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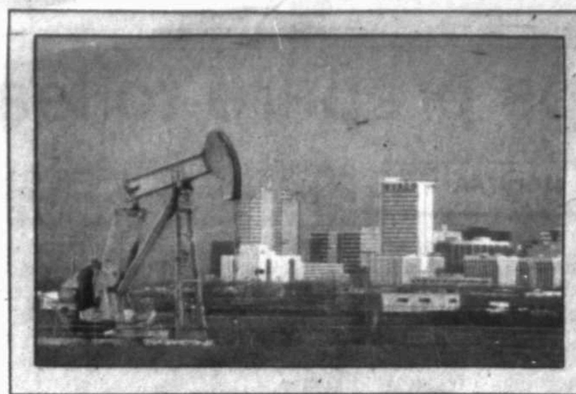

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Gov. Bill Clinton, Gov. Ann Richards share a laugh.

Governors meet

PRINCETON, N.J. — The National Governors' Association opened its annual meeting Saturday by issuing a bipartisan blueprint for the states to improve children's readiness for school, the nationwide educational goal that had divided Republicans and Democrats. The report, developed by a panel of governors and corporate executives over the last year, set three objectives the states should meet./4A

Tax rate hearing

Midland Independent School District Board of Trustees will conduct a public hearing concerning setting the school district's property tax rate 7 p.m. Aug. 11. The hearing will be the same evening as the regular board meeting that begins at 4 p.m. Trustees will adjourn the board meeting, open the hearing, then reconvene the board meeting after the hearing. Trustees are expected to formally vote on the tax rate at the Aug. 25 board meeting. At Tuesday's meeting the board proposed increasing the property tax rate 3.5 cents, from 44.5 to 48 cents per $100 evaluation. The increase will cover the debt service portion of the tax rate which is increasing from 10.5 cents to just over 14 cents. Taxpayers, in the spring of 1991, authorized the increase in debt service taxes through the passage of a $24.175 million bond election. The two propositions passed in the bond election are funding construction of three new schools, and renovations and additions to various campus.

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Court backs Bush

Justices: Send Haitians home

U.S. ambassador ends tour, makes plea for freedom

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti (AP) — U.S. Ambassador Alvin Adams, who in three years irritated dictators and pushed for Haiti's first democratic elections, ended his tour Saturday with a plea for freedom in the hemisphere's poorest nation.

"Let's hope democracy will get another chance. It can't be dead," he told The Associated Press in a telephone interview, several hours before his afternoon flight to Washington, D.C. The 49-year-old diplomat has been designated ambassador to Peru.

Adams arrived in Haiti in November 1989, and his speech in defense of democracy so offended dictator Lt. Gen. Prosper Avril that he postponed the diplomat's accreditation for a week.

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■ **Repatriation policy's legality will come under scrutiny within next several weeks.**

N.Y. Times News Service

WASHINGTON — The Supreme Court ruled Saturday that the Bush administration could continue to send Haitians picked up at sea back to their homeland while the court hears arguments over the next several weeks about the legality of President Bush's order to return them.

The court granted a request by the Justice Department to stay a ruling on Wednesday by a federal appeals court in New York that had effectively nullified the administration policy. The stay, in effect, extends a temporary reprieve the court had granted earlier this week and will remain in effect while opponents of the policy mount a challenge.

Justices Harry Blackmun and John Paul Stevens dissented from the opinion, arguing that the Justice Department offered only a vague statement of possible harm to foreign policy if the return policy was halted. On the other hand, the refugees "face the real and immediate threat of persecution, terror and possibly even death at the hands of those to whom they are being forcibly returned," they said.

It was considered likely that the Supreme Court would review the legality of the refugee policy because two federal circuit courts had issued conflicting opinions in the last year on whether federal immigration law required the administration to extend protection to refugees picked up in international waters, outside United States territory.

In February, the U.S. 11th Circuit Court of Appeals in Atlanta ruled that the right to apply for asylum applied only to aliens who had arrived in the United States.

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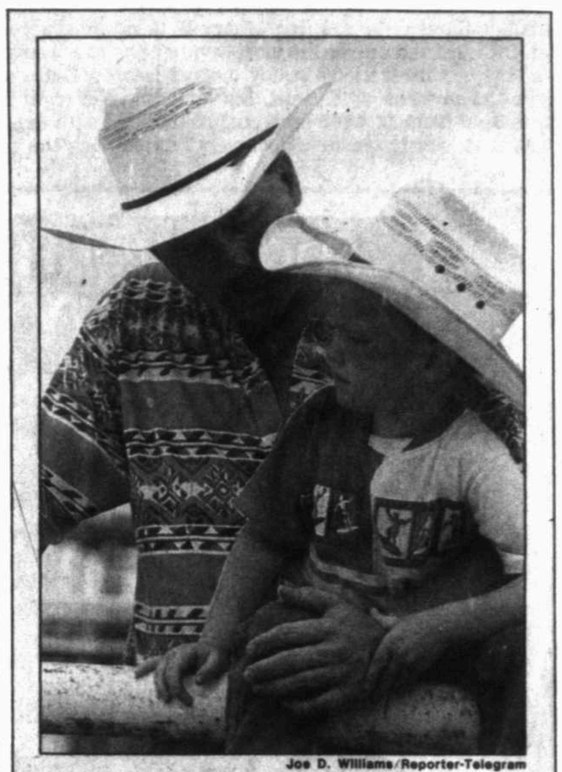

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Watching competition

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SMALL BUSINESS: BIG CHALLENGE

Being your own boss lies at the heart of the American dream, but it means long hours of hard work and much advance planning.

In Part 1 of our two-part series, we look at the tough task of starting a business and meet several Midlanders who are making a go of it.

Entrepreneurs stake out American dream

By Chris Van Wagenen
Staff writer

When Susan Gaethje decided to start her own business, the motivation to do it came largely from people familiar with her talent as a cake decorator.

Today, Ms. Gaethje waits patiently on the Small Business Administration in Lubbock, which will decide whether or not her loan application is worth the risk.

Her idea, which remains on hold, is a party . . . shop, that is.

"It's A Party," if approved, will provide customers with a one-stop retail outlet for cakes, decorations, gifts and wrapping paper. "Everything in one store, that's my idea," Ms. Gaethje said.

■ David Webb, president of Progressive Building Products, has seen the ups as well as the downs since starting a roofing fabrication business aimed at the modular building sector. That was never more true than when it came to selling the idea to local investors.

"I ran into one of my investors re-

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Securing a market niche

Maryann and Gerald Carpenter man their own patrols.

For Gerald and Maryann Carpenter starting a business became an instant learning process.

The Carpenters, along with Tim Dougharty, operate the Bureau of Protective Services — a private commercial Midland security firm.

While there was little physical overhead required to get the business up and running, other unforeseen problems kept it grounded initially.

"It definitely took a lot longer than we anticipated," said Carpenter, a retired Southwestern Bell employee who still performs contract work. "Licensing was the main thing. It took time to get our license from the state."

Then there was the question of liability and workers' compensation insurance — another cost that hadn't been taken into account, at

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Fort Hood troops prepare to leave for trip to Kuwait

KILLEEN (AP) — Hundreds of soldiers were processed at Fort Hood Saturday as they waited for airplanes to arrive and transport them to the Middle East.

More than 800 members of the 13th Corps Support Command 544th Maintenance Battalion received shots, wrote wills and got their records in order while waiting to hear when they would be flown to Kuwait.

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These, along with members of Fort Hood's 1st Cavalry and soldiers from Fort Campbell, Ky., will comprise a 2,400 deployment to the Persian Gulf, Pentagon officials said Friday.

The troops will take part in a training exercise dubbed "Intrinsic Action" with other members of the United Nations coalition including the Kuwaiti troops, said Maj. Ken Roberts, Fort Hood spokesman.

The exercise, originally scheduled for September, was moved up because of increased tensions with Iraq over its refusal to comply with U.N. weapons inspectors, said Roberts.

Roberts downplayed questions of whether the deployment was a political move to increase President Bush's popularity.

"It's been moved up because of the problems that are taking place in that part of the world right now," Roberts said. "It is an obvious show of the flag, but at the same time it allows us the opportunity to exercise a deployment to a part of the world that we have deployed before, but to do some different types of things."

The 544th Maintenance Battalion is a support unit of the Army. Its members will inspect and prepare equipment that was left in Kuwait after the war for Intrinsic Action.

Roberts did not know how many soldiers would be deployed from each of the units.

CIA: Congressman disclosed secret information

WASHINGTON (NYT) — Robert M the director of central intelligence, has accused the chairman of the House Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs of disclosing sensitive intelligence information and has ordered an inquiry to determine whether sources and intelligence-gathering methods have been jeopardized.

In a letter dated July 24 and made public Thursday, Gates criticized Rep. Henry B. Gonzalez, D-Texas, and one of the most severe critics of the administration's policy toward Iraq before the invasion of Kuwait, for including information from "a top-secret, compartmented and particularly sensitive document" dated

■ More state news/10D

Sept. 4, 1989.

The document, a one-page report that discussed Iraq's weapons purchases and was made available to Gonzalez's staff, concluded that Baghdad's procurement network was essential to Iraq's development of nuclear weapons, according to a U.S. official familiar with the report.

Gates also took exception to Gonzalez's charges that the CIA had not cooperated fully with federal prosecutors in Atlanta investigating the multi-billion-dollar fraud that benefited Iraq and involved the Italian-owned Banca Nazionale del Lavoro.

He told Gonzalez to come forward with any evidence he might have, adding, "If no such evidence exists, I urge that the record be promptly corrected."

In a letter dated July 28, Gonzalez denied that he had disclosed a "top secret" document, saying his staff did not have clearance to view such materials. "Your insinuation that I have revealed top-secret, compartmentalized information is inflammatory and without merit," he said. He added that information in his statements on the House floor "in no way harmed the national security or revealed sensitive sources and methods."

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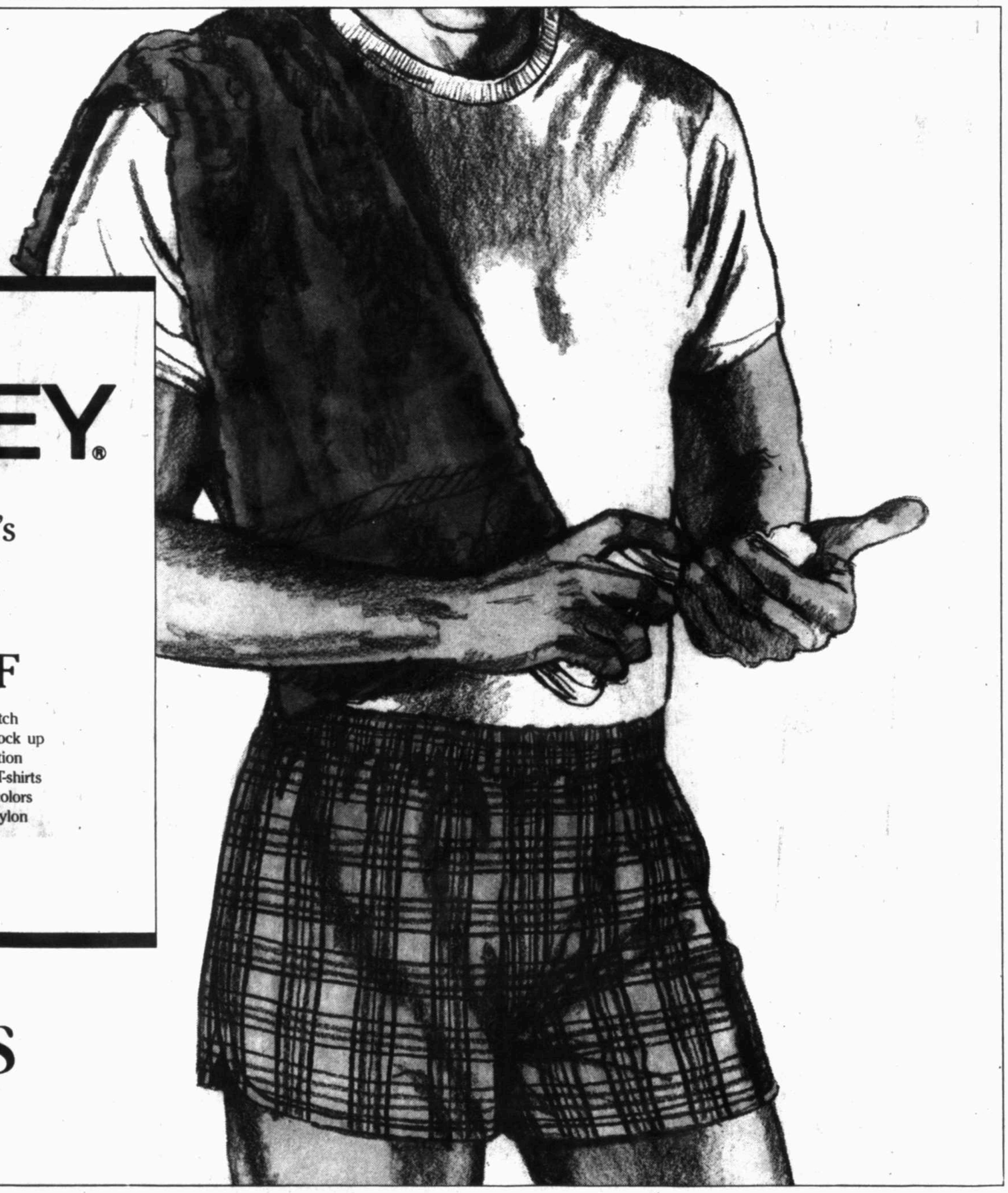
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Gunmen kill 5 while nation prepares for strike

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — Gunmen opened fire on taxi vans in downtown Johannesburg, killing five people and wounding 11, police said Saturday.

The attack Friday night came as the nation prepared for a national strike beginning Monday called by the African National Congress and its allies.

President F.W. de Klerk's government has warned that the strike and other protests planned by the ANC could spark violence because of high political tensions in the country.

The black group says its protests will be peaceful, and that political opponents might foment violence to try to hurt the ANC alliance.

Ten U.N. officials were scheduled to monitor the strike, a result of the 10-day visit to South Africa by U.N. envoy Cyrus Vance that ended Friday.

Vance, the former U.S. secretary of state, was dispatched to try to revive political talks between the ANC and the white government. The ANC broke off the talks in June to protest escalating political violence.

Police said the attacks on the taxi vans, a major mode of transport for blacks, followed sporadic shooting incidents in the area earlier Friday night. More than 8,000 blacks have died in political violence since de Klerk took office in 1989 and launched reforms aimed at ending apartheid.

The government blames the violence on a power struggle between the ANC and the Zulu-dominated Inkatha Freedom Party, the two main black groups.

Colleges admit more freshmen who can pay

BEIJING (AP) — A record number of freshmen will enter Chinese colleges in September because of a new policy allowing some to pay tuition, an official news report said Saturday.

Chinese colleges have offered free tuition for decades, and enrollment has been tightly limited because of inadequate funds. In recent years, however, the government has put pressure on colleges to find their own funding, and they have begun admitting some students on a paying basis.

The state-run Xinhua News Agency said this year's freshman class will number a record 720,000, up from about 620,000 last year, because schools are admitting 100,000 paying students.

They will pay 2,000 yuan, or $370, per year, almost a year's wages for most urban workers. China's growing numbers of well-off private businessmen are expected to be willing pay that much and more for a coveted college education for their children.

Nearly 3 million high school graduates nationwide compete every year for the few available college seats. Admission is determined by performance on a nationwide exam and political factors, such as whether an applicant's family has a history of political problems.

Xinhua said the paying students also have to score well on the exam. However, they can pick their own majors and will not be assigned jobs upon graduation, giving them a freedom non-paying students are likely to envy.

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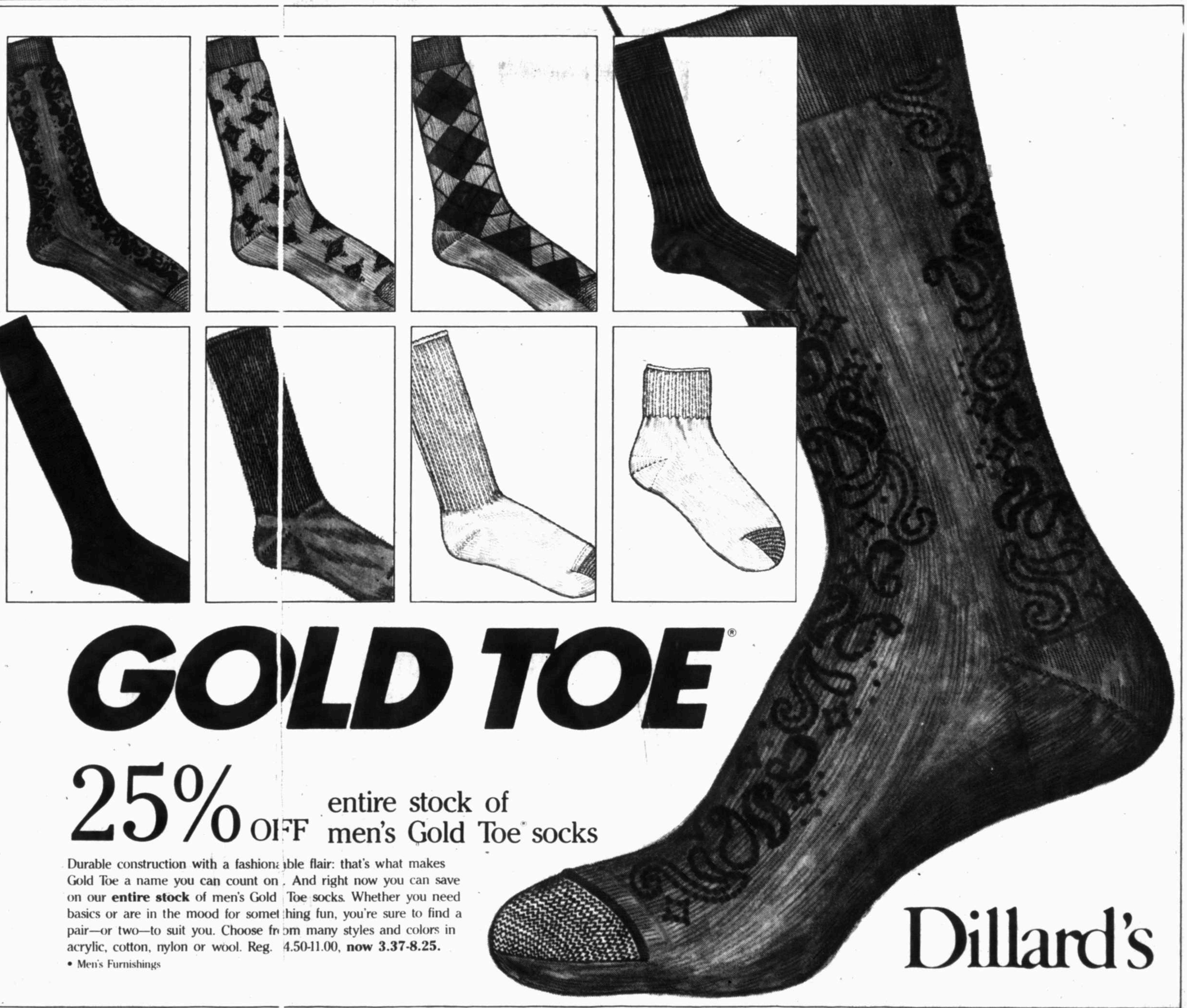

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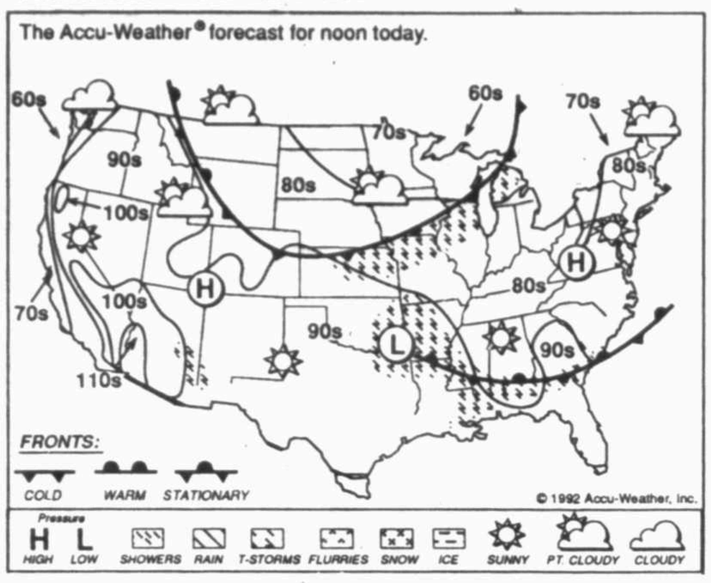

Sunny skies dominate day

Staff report

Today's forecast calls for mostly sunny skies with a high in the mid-90s and winds south 5-15 mph, according to the National Weather Service at Midland International Airport.

Tonight is predicted to be fair with a low in the upper 60s.

Monday's forecast is partly cloudy with a high in the upper 90s, the NWS said.

After an overnight low of 66, Saturday's high was 92, compared to the record high of 105, set in 1944. The record low for today's date is 61, set in 1973.

STATE

Afternoon temperatures in the 90s produced widely scattered showers and thunderstorms Saturday afternoon and evening across portions of North Texas and West Texas.

The National Weather Service said a moist and unstable air mass over North Texas combined with the afternoon heating and a surface frontal boundary to trigger the storm activity.

The weather service said there is a chance for more stormy activity today.

Mid-afternoon temperatures ranged from 87 at Sherman to 99 at Waco.

Partly to mostly cloudy skies were the rule over much of South Texas as the area remained under the influence of a weak upper level ridge of high pressure.

NATION

Thunderstorms swept across parts of the Gulf Coast and Oklahoma on Saturday, and rain was scattered over parts of New England and the Mississippi Valley. Dry weather prevailed across the rest of the nation.

The thunderstorms produced wind gusts of 60 mph in the Purcell, Okla., area.

Heavier rainfall totals for the six-hour period ending at 1 p.m. CDT included 1.16 inches at Enid, Okla., .65 of an inch at Tampa, Fla., and .43 of an inch at Ponca City, Okla.

Temperatures generally reached the 70s and 80s east of the Rockies Saturday, but only reached the 60s along much of the northern Atlantic coast.

Afternoon readings were in the 90s in the Southeast and parts of the Southwest, with much of the West blessed with bright, sunny skies.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Today: Mostly sunny, high in the mid-90s, winds south 5-15 mph.
Tonight: Fair, low in the upper 60s.
Monday: Partly cloudy, high in the upper 90s.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	92 degrees
Overnight Low	66 degrees
Sunset today	8:44 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:06 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	.00 inches
This month to date	1.83 inches
Year to date	17.13 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 p.m.	86	6 a.m.	67
7 p.m.	84	7 a.m.	69
8 p.m.	81	8 a.m.	73
9 p.m.	78	9 a.m.	76
10 p.m.	76	10 a.m.	82
11 p.m.	74	11 a.m.	85
midnight	72	noon	86
1 a.m.	70	1 p.m.	88
2 a.m.	69	2 p.m.	91
3 a.m.	68	3 p.m.	90
4 a.m.	68	4 p.m.	92
5 a.m.	67	5 p.m.	92
		6 p.m.	82

Area forecast

West Texas: Texas panhandle today, partly sunny with a slight chance of afternoon thunderstorms. Highs in the upper 80s and lower 90s. Tonight, partly cloudy with a chance of thunderstorms. Lows around 60. South plains, low rolling plains, today, mostly sunny with highs in the mid-90s. Tonight, partly cloudy with a chance of thunderstorms. Lows in the mid-60s. Permian Basin, Concho Valley, Edwards plateau, today, mostly sunny. Highs in the mid-90s Tonight, fair. Lows in the upper 60s and lower 70s.

Far West Texas : Today, partly cloudy. Highs mid-80s mountains to mid-90s elsewhere. Tonight, fair. Lows mid-50s to upper 60s. Big Bend area, today, partly cloudy with isolated afternoon thunderstorms. Highs from the mid-80s to near 105. Tonight, isolated evening thunderstorms, otherwise fair. Lows from the upper 50s to the mid-70s.

Extended forecast

Tuesday through Thursday

West Texas: Texas panhandle, Partly cloudy days and fair nights. Highs in the upper 80s to lower 90s. Lows in the 60s. South plains, low rolling plains, Partly cloudy days and fair nights. Highs in the lower to mid-90s. Lows in the mid- to upper 60s.

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albuquerque	85	59	.53	clr
Atlanta	86	67	.23	clr
Boston	76	67	.43	clr
Chicago	78	58		cdy
Cleveland	78	60		rn
Denver	88	55		cdy
Detroit	78	53		cdy
Flagstaff	86	50	.03	cdy
Indianapolis	76	53		rn
Kansas City	80	58		cdy
Las Vegas	107	83		cdy
Los Angeles	89	69		cdy
Louisville	80	60		cdy
Memphis	86	67		cdy
Milwaukee	80	60		cdy
Nashville	82	62		cdy
New Orleans	91	73	.07	rn
New York City	80	63	.16	cdy
Oklahoma City	81	68	1.05	rn
Orlando	96	75	.13	rn
Philadelphia	80	63	.06	clr
Phoenix	108	86		clr
Reno	99	54		clr
Sacramento	96	56		clr
St Louis	81	59		cdy
San Francisco	72	55		cdy
Seattle	68	58		cdy
Shreveport	91	72		cdy
Spokane	99	65		cdy
Topeka	82	57		cdy
Tulsa	80	66	.03	rn
Wichita	75	00	.49	cdy

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Alpine	82	62	.81
Amarillo	91	60	
Austin	95	74	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	94	74	.10
Bryan-College Station	97	73	
Corpus Christi	94	76	.06
Dallas	94	74	.22
El Paso	83	66	.09
Fort Worth	94	71	.06
Galveston	89	81	
Houston	95	74	
Laredo	99	77	
Lubbock	92	64	
Marfa	86	58	
Presidio	98	76	.34
San Angelo	96	68	
San Antonio	95	74	
Victoria	97	73	
Waco	100	74	
Wink	93	70	

U.S. troops act as warning, officials say

KUWAIT (AP) — The deployment of additional U.S. soldiers for maneuvers is not in preparation for renewed warfare with Iraq, but a warning on the anniversary of Iraq's invasion, a Kuwaiti defense official said Saturday.

"For Desert Storm there were half a million troops. So what's 5,000?" said Col. Mohammed al-Sirri, spokesman for the Ministry of Defense.

But Crown Prince Saad Abdullah al-Sabah, who is also prime minister, said in an interview with Kuwaiti newspaper editors that all forces in Kuwait were on alert, ready for immediate call-up.

Sunday marks the second anniversary of the Aug. 2, 1990, invasion that led to the Gulf War. An allied coalition led by the United States drove Iraq out of the emirate on Feb. 26, 1991.

Kuwait signed a 10-year defense pact with the United States last year that includes joint maneuvers about every two months to help rebuild Kuwait's military and keep U.S. soldiers ready for the harsh desert environment.

Exercises scheduled for Monday through Aug. 17 originally were to include more than 2,000 soldiers from the Air Force, Marines and Navy. But the Bush administration announced Friday it was sending an additional 2,400 troops.

Defense Secretary Dick Cheney said Saturday the soldiers being sent to the Persian Gulf likely will remain there at least two months.

The training exercise will show Iraqi leader Saddam Hussein the U.S. resolve "to return rapidly to the region in the event of a crisis," Cheney said on CNN's "Newsmaker Saturday."

The defense secretary said that "I just categorically reject" the notion that the action has any connection to shore up President Bush's floundering political fortunes.

Democratic challenger Bill Clinton is leading comfortably in presidential polls.

Cheney said that while there is no specific timetable for how long the troops will remain the gulf region, "they'll probably be there for a couple of months, long enough to be able to get some value out of the exercise."

The decision was made to dispatch the troops now, rather than in September as originally planned, because Saddam refused to allow United Nations inspectors access to Iraq's Agriculture ministry. Records of a suspected covert weapons program were thought to be stored there.

"He's the one who escalated things. It certainly wasn't a choice we made," Cheney said.

"If Saddam Hussein complies with those U.N. resolutions there won't be any talk about Iraq. It's not something we generated. It's something that has been done totally independent of any campaign consideration. And to suggest otherwise really would be — I think is inappropriate."

Sirri said the quick deployment of the extra troops should not be lost on Iraq.

"It does show that they are ready," he said. "The mere fact that they are coming shows that if you can put in a battalion for an exercise, you can put in a battalion for action."

The buildup does not carry the sense of urgency that prevailed after the invasion, when massive C-5 military aircraft began screaming onto the runways of Dhahran, Saudi Arabia, within hours of the agreement to send U.S. troops.

"We are not at that point yet, but Saddam needs to know that this is a possibility," U.S. Ambassador Edward Gnehm told a group of Kuwaiti journalists.

The troop deployment follows the Bush administration's decision to send a battery of Patriot missiles to Kuwait a week ahead of schedule.

Governors draw plan to aid preschool children

PRINCETON, N.J. (NYT) — The National Governors' Association opened its annual meeting Saturday by issuing a bipartisan blueprint for the states to improve children's readiness for school, the nationwide educational goal that had divided Republicans and Democrats.

The report, developed by a panel of governors and corporate executives over the last year, said the states should meet three objectives: more and better preschool programs for all poor and disabled children; improved health and nutrition programs for preschool children, and improved social services to help parents better prepare their children for school. It did not say how much these programs would cost.

In 1990 the governors and the Bush administration adopted six national goals for the year 2000, saying schools would need to meet them all if the nation was to remain competitive.

There was wide agreement that improving readiness was the most important because so many children start school with health and family problems that hinder their ability to learn and that plague them throughout their schooling. But the governors were divided on how to measure readiness and on what steps to take to attain it.

Saturday the panel seemingly resolved that dispute with its bipartisan report, which also listed 14 benchmarks the states could use to measure their progress.

"Too many children are not prepared to start school," said Gov. George V. Voinovich, a Republican from Ohio and chairman of the committee that produced the readiness report. But he said the recommendations and benchmarks offered in the report were "based on the premise that education and school readiness are the best investments we can make."

The four-day governors' meeting will also address health, fiscal and economic-development issues, but the emphasis will be on education, which has attracted special interest in this election year.

President Bush has proclaimed himself the "education president," and his administration, with the governors' association, conceived the six national goals.

The five other goals are: to make American students the best in the world in science and math; to improve high school graduation rates by 90 percent; to have students leaving the fourth, eighth and 12th grades demonstrate competency in a basic academic curriculum; and to ensure that every adult will be literate and every school will be free of violence and drugs.

In their discussions on the readiness goal, Democrats generally favored programs that would enlist parents in teaching their preschool children basic skills that would help prepare them for school. Republicans said that such programs would infringe on the privacy and values of families.

There was also discord over money, with Democrats calling for more federal spending on the Head Start program for disadvantaged youngsters.

Although some differences still exist, particularly on how much money should be spent on the readiness goal, Republican and Democratic governors said they resolved their significant differences through a series of meetings.

Bush launches TV ads in re-election campaign

By Mitchell Landsberg
Associated Press writer

NEW YORK — President Bush opens the television phase of his re-election race Monday, with campaign planners promising to advertise only on programs compatible with his brand of family values.

So don't look for Bush ads on Murphy Brown. But the campaign apparently does like Mary Tyler Moore.

While the Bush camp is silent on where the ads will appear and when, at least one station — KCTV in Kansas City, Mo. — is set to air one of the campaign spots on a MTM anniversary special Friday on CBS.

Bush aides have already said in letters to the three major networks that the 30- and 60-second spots will appear only on shows that are in keeping with the campaign's family values theme.

That apparently leaves out Murphy Brown, whose decision to have a child out of wedlock became the target of a speech by Vice President Quayle on family values.

But plans do call for airing the spots on the Olympics and pre-season football.

And in general, Bush's advertising will be peppered throughout the day and evening schedules on stations in midwestern states considered crucial to his re-election, including Michigan, Ohio, Missouri and Wisconsin.

One Bush commercial shows the president calling on voters to elect a Congress that will pass a balanced budget amendment and recharge the economy, according to a television executive who saw the ads.

Bob Sliva, the national sales manager of station WXYZ in Detroit, said the other spot showed Bush enumerating three principles needed for change: cutting government waste, upholding family values and respect for the law.

The Bush-Quayle campaign has to spend a $7 million primary campaign surplus before the Republican convention, which begins Aug. 17 in Houston.

Although the campaign bought some ads on Cable News Network, most of the money went to local stations.

Bill Clinton hasn't started advertising on television yet. When he does, his campaign will choose television shows based primarily on their audience, not their moral values, Democratic strategist Mandy Grunwald said.

The Bush campaign stirred controversy last month when its advertising agency, the November Co., sent letters to the networks, asking them to evaluate the moral values of their programs and decide which were appropriate for the president's ads.

The letters — and the response from CBS — were reported in Advertising Age magazine in early July.

"We cannot and will not take responsibility for determining which of our shows you might consider 'reflective' or non-reflective of the president's moral values," wrote Mary Lou Jennerjahn, the CBS vice president for administration.

Her letter was addressed to Mark McLaughlin, media director for the November Co.

McLaughlin won't talk about the letter, but some political advertising executives have expressed amazement at what they consider its naivete.

They say it may be the sign of a troubled campaign.

Perhaps the sharpest reaction came from Catherine Farrell, who helped buy advertising time for Bush's 1988 campaign and Ronald Reagan's 1984 campaign.

"What he's saying is: We only want to be in 'nice' programs, 'sweet' programs, right? Your largest audience is — I hate to say it — in the most violent, sexy programs," Farrell said.

And if Farrell were advising the campaign? "I would definitely buy Murphy Brown."

SUPREME: Court approves Haitian repatriations

(From 1A)

On Wednesday the federal appeals court in New York, overturning a ruling in June by a federal judge in Brooklyn, decided 2-1 that that such protection indeed extends beyond American territory.

President Bush issued a directive in May ordering that Haitians fleeing in boats for the United States be halted by the Coast Guard and escorted back to their shores without being interviewed by immigration officials on their reason for fleeing. Since then the exodus from Haiti has largely stopped.

Some 37,000 Haitians had been picked up by the Coast Guard since a military coup overthrew Haiti's president, the Rev. Jean-Bertrand Aristide, on Sept. 30, 1991, and thousands were being housed at an American naval base at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba.

But at the end of June, the administration suspended its Coast Guard program of intercepting the refugees at sea and proceeded to empty the Cuban camp, sending those who qualified for asylum to the United States and those who did not back to Haiti.

Critics of the repatriation policy called it a violation of internationally recognized human rights. The administration has maintained, however, that the fleeing Haitians are escaping economic conditions, not political repression.

Eight federal judges have ruled on whether the immigration legislation at issue extends beyond American territory and they have been evenly divided, four concluding the statute does apply in international waters and four deciding it does not.

In its action Saturday the Supreme Court gave the Justice Department until Aug. 24 to defend its policy and two more weeks for lawyers representing the Haitians to sumbit their response. The department has maintained that reversing the policy would lead to a mass exodus of refugees.

But lawyers for the Haitians said Saturday that they intended to ask for an expedited hearing before the court, given the imminent threat to their clients.

"We're going to ask the Supreme Court to hear the case on an expedited basis because of the daily harm to our clients who are being forced to return to Haiti," said Lucas Guttentag, the director of the immigration rights project in New York for the American Civil Liberties Union.

PLEA: Departing ambassador urges democracy to Haitians

(From 1A)

"A loaded donkey does not stand still," the Creole-speaking Adams had said, quoting a Haitian proverb. The phrase was interpreted to mean the United States would not stop its push toward free elections.

From then on, in the press, in country fields and on city streets, Adams was known — sometimes affectionately, sometimes with exasperation — as Bourik Chaje, Creole for "the loaded donkey."

During a popular uprising in March 1990, Adams persuaded Avril to go into exile.

Elections finally did come, financed and supervised by the international community, in December 1990. But less than eight months after President Jean-Bertrand Aristide was inaugurated, he was toppled by the army.

Adams accompanied Aristide on his flight into exile and stood at his side while hundreds of soldiers taunted the first democratically elected president in 187 years of independence.

"Adams cared about our country, he was not indifferent; his concern is not that of your run-of-the mill diplomat," said human-rights activist Jean-Claude Bajeux. Still, Bajeux, like many Aristide supporters, questions whether Washington sincerely wants Aristide to return to office.

"The U.S. was disappointed when their candidate, Marc Bazin, lost in a landslide to Aristide," Bajeux said. "Now, ironically, Bazin is in power. Adams is leaving, and he has not brought Aristide back."

Bazin, appointed in June by parliament, is leading a military-backed government. Aristide has condemned the appointment.

After the military coup in September 1991, Adams issued such outspoken condemnations that anti-Aristide leaders demanded that the diplomat be declared persona non grata. Ultra-rightists blame him for a trade embargo imposed on Haiti after the coup.

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Heavy machine gun fire kills two orphans outside of Sarajevo

By Tony Smith
Associated Press writer

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina — A bus carrying 50 orphans out of Sarajevo was hit by anti-aircraft fire Saturday night, killing a 2-year-old retarded girl and a 1-year-old boy, the orphanage said.

The bus was driving east out of Sarajevo on a road known as "Sniper Alley" when it came under heavy machine gun fire, said Dusko Tomic, director of the Medjasi Children's Embassy charity.

"It's an absolute catastrophe. No other kids were wounded, but they were all screaming," Tomic said.

The children had been waiting for six days to be evacuated to an orphanage in Bavaria, southern Germany. They were unable to fly out because the Sarajevo airport has been mostly closed for several days by heavy fighting.

On Saturday, Bosnian government forces continued a major counteroffensive aimed at slicing the Serbian noose that has bound the Bosnian capital for months.

Tomic said his group had received no escort from the U.N. protection force that is providing food and medicine to the 300,000 residents of the besieged capital.

The victims were identified as Vedrana Glavas, 2, and Roki Sulejmanovic, 1.

The 48 children who survived the attack, along with 10 adults, were sheltered by nearby families, according to Radio 99, an independent station.

'It's an absolute catastrophe. No other kids were wounded, but they were all screaming.'
—Dusko Tomic

Tomic said the survivors eventually would travel on to Croatia's Adriatic port of Split, where a plane was to take them to Germany.

The U.N. spokesman, Mik Magnusson, said the bus left Sarajevo at 7 p.m., a "daft time" to start off.

He said Serb and Muslim fighters were battling all around at the time as the Bosnian government troops attempt to break the Serb's siege.

Bosnia has become increasingly desperate in recent weeks as it becomes clear that the international community has no plans to intervene militarily to halt the Serb advance that has captured two-thirds of Bosnia.

Croatian radio said late Saturday that 43 people had been killed and 586 wounded in fighting over the last 24 hours, most of it in Sarajevo.

Bosnian radio reported that government forces advanced to Vogosca, northwest of Sarajevo, to try to connect to Muslim forces further west in Visoko and Zenica.

Maj. Dervo Harbinja, a senior Sarajevo defense official, told reporters territorial forces also had surrounded the Serb-held town of Ilijas, fruther to the northwest.

And the Belgrade-based Tanjug news agency quoted Bosnian Serb sources as saying four Serb soldiers were killed and three wounded in an attack by 2,000 Bosnian militia on Trnovo, 25 miles south of the capital.

At least 7,500 people and as many as 50,000 have died since Bosnia's Muslims and Croats voted for independence from Serb-led Yugoslavia on Feb. 29.

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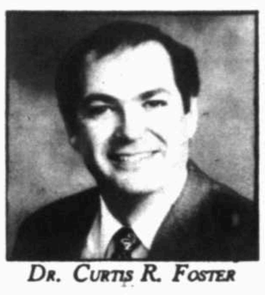

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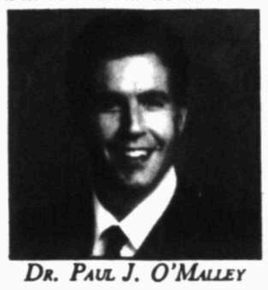

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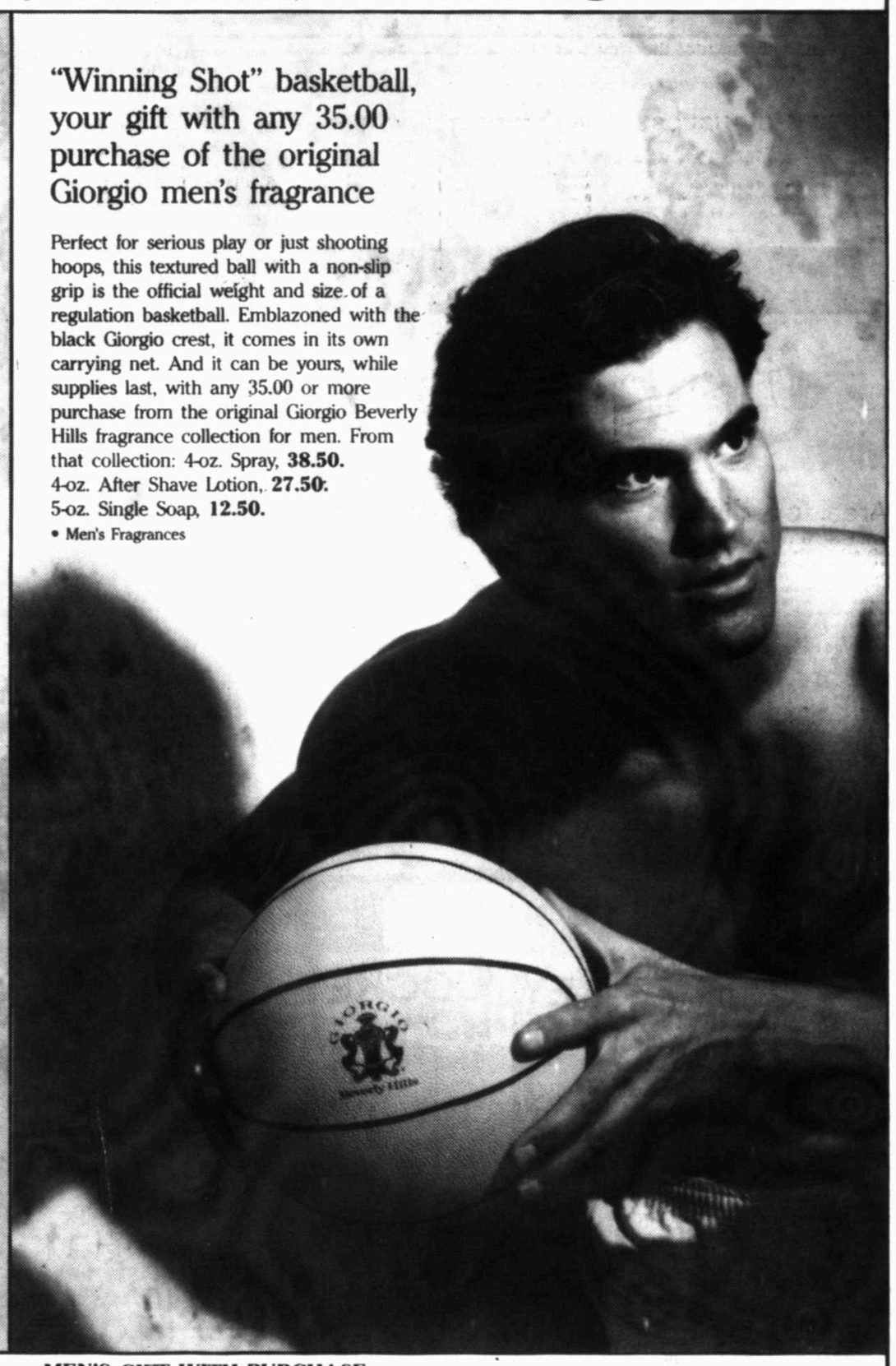

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Two scientists show skepticism of possible new AIDS-like virus

PARIS (NYT) — Two prominent scientists have cast doubt on the significance of a report of a possible new virus causing an AIDS-like disease.

The report, which is being published this month in the Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences and was submitted by Dr. Sudhir Gupta of the University of California at Irvine, has stirred public fear that a potentially fatal virus may be transmitted from person to person and through the nation's blood supply.

Dr. Ludwik Gross, the 88-year-old National Academy of Sciences member from New York who sponsored Gupta's report in the science academy's proceedings, now says he has second thoughts about having done so.

Gross said in an interview that he "wanted to brake the scare" that resulted from publicity about the report and allay "unwarranted conclusions" that led the public to fear that an AIDS-like virus was on the loose.

"Too much has been made of the finding," he said, adding that he doubted the illnesses discussed in the report had any link to AIDS.

Gross' caution adds an unusual twist to the bizarre tale of mysterious AIDS-like cases that was re-

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counted last month at an international AIDS conference in Amsterdam. There American and European scientists spoke about a few dozen cases of an AIDS-like illness among individuals who showed no evidence of infection with HIV-1 or HIV-2.

Preliminary reports from three scientists hinting at detection of a possible new virus among such cases aroused wide public concern.

Given the alarming reaction to Gupta's paper, Gross said that he would prefer now not to have sponsored it but that he would not withdraw his support because "there is no way I could do that."

Summarizing his reservations about the significance of Gupta's findings, Gross predicted that "in three years we won't hear anything about it; it'll be gone."

Dr. Luc Montagnier, the French researcher who played crucial roles in the discovery of the two viruses that cause AIDS, HIV-1 and HIV-2, said in an interview at the Pasteur Institute here that he shared Gross' concern and doubts.

"It's interesting work, and it should have been published, but I don't see why there has been so much excitement built up around it," Montagnier said. He said the link to an AIDS-like syndrome "is the weakest point; there is no evidence of such an association."

Gross said he had decided to exercise a privilege of membership in the National Academy of Sciences in introducing Gupta's paper to the proceedings after the findings were reviewed by two independent researchers. Although the reviewers expressed reservations about Gupta's technique and scientific controls, they recommended publication because the findings were fascinating.

An earlier version of the paper was rejected by The New England Journal of Medicine, Gupta said.

He said that after he heard that another scientist had sent a paper about a possible new AIDS-like virus to a different journal, he went to the Academy of Sciences' office in Washington to check the proofs of his article so it could be published in August instead of September.

The academy released Gupta's paper last week before its scheduled publication on Aug. 15 in response to an urgent request from Dr. Anthony S. Fauci, a federal health official, at the meeting in Amsterdam. Fauci, head of the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases, said no time should be wasted in checking out reports that a new virus might be causing some mysterious AIDS-like cases.

Gupta reported that he had detected a virus unlike any of the known human retroviruses in a 66-year-old woman with an AIDS-like illness. Her only apparent risk factor was a blood transfusion she received in 1949 or 1950. Gupta said he had also found the virus in the woman's 38-year-old, healthy daughter.

In a news release, the National Academy of Sciences described Gupta's findings as a newly discovered virus possibly linked to AIDS.

But Gupta insisted in an interview that he has not said the virus is new or linked to AIDS.

Some questions might be answered after Gupta carries out additional studies and sends samples of his virus to other scientists for confirmation.

Cholesterol Discovery Passes Mom's Test

WASHINGTON -- The mother of a research scientist recently lowered her cholesterol more than 20% without changing her eating habits.

After a visit to her doctor, a Florida woman learned that her cholesterol level was an elevated 308 and she was encouraged to change her eating habits. When she returned 10 weeks later, the doctor was astounded that her cholesterol level had dropped to 243. Asked if she achieved the amazing results just by dieting she replied, "No I didn't diet at all, in fact I ate the things I shouldn't eat like bacon, sausage and ice cream. The only thing I did different was take some tablets my son gave me."

The woman's son is Dr. William Morris, director of research and development at National Dietary Research, an organization that seeks nutritional solutions to health problems. Dr. Morris admits that the tablets called Vancol 5000 were designed as a dietary supplement to be used with a low fat diet plan. "She just wanted to put the tablets to the test," says Dr. Morris. "Of course I was pleased with the results she achieved, but now we're working on reducing some of the fat in her diet to lower her cholesterol even further."

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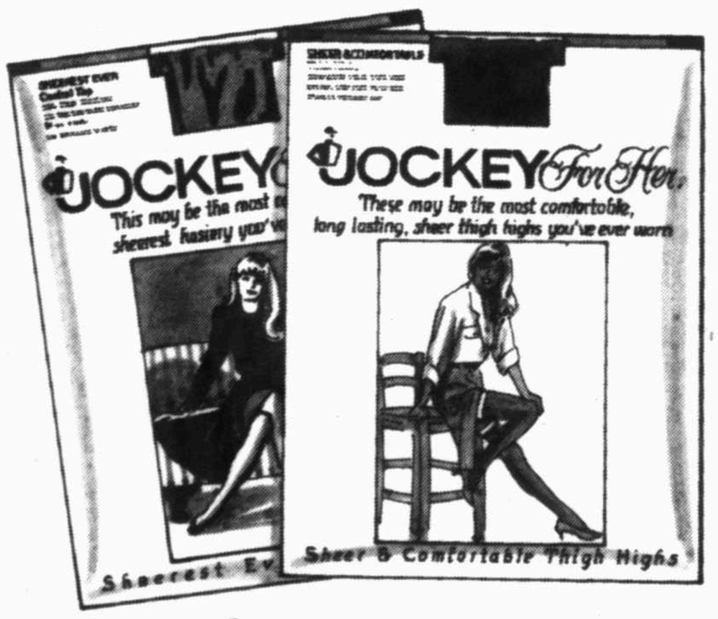

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Scythe of death cuts through Somalia

BAIDAO, Somalia (AP) — Huge eyes stared blankly from the wizened faces of the doomed, the very young and very old who would die this day or the next of starvation and illness.

"That one there, and that one. They will die. It's too late to save them."

The words came unemotionally from Anita Ennis, 33, an Irish nurse, as she pointed at two tiny victims of war and drought at a feeding center in Baidoa, central Somalia.

Ennis has seen a lot of death, and steels herself against it.

But there is anger in her, anger at what she sees as a tardy, inadequate response by the rest of the world to the tragedy engulfing Somalia.

By U.N. estimate, 1.5 million people are in imminent risk of dying of hunger in Somalia and 4.5 million more are near the edge of starvation.

That means virtually everyone in this largely desert nation in the Horn of Africa has fallen victim to a disaster predicted by U.N. and other experts as long as 10 months ago. Yet only on July 27 did the U.N. Security Council authorize massive relief, and it will take weeks for the aid to start flowing.

The Security Council acted only after Secretary-General Boutros Boutros-Ghali chastized it for focusing too much on "a rich man's war" in Yugoslavia.

Nobody can say how many people have died in Somalia, but Peter Stocker of the International Committee of the Red Cross puts the number in the hundreds of thousands. Total deaths in Yugoslavia are reported to be at least 17,500, possibly up to three or four times that.

Stocker, U.N. officials and others say they cannot give a precise figure for Somalia, or even a good rough estimate, because clan warfare has kept them out of large parts of the stricken country.

All agree, however, that the tragedy is approaching the scale of the famine that killed more than 1 million people in Ethiopia in 1984-85.

It already is proportionately bigger. Ethiopia has a population of about 50 million, many times that of Somalia.

"The difference here is that we don't have any rock stars singing about it," said Mohamed Sahnoun, the U.N. special envoy to Somalia.

He referred to a globally televised concert that helped focus international attention on the Ethiopian crisis and brought an outpouring of donations.

If the full scope of Somalia's tragedy cannot be known, it can be seen in Baidoa, once an agricultural center of 60,000, now peopled mostly by the displaced and hungry.

Dr. Siad Musa Aden, 38, a native of Baidoa who works for the U.N. Children's Fund, said 300 to 500 people were dying daily in and around the town, most of them children and the elderly.

"This is not the Baidoa I knew," Aden said. "It is a city of graves and refugees."

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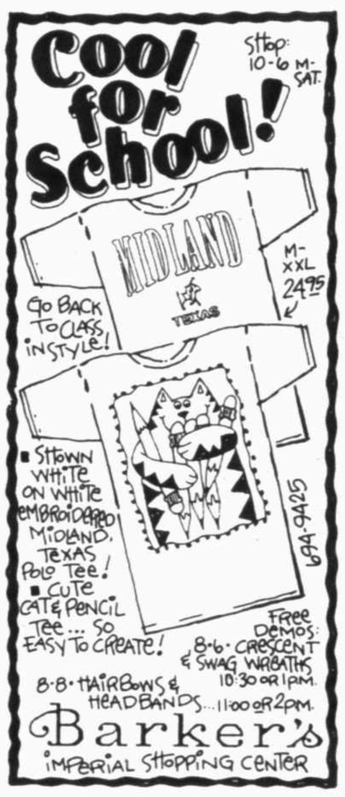

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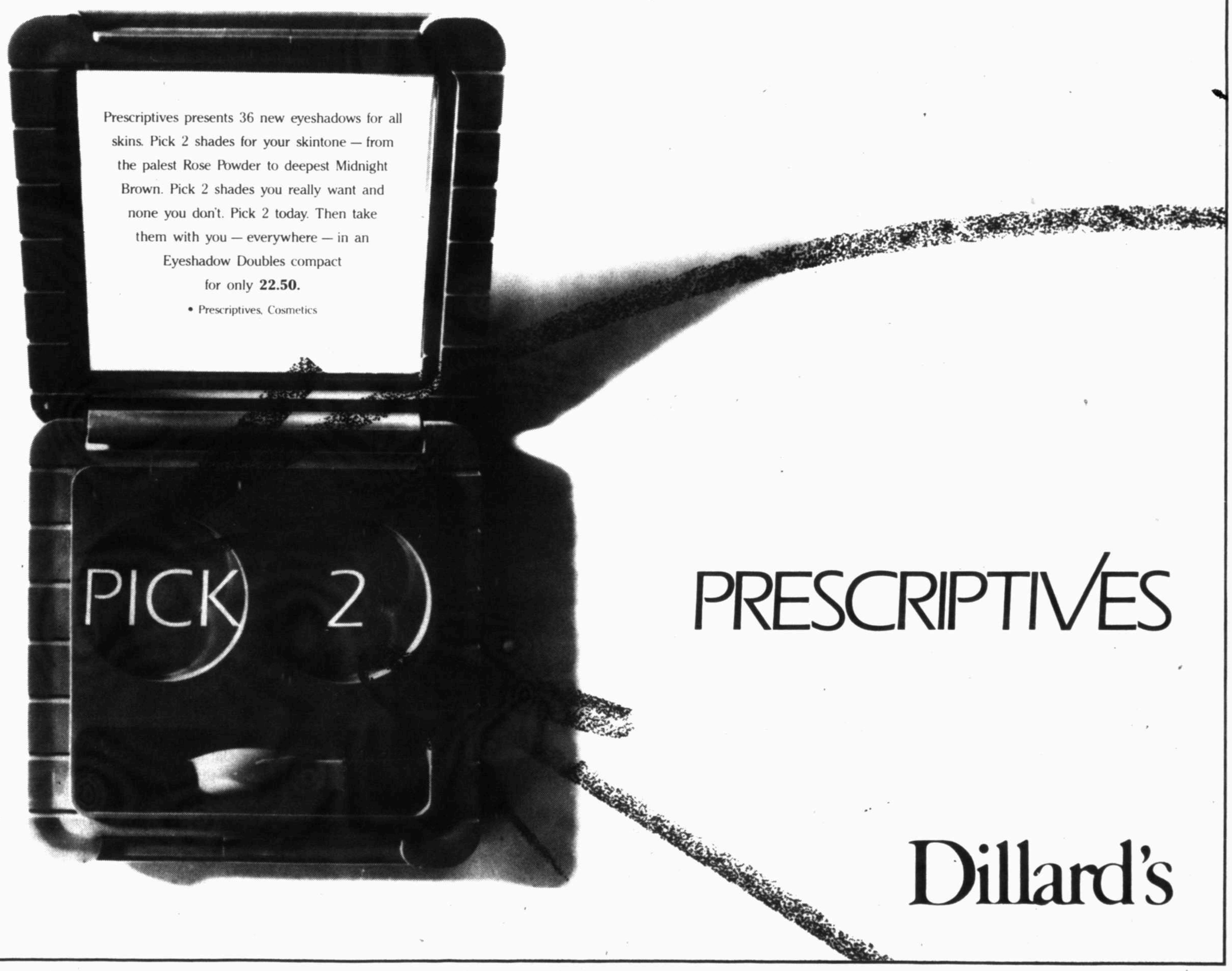

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least not until it was time to purchase it.

"We carry $2 million in liability because management companies won't take any less," Ms. Carpenter said.

The trio also found out that the cost of insuring a security firm is four times more than that paid by other businesses because company employees carry guns and use cars.

"Insurance was at least 50 percent of our start-up costs," said Carpenter, who is learning the business through Dougharty and his wife, both of whom had worked together at another security outfit that eventually was sold.

That left two companies in town.

"We felt we could give them some competition," Carpenter said.

Today, Protective Services provides security to real estate property management companies and industrial facilities, including downtown office buildings, many of which require manning at night.

Ms. Carpenter, who also is employed part time with an alarm company, said she was certain the demand for another security company was there when she began receiving calls at work from clients searching for other alternatives.

The company later capitalized on those contacts through referrals in addition to making door-to-door solicitations.

The owners also formulated a business plan for future capitalization prospects.

"When we started to really look at this (the business plan), it gave us a lot more to think about. As far as I'm concerned it really helped. I know it provided me with a little more confidence going into it," Carpenter said.

And to keep costs down, the company operates out of the Carpenter's home.

"This isn't a business where the clients come to you. When there's a problem, you go to their business or facility," Dougharty said. "If it's a change in a security procedure, it's handled over the phone. So when it came to cutting costs, we thought we could save some by officing here."

And as the trio is finding out, it's a 24-hour-a-day business, seven days a week — even with five employees.

"Until we can get this thing going to where it will pay us a living, I'll come in on weekends to do a patrol or a 'walk-through,' " Carpenter said. "And, that's basically to give them (Dougharty and his wife) a break because they're at it everyday."

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Wesley Balkum (left) and brother Wiley Balkum

Repairing the patch

Eight months old and a little wiser, B&B Enterprises has learned a lot about the nature of its business and the people it does business with.

"You hope that when things turn around and go the right way that you can climb the ladder a lot faster than the people you worked for," said owner Wiley Balkum, whose company sandblasts, paints and coats oil tank batteries and heater treaters.

"I felt if I offered top quality work, guaranteed it and did it at a competitive rate, people would beat down my door," he said.

Then reality set in.

"A lot of times that (alone) doesn't get your foot in the door. The new kid on the block doesn't always get the breaks."

What Balkum found in his quest to dig up new accounts were long- standing relationships that existed between the companies he wanted to do business with and his competition.

"Up to this point, it's gone fairly well, but it's taken a lot longer than I thought. I planned on six months, but I may be looking at a year," he said.

When he's not out on the job, Balkum can be seen pounding the pavement in his street clothes going door to door to drum up business.

And while some of his endeavors have paid off, others have

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Waiting for the icing

Susan Gaethje had been decorating cakes in her home for 17 years before her customers urged her to take stock in herself and open a shop of her own.

While Ms. Gaethje still doesn't have the shop, she is optimistic the Small Business Administration will come through with a loan guarantee in the next month for "It's A Party."

The dual-operation, which will sell cakes as well as party supplies and gift items, is a "one-stop shop" that Ms. Gaethje plans to lease space for.

"I wanted to add a retail store to a bakery. This would pretty much give people the ability to do a whole party in one stop from buying decorations to gifts to wrapping paper. Everything. That's my idea."

Ms. Gaethje, who was tentative about the idea at the start, has already seen first-hand the ups and downs of a small business. After she and a partner agreed to the business, bought the equipment, completed a business plan and then sold the idea to Texas National, the partner pulled out.

"It was frustrating," Ms. Gaethje said. "I wanted to back out. It was hard work just getting it together to start with. When I lost my partner, I felt like I had slid back, but now I'm ready to go."

Ms. Gaethje ended up buying out her partner and reworking her business plan as well as her SBA application.

But even before the split, Ms. Gaethje was ready to go.

Although she had nothing but a few of her own supplies in the beginning, she soon came across a similar business that wanted out. She purchased the business — equipment and supplies — for $5,000.

"So we ended up going to them (the bank) with more than we had. I also purchased the fixtures from Revco (Drug Store) when they went out and I've bought other things as I've gone along."

Ms. Gaethje said her husband, Russell, an employee of Phillips Petroleum, has been supportive of her efforts from the start.

Now it is just a matter of time.

"I've been to Dallas. I've been to the market. I've gotten all the books from all the suppliers. I've talked with the sales reps. I've even gotten orders made up for every company so that when the loan comes through, those orders can go out that day. I'm just waiting to go."

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Susan Gaethje

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Business plan is essential in making loan applications

By Chris Van Wagenen
Staff writer

When Lynn Fite and his partner Chris Lackey were on their last leg, it was a business plan that eventually sold Texas Commerce Bank (TCB) on the company's livelihood.

Fite, president of Safety Instrumentation Inc., said if it hadn't been for a friend, he never would have heard about Midland College's Small Business Economic Development Center.

"My first thought was I didn't really want to go through with this because it was such long, drawn out process," said Fite, whose company sells, services and manufactures instruments for the detection of hydrogen sulfide gas.

But when it was all said and done, Fite put together an extensive business plan aimed at selling bankers on his fledgling concern.

"I began to realize that if I were a banker in this community and a small business came to me, I would like to see that they took the time and effort of putting a plan together and were serious about it."

Fite, who had tried earlier to get his foot in the door, finally succeeded in convincing TCB to lend the company the money it needed to purchase an office building on West Kentucky Avenue.

"They liked what they saw. Consequently they loaned us the money to buy the building," he said.

Today, Safety Instrumentation, which was almost a victim of the oil bust, is making inroads, despite a precarious economy. "Making this company survive was the ultimate thing for us," Fite said.

AND MAKING IT as an entrepreneur without a business plan is virtually impossible, unless a new business founder is willing to dish the equity up front, according to bankers and small business experts.

But what is a business plan and what is its function, particularly where capital is a foremost concern?

While such plans vary in type and size, their purpose is two-fold:

- It familiarizes the lender with the scope and nature of the idea as well as its feasibility.
- It serves as a management tool, allowing a business to chart future growth and performance.

According to small business experts, a well-documented plan will provide at least two years of projected revenues and expenses, an outline of company goals as well as other data relating to service demand, competition and marketing strategies.

"If the deal makes sense, if they have experience and a business plan, I'll see them right away," said Garth Wright, vice president of commercial lending for First City Bank. "Our desire level goes way up."

Karl Painter, director of the Small Business Development Center (SBDC) — an arm of the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) located at the Center of Energy and Economic Diversification in Midland, agreed with this assessment.

"No one will look at you without one (a business plan)," Painter said. "Ten years ago, that might have been possible, but with the advent of the banking crisis, the banks have had to change their policies."

THESE DAYS, PAINTER said loan officers are more concerned about what's in writing than past relationships simply because government regulatory agencies now demand more documentation.

"With a business plan, we help them with their projections and give the bank the statistics they need to help them get a loan," Painter said. "We'll even go with them (to the bank) to help make their presentations."

John Grist, president and chief executive officer of Midland American Bank, said a good business plan also will contain a detailed financial statement, including cash flow information.

Grist said such data allows the lender an opportunity to better assess the borrower and his or her ability to repay. "But it doesn't necessarily mean they can't get a loan without one," he added.

Although that may be the case at some banks, the same can't be said for the SBA, which offers guarantees up to $750,000 on loans made by the private sector.

According to Dennis McCaghey, SBA's financial division chief in Lubbock, a business plan is a prerequisite where any type of financing is concerned.

"What we provide is a comfort level for these financial institutions. They're just looking for some protection," McCaghey said.

Of the total number of loan guarantees processed by the SBA in 1991, 40 percent went toward new business start-ups. Remaining capital was earmarked for helping existing small businesses expand.

"THE GENERAL IDEA behind these guarantees is to keep the loans active, to keep the businesses in business so that there are no out-of-pocket expenses on anyone's part," he said.

McCaghey said business plans also serve as a blueprint for discussion, answering questions such as:

- What kind of sales can the business expect to generate?
- How much of a financial stake does the business have in the operation?
- What kind of management ability does the borrower bring to the table?
- Do the figures presented add up in relation to the type of business they are in?

"We have working models here (at SBA) to test against anyone's projections," McCaghey said. "The big thing is, 'do they have enough expertise and equity in the venture?' The more equity you have built in, the more apt you are to find a lender who will show an interest in it."

Bob Southerland, president and chief executive officer of Community National Bank, said there is no question that the more equity a business has to offer the better the chances are of securing a loan.

"To be truthful, it's a lot tougher these days to get a start-up loan than it was 10 years ago. A business plan is required documentation. It's required by the guaranteeing agencies and it's basically required by lenders, who might want to do it (a loan) on their own."

CERTAINLY SUSAN Gaethje learned the importance of a business plan.

Ms. Gaethje, who is currently waiting on SBA loan approval for a one-stop party shop called "It's A Party," said most people are not aware of the requirement.

"I guess there was a time when you could get a $50,000 loan without ever providing these (business) projections, but you do need one now and they are a lot of work."

In formulating her own plan, Ms. Gaethje received assistance through the SBDC.

In addition to projections and financial statements, her plan included a picture book of cakes she planned to sell as well as gift items. "I put it together to show them that I knew what I was doing. They went through four years of projections and four years of income statements, stock certificates . . . everything," she said.

Mark Williamson, senior vice president of Texas Commerce Bank's loan division, said business plans don't just benefit the lender.

"It also forces entrepreneurs to think, to come up with the numbers they'll not only need for start-up costs, but surviving costs because most businesses don't turn a profit in the first day, let alone the first year."

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presented new problems — problems neither he nor his bank, Texas National — had planned on, namely late bill payers.

Some who agreed to 30 to 60 days have stretched that limit to 120 days and beyond. "So cash flow has been a problem at times," he said, "I have one company that's owed me a large amount of money for six months."

Balkum said if he had any advice for an entrepreneur looking at the service sector it would be nailing down the customer to a "commitment" first.

"I'd also tell them to watch every nickel and dime because you never know when another company is going to go into Chapter 11 or just out of business."

Despite the setbacks, Balkum said he remains confident, even though the hours sometimes seem endless.

"A lot of times you go to the post office and find one check and 17 bills and a lot of times it goes the other way. What I hope to do in the next five years is hire a salesman, a secretary, a field foreman and two field crews."

Big ambitions, but then the sky is the limit when you are the boss.

Getting down to the core

Dennis Yeager left his family and Houston for West Texas.

Today, he and his partner, Mark Price, are cashing in on a niche they hope will remain fruitful.

"I never had aspirations of being self-employed, other than I saw this as an opportunity," said the manager of Diamond Oil Well Drilling Co. (DOWDCO). "I'm just hoping once oil operators are aware of us they'll use us because we intend to be here in the future."

DOWDCO — a core sampling company that originated in Midland — had been bought and divested several times before Yeager was able to re-acquire the name and re-incorporate it.

"What I found over the last few years with these major companies was that coring was no longer a priority," he said.

Not only was his employer de-emphasizing its coring service, but other coring service companies were following major producers in shifting their focus overseas.

"Consequently, we shut down a lot of U.S. offices, so I felt there was a niche being vacated."

Yeager, with the help of Price, who was an original partner in DOWDCO, had an inventory of equipment and bits to start the company rolling.

And roll it did.

"When we started April 1, we thought we had enough inventory to get by for the first 120 to 180 days, but our business just took off. We're well ahead of our original plan," he said.

In fact, so much so, the company was able to secure additional equipment through revenues and profits in addition to securing a line of credit with Midland American Bank.

"I was real impressed with their (the bank's) attitude and willingness to take a look at things," said Yeager, who praised the institution's help, counsel and support.

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Dennis Yeager (left) and partner Mark Price

Yeager said he wrestled with the decision to leave Houston. "Certainly my wife and I discussed it over a long period of time. It was a major decision. We knew we would have to leave and uproot, but we weighed all the pros and cons. The pros exceeded the cons."

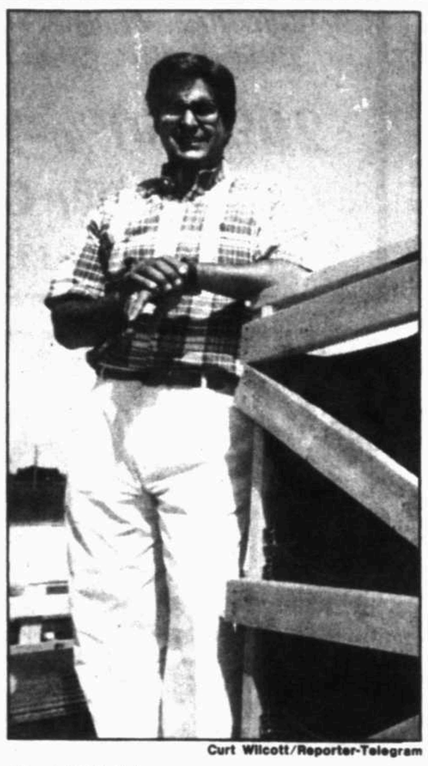
Since re-acquiring the name, Yeager said DOWDCO has been a door opener for the business, especially among those independents who were familiar with it.

Although somewhat surprised at the initial success, Yeager said one thing the business has going for it is the fact that it is not tied to rig activity. "There are a lot of reasons for taking a core and the demand at this moment is pretty great."

One of those reasons has to do with the independents' interest in acquiring new production as the majors continue to sell off. "When they are at a point of evaluating them, more coring is going to go on."

Yeager said the hours he puts into the business are no different than when he worked for someone else. "But it means a lot more now than it did with another company."

As for advice to others, he left it simple: "Be prepared to make sacrifices ... review your options. Go into something you're familiar with, not only the product and service, but the market and competition."



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David Webb

Raising the roof

David Webb used to be a manufacturing representative.

But in February 1991, Webb decided to go out on his own after B.F. Goodrich Co. made a strategic decision to get out of the rubber roofing business, thus ending a relationship with its subsidiary.

Webb was eventually offered another position in Lubbock, but opted against it even after being guaranteed a healthy salary.

"At the time I had a newborn on the way, so you can imagine what it was like to trade that security for this," said Webb, president of Progressive Building Products.

Today, the Cotton Flat Road company produces customized fabricated roofing products used in modular office design manufacturing.

Six months ago, Webb expanded the company's role, producing architectural grade steel roofing panels, which could represent nearly two-thirds of its annual sales volume.

"You never get anywhere without trying, but there were a lot of questions," said Webb, who eventually secured financing through private venture capital and a joint Small Business Administration/Midland Economic Development Co. Loan guarantee.

Ironically, SBA had no first hand experience in the business to fall back on when Webb first presented his plan. "But it sounded like a great idea to them and the market appeared to be there." Like other start-ups, Webb said he was probably undercapitalized when he entered the business.

"But that's something very common to new businesses," he said. "We thought we could come right out of the blocks and hit some pretty decent sales."

But reality soon struck home.

What the company had not counted on was the lag time from the point it started until the first actual sales came in. "And we were still trying to perfect our fabrication process. It looked pretty simple, but we encountered some initial problems."

"I had one salesman for the eastern part of the United States and one salesman for the west, and that was me," Webb said, adding that he was fortunate to have prior sales contacts to fall back on.

Like other small businesses, the daily grind is constant.

For every $100,000 sales month, there is a $30,000 one that follows. "It's just a constant battle. You almost have to be a warrior. We're starting to come out of it, but a lot of that has to do with our second product line."

Webb said he rarely sleeps, waking up in the middle of the night, only to catch a hour before it's time to get back to work. "That's not one of the better parts of it," he said.

But not everyday goes without rewards.

"A lot of it goes back to being an old salesman. You have the thrill of the chase . . . of getting that large customer . . . of catching him and then doing it all again."

DREAM: Small business has become big business in America

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cently and he was surprised I hadn't been back to him for more money," Webb said. "But it's (the work) constant. It's everyday. You almost have to be a warrior."

■ Wiley Balkum got tired of climbing company ladders only to hit dead ends. Eight months ago, the Midland businessman started B&B Enterprises, a company involved in the sandblasting, painting and coating of oil tank batteries and heater treaters as well as fiberglass repair.

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However, the reality was, it didn't happen that way.

"The new kid on the block doesn't always get the breaks. Up to this point, it's gone fairly well. But it's taken a lot longer than I thought."

Despite the rigors of going it alone and the daily challenges that accompany that decision, hundreds of thousands of entrepreneurs remain adamant in their quest for independence.

In a global economy, where "downsizing" and "reorganization" are the new catch words, blue-chip companies from IBM to General Motors Corp. are doing more with less in an effort to shore up foundering sales and profits.

EVEN IN THE oil patch — where in the past having a job with a major oil company meant having a job for life — employees can no longer automatically be assured of security, particularly now that many companies are focusing their attention overseas.

These days, small business has become big business in America.

According to the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA), small businesses account for 58 percent of the private U.S. workforce and 40 percent of the country's gross national product.

"You have to admire them," Mark Williamson, a senior vice president with Texas Commerce Bank said. "Personally, I'm not a risk taker. I need that steady paycheck, so I respect those people who want to be their own boss and run their own show."

Small businesses also act as the hiring catalyst that trains nine out of every 10 of America's new private sector workers, according to the U.S. Census Bureau.

And that is despite a recent drop in those new ventures.

Part of that decline can be attributed to the upfront capital requirements that are a prerequisite among banks and the SBA, which acts as the guarantee-agency for thousands of loans.

"CAPITAL IS ALWAYS a primary deterrent in forming a small business," Texas National Bank President Wayne Merritt said. "There's never a shortage of ideas, but you can't count on your ideas as the only equity you have."

Banks also have to consider the risk factor.

Although figures vary, the SBA estimates only 50 percent of all new start-ups survive their first year of operation. By the 10th year, 80 to 90 percent of those will have failed.

"When you're dealing with a start-up, your No. 1 concern is, 'Can this guy make it work?' " said Garth Wright, vice president, commercial lending, at First City Bank. "Does he have the charisma, ability, work ethic and capital to get it done?"

Wright, who is no stranger to new ideas, said the problem with many new ventures is that would-be entrepreneurs are still wrestling with the basic questions of how the business is going to operate, long after such homework should have been completed.

In interviews with bankers and small business experts, the *Reporter-Telegram* found in many cases that prospective clients have not taken into account the many potential problems associated with their ideas.

THOSE PROBLEMS include planning, capitalization, product introduction and marketing, as well as hands-on management.

However, for the determined few, such obstructions only serve to whet the appetite. For them, the challenge is in the hunt itself.

"I never had aspirations of being self-employed, other than I saw this area of opportunity," said Dennis Yeager, manager of Diamond Oil Well Drilling Co. (DOWDCO), a Midland-based core sampling company.

Yeager, who reacquired the company name with the help of one of the original founders, Mark Price, left Houston to pursue his dream in West Texas.

"What I found was that 'coring' wasn't a priority among other major companies in our market. I felt there was a niche being vacated," Yeager said.

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While DOWDCO isn't alone in that category, it is, in most cases, an exception to the rule. That's because most new businesses require an immediate influx of working capital involving a bank or private venture (risk) investor.

THESE DAYS, neither will look at a deal without a comprehensive business plan — one that identifies, projects and ascertains the company's future growth and performance.

"A business plan is paramount. It explains their product or service and how they plan to get there from a start-up," said Steve Jones, assistant vice president at Team Bank.

Such a plan also forces entrepreneurs to ask themselves questions about areas they might not have taken into account. "They may be able to design a better mousetrap, but can they actually operate a business?" asked Texas Commerce's Williamson.

For many entrepreneurs, such thought provoking questions are researched at the Small Business Development Center (SBDC) at the University of Texas of the Permian Basin's Center for Energy and Economic Diversification; and at Midland College's Business and Economic Development Center (BEDC.)

"Small business is virtually every one in our area with the exception of the major oil companies, TU Electric and Texas Instruments," SBDC Director Karl Painter said.

For new start-ups, counselors like Painter provide one-on-one counseling. "I help them with their market research. I help them define what they're going to do . . . from the birth of the idea through its inception."

HOWEVER, PAINTER, like others interviewed for this series, said the problem with most potential start-ups is a failure on the part of the business owner to recognize the importance of planning.

Certainly, the services are available. And many are free of charge.

Three months ago, the presidents of Midland, Odessa and Howard junior colleges as well as the University of Texas of the Permian Basin agreed to form a consortium.

"We'll be trying to do things like developing a common calendar for (small business) seminars so that we're not duplicating (costly) services," said Corbett Gaulden, UTPB's director of business administration.

The three-pronged approach will provide counseling for new start-ups and existing small businesses, which are struggling and/or are in need of new financing; provide business seminars dealing with small business issues; and share available financial resources.

One program that continues to get high marks from bankers and entrepreneurs is Midland College's SBEC.

Jim Flores, who took over the program following the departure of Jerry Jones, said SBEC is still in the business of providing management, financial and technical business assistance at no cost to its clients.

"GETTING INTO BUSINESS is probably the easy part," Flores said. "Staying in business, becoming profitable and building growth . . . that's where the challenge lies."

Painter agreed. "What we're trying to do is reverse that (the small business failure) statistic by having them look at what they're starting, analyze it and get a marketing plan, a road map of where they want to go . . . then attack it."

At a recent SBA seminar aimed at potential entrepreneurs, Texas National Bank officials were startled by the number of people in attendance.

"We figured 20 or 30 people would show up, but we had nearly 100," Merritt said. "So I think the start-up market is sound. There are a lot of people out there interested in getting into business for themselves."

And that is evident by the number of new SBA-guaranteed loans approved so far in 1992.

Dennis McCaghey, chief of SBA's finance division in Lubbock, said the local office — which works with 200 banks in West Texas — already has approved $39 million in new loans with final quarter results still out.

"Most job growth today is still in the small business sector. There are people out there still willing to take a chance . . . to put their fate in their own hands," McCaghey said.

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Problems with communication prevent satellite release

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — A communications problem prevented Atlantis' astronauts from releasing a European science satellite from the shuttle Saturday and threatened a second, and final, attempt on Sunday.

The Eureca satellite, with its load of crystals, brine shrimp eggs and fungi spores, remained locked on the end of Atlantis' crane, while engineers for the European Space Agency worked frantically on both sides of the Atlantic Ocean to resolve the data-relay problem.

The trouble struck early Saturday, less than a day into Atlantis' flight.

The satellite could not communicate properly with ground stations when the data was relayed through Atlantis; lapses occurred in the flow of information, officials said.

At first, the direct satellite-to-ground link seemed to work fine, but that computer data, too, was later found to have "corruption," said Mission Control spokesman Jeff Carr.

"When we really know that we can communicate with our ground stations in a trouble-free manner ... we are go for the mission," said Eckart Graf, a program manager for the European Space Agency, which owns Eureca.

Those stations are located in the Canary Islands, Australia and French Guiana.

The European Space Agency has invested $428 million in the project. It's being managed from Darmstadt, Germany.

"We're still optimistic for a successful mission, and we think that Eureca is going to get a good, successful mission out of this as well," said NASA flight director Phil Engelauf.

Sunday was the last chance for Eureca. The National Aeronautics and Space Administration said the satellite would be bundled back into the cargo bay and brought back to Earth if the problem could not be resolved in time for a Sunday release, and the rest of the mission would proceed as planned.

The main event of Atlantis' mission — testing an Italian satellite on 12 miles of electricity-generating cord — was delayed one day as a result of the Eureca problem. That 30-hour experiment is now set for Tuesday and Wednesday.

Bush's look-a-like cousin runs for Congress

ST. LOUIS (AP) — He sounds like President Bush, he looks like President Bush and he is related to President Bush, but he wants you to know he's Bert Walker, just a regular guy running for Congress.

Walker faces three other candidates vying for the Republican nomination in Tuesday's primary and the right to oppose Democratic incumbent Joan Kelly Horn in Missouri's 2nd Congressional District.

Walker, whose full name is George Herbert Walker III (Sound familiar? The president's full name is George Herbert Walker Bush), is the president's first cousin. His father was the brother of Dorothy Bush, the president's mother.

"I just happen to have a wonderful relative who lives in the White House and some friends who live in Washington, some who are in the administration and some who are not," said Walker, in making his case that he is an average Joe.

Walker and his main primary opponent, Missouri House Minority Leader James Talent, have traded barbs about their political connections. Talent contends Walker is a Washington insider while Walker counters that Talent is a professional politician.

Walker, on leave from his job as chief executive of a St. Louis brokerage firm, and Talent are battling along with two other candidates for the chance to challenge Horn, a one-term incumbent.

The two other Republicans are Hugh Murray, a stockbroker making his fourth long-shot bid for Congress, and Tom McCoy, a business teacher and political newcomer who won the endorsement of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Horn, 55, is considered vulnerable. She squeaked by incumbent Jack Buechner in 1990 with 54 votes, and redistricting has increased the Republican makeup of the district a few percentage points to about 60 percent.

Her only opposition in the Democratic primary is Susan Johnson, a Lyndon LaRouche supporter.

The Republican primary seems to be boiling down to a two-man race. Walker, 61, has been the heavy-hitter in fund-raising, getting boosts from visits by two of the president's Cabinet secretaries and the president's son, Texas Rangers baseball executive George W. Bush.

Through June 15, Walker had raised $614,000 and spent $442,000 while Talent had raised almost $289,000 and spent $175,000, according to Federal Election Commission documents. Walker has contributed relatively little of his own money, $10,000; Talent only $1,500.

The 35-year-old Talent has strong grass-roots support and is a four-term member of the Missouri House. He has courted the middle-class with his message of making government responsive to them.

"What people are looking for is who can challenge the establishment," Talent said. "Who has the ability and the beliefs and the adherence to principle to fight the establishment on behalf of the people. I have a record of doing that ... whereas he is the quintessential insider. He's only a serious candidate by way of his connections."

Walker, who has headed an investment firm for 13 years, says that what Washington needs are more "citizen-legislators" like himself.

"I think Congress would do better if there were more doctors and teachers and farmers and business people in it," he said.

He denies that he is a Washington insider, pointing out that he has never held political office. He has, however, been active in GOP politics and well-placed friends such as Labor Secretary Lynn Martin and Interior Secretary Manuel Lujan have helped raised money for him.

Barbara Bush, the president's wife, has offered to campaign for him after the primary.

Despite denial of Quayle's role, it's still a hot topic

WASHINGTON (NYT) — Although Vice President Dan Quayle insists that the issue is closed, the question of whether he should stay on the 1992 Republican ticket remains a major topic at the top levels of the party.

With President Bush having also said repeatedly last month that there would be no change, few senior Republicans are willing to discuss the matter publicly.

But promise them anonymity, and a substantial minority of state officials, leaders on Capitol Hill and even Cabinet members readily express their antagonism and especially their wish that Quayle would take himself out of the running.

'I don't think they're going to get a second look, because Quayle isn't the problem. Bush is the problem, and he's not going to change.'

—Edward J. Rollins

Such attitudes are fueled by the conviction that something must be done soon to persuade the electorate to give Bush "a second look," much as Democrats thought Bill Clinton had to do at the Democratic convention.

Some dramatic gesture is needed, an anti-Quayle Cabinet member argued, "to take the public's eye off the economy and the tax increase and focus instead on what a second Bush term might deliver."

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The conservative columnist George Will, who has never liked Bush much, went so far this week as to suggest that the president should say "the heck with it, I've got fish to catch and grandchildren to catch them with."

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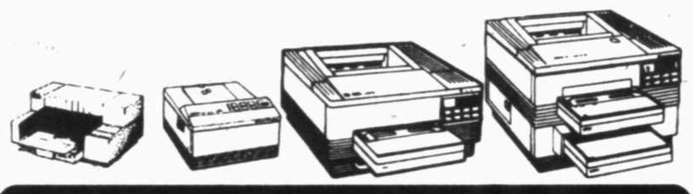
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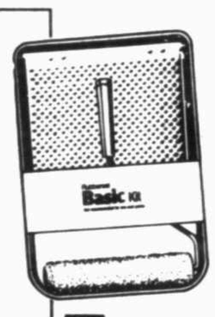

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Clinton blasts Bush as the 'failed president'

BELLE MEADE, N.J. (AP) — Bill Clinton on Saturday called President Bush the "failed president of a big country" as he sought to blunt expected Republican attacks on him as a "failed governor from a small state."

More than a dozen of Clinton's fellow Democratic governors stood with the Democratic presidential nominee at a news conference as he delivered what they called a pre-emptive strike against expected Republican television ads.

Republicans have been hitting the "failed governor" theme for months and the Democrats are expecting the Bush campaign to use it, perhaps this week as it launches its television advertising.

Bush supporters are also expected to hammer on the theme repeatedly at the Aug. 17-20 Republican National Convention in Houston.

New York Gov. Mario Cuomo called the Republican theme an "exercise in evasion." He said the Bush team was trying to avoid debate on the economy.

"Talk about failure — failure so monumental they are not able to deal with it," said Cuomo, one of about a dozen Democrats attending the summer meeting of the National Governors Association here.

"I'm working very hard in New York to fail the way Bill Clinton has in his state," Cuomo said. "The last time I looked he had been elected six times."

'92 Olympics assume aura of complaints

BARCELONA, Spain (NYT) — Halfway through these Olympic Games, there are more hairy issues and bald heads than multimedal heroes.

Matters are unlikely to change this week in Barcelona, where drugs, commercialism and poor sportsmanship have found a comfortable roost on the medal stand.

Too often, the snapshots of grace and heartfelt accomplishment have been tainted by careless accusations, bullying, greed and provincial haggling.

In all likelihood, the late Avery Brundage, puritanical head of the International Olympic Committee, had none of this in mind. He certainly could not have visualized Charles Barkley, the steamrolling forward on the U.S. basketball team, whose Olympic motto was formed very early on when he said, "Why don't they just take their butt-whipping like people and go home?"

Already, three British athletes — a sprinter and two weight lifters — were sent home for positive drug tests two weeks before the Games. The sprinter, Jason Livingstone, was a great fan of Ben Johnson, the symbol of Olympic disgrace.

A German swimmer, Dagmar Hase, had a tantrum when she was awarded a gold medal by an old nemesis, the head of doping control for her country. The official, Harm Beyer, later resigned under pressure, with a passionate poolside speech.

"I have been insulted," said Beyer, who had been accused by Hase of discriminating against former East German athletes in favor of the West Germans. "I am leaving before it gets worse."

The United States, as usual, led the standing in controversy.

In a scant seven days, the Americans managed to offend just about everybody inside and outside the Olympic village.

The telegenic Dream Team alternately charmed and insulted the curious. Michael Jordan, a Nike spokesman, flew through the air, but threatened to stay earthbound if forced to mount the medal stand in a Reebok uniform. Barkley shoved an Angolan, then quipped, "How did I know he didn't have a spear?"

Iraqis obtain U.S. counsel for lawsuits

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Iraqi government, looking ahead to the day when economic sanctions might be lifted, is finally mounting a defense to lawsuits by U.S. companies owed millions of dollars since the invasion of Kuwait nearly two years ago.

