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New witness surfaces

Thomas, accusers brace for TV showdown

WASHINGTON (NYT) — A second former co-worker has been subpoenaed by the Senate Judiciary Committee to testify against Judge Clarence Thomas in the nationally televised hearings that start today into his fitness for service on the Supreme Court.

The hearings were prompted by charges by Professor Anita Hill that Thomas sexually harassed her in the early 1980s.

The committee notified the White House of another woman who would testify against President Bush's nominee, presidential spokesman Sean Walsh said Thursday night. The witness will be Angela Wright, a former subordinate of Thomas at the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, said officials in the executive branch.

"We cannot discuss the details of this matter, but Judge Thomas will deal with the allegations in the course of the hearings," Walsh said.

The nature of Ms. Wright's negative testimony was not disclosed. Last Tuesday, the committee's chairman, Joseph Biden, D-Del., told the Senate that only testimony

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Poll: Sexual harassment is widespread

By Elizabeth Kolbert
N.Y. Times News Service

Four of 10 women say they have encountered some form of sexual harassment at work, but very few of them say they reported the incident at the time, according to the latest New York Times/CBS News poll.

The poll suggests that sexual harassment, even if largely unreported, is a pervasive problem in the workplace. Five of 10 men said that at some point while on the job, they had said or done something that could have been construed by a female colleague as harassment.

A majority of the men and women responding to the poll said they believed that suggestive comments could constitute sexual harassment and that physical contact was not necessary.

It is an accusation of verbal harassment

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Flags, floats bring in MHS homecoming

By Myra Lee Salcedo
Staff Writer

Purple and yellow streamers adorned A Street at intervals Thursday evening as Bulldog fans gathered by the hundreds to await Midland High School's 1991 Homecoming Parade.

Fans wore purple or yellow T-shirts and purple hats. Future Bulldog, Luisa Flores, 11, even wore purple socks and tennis shoes.

"I see the horses. Here they comes!" shouted Ashley Williams, 5, as the parade appeared in the distance, blocks away.

As the horseback flag carriers approached, youngsters hopped up and down and cheered.

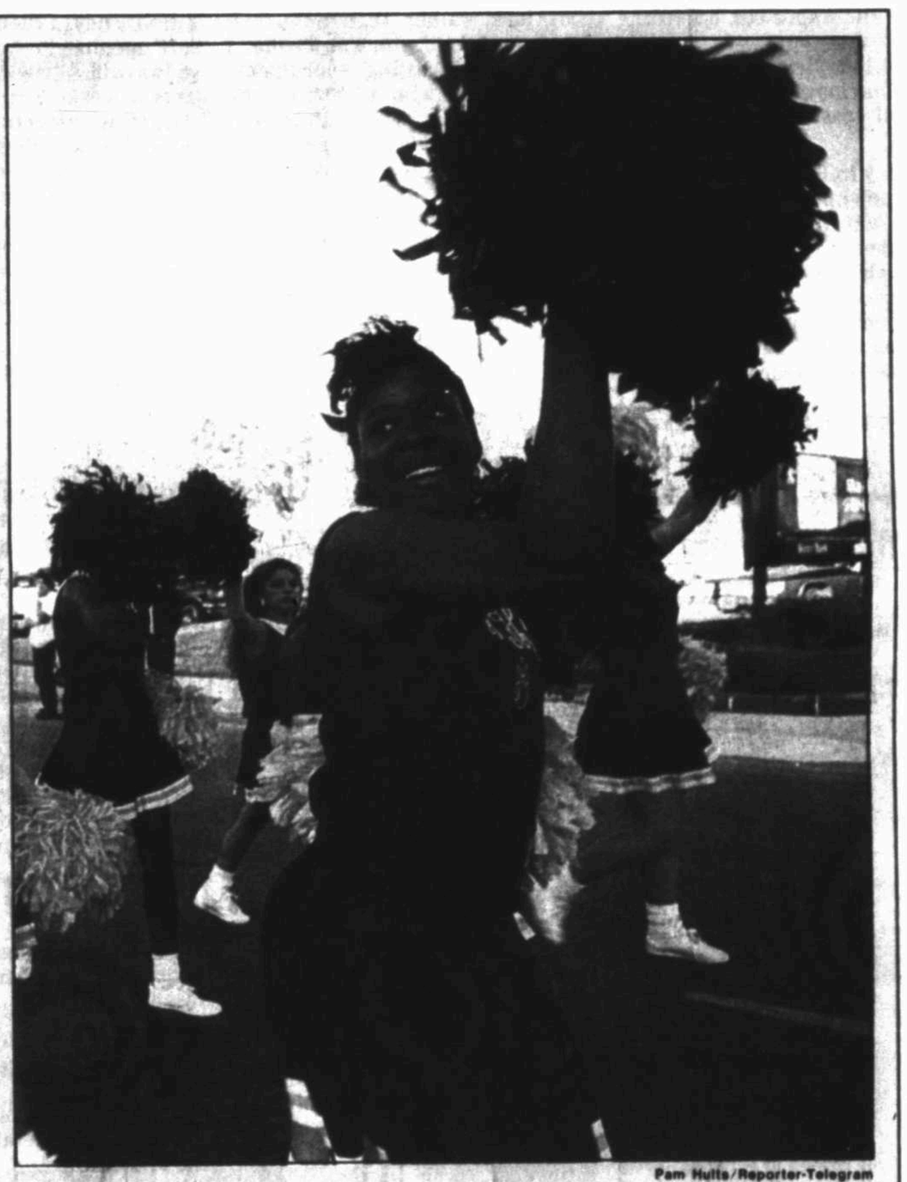
The school's flag, a purple bulldog outlined on a field of yellow, was carried in between the Texas and American flags.

The flag bearers were followed by a horse-drawn coach featuring new MHS Principal Jane Carrens, class of 1957. In keeping with the theme, she wore a purple dress with a yellow print. Her coach driver was Bob Midkiff, class of 1955.

The two Hall of Honor inductees, Mark Craig, class of 1966, and Robert Payne, class of 1937, followed.

The Midland High School band received a standing ovation from a cluster of former students, and the Midland Freshman High School band got much of the crowd on its feet with a rousing fight song.

Matilda Bay, the bulldog mascot of the class of 1994 elicited a chorus of "Awwwwwww," from bystanders. Matilda wore a purple bandana around her wrinkled neck and panted happily from the back of a car.



Pam Hults/Reporter-Telegram

LaShonda Thomas of the Midland High Pom Pon squad leads the group down A Street in Thursday's Homecoming parade.

The human mascot — in a bulldog costume — rode in a car and waved with a bone to the crowd.

A float bearing the MHS senior girls was greeted with whistles and shouts from high school boys in the crowd.

A young lady dressed as a rodeo clown — wearing mismatched cowboy boots and marching out of step — garnered laughs as she walked alongside the float for Future Farmers of America.

The Junior Classical League sported

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Air show flies fast economic impact to city

By Michael Kashgarian
Staff Writer

Tourists flocking to see the Confederate Air Force's Airsho'91 this weekend are expected to spend $1.8 million in the Tall City, according to estimates by the Midland Chamber of Commerce.

And those new dollars will turn over three times to boost the local economy, according to a Texas Department of Commerce formula.

Of an estimated 35,000 to 50,000 people who will attend the air show, about 30 percent are likely to be from out of town, said Norma Webb, public relations director for CAF.

Visitors will be coming in not only from West Texas but across the country and around the world, said Suzy Lundy, director of the Midland Chamber's Convention and Visitors Bureau.

The chamber has averaged 50 calls a day for the last two weeks by people planning to attend Airsho'91, Ms. Lundy said.

"We do have some international tour groups coming in, and international folks tend to spend more than national folks," she said.

People from Japan, Sweden, Germany, Great Britain and Australia will be gazing into the Midland sky this weekend, Ms. Lundy said.

Nationally, residents from California,

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Cowpokes aim to give Europe Western flavor

By Hollace Weiner
N.Y. Times News Service

MESQUITE — Scores of Buffalo Bill look-alikes — with waxy mustaches, flowing hair and dirt on their spurs — turned up at the Mesquite Rodeo arena this week, riding, roping and hoping to lasso a part in a Walt Disney Wild West show set for the Paris suburbs.

That's Paris, France, not Paris, Texas.

The promise of a year's pay plus lodging 20 miles outside the French capital led 73 cowboys, 11 cowgirls and two American Indians to audition on horseback in front of casting directors who wore knit shirts and name tags with Donald Duck logos.

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Half of women due child support get shorted

WASHINGTON (AP) — Half the American men required to pay child support deliver less than ordered and one-fourth pay their ex-wives nothing at all, the Census Bureau said Thursday. Men are more likely to pay if they have the right to visit their kids.

"In some cases, there probably is a genuine inability to come up with the necessary funds," said Larry Jackson, Virginia's social services commissioner and head of the American Public Welfare Association's task force on child-support enforcement.

"But there are cases where men just flat leave," he said. "They don't want to pay. They're angry at their spouse. Often they couch this in terms of, 'If I can't see my children, I'm not going to pay child support.' That's what we hear most often."

The bureau said that in 1989, eight out of 10 fathers with visitation rights paid child support, and nine out of 10 with joint custody paid. Fewer than half those without such rights paid support.

A little more than half of the fathers without custody had the right to visit their children in 1990. Fewer than one in 10 had joint custody.

Fathers were also more likely to pay if they lived in the same state as the mother.

"The easiest way to avoid paying your child support is to go someplace else, to

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Poll: Most believe families have death decision rights

Cityline Community Pulse

Nearly 85 percent of respondents in this week's COMMUNITY PULSE poll said they believe families should have the right to discontinue life support of terminally ill patients.

As one caller succinctly commented, "Certainly, a close family member should have the right to say when enough is enough, with the doctor's approval."

A total of 117 of the 138 callers in the Cityline survey conducted between Sunday and Wednesday agreed that families should be allowed to make right-to-die decisions.

But others cautioned against such actions. "We do not have that right, God made us and He is the only who has the right to eliminate life, and we will be judged."

"It is very wrong," caller Wayne Christopher said.

Poll participant Gene Hanks said, "Prolonging life in some cases is more like prolonging death. It does neither the individual, nor the community, nor the family any good."

"If you leave it to the doctors and the community, what happens is hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of medical bills are incurred that people cannot afford to pay. If their brain is dead, why should they be kept on life support?" one woman said.

"We as family members need to be allowed the right to decide all efforts should be suspended," Jo-Anne Burbridge said.

SEC approves early stock trade session

WASHINGTON (NYT) — Moving to restore the global competitiveness of the nation's stock markets, the Securities and Exchange Commission Thursday approved early-morning trading in over-the-counter stocks.

The new trading session, from 2:30 a.m. to 8 a.m. CDT, is a step toward round-the-clock trading in the United States and is specifically aimed at recapturing business now on the London markets. Investors who want to trade after the American markets close now often take their business to foreign exchanges.

The commission approved a two-year pilot proposed by the National Association of Securities Dealers amid a bitter debate over restrictions of

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FRIDAY

NEWS WATCH



CAF photo

Grumman Hellcat

The Grumman F6F Hellcat, the more powerful descendant of the Wildcat, scored phenomenal victories against Japanese aircraft, including the Zero, in World War II's Pacific Theater. The Hellcat made its combat debut from the aircraft carrier "Yorktown" on Aug. 31, 1943, in the battle for Marcus Island. The Hellcat will be among Allied and Axis warplanes in the Confederate Air Force's The Airsho'91 Saturday and Sunday at Midland International Airport.

Well tank explodes

MINERAL CITY, Ohio — An oil well storage tank exploded Thursday as it was being moved, killing three workers and seriously injuring another, a sheriff's deputy said. One body was found about 85 yards from the site, and the force of the blast threw the 210-gallon tank about 125 yards, said Tuscarawas County Sheriff's Deputy Rod Neff. The cause of the exposion hadn't been determined and a damage estimate wasn't available, Neff said.

Soviets, computers

Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev wants to computerize his nation by the year 2000, but Levon Amdilyan says it can't be done./3A

Liz, Larry show

TORRANCE, Calif. — Elizabeth Taylor interrupted her honeymoon Thursday to pitch perfume at a department store while new husband Larry Fortensky was in court answering an old drunken driving charge. Miss Taylor, 59, gave fans her harsh opinion of zealous news coverage of her wedding on Sunday. She appeared irritated when she discussed the helicopter assault mounted by the news media to get pictures of her eighth wedding. "I thought, 'Those b-------!' " she said. But she said she decided, "No, I'm going to shine it off. This is our day. . . . This is my wedding day and nobody's going to spoil it. And you know something — nobody did."

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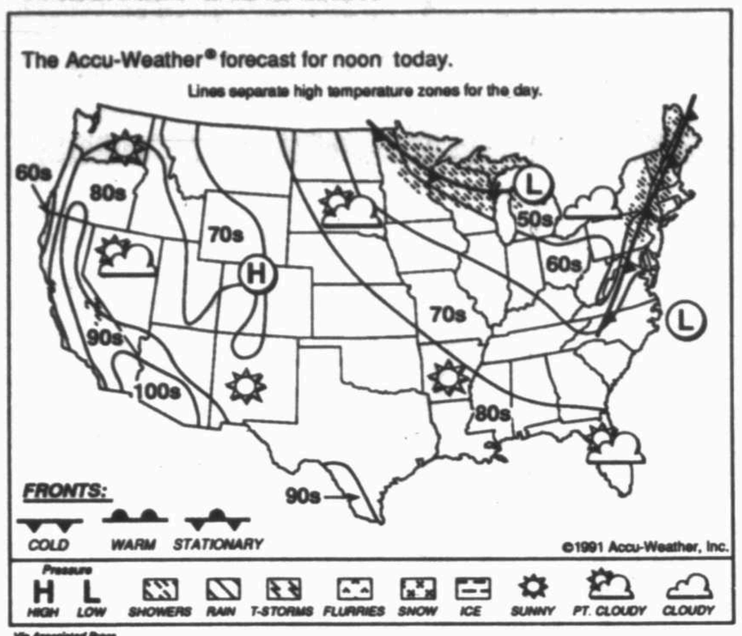
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WEATHER SUMMARY



Via Associated Press

Sunny skies, 80s on tap

Staff Report

The forecast for today calls for sunny skies with a high in the upper 80s and variable winds at 5 to 10 mph. Tonight should be mostly clear with a low in the lower 50s, according to the National Weather Service in Midland.

Saturday is expected to be mostly clear with a high in the mid-80s.

After an overnight low of 51, Thursday's high was 88 compared with the record high for Oct. 10 of 94 set in 1979. The record low for today was 42 set in 1990.

STATE

Sunny skies and warm temperatures dominated the Texas weather picture Thursday under the influence of a high-pressure system, and forecasters expected the conditions to continue into the weekend.

Only a few streaks of cirrus clouds were observed in North Texas and high-level cloudiness in the south. Elsewhere, skies were clear to partly cloudy over the Panhandle and West Texas, with partly to mostly cloudy conditions in the north.

High temperatures were above normal, ranging from the 70s in the Davis Mountains of West Texas through mid- and upper 80s, according to the National Weather Service.

Winds were mainly light and variable at 5 to 15 mph statewide, with a slight shift to the north as a weak wind shift line moved through North Texas. Winds gusted to 20 mph along the Gulf coast at Corpus Christi.

NATION

Heavy rain produced some flooding Thursday in Florida, but most of the region got a break from two days of downpours. A heat wave pushed temperatures past 100 in Southern California.

As much as 2 inches of rain fell in Melbourne, midway up Florida's east coast, and some streets filled with as much as 3 feet of water, the National Weather Service said.

While southern Florida residents were inconvenienced by up to 14 inches of rain on Tuesday and Wednesday, the deluge gave plants and animals relief from a three-year drought. The Everglades system was back to its soggy natural state.

"This is just what the park needed," said John Ogden, a biologist at Everglades National Park.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

Midland statistics

FORECAST:
Today: Sunny, high in the upper 80s, variable winds at 5-10 mph.
Tonight: Mostly clear, low in the lower 50s.
Friday: Mostly clear, high in the mid-80s.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	88 degrees
Overnight Low	51 degrees
Sunset today	7:49 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:23 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	0.00 inches
This month to date	0.00 inches
Year to date	19.94 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 p.m.	80	6 a.m.	52
7 p.m.	71	7 a.m.	51
8 p.m.	66	8 a.m.	57
9 p.m.	64	9 a.m.	67
10 p.m.	62	10 a.m.	71
11 p.m.	63	11 a.m.	74
midnight	61	noon	80
1 a.m.	59	1 p.m.	82
2 a.m.	59	2 p.m.	84
3 a.m.	59	3 p.m.	84
4 a.m.	56	4 p.m.	84
5 a.m.	54	5 p.m.	83
		6 p.m.	78

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Amarillo	87	50	
Austin	89	59	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	85	51	
Brownsville	83	65	
Bryan-College Station	86	54	
Corpus Christi	83	54	
Dallas	88	56	
El Paso	88	52	
Fort Worth	91	53	
Galveston	81	65	
Houston	85	51	
Laredo	88	60	
Longview	86	51	
Lubbock	89	52	
Marfa	78	39	
San Angelo	85	51	
San Antonio	86	55	
Victoria	87	54	
Waco	91	50	
Wichita Falls	90	54	
Wink	86	50	

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albuquerque	85	54		clr
Atlanta	76	57		clr
Atlantic City	74	44		cdy
Baltimore	75	46		cdy
Boston	69	52		rn
Chicago	65	42		cdy
Cleveland	61	48	.23	rn
Denver	82	42		clr
Detroit	64	50	.05	rn
Flagstaff	78	40		clr
Indianapolis	69	54	.17	cdy
Kansas City	75	45		clr
Las Vegas	97	67		cdy
Los Angeles	95	65		cdy
Louisville	69	53	.34	clr
Memphis	80	58		clr
Milwaukee	59	45		cdy
Nashville	71	47	.12	clr
New Orleans	81	52		clr
New York City	73	55		rn
Oklahoma City	85	57		clr
Orlando	88	70		clr
Philadelphia	75	52		cdy
Phoenix	105	75		clr
Portland,Ore.	65	45		cdy
Reno	84	41		cdy
Sacramento	100	59		clr
St Louis	73	55		clr
San Francisco	66	63		clr
Seattle	76	47		cdy
Shreveport	88	49		clr
Spokane	77	40		cdy
Topeka	76	43		clr
Tulsa	80	57		clr
Wichita	81	49		clr

Extended forecast

West Texas: No precipitation is expected. Lows will be in the lower to mid-50s Sunday and Monday and in the lower to mid-40s on Tuesday. Highs in the lower to mid-80s Sunday and Monday cooling to the mid- to upper 60s Tuesday.

Area forecast

West Texas: Mostly clear through Saturday. Lows tonight mainly in the 50s with a few 40s. Highs today and Saturday mostly in the 80s.

HEARINGS: 2nd former co-worker is subpoenaed

(From 1A)

centering on Thomas's behavior in the workplace would be allowed.

The immediate issue when the committee convenes this morning, of course, is whether Thomas's remarkable journey from segregated poverty in Pin Point, Ga., will end in sexist ignominy or in confirmation as the nation's second African American justice.

KOCV-TV, Odessa, will cover Thomas' Senate hearing commercial-free from gavel to gavel beginning at 9 a.m. All three networks plan extensive coverage as well.

The climax of the riveting, week-long drama on Capitol Hill also will bear mightily upon the sullied reputation of the Senate, sexual politics in the upcoming election year and, indeed, future relationships between men and women in the workplace.

Also at stake are the good name and promising career of Ms. Hill, whose rise over adversity rivals that of the nominee. The University of Oklahoma law professor has accused Thomas of making unwelcome and lewd advances toward her while he was her boss at two federal agencies in the early 1980s. He has denied the charges.

On the eve of the showdown, strategies from both sides began to emerge. Supporters of confirmation brought out a dozen women who had worked with Thomas and disputed the notion that he would sexually harass a colleague.

Opponents, meanwhile, stressed the importance of corroborating witnesses.

"If it is simply a case of one person's word against another, it is always very difficult," said Sen. Patrick Leahy of Vermont, who will be a Democratic questioner.

"One of the reasons for having a hearing like this is to ask specific questions. I imagine questions would be similar to both," he said. "And then you judge demeanor and responsiveness. I suspect there will be other people who will come in and may be able to shed some light on it."

Among other witnesses expected to testify were Susan Hoerchner, a former Yale Law School classmate of Ms. Hill and now an administrative law judge in California, and Joel Paul, an American University law professor. Years ago, Ms. Hill reportedly told both that she had been sexually harassed by her supervisor.

One of the Republican questioners, Sen. Orrin Hatch of Utah, predicted that neither Thomas nor Ms. Hill would retreat from their earlier statements and both would be scarred by their appearances before the committee.

"I feel sorry for both Judge Thomas and Professor Hill" said Hatch. "Neither of them will come out with the reputations they had before. Neither of them. There's no way that's going to happen. And neither of them is going to change their point of view on this."

In seeking to discredit Ms. Hill's charges, the Republican questioners must walk a thin line — trying to poke holes in her charges without appearing to abuse a victim.

POLL: Accusation hasn't eroded public support

(From 1A)

that has thrown Judge Clarence Thomas' nomination to the Supreme Court into sudden disarray. But the poll shows the accusation by Anita F. Hill, a law professor at the University of Oklahoma, has not seriously eroded public support for Thomas, her former boss.

In allegations made public earlier this week, Professor Hill charged that Thomas had subjected her to harassment when she worked as an aide to him at the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission in the early 1980s.

Professor Hill said Thomas had asked her out and then, when she refused his advances, had recounted scenes from pornographic movies he had seen. Thomas has strenuously denied the charges.

Professor Hill's allegations, and the apparent disregard with which they were handled by the all-male Senate Judiciary Committee, have opened a rare public battle of the sexes on Capitol Hill, and have prompted the committee to reopen its confirmation hearings.

But while the accusations have created fierce political debate, they do not seem to have substantially affected support for Thomas. The Times/CBS poll shows the proportion of people who say Thomas should be confirmed to be 38 percent, almost double the proportion, 20 percent, who say he should not be confirmed. A large number of those polled, 39 percent, remain undecided.

Many people said they did not believe the accusations made by Professor Hill. Forty-seven percent of the respondents said they thought the charges were probably not true, 21 percent said they probably were.

Thomas' support is higher among men than among women. Forty-three percent of the men said they believed he should be confirmed, as against 33 percent of the women.

TRYOUTS: Disney to take Old West to Europe

(From 1A)

"We are looking for a real cowboy look, rather than an urban cowboy look, if you know what I mean," said casting coordinator Larry Smith, who advertised the Walt Disney Co. tryouts in Professional Rodeo Cowboy Association publications and in newspapers near the eight audition sites.

Besides Mesquite, just south of Dallas, tryouts for the Buffalo Bill Wild West Show have been held in Orlando, Fla., and Houston, and are set for Tulsa, Okla.; Colorado Springs, Colo.; Billings, Mont.; and Los Angeles.

The ropers are competing for 55 performing parts at a 2,000-seat dinner theater on the grounds of Euro-Disney, a theme park and resort opening in April. Wild West shows will be twice a day, seven days a week.

Casting directors will select three Buffalo Bills, three Annie Oakleys, three Chief Sitting Bulls and understudies to double as animal handlers. Also needed are 14 trick-riding cowboys, 14 Indians and six to eight musicians who can harmonize on the fiddle, harmonica or banjo while riding high in the saddle.

The production will evoke memories of the show that the original Buffalo Bill Cody toured Europe with nearly a century ago, performing at the foot of the Eiffel Tower for more than 3 million people.

Richard Leader Charge, 34, a Lakota Sioux who showed up at the tryouts on Wednesday with an eagle feather in his hatband, has ties to the original Wild West show. He said his great-great grandfather, Rain in the Face, fought at the Battle of Little Big Horn and performed with Buffalo Bill in Europe.

Leader Charge, a North Dakota native now living at Two-T Ranch in Cleburne, Texas, read the role of Sitting Bull on Wednesday. In the movie "Dances with Wolves," he played one of the Pawnee scouts who kill the mule team driver. His mother, Doris Leader Charge, accepted the Oscar the movie won for best screenplay and delivered the acceptance speech in her native tongue.

Leader Charge said his Hollywood role paid $414 a day — "serious money for me." Whether he would go to Paris with Disney depends on the wages and the film parts he might miss.

PARADE: Bulldog fans gather by the hundreds

(From 1A)

togas (some purple) and the Drama Dogs wore costumes on a float bedecked with the masks of comedy and tragedy.

Teen-agers cheered the Science Club float with a young man dressed as a nerd in a lab coat. The bridge of his glasses was taped, and a young lady identified as "atomic fission" hopped up and down beside him.

The Science Club float was followed by San Jacinto Junior High School's "Mean Green" Mustang band.

As the parade neared the end of its route at the high school, Goddard cheerleaders were still impressing paradegoers with cartwheels and handsprings.

"This is a great parade," said Wade Marshalls, 44, sporting a "Proud to be a Bulldog" pin on his purple shirt. "And I've seen a bunch. They get better every year."

Numerous MHS clubs, the DARE (Drug Abuse Resistance Education) van, several junior high school bands, athletic teams and Crimestoppers' McGruff also participated in the parade.

A teepee-shaped woodpile, atop a mound of dirt in the MHS parking lot, awaited the match for the evening homecoming bonfire.

Nachos, hot dogs and sausage-on-a-stick were being sold from the parking lot.

Homecoming activities will continue Friday with the crowning of the queen during halftime at the Midland High-Odessa High football game.

The MHS Student Council will sponsor a dance from 10:30 p.m.-12:30 a.m. Friday following the game. The dance will be at the Midland Youth Center. Tickets are $3 per person or $5 per couple.

BOOST: Chamber is averaging 50 calls a day

(From 1A)

Washington, Arizona, Georgia and Oklahoma have inquired about visiting Midland this weekend.

Tonight, Saturday and Sunday, more than 4,000 hotel rooms will be occupied with two to three people per room, Ms. Lundy estimated.

"The average (tourist) will spend from $75 to $100 a day in the community," Ms. Lundy said. A conservative estimate of 8,000 people spending $75 a day for three days equals $1.8 million, she added.

"And not just hotels benefit, but service stations, rental cars, convenient stores, restaurants and shopping outlets and malls," Ms. Lundy said.

Also, visitors traveling in recreational vehicles will spend money in grocery stores, she added.

Managers of major hotels in Midland said they are booked solid for the weekend.

"We are completely full I'm pleased to say. It's certainly all due to the air show. . . . The weekends are usually slow for us," said David Nichols, general manager for the Midland Hilton, which has 249 rooms.

Nancy Hardy, manager of the Plaza Inn on North Big Spring Street, also said hotel business is booming because of the air show.

