation, 3145 McCart Ave., Fort Worth, Texas, 76110.

Margarette Higgins

Services for Margarette Higgins of Midland have been set for 11 a.m. Thursday at Westside Baptist Church with the Rev. James Higgins, her grandson, officiating. Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday at the Monahans Cemetery in Monahans. Ellis Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Higgins died Monday at the home of her granddaughter, Shirley Danford Owen, of Midland.

She was born in Gaston County, N.C., where she was reared and educated. She moved to Texas at age 16 and lived in several different locations. She came to Midland 15 years ago to be near family.

Mrs. Higgins was preceded in death by her husband, Fred O. Higgins; three sons, Gene Brown, Cecil Brown and Charles Higgins; and one grandson, Glenn Higgins.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Chuck Dalton of Antioch, Calif., and Mrs. Harold Canavan of San Diego, Calif.; three sons, James W. Higgins of Pratt, Kan., Lester Higgins of Midland and Shelby Higgins of Racine, Wisc.; 23 children; 36 great-grandchildren and six great-great-grandchildren.

Senior citizens to display works

From Staff Reports

Senior citizens from all over Texas, including several from Midland, will present their best works of art at an art exhibition at the State Capitol May 20-26, entitled "Art is Ageless."

Included among the finalists are Midlanders: Margaret Byars of Trinity Towers; Robert Morgan of Manor Park; Bill Sparks of Manor Park; and Helen Pollard of Younger Center.

More than 300 residents of retirement communities and nursing homes competed to be among the 40 exhibitors. The contest, produced by the Texas Association of Homes and Services for the Aging, is held annually in conjunction with the May celebration of Older Americans Month.

In 1963 President Kennedy established May as Senior Citizens Month, and later President Johnson renamed it Older Americans Month to highlight the activities and achievements of the elderly.

Those entering the contest must have completed their work after the age of 65. Categories include painting and drawing; soft crafts I and II; hard crafts; prose; and poetry.

Mrs. Byars entry was in the soft craft category, a collage; Morgan entered his woodwork, a table; Sparks submitted a handmade, lined trunk; and Mrs. Pollard, a bronze sculpture.

A reception will be held May 20 at the Capitol and finalists will be honored and their work will be on display the week of May 20-26.

SCHOLARS: Seniors to wear white cords at graduation

(From 1B)

people attended.

The Texas Scholars program encourages secondary students to complete challenging coursework, especially in higher-level math and science courses, which will enable them to compete in the highly technological global economy of the 21st century. Students can begin selecting Texas Scholars' courses beginning in the eighth grade. They must earn four credits in English, three in math (all in algebra, geometry or higher level math), three credits in science, three and a half in social studies, two in a foreign language, one credit in fine arts and one in a computer course. They also must earn the community service hours and maintain a 2.75 grade point average.

Keynote speaker at the banquet was Camal Dakil, Midland College dean and vice president of student services.

Dakil spoke about the hardships of one of his relatives, who came to America from Europe on a steamship around the turn of the century. Shortly after his uncle arrived in America at the tender age of 16, his father died of smallpox. "He spoke no English. He had no family. But his father had a dream to bring the rest of the family to America," Dakil said. The enterprising youth began peddling wares and earning money to send for the rest of his family. Dakil told students to aim high and have a goal in mind. "Make yourself a road map," he said. "You are in a land where dreams come true and I hope you achieve your dreams.

Midland Mayor Bobby Burns proclaimed Tuesday "Texas Scholars Day" in Midland.

"It is an honor to become a Texas Scholar because each of you must take at least six hours of advanced courses and make good grades," Burns noted.

"You represent the best of our community and the best of your class," superintendent Baressi said. "You are the equal or better of all your peers in the state, and you are graduating from two of the best high schools in this state."

This is the second year the program has been available in Midland. Midland school board trustees ended their regular meeting in time to attend the banquet.

The 1995 honorees follow:

LEE HIGH SCHOOL

Ronald Adams Jr., Tory Alonzo, Jeffrey Aman, Jennifer Ashmore, Mariah Baker, Allison Ballentine, Amanda Barker, Darby Basham, Raquel Bautista, Craig Beaubien, Eric Blake, Samantha Blanck, Elizabeth Brininstool, Ryan Bromm, Natasha Brooks, Jason Bush, Qasim Butt, Lina Cano, Jeffrey Cardwell, Sara Carnett, Kristen Carrell, Dana Chambers, Eric Chandler, Marc Chastain, Ryan Chhabra, Carissa Childress, Bradley Clary, Erica Cochran, Robert Cochran, Clayton Cooper, Byron Courts, Leigh Cunningham, Afton Dangerfield, Becky Davis, Casey Davis, Frank DeLaO, Jennifer Dennis, Sara Drescher, Allison Dunaway, Kristen Dunn, Lara Dutton, Nicole Ellis, Kyndall Esslinger, Julie Farris, Tiffany Fincher, Farrah Fisher, Maya Fishman, Stephanie Foppiano, Cynthia Fryer, Jennifer Garner and Charissa Gaume.

Other LHS honorees are Jennifer Geffken, Jeremy Gilliam, Adryan Glennan, Vicente Gonzales, Heather Gray, Kenneth Green, Susan Griffin, Anthony Griffith, Shanna Guevara, Victoria Haines, James Hale, Brandon Hamilton, Natalie Hand, Brandy Harmon, Amanda Haro, Jennifer Harris, Andra Hayes, Emily Hayes, DuShawn Hicks, Allen Holdridge, Sarah Hughes, Jessica Hunt, LaTasha Hunt, Mark Hunter, Debra Jackson, Bernadett Jaquez, Amanda Jeffreys, Jeremy Jones, Malita Jones, John Kaufman, Christina Keathly, Patrick Kelly, Vickie Kerr, Leonard Kibuule, Philip King, Kristen Kirby, John Kleckner, Sarah Kniffen, Wesley Korner, Melissa Kreutzer, Christian Lance, JaLisa Lane, Lori Lane, Paula Laster, Angela Lea, LaTrika Lee, Carrie Lewis, Amy Long, Ginger Looney, Louisa Lopez and Kay-Lynn Luttrell.

Other LHS honorees are Katherine Martin, Raymond Martinez, Jessica Massey, Shelle Mayberry, Christina McBride, Sarah McPherson, Julianna McWilliams, Shanon Middleton, Ruby Mora, Adam Morris, Olivia Munzer, Michael Murphy, Stephanie Najera, Rachel Nicholas, Nathan Nunley, Cassie Oney, Alison Owens, Marc Parkinson, Davin Pate, Jennifer Paul, Shae Peters, Christopher Peterson, Michael Phillips, Nicole Phillips, Tyla Nisha Price, Amee Pullen, Vicky Ramirez, Jessie Ray, Michael Rhoads, April Rice, Suzanne Riggs, Tiffany Rodgers, Rosalia Rodriquez, Anitra Rose, Mitzi Rowland and Marleah Rydell.

Other LHS honorees are Amanda Salcedo, Fidel Saldivar, Kristina Sanchez, Carol Scott, Christin Shelton, Shelley Sherman, John Shuler, Luke Snyder, Chaney Stafford, Cohen Steed, Lydia Stevens, Marci Stone, Javius Strambler, John Stutes, RoseAnn Sullivan, Jennifer Sumpter, Christin Sutton, Michael Swanson, Charlton Taylor, Kaye Thomas, Barbara Thompson, Tommy Tarango, Blake Tubbs, Sara Urbanovsky, Eva Vigil, Salvador Villalobos, Cari Walker, Marcie Watson, Justin West, Tiffany White, Sonja Widman, Jenifer Wiley, Richard Wilkes, Kristen Woodard, Jessica Worland and Amy Young.

MIDLAND HIGH SCHOOL

Taylor Achilles, Kendall Adkisson, David Alderks, Jennifer Allen, Christopher Allmon, Amanda Arnold, Matthew Ashcraft, Brean Behee, John Blevins, Jeannie Burnett, Kenye Butts, Gable Clark, Christopher Clayton, Karen Cole, Claire Conoly, Karen Cordova, Brian Crowley, Kasie Culbert, Rachel Curtis, Wendy Decker, Carrie Depew, Javier Diaz, Leonor Dominguez, Regina Dowdy, Paige Duncan, Jodi Fuller, Gilberto Garcia, Joana Garcia, Leta Garcia, Rodolfo Garcia III, Susan Gau, Michelle Gaume, Janeen Gibbs, Matthew Gilmore, Michael Grandy, Jennifer Green, Heath Grizzle, Marielien Harris, Jaime Hawkins, Tamarie Hawkins, Chad Hendrickson, O'Neak Henigan, Melissa Heredia, Jennifer Hiebert, Jaime Holmes, Stephanie Hopkins, James Houk, Hillary Hyde, Sarah Innerarity, Bryan Johnson, Kathryn Jones, Laura Kamis, Patricia Kernaghan, Bryan Knottek, Michael Kohl and Alison Kuzmich.

Other honorees are Joshua Langohr, Victor Leggett, Susan Leibrock, Tywana Lightfoot, Laura Locker, Jonathan Luna, Kimberly Macferran, Cristina Machuca, Olga Martinez, John McCright, Michael Mendez, Allison Miller, Kiley Miller, Jill Mitchell, Rebecca Monroe, Margarita Montez, Sheryl Moreland, Yunuen Munoz, Victoria Natividad, Matthew Nicholson, Rebekah Nix, Cade Nobles, Qiana Nolly, Anabell Odisho, Landi Orr, Michael Osburn, Bhavin Patel, Rosalinda Pena, Veronica Poage, Christi Redic, Lexa Richmond, Troy Robertson, Jeanne Robinson, Marissa Rodriguez, Tswana Rosser, Hans Rowland, Connie Rubio, Regine Rusk, Amanda Russell, Rita Shroff, Alicia Sites, Carol Smead, Jacquelyn Soper, Skylynn St. John, Tamika Standifer, Amy Stone, Nicholas Sullivan, Andrew Thompson, Melinda Thornton, Christopher Tipton, Kristy Uranga, John Urby, Sarah Vaughan, Helena Wade, Glen Wadleigh, Erin Wairaven, Laura Walton, John Willis, Emilie Wolf, Thomas Woodside and Tonya Young.

HONOR: City renames park

(From 1B)

The first phase of the park — a plaza area in the center, with extending walkways and adorned with trees and shrubs, and irrigation work — is slated to be completed by July 1, FAMA officials said. More trees and shrubs, landscaping and lighting and electrical work will follow.

Development of the 1.5-acre triangular-shaped park is estimated to cost about $93,000. In December, fund-raising to build the park received a boost when the City Council donated $50,000.

FAMA is also selling dedication bricks at $25 each to help fund the park construction.

The organizations that make up FAMA are: the Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, the Eastside Lions Club, the Knights of Columbus, Permian Basin LULAC, Midland LULAC, the Midland Association of Bilingual Education, M-Class and the Hispanic Honor Society.

RODEO: Club to host 2nd annual championship this weekend

(From 1B)

12 and under will be admitted without charge, Stone said. Admission to the rodeo dance in the Midland County Exhibit Building on Saturday night is $5 per person. The event's western dance band is Open Road.

The West Texas Rangers Riding Club is affiliated with the American Association of Sheriff Posses and Riding Clubs (AASPRC), which is a family-oriented organization that is headquartered in Bowie.

Stone noted that a Midland girl, 15-year-old Stephanie Miller, is the AASPRC Region VI princess who is competing for AASPRC queen.

AASPRC Region VI covers much of West Texas from Abilene westward to El Paso, northward to Lamesa, and southward to the Rio Grande.

The West Texas Rangers Riding Club junior sweetheart is Leah Lesley, 15, of Greenwood.

POLICE REPORTS

Monday

Burglary of a Vehicle: Denise Hanson reported a vehicle burglary at 5216 Tremont Ave. at 4:09 p.m.

Vandalism: Jeremy Shaw reported damage to a vehicle at 2613 N. Midland Drive at 7 p.m.

Burglary of a Vehicle: Mickey Johnson reported tools taken from a pickup at 4306 Miller Court at 7:31 p.m.

Tuesday

Burglary of a Vehicle: Noel Aguirre reported tool boxes with tools taken from a vehicle at 5407 Andrews Highway at 9:03 a.m.

Burglary of a Building: Del Angerstein reported a storage unit broken into at 1920 N. Loop 250 at 1:27 p.m.

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

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Rep. Harvey Hilderbran, R-Kerrville, left, and Sen. Judith Zaffirini, D-Laredo, right, listen to debate on the welfare-reform amendment on the Senate floor in Austin Tuesday.

Senate OKs welfare-reform legislation

■ The measure now returns to House, where it already passed, for consideration of changes.

Associated Press

AUSTIN — The Texas Senate approved a welfare overhaul bill Tuesday that would establish alimony and suspend state licenses — including hunting and driver's licenses — of people who don't pay child support.

Senators also added a 117-page amendment to the bill that would consolidate numerous employment programs from various agencies under a new Texas Department of Workforce Development.

"It's a beautiful Christmas tree," said Sen. Judith Zaffirini, sponsor of the measure, referring to the amendments added during more than five hours of debate.

But Mrs. Zaffirini said the bill, which was approved on a voice vote, still contains its core purpose.

"What we're trying to do is reform welfare to get people off welfare and to keep others from ever getting on those rolls to begin with," said Mrs. Zaffirini, D-Laredo.

The measure, which has already passed the House, returns to that chamber for consideration of Senate changes. A conference committee is expected to be named to work out House and Senate differences on the measure.

The Senate bill would limit the amount of time people could receive welfare payments; require adult recipients to agree to do such things as enter a job placement program and remain drug free; and create programs designed to help students stay in school and boost adult literacy and job training.

The House measure contains similar provisions.

Under the House version, the state could not provide additional cash benefits to parents with at least two children who have more children while on welfare. Excluded children still could get other social services under the provision, which isn't part of the Senate bill.

Both bills contain provisions to allow limited, court-ordered alimony when people who have been married at least 10 years divorce and one spouse cannot support himself or herself.

Both also would allow suspension of driver's, professional and recreational licenses — such as hunting licenses — of parents who are delinquent in paying child support.

The Senate bill's welfare revamp was amended to include a separate bill by Sen. Rodney Ellis, D-Houston, that would create the Texas Department of Workforce Development to administer job-training and employment-related programs.

Ellis said the state could draw down more federal money by combining its work force development programs. The department would be administered by a commissioner appointed by the governor.

Gov. George W. Bush, whose campaign platform included welfare reform, applauded the Senate bill, including the addition by Ellis.

"By consolidating job-training programs, the state will do a better job of making sure we match job training with actual jobs," Bush said, adding of the reform effort overall, "I am confident the conference committee will produce a strong welfare reform bill that makes Texas a leader in moving people from welfare to work."

Mrs. Zaffirini and Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock's office also credited State Comptroller John Sharp, who worked with lawmakers to develop the reform package.

Bullock said it's "high time" to overhaul the welfare system.

"Too many Texans are falling through the cracks in a system that has outlived its purpose. Freedom and self-sufficiency must be the order of the day," he said.

Chihuahuan Desert Visitor Center to be site of annual native plant sale

From Staff Reports

The 1995 edition of the annual CDRI Native Plant Sale will take place at the Chihuahuan Desert Visitor Center on Saturday from 9:30 a.m. - 4 p.m. The Chihuahuan Desert Visitor Center is located 4 miles south of Ft. Davis on Texas Highway 118.

The sale will be held in the parking area of the Special Events Center. A special pre-sale will be held on Friday from 6-8 p.m. for CDRI members only, where members are offered "first choice" and a discount on their purchases. CDRI memberships will be available for purchase at the pre-sale.

This will mark the 12th consecutive year of the sale. As usual, the Institute will offer a wide range of Chihuahuan native plants, selected for their attributes for home and business landscaping. All plants are propagated from seed or cuttings at the world-famous Mountain States Nursery in Phoenix, and selected on-site by the CDRI staff.

As more and more people each year learn of the annual sale, there is an increasing demand for a greater selection. Popular shrubs include the Purple Sage (Leucophyllum) and its many cultivars and relatives, Autumn and Mealy Sage (Salvia) and their relatives, several cultivars of Hummingbird Bush (Anisacanthus), Mountain Laural (Sophora secundiflora), and Yellow Bells (Tecoma stans).

Available tree species Chinkapin Oak (Quercus muehlenbergi), a fast-growing inhabitant of moist canyons of the northern Chihuahuan Desert region. Add to this a healthy mixture of flowering perrenials, woody and herbaceous sub-shrubs, and a wide selection of native and exotic cacti and succulents.

In addition to the old standards, many new and unusual species will be offered. New this year for the first time will be a section of xerophytic perrenials shrubs native to desert regions other than the Chihuahuan Desert, but suitable for planting in the region. All will be drought-resistant and heat tolerant adding years of beauty to your home garden.

For additional information, call 915-837-8370

BIDS: Council OKs contracts

(From 1B)

high rate of accidents at the location — nine last year, officials said. City traffic engineers examined the possibility of erecting a six-way stop at the intersection but said it was not feasible.

The signals are expected to be erected by the end of this summer, officials said.

In other action, the City Council approved a contract with Jones Brothers Dirt & Paving of Odessa for almost $1,080,000 for the city's annual sealcoating project.

The area of roadways to be sealcoated are located north of Golf Course Road between Midkiff Road and A Street. Each year, approximately a one-sixth portion of the city — on a rotating basis — is targeted for the work.

Sealcoating — consisting of putting down hot asphalt followed by a covering of aggregate — is a cost-effective maintenance that prolongs the pavement about six years, officials said.

In addition, the city's street department will be sealcoating some roadways in the target area and some additional roadways, officials said.

The work is expected to begin June 1 and be completed by mid to late August, officials said.

In a separate project, the City Council approved a contract with Reece Albert Inc., formerly South Texas Construction Co., for almost $308,000 in Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds for street paving and drainage improvements (curbs and gutters).

The federal CDBG funds — generally designated to benefit low to moderate income areas — will provide for paving of the following roadways: the 1500-1800 blocks of E. Cherry Lane, the 500 block of N. Tyler Street, the 400 block of E. Pennsylvania Avenue, the 800 block of S. Fort Worth Street, the 1500-1600 blocks of N. Loraine Street, the 100 block of W. Walcott Avenue, the 600 block of E. Walnut Lane, the 1300 block of N. Loraine Street and the 900-1000 blocks of N. Madison Street.

The work will be performed this summer, officials said.

MOVE: Museum goes street-level

(From 1B)

said.

Mrs. McKinley said that "much of the (museum's) restoration was directed by volunteers from the Midland County Historical Society," which was founded in 1954 by the all-volunteer Friends of the Library.

And following the August 1993 "flood" in the museum in the library's basement, Mrs. McKinley expressed gratitude to Schlumberger Well Services and Tergerson's Fine Foods for their work in helping to salvage museum artifacts and archives. She also acknowledged the help of Bill Childs' Royal Furniture Refinishing Company, Midland County Jail inmates, County Facilities Director Bill Decker and his staff, Tom McNutt and Don and Geri Lilly.

County librarian Sandra Wegner and her staff have been "really been good, good neighbors" to the museum.

"The (museum's) entire collection has been given in trust by the people to Midland County," Mrs. McKinley said. "We are grateful for the opportunity to collect, preserve and exhibit the history of our county as a tribute to the vigorous pioneers who came to this remote frontier (beginning in the 1880s) and stayed and built our schools and churches and their homes and left us the heritage we so proudly remember today."

At the museum's formal opening this Sunday, surviving charter members of the Midland Historical Society will be honored, Mrs. McKinley said. Those members include John P. and Alva Butler, Ada M. Phillips, Thelma Cook, Bill Collyns, Bush Elkin, Robert A. Estes, Rosalind Redfern, Leona Bryant Smith, Bennie Sue Thomas, Theda M. Wadley, Monta Jo Glass Johnson, Margaret Francis West, George B. Ross, Button and Pat Estes, Helen Harrison and Mrs. McKinley, who is the historical society's original president.

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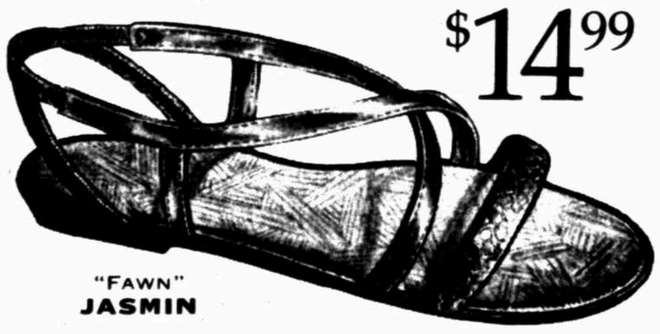
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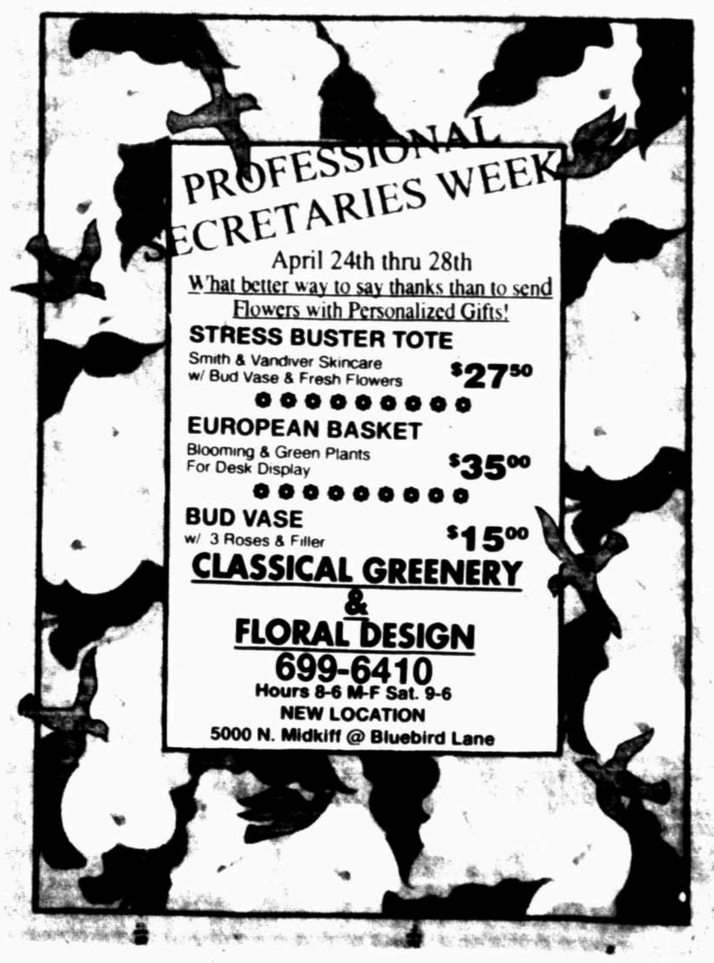
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Oscar-winning actress Rogers dies at age 83

By Peter Flint
N.Y. Times News Service

Ginger Rogers, the vivacious actress whose supple grace in the arms of Fred Astaire lifted the spirits of Depression-era moviegoers in some of the most elegantly romantic musical films ever made, died Tuesday at her home in Rancho Mirage, Calif. She was 83.

The blond, blue-eyed actress, who came out of Charleston contests and the vaudeville circuits to win notice as a cherub-faced flapper with a piping voice and a sassy air in early musicals like "42nd Street" and "Gold Diggers of 1933," went on to win acclaim for her dramatic portrayals and an Academy Award for best actress for her depiction of a lovelorn career woman in the 1940 film "Kitty Foyle."

The potent chemistry of her partnership with Astaire, in a succession of urbane romances that featured rapturous dance routines, propelled her into the top 10 of Hollywood's box-office attractions.

"He gives her class, and she gives him sex," Katharine Hepburn once said. By 1941, Ginger Rogers was the highest-paid American woman, earning $355,000 a year.

While her graceful dancing was on display in her many musicals, Rogers also won renown in dramatic roles including an aspiring actress in "Stage Door" (1937) and a prostitute's daughter in "Primrose Path" (1940). Her gift for comedy bubbled through movies like "Bachelor Mother" (1939), "Tom, Dick and Harry" (1941) and "The Major and the Minor" (1942). In a screen career that began with a bit role in "Young Man of Manhattan" in 1930, she made more than 70 movies.

But the Astaire-Rogers musicals, epitomizing grace, energy and sophistication, were her enduring memorial. The couple, in their smooth, seemingly effortless style, spun gossamer fantasies from the infectious scores of Irving Berlin, George Gershwin, Jerome Kern, Cole Porter and Vincent Youmans.

Anna Kisselgoff, chief dance critic of The New York Times, said Tuesday: "Ginger Rogers was a better dancer than most people gave her credit for. She may have swooped and dipped into many a romantic swoon, but her footwork was as precise as Astaire's."

The plots of their films often turned on mistaken identity and other far-fetched devices, but they were accepted as breathing spaces between the couple's champagne dance numbers in lavish settings where all the walls, telephones and pianos were white, the butlers were always comic and love was the only concern.



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Ginger Rogers, the actress who made dance floor magic with Fred Astaire in a string of unforgettable musicals is shown in this photo from the 1930s.

Under Astaire's painstaking coaching, Rogers' dancing became more fluid with each film, and the consensus was that none of his later partnerships generated the electricity they did.

Writing in 1972, the dance critic Arlene Croce said Rogers "danced with love, with pride in the beauty of an illusion — and with one of the most elegant dancer's bodies imaginable." She added, "She avoided any suggestion of toil or inadequacy."

When the actress went to the stage of the Biltmore Bowl in the Biltmore Hotel in Los Angeles to accept her Oscar on Feb. 27, 1941, she stood with tears streaming down her face and said: "This is the greatest moment of my life. I want to thank the one who has stood by me faithfully: my mother."

It was her mother, the former Lela Owens, who groomed her for a show-business career with singing, dancing and acting lessons. Rogers, whose given name was Virginia Katherine McMath, was born on July 16, 1911, in Independence, Mo.

Her father, William McMath, and her mother were divorced soon after. Their daughter was called Ginger because a cousin could not pronounce Virginia, and she took her later surname from John Rogers, who was briefly her stepfather. She grew up in Kansas City, Mo., and Fort Worth. Her mother continued to manage her career until she died in 1977.

At 19, she made her first feature film in New York, "Young Man of Manhattan," uttering a memorable instruction: "Cigarette me, big boy." In her third musical film, "42nd Street," she was a risque, wisecracking chorine, Anytime Annie. "The only time she said no," a fellow actor quipped, "she didn't hear the question."

Her big break came when she was 22, when she and Astaire won supporting roles in "Flying Down to Rio." Their rollicking introduction of a dance called the Carioca stole the show from its nominal stars, Dolores Del Rio and Gene Raymond.

Over the next six years they were teamed in eight more movies and introduced a glittering array of now-standard songs and dances.

Court allows restriction on parole hearings for multiple murderers

■ Justices rule that such changes do not amount after-the-fact punishment for prisoners who committed their crimes when parole hearings were more frequent.

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Mass murderer Charles Manson and other notorious criminals are potential losers in a Supreme Court ruling that lets states increase the time between parole hearings for some prison inmates.

The court, by a 7-2 vote in a California case Tuesday, ruled that such changes do not amount to after-the-fact punishment for prisoners who committed their crimes when parole hearings were more frequent.

The decision means those California inmates convicted of killing more than once are entitled, after their initial request for parole is denied, to a new hearing once every three years, not once a year.

In other matters Tuesday, the court:

■ Ruled in a California case that people who, under protest, pay federal taxes owed by someone else may sue for refunds.

■ Heard arguments in a free-speech dispute sparked by the exclusion of a homosexual group from the St. Patrick's Day parade in Boston.

In the parole case, California in 1981 extended from one to three years the period between prison hearings for multiple killers behind bars.

Other states — Illinois, Michigan, New Hampshire and South Carolina were listed as examples — have taken similar tough-on-crime steps regarding the availability of parole and parole hearings in recent years.

That change "creates only the most speculative and attenuated risk of increasing the measure of punishment attached to the covered crimes," Justice Clarence Thomas wrote for the court.

He said the change in state law applied "only to a class of prisoners for whom the likelihood of release on parole is quite remote." It was not clear whether the ruling could apply as well to all other inmates serving long prison terms.

Justices John Paul Stevens and David H. Souter dissented.

Accusing the court of building its ruling on numerous assumptions, Stevens said, "To engage in such pure speculation while condemning (the) assertion of increased punishment as speculative seems to me not only unpersuasive but actually perverse."

He said the ruling "will almost inevitably delay the grant of parole in some cases."

Past Supreme Court decisions had supplied three examples of prohibited retroactive changes in criminal law:

■ Laws making crimes out of acts that were legal when done.

■ Laws depriving people charged with crimes of defenses available when the alleged crimes occurred.

■ Laws allowing greater punishment for crimes than the punishment that existed when those crimes were committed.

The 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals had invoked the ban on greater punishment when it ruled last year that convicted killer Jose Ramon Morales is entitled to annual hearings.

Morales, a two-time convicted murderer who prosecutors say mutilated his victims, is, like cult leader Manson, not the most likely candidate for a quick parole no matter how often he receives a hearing.

Morales was convicted in 1971 of killing his girlfriend. After having been transferred from prison to a halfway house in 1980, Morales, then 40, married a 75-year-old woman he had met through her work as a prison evangelist.

He was paroled in 1980, and a few months later his wife disappeared. Her body was never recovered, but police found her severed hand on the Hollywood Freeway in Los Angeles.

Morales pleaded no contest to second-degree murder for his wife's death, and was sentenced to 15 years to life in prison.

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OKLAHOMA CITY BOMBING

Investigators struggle to answer question: Why Oklahoma City?

By Sam Verhovek
N.Y. Times News Service

OKLAHOMA CITY — The date, investigators say, was painstakingly selected. So what about the place?

That question is vexing federal investigators, who say they are struggling to understand just why Oklahoma City was chosen as the site for the bombing of a federal building last Wednesday, in part because an answer may yield clues to help track down the killers.

But so far, these officials say, no clear answer has emerged; instead, they are exploring nearly a dozen different theories. The target may have been chosen because one of the killers knew Oklahoma City extremely well, or because the bombers believed the huge amount of glass on the north side of the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building would maximize casualties, or because the act amounted to revenge against specific officials or agencies in the building.

Perhaps the building, seconds away from an on-ramp leading to three different Interstate highways, was blown up simply because its site afforded the speediest getaway.

And in plainly the most diabolical theory of all, the Murrah building may have been chosen specifically because its layout insured that a bomb could be placed so close to children, in the America's Kids day-care center on the second floor. Federal buildings elsewhere in the south-central United States, including Dallas, Denver and Kansas City, Mo., either do not have day-care centers or place them in areas somewhat less accessible to a bomb.

Federal investigators, speaking on condition of anonymity, stress that all these theories are speculative at this point, underscoring the difficulties so far in obtaining direct evidence about the bombers and their plans. But there is one theory they very much discount at this point — that the federal building here was chosen more or less at random.

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> — federal law official
> Oklahoma City

Too much else about the attack seems to have been carefully planned, including the date of April 19, which is believed to have been chosen to coincide with the second anniversary of the incineration of the Branch Davidian compound near Waco, Texas, after a tear-gas assault by agents of the FBI. Because several children died in that fire, officials have speculated that the bombers in Oklahoma City, intent on perceived revenge, may have wanted to insure that children died here as well.

"To the degree that we can ever fathom what was in their minds, get inside their minds, there seems to have been a reason to come to Oklahoma," said one federal law enforcement official here. "What that reason was, well, we simply do not know yet."

Several people have told the FBI that they saw men similar to the two John Does, whose sketches have loomed in front pages of newspapers all over the country, lurking in federal or state buildings in their hometowns in recent months. The Associated Press reported on Tuesday that composite drawings were made of two suspicious men who had been seen in a federal building in Omaha before the Oklahoma City bombing.

None of these, of course, amount at this point to a verifiable sighting of Timothy J. McVeigh or any other participant in the plot. McVeigh, who has been charged with the bombing, is being held at El Reno Federal Corrections Center near Oklahoma City.

Federal officials say they believe it is highly likely that the bombers carefully researched prospective sites for their carnage. If they did so, there are several factors that could have led them to Oklahoma. Here are some of those possibilities, along with questions or doubts surrounding the theories:

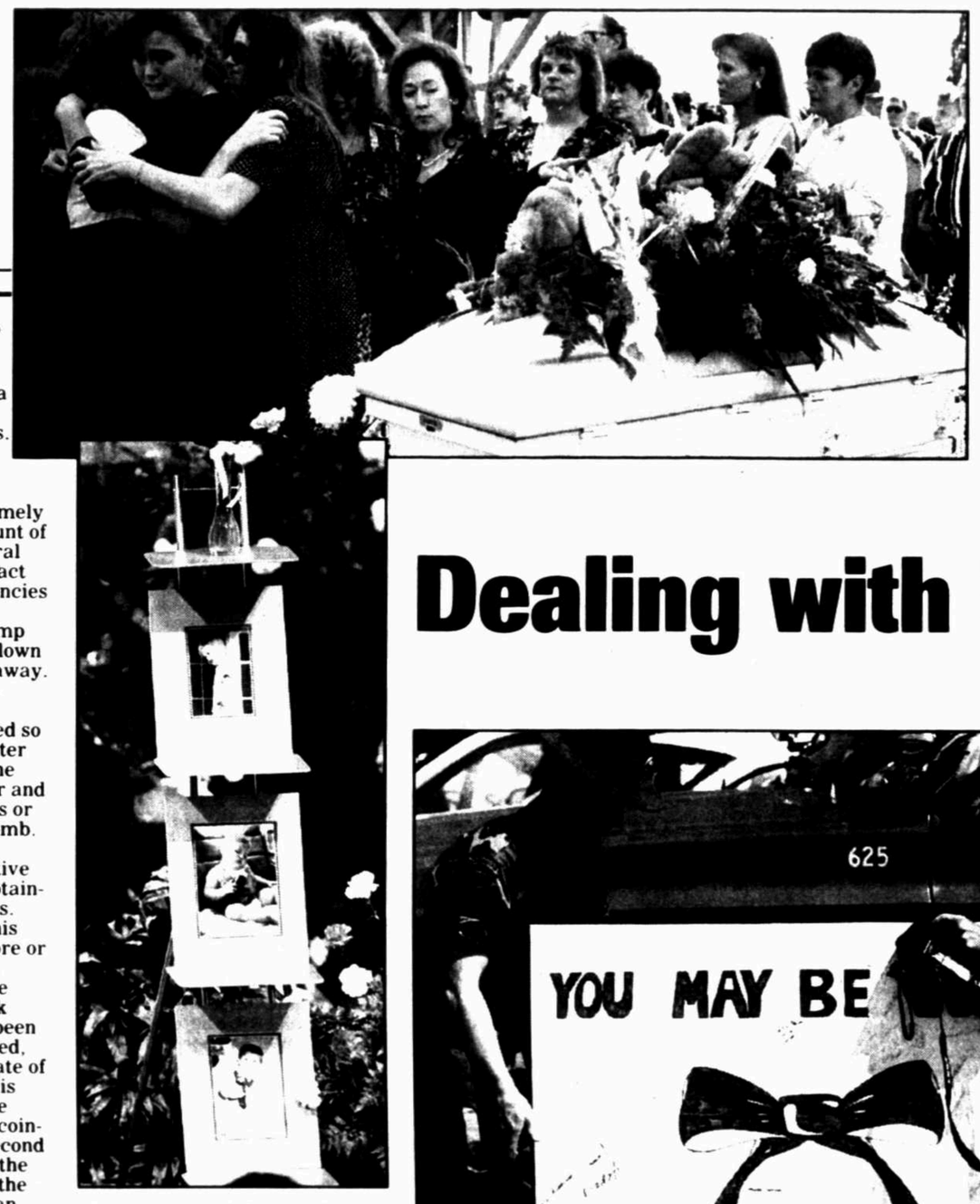
REVENGE: There were no less than 17 federal agencies with offices in the nine-story Murrah building, including the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, several of whose Oklahoma City agents were involved in the initial raid on the Branch Davidian compound near Waco on Feb. 28, 1993, when four agents were killed.

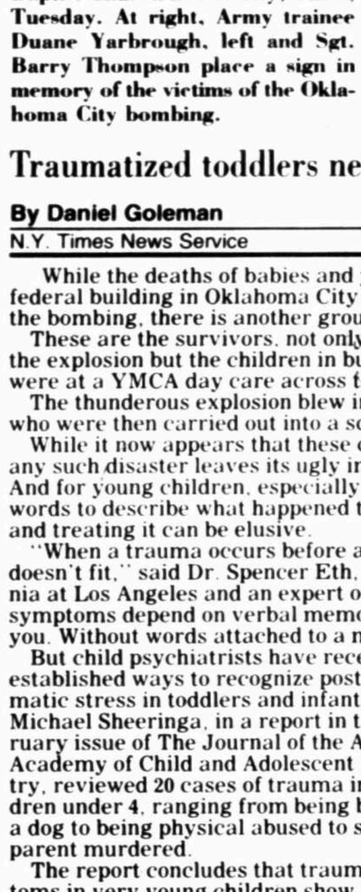
LOGISTICS: Just blocks from the building, an on-ramp leads to Interstate Highway 40, which in turn leads in minutes to two other Interstate highways, 35 and 44. The site thus insured a quick getaway to a network of highways leading in all directions.