The Iraqis recently obtained licenses to obtain U.S. counsel in three cases, even though any money they recover would remain frozen under sanctions imposed by the United States and its allies.

The licenses, signed by Richard Newcomb, director of the Treasury Department's Office of Foreign Assets Control, require the Iraqis to pay U.S. lawyers with outside, unfrozen funds.

After nearly a year of watching legal judgments mount against them, the Iraqis hired Edward S. Powers, an attorney whose law firm before the war represented the Rafidain Bank, a commercial bank owned by Iraq.

"At some point, this country will be doing business with Iraq again," Powers said. "They're entitled to try to protect themselves."

Until this past April, Iraq stayed out of the suits filed against its ministries and banks.

Iraq is seeking to reverse a $53.2 million default judgment won in April 1991 by First City, Texas-Houston against Rafidain Bank and Central Bank of Iraq, the republic's central banking authority.

A hearing in the case, which involves $50 million in agricultural loans, plus interest, is set for Aug. 21 in New York.

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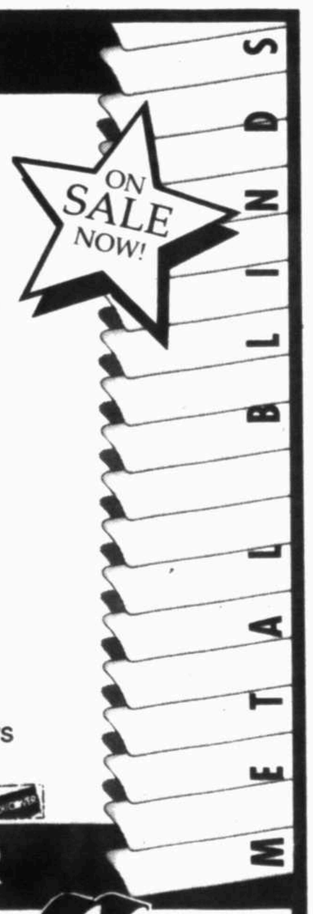

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Economist: U.S. economy loses billions of dollars due to bigotry

NEW YORK (AP) — Racism is costing America money.

Bigotry subtracts from economic growth in the often-recited toll of welfare and unemployment, in the high cost of crime that demands more police and prisons, in the tariff exacted by what often seems to be self-destructive ghetto violence.

Worse, racism deprives the nation of energy, know-how, drive and dollars.

"There are a lot of things that suggest that racism is the most insidious phenomenon causing a drag on the American economy," said Edward D. Irons, dean of business at Clark Atlanta University in Atlanta and a consultant to federal and international agencies on banking and economic development.

"Unless we get a handle on racism, foreign competitors are going to eat our lunch," Irons said.

Imagine the Los Angeles riots laying waste to America day after day. Or wipe out the communications industry. That's roughly how much the U.S. economy misses out by not providing more opportunities for the nation's 30 million blacks, according to Billy J. Tidwell, a social scientist at the National Urban League in Washington.

It's a steep price, by Tidwell's reckoning: $93 billion — close to 2 percent of the Gross National Product — could be pumped into the U.S. economy every year if the per capita income of blacks was on a par with whites.

Calculated per household, that comes to $1,000 each year. Consider it a hidden fee.

Tidwell did the arithmetic for a 1990 report on racism's bottom line, but his figures hold steady, he said.

"Not enough people . . . put it into concrete terms," he said, "reduced to the lowest common denominator of self-interest."

That's only part of the drain. Consider the growing ranks of the poor.

Blacks total about 12.1 percent of America's population, but about one-third of recipients of welfare, health care and unemployment benefits. The price tag: $30 billion.

Black unemployment is invariably 2 to 2.5 times the overall jobless rate.

Then add to that the alarming fact that 25 percent of black men and teen-agers end up behind bars — many of them briefly. The 1990 price tag: about $7 billion.

Harder to add up are the intangibles, sometimes referred to as the race tax. These include shorter life expectancy, confinement by housing discrimination and poverty to dangerous, stressful ghettos with often terrible living conditions and heartbreak.

Robert Solow, an economist at Massachusetts Institute of Technology who won a Nobel Prize for his theory of economic growth, says that preventing people from using their minds and talent cripples the economy.

"There's a lot of evidence that what economists calls 'human capital' plays a very big role in international competitiveness and economic growth," Solow said, "and if you take 10 or 15 percent of the population and fail to capitalize fully the human capital that is there, it has to be a drag on growth and in long-term competitiveness."

Agreeing with this notion, if not the numbers, is Stuart Butler, an economist at the conservative Heritage Foundation, a Washington think tank that's had the ear of the Reagan and Bush administrations.

"Racism always leads to a reduction in the GNP in any country," said Butler, whose specialty is domestic policy. "The issue is to what degree, and what you do about it."

Butler noted that blacks face a double barrier, racism on the outside and lack of investment that leads to "limited horizons" on the inside.

Such constraints are plain to Ademola Mandella, a 47-year-old fashion designer and hair stylist in New York City. He once owned three thriving salons in Brooklyn that rang up $800,000 in sales one year, though he never has been able to secure a bank loan for lack of collateral.

A move to Manhattan to serve better-off clientele — and make more money — left him in financial straits.

"If we weren't watched so, and scrutinized so, this country could really be something," Mandella said, shaking his head.

Protest votes for Perot threaten to throw key states Clinton's way

DALLAS (AP) — When Ross Perot dropped plans to run for president as an independent candidate, he said he didn't want to be disruptive. But election analysts say he could still have a heavy impact.

The maverick Texan is swiftly taking on the look of a spoiler as he clings to his place on the ballot in many states. Analysts say he might well draw enough support away from President Bush to tip key Southern states to Bill Clinton.

"It may become a question of how far Perot wants to carry a grudge against George Bush," political scientist, Earl Black says.

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California Angels at Texas Rangers, 7 p.m., HSE.

HALL OF FAME — 1992 Baseball Hall of Fame Induction Ceremonies, 5 p.m., ESPN.

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United States	15	16	17	48
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China	9	13	6	28
Hungary	9	7	2	18
Australia	5	6	5	16
France	3	3	10	16
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TEXAS LEAGUE — Wichita Wranglers 9, Midland Angels 2.

California Angels 6, Texas Rangers 1.

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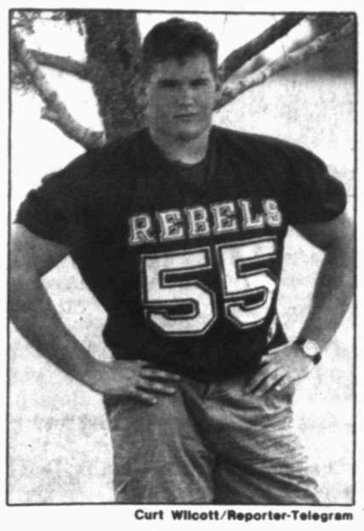

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K.C. Jones

Raisin' 'Cane

■ Midland Lee graduate K.C. Jones, a gifted prep center, had several collegiate options available before choosing the University of Miami.

By Bill Price
Staff writer

In the eye of the recruiting storm, K.C. Jones could have chosen just about any college in the country to begin his freshman year this fall.

Any college, that is, that wanted to offer a football scholarship to a teenager from West Texas who had never had a problem with class work and also just happened to be one of the top three rated high school centers in the land while playing for Midland Lee last season.

For a while there, it seemed like Texas A&M had the inside track, though Jones was attracted to Rice's academic standards. Most of the Big 8, Pacific 10 and Big 10 schools came calling, too.

But eventually, the University of Miami Hurricanes won out. Yea, those trash-talking Miami Hurricanes who have backed up their bravado with four mythical national football titles in the past nine years.

The hardest part for Jones now is accepting that when he plays in Tuesday's McDonald's Texas High School Football All-Star Game at Ir-

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Angels open trip with loss

Staff report

WICHITA, Kan. — The Midland Angels' five-game winning streak was brought to an abrupt halt here Saturday, as the Wichita Wranglers won the opener of a five-game series, 9-2.

Midland had just finished a five-game sweep of Shreveport Friday and won eight-of-10 in its most recent homestand. But the Wranglers are one a hot streak of their own, taking seven wins in a just completed 10-game road trip.

Making his second Class AA start, Midland pitcher Erik Bennett (0-1) received his first decision and the loss after giving up five runs in just over three innings pitched.

Opposite Bennett on the hill was Joey

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Jumper retains lead

Ex-champ Whiteside shoots 66, makes big move

By Bill Price
Staff writer

There are three givens about the Midland Men's City Golf Championship.

One, the weather will be a factor. Two, Steve Whiteside will make a charge for the lead at some point. Three, the final round will be plenty interesting.

But despite the high winds (later rain stopped play in fourth flight) and Whiteside's round of 66, first-round leader Ronnie Jumper was able to retain his edge on the field entering today's final round of the 54-hole event at Hogan Park Golf Course.

Jumper shot a 2-over par 72 Saturday to go with his 2-under 69 from Friday to stay even for the tournament at 141. Whiteside, who almost played himself out of contention with a 77 Friday, rebounded to pull within two strokes of Jumper.

"There are still several people (seven) at 145 or less, so Sunday should be interesting. I'm just glad I am still two shots up after the way I played today. I just kind of struggled," Jumper said.

"I knew Steve would be there (in the running). It'll be fun. We are all just playing for fun anyway. Anyway, I need a couple of shots advantage on Whiteside."

He certainly will if Whiteside's confidence in his new putter stays intact. With that new magic wand, he sank five birdies, including three in the first seven holes.

"I changed putters (after Friday). I started with a Bull's-Eye putter and putted a lot better today. I made only one bogey," Whiteside said.

"Generally, when you play a bad

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Results and relation to par after two rounds of the 1992 Midland Men's City Golf Championship, played at Hogan Park Golf Course (second round played on holes 1-thru-18, par-70):

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Steve Whiteside	77-66—143	+2
Derek Edmonds	74-70—144	+3
Mac McGee	72-72—144	+3
Scott Lovett	73-72—145	+4
Jeff Moses	72-73—145	+4
Frank Tryon	75-70—145	+4
John Gatlin	73-73—146	+5
Charles Roberts	74-74—148	+7
David Holloway	76-73—149	+8
J.J. King	73-76—149	+8
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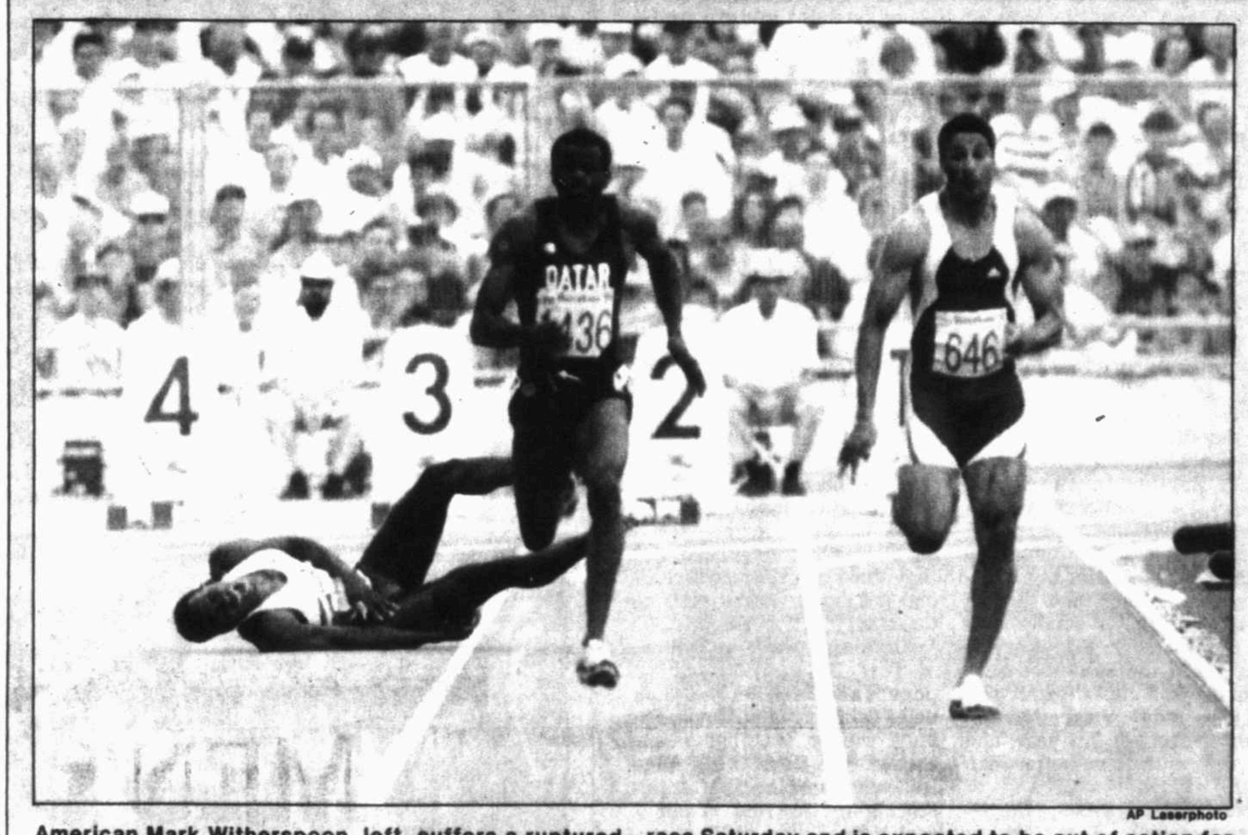

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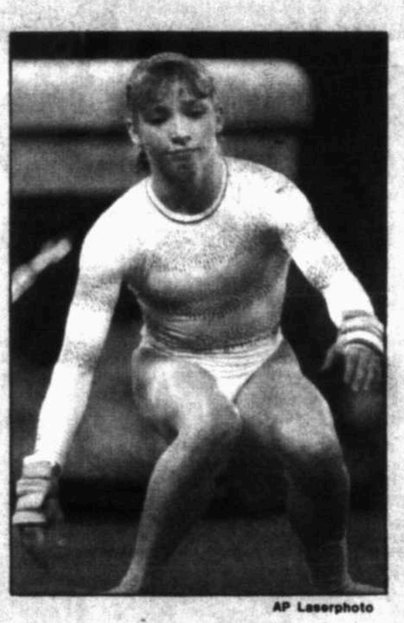
American Mark Witherspoon, left, suffers a ruptured Achille's tendon during his heat in the 100 meter race Saturday and is expected to be out of action for at least a year.

The tumbler stumbles (again)

Devers takes 100; Zmeskal falls



AP Laserphoto

American Kim Zmeskal suffered her second slip and fall of the Summer Olympics Saturday on the vault.

By John Nelson
AP Sports Writer

BARCELONA, Spain — Gail Devers had every reason to fail. Kim Zmeskal had every chance to succeed. On Saturday, they swapped fates at the Summer Olympics, where fate struck quickly, and sometimes cruelly.

Devers, who last year nearly had her feet amputated because of a rare illness, and Linford Christie were crowned king and queen of the fast lane. Devers won the women's 100 meters, Christie the men's 100.

"To be able to run and win the gold medal, I can't explain how great it feels," she said. "The last three years of my life have definitely been a miracle."

Zmeskal, 16-year-old reigning world gymnastics champion coached by Bela Karolyi, was crowned princess of pratfalls. She fell again Saturday night, this time in the vault portion of the individual apparatus, and she goes home with just one medal, a team bronze.

"It was hard to find the right words for her," Karolyi said. "I told her, 'Kim, you can't blame anybody. You're on top, you have to cope with adversity.'"

Shannon Miller, Zmeskal's 15-year-old teammate, salvaged something for the U.S. women. She had a silver in the balance beam and bronzes in the uneven parallel bars and floor exercise, finishing the Games with five medals — although none gold.

In boxing and tennis, the fates also were cruel to American hopefuls. World champion Eric Griffin, victim in a scoring controversy, was one of three U.S. boxers who lost second-round matches, and Jim Courier, the top-ranked tennis player in the world, was ousted by Marc Rosset of Switzerland.

With all of the day's 23 medal events completed, the Unified Team

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Uncommon cast inducted into NFL Hall

Los Angeles Raider owner Al Davis

■ John Riggins and John Mackey provide some levity at induction cermonies honoring four of the game's greats.

Associated Press

CANTON, Ohio — John Riggins recited a poem, Lem Barney sang, Al Davis read a tribute from a convicted felon and John Mackey expressed his satisfaction in being "indicted."

It was an unconventional ceremony honoring four unconventional men Saturday when Riggins, Barney, Davis and Mackey added their names to 160 others inducted into the Pro Football Hall of Fame.

Riggins likened his 14 years as a punishing running back with the New York Jets and Washington Redskins to conquering nature. He read a poem by Robert Service about man's assault on the Yukon not long after he was presented for induction by NFL commissioner Paul Tagliabue.

"Why did I get the commissioner to introduce me?" Riggins asked in his opening remarks. "Madonna had a headache."

Barney gained fame as a quick and

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Pete Rose's big day — NOT

By Ben Walker
AP Baseball Writer

This was the moment Pete Rose was waiting for, the date he had etched in his head, right up there with all of his statistics and accomplishments rattling around in his brain.

His friends, family and former teammates like Tom Seaver and Joe Morgan flanking him, baseball's career hits leader was going to dive head-first into his rightful home: the Hall of Fame.

Heck, maybe he would even cry, just like that night back in Cincinnati when he looked up in the sky over

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Riverfront Stadium and saw the faces of his father and Ty Cobb grinning back.

Oh, to dream.

"I doubt Pete will watch the ceremonies," said Bill Hayes, who lines up personal appearances for Rose. "It's a big event, but it's the kind of thing you have to see in person, not

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had 55 total medals, 24 gold, compared with 48 and 15 for the United States. Germany was third with 35 medals, 12 gold, and China had 28 medals, nine gold.

Devers' story is one of faith.

In February 1991, Devers, of Van Nuys, Calif., was diagnosed with Graves' disease, a rare thyroid condition. She apparently had developed it 2½ years earlier, although it went undiagnosed. She suffered severe headaches, blackouts and blurry vision.

When doctors finally diagnosed it, they said her condition was close to becoming malignant, so they began radiation treatment. She had an immediate and violent reaction, and she nearly had to have her feet amputated.

Her parents moved into her house so they could carry her to the bathroom.

"It was faith," she said when she returned to the track last spring. It might have been a miracle.

On Saturday, she edged Juliet Cuthbert of Jamaica by .01 seconds in 10.82 for the gold medal, and Irina Privalova of the Unified Team got the bronze in 10.84.

The Briton Christie, stepping out of the shadows of America's superstars, won the men's 100 in 9.96 seconds, securing for himself the title of "World's Fastest Human."

His is a story of perseverance.

For years, the Jamaican-born Christie has been the top sprinter in Europe, but he always has been overshadowed by the likes of Carl Lewis and Leroy Burrell. In 1988, after Ben Johnson was stripped of his Olympic gold medal, Christie was awarded the silver behind Lewis.

He almost didn't get even that. Earlier in the Seoul Games, he tested positive for a banned substance, and the International Olympic Committee wanted to send him home. International track and British Olympic officials finally convinced the IOC that Christie had taken the substance accidentally in a cup of exotic tea.

Lewis didn't make the U.S. team in the 100 this year, and Burrell could do no better than fifth.

Now, after all these years, the fastest of them all is Christie.

"From about 60 meters on ... I knew I'd sewn it up," Christie said. "Nobody finishes as good as me, apart from Carl, maybe."

Frank Fredericks of Namibia won the silver in 10.02, and Dennis Mitchell of Gainesville, Fla., took the bronze in 10.10.

Johnson took nothing.

He made no promises to his Canadian countrymen, and his comeback attempt showed little promise. Four years after the disgrace of Seoul, where he was stripped of the gold medal in the 100 for taking steroids, he failed to make the final, running last in his semifinal heat.

Johnson burst from the starting blocks like the Johnson of old, but he stumbled only three or four strides into the race.

While Christie and Devers were earning titles as the world's fastest humans, Jackie Joyner-Kersee began her quest for another title as the world's greatest woman athlete in the heptathlon. Halfway through, she held a 127-point lead over Sabrine Braun of Germany.

Braun was close until Joyner-Kersee ran the 200 meters, the final event of the day, in 23.12 to 24.77 for Braun.

Only a poor shot put kept Joyner-Kersee from being farther ahead.

"The shot put, oh, I don't know what happened," she said. "Right now, I just have to worry about tomorrow."

The heptathlon ends Sunday with the long jump, javelin and 800 meters.

Zmeskal's first fall of the Games came in the balance beam during the team competition. It might have cost America a silver.

Then, in the all-around, she accidentally stepped out of bounds during her floor exercise. Saturday night, she fell on the vault and landed on her diminutive derriere. It was right out of Martin and Lewis, only the judges weren't laughing.

Zmeskal, of Houston, finished eighth in the vault, while Miller, of Edmond, Okla., was sixth. Lavinia Corina Milosovici of Romania and Henrietta Onodi of Hungary shared the gold.

Miller got a bronze in the uneven parallel bars, won by Lu Li of China, and was second in the balance beam, won by Tatiana Lyssenko of the Unified Team. She was in a three-way tie for bronze in the floor exercise, which was won by Lavinia Corina Milosovici of Romania.

"It makes me feel good that my coaches were able to help me do the best I could and all their work is paid off," Miller said.

Griffin lost his 106-pound bout by a 6-5 decision to Rafael Lozano of Spain. A protest filed by the U.S. team will be considered Sunday.

"They had something set up when I stepped into the ring — hometown boy," Griffin said.

Griffin, of Broussard, La., is considered the best amateur boxer pound-for-pound in the world. At least he was, coming into the fight.

He led only 2-1 after the first round. In the second round, he landed a series of punches that caused Lozano to take a standing 8 count. Even so, Griffin was awarded only one punch during the round, and it didn't come during the big flurry.

"Eric fought the same fight he's won everything with," U.S. coach Joe Byrd said.

Jim Fox, executive director of U.S. Boxing, said the protest was filed because all five judges had Griffin winning on their cards. However, for punches to be counted by the computer, they must be registered within one second of each other by three of the five judges.

Also losing was Sergio Reyes of Fort Worth, Texas, at 119 pounds and Pepe Reilly of Glendale, Calif., at 147 pounds. The only winner was lightweight Oscar De La Hoya of Los Angeles, who came back after not scoring in the first round to beat Moses Odiom of Nigeria 16-4.

Courier, the top-ranked player in the world, saw his game come apart, ground stroke-by-ground stroke, when he lost 6-4, 6-2, 6-1 to Rosset, who came here more as a tourist than a player.

"I really didn't expect to make a medal," said Rosset, who needs only one more win to clinch a bronze now. "I came here to be with the other athletes and see the other sports."

Courier's loss left No. 3 Pete Sampras as the top-ranked American in the tournament. In women's play, the top three seeds — Steffi Graf, Arantxa Sanchez Vicario and Jennifer Capriati — all won.

Boris Becker, the tournament's fifth seed, also lost, to 19-year-old Fabrice Santoro of France, 6-1, 3-6, 6-1, 6-3.

In team sports, the United States fared better.

The U.S. baseball team beat the Dominican Republic 10-0, remaining in good position to enter the medals round. Jeffrey Hammonds' sacrifice fly in the seventh gave the United States its final run, and the 10-run rule was invoked. Jeff Alkire pitched a two-hitter.

The United States (5-1) can avoid powerful Cuba in its first medal-round game by beating Japan on Sunday.

The U.S. women's basketball team beat China 93-67, led by Medina Dixon's 19 points, and the U.S. men's volleyball team beat France 15-5, 15-12, 15-8 to clinch a spot in the quarterfinals with a 3-1 record.

Griffin cornered by computer

U.S. officials file protest after boxer eliminated

Associated Press

BARCELONA, Spain — A computer did more damage to Eric Griffin than his opponent in the ring — it beat him.

Griffin, the premier amateur light flyweight boxer in the world, was eliminated from the Olympics on Saturday by Rafael Lozano of Spain.

Griffin and U.S. boxing team officials, however, aren't blaming Lozano. They're protesting the computerized scoring system that gave the Spaniard a 6-5 decision over the two-time world champion.

Although each of the five judges gave Griffin more scoring blows than Lozano, the computer spit out a 6-5 decision for the Spaniard.

American officials filed a protest with the International Amateur Boxing Association in an effort to change the record. A ruling was expected Sunday.

"At this point in time we have hope," said Jim Fox, executive director of USA Boxing.

Chances of the protest being upheld were considered slim.

"If someone asks me if I landed five scoring blows — no . . . 30 to 40," said the 24-year-old Griffin, of Jasper, Tenn.

Computer printouts revealed the following individual scoring of the judges: Osvaldo Beisbal of Argentina, 10-9; Francis MacDougall of Canada, 26-17; Sreten Yabucanin of Yugoslavia, 18-9; Abdul Rashid of Pakistan, 19-9; and Keith Dadzie of Ghana, 8-5.

A point is registered, however, only when at least three judges record a blow by pushing a button within one second of the blow landing.

The first reaction by U.S. officials was that many judges are too slow in reacting to a punch.

"It's the reaction problem that is the problem we have," said Paul Konner, counsel for USA boxing and a vice president of AIBA. "The machine could work provided people who press the buttons do it instantaneously."

"Nothing's changed since 1988," said Griffin, referring to American Roy Jones' controversial 3-2 loss to Park Si-Hun of South Korea in the 1988 Olympics. That outrageous decision put boxing on shaky grounds with the IOC and pushed the sport into the computer age.

Griffin's defeat was the bitterest on a bad day for U.S. boxers.

Sergio Reyes, of the Marines at Camp Lejeune, N.C., was beaten 15-8 by Li Gwang-Sik of North Korea in a second-round bout at 119 pounds. Pepe Reilly of Glendale, Calif., lost his second bout at 16-5 to Vatalijus Karpaciauskas of Lithuania.

Oscar De La Hoya stopped the slide by beating Moses Odion of Nigeria 16-4 at 132 pounds in a night match. But a few American hearts had to skip a beat after the first-round score was posted: Odion 1, De La Hoya 0.

"I was worried and I said, 'Oh man, the judges don't like us,' " said the 19-year-old De La Hoya, of Los Angeles.

Seven Americans remain in the competition, and five are in the quarterfinals. Tim Austin, 112, of Cincinnati, and Raul Marquez, 156 of Houston, will try to reach that plateau Sunday.

Austin will box Julian Strogov of Bulgaria. Marquez will meet Rival Cadeau of Seychelles.

In officially protesting the computer decision, U.S. officials noted the scoring of the five-man jury used as a backup in case of computer malfunction. Each of the five, scoring under the old system, which awards 20 points to a winner of a round and a lesser number to the loser, scored the bout in Griffin's favor.

"It's so political," said Griffin, who won gold medals at the world championships at Moscow in 1989 and at Sydney, Australia, in 1991. "It not only takes your confidence away from you. It takes away everything you wanted to achieve.

"This is it for me as an amateur.

"They had some kind of thing set up when I stepped into the ring . . . hometown boy," the disappointed Griffin added.

The Spaniard fought well, however, and he certainly landed more than six scoring blows.

Lozano backed away from Griffin for much of the first two rounds, but he went toe-to-toe with the aggressive Griffin in the final round.It was a rare occasion in which the 5-foot-3 Griffin faced a shorter opponent. Lozano is only 4-10.

Weightlifter refuses bronze, is expelled

Associated Press

BARCELONA, Spain — A weightlifter who walked out of a medal ceremony, refusing to collect his bronze, was expelled from the Olympics Saturday and likely will be banned for life by the the sport's ruling federation.

Ibragim Samadov's walkout, believed by officials to be unprecedented, was branded as insulting by Olympics and weightlifting administrators.

"Never in my long career as a sports official have I ever experienced such an awful moment as this," said the International Weightlifting Federation president Gottfried Schoedl. "Ibragim Samadov's rejection of the bronze medal was an insult to the Olympic movement."

"The athlete sent me a letter explaining that he hadn't felt well and had to leave the podium," said Schoedl, an Austrian. "I cannot accept this excuse because I was there at the front and saw it all happen. The IWF will suspend Samadov for life."

The reason for Samadov's behavior has not been revealed officially.

He had the chance to explain it to the International Olympic Committee Saturday but failed to show. The IOC disqualified him, took away his medal and ordered him to leave the Olympic Village.

In a statement, the IOC said it shared the IWF's view that Samadov's behavior was an insult to the Olympic spirit.

"The IOC executive board believes the athlete's behavior is absolutely intolerable. It is unacceptable and contrary to all forms of sports ethics," the statement said.

IOC spokeswoman Michele Verdier said she was sure there had never been a similar incident involving a winner appearing on the podium but refusing to collect a medal.

In 1972, the United States basketball team, angered that they felt cheated out of the gold, never made the podium to collect their silvers

Other Unified Team lifters said Samadov may have been angered at the way he lost.

He won the bronze even though he had the same total score as the gold and silver medalists in the 181-pound class. Under weightlifting rules he came third because he was heavier than both,

The Russian's colleagues were startled by his exit.

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Kansas City						
Pichardo	1	3	3	3	1	0
Shifflett	1-3	0	0	0	1	0
Gordon W,4-9	2 2-3	4	1	1	1	2
Magnante	3	1	0	0	0	1
Montgomery	2	1	0	0	0	2

HBP—by Downs (Jefferies), by Honeycutt (Joyner), by Pichardo (RHenderson), by Shifflett (RHenderson), by Gordon (Bordick). WP—Downs, Shifflett. T—3:09.

Orioles 9, Red Sox 3

BALTIMORE	ab	r	h	bi	BOSTON	ab	r	h	bi
Andrsn lf	4	0	1	0	Bogga 3b	4	1	1	0
Dvraux cf	4	1	2	4	Hticher lf	5	0	2	1
CRipkn ss	5	0	0	0	Pintier dh	4	0	1	0
GDavis dh	3	0	0	0	Brnsky rf	4	0	0	0
McLmr dh	1	1	0	0	MVghn 1b	4	0	0	0
Milligan 1b	0	2	0	0	Zupcic cf	4	2	2	0
Segui 1b	1	0	1	0	JReed 2b	4	0	2	0
Gomez 3b	5	2	2	3	Pena c	4	0	3	2
Orsulak rf	4	1	1	1	Valntin ss	4	0	1	0
BRipkn 2b	5	1	3	1					
Parent c	1	1	0	0					
Totals	33	9	10	9	Totals	37	3	12	3
Baltimore					001 200 240—9				
Boston					011 001 000—3				

E—BRipken (4). DP—Boston 1. LOB—Baltimore 8, Boston 9. 2B—Gomez (19), BRipken (12), Hatcher (8). HR—Devereaux (16), Gomez (11). CS—Boggs (2). S—Parent 2. SF—Devereaux.

Baltimore	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Mills	6	7	2	2	2	2
SDavis	2-3	3	1	1	0	1
Clmnts W,2-0	2 1-3	1	0	0	0	2
Olson	1	1	0	0	0	1
Boston						
Viola L,9-7	6 2-3	6	5	5	4	3
Harris	1-3	2	4	4	3	0
Irvine	2	2	0	0	1	2

WP—Viola. PB—Parent. T—3:11.

Indians 8, Tigers 5

DETROIT	ab	r	h	bi	CLEVELAND	ab	r	h	bi
Phillips dh	5	2	2	0	Lofton cf	4	1	1	1
Whitkr 2b	4	0	0	0	THwrd lf	5	0	4	1
Frymn ss	4	0	0	0	Baerga 2b	3	0	0	0
Fielder 1b	4	1	1	4	Belle dh	5	1	1	0
Tttleton c	2	0	0	0	CaMrtz 1b	2	1	1	1
Gldden lf	3	0	1	1	Srrento 1b	2	0	0	0
Hare rf	4	0	0	0	GHill rf	4	2	3	2
Lvngst 3b	4	1	2	0	Jacoby 3b	5	2	3	2
Pettis cf	4	1	1	0	MLewis ss	3	0	0	0
					Ortiz c	2	1	0	1
Totals	34	5	7	5	Totals	35	8	13	8
Detroit					000 100 400—5				
Cleveland					103 010 30x—8				

LOB—Detroit 6, Cleveland 11. 2B—Livingstone (9), THoward (9). HR—Fielder (23), GHill (10), Jacoby (4). SB—THoward (9), Baerga (7). CS—THoward (7). SF—CaMartinez.

Detroit	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Tanana	5	7	5	5	4	4
Lncstr L,3-3	3	6	3	3	1	2
Cleveland						
Mesa	6	5	3	3	4	2
Wickander	1-3	1	1	1	0	1
Power	1-3	1	1	1	0	1
Plunk W,2-2	1 1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Lilliquist S,4	1	0	0	0	0	0

HBP—by Tanana (Baerga), by Lancaster (Ortiz). T—3:11. A—21,066.

White Sox 8, M's 1

SEATTLE	ab	r	h	bi	CHICAGO	ab	r	h	bi
Vizquel ss	4	0	1	0	Sax 2b	4	0	0	0
Briley lf	2	0	0	0	Raines lf	3	2	1	1
Cotto lf	2	0	1	0	Thmas 1b	4	2	3	0
Griffey cf	2	0	0	0	GBell dh	4	0	1	2
EMrtnz 3b	4	0	1	1	Vntura 3b	4	1	2	2
OBrien dh	4	0	0	0	Pasqua rf	3	1	0	0
Buhner rf	4	0	0	0	LJhnsn cf	4	1	2	1
TMrtnz 1b	4	0	1	0	Fisk c	4	1	2	1
Valle c	4	0	2	0	Beltre ss	4	0	0	1
Rynlds 2b	2	1	0	0					
Totals	32	1	6	1	Totals	34	8	11	8
Seattle					000 001 000—1				
Chicago					004 003 10x—8				

DP—Seattle 1, Chicago 1. LOB—Seattle 9, Chicago 4. 2B—Thomas (25), GBell (18), Fisk (3).

Seattle	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Hnan L,8-14	5 1-3	6	7	7	1	3
Woodson	1 1-3	3	1	1	1	0
Agosto	1 1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Chicago						
McCski W,7-8	5	2	1	1	3	2
Hibbard S,1	4	4	0	0	1	2

HBP—by Hibbard (Griffey). WP—Woodson. T—2:46. A—42,781.

Twins 9, Brewers 6

MILWAUKEE	ab	r	h	bi	MINNESOTA	ab	r	h	bi
Listach ss	4	0	0	0	Knblch 2b	4	0	0	0
Seltzer 3b	4	2	1	0	Mack lf	4	1	1	0
Molitor 1b	5	1	3	4	Hrbek 1b	3	2	1	0
Bchette rf	5	0	2	1	Puckett cf	4	1	3	2
Yount cf	4	0	0	0	CDavis dh	3	2	0	0
GVghn lf	2	1	0	0	Harper c	4	2	2	4
Jsha dh	3	1	0	0	Larkin rf	4	0	1	0
Surhoff c	4	0	0	1	Rboulet rf	0	0	0	0
Fitcher 2b	3	1	1	0	Pglrulo 3b	4	1	1	1
					Gagne ss	4	0	2	2
Totals	34	6	7	6	Totals	34	9	11	9
Milwaukee					000 001 014—6				
Minnesota					000 031 05x—9				

E—Liejach (16). DP—Milwaukee 1. LOB—Milwaukee 7, Minnesota 3. 2B—Molitor (20), Bichette (19), Hrbek (19), Puckett (25), Larkin (10). 3B—Molitor 2 (6). HR—Harper (5). SB—Seltzer (10), GVaughn (6), Jsha (2). CS—Knoblauch (8).

Milwaukee	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Nwrro L,11-7	5 1-3	7	4	3	0	2
Plesac	1 2-3	1	0	0	0	2
Henry	1-3	3	5	5	2	0
Holmes	2-3	0	0	0	0	1
Minnesota						
Smly W,11-6	7 2-3	4	2	2	3	6
Edens	2-3	1	3	3	3	0
PAbbott	2-3	2	1	1	0	1

WP—Edens. T—2:59. A—51,043.

Angels 6, Rangers 1

CALIFORNIA	ab	r	h	bi	TEXAS	ab	r	h	bi
Polonia dh	4	2	2	1	Dwning dh	3	0	0	0
Obrkfll 2b	5	0	1	1	Stphens ph	1	0	0	0
Sojo 2b	0	0	0	0	Plmiro 1b	5	0	2	0
Felix cf	5	0	2	1	Sierra rf	5	0	0	0
VHayes rf	4	0	0	0	JuGzlz cf	4	0	0	0
Curtis lf	4	1	1	0	Palmer 3b	3	1	2	0
Gnzales 3b	3	2	2	1	Nwman 3b	1	0	0	0
Gaetti 1b	3	0	0	0	Reimer lf	3	0	0	0
Myers c	3	0	1	0	Rdrgez c	3	0	2	0
DiSrcn ss	3	1	1	0	Thon ss	2	0	0	1
					Frye 2b	3	0	1	0
					Fariss ph	1	0	0	0
Totals	34	6	10	4	Totals	34	1	7	1
California					022 011 000—6				
Texas					010 000 000—1				

E—Felix (5), VHayes (4), Rodriguez 2 (9). Ryan (3). DP—Texas 1. LOB—California 7, Texas 11. 2B—Palmer (20). SB—Polonia (36), Felix (6), Curtis (19), Gonzales (4). S—Myers, Rodriguez. SF—Polonia, Thon.

California	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Finley W,4-9	9	7	1	1	3	10
Texas						
Ryan L,5-4	5 1-3	6	6	4	2	7
Bannister	1 2-3	0	0	0	0	2
Leon	1	0	0	0	0	1
Rogers	1	2	0	0	0	0

HBP—by Ryan (Gonzales), by Ryan (DiSarcina). T—2:58. A—36,933.

Baseball Standings

All Times CDT

AMERICAN LEAGUE East Division	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Toronto	62	41	.602	—	5-5	Won 3	35-19	27-22
Baltimore	58	46	.558	4½	5-5	Won 2	28-22	30-24
Milwaukee	55	48	.534	7	5-5	Lost 2	28-21	27-27
Boston	48	54	.471	13½	4-6	Lost 2	33-22	15-32
New York	48	55	.466	14	3-7	Lost 2	24-24	24-31
Detroit	48	57	.457	15	z-3-7	Lost 1	23-30	25-27
Cleveland	45	59	.433	17½	6-4	Won 1	25-29	20-30
West Division								
	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Minnesota	62	42	.596	—	z-5-5	Won 2	31-22	31-20
Oakland	60	43	.583	1½	z-7-3	Lost 2	30-19	30-24
Texas	54	52	.509	9	4-6	Lost 3	28-29	26-23
Chicago	51	51	.500	10	z-6-4	Won 1	30-21	21-30
California	47	57	.452	15	7-3	Won 3	27-25	20-32
Kansas City	46	57	.447	15½	z-5-5	Won 2	27-23	19-34
Seattle	42	64	.396	21	5-5	Lost 1	23-29	19-35

NATIONAL LEAGUE East Division	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Pittsburgh	56	48	.538	—	z-5-5	Won 3	31-21	25-27
Montreal	54	50	.519	2	6-4	Lost 2	27-25	27-25
Chicago	50	52	.490	5	z-8-2	Won 1	25-22	25-30
New York	50	53	.485	5½	z-6-5	Lost 1	28-25	22-28
St. Louis	48	55	.466	7½	z-3-7	Lost 3	25-24	23-31
Philadelphia	46	58	.442	10	z-7-3	Won 2	26-26	20-32
West Division								
	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Cincinnati	60	42	.586	—	5-5	Won 2	32-14	28-28
Atlanta	59	42	.584	½	z-5-5	Won 1	31-16	28-26
San Diego	56	49	.533	5½	5-5	Lost 1	29-24	27-25
San Francisco	50	53	.485	10½	z-6-4	Lost 1	32-23	18-30
Houston	46	57	.447	14½	z-4-6	Lost 3	31-27	15-30
Los Angeles	44	60	.423	17	3-7	Won 1	26-25	18-35

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

Saturday's Games

Toronto 3, New York 1
Kansas City 6, Oakland 4
Baltimore 9, Boston 3
Cleveland 8, Detroit 5
Chicago 8, Seattle 1
Minnesota 9, Milwaukee 6
California 6, Texas 1

Sunday's Games

Baltimore (McDonald 10-7) at Boston (Dopson 6-4), 12:05 p.m.
New York (Sanderson 8-8) at Toronto (Key 7-6), 12:35 p.m.
Detroit (Gullickson 11-7) at Cleveland (Nagy 11-6), 12:35 p.m.
Milwaukee (Bones 6-7) at Minnesota (Erickson 7-7), 1:06 p.m.
Seattle (Fleming 12-4) at Chicago (McDowell 14-5), 1:35 p.m.
Oakland (Welch 8-5) at Kansas City (Moeller 0-1), 7:06 p.m.
California (Langston 9-9) at Texas (Brown 14-7), 7:05 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Saturday's Games

Pittsburgh 4, St. Louis 1
Atlanta 5, San Francisco 3
New York 3, Chicago 0, 1st game
Chicago 6, New York 1, 2nd game
Cincinnati 9, Houston 0
Philadelphia 4, Montreal 2
Los Angeles 7, San Diego 2

Sunday's Games

St. Louis (Cormier 3-8) at Pittsburgh (Tomlin 10-7), 12:35 p.m.
Chicago (Morgan 9-4) at New York (Cone 12-4), 12:40 p.m.
Philadelphia (Rivera 0-1) at Montreal (Nabholz 6-7), 1:06 p.m.
Houston (Harnisch 4-8) at Cincinnati (Rijo 8-7), 1:15 p.m.
Atlanta (Smith 0-0 and Glavine 16-3) at San Francisco (Swift 8-2 and Pena 0-0), 2, 2:05 p.m.
San Diego (Deshaies 1-1) at Los Angeles (Hershiser 7-9), 3:05 p.m.

PGA Hartford Friday's Late Boxes

CROMWELL, Conn. (AP) — Scores and relation to par Saturday after the third round of the $1 million Greater Hartford Open, played on the 6,820-yard, par-70 TPC at River Highlands:

Donnie Hammond	66-70-68—204	-6
Bob Estes	68-69-68—205	-5
Gil Morgan	66-68-71—205	-5
Dudley Hart	68-70-68—206	-4
Dan Forsman	69-69-68—206	-4
Billy Mayfair	69-66-71—206	-4
Rick Fehr	66-72-69—207	-3
Jeff Sluman	67-70-70—207	-3
D.A. Weibring	70-66-71—207	-3
Nick Price	68-67-72—207	-3
Kirk Triplett	68-68-71—207	-3
Roger Maltbie	66-69-72—207	-3
Greg Whisman	69-71-68—208	-2
Don Pooley	68-70-70—208	-2
Bob Eastwood	68-69-73—208	-2
Lee Janzen	68-67-73—208	-2
Kelly Gibson	69-71-69—209	-1
Brad Bryant	71-68-70—209	-1
Lanny Wadkins	68-70-71—209	-1
M Calcavecchia	67-71-71—209	-1
Brian Claar	68-70-71—209	-1
Robert Wrenn	73-69-67—209	-1
Scott Hoch	67-72-71—210	E
Mike Smith	73-67-70—210	E
Mark Carnevale	71-69-70—210	E
Ken Green	68-72-70—210	E
Jodie Mudd	68-68-74—210	E
Billy Ray Brown	67-69-74—210	E
Greg Lesher	68-68-74—210	E
Sonny Skinner	65-70-75—210	E
Tom Kite	72-67-72—211	+1
Mike Reid	68-71-72—211	+1
Craig Parry	73-68-70—211	+1
Phil Blackmar	69-72-70—211	+1
Hal Sutton	69-69-73—211	+1
Ed Fiori	69-73-69—211	+1

LPGA

CANTON, Mass. (AP) — Scores and relation to par Saturday after the third round of the $425,000 LPGA Bay State Classic on the 6,139-yard, par-72 Blue Hill Country Club course:

Dottie Mochrie	72-67-69—208	-8
Sherri Steinhauer	70-68-70—208	-8
Flo Descampe	68-70-72—210	-6
Nancy Taylor	70-74-68—212	-4
Jane Geddes	69-75-70—214	-2
Alice Ritzman	70-70-74—214	-2
Robin Walton	71-67-76—214	-2
Susie Redman	74-72-69—215	-1
Dana Lofland	72-71-72—215	-1
Amy Alcott	72-70-73—215	-1
Amy Read	71-69-75—215	-1
Kelly Robbins	71-69-75—215	-1
Marilyn Lovander	75-71-70—216	E
Helen Alfredsson	73-72-71—216	E
D Ammaccapane	73-70-73—216	E
Nancy Lopez	71-71-74—216	E
Chris Johnson	74-66-76—216	E
Kate Hughes	71-69-76—216	E
Denise Baldwin	72-76-69—217	+1
Amy Benz	72-74-71—217	+1
M Redman	75-70-72—217	+1
Sally Little	73-70-74—217	+1
S Farwig	68-73-76—217	+1
Nicky LeRoux	71-75-72—218	+2
M Faulconer	75-69-74—218	+2
P Kometani	73-71-74—218	+2
Pearl Sinn	72-71-75—218	+2
L Neumann	73-69-76—218	+2

Seniors

JERICHO, N.Y. (AP) — Scores and relation to par Saturday after the second round of the $450,000 Northville Long Island Classic, played on the 6,655-yard, par-72 Meadow Brook Club course:

George Archer	70-67—137	-7
Jim Albus	67-72—139	-5
Larry Laoretti	68-72—140	-4
Jim Colbert	72-69—141	-3
Tommy Aaron	71-70—141	-3
Jack Kiefer	73-69—142	-2
Simon Hobday	71-71—142	-2
Bob Brue	74-69—143	-1
Charles Coody	73-70—143	-1
Bruce Crampton	73-70—143	-1
Homero Blancas	71-72—143	-1
Bobby Nichols	73-71—144	E
Doug Dalziel	73-71—144	E
Bob Charles	72-72—144	E
Rolf Deming	72-72—144	E
Jim O'Hern	71-73—144	E

NL Box

Dodgers 7, Padres 2

SAN DIEGO	ab	r	h	bi	LOS ANGELES	ab	r	h	bi
TFrndz ss	1	0	0	0	Offrmn ss	3	2	2	0
Shipley ss	3	0	0	0	Butler cf	5	2	3	0
Gwynn rf	4	0	1	0	Young 2b	4	1	2	1
Shffield 3b	4	0	2	0	Karros 1b	4	1	1	1
McGriff 1b	4	1	1	0	Davis lf	3	0	1	1
DrJksn cf	4	1	3	0	Wbster lf	1	0	0	0
Santiago c	4	0	1	0	Rdrgez rf	3	1	1	1
Stphnsn lf	3	0	0	1	Scoscia c	4	0	2	1
Stllwell 2b	4	0	1	0	DHnsen 3b	4	0	1	1
Benes p	2	0	0	0	Cndlotti p	1	0	0	0
Mndez p	0	0	0	0	LHrris ph	1	0	0	0
Azocar ph	1	0	0	0	Gott p	0	0	0	0
TScott p	0	0	0	0	Bnzngr ph	1	0	0	0
Ward ph	1	0	0	0	Crews p	0	0	0	0
					McDwll p	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	2	9	1	Totals	34	7	13	6
San Diego					000 000 002—2				
Los Angeles					101 032 00x—7				

E—Sheffield (13), Stillwell (12), Offerman (27). DP—San Diego 1, Los Angeles 2. LOB—San Diego 7, Los Angeles 10. 2B—Stillwell (14), Karros (16). S—Young, Candiotti. SF—Rodriguez.

San Diego	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Benes L,8-10	4 1-3	10	5	4	2	3
Melendez	2 2-3	3	2	2	1	1
TScott	1	0	0	0	0	1
Los Angeles						
Cadtti W,9-9	5	4	0	0	1	3
Gott	2	1	0	0	0	0
Crews	1	1	0	0	0	0
McDowell	1	3	2	1	0	1

Ruidoso

RUIDOSO DOWNS, N.M. (AP) — Here are Saturday's horse racing results from Ruidoso Downs.

First — 870 yards; Stamen 6.40 3.80 3.00; Admiral Loom 4.20 3.00; King's Creator 4.80; T— 45.46.

Quiniela — $15.60.

Exacta — $30.00.

Second — 400 yards; Racin Deal 23.60 14.20 8.20; Automatic Cash 6.40 7.00; A Vicious Rumor 11.60; T— 20.35.

Daily Double — $99.20.

Quiniela — $233.40.

Trifecta: $2,700.

Third — 5½ furlongs; Fancy Barrera 10.00 5.20 4.20; Tastful Melody 7.00 4.40; Choke Dado 4.80; T— 1:06.2.

First Half Twin Trifecta — $481.60.

Quiniela — $34.00.

Fourth — 7½ furlongs; No Mazahl 12.60 6.60 4.00; Ego Seeker 12.20 4.40; Courageous Forever 3.40; T— 1:34.3.

Second Half Twin Trifecta — No winners, carryover $11,235.75.

Quiniela — $78.60.

Trifecta — $1,086.60.

Fifth — 7½ furlongs; Lace N' Ribbons 32.80 12.20 4.00; Stately Jo 3.60 2.80; Angenante 2.80; T— 1:33.3.

Quiniela — $55.20.

Exacta — $213.40.

Sixth — 350 yards; Sweet Mary Dee 5.60 3.80 3.60; Wynnewood Flash 4.20 3.80; Twirlin Pearl 5.80; T— 17.78.

Quiniela — $13.00.

Trifecta — $202.80.

Seventh — 6 furlongs; Billy Cad's Son 5.00 3.40 3.00; Sly Southern Belle 4.40 3.20; Calm Breeze 3.20; T— 1:11.4.

Quiniela — $12.40.

Trifecta — $41.80.

Eighth — 440 yards; Shes Gotcha 5.80 2.80 2.60; Social Pro 3.80 3.00; Pullasix 2.80; T— 21.75.

Quiniela — $11.20.

Exacta — $16.60.

Ninth — 7½ furlongs; Automatic Choke 9.40 5.40 3.00; Jazzy Momma 4.40 2.80; Catch His Eye 2.60; T— 1:35.1.

Quiniela — $23.80.

Trifecta — $175.60.

Tenth — 550 yards; Six To Five 5.40 3.80 3.20; Easy Sabra 7.00 4.60; Very Special Tip 3.80; T— 26.64.

Pick Six — $3,935.60, $106.60.

Daily Triple — $100.80.

Quiniela — $25.00.

Trifecta — $143.00.

Eleventh — 7½ furlongs; Universal Funds 13.80 8.80 5.20; Check Collector 10.20 6.40; Drews Hi Point 5.40; T— 1:32.4.

Quiniela — $140.80.

Trifecta — $1,557.40.

Attendance — 4869;

Handle — $409,925;

Transaction

BASEBALL

American League

BALTIMORE ORIOLES—Optioned Richie Lewis, pitcher, to Rochester of the International League. Purchased the contract of Jack Voigt, third baseman, from Rochester.

NL Boxes

Reds 9, Astros 0

HOUSTON	ab	r	h	bi	CINCINNATI	ab	r	h	bi
Biggio 2b	4	0	2	0	Robarts lf	3	2	2	1
Finley cf	3	0	0	0	Hrndz lf	1	0	1	0
Cmniti 3b	3	0	0	0	DaMrtz cf	4	1	3	1
Bgwell 1b	4	0	1	0	Larkin ss	4	1	2	1
Anthny rf	4	0	1	0	Bndes ss	0	0	0	0
Rmirez ss	4	0	1	0	Morris 1b	4	1	1	2
Tbnsee c	3	0	0	0	ONeill rf	4	1	1	1
Cndele lf	3	0	1	0	Doran 2b	3	0	0	0
BWilms p	0	0	0	0	Sabo 3b	2	1	1	1
GYng ph	1	0	0	0	Coles 3b	1	0	0	0
Rynlds p	0	0	0	0	Oliver c	4	2	2	0
Grrero ph	1	0	0	0	Swndell p	3	0	0	0
XHrndz p	0	0	0	0					
Incvgla ph	1	0	0	0					
Osuna p	0	0	0	0					
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WEST TEXAS SPORTS

Physical Exams...

Dr. Ted Dean will conduct physical examinations for all **Midland Lee** athletes Thursday, Aug. 6 at the Lee fieldhouse. Exams for football players and other boys sports participants will be conducted 9 a.m.-noon, while volleyball players and other girl athletes will be examined 1-3 p.m. Another boys period is set for 3-4 p.m. Cost for the physicals is $12...

Swimming...

City pools will be offering two for one admission days for the rest of the summer. Half price days for Ulmer, Halff and Washington pools will be on Tuesday while Doug Russell pool will be on Friday...

The **City of Midland Swim Team** is holding its last summer session of swimming lessons Aug. 3-13. Classes limited to four children and instructor. Call 684-7755...

Football...

The **Greater Midland Football League** will register players at Stadium Sports, 2040 W. Cuthbert, on Aug. 8 from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Prospective players need to bring their birth certificate. Physicals can be obtained at either EmergyClinic, 1816 N. Midland Drive, or Primary Medical Clinic, 3400 Andrews Hwy. For more information, call Charles Langley at 520-3425, or Bob Weckworth, at 699-6218.

The **Midland High Booster Club** will meet Aug. 6 at 7 p.m. on the east side of Memorial Stadium. Lawn chairs are recommended...

Midland Lee football equipment will be issued Friday, Aug. 7, at 9 a.m.-noon and 5-8 p.m. Physicals and all other paper work must be completed before equipment is issued...

Aggie Coach's Night, sponsored by Midland and Odessa A&M Clubs is Aug. 7 at 7 p.m. at Texas National Bank atrium. Cost is $4. Guest speaker is Tim Cassidy, A&M recruiting coordinator. Call Eric Trammell at 688-2956 or 687-3231 for information...

Softball...

Big Spring Herald Softball Blow Out, a double elimination tournament, is Aug. 7-9 at Cotton Mize Field in Big Spring. $110 entry fee. Call Dale at 1-263-7331 or Jeff at 1-264-9705 after 6 p.m...

The Irion County Community Development Tournament for men's open teams will be Aug. 8-9 in Mertzon. Entry deadline is Aug. 6 with a $110 team fee. For more information, call Don Douglas at 835-2030, Calvin Evans at 835-2184 or Rex Surber at 835-3800...

Golf...

The 1992 Invitational Green Tree Country Club Gusher golf tournament is Aug. 7-9. Entry fee is $100 per person which includes cart for tournament and practice round. Foursomes flighted by combined handicaps and championship division will allow four players who are not club members. 36-hole format includes 4-man scramble on Saturday and a two best ball of foursome on Sunday. Call 694-7726 for more information...

Big Spring's Comanche Trails Golf Course will host **Best of the Rest X**, Aug. 7-9. Entry fee is $175 per team, mulligans, kicks, throws and carts extra. Limited to the first 106 two-man teams. Trip to Hawaii for any hole-in-one during two-day tournament. For more information, call Al Patterson at 263-7271...

Tennis...

Southwest Oilman's Tennis Tournament (SWOTT) is Sept. 24-26 at Midland Country Club. Registration is Sept. 23. Over 300 players from several states are expected to participate...

Upcoming **Midland Tennis Club** tournaments are Women's Doubles, Aug. 8-9; Women's Singles, Aug. 15-16; Men's Singles, Aug. 22-23; Mixed Doubles (Club Championship), Aug. 29-30...

Steer Tennis Camp is in Big Spring at Figure 7 Tennis Center Aug. 3-7. Younger kids in morning and older kids and adults in afternoon. Cost is $55. Call 1-267-1099 for information...

Hotter Than Heck open tournament is Aug. 8-9 at Odessa Country Club for singles, doubles and mixed doubles for all ages. Entry fee is $8 per person, per event and entry deadline is Aug. 4. No phone entries. Send entries to Rosie Garza, Odessa Country Club, 79760. For information call 362-0001...

The Tennis Association of Midland is holding registration for the Youth Fall Season Tennis League, which begins early in September. Entry deadline is Aug. 15. Call Judy Haas at 699-2118 or 682-2255 for information...

Soccer...

The Midland Soccer Association is registering kids for the Fall 1992 season. Any child who has reached the age of 4 on or before August 31, 1992 is eligible to play. Registration fee is $30. Registration is being handled at the MSA office at 2101 W. Wall, Suite 8, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., Monday through Friday. Weekend registration will also be held at Midland Park Mall Aug. 2 during mall hours. The MSA season runs from Sept. 12-Nov. 21. For additional information, call 684-KICK...

Soccer camp for girls is also set by the MSA for U-6, U-8, and U-10 age divisions Aug. 3-7. **Boys camp** (same ages) will be Aug. 10-14. Registration is $20 per child. Call 684-5425 for more information...

Running...

The **Women's Distance Festival and Chase After the Women** is set for Aug. 15 and includes a 5K run and a one-mile walk/fun run for the women and a 5K for the men. Festivities begin at 7:30 a.m. at Annie's Ginger Bread House (LaVillita Shopping Center) at Midkiff and Wadley. There will be a Chase After the Women following the women's run and brunch at Annie's. For more information, call Mary Lou Hennessy at 694-5020 or 694-8636...

The Permian Basin Road Runners will hold the **Prude Ranch Races** (5K, 10K, half marathon and 5K fitness walk) Aug. 9 at 7:30 a.m. in Fort Davis for both men and women. Call Chuck Chamberlain at 687-2961 for information...

Triathlon...

The YMCA Hoffman Memorial **Tall City Triathlon** is scheduled for Aug. 22 and includes a 500-meter swim, a 12.4-mile bike leg and a 3.1-mile run. Call Roger Moon at 682-2551 for more information...

Reds win, stay atop West

Bucs' victory, Expos loss widens East gap

Associated Press

CINCINNATI — Greg Swindell pitched a six-hitter as the Reds beat the Houston Astros 9-0 to maintain a one-half game lead over Atlanta in the NL West.

Swindell (10-4) struck out five and walked two for his second shutout this season. He has four of Cincinnati's seven complete games.

The Reds got 13 hits off five Houston pitchers, chasing starter Brian Williams (3-2) after two innings. Cincinnati did most of its damage in the first, batting around and scoring four runs before Williams got his first out.

Bip Roberts walked and stole second, Dave Martinez walked, and Barry Larkin singled in Roberts. Hal Morris doubled down the right-field line, scoring Martinez and Larkin, and Paul O'Neill bounced a ground-rule double over the center-field wall to drive in Morris.

Bill Doran reached base when Eric Anthony misplayed his fly ball in right, moving O'Neill to third, and O'Neill scored on Chris Sabo's sacrifice fly. Williams then struck out Joe Oliver and got Swindell on a fly to center to end the inning.

Braves 5, Giants 3

SAN FRANCISCO — John Smoltz won his fourth consecutive decision and Brian Hunter hit a home run as the Atlanta Braves defeated the San Francisco Giants.

Smoltz (13-6), who gave up six hits in eight innings, has allowed two earned runs in 41 1-3 innings over his last five starts for the Braves, who won for only the second time in seven games.

Marvin Freeman pitched the ninth and gave up a two-run homer to Mark Leonard, his third of the season.

Loser Bud Black (9-4) gave up five runs, two earned, and 10 hits in 6 1-3 innings as he lost for the first time this season at Candlestick Park. Black, who was 7-0 with a 1.29 ERA at Candlestick before Saturday, struck out six, walked two, and balked twice.

Atlanta took a 3-0 lead with three unearned runs in the third inning. After Jose Uribe mishandled a grounder for an error, Otis Nixon doubled home one run, Jeff Blauser added a sacrifice fly and Terry Pendleton singled home the third run.

Pirates 4, Cardinals 1

PITTSBURGH — Doug Drabek extended his run of strong starts and Orlando Merced drove in Pittsburgh's first three runs in a victory over the slumping St. Louis Cardinals.

Drabek (9-8) pitched a six-hitter and shut out the Cardinals over the final eight innings for his sixth complete game of the season. Pirates starters have allowed the Cardinals only three runs in their last five games and just one earned run in their last 47 innings, an 0.19 ERA.

Dodgers 7, Padres 2

LOS ANGELES — Brett Butler, coming off a sizzling July in which he hit .442, began August with three hits as the Los Angeles Dodgers beat the San Diego Padres.

The victory was costly for the Dodgers, who lost Tom Candiotti (9-9) after five innings with a contusion on his left ankle and Eric Davis with an injured left hand. Davis was hit by a Jose Melendez pitch in the sixth.

Candiotti allowed four hits and a walk while striking out three.

Phillies 4, Expos 2

MONTREAL — Curt Schilling scattered five hits over seven plus innings for his 10th win of the season and Wes Chamberlain hit his first career grand slam as the Philadelphia Phillies beat the Montreal Expos.

The loss dropped the Expos two games behind first-place Pittsburgh in the NL East.

Schilling (10-6) had pitched 29 1-3 consecutive scoreless innings before Marquis Grissom hit an RBI double in the sixth inning following a single by Delino DeShields.

Schilling struck out four and walked one. He pitched hitless ball until Bret Barberie hit an infield single with two out in the fourth. Mitch Williams pitched the last two innings for 20th save.

Mets 3, Cubs 0

NEW YORK — The New York Mets lost Bret Saberhagen to injury again, then saw Pete Schourek relieve and carry them over the Chicago Cubs in the opener of a doubleheader.

Saberhagen, making his third start since coming back from a two-month layoff, re-irritated the flexor tendon in his right finger that had kept him sidelined. The Mets said the finger would be iced overnight, and that the two-time Cy Young Award winner would be examined again on Sunday.

Saberhagen made it three-plus innings, allowing three hits, striking out three and walking one.

Mets 3, Cubs 0
Cubs 6, Mets 1

NEW YORK — A doubleheader split Saturday night was a lot worse for the New York Mets than it was for the Chicago Cubs.

First, Bret Saberhagen's tender finger went "POP!" in the opener, a 3-0 victory for New York. His exact condition won't be known until Sunday.

Then, Wally Whitehurt remained winless in six starts as Chicago won the second game 6-1. Jeff Robinson allowed two hits in seven innings, retiring his final 17 batters.

NL Roundup

Defense leads NY to big win

Associated Press

CANTON, Ohio — Glenn Cadrez and Dennis Byrd each returned interceptions for touchdowns and Browning Nagle ran for one score and passed for another as the New York Jets beat the Philadelphia Eagles 41-14 Saturday in the Hall of Fame exhibition game.

Cadrez picked off a pass by David Archer midway through the third quarter and returned it 73 yards, although he bobbled the ball in the end zone and had to recover it for the touchdown and a 35-14 lead.

Byrd made it 14-0 in the first quarter when he stepped in front of Jeff Kemp's pass and scored from seven yards out.

The 41 points was the third-highest ever in an exhibition game for the Jets.

Nagle, getting the chance to start at quarterback because of Ken O'Brien's contract holdout, hit Pat Chaffey on a 4-yard touchdown pass in the second quarter. On the preceding play, Nagle hit Rob Carpenter on an apparent 41-yard touchdown pass, but Carpenter spiked the ball before getting into the end zone.

Dolphins 22, Redskins 21

ORLANDO, Fla. — Scott Mitchell overcame a slow start to throw for 227 yards and one touchdown to lead the Miami Dolphins to a 22-21 exhibition victory over the Washington Redskins Saturday night.

Mitchell, returning to the stadium where he starred this year for the World League's Orlando Thunder, completed just one of his first eight passes but bounced back to finish 18 of 35 before a crowd of 63,100 in the Citrus Bowl.

The Miami quarterback, playing the entire game because Dan Marino was resting his knees and Scott Secules had a sore shoulder, threw a 9-yard touchdown pass to James Saxon and also set up Pete Stoyanovich field goals of 22, 42 and 28 yards.

Cary Conklin started at quarterback for Washington and had the better night statistically — completing 21 of 35 passes for 256 yards and three touchdowns.

NFL Preseason

LOCAL SPORTS

Midland set for big softball event

Seventy-three teams from 50 states open play Wednesday in the Girls's under-14 American Softball Association national fast pitch tournament, to be played at the Bill Williams Softball Complex.

Up to 3,000 people are expected to visit Midland for the event.

Opening ceremonies are slated for 6:30 p.m. Wednesday with the first games to be played at 7 p.m. The championship game is scheduled for Sunday, August 9 at 1 p.m.

A five-day tournament pass is priced at $25. Daily tickets are $7.

Clements leads GTCC junior field

Matt Clements posted a one-under par round of 70 Saturday to take the lead in the 15-17-year-old group at the Green Tree Country Club Junior Golf Championship.

Entering today's round Bobby Wegener is in second place with a 75, while Mitch Spence shot a 78 for third place.

Here are Saturday's results from the first day of the Green Tree Country Club Junior Golf Championship:

15-17: Matt Clements, 70; Bobby Wegener, 75; Mitch Spence, 78; David Stark, 82; Cody Vaughn, 84; Tommy Van, 89; Justin Robertson, 90; Kaimi Fuller, 92; Kelly Thompson, 93; Claudine Wright, 126.

13-14: David Smith, 75; Sean Clements, 79; Charlie Prince, 83; Bucky Vaughn, 86; Ben Jones, 90; Troy Cook, 92; Doug Heinty, 96; Ryan Thompson, 96; Jason Haney, 108; Bo Madison, 108; Neal Holtzclaw, 118.

8-11 (9 holes): Chance Finley, 36; Josh Haney, 40; Billy Dunson, 41; Daniel Pender, 44; Colby Weinstock, 44; Michael Unger, 46; Miles McPherson, 49; Ronnie Smith, 50; Cody Dunson, 55; Chris Teer, 58; Jared Lacock, 74.

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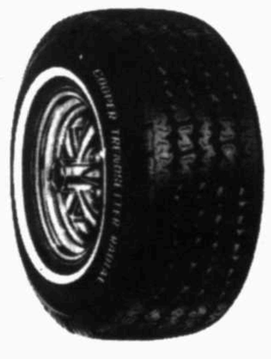

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JONES: No regrets after career at Lee

(From 1B)

ving's Texas Stadium, it will probably be his last game for more than a year. That's because he is relatively certain he will be redshirted this season.

"I took my visits to A&M, Duke, Rice, Oklahoma and Miami," said Jones, a three-year starter in the middle of the Rebel offensive line. "I really had my heart set on A&M until I went to Miami. I was probably ready to commit after that visit.

"It was just the perfect combination of athletics and academics, and nobody could really match that. Rice had the academics and A&M the football, but Miami had both.

"I'm going to redshirt my freshman year and get used to the system, especially the classroom. It will also give me another year academically to get my degree."

There are football reasons for Jones taking an extra college year, also.

"I'll have time to get used to all the line calls and the quarterbacks. Also, I'm real light (for a Division I lineman, anyway) right now. This year will give me a chance to mature physically and emotionally. They said my playing weight should be 260, so I'm not too far off," the 245-pound Jones said.

HE WILL be amid another storm in Tuesday's all-star game, which will be his last chance to play against somebody besides teammates for a while. So does Jones see it as the culmination of a brilliant high school career (he was named second-team All-State on two different teams last season), or the beginning of his college endeavors?

"Probably as the beginning of my college career," Jones said. "The people I'm playing against are all going to college. It will be a good measuring stick of where I am right now.

"Also, I don't think we get enough respect. They think we're a bunch of hicks out here in West Texas. We don't get the respect players from the big cities do."

Though he is five years removed from determining whether a professional football career is in the offing — "I can't really think about that right now," Jones said — he has found a way to stay near the sport after his playing days are over.

"I'm going to major in health sciences and try to go into physical therapy. I've had a couple of knee surgeries, and even since then I've gotten interested in it, though it wasn't a very fun way to get involved in it.

"I can stay near football and be around the sport even after I stop playing."

JONES SAID he began playing football because he "just kind of followed in the footsteps" of his father Paul and brother Chris. Chris, 24, was an All-District player at Lee and Paul played collegiately at Wyoming.

From his days in the Greater Midland Football League, where he and many other future Rebels played for the Steelers, to those heady Friday nights when Lee and archrival Odessa Permian butted heads, Jones has seen the good times.

Through the knee surgeries, two-a-days in August and interminable bus trips to the far reaches of the state, he has seen the bad times. Still, he said he would do it all over again.

"I have no regrets at all. I can't see me doing anything else.

"My junior year we beat Permian and it felt so great. Then last year beating San Angelo was a really great feeling.

Angels end Ryan's win streak

Associated Press

AL Roundup

ARLINGTON — The California Angels touched Nolan Ryan for eight singles Saturday night, stopping his winning streak at five while earning a 6-1 victory over the Texas Rangers behind Chuck Finley's seven-hitter.

Ryan (5-4) lasted 5 1-3 innings in his bid for victory No. 320. He struck out seven, walked two and hit two batters.

It was the most hits allowed in a game by Ryan since April 26, 1991 against Cleveland.

Finley (4-9) worked out of jams in the second, fourth, and seventh innings to advance his lifetime record to 3-6 against the Rangers. He had eight strikeouts and four walks.

Texas All-star catcher Ivan Rodriguez contributed to Ryan's misery in the game delayed 42 minutes by rain with throwing errors that allowed two runs to score.

Chad Curtis singled, stole second and scored on a single by Rene Gonzales to give the Angels a 1-0 lead in the second. On the next pitch, Gonzales stole second and came all the way home on a a throwing error by Rodriguez.

After the rain delay, Gary Disarcina and Louis Polonia singled in the third and scored on a groundout, and a single by Junior Felix.

Polonia scored again in the fifth when he singled, took second on a bad pickoff throw by Ryan, and came home on a bad throw by Rodriguez while stealing third.

Texas scored in the second on a double by Dean Palmer, a walk, a sacrifice, and a sacrifice fly by Dickie Thon.

Blue Jays 3, Yankees 1

TORONTO — Joe Carter's two-out, two-run double in the eighth broke a tie and lifted Jack Morris and the Toronto Blue Jays over the New York Yankees.

Devon White reached on a two-out single to right and Roberto Alomar followed with a single that deflected off second baseman Andy Stankiewicz into right field, sending White to third.

Carter then took loser Melido Perez (9-10) off the wall in the left, scoring White and Alomar for the Blue Jays' third straight win.

Morris (13-4) allowed one run on seven hits over eight innings. He struck out two and walked two. Tom Henke pitched the ninth for his 19th save of the season.

Royals 8, Athletics 4

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Gregg Jefferies and Curtis Wilkerson had two hits apiece, giving each six hits in two days, and the Kansas City Royals outlasted the Oakland Athletics in a wild game that included five hit batsmen.

Royals pitchers Hipolito Pichardo and Steve Shifflett were both tossed out in the second inning. Pichardo hit Rickey Henderson leading off the game, leading to Kelly Downs' hitting Kansas City leadoff batter Gregg Jefferies.

Orioles 9, Red Sox 3

BOSTON — Mike Devereaux hit a two-run homer and drove in four runs and Leo Gomez had a three-run homer to power the Baltimore Orioles past the Boston Red Sox.

Devereaux hit his 16th homer with two outs off Frank Viola (9-7) after Billy Ripken had singled leading off the seventh inning to make it 5-3.

Pat Clements (2-0), who had entered with two outs in the sixth inning after the Red Sox had tied the score on Tony Pena's RBI single off Storm Davis, got the win. He gave up one hit and struck out two in 2 1-3 innings.

Indians 8, Tigers 5

CLEVELAND — Glenallen Hill hit a tie-breaking home run in the seventh inning as the Cleveland Indians overcame Cecil Fielder's grand slam and beat the Detroit Tigers.

Fielder tied the game in the top of the seventh with his bases-loaded homer off Ted Power, giving him three home runs and 10 RBIs in two days. His 90 RBIs lead the majors.

But the Indians answered with three runs against Les Lancaster (3-3) in the bottom of the inning — Hill's 10th home run and RBI singles by Kenny Lofton and Thomas Howard, who had his first career four-hit game.

White Sox 8, Mariners 1

CHICAGO — George Bell's two-run double capped a four-run third inning and the Chicago White Sox defeated the Seattle Mariners for their fourth victory in five games.

Kirk McCaskill (7-8) was the winner but left in the sixth inning when he injured his right elbow. Greg Hibbard finished for his first major league save.

Twins 9, Brewers 6

MINNEAPOLIS — Mike Pagliarulo snapped a scoreless, fifth-inning tie with his first game-winning RBI since last fall's AL playoffs and slumping Greg Gagne followed with a two-run single as the Minnesota Twins beat the Milwaukee Brewers.

Brian Harper capped the scoring with an eighth-inning grand slam, the second of his career, helping Minnesota open a 1½-game lead over Oakland in the AL West.

Hammond takes third round lead at Hartford

Associated Press

PGA

CROMWELL, Conn. — Donnie Hammond shot an error-free 68 in 30 mph wind gusts Saturday to take a one shot lead after the third-round of the Greater Hartford Open.

Saturday's winds, coming after Friday's heavy rains, prevented anyone from making a strong run at the Tournament Players Club at River Highlands course. Only nine of the 79 golfers broke par-70, including Hammond at 2-under. Eleven others were even on the round.

Hammond's three-day total of 204 left him at six under par, a score that has lead the tournament after each day's play.

Second-round leader Gil Morgan, one of only two golfers to reach 7-under during the tournament, bogeyed the 17th hole and finished 1-over for the round to fall into a tie for second at 5-under with Bob Estes.

The problem, he said, was that he found his motivation waning.

Bogey-free 18 gives George Archer lead

Associated Press

PGA Seniors

JERICHO, N.Y. — George Archer, the two-time defending champion, shot a bogey-free 5-under-par 67 on Saturday and took a two-stroke lead after two rounds of the $450,000 Northville Long Island Classic.

Archer, 52, was at 137, two strokes better than first-round leader Jim Albus, who shot a 72 over the 6,655-yard Meadow Brook Club.

Larry Laoretti, the U.S. Senior Open champion, also shot 72 and was at 140. Jim Colbert shot a 69 for 141 and was joined by Tommy Aaron, who shot 70.

Archer, who won the 1969 Masters, has been known throughout his career for his putting touch. But it abandoned him about a month ago.

"I became a putter quite by accident," Archer said. "All I did was go to the putting green and practice, and things fell into place. However, the last couple of years I haven't been happy with my play.

"About a month ago, things fell apart completely, so I had to do something about it."

Mochrie, Steinhauer tied

LPGA

CANTON, Mass. (AP) — Dottie Mochrie shot a 3-under-par 69 on Saturday to pull into a share of the lead with Sherri Steinhauer after three rounds of the LPGA's Bay State Classic.

Mochrie and Steinhauer, the second-round co-leader who shot 70 on Saturday, managed to break par despite battling wind gusts to 38 mph. They completed 54 holes at 208, 8-under for the 6,139-yard Blue Hill Country Club course.

Belgian Florence Descampe, who held a part of the lead after each of the first two rounds, had an adventurous even-par round of 72 to fall two strokes off the pace. Descampe, nearly flawless Thursday and Friday when she failed to reach only one of 36 greens in regulation, hit only eight greens Saturday. The 23-year-old tour rookie bailed herself out of endless trouble with accurate short-iron play.

"It definitely could have been a big disaster for me," Descampe said. "It was the first time I've been able to play bad and keep it up. I guess it was my day."

Steinhauer, who shared the second-round lead with Descampe and Robin Walton, relied on solid putting to record four birdies. She was deadly within 15 feet and nailed puts of 35 and 40 feet for birdies on the third and fourth holes.

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NYC must make garbage decision

New York's City Council, ever demanding to be taken seriously, has several more weeks to meet a major responsibility or duck. If it ducks, it will be jeopardizing the city's health and future through cowardice.

The issue is garbage — what to do with it in a city that produces 26,000 tons every day and is running out of disposal sites. City Hall has a good, if belated, answer: a long-term plan that includes recycling and construction of a safe waste-to-energy incinerator at the Brooklyn Navy Yard.

But the plan needs council approval, and the council, afraid of political backlash, recently put off the vote until the end of August.

The city cannot afford any further delays. The Dinkins administration did enough damage by putting off initial construction of the incineration plant until 1996. Recycling, while critical, simply cannot do the job alone. Right now the city recycles 12 percent of its garbage and its new plan would increase that to 41 percent by the year 2000. An additional 7 percent could disappear by reducing the amount of waste. Where will the rest go?

Fresh Kills on Staten Island, the city's last remaining landfill, currently takes 53 percent of the garbage. But it will run out of space by the turn of the century, if the garbage flow doesn't grow, and within five years if Gov. Mario Cuomo fails to veto a bill that would reduce the landfill's capacity.

Landfills in other states currently take 31 percent of the city's garbage. But those are filling up, and while a few others are opening, most are intended only for local use. Some New York City waste currently is being disposed of in Hudspeth County, but that is being challenged in the courts. Moreover, Congress is considering legislation to inhibit exports.

Meanwhile, the council calls for an even greater emphasis on recycling, though recycling is difficult and already lagging.

Council members, worried about re-election, are playing to unreasonable fears about incinerators. Modern plants filter their emissions and burn at such high temperatures that they limit the production of pollutants; and they convert the energy produced by the heat into electricity.

The council insisted on jurisdiction over this sensitive issue. Speaker Peter Vallone dragged his heels at first, but finally showed admirable leadership Thursday, conceding the inevitability of incineration and, by negotiating the extension until August, thwarting members who wanted to reject the plan. He will have to keep up the pressure and educate the council about a matter that will affect New Yorkers — and other throughout the nation — for years to come.

ANOTHER VIEW

Bush campaign seeks salvation from rumors

No need to wonder just how dispirited the Bush reelection effort is: the blizzard of rumors sweeping out of campaign insiders is proof that they are helplessly fumbling about for any sort of salvation.

Three major, persistent rumors surround the campaign: that President Bush is ill, that Vice President Dan Quayle will be dumped from the ticket, and that Secretary of State James Baker will resign or take a leave of absence and move to the White House to run the campaign.

The last apparently is true. Given multitudinous opportunities, Republican officials all the way up to Bush and Baker themselves have refused to squelch this rumor. Baker Wednesday only said "no decision has been made" on the move, which means it's all set but the timing...

Bush's health, physical and mental, has been scrutinized by the White House media since his embarrassing trip to Japan, ... and a very strange campaign trip to New Hampshire later the same month, where his campaign rhetoric was nothing short of bizarre.

Nevertheless, the health rumors are almost surely overblown; this is the sort of vulture talk that arises in a political context at any hint of trouble.

The talk about Quayle may have more credibility ...

The only conceivable reason to replace (Quayle) on the ticket is if Bush really is in poor health. The man is a harmless amusement as vice president, but a frightening prospect as president.

The Orange Leader

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Sunday, Aug. 2, the 215th day of 1992. There are 151 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Aug. 2, 1876, frontiersman "Wild Bill" Hickok was shot from behind and killed while playing poker at a saloon in Deadwood, S.D. The man who shot Hickok, Jack McCall, was later hanged.

On this date:

In 1776, members of the Continental Congress began attaching their signatures to the Declaration of Independence.

In 1892, 100 years ago, movie producer Jack L. Warner was born in London, Ontario, Canada.

In 1923, the 29th president of the United States, Warren G. Harding, died in San Francisco.

In 1927, President Calvin Coolidge issued a statement to reporters: "I do not choose to run for President in 1928."

In 1934, German President Paul von Hindenburg died, paving the way for Adolf Hitler's complete takeover.

In 1943, Navy Lt. John F. Kennedy became a war hero by rescuing members of his crew after their PT boat was sheared in two by a Japanese destroyer.

In 1945, leaders of the United States, the Soviet Union and Britain concluded the Allied conference at Potsdam.

JACK ANDERSON

Congress finds it hard to vote against NRA

WASHINGTON — When the NRA calls, most members of Congress run for political cover. Bucking the powerful gun lobby this week, Sen. Brock Adams, D-Wash., found himself trying to flush faint-hearted colleagues from the tall grass.

But Adams' call to arms was met with a familiar refrain: "I can't vote against the NRA." Especially not in an election year.

Anderson

So the NRA and its friends on Capitol Hill won an important battle when the Senate voted to overturn the District of Columbia's assault-weapon liability law. Regardless of how it fares in what is expected to be a contentious conference committee, this is one of the more glaring examples of the public will be repealed by monied special interests, and could be an unwelcome harbinger of things to come this fall for Bill Clinton.

"There have been some comments made here that to me are absolutely appalling, which is that a weapon, an automatic or semi-automatic weapon, an AK-47, a "Streetsweeper," the Colt equivalent, an Uzi, these weapons should be protected under the general statement that a product used for its purpose should be allowed to move in interstate commerce freely," Adams argued during an emotional Senate floor debate.

By a 77 percent majority, the citizens of the District of Columbia voted in a referendum last November for a ground-breaking measure that holds dealers and manufacturers of assault weapons liable for injuries that assault weapons inflict.

Sen. Robert Smith, R-N.H., who is dead certain the law is unconstitutional, nonetheless seemed uncertain enough to want to settle the matter not through a court challenge, but through a parliamentary ploy. Smith slipped the measure overturning the law onto a spending bill for the State, Commerce and Justice Departments.

An ardent foe of all gun control, Smith received approximately $10,000 in NRA contributions during 1989-90 — the second largest sum it doled out to any one candidate during this period. The Washington, D.C. law has been at the top of the NRA political hit list.

"I thought this (Smith measure) showed the NRA's great power," Adams told us. "You can't vote against the gun lobby."

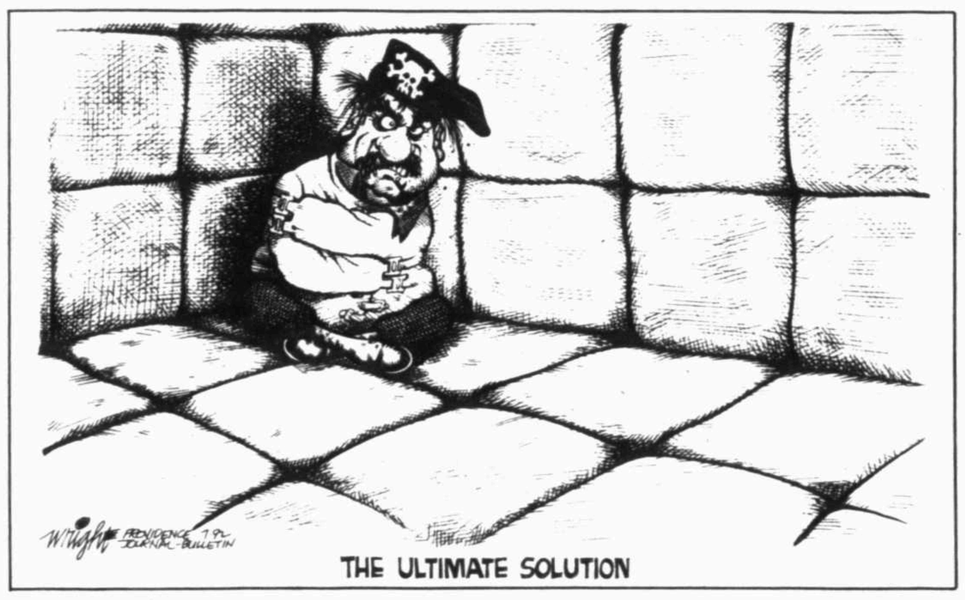
What transpired not only bodes ill for the beleaguered District of Columbia, which is fending off a challenge to its home rule, but it signals that the NRA, feeling threatened by rising public anxiety about violence and guns, will mount a full-scale assault on Democrat Bill Clinton this fall.

Clinton is sure to be painted as a radical out to confiscate guns from law-abiding citizens. It is a position sure to draw the kind of fire trained on Michael Dukakis in 1988 when the NRA spent $4 million nationally attacking his position on gun control.

Smith is concerned that the D.C. liability law "threatens to bankrupt legitimate gun manufacturers and dealers through lawsuits brought by injured drug lords... How genuinely ironic it would be if 1,000 honest, hard-working people were thrown out of work in Florida, Connecticut or Massachusetts in order to finance a D.C.-based drug empire, because that is exactly what would happen."

But for Adams, the gun liability law is an important first step. The solution to the epidemic of violence in the cities, Smith explains, is stiffer sentences, capital punishment and tougher parole laws. With D.C. jails already overflowing to the point where the government has rented space throughout the United States, it's unclear to Adams how the public can be protected.

Jack Anderson's and Michael Binstein's column is distributed by United Feature Syndicate.



THE ULTIMATE SOLUTION

GEORGE WILL

Clinton appears to be to the right of Bush

WASHINGTON — When Cocteau, the French writer, was asked if he believed in luck, he replied, "Of course. How else do you explain the success of those you don't like?" George Bush will be forgiven for believing Bill Clinton has of late been lucky.

After the Bush campaign tried, for several weeks, with scant success, to portray Clinton as a crypto-leftist on domestic policy, events in Baghdad and the Balkans suddenly shifted attention to foreign policy. And up popped Clinton to the right of Bush.

Will

Regarding foreign policy, the Cold War defined the political spectrum in terms of opposition to aggressive left-wing regimes, so "the right" came to mean readiness for ambitious U.S. interventions, perhaps involving military actions. In the short run, at least, Clinton may benefit from seeming to be "to the right" by suggesting insufficient U.S. efforts against Baghdad and on behalf of Bosnia. But there may be an opportunity for Bush, groggy though he is, at last to land a punch in this, the first post-Cold War election.

By suggesting U.S. military support for U.N.-sanctioned air strikes against Serbian attacks on relief efforts in Bosnia, Clinton seemed to put the Democratic Party on the muscular side of a foreign policy dispute. That may draw the fangs of Republicans who relish saying that the most recent Democratic president invaded a vast country with eight helicopters, and that on the most recent significant foreign policy decision, the authorization of Desert Storm, most Democrats took a position to the left of the United Nations.

In appearing to be to the right of Bush, Clinton was helped — this is becoming a pattern — by the hapless Marlin Fitzwater. He was sent forth to lambaste Clinton, but did so without understanding that Clinton had said approximately what Defense Secretary Cheney and Sen. Richard Lugar (ranking Republican on the Foreign Relations Committee) have said.

Meanwhile, Saddam Hussein's cunning continues to tarnish the achievement of which Bush is most proud. Merely by continuing to draw breath — never mind tormenting the enforcers of the cease-fire agreement — Hussein allows Democrats to call attention to the Bush administration's "coddling" of him (Clinton's word) before his invasion of Kuwait. But three things must be said on Bush's behalf.

First, when Iraqi aggression occurred, Bush responded better than most Democrats did.

Second, it is implausible to suggest, as many Democrats do, that a few more hours of the Desert Storm offensive would have solved the problem of Iraq.

Third, regarding the fissionable Balkans, do Democrats want to say Bush is too reluctant to intervene in fratricide? Do they think U.S. policy should aim at — what?

Last week Clinton said "America is being ridiculed around the world." Oh? American political ideas and social and cultural values, expressed in American cadences (often those of the 3rd and 16th presidents), are being embraced around the world.

Americans believe in three kinds of progress — material, intellectual and moral. Periodically Americans regard foreign policy as a realm for pursuing that third kind. The theory is that this nation "dedicated to a proposition" is committed to a foreign policy that tries to universalize that proposition in the form of democracy.