"We have been (booked) for some time. We have a group (a flying club) of 53 from California," she said. The Plaza Inn has 115 rooms.

In addition to lodging, eateries are expecting a lot of hungry tourists.

"We anticipate a lot of folks coming in Saturday and Sunday," said Bill Henkel, manager/owner of Cattleman's Steak House.

"When you have people coming in from out of town, you always have a lot of eating out," he added.

Between meals and the air show, visitors are expected to do some shopping, said Patti Snodgrass, manager of Midland Park Mall.

"We have geared up for it" with additional staffing, she said.

Because the mall parking lot will be a bus shuttle point to transport spectators to the air show, Ms. Snodgrass anticipates visitors taking advantage of the mall before or after the show.

But Midland won't be the only city to benefit financially this weekend. Odessa hotel managers are expecting a big weekend as well.

"We are going to be about pretty well full. I have a feeling that most the hotels in town will be full or close to full," said Judy Caven, co-manager of the La Quinta Motor Inn, with 122 rooms.

The Odessa Hilton, with 194 rooms, also will be full this weekend, said Frank Abalos, reservationist for the hotel.

"We estimate the impact as slightly over $200,000," said Russell Autry, chief executive officer for the Odessa Chamber of Commerce.

Autry said that about 34 percent of the 2,000 hotel rooms in Odessa are booked for this weekend because of the airshow.

Autry and others said this year will be the base by which to estimate the economic impact of future air shows.

SUPPORT: One-fourth pay their ex-wives nothing at all

(From 1A)

go across state lines," Jackson said.

But a fathers' rights activist said Jackson's explanation ignored the hardship that child-support payments can cause fathers who don't make much money.

"Payments are too high. They can't be paid in full," said Paul Robinson, president of the Virginia chapter of Fathers United for Equal Rights. "The source of the problem begins with the custody award."

When the child-support check fails to show or comes in short, "it's a disaster for children in many cases," said Cliff Johnson, family support director of the Children's Defense Fund. "The economic strains on families are such that any child without the support of both parents is in great jeopardy."

On average, a mother got $2,995 in child support in a year. In some cases, Johnson said, that money makes the difference between having a place to live or ending up on the street.

About a fourth of the 4.9 million women who are supposed to receive child support in 1989 lived below the federal poverty line. That year, the cutoff for a woman and two children was $9,885 in income, before taxes.

Among mothers who had never married, 60 percent of those owed child support were poor.

The Census Bureau findings were based on surveys conducted in 1989 and 1990. The surveys also found:

- There were 10 million fatherless households with children in 1989. That's up 39 percent from 10 years earlier.
- Nearly two-thirds of women who wanted the court to order child support didn't get it. A mother who had married, even if divorced, was three times as likely to be awarded child support as a mother who had never married.

The Census Bureau also studied some broader divorce issues. They found:

- The courts awarded alimony payments to only one in seven divorced or separated women.
- About a third of divorced women received a property settlement.

STOCKS: SEC nears round-the-clock trading

(From 1A)

the amount of information that will be available to investors. The project, known as Nasdaq International Service, is expected to begin in January.

"We have long had close to 24-hour trading in U.S. stocks," said Richard C. Breeden, chairman of the commission, referring to the trading of shares of American companies on exchanges from London to Hong Kong to Tokyo. "However, it does not occur except for a small fraction of a period within the United States."

In London alone, SEC officials estimate that between 10 million and 15 million shares of American companies change hands every day, and more than 200 American stocks are listed on foreign exchanges.

The trading session approved Thursday will also compete indirectly with the New York and American stock exchanges by listing stocks now in those markets.

The debate within the commission centered on a concession to the British that makes less information available to traders in the new session than now available in the day session, which runs from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Traders during the new session will not be provided with simultaneous information about the price and volume of current transactions in most of the securities, but would instead be provided with a bid price and an ask price from the market maker. Cumulative figures of each stock's high, low, closing price and volume would be available after the close of the session.

In a stinging dissent from the three other commissioners who approved the measure, Edward H. Fleischman, now the longest serving commissioner, said the limit on information was too high a price to pay for any potential benefit of recapturing business that had moved abroad.

After the other commissioners insisted that they remained committed to maintaining open and transparent markets that supply investors with the widest possible variety of information, Fleischman responded: "I am struck with all the talk about what we preach and what we practice. It strikes me as the old American Know-Nothing Party."

The New York Stock Exchange also filed an objection to the proposal, asserting that the failure to provide information on each trade "would pose serious investor concerns."

SEC officials said privately after the vote that under British trading system, brokers had better control of the market, as they were only ones who knew actual volume and trading prices.

"It's pure protectionism on behalf of their traders," said one senior official who supported the new session.

Breeden acknowledged that the scandals in the government securities and agency securities markets was due in part to the fact that those markets were not as open as the corporate equities markets.

But he nonetheless expressed confidence that the new session would give American investors more information than they have now when they trade overseas. He said the new session would be particularly useful for investors who want to trade on significant corporate and international news that occurs at odd hours.

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Soviets computer-illiterate, expert says

By Paul Freiberger
Hearst News Service



Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev wants to computerize his nation by the year 2000, but Levon Amdilyan says it can't be done.

"We have few people with computers at home," says Amdilyan. "There are poor-quality phone lines. In many offices there are no computers. Many people don't know what is a spreadsheet nor the difference between a telex and a fax. Banks use computers at a very low level."

Gorbachev's claim that the cash-poor Soviet government can change this by the end of the decade is naive, Amdilyan says.

Amdilyan, 35, is a trained economist who has become a self-appointed ombudsman for his country's computer pioneers. Three years ago, he founded the nonprofit International Computer Club in Moscow. He is on a whirlwind tour of American computer firms and trade shows gathering information for his group.

The ICC has invited computer industry leaders to the Soviet Union to meet programmers and entrepreneurs; it has petitioned the government for strict copyright laws; it has evaluated software for American companies; and it produces a monthly television program called "A Dialog With a Computer."

"He has fostered a lot more interchange from both sides," says Esther Dyson, a computer industry analyst and editor of the newsletter Release 1.0. Amdilyan believes the private sector will slowly help improve the technological infrastructure of the Soviet Union, which will lay the groundwork for a more computerized society.

For the cash-poor Soviet government to make claims about modernizing the country's technology base is naive, says Amdilyan. With regard to Gorbachev and Russian President Boris Yeltsin, Amdilyan says: "I'm sure they don't know technology. They never used computers, have never used E-mail (electronic mail). So there's no complete understanding."

Amdilyan recalls an event during the recent coup attempt. An underground news organization reported that Yeltsin was having trouble making contact with Washington. "I was amazed," he said. "So many of his (Yeltsin's) people had access to MCI (electronic) mail," noting that it should have been easy to get information out of the country. Indeed, some Soviets communicated with people all over the world via computer networks.

The forces behind the coup also showed an ignorance of the power of modern technology, says Amdilyan. "They never stopped the dissemination of information," and laughing, he adds, "I think the next coup will be more clever."

Amdilyan says most Americans would be surprised to learn that it isn't difficult to buy computers and software in the Soviet Union. They might be shocked at the extent of software piracy, however.

Software passes from computer owner to computer owner thanks to copying that is illegal in the West. But there are no clear copyright laws governing software in the Soviet Union, creating a situation that has dissuaded some U.S. firms from entering the market there.

Amdilyan is circulating a petition among computer industry leaders addressed to Yeltsin that urges the establishment of "adequate laws to protect intellectual property."

Despite the piracy dilemma, Amdilyan says many U.S. software firms have begun selling their programs in the Soviet Union.

Salinas forces state governor from office

MEXICO CITY (AP) — President Carlos Salinas de Gortari has removed a state governor who was beset by ballot fraud charges and a 260-mile protest march by his elderly, cancer-stricken adversary.

San Luis Potosi Gov. Fausto Zapata was the second governor elected in August to be toppled by fraud allegations.

The state legislature voted Thursday to accept Zapata's resignation. Minutes later, Gonzalo Martinez Corbala, who had been head of a federal housing agency, was sworn in as interim governor until a special election is organized.

The government's Notimex news agency reported that about 500 members of the ruling Institutional Revolutionary Party demonstrated in the state legislative building to protest Zapata's resignation.

As Zapata fell, the old campaigner he had officially defeated in August, Dr. Salvador Nava, halted a 260-mile protest march across the Mexican countryside, Nava's office said Thursday.

Zapata, a veteran ruling party politician, had earlier defied the protests, saying "nothing will make me resign."

But the major Mexico City dailies reported that Zapata had been removed by Salinas, who summoned him to the capital on Wednesday.

El Universal reported that Zapata emerged from the meeting "disturbed, pale, virtually stripped of the (office) he presumably had won at the polls."

Zapata easily defeated a three-party coalition led by Nava, an ophthalmologist and long-time crusader against the 62-year-grip on power by the Institutional Revolutionary Party, or PRI.

U.N. group to condemn Haitian coup

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — Caribbean and Latin American nations agreed unanimously Thursday to back a General Assembly resolution condemning the Haitian military for ousting President Jean-Bertrand Aristide in a coup.

The assembly will take up and adopt the resolution on Friday, diplomats said. General Assembly resolutions have no force in international law, but are a powerful expression of international will.

The text of the draft resolution "strongly condemns both the attempted illegal replacement of the constitutional president of Haiti and the use of violent military coercion and the violation of human rights in that country."

It backs the economic and diplomatic sanctions imposed by the 34-nation Organization of American States, but stops short of calling for a multinational force to restore Aristide to power.

An OAS foreign ministers meeting Tuesday night called for a hemisphere-wide trade embargo and a freeze on Haitian assets abroad. The diplomats also authorized creation of a civilian mission to help restore democratic government.

The General Assembly resolution also recommends that no nation recognize any government resulting from the coup and demands Aristide's immediate restoration.

At least 150 people are thought to have been killed by security forces during and after the Sept. 30 soldiers' revolt.

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Pesticide pill being used for suicides

NEW DELHI, India (AP) — An alarming number of Indians are committing suicide by eating an 8-cent pesticide tablet that spews lethal gas inside the stomach. Doctors worry that the tablet has made death easy in India.

"Instead of being used, it is unfortunately being misused by humans," said Avinash Rajvanshi, a leading toxicologist.

Social workers blame the easy availability of the aluminium phosphide pesticide, or ALP, which is meant to be sprinkled over sacks of grain. It is supposed to be sold only to government granaries, agriculture departments and approved pest-controllers.

But the chemical has regularly found its way into the hands of people who misuse it, usually unauthorized retailers, said Rajvanshi, who is with the National Institute of Criminology and Forensic Science.

He said 10 to 15 percent of all suicides in villages are believed caused by ALP poisoning. There have been no studies of the suicides or figures kept of total deaths by the poison.

Social and medical workers say only stricter controls on the sale of the pesticide can prevent more deaths because the government has refused to ban it.

The government says halting its use would deprive its warehouses of one of the best available pesticides — two pills can protect up to a ton of stored grain from ravenous insects.

According to government estimates, 664 people died of pesticide poisoning in a 12-month period in 1989-90, the latest for which figures are available, compared to 192 deaths the previous 12 months. The real toll is believed much higher.

Suicides are most common among poverty-stricken farmers and their families in villages, where a majority of India's population lives. News reports say many young women also take their lives to escape harassment by the husband's family for not having a large enough dowry.

Most suicide attempts succeed because the victims live in villages, which often do not have hospitals that can provide quick treatment. Also, there are less than 400,000 doctors for India's 844 million residents.

There is no known antidote to the pesticide. Death usually occurs less than two hours after the tablet is consumed.

ALP is made as a 3-gram tablet and sold in packs of 10 in a plastic case the size of a man's palm. The tablets cost 8 cents each and can be bought openly in shops that sell pesticides.

Also, ALP's high potency — one pill is said to be strong enough to kill 10 people — has made it popular among illiterate peasants in rural north India, where the pesticide is widely used.

The pill produces lethal phosphine gas when it comes in contact with hydrochloric acid or water in the stomach. After severe vomiting, the victim loses consciousness, the blood vessels rupture and body cavities fill with blood.

"The easy availability ... and the absence of any specific antidote has made death look easy," Dr. T.N. Mehrotra of the Meerut Medical College told the annual meeting of the Indian Association of Physicians this year.

While the pill is exceedingly lethal, some escape death because the rate of the gas' release declines with the pill's age and use. Its potency also diminishes with exposure to moisture.

WORLD IN BRIEF

■ Peace activist jailed

RAMLE, Israel — Peace activist Abie Nathan began serving an 18-month prison sentence Thursday for meeting PLO leader Yasser Arafat in violation of Israeli law.

It was the second time he has gone to prison for meeting Arafat.

He was twice convicted under a 1986 amendment to Israel's anti-terror law that prohibits meetings with members of terrorist groups. Israel considers the Palestine Liberation Organization a terrorist group.

Nathan, 64, was sentenced last Sunday for a 1990 meeting with Arafat in Tunis. He met Arafat again in June this year and has pledged to continue seeing him to further the Middle East peace process.

Nathan, a former air force pilot and founder of the pirate radio station "Voice of Peace," has long been a peace activist.

He is best known for making a dramatic trip in a private plane to Cairo in 1966 to try to convince Egypt to make peace with Israel. Egypt eventually did so in 1979 and remains the only Arab country to have relations with the Jewish state.

■ Firm to compensate

BONN, Germany — Volkswagen, Germany's largest car manufacturer, plans to pay $7 million in atonement for its use of forced labor during World War II, a German newspaper reported Thursday.

Die Welt, a respected daily, said the money will be made available to countries whose citizens were used as forced laborers in Volkswagen's factories, such as Poland.

The money will not be given to individual victims but rather to fund "youth exchanges and international meetings," the paper said.

Die Welt did not elaborate, and Volkswagen officials were not available to clarify.

Hans Mommsen, a modern history professor at the University of Bochum, was commissioned by Volkswagen to research the company's wartime policies. He found that tens of thousands of forced laborers and concentration camp inmates worked for Volkswagen during World War II, producing armaments for Nazi Germany.

■ Smugglers arrested

NICOSIA, Cyprus — Iranian officials arrested 682 people for drug smuggling as well as 1,006 addicts in a two-week nationwide sweep, Tehran television reported Thursday.

The broadcast, monitored in Nicosia, said 2,524 pounds of various drugs were seized, as well as 17 guns and 214 vehicles used to transport narcotics.

Last week, Iran's official Islamic Republic News Agency said 45 people charged with crimes ranging from drug smuggling to armed revolt against the state were executed in Mashhad, in central Iran, and in Zahedan, in the southeast.

Possession of even small quantities of drugs — as little as a few grams of heroin — is punishable by death under Iranian law. More than 2,000 people have been hanged since that law was passed almost three years ago.

■ Passengers drown

DERA ISMAIL KHAN, Pakistan — At least 60 people drowned Thursday after their boat, crammed to triple its capacity, capsized in the Indus River, authorities said.

Forty passengers swam to safety, government officials said. Army divers recovered at least 60 bodies and were searching fog another 50.

The boat had a capacity of 40 passengers but was packed with 150, the officials said. Many were returning home for the Moslem day of worship Friday.

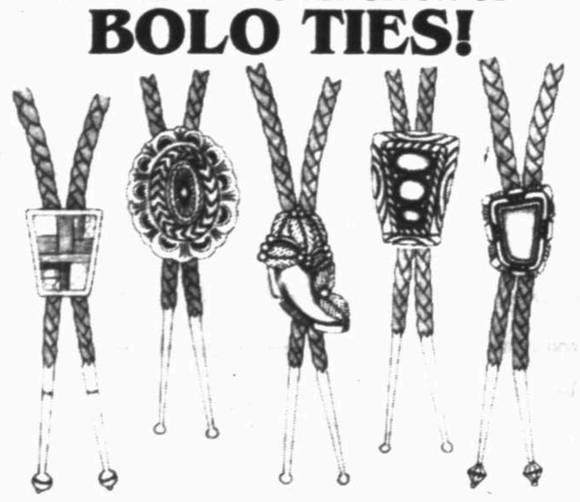
■ Van Gogh painting found

EEKLO, Belgium — A Van Gogh painting that was stolen in the Netherlands last year was discovered Thursday in a bank safe in northern Belgium, police said.

"The Digging Farmer" was one of three Van Gogh paintings stolen from a local museum in Den Bosch on June 28, 1990. It was insured for about $300,000.