BUILDING VULNERABILITY: Most of the north side of the Murrah building was glass, which some agents believe might have made it seem a tempting target. The bombers, the agents reason, may have inspected the outside of several Federal buildings and decided that bombing this one was most likely to produce a spray of glass, increasing casualties.

TARGETING CHILDREN: There is simply no way to know if this was on the bombers' minds. But if it was, there was logic to the awful choice: the second-floor, window location of the day-care center in the Murrah building was just above where the truck blew up.

In any event, officials are now scrambling to figure out where best to put children in federal day-care centers, if at all.





Above, photos of Chase and Colton Smith are displayed during the children's funeral at first Southern Baptist Church in Del City, Okla., Tuesday. At right, Army trainee Duane Yarbrough, left and Sgt. Barry Thompson place a sign in memory of the victims of the Oklahoma City bombing.

Mourners take one last look at the casket Tuesday of Chase and Colten Smith during memorial services for the brothers. The two were buried together in one casket.

AP Laserphotos

Victims' funerals tear at hearts of bombs' survivors

By Adam Pertman
N.Y. Times News Service

DEL CITY, Okla. — Middle-aged couples gripped each others' hands so firmly that their knuckles turned white. Young parents clutched their children as though they never wanted to let go. Old men cried.

If anything can rival the torture imposed on the area's residents by the bombing of the Oklahoma City federal building, it could be the funerals of its youngest victims.

Tuesday, it was Chase and Colton Smith's turn.

More than 500 people, many of whom had never met the 3-year-old or his 2-year-old brother, drove to the First Southern Baptist Church to pay tribute to the boys, who were buried together in a white coffin. Their grandfather, Rev. Richard Coss, who had planned to travel to Oklahoma from his Alabama home soon to take his grandchildren fishing, instead came to officiate at their funeral service.

"It's been a dark six days, but light is coming," said Coss, who drew from the Bible and his own faith in trying to provide solace to his family and members of the audience. And he warned against allowing events such as last week's murderous explosion to instill an angry desire for retribution, saying: "Hatred gone wild — we can't let that happen to us."

With its strong strain of Protestant faith, Oklahoma City and nearby communities have turned to a theme of resurrection in the last days of Easter month, even as the community continues the task of burying its dead.

"Our hope is in Jesus Christ and his resurrection," said David Nelson, disaster coordinator for the Western Oaks Nazarene Church. "And the positiveness and goodness that is coming out of all of this has become our message."

Dealing with loss



Traumatized toddlers need sense of security, experts say

By Daniel Goleman
N.Y. Times News Service

While the deaths of babies and young children in the day care center in the federal building in Oklahoma City is for many the most disturbing aspect of the bombing, there is another group of toddlers who are also victims.

These are the survivors, not only those few in the building who lived through the explosion but the children in buildings nearby, including 50 children who were at a YMCA day care across the street.

The thunderous explosion blew in the windows, cutting many of the children, who were then carried out into a scene of fire and smoke and chaos.

While it now appears that these children will survive their physical wounds, any such disaster leaves its ugly imprint in the psyches of those who survive. And for young children, especially preverbal children who do not yet have words to describe what happened to them, measuring the impact of trauma and treating it can be elusive.

"When a trauma occurs before a child can put it into words, the diagnosis doesn't fit," said Dr. Spencer Eth, a psychiatrist at the University of California at Los Angeles and an expert on trauma in children. "So many of the symptoms depend on verbal memory, on having labels for what happened to you. Without words attached to a memory, there's just an incoherent feeling."

But child psychiatrists have recently established ways to recognize post-traumatic stress in toddlers and infants. Dr. Michael Sheeringa, in a report in the February issue of The Journal of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, reviewed 20 cases of trauma in children under 4, ranging from being bitten by a dog to being physical abused to seeing a parent murdered.

The report concludes that trauma symptoms in very young children show up in disguise. The symptoms may include regression to baby talk or forgetting toilet training, becoming intensely clingy, suddenly not eating or sleeping properly, or becoming unusually defiant, demanding or aggressive.

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Sources: Unabomber may have 'flipped out'

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — The cool and meticulous Unabomber, who has attacked without warning during 17 years of terror, wrote letters this time around that indicate he's unraveling, federal sources said Tuesday.

"He made some demands," said one highly placed investigator, who spoke on condition of anonymity. "But there were words crossed out, it was very shaky. He's off the deep end."

Three letters were mailed Thursday, before the latest mail bomb exploded and killed a timber industry lobbyist Monday, the source said. Two of the letters were sent to victims of past bombings and the third went to The New York Times, the source said.

Jim Freeman, head of the FBI in San Francisco, refused at a news conference to reveal who the letters were sent to or what was in them. He said all three apparently sent from Oakland.

The FBI hoped to release details from the letters today.

"He's describing his actions and motives for the first time in 17 years," Freeman said.

The latest victim was Gilbert B. Murray, president of the California Forestry Association. Murray, 47, was killed when the bomb went off in his Sacramento office.

Murray was the third person killed in 16 attacks attributed to the Unabomber since 1978. Twenty-three people have been injured.

Only once before has the bomber written a letter — in June 1993 to The New York Times in which he claimed to be part of a group and espoused an anarchistic philosophy. Agents said, however, that they doubt he belongs to a group and called the Times letter a "trial balloon."

The source told The Associated Press the latest letters partly reflect environmental demands, but "they are so bizarre its really difficult to tell."

A San Francisco-based task force of FBI, Postal Service and Treasury Department investigators was expecting a bombing before summer, another source said. All attacks except one in the last decade have come in pairs.

Sacramento homicide Lt. Joe Enloe said bomb fragments in the Murray case contained the "signature" of the Unabomber.

"This is a very brave, brazen person in the sense that he's not really hiding the fact that the bomb is his," Enloe said. The force of the shoebox-sized bomb sent fragments 140 feet into the building's reception area, he said.

The package was addressed to Murray's predecessor, William Dennison, who left the job a year ago. The Postal Inspection Service is tracking where and when the bomb was mailed, said spokesman Dan DeMiglio.

"It was an extremely cleanly wrapped package, almost flawlessly wrapped. It appeared to have no seams. It was clearly addressed," DeMiglio said.

The Unabomber, who got the name because he initially targeted university and airline officials, is known for careful craftsmanship and meticulous wrapping. The Murray bomb was his 16th.

A composite drawing of the bomber was distributed after he was spotted dropping off a package in Salt Lake City in 1987. He was quiet for six years, but resumed his work with two bombings two days apart in June 1993. His latest, before Monday's attack, was in December, when a bomb killed advertising executive Thomas Mosser in his New Jersey home.

Monday's bombing about four months after the Mosser attack fits a pattern similar to bombings since 1982. In each case except one, a first bombing was followed by a second in a week to a few months.

The Mosser attack and Monday's bombing are the latest to show the Unabomber's apparent fascination with wood.

Mosser lived on Aspen Drive. Murray was a lobbyist for the timber industry. Earlier victims included Percy Wood, then-head of United Airlines. He lived in Lake Forest. The Unabomber has used phony return addresses on his mail bombs that have included Ravenswood and Forest Glen Road.

One bomb was encased in a book cover embossed with a tree leaf. Many of his bombs have included unusual wooden parts and have been encased in wood. One early bomb had twigs attached.

FBI experts on psychological profiles won't discuss the wood fascination publicly.

They have said the bomber is an anti-social white male, probably in his early 40s.

The bombs usually show signs of having been taken apart and reassembled several times before they are mailed, and the outsides are polished.

Easy-going Ito gets tough as trial resumes

LOS ANGELES (AP) — After two days of questioning rebellious jurors, the usually easy-going Judge Lance Ito got tough Tuesday, snapping orders, ejecting spectators and making clear he will tolerate no further delays in O.J. Simpson's trial.

"He appears to be a man with a mission to end this case," said Loyola University law professor Laurie Levenson. "It's as if he made a promise to those jurors and he's going to make good on it."

Testimony resumed after a four-day break with cross-examination of police criminalist Andrea Mazzola, who was unruffled by tough questioning about her collection of crucial evidence in the slayings of Nicole Brown Simpson and her friend Ronald Goldman.

Ito, who halted the trial last week after jurors rebelled, repeatedly objected as defense attorney Peter Neufeld took a confrontational approach with Mazzola.

When Neufeld tried to ask Mazzola about her work on two previous crime scenes, Ito, who has been criticized for letting the trial meander, stopped him: "Counsel, I'm not really interested in the other crime scenes."

At another point, Ito halted a line of questioning, saying, "This is interesting, but not particularly relevant."

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Ito's tough demeanor emerged after he met behind closed doors with unhappy jurors, among them a woman who threatened to bolt from the sequestered panel, saying, "I can't take it anymore."

Last week, he removed three sheriff's deputies from jury guard duty because of complaints from a few panelists. The move set off a revolt by 13 other jurors who wanted the deputies to stay.

With his inquiry into jury problems continuing, Ito refused to unseal transcripts of his conversations with jurors and alternates. But their demeanor — and his — indicated a deal of some sort had been struck.

The jurors were businesslike and attentive in court, but they took not a single note during Neufeld's cross-examination of Mazzola. Gone were the black clothes they wore Friday that symbolized the jury protest; they reverted to coordinated dresses and suits.

"There's much more of a sense that someone is in charge in the courtroom. Someone capable of saying no," Southwestern University law professor Robert Pugsley said. "You have a much more in-charge image of Judge Ito."

Of the jurors, he said: "One sign they're looking for ... is respect for their time."

Neufeld tried to portray Mazzola as an inept rookie in handling evidence. But he made little headway. She was calm, suggesting that she did her job of collecting blood samples as well as anyone could have done it.

She acknowledged that mistakes could have been made.

The actions of Mazzola and her supervisor, Dennis Fung, have been dissected by the defense. Fung spent nine days on the stand.

Mazzola conceded it was she, not Fung, who collected most of the blood from Simpson's estate and from Ms. Simpson's condominium, where Ms. Simpson and Goldman were slain. Sometimes, she said, Fung was not present to supervise her.

U.S., economic allies deplore dollar's drop

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States and its major economic allies deplored the dollar's weakness in international currency markets Tuesday but offered no concrete plan to shore up the beleaguered currency.

In a joint statement after more than five hours of talks, the finance officials pledged to continue efforts at economic cooperation that would stabilize jittery currency markets.

However, the statement offered no hint that any major policy changes were about to be undertaken. And U.S. officials made clear that they would not go along with calls by other nations for an increase in U.S. interest rates to defend the dollar. Japanese and German officials have complained increasingly in recent weeks about what they see as the Clinton administration's failure to bolster the dollar sufficiently.

But following the talks, finance ministers sought to play down any disagreements, lest signs of discord further rattle global currency markets.

"It was really a very constructive set of meetings in a constructive atmosphere," Treasury Secretary Robert Rubin told reporters. "Within that room ... there was a remarkably good spirit of cooperative enterprise."

In an interview published Tuesday, President Clinton termed of "questionable value" the idea that higher interest rates in the United States would bolster the dollar.

"We aren't going to do ourselves any good to spark a recession here at home by raising interest rates further," Clinton said in an interview with the Des Moines Register.

The meeting of the world's seven largest economies — the United States, Japan, Germany, Britain, France, Italy and Canada — came at a time of unusually sharp bickering among the major partners.

Japanese and German officials have complained that the Clinton administration has failed to do more to support the dollar, which has fallen by 20 percent in value against the yen and nearly 15 percent against the German mark since the beginning of the year.

Japan and Germany are both worried that economic recoveries in their countries could be hurt if their export industries get priced out of foreign markets.

But many economists believe that the dollar's decline, as long as it does not trigger a downturn in U.S. stock and bond markets, will turn out to be beneficial for the United States by making U.S. products cheaper on overseas markets and thus help to narrow America's record trade deficits.

Other analysts warn, however, that the dollar's weakness could come back to haunt the United States if foreign investors begin pulling out of U.S. markets due to fear that currency losses will erase any profits they might make. So far, that has not occurred. The stock market has continued to soar to record highs despite the dollar's continued plunge.

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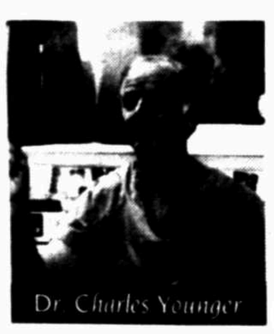
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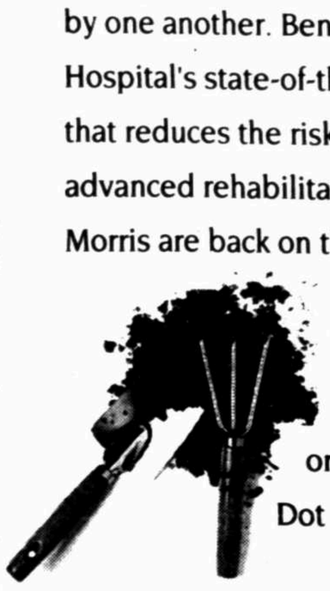
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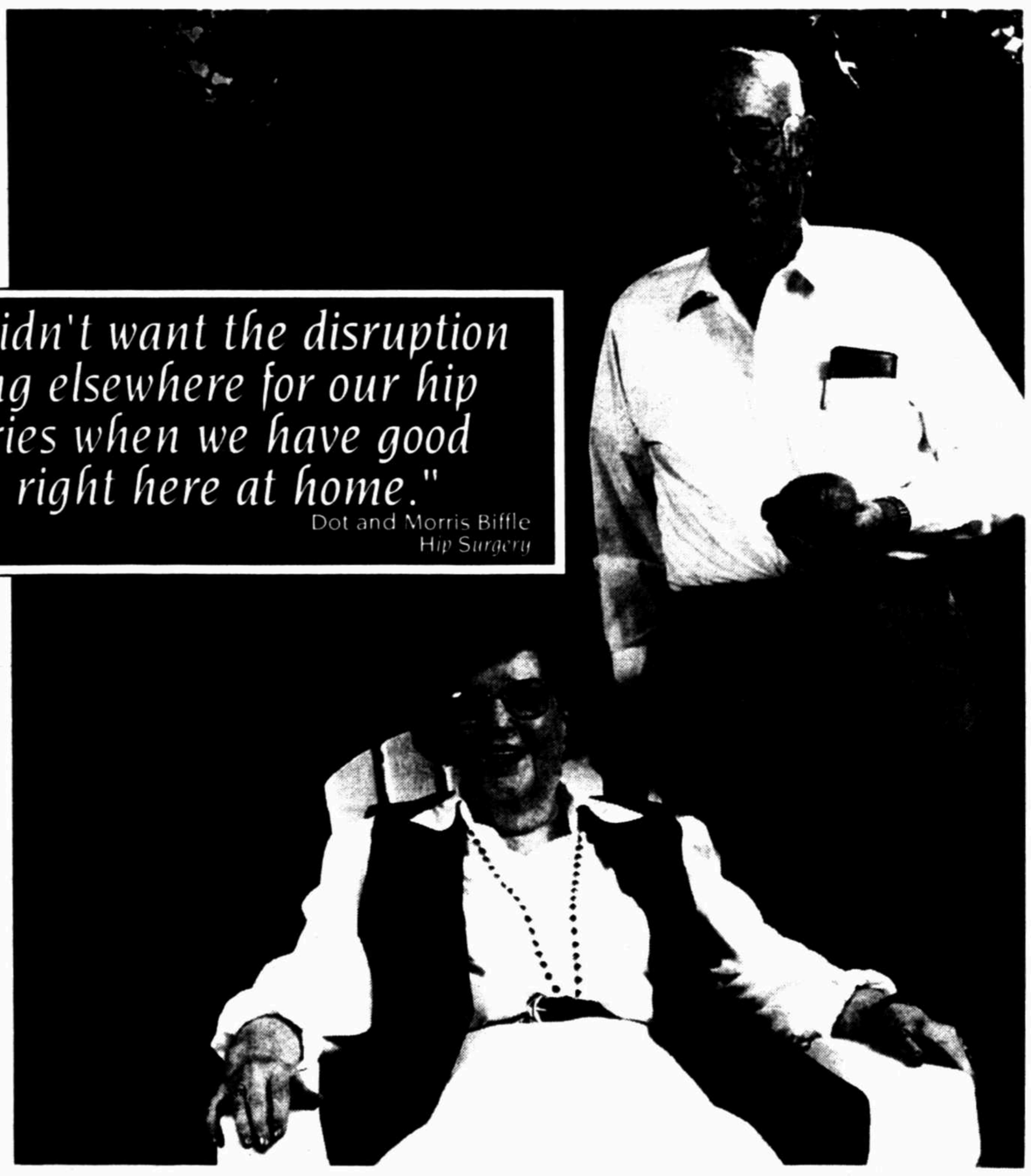
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Prices recover

Crude futures rebounded from Monday's loss on the New Mercantile Exchange Tuesday.

West Texas Intermediate for June delivery rose 17 cents to close at $20.29 a barrel.

Natural gas for June delivery slipped 2.8 cents to close at $1.685 per thousand cubic feet.

T-bills rise

WASHINGTON — Interest rates on short-term Treasury securities rose in Monday's auction.

The Treasury Department sold $11.7 billion in three-month bills at an average discount rate of 5.66 percent, up from 5.56 percent last week. Another $11.7 billion was sold in six-month bills at an average discount rate of 5.75 percent, up from 5.69 percent.

The three-month bill rate was the highest since they sold for 5.70 percent on April 10. The six-month bill rate was the highest since they averaged 5.84 percent on April 10.

The new discount rates understate the actual return to investors — 5.84 percent for three-month bills with a $10,000 bill selling for $9,856.90 and 6.02 percent for a six-month bill selling for $9,709.30.

In a separate report, the Federal Reserve said Monday that the average yield for one-year Treasury bills, the most popular index for making changes in adjustable rate mortgages, fell to 6.17 percent last week from 6.28 percent the previous week.

Dollar weakens

NEW YORK — The dollar slid against key currencies Tuesday as hopes faded that the United States and the other economic powers will come up with a plan to rescue the weakened greenback.

In late New York dealings, the dollar was quoted at 81.93 yen, down from 83.03 late Monday and the first finish below 82 yen in five trading sessions.

The dollar also fetched 1.3708 German marks, down from 1.3750.

Other late dollar rates in New York, compared with late Tuesday: 1.1305 Swiss francs, down from 1.1400; 4.8355 French francs, down from 4.8585; 1,687 Italian lire, down from 1,705; and 1.3640 Canadian dollars, down from 1.3655.

The British pound was quoted at $1.6115, up from $1.6040.

Stocks mixed

NEW YORK — The stock market meandered to a mixed finish Tuesday as blue-chip issues paused after a series of record-setting sessions.

Technology stocks, however, maintained their upward momentum, enabling the Nasdaq Stock Market to come out ahead for the day.

The Dow Jones industrial average never strayed far from its starting point and ended slightly below Monday's close, which had been the first finish above 4,300. It dipped 3.81 to 4,300.17.

Broader indicators heavily weighted with New York Stock Exchange listings also closed lower. The NYSE composite index fell 0.45 to 276.39 and Standard & Poor's 500 stock index slid 0.79 to 512.10.

Advancing Big Board stocks outnumbered declines by fewer than 100 issues and a closing tally showed 1,160 up, 1,074 down and 745 unchanged.

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Signs say economic growth controlled

Consumer confidence climbs to five-year high in March

By John D. McClain
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON — Fresh reports show labor costs rising at the slowest pace on record, consumer confidence in the economy jumping to a five-year high and falling mortgage rates helping to revive sales of existing homes.

Analysts said the reports Tuesday were consistent with the Federal Reserve's goal of a slower, but still-growing economy and low inflation.

"We've got a very nice picture here," said economist Eugene Sherman of M.A. Shapiro & Co. in New York, who added the reports should allay fears of further Fed interest-rate increases in the near future.

The Labor Department said its Employment Cost Index edged up just 2.9 percent in the year ended March 31, the smallest increase since it began tracking worker pay and benefits in 1981. The increase was held back by the slowest growth on record in the cost of benefits, such as health care.

The index is considered one of the best gauges of wage inflation pressures since employee compensation represents about two-thirds of the cost of a product.

Labor Secretary Robert Reich said the employment cost report "confirms there is no inflationary push from wages and benefits."

"But the data are troubling in that they show that workers are not sharing in the gains of economic growth," he told a reporter. "Corporate profits are sufficiently high that companies can afford to share some of the gains with their employees, again without inflationary consequences."

Meanwhile, the National Association of Realtors reported sales of existing homes rebounded 5.8 percent in March to a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 3.62 million, the first increase in three months. All regions of the country shared in the gain.

And the Conference Board said its index of consumer confidence in the economy rose this month to 105.5, from 100.2 in March. It was the highest level in nearly five years and the second straight monthly advance.

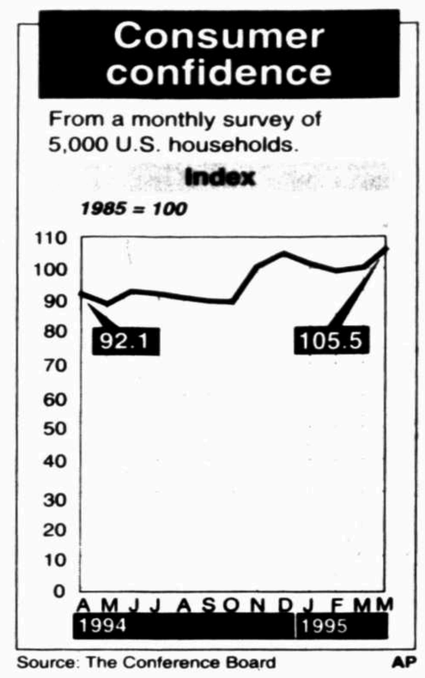
"We have a relatively modest unemployment rate and a fairly subdued inflation rate," said Fabian Linden, director of consumer research for the New York-based, business-sponsored research group. "If you take those two ingredients, jobs and prices, these are somewhat encouraging moments."

The 2.9 percent increase in the Employment Cost Index was down from the 3.2 percent gain in the first quarter of 1994. Costs during the quarter rose just 0.6 percent from the previous three months, also the smallest advance on record.

Sherman said since both the year-over-year and quarterly increases set records, "we're not looking at an aberration, but a trend for lower labor costs."

Wages and salaries — nearly three-fourths of total compensation — rose 3.0 percent in the year ended March 31, compared with the 2.9 percent advance a year earlier.

But benefit costs edged up just 2.8 percent, much less than the 4.1 percent gain in the same period in 1994 and the smallest increase since the series began.



Source: The Conference Board AP

Unemployment continues drop

By Mella McEwen
Staff Writer

Unemployment in both the city of Midland and the Odessa-Midland area showed modest improvement from February to March.

But those figures are sharply lower compared to a year ago, according to statistics released Tuesday by the Texas Employment Commission.

The TEC's Odessa-Midland metropolitan statistical area (MSA) reported an unemployment rate of 5.7 percent in March, down from 5.9 percent in February and down more than 2 percent from March 1994's 7.9 percent.

In the city of Midland, the rate was 4.6 percent, down from 4.7 percent in March and from 6.1 percent last March.

The number of unemployed in Odessa-Midland fell by 200, to 6,800 from 7,000 in February. A year ago there were 9,300 unemployed in the MSA.

Part of that drop is due to a slightly smaller civilian labor force, which fell by 100 to 118,600 from 118,700 in February but is above 118,000 a year ago.

Total employment also rose by 100, to 111,800 from 111,700 the previous month. In March 1994, the figure was 108,700.

In the city of Midland, the labor force rose to 49,197 from 49,162 and is above the 48,603 reported a year ago.

In the past year, the city has seen at least 1,311 jobs created, as employment rose to 46,942 from 46,865 in February and up 1,311 from 45,631 a year ago.

Total unemployment dropped to 2,255 from 2,297 in February and well below the 2,972 posted last year.

Jackie Moseley, manager of the TEC's Midland office, also reported that first-time intrastate unemployment benefit claims for the Midland region, which encompasses the Permian Basin and Concho Valley, were down 36.96 percent from a year ago and were down 20.8 percent from a week ago.

"We're seeing new employment opportunities and a decrease in the filing of first-time claims and the unemployment rate is lower due to that," she said.

Ms. Moseley went on to predict that, with the summer hiring season about to start and projected new businesses set to open in coming months, the unemployment rate could fall even further.

She expressed surprise that residents aren't as aware of the improved employment picture, noting that "The perception of the community is that there's more unemployment than there actually is."

The Fortune 500, a new look

Fortune magazine has made a fundamental change in the way it ranks America's top corporations. Starting with its 1994 list, released Tuesday, the Fortune 500 will include service companies in addition to manufacturers. A look at 1994's top 10 vs. 1993:



Company	1994 revenues	Company	1993 revenues
General Motors	**$154,951**	**General Motors**	**$138,220**
Ford Motor	$128.439	Ford Motor	$108.521
Exxon	**$101,459**	**Exxon**	**$99,504**
Wal-Mart Stores	$83.412	IBM	$62.716
AT&T	**$75,094**	**General Electric**	**$61,558**
General Electric	$64.687	Mobil	$57.077
IBM	**$64,052**	**Philip Morris**	**$50,621**
Mobil	$59.621	Chrysler	$43.600
Sears Roebuck	**$54,559**	**Texaco**	**$35,185**
Philip Morris	$53.776	DuPont	$33.364

All figures in millions of dollars

Source: Fortune magazine AP

Service industry additions restructure Fortune 500 list

By Maggie Jackson
AP Writer

NEW YORK — Call it a last nail in the coffin of the Industrial Age.

The Fortune 500 list, a who's who of the mightiest manufacturers in America for 40 years, is now including in its tony ranks Wal-Mart, McDonald's, Microsoft and others in the service world.

Texas companies in the top 50 include Irving-based Exxon at No. 3, and two service companies, Plano-based J.C. Penney, No. 32, and Fort Worth-based AMR Corp., parent of American Airlines, No. 49. Of 36 Texas companies on the list, 21 were service companies.

It was time for a change, according to Fortune magazine, because the lines are blurring between the companies that make products and those that sell, maintain, design or package them.

If appliance maker General Electric Co., for example, derived 40 percent of its revenues last year from writing mortgages and other services, and computer firms make their own software, why not let them weigh in together?

In effect, Fortune's old method of ranking the country's top 500 industrial and service companies separately was outdated.

As well, the power of the service sector couldn't be ignored. In 1993, Fortune's 500 biggest service companies made $93.7 billion in profits, nearly 50 percent more than their counterparts on the industrial list.

There were even more service companies on the new list than industrials: 291.

Of course, the industrial powerhouses of old aren't gone. In the 41st annual list, General Motors Corp. again grabs the No. 1 spot, just as it has 31 times before. Ford Motor Co. and Exxon Corp. take second and third places, as they did in the previous year.

But three newcomers appear among the top 10 on the Fortune 500, which ranks companies according to 1994 sales figures. Wal-Mart Stores Inc. takes fourth spot, AT&T Corp. is No. 5 and Sears, Roebuck and Co. is No. 9.

AT&T Corp. applauded the changed list, which was released today and will be available on newsstands May 1.

Fortune attributes the blurring of lines between manufacturers and service companies to two trends.

The computer revolution allows companies to cheaply hire others to do work they once did before. Nike Inc., for example, designs, markets and distributes shoes but doesn't actually make any, said Fortune.

In addition, deregulation has allowed more companies to be compared by their sales figures. Previously, Fortune compared those companies by assets, since the profits of regulated companies are closely controlled by governments.

The Fortune 500 list was created decades ago as an in-house tool to help editors track which companies they should write about. In 1955, the magazine began publishing it.

Disney profits up 27 percent

BURBANK, Calif. (AP) — Walt Disney Co. reported 27 percent higher quarterly profits Tuesday, helped by the roaring home video success of "The Lion King" which nearly doubled results in the company's filmed entertainment business.

With merchandise and theme park-resorts profits also higher, Disney earned $315.5 million, or 60 cents a share, in the January-March quarter, the second in its fiscal year. That compared with second quarter earnings of $248.4 million, or 45 cents a share, in 1994.

Revenues rose 28 percent, from $2.2 billion to $2.9 billion.

The results were at the upper end of analysts' estimates, which had ranged from 53 cents to 60 cents per share, but investors apparently had hoped for even better.

Operating profit from films, television programming and video sales climbed 92 percent to $307 million in the quarter as revenue rose 41 percent to $1.56 billion.

Kmart halves dividend, warns of quarterly loss

DETROIT (AP) — Kmart Corp. directors cut the company's dividend 50 percent Tuesday and warned that the discount retailer is likely to report an operating loss in the year's first quarter.

Analysts said the nation's No. 2 retailer needed to reduce its dividend payments to shareholders to free up cash for renovating older stores, opening new ones and taking other steps to compete more effectively with rivals such as No. 1 Wal-Mart Stores Inc. and Dayton Hudson Corp.'s Target chain.

Battered by disappointing profits in eight consecutive quarters, Kmart has closed more than 100 stores in the past year. Since January it has overhauled its management structure.

The company said its sales and cost cutting in the first quarter were on track with plans, but gross profit margins were below expectations. The statement didn't estimate the size of the expected operating loss, but it said it mainly will be due to the effect of a new inventory accounting system.

BUSINESS SCENE

Little Caesar's Pizza begins offering delivery service

By Mella McEwen

LITTLE CAESARS PIZZA, with two locations in Midland, has begun home delivery.


McEwen

Rick Carr, owner of the area franchise, said the entire chain has begun offering delivery service at the request of customers. Carr's two Odessa locations began delivery service two weeks ago.

The two Midland locations are at 1000 N. Midkiff and in Fairmont Park shopping center, Wadley and Midland Drive. The two locations will cover virtually all of Midland with the exception of the far, far east side and the far, far southeast side, Carr said.

Customers can order either a single pizza or the company's traditional two-pizza order and add salads, sandwiches and drinks to be delivered. There is a $2 delivery charge.

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Midlanders Stephan and Pamela Lazaroff have opened **LOGICAL COMPUTER SOLUTIONS** at 4500 W. Illinois, Suite 310.

The couple is currently taking registration for classes in Windows 3.1 Basics, Computer Basics and Desktop Publishing and will arrange on-site classes for businesses.

Other services offered include diagnostics and repair of all IBM-compatible computers, consultation on custom-designed and built computer systems as well as upgrades on current systems and sale of preowned CD ROM titles.

LCS also publishes Basin Computer News, a monthly newsletter dedicated to and for computer owners and users.

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On the move is **CHECKER AUTO WORKS**, which has moved from 1115 N. Midkiff across the street to larger quarters in Town & Country shopping center, 1000 N. Midkiff.

The auto parts store is now located in the 8,000 square foot location that once housed 100,000 Auto Parts.

Second assistant manager Mark Staton said the new store carries a larger selection of inventory, offers testing on alternators, batteries and starters, sells engines and will soon offer delivery service to its commercial accounts.

The new location allowed the store to install a computer system that stores warranty information for each customer, allowing for a "no hassle guarantee."

Staton said the wheelchair-accessible store is modeled after a grocery store, featuring wide aisle and three checkout lanes.

Hours are 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Saturday and 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. Sunday.

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The Midland **J.C. PENNEY** store in Midland Park Mall will be participating in a national child safety event this weekend. Sponsored nationwide by the retailer, proceeds will benefit St. Jude Children's research Hospital.

Friday and Saturday during regular store hours, parents can purchase a 10-page booklet that includes space for a child's photograph, emergency phone numbers, the child's description and fingerprints, insurance policy numbers, medical transport consent, immunization records and offers tips on child health and safety for parents or babysitters. The booklet will be packaged in a plastic sleeve with a magnet that will attach to the refrigerator, and is available in English or Spanish. Cost is $5 with a $5 savings certificate included.

Representatives of the Midland Police Department will be present at the store Friday and Saturday to assist with fingerprints. All participating children will receive gift bags and balloons. Reservations are being accepted for Saturday, but are not required.

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At Midland Park Mall, Fruit Chills - featuring lemon, lime and strawberry frozen deserts, will open Thursday in front of Marie's. Core Craft Etc., offering desk accessories, rocks and minerals, opens May 1 in front of Software Etc. Also opening May 1 is Mary's Tropical Snow, located in front of Bealls.

The Greathouse Strings will perform Friday in Center Court beginning at 11:15 a.m. The Midland Convention and Visitors Bureau will display Midland tourist attraction art in celebration of National Tourism Week, and the American Red Cross will have representatives in the mall Saturday for National Volunteer Week. Tickets for the Arts Assembly Street Dance can be purchased at the customer service center through 4 p.m. May 5 for $7.

The Starts softball team will operate the train Saturday and Sunday as a fundraiser.

Mella McEwen is a business/oil writer for the Reporter-Telegram.

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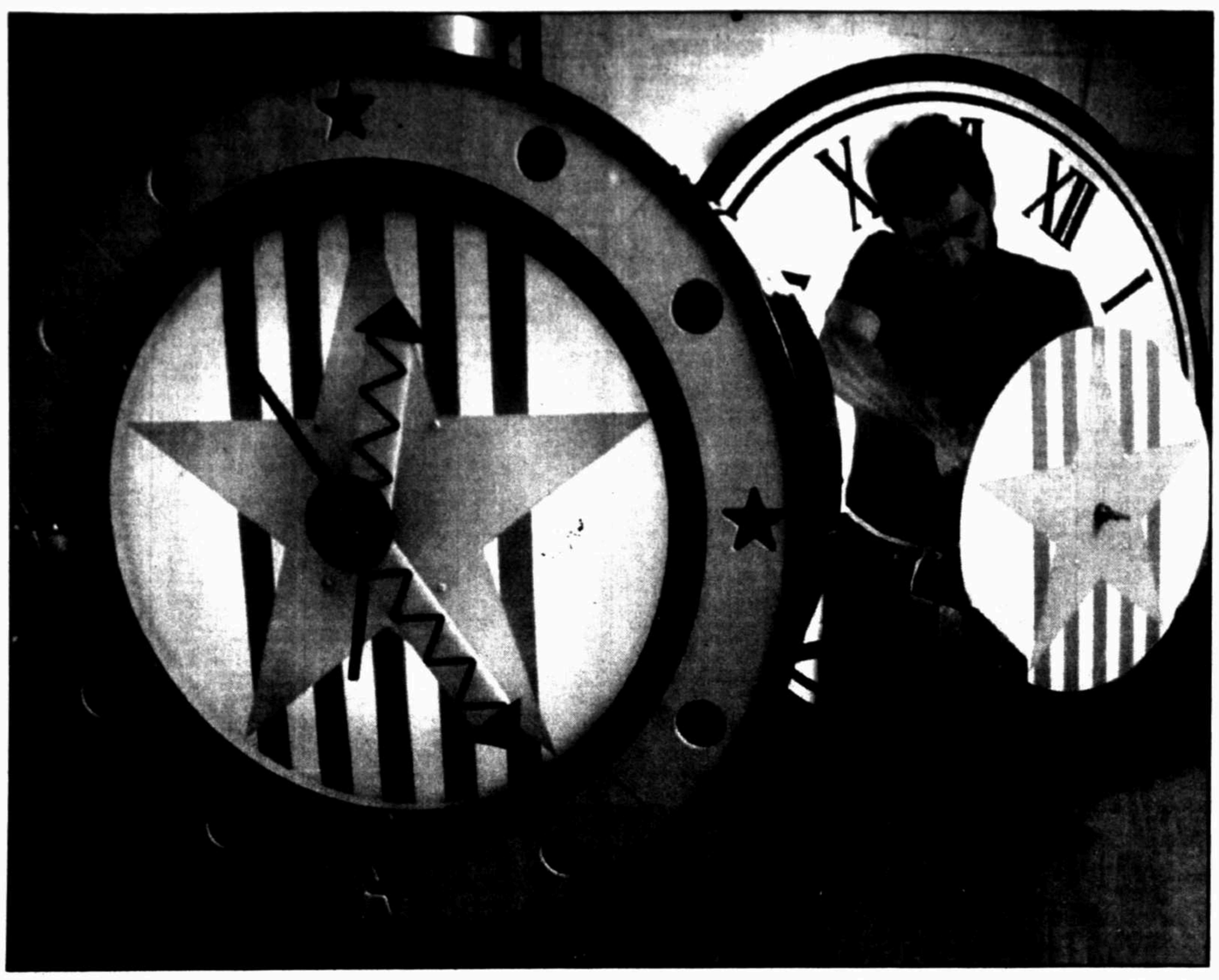
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Intlntg 9.49 N.L. -.01
ShUSGv10 9.54 N.L. ...
US GvMI10 9.44 N.L. ...
ARK Funds:
Grinc 10.01 N.L. +.01
Income 9.68 N.L. +.01
AVESTA:
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Achievement Funds:
BalTr 10.67 N.L. -.01
EqyTr 11.00 N.L. ...
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ST BdTr 10.07 N.L. ...
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AcomF 12.67 12.67 +.07
AdvCPlet g9 N.L. ...
Adventus Funds:
Spect A 13.59 14.31 -.02
Advised Advsrs:
Govt p 9.02 9.02 +.01
Gwth p 16.88 16.88 +.04
HY Bd p 8.57 8.57 +.01
Inco p 12.27 12.27 ...
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BondA p 11.92 12.45 +.07
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Growth p 2.34 2.44 ...
GtNY p 25.30 26.42 -.01
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Intlnv p 17.08 17.84 -.06
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MYA p 9.36 9.78 -.02
NMuA p 10.12 10.57 -.02
NEur p 13.95 14.57 +.20
NAGvA p 8.53 8.91 -.02
QuasA p 19.36 20.22 -.03
ST Mu p 7.44 7.77 +.01
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MNYB p 9.37 9.37 -.01
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NAGvC p 8.34 8.34 -.02
AmBouth Funds:
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Bond 10.52 10.85 -.01
Equity 15.77 16.51 -.01
PrecEq 17.99 18.84 +.04
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Ambassador Inv:
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Amer Advisors Fd:
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Amer Capital:
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Brazos Funds:
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Calamos Funds:
GrowOp 22.05 N.L. +.25
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California Trust:
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A matter of time

Danny DeMauro adjusts a "Texas Star" clock at the Electric Time shop in Medfield, Mass., Monday. Electric Time, which is the oldest manufacturer of electric clocks in the world, is making the custom clock for the Westgate Mall in Amarillo, Texas. Behind DeMauro is one of four 84-inch backlit clocks destined for Louisiana Tech University in Ruton, La.