Perhaps Clinton will promise a foreign policy oriented to lofty values rather than concrete interests. That will leave Bush leaning on the ropes but standing on a recognizably conservative principle:

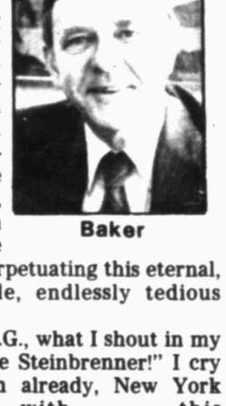
Abroad as at home, the power of government to do good is limited. From time to time there are new world orders, but the world always is a dangerous place.

George Will's column is distributed by Washington Post Writers Group.

RUSSELL BAKER

Observer tires of Steinbrenner news, Quayle jokes

Mrs. M.G. of Houma, Louisiana, writes that she is astounded by the sweet temper constantly displayed in these columns. "Your veins," she says, "must be rich in the milk of human kindness. Don't you ever get grouchy, fed up and sick and tired of it all, like other people do?"



Baker

Ah, Mrs. M.G., if only you knew. I am much too kind to write it, but at this very moment I am not only sick and tired of, but also thoroughly fed up with George Steinbrenner. This is not all Steinbrenner's fault. The New York newspapers, which refuse to let him just fade away, are equally to blame for perpetuating this eternal, inescapable, inevitable, endlessly tedious Steinbrenner story.

Do you know, Mrs. M.G., what I shout in my sleep? "Enough, George Steinbrenner!" I cry in the night. "Enough already, New York newspapers, with this Steinbrennerlungenlied!"

The Steinbrenner story has had it. It is finished, over, done with, used up. Steinbrenner should be pressed like an old rose between the pages of every sportswriter's family Bible and left there to be forgotten until a generation or two has passed.

Eighty years ago when this story began, George Steinbrenner was mildly entertaining as a bush-league Barnum testing the theory that if your baseball team isn't worth advertising you can still lure the suckers into Yankee Stadium with a comedy act.

Does nothing justify giving the good old Steinbrenner tale just one more 50,000-word spread? Well, admittedly, since baseball, which two years ago suspended Steinbrenner for life, is now about to cut him down, we may have newsworthy evidence that life in baseball lasts only two years. This is mildly interesting since the average baseball game nowadays lasts nearly a year and a half, but it hardly justifies the press engaging in another all-out Steinbrenner jamboree.

Yes, Mrs. M.G., I get fed up. I just don't let it show. For instance, let me speak confidentially about James A. Baker III, soon to become Jim Baker, that breezy "Jim" signifying he is no longer Secretary of State James A. III, but a plain-people politician arriving like the U.S. Cavalry to save President Bush's doddering presidential campaign.

What's there to grouch about here? Dear Mrs. M.G., you never think at all about politics down there in Houma, do you? Look: Here's a perfectly satisfactory secretary of state, and here's a floundering president. Now think:

If Baker is not only good at diplomacy, but also good enough at domestic politics to run a winning presidential campaign, why is he being wasted masterminding the Bush campaign? He ought to be running for president himself, shouldn't he?

Between us, Mrs. M.G., I'm sick and tired of seeing our smart guys, guys like James A. III-/Jim, turned into hired guns to save less smart guys who can't save themselves. What's more, I'm fed up with press people who cheer this kind of thing, saying it's great for Bush that James A. III is switching to Jim, when they ought to be urging Bush to do right by the country and step aside and let Jim have a run at the main job.

Which reminds me of several other things I'm sick and tired of; to wit, Dan Quayle, Dan Quayle jokes but especially Dan Quayle spelling jokes, and Dan Quayle ticket speculation. Will he or won't he be on the ticket? Should he be or shouldn't he be on the ticket? Will Bush keep him on the ticket? Will Quayle make himself a giant of statesmanship by resigning from the ticket?

Etcetera ad nauseam. Yes, Mrs. M.G., nauseam. I am fed up with politicians, philosophers, historians, reporters and pundits like me constantly dwelling on Quayle. And worse: I am sickened and fatigued by their failure ever to ask the right question about him.

This is not, Can Quayle possibly be that callow? The right question is, Why doesn't Bush dump himself, ask James A. III/Jim to lead the ticket and deal with Quayle, thereby giving the Republican Party a chance to redefine itself in a creative or possibly murderous fight at the Houston convention?

Yes, Mrs. M.G., I know, I know. There's neither sweet reason nor much fun in politics. It's just business as always. Of course I'm fed up. You think I'm inhuman? That's strictly between us.

Russell Baker's column is distributed by New York Times News Service.

LETTERS

GOP uses 'liberal' in derogatory way

The GOP national convention is approaching and we will hear some words over and over.

LIBERAL will be used — in a derogatory way and I want to address it prior to the convention. I suggest you look up the two words in your dictionary and compare the meanings.

I am a proud Democrat and a liberal. Liberal in like FDR, Harry Truman, JFK, Lyndon Johnson, Adlai Stevenson, Hubert Humphrey, Jimmy Carter. Compare the above with Harding and Ohio Gang, Coolidge and Hoover who brought us the Great Depression! Eisenhower (a good man) followed by Richard Nixon and Spiro Agnew (both felons), Ford, who pardoned Nixon, then Ronald Reagan and George Bush who gave us mountainous national debts and scandals by the score. Bush brought us to where we are today.

One other liberal I'll note is Jesus Christ with the new covenant and the Pharisees who wanted to hold on to the status quo (Conservative theory).

TAX AND SPEND! Revenue bills must originate in the House! Bills from the House are sent to the president who may, 1. Sign it, thereby becoming part of the bill; veto it and send it back to Congress, or let it sit in Oval office, (pocket veto). Spending is a joint activity! National deficit! I found in a copy of Newsweek, Feb. 22, 1982, page 26, 27, where R. Reagan submitted a budget with a $91.5 billion deficit. He wouldn't compromise and lower it. This plus "No More Taxes!!" is the cause of the deficit.

I noted that George Bush will get Baker to help in his campaign. Isn't it a shame that Bush is so incompetent that he can't run his own campaign!

"TRUST HIM," many did and now we're in worse shape since the Depression. He has no values except "protect the rich" and those who contributed to him! He's demonstrated he's a liar; no new taxes, residence is in Texas ... and many more!

George Bush and Reagan are both racists. Reagan's racial policy was "Benign Neglect!" Three presidents have vetoed civil rights bills! Andrew Johnson during Reconstruction, Ronald Reagan and George Bush. His glory was "Desert Storm," but even now that is becoming "Iraqgate." He helped build Saddam Hussein into a threat and failed to warn Hussein not to invade Kuwait.

His school proposal of choice is fatally flawed and tailored to help some of his friends who own private schools. Public funds should not be used by parochial or private schools — it's a violation of church-state.

Wayne Harris
Midland

Measure would help small businesses

Southwestern Bell's Linda Basham wrote a very articulate letter published in the MRT on July 12th regarding the "Brooks Bill." I would like to comment on that article.

Many current and former Bell employees would love to start their own businesses within the phone industry, but don't — not because of "no-compete" contracts, but because Bell uses unfair marketing advantages making it difficult, if not impossible, for new competitors to survive. Order a telephone line today and Bell will try to sell phones, wiring insurance, speed calling, call forwarding, three-way calling, call conferencing and even Touch-Tone dialing (which actually saves them money). All of these things can be purchased (usually for less money) from private "unprotected non-monopolies." Bell's unfair advantage is exposed when you must call them exclusively for a telephone line — the sales pitch is on!

Private business depends on expensive advertising (like Bell's Yellow Pages, in which Bell Telephone doesn't place ads) to encourage you to call; Bell traps you when you must call them. This is an obvious advantage other businesses don't have. Imagine Bell's abuse of power over our lives if allowed to compete with newspapers, book publishers, software firms, personal information on our lives and hundreds of other businesses.

Failure of the Brooks Bill would allow the Bells to compete with your business, taking away our freedom of choice and small businesses' chances of survival. If you want to make Bell stay in the telephone line business call 1-800-547-7482 for more information, Congressman Lamar Smith at 202-225-4236 to encourage his continued support for the Brooks Bill, and Senators Phil Gramm and Lloyd Bentson to encourage their support.

Mark A. Kimball
President, Executone
Midland

Cap Rock does what is best for members

I work for Cap Rock Electric Cooperative and would like to comment on the recent items in the news that seem to be meant to stir up negative attitudes among Cap Rock's members.

Many of you in Martin County have known me all my life, and I have been in and out of the county for over 40 years. I didn't get trapped here and never see how urban life is in big cities. I chose to come back home, to move my family back into this county, community and school system. I haven't always worked for Cap Rock. I've worked for enough different companies, in enough different fields, to have an idea of how different business management works. I'm happy with the security and support I get from my employer, Cap Rock Electric. I haven't always done the same job at Cap Rock that I do now. I have worked in enough areas to understand how policy is made in a board-run cooperative. I believe that Cap Rock's board is better educated than ever, and that the policies they establish are in the best interests of the members.

I knew David Pruitt before I went to work for Cap Rock. I've known him in Sunday school and church, in school activities, in friendly competition in sports and in his position as manager and CEO of Cap Rock Electric. I can say, without hesitation, that I am in awe of his foresight, leadership and ability to inspire and encourage those around him.

Cap Rock Electric is one of the most progressive and successful cooperatives in the nation. This is due to the leadership of David Pruitt, Cap Rock's professional staff, the members of the board of directors and well-trained employees.

In this day and age, a rural electric cooperative that does not become progressive will be taken over by big business interests of the investor-owned utility industry.

I urge any of you Cap Rock members who think that our leadership or direction is not in your best interest to get the facts before you take sides against what is being done.

Gary Reid
Stanton

Recession is not just a nasty rumor

In response to a letter appearing 7-29-92 from Jonna Upfold regarding the recession. Someone needs to tell this person to pull her head out of her bank book and take a good hard look at the real world.

People didn't stop spending money because they heard a nasty rumor about a recession. You can't spend what you don't have, and people without jobs have nothing to spend.

Believe me, I would love to buy a new car, but like all the other people who believed this nasty rumor, I can't. Why? Because someone else higher up on the ladder believed that rumor and laid off my husband. Now this man who put himself through college to get a degree in geology can't get a job using his education. And you want me to believe this is because the Democrats started a rumor?

The recession started for us in West Texas when Reagan-Bush were riding high. Why has our oil industry gone down the tubes? Because greedy people would rather buy cheap oil overseas, putting our dollars in the pockets of guys like Saddam Hussein. What did he do with it? Buy weapons of war. Look what happened. We had to spend billions more to take back Kuwait. Sure, everyone rallied around good ole George when we marched in, but I wonder how long his good standings in the polls would have lasted if the war had dragged on and the death tolls mounted. It was over too quickly for people to see the real reason we were there. The real reason? Cheap oil.

I have always voted Republican, but for me the decision in November will not be a difficult one. Why? Because I remember the words of Ronald Reagan — "Are you better off now than you were 10 years ago?" At least the Democrats are proposing SOMETHING while good old George goes fishing and DOES NOTHING!

Donna Raven
Midland

Readers' views on: Burglar alarm ordinance

Citizen misinformed about alarm law

David Rosen's assertion that the recently passed burglar alarm ordinance was passed without public notice and "behind closed doors" is totally unfounded. Here are a few facts which Mr. Rosen overlooked.

(1) On October 4, 1991, March 20, May 8 and May 22, 1992, public notices were posted at City Hall announcing that public meetings would be held at City Hall at which time the burglar alarm situation would be discussed and/or acted upon.

(2) On October 8, 1991, March 24, May 12 and May 26, 1992, public meetings were held at which public comments were taken concerning the burglar alarm situation.

(3) On October 11, 1991, May 15 and July 1,1992, the *Midland Reporter-Telegram* published prominent articles on the burglar alarms situation and reported in the October 11 and May 15 articles that an ordinance was in process.

(4) On May 12 and May 26, 1992, the Midland City Council passed the burglar alarm ordinance on two required readings at regularly scheduled council meetings.

(5) The City of Midland staff worked on the burglar alarm problem for over a year during which no significant negative comments were received from the public or burglar alarm companies.

(6) The burglar alarm ordinance was carefully drafted after an extensive review of existing ordinances from other Texas cities and in compliance with existing state law.

I believe the current City Council has repeatedly demonstrated that it is willing to be more "in touch" with the citizens of Midland. But we can only do so much. Citizens, such as Mr. Rosen, must bear some responsibility to stay informed.

J.D. Faircloth
Mayor

Burlgar alarm calls should carry a fee

I have to take exception to the letter regarding the alarm responses made by the Midland Police Department. For five years I owned a security company in Fort Worth and the majority of my business was in the installation of alarm systems and neighborhood patrol. We had a 24-hour monitor on all alarm systems, along with some clients who were also monitored by the police department. Of all the alarm responses we made during that period, which could average 50 to 200 a month, only 4 were actual burglaries. Most alarms are set off by accident or weather conditions.

We owned this company from 1974 to 1979, and at that time there were so many alarms going off that the City of Fort Worth charged $20 for each response that was a false alarm. I am sure inflation has brought that figure up considerably.

The City Council represents all of the citizens of Midland and to me they would be hard-pressed to explain why the police department, who protects all of the city, should respond to alarms at no cost since they are owned by a small percentage of the population.

This policy was agreed upon by the Council in an open session and not behind closed doors.

Warren Rowe
Midland

Readers' views on: Midland government

Some members vote for special interests

At a meeting of the City Council last Tuesday, a request for zoning change by a local bank was opposed by an overwhelming majority of the residents in the area. The councilman who represents the affected districts, Buddy Sipes, voted AGAINST the citizens of his district and for the special interest, as did mayor J.D. Faircloth.

At-large councilman Bill Morrow had the integrity to disqualify himself because he had a conflict of interest. The representation of the citizens fell to council-persons who represent other districts, Claudia Egan and Julius Brooks, who voted for the residents most directly concerned.

In Wednesday's *Reporter-Telegram* Mayor Faircloth was quoted as saying "... (the bank) might have faired better had it waited ..." (for councilmen Jose Cuevas Jr. and James Devenport). I wonder how Messrs. Cuevas and Devenport felt about J.D.'s presumption that they, too, would have voted for the special interest and AGAINST the citizens of Midland.

Politicians serving the needs of special interests as opposed to the wishes of those who elected them are not confined to Washington and Austin. Right J.D.? Right, Buddy?

Mary Kniffen
Midland

City government can be improved

I was disappointed to learn that our Mayor and City Council want Midland to continue operating as in the past. Apparently they feel Midland is being governed the very best possible and that we need no new and innovative ideas to improve. I feel the salaries we pay could attract the best leaders available, and yet we don't even want to open up the selection.

Further, the Mayor makes a threat by stating if we select someone other than his candidate we will need to keep an additional person on staff. How many employees do we have on the managerial staff of Midland — some tell me 3, some tell me 4.

Citizens, if you think Midland could improve on our leadership and open up the managerial job, let your councilman and mayor know.

Vera Wecker
Midland

Our policy on letters

The *Reporter-Telegram* recognizes the "Letters to the Editor" format as an important forum for citizen opinion and encourages participation of all readers. To that end, we have set as few rules as possible. However, we must have some, and they are:

- Letters must be signed and include a street address and daytime phone number for verification.
- They should be no more than 350 words in length. While some lengthy letters are published, we reserve the right to edit when necessary due to space limitations.
- Only one letter per month per writer can be published.

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Sexual abstinence isn't unrealistic

I disagree with the well-meaning director of the AIDS coalition who said in Tuesday's paper that sexual abstinence is a "wonderful theory, but not realistic." The fact is that premarital sexual abstinence is a wonderful reality when it is chosen. It is much better than promiscuity in its outcome.

Compare: no unwanted, unplanned pregnancy, no abortion, no sexually transmitted diseases, no AIDS with the consequences of premarital sex and the benefits are worth talking about.

Today's teen-agers are intelligent, better informed about their bodies and sexual matters than any generation before them. They are equally capable of controlling their bodies as those youth of several decades ago for whom abstinence was urged and expected.

Teen-agers are being robbed of health, happiness ... cheated of wonderful opportunities to study, make friends, participate in sports, look for jobs which will fulfill their dreams and goals, and all in the name of sex before they are ready for responsibility. These kids can handle being told the truth about the results of their choices and abstinence should not be passed off as an unrealistic expectation. It works well when chosen. To assign any young person to the dreadful results of promiscuous sex in this day of death and suffering is a burden I think we all wish to avoid.

Edith Hardy
Midland

Reese insulted women and men

At first blush, it seemed to me that Charlie Reese's "social gaffe" column, in which he excuses the lewd and drunken behavior of Navy aviators, was but more of his misogynistic invective against all women. A second, more careful reading of the column, however, reveals that Mr. Reese has now taken to insulting men, as well.

It outrages me profoundly that Mr. Reese would assert that the sexual molestation, terrorization and brutalization of women is analogous to using the wrong salad fork during formal dinner (i.e. a social gaffe). It further outrages me that he would suggest that the boyish "hijinks" in the form of the degradation and debasement of men, is a normal activity that should be tolerated.

What is truly incredible, though, is that he would suggest that "young men in a high stress occupation, at the peak of their physical fitness" must resort to the bestial, self-debasing behavior of a pack of hypervirile gorillas in order to relax. To suggest that they have so little intelligence, dignity, or basic self-respect is an insult. If the officers in our armed services have among their ranks persons of such little control that they must engage in such juvenile and warped behavior, then good riddance to bad garbage. They should be fired, since our military should be a class act, not populated with the lowest common denominator.

Wanda K. Mohr
Austin

U.S. firms are now the ones making foreign acquisitions

By WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST JR.
Editor in Chief, The Hearst Newspapers

NEW YORK — One of the things that has most disturbed me in recent years has been how any bit of evidence, no matter how paltry, suggesting our country may be declining in riches and strength has been gloated over by many liberals and some in the media.

Hearst

In my opinion, this reprehensible tendency can be blamed for much of our gloom-ridden atmosphere and is surely contributing to the slowness of our economic recovery.

This week, Bernard D. Kaplan, who writes on world affairs for our newspapers, called my attention to a significant and welcome development that nobody has been exactly shouting from the rooftops.

Remember how, a few years ago, we were constantly getting pelted by alarmist news stories about how the Japanese and other foreigners were taking over U.S. companies and would soon own everything worth owning here? Each time a foreign firm made a perfectly legitimate investment here, the doomsayers told us it was another step toward America's decline and fall.

Now when, because of world conditions, foreigners are investing somewhat less in the United States, many of these self-same gloom merchants proclaim that this too is a sign of decline, indicating nothing in America is any longer worth buying.

Well, you can't have it both ways. In fact, in my view, you can't have it either way. The contention America was being bought up by the rest of the world was always as far-fetched as is the current wringing of hands that foreign investors are going to sink us by pulling out their money.

In his report to me, Kaplan, who's based in Paris, points out a trend that, as I said, has been all but ignored here. No wonder, since it's good news: American companies are now the ones making the acquisitions.

They have embarked on a new wave of investments overseas, especially in Europe. Kaplan notes that firms like IBM and General Motors — you heard right, General Motors — are leading the way.

Here's his report.

American companies have been increasing their spending on plants and equipment overseas at a record pace, according to the Paris-based Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development, the inter-governmental agency that keeps watch on such activities.

U.S. investment abroad will total $55 billion this year, a rise of nearly 15 per cent over 1991.

American firms also are on a takeover spree in Europe. They acquired 185 European companies last year, valued at $15 billion. That's twice the number they bought at the height of the world boom in 1988. The OECD estimates U.S. acquisitions this year could be as many as 225.

"The numbers keep going up," an OECD official told me.

In an article on the latest spurt of U.S. investment over here, the London Financial Times called it one "signal" — another is improved U.S. productivity in domestic factories — that "the United States is poised to recapture market share overseas as the world economy recovers in the mid-1990s."

Two points need to be stressed.

Much of this new investment is at the cutting edge of industrial technology. Secondly, several U.S. companies are displaying the daring and imagination in their new endeavors that their critics have accused them of lacking.

On the first point, IBM and Digital Equipment Corp., both of whom made good profits overseas last year, were recently described by the authoritative Swiss newspaper Neue Zurcher Zeitung as "more advanced in their thinking and more competitive than many of their Japanese and European rivals."

Or take the case of General Motors, nowadays held up in America as a glaring example of an industrial giant with feet of clay. Here in Europe, GM is spewing profits and more efficient production methods. During the past five years, it's made more money than any of its European competitors.

GM Europe is now using $500 million of these profits to take over and modernize a big car plant in what was Communist East Germany.

As it happens, this is in line with growing overall U.S. investment in Eastern Europe. After a slow start, American companies since the middle of last year have invested more than $3 billion in the ex-communist countries and are now, in the OECD's words, "rushing forward."

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ROSE: Charlie Hustle's memorabilia in Hall

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on TV."

And no one would rather be in Cooperstown, N.Y., on Sunday than Rose.

"I would be the happiest Hall of Famer in the history of the Hall of Fame," Rose said a few months ago.

But for now, and for the forseeable future, it's not going to happen.

Rose, who had hoped his 4,256 hits would make him the first unanimous selection to the shrine, instead was on the wrong end of another unanimous vote last year — a 12-0 tally by the Hall's directors to bar the banned star from the ballot.

This would've been Rose's first year of eligiblity, it having been five years since he played in his final game, striking out as a pinch hitter on three pitchers from Goose Gossage in late 1986.

Rose received 41 write-in votes when 430 members of the Baseball Writers Association of America returned their ballots in January, although write-ins do not count.

A vote of 75 percent is required for election, and Seaver, who played with Rose for the Reds and Rollie Fingers, who pitched against Rose in the World Series, made it. Rose's former teammate Tony Perez fell short in his first try.

Former AL president Lee MacPhail and current president Bobby Brown proposed the rule to block people who are on the ineligible list. None of the 14 individuals banned from baseball by the commissiomer — including Shoeless Joe Jackson — were reinstated although, as Rose points out, none ever applied.

Rose has said he might apply for reinstatement this year. Current commissioner Fay Vincent said he will not comment on the matter until then.

Under current Hall of Fame voting rules, Rose will never be allowed in unless he is reinstated by December 2005.

Rose was placed on the ineligible list on Aug. 23, 1989, by the late commissioner A. Bartlett Giamatti, who concluded after a six-month investigation that Rose, while managing his hometown Cincinnati Reds, had bet on baseball.

Rose did sign an agreement with Giamatti that made him ineligible, although it specifically left open the question as to whether Rose bet on baseball games in general and on the Reds — always to win — in particular.

"Mr. Rose neither denies nor admits that he bet on any major-league baseball game," the document reads.

Rose did admit to gambling on other sports, and his betting on horses led to some of the tax problems that sent him to a federal prison for five months. Later, Rose lived in a halfway house in Cincinnati.

Whether Rose should be in the Hall of Fame remains a hot topic among baseball fans, players and officials, and the opinion is sharp, although mixed.

The Hall itself still receives occasional letters and phone calls, demanding that Rose be allowed in. The feeling on the other side, however, is just as strong. Rose opponents claim that while others have been inducted into the Hall despite character flaws, nothing tarnishes baseball or its players more than gambling on the game.

"He shouldn't be in," said Hall of Famer Frank Robinson, a former Rose teammate and now Baltimore's assistant general manager. "I played with him, and he was a great player, a winner. But what he did was wrong for the game."

Robinson, and many others, contend that Rose's achievements during a 24-year careeer already are on display.

Indeed, Rose is one of the most-represented players in the Hall's museum, along with Babe Ruth and Nolan Ryan. Featured are 11 separate exhibits, including:

■ A uniform Rose wore when he broke Cobb's hit record of 4,191.

■ Assorted Reds, Phillies and Expos uniforms in which he set records for most games played, most National League hits and other marks.

■ Bats, balls and ticket stubs from his 44-game hitting streak, his 1973 MVP season and his 1975 World Series MVP performance.

But adjacent to the museum, Rose is nowhere to be found in the Hall of Fame itself.

"You put the records and trophies in one place, but you enshrine the man in another," Robinson said.

These days, Rose is living with his family in Boca Raton, Fla., doing a daily radio call-in show. He's been hosting the program for four months, and it is heard in 22 stations in Florida and a few other outlets.

Back when he began the program on March 9, Rose used to get a few calls about the Hall. Those calls have slacked off and Hayes, his agent, said Rose prefers not to talk about the subject.

"There's nothing he can do about it, so he doesn't want to get wrapped up in it anymore," he said. "We'll just see what happens in the future."

Seaver, Fingers set for baseball induction today

Associated Press

COOPERSTOWN, N.Y. — Rollie Fingers is used to the situation that's going on at the Hall of Fame this weekend.

The big star of the weekend is Tom Seaver. He's a 300-game winner, the first real Mets' superstar, and received a record vote from the baseball writers into the Hall of Fame on his first try. Fingers' job at the ceremonies is to mop up what cheers are left by the time the proceedings get to him.

Most of the 15,000 fans who made the trip to this little town are from the five boroughs. They're here to see "Tom Terrific" and say thanks for the Met memories.

There are lots of TV crews here from New York to follow Seaver's every move and WFAN Radio is devoting much of its programming on Sunday morning to a look at the right-hander's brilliant career. ESPN even devoted an entire segment of SportsCenter to Seaver.

Seaver memorabilia is also a big seller right now. His 1969 uniform jacket can be had for about $10,000 and they're even selling a genuine Tom Seaver (used) toothpick, with letter of authenticity.

Rollie Fingers?

Oh, he'll be here, too. Mustache and all.

"I know Tom will be getting a lot of attention and he deserves it," said Fingers, who was elected in his second try. "I'm just glad to be here. During my career I was around at the finish and that's what counts. I'm here at the finish."

Fingers' election to the Hall of Fame is a breakthrough for relief pitchers. Now guys like Bruce Sutter, Jeff Reardon, Lee Smith and Dennis Eckersley know they have a shot at Cooperstown, too.

"The relievers are always overlooked," Reardon said. "But maybe that will start to change with Rollie geeting in the Hall of Fame."

Seaver and Fingers will be joined on Sunday by pitcher Hal Newhouser, who was voted in by the veterans committee. The committee also elected umpire Bill McGowan posthumously.

Fingers retired after the 1985 season with a record 341 saves, since broken this year by Reardon. He also had seven saves in the World Series and helped Oakland win three consecutive titles from 1972-74.

He was known for his control, durability and and his handlebar mustache. All the A's wore beards or mustaches, but Fingers' was famous.

When Fingers became a free agent, he talked to the Cincinnati Reds among others. But the Reds said no facial hair, and Rollie said see ya.

As a member of the Milwaukee Brewers in 1981, Fingers had 28 saves and a 1.04 ERA en route to the AL Cy Young Award and MVP. In helping the Brewers gain their first postseason appearance, Fingers figured in 55 percent of Milwaukee's victories.

Seaver's numbers tell you why he's in the Hall of Fame — 311 wins, 2.86 ERA, 3,640 strikeouts, 61 shutouts — but you had to see him to appreciate and understand his constant striving for perfection.

NFL: Headache keeps Madonna away, Riggins says

(From 1B)

elusive defensive back and kick returner in his 11 years with the Detroit Lions. But he used crutches to leave the front steps of the Hall of Fame after the induction ceremonies because of a recent infection after Achilles' tendon surgery.

Barney also began his remarks by singing the opening strains of "For Once in a Lifetime."

Former Raiders coach and current television commentator John Madden introduced his old boss with the Black & Silver, Davis.

"People call him cold and calculating. He can be and he is. But he can be the warmest person," Madden said. "You can call him an enemy, but if you need a friend there's none better. He's my best friend.

"Is he a maverick? Hell yes. He does it his way."

Davis did not break into "I Did It My Way," but rather delivered a lengthy paen to the success of the Raiders over the last three decades, first in Oakland and then in Los Angeles.

Davis has served pro football as a scout, assistant coach, head coach, American Football League commissioner and as an owner. Yet due in part because of his legendary legal battles with the NFL establishment, Davis was not admitted to the Hall of Fame until his seventh year of eligibility.

Davis thanked the Hall of Fame selection committee for its tenacity and said the honor was "a testament to a great organization" — the Raiders.

In what was a recurring theme for the day, Davis said of the Raiders, "We never wanted our players to fit into a rigid personality mold. There's room for mavericks."

He then read portions of a newspaper story about Claude Jones, convicted of robbing 24 banks to get the money to buy tickets to Raiders games. Davis read that Jones said when he is released from prison he would love to work for the Raiders, "but I wouldn't handle the banking."

Mackey, the prototype of the modern tight end while with the Baltimore Colts in the 1960s and 1970s, was presented by Jack Kemp, a former AFL quarterback and currently the secretary of the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

"It's no secret I love to give speeches," Kemp said. "I'd like to thank Al Davis for making mine seem short."

Mackey said he discovered he had been voted into the Hall last January in Minneapolis during Super Bowl week. He said he returned to his hotel room and found the message light blinking on his telephone. He called the front desk and the operator said she had numerous messages for him.

When he asked why, she told him, "Because you've been indicted." Mackey said he asked her what he had been indicted for and she said, "You've been indicted for the Pro Football Hall of Fame."

Mackey, who helped lead a players strike while head of the NFL Players Association, said he wished he could give half of his Hall of Fame honors to former Syracuse teammate Ernie Davis. The first black Heisman Trophy winner, Davis died of leukemia before ever playing in the NFL.

Riggins was well known for his off-the-field antics, including wearing a Mohawk haircut, sitting out a year in a contract dispute and telling Supreme Court Justice Sandra Day O'Connor to "loosen up, Sandy baby."

"The news of my craziness has been greatly exaggerated," said Riggins, sixth all-time in NFL rushing. "I'm the horse of a different color."

GOLF: Putter kind to Whiteside during Saturday's 66

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round like I had yesterday, it's easier to go out and play well. I started the round thinking about shooting a 65 or 66. I started off and birdied 2, 7 and 8. On the back nine I was trying to keep making birdies and birdied 14 to go 4-under.

"But I hit a bush on 17 and bogeyed that hole before getting a birdie on 18."

If only the first-round leaders had been able to putt so nonchalantly. Jumper was paired with Jeff Moses, Ty Kretzinger and 15-year-old K.J. Sanchez, who were all three shots back as Saturday's play began.

Each of the four were able to reach the green with relatively little trouble, but once there found birdies elusive, pars the norm and bogeys lurking.

Moses shot 3-over on the front while Jumper came home with an even 35 after the first nine holes. As Kretzinger and Sanchez began to fade on the back side, Moses continued to make his pars while Jumper bogeyed three holes (Nos. 12, 15 and 16). Hitting downwind, both birdied the par-5 14th.

"The course and greens are in great shape, but the wind and the pin placements were tough today. You could hit a ball dead center on the green and watch it roll off the side. But, everybody's got to hit that shot," Moses said.

"The field is pretty tight. Anybody can go out tomorrow and win it. Things can change a lot in one day."

Anyone who questions that statement can just go ask Whiteside.

Scores after Saturday's play in the Men's City Golf Championship played at Hogan Park Golf Course (Holes 1-18, par 70 for championship-1st flights, par 71 for flights 2-4):

CHAMPIONSHIP FLIGHT

Even Par: Ronnie Jumper, 69-72—141.

2-Over: Steve Whiteside, 77-66—143.

3-Over: Derek Edmonds, 74-70—144; Mac McGee, 72-72—144.

4-Over: Scott Lovett, 73-72—145; Jeff Moses, 72-73—145; Frank Tryon, 75-70—145.

5-Over: John Gatlin, 73-73—146.

7-Over: Charles Roberts, 74-74—148.

8-Over: David Holloway, 76-73—149; J.J. King, 73-76—149.

9-Over: Paul Hart, 76-74—150.

10-Over: Reuben Rojas, 76-75—151; K.J. Sanchez, 72-79—151.

Others: Joe Hart, 77-75—152; Benton Spradlin, 77-75—152; Doyce Haney, 74-79—153; Shawn Juaz, 80-73—153; Ty Kretzinger, 72-81—153; Danny O'Conner, 78-75—153; David Sotelo, 75-78—153; Wally Brown, 75-79—154; Pete Hulder, 79-75—154; Knobby Sanchez, 76-78—154.

PRESIDENT'S FLIGHT: Don Pyle, 75-80—155; Kevin Wallum, 80-75—155; Mark Smith, 81-75—156; Bob Fedro, 80-76—156; Wayne Younge, 79-77—156; Mike Roye, 79-77—156; Steve Clinton, 77-80—157; Paul Neatherlin, 83-75—158; Ron Seay, 81-77—158; Don Hughes, 86-71—159; John Staub, 79-80—159; Will Gray, 78-83—159; Bill Baker, 78-82—160; Steve Hammel, 78-82—160; Matt Manulik, 83-77—160; Michael Guss, 85-75—160; John Castillo, 79-81—160; Greg Sigler, 81-80—161; Pete Carter, 80-81—161; Eddie Hatch II, 79-83—162; Matt Dickey, 85-79—164; Scott Ramsey, 86-82—168; Bob Dimit, 82-87—169.

FIRST FLIGHT (Top 10): 1. Tim Mathes, 69; 2. Orlando Montanez, 73; 3. Tommy Lawson, 74; 4. David Logan, 75; 5. (tie) David Barton and Gilbert Carter, 76; 7. (tie) Bob Kahnk and Hal Thompson, 77; 9. Bill Gray, 78; 10. Mingo Valencia, 79.

SECOND FLIGHT (Top 10): 1. Don Vandivort, 76; 2. Phil Young, 77; 3. (tie) Charles Green, John Kendrick and Stephen Baugh, 78; 6. (tie) Robert Miller, Lendon White and T.R. Melton, 79; 9. (tie) Ron Ainsworth, Alan White and Larry Crees, 80.

THIRD FLIGHT (Top 10): 1. Jim Davis, 76; 2. (tie) Blain Murry, Tracy Gann and Fred Weiss, 79; 5. Ken Latt, 80; 6. (tie) Edward Wooten and Ted Reyes, 81; 9. (tie) Van Laughlin, Robert Grace and Robert Walls, 83.

FOURTH FLIGHT: Scores unavailable. Five groups were still on the course when play was stopped because of rain.

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Championship Flight: O'Conner-Knobby Sanchez-Brown-Hulder, 1 p.m.; Kretzinger-Sotelo-Juaz-Haney, 1:10; K.J. Sanchez-Rojas-Spradlin-Hart, 1:20; Roberts-King-Holloway-Hart, 1:30; Moses-Tryon-Lovett-Gatlin, 1:40; Jumper-Whiteside-Edmonds-McGee, 1:50.

President's Flight: Dickey-Ramsey-Dimit, 11:52 a.m.; Castillo-Sigler-Carter-Hatch, 12:01 p.m.; Baker-Hammel-Manulik-Guss, 12:10; Seay-Hughes-Staub-Gray, 12:19; Younge-Roye-Clinton-Neatherlin, 12:28; Pyle-Wallum-Smith-Fedro, 12:37.

First Flight: Danny Holtzclaw-Richard Davis-Gene Thomas, 10:45 a.m.; Tom Albrecht-Richard Minnix, Michael Downey-Jim Nash, 10:52; Mike Johnson-Nick Spells-Jolly Hartsell-Skeet Mitchell, 11 a.m.; Chuck Swallow-Juan Heredia-Gerald Foster-Stan Bippen, 11:07; Bill Gray-Mingo Valencia-Don Kasch-Bill Schneider, 11:15; David barton-Gilbert Carter-Bob Kahnk-Hal Thompson, 11:22; Tim Mathes-Orlando Montanez-Tommy Lawson-David Logan, 11:30.

Second Flight: Bill Lynch-Walt Dietderich-Darren Dennard, 12:07 p.m.; Tommy Conner-Carl Ware-Tom Hill, 12:15; Matt Kerley-Terry Garner-Larry Sutton-John Stiles, 12:22; Mark Lancaster-Larry Koeninger-Kit Parten-James Isbell, 12:30; Ron Ainsworth-Alan White-Larry Crees-Rick Moreno, 12:37; Stephen Baugh-Robert Miller-Lendon White-T.R. Melton, 12:45; Don Vandivort-Phil Young-Charles Green-John Kendrick, 12:52.

Third Flight: Jim Ketchum-Sammy Fields-Lee Schweitzer-Pter Bowen, 11:07; Hoss Neatherlin-Larry Bryan, Sr.-Brack Blackwood-Craig Dawson, 11:15; Mike Hinsley-Billy Sullivan-Blackie Coffman-Curtis Buss, 11:22; Robert Grace-Robert Walls-James Newton-Foy Cox, 11:30; Ken Latta-Edward Wooten-Ted Reyes-Van Laughlin, 11:37; Jim Davis-Blain Murry-Tracy Gann-Fred Weiss, 11:45.

Fourth Flight: Players who did not finish Saturday will complete that round at 8 a.m. today and then the flight will be paired for a 9:52 a.m. start of the final round.

Montana slowed in attempt to return

ROCKLIN, Calif. (AP) — Joe Montana's comeback sustained another setback Saturday when he again cut a workout short because of persistent fatigue and soreness in the area of his surgically repaired passing elbow.

"There was no change so I just quit throwing," Montana told reporters running alongside him as he sprinted into the locker room following practice at the San Francisco 49ers' training camp.

Montana, who missed all of last season because of a torn right elbow tendon, had rested his passing arm for four days before trying to throw again.

But he had the elbow wrapped in an ice-soaked bandage after just 21 throws. He began training camp July 16 by throwing about 40 passes a day before elbow problems resurfaced July 24, a workout he also cut short.

He had the next two days off and resumed throwing on Monday but again left the field early, complaining of a tired arm and a lack of zip in his passes.

Coach George Seifert declared Montana out of Monday night's exhibition opener against Denver. Steve Young will start with Bono and Bill Musgrave also expected to play.

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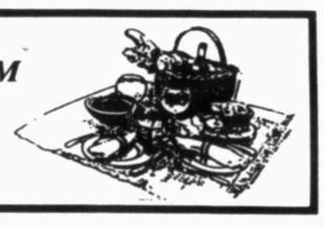

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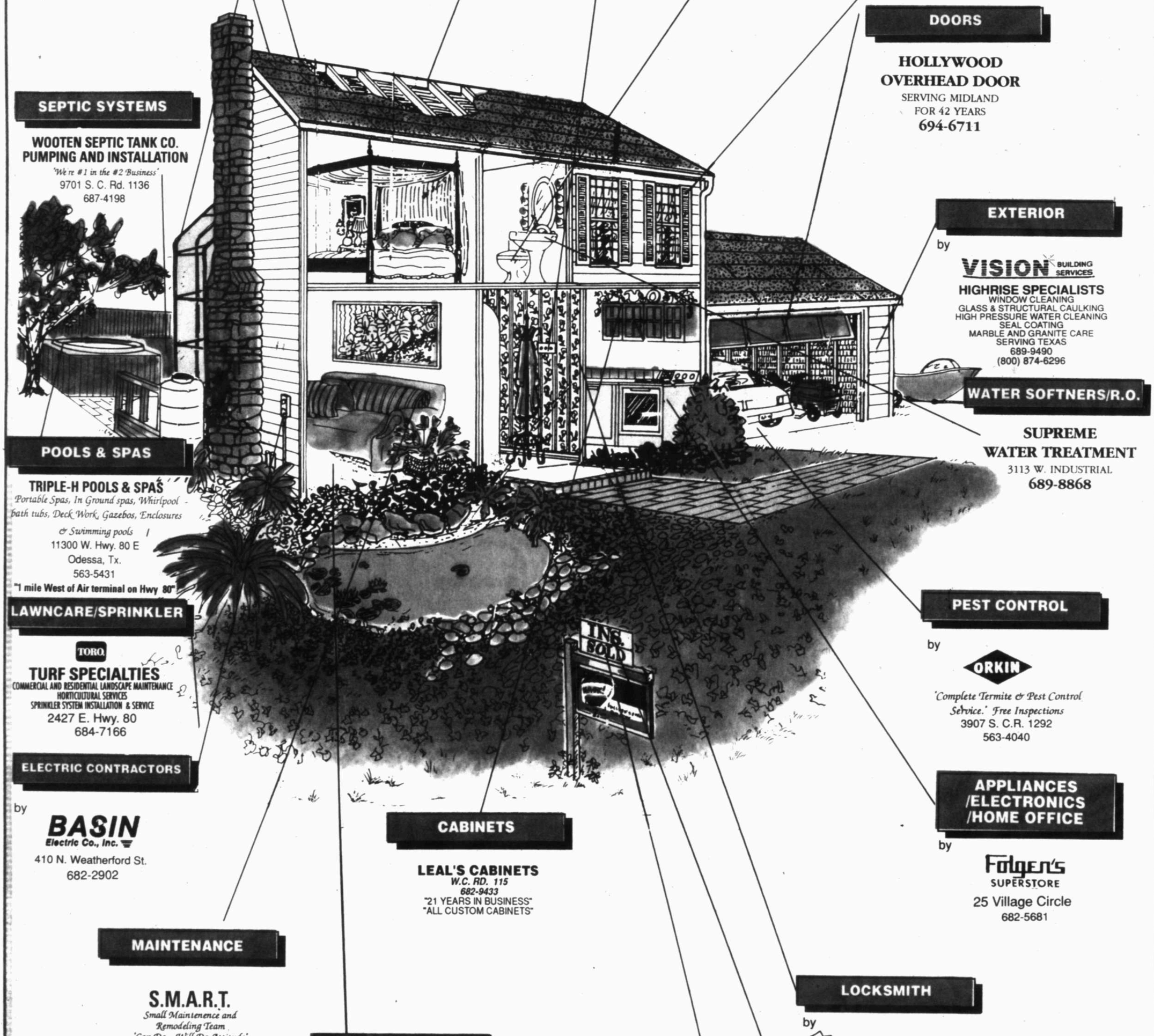

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Members of Custom Made are, front, wearing knee high boots, vocalist Noell Hanby; from left, middle row, drummer and vocalist Shelley Brandt; vocalist and drummer Steve Ritter; vocalist Susan B. Taylor who plays flute, guitar and keyboards; and lead guitarist Ross Hansen. In back, from left, are bass guitar player Phil McNeese and vocalist Richard Theisen, who performs on the synthesizer, classical piano, organ, harmonica.

CUSTOM MADE MUSIC

Grammy-winning musician Richard Theisen began tickling the ivories when he was 5 years old and entered the Dallas-area music scene when he was 16.

The Pleasant Grove native, who began performing at Dallas' The Cellar with different bands including Stevie Ray Vaughn, is scheduled to perform at Midland Center Aug. 14 with his group Custom Made.

Theisen, 39, spent a year studying psychology at North Texas State, but dropped out when he realized he was "learning more about psychology playing in a rock 'n' roll band than in school."

He played country in the early 1980s with Sami Jo, who had several hits, including "Tell Me a Lie." They toured with Eddie Rabbit, Mickey Gilley, Bob Hope and Alabama.

"We came real close to having a major success. I traveled with all these country bands . . . I came back to Dallas a little bit discouraged with the Nashville music

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Museum hosts concert

The Museum of the Southwest is sponsoring a rock 'n' roll concert Aug. 14 at Midland Center featuring the high energy band Custom Made.

Keyboardist Richard Theisen won a Grammy award for his song "Rock & Roll Me Again" from the "Beverly Hills Cop" soundtrack album.

Steve Ritter, the band's drummer, won first place in the 1991 Dallas Songwriter's Association contest.

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MIDLAND MARQUEE

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Information on Midland cultural groups listed in this column is provided by Arts Assembly of Midland, Midland's umbrella organization for the arts.

To be included in the Midland Marquee or to receive information on Midland arts organizations which are not among those listed today, please call Arts Assembly of Midland, 687-1149.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 1

American Airpower Heritage Museum: EXHIBIT: "Wars and Rumors of Wars," through mid-October, 9600 Wright Drive, Midland International Airport, Monday-Saturday 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday noon-5 p.m., call 563-1000.

The Art Institute for the Permian Basin: EXHIBIT: "Watercolor Horizons Group" through Aug. 22; "American Plains Artists Group" through Aug. 22; 4909 E. University, Odessa, Hours: Tues.- Sat. 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sun. 2-5 p.m., call 1-368-7222.

Fredda Turner Durham Children's Museum: EXHIBITION: "Birds, Planes and Flying Things: The Nature of Flight," through Aug. 2, Tuesday-Thursday noon-5 p.m., Friday-Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday 2-5 p.m., for more information call 683-2882, FREE.

Gallery 1114: EXHIBITION: 1114 N. Big Spring St. Wednesday-Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday 1-5 p.m., call 685-9944, FREE.

Marian Blakemore Planetarium: SKYSHOW: "Galaxies," 2 and 3:30 p.m., 1705 W. Missouri.

Midland College's McCormick Gallery: EXHIBITION: 3600 N. Garfield, Mon.-Thurs. 8 a.m.-10 p.m., Sat 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Sun. 1-5 p.m., call 685-4708

Museum of the Southwest: CONCERT: Voices In Praise, Contemporary Spiritual, 7:45-8:45 p.m., 1705 W. Missouri Ave., FREE; AND EXHIBITION: Merrit Mauzey: A Texas Regionalist," through Aug. 2, AND: "Plains Indian Painters," through Aug. 9, AND: "Western: Romantic Illustrations," through Aug. 9, 1705 W. Missouri Ave., call 683-2882. Regular hours: Tuesday-Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday 2-5 p.m.

Permian Basin Petroleum Museum: EXHIBITION: "War. . . Its Impact on the Oil Industry," through Sept. 19, call 683-4403 for more information, 1500 I-20 West, Monday-Saturday 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday 2-5 p.m., call 683-4403, ADMISSION CHARGED.

MONDAY, AUGUST 3

Art Institute for the Permian Basin: CLASSES: "Summer Exploration of Art," elementary classes ages 6-8, 9:30-10:30 a.m. class "Fun With Clay," and 11 a.m.-noon class is "Creative Sculpture," Elementary classes ages 9-12 are 9:30-10:30 a.m. "Jane's Favorite Drawing Projects" and 11 a.m.-noon "Summer Sampler," through Friday, for more information call 550-3811 or 368-7222.

Museum of the Southwest: MUSEUM SCHOOL: "Imagine That," 10:30 a.m.-noon, ages 6-10, daily through Friday, July 31, call for registration details, 683-2882, ADMISSION CHARGED.

Nita Stewart Haley Memorial Library: BOOKS/EXHIBITIONS: 1806 Indiana Ave., 9 a.m. to noon and 1 to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, call 682-5785.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 4

Marian Blakemore Planetarium: SKYSHOW: "West Texas Skies," 7:30 p.m., 1705 W. Missouri Ave.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5

Art Institute for the Permian Basin: SUMMER EXPLORATION OF ART: Elementary classes, ages 6-8 are 9:30-10:30 a.m. class is "Exploring Drawing and 11:00 a.m.-noon is "Creative Painting." Elementary classes, ages 9-12 are 9:30-10:30 a.m. class is "Exploring Drawing" and 11:00 a.m.-noon class is "Creative Painting," through Friday. Call for information, 550-3811 or 368-7222.

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THURSDAY, JULY 30

Midland Community Theatre: SUMMER MUMMERS: presents their annual melodrama, moviola and olio acts at the historic Yucca Theatre, 8 p.m. 208 N. Colorado, call for reservations, 682-4111.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 7

Globe of the Great Southwest: MUSICAL: "Fiddler on the Roof," 8 p.m., 2308 Shakespeare Road, Odessa, ADMISSION CHARGED, call for reservations, 332-1586.

High Sky Squares: DANCE: West Texas Hoe Down, 7 p.m., Midland Center.

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Museum of the Southwest: EDUCATION: Kids' Classes: "Indian Glimpses," 3-5 year olds 10:30-11:30 a.m., 6-10 year olds 1:30-3 p.m., 1705 W. Missouri Ave., call 683-2882.

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Tritt makes way as one of country music's young guns

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Halfway through his hard-driving country-rock concert, Travis Tritt calls a halt to the frenzy on stage created by the reverberating electric guitars and booming drums.

The screaming fans in his predominantly young audience calm down as he pulls up a stool and begins playing an acoustic guitar.

He gazes out on the 10,000 people in the audience and thinks back to four years ago when things were different.

"I was lucky to draw 25 people on a Saturday night," Tritt says later. "I've played in places where if they don't like your song, they throw beer cans at you."

Those dues-paying days in American Legion halls around Atlanta are gone but not forgotten as Tritt emerges as one of country music's young guns. His hit record with the memorable title, "Here's a Quarter (Call Someone Who Cares)," earned him two Grammy nominations this year, and in the spring, he served as co-host of the Academy of Country Music Awards Show.

And an additional hit song, "Bible Belt," was featured in the hit comedy "My Cousin Vinny."

Tritt, 29, sips a beer while sitting at a small table in a front room at the Music Row office of his publicist. He mulls over his fast-breaking career as he sits near a life-size cutout of another country star, Randy Travis, who was at the same stage of his career just four years ago.

Tritt has recorded two LPs that sold 1 million copies, helping him to become the youngest regular performer on the Grand Ole Opry.

Last fall the Country Music Association voted him the winner of the Horizon Award as most promising performer. It's an honor won in previous years by Garth Brooks, Clint Black and Travis.

It's clear that Tritt made a wise move six years ago when he quit his $400-a-week job as an assistant manager for a Marietta, Ga., company that distributed heating and air-conditioning equipment.

Tritt wanted to concentrate on singing. He eventually earned a recording contract with Warner Bros. and his honky-tonk style carried him to the top of the country charts and helped him become a major concert draw.

His lyrical themes are similar to those of another Dixie dynamo, Hank Williams Jr. Tritt often sings about carefree Southern life, the joy of driving pickup trucks and so forth. And he sings and writes about heartache, too. He composed "Here's a Quarter (Call Someone Who Cares)" as a joke about being divorced twice by age 26.

"So many people grasped the whole idea," he said. "Everybody wanted to tell their boss, their wife, their boyfriend, their girlfriend, 'Here's a quarter . . . "

ENTERTAINMENT IN BRIEF

■ Folklife festival slated

SAN ANTONIO — The Texas Folklife Festival in annual celebration of the state's ethnic and cultural heritage will be held at The Institute of Texas Cultures at Hemisc Fair Park in downtown San Antonio on Thursday from 5-11 p.m., Friday noon-11 p.m., Saturday noon-11 p.m., and Sunday noon-8 p.m. Admission at the gate is $6 for adults, $2 for children ages 6-12 and children under 6 admitted free. Admission in advance is $5 for adults, $1 for children ages 6-12 and children under 6 admitted free.

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■ Lawn concert set

Performing at the Museum of the Southwest Summer Sunday Lawn Concert today at 7:45 p.m. will be the duo M.C. Wesley and Irene Munoz singing as "Voices in Praise." Their speciality is contemporary and "country-style" gospel.

The free lawn concerts are held on the front grounds of the Museum at 1705 W. Missouri Avenue. The audience may bring their own seating and refreshments.

The Shades, a rock and roll group, will present the final 1992 lawn concert on Aug. 9.

■ Pew fellows selected

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — The Pew Fellowships in the Arts has awarded $50,000 to 16 artists, working in cheoreography, craft arts, music composition and sculpture.

The awards are meant to offer long-term support for the winners, said Marian Godfrey of the Pew Charitable Trusts. The winners were selected from nearly 650 applicants.

"Our goal was to provide artists with a level of funding that would allow them to undertake serious research and development for an in-depth period," she said.

Pew fellows may use their awards for various purposes, including travel, purchasing of materials, and hiring assistants.

The fellowships were established in 1991 with a $3.475 million grant from the Pew Charitable Trusts, and are in their three-year pilot stage. During this stage, grant applicants must be older than 25 and live in the Philadelphia area.

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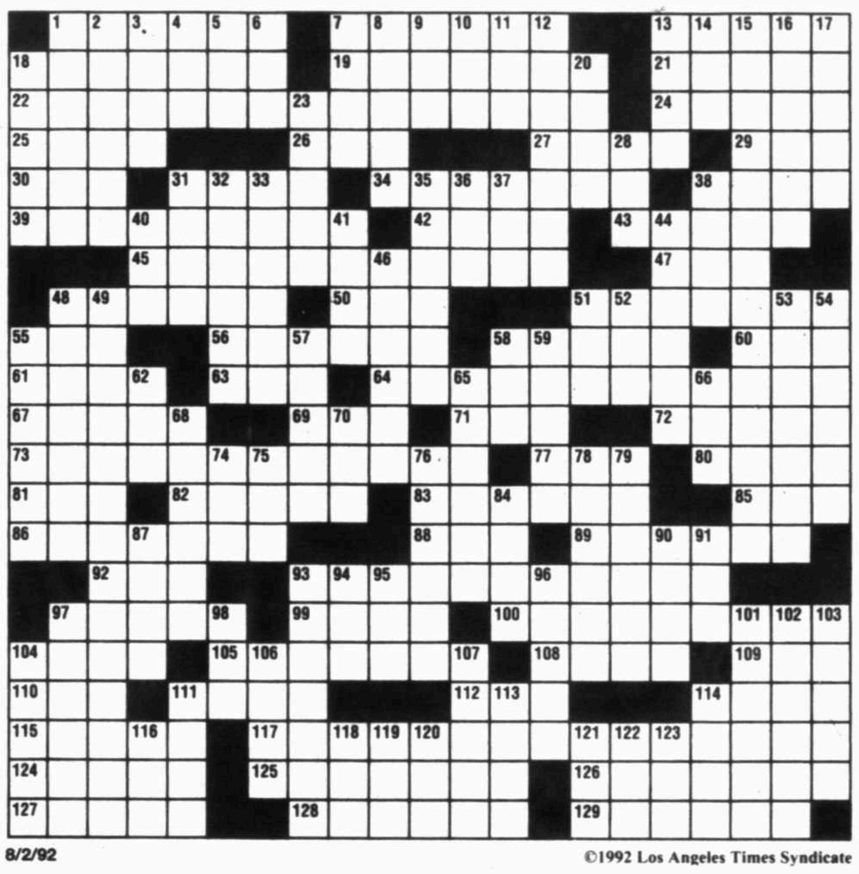

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Mystique of Marilyn Monroe lives on 30 years following her death

LOS ANGELES (AP) — On Aug. 5, 1962, the world was shocked to learn that Marilyn Monroe had died, apparently of a drug overdose, at age 36. But the Monroe mystique lives on — the blonde image of Hollywood's pre-eminent sex goddess seemingly ubiquitous.

Fox Video is marking the 30th anniversary of her death with release of "The Marilyn Collection," deluxe editions of 13 of her movies. Five new books about the star are being published this summer. Merchandise bearing her image saturates the market.

Television viewers can expect to see festivals of the Monroe films, as well as documentaries and talk shows about her glittering life and still mysterious death.

Like her contemporaries Elvis Presley and James Dean — and Rudolph Valentino in an earlier generation — Marilyn Monroe's image in 1992 seems more vivid and intriguing than in her lifetime.

Roger Richman is a guardian of the Monroe legacy. From his office in Beverly Hills, he and a five-member staff license the star's name and image for merchandise sold all over the world.

Proceeds go to the Monroe estate, now managed by Anna Strasberg, widow of Actors Studio guru and Monroe mentor Lee Strasberg.

Richman declined to say how much money the estate makes annually; however, industry sources estimate the amount ranges in the hundreds of thousands.

"We have issued about 100 licenses for 150-175 different products," Richman said. "We also offer protective services to make sure that Marilyn's image is not pirated."

Richman, whose other clients include W.C. Fields, Bing Crosby, the Marx Brothers, Mae West and Bela Lugosi, has represented the Monroe estate for 10 years. He works through agents in nine foreign countries.

Among licensed Monroe merchandise: Posters, calendars, date books, $200 collectable dolls by the Franklin Mint, $200 collectable plates by the Bradford Exchange, sunglasses, jewelry in Japan, shoes and handbags in Germany, and a red wine from the Napa Valley called Marilyn Merlot.

"We also license photos and film clips for ads and TV commercials," said Richman. "Last year the state of Alaska used a shot of Marilyn in a polka-dot dress to promote tourism. The idea was that the oil spill (the nation's worst, caused by the Exxon Valdez in 1989) represented only a small spot on Alaska's scenery."

It's likely that more books have been written about Monroe than any other movie star. The Academy Library has 44 in its collection. Ernie Garcia of the 3,000-member Marilyn Monroe Fan Club reports 105 books have been published "and probably more in various parts of the world."

Five more are due in August. Among them:

■ "Marilyn: The Last Take" (Dutton) by Peter Harry Brown and Patte B. Barham. A fresh look at the studio intrigue and ultimate tragedy of her last film, "Something's Got to Give."

■ "Why Norma Jean Killed Marilyn Monroe" (Global Rights) by Lucy Freeman with Eddie Jaffe. A reporter and press agent investigate her childhood and her psychoanalysis for clues about her death.

■ "The Immortals" (Simon and Schuster) by Michael Korda. A novel that proposes a link between Jack and Bobby Kennedy as well as the Mafia in connection with her death.

For years, most Monroe movies have been available for home video. In August, Fox Video is releasing five of her early films that have never been on cassette: "As Young as You Feel," "Love Nest," "Let's Make It Legal," "We're Not Married," and "Don't Bother to Knock."

All 13 films in "The Marilyn Collection" will include a newsreel, the original trailer and a collector's card.

The anniversary will be marked, as it has for the past 10 years, with an observance by the 75-member "Marilyn Remembered" organization at Westwood Cemetery, where the star's crypt is located. Organizer Greg Shriner expects 400 to fill the cemetery chapel.

"We'll have speakers who knew or have written about Marilyn," said Shriner. Among them: Bebe Goddard, a childhood friend; Evelyn Moriarty, Marilyn's movie stand-in; Susan Strasberg, daughter of Lee Strasberg and author of "Marilyn and Me: Sisters, Rivals, Friends," and biographers James Spada and Donald Spoto.

Why does Marilyn Monroe still engage the hearts and minds of millions? Sheila Benson, a free-lance writer and former Los Angeles Times film critic, offered an explanation:

"She was so endearing. Both men and women liked her, and that's the great test for a star's popularity.

"Women never felt competitive with Marilyn; they just found her adorable. They could admire her as they would Venus de Milo. Also there was the tragic aura about her — the fact that she couldn't have children. ... She was advised to tell the truth, and she always did. So she was always coming up a winner."

Her talent as an actress?

"She was evolving. I saw 'River of No Return' recently, and she was not wonderful. But she really learned, and she wanted to learn. By the time of 'The Misfits,' she had made enormous strides."

Monroe's appeal is exemplified by the fan club's Garcia, who lives in a memorabilia-filled apartment in Long Beach, Calif., and issues a bimonthly newsletter to members on three continents.

"The club was started in 1976," said the 43-year-old Garcia, a Veterans Administration employee. "I figured something should be done to keep her image alive, and only as a group could we get things done. So I work on the TV stations, and I try to get her records played on the oldies radio stations. And we'd like to see her enshrined on a postage stamp."

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Improve what you have instead of looking for something new! You will be able to accomplish more professionally, beginning in the fall. Mental pursuits are favored over physical feats in December. Although family members can be difficult at times, you will need their cooperation to advance your career early in 1993. Good luck aids your financial fortunes next spring. Do not be surprised if romance brings greater wealth your way. Choose the right financial route and marital ties will grow even stronger in the years ahead.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: writer Raymond Chandler, figure skater Linda Fratianne, actors Carroll O'Connor and Peter O'Toole.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Financial constraints dictate your recreational plans. A personal relationship takes on new luster just as someone seems to be turning away. Accept suggestions gracefully.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Changes occur on the domestic front. Do not try to fight progress. Accept new challenges. Reducing everyday expenses will help balance the family budget.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Humor is your strongest ally now. Pay no attention to gossip. Romance stimulates your interest in creative endeavors. You have a new feeling of self-confidence.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): A face-to-face meeting helps clear the air and produces the right atmosphere for a fun-filled family reunion. Distant affairs could occupy your thoughts. Mate helps you put things in proper perspective.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): The social pace picks up as the day progresses. Family members have strong opinions now, but you should make your own decisions. Stay upbeat when around someone who seems a bit down.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Cooperate on a civic project, but emphasize creativity and independence of thought. A younger person may have designs on your resources. Play for time.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Your somewhat flamboyant style could move you to the edge of trouble. Be careful what you say in front of someone who likes to gossip. Your comments could be misinterpreted.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): You have an opportunity to improve on something you started yesterday. Emphasize self-reliance. Approach difficult people with an air of confidence. You will not be turned down.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Differences of opinion regarding financial interests should be ironed out before they get too hot. Modify your approach when around hostile people. Romance soars to new heights.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Be tactful when broaching a delicate subject with your mate. This afternoon, head for the nearest park or nature retreat. You are on the side of the angels where romance is concerned.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Your concern for a loved one is justified. Curiosity will help you gain authority within the family circle. A blind date works out beautifully.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Maintain the upper hand when with friends who have a tendency to be irresponsible. Saying "no" to a wild idea will save you considerable expense this evening. Make a quick call home.

Reems to perform

Lee Roy Reems will perform as Za Za in the comedy musical "La Cage Aux Folles," through August 16 at Casa Manana Theatre, Fort Worth. For tickets, call (827) 332-CASA or any Rainbow-TicketMaster outlet.

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Their opponents had arrived at four spades on a direct auction after North had opened the bidding with one no trump, and Poirot had attacked with the king of hearts, to which Hastings had correctly followed with the deuce. Declarer dropped the queen!

"Of course, I realized from the outset that you would have contributed the two of hearts even had you held four cards in the suit—you know that I cannot abide count signals at trick one and insist that we show attitude: whether we want a continuation or not. Therefore, I realized that declarer's card could have been honest.

"As usual at such times, I put those little gray cells to work. Let's suppose that you held the ace-queen of clubs. Even if we could collect two club tricks, that would not be enough to defeat the contract. Declarer would then have been marked with the ace of spades and, at best, we would have to hope for an unexpected trump trick—unless, of course, we had a second heart trick coming and declarer was trying to take me in.

"Once that was clear, it was a simple matter to continue with the ace of hearts at trick two. Notice that, had I shifted to a minor suit, declarer would have wrapped up 10 tricks with ease. As it was, down one was all he deserved for trying to, how you say, stretch the wool over my eyes."

For information about the Charles Goren newsletter for bridge players, write Goren Bridge Letter, P.O. Box 4426, Orlando, Fla. 32802-4426.

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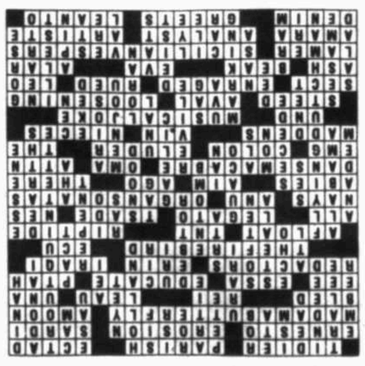

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scene."

He returned to the Dallas bar scene in 1985 and it was then that opportunity knocked and would lead to what Theisen calls his "Cinderella story" — a Grammy award.

A Dallas producer named Gordon Perry teamed him with Marco Benno, another songwriter, to write for some possible movie deals.

"The first tune we wrote was a tune called 'Rock 'n' Roll Me Again' and it was recorded by Stevie Nix, Joan Jett and finally The System out of New York," Theisen said.

"It ended up in a movie called 'The Streets of Fire,' and then it was pulled from the movie because the movie had too much music in it," Theisen said. "I was really discouraged."

Theisen was still playing the Dallas bar scene in 1986, and it was then that Bob and Jo Dee Morgan entered his life.

Theisen was one of seven Dallas-area musicians the couple picked to form a '50s Motown revue. They called it Custom Made.

"The first time we got together we knew it was like real magic. It just really clicked," Theisen said.

"It snowballed very quickly. We started gaining popularity in this area and then regionally, mainly due to the extreme talent of the musicians and the expertise of Bob and Jo Dee in marketing."

Theisen said Custom Made had been together for around three months and he had forgotten about writing original music, when he received a surprise telephone call.

"Rock 'n' Roll Me Again," which was on the "Beverly Hills Cop" soundtrack, had been nominated for a Grammy.

Although Theisen thought the nomination was "great," he "didn't get real excited." He'd never seen "Beverly Hills Cop."

"I thought, 'What is this 'Beverly Hills Cop?' I went to California to finalize the deal, and I went to see the movie at Paramount, and the first viewing I knew it was going to be a smash hit."

He still didn't believe he had a chance at a Grammy. He thought being from Dallas, they were long shots to win.

Still, he and Benno went to the awards ceremony.

"We were sitting in the audience, and I was as nervous as I could be until they started calling all the categories. Then all the nervousness went away. I knew that in this lifetime I might not get this close to a Grammy again. And I wanted it.

'The first time we got together we knew it was like real magic. It just really clicked.'

— Richard Theisen

"When they announced 'Beverly Hills Cop,' and we stood up to go receive the award, Marc and I ran to the stage to get it," Theisen said.

"I still wasn't nervous on stage standing up there with the other composers. Even when I began to talk, I wasn't nervous until the first people I looked up and saw were Whitney Houston and Dionne Warwick sitting on the front row."

Meanwhile back in Dallas, Custom Made was having a party of its own watching the Grammys.

"But they didn't know I had won. I knew like two hours before they did, but I didn't call anyone in Dallas. I just wanted to let them wait and see it on TV. I didn't even call my mom. She hyperventilated when she saw it."

Today, Theisen, who in addition to performing with Custon Made plays at the West End at Alley Cat's Place, is into Motown, rhythm & blues and New Age.

"I'm writing New Age music right now, but my main love is Custon Made because there's so much talent in the band and everybody gets along so well. It's really hard to find that these days.

"We built the band a lot on Shelly Brandt's performance of Tina Turner and the different impersonations of the successful Motown artists. Shelley definitely does one of the best Tina's in the country, if not the best.

"And Steve Ritter's Joe Cocker is incredible.

"The other girls — Noell Handby and Susan B. Taylor — they're phenomenal in their vocal performance.

"Ross (Hansen) and Phil (McNeese) and Steve and I are so tight, it's scary sometimes."

Those attending the Midland benefit concert can expect, he added, "the highest energy Motown and rhythm & blues revue you've ever witnessed."

It's been Theisen's experience that to be successful in the music business, a player must have "thick skin and perseverance.

"When I think in terms of successful, I think of every party that we've ever played, people have left feeling they have been completely entertained, and I've done my job and so have the rest of the members of Custom Made."

BEST SELLERS

N.Y. Times News Service

The listings below are based on computer-processed sales figures from 3,000 bookstores and from representative wholesalers with more than 28,000 other retail outlets, including variety stores and supermarkets. The figures are statistically adjusted to represent sales in all such outlets across the United States. In Advice and How-to, five titles are listed because, beyond that point, sales in this category are not generally large enough to make a longer list statistically reliable.

FICTION

1. GERALD'S GAME, by Stephen King. (Viking, $23.50.) Twenty-eight hours of horror suffered by a woman chained to a bedpost after her husband has a heart attack.

2. WAITING TO EXHALE, by Terry McMillan. (Viking, $22.) The friendships and romances of four black women in Phoenix.

3.THE PELICAN BRIEF, by John Grisham. (Doubleday,$22.50.) A woman law student seeks to discover the truth about the murder of two Supreme Court justices.

3.POSSESSING THE SECRET OF JOY, by Alice Walker. (Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, $19.95.) The struggles of an African woman, now living in the United States, to come to terms with the consequences of her heritage.

4.SCRUPLES TWO, by Judith Krantz. (Crown, $22.) Continuing the story of the crowd that frequents an ultrachic Beverly Hills store.

5.COLONY, by Anne Rivers Siddons. (HarperCollins, $20.) A 90-year-old South Carolina woman recalls what she saw while becoming the doyenne of a Maine summer retreat.

6.DARK FORCE RISING, by Timothy Zahn. (Spectra/Bantam,$18.50.) An insane Jedi threatens Luke Skywalker in the second volume of a "Star Wars" trilogy.

7.IMZADI, by Peter David. (Pocket, $20.) The USS Enterprise's Comdr. William Riker discovers a new form of love in a "Star Trek" adventure.

8.JEWELS, by Danielle Steel. (Delacorte, $23.) From New York schoolgirl to doyenne of a French charteau: the life of a woman who becomes rich by dealing in precious stones.

9.SAHARA, by Clive Cussler. (Simon & Schuster, $23.) On a mission to Africa, Dirk Pitt uncovers secrets from the past and a plot that may extinguish all life in the world's seas.

10.OH, THE PLACES YOU'LL GO! by Dr. Seuss. (Random House, $12.95.) The problems of finding your way through life; in verse and pictures.

11.THE EYE OF THE STORM, by Jack Higgins. (Putnam,$22.95.) An American is hired to thwart an Iraqi agent's attempt to kill Margaret Thatcher during the gulf war.

12.ALL AROUND THE TOWN, by Mary Higgins Clark.(Simon & Schuster, $22.) The plight of a college student accused of killing her professor, and the part a childhood experience plays in it.

13.FATHERLAND, by Robert Harris. (Random House, $21.) A thriller set in the Third Reich 20 years after Hitler wins WWII.

14.DAMIA, by Anne McCaffery. (Ace/Putnam, $21.95.) A young woman and her suitor, living in a universe governed by telepathy, work to save their planet from alien invaders.

NON-FICTION

1.DIANA: HER TRUE STORY, by Andrew Morton. (Simon & Schuster, $22.) A biography of the Princess of Wales.

2.THE SILENT PASSAGE, by Gail Sheehy. (Random House,$16.) The psychological and social significance of menopause for today's women.

3.TRUMAN, by David McCullough. (Simon & Schuster, $30.) A biography of the 33rd president.

4.EARTH IN THE BALANCE, by Al Gore. (Houghton Mifflin,$22.95.) The vice-presidential candidate discusses factors affecting the environment and what must be done.

5.SAM WALTON: Made in America, by Sam Walton with John Huey. (Doubleday, $22.50.) The autobiography of the man who became the richest American by creating the Wal-Mart store chain.

6.A BRILLIANT MADNESS, by Patty Duke and Gloria Hochman.(Bantam, $22.50.) The actress tells how she learned to live with manic-depressive illness.

7.LINCOLN AT GETTYSBURG, by Garry Wills. (Simon & Schuster, $23.) The address delivered on Nov. 19, 1863, and how it has affected American life.

8.DIANA: A PRINCESS AND HER TROUBLED MARRIAGE, by Nicholas Davies. (Birch Lane/Carol, $21.95.) A biography of the Princess of Wales.

9.THE HAPPY ISLES OF OCEANIA, by Paul Theroux. (Putnam,$24.95.) An 18-month exploration of the South Pacific in a kayak.

10. DIANA IN PRIVATE, by Lady Colin Campbell. (St. Martins) A biography of the Princess of Wales.

11.REVOLUTION FROM WITHIN, by Gloria Steinem. (Little,Brown, $22.95.) The reflections of a leading feminist on her own and other women's struggles to achieve self-esteem.

12.ELEANOR ROOSEVELT, by Blanche Wiesen Cook. (Viking,$27.50.) From childhood in New York to the White House: the first 49 years of a preeminent first lady.

13.ACQUIRED TASTES, by Peter Mayle. (Bantam, $20.) Essays on the pleasures of living extravagantly during the high-flying 1980's.

14.WHO WILL TELL THE PEOPLE, by William Greider.(Simon & Schuster, $25.) A journalist's account of how powerful monied interests and elite groups dominate the federal government.

15.HEAD TO HEAD, by Lester Thurow. (Morrow, $25.) An economist considers the upcoming economic battle among Japan, Europe and the United States.

MISCELLANEOUS

1.A RETURN TO LOVE, by Marianne Williamson.(HarperCollins, $20.) Inspirational advice about ways to replace feelings of fear with feelings of love in daily life.

2.HOW TO SATISFY A WOMAN EVERY TIME, by Naura Hayden.(Bibli O' Phile/Dutton, $14.95.) Sexual advice for married couples.

3.HARVEY PENICKS'S LITTLE RED BOOK, by Harvey Penick with Bud Shrake. (Simon & Schuster, $19.) Anecdotes and tips about playing golf by a legendary teacher.

4.MORE WEALTH WITHOUT RISK, by Charles J. Givens.(Simon & Schuster, $23.) An updated and expanded volume of financial advice by a Florida entrepreneur.

5.LIFE'S LITTLE INSTRUCTION BOOK, by H. Jackson Brown.(Rutledge Hill, $12.95.) Some 500 tips for achieving a self-fulfilling life.

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The band starred in the Dallas stage musical "Rock & Roll USA" at the historic Lakewood Theatre.

Advance tickets, priced at $15, include a full dinner catered by West Texas Cuisine and can be purchased at Mida Computer in Midland or Wells Boots in Odessa.

Tickets for the event that do not include dinner will be on sale at the door for $10.

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Election may delay naming of new judge

■ The process of replacing Bunton, who is assuming senior status in December, probably won't begin until after November.

By Michael Kashgarian
Staff writer

Although U.S. District Court Judge Lucius D. Bunton III will be assuming senior status at the end of this year, another federal judge probably will not be appointed until next summer for the Midland/Odessa and Pecos divisions of the Western District.

"It may not be until this time next year, but that depends on the politics and who gets elected (president)," Bunton said.

"If I knew who was going to be duly elected it would make a difference," he said.

That's because federal judges — who serve for life — are appointed by the acting administration. Depending on the party of the president, the respective U.S. senator will make a judgeship recommendation to the president.

For example, if President Bush is re-elected this November, then Republican Sen. Phil Gramm will make the recommendation. If Democratic presidential nominee Bill Clinton takes the presidency, then U.S. Sen. Lloyd Bentsen will make the recommendation.

The attorney general and the president's counsel review the senator's choice before it is submitted to the president for official nomination to the Senate for confirmation.

Larry Neal, press secretary for Gramm, described the appointment as a "complex process that takes several months."

"There are three long, involved, complex, independent phases to a nomination. It doesn't happen overnight," Neal said.

The phases include making a recommendation and a background check by the American Bar Association and the Justice Department, and then the president's formal nomination.

Placement of a federal judge typically takes about a year, he said.

"The senator has a committee that screens applicants," Neal said.

Gramm decides on his recommendation through use of a selection committee made up of 18 attorneys of varying backgrounds from around the state, Neal said.

In addition to posting an opening for a federal judge, word of a vacancy spreads "likely electricity" among the legal community, he said.

Applicants, who must be from the senator's home state, submit an 18-page application and must meet certain requirements for the job.

The committee reviews and meets with qualified applicants and then narrows the number.

The selection panel "forwards those recommendations to the senator. He (Gramm) normally meets with the top three, four or five applicants," Neal said.

Gramm then makes the recommendation to the president for nomination.

Each senator's selection process varies.

Neal emphasized the need to carefully choose someone for the

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Midland, Odessa seek combined advantage

■ Two cities request designation as Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area.

By Darren J. Waggoner
Staff writer

Midland and Odessa leaders have formed an alliance between the two cities in hopes of attracting new businesses to the area.

The cities have made a pitch to the Office of Management and Budget to list the two cities as a combined Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area.

"The feeling is that this would be an advantage because some companies might consider an area with 220,000 people over- an area with about 100,000," said Midland City Manager Fred Poe.

The city councils jointly appealed to Sen. Phil Gramm, expressing interest in the change. Now they must wait for Gramm to forward the request to the Office of Management and Budget.

Guidelines for an SMSA designation for cities below a population of 1 million include: 1) the cities must be located within 25 miles, 2) development areas have to be contiguous.

"Economic development is the main benefit that we're all considering," Poe said. "The councils are both in favor of it. I don't know anyone who is opposed."

If the request is accepted, local officials will be allowed to handpick highway construction projects. The state currently makes those decisions.

Currently Midland and Odessa separately rank in the 200s in four key areas including population, households, buying income and retail sales. A coalition between the cities would place them in the top 150 markets in all four categories.

The push toward becoming an SMSA began nearly four years ago when both cities had different mayors. The councils passed a resolution asking for the request about two years ago.

Poe believes the process may have been delayed because of requirement changes.

Ranch Rodeo

Cowboys quotin', ridin' and ropin'

By Ed Todd
Staff writer

There is far more to cowboying than wresting with ornery cattle and chasing coyotes, keeping the horses and saddles fit, mending fences and windmills, and getting a plateful of beans and camp bread from the chuck wagon.

There is heart and songs and poetry.

"I've seen a sure-enough tough cowboy cry when the horse that he loved die," said Fran Hedrick, a cowboy poet and, in concert with her husband, Bob, a camp cook from Knickerbocker.

There is sentiment on the range, Ms. Hedrick said, as the Midland Ranch Rodeo was winding down late Saturday afternoon. The ranchers and their hands were taking care of their horses and loading their old chuck wagons on pickup-pulled trailers for trips back to the ranches.

Once, Ms. Hedrick recalled, a cowboy who gave her a yellow rose to pin in her hair was "man enough not to care" if he got kidded by the other hands for his tender sentiment.

It was under a big tent at the Midland Ranch Rodeo where the heart and sentiment of the Southwest ranching life — any good down-home life — was expressed in song and verse by cowboys, cowgirls, music makers, and story-tellers.

Among the lot were a 63-year-old saddle-maker and ex-rodeo bronc-rider, Billy Joe Rogers, and his music-teacher wife, Norma, who teamed up on guitar and accordion to sing and play old cowboy camp songs and gospel songs, including "Rounded Up in Glory (Bye and Bye)."

One cowboy, Eddy Hooker, talked about "eating dirt" after an old steer got the best of him.

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Cowboys Jerry Lee, left, and Monte Eliot of the Charlie Bird Ranch, top, help bring down a calf in the calf-branding event in Saturday's Midland Ranch Rodeo. Camp-cook Kirk Brock of the Diamond B chuck-wagon gang, middle, prepares hearty food in iron pots for the Scharbauer Ranch Rodeo teams. Fiddler Matt Keith, 15, of the Oklahoma-based Sounds of the Southwest band performs for the crowd.

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Cattle brand is akin to rancher's 'coat of arms'

By Bill Modisett
Staff Writer

For centuries, cattle, horses and other agricultural animals have sported brands, the insignias of their owners. Brands are the subject of pride and ownership; they are the "coat of arms" of those to whom they are registered. And they impart a particular personality on the animals to which they are affixed.

In "Texas Cattle Brands, A Catalog of the Texas Centennial Exposition Exhibit 1936" contained in the Nita Stewart Haley Memorial Library, Gus L. Ford noted the prevailing attitude on brands which asserts, "I selected this brand because it would be hard to burn it into another brand."

Theft is a prime concern to the cattleman, but another simple fact which cannot be avoided is that most cattle of specific breeds look startingly similar to those not in daily contact with the animals.

"There has never been any definite set rule governing the type of brand burned into a cow's hide, neither has there been any uniform plan of burning it," wrote Ford. "But, regardless of this lack of rule and

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GARY OTT

Plainview's 'starring' film role is mind-boggling thought

They are making a movie in my hometown.

That's right, Hollywood has found Plainview, Texas, garden spot of the South Plains; birthplace of Jimmy Dean, the sausage king; and home to 22,000 fine upstanding American patriots, including that famous tap-dancing duo of Angus and Vera Ott, who, when not pretending to be Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers, take on the all-important role of serving as my parents.

Ott

If we were on "Hee Haw" I'd wave my cowboy hat in the air and scream, "saaaalute."

But we're not, so I won't.

Still, the part about the movie is true. And we're not talking about some little cheap throw-away film, either. No indeed. This is the real thing. It's called "Leap of Faith" and is starring — are you ready for this? — Steve Martin and Debra Winger.

For two glorious weeks last month, the movie makers — Steve, Deb and the whole gang — set up shop in downtown Plainview and magically transformed the dusty little farming community in which I grew up into something called Rustwater, Kan. And, come Dec. 18, when the film is released, my beloved hometown will officially become a part of Hollywood lore.

I don't know whether to be proud or embarrassed. The mere thought of Plainview appearing on the silver screen boggles the mind. I mean, for crying out loud, this is the place where I spent my childhood.

I learned to hit a baseball in that town. It was where I first climbed a tree, rode a bicycle, played hookey, collected baseball cards, dreamed of faraway lands, consumed my first beer.

It was, all things considered, a wonderfully wholesome place to grow up, not unlike something Mark Twain would write about or Norman Rockwell would put on a canvas.

But in the movies? The idea still leaves me shaking my head in amazement. Very strange, indeed.

When I think of the great movies, my mind tends to focus on New York, L.A., London, Paris, Madrid. Rarely, does the name Plainview, Texas, spring forth. While it is true that many small towns have been immortalized over the years by Hollywood, more times than not it is the world's great cultural centers that move to the forefront.

Bright lights and glitter. Majestic buildings. Crowded streets. Bustling traffic. Evil drug lords. Blaring horns. High-dollar call girls. Fist-waving cabbies. Slimy pimps. Long-legged women.

Big-city decadence. That's what Hollywood has always meant to me.

Now it's changing. They're putting a slice of my past in the movies.

One word keeps coming to mind: Why? Why has my hometown — whose high school football team once had the second longest losing streak in state history — been selected for this great honor.

It makes no sense. The tallest building in town is a grain elevator. Three-fourths of downtown is boarded up and the last time I checked the most popular hangout spot for teen-agers was a parking lot.

It is a place where some people actually know — and care — what the current price of pork bellies is.

I mean, we're not talking about New York City here.

We are, however, talking about a place where Hollywood just spent two weeks.

And, again, that word — Why? — keeps dancing across my brain.

Why? Why? Why?

Unable to endure the suspense any longer, I called a highly placed source in Plainview last Wednesday and demanded an explanation.

"Who cares?" he said, with just a hint of a smirk in his voice. "The point is, I'm going to be in the movie and you're not."

"What do you mean *you* are going to be in the movie?"

"It's true," he said. "I'm in one of the crowd scenes. Just about everybody in town is going to be in it."

"You're kidding?"

"Nope. I hear even your parents were filmed."

"Angus and Vera?"

"Yep."

"Oh dear," I sighed to no one in particular. "I *do* hope they didn't break into their Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers routine. It's so embarrassing."

Gary Ott is managing editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

DEATHS

Booker Chandler

Services for Booker T. Chandler, 86, have been set for 11 a.m. Tuesday in Ellis Chapel North. The Rev. John F. Campbell will officiate. Burial is to follow in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Baker Jackson Funeral Home.

Chandler

Chandler died Friday in a local hospital.

He was born March 10, 1906, in Rockdale. He married Artelia Moore July 3, 1924, in Rockdale.

Chandler moved to Midland in 1936 and was a businessman.

His wife preceded him in death in August 1972.

He is survived by his son, Timothy Chandler of Dallas; his daughter, Margaret Chandler Williams of Midland; his sister, Henrietta Denmon of Midland; his brother, Oliver Chandler of New York City; three grandchildren, three great-grandchildren and numerous nieces, nephews and friends.

Pallbearers are to J.B. McGowan, Eddie Lewis, Yancy Batie, John Montgomery, Morris Mayberry and Bill Taylor.

Honorary pallbearers are to be Nathaniel Malloy, Willie Holloway, William Bell, Frank Blaylock, Johnny Phillips, Odell Walker, Glen Hurd, R.D. Caldwell, Mack Thomas and Horace Knotts.

Trinidad Arispe

SEMINOLE — Rosary for Trinidad Arispe, 70, of San Antonio, father of Mary Helen Uribe of Midland, will be recited at 7 p.m. Monday at St. James Catholic Church with the Rev. Sean Sweeney officiating. Mass will be celebrated 2 p.m. Tuesday at the church. Burial will follow in Gaines County Cemetery under the direction of Roger Poole Funeral Home.

Aripse died Friday in a San Antonio hospital.

He was born Oct. 2, 1922, in Poteet. He married Manuela Lujan Oct. 20, 1941, in Big Spring. The couple moved to Seminole from Big Spring in 1966. Arispe farmed in Gaines County for 18 years, before moving to San Antonio in 1989.

He was a member of Resurrection Catholic Chapel in San Antonio and a former member of St. James Catholic Church.

He was preceded in death by one son, Johnny Arispe, and one daughter, Linda Romero.

Other survivors include: his wife; oneson, Trinidad Arispe Jr. of Peoria, Ariz.; two other daughters, Sally Tovar of Seminole and Carmen Garcia of San Antonio; one brother, Julian Arispe of Waco; three sisters, Ignacia Rodriquez and Dora Rodriquez, both of Big Spring and Pancha Cortez of Lamesa; 17 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers are to be grandsons, Trinidad Arispe, Manuel Arispe, David Paul Uribe, John Martin Tovar, Michael Garcia and Adam Garcia.

Jack Jordan

Services for Jack Jordan, 62, are set for 2 p.m. Monday at First Presbyterian Church with John Brand of Greeley, Colo., officiating. Burial will follow in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Jordan

Jordon died Thursday at a Houston hospital.

He was born Oct. 24, 1929, in Sabetha, Kan., and was raised in Artesia, N.M. He served in the U.S. Army from 1953-'55.

He married Nancy Lee Davidson June 25, 1955, in Las Vegas, N.M. He graduated from the University of New Mexico in 1957 with a master's degree in geology.

He was employed with Humble Oil Co. (Exxon) in Mississippi and Louisiana. He transferred to Midland in 1969 and remained with Exxon until 1975. He later was employed by Hamilton Brothers, General Exploration, Omar Operating Co. and Wiser Oil Co. before becoming an independent geologist.

He was a member of AAPG, West Texas Geological Society, SIPES, West Texas Landman's Association, and Midland Camera Club. He volunteered his services as a photographer for various organizations.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Craig Jordan of Dallas, and Michael Jordan of College Station, two brothers, Kirk Jordan of Needles, Calif., and Larry Jordan of Covina, Calif.; and one grandson.

Memorials may be directed to Casa de Amigos, 1101 E. Garden Lane, Midland, 79701.

Donald Baxter

SNYDER — Services for Donald L. Baxter, 71, are pending with Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home. The longtime Synder resident died Saturday at an area hospital.

He was born Nov. 9, 1920, in Illinois.

Survivors include his daughter, Joyce Ann Pace of Synder; and his stepsons, Mickey Almond of San Angelo, and Bruce Almond of Odessa.

Roy O. Few

KINGSLAND — Services for Roy O. Few, 71, of Buchanan Dam, father of Debbie Cooper of Midland, are set for 2 p.m. Monday at Waldrope-Hatfield Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will follow in Bluffton Cemetery under the direction of Waldrope-Hatfield Funeral Home.

Few

Few died Thursday.

He was born June 7, 1921, in Earling, W.Va. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II, a member of the Chapel of the Hills Baptist Church, the DAV, the American Legion and the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Other survivors include: his wife, Ersie Few of Buchanan Dam; one son, Roy Kevin Few of Monte Vista, Colo.; three other daughters, Lynda Cantrell of Greenwood, Ark., Karen Lund of Salt Lake City, Utah, and Marilyn Hale of Hutchinson, Kan.; one brother, Ronald Cline of West Virginia; four sisters, Ruth Boyton of Lewiston, Shirley Riffe and Wanda Stokes, both of West Virginia, Rosie Short of Panama City, Fla., and May Bartell of Kentucky; 17 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Lois Watson

SNYDER — Services for Lois "Shorty" Watson, 72, mother of Terry Watson Midland, are set for 10 a.m. Tuesday at Bell-Cypert-Seale Chapel with the Rev. Keith Berryman will officiate. Burial will follow in Snyder Cemetery.