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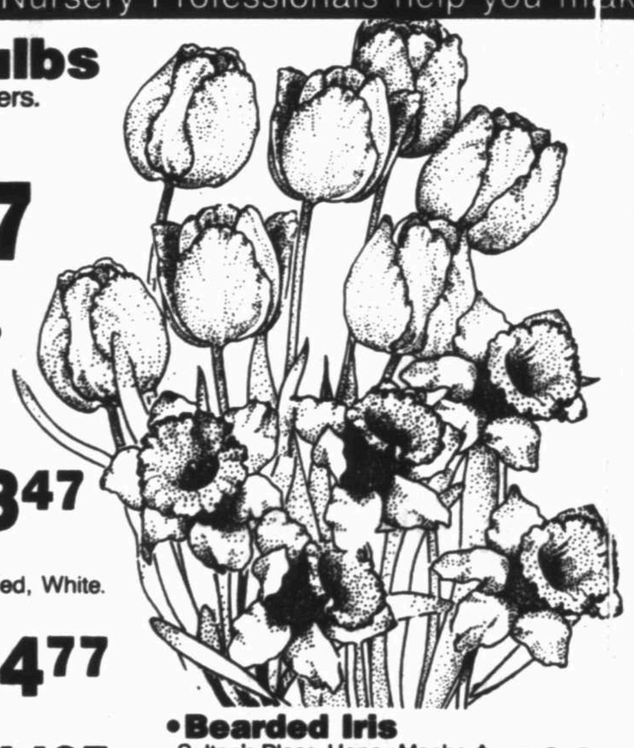
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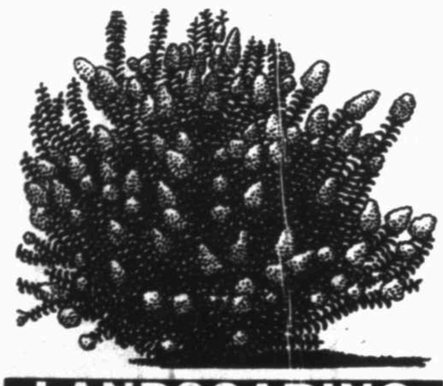
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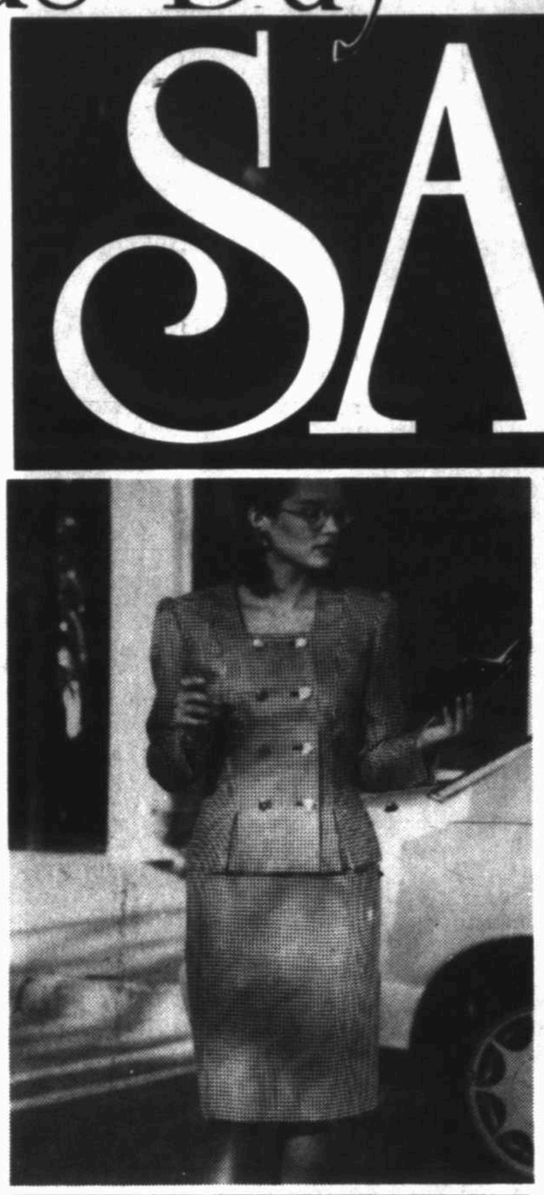
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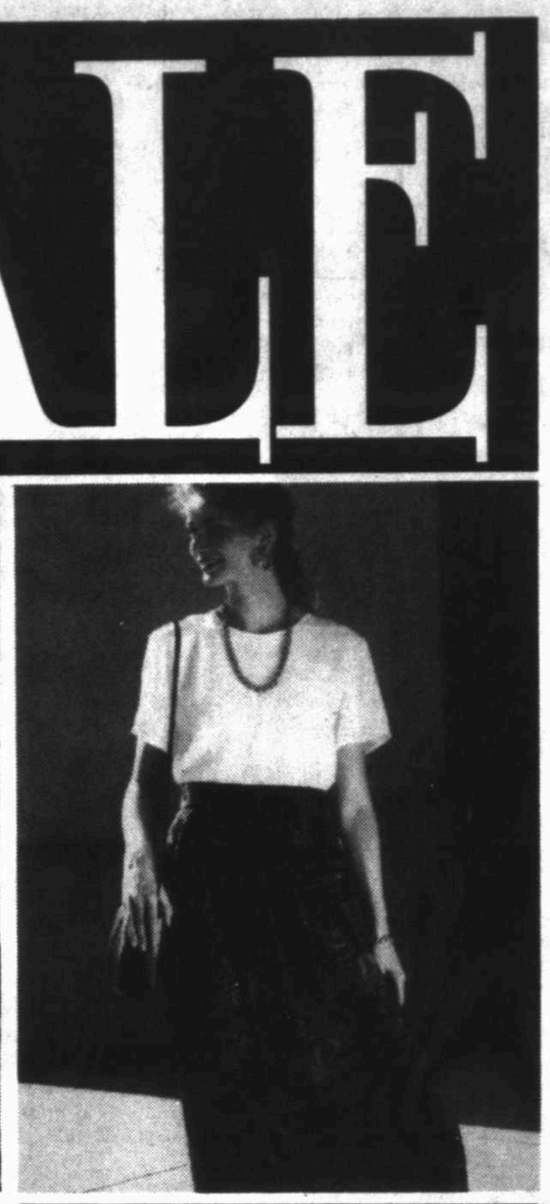
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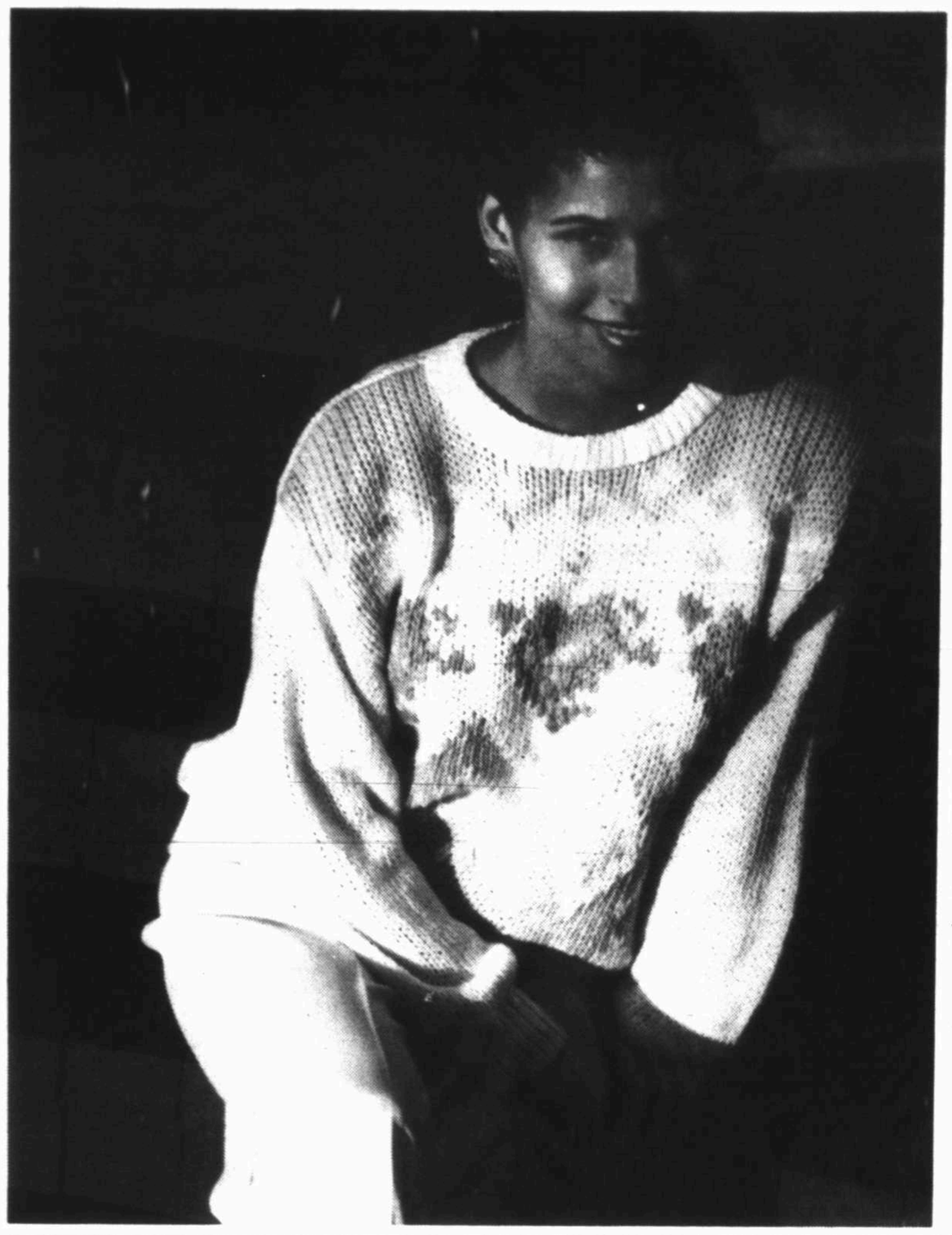
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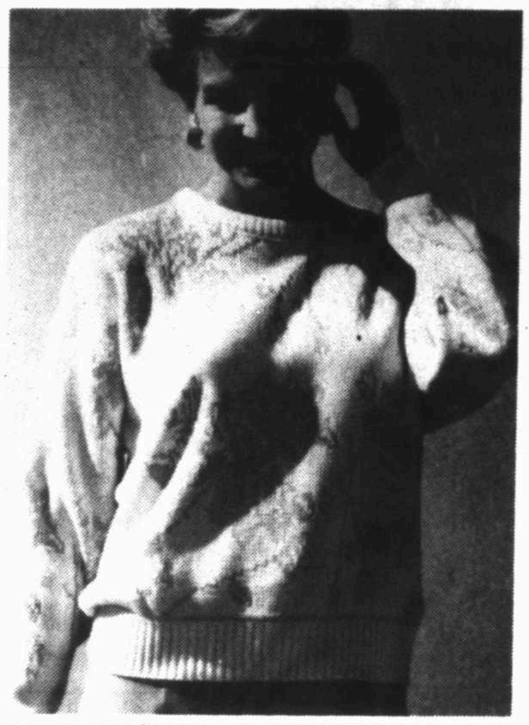
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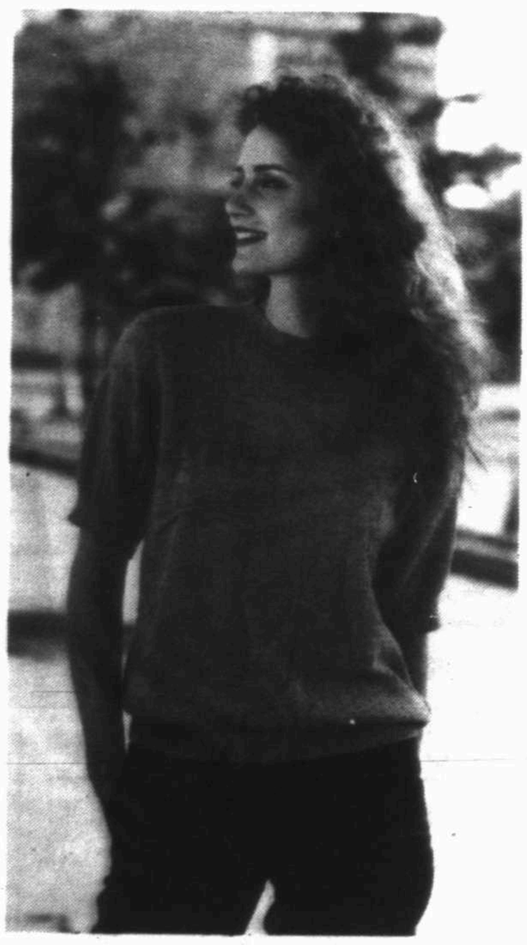
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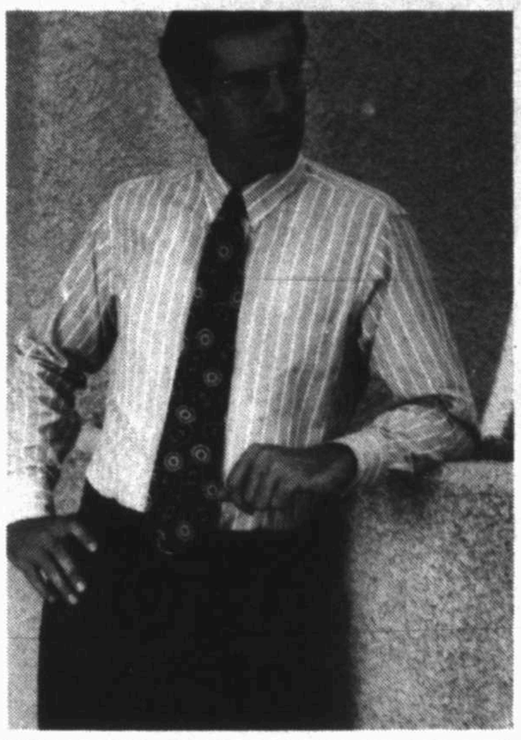
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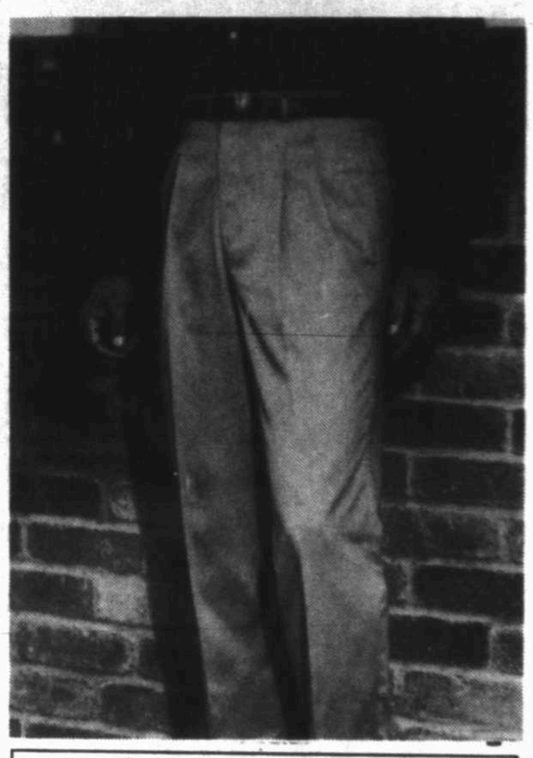
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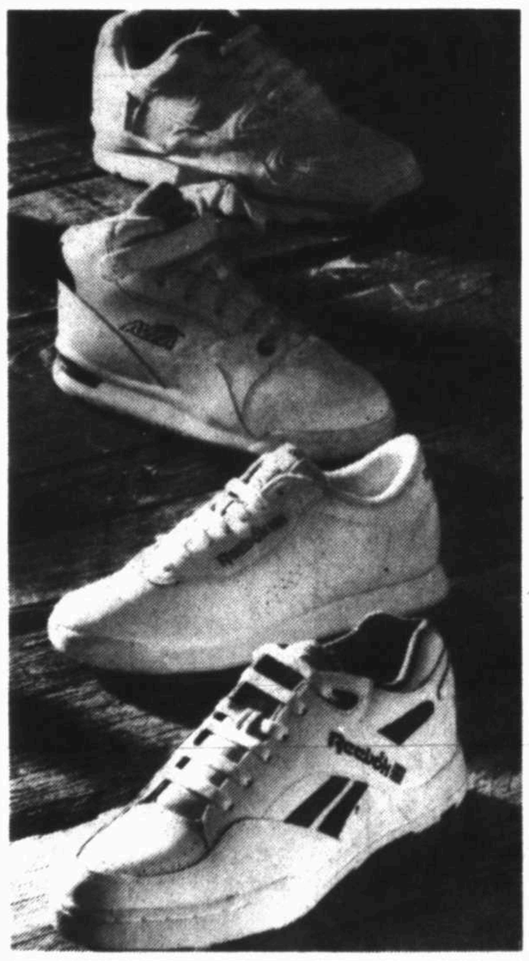
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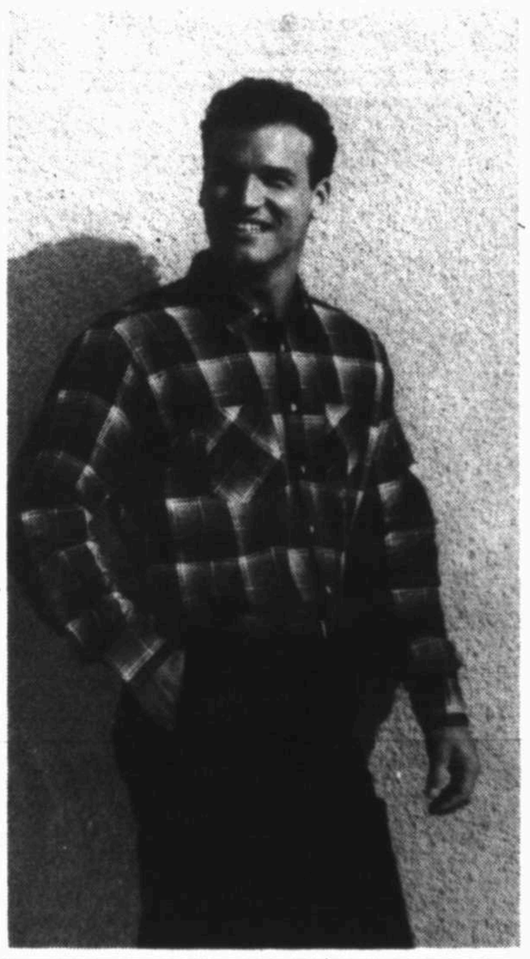
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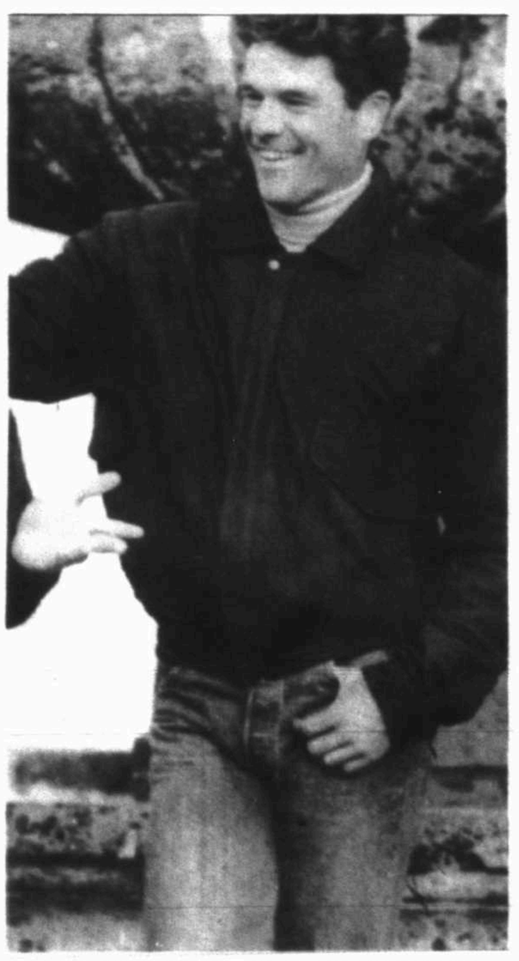
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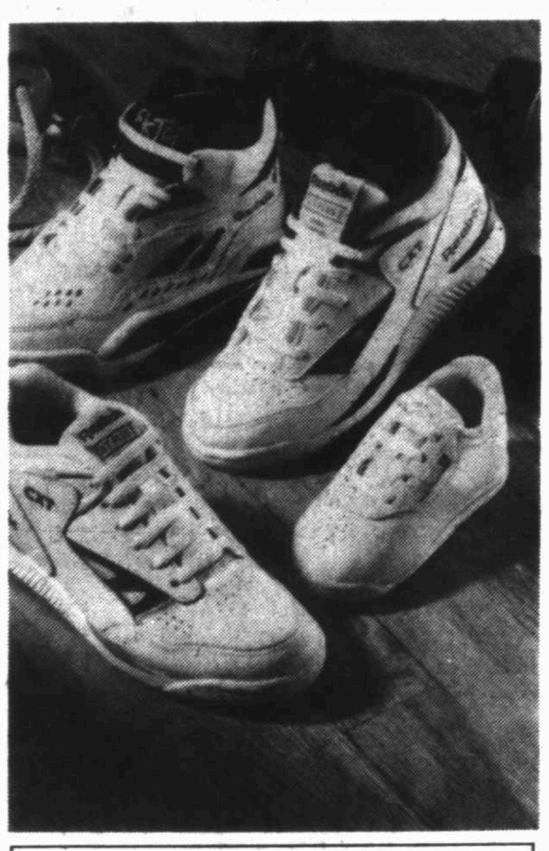
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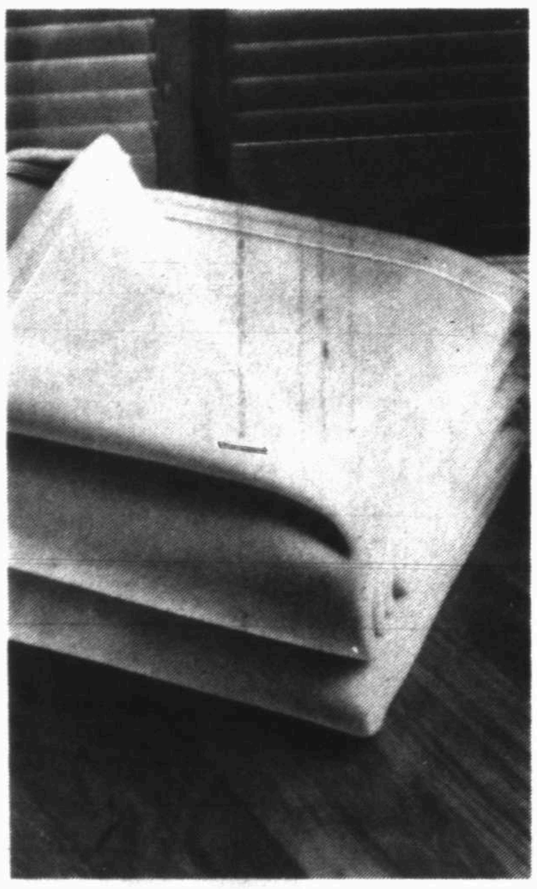
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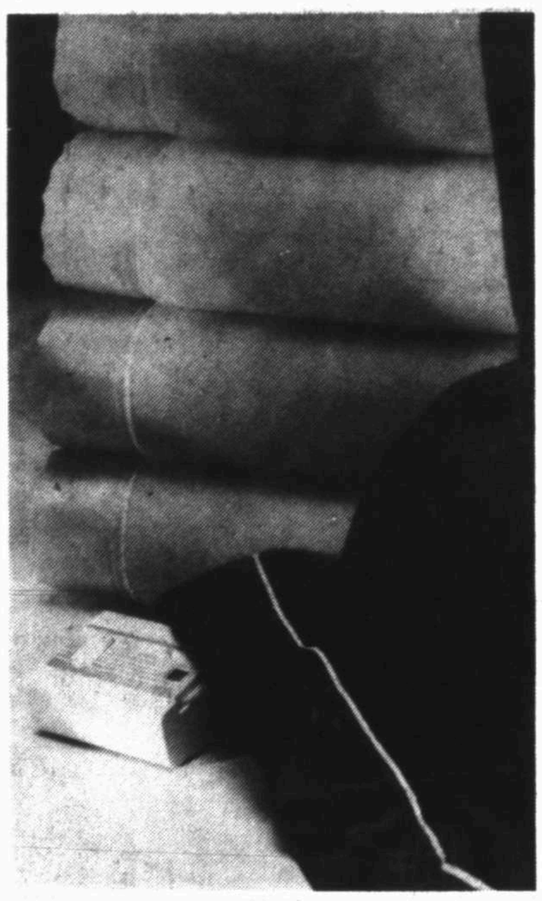
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Croats, Serbs fail to reach accord

N.Y. Times News Service

THE HAGUE — The leaders of Croatia and Serbia met here for five hours on Thursday under the auspices of the European Community, but they left for Yugoslavia afterward apparently no closer to agreement than before.

Hans van den Broek, the Dutch foreign minister, acting for the community-sponsored peace conference, outlined at a news conference a proposed settlement under which Yugoslav army forces would withdraw from Croatia "hopefully within one month from now" while political negotiations were conducted on the future shape of Yugoslavia. This optimistic scenario is similar to the one the community has been advancing since it began taking an interest in the Yugoslav civil war at the end of June.

Slobodan Milosevic, the president of Serbia, sitting on van den Broek's left, said the scenario was "realistic" as long as Serbia's idea of a centralized Yugoslavia was prominent in the political negotiations.

Franjo Tudjman, the president of Croatia, sitting at van den Broek's right, retorted that the question of a loose federation or a centralized government was irrelevant since Croatia declared its independence from Yugoslavia on Tuesday.

As he hurried from the news conference later, Tudjman was asked if the session on Thursday represented an advance in the peace process. "It is if the army withdraws," he replied. "I know they should withdraw but I don't know when or how many." He said he had received no assurances of a withdrawal.

Gen. Veljko Kadijevic, the Yugoslav defense minister, who also attended the meeting, stood aside from the controversy. "The responsibility is on all parties," the general said. "The army never had any intention of imposing any political decisions on the country."

The peace conference is to resume at the Hague on Monday.

Foreign ministers of all six regions are to attend.

There has been a lull in combat in Yugoslavia since ceasefire arrangements began in Croatia on Tuesday But scattered mortar fire on Wednesday killed four members of a Serbian television team and more firing was reported on Thursday from the besieged Croatian cities of Vukovar and Osijek.

Iraq denies it planned to make H-bomb

NICOSIA, Cyprus (AP) — Iraq denied Thursday that it planned to manufacture a hydrogen bomb, insisting that any materials it possessed that could be used to produce such a weapon were purely for scientific research.

The official Iraqi News Agency, monitored in Nicosia, quoted an unnamed deputy chairman of Iraq's Atomic Energy Organization as saying United Nations officials have "grossly exaggerated" Iraq's nuclear potential.

U.N. officials and experts at the Vienna-based International Atomic Energy Agency said Wednesday that Iraq has manufactured some lithium-6, a material used only in hydrogen bombs, and that it was kept at the Al-Athir weapons facility, 40 miles south of Baghdad.

The site has been monitored by spy satellites, U-2 flights and other surveillance to prevent the Iraqis from removing or burying the lithium-6, the officials said.

The Iraqi official pointedly denied charges made Wednesday by the regulatory agency's director, Hans Blix, who said the Iraqis had plans to produce more than 220 pounds of lithium-6 a year.

"These allegations are absolutely false and devoid of any truth," the Iraqi official said, adding that Iraqi scientists were engaged only in "theoretical and practical research at laboratories."

"Iraq has no project for the production of lithium, not even in the smallest quantities required for the development of the tiniest hydrogen bomb," the official said.

He said the latest accusations were part of "a systematic campaign of exaggeration and intimidation targeting Iraq's scientific research" and intended to "justify aggression against Iraq and prolong the economic seige that had been imposed against the Iraqi nation."

Under a Security Council resolution that established a cease-fire in the Persian Gulf War, Iraq agreed to disclose the extent of its nuclear program as well as its chemical, biological and ballistic weapons capabilities to United Nations experts.

But teams that have visited Iraq over the past six months have complained that Baghdad is trying to conceal information.

A U.N. team was due in Iraq today for a 12-day inspection to search for evidence Iraq manufactured lithium-6 and planned to use it to build a hydrogen bomb, the team leader, Dimitri Perricos of Greece, said Thursday in Manama, Bahrain.

The last inspection team to travel to Iraq was detained for four days in the parking lot of a Baghdad building to try to prevent it from removing documents related to Iraq's nuclear program.

Gunmen fire on van, killing at least six people

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — Gunmen fired on a commuter van in a black township outside Johannesburg and set it ablaze Thursday, killing six people and wounding one person, police said.

A seventh victim was found stabbed in nearby Tokoza township on Thursday, bringing the death toll in a new outbreak of black faction fighting to 24 since Monday.

The faction fighting, largely between supporters of the African National Congress and the rival Inkatha Freedom Party, has claimed more than 6,000 lives in the past five years.

Leaders of the two leading black opposition groups and the white minority government signed a peace agreement Sept. 14 that establishes codes of conduct for political groups and security forces.

But the leaders have been unable to end the attacks by bands of gunmen who have preyed on trains and buses that take blacks to and from their townships to jobs in Johannesburg.

Thursday's attack on the van in Katlehong township killed six people and wounded one person, police said.

Elsewhere, unidentified attackers hurled a hand grenade Wednesday night at a police station in Cape Town and gunmen fired at a police patrol near Durban, but there were no casualties in either incident, police said.

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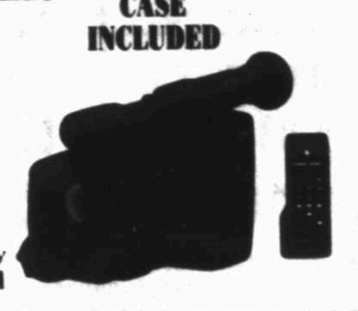
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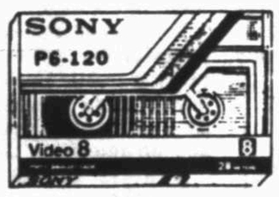


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Hearings process must be salvaged

For years, the U.S. Senate's confirmation proceedings have been increasingly turned into witch hunts as the Democrat-controlled Congress has waged its own sort of guerrilla warfare against the Executive Department, which has been controlled by the Republicans since 1969 with the exception of President Jimmy Carter's four years in the White House. As the Republicans have wielded their influence through the appointment process, the Democrats have routinely gone to ever-greater extremes to block those appointments.

It showed up in the debate and vote against the nomination of Robert Bork and has become a "trial by fire" for virtually every Supreme Court nominee since.

This tragic development has exceeded the bounds of propriety in several recent appointments to the Supreme Court by both President Ronald Reagan and, now, President George Bush as the Senate, realizing that the president was cementing conservative power through his appointments, has virtually turned the confirmation process into a political battleground. It passed the point of respectability in the current debate over Clarence Thomas and the manner in which allegations of sexual harassment against him were brought to the Senate Judiciary.

For instance, if some of the members on the Senate Judiciary Committee were aware of the charges against Thomas, why weren't those allegations brought before the committee at an earlier time? And is there a possibility that the sexual harassment charge is being aired for other purposes than those stated since Thomas's accuser — University of Oklahoma law professor Anita Hill — reportedly telephoned Thomas on several occasions over several years' time after the alleged incident?

The fighting in the halls of Congress is described as nasty. As Sen. Alan K. Simpson, R-Wyo., noted in addressing the Senate Tuesday evening, "When you go for the jugular, the beast comes out."

It does indeed, but what are the intentions of the accuser and the committee? Is this a political assault?

The senatorial vote on Thomas's appointment has now been delayed for a week, while he gets the opportunity to respond to the allegations by University of Oklahoma law professor Anita Hill. Thomas certainly should get the opportunity to, as Sen. John C. Danforth, R-Mo., put it, "look the American people in the eye" and respond to the charges.

More will be at stake in this final round of the Clarence Thomas confirmation hearings than the Senate approval of one Supreme Court justice. How government responds to charges of sexual harassment will be on display for all to see as well as how public officials such as Senate Judiciary Committee Chairman Sen. Joseph Biden conduct hearings which, while conducted in the political arena, are supposed to be apolitical. So far his handling of the Thomas hearing has been far less than admirable. Getting to the truth of the sexual harassment charge is important, but that means giving both Thomas and Ms. Hill an opportunity to clear their names.

Even more importantly, though, is to determine how the confirmation process can be salvaged and restored to a level of respectability. Without that step, the term "government service" will be far less appealing to the nation's best candidates.

JACK ANDERSON

Clinton focuses on environment

WASHINGTON — Arkansas Gov. Bill Clinton is trying to dress up his environmental record now that he has joined the race for the Democratic presidential nomination. But that may require the campaign equivalent of a Superfund.



Anderson

Arkansas was recently ranked 48th of the 50 states in an assessment of overall environmental conditions, policies and leadership. The ranking was in the "Green Index" done by the non-profit Institute for Southern Studies.

Most damaging to Clinton personally was that the Green Index ranked Arkansas dead last in state environmental policy initiatives.

Clinton's staff has rebutted the report with a detailed analysis. And they point to state legislation passed this year to say that the Green Index is out of date. Clinton may be able to whitewash the Green Index, but in some towns in Arkansas, the people are barely living proof of the state's neglect.

Environmentalists blame Clinton for the makeup of the state Pollution Control and Ecology Commission. And they don't like the company he keeps, including his friends Melvyn Bell, the chairman of the board of Ensco, a company that incinerates hazardous waste, and Don Tyson, the owner of Tyson Foods, a poultry producer that is the source of some of the animal wastes that plague Arkansas water supplies.

Clinton counts among his loyal campaign contributors the state's worst polluters — chemical companies, oil and gas companies, paper mills and the poultry and hog industry. The biggest polluters are also the biggest employers, and Clinton and Arkansas send those companies a mixed message — slapping them on the hand when they violate environmental standards, and then offering them nice tax incentives to stay in Arkansas.

One of the state's black marks is Jacksonville, also known around town as "Dioxinville," where Agent Orange was produced for the Vietnam War. Residents there have reported abnormal rates of cancer, birth defects, strokes and kidney failure. The Vertac plant where the Agent Orange was produced is currently ranked 18th on the federal list of 1,185 Superfund toxic waste cleanup sites.

Patty Frase is a former resident of Jacksonville who joined a class-action suit against Vertac, blaming the plant for a variety of health problems. The suit was settled out of court. "We'll be glad if (Clinton) does get elected, so he'll be out of here," Frase told our reporter Nick Budnick.

Green Forest is a town of 2,000 whose main employer is Tyson Foods. Steve Work and about 40 families filed a suit against Tyson and the town in 1987, claiming that the poultry plant had contaminated the town's drinking water. The suit is pending before the U.S. Supreme Court. Work's lawyer, Bruce McMath, told us that the Pollution Control and Ecology Commission is "stacked with industrial concerns," and that Clinton's environmental policy "is driven by convenience."

Mardell Smith, a homemaker-turned-activist, says her hometown of El Dorado is Clinton's work. El Dorado is the home of "injection wells," where the Great Lakes Chemical Co. uses high pressure to inject hazardous waste into the ground. Great Lakes produces chemicals at three local plants, including the pesticide ethylene dibromide, EDB, which is banned in the United States, but which Great Lakes exports. Over the years, traces of chemicals from Great Lakes, including EDB, have turned up in El Dorado's surface and ground water.

El Dorado is also the home of Ensco, the hazardous waste incineration company.

Environmentalists have been cynical about Clinton's environmental awakening and a flurry of get-tough activity in the last state legislative session. From where some Arkansans sit, it looks like Clinton is in a very big hurry to clean up the contaminated plank in his presidential platform.



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WILLIAM MURCHISON

Governmental theory clashes with reality

As theories go, the Congress of the United States embodies a grand one. Here is the theory: Wise, seasoned individuals chosen by the voters will make the nation's laws based on their careful appreciation of the people's wishes and long-term best interests.



Murchison

Theory clashes ever more noisily with reality.

This Thomas thing, for example.

I write in advance of the vote on Judge Thomas' confirmation, and for purposes of the present discussion that's no problem. We know that the Senate Judiciary Committee has discredited itself. First, a sterile and stultifying inquiry into the judge's legal philosophy, then embarrassment over having sat on hot information about a sexual harassment allegation. Chairman Biden, titan of the law, is squirming.

This is on top of the check-bouncing debacle. The House of Representatives' very own bank is exposed for routinely covering members' hot checks, thus extending them short-term, interest-free loans.

This produces stories about congressional perks: $5 haircuts, subsidized lunches, reserved parking spaces at the airport and so on. You've heard it all before, but it's nice to be reminded.