New technique determines cancer possibility faster, more accurately

N.Y. Times News Service

Worry was written all over the woman's face when she entered the New York radiologist's office. There were at least four lumps in her breast that she could feel. Were they simply benign manifestations of her chronic fibrocystic breast disease, or did one or more of the lumps harbor cancer?

Ordinarily, getting the answer would have required a series of large needle punctures and a tissue analysis that would take one or two days. But the patient would have an answer in 20 minutes. With an ultrasound machine providing a periscopic view of the inside of the breast, the radiologist, Dr. Doreen Liebeskind, inserted a very thin hollow needle into one lump at a time, extracted cells from each lump, placed them on slides and handed them to Dr. Grace Yang, a cytopathologist, for staining. The radiologist repeated these fine-needle aspirations of the woman's lumps until Dr. Yang was sure of the diagnosis.

Twenty minutes after entering the examining room, the woman left the doctor's office smiling. All the lumps, she was told, were benign. No hospitalization, no surgical biopsy and no further treatment would be necessary.

Obtaining all the information vital to an accurate biopsy was made possible, to a large degree, by the special staining technique Dr. Yang developed, which has already greatly enhanced the speed and accuracy of biopsies in organs and tissue throughout the body.

The woman with the breast lumps was not the only happy patient to come into the radiologist's office that day. An 82-year-old man came in with a huge tumor in his chest. Once again a radiologist, in this case Dr. Liebeskind's partner, Dr. Albert Messina, and Dr. Yang teamed up.

Guided by a CT scan that gives a three-dimensional X-ray view of the area, Messina inserted a fine needle into the mass and aspirated cells. Dr. Yang stained them and announced a few minutes later that what he had was a benign tumor of the thymus gland.

Dr. Yang's staining method, a modification of the famous Papanicolaou stain test used in Pap smears, provides a detailed picture of cells removed from a suspicious lump in just 90 seconds. Dr. Yang, who works at New York Hospital-Cornell Medical Center, developed the technique, called Ultrafast Papanicolaou Stain, just one year ago.

In an interview, she said, "It has caught on like a California brush fire." Dr. Yang has presented the technique at various medical meetings, and it has been enthusiastically adopted by nearly 300 cytology labs around the country.

She published a description of the technique in the February issue of the journal Acta Cytologica. In a later publication she will report on the accuracy of the technique based on the data she is now collecting.

Dr. Liebeskind and Messina, both of Park Avenue Radiologists, with whom Dr. Yang collaborates every Thursday, described the fine-needle aspirations using Dr. Yang's staining technique as "really revolutionary," resulting in a very fast and untraumatic diagnosis done in a doctor's office.

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Lava vents in sea floor may affect El Nino, some scientists speculate

N.Y. Times News Service

El Nino, the climatic disturbance that brings droughts to Australia, famines to Africa, and floods to California, is a global visitation of mysterious origin. It occurs every two to seven years and normally lasts one or two years, in which time it can kill hundreds of people and destroy many billions of dollars in crops, fisheries and property.

Teams of scientists find new kinds of damage from El Nino all the time but have made only marginal progress in understanding its genesis. This is why there has been only modest success at global warnings and predictions.

But now an intriguing explanation has been put forward for the cause of El Nino. Surprisingly, it has little to do with the atmosphere or the sea.

The proposed prime mover is fiery lava from the earth's molten interior that erupts between tectonic plates on the Pacific sea floor, heating the overlying waters enough to affect the ocean's surface and bring on the fury of El Nino.

An unusual spate of such seabed eruptions and their accompanying swarms of sea quakes predated the current El Nino cycle, which at four or five years of age is unusually old. One of this cycle's repercussions has been torrential rains in California and the longest drought in Australia's recorded history.

"The seismicity was totally bizarre, maybe the most anomalous it's been in the past 30 years," Dr. Daniel A. Walker, a geophysicist at the University of Hawaii who is the author of the deep-lava theory, said in an interview.

El Nino researchers, who tend to be meteorologists and oceanographers, have found little of merit in Walker's theory. Some dismiss it as absurd. Others say it is probably unneeded given the advances already under way in understanding the climatic trauma.

But the theory recently got a boost from Dr. D. James Baker, Administrator of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, who at a recent symposium highlighted it as a possible explanation.

Moreover, new research, financed partly by the oceanic agency, is revealing that the volcanism between tectonic plates on the sea floor is one of the strongest and least understood forces on earth, producing a vast heating of the seas equal to that of 3,000 big nuclear reactors.

That kind of heat rising from icy Pacific depths is worthy of close study and might conceivably be the progenitor of El Nino's global wrath, Walker said, carefully adding that the case for such causation is so far unproven.

"I'm not saying I have the solution," he said. "But I have something here that is very interesting and plausible."

By definition, El Nino is a warming of surface waters in the eastern Pacific near the equator. Its Spanish name is an allusion to the Christ child, because the warming current often flows near South and Central America around Christmas time.

In a sketchy way, its cause is well known. The trade winds that normally blow westward across the south Pacific weaken and sometimes reverse themselves. As they falter warm Pacific surface waters that usually build up near Asia begin flowing eastward toward South America, bringing usually warm currents to the region.

When the changes are especially strong, South American countries along the Pacific are lashed by heavy rains and rich fisheries are destroyed by the sudden warming of coastal waters. Meanwhile, Australia, Indonesia and southern Africa can experience droughts, even as the rest of the globe suffers its own mix of atmospheric consequences.

The big question in all this is why the trade winds fail. By definition, these gusts are an atmospheric imbalance between a center of high pressure near Easter Island in the eastern Pacific and a zone of low pressure near Australia. The westward breezes are nature's attempt to try to establish an equilibrium.

Walker had no intention of trying to solve the trade-wind riddle in 1971 when he installed on Easter Island a seismometer, a sensitive device that records earth rumbles. He was just doing basic geological research.

But he immediately noticed something strange. The seismometer picked up periodic swarms of energy coming from the nearby seafloor. Rather quickly, he concluded that he was seeing plate tectonics in action, in particular the deep mayhem of volcanic spreading.

The theory of plate tectonics holds that the slow churning of the earth's hot interior creates and destroys the earth's crust as huge plates slowly move from cradle to grave. The plates form in the abyss as hot lava erupts from the sea floor, buttressing new crust on either side of the fiery gash.

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SPORTS & COMICS

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WEDNESDAY

SPORTS WATCH

TV Sports

NHL — St. Louis Blues at Dallas Stars, 9 a.m., HSE.

BASEBALL — Texas Rangers at New York Yankees, 12:30 p.m., ESPN.

Chicago Cubs at Cincinnati Reds, 1 p.m., WGN.

San Francisco Giants at Atlanta Braves, 3 p.m., TBS.

New York Mets at Colorado Rockies or Oakland A's at Toronto Blue Jays, 6:30 p.m., ESPN.

Houston Astros at San Diego Padres, 9:30 p.m., ESPN.

COLLEGE BASEBALL — Oklahoma at Oklahoma State, 7 p.m., HSE.

Texas Scores

TEXAS LEAGUE — Midland Angels 12, Wichita Wranglers 1.

NHL — St. Louis Blues 8, Dallas Stars 4.

4-5A Baseball

	W	L	W	L
y-Midland Lee	16	9	10	2
x-Odessa Permian	18	6	8	4
x-Abilene Cooper	16	6	8	4
Midland High	10	14	5	7
Odessa High	10	11	4	8
Abilene High	10	14	4	8
San Angelo Central	6	15	3	9

Note: Odessa High has one tie
y-captures district crown
x-clinches playoff spot

Tuesday's Results

Abilene Cooper 9, Odessa Permian 2; Abilene High 8, Odessa High 5; San Angelo Central 6, Midland High 4. Midland Lee was open.

Saturday's Schedule

Second place playoff game- Odessa Permian vs Abilene Cooper, 2 p.m., Snyder.



Joe goes racing

MINNEAPOLIS — Joe Montana didn't waste time finding a way to spend his retirement. One week after leaving the NFL, Montana announced today that he has become a partner in the Target-Chip Ganassi Racing Team.

"It is definitely a pleasure to be putting one career behind and getting started in something that's been in the back of my mind for a number of years," he said./**8D**

Opening day firsts

Firsts for the 1995 season at Tuesday night's opener between the Florida Marlins and Los Angeles Dodgers:

Pitch — Thrown by Florida's John Burkett, fouled off by Delino DeShields at 7:37 p.m. EDT.

Out — DeShields flied to center fielder Chuck Carr, who backpedaled and made a leaping catch.

Hit — Jose Offerman, the second batter of the game, singled over third base.

Run — Offerman scored in the first inning.

RBI — Raul Mondesi of the Dodgers hit a two-run homer to center field in the first inning.

Strikeout — Ramon Martinez of the Dodgers fanned Greg Colbrunn in the second inning.

Boos — When the Dodgers were introduced 30 minutes before the game.

TOMORROW...

- A preview of Midland High's egion I track and field qualifiers.
- A look at Midland Lee softball's star pitcher Emily Hayes.
- A preview of Midland Christian's upcoming TAPPS district playoff baseball game.

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Cowboys to play 'Niners Nov. 12

IRVING (AP) — The Dallas Cowboys will have to wait until Nov. 12 for revenge against the Super Bowl champion San Francisco 49ers.

The 49ers, who beat the Cowboys 38-28 in the National Football Conference championship game on Jan. 15, will host San Francisco at Texas Stadium in a 3 p.m. game.

Dallas has five nationally televised games, including three Monday Night Football telecasts. The Cowboys open the season and close the season on Monday nights.

The Cowboys get Monday Night Football under way when they travel to the Meadowlands to meet the New York Giants on Sept. 4.

Dallas hosts Philadelphia in a Monday night game on Nov. 6 at Texas Stadium. They are at Arizona for the last Monday night game and last game of the NFL regular season on Christmas night.

The Cowboys play in a Sunday night game at Minnesota on Sept. 17 and, as usual, are at home for the Thanksgiving holidays, playing Kansas City on Nov. 23. Both games will be nationally televised.

Other home games, besides the usual battles with NFC East division foes New

Please see **DALLAS**/2D

Oilers meet Gilbride in opener

HOUSTON (AP) — The Houston Oilers won't have to wait long to size up the AFC Central and one of the NFL's two new teams next season.

The Oilers kick off the 1995 season against the expansion Jacksonville Jaguars at noon Sept. 3, beginning a run of five consecutive games against divisional opponents to start the year.

The Jacksonville game will match them against Kevin Gilbride, their former offensive coordinator, who was fired midway through the 1994 season as Houston tumbled to a woeful 2-14 mark. Gilbride subsequently was hired to coach the Jaguars offense.

After the opener, Houston plays at home against Pittsburgh (Sept. 10) and Cleveland (Sept. 17), at Cincinnati (Sept. 24), then back at the Astrodome against Jacksonville (Oct. 1). The NFL released its 1995 schedule on Wednesday.

It's the first time since the 1970 AFL-NFL merger that the Oilers are set to open their season against five divisional foes.

"We'll certainly know where we stand after those first five games," Oilers coach Jeff Fisher said Wednesday. "We'll be battle-tested."

And they'll be battle-tested in obscu-

Please see **OILERS**/2D

MC golfers on roll, win regionals

Staff Report

DENTON — The Midland College team is on a roll and it is showing no mercy with it lofty No. 1 ranking in the nation.

The Chaparrals won the Region V golf tournament at Tanglewood Resort Tuesday with a 10-under par 854 over 54 holes of play. Not only did the Chaps win the title, which qualifies them for the NJCAA National Golf Tournament, but they won it by 34 strokes over Odessa College, which posted an 888.

In addition, the Chaps also won the top

Please see **CHAPS**/5D

Lee girls miss state golf tourney for first time in four years

By Stewart Doreen
Sports Writer

LUBBOCK — In past years, outshooting San Angelo in the final round would have meant a berth in the state tournament for the Midland Lee girls' golf team.

Tuesday would not be like any other year as Midland Lee took it to the defending champion Lady Bobcats in the Region I-5A golf tournament, but it would be too little too late for the Lady Rebels, who finished the two-day event at the Elm Grove Golf Club in fourth place.

"We have first timers here," said Lee coach Phyllis Sutton, whose team lost the district title by 90 strokes. "We're play-

Please see **LEE**/5D

Bulldogs slip out of contention on back

By Terry Williamson
Sports Editor

LUBBOCK — The Midland High boys golf team was in the midst of a state qualifying challenge in the Region I Class 5A boys golf tournament at Lubbock Country Club Tuesday. Then came the final six holes of the tournament.

The chance was blown down the stretch as the Bulldogs posted a 322, four strokes better than Monday's round, but the final team total of 648 was 17 strokes behind second place El Paso Hanks, who had a 631. MHS ended up in fifth place, one notch higher than Monday and two notches better than a year ago in the region tournament.

The bright spot of the day for MHS was the effort of senior Josh Jacobs, the District 4-5A medalist. Jacobs rebounded

Please see **MHS**/5D

PLAY BALL...finally



AP Laserphoto

Florida Marlin Terry Pendleton opens the season with a solo home run against the Los Angeles Dodgers on Tuesday.

Forgiving thousands return as season opens

■ A bitter strike that did nothing but cancel the World Series does not keep fans from flocking to Joe Robbie Stadium on baseball's belated opening night.

By JOHN PACENTI
Associated Press Writer

MIAMI — By the thousands they came back.

They came despite a 7 1/2-month strike that settled nothing except stealing the World Series from them. They bought beer and carmel corn, just like they always have. They sang "Take Me Out to the Ballgame" and cheered a cancer-stricken youth when he threw out the season's first ball.

There were 42,125 fans at Joe Robbie Stadium on Tuesday night as the belated 1995 season got on its way with the Los Angeles Dodgers beating the Florida Marlins 8-7 before a largely forgiving crowd.

There were 1,165 fewer fans than attended last year's Marlins opener, but the crowd was announced as a sellout anyway.

The fans booed when players tipped their caps to them

Please see **OPEN**/4D

Rockets believe talent still there for title repeat

By Michael A. Lutz
AP Sports Writer

GALVESTON — The Houston Rockets believe they still have the talent to defend their NBA title — if they can just get that talent on the floor at the same time.

"We do have people with the talent to be the best team in the league," Clyde Drexler said. "Whether we've got enough time to prepare and get to that level, we don't know yet."

The Rockets begin their best-of-five game first round series with two games at the Utah Jazz beginning Thursday still fretting over their continuous injury list.

Carl Herrera, needed for rebounding help against the bulky Jazz, won't play in the first two games of the series because he's recovering from a shoulder dislocation.

Hakeem Olajuwon has a stiff neck and Drexler and Sam Cassell have ankle sprains. Robert Horry has been in and out of the lineup with back problems all season. All are expected to be ready for Thursday's game except Herrera.

"We're basically working from an underdog perspective," Drexler said. "When you have injuries you just have to live with them. But because of them, we couldn't achieve our level of performance."

Please see **ROCKETS**/2D

Road to the Finals

How teams in this year's NBA playoffs fared last year:

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Team	*Advanced to...*
Orlando Magic	First round; lost to Indiana
Indiana Pacers	Conference Finals; lost to New York
New York Knicks	NBA Finals; lost to Houston
Charlotte Hornets	Not in playoffs
Chicago Bulls	Semifinals; lost to New York
Cleveland Cavaliers	First round; lost to Chicago
Atlanta Hawks	Semifinal; lost to Indiana
Boston Celtics	Not in playoffs

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Team	*Advanced to...*
San Antonio Spurs	First round; lost to Utah
Phoenix Suns	Semifinals; lost to Houston
Utah Jazz	Conference Finals; lost to Houston
Seattle Supersonics	First round; lost to Denver
L.A. Lakers	Not in playoffs
Houston Rockets	NBA Finals; defeated New York
Portland Trail Blazers	First round; lost to Houston
Denver Nuggets	Semifinals; lost to Utah



AP/Ed De Gasero

Homer heaven for Angels, 12-1

By Mike Butts
Sports Writer

OK, the Angels are playing better than they have all season. And with a 12-1 thrashing of Wichita Tuesday night at Christensen Stadium they get their longest win streak of the season (four games) and move two games behind Texas League Western Division leader San Antonio.

Midland has put all three phases of its game together the last four times out, culminated with five home runs last night to end a 10-game home stand. But this is against the Wranglers, who leave the Permian Basin at 6-13 — the worst record in the league. A better test for the hot Halos comes the next five games when they face perennial league power El Paso.

"They always seem to have some kind of magic or voodoo," acting Angel manager Jeff Barnes said of the Diablos. "I don't know what you want to call it. I don't know if (El Paso manager) Tim Ireland has them all taking vitamins or what."

Please see **ANGELS**/3D

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Ordinary Bulls have become team to beat with Jordan

■ Observers, including Indiana coach Larry Brown, see Chicago as a strong bet to dethrone the Houston Rockets and claim its fourth NBA title in five years.

By Mike Nadel
AP Sports Writer

CHICAGO — Larry Brown picks the Chicago Bulls to win the NBA title, not exactly a vote of confidence for his own Indiana Pacers.

Allan Bristow's Charlotte Hornets meet the Bulls in the opening round of the playoffs. "Somebody's got to do it," he said.

Milwaukee Bucks coach Mike Dunleavy sees weaknesses in the Bulls' lineup, but he also sees enough strengths to declare: "They can win it."

Chicago, ordinary for 65 games, has become the NBA's team to beat in the eyes of many observers.

Michael Jordan is quite an eye-opener.

"You can see why the Bulls have picked up the pace. It's just amazing how much he has lifted that team," said Bristow, whose Hornets play host to Jordan's Bulls on Friday. "The way they're playing now, they would have won 60 to 65 games. They would have led the league in wins if he would have played the whole season."

The Bulls, 34-31 before Jordan came out of retirement, finished with a 13-4 flourish.

And while the Bulls play down the favorite role — after all, they say, they probably won't have home court advantage in any round of the playoffs — they realize that they are more than a 47-win team.

"Before, we were expected to win. We were the odds-on favorite a number of years. There's pressure when you have one of the best records in the league and home court advantage," said Phil Jackson, who coached the Bulls to NBA titles in 1991, 1992 and 1993 before Jordan retired.

"This is not a big standings year for us, so we haven't set up the precedent of 'This is our year, this is our championship, we deserve it, we've won 60 games.'

"We've won 47. We know where we're at. But we've had a string where we've been as hot as anybody in the league at the end of this year and we deserve to give this playoff every potential, every chance, to win as much as we've done in the last five years."

Jordan, who averaged 26.9 points in his 17 games back, thinks the Bulls have more than a chance.

He expects victory.

"I wouldn't have come back," he said, "if I didn't think we were capable of winning."

Scottie Pippen, who has willingly slipped back into his second-fiddle role, also likes the team's chances.

"People are expecting a lot from us. And we're expecting a lot from ourselves," he said. "If myself, Michael and Toni can play really big throughout the playoffs, our chances look great."

Toni Kukoc, a fine offensive player, is out of position at power forward. He has been manhandled at times, forcing Jackson to juggle his lineup.

"There are a bunch of weaknesses on teams in the East. Whoever can exploit those is who's going to come out of it," Dunleavy said. "Orlando's got their free-throw shooting. The Knicks have had problems with teams over .500.

"If I look at Chicago, the one thing I'd say is the power forward spot. Will they be able to shut down somebody with a big, tough, power forward that can dominate a game?"

Said Jordan: "It's a concern. We don't have the power forward that we had two years ago (Horace Grant, now with Orlando). But we don't know that that's going to be one of the demands that's needed."

In other words, he said, the league isn't as strong as it was during the Bulls' championship years.

Dunleavy agreed and considers Chicago one of the favorites.

"With Michael Jordan and Scottie Pippen on the team, they've got their old chemistry back," he said. "You let them stay close, in most cases, you're going to go down."



AP Laserphoto

Houston Rockets forward Carl Herrera, who will miss the first two playoff game, ends his workout Tuesday by icing down his injured shoulder.

Complete career still lacking for Ewing without NBA championship

By Clifton Brown
N.Y. Times News Service

CHARLESTON, S.C. — Last Friday in Boston, Patrick Ewing left his seat on the bench during a timeout to shake hands with Bill Russell.

Was that a good omen for the Knicks, that Ewing acknowledged a player who personifies winning championships? Will Ewing finally get one after 10 seasons in the National Basketball Association, or will he be denied a championship again?

That is the most compelling question left in Ewing's career. He has superstar status, a national championship at Georgetown, two Olympic gold medals, a certain future place in the Hall of Fame.

But if the Knicks do not win a championship in June, the Ewing era in New York may never produce one. And so his career, despite many great moments, will remain somewhat unfulfilled.

So everything in this post-season, starting with this week's minicamp in Charleston, has a special urgency for Ewing. He practiced Tuesday on his slightly strained left hamstring, and while the injury is still tender, Ewing is determined not to let it hamper him Thursday night, when the Knicks open the playoffs against the Cleveland Cavaliers at Madison Square Garden in New York City.

"It felt all right," Ewing said of his hamstring. "There wasn't any pain, but I'm still not 100 percent yet. It's not hurting, but in my mind it's still there. I'm hesitant."

Many people see this Knicks playoff run as a last chance. Ewing would rather view it as an opportunity, because the Knicks have a legitimate shot at winning it all. Early in Ewing's career, that was not the case.

"I would have loved to have played on a better team earlier," said Ewing at one point this season. "David Robinson, Hakeem Olajuwon, those guys were on better teams than I was when I first came into the league. But we're good now. We have a chance to get back to the finals and win it."

Ewing still remembers the early part of his career, when the Knicks rotated coaches as often as some people rotate their tires. The Knicks had five coaches during Ewing's first six years with the Knicks — Hubie Brown, Bob Hill, Rick Pitino, Stu Jackson and John MacLeod. None of those coaches, and none of those teams, came close to winning a title.

All of that changed when Pat Riley arrived four years ago, and when Dave Checketts and Ernie Grunfeld began putting together the pieces of a contender.

Certainly, Ewing has the right frame of mind. According to one teammate, Ewing gave the Knicks a piece of his mind, loudly, during halftime of New York's home loss to the Milwaukee Bucks last week.

Ewing may have to do more of that along the playoff road. One of the criticisms of him is that he has not taken enough of a leadership role off the court.

Asked about that recently, Ewing said he could not change his personality just because others wanted him to. But if the need arises, Ewing also said he would accept responsibility for being what Riley refers to as "an internal voice."

"I speak up," Ewing said. "I've been doing that for a while. I stepped back a little bit last year, because with Herb Williams, Doc Rivers, Derek Harper, we had older veterans who could could do that. But I'm starting to get back to that."

Nothing Ewing has done this season will mean as much as what he does during the playoffs. Russell is not exactly the world's most outspoken person, but nobody questioned his leadership skills because he won championships.

Winning titles quiets the critics, erases the doubts, satisfies the soul. And until he wins a championship with the Knicks, whatever Ewing does won't be enough for some people, or for Ewing.

"It might be unfair, but that's what people remember," said Harper. "The individual stuff, people forget."

By mid-June, the verdict will be in. The next time Ewing shakes hands with Russell, we'll see if Ewing is wearing a championship ring.

ROCKETS: Herrera will miss two

(From 1D)

Herrera hopes to return for the third game of the series on May 3 in The Summit. He left Tuesday's workout on the Texas A&M University at Galveston campus with his right shoulder packed in ice.

"It's kind of worn out right now, we'll just see what happens tomorrow," Herrera said. "I've been lifting weights and trying to get it ready. I hope I can play the third game.

"It's been one thing or another for me all year but the good thing about it is I get to give in another shot."

Herrera's health has been a key for the Rockets since the trade on Feb. 14 that sent solid rebounder Otis Thorpe to Portland in exchange for Drexler.

The Rockets need rebounding help against the Jazz big men, including James Donaldson, 7-2, 280, Antoine Carr, 6-9, 265, and Karl Malone, 6-9, 256.

Rockets coach Rudy Tomjanovich expects better rebounding in the playoffs.

> **'I hope I can play the third game.'**
> — Carl Herrera, Houston Rockets forward.

"I think we've won more rebounding battles after the trade than before," Tomjanovich said. "I'm not going to brag and say we're a great rebounding team, but we are a different rebounding team since the trade.

"Clyde is one of the best at his position and I think Dream (Olajuwon) being healthy will rebound better. We don't know long he played with anemia but his rebound numbers did go down."

Olajuwon missed eight games while recovering from iron-deficiency anemia.

The Rockets planned a workout Tuesday night and another Wednesday morning before leaving for Salt Lake City.

OILERS: Television coverage decreases

(From 1D)

rity.

After a league-worst 2-14 season during which Houston played three times on Monday Night Football, the Oilers were virtually banished from the national airwaves.

They play on Sunday afternoons throughout the season with only one nationally televised game, the featured Sunday night match Nov. 11 at Kansas City.

After the five AFC conference games, Houston plays at Minnesota on Oct. 8 and then gets a week off.

Through the rest of the season, the Oilers play at Chicago Oct. 22, at Cleveland Nov. 5, at Kansas City Nov. 19, at Pittsburgh Dec. 3 and at Buffalo Dec. 24.

Home games down the stretch are against Tampa Bay on Oct. 29, Cincinnati on Nov. 12, Denver on Nov. 26, Detroit on Dec. 10 and the New York Jets on Dec. 17.

There's a chance the Tampa Bay game could be moved to Monday night, Oct. 30, but only if the baseball Houston Astros, who share the Astrodome, are involved in a seventh game of the World Series. Even then, however, the Oilers wouldn't be on national television.

During the preseason, the Oilers play host to Arizona on Aug. 5 and to San Diego on Aug. 19. They play the Washington Redskins Aug. 12 at Knoxville, Tenn. and play the Dallas Cowboys in the annual Governor's Cup game Aug. 26 in San Antonio.

DALLAS: 'Pokes meet Buffalo in Canada

(From 1D)

York, Arizona, Philadelphia, and Washington, include a meeting with Denver at 3 p.m., on Sunday, Sept. 10. Another NFC foe comes calling on Oct. 8, when the Green Bay Packers play in a noon game.

Dallas plays non-division foes San Diego, Atlanta, and the Los Angeles Raiders on the road.

The Cowboys also announced their pre-season schedule. It includes Buffalo at Dallas on July 29 and the Los Angeles Raiders at Dallas on Aug. 5, both Saturday night games.

Then the Cowboys are on the road for three straight exhibition games. They play Buffalo, again, in Toronto, Canada on Saturday Aug. 12, at Denver on Monday night, Aug. 21, and at San Antonio for the annual Governor's Cup against Houston on Saturday night, Aug. 26.

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NBA Playoffs

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FIRST ROUND
(Best-of-5)
EASTERN CONFERENCE
Orlando vs. Boston
Friday, April 28
Boston at Orlando, 8 p.m.
Sunday, April 30
Boston at Orlando, 12:30 p.m.
Wednesday, May 3
Orlando at Boston, 7 p.m.
Friday, May 5
Orlando at Boston, TBA, if nec.
Sunday, May 7
Boston at Orlando, TBA, if nec.

Indiana vs. Atlanta
Thursday, April 27
Atlanta at Indiana, 8 p.m.
Saturday, April 29
Atlanta at Indiana, 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday, May 2
Indiana at Atlanta, 7 p.m.
Friday, May 5
Indiana at Atlanta, TBA, if nec.
Sunday, May 7
Atlanta at Indiana, TBA, if nec.

New York vs. Cleveland
Thursday, April 27
Cleveland at New York, 7 p.m.
Saturday, April 29
Cleveland at New York, 1 p.m.
Monday, May 1
New York at Cleveland, 8 p.m.
Thursday, May 4
New York at Cleveland, TBA, if nec.
Sunday, May 7
Cleveland at New York, TBA, if nec.

Charlotte vs. Chicago
Friday, April 28
Chicago at Charlotte, 7 p.m.
Sunday, April 30
Chicago at Charlotte, 5:30 p.m.
Tuesday, May 2
Charlotte at Chicago, 8 p.m.
Thursday, May 4
Charlotte at Chicago, TBA, if nec.
Sunday, May 7
Chicago at Charlotte, TBA, if nec.

WESTERN CONFERENCE
San Antonio vs. Denver
Friday, April 28
Denver at San Antonio, 9:30 p.m.
Sunday, April 30
Denver at San Antonio, 9 p.m.
Tuesday, May 2
San Antonio at Denver, 9:30 p.m.
Thursday, May 4
San Antonio at Denver, TBA, if nec.
Saturday, May 6
Denver at San Antonio, TBA, if nec.

Phoenix vs. Portland
Friday, April 28
Portland at Phoenix, 10:30 p.m.
Sunday, April 30
Portland at Phoenix, 3 p.m.
Tuesday, May 2
Phoenix at Portland, 10:30 p.m.
Friday, May 5
Phoenix at Portland, TBA, if nec.
Sunday, May 7
Portland at Phoenix, TBA, if nec.

Utah vs. Houston
Thursday, April 27
Houston at Utah, 9:30 p.m.
Saturday, April 29
Houston at Utah, 10 p.m.
Wednesday, May 3
Utah at Houston, 9:30 p.m.
Friday, May 5
Utah at Houston, TBA, if necessary
Sunday, May 7
Houston at Utah, TBA, if necessary

Seattle vs. L.A. Lakers
Thursday, April 27
L.A. Lakers at Seattle, 10:30 p.m.
Saturday, April 29
L.A. Lakers at Seattle, 3:30 p.m.
Monday, May 1
Seattle at L.A. Lakers, 10:30 p.m.
Thursday, May 4
Seattle at L.A. Lakers, TBA, if nec.
Saturday, May 6
L.A. Lakers at Seattle, 3:30 p.m. if necessary

NHL Results

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EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
y-Philadelphia	26	14	4	56	142	122
New Jersey	20	17	7	47	122	110
Washington	19	18	7	45	116	110
N.Y. Rangers	20	21	3	43	126	122
Florida	18	20	5	41	104	111
Tampa Bay	17	24	3	37	111	124
N.Y. Islanders	14	25	5	33	114	144
Northeast Division						
x-Quebec	28	12	4	60	174	127
x-Pittsburgh	28	13	2	58	167	138
Boston	23	17	3	49	134	115
Buffalo	19	18	6	44	114	107
Hartford	19	21	5	43	123	132
Montreal	18	21	5	41	119	138
Ottawa	5	33	5	15	93	160

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Central Division	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
x-Detroit	31	8	4	66	169	100
x-St. Louis	26	12	5	57	164	120
Toronto	19	18	7	45	121	131
Chicago	20	19	5	45	139	111
Dallas	17	20	8	42	132	123
Winnipeg	14	23	7	35	145	168
Pacific Division						
x-Calgary	22	16	6	50	149	122
Vancouver	16	17	11	43	139	135
Edmonton	16	24	4	36	124	165
San Jose	16	23	3	35	109	148
Los Angeles	13	21	9	35	132	162
Anaheim	15	24	5	35	113	151

x-clinched playoff berth
y-clinched division title
Tuesday's Games
Late Games Not Included
Chicago 4, Vancouver 3, OT
St. Louis 8, Dallas 4
Edmonton 5, Winnipeg 3
Calgary at San Jose, (n)
Detroit at Los Angeles, (n)
Wednesday's Games
Hartford at Boston, 6:30 p.m.
Florida at Buffalo, 6:30 p.m.
Montreal at Quebec, 6:30 p.m.
Tampa Bay at N.Y. Rangers, 6:30 p.m.
Pittsburgh at New Jersey, 6:30 p.m.
Ottawa at Philadelphia, 6:30 p.m.
N.Y. Islanders at Washington, 6:30 p.m.
Vancouver at Toronto, 6:30 p.m.
San Jose at Anaheim, 10 p.m.
Thursday's Games
Tampa Bay at Ottawa, 7:30 p.m.
Dallas at Chicago, 8:30 p.m.
Detroit at Winnipeg, 8:30 p.m.
St. Louis at Edmonton, 9:30 p.m.

Blues 8, Stars 4

St. Louis	1	2	5	— 8
Dallas	3	0	1	— 4

First Period—1, St. Louis, MacInnis 8 (Lapemiere, Elik), 6:05. 2, Dallas, Kennedy 6 (M.Donnelly, Millen), 9:35 (pp). 3, Dallas, K.Hatcher 8 (Adams, Harvey), 10:35 (pp). 4, Dallas, K.Hatcher 9 (Gagner), 19:55.
Second Period—5, St. Louis, Lapemiere 12 (Chasse, Norton), 8:06. 6, St. Louis, Karamnov 3 (Hull, Roberts), 14:27.
Third Period—7, St. Louis, Roberts 5 (Duchesne, Norton), :22. 8, St. Louis, Duchesne 8, 4:43. 9, Dallas, Klatt 12 (M.Donnelly, Millen), 5:29. 10, St. Louis, Anderson 10 (Creighton, Shanahan), 7:29. 11, St. Louis, Shanahan 16, 9:36. 12, St. Louis, Shanahan 17 (Creighton, Anderson), 16:55 (pp).
Power-play Opportunities—St. Louis 1 of 8; Dallas 2 of 5.
Goalies—St. Louis, Casey 7-4-4 (31 shots-27 saves). Dallas, Torchia 3-1-1 (26-20). Wakaluk (7:29 third 5-3).
A—16,924 (16,924).

Oilers 5, Jets 3

Edmonton	1	4	0	— 5
Winnipeg	1	0	2	— 3

First Period—1, Winnipeg, Emerson 14 (Tkachuk, Steen), 2:18. 2, Edmonton, White 1 (Ciger, Siegr), 5:07 (pp).
Second Period—3, Edmonton, Corson 11 (Olausson, Buchberger), 15:4. Edmonton, Stapleton 6 (White, Richardson), 4:37. 5, Edmonton, Marchant 13 (Siegr, Oliver), 14:33. 6, Edmonton, Maltby 8 (Weight, Ciger), 19:59.
Third Period—7, Winnipeg, Drake 8 (Quintal, Korolev), :49. 8, Winnipeg, Numminen 4 (Gilhen), 5:51.
Shots on goal—Edmonton 15-12-4—31. Winnipeg 9-8-21—38.
Power-play Opportunities—Edmonton 1 of 3; Winnipeg 0 of 3.
Goalies—Edmonton, Ranford 14-20-3 (38 shots-35 saves). Winnipeg, Cheveldae 8-15-3 (27-22). Khabibulin (0:00 third, 4-4).
A—12,994 (15,393).

Major League Baseball

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
Cleveland	8	3	.727
Baltimore	8	4	.667
California	7	4	.636
Oakland	6	4	.600
Texas	7	5	.583
Minnesota	8	6	.571
Kansas City	6	5	.545
Milwaukee	6	5	.545
Toronto	5	5	.500
Chicago	6	7	.462
Boston	5	7	.417
Detroit	5	7	.417
Seattle	5	8	.385
New York	4	8	.333

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
New York	10	3	.769
Chicago	9	4	.692
Philadelphia	8	4	.667
Montreal	7	4	.636
Cincinnati	7	5	.583
Los Angeles	7	5	.583
St. Louis	6	6	.500
Colorado	4	6	.400
San Francisco	4	7	.364
Florida	3	7	.300
Houston	3	7	.300
Atlanta	3	8	.273
San Diego	3	8	.273
Pittsburgh	3	10	.221

Tuesday's Games
Minnesota 9, Pittsburgh 8
N.Y. Mets 3, Toronto 1
Chicago White Sox 6, Chi. Cubs 2
St. Louis 7, Seattle 4
California 12, San Diego 4
Cleveland 2, Buffalo (AAA) 1
End of Exhibition Season

Dodgers 8, Marlins 7

Los Ang	200 030 300	— 8 13 0
Florida	110 000 014	— 7 9 2

R.Martinez, Osuna (7), Td.Worrell (9), Seanez (9) and Piazza, Ca.Hernandez (8). Burkett, Mathews (5), Dunabr (7), Johnstone (7), Myers (9) and C.Johnson. W—R.Martinez, 1-0. L—Burkett, 0-1. Sv—Seanez (1). HRs—Los Angeles, Mondesi 2 (2), Florida, Conine (1), Pendleton (1).