Mrs. Watson died Saturday in an area hospital.

She was born Aug. 4, 1919, in Seminole, Okla. She married Edward Lewis Waston Oct. 18, 1936, in Seminole, Okla. Her husband preceded her in death Jan. 27, 1989.

She was a homemaker and a member of Colonial Hill Baptist Church.

Other survivors include: four sons, Eddie Watson Jr. of Austin, Jack Watson of Oxnard, Calif., Dennis Watson of Big Spring, and Bobby Watson of Odessa; three other daughters, Phyllis Gilliland of League City, Sharon Shipley of Floydada and Jerry Chambless of Amarillo; her sister, JoAnn Fenley of Tioga; 25 grandchildren, 11 great grandchildren, and numerous nieces and nephews.

RODEO: Cowboys from Munsell Ranch win

(From 1D)

Another hand, Will Burgess, a saddle-maker from Bunger, mused over a cowboy's hard life from sunrise to sunset. Meanwhile, there are people who "just ride (horses) on weekends when the weather is pretty" or who "drive up and down the road" in their pickup trucks in "playing cowboy."

The songs, stories and poetry are come from "the heart," said Billy Roush, who has a flair for cowboy poetry and the ranch life. "This is what America is all about — loving your neighbor."

And, Roush lamented, it is a quality that seems to have "gotten away from us — faded away" but which begs to return.

"All of us are just working cowboys," said Roush, a member of the Midland Ranch Rodeo committee that coordinated the fifth annual event. Surely, he said, "there is a lot better way of making a living financially," but many ranchers, and their hands — cowboys and cowgirls — are drawn to the rustic life out on the range.

The Ranch Rodeo and Bit & Spur Show expanded this year to include Saturday afternoon and night camp-ground singing, fiddle and guitar playing, poetry reading and story-telling.

Songs inspired by old English ballads and Irish tunes drew applause from a tent-full of ranch hands, and town and country people who came to the rodeo.

A youthful Oklahoma trio, "The Sounds of the Southwest," played some lively Western swing music, such as "Milk Cow Blues" and "Take Me Back to Tulsa (I'm Too Young To Marry)," and sang the gentle lyrics of a cowboy longing for the Texas range life: "I'd like to be in Texas for roundup time in the spring."

Making up the trio were singer Becky Keith, 18; her brother, fiddler Matt Keith, 15, and guitarist Will McLin.

The principal draw of the Midland Ranch Rodeo was the rodeo's five events, ranch cutting, team penning, wild-cow milking, calf branding, and team roping, which represent many a cowboy's working life with cattle.

"Any time anybody and everybody (including livestock) walks away unhurt, it has got to be a good day," Pat McDaniel said of the rodeo.

McDaniel, a member of the Ranch Rodeo committee chaired by rancher Candi Cowden, noted that the ranch hands, who are not on the professional rodeo circuit (Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association — PRCA), join in the Ranch Rodeo for friendly competition. Nothing turns into a grudge match, he said.

The 1992 Ranch Rodeo's All-Around Championship team was the Munsell Ranch, which placed first in ranching cutting, second in calf branding and team roping, and seventh in wild-cow milking.

Coming up in second place was Scharbauer Brothers & Co., which rated first places in team roping and calf branding, and sixth place in wild-cow milking.

The Charlie Bird Ranch came in third place overall by scoring second place in wild-cow milking, and third place in both ranch cutting and calf branding.

The Dean Ranch came up in fourth place by winning first place in wild-cow milking, fifth place in team roping, and sixth place in calf branding.

The Lazy Z Ranch, which wound up in fifth place, came in second in ranch cutting, fifth in wild-cow milking, and fourth in team roping.

Scharbauer Cattle Co. took sixth place by earning fourth places in wild-cow milking and calf branding.

The Powell Ranch, which took seventh place overall, was third in wild-cow milking and team roping, and fifth place in calf branding.

The Powell and Bird ranches teamed up to win the judges' choice for best chuck-wagon camp site, best coffee and best dessert. J Bar S chuck wagon prepared the best vegetables and camp bread, and the Diamond B chuck wagon cooked the best meat.

The Mabee Ranch came in eighth place in overall competition.

Florian Weitzer, an 18-year-old Austrian exchange student in Midland, said he was impressed by the Ranch Rodeo's overall "atmosphere" — the hospitality of the people.

Of the four rodeo events, wild-cow milking seemed to him to be "the toughest," while team penning appeared to be "the most difficult."

In team penning, cowboys are given two minutes to cut three marked head of cattle out of a herd of 21 cattle and drive the three head of cattle to the other end of the arena. In that event, the Ralph Powell Ranch team was the only team to pen three head within the time limit.

Another Austrian exchange student, Werner Zeidler, 17, reckoned that "Texas is famous for rodeos.

"I can't ride a horse," Zeidler said. "I can only play tennis."

Andrea Tillett, who grew up around horses, said that she favors ranch rodeos over the professional events.

"Those professional rodoes make me as nervous as a calf in branding," said Ms. Tillett, who has been "kicking rocks around in this country" since the drought of the 1950s.

"I know how to brand them, how to cut them and how to dehorn 'them," she said of ranch roundups. "I try."

Papers offer 'job wanted ads'

The *Reporter-Telegram* is joining forces with the Odessa American and the Texas Employment Commission offices in both Midland and Odessa, in an effort to help unemployed residents find jobs.

The newspapers are offering a free "job wanted ad" to appear in a Sunday edition during August.

A person wanting to place an ad must register with the Texas Employment Commission, which will then arrange to have the ad appear in the newspapers on "a space available basis."

The ads are limited to three lines and a telephone number need not be included since all inquiries will be directed through the TEC.

Persons needing additional information about the program should contact a TEC representative. In Midland, the office is located at 501 N. Loraine. In Odessa, the office is at 315 E. 5th St.

For a sample ad, please see Page 6E in today's Reporter-Telegram.

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BRANDS: Cattle's insignia often reveal something about rancher

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uniformity, the burned lines on the side of a steer, no matter what the design, were put there first and last as a Sign of Possession and a warning to cow thieves. They were, and are, the 'Posted — Keep Out' and 'Stay off the Grass' signs of the cattle kingdom."

Still, where possession is asserted there will be those who attempt to claim it illegally. In the kingdom of cattle, they are called rustlers or cattle thieves and their tool is the running iron. Perhaps the most noteworthy example of rustling was a case involving XIT-branded cattle recounted by Midland historian J. Evetts Haley in "The XIT Ranch of Texas and the Early Days of the Llano Estacado."

Haley wrote, "Almost as far as the brand is known, cowboys tell the tale of the Star Cross burn. Around their fires at night, or as they sit in the shade of a corral fence by day, someone will tell the story, and others, tracing the XIT in the sand between their bowlegs, will attempt to convert it into a Texas star with a cross it the center.

"Uncertainty as to the rustler who performed this work of art is an attribute of each recital, but little doubt that it was done shakes the believer's faith. One old-time cowpuncher tells how the man who stole so heavily under this manorial coat of arms was brought to trial at Lubbock. The jury acquitted him upon the ground that the conversion of the XIT into a lone star was an impossibility. Now cow thieves are smart, the story honestly holds, and are aware of their constitutional guarantees against being held in jeopardy twice for the same offense. Once acquitted, the rustler took a piece of paper, called the jury around him, and with the pride of a master craftsman in his work, proceeded to show that such was not an impossibility.

"The Syndicate brand was made with one straight bar about five inches long. By turning this bar in the relative position of the lines of the three letters, the entire brand was stamped upon the animal with five applications of the iron. Haste in the work or the hide of a calf drawn a little from its natural position, often resulted in a brand not altogether symmetrical, and this legendary rustler searched until he found such a brand, of which there were a great number among the thousands of Syndicate cattle. After roping and tying the animal, he took his running iron or ring, and traced the lone star cross upon it."

Cattle brands also tell something of the personality of the rancher branding them and in this region, as elsewhere, numerous cattle brands became legendary — the juxtaposed two half circles of M. Halff's Quien Sabe Ranch, the circle and bar forming a "frying pan" for W.F. "Bill" Scarborough's Frying Pan Ranch, the "Running W" of the King Ranch at Kingsville, the J A L of the Cowden brothers' ranch at Jal, N.M., the Figure 5 utilized by Clarence Scharbauer, the Lazy S used in Howard, Martin, Dawson, Borden, Cochran, Hockley and Hale counties by Col. C.C. Slaughter and others.

One of the most renowned, if unprovable, stories relating to a brand involves the Four Sixes brand recorded by S. Burk Burnett in Wichita County on Sept. 22, 1885, and in Carson County in November 1908. The story asserts that Burnett was playing a high-stakes poker game one evening with a rancher who was consistently losing and in desperation bet his entire ranch and all his cattle against Burnett's hefty winnings.

The next morning, the story goes, Burnett was out on the range early, affixing four sixes to all the cattle on the ranch that he had won with that particular hand.

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Beatrice Leonard Altom, 59, felony DWI, four years probation, 10 days in jail and a $500 fine.

Juan Gabriel Andrade-Cruz, 19, theft over $20,000, six years incarceration and restitution.

Jessie Lee Atchison, 27, burglary of a building, five years incarceration.

Edward Bara, 22, aggravated robbery, eight years incarceration.

R. Lee Bell, 46, felony DWI, four years probation, 10 days in jail and a $500 fine.

Howard Wayne Bolling, 53, felony DWI, four years probation, 10 days in jail and a $500 fine.

Shannon Lee Bray, felony DWI, five years probation, 30 days in jail, a $500 fine and ordered to the treatment center.

Garland D. Burch, 30, criminal mischief, three years probation and restitution.

Raymond Reyes Carrasco, 34, felony DWI, three years probation, 10 days in jail and a $500 fine.

Jose Jesus Corrales, 35, forgery by passing, five years probation and ordered to a drug rehabilitation program.

Ruben Diaz, 28, possession of heroin, five years probation.

Tammy Jo Earl, unauthorized use of a motor vehicle, four years probation.

Manuel Venegas Flores, 31, possession of cocaine, 10 years probation.

Yvette Franco, forgery by passing, three years probation.

Pablo Esteban Garcia, 22, credit card abuse, five years probation and a $500 fine.

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Billy Ray Guthrie, 51, theft by repetition, five years incarceration.

Lupe Flores Guzman, 47, possession of heroin, 15 years incarceration.

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Jerry Dan Hunt, 45, aggravated assault, six years probation.

Pablo Costuita Ibarra, 30, felony DWI, four years incarceration and a $500 fine.

Rosie Marie Jackson, 39, possession of cocaine, four years probation.

Stephen Warren Jackson, 31, possession of cocaine, four years incarceration.

Jackie Earl Kelso, 20, burglary of a building, three years probation.

Harvey Wayne Kiser, 52, forgery by passing, 10 years probation and restitution.

Carl Dayton Laforge, 30, felony DWI, four years probation, 30 days in jail and a $500 fine.

Nicholas P. Menchaca, 35, theft by repetition, 65 years incarceration.

Mark Molina, aggravated robbery, 20 years incarceration.

Reese Liane Owens, 22, possession of cocaine, five years incarceration.

Pedro Mejia Pena, 34, felony DWI, three years probation, 10 days in jail and a $500 fine.

Mario Rios Perez, unauthorized use of a motor vehicle, 12 years incarceration.

David Phelps, 17, burglary of a vehicle, five years probation and restitution.

Agustin Avila Ramos, 44, felony DWI, four years probation, 10 days in jail and a $500 fine.

Michael D. Ramsey, 19, burglary of a vehicle, five years incarceration.

Jose Rolando Robledo, 41, felony DWI, three years probation, 10 days in jail and a $500 fine.

Abraham Doporto Rodriguez, 41, felony DWI, four years probation and a $500 fine.

Santos Rodriguez Jr., attempted murder, 12 years incarceration.

Valentin Rodriguez, 35, theft by repetition, 20 years incarceration.

Valentin Rodriguez, 35, burglary of a building, 20 years incarceration.

Larry Alan Satterfield, 38, felony DWI, four years probation, 30 days in jail, a $500 fine and ordered to a treatment center.

Michael Seiffert, 19, burglary of a building, seven years probation and restitution.

Frank Leo Shaw, 29, aggravated robbery, 99 years incarceration.

Charles Slate, 21, burglary of a building, three years incarceration.

Linda Muniz Tijernia, theft by repetition, 17 years incarceration.

Reynaldo F. Valenzuela, 48, possession of marijuana under four ounces, two years probation and a $3,000 fine.

Luther Ray White Jr., 18, delivery of cocaine, eight years probation and a $2,000 fine.

Daniel Ray Wilkins, 17, unauthorized use of a motor vehicle, five years probation and restitution.

John Frank Woodward III, 38, felony DWI, five years probation, 20 days in jail, a $500 fine and ordered to a treatment center.

Catarino Ybarra Jr., 18, burglary of a habitation, two years probation and a $500 fine.

Pedro Segura Ybarra, 39, possession of cocaine with intent to distribute (repeat offender), 25 years incarceration.

BIRTHS

MEMORIAL HOSPITAL and MEDICAL CENTER

July 15, 1992

Steve and Dana Mizzles, girl

July 23, 1992
Charles and Jeanie Scott, boy

Man burned rescuing family from home fire

BIG SPRING (AP) — A man who suffered burns over 80 percent of his body while rescuing his family from a mobile home was in critical condition at a hospital Friday, officials said.

Kenneth Matthews, 33, of Big Spring was injured as he rescued his family from their home just after 3 a.m. Friday.

Howard County Volunteer Fire Chief C. Roy Wright said Matthews repeatedly entered the burning home to save his wife and three children.

Matthews, the only family member injured in the blaze, was in critical condition in the University Medical Center burn unit, said hospital spokesman Mike Johnson.

Initial reports indicated the fire was linked to an electrical malfunction, Wright said.

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Notice of Effective Tax Rate
1992 Property Tax Rates in Greenwood Ind. School District

This notice concerns 1992 property tax rates for Greenwood Ind. School District. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per $100 of property value.

Last year's tax rate:

	Last year's operating taxes	$ 550,968.91
	Last year's debt taxes	$ 1,248,994.87
	Last year's total taxes	$ 1,799,963.78
	Last year's tax base	$ 171,142,290.00
	Last year's total tax rate	$ 1.0517 /$100

This Year's effective tax rate:

	Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	$ 1,775,296.06
+	This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	$ 177,083,014.00
=	This year's effective tax rate	$ 1.0025 /$100
x	1.03 = maximum rate unless unit publishes notices and holds hearing	$ 1.032575 /$100

This year's rollback tax rate:

	Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	$ 543,375.30
+	This year's adjusted tax base	$ 177,083,014.00
=	This year's effective operating rate	$ .306800 /$100
x	1.08 (or add 1 $.08 for schools) = this year's maximum operating rate	$ .386800 /$100
+	This year's debt rate	$ .651000 /$100
=	This year's rollback rate before adjustment	$ 1.03780 /$100
+	Rate to recoup lost revenue	$ .04880 /$100
=	Adjusted rollback rate	$ 1.08660 /$100
=	This year's rollback rate	$ 1.08660 /$100

SCHEDULE A: Unencumbered Fund Balances

The following balances will probably be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance
Maintenance and Operation	$300,000.00
Interest and Sinking Fund	$ 50,000.00

SCHEDULE B:1992 Debt Service

The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable.)

Description	Principal or Contract Payment to be Paid	Interest to be Paid	Other Amounts to be Paid	Total Payment
1984 Bond Refunding	$645,000.00	123,370.00	$ ----	$768,370.00
1992 Bond Refunding	$ 80,000.00	311,280.92	$ ----	$391,280.92

	Total required for 1992 debt service	$ 1,159,650.92
-	Amount (if any) paid from funds listed in Schedule A	$ - 0 -
-	Excess collections last year	$ - 0 -
=	Total to be paid from taxes in 1992	$ 1,159,650.92
+	Amount added in anticipation that the unit will collect only 100% of its taxes in 1992	$ - 0 -
=	Total Debt Levy	$ 1,159,650.92

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates' calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at 700 W. Washington, Midland County Tax Office
Name of person preparing this notice Frances M. Shuffield
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EDUCATION

LETTER FROM COLLEGE

MC athlete makes GTE Academic's second team

By H.A. Tuck

For the first time in the school's history, a Midland College athlete has been selected for the GTE Academic All-America "At-Large" Second Team.

Tuck

David Draper, who graduated in May after two years on the Chaparral tennis team, was named for earning a perfect 4.0 grade point average for his four semesters.

Most of the time, David was carrying 18 to 21 credit hours in tough academic courses.

This is the first time a Midland College athlete has earned this extraordinary honor, which begins with local nomination, followed by voting at the regional level, and then at the national level by members of the College Sports Information Directors of America.

David not only did a perfect job in the classroom, but was almost perfect on the courts as well. He played the number one single and doubles spot and won national championships in both as the Chaps were within one game of winning the national team title.

A native of England, Draper now will play at The University of Texas in Austin on a tennis scholarship.

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Another MC athlete did almost as well. Sophomore golfer Shaun Bishop of San Angelo had a GPA better than 3.5 and was one of five 1992 graduates selected for a Fasken Scholarship to help defray costs for the next two years.

Bishop was on the Chap golf team which won second last year and then took the national championship in Arizona last June.

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This is the final week of early registration for current and former MC students. Early indicators are showing that there are a lot of persons interested in enrolling this year. Those who register now may reserve the exact classes and class times they wish. As soon as they pay their tuition and fees, they are completely enrolled.

First-time students, transfer students and those who are receiving financial aid are required to come to the Student Services offices in person before they can complete registration.

Time permits for fall registration will be issued the middle two week of August, starting Aug. 10. These time permits assign specific periods to report for registration on Aug. 25 or 26.

Fall classes begin Monday, Aug. 31. Monday, Sept. 7, will be observed as the Labor Day holiday.

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Every year we have prospective students show up in the middle of September, claiming they thought late registration was still under way. If you are one of those "10 o'clock scholars," please be advised that registration is much earlier than that. And take my word for it . . . every day you miss during the start of a semester seems to take almost two days to make up.

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Mike Stevens, director of Chaparral Center, and Greg Frazier coached the Northern Little League All-Stars to the area championship game before losing to an Odessa team. It wasn't Stevens' first experience with Little League tournament action.

He helped coach a Lubbock Little League team to the state championship in 1979.

Stevens and former Chap Center director Larry Campbell, now manager of a building at Columbus, Ga., are presenting a program for the International Association of Auditorium Managers' convention in San Diego this weekend. The topic, aptly, is concerned with how to handle small building operations.

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With the local economy still rather soft (to put it mildly), what can local industries do to expand their markets?

International trade is one way. MC's Business and Economic Development Center keeps large lists of products and services sought by overseas firms. These lists are updated weekly through a computer link. A few of the trade leads selected as most suitable for local businesses, are recorded onto Line 5 of Midland College's Cityline information system. The recording is changed weekly. To listen to this line, call 560-2400, then press 1835. This accesses the college's nine information lines.

There's no charge for the service, which is just one of many which are provided by the BEDC. Their offices now are in the Continuing Education wing of the Administration Building. Drop by or give them a call at 685-4639 or 685-4670.

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You still can only await the new Continuing Education course bulletins for the fall term, which will be coming out on Aug. 16.

All the courses for the summer have gotten under way, except for the two classes each week in Defensive Driving. One course meets on Monday and Tuesday evening and the other meets all day on Saturday. Call 685-4518 for more information about these.

H.A. Tuck is public relations director for Midland College.

Radiology honor society inducts members

Staff report

Eight new members were inducted into the Midland College chapter of Alpha Beta Gamma, the national honorary society for radiology, at a ceremony held July 23 at the Midland Holiday Inn.

Inducted were: Debbie Barnett, Melanie Cruise, Rick Dougherty, Brenda Hursh, Terry Lindsey, Lori Looper, John McKenzie, and Beverly Sanchez.

Also honored were three new honorary members of the chapter: Vickie Skidmore, RTR, diagnostic technologist; Thomas Hinton, M.D., radiologist; and Wayne Gist, RTR, diagnostic technologist.

The Alpha Beta Gamma honorary society was founded in 1976 at the University of Nevada-Las Vegas to recognize academic and professional excellence in the field of radiology.

Acceptance to the local chapter as an active member requires completion of a minimum of 12 college-level credit hours at Midland College with an overall grade point average of 3.0 and a minimum of six credit hours of radiology courses with a grade point average of 3.4

Honorary memberships are granted to persons who have made outstanding contributions to the field of radiology or have demonstrated a keen interest in radiologic technology education.

MC received its charter in 1990 and elected to name its chapter in honor of Brett Reavis.

Chapter officers include: Jack Van Cleave, president; Rachel Perry, vice president; and Debie Ticer, secretary; Other active members are Debra Woolard, Lisa Bean, and Sherri Goree.

Presented with special honorary awards at the luncheon were: Margaret Carroll, wife of MC radiologic technology program director Quinn Carroll; and Debbie Heathman, wife of clinical director William Heathman.

JUDGE: Selection often takes months

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lifetime position in which impeachment is the only way to oust a federal judge.

The position "holds extraordinary power . . . and you want to select the right people," he said.

"An error in selecting a federal judge is a monumental error," Neal said.

The selection process for a new federal judge for Midland will not begin until Bunton takes senior status on Dec. 1 — his 68th birthday.

"I will stay just exactly as I'm doing until such time a new judge is appointed and takes judgeship in Midland," Bunton said.

"Then I will become more selective . . . I will give up criminal cases," he said.

Bunton, who is the first resident judge of Midland's federal court, was recommended for the position by Bentsen and nominated by former President Jimmy Carter. Bunton took the bench in November 1979.

He is currently chief justice of the Western Judicial District of Texas.

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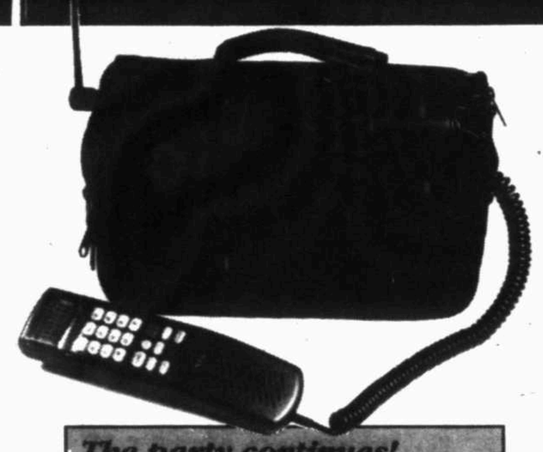

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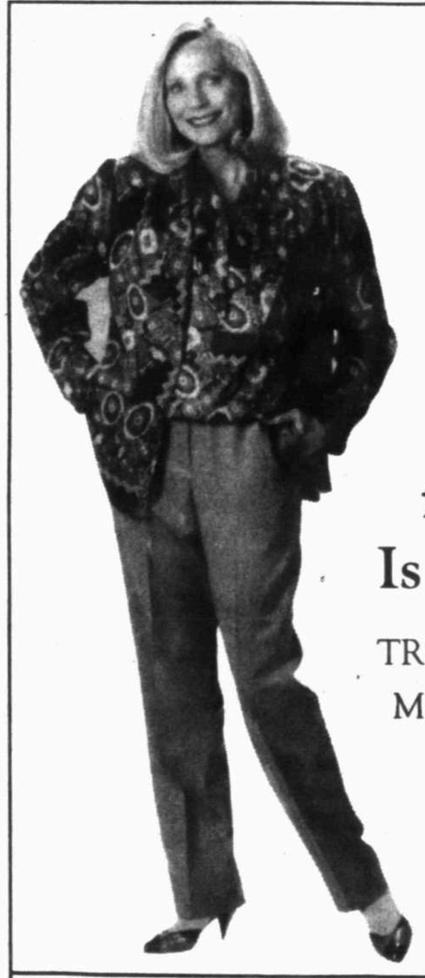

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MAKING THE GRADE

Shelley Scott, the daughter of Ann and Jerry Scott, recently graduated from the University of Texas in Austin with a bachelor of arts degree in social work and minors in social work and psychology. She was a member of the National Dean's List, the Golden Key Club, and Phi Beta Kinsolving. She is a 1988 Midland High School graduate.

Scott

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Abilene Christian University named 14 former Midlanders to the dean's honor roll. Honorees are **Anda Adams, Denise Blair, Alan Brown, Jill Brown, Randy Brown, Julie Bryan, Serette Carter, Doug Cochran, Wade Emmert, Aimee Freeman, Lexa King, Chris Lord, Shari Mitchell** and **Kendra Sorrells.**

Former Midlanders recently graduating from ACU include **Alan Brown**, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Brown and a 1988 graduate of Lee High School. Alan earned a bachelor of business administration degree in accounting.

Traci Dawkins, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dawkins, and a 1988 LHS graduate, earned a bachelor of arts degree in radio and television.

Wade Emmert, the son of Lesa Emmert and a 1988 graduate of Midland Christian School, earned a bachelor of arts degree in business administration and international studies.

Lexa King, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter King and a 1988 graduate of Jersey Village High School, earned a bachelor of science degree in interdisciplinary studies.

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Wendi Skelton of Greenwood 4-H Club was awarded the Florence W. Low scholarship given by the Texas Extension Homemakers Association. The scholarship was presented at the annual 4-H Roundup at Texas A&M University at College Station.

Wendi is a 1992 graduate of Greenwood High School. She also received the TEHA District VI Roberta Johnson Scholarship. She plans to major in agriculture economics and food and fiber marketing at Tarleton State University.

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Terry Johnston, a Hardin-Simmons University student, attended a six-week consortium at first century Ceasaera Phillipi. He was part of a 22-member team which participated in the archaeological dig at Panias, Israel.

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University Graduate Women of Midland awarded its annual scholarship to **Marcia Jane Pack**. The honoree is the mother of two children and a senior chemistry and business major at the University of Texas of the Permian Basin. She is a 1975 MHS graduate, a member of the American Chemical Society, a Midland College Honor graduate and has received several scholarships including one from Business and Professional Women.

EDUCATION IN BRIEF

Grady Independent School District has set registration dates for students in kindergarten through 12th grade.

Registration for students in grades 10, 11, and 12 is 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Aug. 10 in the principal's office. Registration for students in grades 7, 8 and 9 is 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Aug. 12 in the principal's office.

Students in kindergarten through sixth grade may register in their respective home rooms the first day of class, Aug. 17.

School begins for Grady students 8:05 a.m. Aug. 17. Classes will be dismissed at 3:15 p.m.

For more information call (915) 459-2444 or (915) 459-2729. School principal is Richard W. Gibson.

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Bush Elementary School Parent Teacher Association will host its "Back to School Blast Off" sale 11 a.m.-7 p.m. Aug. 21 at the school. T-shirts, personalized backpacks and prepackaged school supplies for kindergarten, first, second and third graders will be sold. Proceeds from the sale will help to fund a fence for the playground.

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William Glasser, M.D., a speaker and author well-known for developing the counseling method of reality therapy, will speak on "The Quality School: Managing Students Without Coercion" Aug. 12.

Glasser

Glasser will conduct the quality school seminar from 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m. at Midland Center. The event is intended for educators, business managers, counselors, social workers and law enforcement.

The event is being sponsored by Midland Independent School District and Region 18 Education Service Center.

Admission is $40. Coffee and pastry will be served at 8:30 a.m.

AAT and LPC credit hours are available. For registration or more information call 689-1585.

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The Andrews-Midland County Education District will meet 7 p.m. Monday in the board room in the administration office of Midland Independent School District, 615 W. Missouri Ave.

Agenda items include discussing pending state and federal court action, considering increasing the tax rate more than 3 percent above the effective rate, and setting a date for a public hearing.

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Midland Independent School District Board of Trustees has called a special meeting 5 p.m. Tuesday. The board will meet in the MISD administration office.

The meeting will open with an executive session to discuss personnel matters, including the method used to appraise the superintendent.

The two action items on the agenda are to consider approving the new method of appraising the superintendent, and to approve new personnel appointments.

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The Texas Education Agency recently announced that the Texas Successive Schools Award System recognized Rusk Elementary School with the Outstanding Effort Award.

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Rankin Independent School District will offer lunch tickets beginning Monday through Friday and Aug. 10 and 11. First day of school in Rankin is Aug. 12.

Lunch tickets for elementary school students are 75 cents per day, 85 cents for middle school students and $1 for high school students. Breakfast is 35 cents per day and milk is 20 cents.

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ARMED FORCES NEWS

Clay

Navy Seaman Recruit David P. Clay, son of Carolyn Clay of Midland, recently completed basic training at Recruit Training Command, Great Lakes, Ill.

Studies include seamanship, close-order drill, naval history and first aid.

The 1988 graduate of Iraan High School, joined the Navy in April of this year.

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Tech. Sgt. Joseph A. Cowles, son of Edward and Joyce Cowles of Midland, has graduated from an Air Force major command non-commissioned officer academy. He received advanced military leadership and management training.

The sergeant is a 1979 graduate of Midland High School.

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Navy Seaman Recruit Chanda A. Walker, daughter of Robert Walker and Sylvia Walker, both of Midland, recently completed basic training at Recruit Training Command, Orlando, Fla.

During the cycle, recruits are taught general military subjects designed to prepare them for further academic and on-the-job training in one of the Navy's 85 occupational fields.

Studies include seamanship, close-order drill, naval history and first aid.

She joined the Navy in April of this year.

Wilshire Park Baptist Church plans revival

Wilshire Park Baptist Church will host a youth-led tent revival today through Wednesday. The services will be held each evening beginning 7:30 p.m. in the tent located on the church parking lot.

The Rev. James Shupp, pastor of First Baptist Church of Allen, Okla., will be guest speaker.

Shupp will also speak at the 11 a.m. service today at the church. The pastor is a former Midlander, and is the son of Damon and Barbara Shupp. The public is invited to attend these services.

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DEAR ABBY

'Family values' matter to family of 1

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: Lately I have been hearing a lot about "family values" from politicians, and several others in the media. My question is — what exactly are "family values"? Are they talking about the idealistic Cleaver family on "Leave It to Beaver"?

Van Buren

I am single and feel a little left out of our latest political buzzwords. This country has many types of families, and not all include a husband and wife and 2.5 kids. Do single-parent households meet the criteria? How about people who are alone and have no living relatives? Are they considered a family?

To me, all of these groups may not be termed ideal, but many have high moral values. I wish people would stop talking about family values and start talking about personal values. Just because I do not have a family does not make my values any less important.

Thank you, Abby, for letting me get this off my chest. — SINGLE AND HAPPY WITH HIGH VALUES IN DALLAS

DEAR SINGLE AND HAPPY: You rattled the right cage if you're looking for support. Single-parent households are most certainly a family, in my opinion. The same goes for people who are alone and have no living relatives.

DEAR ABBY: I am the concerned friend of a 72-year-old wealthy lady who is dating a 49-year-old man who has a 16-year-old son. This man is unemployed.

The lady is attractive and young-looking, but everyone knows that a jobless man that age is mainly after what she has. She just lost her husband last year and fell right into his hands.

If they get married, he can take her for everything. If she gets down and old-looking, he will be long gone. Should I try warning her? She acts crazy over him. What do you think? — WORRIED IN EL PASO

DEAR WORRIED: Keep your opinions to yourself until you are sure there is a marriage in the offing. Then, if you are still convinced that your friend is at risk of being taken advantage of, casually bring up the subject of a prenuptial agreement.

DEAR ABBY: I am 78 years old and have two lovely daughters, ages 52 and 46. I also have grandchildren and great-grandchildren, but let me get to the point of this letter.

There are three words that upset me when they are used in this context: "I had to ...

1. "take Mama to the grocery store.
2. "take Mama to church.
3. "take Mama to the doctor.
4. "go to see Mama.
5. "do some errands for Mama.
6. "check up on Mama."

Abby, it would be a kindness to us senior citizens if people would stop saying "I had to," and say instead "I took," "I went" or "I did." — ELOISE G. IN CASTLEGAR, B.C.

DEAR ELOISE: Thank you for an original suggestion. Actually, nobody "has to" do anything except die and pay taxes, but it's curious how frequently we say "I had to" when there has been no coercion.

DEAR READERS: Who said, "Where I come from, when a Catholic marries a Lutheran, it's considered the first step on the road to Minneapolis"? Former Minnesota governor Luther Youngdahl?

No, Garrison Keillor.

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Sail west to get east: the new theory that had to be proved

THE MAN AND THE IDEA

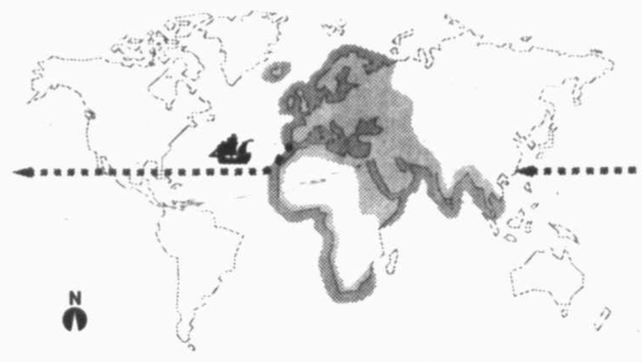
It was history's most glorious mistake.

A young merchant from the Italian city-state of Genoa became convinced he could sail nonstop to legendary Japan and China by heading west across the "Sea of Darkness" — the Atlantic.

Educated men in late 15th-century Europe knew the Earth was round. But they knew, too, that wise explorers didn't sail west into the wild unknown sea, but south and east, hugging Africa's coast, in the search for a route to the Orient and its rumored riches.

The western route obsessed Christopher Columbus, the Genoese seafarer. The very craft of navigation, he wrote, "incites the man who devotes himself to it to want to know the secrets of this world."

Columbus' quest for knowledge led him on history's most important voyage, a gamble bold and blind that in the end united the Earth, making two worlds one.



COLUMBUS' VOYAGE 1492-93

THE WAY WEST

By Charles J. Hanley
Associated Press Writer

Around 1480, in Lisbon, Columbus first gazed upon the nautical charts and documents of his late father-in-law, a Portuguese explorer in the eastern Atlantic. They fired his imagination.

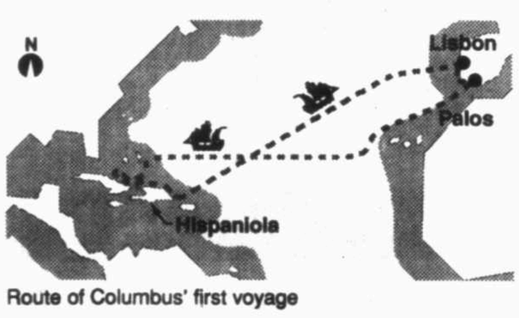
The papers are believed to have included a proposal by a geographer from Florence, Paolo dal Pozzo Toscanelli, that ships sail west to reach "the East." Another scholar calculated it would take only a few days to cross the ocean.

From his own experience traveling in the eastern Atlantic, Columbus formed a theory: One could sail west from the Canary Islands on the reliable trade winds that come from the northeast, and return with the westerlies at a higher latitude.

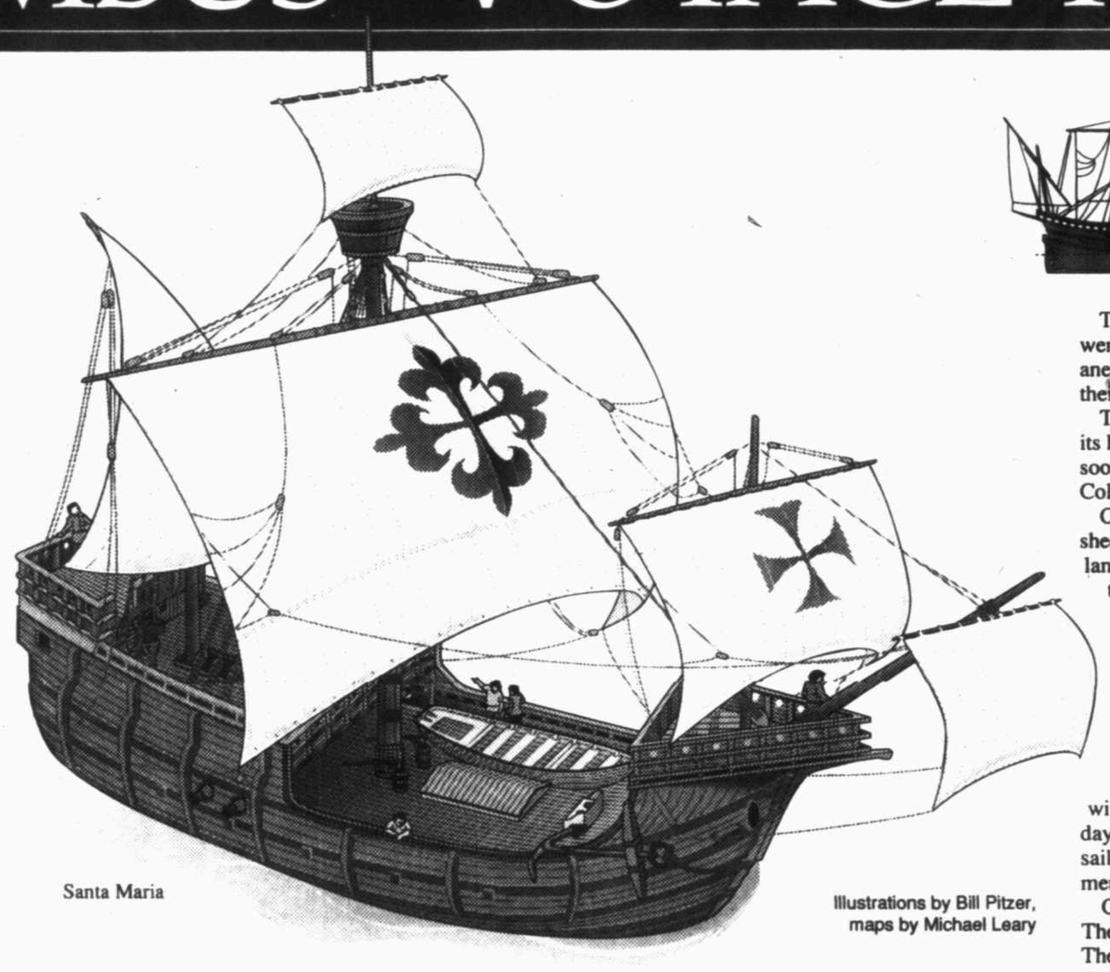
In 1485, he began a long, frustrating campaign to win the sponsorship of Spain's Queen Isabella and King Ferdinand for his project. In 1492, the monarchs were finally ready.

THE SHIPS

The town of Palos, on Spain's Atlantic coast, was Columbus' base. He returned there in May 1492 with a decree confiscating two local vessels for the expedition, in settlement of an old royal claim against the townspeople.



Route of Columbus' first voyage


Santa Maria

Illustrations by Bill Pitzer, maps by Michael Leary

The Nina and Pinta were tiny caravels — light, fast-running ships barely 70 feet long. For a third vessel, Columbus rented a bulkier cargo ship in port, renamed it Santa Maria, and made it his flagship.

THE CREW

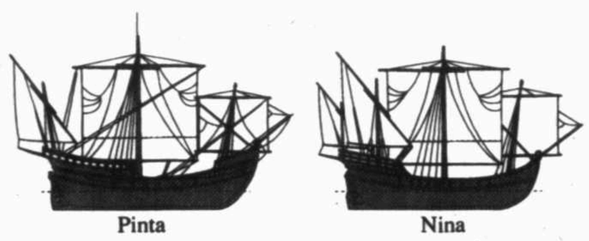
The monarchs offered pardons to any criminals who joined the daring venture as seamen. But because he had enlisted the support of Martin Alonso Pinzon, Columbus did not have to rely on ex-convicts.

Pinzon, a respected Palos shipmaster, brought both wide seafaring experience and scores of skilled, courageous local mariners to the expedition.

The 90-man company included officers and seamen, carpenters and ship's boys, two royal officials and an "interpreter" who spoke Arabic, supposedly a universal tongue. About 40 shipped on the Santa Maria. The rest were divided between the Pinta, captained by Pinzon, and the Nina, captained by his brother Vicente Yanez Pinzon.

THE SEA

A half-hour before dawn on Friday, Aug. 3, 1492, the three vessels weighed anchor and set out from Palos.


Pinta Nina

They made the Canary Islands in a swift six days, but were waylaid there for repairs. On Sept. 6, they set out anew, prows pointed west, and after three listless days their sails finally billowed before steady trade winds.

The mysterious sea — its strange new fish and birds, its huge mid-ocean swells, its brightening colors — soon became as much a wonder as a terror for Columbus' sailors.

On Sept. 16, they first spotted the Sargasso Sea's vast sheets of seaweed and thought they must be nearing land. But none appeared, and they began to worry that the constant wind from the east would keep them from ever returning home.

They were reassured on Sept. 20 when the winds turned variable, but it slowed their progress. Day by day, the crews grew more restless.

Columbus was navigating by "dead reckoning," factoring compass readings with the direction and strength of wind and current, and with the ship's speed, to tell him his position day by day. But he hid the truth, understating the daily mileage sailed, so the great distances would not frighten his men.

On Sept. 25, "land" was sighted. But it was a mirage. The ships still groped along, the sea almost dead calm. The trade winds finally picked up in October's first days, and a flock of petrels — a sign of land? — picked up the men's spirits. But then still another sighting proved false.

On Oct. 10, Columbus wrote, "the men could no longer stand it." He pledged to turn back if land was not found within three days.

The next day, signs of land floated by: a reed, a carved stick, a flowering shrub. At last, at 2 o'clock on the moonlit morning of Oct. 12, the lookout on the Pinta, sailor Juan Rodriguez Bermejo, shouted out: "Tierra! Tierra!" — "Land! Land!" It was an island, six miles away.

The New World: *What Columbus found and brought back*

THE LANDING

At daybreak, the seamen saw naked people on the beach. Columbus and his captains went ashore in launches, planted the royal banner, claimed the island for the Spanish monarchs, and named it San Salvador — Holy Savior. The island's inhabitants looked on, uncomprehending.

The explorer, believing he was in the outer reaches of the Indies, called the natives Indians.

They were tall and handsome, with straight black hair. Some had painted their bare skin with black, white and red pigments. They carried spears tipped with fish teeth, and paddled large dugout canoes. They were friendly and curious about their visitors, who they apparently believed came from the heavens.

Columbus found that the islanders, a people later dubbed Tainos, lived in palm-thatch huts, cultivated strange new food plants, wove cotton and made pottery.

An instant trade sprang up: red bonnets and small glass beads in exchange for the Indians' parrots, cotton thread and spears. Columbus decided that these intelligent people would be "good servants and of good skill."

Traditionally this first landfall was believed to be Watling Island in the eastern Bahamas. Recent studies suggest that Samana Cay, 60 miles to the southeast, is the more likely site.

Columbus explored five islands in the Bahamas and then, on Oct. 28, reached the north coast of modern-day Cuba. At first he believed it was Japan, then the Chinese coast. But no fabled cities of gold could be found, although Columbus and his men marveled at giant lizards, the rich green forests, the rainbow of tropical fish.

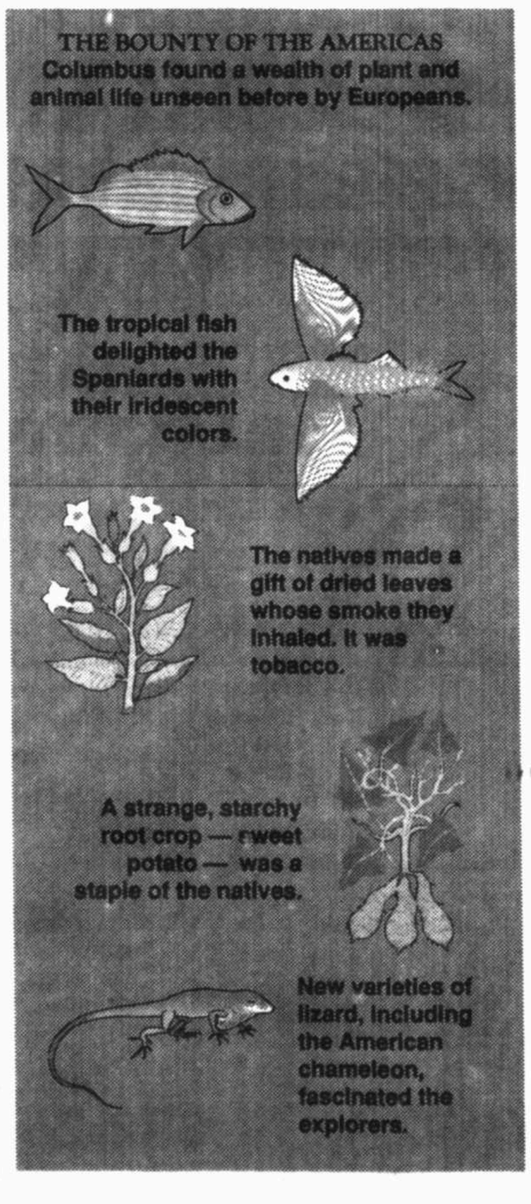
On Dec. 5, the Santa Maria and the Nina crossed to what Columbus called "a most beautiful island" — Hispaniola. By then, Pinzon had taken the Pinta off on a separate course.

At times, as many as 1,500 Indians paddled or swam out to the big white-sailed ships, bearing gifts and barter. Then, on Christmas Eve, misfortune struck. The anchored Santa Maria drifted onto a coral reef on the north coast of modern-day Haiti. All hands escaped, but the ship was a loss.

Columbus left 39 men behind in a rough settlement built with the wood of the Santa Maria, and boarded the Nina for the journey home. Disease and hostilities with the natives would kill all 39 by the time Columbus returned on his second voyage 11 months later.

Route of Columbus' first voyage

SIX INDIANS, GAUDY PARROTS AND SWEET POTATOES



The voyage home by the Nina and Pinta, through two terrifying ocean storms, took almost seven weeks. But finally, on March 15, 1493, the native sons of Palos sailed into their home port, heroes.

The triumphant explorer set out across Spain in an exotic procession, a road show exhibiting green and yellow parrots, Indian masks, bits of gold ornaments and, best of all, a half-dozen loincloth-clad Tainos, brought home by Columbus as trophies.

"Not only did everyone in the towns along his route turn out to see him," a contemporary chronicler wrote, "but many towns far from his route were emptied."

Reaching the royal palace in Barcelona on April 20, Columbus was given the rare privilege of sitting beside Ferdinand and Isabella to report on his success.

Columbus' four voyages, ending in 1504, introduced Europe to maize, tobacco, sweet potatoes and other discoveries and devices of the native Americans. But to Columbus, the Indians themselves were the "great treasure."

It was a treasure he profited from. He sent hundreds of Taino Indians back to a life of slavery in Spain.

The exchange was tragic in unseen ways, too. Scholars conclude that syphilis was brought back to Europe from the Caribbean. And Europe's infectious diseases, such as smallpox, measles and tuberculosis, spread among the Indians.

Within 40 years, the Tainos were extinct, wiped out by brutality and epidemic, and Columbus' new world was embarked on its complex history of exploitation and accomplishment, of old ways lost and new paths explored.

To the end, when he died in 1506 at age 55, Columbus clung to the notion that he had reached "the Indies." It was the great navigator's greatest mistake. But in making it he charted a new course for mankind.

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AIDS

By 2000, *AIDS infection could strike up to* 40 million people *and the virus could offset reductions in childhood mortality*

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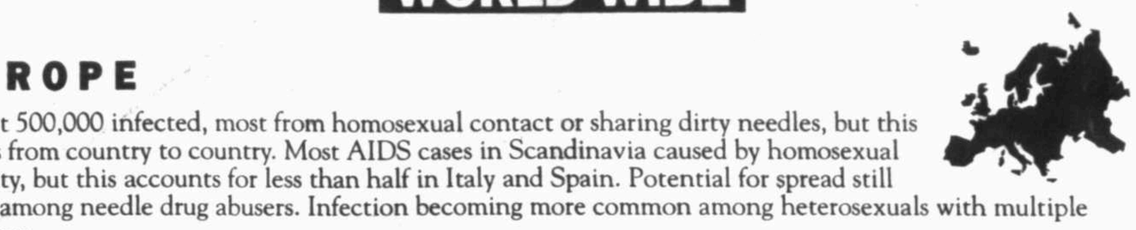

NORTH AMERICA

Epidemic first came to attention here in 1981. About 1 million infected. Most cases stem from male homosexual intercourse or drugs. Rate of new homosexual infection decreasing since mid-1980s. AIDS transmission among heterosexuals still rare, but slowly becoming common, especially in cities where drug abuse and sexually transmitted diseases promote spread of virus. About 6,000 babies have gotten AIDS from mothers. About 25,000 women have gotten AIDS.

EUROPE

About 500,000 infected, most from homosexual contact or sharing dirty needles, but this varies from country to country. Most AIDS cases in Scandinavia caused by homosexual activity, but this accounts for less than half in Italy and Spain. Potential for spread still great among needle drug abusers. Infection becoming more common among heterosexuals with multiple partners.

ASIA

More than 1 million infected, largely in South and Southeast Asia. Extensive transmission began in mid-1980s and virus now spreading rapidly. Because of larger population, Asia may overtake Africa in number of infections by end of decade. In Southeast Asia, disease began among needle drug users. About half of drug abusers in Bangkok now infected. Throughout Thailand, 200,000 to 400,000 people infected, and total may reach 4 million by year 2000. Heterosexual intercourse now major route of spread in Southeast Asia, as it is in India and other parts of South Asia. About 20 percent of estimated 100,000 to 300,000 prostitutes in Bombay infected.

= 1 million infected

LATIN AMERICA

More than 1 million infected. Extensive spread began in early 1980s. AIDS among needle drug abusers growing, with 20 percent of them infected in parts of Argentina, Brazil and Uruguay. In addition to homosexual contact, heterosexual intercourse becoming major means of spread. Fortyfold increase in AIDS cases among women in Central America in last four years. 10,000 children born with AIDS infections.

SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA

More than 6.5 million infected, mostly in East and Central Africa. Slightly more women than men carry virus. In some cities, up to one-third of adults under age 50 are infected, and account for 80 percent of hospital patients. High rates of syphilis and other sexually transmitted diseases that cause skin ulcers thought to promote the spread of the virus by providing a break in the skin for it to enter. About 750,000 infected babies born so far, and 4 million to 8 million expected by end of decade. 10 million more may be orphaned because parents died of AIDS. World Health Organization predicts disease may reduce expected population growth by more than 30 percent during 1990s. Economic impact expected to be great.

THE MEETING

Conference stressed prevention

By Daniel Q. Haney
Associated Press Science Writer

AIDS is not just a disease of gay men in San Francisco or drug addicts in New York. It is a world problem, a pandemic, a disease that has already touched – or soon will touch – men, women and children in every corner of the planet.

So the VIII International Conference on AIDS had a decidedly global view. More than 10,000 people from 100 countries were on hand for the week-long gathering July 19-25 in Amsterdam.

Besides updates on the prospects for new drugs and vaccines, the meeting examined where the pandemic is going and how it changes lives everywhere. Sessions were held on such subjects as AIDS among the street children of Brazil, safe-sex programs for young people, the stress of AIDS and its economic effects.

FORMIDABLE TASKS AHEAD

For these conventioneers and for scientists, doctors and health workers around the world, the problems are urgent, and they are huge: No cure is in sight. Treatments ease suffering, but while they may delay death, they do not stop it. Virtually everyone with AIDS now is likely to die within a few years. Testing of vaccines has just begun. No one knows if they'll work.

For now, stopping the pandemic means preventing infection, and that means changing people's sexual habits and curbing drug abuse, formidable tasks indeed. While the disease began to spread rapidly just a decade or so ago among homosexual men and drug users in the industrialized world, it is now emphatically a heterosexual disease in the poorest regions. More than three-quarters of all AIDS infections worldwide were transmitted by heterosexual intercourse. The convention will consider ways to control this spread through such strategies as making condoms more acceptable and educating prostitutes.

MILLIONS OF BABIES AT RISK

Estimating the precise scope of the pandemic is difficult. A recent Harvard study produced the highest projections yet, but the more conservative official figures of the World Health Organization are frightening enough. It says that 9 million to 11 million people worldwide are infected with the AIDS virus, and 1.5 million have gotten AIDS. In the past three years alone, perhaps 3 million people may have caught the virus in sub-Saharan Africa and Asia. And it will get much worse. By the end of the decade, WHO predicts that 30 million to 40 million people will be infected, and 10 million will have AIDS. Among them will be millions of babies who get the disease from their mothers. In many developing countries, the gains of the past two decades in reducing childhood mortality will be wiped out by AIDS.

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Disease linked with immune system breakdown

July 1982
Disease named "acquired immune deficiency syndrome"

November 1983
AIDS declared threat to developing countries

May 1984
AIDS virus discovered

March 1985
AIDS screening test approved

October 1985
Rock Hudson dies of AIDS

March 1987
AZT, first AIDS drug, approved

August 1989
100,000th U.S. case reported

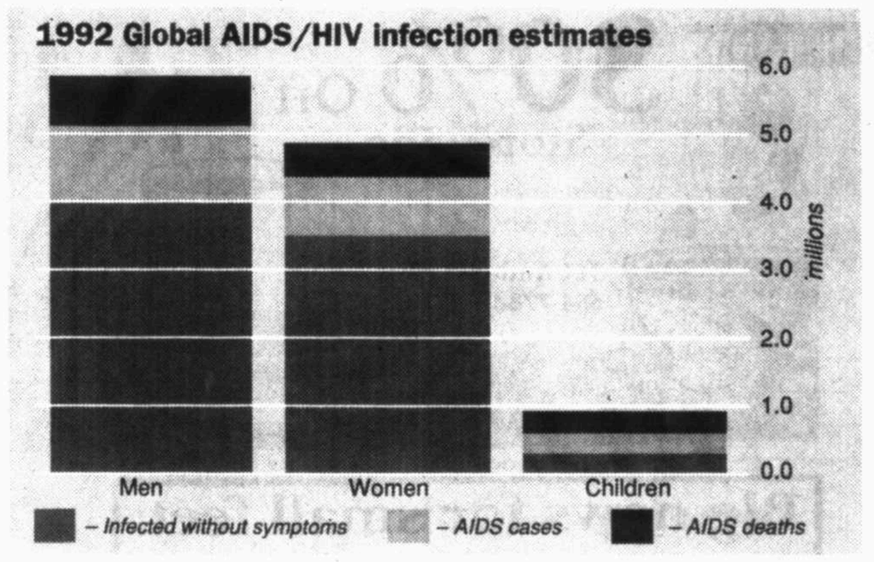
April 1990
Teen-ager Ryan White dies of AIDS

October 1991
DDI, second AIDS drug, approved

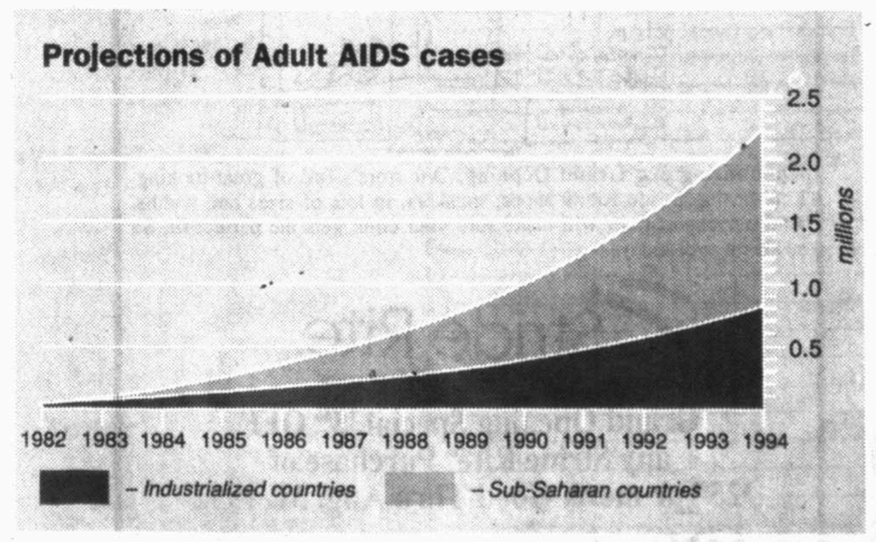
November 1991
Magic Johnson announces he is infected with AIDS virus

POPULATIONS AT RISK

Aids now affects men, women and children...



...and we can expect dramatic increases in developing countries



Source: World Health Organization

Illustrations and maps by Michael Leary/AP GraphicsBuilders

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Legislature to deal cards on other forms of gambling

By John Powers
Reporter-Telegram Austin bureau

AUSTIN — Bingo, with some of the proceeds going to churches and charities, gave gambling in Texas a legitimate front. Horse racing, after more than a 20-year struggle, finally made it out of the starting gate. Now, with strong backing from voters, the state is operating a lottery.

With the high-stakes doors kicked open, legislators will have to deal the cards on other forms of gambling, all in the name of economic development, jobs and state revenues.

Riverboat casino gambling, along with video blackjack and poker games, could be on the agenda when the 73rd Legislature meets in January.

Port Arthur Mayor Mary Ellen Summerlin said, however, that Southeast Texas city will not try again to get permission for casinos on Pleasure Island.

In 1991, legislators turned down a bill to allow casinos on Port Arthur's Pleasure Island, with 73 against and 65 in favor. Two lawmakers voted present and 10 were absent.

Recently, South Padre Island real estate developers discussed legislation for 1993 to allow island hotels to offer casino gambling. Now, however, they are placing their chips on a proposal to allow as many as 17 riverboat casinos to operate in the state.

Lloyd Criss, a former state representative now with Legislative Consultants in Houston, estimated the floating casinos would create about 60,000 jobs.

Criss said a bill being drafted by the lobbyist group would limit the number of riverboat licenses to 17, including three or four each for Houston, Dallas-Fort Worth and San Antonio, two or three for South Padre Island and one for Galveston. Other cities that expressed an interest would be considered, and a commission set up to oversee operations would make the final decisions.

One cruise ship already operates in Texas out of Port Isabel, but must be 12 miles offshore in federal waters before it can operate the games. It also makes a call in a port in Mexico before returning. The number of passengers each year is declining, and the ship's owners are currently in bankruptcy court.

A similar cruise ship went out of business in Galveston recently because it could not meet the expenses involved after a U.S. attorney general ruled the ship either must make a call in a foreign port or stay in federal waters for 24 hours and provide food and lodging for all passengers.

Meanwhile, amusement game vendors would like to see legalized electronic video games for bars and nightclubs, which they call "video lottery" and which would include poker and blackjack games.

But even if Texans are ready to accept such forms of gambling, opposition may come from within the various gambling factions themselves. And the state now has a vested interest in protecting its lottery income. Tourists, residents and even devoted players have a limited amount of discretionary money for gambling.

Horse and dog racing tracks already have felt the sting of lower attendance and wagering after the start-up of the lottery. Track owners expected at least a 15 percent drop in parimutuel wagering after the lottery's instant-winner scratch-off tickets were available. The decline exceeded that estimate at some tracks.

In the 1991 legislative session, lawmakers representing districts with horse and dog tracks said they would vote for the lottery only if the state reduced its cut from parimutuel gambling from 5 percent to 1 percent.

The state gets 40 percent of the lottery proceeds, while 10 percent goes for administration, 5 percent to retailers and 45 percent to winners. The lottery has put about $421 million into the state treasury in nine weeks of operation.

Video games would provide the best percentage in winnings, but in small amounts. The 25-cent to $2 electronic games return about 90 cents of every dollar to winners, but top payoffs reach only $1,000.

Dock Ringo, legislative chairman of the Amusement & Music Operators of Texas, headquartered in Bryan, estimated the state would take in $330 million a year from license fees and sales taxes if it allowed the machines, and another $40 million to $50 million could go to cities and counties.

Ringo predicted approval of electronic games eventually.

"The public wants it, the state needs the money and the technology is in place," he said.

But his group has not prepared any legislation and has no sponsor for any proposals. Rather, he said the group wants to ensure that small businesses are allowed to own and operate the machines once they are legal. He said a large monopoly franchise given to a single company would wipe out many of the amusement machine vendors in Texas.

Gambling proponents base their arguments on economic development, providing state revenues to head off future tax increases, and competing for tourist dollars.

Mississippi allows dockside casino ships, while Louisiana already permits video gambling games and recently approved legislation to allow one of the largest casinos in the nation in New Orleans.

Criss said New Orleans attracts 9 million tourists a year, and one study estimated that would double to 18 million, with a majority of them from Texas, when it completes its giant casino.

"In Texas, we have three markets that could match that — Houston, Dallas and San Antonio," Criss said. He said San Antonio alone now draws 10 million visitors a year, and "Texas needs to protect its tourism base."

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REQUEST FOR BIDS ON TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION
Sealed proposals for .213 miles of grading, structures, base and surfacing on US 385 from 14th Street in Crane to 1.0 mile South, covered by CSR 229-3-26 in Crane County, will be received at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, until 1:00 P.M., August 11, 1992, 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 Mike McAnally Resident Engineer, Odessa, Texas, and at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Division of Construction and Contract Administration, D.C. Greer State Highway Building, 11th and Brazos Streets, 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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PUBLIC NOTICE
The Board of Trustees of the Grady I.S.D. will receive sealed bids for the sale of two school busses, one 1979 International 59-passenger bus and one 1978 International 59-passenger bus. Grady I.S.D is also accepting bids for the lease-purchase of a new 59-passenger school bus and a new 24-passenger school bus. Grady I.S.D. is now accepting bids for dairy products and fuel for the 1992-93 school year. For more information, contact the business office, Grady I.S.D., HCR 72, Box 4, Lenorah, Texas 79749. (915)459-2444. Sealed bids will be opened at the Grady School Board Room at 8:00 p.m. on Monday, August 10, 1992. Grady I.S.D. reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.
Johnny Tubb
Business Manager

PERMIAN BASIN REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION
LEGAL NOTICE
The Permian Basin Regional Planning Commission, serving as the Metropolitan Planning Organization for the Midland- Odessa Regional Transportation Study (MORTS), will conduct a public meeting to discuss the 1993-1995 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) and the Texas Department of Transportation's Project Development Plan (PDP).
The 1993-1995 Transportation Improvement Program is a three year plan that has been developed in cooperation with the Texas Department of Transportation, the Cities of Midland and Odessa, Ector and Midland Counties and various social service agencies. The TIP includes the following:
1. A priority list of projects and project segments that will be carried out within the 3-year period in the Midland-Odessa urbanized area, and
2. A financial plan that demonstrates how the TIP can be implemented, indicates resources from public and private (if any) sources that are reasonably expected to be made available to carry out the plan, and recommends any innovative financing techniques to finance needed projects and programs.
The 1993 Transitional Development Plan (PDP) is the Texas Department of Transportation's 10-year, 3-phase Planning Document that guides and controls project development.
The public meeting will be held on Thursday, August 13, 1992 at the Permian Basin Regional Planning Commission offices located at 2910 LaForce Boulevard, Midland International Airport. The meeting will begin at 7:00 p.m.
A ten day comment period will permit interested persons to submit written comments to Mr. Ernie Crawford, Executive Director, Permian Basin Regional Planning Commission, P.O. Box 60660, Midland, Texas 79711-060. All comments must be received in the PBRPC offices no later than 12:00 Noon, August 24, 1992.
The TIP can be reviewed during business hours beginning July 16 through August 13, 1992, at the Permian Basin Regional Planning Commission 2910 LaForce Boulevard, Midland International Airport of the District Office of the Texas Department of Transportation, 3901 East U.S. Highway 80 (BI 20-E) Odessa.

NOTICE
The City of Midland finds that the properties located at the following locations & addresses:

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MIDLAND, TX 79701

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P.O. BOX 10225
MIDLAND, TX 79702

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MIDLAND, TX 79702

in the City of Midland, Texas, have become a public nuisance and health hazard in as much as they have become overgrown with weeds, tall grass and brush, become strewn with litter, or become a collection point for stagnant water. The owner of the above named properties are hereby ordered to abate the nuisance within ten (10) days and notify the City of Midland Property Code Administration of the same. Otherwise, the City of Midland will then enter the property, abate the nuisance thereon, and charge the cost of so doing as a lien against the property. You may appeal the decision of the City of Midland to enter your property and access a lien against it by contacting the City Manager's officer at 300 North Loraine, Midland, Texas 79701, phone number 685-7200 within nine (9) days of this notice.

NOTE: (The meeting facility is accessible to disabled persons. A wheelchair entry ramp is located at the southeast entrance to City Hall. A parking space designated for use by disabled persons is available near the southeast entrance doors. Any disabled person needing special accommodations or hearing impaired persons wishing to have an interpreter should request services through the Administrative Services Department at least 48 hours prior to the scheduled meeting by contacting Victor Pena, Compliance Coordinator for the City of Midland, at (915)685-7248. If communication via TDD is required, please call 1-800-735-2989)

July 25, 1992
August 2, 1992

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF MIDLAND

Whereas, by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the County Court at Law Court of Midland County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 13th day of May 1992, in favor or Sears Roebuck & Co. and against Eddie Ortiz and being No. 7144 on the docket of said Court, I did at 10:00 o'clock a.m., on the 23rd day of July 1992, levy upon the following described personal property belonging to the said Eddie Cortiz to-wit: LXI 26" Color Television Mode #42835 Good Condition.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I will offer for sale the above described personal property at Rocky Ford Moving Company, 3411 W. Industrial in Midland, Midland, Texas, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., on the 3rd day of August, 1992, to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above numbered cause.
WITNESS MY HAND this 23rd day of July, 1992.

Gary Painter, Sheriff
Midland County, Texas
by Pat Daines, Deputy

August 2, 1992

NOTICE TO BIDDERS:
The Board of Trustees of the Midland Independent School District, Midland, Texas is requesting bids on Furniture (New Construction), Bid #3-0005. Bid specifications and regulations may be secured from the Director of Purchasing, 7201 West County Road 60, Midland, Texas 79707. Phone 689-1750.

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION OF BUSINESS FORMERLY OPERATED IN PROPRIETORSHIP-FORM.

Notice of Intention to Incorporate Going Business.

Notice is hereby given that Christopher Construction transferor, heretofore a proprietorship composed of Chris Repman and Carla Repman, doing business at Midland, Texas, will be dissolved and that after June 17,1992, the business will be conducted without change of firm name by Christopher Construction, Inc., transferee, a Texas Corporation, at Midland, Texas. This notice is given pursuant of Article 1302-2.02 of the Texas Miscellaneous Corporation Laws Act, Section 6.103 (7) of the Texas Business and Commerce Code, and Section 35 of Article 6132b of the Texas Civil Statutes.
August, 2, 9, 16, 23, 1992

PUBLIC NOTICE
OF TRADE ADJUSTMENT
ASSISTANCE PETITION
CERTIFICATION

All workers of Oryx Energy Co. Southwestern Production Region in Midland Texas, who became totally or partially separated from employment due to a lack of work on or after July 31, 1991, are eligible under petition number 26,077A to apply for trade adjustment assistance. The petition was certified March 6, 1992 and will expire March 6, 1994. Workers should contact the nearest Texas Employment Commission office for assistance in filing for the following services: weekly trade readjustment allowance, job placement, employment counseling, vocational training, and financial assistance for job search and job relocation.

PUBLIC NOTICE
OF TRADE ADJUSTMENT
ASSISTANCE PETITION
CERTIFICATION

All workers of Schlumberger - Well Services in Midland Texas, who became totally or partially separated from employment due to a lack of work on or after August 23, 1990, are eligible under petition number 26,578 to apply for trade adjustment assistance. The petition was certified January 17, 1992 and will expire January 17, 1994. Workers should contact the nearest Texas Employment Commission office for assistance in filing for the following services: weekly trade readjustment allowance, job placement, employment counseling, vocational training, and financial assistance for job search and job relocation.

PUBLIC NOTICE
OF TRADE ADJUSTMENT
ASSISTANCE PETITION
CERTIFICATION

All workers of UDT Sensor, Inc. in El Paso, Texas, who became totally or partially separated from employment due to a lack of work on or after December 6, 1990, are eligible under petition number 26,678 to apply for trade adjustment assistance. The petition was certified March 10, 1992 and will expire March 10, 1994. Workers should contact the nearest Texas Employment Commission office for assistance in filing for the following services: weekly trade readjustment allowance, job placement, employment counseling, vocational training, and financial assistance for job search and job relocation.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The City Council of Midland, Texas will meet in regular session on August 11, 1992, at 10:00 a.m. in the Council Chambers, City Hall to consider approval of the proposed Statement of Objectives and the Community Development Plan for the 1992 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program.

A total of $947,800, consisting of $856,000 in 1992 Entitlement funds, $49,800 to be reallocated from prior program years and $42,000 of anticipated program income (from business loans, rehabilitation loans, lot clearing and demolition programs) will be available for the 1992 CDBG program.

The Community Development Plan recognizes the CDBG objective that funds shall primarily be used for activities which benefit low and moderate income persons. Generally, community development needs are those identified in the Centennial Comprehensive Plan, the Midland Introspective: A Report on Community Needs, and Objectives - 2000. To address local objectives, 1992 funds are proposed to be used as follows:

Senior Nutrition Program
$56,000
Nutrition program at the Southeast Community Senior Citizen Center (1803 E. Indiana)

Home Cleaning Program
$40,000
Home cleaning public service provided by Citywide Community Services to elderly and handicapped residents.

Goode Beginnings Child Care Center
$7,500
Day care center improvements/ purchases (1321 S. Goode).

Senior Wellness Program
$25,000
Senior citizen wellness programs (NE YMCA, 2300 Butternut)

Youth Programs
$10,000
After-school, swimming and summer day camp activities for low and moderate income youth. (NE YMCA, 2300 Butternut).

Youth Connection
$9,900
Recreational, cultural and educational programming by NE YMCA for youth living in low-income apartments (4201 N. Garfield).

Lot Clearing and Demolition Programs
$57,000
Clearing of overgrown lots ($11,000 public service) and removal of dilapidated structures ($46,000 non-public service) in slum/ blighted areas. Funds include $2,000 of estimated program income.

Housing Rehabilitation Program
$150,000
Rehabilitation assistance program of the Neighborhood Housing Services (NHS) agency. Funds include $10,000 of estimated program income.

Homeownership Incentive Program
$25,000
Down payment and closing cost assistance for low and moderate income first-time home buyers.

Emergency Housing Repairs Program
$30,000
Grant assistance for emergency repairs of low-income single-family, owner-occupied homes.

Neighborhood Street Paving Program
$250,000
Paving and related improvements in low and moderate income neighborhood streets.

Boys and Girls Club
$25,000
Improvements to public facility (110 E. New Jersey).

Eastside Community Park
$150,000
Park development costs (Fairgrounds and Cuthbert).

Martin Luther King Park
$35,000
Park improvements

Revolving Loan Fund Program
$30,000
Loan assistance to businesses which will create or retain low and moderate income jobs. Funds consist of $30,000 of estimated program income.

CDBG Administration
$70,000
Cost related to program administration.

Unprogrammed
$7,400
For cost overruns of the above projects.

TOTAL $947,800

The above activities should not cause displacement of residents. In the event that circumstances require that displacement occur, it will be conducted in accordance with the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Act of 1970. Also, should the loss of low income housing become necessary, such activities will be performed in accordance with the City's Residential Anti-displacement Plan.

Citizens are encouraged to comment on the proposed Statement. Both the proposed and the final Statement of Objectives will be available for examination during regular business hours in the City's Planning Division Office, Room 220, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine. The final Statement will be forwarded to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development on or about August 26, 1992.

For further information, call the City's Planning Division Office at 685-7408

August 2, 1992

NOTICE TO BIDDERS:
The Board of Trustees of the Midland Independent School District, Midland, Texas is requesting bids on Band Uniforms, Bid #3-0006. Bid specifications and regulations may be secured from the Director of Purchasing, 7201 West County Road 60, Midland, Texas 79707. Phone 689-1750.
August, 2 and 9, 1992

INVITATION TO BID

SEALED BIDS will be received by the Greenwood Independent School District, in the Administrative Board Room, Administration Building, Greenwood I.S.D. Until 2:00 P.M. THURSDAY, AUGUST 20, 1992 for the following:

FURNISH AND INSTALL COMPLETE POLYURETHANE FOAM ROOFING SYSTEM ON POOL AREA SCHOOL BUILDING UPPER AND LOWER ROOF, GREENWOOD I.S.D., MIDLAND, TEXAS.

Plans, specifications, and Bid Instructions may be obtained by contacting the Construction Manager.

DEL WARE COMPANIES
P.O. Box 1219
Georgetown, Texas 78627-1219
(512)863-4008

Only SEALED BIDS/PROPOSALS will be considered. No telephone, telegraphic, or fax bids will be considered. Owner may consider bids delivered by U.S. Postal Service, Federal Express, UPS, etc. if postmarked, or verified, as deposited to carrier for delivery, at least on day prior to opening.

Bid Security of 5% of the highest amount of the total bid must accompany bid/ proposal on all bids exceeding $25,000.00. 100% Performance and 100% Payment bond required on all contracts of $25,000.00 or more. Bid security and Performance Payment Bonds will no be required on bids/ proposals under a $25,000.00.

Owner may consider informal any bid not prepared and submitted in accordance with the provisions hereof and may waive and informalities or reject any and all bids.

DIRECT ALL INQUIRIES TO THE CONSTRUCTION MANAGER

August 2, 9, 1992

AGENDA
ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT
August 13, 1992

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held by the Zoning Board of Adjustment of the City of Midland, Texas, on Thursday, August 13, 1992, in the Council Chamber, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, beginning at 3:00 P.M., to consider the following:

BD-92-009
Consider a request by Mr. Jose R. Chavez for a Special Exception to the Zoning Code concerning the side yard setback requirements on the east 1' of Lot 5, and Lot 6, less the east 1' Block 57, Permian Estates Addition City and County of Midland, Texas, located on the south side of Leddy Dr. approximately 360' east of its intersection with Midland Drive, 4311 Leddy.

BD-92-010
Consider a request by Mr. Raymond G. Farris for a Special Exception to the Zoning Code concerning the side yard setback requirements on Lot 12, Block 34, Permian Estates, City and County of Midland Texas, located at the south east corner of the intersection of McDonald Drive and Cedar Spring Drive, 3811 Cedar Spring Drive.

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August 2, 1992

PUBLIC NOTICE
OF TRADE ADJUSTMENT
ASSISTANCE PETITION
CERTIFICATION

All workers of Arco Oil and Gas Company Central District in Midland, Texas, who became totally or partially separated from employment due to a lack of work on or after January 6, 1991, are eligible under petition number 26,722 to apply for trade adjustment assistance. The petition was certified February 21, 1992 and will expire February 21, 1994. Workers should contact the nearest Texas Employment Commission office for assistance in filing for the following services: weekly trade readjustment allowance, job placement, employment counseling, vocational training, and financial assistance for job search and job relocation.

PUBLIC NOTICE
OF TRADE ADJUSTMENT
ASSISTANCE PETITION
CERTIFICATION

All workers of Exxon Company in Midland, Texas, who became totally or partially separated from employment due to a lack of work on or after December 4, 1990, are eligible under petition number 26,772 to apply for trade adjustment assistance. The petition was certified February 11, 1992 and will expire February 11, 1994. Workers should contact the nearest Texas Employment Commission office for assistance in filing for the following services: weekly trade readjustment allowance, job placement, employment counseling, vocational training, and financial assistance for job search and job relocation.

PUBLIC NOTICE
OF TRADE ADJUSTMENT
ASSISTANCE PETITION
CERTIFICATION

All workers of Kenner Products Divisions in Texas, who became totally or partially separated from employment due to a lack of work on or after December 1, 1990, are eligible under petition number 26,145A to apply for trade adjustment assistance. The petition was certified December 6, 1991 and will expire October 23, 1993. Workers should contact the nearest Texas Employment Commission office for assistance in filing for the following services: weekly trade readjustment allowance, job placement, employment counseling, vocational training, and financial assistance for job search and job relocation.

PUBLIC NOTICE
OF TRADE ADJUSTMENT
ASSISTANCE PETITION
CERTIFICATION

All workers of Halliburton Services in Big Spring, Texas, who became totally or partially separated from employment due to a lack of work on or after January 1, 1991 or before January 1, 1992, are eligible under petition number 26,646 to apply for trade adjustment assistance. The petition was certified January 31, 1992 and will expire January 1, 1994. Workers should contact the nearest Texas Employment Commission office for assistance in filing for the following services: weekly trade readjustment allowance, job placement, employment counseling, vocational training, and financial assistance for job search and job relocation.

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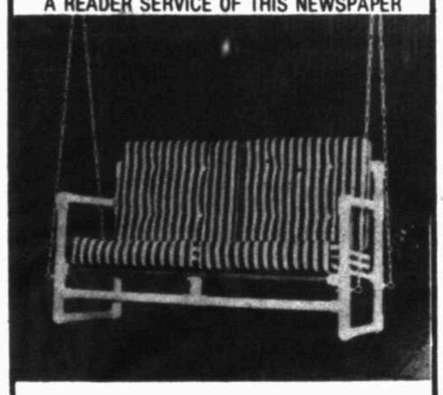

SWING YOUR CARES AWAY
One of life's simplest pleasures is to swing and sway in the summer breeze. If you don't have a porch or patio to hang the swing in, suspend it from a strong tree limb in the backyard. Built from waterproof PVC plastic pipe, it's easy to assemble and glue together. Our detailed step-by-step plan provides plenty of pictures and drawings. Suspended by chains, it will comfortably support two adults or three children.

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FEMALE PERSONAL ADS
The following ads have been placed by females looking to meet males

I am a 50-year-old financially secure elementary school teacher. I have blonde hair, greeneyes, and I enjoy a wide range of activities such as C&W dancing, theater, dinningin or out, camping, traveling, reading, bridge, art & crafts shows and flea markets. I am seeking a humorous gentleman who is over 45 years old. One who is energetic, fun-loving, outgoing, young at heart, financially secure, non-smoker, light drinker, non drug user. All replies will be answered.
MP - 443

Female Caucasian 40, seeking tall, financially stable gentleman, 40 to 50 who really appreciates what life's all about. I enjoy all outdoor fun, dancing and quiet times at home. Enjoy cooking for that special someone. I enjoy having a drink or two that's all. Please no drugs! Smokers Ok. Need someone friendly, out-going and lots of fun. If you're interested, please send phone number with as much info as you'd like to share. I promise to call. I'm totally a one-man woman. I want someone who is a one-woman man! Life's too short to spend alone!
MP - 438

30-something, attractive,neat, somewhat overweight, Caucasion mother of teenager looking for a 30-something, attractive, somewhat overweight Caucasion man who doesn't judge a lady by her measurements but by getting to know her. Must enjoy C&W dancing, movies, concerts, bowling, evening walks, children and be honest with a sense of humor. Please send photo if possible and how to contact.
MP - 437

I am a lonely lady of 36 years; an elementary school teacher. Please send me a little teacher day, and I shall send you one too. I have anice home and I live well, but yearn for a responsible faithful marriage with a distinguished older man. One little teacher day from such a man would make my dream world complete.
MP - 426

Attractive 25-year-old, blue-eyed, brunette; Caucasian mother of one. Would like someone who's fun-loving, honest, attractive, ambitious, and loves kids. I like boating, dancing, going to the lake and mountains; having fun, wild times as well as quiet times at home. If you think you'd be interested in meeting a sincere, fun lady and an energetic 5-year-old boy, please write and send picture if possible.
MP-424

28-year-old Caucasian female would like to meet Christian male between 30 and 40 who likes everything from camping to good conversation to nice evenings out and in. Being honest, dependable, mature, yet fun-loving is a MUST. Please send photo and phone number if you believe in God, family and true relationships.
MP - 416

32-year-old, Caucasian, female, single, no children, 5'3", 100 lbs, brown hair and eyes. I enjoy outdoors & cooking. I am looking for romance and companionship with a nice guy and will answer all replies.
MP - 415

I am 30-years-old and I have blonde hair and green eyes and like to go out to dinner or have candle light dinners at home with someone to be with all the time. I like to watch movies at home at night. I would like to meet someone 25 to 30 years-old.
MP - 414

ATTRACTIVE CAUCASION. Blue-eyed female in late 30's searching for, caucasion male ages 35-50, average in weight and stature. If you are looking for a friend as well as a lover. Someone that understands the true meaning of mutual trust and respect. A person who truly undrestands the meaning of committment, and understands that you treat someone the way you wish to be treated. Someone that is job, financial, and emotionally stable. Old fashion family values and wishes to spend 20 years to everafter with that one sprecial someone. If you are a spoiler and enjoy being spoiled, and tired of being used by non givers and takers. If you are sensitive and in tune to your partner's moods and needs and interested in keeping your friendship and romance alive. Then send phone# with your reply. All replies will be answered. Occassional drinker OK NO drug usher or heavy Alcohol drinkers need reply. MP 421

INCURABLE ROMANTIC who loves adventure, travel, champagne and sunsets. Looking for educated, attractive, financially secure, caucasian male between 25-35 who enjoys quiet evenings at home and dancing the right way. I am 26, 5'9, educated and attractive with waist length blond hair and green eyes. Never married, no children and hoping to meet the man of my dreams. Please send photo and phone number. MP-418.

Single, Caucasian female very young 50's - would like to meet man that likes C&W dancing, travel, sharing feelings, thoughts, common interests. Age or nationality doesn't matter.
MP-449

FEMALE PERSONAL ADS
The following ads have been placed by females looking to meet males

WANTED: One tall, medium built, 40 to 52 year old financially stable Caucasian, non-smoking, non-drinking male, who enjoys family events, outdoor sports, quiet evenings or any social setting and good music. Sought out by financially stable Caucasian brunette, looking for lasting, meaningful relationship. Please send photo, phone number. All replies answered. MP-406.

39-year-old Christian mom of one would like to meet honest, fun-loving Christian man, for companionship. I like the simple things of life. Fishing, cards, camping, movies and quiet times. Smoking ok, but no drinkers or drug users. Will answer all letters. We never know who God has chosen for us. Phone number please.
MP - 392

WOULD LIKE TO meeet a good man, late 50's or 60's. Like to fish, travel. I enjoy bowling and cooking. MP-453.

CAUCASIAN MALE, single, 6', 220 lbs. 42 years old. I like tor travel, bowling and movies. I enjoy C&W, rock music and being with the one I love! I would love to meet a woman who is not afraid of committment, and wants to build a relationship. I am a very sincere man - I can't wait to meet you. MP-452.

I'M LOOKING for companship. Friendship true lady Caucasian age to 40 loving, fun, DRUG FREE. Smoking, some drinking ok. I like to please and pamper. I like to cook-out in C/W music eating out movies. Camping, traveling, shopping and much more. I'm 48 Caucasian, brown hair, blue eyes, financially stable. Waiting for her. MP-451.

BLONDE- BLUE EYED female would like to meet man not afraid of a realationship - and knows how to show his feeling, 32 - 45. Are there any of those left? I'm 40 years old and been thru it all!!! I'm 5'5", tanned and athletic. Send photo and letter - Will answer all replies. MP-454.

ATTRACTIVE LONEY lady 57 Caucasian female 5'2" eyes of blue 125 lbs. Would like to meet a kind & sincere loney man in his late 50's to late 60's. Love to fish, camp out, cook & barbeque. I enjoy C & W music & good movies. All replies will be answered. MP-455.

PRETTY - Blue eyed brunette, 26 year Caucasian female, who's fun, honest, loving and ambitious. Loves rainy nights, cold sheets, outdoors movies, dancing and travel. Hopes to meet an attractive, dark haired, Caucasian male 25-39. Who knows who he is, what he wants, and the heart to go for it. One who's honest, adventurous, financially stable and loves kids. I have one. Send letter and photo! MP-457.

ATTRACTIVE, 26 year old, green eyed, blonde female, good sense of humor, caring and ambitious who likes the outdoors, cookouts, sports, music, quiet times at home and fun evenings out; would like to meet an attractive Caucasian male between 25-35. One who's financially and emotionally secure, outgoing, and not afraid to be themselves. Interested? Send letter and photo. MP-457.

I would like to meet a gentleman for companionship who likes to dance. Any age from 50 to 70. I'm 68-years-old and 5'8" and 130 lbs. I like C & W music and dancing; travel and camping; movies and rodeos. I don't want drinkers please.
MP - 461

No, I'm not an unhappy, lonely, desperate, Caucasion, retired Senior Citizen, widow. I'm quite the opposite. I'm a very happy retired Senior Citizen, widow I'm happy because I'm a Christian. I have a lot of friends and a lot of activities that I can participate in, so I'm not lonely. I just thought I could add a new dimension to my happiness if I could find a Caucasian Senior Citizen who is a Christian, well in body, mind & spirit; a special person who doesn't smoke, drink or do drugs. Also, someone who is clean in personal hygiene and a neat dresser. I'm 5'5", weigh 155 lbs. I like to laugh a lot. I like music, sports, eating out or in and watching old movies with a lot of popcorn. I'm financially secure, as I'd want you to be; own my home and have a good car. I like taking car trips. I don't fly a great deal. If you have the above qualifications and think you would like to meet someone like me, I promise I will respond to all letters. If such a person is available, I feel it would "definitely" add to my happiness.
MP - 420

WW II BRIDE would like to be recycled into the 90's. Like the Southwest, travel, good music, laughter and humor, reading, metaphysics, West Texas mornings and sun sets. I want to get to know you and enjoy the someone you are. Let's get back to the joy of life. MP-407.

IF YOU'RE A DIVORCED Caucasian male, 32 years, 6'2", dark hair, dark eyes, I'm looking for you. If you live in Midland, drive a white Supercab and have a boat, I'm looking for you. If the little man in the boat fascinates you. Please write. MP-408.