The American people, bless 'em, are once again at their lawmakers' throats. We have seen these outbursts of passionate righteousness before. The problem is, the mood evaporates. The roiled waters resume their peaceful passage through familiar channels. It's business as usual on Capitol Hill.

Two observations:

1. Lambasting Congress isn't much of a solution. No legislative body is nobler, in makeup or objectives, than the voters who elect and endure it. In fact, Congress provides popular services. The redistribution of wealth — the only pastime at which Congress excels — has been the congressman's secret formula for long life.

The federal budget, as Stephen Moore points out in a new study for the Institute for Policy Innovation, is, in constant dollars, 50 percent higher than in 1980 and six times larger than in 1950.

This isn't on account of the Pentagon. It is on account of Social Security payments, Medicare, food stamps, aid to farmers, subsidies to schools — a whole array of things the voters want the government to do for them.

A busy and powerful government requires, among other things, a busy and powerful Congress, which employs itself at making government bigger and busier. You will recognize this as the proverbial vicious circle.

2. There's going to be a day of reckoning, nonetheless. It could be sooner than we suppose. Congress' seeming invulnerability to reform rests on the power to tax and spend. What happens when taxable, spendable funds run out?

Stephen Moore projects that absent dramatic reforms, the federal share of Gross National Product, now a god-awful 25 percent, will in less than three decades pass 40 percent. "In 1991 dollars," Moore says, "the budget will reach $4 trillion within 30 years. To finance this spending, taxpayers will face a near suffocating tax burden and/or deficits will skyrocket."

Is a paradox at work here: to wit, that voters like government but don't want to pay for it? That's not quite right; they'll pay for it, but not in their own blood, as increasingly they are being called on to do.

These could be, from Congress' standpoint, the last days of Pompeii. There have been volcanic tremors already. The startled participants at the great federal orgy blink and wonder if the party has lasted too long and cost too much. Then, out of habit, they raise the wine cups anew. Vesuvius, in the distance, rumbles.

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LETTERS

Donations to United Way benefit Girl Scout Council

Since 1912 Girl Scouting has been unwavering in its purpose to help girls develop to their greatest potential and become competent, resourceful women.

Each year the citizens of Midland are also unwavering in their support of the United Way of Midland's fund-raising campaign. As a United Way agency, Permian Basin Girl Scout Council has benefitted from the kind donations of Midlanders and we take this opportunity to say "thank you."

The Girl Scout program is committed to offering all girls the opportunity to develop leadership skills, values, self-esteem and contribute to their community. Our society cannot afford to leave the skills and talents of more than half its population untapped. Permian Basin Girl Scout Council, with the help of United Way funding, provides programs for over 4,000 girls in its 16-county area.

The effectiveness and success of Girl Scouting in producing competent, resourceful women is as evident today as in the early days of this century. According to a recent survey, girls who have been Girl Scouts are less likely to cheat on a test, have sex at an early age or drink at a party. Girl Scouting provides a basis for this kind of decision-making.

Girl Scouting is offering today's girls the opportunities, programs, and challenges that *they* want. Approval of the program is evident with the 8 percent membership increase the council has seen this past year and the fact that one out of every eight girls in Midland is a Girl Scout.

Our challenge is to see that the effectiveness of the Girl Scout program continues into the next century. We will need women who can make decisions, develop strategies, and help lead the way of the future. Many of these women will come from Girl Scouting because sometime during their formative years someone helped them develop to their greatest potential.

Invest in the future ... please support the United Way of Midland and know that the Girl Scouts thank you.

Lauretta Adams
Board President
Permian Basin Girl Scouts

CHARLEY REESE

Corrupt leadership cheats most Americans

People can lie with their words, but their actions will snitch on them. Look where people invest their time and their money, and that will tell you what they really value. Look at how they behave, and that you will tell you what their real moral code is.



Reese

This is the proper way to assess the state of the nation. Too often, such assessments are just piles of statistics. Statistics, even if they are accurate, which they often aren't and even if they are relevant, which they often aren't, represent nothing more than historical data about a narrow range of economic actions.

The American nation is not the American economy. That is just the sum of economic transactions. The American nation consists of the people, and it is as strong or as weak as the people are strong or weak. It is as good or as bad as the people are good or bad.

I still believe the majority of the American people are both good and strong, but that much of the leadership, not only in government but in the private sector as well, is weak and bad. I think this bad and weak leadership not only does not reflect the good and strong Americans, but it deliberately works against their interests.

It works against their interests when it condones or excuses bad behavior. I am tired of hearing public people rationalize criminal behavior, rude behavior, laziness and immorality. I am tired of seeing it celebrated in movies and on television and in newspapers.

It works against their interests when it cheats them. The people pay for an education system for their children, and they are cheated when politicians and bureaucrats render it ineffective. The people pay for a court system, and they are cheated when the legal profession builds a barrier around it and uses it for its personal gain at the expense of justice. The people pay for legislatures, and they are cheated when lawmakers sell their votes and award special favors to the people who buy them. They are cheated when politicians use the legislative process as nothing more than a way to make campaign statements and pursue personal gain.

The good and strong people of American are cheated when corporate executives and investment bankers conspire to make huge profits on paper deals that destroy the corporations and the jobs in the process.

The good and strong people of American are cheated by labor leaders who would rather consort with big business and use their position to talk about South Africa and the problems of everywhere else but the American workplace.

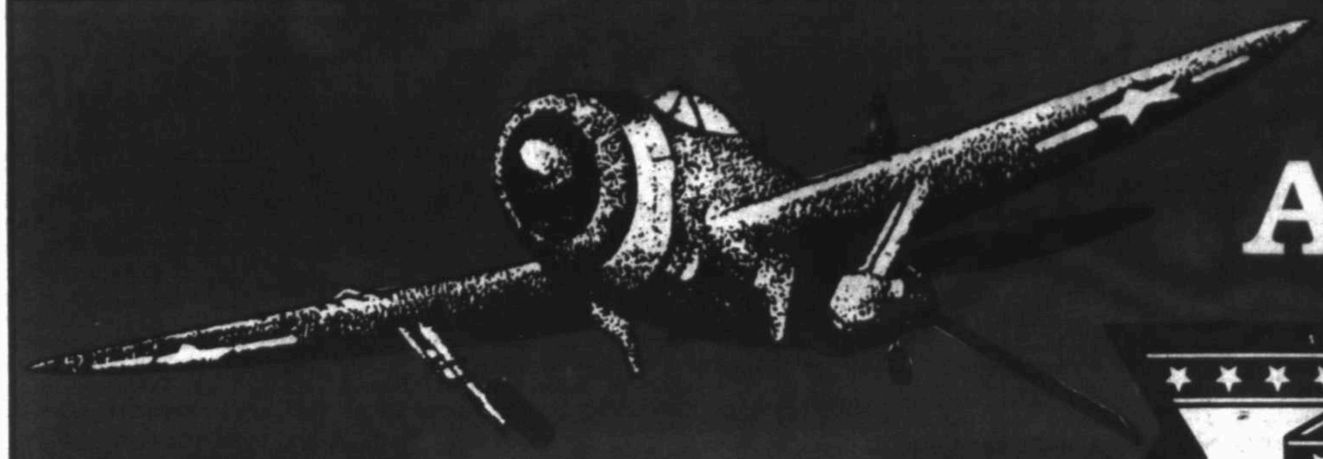
The good and strong people of America are cheated when the news organizations cater to the lowest common denominator, giving people gossip, sex and trivia rather than honest, fearless reports of issues that matter. It is an insult to a million dead Americans and to the American Revolution to suppose the First Amendment had no more serious purpose than pandering.

The good and strong people of America are cheated when their leaders feed them a poisonous stew of Orwellian pseudo-tolerance which means: they must tolerate bad behavior while their own virtuous behavior is ridiculed; they must tolerate foreign cultures while their own culture is libeled; they must tolerate bigots who play race and ethnic politics while being labeled racist if they protest.

With every rising of the sun, the fate of America is at issue. If the good and strong Americans wish to leave their children a decent nation, then they must fight for what they believe.

Not with words, but with actions. If they value freedom, they must act as free men and women; if they value decency, they must be decent; if they value courage, they must live courageously.

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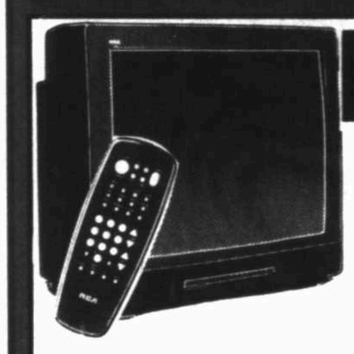
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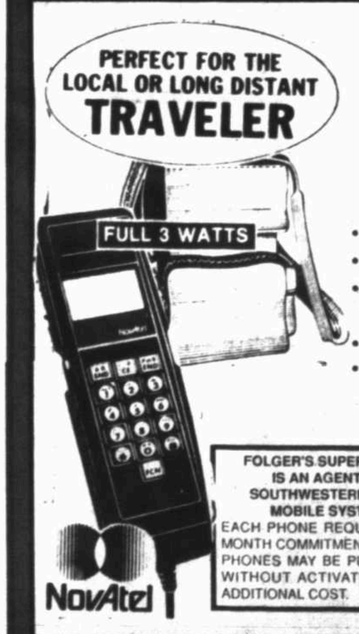
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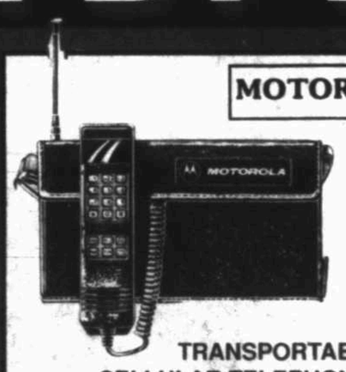


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Ex-worker kills 4 people in post office rampage

RIDGEWOOD, N.J. (AP) — A fired postal worker armed with two machine guns, grenades and a samurai sword went on a rampage Thursday, killing four people, including a former supervisor who had accused him of harassment, police said.



Harris

Joseph M. Harris killed the woman and her boyfriend at their home in Wayne, then went to the Ridgewood post office where he killed two mail handlers as they arrived for work, authorities said.

He surrendered there after a 4½-hour standoff during which he set off two small explosives, police said. An explosive booby-trap was found at his rented room in Paterson in northern New Jersey west of New York City.

"In my opinion, considering the way he was armed . . . he intended to kill more people," said Ridgewood police Chief Frank Milliken.

Harris, 35, was arraigned on four counts of murder, two of attempted murder, two of attempted kidnapping, and charges of possessing automatic weapons and explosives. Bail was set at $1 million.

Hands and feet shackled, Harris shook his head and smiled as the charges were read. He blurted out "It's wrong!" and "I didn't shoot!" before being ordered to be silent.

Harris' former supervisor, Carol Ott, 30, was found dead in her home about 10 miles from Ridgewood, along with Cornelius Kasten Jr., who lived with her. Police checked the house when Ott failed to report to work.

Ott was partly disrobed and had three deep stab wounds in her back, possibly caused by the sword, said Passaic County Prosecutor Ronald Fava. He said Ott's hands and arms were cut and there was blood in an upstairs bedroom, indicating she had struggled with her killer.

Kasten was found in a chair in front of a television set, shot once in the head.

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Fava said it wasn't yet known whether Ott, a nine-year Postal Service veteran, had been sexually assaulted.

Joseph M. VanderPaauw, 59, of Prospect Park, and Donald McNaught, 63, of Pompton Lakes, were found dead in the post office basement after Harris' arrest, Bergen County Prosecutor John Fahy said.

Harris apparently let himself into the post office with an old key, and when the mail handlers arrived for work around 2 a.m., forced them into a small room and shot them, authorities said.

Harris was fired as a mail sorter in April 1990 after he refused to cooperate with an investigation of Ott's complaint that he had threatened her on the job, said Inspector T.F. Johnson of the U.S. Postal Inspection Service.

Harris, who joined the Postal Service in 1981, had received a reprimand in 1984 for harassing other employees, officials said.

At postal officials' urging, Ott reported the threat to police Feb. 22, 1990, but later declined to press criminal charges, Milliken said.

Investigators and fellow employees said they didn't know what sparked the dispute between Harris and Ott.

"I don't know if it was a bad feeling or what. They just didn't get along," co-worker Philip Torchio said. He described Harris as difficult to work with, and said he liked to wear military fatigues and boots to work.

In a two-page letter found in Harris' apartment, Harris "acknowledged some injustices he felt were imposed on him and how he was going to react to them," said Paterson police Chief Richard W. Munsey.

The letter also referred to killings at an Oklahoma post office five years ago and suggested that Harris planned similar action, Fava said. "He basically stated, these people are going to pay."

In 1986, a part-time letter carrier in Edmond, Okla., killed 14 people in a post office there before killing himself. In 1989, a postal worker in Escondido, Calif., killed two co-workers at a post office and fatally wounded himself after slaying his wife at home.

The Ridgewood post office standoff began after a truck driver arrived to deliver mail at 2:15 a.m. and found the building dark and the loading bay door closed, said Fahy.

The driver went inside and found Harris in the basement wearing a gas mask. Harris fired a gun at the driver, who fled and called police, Fahy said.

Two officers entered the building. Harris lighted and threw what appeared to be a pipe bomb or a stick of dynamite at one of the officers, who ducked out of the way and wasn't hurt, Fahy said.

The officers fled, and seconds later heard a second explosion. Police surrounded the building and a standoff continued until shortly before 7 a.m., when Harris surrendered, Fahy said. There was minimal damage from the explosions.

Harris was wearing a bullet-proof vest and had weapons including a 9mm Uzi machine gun, a .22-caliber MAC-10 machine gun with silencer, a samurai sword, three or more hand grenades, several homemade bombs and ammunition, Milliken said. He also had handcuffs, lock picks and master keys.

Wayne Travers, who lives around the corner from Harris and works as a mail carrier in Ridgewood, said Harris was known around the office as "quiet and a little weird."

"It seems like he wanted to do more harm, and that thought scares the hell out of me," Travers said. "From now on at work my lips are sealed. I'm not talking to anyone."

Escaped rats worry biologist

ANCHORAGE, Alaska (AP) — A federal official says he's worried that a South Korean cargo ship grounded in the Aleutian Islands could spill something worse than oil: rats.

"If rats ever got established on ... these islands, you could just forget it. You could just write these off, ecologically," Fish and Wildlife Service biologist Ed Bailey said. "Except on very tiny islands, once rats are on an island, there is no way to get them off with today's technology."

Escaping rats could devastate nearby nesting grounds of hundreds of thousands of birds, Bailey said. Rats would eat chicks and eggs and destroy vegetation.

The 518-foot Hyundai No. 12 ran aground Oct. 2 while carrying grain from Portland, Ore., to Hong Kong.

Salvage crews Wednesday failed to get the ship off the uncharted rock in the Shumagin Islands, about 575 miles southwest of Anchorage. So far, there has been no evidence of rats aboard but they would be difficult to find.

Bailey urged Alaska authorities to write rat response plans like oil spill contingency plans. He said New Zealand has such plans, which include spreading poison on beaches when ships wreck.

In 1790, a Japanese ship wrecked on an Aleutian Island that was then unnamed. Ever since, that island group has been known as the Rat Islands, and has much less bird life than islands in the Aleutians that are not rat-infested, Bailey said.

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College, MISD unveil joint technical program

■ Tech Prep is a 4-year plan that blends technical skills with academics.

By Myra Lee Salcedo
Staff Writer

Midland public schools and Midland College will combine resources to offer a technical preparatory program.

Midland College President David E. Daniel and Midland Superintendent Joseph Baressi Jr. signed an agreement Thursday to offer the Tech Prep program, which will blend technical skills with academics.

"We are going to blaze some new trails today," Daniel said. "We are willing to take a good long look at how we (MC and Midland Independent School District) can share our personnel and resources."

The two education entities will share instructors, facilities and equipment, according to Jerry Jones, chairman of MC business studies.

Baressi noted that sharing resources would save both entities the expense of duplicating certain facilities.

Tech Prep is a technology program that will emphasize math and science, and a student's education won't necessarily end with an associate degree.

"There is a bachelor of technology degree offered now," Daniel said.

Baressi said he was impressed with the program for its potential to offer a student training for a technical career with an associate degree or preparation for a four-year college.

"I also appreciate the increased emphasis on math and science in the program, from an academic standpoint," Baressi said.

David said students may be identified for the program as early as the ninth grade. He has described the four-year program as "rigorous in nature and sequential, with no duplication."

Students would enroll in the program in 11th grade and complete it in their sophomore year at the college.

MC spokesperson H.A. Tuck said there is no duplication of instruction in the program.

"For example," he said, "if a student has keyboarding skills, he won't be expected to take a typing class."

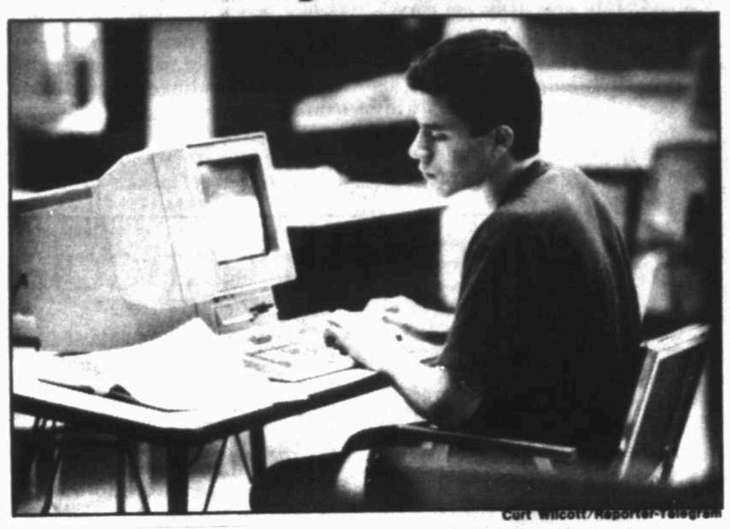
Daniel said high school students have been so highly motivated about the program — in model programs outside of Texas — that Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) scores and average daily attendance figures have increased where the program is in place.

"The program should broaden the horizons of high school students," Baressi said. "I don't see it as a drop out prevention program, but is will motivate some students to learn higher skills."

Daniel projected that the college expected to implement the program in Fall 1992, but allowed it was still in the planning stages.

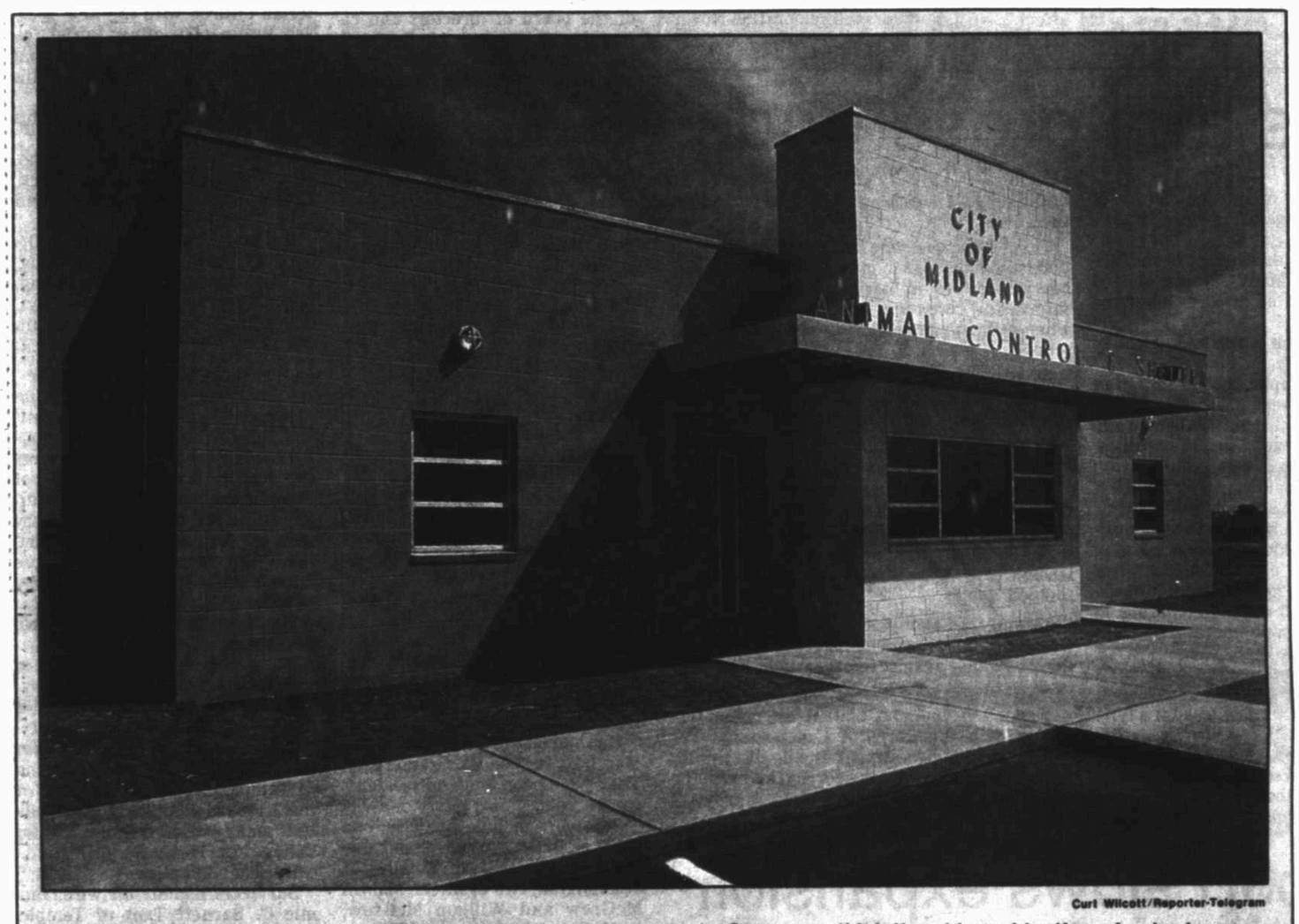
"The (MISD) school board hasn't formally taken action on the program, yet," Baressi said, "but board members have been supportive of it."

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Midland College student Daniel Parra works in the college's computer room, which will be a part of Tech Prep program.



Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

Midland's new Animal Control and Shelter building, 1200 N. Fairgrounds Road, was painted in a mix of bright shades to boost employee morale and encourage adoptions of animals. Some may think its odd combination of color inappropriate, but city officials are hoping for positive results.

Bright spot on the prairie

New Midland animal shelter catches criticism for colors

By Debbie Lincecum
Staff Writer

Director Coy Willis admits the place is, to say the least, colorful. But he says it has been designed to improve morale for employees and encourage adoptions of animals.

Outside, it's bright yellow, orange and green. Inside, it's a pastel mix of peach, violet, and sunflower hues.

It's not a box of Crayons. It's Midland's new Animal Control and Shelter, currently under construction at 1200 N. Fairgrounds Rd.

Workers recently completed the building's paint job, a multicolored conglomeration of brilliant, bold shades outside blended with more subtle, but still bright, tones inside.

Director Coy Willis admits the place is, to say the least, colorful. But he says it has been designed to improve morale for employees and encourage adoptions of animals.

"We wanted to create a carnival-like atmosphere," Willis said. "We wanted a place that looks fun to come to and bright to be in."

Few could argue they missed that target: Against Midland's vivid blue sky, the building is striking.

Architects from Connolly and Co. planned the building with a color scheme that divides the building into areas of use — shades of orange in administrative areas, violet in the kennels and green in the employees-only area. But apparently, not everyone shares Willis' positive outlook on the building's almost neon paint.

"We had some complaints," he said. "Some people say it's not conducive to a municipal building. But this is not your average city building."

Morale among employees is a main reason for the coloration, Willis explained.

"Most animals we handle will not be leaving to go to a new

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Directors take beginning steps for Ivie pipeline

By Debbie Lincecum
Staff Writer

The $100 million pipeline is expected to extend 158 miles from the O.H. Ivie Reservoir — about 25 miles southeast of Ballinger — to San Angelo and the area.

Directors of the Colorado River Municipal Water District are moving full steam ahead with surveying and design specifications for the pipeline to bring water from Lake O.H. Ivie to Midland-Odessa, a spokesman said.

Joe Pickle, manager of CRMWD, said directors established target dates for preliminary action for pipeline construction at a meeting Thursday.

"They're shooting at advertising for bids around the first of February, with the idea to start construction in March," Pickle said. The $100 million pipeline is expected to extend 158 miles from the O.H. Ivie Reservoir — about 25 miles southeast of Ballinger — to San Angelo and the area.

Surveying along the pipeline route is nearly completed, Pickle said. Right-of-way has been purchased in Concho County and buying should begin elsewhere after a route survey and archaeological surveys are finished.

"We're making very good progress on the plans and specifications," Pickle said. Freese & Nichols, consulting engineers, are ahead of schedule in their design work, he said.

Further, directors have had several conferences with potential pipe suppliers, Pickle said. Directors are planning to buy 60- and 52-inch pipe for the route.

Directors have issued $115 million in revenue bonds to fund construction of the pipeline, which has a completion date of Jan. 1, 1995.

"With completion of the surveys, we can really step up on the pipeline," Pickle said. Initial construction will be concentrated along the route from the Ivie Reservoir to San Angelo. From there the line will be routed to Midland-Odessa.

The lake and pipeline have increased the district's 1992 budget by about $9 million. About $8 million of that additional cost is slated for debt service on the bond sale, half to be paid by the district and half by the contract cities of Midland and San Angelo.

A payment on the reservoir debt's principal totals $950,000.

False burglary alarms spur draft of ordinance

By Darren J. Waggoner
Staff Writer

False burglar alarms have plagued Midland police for several years.

Last year, a local study revealed police respond to more than 500 false alarms each month, at a cost of $60,000 a year, equivalent to two officers' salaries annually.

In an effort to reduce the problem, the city council has asked Midland's legal department to draft a proposal that could result in fines being levied upon repeat alarm offenders.

"It would require that the city allow each burglar alarm owner five false alarms per year. After that, the city could fine the offender an amount not to exceed $50, but in no case more than the actual cost to tthe city to answer the alarm," said patrol officer Chris Cherry.

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Teen with gunshot scars stresses United Way's needs



Joe D. Williams/Reporter-Telegram

United Way's campaign has lifted off with a total of $1.082 million, chairman K. Michael Conaway, right, announced.

■ At the first reporting luncheon, United Way volunteers learned the drive had reached 40 percent of its goal.

By Darren J. Waggoner
Staff Writer

Volunteers for the United Way of Midland have achieved 40 percent of their fall campaign goal of $2.753 million, organizers announced Thursday.

The total was revealed at the campaign's initial midday report luncheon in Centennial Plaza.