Twins 9, Pirates 8

At Fort Myers, Fla.		
Pitts	150 110 000	— 8 9 3
Minn	310 121 01x	— 9 12 3

Loaiza, J.Johnson (5), Dyer (7), and Parent, Hawkins, Radke (5), Guardado (8), and Merullo. **Walbeck (8)**. W—Guardado, 1-1. L—Dyer, 1-2. HR—Minnesota, Leius (1). A—1,621.

The Twins' Kevin Maas had two hits and three RBIs and Scott Leius and Chuck Knoblauch added two hits apiece. LaTroy Hawkins allowed seven runs on seven hits in four innings. The Pirates' Jacob Brumfield had two hits and two RBIs and Al Martin drove in three runs.

Mets 3, Blue Jays 1

At Toronto		
NY (N)	100 000 101	— 3 11 2
Toronto	000 000 001	— 1 2 0

Micki. Reminger (5), Lomon (7), Manzanillo (9), and Hundley. Stinnett (6), Darwin, Leiter (5), Ward (7), Menhart (8), Cornett (9) and Parrish. Knorr (6). W—Micki, 1-1. L—Darwin, 0-1. Sv—Manzanillo (1). HRs—New York, Everett (3). A—22,533.

Brett Butler had three hits and Carl Everett drove in two runs for New York. Dave Micki struck out four in four hitless innings. Toronto's Danny Darwin allowed one run on four hits in four innings.

White Sox 6, Cubs 2

At Chicago		
White Sox	000 013 101	— 6 8 1
Cubs	000 020 000	— 2 4 1

Baldwin, Bertotti (6), and Lavalliere. Lyons (7), Castillo, Sturtze (6), Casian (8), Edens (8), and Wilkins. Pratt (7). W—Baldwin, 0-1. L—Sturtze, 0-1. Sv—Bertotti (1). HRs—Chicago, Devereaux (1), Thomas (1), Sabo (1). A—19,404.

Lance Johnson led the White Sox with two hits and Frank Thomas had three RBIs. James Baldwin allowed two runs on four hits in five innings. The Cubs' Scott Bullett had two hits and Frank Castillo allowed one run on one hit in five innings.

Cardinals 7, Mariners 4

At St. Louis		
Seattle	000 002 020	— 4 8 0
St. Louis	320 010 10x	— 7 12 0

Wells, Converse (2), King (5), Ayala (6), Villone (7), Guetterman (8), and Kreuter. Urbani, Barber (6), Frascatore (8), Oquendo (9), and Sheaffer. W—Urbani, 1-0. L—Wells, 0-1. HR—St. Louis, Cooper (1). A—22,276.

John Mabry and Brian Jordan had three hits apiece for St. Louis and Scott Cooper had two hits and three RBIs. Tom Urbani allowed four hits in five scoreless innings. Seattle's Greg Pirkl had three hits and four RBIs and Jay Buhner added two hits. Bob Wells allowed five runs on seven hits in 1 2-3 innings.

Angels 12, Padres 4

At Anaheim, Calif.		
San Diego	000 000 400	— 4 7 2
California	315 003 00x	— 12 16 4

Valenzuela, Spear (2), Mauser (3), Gzelaczyk (5), Berumen (8) and Ausmus. Johnson (5), BAnderson, Boskie (6) and Fabregas. W—BAnderson, 1-1. L—Valenzuela, 0-2. Sv—Boskie (1). HRs—California, Snow (2), G.Anderson (1), Edmonds (3). A—1,294.

Garret Anderson had three hits and four RBIs. Chili Davis went 3-for-3 and J.T. Snow homered and drove in two runs to lead the Angels. Brian Anderson pitched five scoreless innings and gave up two hits. Fernando Valenzuela gave up three runs, one earned, on three hits in the first inning.

Texas League

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First Half
Eastern Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Arkansas	11	6	.647	—
Shreveport	10	8	.556	1 1/2
Tulsa	7	10	.412	4
Jackson	6	10	.375	4 1/2
Western Division				
San Antonio	12	8	.600	—
El Paso	11	8	.579	1/2
Midland	10	10	.500	2
Wichita	6	13	.316	5 1/2

Tuesday's Games
Midland 12, Wichita 1
El Paso 4, San Antonio 0
Arkansas 12, Shreveport 3
Tulsa 2, Jackson 1
Wednesday's Games
No games scheduled
Thursday's Games
Midland at El Paso
Wichita at San Antonio
Arkansas at Tulsa
Shreveport at Jackson

Little League

North Central National
Astros 12, White Sox 3. W—Ryan Vinson. 2b—Jared Craig, Sam Skudmore, Joey Guerrero (Astros). Mark Cooper and Steven Brumley (Sox). 3b—Chris Bagwell (Astros).
Rangers 4, Phillies 2. W—Kelly Brashear. 2b—Steven Brumley (Sox).
Dodgers 6, Royals 4. W—Jason Matthews. 2b—Matt Ratliff 2 (Dodgers). Robbie Balsam (Royals).

North Central American
Braves 8, Cardinals 3. W—Lance Holcomb. 2b—Ryan Marutin (Braves). Christian Martin and Jacob Pradez (Cardinals). 3b—Tom Biffle and Corey Kahn (Cardinals).
Cubs 12, A's 5. W—Bradley Nett. 2b—Billy Dodson (A's). Coby Seth 2 (Cubs). Giants 5, Cardinals 4. W—David Guerrero. 2b—Jesse Travis (Giants). 3b—Tom Biffle (Cardinals).

North Central Texas
Pirates 14, Reds 6. W—Jeromy Sessions. 3b—Chase Stotts and Matt Tipton (Pirates).
Padres 22, Reds 14. W—Garin Craig. 2b—Tyler Riley (Padres). Dylan Carr (Reds). 3b—Tyler Riley (Padres). Johnny Rich and Steven Hofer (Reds).

North Central Machine Pitch
Orioles 9, Mariners 6. 2b—Cody Still (Orioles). Garrett Bates (Mariners). 3b—Thomas Minihan (O's). Robert Cotton (Mariners). HR—Derek Butvin.
Rockies 17, Mariners 10. 2b—Joshua Brashear 3, Cody Mooring 3, Josh Price, Austin Lane, John Caro, Jeff Anderson, Daniel McLaughlin (Rockies). Ryan Biernbaum, Dustin O'Neal and Zane McCullough (Mariners). 3b—Kelly Futrell (Mariners), Joshua Brashear (Rockies). HR—Jason Hammond (Mariners).
Orioles 22, Brewers 15.
Blue Jays 13, Yankees 5. 2b—Ben Bolla and Colin Baker (Blue Jays). 3b—Kelly Kinzer (Blue Jays). DP—Kelly Kinser, Tommy Lutner.
Rockies 17, Reds 13. 2b—Cody Mooring (Rockies). Sam Butler 2, Brandon Weeks (Red Sox). 3b—Jeff Anderson, Josh Price and Colby Pierce (Rockies). Jonathan Rodriguez 2, Sam Butler, Ben Miller, Branden Weeks (Red Sox). HR—Jeff Anderson (Rockies).

Mid City National
Angels 17, Cardinals 5. W—Cole White. 2b—Keith Vest (Angels). HR—Jayson Nix (Angels).
Pirates 19, Braves 7. W—Jamie Beeghley. 2b—Greg Keys and Aaron Robinson (Braves). Nathan Spencer (Pirates). 3b—David Koss (Braves). Jeff Levea, Aaron Robison (Pirates). HR—Nathan Spencer (Pirates).
Angels 12, Cardinals 5. W—Cole White. 2b—Paul Coder, James Smith, Rusty Mitchell (Cardinals). Joseph Duran (Angels). 3b—Jayson Nix (Angels).
Astros 13, Cubs 11. W—Tony Esslinger. 2b—Anthony Moreno, Roan Moreno (Cubs). HR—Tony Esslinger 2 (Astros), Roan Moreno (Cubs).
Cardinals 13, Cubs 5. W—Paul Coder. 2b—Clayton Ortloff (Cubs). Jamees Smith, Trey Lawson (Cardinals).

Mid City American
A's 23, Rangers 13.
Rangers 17, Royals 13. 2b—Erich Foster, Adrian Olivas, Allan Harvey (Royals). Russell Scott, Mike Mason and Devon Shrode (Rangers). 3b—Richard Cline (Royals). Cliff McGraw, Mike Mason (Rangers).
Royals 15, A's 3. W—Toby Cline. 2b—Trevor Stoltz (A's), Richard Cline (Royals). 3b—David Curtis (A's).

Mid City Texas
Rangers 10, Pirates 9.
Reds 19, Rangers 6. w—Caleb Stone. 2b—Patrick Carrasco, Adam Brown and Matt Dougherty (Reds). 3b—Michael Madox (Reds).
A's 13, Yankees 6. 2b—Matt Dunnam (Yankees). 3b—Ross Joliffe (Yankees). HR—Zack Sledge (A's).
Orioles 16, Pirates 8. W—Ryan Rowland.
Reds 19, Marlins 5. W—Garrett Elander. HR—Rudy Stone (Reds).
Yankees 13, Rangers 13. 3b—Josh Solansky (Yankees).

Mid City Machine Pitch
White Sox 8, Pirates 5. 3b—Richard Olgin (Sox). 3b—Richard Olgin and David Curry (Sox).
White Sox 7, A's 3. HR—John Schuessler (Sox).
Cubs 10, A's 7. 2b—Curtis Griffin, Don Williams, Brian Kiem, Josh Ziadano (A's). Vraig Elliot 2, Brenndan Butts, Conner Wood, Cody Salinas (Cubs). 3b—Andrew Stuck (A's), Austin Savage (Cubs).
Yankees 13, Rangers 4. 2b—Brett Luskey, Joey St. Germain (Yankees). HR—Jake Cswaykus (Yankees).

NFL Schedules

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1995 Cowboys Schedule
IRVING — The Dallas Cowboys' 1995 schedule. All Times CDT or CST.
PRESEASON
Saturday, July 29, Buffalo, 8 p.m.
Saturday, Aug. 5, Los Angeles, 8 p.m.
Saturday, Aug. 12, Buffalo at Toronto, 7 p.m.
Monday, Aug. 21, at Denver, 7 p.m.
Saturday, Aug. 26, Houston at San Antonio, 7 p.m.
REGULAR SEASON
Monday, Sept. 4, at New York Giants, 8 p.m.
Sunday, Sept. 10, Denver, 3 p.m.
Sunday, Sept. 17, at Minnesota, 7 p.m.
Sunday, Sept. 24, Arizona, 3 p.m.
Sunday, Oct. 1, at Washington, noon.
Sunday, Oct. 8, Green Bay, noon.
Sunday, Oct. 15, at San Diego, 3 p.m.
Sunday, Oct. 22, Open Date.
Sunday, Oct. 29, at Atlanta, noon.
Monday, Nov. 6, Philadelphia, 8 p.m.
Sunday, Nov. 12, San Francisco, 3 p.m.
Sunday, Nov. 19, at Los Angeles, 3 p.m.
Thursday, Nov. 23, Kansas City, 3 p.m.
Sunday, Dec. 3, Washington, 3 p.m.
Sunday, Dec. 10, at Philadelphia, noon.
Sunday, Dec. 17, New York Giants, 3 p.m.
Monday, Dec. 25, at Arizona, 8 p.m.

1995 Oilers Schedule
HOUSTON (AP) — The Houston Oilers' 1995 schedule. All Times CDT or CST.
PRESEASON
Saturday, Aug. 5, Arizona, 7 p.m.
Saturday, Aug. 12, Washington (at Knoxville, Tenn.), TBA.
Saturday, Aug. 19, San Diego, 7:30 p.m.
Saturday, Aug. 26, Dallas (at San Antonio), 7 p.m.
REGULAR SEASON
Sunday, Sept. 3, at Jacksonville, noon.
Sunday, Sept. 10, Pittsburgh, noon.
Sunday, Sept. 17, Cleveland, noon.
Sunday, Sept. 24, at Cincinnati, 3 p.m.
Sunday, Oct. 1, Jacksonville, 3 p.m.
Sunday, Oct. 8, at Minnesota, noon.
Sunday, Oct. 15, bye.
Sunday, Oct. 22, at Chicago, noon.
Sunday, Oct. 29, Tampa Bay, 3 p.m.
Sunday, Nov. 5, at Cleveland, noon.
Sunday, Nov. 12, Cincinnati, noon.
Sunday, Nov. 19, at Kansas City, 7 p.m.
Sunday, Nov. 26, Denver, 3 p.m.
Sunday, Dec. 3, at Pittsburgh, noon.
Sunday, Dec. 10, Detroit, noon.
Sunday, Dec. 17, New York Jets, noon.
Sunday, Dec. 24, at Buffalo, noon.

SWC Baseball Stats

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SOUTHWEST CONFERENCE BASEBALL STATISTICS
(All Games Through April 24)
TEAM STATISTICS
TEAM BATTING

TEAM	GP	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB-ATT	SLUG%	ONBASE%	AVG.
Texas Tech	49	1709	469	584	122	20	53	425	127-176	530	452	342
Rice	47	1645	415	529	90	26	53	366	76-102	505	426	322
Texas A&M	49	1604	370	514	98	19	55	326	79-105	508	419	320
Texas	52	1707	450	542	113	23	41	394	83-106	483	449	318
TCU	47	1450	306	399	84	17	37	260	87-119	433	403	275
Houston	46	1437	245	385	68	16	21	212	48-77	382	372	268
Baylor	44	1440	216	377	61	19	7	187	66-97	345	365	262

TEAM PITCHING

TEAM	GP	CG	SV	SHO	INNP	R	ER	H	SO	BB	HRO/AVG	ERA
Rice	47	1	7	3	404.1	241	182	338	333	294	23 .229	4.05
Texas Tech	49	12	4	1	428.0	245	202	425	360	190	47 .284	4.25
Baylor	44	8	5	5	384.0	236	195	421	256	176	24 .283	4.57
Texas A&M	49	10	4	4	413.0	253	213	414	285	181	41 .261	4.64
Texas	52	7	9	0	447.1	258	231	452	344	260	33 .267	4.65
Houston	46	3	6	2	373.2	251	204	384	301	184	36 .262	4.91
TCU	47	10	6	0	376.0	277	209	396	317	181	18 .267	5.00

TEAM FIELDING

TEAM	GP	PO	A	E	DP	PCT%
Texas	52	1342	571	52	54	.974
Texas Tech	49	1284	580	61	49	.968
Texas A&M	49	1239	568	77	44	.959
Rice	47	1213	539	78	49	.957
Baylor	44	1143	522	74	61	.957
Houston	46	1121	470	74	34	.956
TCU	47	1125	484	101	29	.941

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
BATTING AVERAGE (Min. 2 AB Per Game)

PLAYER, TEAM	GP	AB	R	H	RBI	AVG
Randy DuRoss, TT	45	171	55	71	38	.415
John Curl, A&M	45	141	40	58	35	.411
Jason Totman, TT	45	149	53	60	41	.403
Clint Bryant, TT	49	185	69	74	66	.400
MacGregor Byers, Texas	48	158	38	62	42	.392
Mark Quinn, Rice	47	190	49	74	66	.389
Chris Edelstein, Texas	46	180	33	69	41	.383
Jose Cruz Jr., Rice	47	165	63	63	61	.382
Chad Allen, A&M	49	174	45	65	43	.374
Jeff Bailey, A&M	46	148	31	55	37	.372
Chad Alexander, A&M	48	191	50	70	45	.366
Matt Kastelic, TT	45	188	50	67	30	.356
David Lindstrom, TT	41	130	25	46	35	.354
Shea Morenz, Texas	51	182	56	63	43	.346
Paul Doyle, Rice	44	132	36	45	23	.341
David Brooks, Rice	41	153	34	52	39	.340
Wylie Campbell, Texas	43	165	61	55	22	.333
Chris Boni, Rice	47	177	53	59	32	.333
Marty Crawford, Baylor	44	165	30	55	33	.333
Lance Berkman, Rice	47	185	39	61	38	.330

EARNED RUN AVERAGE (Min. 1 IP Per Game)

PLAYER, TEAM	G	INN	H	R	ER	BB	SO	W-L	ERA
Matt Anderson, Rice	20	53.1	38	22	16	32	51	9-1	2.70
Jake O'Dell, Texas	17	78.2	64	28	25	42	75	10-2	2.86
Allen Brown, Rice	15	47.0	49	27	15	15	33	4-1	2.87
Jeff Peck, TT	13	79.0	74	30	26	40	57	8-2	2.96
Tim Peters, Baylor	16	90.0	80	39	30	34	60	7-4	3.00
Dean Mitchell, A&M	15	52.0	46	22	19	13	27	6-0	3.29
Mark Taylor, Rice	15	52.2	41	31	22	43	49	4-1	3.76
Ryan Rupe, A&M	10	50.0	45	22	21	20	42	4-2	3.78
Mark Senterfitt, Texas	14	81.0	91	44	35	45	40	7-3	3.89
Travis Smith, TT	16	87.2	96	50	38	25	64	7-4	3.90
Toby Dollar, TCU	14	77.0	84	55	34	33	60	5-5	3.97
Justin Atchley, A&M	11	87.1	98	44	39	10	61	8-2	4.02
Flint Wallace, TCU	14	83.1	86	49	39	22	62	5-4	4.21
J.D. Smart, Texas	20	107.1	112	54	51	42	89	12-2	4.28
John Box, Houston	13	46.1	55	29	23	14	34	3-3	4.47

HOME RUNS

PLAYER, TEAM	NO
Jose Cruz Jr., Rice	14
Mark Quinn, Rice	13
Dion Ruecker, TT	12
John Curl, A&M	11
Clint Bryant, TT	10
Jason McClure, TCU	10
Danny Peoples, Texas	9
Shea Morenz, Texas	9
David Lindstrom, TT	9

RUNS BATTED IN

PLAYER, TEAM	NO
Clint Bryant, TT	66
Mark Quinn, Rice	66
Jose Cruz Jr., Rice	61
Dion Ruecker, TT	55
Danny Peoples, Texas	46
Brandon Welch, TT	45
Chad Alexander, A&M	45
Kip Harkrider, Texas	44
Shea Morenz, Texas	43
Chad Allen, A&M	43

RUNS SCORED

PLAYER, TEAM	NO
Clint Bryant, TT	69
Jose Cruz Jr., Rice	63
Wylie Campbell, Texas	61
Shea Morenz, Texas	56
Randy DuRoss, TT	55
Jason Totman, TT	53
Chris Boni, Rice	53
Matt Kastelic, TT	50
David Lindstrom, TT	50
MacGregor Byers, Texas	49

DOUBLES

PLAYER, TEAM	NO
Shea Morenz, Texas	19
Clint Bryant, TT	19
Lance Berkman, Rice	18
Chad Allen, A&M	17
MacGregor Byers, Texas	16
Tom Maleski, Houston	16
Jason Totman, TT	15
Jason McClure, TCU	15
Five tied with 14	

TRIPLES

PLAYER, TEAM	NO
Chris Boni, Rice	6
Marty Crawford, Baylor	6
Jason Farrow, Houston	5
Ben Bronson, Baylor	5
Chris Edelstein, Texas	4
Kip Harkrider, Texas	4
Wylie Campbell, Texas	4
Carlos Perez, Houston	4
Jason Totman, TT	4
Kerby Smith, TCU	4
Jacques Landry, Rice	4
Patrick Hallmark, Rice	4
Mark Quinn, Rice	4

HITS

PLAYER, TEAM	NO
Clint Bryant, TT	74
Mark Quinn, Rice	74
Randy DuRoss, TT	71
Chad Alexander, A&M	70
Chris Edelstein, Texas	69
Matt Kastelic, TT	67
Chad Allen, A&M	65
Shea Morenz, Texas	63
Jose Cruz Jr., Rice	63
MacGregor Byers, Texas	62

BASE ON BALLS

PLAYER, TEAM	NO
Jose Cruz Jr., Rice	63
Kip Harkrider, Texas	45
Jason Totman, TT	45
Brandon Welch, TT	43
Shea Morenz, Texas	42
Chris Boni, Rice	41
MacGregor Byers, Texas	40
Jerry Taylor, Texas	36
Wylie Campbell, Texas	33
Chad Allen, A&M	33

STOLEN BASES

PLAYER, TEAM	SB-A
Matt Kastelic, TT	33-45
Wylie Campbell, Texas	29-34
Clint Bryant, TT	23-29
Ben Bronson, Baylor	20-27
Marcus McCain, TT	17-22
Chad Allen, A&M	17-19
Sam Lunsford, TCU	16-18
Jose Cruz Jr., Rice	15-20
Jeff McCurdy, TCU	14-19
Chad Alexander, A&M	14-19

SLUGGING PERCENTAGE

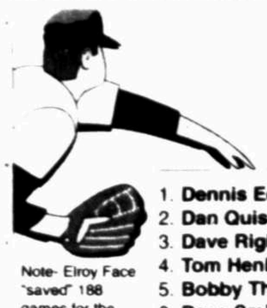
PLAYER, TEAM	PCT.
John Curl, A&M	.773
Jose Cruz Jr., Rice	.727
Mark Quinn, Rice	.711
Clint Bryant, TT	.697
David Lindstrom, TT	.669
Shea Morenz, Texas	.632
Jason McClure, TCU	.626
Chad Allen, A&M	.626
Jason Totman, TT	.617
Danny Peoples, Texas	.602

ON BASE PERCENTAGE

PLAYER, TEAM	PCT.
Jason Totman, TT	.550
Jose Cruz Jr., Rice	.545
Clint Bryant, TT	.506
MacGregor Byers, Texas	.502
John Curl, A&M	.500
Randy DuRoss, TT	.498
Shea Morenz, Texas	.489
Brandon Welch, TT	.475
Ryan Huffman, A&M	.475
Chad Allen, A&M	.471

HOME RUNS PER GAME

PLAYER, TEAM	AVG.
Jose Cruz Jr., Rice	0.30
Mark Quinn, Rice	0.28
Dion Ruecker



Most career saves with one club

*active

	Pitcher	Club	Saves
1.	Dennis Eckersley*	Oakland	291
2.	Dan Quisenberry	Kansas City	238
3.	Dave Righetti*	New York	224
4.	Tom Henke*	Toronto	217
5.	Bobby Thigpen	Chicago (AL)	201
6.	Dave Smith	Houston	199
7.	Jeff Montgomery*	Kansas City	187
8.	Lee Smith*	Chicago (NL)	180
9.	Rick Aguilera*	Minnesota	172
(tie) 10.	Lee Smith*	St. Louis	160
(tie) 10.	Gregg Olson*	Baltimore	160

Note- Elroy Face "saved" 188 games for the Pittsburgh Pirates prior to the statistic becoming official in 1969

Source: Rolaids Relief Man award

AP Ed De Gasero

OPEN: Fans 'here for love of game'

(From 1D)

before the game, but jeers turned to wild cheers when Florida center fielder Chuck Carr ran down a deep fly ball off the bat of Delino Deshields for the season's opening out.

"I feel like a prostitute," said Ric Anderson, 26, vacationing from Washington D.C. "The thing for fans to do is to stay out of the ballpark, but I'm not strong enough to do it, I don't have the backbone."

Fernando Ramos, 42, of Miami, said he canceled his season tickets because of the strike — Marlins sales are down 4,700 from last year — but couldn't miss opening day.

"I'm here for the love of the game," Ramos said. "But I think the players showed a lot of greed for striking at the most important part of the season and no respect for the game."

Dodgers catcher Mike Piazza said he has a new gratitude for the game he plays:

"No matter what you do, especially baseball that goes on for a long time unchanged, you are liable to start taking it for granted. When something like this happens, the fans, the owners, the players, gain a new appreciation of it."

Even as umpires picketed outside because owners locked them out and went with replacements, most fans said they were willing to forget the strike. While youngsters in larger numbers are opting for basketball, football, even roller hockey, baseball still casts a spell over many Americans.

One fan held a banner: "All is forgiven."

"There's something about it when you are watching the outfielder snag a flyball," Anderson said. "It hits you deep inside. It's a beautiful game."

Jay Wexler of Miami said, "The sport is bigger than the strike. When you watch the documentary, 'Baseball,' you get goosebumps."

Richard Kent said he closed his Boca Raton sports store because of disgust with the strike.

"People are holding on to their dreams, but it's not the same game," Kent said. "You have admitted drug abusers getting every chance to play the game and Pete Rose can't get into the Hall of Fame."

Yet, the return of the boys of summer meant more to Gloria Edmonson than nostalgia. It meant a steady paycheck.

"It means a lot to me because I have a job and I like my job," the concessionaire said. "The strike meant I was going to have no work."

Just like at the end of the seven previous work stoppages in baseball, the faithful flocked to the ballpark ready to forgive and forget.

"I don't care about the strike," said 12-year-old Billy Caldwell. "Just tell Chuck Carr to hit the ball."

He did. A single to left in the second.

OPENING DAY: HOUSTON ASTROS, TEXAS RANGERS

Padres-Astros trade judged in opener

■ The biggest baseball trade in 37 years, in which Houston and San Diego swapped 12 players, will be evaluated when teams' square off.

SAN DIEGO (AP) — The biggest baseball trade in 37 years will get an immediate critique when the Houston Astros and San Diego Padres meet in a season opener tonight.

Padres general manager Randy Smith will be taking notes. So will his dad, Tal Smith, the Astros' president.

"Trades have to be evaluated over time, but I hope the first 18 innings turn out well for the San Diego Padres," Randy Smith said.

Even before the revised schedule came up with an opening two-game series against the Astros, Smith was eager for the season to begin. After an awful start, the Padres went 37-38 the last 75 games of strike-interrupted 1994.

"And we're an improved club from that," Randy Smith said.

"I'm looking forward to see it open, especially with Houston," he said. "It'll be meaningful with the trades and other circumstances. It'll be a little family rivalry."

The Astros and Padres made a 12-player trade on Dec. 28. Although most of the negotiations were between Randy Smith and Houston GM Bob Watson, the deal was completed when Randy Smith visited his parents for Christmas.

The Padres got three new starters — third baseman Ken Caminiti, shortstop Andujar Cedeno and center fielder Steve Finley — plus reliever Brian Williams and infield prospect Roberto Petagine.

The Astros still owe the Padres a player by Sunday to complete the deal.

The key players obtained by Houston were left fielder Phil Plantier and center fielder Derek Bell, who can both hit for power, and infielder Craig Shipley.

Shipley was to have platooned at third base with Chris Donnels, but Donnels is on the 15-day disabled list with a strained hamstring and Shipley is slowed by a thigh injury. Manager Terry Collins said Dave Magadan will start at third against the Padres.

The trade also brought shortstop Ricky Gutierrez and pitchers Doug Brocail and Pedro Martinez to the Astros. Gutierrez, a starter in San Diego, is a backup to Orlando Miller.

"It might be a little more nerve-wracking than opening with somebody else being that it is my old club," Caminiti said. "I like it, as a matter of fact. Get it over with early. Get anything inside me that might be worked up out of the way. I don't feel anything right now. We'll just have to wait until the game.

"It'll be different going against my old teammates."

Caminiti said he has talked to former teammates Jeff Bagwell and Craig Biggio this spring.

"I call them quite often. My wife read me an article where Biggio said it's weird not seeing me over there at third, or walking around the clubhouse with 20 bags of ice every night."

Bagwell had a career year in 1994. He was the unanimous NL MVP after hitting .368 and leading the NL with 116 RBIs and 104 runs.

Scheduled to start are Houston's Doug Drabek (12-6 in 1994) and Andy Benes (6-14).

San Diego won two of three at Houston immediately before the strike started last Aug. 12. But while the Padres finished 12 1/2 games behind Los Angeles in the NL West, Houston was only one-half game behind the Cincinnati Reds in the NL Central.

Rangers, Yankees hope fans finally show up

NEW YORK (AP) — Free tickets and free goodies did not draw the fans to Yankee Stadium.

The New York Yankees and Texas Rangers hope real baseball can attract them.

Only 6,321 spectators attended an open workout Tuesday at which everyone got a complimentary hot dog, soda, and bag of peanuts.

"There should be some caution on the fans' part," Yankees manager Buck Showalter said, "and we should understand that."

The Yankees were optimistic that the response would be far better this afternoon when they start the season against Texas.

Jimmy Key, who led the major leagues with 17 wins, was to pitch for the Yankees against Kenny Rogers, who pitched a perfect game last season.

A crowd of 50,000 was expected for the opener. The Yankees drew a club-record 56,706 when they played the Rangers in their home opener last year.

The Yankees, coming off a shortened season in which they had the best record in the AL, weren't sure how they would be received by the fans.

"I'd like to think everything will be dictated by how we play," Showalter said. "That's what we can control."

"I think everybody is looking forward to creating some positive vibes for baseball. It's been negative for quite a long time," he said.

Yankees players signed autographs at the end of their two-hour afternoon workout. Texas held a one-hour practice before the Yankees.

"I think there should be more interaction between players and fans, players and club owners," reliever Steve Howe said. "There should be more loyalty in the game."

Both teams have changed a lot since they were last seen in the regular season.

The Rangers traded away Jose Canseco, getting leadoff hitter and center fielder Otis Nixon from Boston. Texas also signed Mickey Tettleton to replace some of Canseco'd power and added Bob Tewksbury and Kevin Gross to a starting staff that lost free agent Kevin Brown.

The Rangers hired a new manager, Johnny Oates, but he will not be with them for the opener. He's with his wife, who was hospitalized with exhaustion, and is not expected back before May 1. Third base coach Jerry Narron is running the Rangers in Oates' absence.

Pitchers Mark Williamson, Jeff Russell and Roger McDowell, infielders Mike Pagliarulo and Mark McLemore, catcher Dave Valle and outfielder Billy Hatcher also have joined Texas since last season. Relievers Tom Henke and Rick Honeycutt are gone.

The Yankees used their big budget to acquire three top players — former Cy Young winner Jack McDowell, relief ace John Wetteland and shortstop Tony Fernandez.

Jim Abbott, Terry Mulholland and Mike Gallego are among the Yankees who left in the offseason.

Season starts with replacement umpires for second time in five years

NEW YORK (AP) — Baseball's locked-out umpires gave players permission to cross their picket lines, and the season began Tuesday night with replacements officiating for the second time in five years.

Umpires' union head Richie Phillips and management negotiator Robert Kheel traveled to Toronto for a hearing today before the Ontario Labor Relations Board. The umpires want to stop replacements from working games at the SkyDome, claiming the provincial law against replacement workers should apply to the American League.

"Their money still hasn't hit the table," Phillips said. "I think a lot depends on how things go tomorrow."

"There's nothing new," management negotiator Robert Kheel said before a scheduled meeting with Phillips on Tuesday night, "and it's not my expectation that there will be anything new."

In an unusual joint statement, Phillips and players' association head Donald Fehr said they had reached an understanding.

"The umpires do not wish to cause more damage than has already been caused by the destructive labor policies of the clubs," Phillips said.

Umpires picketed Tuesday night's opener in Miami between the Florida Marlins and the Los Angeles Dodgers and were scheduled to picket today in New York, Toronto and perhaps other sites.

According to information provided by the NL, three of the umpires calling the Marlins-Dodgers game were former minor league umps. The other umpire handles college games.

Players, who struck for 232 days from last Aug. 11 to March 31, have not honored picket lines set up by other unions.

Schulz may get another shot at IBF title after disputed decision to Foreman is reviewed

NEW YORK (AP) — Axel Schulz, who lost a disputed majority decision to champion George Foreman, may get another shot at the IBF heavyweight title.

The New York Times reported Tuesday that IBF chief Bob Lee expects the fight to be reviewed next week by a special committee after Schulz filed a protest over the decision.

The panel will watch the tape of the fight, with no audio, and if the seven committee members decide the decision was unjust, Lee could order a rematch. If Foreman refused the order, he could be stripped of the title.

After the bout Saturday night, Foreman, 46, made it clear he wanted no more of the 26-year-old German.



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Mom,
I never thanked you for all the years of support, patience, and understanding you gave me. Thank You,
Love Susan

Grandma,
Roses are Red,
Violets are Blue.
Candy is Sweet,
And So Are YOU!
Love You,
Minnie Mouse

Mom,
You're the best! You're so nice & sweet! I love you very much. Love, Jason
(P.S. Am I un-grounded now?)

Love is Kind,
Love is Sweet,
Love is Patient,
Love is Mom.
I Love You, Timmy

Mom,
I know we don't see eye to eye on everything, and I still love you, but could you stop picking out my clothes for me?
Love, Mitzi

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THE QUIZ

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WORLDSCOPE

(10 points for each question answered correctly)



1) Carole DeVine, left, and Jennifer Harbury, right, recently testified before Congress about the deaths of their husbands in the Central American country of ..?...

2) Eurotunnel, the operators of a 31-mile long tunnel that runs under the ..?.. between England and France, said it suffered a $600 million loss last year.

3) The auto industry was shocked recently when financier Kirk Kerkorian made a bid to buy out the (CHOOSE ONE: Ford Motor Co., Chrysler Corp.).

4) Senate Majority Leader Robert Dole said he might use his vote to block the confirmation of Surgeon General nominee, (CHOOSE ONE: C. Everett Koop, Henry Foster).

5) United Nations experts say they have uncovered documents seized from the Middle Eastern country of (CHOOSE ONE: Syria, Iraq) that described a plan to build nuclear weapons.

MATCHWORDS

(2 points for each correct match)

1-tenacity	a-flinch
2-copious	b-abundant
3-scathing	c-caustic
4-smolder	d-burn
5-cringe	e-persistence

PEOPLE/SPORTS

(5 points for each correct answer)

1) Actor/folk singer ..?.., who starred in "Cat on a Hot Tin Roof" and narrated the TV holiday staple "Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer," died recently at the age of 85.

2) "People" magazine will publish a special tribute issue on ..?.., the Tejano singer who was murdered on March 31.

3) The No. 1 movie at the box office last weekend was "Bad Boys," starring Martin Lawrence and ..?..

4) With the departure of Bora Milutinovic, who led the team to the second round of last summer's World Cup, the U.S. national ..?.. team is looking for a new leader.

5) The ..?.. running of the Boston Marathon took place on April 17.
a-99th b-100th c-101st

NEWSNAME

(15 points for correct answer or answers)



I am a former Secretary of Defense. In a recent book I wrote it was a mistake for the U.S. to be involved in the Vietnam War. Who am I?

YOUR SCORE:
91 to 100 points — TOP SCORE!
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Week of 4-24-95

WORLDSCOPE: 1-Guatemala; 2-English Channel; 3-Chrysler Corp.; 4-Henry Foster; 5-Iraq.
NEWSNAME: Robert S. McNamara
MATCHWORDS: 1-e; 2-b; 3-c; 4-d; 5-a;
PEOPLE & SPORTS: ANSWERS: 1-Burl Ives; 2-Selena; 3-Will Smith; 4-soccer; 5-a.

LOCAL SPORTS

Andrew grabs 2nd in Region I

SAN ANGELO — The Andrews girls' golf teams qualified for the state tournament when they place second at the Region I-4A golf tournament held at the Riverside Golf Course.

Andrews shot a 660, falling 13 shots behind the champion Snyder team. Leading the way for Lady Mustangs were Marissa Fleming with her 156 and Tori Hester with a 161.

Snyder's Brooke Lowrance shot a 149 to lead Snyder and win the medalist honors. Kayla Drian also shot a 161.

Lamesa finished sixth with a two-day total of 742.

Results from the Region I tournament held in San Angelo.

Team Results: 1. Snyder, 322-325—647, 2. Andrews, 335-325—660, 3. Ft Stockton, 342-354—696, 4. Borger, 363-353—716, 5. Hereford, 361-365—726, 6. Lamesa, 374-368—742, 7. Brownwood, 404-386—790, 8. El Paso, 541-521—1062

Andrews Results: Tori Hester, 82-79—161, Marissa Fleming, 79-77—156, Marissa Mainord, 86-87—173, Mandy Randolph, 88-82—170, Misty Cathey, 93-87—180

Snyder Results: Brooke Lowrance, 73-76—149, Kayla Drain, 81-80—161, Daysha Weaver, 82-84—166, Kelli Lacik, 86-85—171, Brooke Kubena, 91-89—180

Lamesa Results: Shelley Branan, 89-81—170, Gina Brewer, 86-86—172, Mandi Snodgrass, 93-91—184, April Brewer, 107-116—223, JJ White, 106-110—216

Lamesa finishes sixth in Region I

SAN ANGELO — The Lamesa and Big Spring golf teams finished six-seven in the Region I-4A golf tournament at the Riverside Golf Club.