FEMALE PERSONAL ADS
The following ads have been placed by females looking to meet males

I am still looking for a tall, medium built, honest, fun-loving, family oriented Caucasian male in his late 30's to late 40's. Someone who enjoys a home and family who is not afraid to laugh and enjoy life -one who can communicate - who can treat a lady with love and be loved and pampered in return. Someone who is financially stable, drug-free and does not smoke or drink. If you enjoy outdoor sports, good movies, you're not afraid of exercise, enjoy good music and quiet, sensual times and would like a serious relationship, then this blue-eyed Caucasian, slender, fun-loving lady would love to hear from you. Send phone number and photo. All replies will be answered.
MP - 389

Attractive, fun-loving Caucasian lady would like to meet attractive "gentleman" 35 - 45 who takes pride in his appearance, likes to C&W dance, candlelight dinners and lots of romance and affection. This lady would like to be your friend, companion and possibly more. I am somewhat reserved but aggressive when it counts. Please send photo if possible and phone number. All replies answered.
MP - 444

MALE PERSONAL ADS
The following ads have been placed by males looking to meet females

Mature Hispanic male, professional, secure, six-figure income, six feet tall, 185 lbs, proportionally built, non-smoker, only occasional drinker. Baptist. Will entertain correspondence from marriage-minded, sincere, Hispanic or Caucasian females to age 35 who are single and would like to have a family and enjoy country living. Recent photo, address, and phone number a MUST. Your confidentiality is asured and I will answer all repsonses.
MP - 442

Romantic, fun-living, handsome 35-year-old single man. I am 5'9" 180 lbs and enjoy working out, tennis softball and reading a good book. I have no children, but enjoy coaching youth. If you are between 21 and 40 years-old and have similar interests and take care of your appearance, then take a chance and write me! I will respond to all inquiries. Let's have fun this summer! Write soon
MP - 439

SEEKING PRETTY, slender, photogenic, romantic young lady 21-37 who likes traveling, sailing, skiing, C.W. dancing, etc. Must be non-smoker, social drinker, and like to go out without fighting. I will not fight. I am highly athletic, well built, level headed professional who likes to get away for long weekends or longer and would like good company to share the good times as well as the bad. Send photographs, short letter, and number.
MP-422

Adventurous fun-loving Caucasian male tall, slender investor with several business interests. Looking for a slender, attractive, lady around 40 for lots of dining, dancing, and romancing. Let's do lunch and get acquainted.
MP - 423

Your sweet lips are red
Your bright eyes are blue
If you're looking for love
I'm the man for you
Young, athletic Caucasian male 5'10", 160 lbs, blonde hair, blue eyes. Enjoy writing poetry, reading, exercise music and storybook romance. Looking for attractive fit, funloving lady 18 to 38-years-old. Photo appreciated
MP-417

NICE LOOKING Caucasian male 6'2, 180 lbs, 36 years old, non-smoker enjoys C & W, aviation, movies & travel. Very understending & compasionate with lots of attention and affection for that someone special. Looking for a lady who looks good in jeans & ropers that also likes C & W. Send phone and photo will answer your replies. MP-419.

How do I meet you? I saw you Saturday, June 27, at approx. 8:30 A.M. you were walking with a friend and your small black dog in the area South of Lee High School. You are blonde, athletic, and absolutely gorgeous! Are you interested in meeting a personable, humorous, secure, intelligent, attractive 31 year old male. Forewarding fee gladly refunded. MP-405.

WANTED: A good woman who can clean and cook fish dig worms, sew, and who owns a good fishing boat and motor. If you like C&W Dancing, long, slow wet kisses that last three days; and would like to see Garth Brooks; please send a photo of you, photo of boat & motor, and phone number.
MP 402

Caucasian male, 78 years-young, blue eyes, grey hair, 5'10", 150 lb., still drive, good health, need someone to share my home and my goldenyears.
MP - 445

MALE PERSONAL ADS
The following ads have been placed by males looking to meet females

CAUCASIAN MALE Divorced, 6'2, 220 lbs, two year old daughter, looking for a lady that wants a family and plenty of love. Lady between 20-40 year of age with or without children. MP-242.

Big Spring, Caucasian, divorced, male. 48 - years-old, 5'7", 175 lbs., muscular build; brown hair and eyes, fair-looking, educated. Enjoy outdoors, fishing, arrowheads, movies, TV, cards, Las Vegas. I work most of the time. Would like to hear from good looking ladies 30 to 55 years-old for dates and maybe something more. Will answer all. Send phone and photo if possible. I don't drink or smoke or use drugs. MP-390.

Professional Caucasian Male seeks permanent relationship with energetic, sexy lady who can commit to ONE man! If you like weekend excursions to exciting places, hard rock music and sleeping late on Saturdays, you'll probably like me. All correspondence answered and kept confidential forever!
MP - 403

One of a kind 27 year-old with long blond hair and bedroom blue eyes, 6'1", 180lb. I'm looking for that special lady (any age) who loves movies, dancing, and romancing. I would like her to be tall, attractive, and full of excitement. Please send photo and number. All replies answered.
MP-448

NEEDED SWEET loving, Christian woman (25-36). If you are down to earth and easy going, please write. This 31 year old caucasion is 6'1½" and 220 lbs, fairly attractive. I enjoy raeding, music, sports, movies, and quiet times at home. I'm very shy and easy going, I don't play games. If you're into the bar scene and are materialistic don't reply. Please include telephone number. Will answer all replies. MP-447.

ALL GENTLEMEN aren't gone. This one is looking for an attractive gal between 25½ and 35 years old that has a good job and has her head on straight. I am 34 years. Reasonably attractive and have a good sense of humor. I like to be spontaneous and have fun. Light drinker okay. No drug useers, prefer no kid's but well mannered ones okay. Please include phone number and recent photo. MP-446

HANDSOME, 42, divorced Christian Caucasian male, 5'8", 185 lbs., brown hair, gray eyes, good

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On the right course

By Sonja Merrick

The emerald-like expanse of a verdant golf course is the setting for this delightful home. Its exterior is perfection — ivy climbs the brick walls, a wrought-iron gate opens to an exquisite entry courtyard. Its brick walkway is flanked by flower beds and a profusion of well-tended greenery.

Beveled-glass doors open to a pristine white tile walkway that leads both to the left and right. White-painted brick columns rise from both sides of the entry and frame the expansive formal and living and dining areas.

Step down onto plush ecru carpeting. Straight ahead are ceiling-high windows and doors that present a breath-taking view of the golf course. Formal vaulted ceilings add even more light and height.

To the right lies the formal dining area. A door opens to a fully equipped wet bar. On the the left is the formal living area, graced by a white-pained brick fireplace flanked by built-ins.

A walk through the living are, a step up, then a right turn lead to a sunny kitchen and breakfast area. The kitchen is graced by a considerable number of oak cabinets, a center island, a desk, a wrap-around counter that creates a bar area, tile splashbacks and a center island. Counter tops are sparkling white with a delightful blue trim.

The breakfast area is completely glassed in by a large bay window. One French door opens to the covered courtyard, another to the golf course. Both kitchen and breakfast areas are papered in a delightful, delicate blue floral print, with coordinated borders.

A left turn and a step up from the formal living room leads to a gracious sequestered master bedroom. It boasts huge windows, a fabulous view of the golf course, pan ceiling and built-ins.

A short hall leads to the master bath and is flanked by "his-and-hers" walk-in closets. The bath itself is huge, with lots of mirrors, double vanities and a separate oversize shower.

Back to the entry.

A right turn leads to another sequestered bedroom with its own full bath. A left from the entry leads to two sizeable bedrooms connected by another full bath.

The two-car garage — complete with golf-cart parking — is immaculate.

Other amenities include custom window treatments throughout, established landscaping, RO system and water softener.

The home is being offered by Don Harvey Realtors for $152,500.

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Some things to think about if considering a real estate career

As the economy revives, many people are exploring new career options. Some will consider the advantages of selling real estate and many people will no doubt rush to obtain real estate licenses without giving serious thought to the special qualities required for a successful career in this field.

As in other professions, not everyone is cut out to be a real estate agent. Pat Paxton, president of the Midland Association of Realtors, cautions that people considering a real estate career should ponder their motivation and personal qualifications before making this important decision. Ask yourself exactly why a real estate career appeals to you. Do any of the following reasons sound familiar?

■ I can make lots of money without working too hard.

■ I can be my own boss, working a few hours a day and spending the rest of the time at home.

■ It's easy to get a real estate license. It takes little education and training compared with other fields and besides, it is inexpensive.

■ I'm so bored at home. This will get me out of the house for a while. Besides, I enjoy looking at other people's homes.

■ We will be selling our home in a year or two, and I can save the commission by listing and selling it myself.

If these are familiar statements, perhaps a second look at real estate as a career is in order. As a profession, real estate is both demanding and difficult. Financial realities also must be faced before a commitment is made, or serious consequences could result.

Answer the following questions as honestly as you can:

■ Are you able to live on your financial assets for three months or even longer, or are you dependent on a monthly paycheck to make ends meet?

■ Are you sufficiently disciplined to refrain from spending a large commission check on the premise that you might not see another for several months?

■ What happens when your closing falls through and the check you've counted on doesn't materialize?

Also consider the following:

■ Are you prepared to dash out of the house at 10:30 on a Sunday night to present a contract?

■ Will you forego a long-awaited evening out or an important social event to obtain that sale or listing you have pursued for so long?

■ Will you burst into tears when the door is slammed in your face as you announce that you are the neighborhood real estate professional, "Just stopping by to get acquainted?"

If the answer to these questions present you with problems, perhaps you should reconsider a real estate career. Real estate is an excellent profession, one of the best. But like others, it is not for everyone and it is most especially not for the weak-willed or the lazy. It is not for the quitter, the loser, or the whiner. It is definitely not for the person with low self-esteem and a need for security and constant reassurance.

Who, then, is a good candidate for this demanding field? The person who is independent, well organized, hard-working and financially secure. The individual who is willing to work long hours and enjoys making contacts with the public, even a hostile public, viewing rejection as a challenge rather than as a personal affront. The person who is willing to invest his or her time and money in education to improve knowledge and skills in the continuing quest to become more professional. The person who does not depend on such corporate benefits as paid vacations and holidays, medical and dental insurance, sick days and company paid social security and unemployment benefits.

If this description fits you, then by all means pursue a real estate career. Interview real estate agents and listen closely to what they have to say. Take a seminar on real estate at a local college. And then, if you are still so inclined, study for your real estate license with the full knowledge that you are one who will succeed in this challenging field.

Remember, a career in real estate is not a hobby or a pastime for the faint of heart. "The real estate professional devotes the same hours and personal efforts to his or her calling as does the doctor, nurse, attorney, accountant, writer or any other of a thousand dedicated specialties. To do any less would be a disservice to both yourself and the industry," Ms. Paxton said.

Paxton

Pat Paxton is president of the Midland Board of Realtors, one of more than 1,800 local boards and associations of Realtors nationwide that comprise the National Association of Realtors (NAR). As the nation's largest trade association, NAR is "The Voice of Real Estate," representing nearly 750,000 members involved in all aspects of the real estate industry.

Langston "Top Tens" (from left) Fran Henderson, Laura Manulik and Sandra McGill tour the Petroleum Museum after the real estate company's "Breakfast of Champions."

During Langston's breakfast, winners chatted with Petroleum Museum director Ed Rowland (far left). They are "referral" champ Penny Willhite and listing top-tenner Jim Hoisager.

Langston honors "champs" at breakfast

Top listing, selling, referrals and commercial agents gathered at the Petroleum Museum Wednesday morning to be honored by Langston Realtors at the company's **Breakfast of Champions**.

Ed Rowland, Director of the Museum, gave a tour to the participants following the recognition breakfast.

Joanne Langston, Broker and President, thanked the agents for their support, commitment and professionalism and commended them for their roles in the company's growth and successes of the past six months."It is fitting to recognize our champions in a setting dedicated to the champions of the oil industry, a profession that contributes so much to this community and to our own success," Ms. Langston said.

Ms. Langston also told the agents that while "You are recognized as champions there is a large team of associates, staff and fellow Realtors who are also champions and who **assist and support** you every day, making numerous contributions to your individual successes; to them we all owe thanks."

Recognized among the Top Ten in Listings as well as Top Ten in Sales for January through June were **Sandy Hanson, Patti Wallace, Roberta Aldridge, Jim Hoisager, Pat Paxton and Karen Mason.**

Melissa Herndon, Laura Manulik, Nona Orr and **Jana Tucker** were commended for being among the Top Ten in Listings.

Fran Henderson, Sandra McGill, Nonnie Buller and **Sarah Collins** were honored for being among the Top Ten in Sales.

Karen Mason was recognized for Top Referrals and **Penny Willhite** was named Top in Commercial Sales.

Others attending the Breakfast of Champions were **Pat Orseth**, Sales and Education, V.P.; **Richard Langston**, Relocation, V.P., and **Joel Oldham**, V.P. Corporate Services.

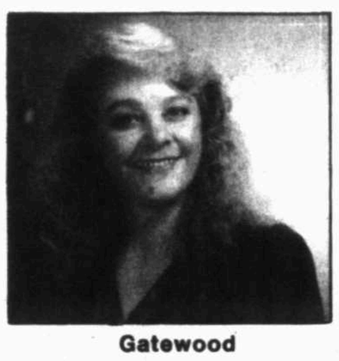
Gatewood completes ERA sales program

Scherry Gatewood, a sales associate for ERA John Muldrow, Realtors in Midland, has successfully completed the "ERA Sales System." It is an in-depth training program designed to help Electronic Realty Associates, Inc. (ERA) sales associates enhance their selling skills and other professional abilities.

"A home is typically the largest investment made by a family or individuals," Ms. Gatewood said. "That's why buyers and sellers need help from a real estate professional who is knowledgeable and informed on all aspects of real estate."

"The ERA Sales System is a key part of the 'ERA, 1st IN SERVICE COMMITMENT'," she said. "It means I receive the tools and training I need to be effective in serving the real estate needs of my customers and clients."

According to John Muldrow, member broker for ERA John Muldrow, Realtors, Ms. Gatewood has also been trained to help consumers benefit from a variety of ERA Real Estate products and services, including:



Gatewood

■ **ERA Home Warranty Plans** that protect against unexpected mechanical repair expenses. "These plans also offer another tremendous advantage to sellers," Ms. Gatewood said. "Our research shows that home warranties help sell homes an average of 38 percent faster."

■ **ERA Seller Security Plan** is a unique guaranteed sale and equity advance program.

■ **ERA Electronic Integrated System** is a central computer-managed network connecting all ERA member offices to a National Multiple Listing Service that allows sales associates to search photo listings by city, price and other features. It allows customers to view color pictures of those listings in the member broker's office.

ERA John Muldrow, Realtors was founded in 1991.

Presenting a primer on the language of real estate transactions

At some time you will either be selling or buying a house and may encounter terms that you are not familiar with. This glossary of terms should help you understand real estate transactions by learning the language of real estate.

■ **Adjustable rate mortgage** — A term for all loans with rates and terms that can change. These loans are adjusted according to current market conditions.

■ **Amortization** — The gradual repayment or retiring of a debt by means of systematic payments of principal and/or interest over a set period so that at the end of the period there is a zero balance.

■ **Annual percentage rate (APR)** — The annual cost of credit over the life of a loan, including interest, service charges, points, loan fees, mortgage insurance and other items.

■ **Appraisal** — An evaluation to determine what a piece of property would sell for in the current market condition.

■ **Assessed Valuation** — The value of real property established for the purpose of computing real property taxes. In general, property is valued or assessed for tax purposes by county and township assessors. The land is usually appraised separately from the building.

■ **Assumption** — The act of acquiring title to property that has an existing mortgage and agreeing to be personally liable for terms and conditions of the mortgage, including payments.

■ **Balloon** — A loan that has installment payments with the remaining balance due in large lump sum payment at the end.

■ **Binder** — An agreement formed by the receipt of an earnest money deposit for the purchase of real property to ensure the purchaser will complete the transaction.

■ **Closing** — The consummation of a real estate transaction when the seller delivers title to the buyer in exchange for payment of the purchase price by the buyer.

■ **Closing Costs** — Charge paid at closing for obtaining a mortgage loan and transferring the real estate title.

■ **Conventional Loan** — A loan made with real estate as a security and not involving government participation in the form of insuring (FHA) or guaranteeing (VA) the loan.

■ **Credit Report** — A report ordered by a lender from a credit bureau to determine if the borrower is a good credit risk.

■ **Deed Restrictions** — The standards that define how a property may be used and the protections the developer makes for the benefit of all owners in a subdivision.

■ **Down Payment** — The difference between the sale price and the mortgage amount. A down payment is usually paid at closing.

■ **Earnest Money** — The cash deposit paid by the respective buyer as evidence of a good-faith intention to complete the transaction.

■ **Equity** — The difference between the value of a home and the amount that is owed on it.

■ **FHA** — Federal Housing Administration.

■ **Inspection** — A review and check of the property to ensure that all appliances, plumbing, electrical and structural fixtures are in compliance with regulation standards.

■ **Interest** — The cost paid to a lender for borrowed money.

■ **Mortgage Broker** — A broker who represents numerous lenders and helps consumers find affordable mortgages. The broker charges a fee only if the consumer finds a loan.

■ **Mortgage Company** — A company that borrows money from a bank, lends it to consumers to buy homes, then sells the loan to investors.

■ **Mortgage Loan** — A contract in which the borrower's property is pledged as collateral. It is repaid in installments. The mortgagor (buyer) promises to repay principal and interest, (PI) keep the home insured, pay all taxes and keep the property in good condition.

■ **Mortgage Origination Fee** — A charge for the work involved in preparing and servicing a mortgage application (usually 1 percent of the loan amount).

■ **PITI** — Principal, interest, taxes and insurance (the four major components of housing payments).

■ **Points** — A generic term for a percentage of the principal convention loan amount; a rate adjustment factor. A lender often charges a borrower some service charge points for making the loan. Each point is equal to one percent of the loan amount.

■ **Principal** — The capital sum, the amount borrowed excluding interest and other charges.

■ **Property Survey** — The process by which boundaries are measured and land areas are determined.

■ **Property Tax** — Tax levied by the government on real estate property. This includes the city, town, village and county. Other taxes are school districts, water districts, etc.

■ **Sales Contract** — A contract between a buyer and seller that should explain, in detail, exactly what the purchase includes.

■ **Title** — Evidence (usually in the form of certificate or deed) of a person's legal right to ownership of property.

■ **Veteran's Administration (VA)** — A federal agency that insures mortgage loans with very liberal down payment requirements for honorably discharged veterans and their spouses.

■ **Warranty** — A promise that certain stated facts are true. A guaranty by the seller, covering the title as well as the physical condition of the property.

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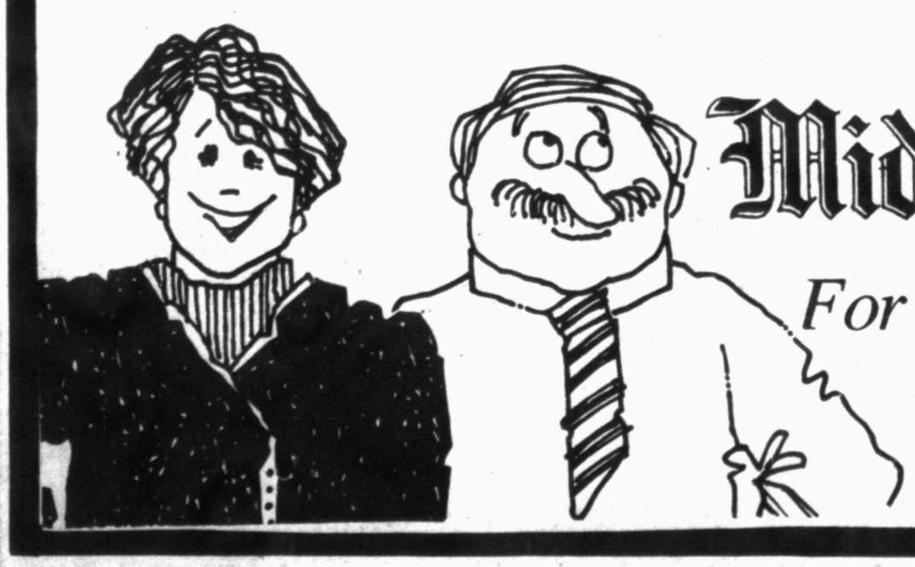

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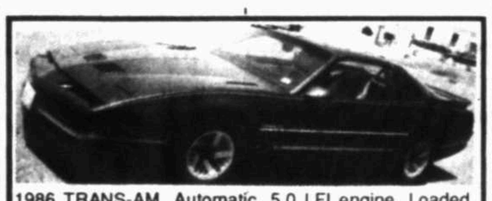

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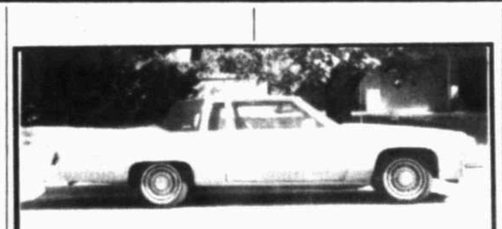

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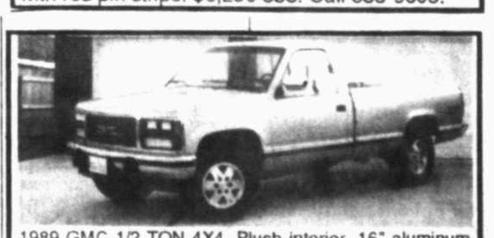

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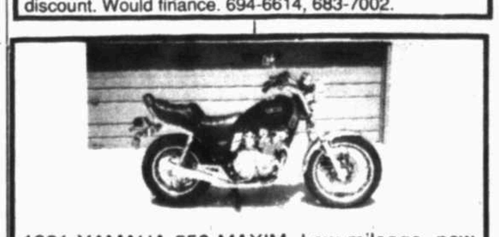

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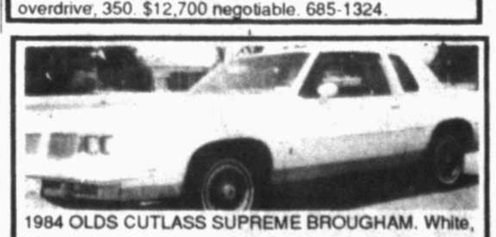

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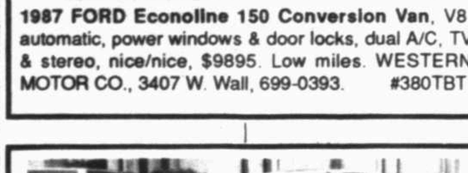

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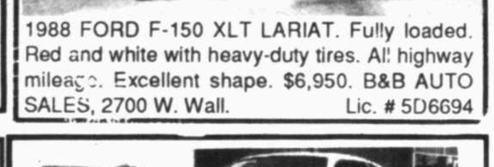

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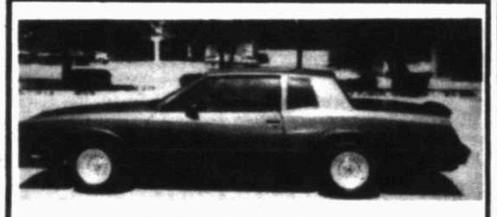

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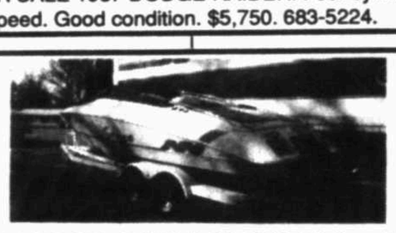

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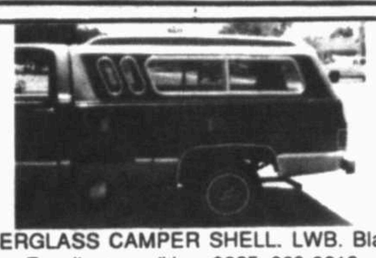

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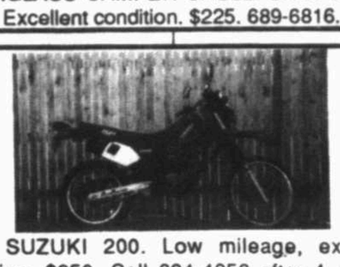

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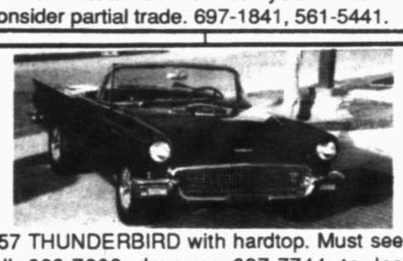

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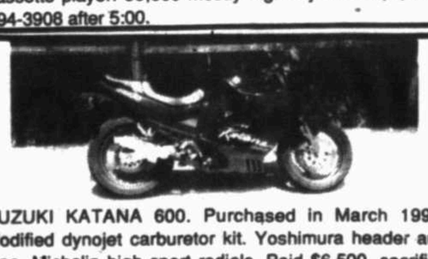

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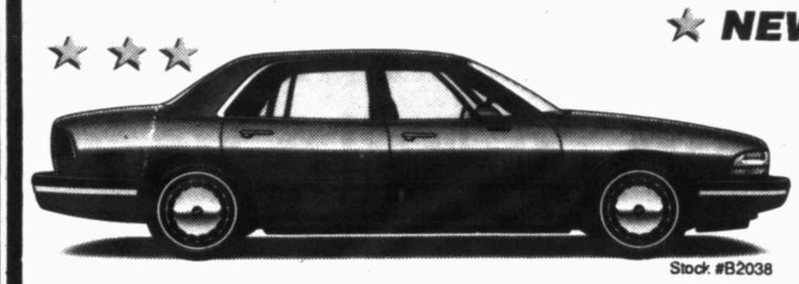

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HS grads 17-26. Train w/ pay for electronics positions. Operate detection equip, locate & evaluate electromagnetic signal sources. Regular raises, advance opts, 30 days paid vacation + other benefits & training. Extensive travel req'd. 1-800-354-9627, M-F, 9A-4P.

PRIME LOCATION for stylist and manicurist, $125 lease and or escalating commission stations. Please apply J. IMAGE Hair Salon (Near Mervyn's) or call 697-4422.

CASHIER'S. Fuddruckers restaurant is now hiring for full and part time counter persons. Must have cashier experience. Apply in person between 2 - 5. Fuddruckers, Midland Park Mall.

DRIVERS

Team drivers needed to run to the midwest. Excellent pay, miles and benefits. 1-800-331-3725. Danny Herman Trucking. Oil field experience accepted.

FOSTER PARENTS needed for 24 hour care facility. Send letter of interest or resume including list of references and work history to BOX I-15 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702, by August 8, 1992. Equal Opportunity Employer.

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Needed to demonstrate Christmas Around the World party merchandise. Work own hours. Free kit. No collecting; no delivery. Also booking parties.

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310 General Help Wanted

You're Invited...

great food
great music
lots of people
old Mexico atmosphere

to work at Abuelo's!

Abuelo's is a fun place—for the customers and the staff. Training, opportunities for advancement, meal discounts and a regular paycheck are just a few of the many offerings at Abuelo's.

Now hiring full and part-time:
Cooks
Food service wait staff
Bartenders
Cocktail waitresses and waiters
Dishwashers
Bussers
Hosts and hostesses

Interviews:
9 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Now until positions filled
Abuelo's Mexican Restaurante and Cantina
Colonnade Shopping Center
Garfield and Loop 250 (next to Chili's)

¡Come join the fun!

Abuelo's

Apply in person.

AIR-CONDITIONING/ Pool certified maintenance person needed. Must have own tools. Apply in person only, Lexington Hotel Suites, 1003 S. Midkiff.

TELEMARKETERS NEEDED-Seeking qualified professional Telemarketers for high energy sales firm. Contact Danny 570-7002 or apply at 2101 W. Wall Suite 10 Monday thur Friday 10 am - 3 pm.

DOMINOS PIZZA. Now hiring delivery drivers. Must be over 18 with drivers license and insurance. Starting wage $4.25 per hour. Tips and mileage paid daily. Call 687-4701 or 699-7778

NEED PERSONS 18 years and older to deliver S.W. Bell telephone directories. Must have reliable car or truck, proof of insurance. Call 686-0686 or apply at American Legion Hall at 501 Airpark, Midland, August 3rd after 8 AM.

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Prefer, cable, telephone or electronic background. Part time hours Monday - Friday. Must have dependable transportation.

Call 699-1914

WESTERN SPECIALTY Company. Experienced foreman with CDL duties. Call 684-8488, 2601 East I-20. Salary DOE.

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CURRY'S IN NEED of persons experienced in all phases of retail experience. Apply in person at Curry's, 3112 Cuthbert.

ATTENTION STUDENTS! $9.25 to start. Retail chain has full time/ part time, temporary/ permanent openings. 520-9675.

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ALLDREDGE GARDENS

is accepting applications for full time and part time cashier and sales help. Flexible hours.

Come by
3300 Fairgrounds Road
(at Wadley)
9 am to 5 pm.
Monday- Friday.

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TECHNICIAN - Service company seeks component level technician for repair of micro-computer boards. Requires 2 to 3 years experience. Must be proficient in reading and drawing schematics. Programing experience helpful. Send resume and salary history to: Basin Technical Services, 1012 S. Goode, Midland, 79701.

Out Of Work? Need Help?

The Midland Reporter-Telegram has teamed up with the Midland Texas Employment Commission to help you find a job.

HERE'S WHAT YOU NEED TO DO:

Read, fill out and follow the instructions on the form below. Take to the Midland Texas Employment Commission office at 501 N. Lorraine. Your JOB WANTED AD will appear in a Sunday edition of the Midland Reporter-Telegram in August.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN;

In the interest of helping you find a job, the Midland and Odessa TEC offices in cooperation with the Midland Reporter-Telegram and Odessa American are offering for a limited time a free job wanted ad to appear on a Sunday in August.

If you wish to place an ad, you must be registered with the TEC, who will then arrange to have the ad appear in the newspapers on a space available basis.

The ads are limited to three lines and a telephone number need not be included since all inquiries will be directed through the TEC. If you have any questions regarding how to compose the ad or about your ad, please contact your TEC representative. Midland-501 N. Lorraine; Odessa-315 E. 5th Street.

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Please print your ad, to appear in the Midland Reporter-Telegram, in the boxes below. Print one (1) word in each box, thanks!! Please limit your ad to 11 words. **DO NOT MAIL OR BRING THIS FORM TO THE MIDLAND REPORTER-TELEGRAM.**

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PHONE #_____ **SOCIAL SECURITY#**_____

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If you're looking for a hot management position in a stable environment, come to Grandy's where home-style cooking and fast food service are the standard. For over 18 years, Grandy's has provided convenience, exceptional service and superior food and for the third time in four years, Grandy's was chosen by customers as America's favorite chicken chain.

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Positions available in Midland, Odessa and Hobbs.

Grandy's

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Social Service office in Midland has a part time opening (10 hours/ week) for ERS Program Aide to assist the Program Coordinator with the installation of units and trouble shooting. Driving required. Must possess valid Texas Drivers Liscense and have excellent driving record. Desire to work with the elderly. Send resume and salary requirements. C.A. 2705 A. West Michigan, Midland, Texas, 79701. E.O.E. M/F/H/V.

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REPLYING TO A BLIND BOX NUMBER?

Address your reply to the Blind Box Number: (The Specific number in the ad you are replying to - for example A-3)
c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, Texas 79702

The Midland Reporter-Telegram cannot disclose the identity of an advertiser using one of our box numbers to anyone for any reason. This information is confidential. However,readers who are interested in positions offered, but who desire to avoid sending a resume to certain companies can do so. Address your reply to the specific box number in the ad and place it in another envelope along with a note listing the companies you do not want your reply to reach. If the advertiser is anyone on your list, we will destroy your reply.

Be sure to use the specific Box number listed at the end of the ad. Without this number, it is impossible to forward replies. Call 682-6222 if you have questions about the procedure.

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PART TIME ENTRY LEVEL DATA ENTRY POSITION

for the following shifts, 8 a.m. - 2 p.m., 2 p.m. - 8 p.m. Previous keyboard and/ or data entry experience preferred.

Call 699-1914
9 a.m. - 11 a.m. only,
Monday - Friday.

WAREHOUSE PERSON

Hours: Monday - Friday, 7 a.m. - 3 p.m. Responsibilities include shipping, receiving, inventory reconciliation and general warehouse maintenance. Good driving record and some lifting required.

Call 699-1914

WE ARE NOW Accepting Applications for Servers for all shifts. No experience required. But friendly personality is a MUST! Apply in person after 3 p.m. at Texas Grill, 4132 W. Wall.

EL CHICO
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Please apply between
2 and 4 pm Mon - Sat.
#45 Plaza Center
Corner of Garfield and Wadley
EOE

NOW HIRING full and part time- all restaurant positions. Training, opportunity for advancement, meal discounts. Apply in person at Abuelo's Mexican Restaurant & Cantina, 9 am to 6 pm. July 29 until positions filled. Colonnade Shopping Center, Garfield and Loop 250 (next to Chili's).

EXPERIENCED RESIDENTIAL plumber, new construction, Ft. Worth area. 817-831-8400.

NATIONAL TRUCK STOP

Cashiers, full time all shifts available. Are you willing to work? Energetic? Motivated? Our only requirement is a preplacement drug test and physical. We provide in-house training!

Apply at 2400 W. Loop 250

DELIVERY

Seeking contractors for local delivery and installation in customer homes in this area on an as- needed basis. Will deliver audio, hi- fi, appliances, and TV's (including big screen projection TV's). Must have own truck with liability insurance and carry general liability insurance. Call (915) 520-0092 to arrange a personal interview, Monday - Friday, 9:00 a.m.- 12:00 p.m. Ask to speak to our Store Manager, Jerry Shamrock.

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* All Shifts Available *

8:30 am - 11:30 am, 1 pm - 4 pm, 5:45 - 8:45 pm

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DAY SHIFT STUDIO OPERATOR
Hours: 7 a.m to 3 p.m.

EVENING SHIFT STUDIO OPERATOR
Hours: 3 p.m. - 11 p.m.

Background in electronics and/or computer systems preferred.

Please apply at:
IRI Inc.,
2528 South Midkiff,
9 am - 6 pm, Monday - Friday

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Needed for the Permian Basin's
NEWEST and MOST EXCITING
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Hourly pay
PLUS
Excellent
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Now taking applications for:

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We need special people to work:

Receptionist Desk
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Primary Medical Clinic **3400 Andrews Hwy. Midland 697-0291**

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Cashiers, full time all shifts available. Are you willing to work? Energetic? Motivated? Our only requirement is a preplacement drug test and physical. We provide in-house training!

Apply at 1800 N. Big Spring

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Seek safe, dependable tractor tank- trailer driver w/ oilfield experience to work out of Garden City for major oil company. Earn $400 + per week. Guaranteed long term job w/ excellent hospitalization and benefits. Paid vacation & holidays.

- Must be 25 yrs old, have CDL w/ Haz- Mat endprsement
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Contact: RICKY KINSEY/ PRO SOURCE

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TERRACE WEST now taking applications for weekend RN - PRN. Apply at 2800 N. Midland Drive.

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CMSI pays up to $52,000. FT Hosp staff. Free Housing. One Yr. exp.

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NEEDED CNA preferred, all shifts. Apply in person at 2800 N. Midland Drive.

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DENTAL ASSISTANT

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The Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, Texas 79702

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Assistant Administrator

Needed immediately at River Oaks Nursing Care center. Must be licensed by State of Texas or be interning for license. Apply at River Oaks Nursing Care Center, Attn: Sarah Rice, 1915 Greenwood, San Angelo Tx. 76901, 915-942-0677.

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Mabee Health Care Center

LVN positions open for 2 - 10 pm and 10 pm- 6 am shifts. Excellent benefits.

Apply to B.J. Norton, director of nursing. 2208 N. Loop 250 West, Midland. 689-0707.

PART - TIME EXPERIENCED Insurance Clerk. Computer knowledge helpful. Call 682-2527 for appointment.

DENTAL ASSISTANT needed for busy dental office. Experienced desired but will train the right person. Call 683-8515 between 2 and 5 pm weekdays.

DOCTOR'S OFFICE needs part time experienced computer insurance clerk. Send replies to BOX A-5 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

DENTAL RECEPTIONIST - Now accepting resumes for full time position. We need a team member who wants involvement in helping clients achieve dental health. Requirements include good telephone skills and outgoing personality and the desire to learn and help others. Send resumes to: BOX A-03 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

RN POSITION available, 12 hours shifts days and nights, competitive salary, benefits, shift differential. Contact Director Of Nurses. Martin County Hospital Stanton, Texas. (915) 756-3345.

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Skilled Nursing Facility – All shifts.
Medical/Surgical (5 Central, 6 Central, 6 West) – Full-time.
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(6 Central) – Full-time, evenings.
7 Central Postpartum, Med./Surg. – Full-time.
Neonatal ICU – Full-time.
DSU – Full-time.
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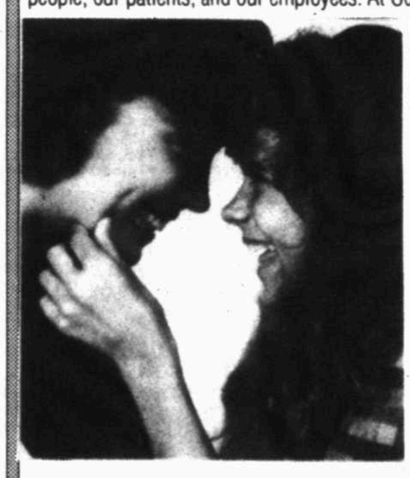

Currently, we have these positions open.

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Odessa Women's and Children's Hospital
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- **P.T. - PER VISIT**
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ARE YOU:
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We are looking for someone to be part of our high quality, periodontally progressive practice.
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Call (915) 668-7066 or (915) 823-3338

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Full-Time & Part-Time

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(915) 686-3837
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Physicians & Surgeons Hospital

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We are prepared to offer a competitive salary and a generous benefits package to the successful candidate. For confidential consideration, please submit detailed resume and salary history to:

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Midland, Texas 79701
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312 Professional Help Wanted

GAS COMPRESSION MANAGER

A leading producer of Natural Gas has an immediate opening for an experienced Gas Compression Manager to direct a large Gas Compression group at its South Texas facilities.

To qualify requires extensive experience in compressor maintenance, preventative maintenance, pipeline construction, compressor station construction and gas transmission knowledge. Must possess strong organizational and communication skills, as well as a strong work ethic. This is a hands-on position requiring a high degree of energy and motivation. Previous experience as a District Supervisor or Gas Compression Manager with a producer or pipeline company is preferred. Recent experience in a "small town" environment is a plus.

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PRN FLOAT POOL

Registered, Licensed Nurses

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Additional Pay Benefits
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Midland, Texas 79702

CERTIFIED NURSE ASSISTANT/ DRIVER

Adult day care center in Midland has an immediate part time opening for a certified Nurse Assistant/ driver to provide transportation for clients and assist and in all areas of client services and care. Must possess a valid Texas Drivers License and have a excellent driving record. Must be on the State Of Texas Nurse Aide registry. Ability to work Geriatrics. Send work history and salary requirement to: Jean Reeves, LSST INC., 2510 W. Ohio, Midland, Texas, 79701. EOE M/F/H/V.

312 Professional Help Wanted

CITY MANAGER

The City of Midland is currently accepting applications for the position of CITY MANAGER. Applications may be obtained at the City's Director of Administrative Services Office, 300 North Loraine, City Hall, Room 410, Midland, Texas.
The City of Midland is a Council/ Manager form of government. The City Manager will report to a seven member City Council consisting of the Mayor, two (2) Council members elected at-large and four (4) Council members elected by Districts. The City Manager will be responsible for the daily operation and administration of the municipal organization. The successful candidate must have a Bachelor's degree in Business Administration, Public Administration or another field closely related to city management. A Master's degree is preferred. A minimum of five (5) years of progressively responsible management experience is required. Service as a City Manager or Assistant City Manager in a comparable or larger city is preferred. Salary is negotiable dependent upon qualifications.
The successful candidate will possess strong leadership qualities and a philosophy of delivering public services in a responsive and cost effective manner. Interested applicants should forward a resume and completed City application to David Hunter, Director of Administrative Services, P.O. Box 1152, Midland, Texas, 79702. The deadline for receiving resumes and applications is August 21,1992.
The City of Midland is an equal opportunity employer and shall not discriminate against an applicant because of age, sex, marital status, national origin, religion, race or disability. Drug screening through urinalysis is mandatory for employment with the City of Midland. A negative result is a prerequisite for being considered for employment.

PSYCHOLOGIST

Lubbock Regional Mental Health Mental Retardation Center, offering progressive community-based services to person with mental retardation, has an immediate position available for a full-time psychologist. Requires a Master's degree in psychology from an accredited program, with Texas state certification as a Psychologist Associate. Prefer at least one year experience or specialized training in the field of mental retardation/community services, with an emphasis on developmental psychology, learning theory and application, developmental disabilities or dual diagnosis. Excellent benefits package, including insurance and retirement. Offering $31,440/ annually. Contact: Personnel Office, 1210 Texas Ave., Lubbock, Texas 79401 (806)766-0212, EOE.

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ACCOUNTANT

POSITION: Accountant

SALARY: Commensurate with general qualifications and experience.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE: Submit resume, letter of interest, and two letters of reference to:

X-Pert Enterprises, Inc.
6 Desta Dr., Suite 3333
Midland, Texas 79705

REQUIREMENTS: BBA or BS degree in accounting. Responsible for preparing financial statements and tax reporting for two corporations. Computer skills required (IBM AS-400 and IBM PC). Supervisory ability and excellent "People Skills".

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05/92 Position
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* BS-ENGINEERING
* 7-10 YEARS OIL & GAS PRODUCTION EXPERIENCE
* 2-3 YEARS CO_2 PRODUCTION & FACILITIES DESIGN
* STRONG PC SKILLS IN WP, LOTUS, PARADOX, PROJECT 3.0 SCHEDULER

PROJECT MANAGEMENT INCLUDING DESIGN, SPEC, BID AND SUPERVISING CONSTRUCTION OF MAJOR OIL & GAS PROJECTS; TANK BATTERIES, CO_2 DISTRIBUTION, WATERFLOODS & GAS GATHERING.

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MAIL INFORMATION TO: **HUMAN RESOURCES ADVISOR**
P.O. BOX 50250
MIDLAND, TX. 79710

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Permian Basin Positions

1) CO_2 Plant Manager
Natural Gas Plant. Need Process and Operation background. Degreed only. Salary to $100K. Fee Paid.

2) Safety Director
Degreed only. CSP exp. a plus. Refinery exp. a plus. (Sour Crude Oil Refinery.) Salary to $60K. Fee Paid.

V.I.P. Permanent Division
(915) 686-9717
(F) (915) 682-5821

WANTED CARPENTERS
Subcontractors

Jim Walter homes has work available for contract with framing subcontractors in all parts of Texas. Plenty of work. Subcontractor must have adequate crew. Tools and transportation. Contact Michael Spitzbergen at 1-800-766-1167.

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Subcontractors

Jim Walter homes has work available for contract with foundation subcontractors in all parts of Texas. Plenty of work. Subcontractor must have adequate crew. Tools and transportation. Contact Michael Spitzbergen at 1-800-766-1167

ARCHITECTURAL DRAFTSMAN. Ability to read blueprints. Minimum 2 years experience. Must pass drug screen. 697-0030.

AGGRESSIVE INDEPENDANT Oil Company seeks secretary/ production clerk. High profile and responsibility. Word Processing proficiency a must. Familiarity with Federal/ State reporting, self starter with high motivation and work ethic required. Send replies to BOX K-10 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN- Challenging full and part time positions available in the El Paso area requiring 1-5 years experience in testing soils, concrete and asphalt. ACI and nuclear densometer certifications required, NBICET preferred. Send resume to Sergent Hauskins and Beckwith, 1617 E. Missouri, El Paso, TX, 79902. AA/EOE.

ACCOUNTANTS

Growing CPA firm seeks highly motivated audit senior & supervisor. Must have 2 - 6 yrs. recent CPA firm exper. Moderate travel required. Excellent opportunity for advancement & compensation package. Mail resume to
Erickson Allen, CPAs
P.O. Box 35237
Albuquerque, NM 87176-5237

EXPERIENCED X-RAY Technician needed for Orthopedic's office. Must be able to assist patients in/ out of wheel chair etc. Send resume and salary requirements to: BOX K-12 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

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ACCOUNTANT

Quality oriented CPA firm in Carlsbad, NM, is seeking a Staff Accountant with 3 - 5 years experience in auditing, tax and management advisory services. Salary commensurate with experience. We offer a congenial and creative office atmosphere, competitive salary, cafeteria and profit sharing plans, generous vacation and personal leave and we pay for all continuing professional education and professional dues. Send resume and salary requirements to:
Manganaro, Roberts & Crouch P.C.
P.O. Box 1537
Carlsbad, NM 88221

GEOLOGICAL TECH

Large independent oil and gas company has opening for Geological Tech in its Midland office. Person hired will support geologists and geophysicists by preparing data and constructing graphical displays such as maps, cross-sections and log displays. Will assist geologists and petrophysicist with preparation and analysis of log curve data using available computer software. Position requires above average knowledge of petroleum industry. Must have strong computer skills. Prefer someone with DOS and Unix background. Familiarity with Vortext, Zycor, Landmark, Geolog, Geographix, Geotrace or Mira would be a plus.
For immediate consideration for this position, please submit your resume to:

BOX K-13
c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, Texas 79702

We are a south Texas manufacturer of Capital Equipment for the construction industry. Our Company is in the process of evolving into a world-class marketer. If you are a creative and strategic thinker and possess the following qualifications, we encourage you to apply for these career opportunities.

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REQUIREMENTS:

- BBA-ACCOUNTANT
- 3 - 5 Years Manufacturing Cost
- M.R.P.
- Shop Floor Experience
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DUTIES:

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- Inventory Cost and Reporting
- Variance reporting & analysis
- A.B.C. Implementation
- Cycle Count Recording
- Life Cycle Analysis

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You will personally manage and administer the mainframe system, along with LAN and interplant communication system. This position requires a hands-on individual committed to providing high service levels to user departments and the management team. Your background will include.

- MRP system implementation
- 3 - 5 years hands-on MIS management
- Excellent project management skills
- Systems integration experience
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P.O. Box 1650
Midland, Texas 79702

316 Clerical Help Wanted

PART TIME GENERAL OFFICE, phones, filing, light typing, C. G. and Company personal professionals 1-362-7681.

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TEMP TIME 687-1545

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BIG BROTHERS/ BIG SISTERS Of Midland is seeking a part-time bookkeeper. Flexible hours. Non-smoker preferred. Send resume and salary requirements to: 500 N. Loraine, Ste. 1010, Midland, TX 79701.

OIL & GAS SECRETARY

Need professional self starter for local independent oil company. Bookkeeping skills required; including Revenue Distribution. Must have Word Processing experience and be extremely reliable and professional. Career Opportunity. Immediate opening.

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320 Sales Help Wanted

ROUTE SALES

Mrs. Boehme's Holsum Bakery

We are interviewing qualified applicants for Route Salespersons positions.

Qualified Candidates should have:

- Successful previous job experience
- Excellent communication and sales skills
- Good driving record
- Ability to pass a drug screen.
- Sincere interest in professional development and advancement

We offer good starting salary and benefit program and opportunity for advancement.

Apply Wednesday, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
La Quinta Motel
4130 W. Wall, Midland, Texas

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Workload, Inc.
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RECEPTIONIST

Very visible position. Public Relations spot. Fast paced, very light typing. Professionalism is a must. No fees.

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SECRETARY/ RECEPTIONIST

Company needs secretary/ receptionist to handle filing, phones, type 45 wpm +. Will involve some over time and field work. $5.00 hr. Temp to Perm. No Fee.

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TELEVISION SALES Assistant needed for full time position. Must have one year broadcasting experience. Contact Sales Manager at KOSA TV 337-8301.

SECRETARY POSITION with small, but busy office. Must have extensive word processing experience with Wordperfect. Candidate must posses exceptional organizational, verbal, and writing skills. Salary negotiable. Non-smoker preferred. Send replies to BOX A-08 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

RECEPTIONIST

Ability to handle very busy phones efficiently and courteously. Positive attitude. Professional Appearance. No fees.

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320 Sales Help Wanted

MAJOR BEVERAGE Company has opening for route sales. Salary plus bonus. Tremendous benefits. Send resume to Warehouse Manager, P.O. Box 4753, Odessa, Texas 79760.

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DON'T MISS THIS. Now hiring for ticket sales for Shrine Circus. Call June at 689-7003.

BEVERAGE ROUTE SUPERVISOR. Interpersonal skills, sales experience required. CDL helpful. Send resume to: BOX A-02 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

PART - TIME

We are looking for enthusiastic and personable individuals with excellent phone skills. We are the largest residential replacement heating and cooling company in Permian Basin. We are currently expanding our marketing department and need 2 people to learn our business. This position is excellent for students, homemakers or retirees. We offer guaranteed base salary, bonus program and day and evening hours.

Call Laura at 561-9440.

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Bi-lingual telemarketers needed for the Permian Basin's newest, most exciting monthly publication, Nueva Vista. Hourly pay plus excellent daily & weekly bonuses. Call Mr. Lee Campbell 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. 687-8802.

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Marketing Directors needed! New products. Top contracts. Big advances. Lead program. Recruiting program. Non-captive program. Paid twice per week. Contest trips.
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335 Adult Care

M & J SITTER SERVICE. Loving care and supervision for the elderly. 24 hour care; light cooking and cleaning. Help with some personal care. Contact Jeff or Shannon, whether its for an hour or a day, call M & J, 580-6523. Call anytime.

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★ REASONABLE RATES! Elderly sitting, hospital sitting, housecleaning, hourly or 24 hours cleaning and sitting service. Watco Inc., 520-4425.

340 Child Care Needed

RESPONSIBLE LOVING ADULT NEEDED to care for infant, Monday thru Friday. References a must. 685-0573.

CHILD CARE NEEDED for two kids. ClayDesta area. Temporary position. Call 685-4046.

LIVE - IN, non-smoking responsible adult to care for 4 and 6 year old, references required, days 687-7720, call 570-7806 after 5.

341 Child Care Providers

CLEAN, CHRISTIAN, Non- smoking mother, Wydewood area to keep your child in my home. Monday - Friday, 1 - 4 years. References. 697-3531.

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GRANDMOTHER would like child to keep in my home, 5 days per week. Call 694-5679.

CHRISTIAN WOMAN would like to care for two children in her home. Ages 2 - 5 years old. Bonham and Anson Jones area. References available. Please call 699-7118.

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350 Business Opportunities

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FOR YOUR PROTECTION: Before investing in any Business Opportunity we recommend that you check with an attorney and the Better Business Bureau of the Permian Basin.

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August 2, 1992
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Midland, Texas
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Saturday August 8th
10:00 am
1501 W. Industrial
Midland, Tx
Next to
Rainbow Trade Center
Various & General Merchandise

Hand & Power tools, bench vise, floor jack, pipe vise, drill bits, wrench & socket sets, air impact, hammers, axes, engine stand, chop saw, air hose, bolt cutters, Stevens shot gun,S & W 9mm pistol, colt revolver, 98 mauser, air rifles, train set, motorcycle, old mirrors, antique table & chairs, steel work bench, garden trailer, air compressor, Drager air pac, baby items, personal care products, touch lamps, Mammy kitchen set, cookie jars, southwest prints, knives, furniture, small show cases, jewelry, other items too numerous to mention.
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★BACKYARD SALE 2106 W. Kentucky, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, - Desk and chair, loveseat, exercise bike, workout bench, a few baby items, clothes odds and ends. Low prices.

★HUGO'S GARAGE SALE- 3200 NORMAN & Bankhead Highway. A to Z mini warehouse, lamps, tapes, movies, old records and miscellaneous, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday 9 am to 6 pm.

★ 4609 ST. ANDREWS- Saturday 8 to 6, Sunday 12 to 6, LOTS of clothing, maternity, children (0 to 2 years) men's, women's, furniture, washer/ dryer and much more.

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Thursday - Sunday, 10 - 6

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2 FAMILY FRONT Yard Sale. 4825 W. Illinois, Saturday and Sunday. Opens 8 Am.

PATIO AND INSIDE SALE, Saddle Club Apartments, east side, #351. Friday, Saturday and Sunday, 9am.

★HUGE BACKYARD SALE- Saturday, Sunday 7 to 6. 4606 W. Illinois. Clothes, dishes, what-nots, little bit of everything.

★ 4402 GREENTREE. Friday, Saturday and Sunday, 8am. Antiques, glassware, toys, furniture, childrens and adult clothing, miscellaneous.

BIG SALE, 401 E. 8th, Odessa. Pool tables, bar equipment, etc. Friday thru Sunday - Noon til 6 PM.

1804 HUGHES. Sunday, 7 am. Monday 8 am. My gain is your gain- cleaning closets! Clothing (8,10,12), miscellaneous.

@ MOVING SALE! 3620 Boyd. Friday 8 - 6, Saturday, Sunday 7 - 6. Electric stove, dishwasher, sewing machine, electric motors, sewing material & 32 years of treasures. No Checks!

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60 WEST PASSED High Sky Children's Ranch, 2 miles, watch for signs. Huge Move - In Sale, Saturday - Sunday, 9 to ?

1016 WARD 8 Am Friday, Saturday, Sunday. Fitzflowd China, antique chest, loveseat, jewelry, toddler dresses, exercisor.

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401 W. SPRUCE Saturday & Sunday Queen size hide-a-bed, matching chair, mauve sofa and loveseat, 2 brown Lane recliners, heavy coffee table matching end tables, vacuum cleaners, dining table and chairs, odds and end furniture, pictures, stereos, lamps, room size carpet, file cabinet, desk, clarinet, much much more.

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1510 W. WASHINGTON
Saturday, Sunday 8 am
Furniture, full bed and springs, 30" gas ranges, Kirby vacuum with attachments, household items, nice ladies clothing and shoes, tub shower doors, miscellaoeus.
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4408 PASADENA, Saturday and Sunday, 8-4. A little bit of everything, clothes, appliances, miscellaneous.

4729 LEISURE, Saturday and Sunday. Weights, maternity and kids clothes. Lots of miscellaneous.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

★ FURNITURE, APPLIANCES, office desks and chairs, gifts, toys, new and like new used clothing, sports cards, Nintendos, jewelry, cosmetics, and much much more. Midland's Largest Indoor Flea Market. Rainbow Trade Center 1503 W. Industrial, 10 to 6, Friday, Saturday, Sunday. 570-4408.

LITTLE BOY'S, girl's, men's, women's, clothes, bikes, furniture, miscellaneous items. 4735 Boulder Drive. Saturday, Sunday.

@ VERY GOOD clothing, television & games, furniture, toys, bicycles, fabric/ patterns, drapes & even the bar sinks. 3621 Imperial. saturday & Sunday 8 - 5.

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1601 N. BIG SPRING
(Patio in Rear)
Sunday only, 9 a.m.- ?
Lots of clothes (ladies 3 - large women's, children's,). Some furniture, showcase, miscellaneous.

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MOVING SALE - 3604 BOYD, Saturday ONLY, 8 - 3. Lot's of stuff!

MOWERS, air conditioners, bar stools, waterbed, antique china/ dining/ living/ bunk/ bedroom. lawn furniture. Appliances guaranteed. Pickups. 570-4851.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

TWO Niches, (for Cremated remains), choice location: Resthaven Mausoleum: $600 for one, $1,100 for pair. Ownership transferable immediately. 682-7258.

ONE round trip airline ticket to Omaha. Leave August 27th, return August 30th. $150. 694-7428.

1987 GMC Safari Mini Van, 7 piece formal dining set, 2 televisions, 3 piece formal sectional sofa, glasstop coffee table. 683-7042.

FOR SALE - - Elite 5 - in - one professional slenderizing and toning table. This table combines 5 exercise tables into one to produce quick inch and pound loss. Hardly used. $2,000 firm. 694-1290 after 5:30 PM.

PORCELAIN double sink with faucet $25, Whirlpool dishwasher $50, Advanced commercial vacuum $60. Cash only. 697-5274.

TWO AMERICAN AIRLINE tickets Dallas to Palm Beach, Florida. August 16th $100 each. 699-5858.

BUCKET SEATS, plush, brown, reclining with center console. Like new w/ Ford brackets. $325. 682-8516.

MUST SELL 10 quart Hobart commercial mixer and ceramic kiln. Brand new carpet. 520-5004.

RESTHAVEN LOTS in "GARDEN OF PRAYER", six (6) adjoining, $1,000 each, $5,000 for all six. Please send replies to: BOX K-11 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650 Midland, Texas 79702 or call (409)291-2708

TWO ROUND TRIP fares to anywhere in the Continental USA. Originating in Midland. Must be used by October 1. 699-5678 after 5.

2 ROUND TRIP Airline tickets, Midland to Vegas, departs August 6th, return, August 9th. 570-4851.

3 TOP BUMPER POOL game table, butcher block style, all pieces included. $175. Call 687-4118.

1500 Watt generator $195, 9N Ford tractor with 4 ft. Bush Hog, $2,450, Model A John Deer, $2,700, Ford pickup tail gate $50, Tommy-Lift $285, 40 ft. single. axle freight van $2,250, 4 beverage trailers $1,000, misc. 3" hoses and quick couplers and fittings $250, 1975 Chevy 2 ton farm truck with 16 ft. bed and hoist, 61,000 actual miles, $6,500. 1979 Freight liner CO Single axle 3500 miles on complete overhaul, 290 Cummins $5,500. 697-5127.

LADIES 10 SPEED, $25; Girls 16", Boys 12", $20 each. Aquarium, $20. Pontiac V6 (260) engine, 350 turbo transmission, portable dishwasher, $30. 689-7603.

SOUTHWEST AIRLINES TICKET Midland to Las Vegas, departs August 16, returns August 19. $185. Call 694-7529.

★ GENERATOR: Honda ES 3500. Used only 20 hours, $800. Please call 694-8410.

COMMODORE COMPUTER with games, $200. English saddle with pad and stirrups, $200. 689-6068.

SHUTTLE, 3 wheeler, heavy duty for disabled. Asking $1,300. Call 561-8929 after 7 pm.

PORCH SWINGS $35, bookcases $30, dog houses $30, picnic tables, benches 6 ft. $70, 4 ft, $50. 563-0452.

1987 RIVA YAMAHA CVC 80 T. Red, good condition, low mileage. Call 687-2109.

14 kt. gold large men's diamond nugget ring, $750 or best offer. Call 520-4936.

1990 MURRAY/ Riding lawnmower 12 HP, 38" cut with catcher. $700. 687-4278.

WOODEN swing set with slide and fort, tire swing, 2 child rocking horses, extra swings, new $1,500, asking $450; 2 small girl's bikes, $15 each; 1 16" girl's bike, $25; 3 fireplace grates. 697-2027.

RAINBOW VACUUM CLEANER- less than 1 year old, bought brand new asking $600. Call 684-5857 leave a message.

FREEZER, big screen TV, video games, cash register, TV monitors, showcase, weight lighting machine, antique slot machine, neon signs, trunk, dress form, time clock, miscellaneous glassware. 697-6239 or 694-9491.

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USED CARPET, includes padding, excellent condition, one year old. 144 yards. Sell by yard. 697-4831.

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You saw this product on national TV. You see these amazing lint-free washable Super Shammy Cloths used by the Olympic Swim Team this week. They are ideal for boats, cars, RVs. Will pick up any spill, even through carpeting. Now available right here in Midland, Texas. Only $4 per sheet.

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410 Miscellaneous Sales

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INSTANT CASH for your working or non-working washers, dryers, refrigerators, freezers, vacuum cleaners, lawnmowers. 1-337-4817.

SOUTHWEST AIRLINES COMPANY CLUB tickets wanted. Will pay top dollar. Call 687-5039.

WANTED BUNK BEDS for cabin. Call 684-7663.

420 Good Things To Eat

FRESH HOME Grown tomatoes and Pecos canteloupe and watermelon. See Jim Dingler at The Farmers Market.

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430 Household Goods

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MAGNAVOX, COLORED CONSOLE television, 25", works perfectly $200. Call 687-4518.

✓ SOFA with matching chair and ottoman, 2 dinette sets, computer and printer, stoneware, 2 matching occassional upholstered chairs. Call 682-4152.

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USED Maytag dryer, only 8 months old, almond, excellent condition, $200. Call 1-264-7929.

✓ MATCHING COUCH, LOVESEAT, High back chair, (white w/blue stripes), 2 end tables, coffee table, excellent condition. $800 OBO. 699-4752.

★ QUEENSIZE DARK WOOD BEDROOM SET, 9 drawer dresser w/mirrors; 2 matching wardrobes, mirrows and light, shelves; $800 OBO. 699-4752.

☐ Dinette set, 18" round table, 4 matching padded chairs on wheels, $75. 699-4752.

BENCHCRAFT sofa, loveseat and recliner, blue with wood trim, woven thick cotton material, high back pillow design. No stains, holes, perfect condition. $800 for set. Call 682-7772.

WHIRLPOOL REGAL Super-Capacity washer and dryer, good condition. $350. Call 697-6936.

WHITE 20' Amana refrigerator, 2 year warranty, $800. Call Janie, 694-6966 weekdays, 699-6219 weekends/ evenings.

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MEDITERRANEAN STYLED bedroom suite for sale. Queen headboard, large dresser and mirror, nightstand and chest. $300. Call 689-2942.

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AMANA REFRIGERTED AIR CONDITIONER. 10,000 BTU. 1 year-old, like new. $225. Call 699-5522.

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SINGER SEWING machine, 10 stitch patterns almost new, $200. 683-3219 or 687-6758.

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★ Dick's Firewood. Oak, $105; Mesquite, $95. We deliver. 1-453-2151. Sale ends 8/31/92.

DENNIS FIREWOOD- oak and mesquite. Call 699-4719.

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450 Sporting Goods

JUMBO DRIVERS. Custom built clubs. Used clubs. Grips, shafts, repairs. Dick's Clubs, 2605 West Kentucky. 683-2614

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PING ANSER PUTTER $75 also set of Spalding Elite Irons; good condition; Cannadale Bicycle. 570-8737.

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HOGAN EDGE IRONS. 2 thru 9. 3 wedges, $450. 682-5607 evenings.

460 Antiques and Art

SEMI- ANTIQUE 8' x 11'. Fine, Nicols Oriental rug. Royal blue background/ designs. $1,250. 687-3468.

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470 Musical Instruments

BUNDY FLUTE $250, Yamaha Play time organ with play cards $250, 694-1660 after 5 pm.

1959 ALLEN electric organ. Double keyboard, full pedal. Mint condition. $950 or best offer. 520-3618.

YAMAHA open hole flute, with hard case and carrier, excellent condition. Best offer. Call 683-1734.

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LUDWIG SNARE DRUM with bells and carrying case. Used 2 years, asking $150. 694-1856.

USED CLARINET and case. Great for beginner! Call 683-9219.

BUNDY CORONET $275. Bundy Trombone, $275. Normandy Clarinet, $325. Davcla ¾ Violin, $300. 697-6663 after 5.

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LUDWIG SNARE drum with carrying case, stand and practice pad- $250. Call 686-0150.

STUDENT TROMBONE and case, Good condition. $100. Call 697-3474.

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GEMEINHARDT FLUTE with marching stand attachment. Excellent condition. Pads also in excellent condition. $250. 699-6840.

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VIOLINS, Cellos, Violas, all sizes for rent or sell. Open afternoons. Waltrip Music, 694-7524.

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MAGNAVOX 25" color TV with remote, $150; Magnavox 13" color TV, $75. Call 687-4920.

RCA 21" COLOR track console, remote control, base/ treble. Nice cabinet. Like new $300. 699-4118.

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APPLE wide carriage Imagewriter printer. Excellent! $495. Hurry on this one. Call 683-1500 or 684-8212.

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BELLA red Siberian Husky, blue eyes, female, Kimo, small white Spitz, female, Snuffy is a brown toy poodle neutered male. Lady AKC red Basset Hound spayed female. Pappy pure bred Blond Cocker Spaniel, neutered male. Max purebred, large, blond Lab, spayed female. Reba Golden Retriever, female. Kimo pure bred Spitz, Jim and Jack pure bred Dachshund, neutered males. These animals are up for adoption at the Big Spring Humane Society. If interested call 267-7832. $25 - cats and kittens, $35 - dogs and puppies (includes spaying, neutering and vaccinations)

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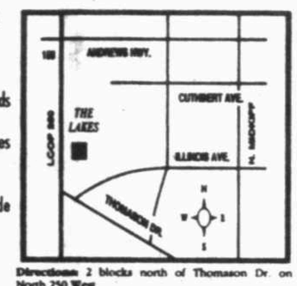

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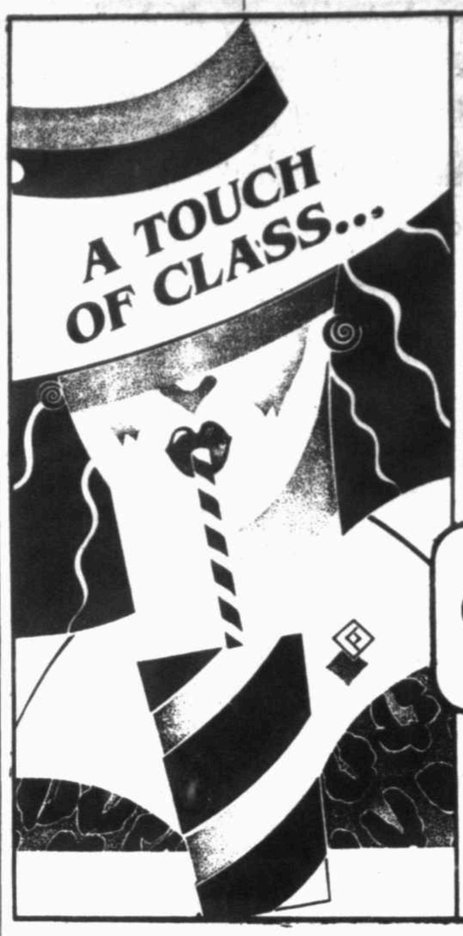

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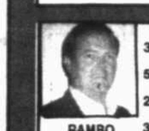

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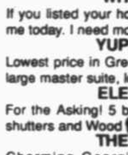

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BRICK 3 bedroom, 1 bath, den and fireplace, refrigerated air, fenced back yard, storage building, built-in stove, westside. References required. $350 per month, $200 deposit. 694-3351.

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GUEST HOUSE near Midland High, single occupancy. $150 per month plus gas, electric. Call 682-2931.

GREAT 1 BEDROOM, 1 bath, cottage near downtown, refrigerated air, Washer/ dryer connection, plus nice yard with water paid. $300/ monthly plus $300 deposit. References required. 808 W. Tennessee. 683-1359.

GREENWOOD AREA. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, fireplace, swimming pool, $650 monthly, $350 deposit, walking distance from Greenwood School. 699-1339.

COUNTRY LIVING near town. Ideal for small family, fenced yard, 683-0867.

BY OWNER - For sale or lease: Saddle Club South, 5115 Daventry, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage, large living area and master bedroom. 699-1194.

640 Condos and Townhouses Unfurnished

ELEGANT, Lafayette Place, HUGE 3 bedrooms, 2 ½ baths, two story, two living areas, 2 car garage with storage, enclosed large patio, the finest townhouses in West Texas, $1,200 month, one year lease. 684-0996.

SPACIOUS TWO bedroom, 1 ½ bath townhome. $330 monthly. Westpark Apartments. 2928 West Louisianna.

645 Condos and Townhouses Furn. & Unfurn.

SAGEWOOD LUXURY CONDO available. 1 bedroom. One year lease. Call 683-1500 or 684-8212.

✔ UNFURNISHED TOWNHOUSE FOR LEASE. 3 bedroom, 2 ½ bath, 2 story, double garage. Lee High District. Walk to mall. Close to Parker Elementary. $750 monthly. 689-0409.

TWO - Sagewood condominiums. 1 bedroom, 1 bath each. $350 monthly. Call Carolyn Body at Re/Max 682-8820 or 697-5911.

655 Mobile Homes Unfurnished

IN COUNTRY- 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, fenced yard, pasture for horses, $300 month without pasture $350 with. $200/ deposit. Must have references. Call David 570-4626.

12 X 60 2 bedroom, 1 bath. $200 monthly, $100 deposit. No pets. 694-2047.

660 Mobile Home Spaces For Rent

LARGE PARK RECENTLY RE-OPENED. Move in special for first few. $39 monthly for 2 years regularly $80. Privacy fence around entire park with paved roads and driveway. Dumpsters, water free, $100 towards move in. 563-3510, 550-7505

METRO PLEX MOBILE HOME PARK. Mobile home living at its best. 682-5798 or 683-9408.

LOOK AT THE REST THEN CHOOSE THE BEST!
Move-in special
AIRLINE MOBILE HOME PARK
Between Midland & Int'l Airport
West Hwy. 80. 694-2534

WESTGATE Mobile Home Park. Free move and set-up by state licensed personnel. Paved streets, security lights. Free water and satellite television. 563-5607.

TWIN OAKS - Midland's finest. All spaces have 5 foot chain link fences, trees, paved streets, cable TV, natural gas, playground, state approved water, basketball court, 24 hour management, free garbage pickup. Cleanest park in Midland. Move-in special. Call 687-6324 or 683-4169

IN COUNTRY lot with pasture for horses $100/ monthly, $100 deposit. Must have references. Call David 570-4626.

A VERY GOOD deal for the 1st few! Normally $80 spaces reduced to $39 for 5 years. Some are fenced. 550-7505, 685-1050.

SPECIAL
FREE MOVING & SET UP
$50 monthly for 1st year
- Free satellite TV
- Water and sewer paid

"Country living at it's best
520-4365 or 697-0882

665 Business Property / Offices

OFFICE SPACE for lease. Various sized suites, excellent location, great working environment. 2500 Big Spring. 685-6095. 520-0315.

3500 SQ. FT. Ideal location, show room, 4 offices, meeting room, warehouse, secured yard. Have to see to appreciate. 683-5697, 694-8032,682-4789.

CENTURY PLAZA BUILDING, 310 W. Wall, 2125 ft office for sublease. 682-1888.

ONE ROOM Office, $70. Midland Executive Center. contact Beverly Vaughan. 686-2008.

RETAIL/ OFFICE. Various sizes. Fairmont Park Shopping Center. 3323 N. Midland Drive, B & J Plaza, 206 N. Midkiff. Call 683-8681. Owner managed.

YOGURT and snack shop for lease, most equipment provided, good location. Call 699-1208.

OFFICE SPACES. Northland Shopping Center. Call 699-1208.

OFFICE SPACE- various sizes, Dellwood office center. 3404 West Illinois. 699-5949.

DENTAL SUITE: 3 operatories, reception and executive office. Penny Willhite- Langston Realtors. 683-3301.

LUXURIES OFFICE SUITE: 850 sq. ft., flexible plan. Penny Willhite, Langston Realtors. 683-3301.

GREAT LOCATION- Retail/ office, 1011 N. Midkiff, approximately 1,500 sq. ft., $625/ month, utilities paid. 689-8681.

OFFICE SPACE FOR RENT
IN THE RRC BUILDING
2509 North Big Spring
From 220-1,561 Sq.Ft. available.
Rent as low as $4.75/ NSF/ YEAR
Call Bobby at 682-3141
or John at 683-3363

LOOK! Midland Medical Building, four or five rooms, bills paid; medical or other. 2109 West Texas. 682-0602.

665 Business Property / Offices

1115 ANDREWS HWY.
1,223 SQ. FT.
4 OR 6 OFFICES
w/NEW CARPET FOR PROFESSIONALS OR SMALL BUSINESS
Call 682-5305

NICE OVERSIZED single room suite furnished/ unfurnished. Ground floor. Central to downtown. Parking. Inquire: 312 N. Big Spring, Suite 100. 687-0781.

670 Warehouse and Storage Rental

MIDLAND Industrial Warehouse, 2601 W. Industrial. 1,800 sq. ft. and 4,500 sq. ft. warehouse units available. ★ Large units, dock height ★ security gate ★ overhead doors. Contact Terry Hancock, Westlake Realty, 686-8638

✔ FOR LEASE: 5,000 sq. ft. warehouse, fully insulated with 16' door. South of I-20 off Midkiff. $350 per month. Call Diane at 686-0022 weekdays, 8 - 5.

★ CRESCENT STORAGE ★
10 x 20s, 10 x 12s & 10 x 10s
Northwest 694-6358

FOR sale or rent. Metal building and yard at 3401 Garden City Highway. $450 monthly. 684-5310.

1250 sq. ft. office/ warehouse. Overhead door, paved parking. 2820 Gist. (East off S. Midkiff). $200/ month. 683-4295.

OFFICE and warehouse combination. 1200 - 2000 - 4000 - 4800 - 7000 - 8600 square feet. Some with fenced yards. 683-6927.

675 Recreational and Resort Rentals

FOR RENT: RUIDOSO Cabin on river, sleeps 6. Call 697-1212.

CHARTER FISH
Deep sea fishing. 1 - 6 persons.
48' Custom Sport Fisherman.
1-512-949-8735, after 6 p.m.

RUIDOSO CABIN. Two bedroom, two bath, sleeps 8, available through September. 694-0636, 682-7718.

RUIDOSO cabin: 3 bedroom, 2 bath. Very nice, fully equipped. Call 697-1337.

RELAX IN RUIDOSO- condos, nightly rentals. Century 21 Aspen Realty. (800)657-8980.

685 Hunting Leases

BIRD LEASESD - Andrews & Crane Counties. Large leases from $200. Dove, quail, duck. Spaces limited. Call Eben Warner, 580-6955, days; 366-4292, evenings.

MENARD, TEXAS. Deer lease. Trophy bucks, does, turkey, water, electric. 512-896-0160.

DOVE LEASE at St. Lawrence. Sunflowers and water. Call (915)397-2387.

690 Oil and Gas Leases

LEASE CLEANING. Reasonable oil and gas lease cleaning and maintenance. For details 687-6072.

FOR SALE: 9% WI-.065 NRI in two wells, 80 bbls per day, 400 mcf per day, net income x 24 months. (915) 267-3126.

CASH PAID for producing royalties or minerals. PO Box 304, Grapevine, Texas, 76099. (817)481-8771, (817)481-7037.

700 Manufactured Homes

1977 TRAILWAY, two bedroom, one bath, Franklin fireplace, dishwasher, gas stove, good condition. $5,000. 563-1648 after 4, or 563-8111.

1982 BRECK mobile home, 14 x 60, 2 bedroom, 2 bath, central heat/ air. Must be moved. $7,300. 1-756-3868, after 5:30.

1985 MADRID 14X50. Never lived in. $9,000. 682-9324.

MOBILE HOME FOR SALE, also pipe trailer with rollin tail gate. Joe 684-6803 Dale 694-7031.

710 Open Houses

✔ BY OWNER! OPEN HOUSE, 2304 Regal Place, 2 - 5. 3 bedroom, 2 bath. Don't miss this one! 697-7167.

Open
1611 W. Tennessee Ave.
Open 2 to 5 p.m.
LOVELY home has California feel with lots of light... 3 bedroom, including 17 x 28 Master Bedroom Suite, 4 bath, 2 fireplace, 2 living area, 2 car garage, one of a kind home in Old Midland. Corner lot. (West Broadway & Tennessee) Five minutes from hospital. Professionally decorated, architect designed.
By Owner 684-3848

Open
Sunday 1 to 5
By owner, 2,600 sq. ft.
2608 FANNIN
Beautiful custom built home, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, large double garage, 2 fireplaces, large trees, large walk-in closets, $89,000.
683-4695

OPEN 2 PM
4125 SPRINGFIELD CT.
TRINITY WEST
4 Bedrooms 3 ½ Baths
2 Fireplaces 2 Living areas
Sprinkler System Landscaped
Whirlpool Tub
Buy now at 7 ½ % Interest rate
Will consider trade on your existing home.
Call for details
699-1514
LARRY GRYDER
Custom Homes

710 Open Houses

Open
3208 ELMA
2 - 5 p.m.
Luxury furnished model townhome! Spacious 3 bedroom, 2 ½ bath, 2 car garage.
2 bedrooms starting at $54,900
3 bedrooms starting at $62,600
(Directions: Wadley and Midland Dr., west on Wadley, south on Dentcrest, left on Aspen, left on Elma) Lemonwood Gardens Townhomes
shown by,
CINDY BROWN
REALTY UNLIMITED 561-9002

REDUCED BY OWNER
2401 Wydewood
Parade of Homes
2pm to 4pm
3 bedroom, 2 bath, formal dining, double garage. $80,000.
694-5419

Open
2 - 4
2412 METZ PLACE
Dene Kelly Realtors
687-0595

OPEN HOUSE
OWNER
1:00 - 4:00
4112 AMISTAD
2 Story Townhouse
3 Bedroom Oversized Closets
2 ½ Bath Lots of Storage Areas
Hot Tub Nice Landscape
Formal Dining Area Trees
Sunken Den Enclosed Patio & Yard
Fireplace Sprinkler System
Convenient to shopping and schools.
$59,900

Open
START YOUR OPEN HOUSE LOOKING WITH US!
1 - 5 COME BY OUR NORTH OFFICE IN THE COLONNADE, LOOP 250 & GARFIELD
For a free map featuring most of today's open houses, city maps, mortgage information, our 32 page publication all about Midland, and brochures on the city's schools, arts, sports, etc.

1705 CASTLEFORD
$98,500
2 - 4
Great buy on 6 month old Jim Leonard home in Polo Park. Warranties still in effect!
Shown by Jerry Holt
684-9712

3311 HAYNES
$149,500
3 - 5
Entertain in or out! 3 living areas, formal dining, plus beautiful pool w/ pool house. Unique design with high ceilings, tile floors, lots of windows. 4/4.
Shown by Laura Manulik
683-2327

2502 CULPEPER
$124,500
3 - 5
Don't let this one go by. Great opportunity to own large, custom home, low price - 4BR/ 4 Bath, 3 LA/ split level/ super neighborhood.
Shown by Ella Barnett
694-6037

2506 FRONTIER
$82,500
3 - 5
½ block from Fannin School. 4 Bed, 2 baths. Great family home, large backyard. Owner wants offers.
Shown by Patti Wallace
683-8692

2002 HUGHES
$79,500
1 - 3
Updated, marvelous home. Light & bright, neutral colors, super condition. Separate childrens wing. Two living areas. Four bedrooms.
Shown by Laura Manulik
683-2327

2604 SENTINEL
$149,500
2 - 4
ESCAPE TO YOUR OWN RESORT! Sparkling pool, lush landscaping, sprinkler system & water well. All of this and 4 large bedrooms, 3 full baths, 2 fireplaces and lots of new! Don't miss this home!
Shown by Sharon Crouch
685-0400

2007 SHELL
$210,000
1 - 2:30
Beautiful Warwick residence. Gorgeous vaulted ceiling, decorator colors, tile, new carpet. Great neighborhood. Motivated Sellers.
Shown by Patti Wallace
683-8692

2000 W. MICHIGAN
$69,500
2 - 4
Wonderful big family home, beautiful yard, rental unit attached. Great price.
Shown by Roberta Aldridge
683-3424

3909 ANETTA
$42,000
12 - 16
Open to the public all day. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths. This home has 9 rooms! Remodeled and freshly painted. Owner says must sell!
Shown by Wilson Korona
Pager 567-2713

4206 ANETTA
$52,000
2 - 4
3 Bedroom, 2 bath, corner lot with back 2 car garage entry. Wet bar in large living room. Large master bdrm. Owner ready to sell, make offer.
Shown by Wilson Korona
Pager 567-2713

3705 DENTCREST
$69,900
3 - 5
A must to see! Super nice 3BR/ 2BA home in Fairmont Park. Just reduced. Owners ready to move.
Shown by Jim Hoisager
685-4064

5505 BEECHWOOD
$135,000
3 - 5 SUNDAY
Wonderful 5 bedroom, 4 bath family home. Pool and extra play yard for children. Recently reduced for quick sale.
Karen Mason Listing Agent
687-6806

1301 DELMAR
2 - 4
REDUCED NON-QUALIFYING
Free Lottery Tickets to the first 20 families. Must be 18 or older. Price reduced on this non-qualifying charming 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 living areas, one with beautiful fireplace. Owners anxious! Lease purchase or make offers. Reduced to $43,900.
Shown by Sandra McGill
697-1717

Langston REALTORS
682-9495

720 Homes For Sale

HUD & VA SPECIALIST
Cynthia Brown 685-3380 / 685-0400
FEATURED HUD HOME OF THE WEEK
3612 W. MICHIGAN - 3 BR, 2 BA, $52,000
3% down HUD will pay most closing costs!
3214 DELANO - 3 BR, 2 BA, N.Q.A., Low Equity, $46,900
CLOVERDALE RD - 4 BR, 3BA, 5 Acres, Enormous Shop $124,500
1011 TEXAS - Charming Home or Office, Totally Redone, Lease or Sale, $84,500
Langston Realtors

Wanda Chastain
Century 21 Midtex
1305 E. Chestnut • 407 E. Dengar
607 W. Kansas • 2203 Northrup
1605 W. Michigan (Owner/Agent) "Old Midland"
1409 So. Co. Rd. 1138 (20 acres / 3 houses / barn / corral)
2920 McDonald - Desperate to sell. Lee / Rusk. Assumable.
2300 Co. Rd. 1130 - Buy now in Greenwood School District. 4 acres, Mulberry Lane Stanton
682-4002 689-0021

WORK AT HOME
This charming home is in an excellent location for a home occupation, with one large room off the carport with separate access. Gorgeous landscaping, 10x30 screened porch, two living areas. Call today and ask for Karen Mason 687-6806 or 685-0400. Langston Realtors.

HUD HOMES
Jim Hoisager
Langston Realtors
685-0400, 685-4064

710 Open Houses

RE/MAX

OPEN HOUSE 2 - 4
2014 BEDFORD
Fall in love with this large 4 bedroom, 4 bath beauty in "Old Midland". Bold and sophisticated with polished hardwood floors, and sparkling Italian tile everywhere! $158,000. Shown by Billie Sherman 697-5545 or 682-8820.

Open
SEEING is believing. Picturesque backyard. Charming older home!
3 br, 2½ ba,
1 Extra room w/private entrance
2 car garage on paved alley
$70's
Sunday 2 to 5
4215 GREENBRIAR
Shown weekdays by appointment
694-5118

Open
903 VENTURA
1 - 3
Priced Reduced! Maintenance free, lots of square footage, great location.
Shown by Rebecca Seitz
689-7700 or 685-3803
5111 BRIGHTON PLACE
2 - 4
$94,000 Non-qualifying assumption.
Shown by June Martin
689-7700 or 694-9389.
COLDWELL BANKER AMERICANA REALTY

Open
2:30 - 4:30
1328 TERRA COURT
Saddle Club South. $137,000. 4 Bedroom, 2 living areas, 3 car garage, white washed cabinetry.
Shown by Vicky Garrett, Don Harvey Realtors.

Open
3 - 5
4202 RUSSELL
3 bedrooms, 2 baths, large den. Half block from Quanah Parker school. 699-6738.

CHAPARRAL REALTORS
5702 GREENRIDGE
2 - 4
4 bedroom on large corner lot in cul-de-sac in Grassland Estates
Shown by JOHN NOBLES

4602 GLENEAGLES
2 - 4
3 bedroom, 2 bath, wonderful master suites, covered deck great for entertaining, Fairmont Park
Shown by ALICE HOWARD

3400 EDGEMONT
2 - 4
4 bedroom, 2 bath, great corner lot in Fairmont Park
Shown by JODY SMITH

3805 WEDGEWOOD
2 - 4
5 bedroom, 3¾ bath, 2 living, study, great for entertaining, Trinity Estates
Shown by DEBORAH PIERCE
Chaparral Realtors
686-7000

Open
Open Everyday until Dark
3317 WHITTLE WAY
(in Fairmont Park)
Come see our GORGEOUS new 3 bedroom, 2 bath with the "Light - Bright" look
KEY HOMES, INC.
520-9848

Open
3506 EDGEMONT
2 - 4 p.m.
3 bedrooms, beautiful workshop
Shown by CHERRY STOVER
Century 21 MIDTEX, 689-0021

710 Open Houses

TRADE
your home for a new custom home from KEY HOMES, INC.
520-9848

Open
1010 W. STOREY
2 - 4 PM
REDUCED TO $49,900
DON'T MISS
- "Old Midland"
- Charming 3BR
- Nice Floor Plan
- Quality Home
- Security System

2301 NEELY
2 - 5
EXCEPTIONAL
3 Bedroom, 2 Bath, 2 LA, Nice Landscaping
JACK OVADIA
The Prudential Adobe Realtors
694-9853 694-9548

Open
3 to 5
4802 PRESTON
Wydewood
New Listing
$72,500
Won't Last!!!!
NANCY BOYD
Don Harvey Realtors

Open
2603 IDLEWILDE
2 - 4
Just like new!
3 bedroom, 2 bath
Close to Bush Elementary
Shown by
✔ KAREN CZECH
THE PRUDENTIAL-ADOBE REALTORS
686-4028 694-9548

Open
2pm to 5 pm
1909 Wind Drift
(Grasslands)
Beautiful, new 2 story home with 4 bedrooms plus study, 2 living, triple garage, island kitchen, bright, light, spacious!
$174,500
Consider trade
Camille Homes
Janette Fischer
Owner/ Agent
520-7912 697-9977

Open
2204 BEDFORD
(Old Midland)
1 - 3
By Owner: 3 bedroom, 2 bath, large shaded yard.

720 Homes For Sale

DUPLEX. Live in 1 lease the other. 3 Bedroom, 1 bath, each end. Fenced, storm cellar, storage buildings. $33,500. 687-5118.

TOTAL RELAXATION!
On lease purchasing, 3 bedroom, 2 bath home at 3805 Mark Lane. 694-9403.

★
GORGEOUS
MUST SEE THIS BEAUTY!!!!!!
4 bedrooms, 5 full baths, 2 half baths, 3 car garage, family room, pool, outstanding entertainment area and many other upgrades. 3700 sq. ft. 2700 N. Garfield. Lets make a deal. Its a bargain. Make offer. Would consider Lease or Lease Option.
Call Donna for appointment.
684-5567 682-5498.
★

NON-QUALIFYING assumable. 3 bedroom, 2½ bath, double garage townhouse. Nice yard, automatic sprinkler. $4,000 down, $733 a month. By owner. Call 520-5417 for appointment.

720 Homes For Sale

NEW TO MARKET
BAYBROOK-First new construction in Mockingbird Heights. Built by Gil Bates this terrific 4 BR is laboulou. Drop by & see it today then pick your colors & move in by Oct. 1.
CALDERA BLVD.-7.68 acres near Midkiff. Perfect area for townhouse development. Call Pat for details.
WAVERLY-Cute 2 BR, with ref. air, garage, hobby room & beautiful yard and water well. Only $27,500.
PLANTATION HILLS-Here's a 4 BR with formal dining for only $83,900!!! Immaculate condition, cul-de-sac location.

NEW PRICES
KINGSTON-Great buy in Polo! Wonderful, big main living area + terrific gamer room that's perfect for family pool table. Beautiful backyard! NOW $144,900.
CRESTGATE-Neat floor plan with bedrooms split 2 & 2. Large living area + formal dining. New paint too! NOW $98,500.
ISLAND DRIVE-What a bargain! Big 4 BR w/4 car garage. Great Buy! Buy low in higher area! NOW $176,500.
PRINCETON-"In-town-suburban" sounds like a contradiction, but it's for real! Neat 3 BR, 2 LA on approx. 1 acre with water well. Lease or Sell - NOW $67,000.
$19,900-buys this super 4 BR brick duplex with ref. a/c & 2 big pecan trees. It's a steal!! TALK TO PAT TODAY!
$58,900 IN WYDEWOOD-Super price for this adorable 3 BR on quiet culdesac! CALL PAT!