Maintaining the World War II theme, "Allied for Victory — The United Way," Campaign Chairman K. Michael Conaway again portrayed General Dwight D. Eisenhower as he praised his "troops" for their early efforts in the campaign.

Conaway waged a verbal battle with Nagasaki Nasturtium, an evil female voice heard over the speaker system, and told her the battle was going strong.

"The reports from the front lines are good. So far we have no casualties," he said.

On a more serious note, Bill Shuey, executive director of the Midland Boy's and Girl's Club, told a story about a 16-year-old boy that came into his club with bullet scars on his arms and legs. The boy had been a member of a Los Angeles gang and was trying to get his GED so he could try to rescue his 14-year-old brother from a worse fate.

"These sort of decisions shouldn't have to be faced by 16-year-old kids," said Shuey.

The Goddard Junior High cheerleaders performed a dance routine to begin the event. Bill Dingus of Exxon Co. USA served as the master of ceremonies.

Representatives of the various divisions then took the stage to break down funds raised.

Leading the way with a contribution of $281,526 was the special gifts division. Others included: major oil division, $272,878; real estate and finance, $88,133; UTC, $99,695; independent oil, $27,845; petroleum industry, $55,719; government and services, $80,687; retail, $31,563; CC Unit, $39,422; professional, $22,475; business and entertainment, $71,489; residential, $11,031 and education is yet to record its contributions.

Also, Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. will match up to $50,000 for each new dollar contributed during the campaign.

The next report luncheon will be held on Oct. 17 at 11:30 a.m. at the Centennial Plaza.

The 17 Midland agencies served by the United Way are: American Red Cross, Big Brothers-Big Sisters, Boy Scouts of America, Boys and Girls Club of Midland, Casa de Amigos, Community and Senior Services Inc., Family Services of Midland and Permian Basin Child Abuse Prevention Program, Freewill Foster Home, Midland Need to Read Inc., Midland-Lee Youth Centers Inc., Midland Rape Crisis Center, Palmer Drug Abuse Program, Permian Basin Center for Battered Women and their Children, Permian Basin Girl Scout Council, Petro-Plains Camp Fire Inc., The Salvation Army and select YMCA programs.

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ALARMS: Officers answer 500 false calls

(From 1B)

According to state law, the police also would be required to respond to the alarm within thirty minutes before it could be considered a false alarm.

Past efforts to control the problem have failed.

In 1987, when the problem was estimated at just over 400 calls a month, police requested the assistance of several local alarm companies. Their help resulted in a decrease of 8.5 percent the following year.

"It helped, but not enough," said Cherry. "That's a small percentage when you're talking about those sort of numbers."

The companies continued to work with police but there was no significant decrease.

Cherry cites two main areas that account for the majority of the false alarms.

"There is a lack of maintenance on the system and there is a lack of education for those with access to the alarm building," he said.

Last year, officers began meeting individually with owners of systems that have persistently caused problems.

"We were desperately trying to get their assistance and we did see a two or three month decrease, but then the problem would return," said Cherry.

Police are projecting over 6,100 false alarm calls for this year alone, a figure equivalent to two officers working eight hours a day for 50 weeks.

The fire department has a similar problem, but to a lesser degree.

A recent nine-month study revealed the department receives slightly more than 17 false alarm calls each month. Approximately two-thirds of these calls are due to an actual malfunction with the alarm.

"Of course, there are a smaller proportion of fire alarms, so we don't have as large of a problem," said Midland Fire Marshall Jerry Petree. "We consider them malfunctioning alarms because if we're called somewhere and there is no fire but the system was working properly, it isn't false," said Petree.

The fire department is also involved with the proposed ordinance.

"Our goal is to encourage people, through this ordinance, to keep their systems up," said Petree. "More and more people will be installing fire alarms in their homes in the future so we hope to educate proper maintenance now."

SHELTER: Bright colors boost worker morale

(From 1B)

home," he said, referring to the eunthanizing of unwanted, sick and injured animals. "Because of the job they have to do, we painted it for the people who work here."

Another reason for the paint is its expected reaction from the public.

"I think it will be real good for the public," said Karen Hoffman, assistant director. "They might have to get used to it, but it's a much more happy, positive feeling."

"If people come in here, they'll see this is a place they can take time choosing an animal. They don't have to hurry in and out because the place is dirty or uncomfortable," Willis said.

"I think it's a lot better than some place that's gray and jail-like," Hoffman said.

Animal Control's current home is plagued by stained, cracking walls, rotting floors, infestations of parasites and gas leaks — factors officials said increased the facility's employee turnover rate and decreased adoptions.

"We were lucky we've had something to look forward to for a few years," Willis said. "We're all excited about getting into a quality facility. We expect it to have a big effect."

Community Services Director George Logan said the shelter is designed to please the eye and complement the environment.

"We want to make sure if you drove by it once, you'd never forget it," Logan said.

The Animal Control Department is expected to begin moving into the new building by the end of the month. A dedication ceremony has been set for Oct. 29 at 1:30 p.m., with by a grand opening celebration Nov. 2.

Texas A&M's Corps at a crossroads

COLLEGE STATION (AP) — Texas A&M University's Corps of Cadets, the embodiment of the Aggies' image and reputation, is under fire for its treatment of women, and some now question whether the military unit should disband.

"I think if there were not a Corps of Cadets, this university wouldn't suffer any great deal," said Philip Hajduk, a 22-year-old senior from Austin. "I think they make a lot of people think that we are all strictly military. We're not. It's very laid back."

But others see the corps as the soul of the university.

"They help carry on the tradition of what the university originally was, they provide the tradition for the Aggies," said senior Cecile Baker. "They are what makes us different. I think there's a lot of support for them."

The corps' elite Parsons' Mounted Cavalry has been suspended pending an investigation into allegations that several members attacked a female cadet Sept. 17 to keep her from joining.

At least 20 cadets are being questioned by the commandant's office this week, and campus police are investigating possible criminal charges. The woman's name has not been released.

A&M President William H. Mobley recently appointed a committee to investigate the alleged attack and any other complaints of abuse or harassment against women in the corps.

Reaction has been mixed among the campus' nearly 41,000 students. Many say the alleged attack, if true, is an isolated incident involving only a few cadets.

But others criticize the corps and say they believe the allegations.

"A&M puts a lot of emphasis on tradition in general, and the corps sees itself as a sort of protector of tradition. But a lot of those traditions come from a military kind of organization and they include very male-dominated types of assumptions," said Barbara Finlay, a sociology professor at A&M.

The corps was created because the university was required to provide military training when it opened as the all-male Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas in 1876.

Today, there are 1,850 cadets, including 75 females. Freshmen and sophomores who want to be in the corps must be in the school's ROTC program, but juniors and seniors who don't want to work toward a military commission can just belong to the corps. Some call it a type of military fraternity.

Cadets wear uniforms to class and elsewhere. Besides the Parsons' Calvary, other corps units include the Ross Volunteers, which provides the governor's honor guard. Members of the school's marching band must come from the corps.

Texas A&M, the state's largest public institution, still provides the most commissioned officers outside the military academies. Membership in the corps was compulsory until 1963, when women were officially admitted into the school.

Women were allowed to join the corps in 1974, but were barred from special units. The American Civil Liberties Union successfully sued in 1979 to allow women into the elite units.

There have been other problems involving the corps. A cadet was suspended for a semester in 1981 when he drew his sabre on some male Southern Methodist University cheerleaders celebrating an SMU touchdown at a football game.

Recently, an anonymous letter has been circulating about alleged instances of discrimination and abuse against female cadets. The writer says she is a corps member.

"I will tell you that blatant discrimination occurs with the Corps of Cadets daily. The victims of this harassment and-or discrimination are the women of the corps. The perpetrators of this campaign against us are a group of male cadets," the letter says.

Dallas/Fort Worth Airport slows expansion

FORT WORTH (NYT) — Don't expect Dallas/Fort Worth Airport and its major airlines to rush into a settlement with its neighboring cities over controversial runway expansion plans.

Economic pressures to expand the airport have dropped considerably from where they were in 1988, when the plans were first announced. Then, passenger demand was growing rapidly and airlines were enjoying large profits; now the industry is losing money by the billions.

Airport and airline officials say D/FW still needs to grow. But they have time to pursue other remedies to their disputes with the nearby cities Grapevine, Euless and Irving before accepting an expensive financial settlement.

State District Judge Bill Rhea ruled Tuesday that the three cities can control D/FW development — including the proposed runways — through zoning ordinances. Officials of Grapevine, Euless and Irving say low-flying aircraft from the runways would harm property values and the quality of life in their cities, and they have opposed the expansion plans.

Elated by their court victory, leaders of the three cities say they believe that the airport must now negotiate with them seriously about a settlement. In the past, they have suggested that D/FW might have its runways if the airport will increase its proposed mitigation settlement offer from $120 million to something closer to $350 million.

Vernell Sturns, D/FW's executive director, said the airport will fight Rhea's ruling in appeals courts, a process that could take years.

Jan Collmer of Dallas, a former D/FW board member and chairman of the airport's marketing committee, suggested that the Texas Legislature be asked to limit the cities' zoning power. The Legislature is not scheduled to meet again until 1993.

Although officials of the airport's two largest tenants, American and Delta airlines, would not publicly discuss their positions this week, it is clear that for now, delay is OK with them.

In 1988, the airlines — especially the Fort Worth-based American — were champing at the bit to see expansion of D/FW from six to eight runways. Both carriers and the D/FW Airport Board were projecting double-digit or high single-digit annual growth rates in the demand for air travel throughout the 1990s.

But a combination of factors — the recession, the Persian Gulf War, two dramatic run-ups in the price of jet fuel and suicidal pricing by failing and bankrupt carriers — have produced the biggest financial catastrophe in the history of commercial aviation.

TECH: Schools combine efforts

(From 1B)

"More than likely we won't offer the full-blown program in the fall," Baressi said. "It may begin slowly, like our concurrent enrollment program which began with English courses."

Baressi noted that more than 200 Midland high school students are participating in the concurrent enrollment program this year.

David said the Midland business community would be contacted about the program. "We want them to let us know what their manpower needs are," he said.

"The program will offer students higher math courses, rather than courses like pre-algebra or fundamentals of math which satisfy high school credits but don't qualify for college credit," Baressi said.

David said, in a nutshell, Tech Prep "will prepare a world-class work force to perform the technology of the the next decade. It will give students better vision and employability."

DEATHS

Ab Ellis Jr.

Services for Ab R. Ellis Jr. of Midland are set for 3 p.m. Saturday in the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel.

He died Thursday at a local hospital.

Clayton Bird

GAINESVILLE, Fla. — Services for Clayton A. Bird, 74, are set for 1 p.m. today in the Williams-Thomas Chapel of the Chimes in Gainesville with the Rev. Cliff Lyda officiating. Private burial will follow.

He died Tuesday in at a Florida hospital.

He was born April 12, 1917, in Caddo County, Okla., was raised in Texon and went to school in Big Lake.

He graduated from Texas A&M in 1939. He was a lieutenant colonel in the U.S. Army and served in the Regular Army Corps of Engineers for 30 years, before his retirement in 1970. He served in England, France and Germany during World War II.

He was a member of the Tau Beta Pi honorary society and the Gainesville Civitan Club. He was also co-founder of the Gainesville Civitan Regional Blood Bank, where he served as vice president of the board of directors and co-founder of Water & Air Research Inc., a scientific environmental group in Gainesville. He was a Presbyterian.

Survivors include his wife, Margaret H. Bird of Gainesville; a daughter, Susan Cason of Tallahassee, Fla.; two sons, Robert C. Bird of Keystone Heights, Fla. and Philip Bird of Newberry, Fla.; a sister, Cleo Morris of Dallas and two grandchildren.

Memorials should be directed to the American Cancer Society, 7119 SW 16th St., Gainesville, Fla., 37608.

Carl McGrew

Service for Carl L. McGrew, 70, of Midland are set for 11 a.m. Saturday at Ellis Chapel with the Rev. Bob Porterfield officiating. Burial will follow in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

He died Wednesday at a local hospital.

He was born Oct. 3, 1921, in Fairview. He served in the Army during World War II and was stationed in Normandy and Rhineland.

He married Betty Lenington March 20, 1948, in Rio Grande City. They have been Midland residents for 11 years.

Survivors include his wife; one son, Les McGrew of Levelland; one daughter, Betty Jean Douglas of Washington; two brothers, Marvin McGrew and William McGrew, both of Phoenix and three grandchildren.

Katybel Beck

IMPERIAL — Services for Katybel "Katy" Beck, 78, are set for 2 p.m. today at First Methodist Church in Imperial with the Rev. Duncan Parish officiating. Burial will follow in Imperial Cemetery.

She died Wednesday at her Imperial home.

She was born Sept. 28, 1913, in Philadelphia, Miss.

She moved to Imperial in 1948 from DeKalb, Miss. She worked as a secretary/bookkeeper. She was a member of the First Methodist Church and was involved in the home demonstration club, community improvement and church organizations.

She was preceded in death by her husband Willie Walter Beck on Sept. 4, 1988.

Survivors include one son, David Beck of Midland; one daughter, Violet Marie Howe of Midland; seven grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Martin Sanders, Jimmy Massey, George Saunders, Johnny Lane, Kenneth Owen and Robert Howe. Honorary pallbearers are Tom Johns, Buzz Conner, Damon Boyd, Arthur Borron, E.R. Polanco, Dwain Elliot, Damon Danison, Dean Duckett and Ray McDowell.

Ford Chapman

Services for Ford Chapman were Thursday at the First Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Richard Braun officiating. Burial followed in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

He died Monday morning at his home.

Pallbearers were Jack Blake, Jerry Hudgeons, Jim Woodcock, Ernest Angelo, Rick Burrow and Frank Shackelford.

Honorary pallbearers were Dr. Gregory Bartha, Fred Armstrong, Ed Armstrong, Steve Armstrong, Bob Mays, Ford Mays, Jim Mays, Roger Mays, Mark Hardwick, Jim Hardwick and Clifford Hardwick.

Joseph Tant

TEMPLE — Graveside services for Joseph Maurice Tant, 63, of Temple, are set for 11 a.m. Saturday at the Wilson Valley Cemetery with the Rev. John Roark officiating. The family will receive friends at Sheffield Funeral Home between 5-7 p.m. Friday.

He died Wednesday in a Temple hospital.

He was born Oct. 6, 1928, in Temple.

He was an eight-year veteran of the U.S. Marine Corps.

He was a building supervisor for the City of Odessa before moving to Temple. He was a director of the Physical Plant and the facilities manager at Temple Junior College for 11 years.

He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife, Jimmie C. Barnett Tant of Temple; two sons, Joseph T. Tant of Orange and Joseph L. Hudgins of Austin; three daughters, Janice Galbreath of Temple, Margaret Burk of Selma, Ala. and Dolores Wiener of Belton; one brother, Thelbert Tant of Eustace; one sister, Thelma Cook of Belton and 13 grandchildren.

Sheriff's dispatchers move to new office

Staff Report

The Midland County Sheriff's dispatchers began operating from a new location last week. The department's radio room has combined with the City of Midland Public Safety Communication Center in the basement of the building at 601 N. Loraine St.

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Attorney General scrutinizes beer industry pricing

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas Attorney General's office has launched an investigation into allegations of price-fixing in the beer industry, according to documents obtained by The Associated Press.

Attorney General Dan Morales has ordered volumes of records dating to January 1987, according to a notice received by one Texas beer distributor.

Records being sought pertain to the relationship between different distributors and the ties between distributors and retailers, which sell beer to consumers.

According to the documents, Morales wants details on how beer prices are set and records on meetings between beer distributors when prices to retailers were discussed.

Investigators are calling for a mountain of documents, including sales records, telephone logs, salesmen's call reports, travel reimbursement vouchers and beer price lists.

In addition, documents on competition, supplies, product demand, and market conditions have been ordered.

Morales described the probe as a "routine investigation," but said the order for such detailed records was necessary.

"We are obligated to be as comprehensive and as exhaustive as is necessary in order to make a sound legal judgement on whether any action is going to be warranted," he said in an interview.

Morales declined to say how many distributors were being questioned.

"At this point all I can tell you is that we are relatively early in the investigatory stages, and we are not yet to a point where a decision has been or needs to be made relative to whether any action is going to be taken," he said.

"In the recent past there has been a fair level of activity relative to antitrust violations, not just within the confines of our state," he said.

Morales requested the beer industry records under the Texas Free Enterprise and Antitrust Act. His notice warns distributors that the penalty for trying to withhold or alter information is a misdemeanor, subject to a maximum penalty of one year in jail, and a $5,000 fine. All the data must be submitted under a sworn certificate that states the information is accurate.

In recent months, Morales has filed antitrust lawsuits against two makers of baby formula and nine dairies with school milk contracts.

Mexican union stops cow trucks

PRESIDIO (AP) — Presidio cattle haulers said Thursday they stand to lose thousands of dollars because a Mexican union has blocked them from hauling cattle from Mexico into the United States.

The Chihuahua Cattle Raisers' Union posted a guard at the entrance to the Ojinaga stockyards this week to Presidio trucks.

Elizabeth Grado, one of the Presidio cattle haulers, said the union has contracted with a Mexican transporter to move the cattle across the border.

"For more than 30 years, Presidio has been hauling this cattle and all of a sudden because they didn't like you or they just wanted to make the money, they say we can't do it. We're stuck with our empty trailers and without work."

The blockade was set up Tuesday, the opening day of the cattle crossing season, and remained in effect Thursday. The industry annually pumps hundreds of thousands of dollars into the Presidio area economy. The season usually lasts until June or July.

Mrs. Grado said she grosses about $30,000 a year from her cattle hauling business, and uses a portion of that to pay the driver's salary, fuel and maintenance costs.

Francisco Lozano, manager of the Mexican union, told The Associated Press there was no blockade. He said the union had simply changed transportation companies to one offering better service.

"It doesn't matter if they are American or Mexican trucks. The ones with the best service and best price" will haul the cattle, he said. He said the union's council decides which trucks offer the best service and price.

"We've never had this problem before in all the years we've been hauling cattle from Mexico, they've never refused to let us haul the cattle," said Jimmy McNeil, a Presidio stockyard owner and livestock dealer.

Singing hinges on UT-OU result

AUSTIN (AP) — Regardless of who wins the Oklahoma-Texas football game, Texas Gov. Ann Richards has added a new note to the traditional wager between the governors of the two states.

According to the terms of the bet released Thursday, if Texas wins the game Saturday, Oklahoma Gov. David Walters will sing "The Eyes of Texas" to the Texas delegation at next year's Democratic National Convention.

But if Oklahoma wins, Texas Gov. Ann Richards says she will "hire someone" to sing "Oklahoma" to Oklahoma's convention delegates.

Richards said she won't perform the payoff personally because she can't carry a tune.

That would seem to put Gov. Walters at an unfair disadvantage, but his office sees it differently.

"I am pleased to learn that in anticipation of the University of Texas' loss, Gov. Richards is good enough to want to get someone to sing 'Oklahoma' who can carry a tune," said Bill Crain, press secretary to Walters.

For her part, Richards said she has sent a copy of the lyrics of "Eyes of Texas" to Walters.

Besides the governors, the two state treasurers also placed a wager Thursday.

Texas Treasurer Kay Bailey Hutchison and Oklahoma Treasurer Claudette Henry have a T-shirt bet going. Ms. Hutchison said that should Oklahoma lose, Ms. Henry will wear Longhorn colors to work Monday while she will wear a Sooner shirt if Texas is defeated.

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Board of education OKs reorganization

AUSTIN (AP) — State Board of Education members on Thursday approved reorganizing the Texas Education Agency, including the transfer of millions of dollars and dozens of jobs to education centers around the state.

By streamlining and decentralizing the agency, Education Commissioner Lionel "Skip" Meno said he wants to ensure it provides the services school districts need, leading to improved student achievement.

The State Board of Education unanimously approved Meno's plan while meeting as a committee. A final board vote is scheduled for Saturday.

"We're doing it (the reorganization) to get better student results," Meno said to a packed hearing room. The crowd overflowed into two nearby rooms.

But because the plan will not be in place until January, Meno said he didn't expect to see those results until about the spring of 1994.

Carolyn Crawford of Beaumont, head of the board, called the reorganization plan "historic."

"It is the first time that the Texas Education Agency has truly been reorganized since its inception" in 1949, she said.

The plan would immediately reduce the agency work force by 87 positions, including six executive jobs, to 1,179. But no one has been fired, because a hiring freeze has been in place and several people have resigned, Meno said.

The plan includes a new Office of Field Services to give school districts a direct connection to the education commissioner.

As part of that office, it calls for 60 positions to be transferred to the state's 20 regional education service centers. People hired for the jobs will act as "ombudspeople" for local districts, Meno said.

An additional 20 service center jobs would be to help schools with reform efforts.

Dem hopefuls cross paths in Austin

■ Democrats Jesse Jackson and Bill Clinton outlined their domestic programs in back-to-back speeches in Austin Thursday.

AUSTIN (AP) — Arkansas Gov. Bill Clinton and the Rev. Jesse Jackson met briefly Thursday at the Capitol and emphasized domestic themes in their campaigns to defeat President Bush in 1992.

Clinton, 45, announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination last week, while Jackson is touring the country trying to decide whether to run again for the nomination as he did in 1984 and 1988.

Jackson, 50, who was second in the state Democratic Party primary in 1988, said he would decide early next month on whether to enter the race.

The two, in separate visits to Texas, met briefly in the Capitol rotunda between giving speeches to several hundred people on the Capitol steps.

Both candidates blamed Bush, and his predecessor, President Reagan, for the nation's struggling economy and the lack of affordable housing, healthcare and education.



Arkansas Gov. Bill Clinton, right, and wife Hillary talk with Jesse Jackson in the Texas Capitol Rotunda Thursday.

Jackson said the nation is spending billions of dollars to help rebuild other countries, but has failed in building affordable homes and maintaining streets and bridges here.

"It's time to spend some money to bail out America," he said.

He devoted much of his speech to the plight of millions of workers in low-paying jobs who cannot afford medical care or a college education for their children.

Jackson said he would improve the nation's economy through job training programs funded through a fairer tax system.

Under the Reagan-Bush administrations, he said the wealthiest one percent of the nation increased their wealth by 122 percent, while the poorest 20 percent saw their worth drop 10 percent.

He said the military budget could be cut without reducing the nation's defense, while military bases slated for closure should be used to house new industries with retrained workers.

He said he was challenging both major political parties to address the concerns of "real people."

"The Democratic and Republican parties cannot be alter-ego parties. They must be alternative parties," he said.

Meanwhile, Clinton said that while many nation's are embracing democracy, America is losing ground in the world economy.

"Instead of celebrating the triumph of the American dream abroad we are worried about its death at home," he said.

As the nation's longest standing governor, Clinton said he knows what its like to be on the "receiving end" of federal cutbacks from the Reagan and Bush administrations.

He criticized Bush's "Thousand Points of Light" saying that the president has turned over the nation's domestic problems to volunteerism.

"Do we want to continue with this experiment for four more years?" he asked.

Clinton touted a national service corps where students would receive federal loans to attend college and then repay them through public service.

"The business leaders and the political leaders of this country have got to stop promoting this ethic that it is a dog eat dog world, get it while you can, and the heck, with everybody else," he said.

Woman with AIDS might surrender

DALLAS (AP) — A woman who says she's trying to infect men with AIDS will eventually turn herself in, a Dallas prosecutor said Thursday.

"She may feel the pressure from running around, looking around every corner," said Assistant District Attorney George West. "And with the guilt she's feeling, she'll probably turn herself in or be cooperative when she's caught."

This week prosecutors gave Dallas police a list of suspects to consider when seeking the woman who calls herself "C.J."

In a letter in the September issue of Ebony magazine, the woman said she has unprotected sex with men she meets in Dallas-area nightclubs.

Since the letter was read on Dallas radio, requests for AIDS information have increased dramatically, health workers said.

One person with whom C.J. has been in contact regularly is Larry Mullins, Dallas news director for KXAS-TV in Fort Worth. He said she has called him every other day for about a month.

Tuesday she told Mullins she had a cold and wanted to get medical help.

"If it is not a hoax — there is such a thing as a consistent hoax — I would think it could begin to weigh on one's mind," Mullins said. "I would think one would decide 'Enough is enough. I'm tired, I'm ill and I want to do something about it.' "

Mullins said police are considering tapping his phone, but the news station plans to protect the woman as they would any other source.

A 1989 law makes it a felony to knowingly try to spread AIDS.

Houston leaders ask teen curfew

HOUSTON (AP) — Houston leaders say a juvenile curfew could help curb crime and gang activity but teen-agers are calling it a violation of civil rights.

"It's sad that the government has to step in. (But) if parents can't do their job, somebody has to come in and do it for them," the Rev. Clifford Bailey said.

Houston city officials are proposing a midnight to 6 a.m. curfew on youngsters under 17. Several other Texas cities, including Dallas, San Antonio and El Paso, have passed curfew ordinances.

"Nothing out on the streets is fun," Bailey said. "After 12 a.m., the kids ought to be at home, if not studying, doing something."

But students at a public hearing Wednesday were opposed to the measure.

"You're targeting the one group who cannot vote," Cypress-Fairbanks High School senior Claire Chancellor, 17, told the Houston City Council.

Classmate Karen Harper, 17, said the curfew would have little impact on problems like teen-age pregnancy and gang activities.

"You can get pregnant at 11:30 (p.m.) just as easily as you can after (midnight)," she said. "And gangs aren't going to stop what they're doing at midnight."

The American Civil Liberties Union, several teens and their parents are challenging the Dallas ordinance.

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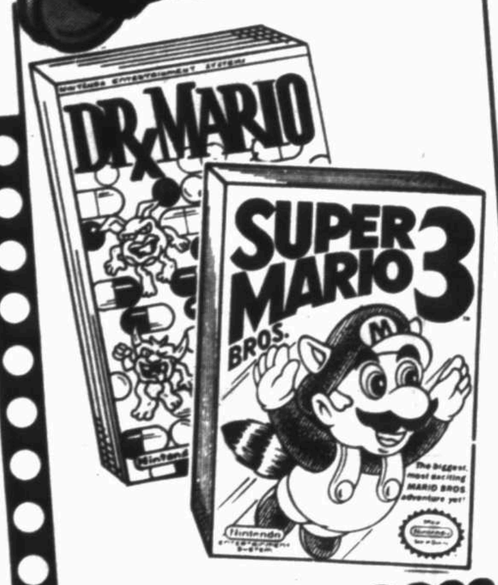
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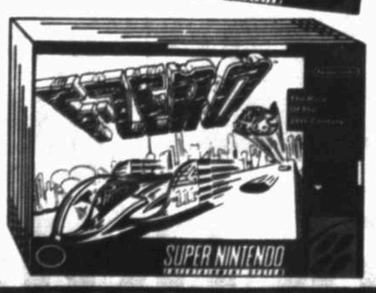


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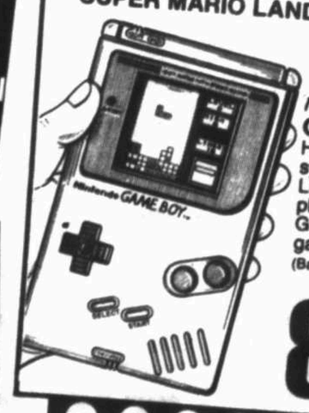


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Horses need enough bulk in daily diet

Horses have a physiological and psychological requirement for adequate bulk in the daily diet. This is important to maintain the integrity of the digestive tract and to facilitate normal rate of feed passage through the system. Roughage also serves to minimize certain vices such as wood chewing and mane or tail chewing, problems often observed in stalled or confined horses.