The two teams fell behind finished behind champion Borger, who shot a 602 for the two day event. Waxahachie finished second 11 shots behind. Monhans was third with a 613.

Lamesa shot a 621 while Big Spring, led by Jake McCollough's 151, finished with a 622.

Results from the Region I Boys' golf tournament held at the Riverside Golf Club.

Team Results: 1. Borger, 299-303—602, 2. Waxahachie, 311-302—613, 3. Monahans, 305-315—620, 4. Brwonwood, 315-300—615, 5. Pampa, 305-315—620, 6. Lamesa, 308-313—621, 7. Big Spring, 313-309—622, 8. Granbury, 309-322—631, 9. Frenship, 315-319—634, 10. University, 343-331—674, 11. Arlington Heights I, 336-340—676, 12. Cantullo, 374-371—745, 13. Arlington Heights II, 389-373—762, 14. Parkland, 416-388—804

Big Spring results: 1. Jakie McCullough, 75-76—151, Pat Carter, 77-76—153, Ryan Williams, 83-78—161, Charlie Marmolejo, 87-79—166, Justin Cole, 78-79—157

Zebras win soccer tourney

ODESSA — The Zappin' Zebras, an under-nine girls soccer team, captured their second tournament championship of the spring by winning the West Texas Blowout here Sunday.

The Zebras defeated the Midland Angels 6-1 in the finals for the tournament championship.

The Zebras defeated Midland's Water Color Ponies (2-0), the Psychedelics of Lubbock (2-0), and Midland's Angels 5-0 while tying the Lubbock Blasters 3-3 to advance to the finals.

Members of the team include: Adrienne Barber, Shaderia Evans, Georgia Kay Foster, Amy Gillette, Laura Hambrick, Katie Lowry, Amanda Lozano, Danielle Nunez, Catherine Palmer, Leslie Paniszczyn, Taylor Rutter, Michelle Shannon, and Ashley Smith.

Daly-Edwards take tourney

Jeff Daly and Kelli Edwards captured the A-1 Division of the Midland Tennis Club's Mixed Doubles tournament on Sunday by defeating Van Hill and Vikkie Smith 6-1, 6-2.

Johnny and Sally Jordan took consolation honors with a 6-2, 6-3 win over Harold and Laura Moss.

In the A-2 Division, Wanda Nix and David Farmer defeated Lee Hobbs and Carolyn Strong 6-2, 6-1. The consolation title went to Charles Arnold and Kristin Hailes. They defeated George Cirkovic and Zosia Schluter 6-4, 6-2.

The B Division championship went to Mary Burns and Fred Thummer after they defeated E. Carnett and Durward Wright 6-3, 6-3. The B Division consolation title went to Kaycee McPherson and Dan Schantz who defeated Julie and Joe Young 7-5, 6-2.

In the round robin event, Kelly and Paul Mooney took top honors followed by Brenda Mooney and Bob Cornell, Hilary and Rob Knight and Ilah Rodriguez and Andy Cariens.

Couple takes Caper tourney

ODESSA — Kyle and Lindee Jensen fired a gross round of 77 on Sunday to capture the Couples Caper Tournament at Mission Dorado Country Club.

The duo of Norm and Sharon Brown fired the best net round with a score of 60 in the best-ball formatted event. Don and Marge Murray shot a 64 to capture second net while Dave and Pat Barton's 79 took second place in the gross score competition.

Stallings-Starks win Rusty Swing

Fred Stallings and Dave Starks took first place in the championship flight of the Rusty Swing golf tournament at Green Tree Country Club last weekend.

Results for the Rusty Swing tournament Saturday and Sunday at the Green Tree Country Club:

Championship Flight: 1. F Stallings-D Stark 210, 2. G Jones-G Frazier 212, 3. J Morton-B Welborn 212, 4. M Johnson-T Farish 214. **First Flight:** 1. M Roye-J Harrison 206, 2. S Nowell-D Vandivort 216, 3. T Borg-C Sledge 217, 4. R Seasy-T Mason 219. **Second Flight:** 1. D Robinson-J Fields 207, 2. D Cantrell-L Campbell 215, 4. K Dixon-G Murrill 216. **Third Flight:** 1. J Harbert-J Brose 207, 2. J Jeffers-B Plank 209, 3. P Cowell-D Haynes 213, 4. L Washburn-M Leach 217. **Fourth Flight:** 1. G Shumskie-B Stevens 216, 2. B Kirby-T Loyd 216, 3. J Alexander-G Pearson 219, 4. J Biles-D Tally 223. **Fifth Flight:** 1. R Bearden-J Ketcham 217, 2. J Groener-G Benton 220, 3. G Green-K Macho 225, 4. G Hasley-G O'Brien 228

Heat takes second at Temple

TEMPLE — The West Texas Heat 12-and-under girls softball team finished second at the Wildflower Classic Tournament held here Sunday. The Heat's 14-and-under team was fourth in the Class A Division.

Twelve-and-under team members are Kim Spradlin, Sarah Lemon, Cara Brinninstool, Danna Sheppard, Nicole Sunde, Kim Romero, Christa Crossland, Kelley Moore, Wykia Perkins, Shandi Heatherlin, Erin Evans and Ashley Harris.

The 14-and-under team tied the Alvin Elite 3-3, beat the Pflugerville Pflames 10-1, the Moody Devils 25-1 and the Carrollton Texas Royals 5-0. After rain forced the tournament to single elimination the team fell to the Temple Coca-Cola Classics 6-2. The 14-and-under team plays next in DeSoto May 5-7 and the 12-and-under team travels to Ft. Worth May 13-14 for a tournament.

Fourteen-and-under team members are Amerliegh Berry, Chancey Davis, Laura Faulk, Shel Goree, Lacy Moore, Brittain Nobles, Nicole Pullen, Leticia Salcido, Minoi Sheppard, Bethany Spradlin and Kristin Worthy.

Netter qualifies for tournament

Midlander Sarah Innerarity qualified for the Super Championship Tournament after advancing to the semifinals of the last United States Tennis Association's Major Zone Tournament.

Innerarity lost to March Matthews 7-5, 6-3 in the semifinals, but obtained enough tournament points to advance to the Super Championship level.

Midland foursome qualifies in tennis

Thirty-two tennis players from Midland competed in last weekend's Northwest ZAT Tournament in Abilene and Marlin Geib, Marci Holland, Lindsey Hanlon and Sarah Scharbauer qualified to move up to Championships Tournaments.

Local results from the Northwest ZAT Tournament in Abilene:

Boys 18s: Nick Nichols, semifinals; Blade Van Stavern quarter-finals, Chris Canon, won consolation. **Boys 16:** Bobby Jones, won consolation; Justin Brammer, consolation finals; Nick Maston, second round. **Boys 14s:** Geib, won finals; Travis Vandergriff, semi-finals; Cutler Gist, Russell Booth, Ryan May, quarter-finals; Clayton Vandergriff, Jason Yelley, consolation finals; Kelson Gist, consolation semi-finals; Hunter Hazen, Justin Rich, lost in consolation.

Girls 18s: Holland, finals; Hillary Essex, won consolation; Tenille McDonald, consolation finals; Robin Beal, consolation quarter-finals; Deborah Ho, lost in consolation. **Girls 14:** Scharbauer, won finals; Lindsay Hanlon, finals; Anna McMinn, Kate Wilkinson, Ginny Wilkinson, quarter-finals; Lindsay Cates, Stephanie Hofer, second round; Drew Branum, won consolation finals; Leigh Beal, consolation semi-finals.

TIDA to race at Twin Cities

The late model stock car series of the Texas International Drivers Association (TIDA) will make its first stop this season at Twin Cities Speedway on April 29 at 6:30 p.m.

The event will be the third race of the TIDA season. Approximately 25 drivers are expected to enter for the 50 lap feature race.

Racers are to report at 2 p.m. for technical inspection of the automobiles. Qualifying time trials begin at 6:30 p.m. and the qualifying races begin at 7:05 p.m. with the features beginning at approximately 7:45 p.m.

Lady Hawks sign Allen post

BIG SPRING — Howard College signed Allen High post Toni Westfall to a national letter of intent Tuesday. Westfall helped her team to a 27-5 record and made first team All-District 5-5A with 12 points and seven rebounds per game averages. The six-foot player shot 59.6 percent from the field this year.

G-wood moves into first

KERMIT— Andy Watzl hit a solo home run with none out, to lift Greenwood to a dramatic 8-7 win over Kermit to move into first place in District 8-3A.

Both teams are now 5-1 in district play with four games remaining.

Greenwood trailed 4-0 going into the fifth inning before mounting a comeback. Michael Otho, who went 2-for-3, in the game hit a three-run home run in the fifth inning with Andy Smith and Rusty Purser on board to close the gap to 4-3.

K.C. otho went 2-for-43 with two RBIs and Purser went 2-for-4.

Josh Jones improved to 2-0 on the year after recording the complete game.

MHS JV nips Central, 9-8

Brendan Morris hit an RBI single in the bottom of the sixth inning to finish a rally that saw Midland High come from a 5-0 deficit to knock San Angelo Central in junior varsity action Tuesday afternoon.

Midland ends its season at 8-10.

Clyde Tedrick drove in five runs, including a three-run home run in the third inning, to lead MHS. Kyle Cox added two RBIs and Russell Dunlavy added another in the win.

Dunlavy picked up the win, allowing three runs over five innings of work after replacing starter Tedrick in the third inning.

SJ netters blank Abell

San Jacinto used a balanced attack to knock off the Abell tennis team 13-0 in a seventh-eighth grade match Tusday afternoon.

Here are the results of the duel match between San Jacinto and Abell Junior High Tuesday.

San Jacinto 13, Abell 0

Saul Morales def. Mike Gilluly 8-2, Clayton Vandergriff def. C.W. Porter 8-3, Travis Vandergriff def. Rikesha Patel 8-2, Clay Gilkerson def. Clinton Carr 8-3, Marcus Majors def. Rush Moody 8-4, Nick McClure def. Stephen Fly 8-3, Russell Booth def. Tony Hesson 8-6, Chris Hicks def. Kimesh Patel 8-3, Pastrick Hinshaw def. Chris McGinnis 8-6, Charlie Martin def. Javier Molinar 8-3, Ross Brunner def. Andrew Porter 8-3, Ryan Price def. Clinton Carr 8-3, Justin Brummer and J.T. Pitts def. Kimesh Patel and C.W. Porter 8-4.

'Dogs lack concentration in finale

By Bill Petitt
Sports Writer

It was the last game of the year with little to play for and it showed for Midland High.

San Angelo Central came out loose and the Bobcats used a four-run fifth inning to defeat Midland High 6-4 in the season finale for both teams.

■ 4-5A Baseball

Midland ends Lew Kennedy's first campaign in Midland 10-14 and fourth in District 4-5A with a 5-7 mark. Central finishes in the cellar with a 3-9 mark, 6-15 overall.

For much of the season the Bulldogs refused to die, fighting back from an 0-3 district mark to stay in playoff contention until the final two league games, but on Tuesday the Bulldogs left their game faces in the locker room the first three innings, allowing Central to jump out to a 2-0 lead.

"This team has got a ways to go as far as concentration," said Kennedy. "I thought that we did not come out ready to play the first three innings.

"Again, we made a couple of mistakes early, got in a hole, and couldn't come back."

After two innings in which neither team could muster a hit, Central got on the board in the third inning. With runners on first and second and one out, Jeremy Speciale hit a double in between center and right field, scoring John Perez and Jesse Martinez for a 2-0 lead.

Midland bounced back to tie the game afterdesignated hitter Jeff Perez stroked a double to the center field fence, brining in pinch runner Roy Coats and Jason Rogers to tie the game. Midland would have taken the lead, but Jeremy Kimbell, the Bulldogs top hitter with a .419 average prior to the game, was tagged out after over sliding third base for the first out of the inning.

Central put the game away in the fifth with four runs as the Bobcats racked up four of the seven hits in the inning, including a Texas League dribbler over the infield, scoring Speciale and starting pitcher August Pfluger for a 6-2 lead.

"I thought we played solid baseball today," said Central coach Rod Moore. "August (Pfluger) looked like he did in pre-district. He got a lot of first outs in the innings. Also, we were able to drive people that were in scoring position. I can remember three of four district games that we left 10 or more runners on base. We have been in games until the end all year long we just have not had any breaks. We lost so many one-run games this year, it is good to go out on a winning note."

Midland rallied for two runs in the sixth, thanks to Clay Johnston's fourth home run of the district season, a towering shot over right field, scoring Kimbell to trim the lead to 6-4, but MHS could not rally in the seventh.

More Sports/8D

San Angelo Central 6, Midland High 4

Central	ab	r	h	bi	Midland	ab	r	h	bi
J. Martinez 2b	3	2	1	1	Villareal ss	4	0	0	0
Speciale cf	3	1	1	1	Kimbell lf	3	1	2	0
Pfluger p	4	1	1	2	Johnston cf	3	1	1	2
Griffis 1b	2	0	0	0	Lant p	3	0	1	0
Holland lf	4	0	0	0	Coats cr	0	1	0	0
Whitson ss	3	0	2	2	Rogers 1b	1	1	0	0
Lunsford rf	2	0	0	0	Perez dh	3	0	1	2
Hoelle rf	1	0	0	0	Coleman rf	0	0	0	0
Perez 3b	2	1	1	0	Nobles 3b	2	0	0	0
Robb ph	1	0	0	0	Flores c	3	0	1	0
Biann 3b	0	0	0	0	Atnipp 2b	3	0	1	0
Cormier c	2	0	1	0					
Strange cr	0	1	0	0					
Totals	**27**	**6**	**7**	**6**	**Totals**	**25**	**4**	**7**	**4**
Central					**002**	**040**		**0—6-7-1**	
Midland					**000**	**202**		**0—4-7-2**	

E—Whitson, Villareal, Nobles. DP—Central 1. LOB—Central 5, Midland 4. 2B—Speciale, Perez. 3B—Cormier. HR—Johnston (4). SB—Speciale, Kimbell. CS—Whitson, Kimbell. SAC—Cormier.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Central						
Pfluger W	7	7	4	2	3	7
Midland						
Lant L 1-6	7	7	6	5	2	4

HBP—Speciale (by Lant), Griffis (by Lant). T—2:07.

LEE: Sutton fourth in medalist standings

(From 1D)

ing lights out. Look at the difference in scores in district and now. We keep improving."

Lee, who lost all five members of a team that placed third in state, finished twenty strokes behind the eventual champion Amarillo High (661-681). Despite beating out San Angelo in the final round, Lee finished 11 strokes behind the District 4-5A champions. The Mansfield Gold team took third place with a two-day total of 674. For Lee, the ability to take a rebounding season and turn it into a state contending club made it gratifying.

"We played good as a team and I'm proud of everybody," said senior Betsy Brininstool. "I didn't think we would get this far. We worked as a team to get where we are. There was a lot of pressure put on us because the last two teams were so good."

Lady Rebels' Christin Sutton led Lee with back-to-back rounds of 79. The 158 total left her seven shots shy of the region title won by Amarillo High's Kristin Clark (152). The fourth-place finish for Phillips, who had received many offers to play collegiately, earns her a spot on the Region I all-tournament team. The effort pleased the all-district performer.

"I'm pleased with the way I played toady except for the last hole, " said Sutton, who three-putted the last hole from three feet out. "Coming into the tournament, I thought I hoped I would make all region. Most of the people have been here before."

Playing so well this week will serve as a confidence boost for the three sophomores, Adrienne Phillips, Kelly Feavel and Sandi Talley. Even with all players having little to no experience in tournament coming into this season, these three will come back to build from what they have done including a second-day victory over San Angelo.

'We played good as a team and I'm proud of everybody.'
— Betsy Brininstool, Lady Rebel senior golfer.

"Next year and the year after we will have a good chance to win state or at least get there," said Adrienne Phillips, who was Lee's top sophomore with a 169 total. "If we can beat them (San Angelo), we can the next two years."

San Angelo, who will try to make it three straight state titles for District 4-5A (Lee winning in 1993 and San Angelo winning in 1994), didn't play up to form on either of the two days. The Lady Bobcats, who will lose two seniors at the end of the season including Arkansas-bound Julie McMahon, fell victim to the second round furor from Amarillo High.

The Golden Sandies, with four juniors and one very talented freshman took control Tuesday distancing themselves from San Angelo by nine strokes with the best second-day total of 327. It will be the first trip for AHS who were led by the region's top two finishers.

"I'm really excited," said Amarillo coach Barbara Sill, whose club tied for third last year. "Kristin (Clark) can shoot 74 and handle pressure, but Sarah (Maurer, who also shot 74) is unbelievable."

Clark, a junior, won medalist honors with a 74 to go with a first round 78. Her freshman compadre Maurer, equaled the 74 to finish a stroke back. April de Vries, who will attend Mississippi St. next fall, put a score of 154 on the board following consecutive 77's. The Abilene Cooper golfer, who won her third District 4-5A medalist title to qualify for tournament, found it hard to play without the rest of her team.

"My putting was really bad and didn't have many birdies," said de Vries. " I didn't think I shot the scores to win. I should have shot lower."

Results from the Region I golf tournament held at the Elm Grove Golf Club.

Final Team Results: 1. Amarillo High, 334-327—661, 2. San Angelo, 331-339—660, 3. Mansfield Gold, 339-335—674, 4. Midland Lee, 344-337—681, 5. El Paso Coronado Gold, 346-341—687, 6. Flower Mound Marcus, 352-353—705, 7. El Paso Hanks, 361-365—726, 8. Lewisville, 356-391—747, 9. El Paso Coronado Blue, 387-386—773, 10. Amarillo Tascosa, 391-383—774, 10. North Richland Hills, 396-378—774, 12. El Paso Montwood, 396-404—800, 13. Mansfield Black, 436-415—851, 14. Fort Worth Paschal, 426-447—873

Medalists Results: Kristin Clark, Amarillo High, 78-74—152, 2. Sarah Maurer, Amarillo High, 79-74—153, 3. April de Vries, Abilene Cooper, 77-77—154, 4. Christin Sutton, Midland Lee, 79-79—158, 5. Lisa Ramirez, EP Ysleta, 76-85—161, 5. Alana Soliz, Lubbock Coronado, 79-82—161, 7. Jamie Brown, EP Coronado Gold, 80-82—162, 7. Julie Mcmahon, San Angelo, 79-83—162, 9. Jessica Widman, Mansfield Gold, 81-82—163, 10. Kandi Appel, EP Hanks, 83-82—165

Midland Lee Results: Christin Sutton, 79-79—158; Adrienne Phillips, 86-83—169; Kelly Feavel, 88-85—173; Sandi Talley, 91-90—181; Betsy Brininstool, 93-90—183.

San Angelo Central Results: Julie McMahon, 79-83—162; Kasi Alexander, 82-88—170; Sarah Honaker, 85-81—166; Allison Hooker, 85-87—172; Kelly Kobarg 86-88—174

MHS: Jacobs finishes sixth, makes all-region

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from Monday's 82 for a 75 and a 157 total and a tie for sixth place overall as an individual.

"I played good, putting was still a problem," Jacobs said. "Still, I didn't see a lot of people making putts on these greens. Still, I finished sixth and made the All-Region team (Top 10). That was something I really wanted to do."

Senior J.J. Castillo, who had a 7-over par 79 on Monday, was just five over par with four to play, but lost five strokes on the final four holes for an 82.

"I had a double bogey and three bogeys on the last four holes," Castillo said. "I had a good round going until the final four holes. It just got away from me."

Junior Carey Gentry was also five over par with six holes left to play but lost six strokes to par down the stretch, mainly due to a triple bogey on No. 4. He finished with an 83.

"On No. 3, I pulled a drive that hit a tree, then tried to hit a miracle shot that went out of bounds," Gentry said. "Drives killed me all day."

Junior Chris Owen improved from Monday's 87 to an 82.

"I played much better today, but not by much," Owen said. "I was hoping for a better tournament, but I didn't play very good."

Senior Trey Thompson, who had an 83 Monday, skied to 89 Tuesday in his last round of competitive high school golf.

"The front side just killed me," Thompson said. "I had three doubles and a triple (bogey) on the front side. That pretty much did it for me."

Midland High coach Aubrey Culley said, "I wish we had played a little better, but it wasn't that bad. I just don't like finishing out of the top two in this situation. There's not much reward when you finish out of the top two. I was proud of the way Josh (Jacobs) came back after his Monday round. We just needed to shoot a little better down the stretch and it didn't happen."

Amarillo High (625) won the region title while El Paso Hanks was second. They will compete again at the state meet, May 11-12, in Austin at the Jimmy Clay course. Amarillo High was the Region I sweeper since the girls also won the region title.

Amarillo's Ryan Palmer won the region individual medalist title with a 147 after a one-under par 71 on Tuesday. Hanks' Jesse Sosa took second with a 148. Sosa had the best round of the tournament with a 69. That Tuesday score brought Sosa from a tie for 10th place to second and just one stroke from the championship.

Fort Worth Southwest's Hunter Haas was the hard luck loser of the tournament, tying for third place with Ty Cox of Amarillo High for third place at 151. Cox, however, gets to go to the state tournament because his team qualified. Haas, the defending Region I champion who went to state last year, saw his high school season end.

Final results from the Class 5A Region I boys golf tournament held Monday and Tuesday at Lubbock Country Club

Team Standings (Top two teams qualify for state): 1. Amarillo High, 311-314-625, 2. El Paso Hanks, 320-311-631, 3. Mansfield, 323-317-640, 4. Fort Worth Paschal, 330-317-647, 5. Midland High, 326-322-648, 6. San Angelo, 321-329-650, 7. Lubbock Coronado, 322-332-654, 8. Wichita Falls Rider, 330-329-659, 9. Flower Mound Marcus, 333-331-664, 10. El Paso Hanks II, 336-329-665, 11. El Paso Coronado, 335-331-666, 12. Arlington Lamar, 337-336-673, 13. Weatherford, 344-330-674, 14. Fort Worth Southwest, 348-343-681, 15. Richland, 349-336-685, 16. El Paso Franklin, 367-345-712

Individual Medalist Race (Top two earn state berth): 1. Ryan Palmer, Amarillo High, 76-71-147, 2. Jesse Sosa, Hanks, 79-69-148, 3. (Tie) Hunter Haas, Southwest, 74-77-151, and Ty Cox, Amarillo High, 76-75-151, 5. Dustin Parker, Grapevine, 73-79-152, 5, 6. (Tie) Josh Jacobs, Midland High, 82-75-157, and Aaron Saint, Mansfield, 80-77-157, 8. Chad English, Plainview, 78-80-158, 10. (Tie) Brandon Sanders, San Angelo, 78-81-159, Ralph Gemoats, Hanks, 80-79-159, Nick Nietzey, Mansfield, 82-77-159, Bryan Ross, Lubbock Coronado, 80-79-159, Jimmy Wylie, Paschal, 83-76-159, Coby Dick, Southwest, 80-79-159

Midland High Results: Josh Jacobs, 82-75-157, J.J. Castillo, 79-82-161, Carey Gentry, 82-83-165, Chris Owen, 87-82-169, Trey Thompson, 83-89-172

San Angelo Results: Brandon Sanders, 78-81-159, J.W. Lown, 81-80-161, Jon Lummas, 81-86-167, Ben Greene, 81-86-167, Joe Coronado, 84-86-170

CHAPS: Four MC golfers make all-tournament team

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two medalist positions as Graham Davidson had a 211 for top honors, one stroke ahead of teammate Evan Little. Jason Brooks had a 214 and Andrews product Derrick Pursley managed a 217 as both earned All-Region honors with Davidson and Little.

Davidson was spectacular. He set a nine-hole course record at Tanglewood with a 30 on the back nine.

This is the seventh consecutive year the Chaps have qualified for the national tournament, which will be the last week in May in Mesa, Ariz. The team also won its 10th tournament of the year and also gives MC its fourth consecutive Western Junior College Athletic Conference championship.

"It was a fantastic effort," said MC golf coach Delnor Poss. "That was one of the best team effort I have seen in a while. We always expect to win, but we beat the scores of the Division I teams that played this course two weeks ago by 20 strokes."

Results from the Region V golf tournament

Team Standings: Midland College, 289-281-284-854, Odessa College, 298-302-288-888, New Mexico JC, 306-297-296-899, Weatherford College, 305-309-289-903, Western Texas College, 310-297-310-917, McLennan CC, 307-308-304-919, Grayson CC, 303-312-314-929, Cisco, 304-315-321-940, New Mexico Military, 318-311-313-942, Hill CC, 344-330-333-1007

Midland College Results: Graham Davidson, 74-68-69-211, Euan Little, 68-73-71-212, Jason Brooks, 73-71-70-214, Derrick Pursley, 74-69-74-217, Jason Garduno, 82-81-77-240

NJCAA All Region Team: Graham Davidson, Evan Little, Jason Brooks, Derrick Pursley (all of Midland College) and Jason Bryant, Odessa College

Wimbledon ups the ante with bigger prize money

WIMBLEDON, England (AP) — Wimbledon's top official says the players are worth "every penny" of the nearly $10 million in prize money that will be offered this year — even if the tennis can be boring.

The All England Club announced Tuesday that prize money for this summer's championships will total a record $9.6 million, up from last year's $8.5 million.

The men's champion will receive $584,000. If Pete Sampras retains his title, he will get $67,000 more than last year.

The women's champion will take home $524,000, compared with the $465,000 check Conchita Martinez received for winning the 1994 title.

Total prize money for men will be $5.1 million and $4 million for women.

Wimbledon, like the French Open, offers more money to the men than the women. The two other Grand Slam tournaments, the Australian and U.S. Opens, offer equal prize money.

"We look at that every year and we make a conscious decision" to maintain different prizes, All England Club chairman John Curry said.

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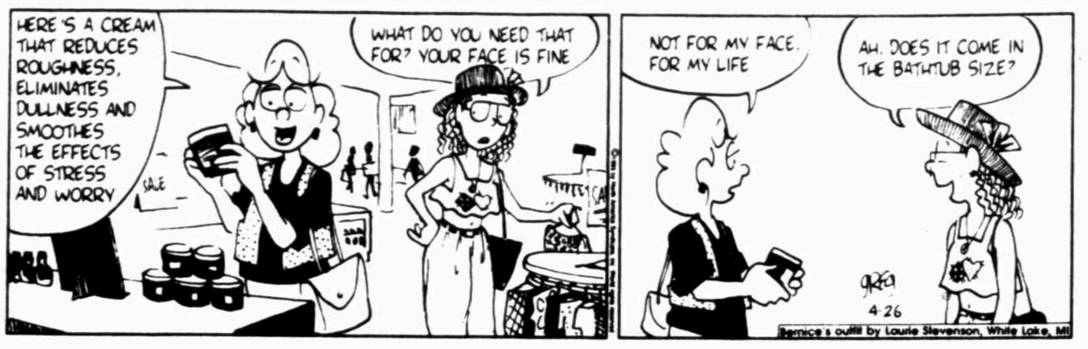
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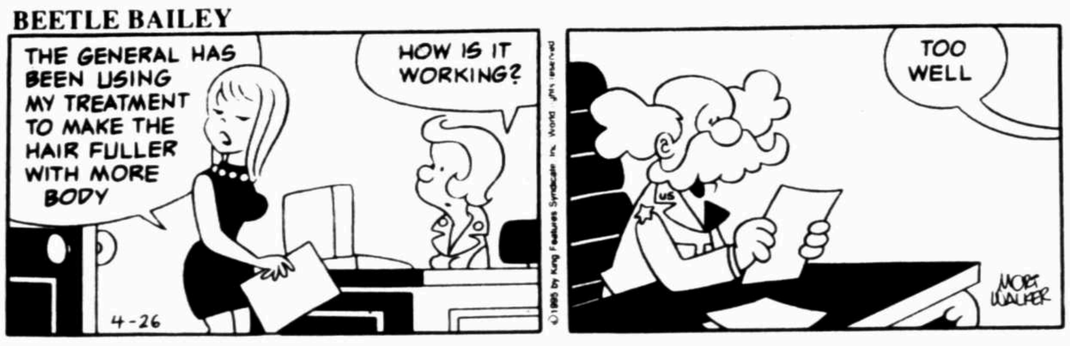
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HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Your ability to mix well with all types of people will advance your career and business interests. Greater financial security is assured. The chemistry is right between you and an attentive romantic partner. Marriage is a distinct possibility. Family members are more supportive than in the past.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: comedian Carol Burnett, ornithologist John James Audubon, dancer Bambi Linn, guitarist Duane Eddy.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Stick to your present commitments. Strong emotional undercurrents could lead to a rewarding union. Welcome an opportunity to date someone you have long admired.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Lucky events could have considerable impact on a partnership's finances. A household purchase or repair will bring greater domestic comfort. Use your influence on others to help them improve their lives.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): A great day for dealing with publishers or other experts who can affect your career. Listen closely. Profits and savings can be increased. Current business trends will continue; better news is still to come!

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Be more careful with your money, especially in social situations. Developing a better understanding with that special person in your life should be a top priority. Shared interests will make your life together more fulfilling.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Keep your wits about you when temptation beckons. Say "no" to potentially embarrassing situations. A "wild" idea could save you money and time. Use any spare hours to work on an important personal project.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Routine assignments will demand special attention today. Co-workers could be argumentative. Unexpected good news offsets any disappointments you might suffer. Guard your valuables when traveling. Share secrets only with your mate or business partner.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Be firm. Refuse to let someone else's problems interfere with your personal life. Taking a commonsense approach to financial matters could work wonders. Your role as a mediator could be questioned. Hang in there!

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): The discovery of some forgotten funds will bring smiles. A married couple reaches a new depth in the relationship. Give a wide berth to anyone who is reckless when handling money. Artistic inspiration will return.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): You have the world on a string. Fly your financial kite with confidence. Make room on your agenda for festive sharings. Giving free rein to your imagination helps you cultivate your artistic and creative talents.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Career progress depends on your showcasing your talents to best advantage. Co-workers will offer valuable support. Handle personal matters away from your usual work environment. Your solutions are inventive and will produce lasting results.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): A family or property-related crisis may be featured this morning. Use greater tact when dealing with a lonely friend. Attend to loved ones' needs immediately, even if you must juggle your work schedule.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Brilliant ideas seem to come to you in waves. Thank your lucky stars! A romance or business venture sets sail on a sea of promise. What you launch today will have a big impact tomorrow.

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5♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: ?

Hercule Poirot's reputation as one of the great sleuths of his day meant an ever-increasing workload. As a result, he and his associate, Capt. Hastings, made only rare appearances at the club on Baker Street, where it had been their wont to relax in the bridge room after a grueling case.

It was with considerable delight, therefore, that they were welcomed into the game one balmy evening in mid-June. A cut-for-partners team game was soon arranged, but there was little in the cards and this deal eventually provided the margin of victory.

Both East-West pairs pushed their opponents into five spades. Against Hastings, West led a plebian king of hearts. Declarer ruffed high in dummy, came to hand with the eight of trumps and ruffed another heart. After drawing trumps, declarer ran the clubs and made all the tricks.

Poirot held the West cards at the other table, and set the contract one. On the cab ride home, Hastings asked about the hand.

"Ah, mon ami," remarked the little Belgian, "it is as I have always said. Use those little grey cells! My partner, vulnerable, had bid five hearts with very little in the suit. Surely he held at least five hearts, so the chances of one of the opposing side being void in the suit was real. Also, partner had to have some high cards and, since the opponents had bid the black suits, I decided that East's strength was probably in diamonds.

"*Alors!* I immediately led the king of diamonds and zut, we had the first three tricks. So simple, really."

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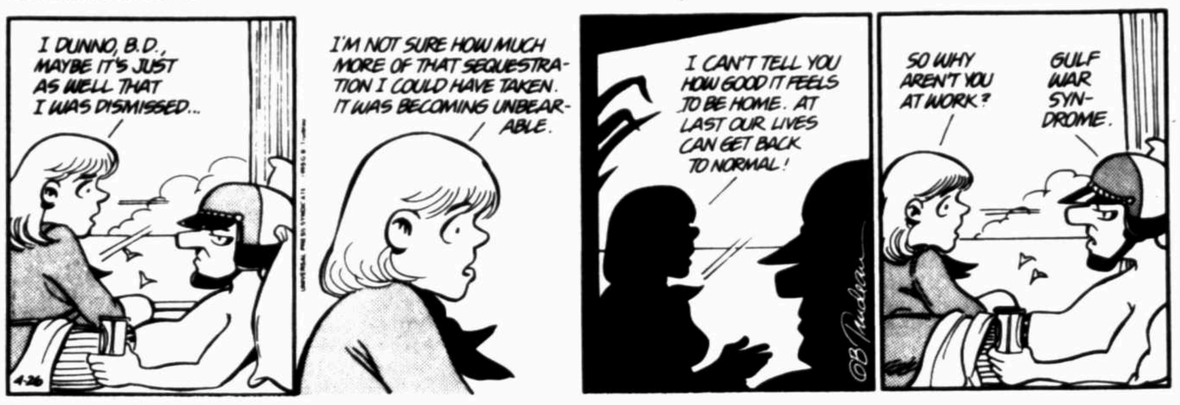
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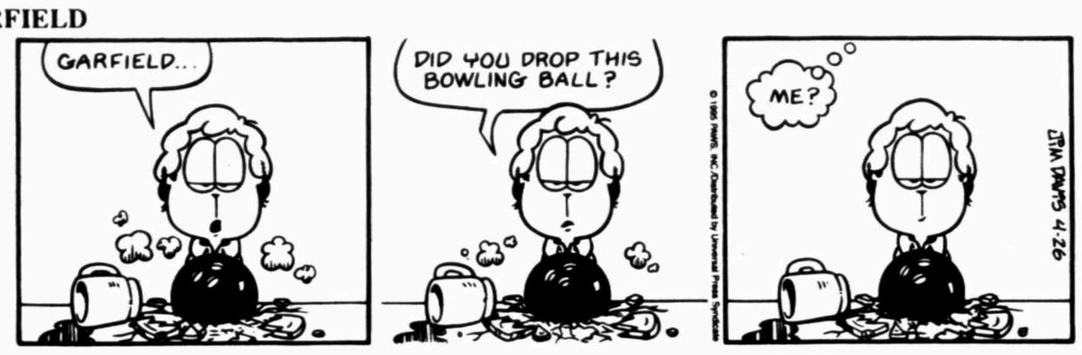


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(11) WTBS		11	Who's the Boss?	Who's the Boss?	The Great Escape II: The Untold Story (R, '88) ** (Christopher Reeve, Judd Hirsch) 889084									Night Moves, Part II: The Return of Will Stark
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(16) TNN		16	Skyline	C'try News	Loretta Lynn: Seasons		An Evening of Country Greats				Club Dance 581317		Loretta Lynn: Seasons	
(17) TNT		17	In the Heat of the Night		NBA Playoff Preview		Some Kind of Hero (R, '82) ** (Richard Pryor, Margaret Colin) 8316423				Hope at Large (PG, '85) ** (Jane Fonda, Jason Robards) 8316423			
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Artist who showed mastectomy scar wins praise of cancer support group

CAMBRIDGE, Mass. — **Matuschka**, the artist and model who showed her mastectomy scar on a New York Times Magazine cover, won praise from a support group for cancer patients.

Since being diagnosed with breast cancer and having surgery in 1991, Matuschka has depicted her body in sculptures and photographs to raise consciousness about the disease.

The magazine published a self-portrait of Matuschka with her scar bared in August 1993.

The Wellness Community of Greater Boston presented her with its **Gilda Radner** Award on Monday. The organization was founded in 1982 and provides free psychological and social support for cancer patients and their families in seven states.

Radner, who died of ovarian cancer in 1989, was active in the group's Santa Monica, Calif., chapter.

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NEW YORK — **Sharon Stone** recommends a "her and me" approach to handling the limelight.



Sharon Stone recommends a " her and me" approach.

The actress shared her thoughts on the price of fame with **Barbara Walters** for a television special Tuesday night.

"The way that I've kept my sanity through the course of change in my life is to think of it as her and me," Stone said. "Her as Sharon Stone in the public image. And I often think they don't see me."

Walters also interviewed other celebrities, who offered these thoughts:

Eddie Murphy: "I guess I'm a little more paranoid than I used to be, socially and emotionally. Success and power kind of isolates you."

Roseanne: "I remember when I used to go clean houses. ... I'll always be a working-class person."

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AUSTIN — **Lady Bird Johnson** is back at home after being briefly hospitalized for a fainting spell.

The former first lady was taken to a hospital as a precaution after she fainted near the end of a private party at the Lyndon Baines Johnson Presidential Library. She was released Tuesday.

Mrs. Johnson, 82, has suffered from fainting spells occasionally over the past 10 years following long periods of intense activity, said **Liz Carpenter**, Mrs. Johnson's former press secretary and longtime friend.

"We just took the extra precaution of her going to the hospital for her to spend the night so the doctors could check everything out," Ms. Carpenter said.