MORE GREAT BUYS
RADCLIFF COURT-Loaded with quality and good looks. This executive home is tops! Panelled den, huge main living area and gorgeous landscaping.
FIELDS COURT-Popular culdesac, smart looking 3 BR that's been meticulously cared for! Wonderful kitchen $100,500.
SAN ANTONIO-New paint, carpet & ceramic tile! Large master with great bath! Only $66,500.
CASTLEFORD-Spacious 4 BR with 2 beautifully panelled living areas, exterior just repainted, great landscaping!
COLLEGE AREA-New paint, carpet, vinyl, kitchen appliances. One of the best 4 BR buys in Midland. CALL PAT FOR DETAILS!

SOLD ON SERVICE
PAT PAXTON, CRS, GRI
LANGSTON REALTORS
683-0888 0682-9495

Government Aquired Homes
VA - HUD
Multiple Listing Assumption
Qualifying & Non-qualiying Free list
CALL JO DENNIS, CRS, GRI
Dennis Realty 689-8841
Floyd Reynolds 520-5623

OWNER FINANCING
Three bedroom, two bath houses on the West Side.
$35,000 - $65,000
By Owner
694-7796

1311 W. Ohio
$65,000
2 bedroom, 2 full bath, fireplace, lots of trees, greenery, large kitchen and cabinet space, close to MHS, downtown and hospital.
683-2600 or 694-3140 after 6

ADOBE INC. REALTORS
Feature Homes in Buyers Guide
CALL 694-9548

NEW HOMES
Starting at $48,000
J.C. BUILDERS
563-5096 682-8559
For sale by builder

★ Low Move-In Cost ★
HUD & VA HOMES
New Listings Weekly

5119	Sunnyside	$43,000
5300	Rio Grande	$52,500
3612	W. Michigan	$52,000
4518	Crenshaw	$37,000
3213	Camarie	$53,000
2617	Boeing	$63,000
3408	Sycamore	$25,000

CALDERON REALTY
520-7335
9 Yrs. Exp. Selling Gov't Homes.

PRICE REDUCED
new 3 bedroom 2 bath, 2 car garage, with many amenities. Established neighborhood
Open Daily
4605 Gulf
Call Tom Canton 694-4414

LOCATION! LOCATION
Old Midland - 1611 Shell
Needs some repair
Great Potential!
694-7796

MUST SELL IMMEDIATELY!
Non-Qualifying. Crestgate Nine. 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths, sauna, spa, wet bar, game room/ office, ceiling fans, sprinkler system. $96,000.
By owner 694-9465.

★ BY OWNER. FANNIN. Will carpet to suit. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 living areas, formal dining, remodeled kitchen, fireplace, oversized garage, 2 story storage house, dog run, water softener, RO unit, fans throughout. $59,900. 697-2641.

★ BY OWNER ASSUMABLE. 3 bedroom, 1¾ bath, fireplace, negotiable equity. $460 monthly, 9½ % interest. 520-7210.

★ SUPER clean 3 bedroom, 2 bath in northwest Midland near new elementary and junior high. New carpet and exterior paint. 5102 San Antonio. $59,700. 520-5292, 682-9495.

Lovely home has California feel with lots of light:
3 bedroom, including a 17 x 28 Master bedroom suite, 4 bath, 2 fireplace, 2 living area, 2 car garage, 1 of a kind home in Old Midland. Corner Lot. Five minutes from hospital. Professionally decorated, architect designed. Shown by appointment only.
BY OWNER - 684-3848

✔ ✔
NASSAU TOWNHOUSES
2103 & 2105 GERALDINE
New construction
- Choice of lots
- Low maintenance
- Maximum effeciency

CHARLIE GOSS - BUILDER
694-8662

720 Homes For Sale

Dene Kelly INC Realtors
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Dene Kelly 686-7809
Anna Crawford 699-4434
Denise Underwood 697-1799
Fay Gwyn 682-1242
Pauline Turney 694-7987
Shirley O'Neil 682-8807
Shirley Rogers 699-6649
Colene Cowan 699-1288
Gloria Farmer 563-2732
"Se Habla Espanol"

Willa Dean Berry 694-8956
Lynn Cook, Jr 1-362-7275
Merla Ketner 682-2406
Harvey Fischer 697-4343
Mary Maddoux 694-2920
Renee Smith 683-6534
Ray Newton 697-4260
Billie Jean Pipkin 697-5405
Barbara Rhodes 699-4191

WE WORK FOR PEOPLE, NOT PROPERTIES

"TOP PRODUCERS OF THE WEEK"

DENISE UNDERWOOD

MARY MADDOUX

RESIDENTIAL - CITY

ST ANDREWS-Trinity Estates, 4br, 3ba, workshop, water well, lg. lot 200,000
TRINITY MEADOWS-Lovely marble entry, 4 ot 5 br, 2 liv areas, formal dining, 5 ba, sprinklers 172,500
RUSTIC TRAIL-Built by Whitley, new carpet, 4 br, 2 1/2 ba, 2 liv. areas, great view of course 169,500
NORTHFIELD-Trinity Meadows lovely w/4 br, 2 3/4 ba, formal din., sprinklers 145,000
WELLINGTON CT-Very distinctive elevation, NEW const, 4 br, 2 1/2 ba, formal din ..... SOLD
LEHIGH-4 br, 3ba, NEW const, formal dining, beautiful w/lots of brick work 129,500
LEHIGH-NEW const. w/huge closets, 3br 2ba, formal dining, professionally decorated 127,500
WEDGEWOOD-Beautiful home w/round kit, ig pool, 4 br, formal dining 112,000
SHANDON-Beautiful home in excellent condition, 4 br, 2 ba, 2 liv. area 99,500
METZ PLACE-Immaculate 4 br, 2 ba, formal dining, very well maintained 98,500
DOWNING-Lovely 4br, 3 ba, beautiful decor, NEW const, lg closets 96,500
FLARE CT-Lots of new - paint, wallpaper, cabinets in util, mini blinds. 3 br, 1 3/4 ba, 2 liv ..... SOLD
WHITNEY-New exterior paint, 4 br, 2 1/2 ba, 2 living areas, qualifying assumption 75,000
GOLF-Four car garage, hobby rm., 3 br, 3 ba, spacious w/unusual floor plan 75,000
PROVIDENCE-Absolutely delightful! New sprink. sys. 3 br, 1 3/4 ba, lots of new 70,000
N. PECOS-Large yard, 3 br, 2 ba, formal living, mother-in-law apartment 65,000
FLARE-Nice floor plan, redecorated, 3 br, 2 ba, fireplace, 2 car gar 60,000
HARMONY-Very spacious 3 br, 2 ba, formal dining, workshop, sprinkler sys, single gar plus detached 2 car gar, water well 60,000
LIVINGSTON-Non-qualifying assumption, very pretty townhouse w/2 br, dbl gar 56,500
DENGAR-Duplex - each side has 2 br, 1 ba, non-qualifying FHA assumption 55,000
WARD-Has potential, will owner finance, 3 br, 2 liv areas, spacious ..... SOLD
MICHIGAN-Beautifully maintained, 3 br, 2 ba, lovely covered patio/gas grill 51,350
WILSHIRE-New trim & interior paint, 3 br, 2 ba, 2 liv. areas, outside storage 39,900
ERIE-3 br or could be 4, 1 3/4 baths, 1 car garage, owner wants quick sale 42,000
BENTWOOD-Priced to sell, 3 br, 1 3/4 ba brick, lg. kitchen 38,500
ILLINOIS-Great house for the money, 3br, ref a/c, assumption 35,500
TANNER-Steel siding, lots of new (kit cabinets, sink, dw, formica), 2 br, 1 ba, ref a/c 35,000
CIRCLE-Duplex, each has 2 br, 1 ba, owner may carry 35,000
LORAINE-Lots of sq. footage, 2 br, 1 ba, detached garage, owner carry 29,500
CIRCLE-Good rental property, 2 br, 1 ba, formal din 27,500
MARIANA-Will owner carry this 2 br or could be 3 br, 1 ba, workshop 22,000
CIRCLE-Investor's delight, 2 br, 1 ba, 2 liv. areas, 1 carport 20,000
FRANKLIN-Investor's delight, 1 br, 1 ba, refrigerator 12,000

RESIDENTIAL - COUNTRY

CO. RD. 68W-Loaded with amenities, 4 br, 3 ba, 3 living areas, 3.1 acres 142,500
CO. RD. 1243N-Too many extras to list, 3 br, 2 liv areas, formal din, 3.76 acres 140,000
CO. RD. 1129 S-4 br, 2 ba, 1 liv. area, on 1.36 acres - Greenwood Schools 88,000
CO. RD. 1165S-Will owner finance this 4br, 2ba frame, workshop, 1.9 ac. 42,500
CO. RD. 148E -Great property! 2.29 acres, 2 br, 1 ba, ref. a/c, lots of trees 45,000
CO. RD. 1138-Nice Ready-bull home in Greenwood - 3 br, 1 3/4 ba, corral 37,000
CO. RD. 2801-2 br, 1 ba frame home on 6.25 acres in Stanton, workshop 35,000
CO. RD. 1140N - 3 br mobile home on 1.17 ac, 2 wells, shop, Greenwood area 15,000

LOTS AND LAND

CARDINAL LANE-3.2 acres w/corral and stor bldgs 60,000
OFF HWY 80E-17.75 acres w/great commercial potential 49,700
CO. RD. 1140N & 71E-mobile home park on 2/12 acres, septic sys, Greenwood Sch 32,000
E. MAGNOLIA-11 residential lots next to the YMCA 25,000
CO. RD. 1185S-3.5 acres, well cultivated, fruit & shade trees, barn 17,250
CO. RD. 110E-Located in Country Estates, 5.2 acres 13,250
WESTERN-2.006 acres in area of nice homes, owner will finance 10,500
WOODCREST-two residential lots (zoned single family or duplex) each 5,000
INDIANA-residential lot w/frame bldg, "as is", cash only 3,000
E. MAPLE-Residential lot - will owner carry 1,250
E. HICKORY-Two residential lots - will owner carry - each lot is 1,250
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$57,000-713 W. PINE, very clean, brick, freshly painted, large 3 bedrooms, 2 tile floor bath, fireplace, skylight, ceiling fans, blinds, built in oven and stove top, dishwasher. 699-6717.

BY OWNER- 3805 Stanolind. Immaculate, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 living/dining area, updated throughout. All bedrooms sequestered. 1,938 square feet. Wonderful backyard. Must see! $71,900. 699-0227.

★ BY OWNER! 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 fireplaces, double garage. Northwest Midland. $63,500. 694-3722. Must See!

BY OWNER: 411 Sweetbriar. 694-8972. Well kept, one owner, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 living areas with built-ins, 2 garage, fireplace, new dishwasher, range, vinyl floors, approximately 1,700 square feet, $51,500.

THREE BEDROOM, two bath, remodeled, new paint, fenced corner lot. $34,000. New loan required. 4414 Erie. 683-4295.

WALLACE TOWNHOUSE Highland Park Addition, 3-2-2, prof decorated. Call for appt. By owner 685-0044.

NO CREDIT CHECK - 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, refrigerated air Payments $532, $4,000 down, balance $48,800. 5115 Belaire 694-5875.

★ BY OWNER! 3 bedroom, 2 bath, double garage, corner lot, landscaped. Northgate Addition. $51,000. 689-2750.

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$100,000 TO $200,000

RADCLIFF CT.-Stunning style and a kitchen/den to die for, plantation shutters, 5 bedrooms.....200,000
SINCLAIR-Tons of charm, 4BR, 2 story in Warwick area.....199,000
WEDGEWOOD-Custom quality in coveted Trinity Estates, 4BR/3BA, balcony, great yd.....197,500
PRINCETON-One of a kind. 5BR in super neighborhood. Loads of new & fresh.....189,500
GARFIELD-Luxury townhome, hi ceilings, great decor, 3BR/2BA.....189,000
COUNTRY CLUB-Lots of new in a charming 5BR/3 1/2 BA, 2 story, hdw flrs, sun porch.....187,500
TEAKWOOD-Loft gameroom, lots of amenities, 4BR/5BA.....179,500
ISLAND CIRCLE-4BR, 4 garage + shop, open plan.....176,500
RUSTIC TRAIL-One of the loveliest, lightest ever! Fabulous plan, 4BR/3BA/2liv, great view of crse.....174,500
ILLINOIS-Gracious 'n' spacious, 4BR near hospital, perfect for office/clinic conversion.....162,000
SEABOARD-Beautiful house with gorgeous drive-up appeal.....159,500
GREENTREE-Lovely home, 3/5, study, 2 living areas.....159,000
COLEMAN CT.-Fabulous custom/one owner, everything you want.....158,500
CASTLEFORD RD.-4BR/3BA,2LA in coveted Santa Rita district.....152,500
CARRINGTON-Scheduled for completion lte. Aug., grmt. kit., light & bright.....151,250
SEABOARD-Mature location, brand new decor make this a great buy at.....149,500
HAYNES-Entertaining minded contemporary w/3 living, pool, cabana, gameroom w/loft, 4BR.....149,500
SENTINEL-Beautifully redone, so open and light, view pool through French doors, lge. 4BR/3BA.....149,500
MEADOW VIEW LANE-Large 5BR/4BA, 2 acres. So. of GT.....148,000
NORTHFIELD-The best of Trinity, so shiny clean, beautifully decorated & family planned 4BR/3BA.....145,000
KINGSTON-Better than new! Big LA + lg. playroom.....144,900
CASTLEFORD-Wonderful B. Brown in super area.....139,900
TEAKWOOD-Quality, terrific plan, beautiful LAs.....139,500
CHATHAM-New Look! and 3 LA's on a beautiful quiet cul-de-sac, easy-care yard.....135,900
BEECHWOOD-Oustanding family home, could be 6 BR.....135,000
HEATHER-So lite, brite, updated, fabulous country kitchen.....134,000
SKYLINE DRIVE-Spacious bedrooms, pool, lots of living for.....128,000
CLUB-A "Charmer" in one of city's most charming areas, brick & hardwood flrs, 4/3.....127,500
LEHIGH-Beautiful 4/3, Parker School, xtras.....125,000
HAYNES-Wonderfully large TH, 2 LA, 3/4.....124,500
RICHMOND-Custom 2 story in Polo! 4/3, playroom.....122,000
WESTERN-Great buy in a spacious patio home, RV parking.....119,900
BRADFORD CT-Exciting new J. Leonard construction w/hydromulch, miniblinds, beautiful decor.....119,300
DARTMOUTH-New htg. cooling, gorgeous lndscp. yard, 4BR/3BA, 2 dining, 2LAs.....119,000
CASTLEFORD-Immaculate 3BR/2LA.....118,500
BRISTOL CT-Darling 4/3, Mamar cul-de-sac.....118,500
HODGES-Huge 4/5 TH superbly priced at.....117,000
WINCHESTER-Luxury TH, high ceilings, saltillo tile.....117,000
TANFORAN-Great arrangement on acreag. 2 sqstr. BR, strg, wkshp.....114,900
HILLSBORO-1 yr. young Leonard beauty! Great inviting decor, super area.....111,900
DOUGLAS-Unique 5/4, multi use possibilities.....110,000
***HARVARD**-Lots of character, space; beautiful area.....110,000
LEHIGH-All the extras + Gazebo, great 3/3.....110,000
PRINCETON-Need space? This 4/3 is it!.....105,000
FIELDS PLACE-Wonderful cul-de-sac, Beautifully cared for!.....109,500
WESTERN-Delightful TH, much upgrade, 2MBRs.....104,500
***AUBURN**-Across from the college, neat and spacious, home warranty, 4/3.....103,500
WHITNEY-Great one on Mamar. Pretty yard lots of space & room.....102,500

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$50,000 TO $100,000

METZ COURT-Fabulous kitchen, new carpet, sprinkler, great yard, spotless house.....99,500
DEL RIO-Fabulous resort home in great vacation area.....99,500
DAVENTRY-Nice neighborhood, great space, good price.....99,000
CRESTGATE-Enormous LA, great plan w/2BRs each side.....98,750
CRESTWOOD-Low maintenance yard, pretty kitchen, REDUCED.....97,000
CRESTMONT-Brand new 4BR/3BA home, seq. master & guest bedroom.....94,000
BOYD-Light & bright, large rooms, great yard, big closets.....93,000
***GOLF COURSE**-Sparkling clean lots of new, wonderful pool and backyard.....92,750
TEXAS-Old Midland, lots of character plus apartment, 4BR.....90,000
LEHIGH-Great drive-up, trees, 4 BR/3BA, great kitchen.....89,900
HARVARD-Totally re-done & beautiful.....89,900
SINCLAIR-Country retreat in the city-super 3/2 workshop.....89,900
EDGEMONT-Like new, large living area, very open. Special assumpt.....89,500
WHITMAN-3BR/2BA, sequestered master, front kitchen.....89,500
WESTERN-Lots of pizzazz! Gorgeous marble floors, large formal dining & living areas.....88,500
OAKMONT-Vaulted ceilings, lovely 3BR/2 BA with lots of extras.....87,900
PECAN-Darling 4BR w/hardwood floors, neat kitchen, large yard.....87,500
HARVARD-"Old Midland", great young family home, backyard w/privacy fence.....85,000
TEXAS-Perfect office for professionals-much redone-priced to sell!.....84,500
BELLECHASSE CT-Shiny clean! New kitchen vinyl, cul-de-sac, HO & softener.....83,900
BOYD-Charming home in "Old Midland"! Wood floors.....82,500
DUNKIRK-Excellent buy in great school area. Beautiful landscape.....82,000
McDONALD-Spotless, large corner lot, huge covered patio...79,999
WHITNEY-Wonderful low maintenance yard has 30'x14' pool w/covered deck.....79,950
NORTHTOWN PLACE-Non-qualifying assumption - hot tub.....79,900
DAVENTRY-Perfect home for young family vaulted ceilings, large spacious master, 3BR/2 BA.....79,900
EDGEMONT-3BR/2BA on cul-de-sac, neat & clean.....79,900
WILLINGHAM-Custom built 4-bedroom, wonderful kitchen, large home, home warranty.....79,900
HUGHES-4BR, 3 BA, study, Fannin, large yard.....79,500
VENTURA-Spacious townhome, super buy at.....79,500
FRONTIER-Beautiful yard, tiff grass, outside storage & kennel.....79,000
STANOLIND DR-Non-qualifying assumable loan 4/2.....78,200
CUTHBERT-Old Midland charm! Great lot, workshop.....77,000
RUSSELL-Light and bright home in super area. New flooring.....76,500
DENTCREST-Largest townhome on block. Many extras.....75,900
SEABOARD-Adorable home, has hobby or computer room, new carpet.....74,500
FANNIN-Beautiful and comfortable home. 3BR/2BA.....72,500
DENTCREST-Neat as a pin, all new carpet, parquet and vinyl.....69,900
MICHIGAN-Darling 3 BR w/lovely yard, 2 room rental attached, lots of new.....69,500
NAVAJO-Nice large brick home w/formal dining 3 BR/2 BA, large workshop, pool.....68,900
FRONTIER-Near Fannin Elem., fresh paint inside, sunroom.....68,500
GERALDINE-Supurb opportunity to own the family home. Large everywhere-Tienert pool-sunroom-4 BR/4 BA.....67,500
PRINCETON-Country living in town! Neat house & Price.....67,000
CIMMARON-Lovely home beautiful condition 3/2/2.....66,500
SAN ANTONIO-Bright & shiny. New carpet and tile floors.....66,500
CRESTMONT-3BR/2BA, formal dining, side entry garage.....66,000
LANHAM-Pick your own color carpet & vinyl, nice area, quiet neighborhood.....66,000
WHITTLEWAY-Vaulted ceiling den, big kitchen, cul-de-sac.....59,950
SAN ANTONIO-Light, bright & quality! 3/2 1 LA, formal dining, xtra special kitchen cabinets, bond money asmpt.....59,900
CUTHBERT-Spacious, bright, fabulous 10x30 scrn proch. Kitch flr & roof being replaced. Poss. owner carry.....59,000
LOUISIANA-Non-qualifying assumption, owner will carry second.....58,900
FANNIN-NQ assumption. Pretty home, nice plan, 3/2.....58,250
BOYD-Fresh, clean, lots of new. Great price!.....55,000
SIESTA-3 great duplex buys.....55,000
"D"-Pretty street appeal. Charming home. 3/2.....53,900
BROADWAY-Beautiful 3 BR/ 2 BA "Old Midland".....52,900
AINSLEE-4/2 with ground pool, lots of sq. ft. for the money.....52,000
ANETTA-New paint, new look, large master suite.....52,000

$200,000 AND UP

HARVARD-The most outstanding home in Midland! Charm, quality, graciousness through out, 6 bedrooms, 7 baths, 4 fireplaces, formals, den, sunroom, 2 playrooms, updstairs gameroom, dark room, firing range, bulter's pantry, maids quarters, pool, greenhouse, Please call Joanne Langston for additional details.....1,800,000
SADDLE CLUB-Spacious two-story living room, amenities galore! Pool, tennis courts.....525,000
W. CO. RD. 60-4BR/4BA, guest & caretaker's houses, tennis court, gazebo, stable, 17 acres.....695,000
CUTHBERT-Tons of space, tons of charm in this Old Midland Treasure.....375,000
SINCLAIR-Custom one owner in Mdiland's most coveted location.....325,000
BLAKEMORE-Fabulous James Morris custom. 5/5. Cul-de-sac location in coveted area.....275,000
HIALEAH-Beautiful custom w/ parquet floors, imported tiles, 10' ceiling 4BR/5BA in Saddle Club Estates.....273,000
HIALEAH-Must see to believe the metamorphosis of this excellent home - All new everything - 4BR/5BA.....265,000
SADDLE CLUB LAKES-Gorgeous home, Paul West built. Lots of brick, hardwood, tile and marble.....250,000
***SEQUOIA**-One of a kind custom built, master br on first floor. Large rooms, open and spacious.....239,900
SADDLE CLUB RANCH ESTATES-beautiful custom 4BR/3 1/2 BA with spacious formals warm den, seq. gameroom, hot tub. Fabulous family home in a highly restricted suburban area.....239,500
HACKBERRY COURT-"Top drawer" perfect. Unbelievable, terrace, hot tub, sauna.....235,000
CRESCENT PLACE-One of a kind townhome, coveted area.....230,000
TEAKWOOD-Many extras in this beautiful home - stained glass, plantation shutters, 2 wet bars.....220,000
SPRINGFIELD COURT-Beautiful Bill Brown home, 1 year old-light and bright 4BR/4BA.....217,000
SHELL-Stunning remodel in Warwick, great entertainment home, high ceilings, country kitchen.....210,000
LOCKHEED-Beautiful entertaining home, 3 LAs, pool plus cabana, hardwood floors.....210,000
RADCLIFF COURT-Cut above the rest! Custom Trinity West.....208,000

WHAT'S NEW? WHAT'S REDUCED?

ASHLIN DR-Stunning contemporary, gorgeous location, fab entertaining home w/sparkling pool.....197,500
PRINCETON-Country in City! 40x50 barn w/overhead doors. Fabulous pool.....139,500
HARVARD-Finest construction, Fabulous landscaping, custom one owner, beautiful pool.....215,000
BAYBROOK CT-Off and Running! Mockingbird Heights! New construction by Gil Bates.....198,500
MEADOWRIDGE-Bill Brown quality in 4 BR/3 1/2 BA, lots of space, luxurious seq mstr BR.....197,500
WOOD DR.-Spacious ranchstyle home in the city.....192,500
EDGEBROOK DR-Fantastic new Gilbert Bates construction w/all the usual amenities and more.....160,500
SEABOARD-Beautiful house with gorgeous drive-up appeal.....150,500
NORTHFIELD-The best of Trinity, so shiny clean, beautifully decorated & family planned 4BR/3BA.....145,000
KINGSTON-Better than new! Big LA + lg. playroom.....144,900
BEECHWOOD-Outstanding family home, could be 6BR.....135,000
JUNIPER CT-Stunning contemporary, skylights, tile flrs, made for entertaining.....134,500
CANTERBURY-Great floor plan! seq. mstr & guest beds. Charming courtyard.....129,000
S FM 715-30 Pecan trees, 2 barns, horse stalls, 2 water well, windmill, satellite sys.....125,000
LEHIGH-Beautiful 4/3, Parker school, xtras.....125,000
CALDERA-Great location for townhouse development! Close to shopping!.....120,000
SENTINEL-Remodeled over the years. All rooms are large, swimming pool + 2 car garage.....114,900
WHITNEY-Great one on Mamar. Pretty yard lots of space & room.....102,500
FAIRFAX-Large 4BR/2LA/2dining/3 baths w/pretty pool, workshop.....100,000
FOXBORO-Beautifully decorated inside with great drive-up appeal.....99,500

SUBURBAN

W. CO. RD. 42-Sprklered, crossfenced 40 ac w/charming home, stables, barns, shop, bunk house, super bldg site.....365,000
S. CO. RD. 150-Sunken liv, den, study, 2 FP, form. din.....139,900
FM 307-3/3 on 5 ac, shop or barn, beautiful yard.....124,500
E. CO. RD. 127-Lg. 4/2 w/barns, lited arena, good water.....109,000
E. LOOP 250N-Stunning style on 2.5 ac.....87,500
S. CO. RD. 1129-Seq. MBR, cathedral ceiling, super 3/3.....85,900
CO. RD. 56 WEST-Stylish 4/3, great country kitchen, form. din.....82,900
PECAN-1982 DW Schultz on P&B, barns, 3 corrals, fenced.....53,000
S. CO. RD. 1110-Lg. bedrooms, screened porch, 15 acres.....50,000
CO. RD. 1208-Good space in a 3/2, 2 LA, FP, storm shelter.....43,900
W. CO. RD. 118-Super clean 3BR on 1 acre.....33,900
W. CO. RD. 52-3/2 mobile hm on nice grassed lot, stg.....24,900

$9,500 TO $50,000

LOUISIANA-Well built, corner lot 3 BR/2 BA.....49,900
COLLEGE-Investment property near downtown.....49,500
SIESTA-Fully leased duplex!.....48,000
STOREY-1st time buyers check this one out 3/2.....48,000
DELANO-This won't last long, non-qualifying, low equity.....46,900
GLENWOOD-Super nice home, bond money assumpt on low pmt.....46,900
NICKLAUS-Nice home, 3BR/2BA, high ceilings.....45,500
BOYD-Charming home, great condition! 3 BR/2 BA.....45,500
SHANDON-Good investment property.....45,000
DELMAR-Non-qualifying assumption, 3/2, workshop.....44,900
CUTHBERT-New carpet, xtra clean-Non-qualifying loan.....44,900
ROOSEVELT-Huge 21'x21' shop, oversized patio, nice extras.....42,900
ANETTA-Remodeled ready to move in, 3BR/2BA.....42,000
WILLOWOOD-Needs TLC. Owner will give allowance.....41,500
DORMARD-Perfect dollhouse 3BR/2BA.....39,900
BAUMANN-Nice starter. Kitchen dog run, 3/2.....39,900
W. STOREY-Great starter home. New paint, carpet, formal dining.....32,900
SIESTA-One side of duplex for sale great price!.....32,000
"A"-Cottage home w/new paint and carpet.....28,500
"F"-Cute apartment in rear, large living w/fireplace.....24,900
KENTUCKY-New roof, central air & heat, carpet, hardwood floors.....23,500
CARRIZO-Great investment property-Duplex 2/1 each side.....19,900
ANETTA-Freshly painted inside. Good property.....19,900
KESSLER-Modest home w/ref. air, carpet, great corner location.....18,800

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NEW LISTINGS

WOOD DRIVE-Country living but still in the city; beautiful 4 BR, 3 BA, 2 L.A., 2 living home located on 5.33 acres on street directly south of Greentree. Pipe fence surrounds property, water well, metal barn, sprinklers, zoned hobi. Will sell 3.33 acres separately.....$192,500
FRONTIER-Motivated seller wants offers on this 4 BR, 2 BA family home 1/2 block from Fannin school. OPEN TODAY 3-6.....$582,500
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A LOT OF LIVIN' TO DO and lots of room for it in this...3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath sitting on 1.5 acres. Large family room with fireplace and built-ins, plus glassed in playroom. You will also find a office - utility room - 30x50 barn. Only $69,900.00.

★New listing by Owner★
Must see in old Midland!!! 2508 Sinclair. Tastefully updated, 4 BR, 3½ BA, 3 LA, hardwood floors, sequestered guest room, great kitchen. Wonderful trees, sprinkler system, bed bubblers, yard lights, approx. 3,300 sq. ft. Fannin. $155,000.
By Appointment 685-0505

★ NON-QUALIFYING Assuamble- 5108 Canadian-$3,250 low equity, payments $677, by owner, 3 bedrooms, 2 bath, freshly painted, 2 car garage, lovely yard. 697-0493.

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LATE BREAKING REPORT! Contract fell through on exceptional family home. YOU may benefit with savings. Perfect 3 bedroom, 2 bath, large living area with fireplace, two car garage.

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THIS HOUSE IS FOR YOU!
Large home on 5.19 acres waiting for new owner! Five wells, barn horse pens, and big trees all go with the 4 bedroom and 3 baths. Call Jane Weldon at 689-7700 or 694-9855.

409 PLAYER COURT
Custom built - one owner. Sequestered master - Flowing floorplan - Cul-de-sac location - Price reduced. Call Rebecca at 689-7700 or 685-3803.

GREENWOOD
Non-qualifying assumption and low monthly payments - Horse facilities - Completely fenced - Like new home with 3 bedrooms and 2 baths. Call Rebecca at 689-7700 or 685-3803.

HORSE LOVERS
Perfect set up. Large 3 bedroom, 2 bath double wide mobile in excellent condition on 2 acres fenced with pipe. Four covered pipe stalls. Qualifying assumption with low equity and **only 3 1/2 years left!!** Call Nancy Kilgore at 689-7700 or 684-9077.

BRING US AN OFFER WE CAN'T REFUSE!
Owner has moved out of state and we need offer on 3202 W. Illinois 3 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms - large rooms. Compare anywhere at $24,900. Call June Martin to see at 689-7700 or 694-9389.

NON-QUALIFYING ASSUMPTION IN SADDLE CLUB SOUTH
No red tape or delays to assume the FHA loan on this custom built home. Loaded with extras - including hot tub, water softener, alarm system, security system and more. Low equity! Won't Last Long! Hurry and call June Martin at 689-7700 or 694-9389.

✔ PRICED REDUCED! By owner 2401 Wydewood. Parade Of Homes. 3 bedroom, formal dining, lots of extras. $80,000. 694-5419.

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NON QUALIFYING ASSUMPTION: 3 bedroom with gorgeous yard, Saddle Club South. Equity $7,400, payments $859, interest 10.25, 25 years, total $77,900. Enjoy family living now in this great neighborhood! Kaye Horchler 682-6637, Langston Realtors 685-0400.

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CUTE! CUTE!
New Listing on Travis. 3 BR's, 2 LA's, 1 bath,- Large Garage & workshop. Super condition. Green-Green lawn...
$28,000
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OWNER FINANCING 4401 Harlowe, 3 bedroom, 1 bath, 1 car garage brick home, fenced yard, newly remodeled. $1,500 down, $357 monthly for 15 years. 1-263-5521 or leave message.

730 Suburban Property

2.5 ACRES north of airport, 2 large bedrooms, 2 baths. Walk-in closets, pantry and laundry room. $65,000. Call 699-7310, leave message.

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AINSLEE-Super family home with space! 4 BR, 3 LA, low maintenance yard $215,000
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CORD-Kimberlea 3 bedroom, new carpet, some new paint $74,900

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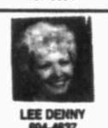
NEW JERSEY-Commercial, excellent location, office, warehouse $149,900
TREVINO-Super 3 BR w/sequestered master, fresh paint, new carpet $85,000
FLORIDA-Large corner lot, currently used car sales, high traffic $49,000
RIC-Non-qualifying assumption, corner lot, 3 BR, 2 BA, great buy $48,500
HARLOWE-2 bedroom, 1 bath, great starter home, priced to sell! $37,500
DAKOTA-6 residential lots, will sell individually $25,000
RIO GRANDE-Northgate lot, owner will finance, price is right! $4,900



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CHATHAM-Lovely 4 BR, 2 LA home on quiet cul-de-sac, reduced! $112,000
CRESTWOOD-Corporate wants offers! Great floor plan, 4 BR, reduced to $104,900
WINFIELD-Lovely 4 bedroom with great cul-de-sac locale, landscaped $98,750
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BRISTOL CT-Mint condition, lots new, great location, 2 living areas $139,900
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HUNTINGTON-Large family home, 5 BR, 3 LA, great buy for the area $75,000
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CUTHBERT-Old Midland beauty, 5 BR, 2 LA, exclusive estate $495,000
COMPTON-Like new 3 bedroom in Skyline, sparkles! $96,000
ANGELINA-Handyman's dream home! Super location, super low price $67,000
OHIO-Immaculate 2 or 3 bedroom, huge living area, super nice $56,000
TENNESSEE-Super clean 3 bedroom, 2 living area, nice area, live oaks, great buy $34,300

730 Suburban Property

KNIFFEN ESTATES-3908 Irvin. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 garage, vaulted ceiling, raised paneling, 1.3 acres. Owner- asking $85,000. 687-6900.

GREENWOOD - Charming country home. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage, sequestered master bedroom, large den with fireplace and cathedral ceiling. Pipe fenced with lots of room for livestock, on approximately 4.25 acres. $79,000. 685-3403.

POLO CLUB, 2.5 acres, beautiful home, barns, stable. Call Bobette, RE/MAX 682-8820 or 687-2558.

GREENWOOD. FOR SALE by owner. Many extras in this charming 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage, fully fenced backyard, lots of trees. Call 683-9326 for appointment.

COUNTRY WITH A FLAIR! Large assumable Santa Fe. 3 baths! Trees! Weiler Associates Realtors. 699-4410.

GREENWOOD: prime location - South County Road 1130, 2½ acres, 2 water wells. 3 bedroom, 2 bath double wide mobile home, 2 car carport. Asking $35,000. Will consider owner finance with adequate down payment. 694-4804.

740 Out of Town Property

HUNTERS. 100 acres west Texas ranch south of Midland near Sanderson. Deer. Turkey. Quail. Dove. $495 down. $161 per month. Owner financed. No credit check. 512-921-6476.

4 BEDROOM, 2 bath, completely modernized home. 22 Acres, well improved with excellent water. Barn, corral, workshop. Ideal for stock or Ostrich. Abilene area. 915-893-4642.

750 Lots and Acreage

LOTS FOR SALE in Trinity Estates. Located on Wedgewood at Wadley. Call 915-833-8842.

LAND FOR SALE, Greenwood area. $3,000 per acre. 8 acres per sale. Contact 688-7288 from 7 - 4.

LOVELY 2 ACRE HOMESITE near Greentree Country Club surrounded by 80 established trees, city water, Zoned AE. Call 697-0542 or 683-7821.

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¾ ACRE commercial lot, 6' chain link fence, water well and septic tank. County Road 1205 and Francis Street, $10,000. 683-4295.

2.5 ACRES, ½ mile West of 1788 on CR 52W. Water well, paved access. $10,000. 580-5035 or 362-5953.

750 Lots and Acreage

POSSUM KINGDOM deeded lake front lot looking through historical Hell's Gate. Access to lodge, pool, tennis. Central water and sewer. Will finance. 1-800-621-8590.

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ACREAGE FOR SALE!

GREENWOOD-2 acres- Co. Rd. 1114 & 110. 40 x 50 horse barn $16,500.
CO.RD. 1185- Barn, corrals, stalls, tack room, office, mobile home, lighted arena. Offers! $65,500.
OFF FM 1788-2.5 acre. 12 x 12 wellhouse. REDUCED! $9,000.
CO.RD. 1218 S- 10.54 acres. Seller will consider trade for in-town property. $20,000.
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ONE ACRE LOTS NEAR GREENWOOD: choose your site and owner may finance. Name your terms, and he will deal. Kaye Horchler 682-6637, Langston Realtors 685-0400.

LARGE LOTS NEAR GREENWOOD: Two large lots you must see. One over 7 acres, one is nearly 12. Owner can finance, just make the offer! Kaye Horchler 682-6637, Langston Realtors 685-0400.

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770 Resort Property

LAKE LBJ WATERFRONT, 3 bedroom, 3 bath, custom built, hot tub, private fenced patio, boat house with lift, many many extras. $175,000. 915-388-3009.

3 BEDROOM lake place, 2 bath, central heat/ air, fireplace, total electric, Lake Spence. 682-8913.

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338 ACRES. 11 miles east of Eden. Immaculate 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 3 water wells, one good tank. Excellent hunting and minerals.

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770 Resort Property

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780 Business Property

903 S. MIDKIFF. Retail location in good locale. Call Bidco Property Management. 335-3409.

123 E. 52nd, Odessa. Retail location with shop area. Call Bidco Property Management. 335-3409.

8701 I-20E. 2.71 acres, fenced yard with two large buildings with office space. Located on service road East of Odessa. Call Bidco Property Management. 335-3409.

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BUILDING SUITABLE for convenience store. Located on FM 1788, North of Terminal. Some equipment. Call 915-267-5513 Ext. 110.

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922 N. GRANT, ODESSA. Retail location on corner lot. Call Bidco Property Management, 335-3409.

SALE OR RENT: 2900 W. FRONT. Big purple building, masonry, 32,000 sq. ft., fenced, paved. Rent $1,900. Price $199,000, negotiable. 684-8222.

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ORIOLE...UNDER CONTRACT...Kathy Phillips
RUSTIC TRAIL...UNDER CONTRACT...Karen Foster
COUNTRY CLUB - 4br, frpl, 3.5 +.5ba, 3LA, Old Midland...$259,500
SEQUOIA - 5br, 4ba, 2LA, 2 frpl, Greentree...$259,000
CHOATE - 5br, fd, 2frpl, 3 car garage, 4ba, 2LA, PRETTY...$252,500
TRINITY MEADOWS - 6br, fd, frpl, 7ba, 2LA, POOL...$250,000
TEAKWOOD - 3br, fd, 2LA, 2frpl, 2-car garage, 3.5ba...$238,000
ORIOLE - 4br, 2LA, 2-story, 3ba, wet bar, Milton Lary...$227,500
FOXHOLLOW - 5br, kb, fd, 3frpl, 3-car garage, 3ba, 2LA...$214,900
MAYBERRY - 6br, kb, fd, frpl, 2-car garage, 3.75+.5ba, 3LA...$212,000
HARVARD - 4br, fd, 2frpl, 2-car garage, 3.5ba, 2LA...$206,000
MAMAR - Family Sized, 7br, 2LA, 4.5ba, pool & more!...$200,000
WEDGEWOOD - 5br, kb, fd, 2frpl, 2-car garage, 4ba, 2LA...$200,000
EDINBURGH - 4br, kb, fd, frpl, 3-car garage, 3ba, 1LA...$199,900
SADDLE CLUB - 3br, frpl, 2-car garage, 4ba, 2LA...$199,900
BASSWOOD - 4br, kb, fd, frpl, 2-car garage, 2.5ba, 2LA...$199,900
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SUFFOLK - 4br, fd, frpl, 3-car garage, 3.5ba, 2LA...$163,500
THAMES - 4br, 2LA, 3ba, fd, Gorgeous Kelly Young Resale...$160,500
RUSTIC TRAIL...UNDER CONTRACT...Jeannie Printz
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NORTHFIELD - 3br, kb, ld, frpl, 2-car garage, 3.5ba, 2LA...$153,500
COLEMAN - 4br, 3ba, 2LA, Choose your colors, KYOUNG...$153,000
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TEAKWOOD - 4br, 3.5ba, L/D, Passive Solar...$149,500
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COLEMAN...UNDER CONTRACT...Karen Foster
HACKBERRY - 4br, fd, frpl, 2-car garage, 2.5bâ, 2LA...$142,900
TERRA - 4br, 2LA, 2.5ba, 3-car garage, security system...$137,000
HODGES - 2br, 2ba, 1LA, kb, ld, 2frpl,...$130,000
EXETER - 3br, kb, ld, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$130,000
CO RD 54 - 3br, kb, fd, 2frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 2LA...$129,900
CYPRESS - 4br, 3.5ba, workout room w/ spa, 2LA...$129,900
HEATHER - 4br, kb, fd, frpl, 2-car garage, 3.5ba, 3LA...$127,900
TERRA - 3br, 2frpl, 3-car garage, 2LA, 2ba,...$127,500
CULPEPPER - 4br, 3.5ba, 2-car garage, frpl, Southwest...$124,500
CO RD 1140 - 3br, 2frpl, 3ba, 3LA...$122,240
HYDE PARK - 4br, fd, frpl, 2-car garage, 4ba, 3LA...$119,000
CRESTRIDGE - 4br, kb, fd, frpl, 2-car garage, 3ba, 1LA...$118,900
SEABOARD - 4br, 3LA, 3.5ba, outside storage, family home...$118,900
STRATTON - 4br, kb, fd, frpl, 2ba, 2LA, 2-car garage...$118,900
CAROL - 4br, fd, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 2LA...$117,500
SHELL - 3br, 2ba, L/D, Coveted Area of Old Midland...$114,000
TAMARIND - 4br, kb, fd, frpl, 2-car garage, 2.5ba, 1LA...$112,900
BERMUDA...UNDER CONTRACT...John Fields
CRESTWOOD - 4br, frpl, 2-car garage, 3ba, 1LA...$110,000
BISHOPS - 3br, kb, bb, frpl, 2-car garage, 2.5ba...$106,900
CRESTGATE...UNDER CONTRACT...Vicky Garrett
WESTMINISTER - 3br, 3ba, 2LA, lush landscape, corner lot...$105,000
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FAIRVIEW - 4br, 3ba, 1LA, 2-story, gazebo...$103,000
KIN RICHARDS ROW - 3br, 2ba, 2LA, gorgeous decor...$102,500
OAKMONT - 4br, kb, fd, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba...$100,000
CRESTRIDGE - 4br, frpl, 2-car garage, 3ba, 2LA...$99,900
HAYNES - 3br, frpl, 2-car garage, 2.5ba, 2LA...$99,900
OAKMONT - 4br, kb, bb, frpl, 2-car garage, 3ba, 1LA...$99,800
CRESTGATE - 3br, frpl, 2car garage, 3ba, 2LA...$99,000
AUBURN - 4br, 2LA, 3ba, frpl, close to schools & shopping...$98,000
HUMBLE - 3br, 2LA, 2.5ba, frpl, flagstone floors...$97,500
APPERSON - 4br, kb, ld, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 2LA...$95,000
DAVENTRY - 3br, bk, bb, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$95,000
ORIOLE - 3br, kb, fd, 2 frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 2LA...$94,900
BRUNSWICK - 3br, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$94,500
WESTMINISTER - 3br, kb, ld, 2frpl, 2ba, 2LA, 2-car garage...$94,000
GOLF COURSE - 4br, 2ba, 2LA, home full of surprises!...$92,900
PURPLE SAGE - 3br, kb, ld, fprl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$92,500
EDGEMONT - 3br, kb, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$90,000
ST ANDREWS - 4br, fd, frpl, 2-car garage, 2.5ba, 1LA...$89,990
McCLINTIC - 3br, 2La, 2ba, frpl, cul-de-sac location...$89,900
COMMUNITY - 3br, 2LA, 2.5ba, 2carport, sprinkler...$89,900
GREENBRIAR - 4br, fd, frpl, 2ba, 3LA...$89,900
NORWOOD - 4br, kb, bb, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$89,900
COUNTRY CLUB...UNDER CONTRACT...Karen Foster
ANDOVER - 4br, kb, fd, frpl, 2-car garage, 2.5ba, 2LA...$87,500
IMPERIAL...UNDER CONTRACT...Corporate
KESWICK...UNDER CONTRACT...Kay Sutton
RAINBOW - 3br, 2.5ba, 2LA, lots of extras...$87,500
PRINCETON - 3br, 2LA, fprl, 2ba, mint condition!...$85,000
BROADWAY - 4br, 2ba, 3LA, fd, Old Midland Charm...$85,000
KANSAS - 4br, kb, fd, frpl, 2-car garage, 3ba, 2LA...$85,000
DYER - 3br, kb, fd, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$84,900
GLENEAGLES - 4br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, 2-car garage...$84,900
MEADOWBROOK - 3br, 2.5ba, 1LA, Patio Home...$84,500
CAMARIE - 4br, kb, ld, frpl, 2-car garage, 3ba, 2LA...$84,500
KESWICK - 3br, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba,2LA...$83,500
"L" STREET - 3br, 2LA, 2ba, updated delight, deck & more...$83,500
WESTMINISTER...UNDER CONTRACT...Vicky Garrett
GLENEAGLES...UNDER CONTRACT...Vicky Garrett
HAYNES - 2br, kb, ld, 2frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$81,900
GLENEAGLES - 4br, kb, ld, frpl, 2-car garage, 3ba, 1LA...$81,500
CO RD 1247...UNDER CONTRACT...Kay Pederson
WEDGEWOOD - 2br, 2.5ba, lr, study, pool, 2-car garage...$79,900
FAIRBANKS - 3br, kb, fd, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$79,500
WESTMONT - 3br, kb, fd, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$78,900
CIMMARON...UNDER CONTRACT...Corporate
EMERSON - 3br, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1 LA...$77,500
SUNSHINE - 4br, kb, ld, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$77,500
SANDHILL - 3br, fd, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$77,000
VISTA - 3br, ld, fd, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$77,000
GODFREY - 3br, kb, ld, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 2LA...$76,500
LOUISIANA - 4br, ld,frpl, 2-car garage, 3ba, 2LA...$76,000
VENTURA...UNDER CONTRACT...Norma Barnes
FAIRBANKS...UNDER CONTRACT...Peggy Strong
FANNIN...UNDER CONTRACT...Polly Hodge
WYDEWOOD...UNDER CONTRACT...Vicky Garett
CAMARIE - 3br, kb, bb, frpl, 2-car garage, 1.75ba, 2LA...$72,500
PRESTON - 3br, kb, fd, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$72,500
DENGAR...UNDER CONTRACT...Polly Hodge
CLAREMONT - 3br, kb, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$72,000
"I" - 4br, fd, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 2LA...$70,000
ELMA - 3br, kb, bb, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$69,900
FLARE - 3br, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$69,900
DORA...UNDER CONTRACT...Jeannie Printz
REGAL...UNDER CONTRACT...Kay Pederson
LANHAM - Old Midland, 3br, 2ba, 2 la, pool...$69,900
RIDGLEA - 3br, 2ba, 3LA, much updating, CHARM!...$69,900
WYDEWOOD...UNDER CONTRACT...Corporate
IMPERIAL - 3br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl, great shop...$69,900
ELMA...UNDER CONTRACT...Vicky Garrett
MISSOURI...UNDER CONTRACT...Corporate
CHON COVE - 4br, kb, frpl, 2-car garage, 2.5ba, 1LA...$68,900
MEREDITH - 3br,fd, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 2LA...$68,000
WHITTLE WAY...UNDER CONTRACT...J. Frank Nall
FREDNA...UNDER CONTRACT...Norma Barnes/Polly Hodge
ST ANDREWS - 3br, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$67,000
MARK LANE - 3br, 1LA, 2ba, frpl, shady yard...$66,500
CIMMARON - 3br, 2ba, frpl, 2-car garage, updated!...$65,000
CO RD 90 - 3br, kb, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 2LA...$65,000
PROVIDENCE - 4br, kb, fd, 2 frpl, 2-car garage, 3ba, 2LA...$65,000
ALCOVE - 3br, 1LA, 2ba, frpl, study, pretty landscape...$64,900
PHILLIPS...UNDER CONTRACT...Kay Sutton
NORWOOD - 3br, 2LA, 2ba, frpl, low, low maintenance...$64,500
EMERSON - 3br, 2ba, 2LA, frpl, spotless!...$63,500
LASALLE - 3br, frpl, 2ba, 1LA, New Construction!...$63,500
BAUMAN - 3br, 2ba, 1LA, fd, lots of updating...$62,500
TERRACE - 3br, 2LA, 2ba, 2-car garage...$62,500
CULVER - 3br, 2ba, 1LA, frpl, lots of updating...$62,500
MARCIE - 3br, 2ba, 1LA, storm windows, large backyard...$61,500
WINDSOR - 3br, 2ba, 2LA...$61,000
CO RD 2600 - Stanton, 3br, 1LA, 2ba, frpl...$60,000
GOLF COURSE - 3br, lf, bb, frpl, 2ba, 2LA, carport & garage...$60,000
WYDEWOOD - 3br, 2LA, 2ba, 2-car garage, study of LA...$60,000
GODDARD...UNDER CONTRACT...Suellen Nall
HUMBLE...UNDER CONTRACT...Peggy Strong
HUGHES - 3ba, kb, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$59,900
MARCIE - 3br, kb, fd, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$59,900
NEELY...UNDER CONTRACT...Corporate
FM715 - 3br, kb, bb, frpl, 2ba, 2LA, 2.1 acres...$59,900
CIMMARON - 3 Large br, 2LA, 2ba,...$59,700
GULF...UNDER CONTRACT...Karen Foster
CAMARIE - 3br, kb, ld, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 2LA...$59,000
HUMBLE - 3br, 2ba, 2LA, workshop, beautiful trees, deck...$58,500
CO RD 132 - 3br, ld, frpl, 2-car garage, 1.75+.5ba, 1LA...$57,000
NEELY - 3br, 2LA, 2ba, good storage...$56,500
McDONALD - 3br, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$54,900
SHANDON - 3br, fd, frpl, 2ba, 2 car garage...$54,900
BRAZOS - 3br, bb, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$54,500
LOUISIANA...UNDER CONTRACT...Nance' Boyd
PASADENA - 3br, kb, bb, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 2LA...$53,500

NEW LISTINGS

MINT CONDITION! Wonderful family home close to the mall and Parker Elementary - 4 bedrooms, spacious living area or 3 bedrooms and 2 living areas, much new in recent years - carpet, skylights, sprinkler system, storage building, ceramic tile in baths, vinyl in kitchen and so much more! Great kitchen with breakfast bar, wood casement windows and already landscaped! Better hurry - this one is priced below $90,000! Call and ask for KAY PEDERSON, Associate, evenings, 682-4922

LEASE OR SALE!! Owners need to sell this month! Kimberlea area - close to the mall - 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 living areas, totally remodeled kitchen, great utility area with storage, mature area with trees and pretty landscape, neutral decor, light and bright. Priced to sell at $95,000 or will lease for $1,000.00 per month. Don't delay, call and ask for KAY PEDERSON, Associate, evenings, 682-4922.

GREENTREE ON THE COURSE! What a deal! Huge 4 bedroom, 3 bath for $129,900! This home has formals - living and dining, plus family room, huge sequestered master suite with study and spa room adjoining. Sprctacualr view, lovely landscaping and on one of the prettiest cul-de-sacs in Greentree. It's rare to find this size at this price - especially in Greentree. Call NORMA BARNES, Associate, eveings, 683-1334.

DON'T MISS THIS OPPORTUNITY for 4 spacious bedrooms, 3 baths, and rear entry garage with extra parking near Bush elementary. Great room is huge with wall of built-ins and beautiful fireplace! Gourmet kitchen big enough for entire tribe to help cook! Located on cul-de-sac across from Essex park in Fantastic Fairmont Park. (NOT in Flood Plain!) Spruced up & ready to sell so call today and ask for PEGGY STRONG, Associate, evenings, 694-5762.

ONCE IN A LIFETIME ... does value like this come along! Stunning custom built beauty featuring A LOT MORE than just 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, and 2-car garge. Drippling with TLC, this well-thought out home boasts of luxurious extras including spacious sequestered master, french doors leading to exquisite bath with tub and separate shower and huge skylight for MOM, manicured landscaping withsprinklers, and Essex park just around the corner for the kids! Only $90,000. Call PEGGY STRONG, Associate, evenings, 694-5762.

BETTER THAN NEW! Fresh paint inside and out, 3 large bedrooms, 2 full baths, separate formal dining, spacious kitchen with microwave & nice breakfast area with built-in hutch. Security system, water softener, extra large covered patio with pool sized yard, storage building and dog run on the side, rear entry garage - all this & more for only $72,500. Call today and ask for NANCE' BOYD, Associate, evenings, 697-2728.

OUTFOX THE LANDLORD! Get on the trail to home ownership in this 2-bedroom, one-bath home priced at $20,000.00. Call for details of a FHA 203K plan for sweat-equity ownership! Talk to PAT CARL, Associate, evenings, 682-4000.

BACK IN THE MARKET... and priced for a speedy sale with new carpet, paint and kitchen flooring. Family room with brick fireplace, great closet space and humongous backyard, all in this 3 bedroom, 2 bath with formal living. $543,000. Quick action required. Call VICKY GARRETT, Associate, evenings, 683-0976.

IDEAL LOCATION Quiet street that ends in cul-de-sac in desirable north Midland location. Big 4 bedroom, 2.5 baths with extra large kitchen with room for all the family to cook. Pretty shaded patio for evening entertaining. Hurry on this one! Please call ANITA NOLES, Associate, evenings, 694-5255.

LOW MAINTENANCE Front yard with circle drive leads into this spacious 4 bedroom home located on a quiet cul-de-sac. Two big living areas plus formal dining room. Small backyard for your pets or play area. To view this home, please call ANITA NOLES, Associate, evenings, 694-5255.

HANDYMAN'S DELIGHT! Wonderful mature area on 3 lots in "Old Midland". Spacious 4 bedroom home with 3 baths, formal living and formal dining, separate maid quarters, fireplace - loaded with charm! This house has loads of potential to be a real show home. Call today and ask for KAY PEDERSON, Associate, evenings, 682-4922.

WYDEWOOD BEAUTY IN THE $60'S! You'll appreciate the TLC this 3 bedroom, 2 bath home has had. Located on a nice corner lot with pretty landscaping, this home is in Bush elementary. $69,900 and one you won't want to miss. Family perfect in every way. Call today and ask for NORMA BARNES, Associate, evenings, 683-1334 or POLLY HODGE, Associate, evenings, 683-2215.

HARD TO BE HUMBLE ... when you've got so much to boast about! Drippling with TLC this 3 bedroom home will tickle the hearts of the pickiest buyer! Super, super closets, sequestered master with walk-thru his/her luxurious bath, many custom ceiling treatments, gorgeous backyard with covered patio, fireplace, all the extras you have come to expect in Fantastic Fairmont Park. Located in Bush district for UNBELIEVABLE price of only 67,000. Call PEGGY STRONG, Associate, evenings, 694-5762 this one won't last long!

BEAUTIFULLY LANDSCAPED CORNER LOT is on the frosting on the cake for this large lovely home with 3 bedrooms, 3 baths, large formal dining room, formal living room and sequestered family room, perfect kitchen with work island and 2-car garage in the back. Also room to park and RV! What else is there for just over $100,000? Call and find out! Ask for JEANNIE PRINTZ, Associate, evenings, 699-1641.

TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THIS GREAT LOCALE AND PRICE! 3 Bedrooms, 2 baths, large living area with an alcove that could be used as a formal dining room. 2-Car garage, covered patio, sequestered master, in Northtown addition for $69,900. Call KAY SUTTON, Associate, evenings, 694-8640.

SPECIAL FEATURES

SADDLE CLUB RANCH ESTATES on 2.5 acres sets this stately 2-story home with 4 bedrooms, formal dining plus a study, 3 baths, and 3-car garage. The kitchen has a huge island and lots of cabinets. There are large pecan trees and lush landscaping. This professionally decorated home has walls of windows and is located in a very desirable subdivision. Horses are allowed and its close to town. Owner transferred and wants offers. Call NORMA BARNES, Associate, evenings, 683-1334.

NEED A NON-QUALIFYING ASSUMPTION? We have a beauty in Old Midland! Three bedrooms, 2 living areas, formal dining, tile fence and all updated. Fresh paint, nice updated kitchen. Its gorgeous and its easy to get into. Owner will consider carrying part of equity. Call NORMA BARNES, Associate, evenings, 683-1334.

PAMPERED AND PRETTY Three bedrooms, 2 bath for $51,900 and it has 2 large living areas, 2-car garage, refrigerated air and fireplace. The yard is beautiful and the back is cross fenced with plenty of room for a garden or shop. Large covered patio, storage building. This brick home is hard to beat at this price. Call NORMA BARNES, Associate, evenings, 683-1334.

FANTASTIC FAIRMONT PARK AT IT'S BEST! Immaculate 3 bedroom home features sunken living with vaulted custom wood accented ceilings, fireplace flanked by bookcases and super wet bar for the entertainer! You will love the formal dining with chair railing, kitchen with breakfast room, front and rear covered patios, 2-car rear garage with extra parking. Wonderful neighbors and within walking distance to Parker elementary. Priced for quick sale at $79,500. Call PEGGY STRONG, Associate, evenings, 694-5762 today!

FOUR BEDROOMS IN LEE DISTRICT Don't miss this opportunity for 4 spacious bedrooms, 3 baths, and rear entry 2-car garage near Parker elementary. Great room is HUGE with skylights, paneling and built-in bookcases. Sequestered master features his/her walk-in closets. Spruced up and ready to sell so call PEGGY STRONG, Associate, evenings, 694-5762 today!

REDUCED! Fairmont Park beauty built by Kahler features 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, and 2-car garage. Gently lived in and pampered by loving owner, this home is located on quiet cul-de-sac in Bush district near Essex park. Sequestered master is stunning with absolutely gigantic closet and beautiful bath. Must see to appreciate the value being offered now at the reduced price of only $72,000. Call today and ask for PEGGY STRONG, Associate, evenings, 694-5762.

BETTER THAN NEW!! Tree lined mature area with picture perfect home professionally decorated and pretty landscaping. Amenities include 3 bedrooms, 4 baths, wonderful master suite with separate dressing areas in bath, storage galore, 2 living areas, formal dining, exercise room, built-in bookcases, hutch, plantation shutters, wood parquet floors, all the most modern conveniences, sprinklered yard, circle drive and sought after location. Absolutely breathtaking! Why would you wait - call today and ask for KAY PEDERSON, Associate, evenings, 682-4922.

ROOM FOR HORSES Four acres in fact and on it a reasonably priced 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick home with fireplace, vaulted ceiling, new plush carpet throughout and double car garage all for $57,000. The peace you need is here! Call POLLY HODGE, Associate, evenings, 683-2215.

SMALL PRICE - BIG SPACE Emerson area. Three bedrooms, 2 baths, new in last 2 years: stove top, heating unit, carpet, vinyl! Perfect condition - formal living & dining, great den with fireplace, rear entry garage, large storage room, gorgeous covered patio, large backyard with large trees. Priced at $63,500. Call NANCE' BOYD, Associate, evenings, 697-2728.

YOU WON'T BELIEVE YOUR LUCK ... on this charming 4 bedroom, 3 bath home on lushly landscaped lot. In an executive neighborhood, it offers circle drive, 3 living areas, 2 bonus rooms, separate side yard off master with private patio and hot tub, fish pond in private courtyard entry. Yours for only $124,900. Call today and ask for VICKY GARRETT, Associate, evenings, 683-0976.

WANT A PRESTIGIOUS HOME FOR LESS THAN YOU EVER DREAMED POSSIBLE? Have the home you deserve - sprawling 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath traditional home on large corner lot with circle drive plus 3-car garage. Offers many custom features, crown molding, whitewashed cabinets, marble fireplace, built-in desk, tile flooring. Only 2 years old and in the right neighborhood too. $137,000. Talk to VICKY GARRETT, Associate, evenings, 683-0976.

OWNER TRANSFERRED! Don't miss this exceptional buy in Crestgate. Four bedrooms, 3 baths, formal dining, new interior paint priced under $120,000. For more information please call KAREN FOSTER, Associate, evenings, 697-4434.

ANCIENT PROVERB SAYS "He who waits makes landlord rich!" Wise 3-bedroom starter home on quiet street near hospital, schools and shopping has back yard sized to please and is surrounded by a quality masonry fence. Cute home with hardwood floors for only $27,500. Talk to PAT CARL, Associate, evenings, 682-4000.

COUNTRY ROADS TAKE YOU HOME to this luxurious 4 bedroom, 4 bath villa-styled home on 9+ acres. Built around a central atrium this home has elegant formals, cozy den and large gameroom with wet bar, gourmet kitchen, whirlpool room off the master suite, gazebo ... all for only $399,000. Call today and ask for VICKY GARRETT, Associate, evenings, 683-0976.

FAMILIES DO COME FIRST! This house has a place for every member of the family. Four large bedrooms, 2.5 baths located on a quiet cul-de-sac. Three spacious living areas includes a large gameroom. Close to schools and Midland College. For your special preview, please call ANITA NOLES, Associate, evenings, 694-5255.

RENT DOING YOU IN? Then consider this 3 bedroom, 2 bath home with oversized 2-car garage on large corner lot. Updated kitchen and carpet has recently been replaced. ,To see, please call ANITA NOLES, Associate, evenings, 694-5255.

WHY WAIT? Wonderful one owner home in desirable location - spacious rooms, large formal living & dining combination, great kitchen that overlooks the family room and fireplace, central heat & air, oversized lot, sprinkler system, lots of room for the growing family. Treat yourself today - call and ask for KAY PEDRESON, Associate, evenings, 682-4922.

CAN'T BEAT THE PRICE!! You won't believe what your money will buy - 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, large great room and fireplace, kitchen with all the most modern conveniences and so much more. All this in the $50's. You better hurry today and ask for KAY PEDERSON, Associate, evenings, 682-4922.

A LEAGUE OF YOUR OWN can be fed housed, and games held in the backyard of this 4 bedroom home with too many amenities to list. Over 3000 square feet with room for everyone whether it be in the combination formal living/dining, den with fireplace, or huge gameroom with wet bar and bath. Mom or Dad may enjoy retreating to the private office/study or sitting area off the master suite with the wall of custom built-in shelving and storage. Much new and updated, located in Lee/Rusk area. Huge backyard (for training your own baseball team) with RV parking, storage, and even room for a pool too. Value paced at only $119,000. Call TODAY and ask for PEGGY STRONG, Associate, evenings, 694-5762.

AVAILABLE IMMEDIATELY! Lovely 4 bedroom home in Green Tree with two large living areas; 4 bathrooms, separate formal dining; extra nice kitchen with sooo much storage and big center island; skylight and windows allow much light; lots of window that allow view of the golf course; front circle drive; and extra parking off garage. Affordable priced, call KAY SUTTON, Today, Associate, evenings, 694-8640.

LOVELY TRINITY WEST offers this 5 bedroom, 4 bath home built by James Morris. Great floor plan offers privacy and lots of space for everyone. Each bedroom has access to a full bath. Two living areas, formal dining, double sided fireplace with marble fronts; large gourmet kitchen has all kind of amenities; plantation shutters; 3-car garage, sequestered master suite and 5th bedroom. Like new condition. Owner being transferred. A Must SEE! Call KAY SUTTON, Associate, evenings, 694-8640.

SUPER LOCATION, GORGEOUS NEIGHBORHOOD, LOTS OF TREES This one has arrived! Updated, immaculate, well-loved and maintained, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, nice big bedrooms and closets; open and bright; wonderful yard, front and back. Priced in the low $60's. This one should sell quickly. Call KAY SUTTON, Associate, evenings, 694-8640.

FIRST PRICE REDUCTION ON THIS HOUSE! 3 Bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 living areas with combination dining area. Large family room recently painted, new wall paper; kitchen has lots of cabinets, recently painted and updated; large utility room; large master bedroom, other bedrooms are large with big closets, large hall bath, nice backyard with fruit trees. Possible lease/purchase. Check it out now! Call KAY SUTTON, Associate, evenings, 694-8640.

DYNAMITE DEAL for an investor is this NW midland duplex, already leased and ready for new landlord. Each unit has 2 bedrooms, living-dining room and well appointed kitchen. For details on dual income for an unbelievable price of $45,000, talk to PAT CARL, Associate, evenings, 682-4000.

TICKET TO PARADISE Well kept family home in Polo Park. Four bedrooms, 2.5 baths, 2 living areas on beautifully landscaped corner lot. To see please call KAREN FOSTER, Associate, evenings, 697-4434.

READY & WAITING FOR YOU Charming 3 bedroom, 2 bath with a large open and spacious living area with formal dining room. Lots of updating, super location and priced at only $62,500. For more information on this great family home, please call KAREN FOSTER, Associate, evenings, 697-4434.

SUNRISE ON THE GOLF COURSE! Wake up to tranquility and pleasure in this super spacious 4-bedroom, 2 living area custom with amenities galore. A kitchen with white corian counter tops, a built-in sub-zero, side-by-side refrigerator and a marvelous view of the course. All for $179,900. Talk to PAT CARL, Associate, evenings, 682-4000.

COMMERCIAL

MOGFORD - 3br, kb, ld, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$52,500
OHIO - 3br, kb, ld, frpl, detached parking, 1.75ba, 1LA...$52,500
STANOLIND - 3br, fd, frpl, 2ba, 2LA...$52,500
LOUISIANA - 3br, 2ba, fd, 2LA...$51,900
SUNNYSIDE - 3br, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$49,900
THOMASON - 3br, ld, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$49,900
MELTON...UNDER CONTRACT...Norma Barnes
SUNNYSIDE...UNDER CONTRACT...Vicky Garrett
BROOKDALE - 3br, 1-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$46,500
SUNNYSIDE - 3br, 1LA, 2ba, 2-car garage, seq. master...$46,500
BELAIRE - 3br, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$45,000
MONTY - 3br, kb, ld, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$45,000
DENGAR - Wonderful Duplex or Large family home!...$45,000
GARFIELD - 3br, 2ba, 2LA, Doll House...$44,900
CLUB - 3br, fd, frpl, 2LA, 2ba...$43,900
SHELL - 3br, 2ba, 2-car garage, 1LA...$43,900
PRESTON - 3br, 1LA, 2.5ba, 2-car garage...$43,500
SWEETBRIAR - 3br, kb, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$43,500
OAK - 3br, frpl, 1-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$42,500
TANGLEWOOD - 3br, kb, fd, 1-car garage, 2ba, 2LA...$42,000
DEVONIAN...UNDER CONTRACT...Kay Sutton
MEADOW - 3br, kb, frpl, 2-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$40,000
SINCLAIR - 3br, 2ba, frpl, quiet location...$39,990
ERIE...UNDER CONTRACT...Vicky Garrett
SIESTA - 3br, 1LA, 2ba, frpl, carport, qualifying assumption...$39,900
OJIBWA...UNDER CONTRACT...Kay Sutton
WADLEY - 2br, frpl, 2-car port, 2ba, 1LA...$37,500
THOMAS - 3br, 2ba, 1car garage, fresh paint, doll house...$36,900
CO RD 1298...UNDER CONTRACT...Corporate
WHILSIRE...UNDER CONTRACT...Vicky Garrett
DEWBERRY - 3br, 1-car garage, 2ba, 2LA...$35,500
BENTWOOD - 3br, 2ba, 1LA...$35,000
MICHIGAN - 3br, 2ba, 2LA...$33,500
ILLINOIS - 3br, fd, 2ba, 2LA, great location...$32,900
ROOSEVELT - refrigerated air, 3br, country kitchen,...$32,900
COUNTRY CLUB - 3br, 2LA, 2ba...$32,500
BRUNSON - 3br, 1ba, 1LA, workshop...$30,000
WILSHIRE - 3br, 2-car agarage, 1.75ba, 2LA, evap air...$30,000
AMELIA - 3br, 1LA, 1.5ba, 1-car garage...$29,900
AVONDALE - 3br, kb, 1-car garage, 2ba, 1LA...$29,900
ILLINOIS - 3br, 2ba, 1LA, best little brick home...$29,000
CANYON - 3br, fd, refrigerated air, 2ba, 2LA...$28,900
THOMASON...UNDER CONTRACT...Beverly Dwyer
KENT - 3br, 1-car garage, 1ba, 1LA...$27,500
KING ARTHUR - 2br, 1LA, 2ba, Mobile Home on .5 acre...$24,900
MIDKIFF...UNDER CONTRACT...Nance' Boyd
PLEASANT - 2br, kb, evap air, 1-car garage, 1ba, 1LA...

PERMIAN BASIN

OIL REPORT

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BRIEFING

Rig rebound

A workover rig near Sterling City works to complete a new well. The Permian Basin rig count rebounded during the week ended July 24, according to Baker Hughes Inc.

According to the company's statistics, the Permian Basin rig count jumped 14 to 95, reversing a six-rig drop the previous week.

At the same time, the U.S. rig count ended five consecutive weeks of increases and slipped one to 688 for the week, the company said.

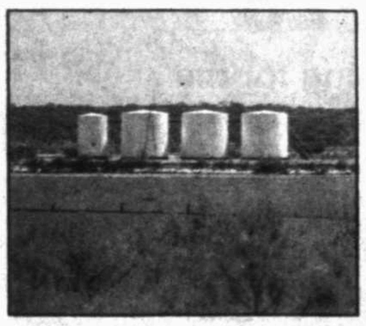
Please see RIG/6G

Soil savers

The Texas Railroad Commission has issued interim guidelines for clean-up of soil "contaminated" by oil. The minimum procedure requires:

- Instant removal of free oil for reclamation or disposal.
- Delineation and excavation of contaminated soil both vertically and horizontally. All soil with over one weight percent hydrocarbons must be remediated or disposed of.
- A final cleanup level of one weight percent total petroleum hydrocarbons should be achieved within one year after the spill incident.
- For spills over five barrels, the responsible operator must comply with the notification and reporting requirements of Statewide Rule 20 and submit a report on Form H-8.

Information on the report must include: area, depth, volume, weight percent, disposal or remediation method and estimated date of cleanup completion. If the spill exceeds 10 barrels oil soil samples must be included.



Prices hover

A tank battery and a sometime lake in Glasscock County. Oil prices hovered just over the $22 mark for the week, strengthened largely by tensions between the United Nations and Iraq that threatened to bring a resumption of air strikes against Iraq.

Upon news of an agreement between the U.N. and Iraq, the price increase slowed and was little impacted by reports that domestic crude supplies were down slightly last week.

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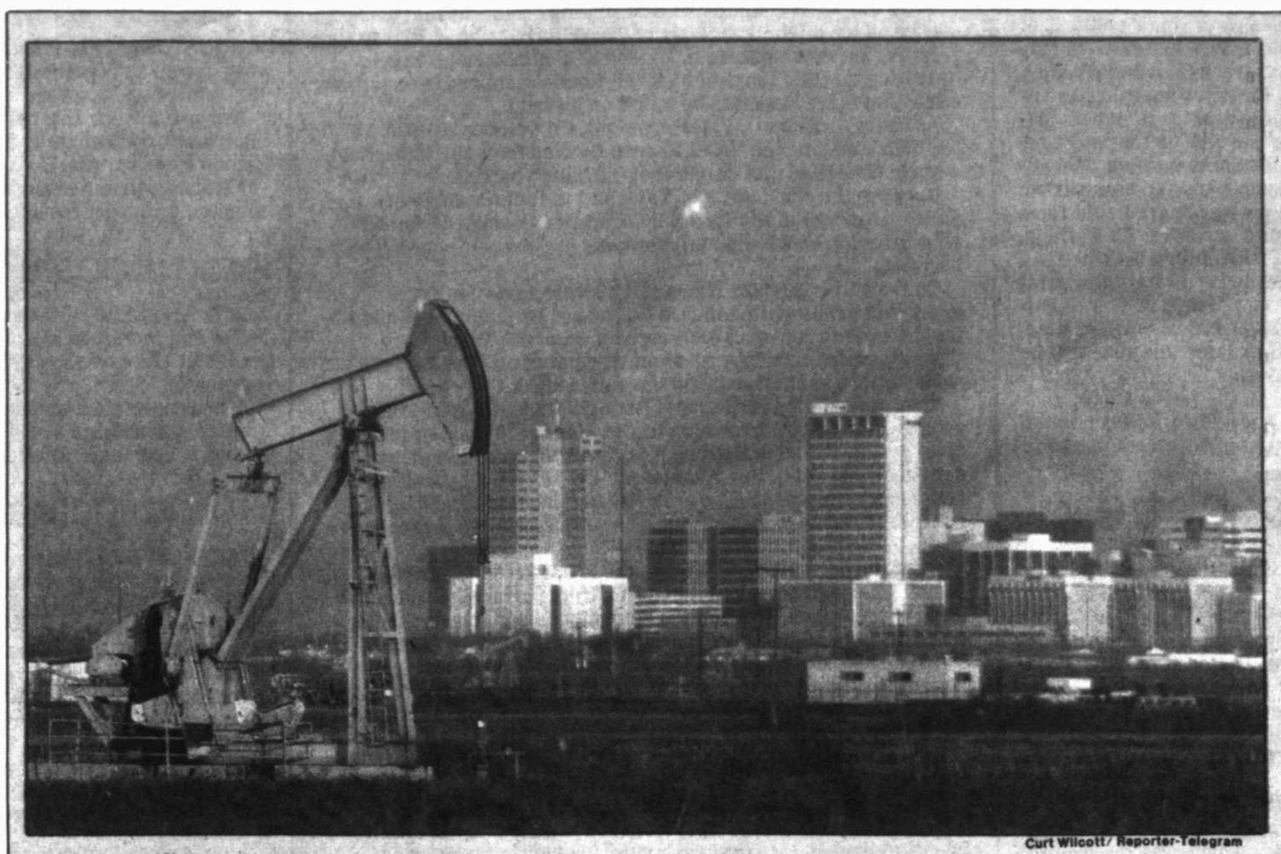

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A Parker & Parsley pumpjack with the Midland skyline in the background. Giant producers like the Spraberry have been instrumental in development of the Permian Basin.

Giant fields paved the way

■ Large prolific field discoveries were pivots for development of Basin

By John Paul Pitts
Business/Oil editor

From the beginning, giant oil fields — those in excess of 100 million barrels production — have been the backbone of the Permian Basin oil and gas industry.

Not only have they provided the prolific production that created jobs and cash for further exploration and development, but they also formed a chain of "bases" that resulted in towns and and pivots for further exploration and development.

When one looks at the record and the map, it is easy to see that these giant fields have been the foundation upon which the oil and gas industry was built.

There are 30 such fields, in 11 counties, spread across the Permian Basin from top to bottom, and it was from these prolific fields that the search for oil and gas spread out in all directions, resulting in hundreds of smaller fields.

A survey of production records for the three Texas Railroad Districts of the Permian Basin (records were not available for New Mexico) reveals some interesting facts.

World class fields, those producing in excess of a billion barrels of oil are not easy to come by, but the Permian Basin has four of them. They are: the Yates field of Pecos County; Kelly Snyder, Scurry County; Slaughter field, Cochran County and the Wasson field of Gaines County.

Of the four, the Wasson with 1.6 billion is the largest, followed by the the Kelly-Snyder, 1.21 billion; Yates, 1.20 billion barrels and the Slaughter at 1.05 billion. It is interesting to note that the Yates field was discovered in an area, which at that time was considered the "grave yard of wildcatter." "There is no oil west of the Pecos River," was the popular lament of geologists of that day.

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Spraberry: good ole standby

■ The Spraberry Trend has helped support a number of Midland producers.

By Mella McEwen
Staff writer

Midland County never had a Yates or Slaughter to peak its economy, but it does have the ever faithful Spraberry. Classified a giant field, because it has produced over 304 million barrels, the trend has been the bread and butter for a number of operators since it was discovered in 1952.

A number of Midland oil producers have been sustained by the massive Spraberry Trend that lies underneath the Midland Basin, occupying parts of Midland, Martin, Glasscock, Dawson, Upton and Reagan counties.

"It's been one of the primary factors in many of the Midland oil companies' success," said Jim Henry, president of Henry Petroleum, listing such Midland producers who benefited from the Trend as Adobe Oil & Gas, (now part of Santa Fe Energy), which drilled on the Sale Ranch; John L. Cox, MWJ Producing, and MGF, now part of Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. "It's helped Midland more than any other field, I would say."

John L. Cox agreed that the field has been an important one. He began drilling in 1950 when he went to work for an independent named Ted Wei-

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Drilling outlook brighter in second half

■ A number of factors are expected to increase the rig count the remainder of the year.

By John Paul Pitts
Business/Oil editor

Drilling nationwide could be in for a slight upturn in the second half, while the Texas side of the Permian Basin could be lower according to a report published this week by World Oil magazine.

Ray D. Cashman, publisher of the Houston-based trade journal, predicts in the company's mid-year newsletter to oil and gas companies, a 2.2 percent gain in the U.S. for the year and gives the following reasons for the increase:

- Companies downsizing will have more cash because of cuts.
- Natural gas and oil prices are improving.
- Independents will have more opportunities for development with recently acquired properties.
- OPEC determination to keep production steady could favorably impact oil prices.
- Removal of the Alternative Minimum Tax could have a positive benefit on investment capital for the industry.
- A rush to qualify for coalbed methane and tight sands tax credits.

The Permian Basin has already seen a rush to qualify for tight sands credits, because the Sugg ranch area near Sterling City, which is in response to the credit, accounts for nearly 10 percent of the Basin rig count.

Cashman says gas prices should strengthen through mid-year and average $1.30-$1.63 per mcf in the second half. Absent unforeseen disruptions, the publisher sees oil prices ranging from $20 to $22 per barrel in the second quarter.

Based on a survey of 18 major oil companies and 174 independent operators, World Oil forecasts the following revised 1992 U.S. activity:

- Drilling of 12,316 wells and 62.8 million ft. the last half, up 7.1% and 8.7%, respectively, over the first six months
- Drilling of 256 wells in the Gulf of Mexico, an increase of 27.4% over the 201 wells recorded the first half;
- Total 1992 drilling of 23,813 wells and 120.6 million ft. of hole, down 21% and 19.2%, respectively, from year 1991;
- An average of 700 rigs running during the second half, compared to the 655 operating through June.

In the Permian Basin the magazine sees higher activity in the second half for New Mexico, but lower drilling rates for all three Texas Railroad Districts of the Basin.

New Mexico is estimated to increase from 374 to 435 wells drilled in the second half. However, this total does not break down for Southeast New Mexico and may include some of the coalbed activity in the four-corners of the state. In Texas, District 7C is estimated to drop from 395 to 355 as District 8 drops from 640 to 635 and District 8A drops from 404 to 365 wells for the second half.

It should be noted, however, that this negative prediction is inconsistent with permitting in Districts 8, 8A and 7C. In the last two weeks permits filed with the Texas Railroad Commission for second half drilling have nearly doubled, according to Oil Report estimates.

The mid-year newsletter notes that the Gulf of Mexico will be the hot spot in the second half with a 27 percent increase. It

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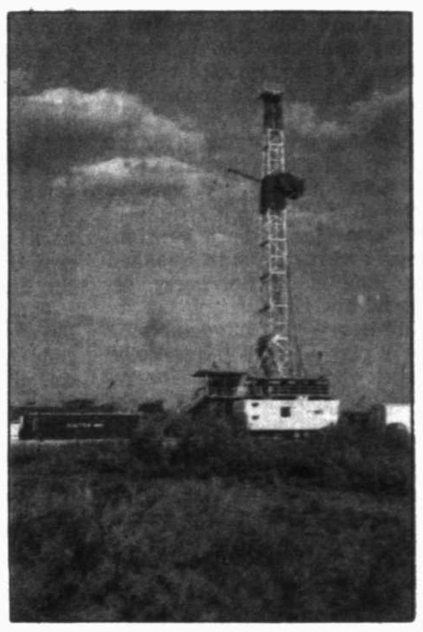

An Exter rig, making hole for Enron. Drilling may turn upward in the second half of 1992.

JOHN PAUL PITTS

Stage is set for new oilpatch turnaround

Pitts

Things are slow in the oil patch. Drilling and workover activities have slowed to a snail's pace, and the question on many lips is: "When will it turn around?"

We have mentioned it before, but perhaps it bears mentioning again. Turnaround is inevitable.

There is tremendous pent-up demand for drilling and workovers that increases everyday and must be vented sooner or later. The question is: sooner or later?

I doubt if anyone knows when the lid will finally come off this boiling kettle and activity will spew forth, but here are somethings that we do know:

- We know that a tremendous reservoir of potential activity is being generated by inactivity. With each deserving prospect that goes untested and every needed development well that goes undrilled the pressure to do something builds.
- We also know that much of the present high level of inactivty is being is created directly by intense acquisition and divestiture activity. It takes considerable time and planning to define properties for sale and package and market them, then once a property has been purchased it takes considerable time on the part of the buyer to fully evaluate its full potential, merge the new property with old properties and work out a game plan.

During this time of planning, plotting, selling and buying not much drilling, development or remedial work gets done by seller or buyer. "We have a handful and then some, to put new properties under our belt," said an operator. But once oil acquisitions are firmly under the belt of new owners and some debt has been paid down — look for operators to get busy developing the producing potential.

- We know there is a tremendous amount of potential waiting to be capitalized upon, because the Permian Basin is the hottest spot in the nation for acquisition of producing properties, and nearly all these properties are bought on the prospect of finding new ways to up production through recompletions, infill or exploitation drilling.
- Additionally, many property packages come with much lagniappe in the form of seismic data, defined prospects with geological workups and untested acreage. One operator, describing prospects acquired from a major oil company with the purchase of producng properties exclaimed: "There's not a dog in the bunch!"
- Development potential and money-making opportunities cannot remain forever on the shelf of astute oil operators. Good business demands that potential be exploited and developed, as soon as economics permit.
- There is a shortage of investment capital, but some drilling at this point can be supported by cash flow of new producing properties, many of which were purchased predicated on prices much lower than current levels.
- Oil prices, which have been prowling around the $22 mark for several months are adequate to support exploration, exploitation and development drilling *right now* — especially when one takes into account that drilling

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HALF: Looking brighter

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reports that approximately 256 wells will be drilled, compared to 201 in the first half.

Nationwide a 7 percent gain is expected, with 12,316 wells being drilled in the second half.

World Oil says the exploration and production exodus from the United States is unparalleled. The trend of shipping capital, jobs and equipment overseas has spread from the majors, where it started, to some of the independents.

PITTS: Turnaround?

(From 1G)

prices are at their lowest level and probably will not or cannot go any lower.

Gas prices are still soft and far off the $2.50 to $3.00 price that it will take to bring out the deep gas rigs, but they are improving. Natural gas prices last week hit $1.94 per Mcf on the futures market and $1.40 at the Waha header in Pecos County.

■ This is an election year, and things generally slow down in an election year for some unknown reason.

■ The oil business is the biggest wait-and-see industry in world. There is always some political or economic event to make it stop dead in its tracks and make it wait-and-see. Finally, some company or some individual will move, proclaiming an end to the wait-and-see and business goes on. We are now in such a wait-and-see period.

These are the ingredients for a turnaround scenario. Everything, except a time line, is in place. All that is needed is a catalyst to get it cooking and that will come. Perhaps, if Kent Hance is right, higher oil prices later this year will be the catalyst.

John Paul Pitts is business/oil editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

FIELDS: Big was better

(From 1G)

The area with the most giant fields is TRC District 8, which has 18 fields that have produced in excess of 100 million barrels. District 8a is second with nine giant fields and District 7c, with only three, is last, even though this is the area in which the Basin got its start with the 1923 Santa Rita strike and discovery of the Big Lake field.

The Big Lake field with 130.6 million barrels is one of those fields and the Upton County's McCamey field, discovered in 1925, is the other with 133.1 million barrels. The largest designated field in District 7c is the Spraberry Trend area which had pumped 304.6 million barrels through 1990.

The source for this report was the Texas Railroad Commission Annual Report, which lists field production though 1990. It should be pointed out that not every producing horizon in a field was tallied and only those field designations which listed production in excess of 100 million barrels were considered.

The Spraberry, discovered in 1952, was the last of the giant fields or producing trends to be discovered. The only other giant field to be discovered in the fifties besides the Spraberry was the Yoakum County's Prentice field which was discovered in 1950.

The granddad of all was the Big Lake field, which was discovered in 1923. The other giant fields discovered in the twenties include: Iatan-East Howard, Kermit, Howard-Glasscock, North Ward Estes, Big Lake, Hendrick and McCamey.

The South Cowden, Foster, Fuhrman-Mascho, Goldsmith, Means, Ward, Slaughter and Wasson followed in the thirties. The largest number of giant fields were found in the forties and included: Andector, Block 31, Keystone, McElroy, Midland Farms, Sandhills, TXL, Anton-Irish, Cogdell, Diamond M, Kelly-Snyder, Levelland, and Welch.

TREND: A reliable field

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ner; he worked for him until 1952, when he went into business for himself.

Cox said he has drilled approximately 1500 wells in the Spraberry and still operates over 1,000 and plans to continue drilling in the field. "I'm still producing wells I drilled there in 1954," he said.

One of the most active drillers in the field is Parker & Parsley, which operates approximately 30 percent of the wells in the Spraberry — there are 7,000 wells operating in the field and Parker & Parsley operates 2,000 of those. Company President Scott Sheffield called the field his company's mainstay.

Sheffield said one reason for the field's popularity is that it's a low-risk field and an easy place to drill.

He and Henry both caution, however, that care must be taken in drilling in the Spraberry, despite its low risk.

Said Henry: "It's an engineering type of play where you have to be careful where you drill. The reserves are good in certain sweet spots, but you have to be careful to just get in those sweet spots. If you don't, you'll drill wells that aren't economical. It's close to impossible to drill a dry hole, unless you're in the northern part of the Trend in Dawson County."

Sheffield said his company derives 85 percent of its Spraberry revenues from oil, which is sweet crude; the remaining 15 percent comes from casinghead gas which he described as sweet gas, rich in BTU content.

Henry drills an average of 20 wells per year and has drilled in the Trend, which he calls his company's mainstay, for 20 years. "We've drilled close to 400 wells there," he said, adding that his company currently operates 300 wells in the Spraberry.

Parker & Parsley, one of the most active drillers in the Permian Basin, currently runs 10 rigs in the Trend and plans to drill between 200 and 250 wells per year in the Trend over the next three to four years. Drilling will be largely in four units: The Shackelford, Preston, North Pembrook and Midkiff Units. Sheffield estimated that 80 percent of Parker & Parsley's drilling will be in the Midland County portion of the Spraberry.

Another characterisitic of the field, according to Sheffield, is that it has a long life, with many wells lasting 30 to 35 years. "There's some upside potential if oil prices increase," he said.

Henry said operators are only recovering 8 percent of the oil in place in the Spraberry, with that figure up to 12 percent in areas where secondary units are being waterflooded. "There's a lot of oil left to be discovered," he added.

The Spraberry produces from six or seven different formations and Henry said "We keep finding some of these formations produce better in other areas, so we go back and recomplete them and new areas are being developed all the time."

The original Spraberry Trend discovery was in 1949 in a small field in Dawson County. It produced from Leonard (Permian) zones. A month later, Spraberry production had been encountered in the Tex-Harvey field of Midland County, and still a month later in the North Gail field in Borden County.

The Spraberry Trend, defined as a great stratigraphic trap of complexity and uneven yield, averages 1,000 ft. in thickness and is largely comprised of the lower Leonard series, below the San Angelo and above the Dean of Permian Wolfcamp series. It is divided into three segments, the upper, middle and lower.