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The quality of the roughage to be fed is of great importance. Hay should be selected for apparent leafiness, with emphasis being placed on a high leaf: stem ratio. Color, cleanliness and aroma are also key factors in selecting hay on visual characteristics. Horses are rather sensitive to mold, and hay that looks like or smells the least bit moldy should never be fed to horses. If large quantities are being purchased, it may be wise to obtain core samples for testing of nutrient content prior to purchase.

Dr. Pete Gibbs, State Extension Horse Specialist, states that mature, idle horses and non-milking mares in early pregnancy can normally be maintained solely on good quality pasture or hay. These horses will consume from 2 to 3 percent of body weight in roughage daily, which will satisfy the majority of nutrient requirements. For other horses being fed traditional blended concentrates or individual cereal grains as primary energy and protein sources, hay or grazing is required on a daily basis.

Gibbs suggests a good rule of thumb to use for hay intake is 1 percent of body weight per day. This means that a 1,000 pound performance horse should receive approximately 10 pounds of hay every day. Horsemen feeding large amounts of grain to a young halter or rate prospects should keep a close eye on roughage consumption to unsure that such horses actually eat enough roughage on a regular basis.

Type of hay purchased for horses may be an important consideration from an economic standpoint. Legumes such as alfalfa may contribute to excessive amounts of protein intake for mature performance horses. However, if purchased relative to cost per pound of protein, legumes can make good sense as the roughage source for milking mares and young, growing horses.

Horse owners can have a very effective feeding program with either grasses or legumes. The type of hay will dictate the nutrient content needed in a grain or concentrate mix for mares and young horses.

In summary, roughage often serves as the foundation for a good feeding program designed to provide horses with adequate bulkiness in the total diet. Horsemen may choose from grasses or legumes, but two very important considerations are quality and consistency in selecting and feeding roughage to horses.

There will be a horse symposium on Saturday at West Texas Stud and Winnermaker Farms. Subjects that will be covered will be moderate or rapid growth — feeding for both; feeding the high performance horse; wrapping legs for protection, support and treatment; freeze branding horses and genetic selection. For more information contact the extension office at 687-1351.

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Midland County 4-H will be sponsoring a dance on November 8 with Jody Nix from 8 p.m. to midnight a the Midland Center. For more information contact the extension office at 687-1351.

Earnest C. Kiker is Midland County Extension Agent for Agriculture.

Trees observed in climate study

WASHINGTON (AP) — Growth rings taken from ancient trees in Tasmania show the climate there has been unusually warm since 1965, a finding that may support the theory that greenhouse gases are causing the Earth to warm.

American and Australian scientists collected corings from the trunks of 23 huon pines, a tree that lives for thousands of years, and found that the growth rings formed between 1965 and 1988 were larger than at any other time in the last 1,089 years.

"This growth increase ... supports claims that a climatic change, perhaps influenced by greenhouse gases, is in progress," the scientists said in a recent report in the journal Science.

Tasmania is an island off the southern coast of Australia and the trees were growing on a remote mountain.

"These trees are in an isolated area that hasn't been touched by man," said Pieter Tans, a National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration scientist who helped gather the samples.

The huon pine is a conifer that grows slowly and can live for 2,000 years or more. During each growing season, the tree adds another layer to the outer part of the trunk. During warmer years, the layer is wider than in years when colder weather retards growth.

By inserting a thin coring instrument into the trunk, researchers can gather a sample of each layer, from the outer ring formed most recently, to the core, which grew early in the tree's life.

The corings collected by a team led by Lamont-Doherty Geological Observatory scientists give a chronology of the annual growth of the trees between the years 900 and 1988.

Narrow growth rings, caused by colder weather, were found for the years 1898 to 1913, a time included in the coldest period ever recorded by weather instruments in New Zealand, a nearby island nation.

Wide growth rings, indicating warm growing seasons, were found for the years 940 to 1000, 1100 to 1190, and 1475 to 1495. The rapid growth from 1100 to 1190 corresponds to what is known as the Medieval Warm Epoch, a period of warm weather in the northern hemisphere, the scientists wrote.

But none of the annual rings matched the growth spurt reflected in the period 1965 to 1988, said Gordon Jacoby, a senior research scientist at Lamont-Doherty.

"It is above and beyond any previous growth variation that they have seen," said Jacoby, a co-worker with team members who did the study.

In the Science article, the scientists noted: "This finding lends credence to some claims that recent hemispheric and global temperature increases are being driven by the greenhouse effect."

But they cautioned that the recent warming recorded by the tree rings still could be within the range of natural variability, and thus not caused by the greenhouse effect. Tans said it would take more research on the samples to prove the greenhouse connection.

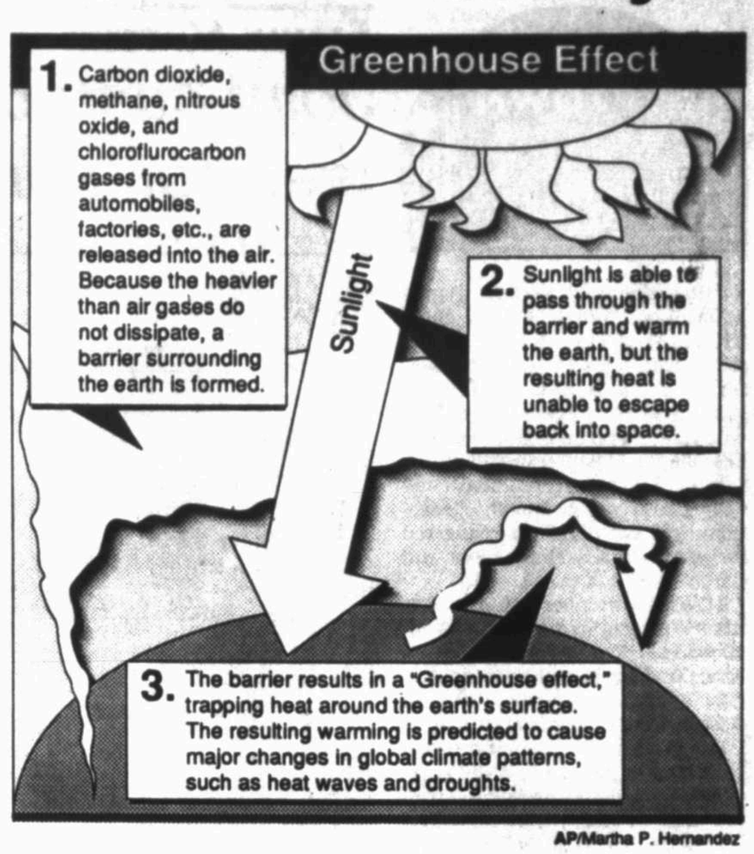
One such study, he said, will be to determine the amount of an isotope called carbon 13 stored in the rings. Tans said levels of carbon 13 directly reflect the levels of carbon dioxide in the atmosphere at the time the rings were formed.

Carbon dioxide, along with methane and some industrial gases, are thought by some scientists to be causing a gradual global warming. Those gases form an invisible layer in the atmosphere that permits sunlight to pass through, but traps the heat reflected by the Earth.

The burning of fossil fuels, such as oil, natural gas and coal, are the major sources of carbon dioxide and some measurements have detected a gradual rise in amount of that gas in the atmosphere. Such a rise could be reflected in the chemistry of the tree rings, Tans said.

The Lamont-Doherty research team was led by Edward Cook, who was not available for comment on the study.

Science is the journal of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.



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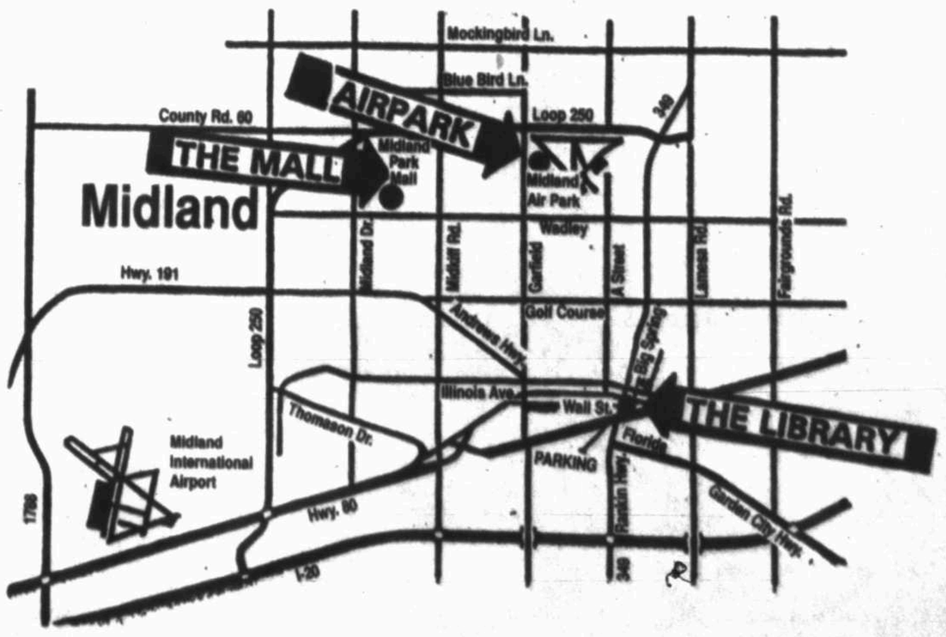
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TCWDA will meet 7:30 p.m. Oct. 23 at Western Sizzlin on Grant St. in Odessa. The group's monthly dance and social will be tonight at Elks Lodge on Andrews Hwy. in Odessa. Free dance lessons will be 7:30-8:30 p.m. with dancing to begin 8:30 p.m. Donation of $3 is requested, with the proceeds given to charity. Band will be Crossfire.

TCWDA and West Texas Singles will sponsor a float trip Oct. 26 through Colorado Canyon in Big Bend. Cost will be $15 per person. For more information call 366-5131, 520-8609 or 520-5535.

...UPTOWN CHAPTER, Business and Professional Women, will meet noon Oct. 23 at the Petroleum Club to celebrate the 63rd anniversary of National Business Women's Week. Joanne Langston, owner of Langston Realtors, will be keynote speaker. Woman of the Year award will be presented. Proclamation from Mayor Carroll Thomas recognizing National Business Women's Week will be displayed. All guests are welcome. For reservations call 684-5886 by Oct. 21...

...ASBURY UNITED Methodist Church of Midland will sponsor its 12th annual Fall Arts and Crafts Festival 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Nov. 9 at Midland County Exhibit Building on E. Highway 80. Included in the event will be 102 booths displaying handmade crafts; a bakery; homemade ice cream and other foods. Admission will be $1 for persons 12 and older. Door prizes will be given. Proceeds will benefit the church...

...ACT IX, auxiliary to Midland Community Theatre, will present the Beaux Arts Masqued Ball 7 p.m. Jan. 18, 1992, at Midland Center. The ball, Texas-formal with Mardi Gras-type masques for added fantasy, will include a catered dinner, past and present theater productions performances, and a dance, with music by Lindy and the Look. Funds raised will benefit MCT. Tickets for the event are $125 per couple For more information call 682-2544...

...JUNIOR LEAGUE of Midland Inc. will host Dr. Manuel J. Justiz, dean of the University of Texas College of Education, speaking on "The State of American Education" 7 p.m. Oct. 22 at Midland Community Theatre, 2000 W. Wadley. Justiz, former director of National Institute of Education, helped produce the study on "A Nation at Risk" which warns of declining standards in American schools and consequent economic dangers to society.

The public is invited to attend. Admission is free. For more information call 682-4732...

...NEWCOMERS' CLUB of Midland will have a luncheon 11 a.m. Thursday at the Club at Mission Dorado. Program on skin care will be presented by Backstage. Persons new to Midland are invited to attend. For reservations call 694-5984 or 697-3850 by Monday...

...TUMBLEWEED CHAPTER, Smocking Arts Guild of America, will meet 7 p.m. Oct. 28 in the parlor of Grace Presbyterian Church. For more information call 699-6932 or 699-4351...

...ALPHA PHI sorority will celebrate Founder's Day 11:30 a.m. Saturday at Memories Restaurant. For more information call 699-2552...

...PILOT CLUB of Midland will have a workshop 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturday at First United Methodist Church. Sessions will be on fund raising, membership and officer training. For more information call 682-8822...

...FAMILY SUPPORT Group meeting at Terrace West Nursing Center will be 7:30 p.m. Monday. Annette Freestone, therapist with Family Services of Midland, will discuss the grief reaction to placing a loved one in a nursing home...

FAMILY MATTERS

Joint custody can work well for some families

By Jim May, Ph.D.

DEAR FAMILY: I am presently in the process of getting a divorce from my husband of nine years. He decided one day that he wanted to "find himself" so that's what he's doing. I agreed, even though I really am against divorce. I didn't think that there was anything so wrong with our marriage that couldn't be corrected. We went to marriage counseling for several months but he wouldn't do any of the things that the counselor said to do.


May

I have accepted that he just wanted out. On the advice of our counselor we both told our children (boy 8 and girl 5). My daughter was very upset at first, but now seems to be fine. My son just listened, then wanted to go back to playing Nintendo.

The divorce has moved very smoothly until yesterday. He called and said that he agreed with everything but that he has decided that he wanted joint custody. I was surprised and told him that there was no way that I would agree. He got mad for the first time during all of this and hung up on me. We haven't talked since.

I called my lawyer and he wasn't nearly as concerned as I was. He said that joint custody could work out well for some people. I want to know what is your experience with it? I want my children to have a good relationship with their father but I don't want to have to share custody with him. What if he decided to walk out of their lives "to find himself" like he walked out of mine? I don't know if I should consider this as an option or not. What do you think? CONFUSED

DEAR CONFUSED: Joint custody is a confusing subject. In general, in joint custody, both parents retain legal responsibility and authority over the care and control of the children. This means both parents have equal rights in making decisions about the children's general upbringing, educational and religious training, non-emergency medical care and so on. Meet with your attorney to learn of the full implications of joint custody. There also are variations in the terms that can be established if both parties agree.

Dr. Deborah Luepnitz, a clinical psychologist of the Philadelphia Child Guidance Clinic, studied 43 families with either maternal, paternal or joint custody. Her study found: Unlike prior studies, as a whole, the group was not maladjusted (only eight of the 91 children exhibited symptoms that might require psychotherapy); child adjustment was independent of custody type; the family's "emotional climate" was independent of custody type; and children in families with continuing parental conflict had more behavior problems than children in low-conflict families.

Dr. Luepnitz's study found advantages in joint custody in regard to parental relationships, parental conflict, money, child care and burn-out. She found that the children of the study seemed to have retained "two psychological parents" in their lives. Most of them were not confused by the joint arrangement, but instead considered it an advantage that allowed them to have the time and place for relationships with both parents.

Joint custody families engaged in much less litigation than the single-custody familes. Joint custody families had much less court involvement for late or non-payment of child support. More than one-third of the parents in the joint custody families relied on each other for child care. A final advantage was the joint custody helped reduce parental burn-out by providing built-in parental breaks.

Joint custody is a complex subject with broad long-term implications. I hope that I have helped shed some light on it. In addition to contacting your attorney, consider contacting Family Services of Midland for more information on divorce mediation and joint custody.

DEAR READERS: Several local resources are available for divorced and separated people. First United Methodist Church is conducting two workshops which deal with divorce. One is for the children and the other is for the parents. Contact the church at 682-3701 for more information. Golf Course Road Church of Christ (Dr. Gary Grady, 694-8836) and First Baptist Church (682-1646) have ongoing divorce support groups and programs.

Making the effort to become involved in a support group is very important. There is something very reassuring about not feeling so isolated with a problem. The spiritual aspects of the groups also help the healing.

Jim May is the director of the Family Wellness Center.

Questions for this column should be addressed to Family Matters, P.O. Box 10485, Midland, 79702.

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DEAR ABBY

Teen's question about will could be cause for concern

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I am a 14-year-old girl who often reads your column. I was wondering how I could get — or make — a legal will. I have few valuables, so it's mostly personal stuff that I want given to certain people.

I don't want my parents to know. Please send me some information on this. Thank you. — NO NAME, PLEASE


Van Buren

DEAR NO NAME: It is rather unusual for a 14-year-old to inquire about how to make a legal will. I am concerned about why a person so young would want this information.

Regardless of how strict your parents may seem to be, in times of serious trouble they are your best friends. However, since you do not want your parents to know, please talk to your school counselor. And please don't be afraid to tell the counselor what it is that troubles you. Only if you discuss your problems can you get the help you deserve.

Please talk to the counselor immediately, and then write again and let me know how you are. I care.

DEAR ABBY: Can you stand one more story about a phony money-making scheme?

My mother, a widow who lives on her Social Security, received a telephone call advising her that she had won three prizes — an automobile, $10,000 in diamonds, and her choice of a vacation in Hawaii, California or Florida! Well, Mama thought she had died and gone to heaven!

The man on the phone told her that all she had to do was let them send her their "products" to try; the products were free, but she had to pay for shipping, handling and insurance, which was "only $699.99."

Then the caller asked Mother if she had either MasterCard or Visa. She said she had MasterCard. So she was asked to give him her card number. She became suspicious and hung up! The man called her back saying, "We must have been disconnected." Then Mother said, "I'm sorry, I was advised never to give my credit card number to anyone on the telephone." She then hung up and immediately called the Better Business Bureau to report this company. She was thanked, and then told that they already had the name of this company on file!

Abby, please run this in your column. There are still plenty of people who might fall for this kind of scam. — NO FOOL IN PHOENIX

DEAR NO FOOL: You would be amazed to learn how many people continue to fall for this kind of scam. I have warned my readers never to give their credit card numbers on the telephone. Thanks for the reminder.

DEAR ABBY: I appreciated your column on "faking it" — especially the letter from "Deserves an Academy Award" who wrote: "Of course I fake it. All women do. I adore my husband, but he couldn't find my erogenous zone with a road map."

Well, we have been happily married for 51 years, and my husband did not need a road map to find my erogenous zone. I gave him directions. — HAPPY IN OHIO

DEAR ABBY: I am a 22-year-old college student with plans to graduate in December. I have been dating the same guy for almost five years. He is out of college now and has a steady job.

My problem is that I want to get married. I would even settle for an engagement ring or some sort of promise of marriage after I graduate from college. My boyfriend is 27 years old and keeps saying we'll get married someday (when I bring it up); otherwise, he never mentions it. He says it would be fine if we just lived together because we need to be "soul mates" first.

I used to believe that living together was a good idea, but I don't think so anymore. I truly love this man and want to be his wife.

Please help me, Abby. Am I wasting my time? He says he feels like I'm pressuring him. What should I do? — RUNNING IN PLACE

DEAR RUNNING: When a man tells you that he feels like you're pressuring him — trust me, you are pressuring him. Back off. Then tell him you think it might be a good idea if you two cooled it for a while, and maybe if you dated other people you could get a better perspective on your relationship. If he agrees, that's what you should do. If not, say nothing more about marriage until after graduation.

Everything you'll need to know about planning a wedding can be found in Abby's booklet, "How to Have a Lovely Wedding." To order, send a long, business-size, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for $3.95 ($4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, Wedding Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054. (Postage is included.)

Abigail Van Buren's column is distributed by Universal Press Syndicate.

Being overweight when young may lead to being ill when old

WASHINGTON (AP) — Being young and otherwise healthy doesn't mean that being overweight won't catch up to you later in life.

Obesity — having too great a percentage of your body as fat — can lead to heart disease, high blood pressure, and diabetes, especially after people enter midlife.

"If a 20-year-old is 30 percent fat, that is a bit scary, because he could be 40 percent by the time he's 40," said Michael L. Pollock, director of the Center for Exercise Science at the University of Florida in Gainesville.

A healthy college-age man should be no more than 15 percent fat, and a college-age woman should be no more than 25 percent, Pollock said. Being 10-12 percent or more above this should be a red flag to get off the fat track, he said.

"The health risk is really strong for those people." Pollock said. "He may not notice at 20, but in his 30s and 40s, it's going to catch up quick."

"My guess is that it increases the risk twofold or more," said epidemiologist Steven N. Blair of the Institute for Aerobics Research in Dallas.

Nailing this down to individual cases is not so easy, however.

"It depends on the level of overweight and a lot of other factors," Blair said. Factors to watch for are the ones that indicate you've begun to get sick — for instance, elevated blood pressure.

Another factor is the location of your fat. Researchers have found that people who carry their weight on their bellies have a higher risk of heart disease than do people who carry their weight around their hips.

Some people have the bad luck to have inherited a bigger chance to be bigger. However. a genetic tendency toward obesity is not so bad by itself, Pollock said.

"Obesity is only one risk factor and, if that's the only one, you can do pretty well," he said.

This, however, is not necessarily a way out of losing weight. "You find some people who live pretty long lives but, on average, they don't," Pollock said.

An overweight person who has no other risk factors can do a lot to control his disease risk simply by exercising, said Dr. John W. Farquahar, director of the Stanford Center for Research in Disease Prevention at Stanford University in California.

Regardless of your level of obesity, the people who are inactive have higher death rates, said Blair.

You can improve your chances even more by managing your exercise and diet well enough to trim down. Experts know of no formula that will predict your exact risk-reduction benefit, but they say exercise is crucial to keeping weight off. For one thing, no one can stay on a diet forever.

"Starving people, which is the American way, is for the birds," Farquahar said.

And it doesn't take much exercise to make a big change in risk reduction, Blair said.

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PRIME TIME

Woodworker sells out year's work at two crafts shows each year

By Jack Warner
N.Y. Times News Service

Tom Powell hasn't written any books, and, as far as I know, he hasn't appeared in any, either. He doesn't teach and he doesn't give lectures. Most people might think of Tom as an ordinary guy, but I think he's pretty extraordinary.

Of course, Tom's a woodworker; he has a very well-equipped shop behind his house in Fayette County, Ga. He hasn't always been a woodworker. He's been a warrior and a cook and a lot of other things.

Tom was born "up around Fort McPherson" in Atlanta, and when he was 21 — in 1940 — he joined the Navy. He was a cook 3rd class aboard the battleship Oklahoma, at anchor in Pearl Harbor on Dec. 7, 1941.

"I remember they passed the word 'all hands man your battle stations,' and I ran on up there to the galley, which was my battle station," Tom recalls. "You could feel the torpedoes hitting. Well, I got up there and I thought, 'Hell, there ain't nobody else up here. I can't handle this by myself,' and about that time the call came: 'All hands, abandon ship.' We were listing pretty badly to port."

But young Tom Powell, with his ship about to capsize and hell raining down from the sky, wasn't quite ready to quit the Oklahoma. "I went down to the living compartment and got some personal things out of my locker," he said.

Then, as the ship began rolling over to port, "I went back up to the main deck and slid down the starboard side into the water and crawled up the lines onto the Tennessee, which was anchored next to us, and I crossed that and went down its starboard side into the water and swam over to one of those little islands they had for berthing ships."

Shortly after he scrambled away, the Oklahoma went down with a thousand of her men.

Tom spent much of the war with land-based Navy air squadrons, then the last couple of years on the new destroyer Barnes. In 1947, he married a girl he met while home on leave during the war, and he and Gwendolyn have been together ever since.

Tom retired from the Navy a chief warrant officer in 1959 and took a job with the civil service. He worked for the Veterans Administration in Atlanta, and then a commissary at the Atlanta Army Depot. After 12 years as commissary officer there, he retired from government service a second time in 1972.

It was about that time that he started working wood seriously. He worked a few years for private industry, then went into wood full time.

"I was trying to come up with a line of things I could take to craft fairs," he said. "I went to any fair I could have enough stock for."

It wasn't long before Tom settled on four simple items. He turns large bud vases, he makes several sizes of lazy Susan turntables and cutting boards, and old-fashioned dough bowls, which he roughs out first with a chain saw.

These are so popular that six years ago he started cutting back on the number of fairs. Now he does only the Cotton-Pickin' Country Fair at Gay, Ga., which is a twice-a-year event, spring and fall.

"The demand just got so great, it takes me the full six months between the fairs to get up enough stock," he says.

Tom is in his 70s, but he could pass for 55 or 60, with a beard so full and snowy white that if he'd only put on a hundred pounds or so, he'd be much in demand as Santa Claus.

DR. PAGE

Breast cancer is everyone's concern

By Henry F. Page, M.D.

The pretty, youngish nurse writhed and appeared "fit to be tied." It seems that one of her "regulars" at the Allison Breast Screening Center had just smilingly stated "Many thanks and good-bye. One nice thing about reaching 65 is that it won't be necessary to have any more mammograms!" To hear such words spoken in an environment of education and instruction was enough to make the angels weep and give head nurses apoplexy — truly an oxymoron. The facts of life are as follows:


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The average annual incidence of breast cancer as reported by the Annual Review of Public Health (based on 100,000 population) is: for women age 65-69, 161.9; age 70-74, 186.0; age 75-79, 210.1; age 80-84, 226.5; and age 85 and older, 265.6.

Since cancer of the breast is curable if found early enough, the discovery of its presence as close to onset as possible is essential. Luckily because of the anatomical location of the breast, any suspicious nodule (the majority of which are benign) can be felt, visualized by X-ray, identified microscopically and thus completely evaluated easily and promptly.

Self-examination should be performed once a month following the technique described by the American Cancer Society in its many brochures, available at your doctor's office or the many cancer detection centers. Any abnormality in the skin, nipples or breast tissue requires observation by your family physician, but do not by any means indicate that you do indeed have a malignancy. Your family physician should also perform a complete physical examination yearly, including a mammogram. For heaven's sake, don't worry about any radiation side-effects, which are negligible.

It may be of some comfort to know that in older persons cancer cells frequently also get that tired feeling and don't grow or spread quite as rapidly. This means they may be more confined and require simpler procedures for removal. The old cells also respond differently to hormones and other specific chemical therapy, so that management of the older person usually is less traumatic and more successful.