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LOUISVILLE, Ky. — **Barbara Bush** has a sermon, and she's proud of it.

"My No. 1 cause now and forever is literacy," the former first lady said in a speech Monday. "I still strongly believe that if we had more people reading, writing and comprehending we could be much closer to solving some of the many other problems we have today."



Barbara Bush has a sermon, and she's proud of it.

Mrs. Bush, a best-selling author and longtime literacy advocate, was in Louisville to receive an award from the National Center for Family Literacy.

"I've spoken to 25 groups since the first of the year and none of them have been spared my literacy sermon. I've told them to turn off their TVs and read to their children, or to have quiet time where everyone reads his or her book," she said.

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NEW YORK — It was research, plain and simple.

Demi Moore held hubby **Bruce Willis'** hand as topless dancers performed for them at a Manhattan club Saturday night, newspapers reported Tuesday.

Moore is cramming for her role as a stripper in "Striptease," scheduled for shooting later this year. It was her fifth or sixth visit to the club Scores.

"She's been here enough times that now she knows a few of the girls by name," an unidentified spokesman told New York Newsday.

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LOS ANGELES — It shouldn't be too hard to spot **Billy Ray Cyrus** during his acting debut on "The Nanny." He'll be playing Billy Ray Cyrus.

The country star will appear on the CBS series in the May 3 episode.

"The fact that I'm a fan of the show, I was able to play myself and that I've made two television specials for ABC helped me make the transition from singing to acting," he said.

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Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

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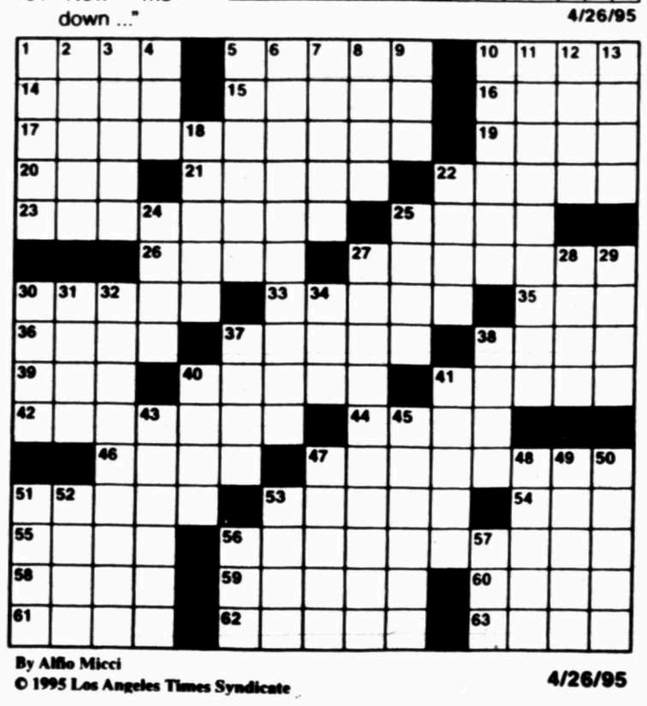
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Montana finds retirement hobby, buys into IndyCar

■ One week after leaving the NFL, Joe Montana becomes a partner in the Target-Chip Ganassi Racing team.

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — Joe Montana didn't waste time finding a way to spend his retirement.

One week after leaving the NFL, Montana announced today that he has become a partner in the Target-Chip Ganassi Racing Team.

"It is definitely a pleasure to be putting one career behind and getting started in something that's been in the back of my mind for a number of years," Montana said.

The team is based in Indianapolis and is sponsored by Target discount stores based in Minneapolis.

Montana said the team, which features two promising young drivers, reminds him of the San Francisco 49ers in his early days there.

"They're on the move, they're making innovative steps in the right direction, they've got some great young guys behind the wheel," Montana said.

Montana, who left football last Tuesday after 16 years with San Francisco and Kansas City and four Super Bowl titles with the 49ers, first became interested in auto racing when he took part in a 1984 celebrity race in Long Beach, Calif.

The Ganassi team is named for the former IndyCar driver, who like Montana was raised in the Pittsburgh area. It features drivers Bryan Herta, a rising star, and Jimmy Vasser.

At today's news conference, Vasser helped Montana slip into a bright red fire suit, and Herta handed Montana one of his racing helmets.

The helmet reminded Montana of a vicious hit he took from the New York Giants lineman Leonard Marshall in the 1991 NFC championship game.

"I needed this when we played the Giants in the playoffs. I think I was breathing out of my ears," Montana said.

Montana is the latest NFL refugee to turn to auto racing.

Over the winter, Walter Payton, the NFL's all-time leading rusher, became a partner in an IndyCar team. He joined former driver Dale Coyne to form Payton-Coyne Racing.

Former Washington Redskins coach Joe Gibbs, who coached Super Bowl champions in 1982, '87 and '91, owns his own team on the NASCAR circuit.

Montana, also an avid flyer, said he might like to get behind the wheel of a race car.

"Maybe someday they'll let me slide in behind there, just for a test," he said.

14-year-old South African girl tests postive for steroids

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — A 14-year-old South African runner has tested positive for steroids, making her the youngest track and field competitor anywhere in the world to be accused of using performance enhancers.

Athletics South Africa has not yet released the athlete's name, saying she and her parents must first be given a chance to respond, according to local newspaper reports. The track and field body said in a weekend statement that a urine sample given by the athlete earlier this month at a national junior championship meet revealed traces of an anabolic steroid, nandrolane and a stimulant, fencamfamine.

Athletics South Africa said it "was extremely disturbed ... especially as the use of anabolic steroids by such young people could lead to very serious permanent and irreversible physical and psychological changes."

The Monaco-based International Amateur Athletics Federation confirmed the 14-year-old was the youngest in the world to test positive for steroid use.

IAAF spokesman Christopher Winner said, "If it's now in the realm of teenagers, then clearly we have to do more work with the coaches and managers. We have to make them more accountable."

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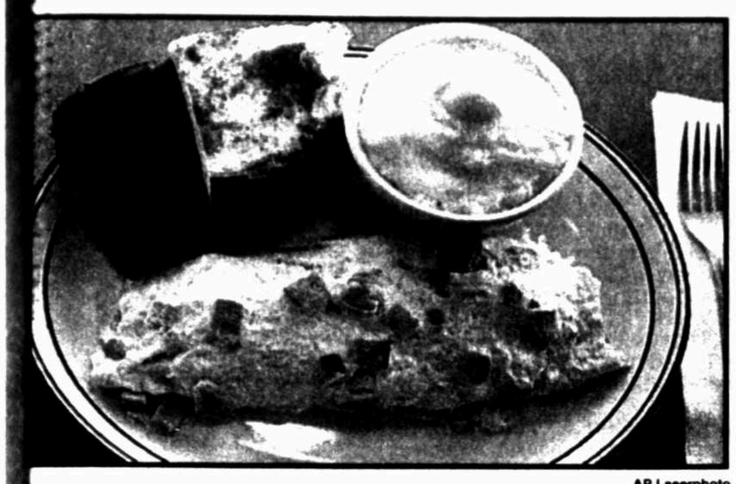
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This food photo illustration shows grits and an omelet. Grits have long been a Southern breakfast delicacy. They are the corn cousins to the popular bulghur wheat.

Southern staple not just for breakfast

By Richard Mize
Associated Press

WICHITA FALLS — Consider the grit.

Or is it always "grits," singular and plural?

No matter, no other Southern breakfast delicacy is, well, so Southern.

"Grits and me" go way back to my childhood in eastern Oklahoma, a part of the Sooner State that is definitely more Southern than anything else — a place where "grits and me," not "grits and I," sounds right.

It helps that Arkansas is right next door and that Little Dixie — the southeastern part of Oklahoma where citizens consider themselves more Southern than anybody in Arkansas — is part of the cultural neighborhood.

So, from Mama's breakfast table to the grits at the truckstops along I-40 — to me, a blob of the white, gritty stuff had to be on the plate at breakfast.

For the benefit of all you foreigners who've moved down here the past couple of years, here's a lesson in gritology.

1. Grits is-are hominy (corn), ground, but not nearly as fine as flour. You boil it-them. The hull and germ is-are removed.

That's all you-y'all need to know.

Grits are best, to me, with lots of butter and maybe some crumbled bacon mixed in, but bacon usually comes on the side with any meal where grits fit. But anywhere mashed potatoes work, grits work just as well.

The preparation of instant grits is self-explanatory. Only the strong, the experienced and the nonstick saucepan-equipped cook should approach quick-cooking or old-fashioned long-cooking grits.

I've discovered, however, that there's a lot more to grits than what can be plopped on a breakfast plate. Grits are the humble corn cousins of the more trendy, popular bulghur wheat. They bring texture and substance to dishes without adding a lot of fat.

And in the case of fried grits, they can be just as good left-over as they were in their original incarnation.

Diane Pfeifer knows that there's more than one way to cook a grit. The following are from her book, "Gone with the Grits," published by Strawberry Patch in Atlanta, Ga.

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Pasta with Tomato, Chicory and Bacon Sauce is garnished with tomato wedges.

Stir up great pasta with fresh tomato sauces

Associated Press

Pasta can form the base for a quick, satisfying meal. In the following recipe, yellow peppers and onions are cooked in bacon drippings until crisp-tender. Chopped fresh tomatoes and seasonings are added for a homemade sauce. The sauce is served over penne, a short tubular pasta.

PASTA WITH TOMATO, CHICORY AND BACON SAUCE

4 large (about 2 pounds) fresh tomatoes
6 slices bacon
2 cups sliced yellow bell peppers
1 cup sliced onion
1 teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon ground black pepper
3 cups chicory (curly endive), torn in bite-size pieces
1 tablespoon balsamic or wine vinegar
8 ounces penne (short tubular pasta), cooked and drained

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WHAT'S COOKING?

Couple passes along veggie nutrition

By Tonie Miller-Uzzel
Staff Writer

Bob and Sybil Alexander hope to pass the tradition of cooking fresh vegetables on to a new generation through their mom-and-pop produce store.

As owners of Imperial Produce Company, 3206A N. Midkiff Road, since 1971, the Alexanders have worked side by side. They have been married for 47 years.

"We're partners in everything," Alexander said while giving his wife a wink.

The store specializes in fresh fruits and vegetables, but also carries local honey and Mrs. Renfro's fresh packed products. Those who want "fancier dressings, dried fruits from California and fresh nuts" are also in luck.

Alexander said he tries to carry as much "local stuff" as possible.

"We buy everything we can during the summer months," Alexander said.

A lot of his suppliers are retired folk who like to garden and don't want to bother with the farmer's market, he said.

Imperial Produce has an air of nostalgia about it. The produce company employs six people and some of them have been on the payroll for 15 years.

The Alexanders enjoying offering their personal service, even with such special projects as deciding what to serve at a dinner party or helping pick out the ripest and juiciest fruits and vegetables.

"If someone wants to call and have us go through and pick out their requests, we can have it ready when they get here," Alexander said.

EVEN MORE reminiscent of the good ol' days is the fact that some long-time customers even run a tab for their produce.

"We have some folks who have been on credit for years and pay at the end of the month, every month.

"That's the way it was when I was growing up. Folks traded with us and they paid at the end of the month," he recollected.

Midland was a relatively small town when the Alexanders arrived in 1958. Mrs. Alexander said there wasn't much of anything north of Wadley and their store was one of the first in the area.



Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

Sybil and Bob Alexander, owners of Imperial Produce for 24 years, stand next to some of the fresh produce they hope to encourage the younger generation to learn to cook and eat.

"People told us we wouldn't do well because we were too far out in the country," she recalled with a laugh.

Alexander, whose business is across the street from the upcoming HEB grocery store, said he's not sure how its opening will affect his business, but said the opening of new grocery stores around town hasn't changed his business yet.

"We have had the same people trading here for the 24 years we've been here. Only problem is most of them are getting as old as I am," he said with a laugh. "We need some new ideas on how to get younger clientele in here.



Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram

Frances Looper looks over the produce at Imperial Produce.



Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram

Richard Noel, an employee at Imperial Produce, sports through baskets of beans.

"Lots of women today just don't have time to go to the market and cook fresh vegetables," he said.

Alexander acknowledges people in today's busy world don't always have the extra time to cook, but said cooking vegetables is easy and can be done quickly or with little preparation time.

"We're kind of old-fashioned," Mrs. Alexander said. "We'll give a kid a banana or an apple and we'll talk to them and give people recipes on how to cook."

ALEXANDER SAID one of his favorite vegetables is Butternut squash. He enjoys it cooked to taste like pumpkin pie.

He said his recipe calls for taking a squash, cutting it in half and removing the seeds from the center. Then the halves are packed with brown sugar and a little cinnamon and sugar, wrapped in foil, and baked about an hour at 350 degrees.

"You can't beat it," he said licking his lips.

The Alexanders said their specialty dressing recipe is also "really delicious" and they enjoy sharing it with their customers and friends.

YELLOW SQUASH DRESSING

2 pounds yellow squash
¼ cup water
8 ounces cornbread mix
2 cups milk
½ cup chopped celery
½ cup chopped onion
2 tablespoons margarine
1 teaspoon black pepper
1 10-ounce can cream of mushroom soup
2 teaspoons poultry seasoning

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Cook the squash in water in a covered saucepan until tender. Drain and mash. Crumble bread into milk and set aside. Saute celery and onion in margarine until tender. Add pepper, soup, poultry seasoning and squash; stir in cornbread mixture. Pour ingredients into a two-quart casserole pan. Bake for an hour or until set.

For a quick meal, the Alexanders recommend a vegetable dinner which can be cooked two ways.

Whatever quantities of the following desired: squash, cauliflower, broccoli, green onions and jicama. Wash vegetables, chop them up, saute in a pan with a little olive oil and season to taste.

Another method is to put the vegetables in a baggy and put it in the microwave for about five minutes.

"Don't be scared to cook vegetables. It's easy. Just wash and season them," Mrs. Alexander advised.

If you would like to be featured in "What's Cooking?" or know someone you would like to see featured, please send the person's name, address and phone number to Lifestyle editor Elizabeth Edwin, Midland Reporter-Telegram, 210 E. Illinois, Midland, Texas 79701, or call 6878862. The featured person must be willing to be photographed and share recipes for publication.

Macaroons are sweet, easy to make for dessert, even with varied flavors

Associated Press

In the following recipe from Kraft Foods, macaroons are made with three ingredients — coconut, sweetened condensed milk and vanilla. To vary the recipe, add two squares of melted, unsweetened chocolate, to the batter.

QUICK AND EASY MACAROONS

2⅔ cup flaked coconut
⅔ cup sweetened condensed milk
1 teaspoon vanilla

Mix coconut, milk and vanilla in large bowl. Drop by teaspoonfuls, about 1 inch apart, onto well-greased cookie sheets, pressing down ends of coconut with back of spoon. Bake in a preheated 350-degree oven for 10 to 12 minutes or until golden brown. Immediately remove from cookie sheets. Top with almonds or maraschino cherries, if desired. Cool on wire racks. Makes about 4 dozen cookies.

For Chocolate Macaroons: Prepare as above, adding 2 squares unsweetened chocolate, melted, before baking.



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Quick and Easy Macaroons take just three ingredients to make. Top with a maraschino cherry or almond. The macaroons can be flavored with chocolate.



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The 34th annual Student Art Festival will be displayed at Museum of the Southwest and Fredda Turner Durham Children's Museum through May 18.

Artwork in this show is from students in Midland Independent School District, Greenwood Independent School District, Trinity School, St. Ann's School, Hillcrest School and several homeschools. Judging was done at each school, and winning entries in each of the mediums — color drawings, black and white drawings, sculpture, ceramics, fiber and textiles, commercial art, painting, jewelry and collage — were included in the show.

Artwork by elementary school children is on display in the Children's Museum, with artwork from secondary students on display in the Turner Mansion...

...**PERMIAN BASIN** chapter of National Society of Fund Raising Executives will meet 11:30 a.m. today at the Confederate Air Force building. Cheryl Davis, development and marketing director at Midland Community Theatre, will be speaker. Volunteers and staff involved in raising funds for nonprofit organizations are invited to attend. For more information call 685-1569...

...**MIDLAND COMMUNITY** Theatre will present the comedy classic, "Harvey," Friday through May 13. Gala performance will be Thursday at MCT, with proceeds to benefit the endowment fund. Reception will be 7 p.m., with curtain at 8 p.m. Dessert and champagne with cast and crew will be served after the performance. For tickets and more information call 682-2544...

...**CIRCLE OF** Life-Hospice of Odessa will have a volunteer training program for nurses and other interested individuals 7-9:30 p.m. every Tuesday from May 9-June 13. For more information call 1-800-488-9130...

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...**HOSPICE OF** Midland will have a grief recovery program open to anyone who has experienced grief through death, divorce, moving, job loss or any other reason. Sessions will be 7-9 p.m. May 9, 16, 23 and 30 at Hospice House, 911 W. Texas. For more information or to register call 682-2855...

...**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION** of Retired Persons, Midland chapter #256, will meet 6:30 p.m. Monday at Midland Senior Center. Potluck dinner will be served, followed by business meeting, fellowship and table games...

...**AWARD-WINNING** artist Christina Robbins will conduct a two-day workshop 9:30 a.m. May 8 and 9 at Midland Palette Club, 907 W. Wadley. For more information call 694-0516...

...**MIDLAND GEM** and Mineral Society's board will meet 7 p.m. Tuesday at the clubhouse, 801 Fort Worth St. For more information call 686-7442...

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Indian fry bread gets popular vote for state dish

By Judy Walker
N.Y. Times News Service

PHOENIX — The people have spoken. Indian Fry Bread is the State Food of Arizona.

By more than 3 to 1, the thousands of Arizona Republic/Phoenix Gazette readers who called to vote in our State Dish of Arizona contest selected Indian Fry Bread. Runner-up was Tamale Pie. In third place was Cowboy Beans.

The votes came from everywhere in the state. In addition to thousands of voice-mail votes, we received postcards from the Pioneers Home in Prescott, plus correspondence from Sanders, Chino Valley, Sedona, Clarkdale, Prescott Valley, Maricopa, Rimrock, Safford, Florence, Miami, Flagstaff, the Anderson Family of Globe, the inventory department at Discount Tire Company in Scottsdale, and the entire high school of Parker, where the school's closed-circuit television station, KOM6, held a vote.

Of course, we heard from a couple of cranks who complained that seven of the 10 nominees were Mexican food. To them we say, "Hello". Have you noticed that this is not cactus-studded Minnesota? There happens to be a very large country

just three hours south of us called Mexico, and, in fact, a large part of Arizona used to be Mexico. Have you noticed that your neighbors, regardless of their ethnic heritage, feed their kids quesadillas instead of grilled-cheese sandwiches? Mexican food is unquestionably part of our Arizona culture.

Indeed, the delicious ethnic stew that is our local cuisine owes debts that crisscross all cultures. Fry bread (as well as our delicate regional oversize flour tortillas) would not be possible if the Spaniards had not given wheat and livestock to the indigenous peoples of what is now Mexico and Arizona.

Although fry bread is relatively modern, it has become almost ubiquitous. It is an intertribal food, enjoyed at festive events such as powwows and rendezvous. You can find fry bread at the bottom of the Grand Canyon in the cafe at Supai and in reservation casinos. There's a fry-bread stand in the parking lot at one of the Casa Grande outlet malls and on the Story neighborhood home tour in December. It's a festive food and an everyday food, too.

What is the appeal of fry bread? We asked Cecelia Miller, owner of The Fry Bread House on Indian School Road and Eighth Street in Phoenix. Miller, of Tohono O'odham (Papago) heritage, learned to make fry bread and tortillas as a child.

"It's something you just can't go to the store and buy, something kind of homemade," Miller said. "The only way you can have it is to make it right then. It's fresh. It hasn't sat around on a shelf for months or days."

And even though all the tribes make it, there are subtle differences.

"Navajos make it different from the Pimas and Papagos and Apaches," Miller said. "I think if people go to a function where they're having fry bread, they can be really surprised. It can be quite different from what they've eaten before in terms of texture and size."

As for those who decry the calories of deep-frying, we should point out that this was not a diet contest. We asked for the spirit of the state, not the letter of the nutrition law.

Besides, fried dough is widespread worldwide. The Pennsylvania Dutch make funnel cakes; the Chinese fry won tons. And what office in the land doesn't have a pile of fried bread sitting around on occasional mornings? They're sweetened, they have holes in the middle, and we call them doughnuts.

In the excellent "Spirit of the Harvest: North American Indian Cooking " (Stewart, Tabori and Chang, 1991), by Beverly Cox & Martin Jacobs, their Navajo source, Helen Begay, suggested an alternate cooking method for fry bread. Begay said this comes from the Ute tribe, northern neighbors of the Navajos.

Ute Tortillas are formed the same way, using the same dough as fry bread, but cooked over charcoal outdoors on a grill or over an open fire. This tastes very different, but delicious, the authors say. Begay reported this is served with roasted meat, fried potatoes and green chiles.

The fry bread recipe below is from Jane Baker, former food editor of "The Phoenix Gazette," who adapted the recipe of the Tuba City Truck Stop on the edge of the Navajo Reservation. To make an Indian taco from fry bread, layer dinner-plate-size pieces of fry bread with chili and/or beans, onion, fresh tomatoes, lettuce and grated Cheddar cheese. Optional additions are salsa and/or fresh chopped green chiles.

To make the sweet snack version, sprinkle smaller pieces of fry bread with powdered sugar or honey, and perhaps chopped nuts.

The recipes for fry bread we found are all basically flour, baking powder, salt and a little water or milk. But when we started looking for Tamale Pie recipes, they were as varied as the Arizona terrain.

Tamale Pie is, at heart, an Anglicized tamale captured in a casserole dish. Cornmeal is combined with water, chili powder and other ingredients, and then used to line a dish on the bottom and top. A savory filling combines beef, onions, tomatoes, olives, and sometimes other ingredients (corn, more cornmeal, even catsup, all kinds of things).

The Tamale Pie recipe we are running came from a member of First Families of Arizona, who nominated this dish in the first place and lobbied hard for it. Isabel Johns Perry sent us the recipe from her mother, Mabel Launders Johns, who was born at Fort Thomas, Arizona Territory (near Safford) in 1901 and now lives in the Citadel Care Center in Mesa.

Perry said her mother, experimenting one day, decided to change the traditional cornmeal crust to a bed of crushed corn chips, with cheese on the top. The result was a huge hit. Johns had a big deli-size casserole dish in which she doubled this for monthly potlucks of her birding group. It always disappeared first.

The microwave directions were worked out by Perry's daughter, the third Arizona generation to enjoy this family's own Tamale Pie.

The recipes we found for Cowboy Beans made the Tamale Pie recipes look uniform. Although the basic form seems to be pintos, water and whatever form of pork was cheap and plentiful, from there recipes diverged so much that we finally went back to the readers who first nominated beans for the state dish to ask: How did your parents fix Cowboy Beans?

The Wood family of Buckeye, Az., and Phoenix cooked pintos with ham hock and onion, according to Mary Alter, a member of the family's third generation. Sometimes they added vinegar. And her Southern grandmother's secret ingredient was a can of Coca-Cola.

Stanley Grimes of Roosevelt, Az., who said he is "79 and subtracting," said when he was growing up in Camp Verde his mother made Cowboy Beans with either salt pork or bacon rind, chopped onion, a can of whole tomatoes, and salt and pepper.

Of course, the beans were cooked slowly all day till tender "so they didn't rattle in your plate," Grimes added. His grandfather came through Fort Verde on the way to California and got a contract putting up wild hay for the soldiers' horses, so he stayed.

Thanks to everyone who contributed to this fascinating exploration of our state's culinary history.

Remember: "The Arizona Republic" will sponsor a contest Nov. 1 at the Arizona State Fair in the Home Economics Building to find the finest recipe for our state food, Indian Fry Bread. Stay tuned for details in the fall.

INDIAN FRY BREAD
From Tuba City Truck Stop via Jane Baker

4 cups all-purpose flour
1 tablespoon baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons non-fat dry milk powder
1¼ to 1½ cups warm water
1 to 2 cups solid shortening or lard, for frying

Combine flour, baking powder, salt and milk powder in a large mixing bowl. Gradually stir in warm water. Mix until dough forms a ball and comes clean from edge of bowl. A little additional water may need to be added, depending on the weather.

Hand-knead dough until well mixed and dough is elastic. To make fry bread for Indian tacos, divide dough into 6 large pieces and roll into balls. If you want to make sweet snacks drizzled with confectioners' sugar or drizzled with honey, divide dough into small portions to make 2-inch balls.

Using palms of your hands, pat out dough into circles that are about ½ inch thick.

Melt shortening in a large skillet. You will need about ¾ inch of melted fat. Heat to 500 degrees. Slip a rounded, flat piece of dough into the hot fat — it will start to rise to the top. When the underside is brown, turn over and brown the other side. Drain on paper towels. Repeat with remaining dough.

To make Indian tacos, layer larger size with beans and/or chili, chopped tomatoes and onion, shredded lettuce and cheese.

Makes 6 large or 8 to 10 small portions.

Approximate values per large serving: 314 calories, 2 g fat, 0 mg cholesterol, 65 g carbohydrates, 582 mg sodium, 5 percent calories from fat.

JOHNS FAMILY TAMALE PIE
By Mabel Launders Johns

2 pounds ground beef (coarsely ground)
½ cup chopped onion
2 tablespoons flour
2 tablespoons chili powder
1 can (16 ounces) stewed tomatoes
At least ½ teaspoon garlic powder, or more to taste
2 cups grated cheese, longhorn or Cheddar
1 can (15 ounces) chili beans
1 can (28 ounces) enchilada sauce
1 large package (1 pound, 8 ounces) corn chips, such as Fritos, partly crushed
Salt and pepper to taste
Garlic powder to taste

In a large skillet, brown meat and onion, just until the meat is no longer pink. Drain off fat. Return to skillet, add flour and chili powder, mix well. Add can of stewed tomatoes, and break into small pieces, and stir together. Let mixture simmer until it thickens, stirring often to prevent sticking. Add garlic powder, to taste. Add 1 cup grated cheese, stir until cheese melts. Add 1 can chili beans, stir and mix well. Pour ½ can enchilada sauce into mix, and stir well. Let simmer. Lightly oil a 13x9-inch pan and place crushed corn chips in bottom. Add meat mixture over top of crushed corn chips. Top with whole corn chips, pressing down into sides of pan and around edges to form crust on both sides and over top of mixture. Sprinkle grated cheese over top, then pour remaining half can of enchilada sauce evenly dispersed over top to cover.

Bake at 300 degrees for 30 minutes, or until bubbly. Or use a microwave-safe dish and microwave on medium power for 14 to 17 minutes, turning dish at least twice.

Makes 10 to 12 servings.

Approximate values per serving: 645 calories, 34 g fat, 100 mg cholesterol, 47 g carbohydrates, 1,186 mg sodium, 47 percent calories from fat.

GRITS: Cook shows there is more than one way to cook grits for breakfast or for any meal

(From 1E)

GRIT-TLE CAKES
1 egg, well beaten
¼ cup milk
2 teaspoons grated onion
2 cups cooked grits
½ teaspoon garlic powder
2 cups water
¼ cup all-purpose flour
1½ teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon sugar or honey
Salt and pepper to taste
Sour cream or plain yogurt

Combine egg with milk and onion. Stir in grits. Combine remaining ingredients. Add to grits mixture. Mix slightly. Drop by tablespoons onto hot griddle. Cook until golden brown on each side. Serve with applesauce and-or sour cream or plain yogurt. Serves 6.

BASIC FRIED GRITS
1 cup grits
4 cups water
½ teaspoon salt
Butter or margarine

Bring salted water to boil in medium saucepan. Slowly stir in grits. Cover, reduce heat and cook, stirring occasionally until liquid is absorbed, according to grits package directions.

Pour into 9x5-inch or 8x4-inch loaf pan. Cover and refrigerate several hours. Unmold and cut into ½-inch slices. Fry on both sides in small amount of butter over medium heat until golden brown. Serves 6.

SPICY BLACK BEAN GRITS CHILI
¼ cup olive oil
1 large onion, chopped
5 medium garlic cloves, pressed
2 tablespoons cumin
½ cup grits
1 cup bulghur (cracked) wheat
1 (28 ounce) can tomatoes, coarsely chopped, juice reserved
3 to 4 cups water
1 medium red bell pepper
2 to 3 jalapeno peppers, seeded and minced
1 medium zucchini, diced
4 cups canned black beans, drained and rinsed
1 bunch cilantro leaves, chopped
3 tablespoons fresh lime or lemon juice
Salt and black pepper to taste

In large skillet, saute onion, garlic and cumin in oil over low heat until onion is translucent. Add dry grits and bulghur. Saute briefly, stirring to coat grains well.

Place tomato juice in measuring cup and add water to make 4 cups liquid. Pour over grains and stir to mix. Add tomatoes, bell pepper, jalapenos, zucchini, beans and cilantro. Cover and let simmer for 40-50 minutes, stirring occasionally. If necessary, add small amounts of water to fully cook grains.

GOOEY BUTTER CHESS CAKE
1 box yellow cake mix
2 eggs
½ cup butter or margarine, melted
1 cup cooked grits
1 (8 ounce) package cream cheese
1 (16 ounce) package confectioners' sugar
2 eggs
1 teaspoon vanilla

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Combine first four ingredients in a large mixing bowl. Beat thoroughly.

Spread mixture in well-greased 9x13-inch baking pan. Beat next four ingredients until smooth and creamy. Pour over cake batter.

Bake for 35 to 45 minutes. Cool and cut into bars. Topping will be "gooey." Makes 24 servings.

PASTA: Fresh tomato sauces top pasta

(From 1E)

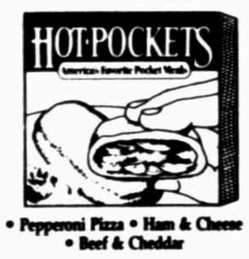
Use tomatoes held at room temperature until fully ripe. Core tomatoes; chop (makes about 6 cups); set aside.

In a large skillet fry bacon until crisp, about 5 minutes; drain on paper towels. Break into small pieces; set aside. Remove all but 2 tablespoons bacon drippings from skillet; add yellow peppers and onions; cook and stir until crisp-tender, about 5 minutes. Add reserved tomatoes, salt and black pepper; cook, uncovered, until a thick sauce forms, 8 to 10 minutes. Stir in chicory, vinegar and reserved bacon. Cook until chickory is wilted, about 1 minute. Place hot penne in a serving bowl; add tomato sauce; toss gently. Serve hot or at room temperature. Garnish with tomato wedges, if desired. Makes 4 servings.

Nutrition facts per serving: 415 cal., 15 g pro., 65 g carbo., 12 g fat, 13 mg iron, 820 mg sodium.

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Southwestern salas spice up meats, game

By Barbara Albright

SCOTTSDALE, Ariz. (AP) — When it comes to creating sensational sauces to go with game and other meats, it's hard to beat the condiments of the Southwest.

Southwest 2000, an event held at The Phoenician, showcased the talents of several culinary stars including their own chefs, executive chef Alessandro Stratta and Robert McGrath, chef de cuisine of Windows on the Green, as well guest chef Robert Del Grande of Houston's Cafe Annie, Cafe Express and Rio Ranch in Houston.

During his cooking demonstration, Del Grande skillfully tasted and adjusted the ingredients in a recipe for green sauce, which can be served with grilled quail or chicken. Depending on the ingredients, Del Grande's recipe can turn out slightly differently, but he suggests "the chef should drive the bus" to get the best results.

GRILLED QUAIL
With Chef Robert Del Grande's Green Sauce

FOR THE GREEN SAUCE:
2 poblano chilies
1 tablespoon olive oil
½ medium white onion, coarsely chopped
2 garlic cloves, coarsely chopped
1 corn tortilla, cut into pieces
1½ cups chicken broth
¼ cup plus ¼ cup toasted, shelled pumpkin seeds
1 small bunch cilantro, thick stems removed
1 teaspoon salt, or to taste
2 teaspoons pure maple syrup
¼ cup cream (optional)

FOR THE QUAIL:
8 boneless quail
1 to 2 tablespoons olive oil
Pinch of dried oregano leaves
Pinch of chili powder
Salt and pepper to taste
4 roasted sweet potatoes, sliced thickly (optional)

Preheat broiler. Position broiler pan so tops of chilies are about 2 inches from heat source. Roast chilies for about 15 minutes, turning about every 5 minutes, until skins are blistered and charred. Transfer chilies to bowl, cover, and let steam until cooled.

TO MAKE THE SAUCE: In 10-inch skillet over medium-high heat, heat oil. Add onion and garlic; saute until transluscent. Do not allow to brown. Add chilies and tortilla pieces; saute for about 1 minute. Transfer ingredients toblender. Add the chicken broth, ¼ cup of pumpkin seeds, cilantro, salt and maple syrup; puree for about 30 seconds. Transfer puree to saucepan or deep skillet. If puree is too thick, add a little water to thin to appropriate consistency.

When ready to serve, heat sauce to a simmer. Do not allow to boil. If desired, add cream; stir to blend well. If sauce breaks, return sauce to the blender; puree briefly until sauce is smooth.

TO BROIL THE QUAIL: Rub the quail with the olive oil. Season with oregano, chili powder, salt and papper. Arrange the quail on a broiler pan, skin side up; broil until the skin is nicely browned and crisp. Turn the quail over. Broil the meat side briefly until done. The meat should retain some pinkness. Do not overcook. Alternately, the quail may be cooked on a grill.

Serve the quail on thick round slices of roasted sweet potatoes, if desired. Spoon some of the sauce over the quail. Garnish with the remaining ¼ cup pumpkin seeds. Makes 4 servings.

TOMATILLA SAUCE
Chef Alessandro Stratta

1 tablespoon extra-virgin olive oil
8 garlic cloves, coarsely chopped
¼ cup diced red onion
12 medium tomatillas, husks removed and cut into quarters
1 to 2 cups chicken stock or broth
2 tablespoons freshly squeezed lime juice
¼ cup chopped fresh basil
¼ cup chopped fresh cilantro
Salt and pepper to taste

In a large heavy saucepan over medium-high heat, heat one-half of the olive oil. Add the garlic, lower the temperature, and cook the garlic until golden brown. Add the onion to the garlic; cook on low until the onions are lightly browned.

Add the tomatillas; cook until a pulp is created.

Add 1 cup of the chicken stock; bring to a boil over medium-high heat. Lower the heat; simmer, covered, for 20 minutes. Gradually add enough of the remaining stock to achieve the desired thickness. Process the mixture in the container of a food processor until smooth. Stir in the lime juice and the remaining olive oil.

Right before serving, stir in the basil and cilantro. Season with salt and pepper. Serve with grilled meats, poultry or seafood. Makes about two cups.

BARBECUED ROASTED CORN-ROSEMARY SAUCE
Chef Robert McGrath

1 teaspoon corn oil
¼ cup chopped onion
1 tablespoon chopped poblano chili
1 teaspoon chopped garlic
½ cup barbecue sauce
¼ cup roasted corn kernels or frozen corn kernels, thawed
1 tablespoon chopped fresh rosemary
Salt and ground pepper to taste

In a medium saucepan, heat the oil over medium-high heat. Saute the onion, chili and garlic until softened. Stir in the barbecue sauce, corn and rosemary. Season with salt and pepper. Serve with game or other meats. Makes about 1 cup.

PAPAYA AND CHILI CHUTNEY
The Phoenician

½ cup diced green papaya
½ cup diced ripe papaya
¼ cup chopped scallions
¼ cup diced pasilla or poblano chilies
¼ cup diced serrano chilies
¼ cup pureed rehydrated cascabel chilies
¼ cup diced red bell pepper
¼ cup chopped mango chutney, such as Major Grey's
2 tablespoons honey
1 tablespoon rice-wine vinegar
1½ teaspoons freshly squeezed lime juice
Salt and ground white pepper to taste
2 tablespoons chopped cilantro
1 tablespoon chopped parsley

In a large bowl, stir together all ingredients. Cover and refrigerate until ready to use. Serve with roasted lamb and other meats. Makes about 2½ cups.

NOTE: To rehydrate chilies, cover with boiling water and let stand for 1 hour.

CONSUMING INTERESTS

'Teeny-tiny' ice cream desserts are perfect fit

By Linda Anderson

We all know that "you scream and I scream," but when you get a roomful of journalists all "screaming for ice cream," you can bet you'll barely be able stir them with a stick.



Anderson

That's what happened here in the office last week when Blue Bell, the pride of Texas, sent an ice chest full of samples of the creamery's newest products to the newsroom.

Of course we know that journalists are always interested in searching out the truth and just love to research a good story, and when that story involves food — well, let's just say there was no shortage of volunteers willing to lend their taste buds in the interest of good investigative journalism.

Sure. The ice cream was fr it was from Blue Bell, and that was all they needed to know.

The products we were all intent on sampling were Blue Bell's new mini-ice cream-on-a-stick treats, including Mini Mooos (yes, it really is spelled with three Os), Mini Rainbows and Mini Country Cones.