The Upper segment is approximately 200 to 250 ft. thick, composed of three siltstone members with intervening black shale.

The Middle is composed of black shale with siltstone and/or limestone that is between 40 and 50 ft. thick; total thickness is 300 to 350 ft.

The Lower segment resembles the upper segment is contains four siltstone members and is up to 400 ft. thick.

Phillips sells plant interests to Toray Industries of Japan

BARTLESVILLE, Okla. (AP) — Phillips Petroleum Co. said Wednesday it is selling its 50 percent interest in a plastics joint venture in Japan to Toray Industries, Inc. of Tokyo.

The joint venture, established in 1986, made and marketed polyphenylene sulfide, an engineering thermoplastic known for its durability and heat resistance.

Phillips will continue to make and market about 16 million pounds of polyphenylene sulfide each year at its Borger, Texas, plant under the Ryton registered trademark.

"The sale of our equity interest in the joint venture will improve our efficiency by eliminating the duplication of marketing efforts in Japan," said John VanBuskirk, vice president of plastics.

Yates was colorful, interesting oil field

By Mella McEwen
Staff writer

It must have taken some fast talking on the part of rancher Ira Yates to convince oilmen to drill on his ranch.

After all, it was common wisdom among geologists that there was no oil to be found west of the Pecos River.

But Yates, seeking some income to help him keep his ranch operating through the droughts and floods, managed to convince a few that there was oil to be found on his land.

As history will show, Yates was right. On October 29, 1926, Yates' 67th birthday, the first oil began flowing from the Yates field, a world class field that has already 1.2 billion barrels.

Between the convictions of Yates and the actions of Levi Smith, president of Big Lake Oil Co. and an associate of famed wildcatter Michael Benedum, Yates got explorers to consider his ranch.

On December 29, 1923, Yates and his wife signed an agreement with Transcontinental Oil Co., one of Benedum's companies, for the exploration of an 8,000-acre block on the Yates ranch. The agreement called for an $1 an acre bonus on 4,000 acres and 25 cents an acre annual rental on the entire block.

About six months earlier, and lasting until early April 1924, a geological party supervised by Ray M. Hennen, Transcontinental's chief geologist, and headed by A.M. "Jack" Hagan, an independent geologist out of San Angelo, and Dr. I.C. White, surveyed the area near Yates' ranch. The area was 20 miles wide and extended from the town of Stiles in west-central Reagan County to Emerson in Terrell County.

What the party mapped west of the Pecos River was the Yates Dome, what is called the most abrupt surface fold encountered in the region. The dome is elongated in a northwest-southeast direction, with closure in surface beds of more than 125 ft.

After Yates signed the agreement with Transcontinental, Benedum set up a partnership with Ohio Oil Co. Ohio Oil's subsidiary, Mid-Kansas Oil, would drill four wells and if the first three were dry holes, pay a cash forfeit and not drill the fourth.

The first wildcat was drilled on the Henderson Ranch south of Big Lake, and came up dry. Two subsequent wells were drilled on the Stiles ranch to the north and also came up dry.

Mid-Kansas was about to pay the cash penalty and not drill a fourth well when the company's chief geologist, Frank Clark, stepped in. He urged the company to try one more time and try a well on the Yates Ranch.

Clark and Hennen met in September 1926 to decide on a location for the fourth well. They met near the Yates Dome, two miles west of the river on the Yates Ranch vacancy strip in Block 1, I&GN survey. It was decided to drill the well at the foot of the dome's apex.

Drilling was begun on October 5, 1926 and proceeded smoothly for three weeks when a pay formation between 992 and 994 ft. was reached. At 997 ft., the well blew in and flowed, making heads every 12 hours for the first two days. On the third day the well was flowing 100 barrels a day. By Christmas, it was flowing 300 barrels a day.

The well, the Mid-Kansas Transcontinental No. 1-A Yates, was deepened to 1,032 ft. and completed on December 13, making 135 barrels an hour.

The field lies along the west bank of the Pecos River and produces from 1,500 ft.

It was confirmed in mid-February 1927 with completion of the No. 2-A Yates, which came in for 110 barrels an hour. Within 24 hours, it was making 300 barrels hourly. The well was drilled to 1,001 ft. at a cost of $4,000.

A fourth well, the No. 1-B Yates, was completed in late April of 1927 for 2,072 barrels in the first 24 hours. With its location in Section 61, it extended the producing area three-quarters of a mile to the north.

Grace looks to unload energy units

BOCA RATON, Fla. (AP) — W.R. Grace & Co. said Thursday it wants to sell five energy subsidiaries separately for about $500 million and keep a sixth as it shifts focus to its high-growth chemical and health segments.

Colowyo Coal Co., a low-sulfur coal mining operation in Meeker, Colo., will be kept as the 4,000-employee Grace Energy Corp. disposes of its other components. The Dallas-based company had 1991 sales and revenues of nearly $500 million.

Proceeds have been projected by W.R. Grace from writedowns and disclosures on the $77 million repurchase of Grace Energy stock. Analysts say the dollar figure could climb to around $550 million.

Offered for sale are:

—Grace Drilling Co. of Dallas, which has the world's largest drilling-rig fleet with 168 rigs in 17 states.

—Grace Offshore Co. of New Orleans, an offshore drilling service company operating in the Gulf of Mexico.

—Homco International Inc. of Houston, an oil field service company.

—Grace Petroleum Corp. of Oklahoma City, an oil and gas exploration and production company.

—Support Terminal Services Inc. of Dallas, a tank farm operation with major terminals in Baltimore and Texas City, Texas.

The decision to sell piece by piece fits the state of the oil industry and the variety of the companies, analysts said.

"When the energy business was more robust, there was the felling that you could sell it more as a unit," said Smith Barney analyst James Wilbur. But "there's probably no company that would be particularly interested in getting the whole conglomeration."

The move away from energy has been welcomed on Wall Street.

"It's not a bad combination: better growth, better profitability, less volatility," said Mark Gulley of Morgan Stanley. "That's what people are looking for."

BOTTOM LINES

Kerr-McGee nearly triples net income

OKLAHOMA CITY — Kerr-McGee Corp.'s net income nearly tripled in the second quarter from the second quarter of 1991, a jump that Kerr-McGee says reflects higher sales and a big one-time tax payment in 1991.

The Oklahoma City-based energy company reported Tuesday it had net income of $30.3 million, or 63 cents per share, in the second quarter, compared to $10.3 million, or 22 cents per share, in the second quarter of 1991.

Pennzoil blames sulphur on decline

HOUSTON (AP) — Pennzoil Co. blamed lower sulphur prices and legal costs for an 18 percent decline in its 1992 second quarter earnings from the same period a year ago.

Net income for the period totaled $10 million, or 25 cents a share, compared to earnings of $12.2 million, or 30 cents a share, for the 1992 second quarter, the Houston-based company said Tuesday.

Pennzoil attributed the decline to continued low prices in its sulphur segment and legal costs for settling franchise disputes with Jiffy Lube.

Arco boosts oil profits 25 percent

LOS ANGELES — Atlantic Richfield Co. said that higher gasoline prices and increased sales at it West Coast service stations helped boost profits at the Los Angeles-based oil giant by 26 percent in the second quarter of 1992.

Arco reported net income of $309 million ($1.91 a share) for the second quarter ended June 30, compared with $246 million ($1.51) for the like period a year ago. Revenue was $4.5 billion vs. $4.3 billion.

Phillips increases profits by sixfold

BARTLESVILLE, Okla. — Phillips Petroleum Co., saying it has begun to realize savings from refinancing its debt and laying off 1,250 workers, said Monday its second-quarter profit increased more than sixfold from a year ago.

Coming off its first operating loss in five years, Phillips reported net income of $104 million, or 40 cents a share, compared with $16 million, or 6 cents a share, in the second quarter of 1991.

Phillips had reported a $114 million net income loss in the first quarter, which included a $62 million after-tax charge for layoffs and a $26 million after-tax charge for refinancing its debt.

Revenues were $3.09 billion in the second quarter, down from $3.25 billion for the same period a year ago.

Coastal earning jump 36 percent

HOUSTON — The Coastal Corp. reports second-quarter earnings of $35.6 million, a nearly 36 percent boost from the same quarter last year.

For the three months ended June 30, Coastal reported earns of 34 cents per share, compared with 25 cents per share during the second quarter of 1991. Earnings for the second quarter of 1991 were $26.2 million.

"Every major segment of Coastal's business showed improvement in the second quarter," said James Paul, president and chief executive officer. "We believe the company is well positioned to take advantage of increases in demand which will come with economic recovery."

Chevron net income drops 9 percent

Chevron said its net income dropped 9 percent due to short-term costs and work-force cuts. The company reported net income of $350 million ($1.03 a share) for the second quarter, compared with $384 million ($1.09) for the like period a year ago.

Revenue for the quarter was 10.6 billion, compared with $9.7 billion last year.

Mobil net income falls 43 percent

Mobil said its net income fell 43 percent due to reduced demand for its petroleum and chemical products.

Mobil reported net income of $225 million (60 cents a share), compared with $445 million ($1.08) for the second quarter of 1991.

Revenue was $15.2 billion, up from $14.4 billion.

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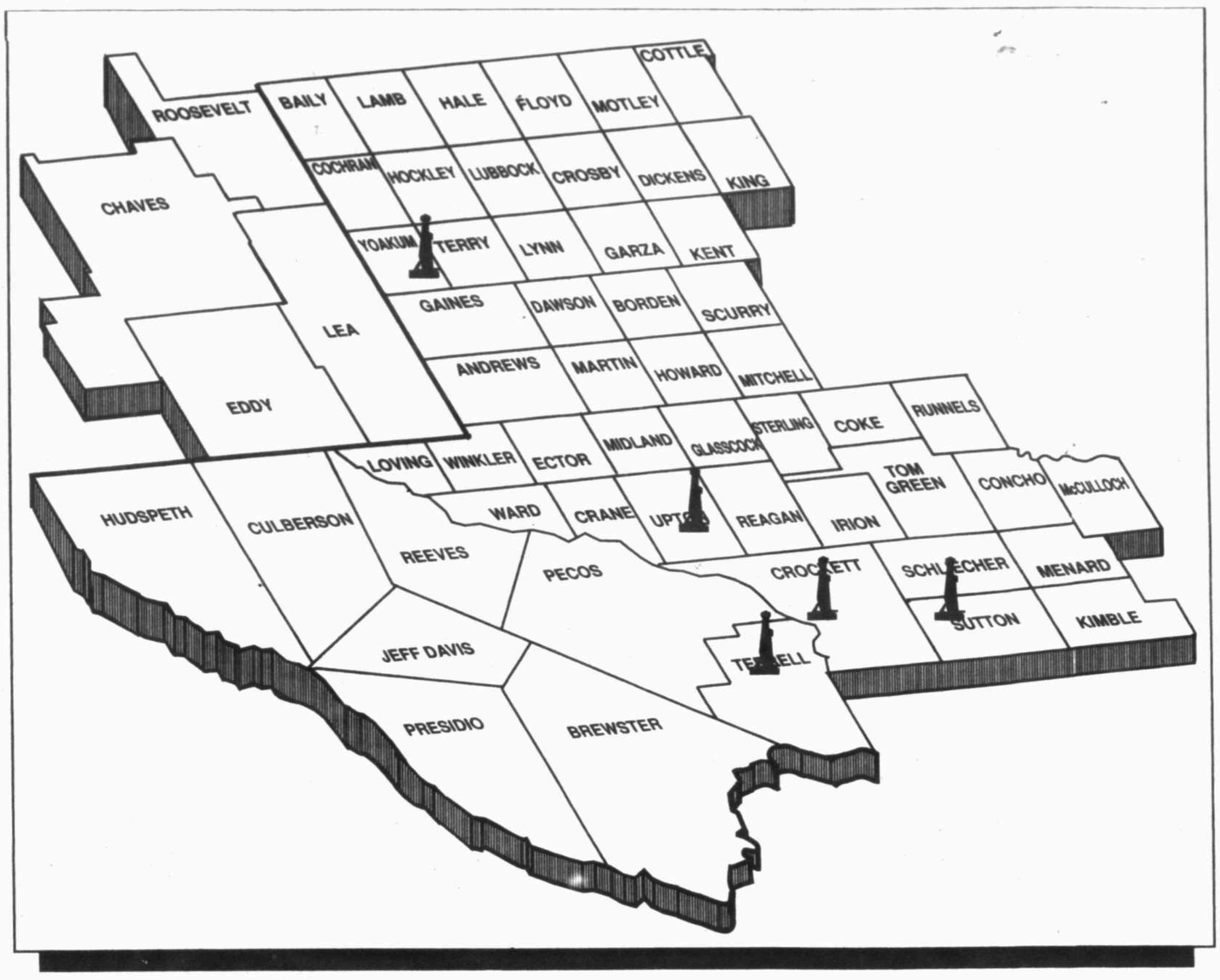

Glasscock well flows 1,751 barrels

Staff report

As reported in an earlier edition of the *Reporter-Telegram*, **TREND EXPLORATION CO.**, Midland, has reported a prolific Wolfcamp Detrital producer in the Cobra field of Glasscock County.

On potential test, the No. 23D Powell "4-A" flowed 1,751.4 barrels of 43.8 gravity crude, 1.31 Mmcfd and no water on a 20/64 inch choke with flowing tubing pressure of 840 psi. The well flowed from perforations 8,214 to 8,223 ft., which had been acidized with 15 percent HCL. Gas-oil ratio is 750:1.

Permitted as an 8,400 ft. prospect, the well was drilled to 8,317 ft., where 5 1/2 inch casing was set.

Formation tops, on ground elevation of 2,542 ft., include the Lower Clearfork at 5,815 ft., Spraberry at 6,900, Dean at 7,760, and Wolfcamp Detrital at 8,145 ft. Pay was topped at 8,145 ft.

Location is 1,186 ft. from south and 554 ft. from east lines of Section 4, Block 35, T-3-S, T&P survey, 13 miles northwest of Garden City.

Wolfcamp discovery finaled in Yoakum

A Wolfcamp discovery has been completed in Yoakum County, a quarter-mile west of 13,100 ft. Silurian production in the Brailey field, 11 miles northeast of Denver City.

EP OPERATING tested the No. 1 Lambright Farms to flow 52 barrels of 45.6 gravity crude, 34 Mcfd and no water on a 10/64 inch choke with flowing tubing pressure of 140 psi. The well flowed from perforations 11,196 to 11,225 ft. Gas-oil ratio is 140:1.

Permitted as a 13,300 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to 13,160 ft. and plugged back to 11,270 ft. with 5 1/2 inch casing set at 13,136 ft.

On ground elevation of 3,481 ft., formation tops include the San Andres at 5,058 ft., Wolfcamp at 9,677, Upper Mississippian at 12,005, Lower Mississippian at 12,453, Woodford at 13,039 and Silurian at 13,123 ft.

Location is 467 ft. from south and 600 ft. from east lines of Section 756, Block D, J.H. Gibson survey, Abst. 1683.

Upton County nets Wolfcamp discovery

THE LONG TRUSTS has completed a Wolfcamp (Permian) discovery in Upton County, 3/4-mile southwest of production in the Fulmer (Bend) field, four miles northwest of Rankin.

On potential test, the No. 1 Ella Owens flowed 34 barrels of 44.2 gravity crude from perforations 8,918 to 9,483 ft. The interval was acidized with 13,000 gallons of acid. Gas-oil ratio is 1,029:1.

Permitted as a 9,950 ft. explorer, the well was drilled to 10,150 ft., where 5 1/2 inch casing was set, and plugged back to 10,068 ft.

Formation tops, on ground elevation of 2,615 ft., include the Yates at 2,365 ft., San Andres at 4,188, Wolfcamp at 8,326 and Strawn at 9,782 ft.

Location is 1,000 ft. from south and 1,800 ft. from east lines of Section 6, Block 2, MK&T survey, Abst. 1423.

Meridian completes 28-barrel discovery

MERIDIAN OIL INC. reports an unidentified discovery in Crockett County, east of San Andres production in the Clara Couch South field, six miles east of Sheffield.

The No. 1 Live Oak was tested to pump 28 barrels of 32.9 gravity crude and one barrel of water from perforations 1,416 to 1,472 ft. The interval was acidized with 1,000 gallons of acid. Gas-oil ratio is 714:1.

On ground elevation of 2,184 ft., formation tops include the Yates at 536 ft., San Andres at 1,194, Spraberry at 2,824, Devonian at 4,942, Wolfcamp at 5,060 and Canyon at 6,128 ft.

Location is 1,754 ft. from northwest and 1,376 ft. from southwest lines of Malcolm Johnston Survey 19.

Sutton recompletion reopens Wolfcamp

A former Canyon producer in the Mayer field of Sutton County has been recompleted to reopen Wolfcamp production in the field.

GRAHAM ROYALTY LTD. recompleted the No. 14 Edwin S. Mayer Jr. for a calculated absolute open flow of 540 Mcfd from perforations 5,801 to 5,815 ft.

Originally drilled to 7,150 ft., where 4 1/2 inch casing was set, the well was plugged back to 5,990 ft.

Location is 1,320 ft. from north and 933 ft. from east lines of Section 53, Block D, GC&SF survey.

The well originally produced from Canyon perforations 6,743 to 6,936 ft.

Terrell field gains third Wolfcamp well

A third Wolfcamp producer has been added to the Packenham field of Terrell County, extending the pay east.

RIATA ENERGY INC. completed the No. 2 Mitchell for a calculated absolute open flow of 10.65 Mmcfd from perforations 7,556 to 7,775 ft. The interval was acidized with 3,500 gallons of acid and fractured with 55,000 gallons of gel and 67,000 lbs. sand.

Drilled to 7,952 ft., the well was plugged back to 7,836 ft. with 5 1/2 inch casing set at 7,875 ft.

Location is 506 ft. from south and 1,050 ft. from east lines of Section 1, Block 1, CCSD&RGNG survey, Abst. 85., 29.2 miles southeast of Sheffield.

WILDCATS

TRC DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY

Wildcat
Mitchell Energy Corp. No. 1 University "6-37"; 660 fswl, 1150 fsel, sec 37, blk 6, ULS, 30 w Midland, PD 12,800.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

BORDEN COUNTY

Wildcat
Petrotex Inc. No. 1-A Coates; 1130 fsl, 2400 fel, sec 14, blk 27, H&TC, Abst. 1128, 10 se Gail, PD 7500.

GAINES COUNTY

Wildcat
Nearburg Production No. 1 Doss "394"; 1200 fnl, 2137 fel, sec 394, blk G, CCSD&RGNG, Abst. 812, 10 w Seminole, PD 13,500.

SCURRY COUNTY

Wildcat
Partee Drilling No. 1 Echols; 2310 fsl, 330 fel, sec 65, blk 3, H&GN, Abst. 33, 2 e Dunn, PD 3600.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

COKE COUNTY

Wildcat
Hi-Mountain Energy Corp. No. 1 March; 660 fnl, 2000 fel, sec 73.5, T.J. Neeley, Abst. 586, 13 sw Robert Lee, PD 7170.

CONCHO COUNTY

Wildcat
Verdad Oil & Gas Corp. No. 1 Cypert; 1980 fnl, 700.6 fwl, John Gibson, Abst. 316, 3 sw Eden, PD 2500.

SRG Oil Corp. No. 1 Jacoby "L"; 1400 fsl, 467 fel, sec 2874, H.F. Fisher & B. Miller, Abst. 174, 5 w Eden, PD 4000.

Jim-Bob Oil Co. No. 1 Rice; 2310 fsl, 2310 fel, sec 60, INRR, Abst. 1413, 4 s Salt Gap, PD 1850. Reentry.

CROCKETT COUNTY

Wildcat
J. Cleo Thompson No. 1 Thompson "45"; 1980 fsl, 1980 fel, sec 45, blk OP, GC&SF, 2.5 w Ozona, PD 8200.

J. Cleo Thompson No. 1 Thompson "50"; 1980 fsl, 660 fel, sec 50, blk OP, GC&SF, 2.5 w Ozona, PD 8200.

MENARD COUNTY

Wildcat
Daniel Exploration Inc. No. 1 Hazel Menzies; 467 fsl, 1600 fel, sec 60, Michael Hughes, Abst. 1776, 11 nw Menard, PD 1999.

SCHLEICHER COUNTY

Wildcat
Ozark Exploration Inc. No. 2 Shee; 467 fnl, 1904 fwl, sec 65, EL&RR, Abst. 60, 27 e Eldorado, PD 4700.

TOM GREEN COUNTY

Wildcat
Tex-Ann Oil & Gas Services Inc. No. 1 Doss; 1980 fsl, 1980 fel, sec 18, blk 4, H&TC, 9 w San Angelo, PD 6000.

Janlo Operating No. 1 J.W. Johnson Jr.; 660 fsl, 660 fel, sec 27, blk 25, H&TC, Abst. 1254, 10.5 ne Christoval, PD 4750. Reentry.

NEW MEXICO

LEA COUNTY

Wildcat
Strata Production Co. No. 1 Araganga Federal; 330 fsl, 2310 fel, sec 4, T23s, R32e, 6 se Halfway, PD 8800.

Strata Production Co. No. 2 Araganga Federal; 1650 fsl, 1650 fwl, sec 9, T23s, R32e, 6 se Halfway, PD 8800.

Wildcat Count

This Week	16
Last Week	10
Year Ago	17

Parallel posts record revenues

Parallel Petroleum Corp. announced that revenues and earnings for the second quarter set a record for any comparable quarter in the company's history.

For the second quarter, Parllel's revenues increased 25 percent to $910,573 from $735,321 a year ago, while net income rose to $261,987 or 2 cents per share, from $200,994, also equal to 2 cents per share.

Parallel's production of both oil an gas increased during the three-month and six-month periods over a year ago. Oil production during the second quarter increase by 14 percent to 27,656 barrels from 21,600 a year ago, and natural gas production rose by 23 percent to 242,887 mcf from 196,862. Converting natural gas to oil at a ratio of 6 mcf from 196,862. Converting natural gas to oil at a ratio of 6 mcf per barrel, Parallel's production increased by 25 percent to 68,137 equivalent barrels of oil from 54,411 a year ago.

Larry C. Oldham, Executive Vice President, attributed the improvement in results primarily to the contributions of newly acquired properties and success of the company's on-going program to enhance those properties. However, he noted, oil prices continue to trail those of a year ago despite improvement in recent months.

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Triton Energy settles suit

DALLAS (AP) — Triton Energy Corp. settled a $124 million jury award won by a former controller for less. But the precise amount was kept secret as part of the settlement, attorneys said.

Dallas-based Triton said it will pay $9.5 million in the settlement with Jimmy W. Janacek, who won a wrongful termination judgment. The company's insurance will pay the rest of the amount.

Julius Glickman, a Houston attorney who represented Janacek, said the settlement is "substantial and it keeps faith with the jury award."

The company asked Judge Adolph Canales to disregard the award but reached the settlement before Canales had ruled.

Janacek, fired in August 1989 after eight years as Triton's controller, runs his own building materials company and had been doing contract accounting.

After a four-week trial, jurors in May found Janacek had been fired for refusing to sign or help prepare a misleading annual report to shareholders. The jury also found Triton placed Janacek, 49, in a false light when he later sought work and intentionally inflicted mental harm on him.

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DEVELOPMENT WELLS

TRC DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY

Fullerton (8500)
Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 7 Texas University "Q"; 990 fwl, 830 fsl, sec 41, blk 13, ULS, 3 ssw Frankel City, PD 9600.

Fullerton (San Andres)
Blanco Oil Co. No. 4A Scarborough; 1260 fsl, 467 fel, sec 20, blk A-31, PSL, Abst. 2130, 16 nw Andrews, PD 4800.

Fullerton South (Ellenburger)
Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 26 Texas University "M"; 230 fsl, 430 fel, sec 31, blk 13, ULS, 2.5 ssw Frankel City, PD 11,200. Directional well.

University Block 13 (Ellenburger)
Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 8 Texas University "Q"; 350 fsl, 800 fwl, sec 41, blk 13, ULS, 3 ssw Frankel City, PD 11,300.

CRANE COUNTY

Sand Hills (Judkins)
Exxon Corp. No. 266 J.B. Tubb A/C 2; 2587 fnl, 2755 fwl, sec 10, blk B-27, PSL, 16 w Crane, PD 3093, OTD 4830. Plugback.

ECTOR COUNTY

Cowden North
Union Oil Co. of California No. 2 Toad "C"; 1980 fnl, 440 fel, sec 3, blk A, PSL, 4.5 ne Goldsmith, PD 4500. Plugback.

GLASSCOCK COUNTY

Conger Southwest (Pennsylvanian)
Texaco Exploration & Production Inc. No. 3 Glasscock "S" Fee; 1980 fsl, 1980 fel, sec 21, blk 32, T-5-S, T&P, 14 se Garden City, PD 8600.
Texaco Exploration & Production Inc. No. 4 Glasscock "S" Fee; 660 fnl, 1980 fel, sec 21, blk 32, T-5-S, T&P, 14 se Garden City, PD 8600.
Texaco Exploration & Production Inc. No. 5 Glasscock "S" Fee; 660 fsl, 1980 fwl, sec 21, blk 32, T-5-S, T&P, 14 se Garden City, PD 8700.
Texaco Exploration & Production Inc. No. 6 Glasscock "S" Fee; 1980 fnl, 1980 fwl, sec 21, blk 32, T-5-S, T&P, 14 se Garden City, PD 8700.
Texaco Exploration & Production Inc. No. 7 Glasscock "S" Fee; 1980 fsl, 660 fwl, sec 21, blk 32, T-5-S, T&P, 14 se Garden City, PD 8700.
Texaco Exploration & Production Inc. No. 8 Glasscock "S" Fee; 660 fnl, 660 fwl, sec 21, blk 32, T-5-S, T&P, 14 se Garden City, PD 8700.

HOWARD COUNTY

C.C. Gunn (Canyon Reef)
Lakewood Operating Ltd. No. 1 Diamondback; top: 617 fnl, 1431 fel; bottom: 555 fnl, 1431 fel, sec 15, blk 25, 20 ne Big Spring, PD 7650. Sidetrack.

MIDLAND COUNTY

Parks (Spraberry)
OGS Operating Co. Inc. No. 1 Texaco "25"; 1980 fsl, 1980 fwl, sec 25, blk 40, T-3-S, T&P, 16 sw Midland, PD 8263, OTD 10,853. Plugback.

Spraberry (Trend Area)
Parker & Parsley Development Co. No. 2006 Preston Spraberry Unit; 660 fnl, 660 fwl, sec 21, blk 37, T-4-S, T&P, 15 sw Spraberry, PD 8800.
Parker & Parsley Development Co. No. 2112 Preston Spraberry Unit; 2430 fel, 1980 fnl, sec 20, blk 37, T-4-S, T&P, 15 s Spraberry, PD 8950.
Parker & Parsley Development Co. No. 3411 Preston Spraberry Unit; 660 fnl, 660 fel, sec 25, blk 38, T-4-S, T&P, 18 sw Spraberry, PD 8950.
Parker & Parsley Development Co. No. 2510R Midkiff Unit; 2565 fel, 660 fnl, sec 3, blk 38, T-5-S, T&P, 24 sw Spraberry, PD 8425.
Parker & Parsley Development Co. No. 1 O'Daniel "H"; 660 fel, 1830 fnl, sec 1, blk 37, T-2-S, S. Wright, 2 n Spraberry, PD 8900.
Parker & Parsley Development Co. No. 1 O'Daniel "G"; 660 fwl, 1980 fsl, sec 3, blk 37, T-2-S, S. Wright, 2 n Spraberry, PD 8900.

MITCHELL COUNTY

Westbrook
Meridian Oil Inc. No. 217 Westbrook Southwest Unit; 2000 fsl, 2650 fel, sec 43, blk 28, T-1-N, T&P, 6 w Westbrook, PD 3350.
Meridian Oil Inc. No. 427 Westbrook Southwest Unit; 1550 fsl, 467 fel, sec 32, blk 28, T-1-N, T&P, 6 w Westbrook, PD 3350.
Meridian Oil Inc. No. 1022 Westbrook Southwest Unit; 1600 fnl, 1000 fel, sec 42, blk 28, T-1-N, T&P, 6 w Westbrook, PD 3350.
Meridian Oil Inc. No. 117 Westbrook Southwest Unit; 467 fwl, 2150 fnl, sec 42, blk 28, T-1-N, T&P, Abst. 1490, 6 w Westbrook, PD 3350.

STERLING COUNTY

Conger (Pennsylvanian)
American Cometra Inc. No. 8 Terry "6"; 490 fsl, 4090 fwl, sec 6, J.B. Hiler, Abst. 724, 7.6 sw Sterling City, PD 8000.
Wagner and Brown No. 1022 Allein; 1980 fnl, 660 fel, sec 22, blk 32, T-5-S, T&P, 18 sw Sterling City, PD 8700.
Wagner and Brown No. 922 Allein; 660 fnl, 660 fel, sec 22, blk 32, T-5-S, T&P, 18 sw Sterling City, PD 8700.
Texaco Exploration & Production Inc. No. 3 Sterling "L" Fee; 660 fsl, 2300 fwl, sec 11, blk 31, T-5-S, T&P, 11.5 sw Sterling City, PD 8100.
Texaco Exploration & Production Inc. No. 2 Sterling "L" Fee; 683 fnl, 1200 fwl, sec 11, blk 31, T-5-S, T&P, 11.5 sw Sterling City, PD 8100.

Conger Southwest (Pennsylvanian)
Texaco Exploration & Production Inc. No. 6 Sterling "P" Fee; 1980 fnl, 660 fel, sec 11, blk 2, T&P, 18 sw Sterling City, PD 8000.
Texaco Exploration & Production Inc. No. 7 Sterling "P" Fee; 1980 fsl, 1980 fel, sec 11, blk 2, T&P, 18 sw Sterling City, PD 8450.
Texaco Exploration & Production Inc. No. 8 Sterling "P" Fee; 660 fsl, 1980 fwl, sec 11, blk 2, T&P, 18 sw Sterling City, PD 8500.
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Texaco Exploration & Production Inc. No. 5 Sterling "U" Fee; 1980 fsl, 1980 fwl, sec 39, blk 32, T-5-S, T&P, 19 sw Sterling City, PD 8500.
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Texaco Exploration & Production Inc. No. 2 Sterling "X" Fee; 660 fnl, 2080 fel, sec 33, blk 2, T&P, 19 sw Sterling City, PD 8400.
Texaco Exploration & Production Inc. No. 3 Sterling "X" Fee; 1880 fnl, 660 fel, sec 33, blk 2, T&P, 19 sw Sterling City, PD 8450.
Texaco Exploration & Production Inc. No. 4 Sterling "X" Fee; 1980 fnl, 1980 fwl, sec 33, blk 2, T&P, 19 sw Sterling City, PD 8500.
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Texaco Exploration & Production Inc. No. 7 Sterling "X" Fee; 660 fsl, 1980 fwl, sec 33, blk 2, T&P, 19 sw Sterling City, PD 8550.
Texaco Exploration & Production Inc. No. 8 Sterling "X" Fee; 1980 fsl, 660 fwl, sec 33, blk 2, T&P, 19 sw Sterling City, PD 8550.

Sugg Ranch (Canyon)
IP Petroleum Co. Inc. No. 1408 Sugg "B"; 1800 fwl, 1980 fnl, sec 14, blk A, GC&SF, 22 sw Sterling City, PD 8000.
IP Petroleum Co. Inc. No. 1303 Sugg "A"; 1980 fnl, 1980 fwl, sec 13, blk A, GC&SF, 16 sw Sterling City, PD 8000.
IP Petroleum Co. Inc. No. 9 Ferguson Brothers "34"; 1644 fwl, 2180 fsl, sec 34, blk 7, H&TC, 18 sw Sterling City, PD 8000.
IP Petroleum Co.Inc. No. 1606 Sugg "B"; 200 fwl, 550 fnl, sec 16, blk A, GC&SF, 22 sw Sterling City, PD 8000.

Triple M (Wolfcamp)
OGE Drilling U.S.A. Inc. No. 2 Sellers "66"; 660 fnl, 1980 fwl, sec 66, blk 17, SPRR, 18 nw Sterling City, PD 6380, OTD 8655. Plugback.

WARD COUNTY

Magnolia Sealy South
Southwest Royalties Inc. No. 3 University "AS"; 990 fwl, 990 fnl, sec 12, blk 16, ULS, 2 w Wicket, PD 2900.
Southwest Royalties Inc. No. 5 University "U"; 330 fel, 330 fsl, sec 19, blk 16, ULS, 2 w Wickett, PD 2900.

Scott (Delaware)
Pitts Energy Co. No. 1 Miller "B"; 467 fsel, 6132 fnel, sec 39, blk 33, H&TC, 1.5 sw Barstow, PD 5100.

Ward South
MR Oil Co. No. 23 W.D. Johnson-Arco; 330 fsel, 990 fnel, sec 9, blk 34, H&TC, 5 n Royalty, PD 2950. Reentry, deepen.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

COCHRAN COUNTY

Levelland
Meridian Oil Inc. No. 25R TLB Unit; 1998 fsl, 685 fwl, League 131, Lot 22, Carson CSL, Abst. 112, 14 sw Whiteface, PD 5250.
Meridian Oil Inc. No. 26 TLB Unit; 1200 fsl, 1400 fel, League 131, Lot 22, Carson CSL, 14 sw Whiteface, PD 5250.
Meridian Oil Inc. No. 45 Veal; 50 fsl, 50 fel, Labor 3, League 114, Potter CSL, Abst. 105, 14 sw Whiteface, PD 5250.
Meridian Oil Inc. No. 46 Veal; 1430 fsl, 1160 fel, Labor 5, League 114, Potter CSL, Abst. 105, 14 sw Whiteface, PD 5250.
Meridian Oil Inc. No. 47 Veal; 1450 fsl, 50 fel, Labor 4, League 114, Potter CSL, Abst. 105, 14 sw Whiteface, PD 5250.
Meridian Oil Inc. No. 48 Veal; 46 fnl, 1062 fel, Labor 5, League 114, Potter CSL, Abst. 105, 14 sw Whiteface, PD 5250.

GARZA COUNTY

Garza
George R. Brown et al No. 77 Post Estate; 662 fsl, 1355 fel, sec 9, blk 5, K. Aycock, Abst. 513, 2 sw Post, PD 3500.
J.C. Stelzer No. 9 K. Stoker; 2970 fnl, 2310 fwl, sec 31, blk 5, GH&H, Abst. 20, 3 se Post, PD 3600.

HOCKLEY COUNTY

Levelland
Amoco Production Co. No. 1067 Levelland Unit; 184 fnl, 715 fwl, Labor 6, League 733, State Capitol Land, Abst. 227, 3 nw Levelland, PD 5100.

KENT COUNTY

Spalding
Spalding Energy No. 5 D.M. Cogdell "B"; 1011 fsl, 2577 fel, sec 713, blk 97, H&TC, Abst. 297, 12 s Clairemont, PD 1999.

LUBBOCK COUNTY

Edmisson
Texland-Rector & Schumacher No. 15 Lif Lubheirs; 660 fnl, 1980 fel, sec 5, blk A, TTRR, within Lubbock townsite, PD 5200.

DEVELOPMENTS/5G

COMPLETIONS

TRC DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY

Fullerton (San Andres)
Blanco Oil Co. No. 2A Scarborough; 2173 fsl, 1260 fel, sec 20, blk A-31, PSL, 16 nw Andrews, Elev. 3370, TD 4720. Completed 7/8/92. Potentialed 7/21/92, pumping 48 bopd, 186 Mcfd, 30 bwpd, 38.5 API. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 4720. Perforations 4487 to 4562. Acid: 3000 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Frac: 14,800 lbs. 20/40 sand, 42,000 lbs. 12/20 sand. Formation tops: Rustler 1635, Yates 2825, San Andres 4300. Top of pay 4485.

Hudson
Fortson Oil Co. No. 1 State Martin Heirs; 467 fnl, 467 fel, sec 8, blk A-30, PSL, 27.3 nw Andrews, Elev. 3457, TD 7650, PB 7568. Completed 6/24/92. Potentialed 6/29/92, pumping 108 bopd, 85 Mcfd, 93 bwpd, 39 API. GOR 787:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 7649. Perforations 7412 to 7545. Acid: 3000 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Formation tops: Yates 2860, San Andres 4308, Lower Clearfork 6704, Wichita Albany 7268. Top of pay 7412.

Martin (Clearfork)
Oryx Energy Co. No. 24 Nellie C. Martin; 1320 fel, 1320 fsl, sec 17, blk A-41, PSL, 19 nw Andrews, Elev. 3307, TD 6800. Completed 7/24/92. Potentialed 7/24/92, pumping 52 bopd, 144 Mcfd, 197 bwpd. GOR 2769:1. Casing 7 inches at 6800. Perforations 4305 to 6387. Formation tops: San Andres 4190, Clearfork 5600, Tubb 6190. Top of pay 4190. Commingle.
Cross Timbers Operating Co. No. 15 Lockhart; 1100 fwl, 1280 fnl, sec 22, blk A-41, PSL, 16 sw Andrews, Elev. 3284, TD 8590, PB 6150. Completed 6/16/92. Potentialed 6/29/92, pumping 54 bopd, 225 Mcfd, 114 bwpd, 38 API. GOR 4167:1. Casing 7 inches at 8495. Perforations 5587 to 5677. Acid: 2865 gals. HCL. Frac: 49,640 gals. gel, 101,920 lbs. sand. Formation tops: Glorieta 5270, Clearfork 5576, Wichita Albany 6667, Simpson 8063, McKee 8158, Ellenburger 8452. Top of pay 5576.

Shafter Lake (San Andres)
Western Reserves Oil Co. Inc. No. 3 University "14"; 467 fel, 990 fsl, sec 14, blk 14, ULS, 4.5 e Frankel City, Elev. 3191, TD 4900, PB 4854. Completed 7/1/92. Potentialed 7/17/92, pumping 56 bopd, 14 Mcfd, 23 bwpd, 30.4 API. GOR 250:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4900. Perforations 4508 to 4700. Acid: 5000 gals. 15 percent NeFeHCL. Frac: 45,000 gals. gel, 107,000 lbs. 12/20 sand. Formation top: San Andres 4515. Top of pay 4508.

University Block 9 (Wolfcamp)
American Exploration Co. No. 4 University "DT" R/A "A"; 467 fsl, 467 fel, sec 3, blk 9, ULS, 6 sw Andrews, Elev. 3183.3, TD 10,698, PB 8920. Completed 6/20/92. Potentialed 7/1/92, pumping 26 bopd, 10 Mcfd, 130 bwpd, 39.1 API. GOR 385:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 10,698. Perforations 8564 to 8886. Acid: 4452 gals. 15 percent HCL. Formation tops: San Andres 4667, Wolfcamp 8508, Cisco (Penn) 8850, Canyon (Penn) 9160, Woodford 10,380, Devonian 10,470. Top of pay 8564. Plugback.

CRANE COUNTY

Sand Hills (McKnight)
Hondo Drilling Co. No. 2 Johnson State; 1980 fnl, 990 fwl, sec 2, blk B-27, PSL, 18 nw Crane, Elev. 2553, TD 3283, PB 3271. Completed 6/17/92. Potentialed 7/6/92, pumping 31.6 bopd, 245 Mcfd, 27 bwpd. GOR 7753:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 3217. Perforations 2841 to 3271. Frac: 68,000 lbs. 20/40 sand. Top of pay 2841. Commingle.

ECTOR COUNTY

Harper
Plains Petroleum Operating Co. No. 20 J.E. Parker; 1000 fnl, 2295 fel, sec 15, blk 44, T-2-S, T&P, 7.2 w Odessa, Elev. 3085, TD 4400. Completed 6/12/92. Potentialed 6/28/92, pumping 14 bopd, 11 Mcfd, 17 bwpd, 36.6 API. GOR 786:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4389. Perforations 4296 to 4400. Acid: 4000 gals. 15 percent NeFeHCL. Formation top: San Andres 4102. Top of pay 4296.
Plains Petroleum Operating Co. No. 21 J.E. Parker; 2345 fwl, 990 fsl, sec 15, blk 44, T-2-S, T&P, 7.1 w Odessa, Elev. 3089, TD 4394. Completed 6/12/92. Potentialed 6/21/92, pumping 25 bopd, 8 Mcfd, 55 bwpd, 36.4 API. GOR 320:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4347. Perforations 4270 to 4394. Acid: 4000 gals. 15 percent HCL. Formation top: San Andres 4092 Top of pay 4270.

GLASSCOCK COUNTY

Cobra (Wolfcamp)
Trend Exploration Co. No. 23D Powell "4-A"; 1186 fsl, 554 fel, sec 4, blk 35, T-3-S, T&P, 13 nw Garden City, Elev. 2542, TD 8317. Completed 7/26/92. Potentialed 7/27/92, flowing 1751.4 bopd, 1.31 Mmcfd, 26/64 inch choke, FTP 840. API 43.8. GOR 750:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 8317. Perforations 8214 to 8223. Acid: 200 gals, 15 percent HCL. Formation tops: Lower Clearfork 5815, Spraberry 6900, Dean 7760, Wolfcamp Detrital 8145. Top of pay 8145.

MARTIN COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area Dean-Wolfcamp)
O'Neill Properties Ltd. No. 1 Glynn; 1000 fsl, 330 fel, sec 16, blk 36, T-1-S, T&P, 1 w Stanton, Elev. 2705 kb, TD 11,496, PB 9460. Completed 6/3/92. Potentialed 6/8/92, flowing 76 bopd, 96 Mcfd, 18/64 inch choke. FTP 225 psi. API 38. GOR 1263:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 11,496. Perforations 9254 to 9284. Acid: 5500 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Formation tops: Spraberry 7065, Dean 8250, Wolfcamp 8605, Strawn 10,105, Devonian 11,005, Fusselman 11,285. Top of pay 9254. Plugback from Stanton (Fusselman) field.

MIDLAND COUNTY

Parks (Spraberry)
OGS Operating Co. Inc. No. 1 Texaco "25"; 1980 fsl, 660 fel, sec 25, blk 40, T-3-S, T&P, 16 s Midland, Elev. 2873, TD 10,853, PB 9180. Completed 6/15/92. Potentialed 6/24/92, pumping 45 bopd, 63 Mcfd, 52 bwpd, 39.2 API. GOR 1400:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 10,853. Perforations 7816 to 8710. Acid: 2500 gals. 15 percent HCL. Frac: 105,000 gals. gel, 250,000 lbs. sand. Formation tops: Clearfork 7438, Spraberry 7814, Wolfcamp 9308, Pennsylvanian Lime 10,176, Strawn 10,370, Atoka 10,724. Top of pay 7816. Plugback.
Henry Petroleum Corp. No. 1 Braun; 660 fnl, 1980 fel, sec 22, blk 40, T-3-S, T&P, 14 s Midland, Elev. 2861, TD 9700, PB 8816. Completed 5/23/92. Potentialed 7/18/92, pumping 33 bopd, 48 Mcfd, 185 bwpd, 38.4 API. GOR 1455:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 8922. Perforations 7859 to 8772. Acid: 3000 gals. 15 percent. Frac: 164,000 gals. gel, 581,650 lbs. sand. Formation tops: Upper Spraberry 7199, Lower Spraberry 8399, Jo Mill 8673. Top of pay 7859.

STERLING COUNTY

Conger (Pennsylvanian)
American Cometra Inc. No. 3 Terry "7"; 660 fnl, 660 fwl, sec 7, J.B. Hiler, 8.2 ne Sterling City, Elev. 2618, TD 8176, PB 8123. Completed 7/2/92. Potentialed 7/2/92, CAOF 677 Mcfd. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 8176. Perforations 7948 to 8022. Acid: 3000 gals. 10 percent. Frac: 407 barrels gel, 90,300 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Canyon 7320, Cisco 6950, Base Wolfcamp 6880. Top of pay 7904.

Sugg Ranch (Canyon)
IP Petroleum Co. Inc. No. 10 Bailey "10"; 800 fwl, 1900 fsl, sec 10, blk A, GC&SF, 14 sw Sterling City, Elev. 2586, TD 7910, PB 7862. Completed 7/8/92. Potentialed 7/15/92, flowing 197 bopd, 350 Mcfd, 12/64 inch choke, FTP 420 psi. API 41.7. GOR 1770:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 7910. Perforations 7631 to 7760. Frac: 70,000 gals. gel, 155,600 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Dean 6118, Wolfcamp 6372, Canyon Marker 7596, Canyon Sand 7630. Top of pay 7631.
IP Petroleum Co. Inc. No. 1907 Sugg "D"; 600 fel, 650 fsl, sec 19, blk 7, H&TC, 16 sw Sterling City, Elev. 1588, TD 7640, PB 7594. Completed 6/24/92. Potentialed 6/30/92, flowing 47 bopd, 940 Mcfd, 5 bwpd, 15/64 inch choke, FTP 840 psi. API 44.6. GOR 20,000:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 7640. Perforations 7223 to 7459. Acid: 1500 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Frac: 160,000 lbs. 20/40 sand, 37,580 gals. gel. Formation tops: Dean 5669, Wolfcamp 5850, Canyon Marker 7026, Canyon Sand 7108. Top of pay 7223.
IP Petroleum Co. Inc. No. 1908 Sugg "D"; 1980 fnl, 1980 fnl, sec 19, blk 7, H&TC, 16 sw Sterling City, Elev. 2498, TD 7640, PB 7590. Completed 7/1/92. Potentialed 7/3/92, flowing 70 bopd, 740 Mcfd, 6 bwpd, 14/64 inch choke, FTP 700 psi. API 44.6. GOR 10,571:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 7640. Perforations 7355 to 7555. Acid: 1500 gals. 15 percent. Frac: 74,172 gals. gel, 163,540 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Dean 5773, Wolfcamp 5913, Canyon Marker 7136, Canyon Sand 7214. Top of pay 7355.
IP Petroleum Co. Inc. No. 10 Bailey "12"; 660 fnl, 660 fwl, sec 12, blk A, GC&SF, 17 sw Sterling City, Elev. 2607, TD 8100, PB 8052. Completed 7/9/92. Potentialed 7/18/92, flowing 120 bopd, 360 Mcfd, 16/64 inch choke, FTP 460 psi. API 43.9. GOR 3000:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 8100. Perforations 7785 to 7978. Acid: 1500 gals. 15 percent. Frac: 69,000 gals. gel, 154,320 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Dean 6273, Wolfcamp 6500, Canyon Marker 7752, Canyon Sand 7784. Top of pay 7785.

Triple M (Wolfcamp)
OGE Drilling U.S.A. Inc. No. 2 Sellers "66"; 660 fnl, 1980 fwl, sec 66, blk 17, SPRR, 18 nw Sterling City, Elev. 2404, TD 8655, PB 6980. Completed 5/8/92. Potentialed 5/9/92, pumping 163 bopd, 83 Mcfd, 38.6 API. GOR 509:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 8655. Perforations 6142 to 6617. Acid: 7500 gals. 15 percent HCL. Formation tops: Montoya 6582, Fusselman 8540, Mississippian Chert 8454, Strawn 8290, Cisco Canyon 6800, Wolfcamp Lime 6140. Top of pay 6142. Plugback.

WINKLER COUNTY

Keystone (Ellenburger)
Bass Enterprises Production Co. No. 18 J.B. Walton; 1980 fnl, 660 fel, sec 5, blk B-2, PSL, 8 ne Kermit, Elev. 2971 df, TD 9948, PB 9830. Completed 6/15/92. Potentialed 7/14/92, pumping 8 bopd, 28 Mcfd, 4293 bwpd, 39.4 API. GOR 3500:1. Casing 7 inches at 9644. Perforations 9575 to 9610. Acid: 4500 gals. 15 percent HCL. Formation tops: Devonian 7332, Ellenburger 9575. Top of pay 9575. Deepen.

Completion Count

This Week	51
Last Week	53
Year Ago	58

TRC DISTRICT 8A

GAINES COUNTY

Boydell South
Sage Energy No. 7 Kerr; 467 fnl, 780 fel, sec 3, blk A-31, PSL, Abst. 2133, 16 sw Seminole, Elev. 3401, TD 7231, PB 7200. Potentialed 7/3/92, pumping 61 bopd, 31 Mcfd, 61 bwpd, 37 API. GOR 500:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at

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DEVELOPMENT WELLS

(From 4G)

SCURRY COUNTY

Diamond M

Anadarko Petroleum No. 28 L.M. Wilson "MA"; 990 fsl, 990 fwl, sec 183, blk 97, H&TC Abst. 2951, 12 sw Snyder, PD 3400.

Anadarko Petroleum No. 31 L.M. Wilson "MA"; 330 fsl, 330 fwl, sec 183, blk 97, H&TC Abst. 2951, 12 sw Snyder, PD 3400.

Anadarko Petroleum No. 32 L.M. Wilson "MA"; 330 fsl, 1650 fwl, sec 183, blk 97 H&TC, Abst. 2951, 12 sw Snyder, PD 3400.

Anadarko Petroleum No. 33 L.M. Wilson "MA"; 2334 fsl, 1650 fwl, sec 183, blk 97 H&TC, Abst. 2951, 12 sw Snyder, PD 3400.

Kelly Snyder

HAT Oil & Gas No. 1 ROC Hound; 2481 fnl 400 fwl, sec 191, blk 97, H&TC, Abst. 2592, 3 w Snyder, PD 7300.

TERRY COUNTY

Kingdom

Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 108 Mallet Land & Cattle Co.; 1973 fsl,393 fel, sec 1, blk D-14 Abst. 83, 15 nw Brownfield, PD 8350.

Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 109 Mallet Land & Cattle Co.; 1779 fsl, 1165 fwl, sec 7, blk D-11 SK&K, Abst. 277, 15 nw Brownfield, PD 8350

TRC DISTRICT 7C

CROCKETT COUNTY

Davidson Ranch (Pennsylvanian 7890)

Texaco Exploration & Production Inc. No. 3 C.E. Davidson Jr. "C"; 737 fsl, 1796 fel, sec 10, blk KL, GC&SF, 6 se Ozona, PD 8100.

Texaco Exploration & Production Inc. No. 16 C.E. Davidson Jr. "B"; 700 fsl, 2444 fwl, sec 11, blk KL, GC&SF, 6 se Ozona, PD 8120.

Ozona (Canyon)

Texaco Exploration & Production Inc. No. 7 C.E. Davidson Jr. "D" NCT-1; 1980 fnl, 2466 fwl, sec 9, blk KL, GC&SF, 5 se Ozona, PD 6450.

IRION COUNTY

Sugg Ranch (Canyon)

IP Petroleum Co. Inc. No. 3007 Pfluger "C"; 467 fnl, 467 fwl, sec 3024, blk 24, H&TC, 16 sw Sterling City, PD 8000.

RUNNELS COUNTY

Dorman West (Goen)

Ed Wolcott Operating No. 2 Gottschalk-Hardin Simmons; 850 fnl, 7011 fel, sec 442, blk 9, John L. Lynch, Abst. 346,7 w Winters, PD 4800.

SUTTON COUNTY

Sawyer (Canyon)

Enron Oil & Gas Co. No. 8 H.T. Espy; 1450 fsl, 2640 fwl, sec 9, blk C, HE&WT, Abst. 384, 13 sw Sonora, PD 5900.

Enron Oil & Gas Co. No. 7 H.T. Espy; 2400 fnl, 2640 fwl, sec 9, blk C, HE&WT, Abst. 384, 13 sw Sonora, PD 5900.

Enron Oil & Gas Co. No. 6 H.T. Espy; 2650 fnl, 660 fel, sec 9, blk C, HE&WT, Abst. 384, 13 se Sonora, PD 5900.

TOM GREEN COUNTY

Atkinson West (San Angelo)

Guy A. Swartz No. 33 Tweedy; 1650 fnl, 1650 fwl, sec 1027, CCSD&RGNG, 3 w Knickerbocker, PD 1200.

Sugg Ranch (Canyon)

IP Petroleum Co. Inc. No. 1514 Pfluger "A"; 1736 fel, 2462 fsl, sec 15, blk A, GC&SF, 22 sw Sterling City, PD 8000.

IP Petroleum Co. Inc. No. 2SA Pfluger "D"; 467 fsl,600 fel, sec 24, blk A, TCRR, 28 sw Sterling City.

UPTON COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)

John L. Cox No. 1 ATM; 1980 fnl, 660 fwl, sec 27, blk Y, TCRR, 9 nw Rankin, PD 8500, OTD 10,350. Plugback.

NEW MEXICO

LEA COUNTY

Buffalo

Robert N. Enfield No. 1 Hudson "31" Federal; 2310 fnl, 330 fel, sec 31, T18s, R33e, 11 se Maljamar, PD 4800.

Cuerno Largo

Manzano Oil Corp. No. 1 Tenneco State; 1980 fsl,660 fel, sec 25, T10s, R32e, 5.5 ne Caprock, PD 9410. Reentry.

Devonian

Alliance Corp. No. 1 State "AJ"; 2310 fnl, 2310 fel, sec 33, T18s, R36e, 1 nw Arkansas Junction, PD 12,164 Reentry.

Pitchfork Ranch

Enron Oil & Gas Co. No. 1 Hallwood "1" Federal Com.; 660 fnl, 1980 fwl, sec 1, T25s, R33e, 5 sw Ochoa, PD 15,450.

Saunders

Yates Petroleum Corp. No. 5 Superior "WA" State; 660 fnl, 1980 fwl, sec 11, T14s, R33e, 15 sw McDonald, PD 10,245.

Townsend

Marks & Garner Production Co. No. 2 W.M. Snyder; 660 fnl, 1980 fel, sec 32, T15s, R35e, 4 nw Lovington, PD 10,800. Reentry.

COMPLETIONS

(From 4G)

729. Perforations 6200 to 7198. Acid: 3500 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Frac: 35,000 gals. gel, 50,000 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Yates 2860, Queen 3692, San Andres 4320, Tubb 6636, Lower Clearfork 6948.

Robertson North

Samedan Oil No. 83 South Central Robertson Unit; 980 fnl, 2540 fel, sec 20, blk A-24, PSL, 8 sw Seminole, Elev. 3327, TD 7250, PB 7195. Potentialed 6/22/92, pumping 60 bopd, 16 Mcfd, 320 bwpd, 34.6 API. GOR 533:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 7250. Perforations 6300 to 6849. Acid: 10,000 gals. 15 percent HCL. Formation tops: Queen 3346, San Andres 4366, Glorieta 5720, Upper Clearfork 6268, Middle Clearfork 6534, Lower Clearfork 6902.

KING COUNTY

Wages Dreamfield

SRG Oil No. 2 Bacon "E"; 963 fnl, 289 fel, sec 114, blk F, H&TC, Abst. 920, 10 sw Guthrie, Elev. 1762, TD 3242. Potentialed 7/6/92, pumping 40 bopd, 14 Mcfd, 39 API. GOR 300:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 3237. Perforations (Open hole) 3237 to 3242. Formation top: Tannehill 3236.

YA

Pacific Enterprises Oil Co. No. 5 S.B. Burnett Estate "YA"; 3280 fnl, 660 fel, sec 8, blk F, H&TC, Abst. 806, 17 se Guthrie, Elev. 1634, TD 5405, PB 5180. Potentialed 5/30/92, pumping 15 bopd, 2.3 Mcfd, 36 API. GOR 150:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 5400. Perforations 5099 to 5104. Acid: 1000 gals. 7.5 percent. Frac: 4000 gals. Formation tops: Cisco Reef 3422, Strawn Lime 5128, Lower Strawn 5204. Plugback.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

CROCKETT COUNTY

Clara Couth South (San Andres)

V-F Petroleum Inc. No. 2 Meridian Cox; 467 fsl, 790 fwl, E. Ruiz survey 4, 15 w Ozona, TD 1620, PB 1560. Pumping 10 bopd, 33.5 API. GOR 1500:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 1620. Perforations 1529 to 1558. Acid: 2500 gals.

Farmer (San Andres)

3-M Energy Corp. No. 2 University "47-20"; 1691 fnl, 1916 fel, sec 20, blk 47, ULS, 26 nw Ozona, TD 2572, PB 2539. Pumping 20 bopd, 10 bwpd, 34 API. GOR 4000:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 2570. Perforations 2126 to 2439. Acid: 1500 gals. Frac: 45,500 gals. gel, 48,100 lbs. sand.

IRION COUNTY

Sugg Ranch (Canyon)

IP Petroleum Co. Inc. No. 2507 Pfluger "G"; 1950 fsl, 2000 fel, sec 3025, blk 24, H&TC, 24 sw Sterling City, TD 8080, PB 8032. Flowing 42 bopd, 19 bwpd, 13/64 inch choke. API 42.7. GOR 16,190:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 8080. Perforations 7716 to 7964. Acid: 1500 gals. Frac: 58,000 gals. gel, 139,857 lbs. sand.

REAGAN COUNTY

Farmer (San Andres)

Parker & Parsley Development Co. No. 3 State; 330 fnl, 2310 fel, sec 12, blk 49, ULS, 5 s Big Lake, TD 2695, PB 2649. Pumping 80 bopd, 60 bwpd, 35.5 API. GOR 1658:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 2695. Perforations 2348 to 2522. Acid: 3000 gals. Frac: 57,000 gals. gel, 144,000 lbs. sand.

Parker & Parsley Development Co. No. 4 State; 1705 fnl, 330 fel, sec 12, blk 49, ULS, 5 s Big Lake, TD 2668, PB 2613. Pumping 85 bopd, 55 bwpd, 35.5 API. GOR 1658:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 2668. Perforations 2388 to 2486. Acid: 3000 gals. Frac: 57,000 gals. gel, 148,000 lbs. sand.

Price (Grayburg)

3-M Energy Corp. No. 2 University "48-5"; 990 fsl, 990 fwl, sec 5, blk 48, ULS, 5.5 se Big Lake, TD 2570, PB 2530. Pumping 5 bopd, 3 bwpd, 34 API. GOR 2000:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 2570. Perforations 2316 to 2503. Acid: 1500 gals. Frac: 11,013 gals. gel, 40,000 lbs. sand.

RUNNELS COUNTY

Red Flat (Gardner)

Shenandoah Oil Inc. No. 206 Red Flat Gardner Sand Unit; 6479 fnl, 4127 fwl, Thomas J. Hardeman survey 267, Abst. 234, 6 ne Winters, TD 4350, PB 4314. Pumping 1 bopd, 41 API. GOR 100:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 4349. Perforations 4284 to 4308. Acid: 1150 gals. Plugback.

Winters (Capps)

MSR Exploration Inc. No. 1 Stoecker "A" Spill; 72 fnl, 635 fel, sec 9, EL&RR, Abst. 650, 4 ne Winters, TD 4390, PB 4021. Pumping 7.5 bopd, 43.6 API. GOR 4000:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 4050. Perforations 3864 to 3869. Acid: 500 gals.

SUTTON COUNTY

Mayer (Wolfcamp)

Graham Royalty Ltd. No. 14 Edwin S. Mayer Jr.; 1320 fnl, 933 fel, sec 53, blk D, GC&SF, TD 7150, PB 5990. CAOF 540 Mcfd. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 7150. Perforations 5801 to 5815.

Sawyer (Canyon)

Enron Oil & Gas Co. No. 9 Sawyer "113"; 1000 fsl, 2650 fwl, sec 113, blk B, HE&WT, Abst. 329, 13 sw Sonora, TD 6700, PB 6655. CAOF 820 Mcfd. API 60.9. Gas-liquid ratio 930,000:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 6681. Perforations 5379 to 5796. Frac: 93,000 gals. gel, 226,000 lbs. sand.

TERRELL COUNTY

Packenham (Wolfcamp)

Riata Energy Inc. No. 2 Mitchell; 506 fsl, 1050 fel, sec 1, blk 1, CCSD&RGNG, Abst. 85, 29.2 se Sheffield, TD 7952, PB 7836. CAOF 10.65 Mmcfd. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 7875. Perforations 7556 to 7775. Acid: 3500 gals. Frac: 55,000 gals. gel, 67,000 lbs. sand.

TOM GREEN COUNTY

Sugg Ranch (Canyon)

IP Petroleum Co. Inc. No. 1607 Pfluger "A"; 1980 fsl, 660 fwl, sec 16, blk A, GC&SF, 22 sw Sterling City, Elev. 2570, TD 8200, PB 8153. Completed 7/11/92. Potentialed 7/18/92, flowing 173 bopd, 351 Mcfd, 55 bwpd, 16/64 inch choke, FTP 340 psi. GOR 2029:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 8200. Perforations 7752 to 7939. Acid: 1500 gals. 15 percent. Frac: 98,000 gals. gel, 242,600 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Dean 6250, Wolfcamp 6406, Canyon Marker 7724, Canyon Sand 7750. Top of pay 7752.

IP Petroleum Co. Inc. No. 1512 Pfluger "A"; 500 fel, 750 fsl, sec 15, blk A, GC&SF, 22 sw Sterling City, Elev. 2560, TD 7950, PB 7897. Completed 7/7/92. Potentialed 7/14/92, flowing 137 bopd, 280 Mcfd, 16 bwpd, 12/64 inch choke, FTP 300 psi. API 43.2. GOR 2044:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 7950. Perforations 7594 to 7669. Acid: 1500 gals. 15 percent. Frac: 38,000 gals. gel, 85,560 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Dean 6030, Wolfcamp 6223, Canyon Marker 7534, Canyon Sand 7561. Top of pay 7594.

IP Petroleum Co. Inc. No. 2107 Pfluger "D"; 1525 fel, 1600 fnl, sec 21, blk A, TCRR, 28 sw Sterling City, TD 8200, PB 8150. Flowing 61 bopd, 4 bwpd, 14/64 inch choke. API 41.7. GOR 5672:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 8200. Perforations 7852 to 8116. Acid: 1500 gals. Frac: 64,000 gals. gel, 130,000 lbs. sand.

UPTON COUNTY

McElroy

Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 1214 J.T. McElroy Cons.; 330 fnl, 2385 fwl, sec 197, blk F, CCSD&RGNG, 3 se Crane, Elev. 2600, TD 3098, PB 3058. Completed 7/11/92. Potentialed 7/22/92, pumping 1 bopd, 6 Mcfd, 436 bwpd, 32.1 API. GOR 6000:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 3098. Perforations 2686 to 2905. Acid: 3800 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Formation tops: Santa Rosa 629, Rustler 955, Yates 1867, Queen 2273, McElroy 2576, San Andres 2924. Top of pay 2686.

Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 1209 J.T. McElroy Cons.; 2210 fnl, 1650 fwl, sec 197, blk F, CCSD&RGNG, 3 se Crane, Elev. 2609, TD 3105, PB 3042. Completed 7/4/92. Potentialed 7/21/92, pumping 35 bopd, 5 Mcfd, 27 bwpd, 31.6 API. GOR 1431:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 3105. Perforations 2703 to 2846. Acid: 1600 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Formation tops: Santa Rosa 657, Rustler 940, Yates 1883, Queen 2287, McElroy 2590, San Andres 2946. Top of pay 2703.

NEW MEXICO

EDDY COUNTY

Burton Flat

Yates Petroleum Corp. No. 1 Glider "AKG" State; 1980 fwl, 1980 fnl, sec 17, T21s, R27e, Elev. 3204, TD 11,650, PB 10,777. Completed 6/6/92. Potentialed 6/6/92, flowing 1.42 Mmcfd, 1/2 inch choke, FTP 215 psi. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 11,650. Perforations 10,223 to 10,342. Acid: 32,000 gals. 15 percent HCL. Formation tops: Capitan Reef 1189, Delaware 2629, Bone Spring 5000, Wolfcamp 8796, Strawn 10,110, Atoka 10,452, Morrow Clastic 11,130, Lower Morrow 11,375.

Lost Tank

Pogo Production Co. No. 7 Federal "1"; 990 fsl, 2310 fel, sec 1, T22s, R31e, Elev. 3584.2, TD 8530, PB 8492. Completed 6/7/92. Potentialed 6/17/92, pumping 19 bopd, 61 Mcfd, 232 bwpd. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 8530. Perforations 8351 to 8392. Top of pay 8351.

Shugart

Paloma Resources Inc. No. 2 Keohane "C" Federal; 330 fsl, 330 fel, sec 21, T18s, R31e, Elev. 3640, TD 4000, PB 3870. Completed 5/8/92. Potentialed 4/26/92, pumping 13 bopd, 157 bwpd, 36.9 API. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4000. Perforations 3555 to 3575. Acid: 1500 gals. 7.5 percent. Frac: 20,000 gals. gel, 45,000 lbs. 16/30 sand. Formation tops: Anhydrite 604, Salt 830, Base Salt 1948, Yates 2418, Seven Rivers 2680, Queen 3182, Penrose 3504. Top of pay 3555.

South Dagger Draw

Yates Petroleum Corp. No. 12 Hillview "AHE" Federal Com.; 1980 fsl, 660 fel, sec 23, T20s, R24e, Elev. 3630, TD 8160, PB 8000. Completed 6/23/92. Potentialed 6/23/92, pumping 291 bopd, 500 Mcfd, 846 bwpd, 42 API. GOR 1718:1. Casing 7 inches at 8160. Perforations 7588 to 7743. Acid: 28,400 gals. 20 percent NeFe. Formation tops: San Andres 606, Glorieta 2142, Yeso 2256, Bone Spring 3583, Third Bone Spring 5562, Abo 5779, Wolfcamp 5913, Canyon 7585, Dolomite 7864. Top of pay 7588.

Yates Petroleum Corp. No. 1 Mojave "AJY" Com.; 990 fnl, 660 fel, sec 35, T20.5s, R23e, Elev. 3700, TD 9766, PB 8390. Completed 6/15/92. Potentialed 6/15/92, flowing 11 bopd, 1.87 Mmcfd, 172 bwpd, 20/64 inch choke, FTP 990 psi. API 60.5. GOR 170,181:1. Casing 7 inches at 9697. Perforations 7444 to 7450. Acid: 250 gals. 20 percent. Formation tops: San Andres 552, Glorieta 2084, Bone Spring 3032, Wolfcamp 5926, Canyon 7444, Morrow 9055, Austin Cycle 9500, Chester Lime 9620. Top of pay 7444.

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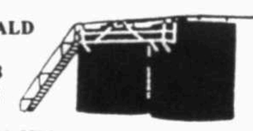

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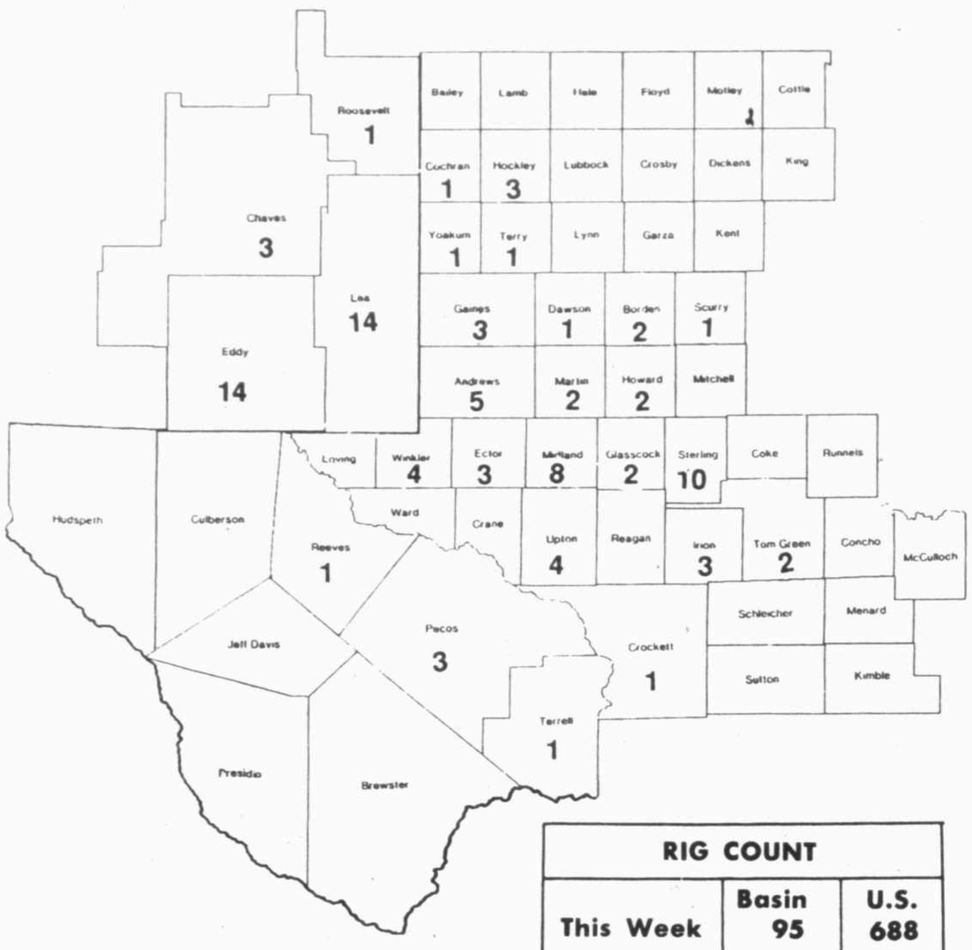
RIG COUNT PROFILE



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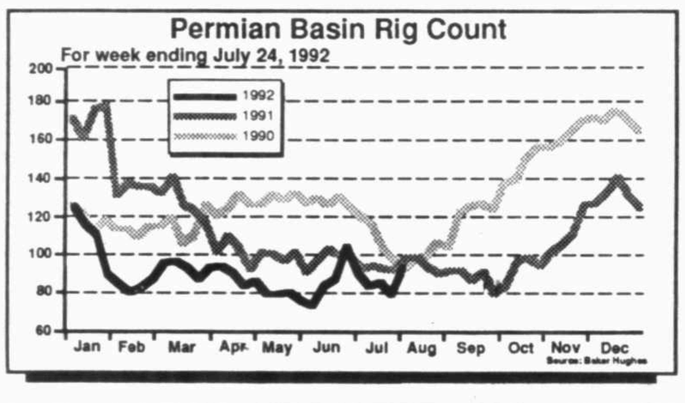
This Week	95	688
Last Week	81	689
Year Ago	93	845



Permian Basin Rig Utilization	
This week	Last week
34.3%	33.5%

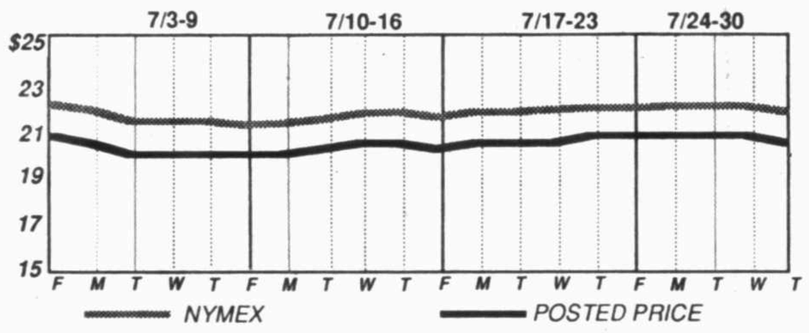
U.S. Rig Utilization	
This week	Last week
26.1%	25.8%

Crude Oil Prices

This Week's Average:

NYMEX $21.98

POSTED $20.75



Current Posted Prices

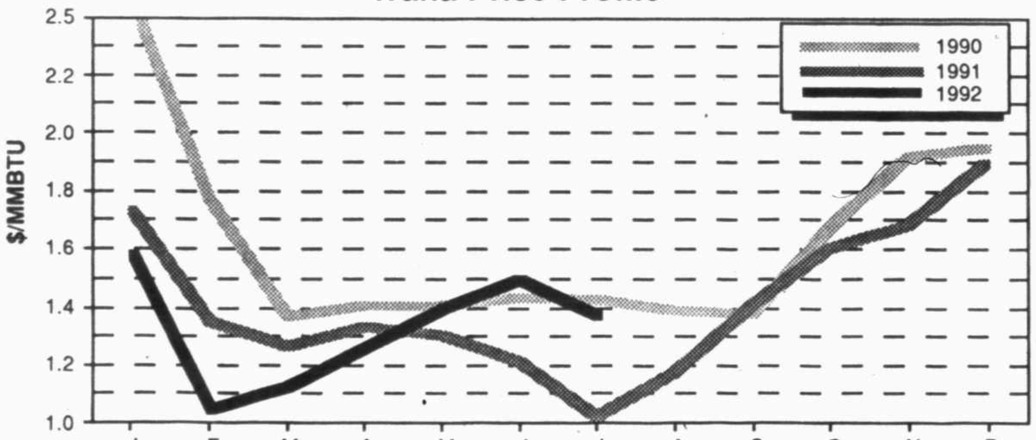
Amoco*	$21.25	Fina*	N/A	Scurlock Permian*	$20.50
Arco	21.50	Koch	20.50	Shell*	21.25
Chevron	21.25	Marathon*	20.75	Sun*	20.75
Citgo*	20.75	Mobil*	21.25	Texaco	20.50
Conoco	21.00	Navajo*	20.50	Unocal	21.25
Enron	20.75	Phibro*	20.75		
Exxon	21.50	Phillips*	21.10		

Note: Prices are effective Thursday afternoon prior to publication

*Net price without transportation charges

Spot Gas Price Comparison

Waha Price Profile



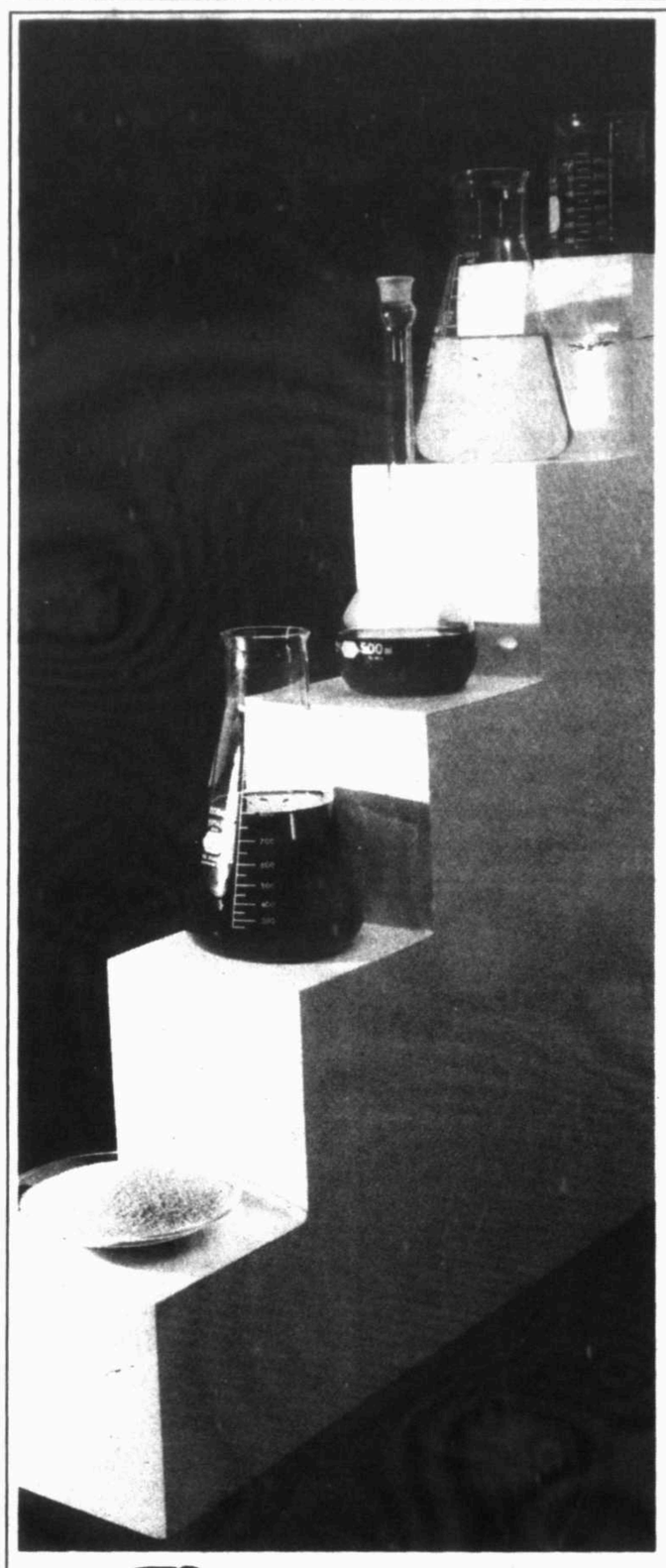
*Waha is a major natural gas collection header for the Permian Basin located in Pecos County.

Waha Averages	
This month	Last month
$1.40	$1.53

Current Exchange Prices

- **MidContinent** (Arkoma) $1.40
- **Gulf Coast** (Louisiana) $1.53
- **Rocky Mountains** (Wyoming) $1.20

Source: Robert K. Anderson & Associates



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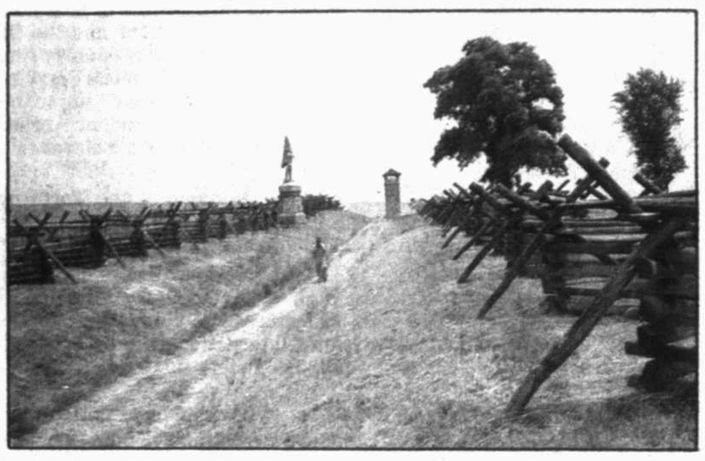
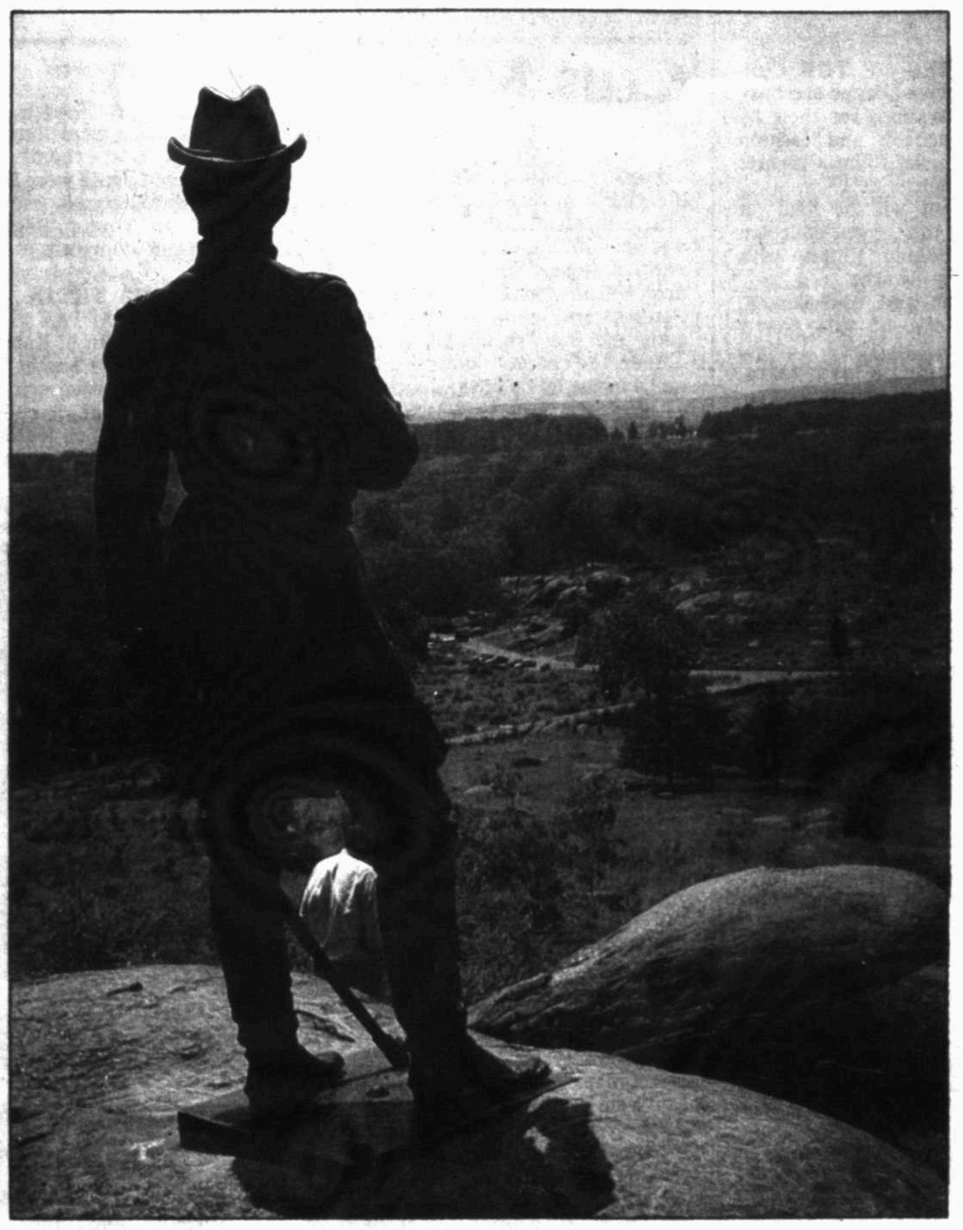
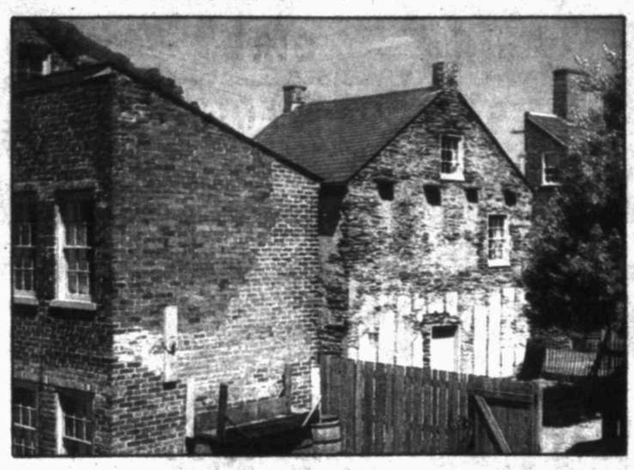
In the footsteps of the BLUE AND GRAY

Text and photos by Ted Battles







ELDERHOSTEL, Hood College, Frederick, Md. — Although she is an associate professor in the sciences; no one can quarrel with Betsy Estilow's qualifications to teach The Footsteps of the Blue and Gray, a weeklong Hood College Elderhostel course.

Miss Estilow was brought up on the Civil War, War of the Rebellion, War Between the States, The Late Unpleasantness or whatever you want to call what tore at the nation's innards from 1861-1865, this country's bloodiest conflict.

Until she reached college age, whenever someone announced they were going on vacation, Miss Estilow admits her first impulse was to ask, "Oh, and what battlefield are you going to visit?"

Her grandfather's library and Civil War artifact collection was donated to Centre College in Kentucky. Her father, a professor at Drexel Tech, narrated a 25-program series on the Civil War for Philadelphia PBS back in the early 1970s. Just because his initials were U.S. Estilow, don't jump to the conclusion that he was named after the Union general. U.S. stands for Ulysses Sherman, which, I suppose, makes it even worse.

You get the idea, however, Miss Estilow exhibits a professor's devotion to her subject and her enthusiasm not only enhances it, but becomes contagious.

This was our first experience with Elderhostel, an educational program offered world wide for those over 62 years-of-age whose search for knowledge is stimulated by years and free time. Even before Ken Burns' PBS series, this was a popular course.

THE FIRST ATTEMPTS to sign up a couple of years ago as soon as the class was announced nine months in advance was too late. This time we inquired three weeks in advance and, lo and behold, there had been a cancellation.

Apprehension as to how we would react to the elderhostel experience — dorm living at a small, elite women's college in Frederick, Md. — was understandable. Bath facilities were shared, the meals were described as simple but "wholesome and nourishing," plus June heat and stifling humidity in the Maryland area gave pause.....

But the opportunity to tour six battlefields, most again, and to dissect the strategies-gone-awry and the terrible consequences overwhelmed any uncertainties in regard to accommodations.

This course, perhaps, was a little more intensive than most Elderhostels, one subject, instead of two or three. Lectures in the morning of half day trips, lectures on the bus and even lectures at night plus outdoor concerts, wine-cheese tasting and homemade ice cream parties left little free time. There wasn't even time to sneak off for an evening to see the Frederick Keys (Carolina League) in their state of the art minor league stadium.

Gettysburg, Antietam and the battlefields at Manassas were the day long adventures while South Mountain and Harper's Ferry were the half day trips. Manassas, an hour away, was the longest trip.

Elderhostels are for still inquisitive seniors, 62-and-over and you don't have to go to Frederick, Md., to find one. They are as close as Prude Ranch in the Davis Mountains and right next door at Odessa College. Eastern New Mexico University conducts Elderhostels at Ruidoso, N.M., which is a hard to beat parlay.

Texas abounds in opportunities ... Hardin Simmons, Howard Payne, Mo Ranch, Lyndon Baines Johnson Library and Museum/University of Texas at Austin, Baylor University-/Concan, just to name a few.

Subjects are diverse and wide-ranging, including such courses as Birds of the Texas Hill Country, The Big Band Era, The Play's The Thing, Indian Influence in Texas, Black Gold: Texas Tea, The Story of the Permian Basin Oil Fields; Ecology of the Big Bend Area, Texas Astronomy, The Stars

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The North Carolina Monument at Gettysburg (top left) was sculptured by Gutzon Borglum of Mount Rushmore fame. Located on Seminary Ridge, it is the stepping off point for Pickett's Charge on the third day of the battle. • The Bloody Lane at Antietam in Sharpsburg, Md., (top right) was littered with the dead in the battle for the center, held by D.H. Hill's Confederate forces. The Union eventually took the sunken road, but without reinforcements could not make its advantage decisive. • This view of Harper's Ferry (middle left), shows how it looked in the 1860s, and as it still is in the 1990s. • Devil's Den, center, at Gettysburg (middle right) is viewed from the vantage point of the statue of General Gouverneur Warren on Little Round Top. Warren rallied Union forces to the unprotected hill and saved the day for the North on the second day of the battle. Little Round Top commanded the entire Union line on Cemetary Ridge. • The restored Dunkard Church (bottom left) marked the site of the first furious action at Antietam. The area changed hands rapidly and dramatically in the early morning fighting. • Burnside's Bridge at Antietam (bottom right) is shown from the vantage point of Brigadier General Robert Toombs' handful of Georgia sharpshooters who thwarted Union (Burnside's entire corps) efforts to take the bridge for half a day; long enough for A.P. Hill to march 17 miles from Harper's Ferry and force a stalemate to the Civil War's bloodiest day.