However, the key to success is early discovery, and you will not find it if you don't look for it. Don't let depression overwhelm you like it did one lady who attempted suicide. She read that the heart lay just below the edge of the left breast — so she shot herself and was hospitalized with a shattered knee.

Henry F. Page, M.D., F.A.C.P., is health and safety consultant to Midland Presbyterian Homes.

PRIME TIME CALENDAR

CASA DE AMIGOS

Casa de Amigos is located at 1101 E. Garden Lane. For more information about services provided call 682-9701. Activities for the week include:

■ Monday: 9 a.m. billiards; 9:30 a.m. aerobics; 10:15 a.m. quilting; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 12:15 p.m. table games.

■ Tuesday: 9 a.m. billiards; 9:45 a.m. gem/mineral; 10:15 a.m. sing-a-long; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 12:15 p.m. bingo; 1 p.m. YMCA.

■ Wednesday: 9 a.m. billiards; 9:30 a.m. aerobics; 10 a.m. crafts; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 12:15 p.m. Bible study; 1 p.m. ceramics.

■ Thursday: 9 a.m. billiards; 9:45 a.m. adult education; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 12:15 p.m. sing-a-long.

■ Friday: 9 a.m. billiards; 9:30 a.m. aerobics; 10:30 a.m. crafts; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 12:15 p.m. bingo.

MIDLAND YMCAs

The Midland YMCAs have many activities scheduled for Prime Time adults.

For more information regarding available activities and classes contact Central YMCA, 800 N. Big Spring, 682-2551; Alamo YMCA, 901 N. Midland Drive, 694-2528; Northeast YMCA, 2301 Butternut, 682-8469; Town West YMCA, 1012 Andrews Hwy., 694-6821.

Scheduled activities at the Central YMCA are:

■ Monday, Wednesday and Friday: 8 a.m., 9 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Low impact aerobics; 7 a.m. YM CARDIAC (YCT) Therapy, call for appointment before beginning class.

■ Tuesday and Thursday: 9 a.m. Y's Way to a Healthy Back; by appointment, Specialized Strength Training for Seniors.

Scheduled activities for Alamo YMCA are:

■ Monday, Wednesday and Friday: 1 p.m. and 2 p.m. Arthritis Water Class.

■ Tuesday, Thursday and Friday: 10 a.m. Aqua Aerobics; by appointment, Water Rehab Therapy.

Scheduled activities for the Town West YMCA are:

■ Monday, Wednesday and Friday; 9 a.m. Prime Time Water Aerobics; 10 a.m. no-impact aerobics.

■ Tuesday and Thursday; 9:30 a.m. and 10 a.m. Prime Time Water Aerobics.

■ Monday through Friday; 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Biking for fitness and Nautilus Weight Training for Prime Time adults is offered.

SOUTHEAST SENIOR CENTER

The Southeast Senior Center, 1803 E. Indiana, is open 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday. For more information about services offered, call Ellen G. Smith, center director, at 685-7231. Activities include:

■ Monday: 9:30 a.m. singing; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 10 a.m. ceramics, needlework and billiards; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 1 p.m. table games.

■ Tuesday: 9:30 a.m. singing; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 10 a.m. quilting, crafts and billiards; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 1 p.m. table games.

■ Wednesday: 9:30 a.m. singing; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 10 a.m. ceramics, chior and billiards; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 1 p.m. table games.

■ Thursday: 9:30 a.m. singing; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 10 a.m. ceramics and table games; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 1 p.m. table games.

■ Friday: 9 a.m. singing; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 10 a.m. Bible class and table games; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 1 p.m. movie and center bingo.

MIDLAND SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER, DELLWOOD MALL

The Dellwood Senior Citizens Center is located in Dellwood Mall, 3303 W. Illinois, Space #18. For more information call 699-5023.

Activities planned include:

■ Monday: 9 a.m. billiards and exercise; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 10 a.m. art for fun and Kitchenettes; 11:30 a.m. lunch; 12:30 p.m. novice bridge; 1 p.m. bridge.

■ Tuesday: 9 a.m. billiards, exercise and ceramics; 11:30 a.m. lunch with nutrition tips; 1 p.m. bridge and AARP sewing.

■ Wednesday: 9 a.m. billiards, ceramics and exercise; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 10 a.m. Gospel Singing; 11:30 a.m. lunch and birthday party; 12:30 p.m. crafts/sewing; 1 p.m. bridge.

■ Thursday: 9 a.m. billiards and exercise; 9:30 a.m. country/western dancing and quilting; 11 a.m. ballroom dancing; 11:30 a.m. lunch; 12:30 p.m. art class, movie and defensive driving; 1 p.m. bridge.

■ Friday: 9 a.m. billiards and exercise; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 10 a.m. "M" System bingo; 11:30 a.m. lunch; 12:30 p.m. defensive driving; 1 p.m. bridge.

VOLUNTEER CENTER

The Volunteer Center, 1030 Andrews Hwy., has many opportunites for volunteers. Those interested in volunteering can call 697-8781 for information.

■ A local agency dedicated to the well-being of children and families needs a receptionist-secretary immediately. Duties include answering telephones, typing, filing and working with other people. Hours are flexible.

■ About 150 dolls need to be dressed so they can be given to needy children at Christmas. The dolls will be on display the first week of December at Midland Park Mall. Individuals and clubs are invited to help dress the dolls.

■ A local food pantry serving more than 800 people each month needs volunteers to help sorting and packaging food and clothing for the needy. Individuals and groups are invited to help with the daytime opportunity.

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North Dakota towns see dinosaur bones as economic tools

By Bob Moen
Associated Press writer

BAKER, Mont. — With a careful stroke of his pick hammer, Larry League uncovers dinosaur bones and prehistoric fossils, secrets kept for millions of years. Now he's looking for a place to put them.

"It's like digging for gold once you get started on it," said Bill Kostelecky of Richardton, N.D., one of six college students who accompanied League on a recent fossil-hunting expedition. "You're the first person to touch these bones in 65 million years."

To at least four North Dakota communities, dinosaur bones could be gold of a different sort — a source of new money and jobs.

Bismarck, Dickinson, Marmarth and Bowman would like to have a museum to display the dinosaur bones and other fossils. A small portion of southwestern North Dakota is rich in such buried treasure, but the state has no museum to display it.

The state Geological Society believes the Heritage Center in Bismarck would be ideal because of its central location and technical expertise. League is from Dickinson State University, and Marmarth and Bowman are located in the area where the fossils are buried.

"As far as a full-scale museum, North Dakota has to be very selective when it puts that type of facility in," said John Hoganson, a paleontologist with the state Geological Survey.

The struggle goes beyond a display area. A dinosaur museum also is considered a cornerstone for economic development and grants for further excavation.

"These small towns, especially down in this corner of the state, there's just nothing here," said Larry Lecoe, Marmarth city commission president. "Anything that could be brought in would help."

League, 45, an associate professor of earth science, has excavated more than 7,000 bones and other specimens in a rugged area of southeast Montana, southwest North Dakota and northwest South Dakota. He wears a baseball cap imprinted with dinosaurs and exploding volcanoes, and the license plates on his four-wheel drive vehicle read "T Rex."

"This is our fifth season, and we haven't been over the same ground twice," he said, taking time out from the dig while sitting at a table surrounded by bags of bones.

"We come back with stuff every day. We never come back empty-handed."

In the day of the dinosaur, the area was rich in vegetation supported by a subtropical climate. Rivers and streams emptied into an ocean that covered parts of North Dakota and the other Great Plains states. The Rocky Mountains were just forming.

Most of the dinosaur bones today are found in the prehistoric river and stream beds. One of League's recent digs turned up bones from two dinosaurs, a rare find.

His group also found a 3-inch section of a tooth from the feared meat-eating dinosaur, tyrannosaurus rex. Unwrapping it carefully, League revealed a pointed end with saw-like notches running down the edge.

League has a complete rhinoceros that dates back some 30 million years, bones from an extinct bison and other specimens ranging from turtles to plants.

He figures he's spent $27,000 of his own money to finance his expeditions. This summer, for the first time, Dickinson State is paying the $3,500 cost.

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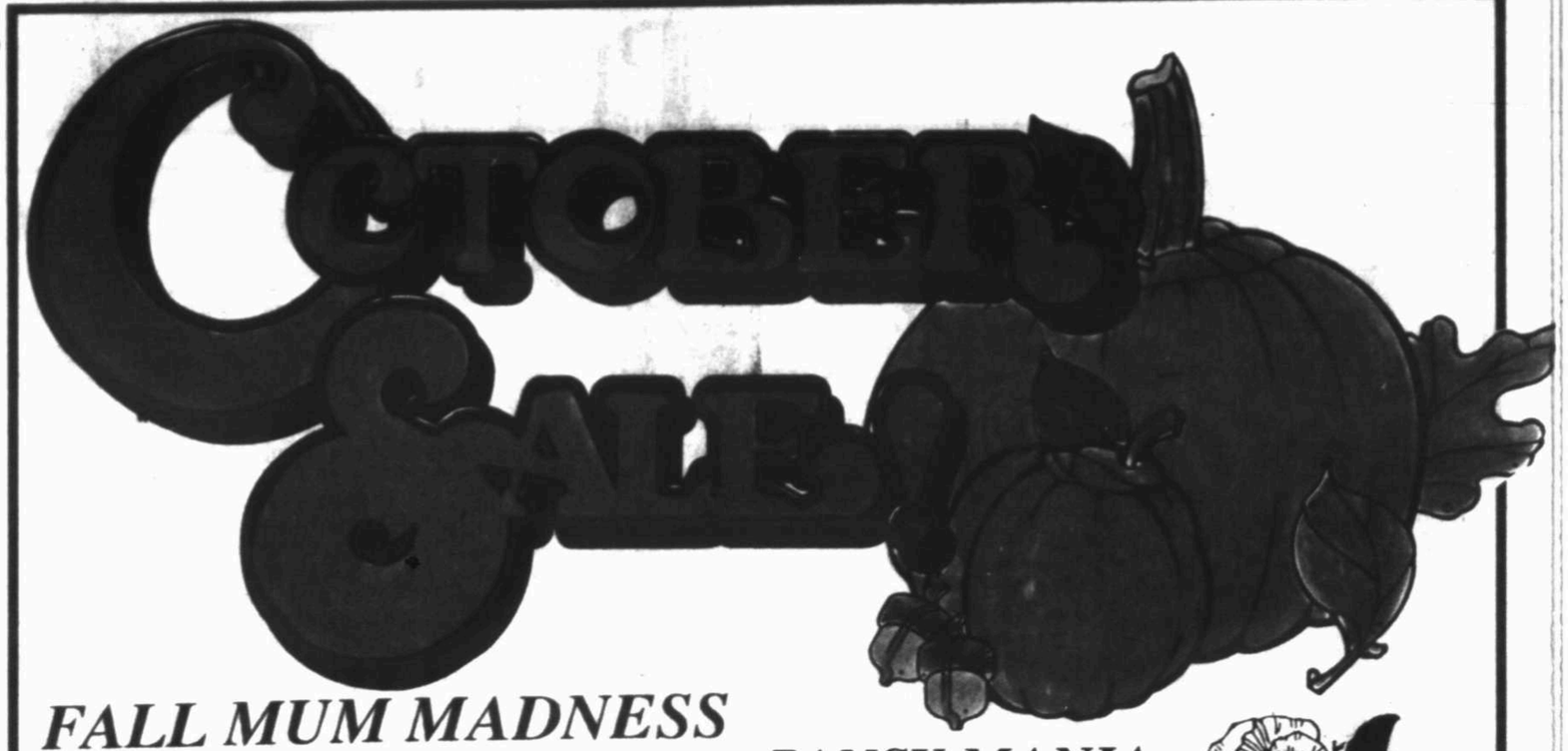
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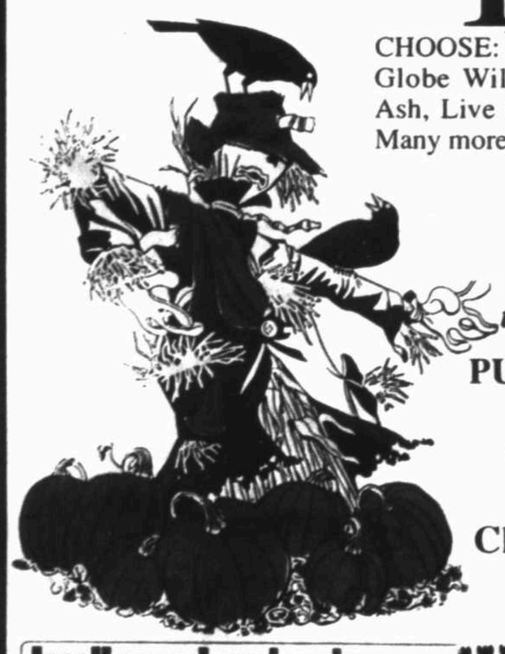
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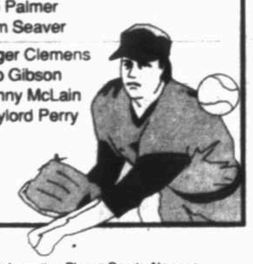
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Permian has won 23 times, Lee nine. There have been no ties.

Sports facts

Winners of multiple Cy Young Awards

4 Steve Carlton
3 Sandy Koufax, Jim Palmer, Tom Seaver
2 Roger Clemens, Bob Gibson, Denny McLain, Gaylord Perry



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Cone not charged

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — There is no foundation for allegations of rape against New York Mets pitcher David Cone and charges won't be filed, a Philadelphia police investigation said Thursday.

A 24-year-old New Jersey woman had claimed that Cone raped her after she gave him a massage in his Philadelphia hotel room Oct. 5.

But Philadelphia police and the district attorney's office decided to make no arrests after reviewing documents provided by the hotel and interviewing witnesses.

Cone's lawyer, Walter M. Phillips Jr., said he was happy police decided not to press charges.

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Showdown at sundown

Lee, Permian set to collide before 20,000

By Terry Williamson
Sports Editor

ODESSA — The Harris Rating System has installed Odessa Permian as an 18-point favorite over Midland Lee in today's 8 p.m. District 4-5A shootout at Ratliff Stadium, but that hasn't convinced some 20,000 fans to stay away.

The stands will be rocking by kickoff for the Permian Basin's hottest athletic ticket of the year with expectations high on both sides of the Petroplex fence.

When these two teams play, people notice. They don't listen to E.F. Hutton — or the Harris Rating System.

"Where else can you play a high school football game before 20,000 fans?" asks Midland Lee head football coach Earl Miller. "Clark and Converse Judson, two of the best teams in the state met last weekend in San Antonio and drew 8,500. There aren't too many games like Lee and Permian left in the state."

Permian coach Tam Hollingshead, who is 0-1 against Lee, also sees this as an exciting time.

"We feel like we have a pretty good football team and Lee has a good football team. There is a lot of electricity in the air," Hollingshead said. "It's a natural rivalry. The teams are only 20 miles apart, and because of the competitive nature of the game over the past several years, it has added to the excitement. It's a game that both teams look forward to playing."

Fans and experts alike are having a hard time figuring out what kind of game this will be. The two teams have combined for 427 points this year, but the combined total of points allowed by both teams is an unbelievable 39 points. And neither team owns a loss, rolling to a combined 10-0 record.

Even Hollingshead and Miller don't know what to expect when the ball breaks the 8 p.m. calm.

"We feel like Lee is as strong as the 1983 and 1987 teams," Hollingshead says. "They have exceptional linemen in (center) K.C. Jones and (guard) Keith Boyd, and their running backs are getting better at what they do each week.

"And Lee is a tremendously defensive oriented team with a strong front four with the likes of Bernard Oldham. It could be an offensive or defensive game."

Please see SHOWDOWN/2C



'Dogs battle OHS speed

■ Bronchos invade MHS homecoming.

By Bill Price
Staff Writer

While the Midland Lee-Odessa Permian game 20 miles down the road in Odessa has generated most of the attention this week, Midland High has tried to create some excitement for its own football game by making Odessa High its homecoming opponent.

The trouble is, when the ball is kicked off at 8 p.m. tonight in Memorial Stadium, the Bulldogs will still be without their first win or touchdown of the season, and will be facing perhaps the fastest set of running backs in District 4-5A.

The Bronchos' Brad Givens and Davorick Taylor have sprinter speed, while fullback Pablo Gonzales has been effective in throwing defenses off balance.

Givens is the leading rusher in the district with 596 yards, and has 819 tandem (running and receiving) yards. He also burned Permian, the toughest defense OHS has played this season, for 157 ground yards.

Add quarterback Erik Hartman's 655 passing yards in first-year coach Bill Barron's "wing-bone" offense, and fans may wonder if the Bronchos are overconfident about tonight's game.

"Lord no. We've been giving up a lot of points," Barron said, citing the reason for his squad's record of 2-3 and 0-2 in 4-5A. "We're going to have to play up to

Please see MHS/2C

Avery quiets Pirate bats

Associated Press

PITTSBURGH — Steve Avery wouldn't rattle, and neither would the Atlanta Braves.

Avery, at 21 too young to know the Braves don't win in October, again pitched with poise Thursday night as Atlanta beat the Pittsburgh Pirates 1-0 — with a chop, naturally — to send the NL playoffs south tied at one game each.

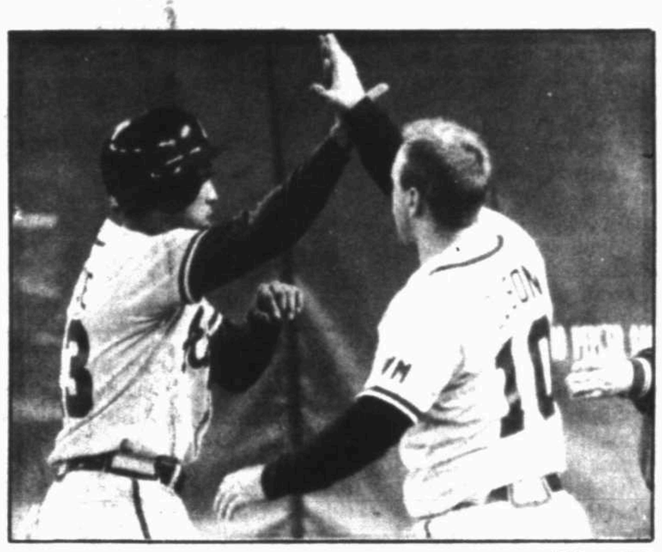
"I was just having fun," Avery said. "How can you not enjoy having 100 million people watching you?"

Mark Lemke's two-hopper eluded sure-handed third baseman Steve Buechele for an RBI double in the sixth inning, and that was enough, barely.

Avery got Game 1 hero Andy Van Slyke on a grounder with runners on first and third to end the eighth. Then Alejandro Pena lived up to his role as the Braves' saver, and savior, in the ninth by retiring Buechele on a grounder and striking out pinch-hitter Curtis Wilkerson with a runner on third to end the game.

Avery and Atlanta stopped the Braves' 10-game postseason losing streak, one short of the Philadelphia Phillies' record skid. Avery gave up six hits in 8 1-3 innings, struck out nine and, unlike Tom Glavine in the opener, shut down Pittsburgh's middle of the order for the most part.

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Braves Justice of the Braves, left, is greeted by teammate Greg Olson after scoring the only run in Atlanta's 1-0 victory over the Pirates.

Lee spikers dominate San Angelo

By Jimmy Patterson
Assistant Sports Editor

For her 17th birthday Thursday night, Courtney McHugh went out and had the time of her life.

But Courtney didn't celebrate like most teenagers, opting instead to have herself a little party on the Midland Lee volleyball floor.

The 5-5 junior setter at Midland Lee made the most of her first start of the District 4-5A volleyball season and joined forces with fellow junior Kim Blackburn to defeat San Angelo, 15-2, 15-8.

The win ups Lee's record to 2-4 in

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TERRY WILLIAMSON

Digging out facts of Lee vs. Permian

When Midland Lee meets Odessa Permian, you naturally start piling up some facts. Here's some items we came up with this week while butting heads with Tim McGraw, our resident District 4-5A expert.



Williamson

Odessa Permian owns a 23-9 overall record against Lee, but even those who live in Odessa will admit that the real series began in 1983 when the Rebels began to put a few victories on the board against Permian.

Since 1983, Lee has won six of 10 games and has won four of the last five. Both teams have three-game winning streaks during that span and they have split the last two.

Lee is the only district team since 1980 that has any kind of record against Permian. Take the Rebels out from 1980 and Mojo has only one loss (San Angelo) and two ties (San Angelo and Abilene High) against the rest of the league. San Angelo's overall record against Permian is similar to Lee at 9-22-1.

Lee has a 9-2 record in Ratliff Stadium, but one of those losses was to Odessa High last year.

Since 1983, the two teams have played before an estimated 173,000 fans.

This is the fifth time in the history of the Lee-Permian series that both teams have entered the game undefeated. In the four previous meetings of unbeatens, Lee has won two and Permian two. Permian won 14-3 in 1978 and 28-13 in 1984. Lee won 24-14 in 1986 and 42-21 in 1987, both under present head coach Earl Miller. Miller is 4-1 against Permian and Mojo coach Tam Hollingshead is 0-1 against Lee.

Permian has scored 241 points this year, the most ever by a Panther team after five games.

Midland Lee ranks No. 14 in the state in yardage allowed to opponents, giving up only 143 yards per game while Permian ranks No. 4 in offense, averaging 437 yards per outing. Even with Lee's meager yardage allowed, however, Permian has given up only 15 points this year while the Rebels have allowed 24 — neither of which should be ignored. The least amount of points Lee has given up in regular season is 78 points and is on track to break that record — unless Permian explodes tonight.

McGraw has the theory that tonight's loser is the biggest gainer as far as the state playoffs are concerned.

Assuming that Arlington Lamar wins its district and goes to the small school playoffs, which is almost a certain lock on both counts, and assuming that San Angelo, Permian and Lee are 4-5A's representatives, which is beginning to gain in the odds department, tonight's winner would probably have to face Lamar in the small school region round. Since the Vikings are considered the region's most feared threat, tonight's loser wouldn't have an obstacle of major fear until the quarterfinals.

Tim, I don't think anyone is buying into that argument, but by 11 p.m. today, it might fly.

Here is how it will all turn out tonight across 4-5A:

Odessa Permian 17, Midland Lee 13: The Mojo offensive machine is just too stout — even for Lee's head-busting defense. But the 18-point differential by the Harris Rating System is badly in need of adjustment.

Odessa High 30, Midland High 6: We'll let you guess whether the six points for MHS is its first touchdown of the year or two field goals. The teams are tied at 15-15 in the series since 1961.

San Angelo 34, Abilene High 7: The Bobkitties are rolling toward Permian and Lee with the best schedule in the league. They may be in the playoffs before they have to face Rebels and Mojo.

Abilene Cooper 14, Amarillo Tascosa 9: Cooper is showing some improvement, but this game carries little excitement with it.

Terry Williamson is sports editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

SHOWDOWN: Teams have combined for 427 points

(From 1C)

Miller says, "Permian has never scored this many points. They have speedy backs. They throw the ball well and have great receivers. Defensively, they run to the football as well as any team we've seen. And now they have a kicking game with Shane Wells. Usually, they have a weakness that you feel you can take advantage of somewhere, but I don't see it in this team.

"And we're going to be playing on the carpet. Fifty percent of our kids have never played on the rug and the other fifty percent have played on it one time when we got our brains beat out by Odessa High last year.

"It's going to be like going into Russia with missiles pointed down our throats."

Permian had one game in which it had over 200 yards passing from quarterback Stormy Case and another game with over 400 yards rushing. John Williams had over 200 yards rushing last week and doesn't even start. Tailback Malcolm Hamilton has scored 60 points this year.

Lee, meanwhile, doesn't have a real offensive star even though junior fullback Scott McLeod has crashed the 100-yard barrier the last two weeks. But Lee does have seven back averaging over four yards per carry in a spread-it-around offense.

With tight end/defensive end Tony Daniels back after missing last week's game, Permian will enter the game healthy overall, but Lee's injury situation could be a telling factor in the game.

Lee has been hit hard in its linebacking corps with Jovan Tellez (knee) and James Ward (ankle) in a day-to-day situation.

"Taking those two out is like the New York Giants losing Lawrence Taylor," Miller said. "If it was up to those two kids, they would play, but we can't let the pressure of this game dictate whether they play or not. If they can play, they will, but we won't take a chance on them if we feel like they are not ready."

Senior tight end Jeb Honeyman, who has not played linebacker since he was a sophomore and Tony Olivas would be the replacements for Tellez and Ward if they can't go.

"We tried Jeb at linebacker when he was a sophomore and we feel if you can bite as a sophomore, you can bite as a senior. He just doesn't have any experience. He's getting a crash course. We'll either fly or crash there.

"Actually, we've done better at this stage than I thought we would. We've got a quarterback who has never played quarterback and linebackers who have never played linebacker. These kids have done a lot."

Hollingshead feels the kicking game could be a deciding factor.

"The kicking game has played a big role in past games. Lee has a great kicking game with Todd Meade (field goal, kickoffs and extra points) and (punter) Darrell Lucas," Hollingshead said. "And we have a kicking specialist this year in Wells and we haven't had one of those in a while. It makes a difference when you can work on the kicking game all the time. We've usually had a position player in that role."

Lee has won four of the last five meetings against Permian and is by far the most successful team against Permian in the last decade of play. Why?

"Well, we have been able to score against them. Even in 1989 when Permian was All-World, we were able to score," Miller said. "We've also been able to adjust during the game. But the biggest factor of all is our kids aren't intimidated by them. I feel that is Permian's biggest weapon against other teams. You can't be allowed to be intimidated."

And the table is set for another Lee-Permian tussle.

MHS: Bulldogs have to minimize mistakes against OHS

(From 1C)

our capacity. We've moved the ball some, but we haven't done what's it's taken to win the last two weeks (losses of 39-16 to San Angelo and 44-0 to Permian)."

Even though OHS' defense has given up a total of 159 points this season, it's still the Broncs' offensive speed that has MHS head coach Davis Corley concerned. He describes them in one word.

"Fast. Those suckers can run," Corley said. "Also, Coach Barron's done a good job of getting his offense put in. With the personnel he's got, it's really the perfect offense."

Givens makes the wing-bone — a broken wishbone that puts skill people all over the field — go, but Corley said the Bulldogs (0-5, 0-2) can't afford to concentrate on one back.

"If you key on Givens, the fullback and quarterback eat you up. It's not a one-man show. The thing about Givens, though, is that he's got so much speed and talent he really gets them a lot of yards (he has a 9.8 yard-per-carry average)."

"We know everybody is going to try to stop Brad, but we're not going to NOT give the ball to somebody with that much ability. We utilize four backs, so maybe we're not giving it to him enough anyway. He's played well every game," Barron said.