In its accompanying press release, the company defines each product like this:

■ Mini Mooos: "Each 1.4 ounce bar consists of vanilla ice cream coated with rich chocolate. A perfect and refreshing snack for any time of day."

■ Mini Rainbows: "These 1.25 ounce bars contain tasty cherry, orange, lemon, lime and grape flavors to form a frosty rainbow-on-a-stick. Each bar is made with real fruit juice, and is high in vitamin C."

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In other words, the mini-products are smaller versions of ice cream classics we all know and love, but with a few new concepts: For instance, the Mini Country Cones, which look like itty-bitty versions those chocolate-and-peanut-coated-vanilla-ice cream-in-a-sugar-cone we all grew up with, has a chocolate coating that goes all the way down inside the sugar cone, ice cream that completely fills the cone (not just sits on top), and peanuts that are blended in the chocolate so they don't fall off.

The Mini Rainbows not only have all the flavors children (and adults) love, but also have vitamin C and are fat-free.

See? That kind of customer-friendly thinking means a lot to those of us who want to have our ice cream and eat it too.

The company's information puts it like this: "Blue Bell Mini Frozen Snacks are not just being purchased by moms with children to appease. They are also popular with senior citizens and anyone interested in portion control. It's a great way to enjoy just a little dessert. And, if there is a yen for a little bit more, you can simply have another one!"

Since Blue Bell so graciously sent us these free samples, I really don't know how much they cost in local supermarkets (but I'm sure I will, once my kids start whining at me to bring some home. I don't think my co-workers will let me get out of the building with these.), but suggested retail prices, according to company information, are $2.95 for a 10-pack of Mini Country Cones, $3.25 for a 24-pack of Mini Mooos and $2.35 for a 24-pack of Mini Rainbows. (Blue Bell products are wonderful, but they can be a little expensive.)

Needless to say, the taste-test was a complete success. The office was full of co-workers, wandering in and out, tasting one (or two) of the new Blue Bell products.

The most negative comment I heard was "This is pretty good."

The most positive was something I'm not sure how to spell, but it went something like "Mmmmmmmm...." It's very difficult to hear exactly what other people are saying if their mouths are full of ice cream.

I know I'm going to have to buy some of these mini-snacks for my kids. And I'll probably have to have some just for me too. Company representatives said that, so far, the mini frozen snacks are available locally at Fiesta Foods and Lowe's Market.

See you there!

Linda Anderson is a Reporter-Telegram *staff writer.*

DEAR ABBY

Husband's cheating heart puts marriage at breaking point

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I have been married 12 years and we have three beautiful children. I have never cheated on my husband, and he is the only man I have ever been with.



Van Buren

"Ben" treats me well and is a good father, but he has always had other women. I knew his reputation before we got married. I fell madly in love with him anyway.

When we moved here two years ago, Ben became very friendly with our neighbor, a divorced mother of three. I thought "Dolly" was my friend, too. Then about three months ago, she told me that she and Ben had been having an affair for a year and a half. I was devastated.

When I confronted Ben, he denied it. Right after that, Ben lost his job. Because of the financial strain and the other problems, we separated and Ben moved out of state.

Abby, I thought the separation would be good for me, but I love Ben and our kids miss their father. He says he wants to reconcile and be a good husband — and that as long as I'm married to him, the other women don't count.

What should I do? I am considering transferring my job and moving to be with Ben. Should I try to go on without him? I know he loves me. Do other women let their husbands have affairs and accept it? Could I be missing out on true love? — CONFUSED IN TEXAS

DEAR CONFUSED: The issue is not whether other wives "let" their husbands have affairs; it's that some husbands choose to have affairs. Ben may be selfish and immature, or he may be sexually compulsive, but he can change his behavior if he wants to.

Obviously you still love your husband. But before you drop everything to rejoin him, I urge you to seek counseling until you can make a rational (rather than an emotional) decision. Then, if you decide to go through with the move, do it on the condition that Ben join you in marriage and family counseling. Good luck.

DEAR ABBY: After all these years of women's lib, I have come to realize that they have a pretty good deal. Women can now go to war and die along with men.

I no longer open doors for women, pay for their meals or offer my seat if they're standing.

Recently, two women had the nerve to ask me to help jump-start their car. They had the cables to do it, but for some unknown reason, they wanted a man to do it for them.

I said, "Do it yourself. You want equality? Well, you got it!"

It's about time we men stopped coddling women. When we do, maybe men will live as long as they do! - D.W. HYATT IN HOUSTON

DEAR D.W.: Don't count on it — not for a long time, anyway. The life expectancy of women continues to be seven years longer than for men, and we show no signs of weakening.

DEAR ABBY: Regarding the letter in which a reader is constantly quizzed about an unmarried son ("How come 'John' isn't married?"):

My stock response works very well. I reply, "Why should he marry and make one woman miserable, when he can remain single and make 10 women happy?" — FLORIDA MOM

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Talk to local wedding consultants about everything from invitations to catering and flowers. We have one of the area's largest selections of gifts for our bridal registry service, with free gift wrap and delivery to your bridal showers.
KODM Live Remote
Hourly Door Prizes
The Ivy Cottage
3101 W. Big Spring Midland 687-6010 Mon-Sat 10-6

MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
2200 West Illinois Midland, Texas 79701

Guide to Personal Concerns

For information on any of the personal health concerns below, call Cityline at 560-2400 and enter the corresponding category number:

Topic	Category No.	Topic	Category No.
Natural Family Planning	8351	Gonorrhea	8388
Intra-Uterine Devices	8352	Treating Osteoporosis	8389
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GET RESULTS BY:

Using unique selling points • Using complete words • Creating mind images with words • Always include a price • Use brand names when appropriate • Always include your phone number • Always include best times to call you • Give your ad a chance to work by advertising for a reasonable amount of time.

When Your Ad Is Due

Edition	Word Ad Deadlines Deadline		Display Ad Deadlines Deadline	
Monday	Friday	6:00 p.m.	Thursday	4:00 p.m.
Tuesday	Monday	6:00 p.m.	Friday	4:00 p.m.
Wednesday	Tuesday	6:00 p.m.	Monday	4:00 p.m.
Thursday	Wednesday	6:00 p.m.	Tuesday	4:00 p.m.
Friday	Thursday	6:00 p.m.	Wednesday	4:00 p.m.
Saturday	Friday	NOON	Thursday	1:00 p.m.
Sunday	Friday	6:00 p.m.	Thursday	4:00 p.m.

When To Call

Monday thru Friday 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Saturday 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. for corrections and cancellations only

Our Phone numbers are:

Classified	682-6222
Fax	682-3793
Toll Free	1-800-881-8164

Mailing Address Midland Reporter-Telegram, 201 E. Illinois Ave., Midland Tx 79701, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Tx. 79702

NEW! *Starting April 10th*
Curiosity Corner
3 Lines 4 Days $6
Items must be of a general household nature. Ads will publish on Mon. through Thur. and price must not exceed $150. One ad per family per week. Private individuals only.

Super Seller
3 lines 7 days $10
Items must be of a general household nature. Only one item per ad and price must not exceed $350.

"HAPPY ADS" for any occasion Only $36
(without picture, $42 with picture)
Anniversaries • Welcome Home
Remember When • Congratulations
Just Because • Birthdays

We Welcome Your Suggestions or Comments. Please Call:

Dick Hardin, Classified Adv. Manager	682-5311
Paige Moon, Asst. Classified Manager	687-8820
Ember Hasenkamp, Class. Telephone Supervisor	687-8813

Rate & Credit Policies
Rate charges are determined at the time of placement. All ads accepted are subject to credit approval. Some classified categories require payment in advance. Credit applications are also required for business accounts. Yearly contract agreements are available. The Midland Reporter-Telegram reserves the right to correctly classify and edit all copy or to reject or cancel any advertisement at any time.

Cancellations
The price of your ad will be based on the number of days published according to our rate structure. Call (915) 682-6222 - ask for your cancellation number. This is your record of cancellation and it is important that you have it in the event of any misunderstanding or adjustment. "Super Seller" and "Real Wheel Deal" ads may be cancelled, but are non-adjustable and non-refundable.

Errors and Adjustments
Please check your ad the first day that it appears to be sure that all of the information is correct. This will ensure that your ad is exactly what you want readers to see. Call us the first day if you find an error at 915-682-6222. To report an error in Saturday's edition call Saturday morning between 8a.m. and 10a.m. Errors in Sunday's edition should be reported on Monday morning after 8:00 a.m. We must limit our financial responsiblity, if any, to the charge for the word or space, and cannot be held responsible for incorrect ads after the first day of publication.

Omissions of Ads
The Midland Reporter-Telegram assumes no financial responsiblity in an ad beyond the cost of the ad itself, and no responsiblity for the omission of an ad.

FREE BEE
FREE CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING
If your are a private individual selling one item for $50 or less you can place a 3 line classified advertisement for 4 days absolutely FREE in the Midland Reporter-Telegram.
Other restrictions apply.

"Sell It In 10" or We'll Run It Again"
3 LINES 10 DAYS $15
EACH ADDITIONAL LINE $5.00
If you have a car, truck, van, RV, motorcycle, boat or airplane we'll advertise it for 10 consecutive days. In the unlikely event you don't sell it we'll run it another 10 days at no charge. At the end of 20 days if it still hasn't sold we'll run it another 10 days at no charge, if you'll reduce the price by 10%. Price must be in ad. Only one vehicle per ad. For private individuals only (non-commercial).

Real Wheel Deals
ONLY $25
(Includes Picture)
If you have a car, truck, van, motor-home, motorcycle, airplane, bicycle or anything with wheels, your ad will be scheduled for 14 DAYS. When you get the desired results simply call us and we will cancel it immediately for only $25. For private individuals only.
Photos Taken Each Tuesday From 2-3 p.m. At The Midland Reporter-Telegram

Midland Reporter-Telegram • To Place An Ad Call 682-6222 or 1-800-881-8164

75 Legal Notices

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF LILLIE MAE GEORGE, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that the original letters testamentary for the estate of Lillie Mae George, deceased, were issued on February 23, 1995 in Cause No. 11,020, pending in the County Court of Midland County, Texas to Patricia Bell Hunter as independent executor.

The residence of the independent executor is Travis County, Texas. The attorney for the independent executor is C. Morris Davis, on behalf of McGinnis, Lochridge & Kilgore, L.L.P., 1300 Capitol Center, 919 Congress Avenue, Austin, TX, 78701.

All persons having claims against this estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time a and in the manner prescribed by law. All claims are to be presented to the independent executor at the following address:

Estate of Lillie Mae George, Deceased
c/o Patricia Bell Hunter,
Independent Executor
c/o C. Morris Davis
McGinnis, Lochridge & Kilgore, L.L.P.
1300 Capitol Center
919 Congress Avenue
Austin, TX 78701

Dated the 12th day of April, 1995.

Patricia Bell Hunter,
Independent Executor

REQUEST FOR BIDS ON TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for **1.000** miles of **landscape development on IH 20 from 1.0 Mi West of FM 1882 to FM 1882 covered by CL 4-7-98** in **Ector** County, will be received at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, until 1:00 P.M., **May 9, 1995**, and then publicly opened and read.

Plans and specifications, including minimum wage rates as provided by Law, are available for inspection at the office of **Daniel L. Dalger** Area Engineer, **Odessa**, Texas, and at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction and Maintenance Division, 125 E. 11th St., Austin, Texas 78701. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder.

The Texas Department of Transportation hereby notifies all bidders that it will insure that bidders will not be discriminated against on the ground of race, color, sex or national origin, in having full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation, and in consideration for an award.

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REQUEST FOR BIDS ON TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for **0.00** miles of **remove and replace raised pavement markings on various roadways districtwide covered by MC 906-00-3**in **Ector** County, will be received at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, until 1:00 P.M., **May 10, 1995**, and then publicly opened and read.

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NOTICE BY PUBLICATION STATE OF TEXAS

TO AMBROSIO HERNANDEZ AGULIAR and to all whom it may concern, Respondent:

You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 a.m. on the Monday next following the expiration of 20 days after you were served this citation and petition, a default judgment may be taken against you. The petition of RUTH MAGALY CHAVEZ AGUILAR, Petitioner, was filed in the Court of Midland County, Texas, on April 12, 1995, against AMBROSIO HERNANDEZ AGUILAR, Respondent, numbered 29,575 and entitled "In the Matter of the Marriage of Ruth Magaly Chavez Aguilar and Ambrosio Hernandez Aguilar, and in the Interest of Arvin Chavez Aguilar, a child." The suit is requests divorce. The date and place of birth of the child who is the subject of the suit:

BIRTHPLACE: AMARILLO, TEXAS
BIRTH DATE: MARCH 18, 1987

The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judgment or decree in the child's interest which ill be binding upon you.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at Midland, Texas, this the 20th day of April, 1995.

Vivian Wood
Clerk of the District Court of Midland County, Texas
By Mary Smelser, Deputy

FIND WHATEVER YOU NEED IN THE CLASSIFIEDS

100 Midland's New Arrivals

★ 1995 ★
NEW ARRIVAL
Announce the arrival of your precious newborn with an ad in The Midland Reporter-Telegram. Grandparents & friends will be delighted with this keepsake announcement. Come by 201 E. Illinois and a friendly Classified Consultant will help you prepare your special ad. Cost is $6 per inch, 5 inch minimum. Photo $6 additional. Questions? Call 682-6222.

110 Lodge Notices

Acacia Masonic Lodge 1414
1000 Upland
Stated Meeting
2nd & 4th Tuesday
7:30 PM.
Leonard Wood, W.M.
Al Talbot, Sec.

CENTENNIAL LODGE #1448
1000 Upland
Reg.stated meeting,
1st & 3rd Sat.
mornings 8:30 am.
Breakfast 7:30 am.
James Hammit, W.M.
Bob Ellwood, Secty.

Midland Shrine Club, 2019 Trade Dr. 682-5509.
Reg. mtng. 3rd Thurs. each mo.
Hosp. 6:30 pm,
dine 7 pm. Bus. mtng. 8 pm.
Larry Ross, Pres.
Bob Ellwood, Secy.

Midland Masonic Lodge #623
1600 W. Wall
MM Degree
Thurs. April 27, 7:30 pm.
Dinner at 6 PM.
682-3292
H.B.Walker, Jr., W.M.
Robert G. Kiker, Sec.

130 Personals

1-800-442-7080, Ext. 220. toll Free. Midland Singles.

HERBALIFE- the easy weigh. For products and opportunity call 687-5061 or 697-1610.

MARY KAY COSMETICS
Sybil Wallace 684-5464
Debbie Maxson Lawrence 683-0040

LOOK better. Feel better. Have more energy with Formula One, Natures Nutrition. $32 plus tax, free trail pack. Call Pat 683-1742, 682-0895 or 1-800-861-1742.

NOTICE

I would sincerely appreciate your calling me if you or anyone you know might have witnessed an altercation between an adult male and a male student that occurred April 6, 1995 at the Abell School campus, at approximately 4pm. Please call 520-8658.

TRICIA
Please forgive me! I love you. BG

150 Lost & Found

REWARD! No questions asked! Lost chocolate brown male Labrador, 2 years old, no questions asked. 687-1097 or 570-9623.

LOST: Ricoh 35mm camera. Left at Butler Park April 13th. Reward. 520-4044.

LOST: white rabbit in the vicinity north of Emerson School. 699-0665.

★ LOST: black male 3 year old neutered cat. Medium size, short hair. Blue collar with bell and Midland tags. Vicinity of Midland College. Reward. 687-3829.

FOUND large, black, long-haired cat with collar & tags. Identify. 684-8818.

REWARD! Lost black and white pit bull puppy. 9 Weeks old female. Very loved. Please call Anita before 4 686-9207, after 4 570-5122.

FOUND gray and white long haired cat. Please idenitfy. 697-3516.

LOST Shaggy, dirty male poodle lost in Lee high area. He is very friendly and answers to the name of Rebel. If found please call 689-1607 am or 699-5836 pm.

FOUND black female puppy. 2-3 months old. 683-5574.

LOST: small female black and white Boston Terrier. Has red collar. Vicinity of Versailles and Midland Drive. 520-6833.

FOUND Rottweiler. Call ar. identify 687-4554 ask for Tina.

LOST female German Shepherd wearing red collar. Lost on 3-23. Reward. 686-7939 or 683-4303.

115 Announcements

Mom,
I never thanked you for all the years of support, patience, and understanding you gave me. Thank You,
Love Susan

Grandma,
Roses are Red,
Violets are Blue.
Candy is Sweet,
And So Are YOU!
Love You,
Minnie Mouse

Mom,
You're the best! You're so nice & sweet! I love you very much. Love, Jason
(P.S. Am I un-grounded now?)

Love is Kind,
Love is Sweet,
Love is Patient,
Love is Mom.
I Love You, Timmy

Mom,
I know we don't see eye to eye on everything, and I still love you, but could you stop picking out my clothes for me?
Love, Mitzi

MOTHER'S DAY MESSAGES

Surprise your Mom, Wife, Grandma, Sister, and Friends with a Mother's Day Greeting in The Midland Reporter-Telegram.

This special section will publish on May 14, 1995. You can send us your Special Message or come by 201 E. Illinois. (Before May 9th, please.)

Simply mail this form and $15 to:

The Midland Reporter-Telegram
Attn: Lori
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, TX. 79702

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DOES YOUR TEACHER DESERVE AN "A"?

Does your teacher deserve an "A"? Does she make learning fun? Does he go that extra mile to help with your homework when you need it? Then have your teachers "A" printed in the Midland Reporter-Telegram. **The teacher receiving the most "A's" will be honored with a dozen red roses & dinner for two!** (In case of a tie, we will conduct a drawing.)

GIVE MY TEACHER AN "A"!

ALL ENTRIES will be published on a special page honoring Permian Basin Teachers on Sunday, May 21st.

1 Dozen Red Roses from Mildred's Flowers

The cost is only $3 per entry

To give your "A" grade, simply fill out the form below and tell us why your teacher is special (in 15 words or less). Mail or bring your entry to The Midland Reporter-Telegram Classified Department by 4 p.m. on Monday, May 15th. If you would like to mail your entry, please include your $3 entry fee.

Dinner for 2 from Luigi's

Give My Teacher An "A"!

Your Name _____

Phone #_____ Grade_____

School_____

Teacher's Name_____ _____
First Last

My Teacher Deserves An "A" Because....
(in 15 words or less please)

_____

Bring To:
The Midland Reporter-Telegram
Classified Department
201 E. Illinois (corner of Illinois & Baird)
(before 4 pm on Monday, May 15

Mail To:
The Midland Reporter-Telegram
Give My Teacher An "A"
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, TX 79702

TexSCAN

Statewide Classified Ad Network. Advertise in 315 Texas newspapers for $250. Reach more than 3 MILLION Texans. Call this newspaper for details.

TEACHING & ADMINISTRATIVE jobs - 5th Annual National Minority/Bilingual Education Job Fair: Saturday, 4/29 Madison Square Garden, NYC. 120 public schools/21+states. 516-541-0098.

BUCHANAN'S ANTIQUE FLEA Market Sat-Sun, April 22-23, 9am-5pm. Dallas Fair Park Tower Building. *Buy *Sell *Show *Trade. Antiques, collectibles, jewelry, furniture, glassware, toys, advertising. 405-330-1330.

DRIVERS-COMPANY-OTR, you can have it all! *top mileage pay *company matched 401K *paid health/dental insurance *profit sharing *2 week paid vacation *much more! 1-800-695-9643 Land Span.

PROFESSIONAL DRIVERS - $48,000+ 1st yr. Best benefits in trucking industry. Must have 2 yrs. OTR experience & good driving record. For more info & application call Art Gower, 1-800-545-5684. Ryder Dedicated Logistics, Spring Hill, TN.

DRIVER-DRIVE HOME with $600+ a week! OTR/reefer, starting pay up to 32¢/mile, 2,500 mi/wk, regular home time & great benefits. Call anytime - Burlington Motor Carriers: 1-800-JOIN-BMC. EOE.

MAKE MORE! QUALIFIED drivers, lateral entry to 3 years. Teams to 32¢. Singles to 27¢. Recent driver school graduates to 24¢. Students start 21¢. Average haul 1,500 miles. Longevity bonus. Unique lease/purchase plan for company drivers. Much more, call today! Freymiller Trucking 1-800-745-4155.

HAROLD IVES TRUCKING hiring drivers. Free driver training ... if you qualify. Students welcome. Experience pay up to 28¢ per mile. Excellent benefits: 1-800-842-0853.

MELTON TRUCK LINES, all conventional, 100% air-ride flatbed fleet. Good pay and benefits. Hiring experienced drivers immediately. New Kenworths arriving weekly. 1-800-599-9913 or 1-800-635-8669.

ATTENTION DRIVER TEAMS, $15,000 in bonus, paid monthly, quarterly & yearly, plus top mileage pay, 401(K) plan, $500 sign-on bonus. Other paid benefits: *vacation *health & life *dead head *motel/layover *loading & unloading. Covenant Transport, solos and teams call 1-800-441-4394/915-852-3357, students and driving school grads., call 1-800-338-6428.

DRIVERS: FLATBED 48 state OTR. Assigned new conventionals, competitive pay, benefits. $1,000 sign on bonus, rider program, flexible time off. Call Roadrunner Trucking 1-800-876-7784.

GARDEN TILLERS, REAR-Tine TROY-BILT Tillers, at low, direct from the factory prices. For free catalog with prices, special saving now in effect, and model guide, call toll free 1-800-922-4600, Dept. 29.

PRESSURE CLEANERS NEW PSI 1300 $249, 2500 $599, 3500 $899 - Honda 3500 $1,099. Factory direct tax-free, prompt delivery. Call 24-hrs free catalog 1-800-333-WASH (9274).

TANNING BED, SUNTANA Passport, the ultimate luxury home tanning system. Solid steel mainframe, super structure, no plastic components. From $1,595. Commercial units also available. 1-800-365-2826.

SUNQUEST WOLFF TANNING beds. New commercial-home tanning units from $199.00. Lamps-Lotions-Accessories. Payments low as $20.00. Call today. Free new color catalog, 1-800-462-9197.

WATERBED PRODUCTS DISCOUNTED! Heaters $19.99, waveless mattresses $44.95, queen softsided beds from $299. UPS/FEDEX delivery. Enormous selection at wholesale prices. Free color catalogue, 1-800-992-0873.

3-STEEL BUILDINGS - 40' x 38' x16' was $7,724 now $4,724. 50' x 78' x16' one open end, was $14,860 now $9,606. 100' x120' x14' was $56,942 now $37,760. Stored inside, original crates, complete with blueprints. 1-800-292-0111.

FAT FREE RECIPES. Want a thinner sexier figure? Here are dozens of low fat and fat free recipes. Call N*FO*CO Research and Publishing at 214-522-2389.

20/20 WITHOUT GLASSES! Safe, rapid, non-surgical, permanent restoration in 6-8 weeks. Airline pilot developed, doctor approved. Free information by mail: 1-800-422-7320, 406-961-5570, FAX 406-961-5577. Satisfaction guaranteed.

DIABETICS! MEDICARE/INSURANCE billed direct for test strips, insulin, glucometers & more. Little or no out-of-pocket $$. Satisfaction guaranteed! Liberty Medical Supply. 1-800-762-8026.

RAPID WEIGHT LOSS, "only $17.95". Burns fat • calories • stops hunger. Lose 3-5 pounds/week. Money back guarantee. Call for information: United Pharmaceutical 1-800-733-3288, (C.O.D.'s accepted).

COMPLICATIONS NORPLANT IMPLANTS or breast lactation drug Parlodel, call 1-800-833-9121. Free legal consultation. Carl Waldman, board certified Personal Injury Trial Law Texas, Beaumont, Houston.

CLEANING FRANCHISE, BUILD a family business. Let the ServiceMaster family help your family start your own residential or commercial cleaning franchise for as little as $5,955 down. Fortune service 500 company offering unique training and marketing support. Financing available. Call for free brochure: 1-800-230-2360.

FRIENDLY TOYS AND gifts has openings for demonstrators in your area. Part-time hrs., full-time pay, over 800 items. Celebrating our 40th anniversary. Call 1-800-488-4875.

$WORLD'S GREATEST MONEYMAKER$ All cash business with video amusement game machines. Potential earnings $50K-$100K/year with secured $15K investment. 1-800-889-1848 24hrs.

RIVER FRONTAGE, 148 acres on Rio Grande, west of Del Rio. Rugged and majestic, good deer hunting. $195/acre, $1,443 down payment - $311/month (11%/15 years). 210-257-5572.

GOT A CAMPGROUND membership or timeshare? We'll take it. America's most successful resort resale clearinghouse. Call Resort Sale information toll free hotline 1-800-423-5967.

COLORADO LAND BARGAIN. 120AC - $34,900. Beautiful rolling meadows, spectacular 360 degree views of Spanish peaks/Sangre De Cristo's, tons of wildlife, long county road frontage, owner terms. Call Majors Ranch 719-742-5207.

WESTERN NEW MEXICO close-out: Perfect for R.V. - vacation retirement 2 1/2 & 5 acre parcels - from $3,990 terms. Fishing, views, trees. Map & info 1-800-850-8813.

WE BUY MORTGAGES, trust deeds, annuities, lotteries. Did you sell property? Receiving payments? Why wait! Get cash now! Nationwide. Great prices. Call 1-800-659-2274 Ext. 47.

RECEIVING PAYMENTS ON property sold? We pay cash for real estate notes, deeds of trust, and land contracts ... nationwide!! Highest prices paid. Texas based. 1-800-446-3690.

WE BUY NOTES secured by real estate. Have you sold property and financed the sale for the buyer? Turn your note into cash. 1-800-969-1200.

FREE DEBT CONSOLIDATION. Immediate relief! Too many debts? Overdue bills? Reduce monthly payments 30%-50%. Eliminate interest. Stop collection callers. Restore credit. NCCS, nonprofit. 1-800-955-0412.

ADOPTION: FINANCIALLY SECURE professional wishes to share her love/affection with infant. Can make this difficult time easier for you. Allowed expenses paid. Call Roseanne 1-800-255-3010. *It's illegal to be paid for anything beyond legal/medical expenses.*

ADOPTION: HAPPILY MARRIED couple would love to adopt a newborn. We offer love, laughter, security and a bright future. Please call Lisa/Fred 1-800-894-6638. *It's illegal to be paid for anything beyond legal/medical expenses.*

210 Automobiles Imports

HONDA 1985 Accord LX. 84k actual miles, loaded, a/ c, very clean. $2,750. 686–0663.

HONDA 1985 CRX Sport. 5 speed. New alternator, good tires, cold air. Asking $2,300. 694–2393.

HONDA 1988 Accord LXI. 4 Door, excellent condition, one owner, 75K. $8,000 or best offer. 699–4278.

HONDA 1988 Prelude. Exceptionally clean, new tires, 43,000 miles, garaged. $8,000 O.B.O. Must see to appreciate. Call 694–5734.

HONDA 1995 Accord EX. Vetec. 5- speed. ABS, power sunroof, all options, security system, aluminum wheels. Only 800 miles. $17,495. 683–7715.

ISUZU 1984 Impulse. Manual transmission. Paint and interior in excellent condition. 99,000 Miles. $2,000. 697-2665, 697–8059.

LITTLEFIELD Automotive "Best Complete Service for Imported Autos." 1810 W. Front, Midland. 683-8611.

MAZDA 1988 GTX. Red, 2 door. Excellent condition. $5,250. 694–0277, 694-0172.

MAZDA 1992 929. CD, leather, power seats, solar ventilation, 32,000 miles. Call 684–7631 after 6 pm.

MAZDA 1992 Protege DX, 4 door, Red/ gray, 48K, Auto, A/ C, AM/ FM cassette. $8,300/ O.B.O., 688-5875, 682-1991.

MAZDA 1993 929. Automatic, leather power seats, sun roof, 25K. 75K warranty. $22,500. (915) 263-0780, 263-2781.

MERCEDES 1983 300D Turbo, Black/ tan leather, sunroof, 150K. $4,200. 697–1799.

MGB 1967 Roadster. Outstanding condition. $5,500. 697–5738.

MITSUBISHI SALES & SERVICE
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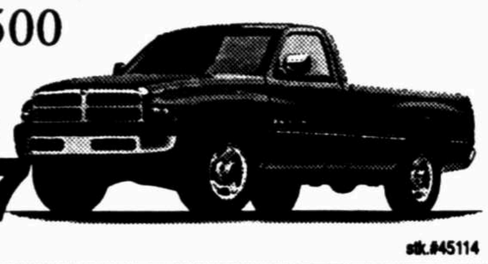


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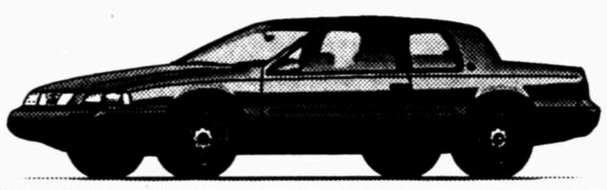
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Degreed professional, passionate and romantic. Seeks attractive, intelligent, educated S/DWM, 40-50. Candlelight dinners, travel, companionship, possible relationship. **#27666**

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Attractive, intelligent, blue-eyed brunette, slender, 34, ISO hard working, yet fun-loving, handsome, secure, sincere SM, 28-43. **#86492**

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Women Seeking Men

DWF, 46
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DWM, 45
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DWM, 38
Seeks female, 24-38. I am 6'1", 180 lbs., blue eyes, brown hair, nice, financially secure, children welcome. **#86328**

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ISO aggressive woman, 45-55. Must be confident, assertive, strong-minded. I'm 35, 225 lbs., hazel eyes, very willing. **#86711**

Men Seeking Women

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30s, tall, slim, good job and home, no dependents. ISO WF, 30s-40s, to share my life. **#83203**

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ISO attractive SWCF, 18-26, taller than 5'5", less than 145 lbs., who enjoys the country. **#87659**

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Apply in person between noon and 5 pm, Monday - Saturday,
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COOK- applications being taken for Breakfast cook and Broiler cook. Apply to Paul Valerius, Holiday Inn Country Villa, 4300 W. Wall St.

DRIVER- EA Holder is looking for qualified truck tractor, flatbed owner/ operators. Weekly settlements, and high revenue. (915) 236-6892.

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FRONT counter help needed. Experienced only. Pressers needed. 682–0072.

GENERAL
JOIN US AT FIESTA FOODS
Looking for dependable, well groomed people. Positions available: Produce Manager, Meat Cutter, Cashiers, Sackers, Professional Shopper and Delivery Person. Apply in person only at 712 W. Scharbauer, Midland Texas. No phone calls please.

GENERAL- EXPERIENCED Fuel Desk Clerk for the 10 pm to 6 am shift only. Salary based on experienced. Apply in person National Truck Stop, 2400 W. Loop 250 South.

GENERAL- OFFICE MATE is hiring full or part- time for Xerox and supply department. Experience preferred but not necessary, will train. Apply in person 104 Andrews Hwy.

GENERAL- WANTED part- time housekeeper. Approximately 4-41/2 hours a day, 3- 4 days a week. Experience and references required. Call Susan 694–3175 leave message on answering machine.

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GENERAL- HELP WANTED experienced backhoe operator CDL, miscellaneous job description for service co. Salary D. O. E. send resume to or employment application information to Box F-39, c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P. O. Box 1650, Midland Texas 79702.

HOME Care Attendants needed in Midland and surrounding areas to help with housekeeping and personal care. For more information call Girling Health Care, Inc., 1- (800)- 665-4471.

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PART TIME help needed for Northeast YMCA child care. Hours are 2:30- 6 pm. Please come by or call 682-8469, ask for Elsa Montgomery. 2300 Buttemut, Midland.



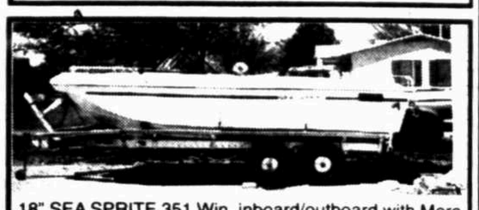
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1960 MERCEDES 190 SL ROADSTER. Weber Carbs, soft/hard top. Creme w/red leather. Nice original condition. $17,000/possible trade. 697-8051 or 682-7257.



1992 CHEVROLET 4WD SUBURBAN SILVERADO. White with blue interior . Non-smoker. Always garaged, 69,000K miles. $22,000 OBO 683-4540 (Work) 694-4976 (Home).



1992 TIOGA MONTARA 21' Class C motorhome. Special edition. Fully self contained, just like new. Only 15,000 miles. Asking $24,900. 686-8618.



1993 PONTIAC BONNEVILLE SE, light metallic blue, loaded, 74K miles, $11,500. Call 520-6516. Excellent Condition.



1990 HI/LO SELF CONTAINED TRAVEL TRAILER, many options, like new, 10K, 1989 CUSTOM VAN, like new, loaded, 34K. Both 23,500-will split. 689-0603 OMO.



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1991 NISSAN PATHFINDER SE, 4Dr/4WD. One Owner, 61K, 100K warranty, fully loaded, sun roof, ski rack, excellent condition. 699-0600.



1993 FORD AEROSTAR XLT! EXTENDED VAN, 43K, new shocks, very nice, asking $13,500. 685-0859.



1988 CHRYSLER LeBARON CONVERTIBLE, Red/Gray, 60,000 miles, leather, loaded, excellent condition, new tires. $6,500. Call 684-4145.



1981 CADILLAC, Sedan DeVille bronze w/gold top, 97,000 miles, 4.1 liters V6 engine, $2,400 or best offer 520-3269.



1989 FORD BRONCO II, auto, air, AM/FM cassette, cruise, Eddie Bauer package, black w/tan interior, great condition, $7500. 697-3908.



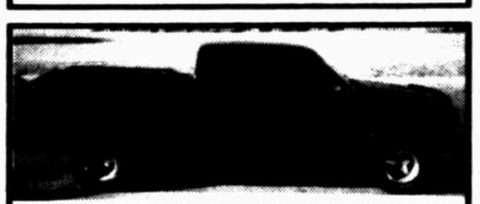
1981 MERCEDES SL, Excellent condition, 65K, white with blue upholstery. Convertible, and has Hard top $17,000. Call 697-0431 or 687-2404, leave message.



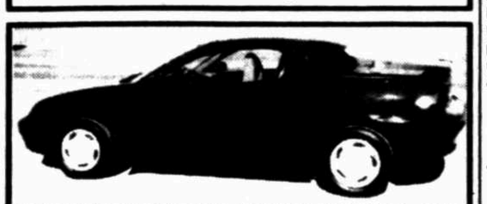
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1989 COMPANION 5TH WHEEL TRAILER, 26', still new, exc. condition, loaded. Always kept in storage building, used aprox. 20 times. Non-smokers Asking $10,800, 694-4701.



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1990 CHEV. BERETTA GT, loaded including sunroof, 46,000 miles, good condition and clean. Call 683-2902 after 6:00 pm.



MOBILE CAR WASH ALKOTA STEAMER, well established clientele, excellent income opportunity for anyone. For more info, call 520-9710.



HONDA 1991 ACCORD EX. 2 door, 5 speed, champagne color, 81K. $10,000. 699-6535.



1991 CORVETTE CONVERTIBLE. White with tan top. 6-speed, CD Gold Bose stereo, leather. 27,000 miles. Excellent condition. $24,500. 687-6250.



1993 RANGER XLT 20,000 miles, 1 yr./16,000 mile warranty, sun shield, tonto cover, $9,750. 699-1166 after 6 p.m.

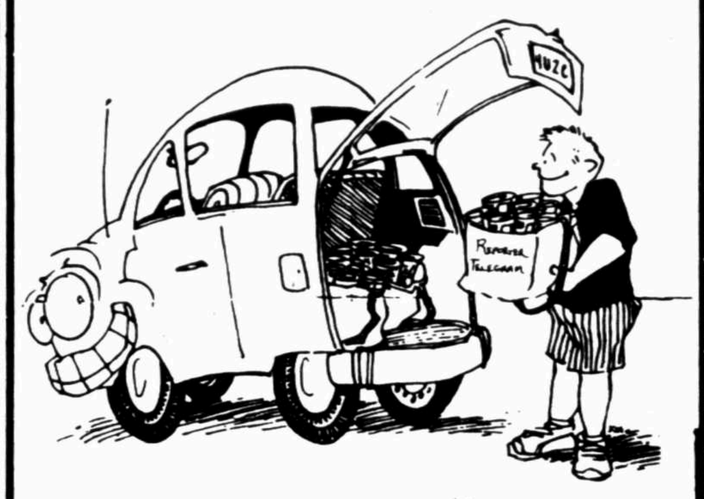


1991 TOYOTA CELICA CONVERTIBLE.LOADED, Power everything-one button operates top. AM/FM Stereo cassette .CD. one owner. 39K $15000. 694-0754

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HOT OIL OPERATOR

Must have good driving record, experience, DOT physical and verifiable references. Pay DOE. Drug screen required.