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HAVE YOU HEARD?

Couple honored with nuptial festivites

By Marilyn McKnight Harrison

To celebrate the marriage of their daughter, **Lisa Beveridge**, and **John Herbig**, **Geral and Dick Beveridge** entertained with a party the evening of July 18 at Midland Country Club.

McKnight-Harrison

The festive celebration featured a cocktail buffet and the piano music of **Terry Mikeska**, an international entertainer whose roots are in West Texas. His hometown is San Angelo.

Terry was seated at the grand piano on a raised platform in the center of the ballroom. Surrounding him were an abundance of lovely tropical plants and around that, the serving tables which held an array of mouth-watering delicacies. Guests were seated at tables adorned with arrangements of tropical flowers.

Special guests included the groom's parents, **Anne and Jack Herbig**; his brothers, **David Herbig** and **Andy Herbig**, both of Houston; his grandparents, **Estelle and Bill Seltzer**; Lisa's brother, **Dirk Beveridge**, who is now based in London as a foreign correspondent with the Associated Press, and her grandfather, **Paul Adamson** of Tulsa, Okla., who flew in especially for the occasion and whose 87th birthday was celebrated during the party weekend.

Among the other 400 guests were Midlanders **Violette and Bill Blanks**, **Kaye and Bill Franklin**, **Louise and Loyd Whitley**, **Kay and Ralph Arrell**, **Elizabeth and Byron Greaves** and **Marilee and Ed Runyan**.

The groom's parents hosted a dinner at La Bodega Restaurant on the eve of the party for both families and out-of-town guests. A poolside luncheon was held on the day of the party at the Beveridge home for family members and out-of-towners.

Pre-nuptial festivities included a patio dinner at the home of **Monica and Scott Parkison**. The other host couples were **Ceci and Todd Westmoreland**, **Courtney and Chris Renaud**, **Cathy and Danny Norwood**, and **Leslie Hendrix** and her fiance, **Lee Wood Jr.**

A dessert party followed the wedding rehearsal.

The couple exchanged vows in the presence of their immediate families at 12 o'clock June 24 at St. Ann's Catholic Church. A luncheon followed at Midland Country Club, with **Father Fred Nawarskas**, who officiated the ceremony, as a special guest.

After a honeymoon to New Orleans, La., and Destin, Fla., the Herbigs are at home in Midland.

SEVERAL MIDLAND COUPLES recently returned from a weekend jaunt to the heart of the Hill Country, where they attended the annual "Night in Old Fredericksburg" held the third Saturday in July.

The group enjoyed great German food, an arts and crafts fair, horse racing, browsing in the quaint downtown shops, as well as dancing to the music provided by six polka bands and two C&W bands. They also enjoyed a production of "Big River" at the outdoor Point Theatre, which is located in Ingram, near Kerrville.

Making the trip were **Sherrilyn and Tom Blase**, **Gloria and Jack Grunenwald**, **Donna and Lou Marczynski**, **Paz and Domingo Carrizales**, **Linda and Rick McBride**, **Mary Lou and Dick Hennessy**, and **Vicky and Fred Kvasnicka**. Joining them from Beeville were former Midlanders **Tori and Skip Baca**.

Also meeting the group for Saturday's activities were **Debbie Grunenwald**, **Heather Helbert** and **Sherrie Patterson**, all of Midland.

MEMBERS OF THE Children's Service League are busy with preparations for their biennial luncheon and fashion show to benefit the Cerebral Palsy Center.

The event will be held on Sept. 22 in the Crystal Ballroom of the Midland Hilton, with fashions by Swartz.

Chairmen and co-chairmen, respectively, of this year's event are **Ann (Mrs. James) Walton** and **Missy (Mrs. James) Rasnick**. Invitations co-chairmen are **Virginia (Mrs. Bob L.) Jones** and **Lexie (Mrs. Andrew) Kauffman**. Invitation design is by **Barbara (Mrs. Earl) Bruno** and **Betty (Mrs. Edward J.) Gemmill**. **Juanita (Mrs. Durward) Goolsby** is coordinator for the benefit.

Marilyn McKnight-Harrison is social columnist for the Reporter-Telegram.

BRIDGE WINNERS

The following are bridge winners for the week of July 20.

MONDAY

NORTH-SOUTH:
1. Marty Cloy, Fay Carey
2. Leonora Slusher, Marie Morris
3. Bill Fahrig, B.J. Filley
4. Ruth Fahrig, Jimmy Cox

EAST-WEST:
1. Betty Moudy, Charleen DeLaune
2. Dixie Gifford, Mary Hammond
3. Betty Hill, Ann Servatius
4. Ginna Potts, George Landreth

TUESDAY
1. Dixie Gifford, Helen Owen
2. Billie Jean Lively, Johnnie McCarroll
3. Jane Myers, B.J. Filley
4. Marian Sims, Jimmie Penn

WEDNESDAY
1. and 2. Tie: Jimmie Penn, Clarence Marley, Ginna Potts, George Landreth
3. George Faulk, Wanda Scott

THURSDAY
1. Fay Carey, Ann Servatius
2. Bonnie Hubbard, Betty Moudy
3. and 4. Tie: Lydia Wilkinson, Helen Owen, Marian Sims, Betty Austin

NON-SMOKING:
1. Betty and Jerry Crooker
2. Bill Fahrig, Clarence Marle
3. Ginna Potts, George Landreth
4. Sue Gardiner, Jimmie Penn

FRIDAY
1. Mary Hammond, Vangie Lindsey
2. Helen Owen, Debbie Kemp
3. Sue Gardiner, Jimmie Penn
4. Charlie Grimes, Bill Fahrig

SUNDAY
1. Dixie Gifford, Mary Hammond
2. Bob Stuart, Sue Gardiner
3. and 4. Tie: Jimmie Penn, Midge Taylor, K.C. Evans, Marge Triplitt

TRIP: U.S., overseas offers elderhostels

(From 1H)

at Night Are Big and Bright; The Decalogue: Ancient Israel's Ten Commandments ... there's something for everyone if you look hard enough.

Overseas as well as domestic elderhostels are offered. After a summer's tour in expensive Scandinavia, in a desperate attempt to find an affordable return to Norway's stunning fiord country, a winter elderhostel in the Hardanger Vidda was discovered and quickly vetoed by the Mrs. Seems it was a five mile cross country ski trek to the destination.

Tabloid-sized catalogs listing courses in the U.S. and overseas to be offered six months to a year in advance are updated every month or so.

Despite initial reservations, Hood College provided the criteria by which any future Elderhostels will be measured. The dormitory accommodations just brought the group of 35 that much closer together.

One of the most interesting aspects of the Elderhostel is the people you meet. Surprisingly, two others had grandfathers in the Civil War. I didn't think anyone else was that old was still around. One had relatives on both sides.

The "simple nourishing meals," catered by Marriott, were far more than that.

THE BATTLES studied meshed beautifully, offering a study of General Robert E. Lee's first campaign into the North following his shattering victory at second Manassas in late August 1862.

The Army of Northern Virginia marched into the borderline state of Maryland seeking recruits, supplies and foreign support, if successful.

It led Lee to Frederick, where he discovered that Special Order No. 191, disclosing Jackson's flanking maneuver on Harper's Ferry, had fallen into enemy hands and the battles at the three gaps of South Mountain as Confederate troops sought to give Jackson time to take his objective.

The delaying action proved successful and after a two-day siege, Harper's Ferry fell. By this time, Lee and Union General Joe Hooker had established battle lines along Antietam Creek outside of Sharpsburg Sept. 15 and the Dunker Church, cornfield, Bloody Lane and the fight for "Burnside's Bridge" became indelibly etched in this country's lore.

Only A.P. Hill's timely late afternoon arrival from Harper's Ferry kept the Union from a complete victory. Still, what turned out to be a standoff was close enough to a Union victory for President Abraham Lincoln to issue his Emancipation Proclamation, granting slaves in the rebelling states their freedom.

Gettysburg was a result of Lee's second invasion of the North nine months later, following on the heels of Jackson's 14-mile flanking march to surprise Union troops, guns stacked and at evening mess, at Chancellorsville.

Gettysburg (July 1-3, 1863), the High Water Mark for Confederates, can't really be covered in a night of lectures and a day-long tour, so if you are interested enough, Gettysburg International Hostel offers Gettysburg: The Battle, The Town and the People in October.

AND GETTYSBURG, too, left its list of never-to-be-forgotten names ... the Unfinished Railroad Cut, Seminary Ridge, Cemetery Hill, Cemetery Ridge, Little Round Top, Devil's Den, the Wheatfield, the Peach Orchard, and the Bloody Angle as well as the names: Lee, Longstreet, Pickett, Sickles, Meade, Warren, Chamberlain, Reynolds, Custer and hooky-playing Stuart.

In view of the controversy surrounding the inroads into the battlefield area, one of the surprises was how well the Manassas/Bull Run battlefields had survived, despite the threatened attempts of malls and shopping center infringement....Antietam remains much as it was, but the fear is for privately owned farms on and adjacent to the battlefield that are ripe targets for developers. Sharpsburg is within 20 minutes of Harper's Ferry and the commuter trains to Washington, D.C., and it is no longer regarded as "too far" out in the sticks....

Gettysburg already has been infringed upon and the advance by Pettigrew, the left flank of Pickett's Charge, would be bogged down today by the barricade of fast food restaurants on the Emmitsburg Road just south of the town of Gettysburg. ...If you decide to hike the mile of open fields from Seminary ridge to the Bloody Angel on Cemetery ridge, in the footsteps of Pickett's Virginians that July 3rd day in 1863, choose the right time of day and watch where you step. It's a feeding ground for deer....

DESPITE THE commercialism that has despoiled parts of the battle field, park officials are in the process of restoring the conditions to the way they were during the battle. Pictures taken of the battlefields show how much the foliage and vegetation has changed over the years....

At Manassas', you'll stand at the foot of Henry Hill and look back at the slopes, as did Confederate General Bee when his troops verged on defeat and rallied his men by declaring, "There stands Jackson like a Stonewall." Also on Henry Hill during First Manassas, Union artillery held its fire as the blue clad troops 100 yards away advanced. It was still early in the war and these Gray Virginians were still wearing their home state Blue uniforms.

Before touring the Antietam battlefield, be sure to see the half hour film, a reenactment, to set the mood. Some say it's the best of all the Civil War battlefield films....

At Gettysburg, a college professor used to give the lecture that went with the famed electric map. Now the lecture is on tape, but the electric map stop is a must for setting the stage for what transpired during the three days here....

If you are in the neighborhood at Christmas, Boy Scouts place candalerias on the Antietam battlefield at the approximate location of each of the day's 23,000 casualties...

PERHAPS THE most impressive battlefield memorial at Gettysburg is the one honoring North Carolina troops, located in the center of Seminary Ridge. It's the work of Gutzon Borglum, who is also responsible for the granite heads of Washington, Jefferson, Lincoln and Theodore Roosevelt at Mount Rushmore. Another impressive memorial is that of the state of Virginia, also Seminary Ridge. One of the most unusual is New York's copper colored wigwam and Indian, justified by the Tamany tribe.

Another statue is dedicated to the Vermont officer who disobeyed order by letting his troops stop for a water break and was arrested.

Stimulating is the word but if you aren't yet 62, you'll just have to be patient.

CLUB NEWS

PRECEPTOR EPSILON DELTA CHAPTER, BSP

Preceptor Epsilon Delta of Beta Sigma Phi met at La Bodega restaurant for dinner. Attending were Nancy White, Tom Bius, Jan and Les Acker, Suzy and Jim Arnold, Diana and Bob Henderson, Pauline and John Heidel, and Judy and Bob Jehring. Following dinner, the chapter continued the social in the home of the Jehrings.

XI EPSILON EPSILON CHAPTER, BSP

Xi Epsilon Epsilon chapter of Beta Sigma Phi had a picnic lunch and swim party at the home of Cindy Youngs. Attending were Karen Hopkins, Pat Cartmell, Grace Burfeind, Karan Young, Peggy Finch and JoAnn Cameron.

KAPPA ALPHA THETA ALUMNAE CHAPTER

Judy Canon, president of Kappa Alpha Theta Alumnae Chapter in Midland, attended the sorority's Grand Convention at Tarpon Springs, Fla. Focus was on legislation, alcohol abuse prevention and Court Appointed Special Advocates. Shelby Scarbrough, president of Private Protocol, was speaker.

ALTRUSA CLUB

Altrusa International Inc. of Midland met at Annie's Gingerbread House with Beverly Dyer presiding and leading the invocation. Marge McCain gave the Altrusa Accent. Betty Gildon introduced Cynthia Talboys of Merrill Lynch, who presented a program on financial planning.

AARP

American Association of Retired Persons, Midland chapter #256, met at Dellwood Senior Center for pot-luck supper with 80 members and five guests attending. Marthy Dwyer presided. Hazel Cole gave the invocation and Art Shaw led the Pledge of Allegiance. Marie Knight read the minutes. Birthdays and anniversaries were observed. Lennie Parker discussed cans of food to be brought to the next meeting. Bill Messner presented a program of piano music.

Single dose of antibiotic may treat infection

CHICAGO (AP) — A single dose of an antibiotic may be just as effective as the typical five- or seven-day regimen in treating a bacterial infection common in women, researchers say.

The infection, bacterial vaginitis, is most successfully treated with the antibiotic metronidazol, but controversy exists over the dosage and duration of treatment that yields the best results, the researchers say.

A review of studies suggests that the popular recommendation of 500 milligrams twice daily for seven days is unnecessary, and that a single dose or two doses of 2 grams of metronidazol is just as effective, they say.

The researchers, led by Dr. Victor I. Lugo-Miro of the University of Texas at Houston Medical School, reported their findings in the Journal of the American Medical Association.

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ENGAGEMENTS

TOM-GRABLE

Pamela Tom and Bradley Keith Grable, both of Weatherford, are planning to be married 8 p.m. Aug. 29 at St. Ann's Catholic Church in Midland. Parents of the bride-elect are Mr. and Mrs. Rufus C. Tom of Stanton. The future bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. V.W. Grable of Weatherford.

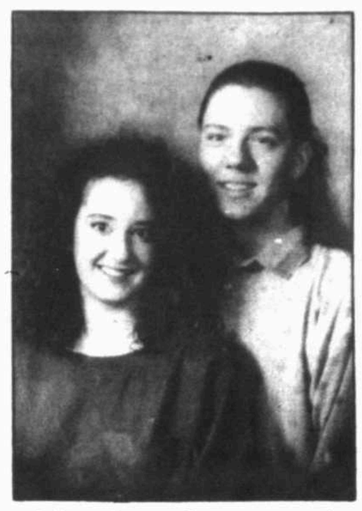
Miss Tom is a 1987 graduate of Stanton High School and a 1991 graduate of Tarleton State University. She is employed with Enterprise Leasing. Her fiance graduated from Weatherford High School in 1987 and from Tarleton State in 1992. He is self-employed.

Pamela Tom and Bradley Keith Grable

FREEMAN-BLACK

Crista Dawn Freeman and James Earl Black, both of Midland, are planning to be married 6 p.m. Sept. 5 at Memorial Christian Church in Midland. The bride-to-be is the daughter of Fran Freeman of Tulsa, Okla., and Gary Deatherage of Christiansburg, Ohio. Parents of the future bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Black of Midland.

Miss Freeman is a 1989 graduate of Midland High School. Her fiance graduated from Greenwood High School in 1985 and is scheduled to graduate from Sul Ross State University Aug. 15.



Crista Dawn Freeman and James Earl Black

WOOD-MAGEE

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Graham Gist of Midland announce the engagement of their daughter, Katherine Elise Wood of Jacksonville, Fla., to Kenneth Hutchison Magee, also of Jacksonville. Parents of the future bridegroom are Mrs. James Kenneth Magee of Pittsburgh and the late J.K. Magee. The wedding is planned for 7 p.m. Sept. 5 at Lakewood United Methodist Church in Jacksonville.

Ms. Wood, granddaughter of Mrs. Fred Morgan Gist and the late F.M. Gist and the late Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hill Conger, attended Vanderbilt University and Mississippi State University, where she earned a bachelor of architecture degree. She is a member of Kappa Alpha Theta and Junior League of Jacksonville and is employed with KBJ Architects Inc. Her fiance earned a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering and a master of business administration degree from the University of Virginia, where he was a member of Delta Sigma Phi fraternity. He is employed with Sauer Inc.

Katherine Elise Wood

FULLER-SMITH

Lisa Renee Fuller and Wendell Smith, both of Midland, are planning a 2 p.m. Aug. 15 wedding at Hollowell United Methodist Church in Midland. The bride-to-be is the daughter of former Midlanders Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Littlejohn of Eagle Pass. The future bridegroom is the son of Lilly Smith of Midland and the late Albert Ross Smith.

Ms. Fuller is a 1987 graduate of Lee High School and is employed by the Reporter-Telegram. Her fiance is a graduate of Lee High School and attended Midland College. He also is employed by the Reporter-Telegram.

Lisa Renee Fuller and Wendell Smith

MILLER-COOLEY

Jeannie Renee Miller and Bo Cooley, both of Midland, are planning to be married 3 p.m. Sept. 12 at First Presbyterian Church in Andrews. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jonnie Miller of Andrews. Parents of the future bridegroom are Carl Cooley of Del Rio and the late Peggy Cooley.

Miss Miller is a graduate of Andrews High School. She is employed with Mims and Stephens Insurance Company. Her fiance, a graduate of Del Rio High School, is employed with Big D Lining Systems.

Jeannie Renee Miller and Bo Cooley

CALHOUN-FLOURNOY

Jennifer Dee Calhoun and Burton William Flournoy, both of Midland, are planning to be married 8 p.m. Aug. 14 in Midland. The bride-to-be is the daughter of Sandra and Brad Calhoun of Midland. Parents of the future bridegroom are Thomas and Jackie Flournoy of Midland.

The future bridegroom attends Lee High School.

Jennifer Dee Calhoun and Burton William Flournoy

ANNIVERSARIES

Couple observes golden anniversary

Blanche and Coke Tilley of Midland were honored recently with a celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary. Hosts were the couple's children and their spouses, Mr. and Mrs. Coke Tilley III of St. Louis, Mo.; Dr. and Mrs. John Tilley of Lewisville, Pamela Tilley of Kearney, Neb.; and David Tilley of Hobbs, N.M. Their oldest son, William Tilley, is deceased. They also have eight grandchildren.

The celebration began with an anniversary Mass at St. Stephen's Catholic Church, officiated by The Rev. Clifford Blackburn, OMI, of San Antonio. Luncheon at Ranchland Hills Country Club followed.

Tilley and the former Blanche Labit were married June 8, 1942, in Temple. Tilley began working for Standard of Texas, now Chevron USA, in 1949. The couple transferred to Midland in 1966, and Tilley retired from Chevron USA in 1971. He went to work for Glen Aaron and Associates and a few years later opened his own oil and gas land business. Mrs. Tilley taught at Emerson and Pease Elementary Schools in Midland before she retired. They are members of St. Ann's Catholic Church.

Blanche and Coke Tilley

Former Midlanders celebrate 50th year

RUNAWAY BAY — Former Midlanders Ralph and Tommie Preston of Runaway Bay celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with a luncheon July 5 in the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Phyllis and Gene Slough of Weatherford. Beverly Preston of Runaway Bay, also the couple's daughter, co-hosted.

Preston and the former Tommie Loucille Harper were married July 5, 1942, in Dallas. In addition to their two daughters, they have six grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Ralph and Tommie Preston

Woods honored at golden celebration

Mary Louise and Bertram Oliver Wood Jr. of Midland celebrated their golden wedding anniversary July 7. A dinner in their honor, hosted by Mr. and Mrs. John E. Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Bertram O. Wood III, will be Aug. 23 in Dallas.

The couple were married July 7, 1942, in San Antonio. They have three children — Gerald Don Wood of Odessa, John Eugene Wood of Dallas and Bertram Oliver Wood III of San Antonio — as well as three grandchildren, and are expecting their first great-grandchild.

The couple lived in Ithica, N.Y.; Wilmington, Del.; San Angelo; Ottowa, Kan.; and Monahans before moving to Midland in 1975. Wood served in the U.S. Navy and worked for Concho Paper Co. and Wood, McShane and Thams Engineering Consultants.

The couple are members of First Presbyterian Church of Monahans, First Presbyterian Church of Midland and Rotary Club.

Birthday celebrations more recent tradition

Associated Press

No one celebrated birthdays before the calendar was invented in 4000 B.C., because there was no way to know the date. After the calendar was used to keep track of time, only kings celebrated birthdays as no records were kept on common people.

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Entry fee is $35.00. Pageant date is Wednesday, September 16, 1992, 7:00 p.m. on Coliseum grounds. Deadline for all entries is Friday, August 21, 1992.

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WEDDINGS

LOVE-BUSHONG

Amy Renee Love of Midland became the bride of Robert Stephen Bushong, also of Midland, 2 p.m. Saturday at St. Paul United Methodist Church. The Rev. K.C. Blackketter officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Joseph A. and Brenda Love of Midland. Parents of the bridegroom are Kate Bushong and Robert A. Bushong, both of Midland.

Kimberly A. Clement of Midland was maid of honor. Bridesmaid was Mary Hernandez of Midland. Tricia Kate Moths of Burleson, niece of the bridegroom, was flower girl.

Robert A. Bushong was best man for his son. Kevin Moths of Burleson was groomsman. Ushers were Jay Gregory of Katy and Alvin E. Bushong of Kermit, grandfather of the bridegroom. Matthew Ryan Smithson of Detroit, Mich., was ring bearer.

Mrs. Robert Stephen Bushong

After a wedding trip to San Antonio, the couple lives in Midland.

JACKSON-RHEA

Aretha N. Jackson of Midland became the bride of David Eric Rhea, also of Midland, 7:30 p.m. July 25 at New Jerusalem Baptist Church. The Rev. A.L. Jackson of Holy Trinity C.O.G.I.C., father of the bride, officiated.

Parents of the bride are the Rev. and Mrs. A.L. Jackson of Midland. The bridegroom is the son of the Rev. and Mrs. Lawrence C. Rhea Jr. of Odessa.

Diane Logan of Midland was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Marcia Brooks, Stephanie Hunter and Erica Hunter of Midland. Adrianne Brooks and Ashley Jackson, niece of the bride, were flower girls.

The Rev. Lawrence C. Rhea Jr. was best man for his son. Groomsmen were Gerald Jackson, brother of the bride; Stephen Hunter and Charles Hunter, all of Midland.

Mrs. David Eric Rhea

The couple lives in North Carolina.

SCOTT-HAGAR

DALLAS — Kristy Lynn Scott of Arlington and Charles Lamar Hagar of Fort Worth were married 7 p.m. July 11 at St. Patrick Catholic Church. Monsignor Richard E. Johnson officiated.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Bernard G. Scott of Midland. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hagar of Dallas.

Susan Perry of Baytown was matron of honor for her sister. Bridesmaids were Amy Dufresne of Houston, Donna Johns of Big Spring and Gaye Weinzel of Midland.

Kevin Corbet of Carrollton was best man. Groomsmen were John Flynn of College Station, Trey Senn of Oklahoma City and John Trcka of Los Angeles. David Scott of Midland, brother of the bride, and Scott Criscione of Dallas were ushers.

Mrs. Charles Lamar Hagar

After a wedding trip to Crested Butte, Colo., the couple lives in Arlington.

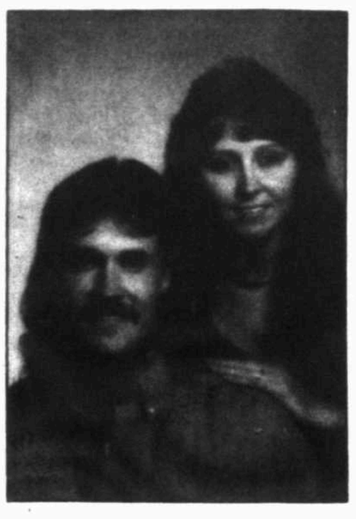
DOGGETT-DOSS

Pamela Renee Doggett and Leonard James Doss, both of Midland, were married 1 p.m. July 4 at Cotton Flat Baptist Church. The Rev. Robert Kepple officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Peggy Doggett of Midland and the late John Doggett. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Bob Doss of Midland.

Fatima Kepple of Midland was maid of honor for her sister. Dena Bloodworth of Kermit was bridesmaid.

Robert Doss of Pampa served his brother as best man. Doug Doss of Midland was groomsman. Ushers were Rex Clark, Kevin Warren, and nephews of the bride Pete Kepple, Jacob Kepple and Joshua Kepple.



Jim and Renee Doss

DAWKINS-SPARKS

Golf Course Road Church of Christ was the setting for the 3 p.m. Saturday wedding of Traci Michelle Dawkins of Midland and Terry Wayne Sparks of Abilene. Chris Campbell officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Don and Melba Dawkins of Midland. Parents of the bridegroom are DeLos and Sherry Sparks of Norfolk, Neb.

Sheri Dawkins was maid of honor for her sister. Tyler Sparks served his brother as best man.

After a wedding trip to San Antonio, the couple will live in Abilene.

Mrs. Terry Wayne Sparks

GRIFFIN-ALCORN

CUT OFF, La. — Anita Marie Griffin and Tyler Charles Alcorn, both of New Orleans, were married at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Cut Off.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Griffin of Cut Off. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. John Scott Alcorn of Midland, Texas.

Kristie L. Baehr of New Orleans was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Sally Alcorn of Lubbock, Texas, sister of the bridegroom; Mitzi Robichaux of Golden Meadow; Lacey Cheramie of Cut Off; Kritty Griffin of Galliano; Colette Griffin of Cut Off, sister of the bride; Jackie Jones of Chalmette; and Leslie Bourgeois of Cut Off. Mallory Grisclair of Cut Off was flower girl.

Scotty Alcorn served his son as best man. Groomsmen were Steve Pitts, Jeff Hull and Buddy Gieb of Midland; Jason Griffin of Cut Off, brother of the bride; Doug Little of Houston, Texas; and Jay Cherski of Dallas, Texas. Ushers were Doug Weaver, Brian Harvey and Charlie Stoddard of New Orleans; Ernie Griffin of Golden Meadow; and Johnny Plaisance of Cut Off. Aaron Griffin of Cut Off was ring bearer.

Mrs. Tyler Charles Alcorn

After a wedding trip to Kuai, Hawaii, the couple lives in River Ridge.

DAVIS-INMAN

MIDWEST CITY, Okla. — Eastside Church of Christ in Midwest City was the setting for the 2 p.m. July 5 wedding of Victoria Ruth Davis of Midland, Texas, and Timothy Wayne Inman of Holdenville. Keith Street of Holdenville officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Bruce of Midland and Dick Davis of Tyler, Texas. Parents of the future bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Inman of Holdenville.

Tracy Eudy of Midland was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Renee' Fanguy of Midland, step-sister of the bride; Kristi Grady of Midland and Brandi Jones of Fresno, Texas. Bryttanie Glaser of Bossier City, La., niece of the bride, was flower girl.

Brian Daniels of Midwest City was best man. Groomsmen were Craig Inman and Odas Inman of Holdenville, brothers of the bridegroom, and Fred Palmer of Granbury, Texas. Ushers were Scott DeBoard and Greg DeBoard, both of Edmond. Lane Fanguy of Midland, nephew of the bride, was ring bearer.

The bride attended Lee High School, Oklahoma Christian University of Arts and Sciences and Sam Houston State University. Her husband attended Holdenville High School and is employed with FWA Drilling Co.

After a honeymoon in Acumal, Mexico, the couple will live in Holdenville.

MAXEY-GARNER

Charise Danette Maxey of Midland and Bruce Garner of Huntington Beach, Calif., were married 2 p.m. Saturday at Kelview Heights Baptist Church in Midland. The Rev. Les Garner, father of the bridegroom, officiated.

Parents of the couple are the Rev. and Mrs. Cecil R. Maxey of Midland, and the Rev. and Mrs. Les Garner of El Paso and Chihuahua, Mexico.

Christy Rheam of San Diego served her sister as matron of honor. Bridesmaid and matron were Stephanie Banks of Plainview and Cindy Hale of Pomona, Calif., sister of the bride. Heather Murdock of Flower Mound was flower girl.

Wade Wright of Dallas served as best man. Peter Dawson of Tulsa, Okla., and Tim Hale of Pomona were groomsmen. Ushers were Victor Maxey of Odessa and Russell Maxey of Midland. Caleb Rheam of San Diego, nephew of the bride, was ring bearer.

Mrs. Bruce Garner

After a honeymoon in Santa Barbara and northern California, the couple will live in Huntington Beach.

GRIFFIN-ALCORN

CUT OFF, La. — Anita Marie Griffin and Tyler Charles Alcorn, both of New Orleans, were married at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Cut Off.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Griffin of Cut Off. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. John Scott Alcorn of Midland, Texas.

Kristie L. Baehr of New Orleans was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Sally Alcorn of Lubbock, Texas, sister of the bridegroom; Mitzi Robichaux of Golden Meadow; Lacey Cheramie of Cut Off; Kritty Griffin of Galliano; Colette Griffin of Cut Off, sister of the bride; Jackie Jones of Chalmette; and Leslie Bourgeois of Cut Off. Mallory Grisclair of Cut Off was flower girl.

Scotty Alcorn served his son as best man. Groomsmen were Steve Pitts, Jeff Hull and Buddy Gieb of Midland; Jason Griffin of Cut Off, brother of the bride; Doug Little of Houston, Texas; and Jay Cherski of Dallas, Texas. Ushers were Doug Weaver, Brian Harvey and Charlie Stoddard of New Orleans; Ernie Griffin of Golden Meadow; and Johnny Plaisance of Cut Off. Aaron Griffin of Cut Off was ring bearer.

Mrs. Tyler Charles Alcorn

After a wedding trip to Kuai, Hawaii, the couple lives in River Ridge.

National Park Service covers millions of acres

Associated Press

The National Park System, now in its second century of existence, is composed of over 350 sites and covers almost 80 million acres of land.

AT WIT'S END

Commercials get too personal sometimes

By Erma Bombeck

If you watched television commercials 20 years ago, you would have sworn Americans suffered from two major killers: headaches and upset stomachs.

Bombeck

We lived a charmed life where no one ever had bad breath, irregularity or embarrassing itching. (Minorities were even more charmed. They never got anything — not so much as a cut that wouldn't heal.)

Slowly, reality came to the commercial screen. We acknowledged dentures needed glue so you could sink them into an ear of corn without leaving them there. We all learned how to spell hemorrhoids. We even saw Hispanics coming to America to vacation gushing, "Gracias, Kaopectate."

We seem to have gotten over our sensitivity to discussing personal maladies. The other night a movie I was watching was interrupted 11 times for the same commercial on yeast infections. That's all I see on TV anymore. Obviously, yeast infections have reached epidemic proportions. There's even a hot line.

My mother called me the other day and said, "Erma, exactly what IS a yeast infection?" I assured her it was not from baking bread.

The dreaded word "diarrhea," which strikes fear into the hearts of travelers, used to be whispered. Not any more. Now we have this wimp of a guy who won't leave the tour bus because he's afraid the castle ruin won't have a castle bathroom. The final scene shows him watching the sunset, oblivious to a waiting busload of people while he smiles, "I'm in no hurry."

Elderly women with the bladder muscles of their grandchildren used to keep it a secret. Now they are offered "protection," giving new meaning to what goes around, comes around.

My personal commercial favorite is the mother and daughter bonding on a sailboat and talking about douching. When was the last time THAT happened? I want to see that same motherly, confident, superior smile of wisdom when the daughter asks her about her preference of home pregnancy kit.

Each season, intimate problems become more public. Who knows how far they will go? It wouldn't surprise me if next year we see a menopausal woman melting down with a hot flash and her friend observing, "Lois, your iced tea is bubbling. Does that mean you're going through the change?"

"Yes," says Lois, "and I don't know what to do."

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

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Lideres, Hispano Americanos

Katherine Davalos Ortega y sus ocho hermanos y hermanas mayores fueron criados en una familia inculcada con el principio de la auto disciplina y seguridad en si mismos. Con la enseñanza que - trabajar con esfuerzo podría lograr cualquier cosa, Ortega se enfrento con y evadió muchos obstáculos durante su vida, convirtiéndose eventualmente en Tesorera de E.U. bajo el gobierno del Presidente Reagan.

Nacida y criada en Tularosa, N.M., a Ortega le enseñaron los valores tradicionales Hispanos - respeto, lealtad, orgullo en la cultura y respeto a sus padres y familiares. Sus padres enfátizaron la importancia de la educación en la preparación de las personas para enfrentarse a las oportunidades de la vida e le inculcaron a sus hijos valores religiosos sólidos. En 1957 Ortega se graduó con honores de Eastern New Mexico University en Portales.

Ortega, una de tres contadores públicos certificados en su familia, tomo un interés prematuro por la banca y la contabilidad. A finales de la década de los 80 se traslado a Los Angeles, California, donde practico con una firma de contabilidad internacional y luego fue vice presidente y cajera del Pan American National Bank en Los Angeles. Su siguiente posición sentó un precedente - llegó a ser presidente y director del Santa Ana State Bank - la primer mujer en dirigir un banco en California.

Ortega fue Tesorera de los Estados Unidos desde septiembre de 1983 hasta junio de 1989, siendo responsable por la fiscalización de la Agencia de Grabado e Impresión, la Casa de la Moneda de E.U. y la División de Bonos de Ahorro.

Ortega pronunció el discurso de apertura en la Convención Nacional Republicana de 1984 y fue nombrada por el Presidente Bush en 1990 como representante alterno ante la Asamblea General de las Naciones Unidas. Adicionalmente, es miembro de la junta directiva de varias grandes empresas y organizaciones.

Hispanic American Leaders

Katerine Davalos Ortega and her eight older brothers and sisters grew up in a family instilled with the spirit of self-reliance. Taught that – with enough hard work – she could accomplish anything, Ortega broke down many barriers throughout her life, eventually becoming U.S. Treasurer under President Reagan.

Born and raised in Tularosa, N.M., Ortega was taught traditional Hispanic values – respect, loyalty, pride in heritage and commitment to parents and family. Her parents emphasized the importance of education to prepare for life's opportunities and instilled in their children strong religious values. Ortega graduated with honors in 1957 from Eastern New Mexico University in Portales.

Ortega, one of three certified public accountants in her family, took an early interest in banking and accounting. She moved to Los Angeles, Calif., in the late 1960's, where she practiced with an international accounting firm and later was vice-president and cashier of the Pan American National Bank in Los Angeles. Her next position set a precedent – she became president and director of the Santa Ana State Bank – the first woman to head a California bank.

Ortega served as Treasurer of the United States from September 1983 until June 1989, responsible for overseeing the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, the U.S. Mint and the U.S. Savings Bonds Division.

She delivered the keynote address at the 1984 Republican National Convention and was appointed by President Bush in 1990 to serve as alternate representative to the United Nations general assembly. In addition, she serves on the board of directors of several large businesses and organizations.

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M.I.S.D. offers solution to Hispanic Dropouts

By: Jeffrey McDonald

The dropout rate among students in general, and the higher rates among Hispanic students in particular, has caused concern throughout the nation, and west Texas has been no exception. But with the concern over the problem has come determination, and the belief that practical solutions exist.

Nueva Vista recently visited with Ricardo Torres, Executive Director for Secondary Operations at the Midland Independent School District. Over the past 21 years, Torres has served Midland as a junior high and high school teacher, a high school counselor, a principal at both elementary and secondary schools, and an adjunct professor at Midland College. This experience has enabled him to observe the educational process first-hand, from beginning to end. The problem of dropouts, and the programs designed to solve that problem, have been critical parts of that process. "One of the identifiers for kids that are at risk of dropping out of school came about as a means of the state trying to identify what kind of kid has a greater propensity for not completing their twelve years of school," said Torres. "And we find that the numbers, the percentages are higher amongst minorities, and specifically Hispanic or Mexican-Americans. And, you know, there are a lot of reasons for that. But suffice it to say that the numbersare not at all good."

Torres pointed out that the rate of dropouts varies from one part of the country to the next, and from one type of community to the next.

"I've seen figures, at the national level, of 40-70% in seven metropolitan areas. I like to think the figures for the state of Texas, and certainly for M.I.S.D. are not as high, I think they range more in the 25-40% range," said Torres. "Now that's not an acceptable figure for us as educators. and certainly as a member of the Hispanic community myself. But it's there, and the reality is we have to do something about it."

But what needsto be done may lay outside the school as muchas within, just as part of the causeof the problem lays outside the school, in the community as a whole.

"We have a high rate of unemployment among the Hispanic community. We have a high rate of people that are unskilled or underutilized in the sense that a lot of times they work for minimum or sub-minimum wages," explained Torres. "As kids are going through the system, they reach a point where they want to be consumers in this consumer-oriented society. And more and more we see the kids opt to take the short-term, versus the long-term, way out of the economic problems they are experiencing."

"And the short-term goal is to get ajob, and it comes down to competing for whether they stay in school or not. And if there's a household - and there are many in this community - that's working for minimum wage, and as kids are growing up in that family, once they get to be 15, 16, 17-years old, it's hard for them not to be contributors to the family's economic well-being. And you see education opportunity in competition with the economic opportunities that folks have to live. And I see that as one of the causes for kids not finishing school."

Solutions to the problem of dropouts may begin with individual attention to the student and the student's self-image. "I think our

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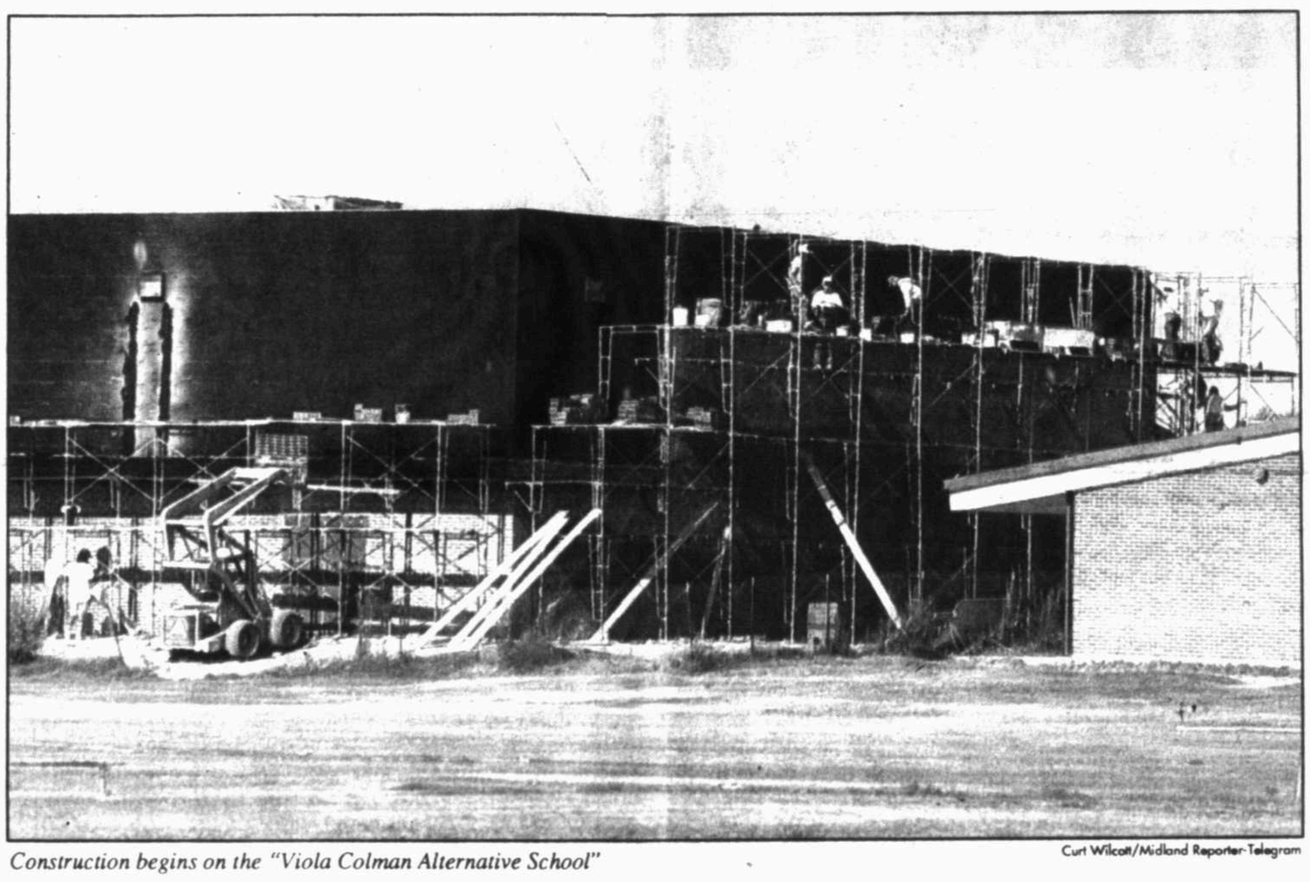

Construction begins on the "Viola Colman Alternative School" Curt Wilcott/Midland Reporter-Telegram

M.I.S.D ofrece soluciónes para los estudiantes Hispanos que an abandonado la escuela

La cantidad de estudiantes abandonando la escuela es general, en particular la cantidad entre Hispaños es la mas alta, ha causado cuidado por toda la nación, en el Oeste de Tejas, no ha sido la excepción. Pero con la preocupación del problema viene la determinación y la creencia que soluciones practicas existen.

Nueva Vista recientemente visito con Ricardo Torres, Director Ejecutivo de Operaciones Secundarias, en Midland Independent School District. Sobre los pasados 21 años, Torres ha servido en Midland como maestro en la Junior High y High School, consejero de la High School, Director de primaria al igual que escuelas secundarias, al mismo tiempo como maestro del Midland College.

Esta experiencia lo ha hecho observar el proceso educacional de primera mano, desde el principio hasta el final. El problema del abandono de escuelas, y los programas para resolver este problema, han sido partes muy criticas en el proceso.

"Una de las identificaciones para muchachos que están en peligro de salirse de las escuelas viene como resultado de que el Estado trate de identificar que clase de niños tiene una gran propensidad de no completar sus doce años de escuela," dice Torres. "Y encontramos que los números, los porcentajes son altísimos entre las minorías, y especialmente Hispaños y Mexicaños-Americaños y, tu sabes, hay mucho de estos. Pero basta decir que los números no son bastantes buenos del todo."

Torres indica que la proporción de los que abandonan la escuela varia de una parte del País a la otra, y que de una clase de la comunidad a la otra. "He mirado cifras, al nivel nacional de 40-70% en siete áreas metropolitanas. Quisiera pensar de las cifras del Estado de Tejas, y ciertamente para MISD

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Sale of Univision to Foreign Interests Hurts U. S. Hispanics

By Octavio Emilio Nuiry

The decision by Hallmark Cards to sell the nation's largest Spanish-language television empire, including 13 stations, to a group of foreign investors confirms what has long been clear: U.S. Hispanics are not the masters of our media fate.

The bid by deep-pocketed Mexican and Venezuelan broadcasters to buy Univision has sent shockwaves through the U.S. Hispanic media community.

The sale could create two significant problems.

One is the inevitable loss of jobs in the Spanish-language media in programing, translating, newscasting, writing, acting, and many other highly technical jobs.

The second and increasingly more serious problem is that foreign control of Hispanic broadcasting endangers our democratic values, distorts our news coverage and threatens the livelihood of thousands of jobs in the U.S. Hispanic market.

Ever since 1987, when the Federal Communications Commission forced Mexican media mogul Emilio Azcarraga Milmo to sell 10 U.S. Spanish-language stations, foreigners and non-Hispanics have controlled the lucrative Spanish-language television market. The federal communications law prohibits foreign ownership of U.S. television market by merging Univision with Galavision, a U.S. Spanish-language cable network he owns.

The Univision buyers, led by Azcarraga, the Mexican billionaire who owns Grupo Televisa, include Ricardo and Gustavo Cisneros, who own Venevision, Venezuela's largest broadcaster, and Los Angeles investor A. Jerold Perenchio. When filing for an FCC license in May, Perenchio indicated that his partners planned to fill most of the time on Univision with programming from Mexico and Venezuela. Currently, Univision airs 50 percent foreign-produced and 50 percent U.S. programming.

"The proposed transaction would greatly reduce competition in the Spanish-language TV industry," says Esther Renteria, chairwoman of the National Hispanic Media Coalition, a group of 25 Latino organizations that filed a petition with the FCC on June 18, asking the federal government to deny the sale of Univision to Azcarraga.

Industry leaders fear that Venevision and Televisa will displace the profitable domestic Spanish-language television production market with cheaper foreign production from Mexico and Venezuela. And if the deal is consummated, the new foreign owners of Univision will be less sensitive to the needs of the U.S. Latino community.

Why does Azcarraga, known as el Tigre or "the Tiger," owns Grupo Televisa, a $2 billion Mexico City-based multimedia conglomerate that owns four TV stations, six radio stations, two record companies, and outdoor billboard company, a publishing company and a video rental chain. It also boasts of being the world's largest producer and exporter of Spanish-language programming. "Together, the Televisa companies rake in a phenomenal $4 out of every $5 spent on advertising in Mexico," according to Los Angeles Times.

Today, aside from news programs, most of the programing on the three U.S. Spanish-

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La Venta de Univision a Intereses Extranjeros Perjudica a los Hispanos Estadounidenses

Por Octavio Emilio Nuiry

La decisión de Hallmark Cards de vender el mayor imperio de television nacional en español, incluyendo 13 estaciones, a un grupo de inversionistas extranjeros, confirma lo que ha estado claro durante mucho tiempo: Los hispanos estadounidenses no son los dueños de la suerte de nuestros medios informativos.

La oferta por parte de ricos empresarios mexicanos y venezolanos para comprar a Univision ha enviado ondas de choque a través de la comunidad de los medios informativos hispanos de los Estados Unidos.

La venta podía crear dos problemas importantes.

Uno es la perdida inevitable de empleos en los medios informativos en español — en programación, traducciones, transmisión de noticias, redacción, actuación y muchos otros empleos altamente técnico.

El segundo problema, que se hace cada vez mayor, es que el control extranjero de la transmisión en español pone en peligro a nuestros valores democráticos, trastorna nuestra información de noticias y amenaza la existencia de millares de empleos en el mercado hispano de los Estados Unidos.

Ya desde 1987, cuando la Comisión Federal de Comunicaciones (FCC en ingles) obligo al magnate mexicano de los medios informativos Emilio Azcarraga Milmo a vender diez estaciones que transmitían en español en los Estados Unidos, los extranjeros y los no hispanos han controlado al mercado lucrativo de la television en español. La Ley Federal de Comunicaciones prohibe que las estaciones de television estadounidenses sean propiedad de extranjeros. No obstante, Azcarraga esta tratando de monopolizar el mercado hispano de television al fundir Univision con Galavision, una red de television por cable en español de la cual el es propietario.

Los compradores de Univision, dirigidos por Azcarraga, él multi-millonario mexicano que es propietario del Grupo Televisa, incluyen a Ricardo y Gustavo Cisneros, propietarios de Venevision, el mayor transmisor de Venezuela, y al inversionista de Los Angeles, A. Jerold Perenchio. Al solicitar una licencia a la Comisión Federal de Comunicaciones en Mayo ultimo, Perenchio indico que sus asociados se proponían llenar la mayor parte del tiempo en Univision transmite programación extranjera en un 50% y estadounidense en un 50%.

"La transición propuesta disminuiría en gran medida la competencia en la industria de la television en español," dice Esther Renteria, presidenta de la Coalición Nacional de los Medios Informativos Hispanos, un grupo de 25 organizaciones latinas que presentaron una petición a la Comisión Federal de Comunicaciones el 18 de Junio, pidiendo al gobierno federal que deniegue la venta de Univision a Azcarraga.

Los dirigentes de la industria temen que Venevision y Televisa desplazaran al mercado ganancioso domestico de producción para

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Hispanic Business is... good Business

By Amarante Cordova

For those on the road to success in the music business, the first step may be on west 9th Street in Odessa, the home of BMB Records & Recording Studio, a business that began as a means of filling a need in the Permian Basin.

"Well, we began about three years ago," said Danny Barrera, a partner in the business along with Willie Mendoza and Tony Barrientes. At that time, according to Barrera, it was difficult for some local groups, who wanted to record, to book time in a studio.

"We started behind the Spanish Inn, in a green house," recalled Barrera. "We started off with a 16-track machine with a tangent console, two microphones, and one noise-reduction unit."

The next three years would see many changes for the studio. One change was in location. "Through the years, we decided, 'Well, we really need a better location,'" said Barrera. "So we kind of shopped around and we found the location that we're in now. And some very nice people let us come in and look it over, and make some changes because we wanted to put pillow-padding and track-lighting in."

The studio's equipment inventory would also develop. Microphones are just one example. "We've got about 15 microphones compared to the two microphones," said Barrera. "Some of them we use on the drums, some we use for vocal work, and some (2) for instrumentation."

But the growing specialization and sophistication of recording technology, while improving the product, has also posed problems for smaller, developing studios such as BMB. "It's just that what's here today is gone tomorrow," Barrera explained. "And it's an expensive business to be in because, in our case, sometimes we don't make a profit because we're reinvesting in what we've got, into the company. We have to upgrade as much as we can to stay competitive."

And while state of-the-art equipment is important to the recording business, so is the skill of the hand that operates the equipment. One needs an artistic touch, according to Barrera, developed through experience and hard work. "You just can't stick a mic' to it," he said. "Recording and mixing is an art. And you have to learn how to do both. And how to keep searching. You never want to be satisfied with just getting that one particular sound. You always want to keep experimenting, trying to find new ways of recording it, then mixing it."

"If somebody really wanted to get into the recording end ?f the music business, it's better to get an education from professionals, not only in the technical aspects of it, but in the business aspects of it," added Barrera, whose clients have included the Twin City Band, Los Fenix, the Challenger Band, the Midessa Band, Invacion Norteno, and Pepe Franco. "It's a tough career, especially if you're starting at the very bottom. There's a lot of paying dues. But it's rewarding, I mean this studio has opened a lot of doors for me. I've got to meet a lot of people."

"It's been a long struggle, and it's been worth it!"

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BMB Records & Recording Studio partners L to R: Tony Barrientes, Danny Barrera, Willie Mendoza

El Negocio Hispano... Es Buen Negocio

por Amarante Cordova

Para estos en el camino del éxito en el negocio de la música, el primer paso puede ser en West 9th. Street en Odessa, el hogar de BMB Records y Recording Studio, un negocio que empezó como una intención de llenar una necesidad en el Permian Basin.

"Bueno, empezamos hace como tres años pasados," dice Danny Barrera, un socio en el negocio junto con Willie Mendoza y Tony Barrientes. En ese tiempo, de acuerdo a Barrera, era dificultoso para algunos grupos locales, quienes querían grabar, o reservar tiempo con un estudio.

"Nosotros empezamos detrás del Spanish Inn, en una casa verde," recuerda Barrera. "Empezamos con una máquina de 16 tracks, con una consola no muy moderna, dos micrófonos, y una unidad de reducción de sonido."

Los siguientes tres años mirarían muchos cambios para el estudio. Uno de los cambios fue la localización. "Con los años, nosotros decidimos, 'Bueno, en realidad necesitamos una mejor ubicación," dice Barrera. "Y como que empezamos ha buscar alrededor y encontramos el local en el cual estamos ahora. Y unas personas muy atentas nos dejaron entrar y mirarlo, y hacer unos cambios porque queríamos poner relleno/cojines y luces."

El inventorio del equipo del estudio también crecería. Micrófonos son nada mas un ejemplo. "Tenemos como 15 micrófonos comparados a los dos que teníamos," dice Barrera: "Algunos de ellos los usamos en los tambores, algunos son usados para trabajos vocales, y algunos para instrumentacion."

Pero el especializado crecimiento y sofisticación de tecnología grabadora, mejorando el producto, también ha causado problemas para pequeños estudios de revelado tales como BMB. "Es nada mas lo que esta aquí ahora se va mañana," explica Barrera. Y es un negocio muy caro para estar en el, porque, en nuestro caso, algunas veces no tenemos ganancia porque invertimos lo que tenemos en la compañía. Tenemos que mejorarnos tanto como puedamos para estar en la competencia.

Y mientras el equipo del estado del arte es importante en el negocio de la grabación, es la destreza de la mano la que opera este equipamento. Uno necesita un toque artístico, de acuerdo con Barrera, desarrollo a través de experiencia y trabajo duro. "No puedes nada mas de poner una cosita aquí, o a aquello," dice el. Grabando y mezclando es un arte.

Y tienes que aprender ha hacer las dos cosas. Y como seguir buscando. Nunca quieres estar satisfecho con nada mas tomando cualquier sonido. Tu siempre quieres seguir buscando experimentando, intentando de encontrar nuevos modos de grabarlo y luego mezclarlo."

"Si alguien realmente quisiera entrar en grabación y en el negocio de la música, es mejor de tomar una buena educación de profesionales, no solamente en los aspectos técnicos, pero en el aspecto de los negocios," agrega Barrera. Cuyos clientes incluyen the Twin City Band, Los Fenix, the Challenger Band, the Midessa Band, Invasión Norteño, y Pepe Franco. "Es una carrera dura, especialmente si estas empezando desde abajo. Hay muchas cosas que pagar. Pero es recompensado, este negocio me ha abierto muchísimas puertas, y he conocido muchísima gente." "Ha sido una larga lucha, y ha valido la pena!"

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'The Hurricane' Leaves a Musical Legacy

By R. Daniel Cavazos

Narciso Martinez would strap a three-row Hohner accordion across his chest — with a Stetson pushed back from a sturdy face worn by experience — and play his traditional classics with joy that never waned over eight decades.

They were old friends — all those polkas, waltzes and redobas — and they always came back to Martinez when he pushed the buttons of his accordion."

"El Huracan del Valle" — The Hurricane of Texas' Rio Grande Valley, as his record jackets advertised — died this month. His legacy is a remarkable one for a simple man who spent nearly all 80 years of his life in a small wooden house in the South Texas town of La Paloma.

In a Mexican-American culture that pays deep respect to its elders, Martinez's nickname was a badge of pride for generations of South Texas residents who knew of him. "El Huracan del Valle" was not only a musico, but one of the first artists to tell of the Mexican-American culture through his music.

It is easy now to romanticize Martinez's story, but Mexican-Americans of his generation lived a harsh life. The social climate of Texas in particular and the United States in general was not friendly to their cultural or economic background.

And yet they endured. Not only did Martinez endured, but he ushered in a truly American genre when he combined the music of German-Texan with that of the Mexican culture he was born into so many years ago.

As Louis Armstrong was to jazz and Hank Williams Sr. was to country music, Martinez was the force behind accordion-driven conjunto music, and its offshoot — Tejano music. There were, of course, many other Mexican-American artists of his era who played well and kept the music alive. But Martinez was the master, the guide people kept coming back to for inspiration.

"He taught the rest of us style," remembers Ruben Vela, a fine accordionist in his own right. "His was the first accordion I heard."

So it was for many other Mexican-American musicians who put an accordion across their chests and tried to play as Narciso did.

It was not only the musicians. It was people like my grandmother, who would sit in her rocking chair with an old Narciso classic playing.

There is a sweet beauty in such a memory. My grandmother, like Narciso, was a South Texan of a previous era, where Mexican-Americans were valued for the work they could do in the fields.

In those special moments, even if they were brief, my grandmother and Narciso could share something that no one could take away from them.

When Narciso died, the musicos were at his funeral to honor him. Fellow conjunto pioneer Valerio Longoria was there, as were Vela, Gilberto Perez, Jesus Castillo of Los Ideales, and Daniel Ramos of Los Hermanos Ramos.

The common people— the ones Martinez lived with and played for — were there, too. Rosa Ortiz knew El Huracan because he played at her wedding 51 years ago. She never forgot.

"I wanted Don Narciso to play his accordion because I thought there wasn't another musician like him," 72 year-old Ortiz recalls. "And I was right."

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'El Huracán' Deja un Legado Musical *Por R. Daniel Cavazos*

Narciso Martinez se terciaba un acordeón Hohner de tres hileras de teclas a través de su pecho — con un sombrero Stetscn echado hacia atrás sobre una cara robusta desgastada por la experiencia — y tocaba sus canciones clásicas tradicionales con un gozo que nunca se desvaneció a través de ocho décades.

Eran viejos amigos — todos aquellos polkas, valses y redobas — y siempre regresaban a Martinez cuando el apretaba los botones de su acordeón.

"Solo pido una cosa para cuando muera," dijo Martinez durante una entrevista televisada no hace mucho. "Espero que, a dondequiera que vaya, pueda tocar el acordeón."

"El Huracán del Valle" — del Valle del Río Grande, en Texas, como lo anunciaban Los Forros carátulas de sus discos — murió en este mes. Su legado es notable para un hombre sencillo que paso casi todos los 80 años de su vida en una casita de madera en el pueblo fronterizo de La Paloma.

En una cultura mexicano-americana que da un respeto profundo a sus mayores, el sobrenombre de Martinez era una insignia de orgullo para generaciones de residentes del sur de Texas, quienes canción su nombre. "El Huracán del Valle" no era solamente un músico, sino uno de los primeros artistas que dijeran sobre la cultura mexicano-americana a través de su música.

Ahora es fácil darle un cariz romántico a la historia de Martinez, pero los mexicano-americanos de su época vivieron una vida difícil. El clima social de este estado y de este país no era amistoso para sus antecedentes culturales o económicos.

Y, no obstante, ellos sobrevivieron. No solamente Martinez sobrevivió, sino que dio entrada a una música verdaderamente estadounidense, cuando combino la música de la cultura germano-texana con la de la cultura mexicana en que el nació hace muchos años.

Como lo fueron Louis Armstong para el jazz y Hank Williams Sr. para la música campesina, Martinez fue la fuerza tras la música de conjunto dirigida por acordeón y su vástago — la música tejana.

Había, desde luego, muchos otros artistas mexicano-americanos de su época que tocaron bien y mantuvieron viva a la música. Pero Martinez fue el maestro, el guía a quien la gente continuaba regresando en busca de inspiración.

"El nos enseño estilo al resto de nosotros," recuerda Ruben Vela, un excelente acordeonista por derecho propio. "El suyo fue el primer acordeón que escuche."

Así fue también para muchos otros músicos- americanos que terciaron acordeones sobre sus pechos y trataron de tocar como lo hacia Narciso.

No fueron solamente los músicos. Eran personas como mi abuela, que se sentaba en mecedora para escuchar la ejecución de una pieza antigua de Narciso.

Hay una belleza dulce en tal recuerdo. Mi abuela, como Narciso, era una tejana del sur de una época anterior, en la que se evaluaba a los mexicano-americano por el trabajo que pudieran hacer en los campos.

En aquellos momentos especiales, aun cuando fueran breves. Mi abuela y Narciso podían compartir algo que nadie podía quitarles.

Cuando murió Narciso, los músicos fueron a su entierro para rendirle homenaje. El colega precursor de los conjuntos, Valerio Longoria, estuvo allí, así como también estuvieron Vela, Gilberto Perez, Jesus Castillo, de Los Ideales, y Daniel Ramos, de los Hermanos Ramos.

También estaba allí la gente común — aquellos con quienes vivió Martinez y para quienes tocaba. Rosa Ortiz conoció a "El Huracán" porque el toco en la boda de ella hacia 51 años. Ella nunca se olvido. "Yo quería que "Don Narciso tocara su acordeón porque pensé que no había otro músico como el," recuerda la Sra. Ortiz, de 72 años de edad. "Y tuve razón."

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In '92, Parties View 'Hispanic Agenda' With New Respect

By Charlie Ericksen

For the past several presidential elections, U.S. Latinos have organized to present to the Democratic and Republican parties a series of recommendations for consideration as planks in their platforms.

They're doing so again this year. This month, in fact, an umbrella group called the National Hispanic Leadership Agenda with former San Antonio Mayor Henry Cisneros and National Council of La Raza President Raul Yzaguirre as its catalysts presented a 38 page summary of an "Hispanic agenda" to Richard Bond and Ron Brown, respective chairs of the Republican and Democratic parties, and to independent candidate Ross Perot.

While its recommendations may not seem to stray much from past ones, there is one dramatic difference: People are taking the '92 version deadly serious, both on the giving and receiving ends.

Why? There are several reasons, not the least of which is the upward spiraling Latino political clout in key electorial states such as California, Texas, Florida, New York and Illinois. Nearly a million more Latinos are expected to vote this year than in '88, and they'll be casting most of their projected 4.5 million ballots in states that could well decide the presidency.

But there are other reasons:

Nearly a year ago, the bipartisan, carefully constructed National Hispanic Leadership Agenda, with a board now numbering 52 members, hired professional organizer Frank Cota-Robles Newton to help it achieve stability and influence. Newton had guided the National Association of Hispanic Journalists from conception to maturity through the 80's.

Among the NHLA's co-chairs: Rep. Ileana Ros-Lehtinen (R-Fla.), Congressional Hispanic Caucus Chairman Solomon Ortiz (D-Texas), Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund President Antonia Hernandez, as well as Cisneros an Yzaguirre.

"No question about it," Newton says. "We have the attention of the candidates' camps. But I also see high expectations and excitement for the agenda building in our own community."

Over the past several months Newton planned and carried out an unprecedented series of 14 hearings nationwide. The sessions involved local and regional experts and activists and brought to the national agenda ideas and insights from those who attack social problems and empowerment barriers in their communities every day.

The local leaders whose input was sought want a tangible product, he says. Calls are coming in daily from every part of the country, from grass-roots organizers and political professionals to corporate and nonprofit representatives.

Based on the hearings, Newton and NHLA are crafting a 200-to-250 page detailed Latino political position statement for release early this fall.

To meet party platform deadlines, the advance summary was prepared and delivered to the parties and presidential candidates this month. It identified civil rights, education, health, housing and economic opportunity as the five areas of major concern. Among its broad proposals:

Remove barriers to voter registration,

Eliminate civil rights abuses and paramilitary operations from U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service activities,

Resolve education funding inequities,

Enact a universal health care insurance plan,

Develop more and better rental assistance programs,

Increase the minimum wage to provide a livable income for full-time workers.

Next month Newton promises a more detailed consensus version, approved down to crossed t's and dotted i's by NHLA's leaders, for public distribution.

It will provide the blueprint for Latino action as Democrats and Republicans finalize party platforms at their summer conventions. Latinos in both parties are playing central roles in the process.

Rep. Bill Richarson (D - N.M.) is chairman of the platform drafting committee for the Democratic Party's July 13-16 New York convention. Four other Latinos serve on the 16-member body.

Orange County, Calif., Supervisor Gaddi Vasquez is interim vice chairman of the Republican platform committee. (Full membership on the committee will not be finally set until about a week before the Aug. 17-20 Houston convention.) After the conventions, NHLA will inform voters where both parties stand on priority Latino issues. Party accountability will be assured, he says. "We have a staff; we can follow up."

If, when Ross Perot gets around to addressing issues in his campaign, he chooses to ignore those of particular concern to Hispanics and their leadership, he will do so at his peril.

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En 1992, Los Partidos Miran a la 'Agenda Hispana' con Nuevo Respeto

Por Charlie Ericksen

Durante las varias elecciones presidenciales anteriores, los latinos de los Estados Unidos se han organizado para presentar a los partidos Demócrata y Republicano una serie de recomendaciones para que las consideren en sus plataformas.

En este año están haciéndolo de nuevo.

En verdad, en este mes, un grupo llamado Agenda Nacional de Líderes Hispanos (siglas en ingles NHLA) — con el ex-Alcalde de San Antonio, Henry Cisneros, y el presidente del Consejo Nacional de La Raza, Raul Yzaguirre, como catalizadores — presento un sumario de 38 paginas, titulado "El Programa Hispano" a Richard Bond y Ron Brown, presidentes respectivos de los partidos Republicano y Demócrata, y al candidato independiente Ross Perot.

Aunque sus recomendaciones no parezcan desviarse mucho de las anteriores, hay una diferencia dramática:

La gente esta tomando a la versión de 1992 con seriedad absoluta tanto en el extremo de dar como en el de recibir.

¿Por que? Hay varias razones — la menor de las cuales no es la influencia política latina cada vez mayor en los estados electorales claves, tales como California, Texas, Florida, Nueva York e Illinois. Se espera que voten en este año casi un millón mas de latinos que 1988, y estarán depositando la mayor parte de sus proyectados 4,500,000 votos en los estados que bien pódían decidir la presidencia.

Pero hay otras razones:

Hace casi un año, la NHLA, que es bipartidarista y esta cuidadosamente elaborada — con su junta de directores, que tiene ahora 52 miembros — contrato al organizador profesional Dr. Frank Cota-Robles Newton para ayudarle a lograr estabilidad e influencia. El Dr. Newton había guiado a la Asociación Nacional de Periodistas Hispanos desde su concepción hasta la madurez a través del decenio de 1980.

Entre los co-presidentes de la NHLA se hallan: La Representante Ileana Ros-Lehtinen (republicana por la Florida); el presidente del Grupo Congresional Hispano, Solomon Ortiz (demócrata por Texas); la presidenta del Fondo Mexicano-Americano para la Defensa Legal y la Enseñanza, Antonia Hernandez, ase como Cisneros e Yzaguirre.

"No hay duda de ello, "dice Newton. "Tenemos la atención de los campamentos de los candidatos. Pero veo también expectativas altas y emoción para el programa, que se deifican en nuestra propia comunidad."

Durante los meses anteriores, Newton planeo y realizo una serie sin precedentes de 14 audiencias en todo el país. Las sesiones abarcaron a expertos y activistas locales y regionales, y llevaron al programa nacional ideas y puntos de vista de los que atacan a los problemas sociales y a los obstáculos que se oponen a la habilitación en sus comunidades todos los días.

Los dirigentes locales de quienes se procuro la participación quieren un producto tangible, dice el; diariamente llegan llamadas de todas partes del país — desde aquellas hechas por los organizadores populares y los profesionales políticos hasta las de los representantes empresariales y de entidades no lucrativas.

Basándose en los resultados de las audiencias, Newton y la NHLA vienen elaborando una declaración detallada de entre 200 y 250 paginas sobre la posición política latina, para darla a la publicidad a principios del otoño próximo.

A fin de estar a tiempo para las fechas limites de las plataformas, el resumen adelantado fue preparado y entregado a los partidos y candidatos presidenciales en este mes. El mismo identificaba a los derechos civiles, la enseñanza, la salud, la vivienda y la oportunidad económica como los cinco campos de interés primordial. Entre sus propuestas amplias se hallan:

La remoción de los obstáculos para la inscripción de los electores.

La eliminación de los abusos contra los derechos civiles y las operaciones para militares de las actividades del Servicio de Inmigración y Naturalización.

La solución de las desigualdades en la dotación de fondos para la enseñanza.

La promulgación de un plan universal de seguros de salud.

El desarrollo de mas y mejores programas de ayuda para los que alquilan sus viviendas.

El aumento del jornal mínimo para suministrar un ingreso suficiente a los trabajadores de tiempo completo.

Newton promete para el mes próximo una versión mas detallada del consenso, aprobado hasta en sus detalles mínimos por los dirigentes de la NHLA, para su distribución al publico.

La misma proporcionara el plano para la acción latina, a medida que los demócratas y republicanos finalizan la preparación de sus respectivas plataformas en sus convenciones de Julio y Agosto. Los latinos de ambos partidos vienen desempeñando papeles centrales en dicho tramite.

El Representante Bill Richardson (demócrata por Nuevo Mexico) es el presidente del comité de preparación de plataforma para la convención del Partido del Demórate, en su convención de Nueva York los días del 13 a 16 de Julio. Otros cuatro latinos prestan servicios en ese organismo, que tiene 16 miembros.

El Supervisor Gadde Vasquez, del Condado de Orange, en California, es el vice-presidente interino del comité republicano de plataforma. (La membresía completa del comité no se fijara últimamente sino hasta una semana antes de la convención, que tendrá lugar en Houston entre los días 17 y 20 de Agosto.)

Después de las convenciones de ambos partidos, la NHLA informara a los electores sobre las posturas de ambos partidos respecto de los asuntos primordiales latinos. Se asegurara la responsabilidad de los partidos, dice el. "Tenemos personal; podemos seguir el asunto."

Si cuando Ross Perot llegue a enfocarse sobre los asuntos en su campaña él decide pasar por alto a los de interés particular para los hispanos y su dirigencia, lo hará a su propio riesgo.

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no son tan altas, pienso que entre los 25-40%," dice Torres. Pero esta no es una suma aceptable para nosotros como educadores, y ciertamente como miembro propio de la comunidad Hispana. Pero ahí esta, y la realidad es que tenemos que hacer algo sobre esto."

Pero lo que mas se necesita hacer, puede sobrecaer mucho fuera de la escuela como dentro de la ella, nada mas como parte de la causa del problema que recae fuera de la escuela y la comunidad como un numero entero.

"Tenemos un alto porcentaje de desempleo entre la comunidad Hispana. Tenemos un alto porcentaje de personas sin entrenamiento o bajamente utilizadas en el sentido de que muchas veces trabajan por salarios mínimos o medio-minimos." explica Torres. "Como niños que están llegando al sistema alcanzan un punto donde quieren ser consumidores en esta sociedad de consumidores orientados. Y mas, y mas, miramos niños tomando el camino corto en vez del camino largo, un camino que los saque de los problemas económicos que ellos están experimentando."

"Y la meta del camino corto es tomar un trabajo, y llega el momento que empieza la competencia de si quedarse en la escuela o no. Y, si hay una familia de por medio, que hay muchas en esta comunidad, eso significa trabajar por el salario mínimo, y como los jovenes están creciendo es esa familia, una vez que cumplen los 15, 16, 17 años, es muy duro de no ser contribuyentes a la situación económica de la familia. Y empiezas ha mirar la oportunidad educacional en competencia con las oportunidades económicas que personas tienen que vivir. Y yo la miro como una de las causas de los jovenes para no terminar la escuela."

Las soluciones a el problema del abandono de las escuelas pueda empezar con la atención individual a el estudiante y la propia imagen del estudiante. "Yo pienso que nuestros departamentos de guianza y consejeros trabajan muy duro para hacer sentir a los niños, seguros de si mismos," dice Torres. "Hemos gastado una gran cantidad de recursos para trabajar en diferentes clases de actividades que hagan sentir a los muchachos bien sobre ellos mismos, que promueva la clase del éxito en los jovenes, que les cause sentirse bien sobre su propia persona, y que quieran hacer cosas mas positivas sobre ellos mismos."

"Y un joven que se siente bien sobre el mismo o ella misma, es mas apto de querer hacer cosas que lo promueva a un concepto fuerte de ellos mismos y que se orgullese de ser prominente en la escuela."

Torres a citado un programa que ha estado trabajando por cuatro años, y que pronto tendrá su propio y nuevo hogar, la High School, nombrada para la educadora Viola Coleman. Es una facilidad de Educación Alternativa que esta ofreciendo soluciones a los problemas tradicionales y no tradicionales.

"Lo que estamos tratando de hacer ahí es tener un programa de recobro del abandono de escuela," dice Torres. "Muchachos que ya dejaron la escuela, niños que están en peligro de dejar la escuela, niños que, por excesivas faltas, han perdido crédito y, que por la Ley del Estado, no tienen la cantidad mínima de días de atendimiento para tener crédito para las clases. Estos niños opcionan el uso de un no tradicional concepto de la High School Coleman que tenemos ahora en lugar."

Cambios han ocurrido en el tradicional cuarto de clases. Torres recuerda en su propia niñez en el Sur de Tejas, cuando instructores Anglos castigaban a sus estudiantes que hablaban Español en el recreo. "Todo el tiempo encontré esto interesante, como educador, también es ese periodo de tiempo, como, podían esta clase de personas despreciar cualquier clase de teoría de aprendizaje, en términos de concepto propio, cuando ellos reprendían niños por hablar en lo que era de muchos, propio de ellos, su primer idioma, y de su base primordial de comunicarse con cada uno de ellos."

"Todavía hay racismo por aquí. Pero alimentado y, hasta un cierto punto, sostenido por nuestras escuelas publicas. Estoy contento de que entre mas y mas donde estamos quitando ese habito a las personas." El concepto del tamaño de una clase efectiva también se han mirado cambios. "La adopción básica que la gente hace es que cualquiera puede ser enseñado. Y Nosotros, como educadores, decimos que es como una adopción básica que nosotros compramos. Nosotros tuvimos que comprar la adopción de que cualquiera pudiera ser enseñado," explica Torres. "Pero cada muchacho no aprende en el mismo modo. Y así, en algunas situaciones de aprendizaje, tiene uno que bajar la proporción de maestro a alumno en orden de dar a los muchachos un contacto y tiempo mas intenso con el instructor. Los muchachos con mas altas habilidades, pueden aprender, y pueden continuar estudiando en clases que son retadoras. Uno puede tener una mas alta proporción de maestro a alumno es este tipo de clases."

Pero mientras Torres es optimista sobre la solución, el también esta al corriente del problema que permanece, hasta un cierto grado, tanto como las escuelas son el único segmento de la comunidad que toma un activo papel en pelear el problema.

"El costo de la educación no es algo que esta siendo muy barato en términos de recursos financieros. Y pienso que esta comunidad ha hecho una definitiva promesa para mejorar la educación de nuestros estudiantes," dice Torres. "Pero tu tienes una gran populacion en la comunidad que no esta teniendo éxito, que no esta experimentando el suceso. Y que puede ser simplificado al estado de que hay una causa, que esta ahí y causa y afecta la relación entre todos. Es multi-casual en términos de las cosas que impactan sobre los muchachos de salir adelante. Nosotros acostumbramos ha mirar las escuelas como el "Gran Salvador", pero mas y mas en este día y edad, se va ha llevar un esfuerzo de la comunidad para resolver los problemas de la educación como ellos se van encontrando con toda nuestra juventud."

Hispanic Dropouts

guidance and counselor departments work very hard to get kids to feel good about themselves," said Torres. "We've spent a sizeable amount of resources to work with different types of activities that make kids feel good about themselves, that promote the type of success within youngsters that causes them to feel good about themselves, and to want to do more positive things about themselves."

"And a youngster that feels good about himself, or herself, is more apt to want to do the kind of things that will promote a strong self-concept, and an eagerness to be successful in school."

Torres also cited a program that has been at work for four years, and will soon have a new home of it's own, the Coleman High School, named for Midland educator Viola Coleman. It is a alternative education facility that is offering non-traditional solutions to traditional problems.

"What we're trying to do there is have a dropout recovery program," said Torres. "Kids that have already left school, kids that are on the verge of leaving school, kids that, because of excessive absences, have lost credit and, by state law, do not have the minimum number of days attendance to get credit for class. Those kids apt to use the non-traditional Coleman High School concept that we have in place now."

Changes are also occurring in the traditional classroom itself. Torres recalls his own childhood in south Texas, when Anglo instructors punished students who spoke Spanish on the playground. "I've always found it interesting that, as educators - even in that period of time - how these people could so casually disregard any type of learning theory, in terms of self concept, when they punish kids for speaking in what was, for many of them, their first language and their primary means of communicating with one another."

"There's racism still out there. But where it was nurtured and, to a degree, sustained within our public schools, I'm glad that is more and more where we're weaning people away from that."

The concept of effective class size has also seen changes. "The basic assumption that people make is that everybody can be taught. And we, as educators, say that is a basic assumption that we buy. We have to buy the assumption that everybody can be taught," explained Torres. "But every kid does not learn in the same way. And so, in some learning situations, you have to lower the teacher-pupil ratio in order to give kids more intense contact-time with that instructor. Kids that have higher abilities can learn, and can continue learning, in classes that are challenging. You can have a higher teacher-pupil ratio in those type of classes."

But while Torres is optimistic about the solution, he is also aware that the problem will remain - to some degree - so long as the schools are the only segment of the community that takes an active role in fighting the problem.

"The cost of education is not something that's going to be cheap in terms of financial resources. And I think this community has made a definite commitment to quality education for our students," said Torres. "But you have a sizeable population within the community that is not having success, that is not experiencing success. And it would be simplistic to state that there is one cause,
there's a cause-and-effect relationship. It's multi-causal in terms of the things that impact upon kids being successful. We've vetended to look upon schools as the 'great savior', but more and more in this day and age, it's going to take a community effort to solve the problems of education as they impact on all our youth."

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Determination is Key to Success

By Jeffrey Mc Donald

At one time or another, a lot of children have dreamed of someday being a fireman. Midland Deputy Fire Marshal Hilario 'Lonn' Dominguez was not one of them.

You know, I thought back a few years, and I don't think I ever said I wanted to be a fireman," said Dominguez, who recently celebrated his 20th year of service with the Midland Fire Department. "Back then, I didn't like too much authority. I wasn't a criminal or a hoodlum, or anything like that, but I never saw anything structured, like this job, in my career."

This outlook also extended to education. "I quit school to go in the Air Force. And after I quit school, I found I'd made a mistake, so I went right back and got my GED," recalled Dominguez. "All this time, I didn't like school. But very soon I learned you couldn't do anything without an education." Dominguez was determined to make a good, comfortable life for himself, and a stable job wIth the city was part of that plan. All I wanted was to find a job where I could make $100 a week. That was my dream. I thought if I could find a job that paid a hundred a week, then I could find me a house," said Dominguez. "I would be the happiest person in the world."

But the dream would not be possible without determination and hard work. After leaving the Air Force in1971, Dominguez came to Midland and applied for a job with Fire Deparment. "I knew there weren't any Hispanics, any blacks, no minorities of any kind or color," he recalled. "So I knew that I had to show them that I really wanted the job, and I was going to get it. So I kept coming back and comIng back."

"And finally, the chief, he finally called me and said, 'How much notice you want to give your other employer?' And I said, 'None, but I'll give him two weeks. I want to get on now!' So he said, 'OK. Come back in two weeks. So I gave two weeks notice at my other job and I came over here. And I've been here ever since."

In the 20 years since he became Midland's first Hispanic firefighter, Dominguez has advanced through the department, from firefighter to emergency medical technician, then a fire truck driver. He was then promoted into the Fire Marshal's office, first as an inspector, and then as head arson investigator. Finally, Dominguez was promoted to Assistant Fire Marshal, the post he occupies today.

Each new job came with new responsibilities and new educational requirements for Dominguez, who earned an associate's degree in fire science from Midland College, and peace officer certification from the police academy. He continues to stress the lessons he learned about getting a good education. "If you want to succeed or have an advantage, the idea is to go ahead and get all the education you can. That's what I tell all the kids and the people who want to be firemen. By the time a lot of these kids grow up, a college degree or college hours will be required."

But the education, hard work, and the danger of fighting fires for a living have provided more than a few rewards for Dominguez. "It's a good job, you know. I've had a lot of different jobs, but this is a job that, for 20 years, I've !ooked forward to coming to work. A lot of guys don't even have one job in their lives where they love to go to work."

"It's a very dangerous job," cautioned Dom:nguez. "But still, it's very exciting. I think most of the guys we have in this department are actually very happy and, I guess, glad that they have this type of job. It fulfills, maybe, fantasies of when they were kids, 'I want to grow up to be a fireman!"

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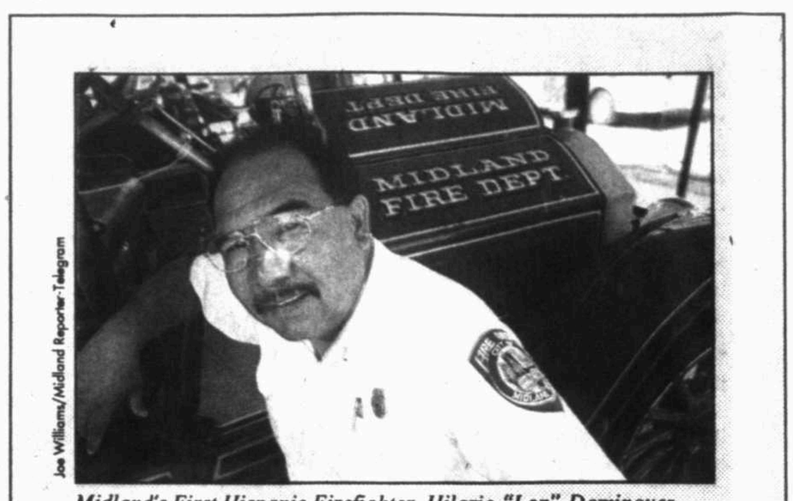

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Midland's First Hispanic Firefighter, Hilario "Lon" Dominguez

Determinación es la llane de el Exito

Por Jeffrey McDonald

En un tiempo o en otro, muchos niños han sonado de algún día ser bomberos. Midland Deputy Fire Marshall Hilario "Lon" Dominguez no fue uno de ellos.

"Tu sabes, me acuerdo de unos años pasados, y no creo nunca haber dicho que quería ser bombero," dice Dominguez, quien recientemente celebro su veinteavo ano de servicio con Midland Fire Deparment. "Antes, no me gustaba tanta autoridad. No era un criminal o un vago, o nada por el estilo, pero nunca mire nada estructurado como este trabajo, o en mi carrera.

Con este punto de vista, también se extendió la educación. Y después deje la escuela después encontré que hice un error, y volví a escuela e hice mi GED," recuerda Dominguez. "Todo este tiempo, no me gustaba la escuela. Pero muy pronto aprendí que no puedes hacer nada sin educación."

Domingo estaba determinado de hacer una buena, confortable vida para el mismo, y un trabajó estable con la ciudad eran parte del plan. Todo lo que quería era encontrar un trabajo donde ganara $100.00 por semana. Este era su sueno. Yo pensé que si, podía, encontrar un trabajo que pagara cien por semana, entonces podría encontrarme una casa," dice Dominguez. "Seria la persona mas feliz del mundo." Pero el sueno no seria posible sin determinación y trabajo duro. Después de retirarse del Air Force en 1971. Dominguez vino a Midland y aplico por trabajo con el Fire Department. "Sabia que ahí no había ningún Hispano, ni ningún negro, nada de minorías de ninguna clase o color," recuerda el. "Y supe que tenia que enseñarles que de verdad quería el trabajo, y yo lo iba ha tener. Y continué viniendo y viniendo."

"Y finalmente, el jefe, me llamo y dijo, 'Cuanto tiempo necesitas para avisarle a tu patrón? Y yo dije, 'nada, pero le daré dos semanas. Quiero empezar pronto!' y el me dijo, OK., regresa en dos semanas! Y di dos semanas de noticia en mi otro trabajo y vine aquí. Y aquí he estado desde entonces."

En los 20 años pasados el se hizo el primer bombero Hispano de Midland, Dominguez ha avanzado en el departamento, de bombero a tecnico-medico de emergencias, después a chofer de la troca de bomberos. Entonces fue promovido a la oficina del Fire Marshall, primero como inspector, y después como la cabeza de investigadores de incendios provocados. Finalmente, Dominguez fue promovido como asistente del Fire Marshall, la posición que ocupa en el presente.

Cualquier trabajo nuevo viene con nuevas responsabilidades y nuevos requisitos eduacionales para Dominguez, quien logro un Associate's Degree en Ciencias de Lumbre del Midland College, y una certificación de Peace Officer de la Academia policíaca. El continua siguiendo las lecciones que aprendió al tomar una buena educación. "Si quieres ser exótico o tener comodidades, la idea es seguir adelante y tomar toda la educación que puedas. Esto es lo que les digo a todos lo muchachos y las personas que quieren ser bomberos. Para cuando estos niños crezcan, un certificado de colegio o horas de colegio serán requeridas."

Pero la educación, trabajo duro, y el peligro de pelear con fuegos para hacer el vivir ha dado mas de su parte de éxitos para Dominguez. "Es un buen trabajo, tu sabes, tuve muchos trabajos, pero este es un trabajo que, por veinte años, he estado mirando adelante para venir ha trabajar. Muchas personas no tienen un trabajo en sus vidas donde les encante ir ha trabajar."

"Es un trabajo muy peligroso," previene Dominguez. "Pero todavía, es muy emocionante, yo pienso que mas de los muchachos aquí en este departamento están actualmente muy contentos y, creo yo, felices de tener esta clase de trabajo. Llena, tal vez, todas las fantasías de cuando ellos eran niños, 'Quiero crecer y ser bombero!"

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language television networks, Univision, Telemundo and Galavision, is imported from Mexico and other Latin American Countries. And Azcarraga's media machine is reaping fat profits from the mushrooming U.S. Hispanic market.

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In the 1960's black leaders, recognizing that ownership and control of the media was crucial for the development of the African-American community, took action.

That Japanese investors would be permitted to control one of the big three U. S. networks is unthinkable. That Anglo investors would buy Ebony, Jet, The Amsterdam News or Black Entertainment Television is out of the question.

Yet, the non-Hispanic stranglelhold on U.S. Spanish-language media will grow even tighter if Mexican billionaire Emilio Azcarraga and his partners purchase Univision.

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La Venta de Univision

television en español, mediante la producción extranjera mas barata desde Mexico y Venezuela. Y si se consuma el trato, los nuevos propietarios extranjeros de Univision serán menos sensibles a las necesidades de la comunidad latina de los Estados Unidos.

¿Por que desea Azcarraga, que ya posee Galavision, que es una red de television por cable en español en los Estados Unidos, comprar a Univision?

Azcarraga, a quien se conoce por "el Tigre," es propientario del Grupo Televisa, un conglomerado de diversos medios informativos basado en Ciudad México, que vale $2,000 millones, el cual posee cuatro estaciones de television, seis estaciones de radio, dos empresas disqueras, una empresa de vallas anunciadoras exteriores, una empresa publicitaria y una cadena de alquiler de cintas de video. También se jacta de ser el mayor productor y exportador mundial de programación en español. "Juntas, las empresas de Televisa se Oragan fenomenalmente $4 de cada $5 que se gastan en anuncios en Mexico," segun dice The Los Angeles Times.

Actualmente, aparte de los programas de noticias, la mayor parte de la programación en las tres redes de televisión en español en los Estados Unidos — Univision, Telemundo y Galavision — se importa de Mexico y otras naciones de la America Latina. Y la maquinaria de los medios informativos de Azcarraga esta cosechando ganancias gruesas del mercado hispano de los Estados Unidos que crece considerablemente.

Es increíble que se permitiera a los inversionistas japoneses el controlar una de tres grandes redes televisoras de los Estados Unidos

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El hecho de que los magnates de los medios extranjeros se hallen interesados en el mercado hispano de los Estados Unidos es de buen augurio para nuestro desenvolvimiento económico. Pero en el caso de la televisión hispana, el mensajero llega a ser tan importante como el mensaje.

Es increíble que se permitiera a los inversionistas japoneses el controlar una de tres grandes redes televisoras de los Estados Unidos. El que los inversionistas anglo-americanos compraran Ebony, Jet, The Amsterdam News o Black Entertainment Television es inconcebible.

No obstante, el dominio absoluto de los no hispanos en los medios informativos en español de los Estados Unidos llegara a ser aun mas estricto si el multi-millonario mexicano Emilio Azcarraga y sus asociados compran a Univision.

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