Call 682-2405

MAINTENANCE person for 92 units. Must have at least 1 year experience with maintenance and make ready. Should be familiar with window unit A/ C and heater. CAMT designee would be helpful, but not required. Company salary package with other benefits including paid vacation, health insurance and 401K plan. Inquire at Hunters Ridge Apartments, 4201 Andrews Hwy., Midland, TX. No phone calls please.

MAINTENANCE person needed for general and lot maintenance. Apply in person at Nationwide Mobile Homes, 6910 W. Hwy. 80, Midland.

SALES PEOPLE CSRs

Need ambitious aggressive sales people for fast growing insurance company. Will provide leads and training. Full and part time positions available. Sales people and customer service representatives needed. Please apply in person:

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NIGHT Club- Cactus Moon now hiring for all positions. Must be TABC certified. Apply in person at 1008 S. Midkiff between 12- 2 pm Tuesday through Friday.

310 General Help Wanted

Director
MIDLAND Soccer Association is taking applications for a full-time executive director. Applicants must have good communication, organization and management skills. Resumes will be accepted, by mail, until May 5, 1995, at 1909 W. Wall Street, Suite N, Midland, Texas 79701.

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PART-TIME

MR. GATTI'S
3205 W. Cuthbert

Now hiring part time cashier and part time game room attendant. Must be able to work days, nights and weekends. Must be at least 18 years old. No phone calls please. Apply in person between 2- 5 pm Monday- Friday.

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Dependable, experienced and willing to train others in the Abilene and West Texas area.

(915) 692-1347

NURSERY- Need Christian worker, dependable, with transportation for church nursery Sundays & Wednesdays. References. 684-8789.

OIL FIELD- 2 FLOORHANDS wanted for company owned pulling units. At least 3 years well service experience required. Excellent pay and benefits. Phone 682-2727 for appointment.

OIL FIELD- NOWSCO Well Service Inc. has openings for equipment operators. Good driving record and D. O. T. drug test required. CDL required, 50 hour guarantee. Excellent benefits. Apply in person 2401 E. I-20 Access Rd., in Midland. 570-5228.

PRODUCER- The KOSA- TV News Department is seeking a Producer for our 6 pm and 10 pm news. Candidates must be highly motivated, innovative, energetic and have solid news judgment. Must be able to produce a fast- paced, viewer-friendly newscast. Prior television news producing or reporting experience required, computer literacy a big plus. Rush resumes to: Pat Monacelli, News Director, KOSA- TV, 1211 North Whitaker, Odessa, TX 79763. No Phone Calls Please. EOE.

PRODUCER- The KOSA- TV News Department is seeking a full- time Associate Producer. Prior television news room experience is preferred. Candidates must be able to edit videotape, write news stories, and perform the multiple other tasks associated with getting newscasts on the air. Computer skills also a plus. rush resumes with references to: Pat Monacelli, News Director, KOSA- TV, 1211 N. Whittaker, Odessa, TX 79763.

RESTAURANT- SONIC Drive-In, Midkiff Road now hiring for all positions. Carhops, cashiers, and cooks. All shifts available, daytime or evening. Please apply in person, 1109 N. Midkiff Road.

311 Medical Help Wanted

OT COTA SOP

Licensed Occupational Therapist or Occupational Therapist Assistant and Speech/ Language Pathologist needed for skilled nursing facility in ODESSA, TEXAS.

Occupational Therapist needed for skilled nursing facility in MIDLAND, TEXAS. $$ EXCELLENT SALARY $$ Previous SNF experience with Medicare Charting knowledge a must. health benefits, continuing education, association dues, licensure paid, moving expenses and a SIGN ON BONUS!!

FAX RESUME TO (702) 849-1290 or call
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312 Professional Help Wanted

PROJECT MANAGER/ENGINEER

CURA, Inc., is a dynamic, rapidly growing environmental services consulting firm with offices in Dallas, Houston, Midland, and Atlanta, GA. We are currently seeking professionals interested in challenging work, excellent career opportunities, good benefits and competitive compensation.

This position requires 3 - 5 years of project management and engineering experience including supervision of junior personnel. Knowledge of varied environmental projects and proven ability to communicate with clients are required. Project design/construction and P.E. registration are required. Send resumes to Human Resources - Division PME, 731 W. Wadley, Suite L200, Midland, TX 79705.

RESUMES WITHOUT SALARY HISTORY WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED. NO PHONE CALLS. EOE/M/F/D/V.

310 General Help Wanted

CAREER BURNOUT?
$3- 5K

Looking for quality individuals with great communication skills to help recruit, manage and train people. For employment, call 570-0809, ask for Mike.

RESTAURANT- Now accepting applications. All shifts. Need reliable, honest, team oriented people. Stop by Sonic Drive- In, 2310 N. Big Spring.

RESTAURANT

PINOCCHIOS PIZZA

Now hiring. Drivers. Drivers must have current Texas drivers license, insurance, 18 years or older. Flexible hours and great working environment. Please apply in person 3303 N. Midkiff- San Miguel Shopping Ctr.

RESTAURANT- Full and part time sales positions available in downtown deli. Call 685--0507 Monday - Friday 8 am- 4 pm.

RESTAURANT- now hiring kitchen and waitstaff. Apply in person between 2- 5 pm at Murray's Deli, 3211 W. Wadley, Midland.

BUSSER- VENEZIA Restaurant now hiring part- time busser. Lunches and weekend nights. Apply in person, 4:30- 6. #20 Plaza Oaks (Wadley at Garfield).

RETAIL- E.E. Hensley & Son, Inc. is now accepting applications for convenience store clerk. Pre- employment drug screen required. EOE. Apply: 4401 W. Wadley.

RETAIL- E.E. Hensley & Son, Inc. is now accepting applications for convenience store manager. Experience preferred. Pre- employment drug screen required. EOE. Apply: 823 W. 1st, Odessa.

ROUTE Salesperson needed. Apply in person 1900 W. Front. No phone calls please.

SALES help needed at Paula's Full Figured Fashions. Experienced required. Person needs to be energetic, proud of their work and have a smile on their face. Apply in person between 10 am- 1 pm, Monday thru Saturday at Paula's, 35 North Village Court.

SALON- nice big beauty salon needing 4 hair stylists to lease roomy stations. 2- 3 manicurists needed. Stations $60/ week, manicurists $50/ week. 684-4881 days, 694-8766 evenings.

SALON- TOUCH Of Elegance Salon is looking for Hair Dresser and a Nail Tech. Call owner for information 685-0801.

SAND BLASTING and casing coating help wanted. Full time and some benefits. Experience helpful, but not necessary. Call between 10 am- 2 pm Monday through Friday, 563-1472.

SPORTS Anchor- CBS Affiliate seeks a Weekday Sports Anchor. Must be able to gather, write, and edit sports for broadcast and handle live shots at sporting events. Requires a working knowledge of Texas high school, college, and professional sports. Play- by- play experience helpful. Degree and prior experience preferred. Send resume and tape to Personnel Director, KLST- TV, 2800 Armstrong, San Angelo, TX 76903. EOE.

TEACHER- full time, Pre K experience required. Afternoon help also needed. Mama Bear's Cottage 684-8270.

★ TEACHER- Midland Childcare Center now taking applications. Experience preferred. Apply in person 3701 Andrews Highway.

BARTENDER- THE Petroleum Club of Midland is now accepting applications for the positions of part- time bartender. Experience required. Must be willing to work a flexible schedule. Apply in person between 9 am- 2 pm, Monday thru Friday, 501 W. Wall Street, contact Jerry Clemens.

WAITSTAFF- Midland Country Club looking for experienced waitstaff to work in fast- paced atmosphere. Fill out applications Tuesday through Friday 2 pm- 4 pm, 6101 North Highway 349.

310 General Help Wanted

TEXAS EMPLOYMENT COMMISSION NEWS

ATTENTION VETERANS:

If you are looking for part-time employment in an office environment.....

If you are taking at least nine (9) semester hours of college.....

If you are receiving education benefits from the VA.....

CALL SCOTT STAFFORD VETERAN'S REPRESENTATIVE (915) 682-9421, ext. 201

311 Medical Help Wanted

CERTIFIED NURSING AIDE

All shifts. Must be dedicated to long term care.
Apply in person:
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3203 Sage 683-5403

LVN's

All shifts. Must be dedicated to long term care. Top Pay!
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CNAs & SITTERS for private duty cases. Call Interim Health Care, 550-0777.

DENTAL Assistant- 4 days a week. Bring resume by 1806 W. Wall, Dr. Hoehn. Monday- Thursday between 8 am- 1pm. No experience required. No phone calls.

LVNs for 30 bed nursing home. PART- time, all shifts. Competitive wages; plus mileage. Please call Jamil Engel RN-DON or Bonnie Brown-Morse, Administrator, 1205 S. Sue, Crane Texas. (915) 558-3400 or (915) 558-2008.

LVN/ Certified Medical Assistant for pediatrician's office. Apply at Dr. Gupta's office, 302 Secor, Midland.

RECEPTIONIST- OUR OFFICE is searching for a receptionist who is personable, energetic and enjoys a fast paced in a team oriented environment. Experience as a dental receptionist with computer knowledge is helpful. Send resume to F-46, c/ o The Midland Reporter- Telegram, P. O. Box 1650, Midland Texas 79702.

STAFF Nurse, Certified Medication Aides, Certified Nurse Aides needed. Call or mail resume to: 689-0707 Vicky Hayes or Kay Courtney, Manor Park, 2208 N. Loop 250 W. Midland, Texas 79707. EOE M/F.

312 Professional Help Wanted

GEOLOGIST-

C.W. Logging Services seeking to fill Mud logging position.
QUALIFICATIONS:
*Geology Degree or 5 years experience
*Computer literate
*Professional appearance
Fax Resumes & references to
(915) 563-6208
Phone 563-3944

ACCOUNT MANAGER

Immediate opening with an established company for a professional sales/collections individual. Previous collection, customer service, able to lift 40 lbs., and a clean driving record. Drug test is required. Bilingual a plus. Salary depending on experience with full benefits package. Qualified personnel contact:

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915-686-8777



HONDA ACCORD LX. Clean, burgundy /gray interior, keyless entry, anti-lock brakes, tinted windows, low mileage, anti-theft device.520-2643 for more info.



1979 SOUTHWIND 29' MOTOR HOME.Class A. New tires. 5.6 Onan, 2 AC electric doorstep. Excellent condition. $10,800. Call 687-2453.



1994 SEA-DOO GTX 3 SEATER. 30 hrs, new condition, trailer, 4 jackets. $6400 firm. 687-6136, leave message.

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MECHANICAL ENGINEER

Durabla Pump Components Inc. a manufacturer of valve, plungers and other components for reciprocating pump used in industrial and oil field application is seeking an experienced, degreed Mechanical Engineer.

The ideal candidate will have at least 3 years experience in a related field with the ability to see a project through from its conception to its completion.

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Midland, Texas 79702

314 Clerical Help Wanted

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RECEPTIONIST CASHIER

Must have typing and telephone experience.
Pick up applications at:
Village Lincoln Mercury
3915 W. Wall

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BOOKKEEPER- needed for short term project. Must have Bachelor's Degree in Accounting. By appointment only call 683-1750 between 1- 5 pm Monday- Friday.

ENGINEER- KOSA- TV is looking for an engineer to operate & perform maintenance & repair broadcast equipment. Qualifications: repair to component level, computer & digital experience a plus. Send resume to KOSA- TV, 1211 N. Whitaker, Odessa, TX 79763 (NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE) EOE

MANAGER TRAINEE

SECURITY FINANCE

Due to rapid expansion Manager Trainees wanted. We offer: competitive salary, rapid advancement opportunities in 11 states, paid medical and life insurance, paid sick days, paid holidays and vacations days. Optional dental and disability insurance, profit sharing plan, exceptional employee savings plan.

Apply in person:
Security Finance, 106 Andrews Hwy., Midland Texas 79701.

SPEECH THERAPIST/ PATHOLIGIST

Applications are being accepted by the 87-20 Sepecial Education cooperative, Big Spring, Texas. Contact P.O. Box 2135, Big Spring, Texas 79721: (915) 267-6013.

314 Clerical Help Wanted

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Successful Real Estate Executive needs qualified Assistant for management position. Real Estate related experience required. Must be people oriented and computer literate. For more information write to:

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% Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, TX 79702

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316 Sales Help Wanted

OILFIELD. Immediate positions available for experienced oilfield chemical sales personnel. Aggressive independent corporation, offers competitive benefit packages and unlimited growth potential. Please direct all responses to Box D-27, c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702. All resumes held in strict confidence.

OUTSIDE SALES person needed for Permian Basin. Must have own vehicle. Please send resume to: Box D-21, c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702.

PART- TIME Outside sales, ideal for Senior Citizens, College Students, Housewives or others. Sell to business and professionals. For information call 682-0476.

SALES- Matney Shoe Box accepting applications for full and part time help. Salary, commission and benefits. Seniors welcome. Apply in person, Midland Park Mall.

SALES- URGENT! Need 10 part- time people to start making money now. Call between 5-10 pm, (806) 462-7386.

SALES/ MANAGER- OUTSTANDING company needs oil field and industrial sales manager. Background in environmental and safety also helpful. Salary plus commission. Benefits. Candidate should be self-starter, have proven track record and references of field and plant sales. Send resume to: Box F-47, c/o The Midland Reporter- Telegram, P. O. Box 1650, Midland Texas 79702.

320 Skilled Trades

CATERPILLAR Equipment Mechanic with 5 years experience needed. Call Ben Miller (505) 394-2588.

DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT: West Texas & SE New Mexico area. Supervise roustabouts, contract pumpers, schedule, oversee, and make recommendations for well work. Must have 10 years plus field experience in completions, drilling and workover of wells to 10,000' plus. Vehicle, expenses and health insurance furnished. Salary negotiable with established (35) year independent located in North Central Texas. Reply with resume and references to Box 1240, Graham Texas 76450.

INSTALLER- AT&T Security System dealer needs installer. Experience in installing wireless and hard wired security systems. Crime Alert Inc. 1504 N. Big Spring Midland, Texas. Apply in person 8- 5 or call Mark 1(800) 352-1650.

PLUMBERS and plumbers helpers, experienced water runners needed for project, Midland. 687-3545.

IF YOU NEED HELP, OR FEEL THE NEED TO HELP SOMEONE CLASSIFIED HAS SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE

320 Skilled Trades

MACHINIST wanted. Must have minimum of 5 years experience on engine lathes. Must have your own tools and must pass drug test. Call 686-0405.

OILFIELD Electrician with experience wanted. Offering top pay and benefits. Send resume to Big Lake Electric. P.O. Box 444, Big Lake, TX 76932.

ROOFERS needed in Big Spring. Also opening for salesperson. Call Jim at 689-0650.

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SKEETER-MACHEN WELL SERVICE

Now taking applications for full-time:
*Operators
*Derrickman
*Floorhands
*Diesel & Gas Mechanics

with at least 2 years experience.

Apply in person to
2206 Garden City Hwy.

TELEPHONE Technician. Some experience required. Salary plus, insurance benefits and company car. Call 570-7253.

325 Adult Care Needed

LOOKING for experienced adult care giver for bedridden elderly woman. Call between 4-7 pm weekdays only. 682-2213.

336 Adult Care Providers

IN-HOME Care. Home care for elderly and disabled in your home. Locally owned. (915) 520-4425.

ADULT Care Center. Special love and care for your loved ones. 24 Hour service. Spacious home, competent staff. 699-6945.

The John F. Younger Senior Care Center
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Is Now Open
Monday-Friday
7:30 AM-6:00 PM

for adults 62 and older who need supervision.

Noon Meals & Snacks Provided
Social Activities

Call Chris Newman
689-9898

LOVES personal care home has an opening. Specializing in the care of Alzheimer's patients. 683-7832.

LADY seeking part- time position with elderly or disabled. Call 570-8135.

CHRISTIAN Lady would love to sit with your loved one, at hospital, day or night. 697-2318.

340 Child Care Needed

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NEEDED immediately! Mr. Mom needs reliable, responsible adult to organize my home and supervise my two teenage children from 7 am to 7 pm. Must have own transportation and references. Housekeeping and preparation of light meals required. Salary depending on experience. Call 520-8658 after 7 pm. Ask for John.

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340 Child Care Needed

RESPONSIBLE person needed to care for 7 and 4 year old and housekeeping. 7:30- 5:30 pm. Must have reliable transportation and references. Will consider live- in. 520-3333.

BABYSITTER/ Housekeeper for 6 and 11 year old. Work every other week, rotating shifts. 4:30 am to 5:30 pm and 4:30 pm to 5:30 am. Starting Thursdays, 7 on/ 7 off. Must have own transportation, references. 520-3366, please leave message.

CHILD care for 3 year in our home. Light housekeeping. 30-40 hours per week. Call 520-4656 or 560-7723 (pager) for appointment.

341 Child Care Providers

PRESCHOOL Day Care alternative. Daily educational activities, crafts, fun. Weekly field trips. Lunch, snacks. 699-7454.

CHILD care in my country home. Travis district. 2 Years and up. 7 am- 6 pm. Over 15 years experience. Call Connie, 683-2351

CHILD CARE in my home. Meals and snacks provided. Any age, any hours. Midland Drive / Illinois area. References. 520-9635.

YOUR children will feel at home while you're away at business or play. Call Lola at 683-7536.

JANE Long area willing to care for children ages 3 to 8. Bilingual. Call 520-3262.

HENDERSON Area- Summer child care. Will care for 2 children. Entertainment, love, meal, snacks. Ages 4- 8. References. 520-8317.

CHILD CARE Licensed. Hot meal, snacks. Experienced, excellent references. Small group. 697-8149.

WILL take care of children in my home, Monday thru Friday 8 am- 6 pm. Meals & snacks provided. References. 520-7672.

LOOKING for newborn to be kept with one other newborn for next year in my home. Teachers hours/ holidays. 697-7480 anytime.

CHRISTIAN Child Care Monday thru Friday, any age, meals and snacks provided. 689-7691.

ALTERNATIVE to day care .Christian mother with 7 years experience. Love, fun, stimulating activities. 697-7434.

CHRISTIAN LADY will care for your special child. May 29th-July 28th. 682-2911, after 2.

350 Business Opportunities

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FOR SALE

SMOKERS DISCOUNT #7
2900 W. Front Street

Very Profitable Busine$$

Selling complete Inventory, Display Cases, Counters, Cash Register.

Serious inquires call 682-0649

Located at 2900 Front Street Mini Mall

350 Business Opportunities

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Tax Preparation Service and Business Center Franchise in Big Spring, Operate in Wal- Mart 1-800-277-3278

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MUSIC store- this is good business and priced to sell! CARPET Store- owner retiring, good terms available. Hamilton & Associates, Business Brokers 550-4610.

380 Business Opportunities

★ LOCAL SNACK food route for sale. Servicing convenience stores and major grocery accounts. Possibly net up to $100,000 per year. 1 opening only. $8,950 investment. (214) 406-1104.

GET REAL Estate license quickly. Short state courses. Day, Weekend or evening Southwest College, 697-7277.

Curiosity Corner

WOODEN day bed (less tban 6 months old) $100. Please call 697-1942.

FULL size bed and frame, $110. 699-4036.

TABLE with chairs, $15. Please call 697-1942.

2 ROOMS of nice carpet, light brown. $50. 687-6453 or 686-9208

TOY box, $25. Please call 697-1942.

KING waterbed, complete, $100. 520-9032.

HIDE-A-BED sofa, cream weave $110. 684-6254.

2 TWIN beds. $75 each. 699-6216.

ANTIQUE chest of drawers. $60. 699-4036.

GLASS table and 6 chairs, $75. 520-9032.

LARGE apartment stackable washer/ dryer. Kenmore. Hardly used. $150. Call 685-4176.

EXERCISE rowing machine. Sears lifestyler. 2400 Electronic rower. $35. Excellent condition. 689-3609

DIAPER changing table. $30. Please call 697-1942

WEDDING dress size 10, shoes, veil and other accessories. $60. 687-6436. 687-3888.

SET OF 6 room dividers. $65. Call 686-0007.

COMPLETE twin size bed. $30. 570-9340, leave message.

350 Business Opportunities

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Attention Readers

Occasionally ads found in this section come from distant points and the Midland Reporter-Telegram cannot always know the merits of the offers. **We suggest** when you are in doubt that you call the Better Business Bureau before signing any contract.

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410 Miscellaneous Sales

BOTTLED WATER 2¢ a gallon. For more information call 570-0700 ask for William.

2 LOTS in Resthaven. $750 each. Call 683-3424.

QUALITY brand named mens suits. Coat sizes 40- 42R; waist 34- 35; length 30- 31. $45 each. 699-6535.

WEDDING Attire Rentals, mostly vintage. Sizes thru 26. Alterations & undergarments available. 520-8463.

WEDDING dress size 10, shoes, veil and other accessories. $60. 687-6436, 687-3888.

KNOME figure "Par" $90. Call 682-3043.

DEBT Free in 12 months! Serious inquires only. 915-694-6306.

TRAMPOLINE: 14' round. $75. 684-6367.

FOR SALE 15' above ground pool, needs new liner, includes good filter, pump, vacuum, skimmer. $300 as is. You haul 683-2127.

BARGAINS on vacuum cleaners. New and rebuilt. All makes. Rainbow, Kirby, Hoover, Eureka, Panasonic, Royal, Sharp- you name it. Repair all makes. 520-6464.

MOVING Sale! All Mary Kay inventory in stock 50% off! 683-2044.

LITTLE Tikes Cottage $75, Turtle Sandbox $20, picnic table $5, Cozy Coupe $25, small gym/ slide set $35. Call 694-2928.

PAT WALKER Reducing Machine for sale. Collect 1 (713) 448-3405 or 1 (409) 295-6717.

Electric stove $75, mens full set golf clubs $100, lawn mower, $25. 520-7176.

LIKE new contemporary sofa and love seat. Teal, pink, peach and mauve. Paid $3,000, asking $1,000. 694-1982.

SOLAR Hot Water System- 2 panel, pump, 2 tanks. Original value $6,400, asking $1,000. 694-1320.

INSIDE MAUSOLEUM CRYPT Resthaven, A level, $2,500. 697-1556.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

EVAPORATIVE COOLERS, mower, freezers, appliances, furniture, dinettes/ china cabinets, barstools, exerciser, TVs, kitchen appliances. 570-4851.

SPINET piano excellent condition; 9 x 12 Persian rug; queen size hide-a-bed, southwest colors. 683-1576.

LARGE downdraft evaporative cooler, $200. Rainbow vacuum cleaner, nearly new, $500. 694-7209.

SATELLITE dish and receiver, over 100 free channels. $300 or best offer. 694-6974.

RESTHAVEN- lot in Garden of Hope, lot 376 spaces 1 & 2. $600 both. (817) 599-7001.

CASTLETON China, Savoy pattern, 30 pieces including 4 serving pieces. Wallace Sterling, Sir Christopher pattern, service for eight. 332-4840.

USED copier and fax machine for sale. Excellent condition. 686-7636, 682-1816 ask for Helen.

NEW porch swings, heavy duty $35. Large dog houses $45. Bookcase $35. Gliders $65. 563-0452.

Very large amount of good used 30', 35', 40' highline poles, wire and hardware. (806) 359-4834.

MARY KAY Sellout 50% Off. 687-0374 or 520-8240.

18' round above ground pool with 20" sand filter. 2 Years old, new liner. 694-2171.

DESK top pay phones. Like new. Local owner. 684-6891.

ABOVE Ground Pools- several sizes to choose from. Free maintenance kit, Free chemical kit, Free ladder. Ask about installation and terms. 563-3108. After 3 pm, call 550-5225.

FOR sale or trade 11 snack center vending machines. Brand new. Make offer. 697-5935, leave message.

29 PADDED church pews, $100 each; Hammond C3 organ with speaker $4,000; 5 doors with door frames and hardware $35 each. Contact Paster Scott Watson at (915) 949-3099 or 947-1466.

LATE 1800's French Wardrobe; stands 84" high by 55 1/2" wide OD/ 55" wide by 23" deep by 61" high ID. Already set up for entertainment center. Perfect for large bedroom or den. $850. Serious inquiries please. 682-5553.

3 PIECE sold white washed oak baby furniture grouping (Jenny Lind style) Crib changing table & dresser like new, $425/ set; 6 Piece designer baby bedding ensemble by Lindy Look, $150. 699-0069.

413 Jewelry & Furs

DIAMONDS- 1/2 carat to 10 carat- Fine quality, far, far below retail. Call anytime (915) 362-7449 or (800) 388-7628.

415 Miscellaneous Wanted

WANTED: MOVING Boxes. Call 520-8849.

SOUTHWEST Company Club tickets or other airline mileage awards wanted. Will pay top dollar. 687-5039.

WANTED: childrens riding pony. Low price range. Call 570-6369 leave message.

420 Good Things To Eat

SEPULVEDA'S FARM to Market Produce now open 3703 Cottonflat, 682-1301

★ CUSTOM Pecan Shelling. Also Sell Shelled Pecans $3.50/ lb. Pick up and Delivery 682-4887.

430 Household Goods

HUTCH, La-Z-Boy rocker/ recliner, antique oak secretary, refrigerator. Call 694-1481.

TAMPIN stove, new, gas/ propane. White, 1 year old. $200 or best offer. 520-3446.

FURNITURE for sale. Full size pecan bed, complete, $125; 1 year old 8 ft. entertainment center, oak, accomodates TV, VCR, sound equipment and tapes, $800; 9 ft. sofa, $300. Call 9 am- 6 pm 699-1551. Must sell in 2 days!

2 TWIN beds. $75 each. 699-6216.

COUCH- brown & tan. Great condition, $100. 682-5177.

BLEMISHED Spa- 10 jets, seats 7, Teal. Free redwood cabinet, Free cover, Free chemical kit. Was $6,787. Now $4,095. Ask about financing and delivery. 563-3108. After 3 pm call 550-5225.

OVEN for sale. 4 years old. Works great. Living room set. Couch and love seat, $250. 689-4700.

SECTIONAL sofa by Thayer-Coggins Covered in Haitian cotton. $450. 689-2613.

BABY Blue Couch for sale. $90. 694-3719 after 5:30.

APPLIANCES reconditioned with 6 month plus warranty. Wood & Son Appliances. 2811 W. Wall. 699-1224.



79701

BARGAINS on vacuum cleaners. New and rebuilt. All makes. Rainbow, Kirby, Hoover, Eureka, Panasonic, Royal, Sharp- you name it. Repair all makes. 520-6464.

NEW THRIFT Store- Community Services building at 3110 Travis. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, 3- 6 pm, Wednesday 9- noon. Most items 50¢.

NO Early Birds. Wednesday and Thursday 8 -? Air conditioner, stove, furniture and lots of miscellaneous. 4606 Seminole Drive.

MOVING Sale. TV, dining room table, chairs, John Deere riding lawn mower tractor, and lots more. 409 E. Co. Rd. 137. Wednesday- Friday.

WEDNESDAY, Thursday, Friday & Saturday til noon. Refrigerators, stoves, lawn mowers, clothes in all sizes. 723 N. Tilden.

LARGE 5 family sale at 1312 W. Florida, North end of building. 8 -3 Saturday and Sunday. Lots of clothes, bikes, lawn furniture, 4x8 3/4 Plywood and 32"x48" 3/4 Plywood tool boards, house furniture, books, appliances, miscellaneous items.

79703

HUGE backyard Sale! Friday & Saturday 7 am. Sofa set, brass tables & lamp, bunk beds, brass vanity, clothes all sizes, lots more! Everything priced to sell! 704 Ruby.

BABY Items, Clothes, Dishes and lots of knick knacks. Thursday- Friday 8- 2. 4510 Wilshire.

FOR SALE, Custom made floral decrative wooden swags for any room in your home, 5017 Pleasant Drive.

79703

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Yesterdays News Antiques
First Annual Sidewalk Sale

Make your best deal with the vendors on sidewalk merchandise as well as a 20% savings throughout the entire store (Sorry no layaways on sale merchandise). One Day Only- Saturday, April 29th from 9 am- 5pm. Make plans to be there. 3712-C W. Wall St., Midland TX 79703. MasterCard/ VISA and your personal check always gladly accepted.

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★ ★ ★ ★ ★ MOVING SALE 2412 W. Wadley. Thursday- Saturday, 8:30 to 6. Furniture, crystal, kitchen things, linens, ladies golf clubs, bedding, jewelry, luggage, Christmas things, baskets, decorator items, much miscellaneous. Handled by Floy Maberry.

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MISS CAYCE'S CHRISTMAS STORE

2ND ANNUAL
GARAGE SALE ON THE SIDEWALK

Friday 8:30 am- 2 pm
Saturday 8:30 am- 12 pm
Wadley at Midland Drive (next to Albertsons)

Below cost on all items. Decorations, gifts and miscellaneous. Great for crafters, etcetera.

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5111 CANADIAN. Automotive parts, hand tools, air conditioner, heater, furniture, exercise equipment, antiques and collectibles, miscellaneous . Saturday, 8 am till?

THURSDAY- Friday. 9- 4. Tools hardware, shelves, outdoor cooker, household items, recliner, luggage. 4201 Lehigh.

79707

MICROWAVE Oven, day bed, TV, chair, 2 dog houses, lots of misc. Thursday, Friday, Saturday 9- 6. No Early Birds! Hwy 158 left on 60 W, right on 1275 N, Left on 52 W - red barn.

JUNCTION Apartment Community Garage Sale. Saturday April 29th 9 am- 1 pm, 1902 N. Midland Drive. All Midland residents are welcome to set up booths. Please call 699-5168 to make reservations.

GARAGE SALE SERVICES

$20 $20 $20 $20 $20 $20 $20

GARAGE SALE AD PACKAGE $20

★7 Lines (approx. 28-35 words)
★2 Days
★ Bl/W/Y Stand Out Emblem
★Garage Sale Kit
(includes Signs, Stakes, Marker, Balloons, Helpful Hints. $4 Value!)
★Package of Flavored Drink Mix
(for the Kids to Open a Drink Stand!)
★$3 Off Classified Coupon
(Place an ad to sell those left-over garage sale items & get $3 off!)

Or Get 3 Days for Only $24!

Call 682-6222 Today!

$20 $20 $20 $20 $20 $20 $20

TAKING CONSIGNMENTS- Buying- Selling good furniture, TV's, stereos, VCR's and miscellaneous. Call Gary 570-4408 Rainbow Trade Center 1503 W. Industrial Ave. New shipment: used dressers, sofas, dinettes, antiques. Come see us 10- 5, Tuesday- Sunday.

430 Household Goods

NEED GOOD USED FURNITURE. Buy, sell, trade. Rowe's New & Used. 1211 S. Big Spring. 687-5966.

EARLY 1900's dining room suite. Table, buffet, armoire, 5 chairs, Walnut. $1,000 or best offer. 520-6240.

BEAUTIFUL pine dining table with bench and two chairs. One year old. $350. 694-3601.

COUCH, love seat, chair. Mauve colored. Like new. Valued at $2,000, asking $500. 687-5827.

MATTRESS, dinette sets, bunk beds, daybeds and Futon couches. Reasonable prices. Also catalog orders available. Credit Cards and Layaways welcome. Wood & Son Appliances. 2811 W. Wall. 699-1224.

HIDE-A-BED sofa, cream weave $110, drapes and rods, fits sliding glass door, neutral color $10. 684-6254.

BRAND NEW, still in plastic, any size mattress and box set with frames. Free delivery. 550-5123.

NOW Open! Bill's, Etc.- 3402 Thomason. Want to buy your extra furniture & Misc. 694-8250.

HARD maple gun cabinet, 12 guns and storage. Excellent condition. $285. Call 694-1404.

ITALIAN PROVINCIAL dining table, complete with 2 leaves, 8 chairs, and hutch, $600 Firm. Sears refrigerator, $90. 520-8849.

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★ A & B Appliance. Buy. Sell. Repair. Washers, dryers, refrigerators, stoves, freezers. Warranty- Delivery. (915) 550-6540.

MONTGOMERY WARD Side - by- Side refrigerator freezer, white. $400. Runs perfectly. 520-3539 leave message.

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CURIOSITY CORNER

STARTING APRIL 10th

3 Lines/ 4 Days/ $6!!

A new feature of the Midland Reporter-Telegram Classifieds. Place your ad for any household item for only $6!! Your ad can be up to 3 lines long and will be published for 4 days, Monday through Thursday. Items must be for $150 or less, price of item must be listed in the ad, and only private individuals are eligible.

Call a friendly Classified Consultant at 682-6222 and place your ad today!

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NAVY blue leather Couch and chair. $500. 699-6216.

WASHER and dryer. $350. 699-6216.

440 Firewood

DICK'S FIREWOOD. Oaks, Mesquite, Pecan & Cedar. We deliver. 1-(915) 453-2151.

HONDO VALLEY FIREWOOD. 3105 Garden City Highway. Energy Efficient "Earth" stoves, fireplaces, inserts. Chimney inspections and cleaning. All types of firewood. (915) 694-4818.

450 Sporting Goods

DICK'S CLUBS. Custom fitting, Regripping, Shafts, Repairs, Clones, Used clubs. 2605 W. Kentucky. 683-2614.

RED worms for sale. Great for starters. 694-3918.

GOLF Clubs- RAM FX, 2- PW, graphite shaft. Call 697-9620 or see at Master's Golf Range.

BMI 9000 weight machine. $300. DP airciser stationary bike. $75. 682-6566.

HOGAN Radial irons, 2 - P.W. with bag. $245. Taylor made driver $45. 699-4089.

KETTLER favorite 220 rowing machine, $50. Callaway big Bertha waterbird driver, 9 degrees lost. Memphis 10 steel shaft, $110. Brand new. Yonex ADX 200 driver firm shaft $150. 520-9405.

MASTER Gun Smith. Service, repair, & engraving. By appointment only. Please call (915) 684-0809.

KING COBRA Golf Clubs. 3 iron thru pitching wedge, gap wedge and sand wedge. Firm graphite shafts. $650. Call 699-1780.

JIM'S CLUBS. Repairs; custom clubs; Big Bertha Irons (clone) $228 set. Regrip $3. 3115 Haynes, 694-1334.

460 Antiques & Art

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INVENTORY LIQUIDATION!!!

25% - 50%

DISCOUNT

MATTEUCCI'S

4400 N. Big Spring (Mission Square)

TUESDAY - SATURDAY

11 AM - 5 PM

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BEV Doolittle "Season Of The Eagle" Appraised at $960, selling at $750 or best offer. 687-6180, leave message.

VISIT The Doll House - Antiques Etc., Plaza Center, Wadley & Garfield. 682-9257.

610 Apartments Unfurnished

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720 Homes for Sale

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BY OWNER 4610 Pleasant. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 car garage. Great starter home. $47,000. 697-1531.

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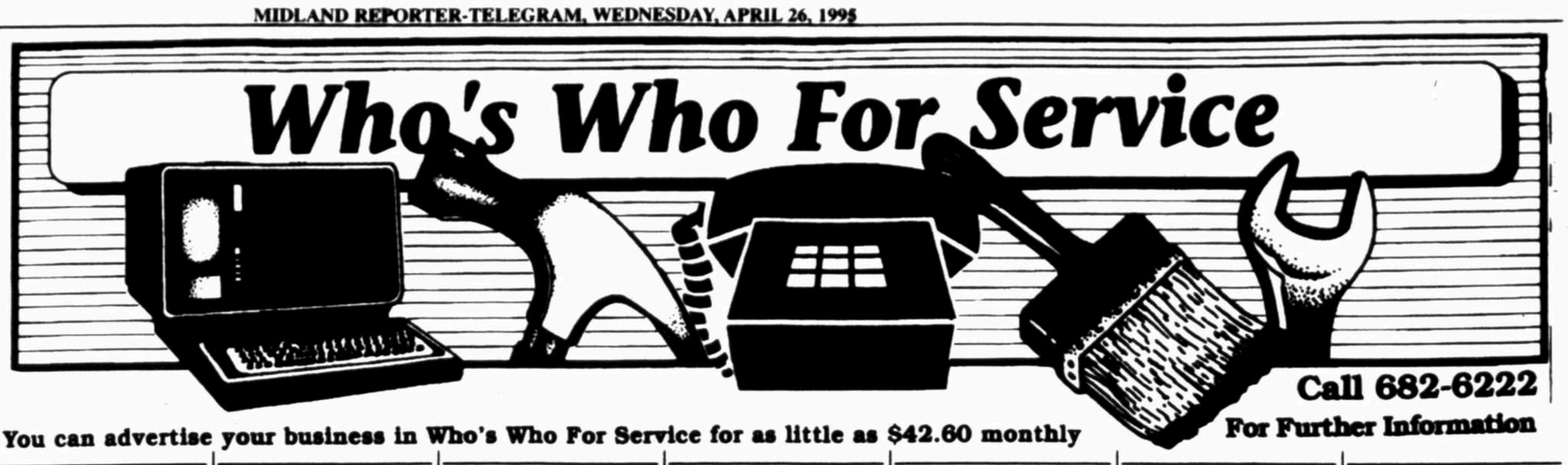
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