Offensively for the Bulldogs, the key will be keeping mistakes to a minimum. Corley said penalties and turnovers again were MHS' undoing in a 17-3 loss at Abilene High last week.

"We've got to cut down on penalties and turnovers, especially penalties. Last week nearly every drive we had was stopped by a penalty. Even the interception return (a fourth-quarter 70-yard score by Deron Hamilton) was set up be a penalty because we got ourselves into a bind before the pass was ever thrown.

"We're always finding ourselves in first-and-15 or first-and-25."

If MHS is to convert in those situations, it could not find a more suitable opponent.

In addition to giving up those 159 points (31.8 a game), the Bronc defenders have allowed an average of 379 yards a game.

"Their defense has played well, but they're a lot like us in that they don't have a lot of size but run to the ball well. They've given up a lot of points early and against Permian, but they played well against Amarillo Palo Duro (a 35-0 OHS win) and San Angelo. San Angelo is a real good football team," Corley said.

"We haven't done a good job of stopping people, and Midland's No. 12 (Antwan Goodley) has got a lot of ability. Both their quarterbacks (Goodley and Geoff Simmons) have played well at times and their two running backs (Thomas Acrey and Eddie Redic) have a lot of ability. We've just got to play well defensively," Barron said.

OHS, along with Permian, Lee and San Angelo, was picked in the early going as one of the four teams vying for three playoff spots. In order to fulfill that goal, Barron said his Broncs know what they have to do, including beating MHS tonight.

"I consider Permian, Lee and San Angelo as the Big Three. We feel we have got to win out and hope to beat one of the Big Three. Of course, we've already had two shots so we only have one shot left (Oct. 25 at Lee). We know that," Barron said.

SPIKERS: Lee uses 10 aces

(From 1C)

district, 11-11 overall.

Elsewhere Thursday, Abilene High did away with Odessa High 15-5, 15-4, and Odessa Permian defeated Abilene Cooper, 15-12, 13-15, 15-12.

"Jenna (Jones) has been doing such a good job," McHugh said of the setter she usually backs up. "I haven't had a chance to play, but tonight Coach gave me the chance. I just wanted to play so bad."

McHugh spent most of the evening either diving on the floor or on her knees trying for saves, usually making the most of those opportunities.

Meanwhile, Blackburn also had what she described as the best match of her high school career, she, too, a replacement in Coach Anita Corder's revamped Lee lineup.

"Courtney's a spark plug," Corder said. "And Kim, that's the best I've seen her play. That was a real lift for her."

"We had us a talk before the game about team unity," Blackburn said. "It was real inspirational and kind of pumped everybody up."

The new team unity is the brainchild of Corder, who replaced three regular senior starters with three juniors. Part of the reason for the changes, Corder said, is the team's .500 overall record and fifth place standing in district. A little rearranging sometimes is the answer for a team that has struggled, Corder feels.

"In part its strategy," Corder said. "Hopefully, I think it'll make us a stronger team."

Lee served up 10 aces against the Lady Bobcats. And the Lady Rebs again displayed a tough, sometime impenetrable front line of Tiffany Grafa, Tekeira Strambler, Carrie Zamora and Blackburn.

What hurt the Lady Bobcats too often, though, was not so much the tough play of Lee, but their own unforced errors. The once mighty San Angelo team has plummeted to the bottom of the 4-5A standings, and stands at 0-6 in district, 2-17 overall after Thursday's loss.

"It's just one of those types of years," Lady Bobcat head coach Cynthia Williams said. "We only had one returning letterman back, but that can't be used as an excuse anymore. From here on out, what determines it for us is our mental attitude. You know, is the glass half empty, or half full?

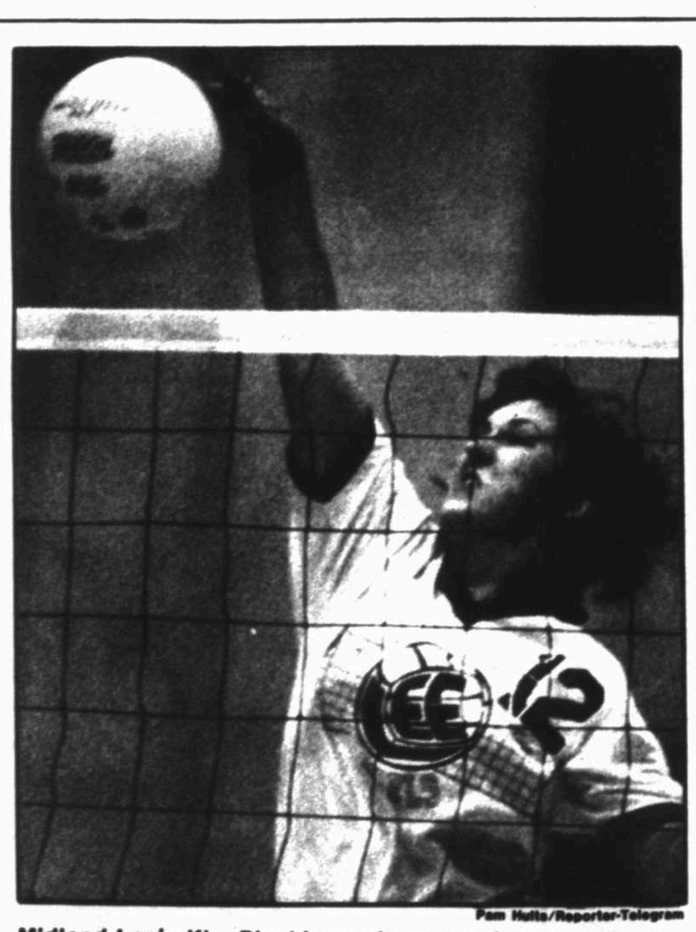
"I think what's going to change it for us is a good win or a really, really different approach to off-season."

Lee again experienced its mid-match letdown. With the match 30 minutes old, the Lady Rebels stood three points away from going home. Instead, the Rebs let down and the Lady Bobcats reeled off five straight points to trail by only five, 13-8.

A kill by Strambler and the 10th and final team service ace of the evening by Tanisha Mills and the Rebels finally accomplished what they had set out to do, despite the sag just before the end.

"That's our trademark," Corder said of the let down. "It goes back to that question of going for the jugular.

"But, it (the decisive win) felt good. I told the girls that one of our strong points was we're a good blocking team, and we did that tonight. I just hope we can ride on that Saturday."



Pam Hulin/Reporter-Telegram

Midland Lee's Kim Blackburn slams one home as the Rebels hand San Angelo a District 4-5A loss, 15-2, 15-8. Blackburn also had four service aces in the match.

Lee hosts Midland High Saturday to open the second half of the district season. Junior varsity action begins at 1:15 p.m. Varsity play follows at approximately 2:30 p.m.

Lee's JV fell to Central's JV, 15-10, 15-8 Thursday night.

4-5A Standings

Team	W	L	W	L
Abilene High	6	0	17	3
Midland High	4	2	10	8
Ab Cooper	4	2	11	10
Od Permian	4	2	15	6
Midland Lee	2	4	11	11
Odessa High	1	5	4	11
San Angelo	0	6	2	17

Tuesday's Results

Midland Lee def. San Angelo Central, 15-2, 15-8; Odessa Permain def. Abilene Cooper 15-12, 13-15, 15-12, Abilene High def. Odessa High, 15-5, 15-4; Midland High, idle.

Saturday's Games

Midland High at Midland Lee (junior varsity 1:15; varsity to follow, 2:30 approx.); Odessa High at Odessa Permian; Abilene High at Abilene Cooper.

Alternate routes devised for Ratliff Stadium traffic

Staff Report

Due to the heavy traffic expected in Odessa Friday night as a result of the sell-out crowd attending the Odessa Permian-Midland Lee football game, Odessa police have devised alternate routes for residents of Midland to use.

Beginning at 6:30 p.m., Grandview will be one-way north bound from Independence Avenue to Yukon. Fan wanting to park on the Lee side of Ratliff Stadium should be in the eastern most traffic lane on Grandview. They will enter the stadium by the east lane of the Main Gate. Fans wanting to park on the Permian side need to be in the western most and middle lanes of Grandview and will enter the stadium by the west lane of the Main Gate.

Fans arriving by traveling west on Yukon from Loop 338 will be turned north onto Grandview. They will enter the stadium through the East Gate. Fans traveling to the game south bound on Grandview from Loop 338 will go to Charles Walker Road, west bound on Charles Walker Road and then enter the stadium by the North Central Gate.

No parking will be allowed along Grandview, Yukon and Charles Walker Road due to one-way traffic patterns. Handicap parking near both east and west side ticket booths will be expanded by 12 spaces on each side.

Following the game, traffic flow will be one-way away from the stadium.

Traffic exiting the Main Gate will be directed east to Grandview, then south in three lanes.

Traffic exiting the East Gate will be directed south to Yukon, except the northern most lane. This lane will be routed north on Grandview, to merge with traffic exiting the North Central Gate. At Yukon, the south bound traffic will be routed east to Loop 338.

Maps of the before and after game traffic plan can be picked up at the front desk of the Midland and Odessa Police Departments.

Hein returns to scene of rugby triumph

LONDON (AP) — Wing Gary Hein returns to the scene of his greatest rugby triumph as the United States "Eagles" play a World Cup match against England at Twickenham Friday.

Hein ran almost the length of the field to score a stunning try for Oxford University against Cambridge in the prestigious Varsity match at Twickenham in December. His team went on to win 21-12.

Now playing for the Old Blues club at Berkeley, Calif., Hein hopes for a repeat.

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Razorbacks' confidence builds after win over TCU

Associated Press

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark. — The Arkansas Razorbacks went through a spirited workout Thursday to put the finishing touches on their preparations for the contest here Saturday with the Houston Cougars.

"We had a motivated workout today," coach Jack Crowe said. "They were thinking more about Houston than what they were doing on the field. We've taken care of all the physical work and we are ready for that aspect of the game, but now we have to take care of the mental aspect."

Crowe said that his squad gained a great deal of confidence from its victory against TCU last week. But he said that confidence hasn't made his team overlook the 1-3 Cougars.

"The players understand that Houston is a dangerous ball team despite their record," Crowe said.

The keys to the game for Arkansas, Crowe said, will be several: On offense, holding on to the ball and not giving the Cougars any gifts, while on defense denying the Cougars the opportunity to complete the deep pass, and getting at least three interceptions.

Arkansas will use its most complex offensive game plan of the season. Crowe said Jason Allen, the Razorbacks' freshman quarterback, can handle more assignments despite his inexperience.

"Jason is the type of guy you could turn the offense over to and go without a huddle," Crowe said.

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Last Week: 17-8
Season: 93-32
Pct.: .744



GARY OTT
Last Week: 18-7
Season: 91-34
Pct.: .728



BILL PRICE
Last Week: 18-7
Season: 91-34
Pct.: .728



JIMMY PATTERSON
Last Week: 19-6
Season: 90-35
Pct.: .720



TERRY WILLIAMSON
Last Week: 16-9
Season: 82-43
Pct.: .656



CRYSTAL BALL
(Consensus)
Last Week: 18-7
Season: 94-31
Pct.: .752

High School						
Midland Lee at Odessa Permian	Midland Lee	Odessa Permian	Odessa Permian	Odessa Permian	Odessa Permian	Odessa Permian (4-1)
Odessa High at Midland High	Odessa High	Odessa High	Odessa High	Odessa High	Odessa High	Odessa High (5-0)
Abilene High at San Angelo Central	San Angelo Central	San Angelo Central	San Angelo Central	San Angelo Central	San Angelo Central	S.A. Central (5-0)
Reagan County at Greenwood	Reagan County	Greenwood	Reagan County	Reagan County	Reagan County	Reagan County (4-1)
San Angelo Lakeview at Big Spring	Big Spring	Big Spring	Big Spring	Big Spring	Big Spring	Big Spring (5-0)
Stanton at Ozona	Stanton	Ozona	Ozona	Stanton	Ozona	Ozona (3-2)
Frenship at Lamesa	Frenship	Lamesa	Frenship	Lamesa	Frenship	Frenship (3-2)
Sweetwater at Andrews	Andrews	Sweetwater	Sweetwater	Sweetwater	Sweetwater	Sweetwater (4-1)
Rankin at Presidio	Rankin	Rankin	Rankin	Rankin	Rankin	Rankin (5-0)
College						
Texas Tech at SMU	Texas Tech	Texas Tech	Texas Tech	Texas Tech	Texas Tech	Texas Tech (5-0)
Rice at Baylor	Baylor	Baylor	Baylor	Baylor	Baylor	Baylor (5-0)
Houston at Arkansas	Houston	Houston	Houston	Houston	Houston	Houston (5-0)
Texas vs. Oklahoma	Oklahoma	Oklahoma	Oklahoma	Oklahoma	Oklahoma	Oklahoma (5-0)
Tennessee at Florida	Tennessee	Florida	Florida	Florida	Florida	Florida (4-1)
Georgia at Mississippi	Mississippi	Georgia	Georgia	Mississippi	Georgia	Georgia (3-2)
Ohio State at Illinois	Ohio State	Illinois	Ohio State	Ohio State	Ohio State	Ohio State (4-1)
Penn State at Miami	Miami	Miami	Miami	Miami	Miami	Miami (5-0)
Pittsburgh at Notre Dame	Pittsburgh	Notre Dame	Notre Dame	Pittsburgh	Notre Dame	Notre Dame (3-2)
Missouri at Colorado	Colorado	Colorado	Colorado	Colorado	Colorado	Colorado (5-0)
Professional						
Cincinnati at Dallas	Dallas	Cincinnati	Dallas	Dallas	Dallas	Dallas (4-1)
Houston at New York Jets	Houston	Houston	Houston	Houston	Houston	Houston (5-0)
Miami at Kansas City	Kansas City	Kansas City	Kansas City	Kansas City	Miami	Kansas City (4-1)
Atlanta at San Francisco	San Francisco	San Francisco	San Francisco	San Francisco	San Francisco	San Francisco (5-0)
Los Angeles Raiders at Seattle	Seattle	Raiders	Seattle	Seattle	Raiders	Seattle (3-2)
N.Y. Giants at Pittsburgh (Mon.)	Pittsburgh	Giants	Giants	Giants	Giants	Giants (4-1)

Doctor uncovers problem with Montana's shoulder during operation on elbow

Associated Press

SANTA CLARA, Calif. — A doctor who treated Joe Montana's elbow also found an unstable and weakened shoulder that might hinder the San Francisco quarterback's attempt at a comback next season.

"There are some problems with his shoulder," said Dr. Ben Kibler, the attending physician for the U.S. Tennis Association who examined Montana on Tuesday. "He could get by with it with a good elbow. Now that his elbow is not 100 percent ..."

A torn tendon to Montana's right elbow was reattached in a 90-minute procedure Wednesday night by Dr. Michael Dillingham, the team physician.

Dillingham said the surgery was technically successful and said there is "a good chance" Montana will play again, although he probably won't be able to throw until next May.

"We've always said there's a chance that he's going to have problems. I think that's about as much comment as it needs," Dillingham said. "There's also a chance he'll be perfectly fine and he won't know the difference."

Dillingham said he had spoken to Montana Thursday morning.

"He was feeling pretty optimistic," Dillingham said. "We discussed, frankly, what the prognosis was and so forth and he felt that was fine and that he was ready to do his best to come back."

Kibler said Montana's shoulder has some muscle instability in the joint and some weakness around the muscles that control the shoulder blade. He also also suffers from a loss of flexibility.

Kibler said it was impossible to tell if Montana's elbow problems were a result of compensating for his weakened shoulder. He said Montana's rehabilitation includes exercises to strengthen the shoulder.

Dillingham headed the three-surgeon team that reattached Montana's common flexor tendon, which had completely torn away from the bone in his elbow. The doctor said there was no ligament damage to the elbow, which would have created a more serious problem.

But he was hesitant to put any specifics on Montana's recovery period except to say, "There's a good chance he'll return to play."

Montana's elbow will be in a splint for about two weeks and then kept protected for 4-to-6 weeks. After that, Dillingham said it would be several months before the quarterback starts trying to throw, perhaps by the 49ers' mini-camp in May.

'There's also a chance he'll be perfectly fine and he won't know the difference.'
Dr. Michael Dillingham, 49ers team physician

"I think we're just going to follow this along and see how it goes," he said.

The 35-year-old Montana has been unable to play since training camp because of the elbow injury.

Dillingham said the decision to operate was made after Montana sought two other opinions, including Kibler's, to make sure surgery was the best way to recover from the elbow pain that has bothered him all season.

The doctor said there was no way Montana could have returned to play this season. He added that the injury was aggravated by Montana's play this season, but the additional damage wasn't significant.

"He's an extremely competitive individual. He wants to play again and his attitude at this point toward waiting was that it would simply do further damage," Dillingham said.

Dillingham was assisted by Dr. Gary Fanton and Dr. Warren King in the procedure done at the Stanford University Medical Center.

The surgery, described as having an 80 percent rate of success, was similar to the operation that ended the career of former Pittsburgh Steelers quarterback Terry Bradshaw. He was 35 at the time, also.

Dillingham said he couldn't say whether Montana's case duplicates Bradshaw's because he was not sure what kind of injury Bradshaw had.

San Francisco coach George Seifert said he expects Montana to be back for 1992.

"When he went on injured reserve, I expected him to play again in 1991. We were wrong," Seifert said. "It was more serious than we first expected. But my understanding and expectation is that he will be back. At least the odds are in favor of that."

Montana, who has twice previously had surgery on his elbow, aggravated his injury Saturday during a practice session in which he was attempting 30-to-35 yard passes.

Quail meeting slated in Midland

Staff Report

Quail Unlimited, a nationwide organization of upland game bird hunters devoted to improving the species' habitat and population, will hold a meeting of its Midland, Odessa, Stanton and Big Spring area chapters on Thursday, Oct. 17, at 7 p.m. in the Sibley Environmental Learning Center, 1300 East Wadley, in Midland.

Annual membership in the organization is $20, which includes two publications throughout the year.

Representatives from the Soil Conservation Service, Texas Parks and Wildlife Department and Quail Unlimited will be on hand at the meeting.

Persons wanting more information on the meeting should call Chip Martin, 823-3347; or Ray Schimcek at 684-8722.

SPORTS SCOREBOARD

NHL Standings

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WALES CONFERENCE

Patrick Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
New Jersey	3	0	0	6	17	9
Washington	3	0	0	6	13	7
NY Rangers	3	1	0	6	12	10
Pittsburgh	2	0	1	5	13	9
NY Islanders	1	1	0	2	7	8
Philadelphia	0	2	1	1	7	13
Adams Division						
Montreal	2	1	1	5	11	8
Boston	1	2	1	3	13	13
Quebec	1	2	0	2	11	11
Hartford	0	1	1	1	4	6
Buffalo	0	2	1	1	9	12

CAMPBELL CONFERENCE

Norris Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Minnesota	2	0	0	4	7	4
Toronto	2	2	0	4	18	14
Detroit	0	2	1	1	9	15
Chicago	0	2	1	1	7	11
St. Louis	0	2	0	0	2	10
Smythe Division						
Vancouver	3	0	0	6	12	7
Los Angeles	2	0	1	5	14	8
Calgary	1	2	0	2	15	11
San Jose	1	2	0	2	9	12
Winnipeg	1	2	0	2	10	12
Edmonton	0	2	1	1	7	17

Wednesday's Games

Boston 4, Buffalo 4, tie

N.Y. Rangers 5, N.Y. Islanders 3

Washington 5, Toronto 4

Thursday's Games

Late Games Not Included

Montreal 4, Detroit 1

Pittsburgh 6, Philadelphia 3

Minnesota 3, Quebec 2

Vancouver at Chicago, (n)

Edmonton at St. Louis, (n)

Calgary at Los Angeles, (n)

Winnipeg at San Jose, (n)

Friday's Game

N.Y. Rangers at Washington, 6:35 p.m.

NHL Sums

Pens 6, Flyers 3

Pittsburgh	2	1	3—6
Philadelphia	1	1	1—3

First Period—1, Pittsburgh, L.Murphy 1 (Trottier, Bourque), 10:30. 2, Pittsburgh, Trottier 1 (Loney, Mullen), 11:18. 3, Philadelphia, Jones 1 (Craven, Ducheane), 17:50.

Second Period—4, Philadelphia, Samuelsson 1 (Lomakin), 5:29. 5, Pittsburgh, Coffey 1 (Jagr, Bourque), 6:08.

Third Period—6, Pittsburgh, Mullen 1 (L.Murphy, Coffey), 7:40 (pp). 7, Pittsburgh, Lemieux 2 (Coffey, Recchi), 14:10. 8, Philadelphia, Ricci 2 (Carkner, Ducheane), 17:31. 9, Pittsburgh, Mullen 2 (Errey), 19:24 (en).

Shots on goal—Pittsburgh 10-8-8—26. Philadelphia 9-4-8—21. Power-play Opportunities—Pittsburgh 1 of 3; Philadelphia 0 of 3. Goalies—Pittsburgh, Barrasso, 2-0-1 (21 shots-18 saves). Philadelphia, Wregget, 0-1-0 (25-20).

Canadiens 4, Wings 1

Montreal	0	1	3—4
Detroit	1	0	0—1

First Period—1, Detroit, Miller 1 (penalty shot), 16:52.

Second Period—2, Montreal, LeClair 2 (Keane, Lebeau), 9:54.

Third Period—3, Montreal, Savard 1, 1:11. 4, Montreal, Carbonneau 2 (Gilchrist), 7:31. 5, Montreal, Turgeon 2 (Savard, Svoboda), 15:05 (pp).

Shots on goal—Montreal 7-12-13—32. Detroit 9-8-10—25. Power-play Opportunities—Montreal 1 of 6; Detroit 0 of 5. Goalies—Montreal, Roy 2-1-1 (25 shots-24 saves). Detroit, Cheveldae 0-2-1 (32-28). A—19,875.

Stars 3, Nordiques 2

Quebec	1	0	1—2
Minnesota	1	2	0—3

First Period—1, Minnesota, Gavin 1 (Broten, Ducheane), 17:02. 2, Quebec, Nolan 2 (Hough, Fogarty), 19:04 (pp).

Second Period—3, Minnesota, Propp 1 (Gagner, Modano), 12:23. 4, Minnesota, Gavin 2 (Glynn, Ducheane), 16:27.

Third Period—5, Quebec, Tatarinov 1 (Hough), 12:12.

Shots on goal—Quebec 8-11-8—25. Minnesota 14-15-15—44. Power-play Opportunities—Quebec 1 of 5; Minnesota 0 of 7. Goalies—Quebec, Cloutier, 0-1-0 (44 shots-41 saves). Minnesota, Casey, 2-0-0 (25-23). A—10,099.

Jets 5, Sharks 4

Winnipeg	1	2	2—5
San Jose	1	2	1—4

First Period—1, San Jose, Mullen 1 (Kisio), 1:33 (sh). 2, Winnipeg, Elynuik 1 (Numminen, Romaniuk), 5:15 (pp).

Second Period—3, San Jose, Presley 2 (Anderson, Hackett), :37. 4, Winnipeg, Murray 2 (Romaniuk), :48. 5, Winnipeg, Olczyk 4 (Barnes, Housley), 9:59 (pp). 6, San Jose, Hammond 1, 15:59.

Third Period—7, San Jose, Kisio 2 (Lessard, Mullen), 2:15. 8, Winnipeg, Erickson 1 (Housley, Barber), 8:13. 9, Winnipeg, Erickson 2 (Numminen, Eagles), 15:59.

Shots on goal—Winnipeg 7-16-7—30. San Jose 8-7-11—26. Power-play Opportunities—Winnipeg 2 of 6; San Jose 0 of 4. Goalies—Winnipeg, Beauregard, 1-1-0 (26 shots-22 saves). San Jose, Hackett, 0-2-0 (30-26).

NFL Standings

All Times CDT

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
Buffalo	5	1	0	.833	168	148	3-0-0	2-1-0	3-1-0	2-0-0	2-0-0
Miami	3	3	0	.500	120	122	2-0-0	1-3-0	2-2-0	1-1-0	2-2-0
NY Jets	3	3	0	.500	120	112	2-1-0	1-2-0	2-2-0	1-1-0	1-1-0
N.England	2	4	0	.333	66	111	1-2-0	1-2-0	2-3-0	0-1-0	1-1-0
Indnplis	0	6	0	.000	43	134	0-3-0	0-3-0	0-5-0	0-1-0	0-2-0
Central											
Houston	4	1	0	.800	156	89	3-0-0	1-1-0	4-1-0	0-0-0	1-0-0
Pittsburgh	3	2	0	.600	115	104	2-0-0	1-2-0	3-1-0	0-1-0	0-0-0
Cleveland	2	3	0	.400	72	89	1-2-0	1-1-0	2-1-0	0-2-0	1-0-0
Cincnnati	0	5	0	.000	68	136	0-3-0	0-2-0	0-4-0	0-1-0	0-2-0
West											
Denver	4	2	0	.667	128	107	3-0-0	1-2-0	3-2-0	1-0-0	2-1-0
Kan. City	4	2	0	.667	98	69	3-1-0	1-1-0	3-1-0	1-1-0	2-0-0
LA Raidrs	3	3	0	.500	91	108	3-1-0	0-2-0	2-2-0	1-1-0	1-1-0
Seattle	3	3	0	.500	111	86	2-0-0	1-3-0	3-2-0	0-1-0	0-2-0
San Diego	1	5	0	.167	97	127	0-2-0	1-3-0	1-3-0	0-2-0	1-2-0

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
Washingtn	6	0	0	1.000	189	65	3-0-0	3-0-0	1-0-0	5-0-0	3-0-0
Dallas	4	2	0	.667	115	113	1-2-0	3-0-0	1-0-0	3-2-0	2-2-0
NYGiants	3	3	0	.500	95	93	3-1-0	0-2-0	1-0-0	2-3-0	1-1-0
Phila	3	3	0	.500	90	80	1-1-0	2-2-0	1-0-0	2-3-0	1-2-0
Phoenix	3	3	0	.500	92	105	1-1-0	2-2-0	1-0-0	2-3-0	1-3-0
Central											
Detroit	5	1	0	.833	126	111	4-0-0	1-1-0	2-0-0	3-1-0	3-0-0
Chicago	4	2	0	.667	97	11	3-1-0	1-1-0	1-1-0	3-1-0	2-0-0
Minnesota	2	4	0	.333	69	108	1-1-0	1-3-0	0-1-0	2-3-0	0-2-0
Green Bay	1	5	0	.167	83	115	1-2-0	0-3-0	0-1-0	1-4-0	1-1-0
Tampa Bay	1	5	0	.167	73	112	1-2-0	0-3-0	0-2-0	1-3-0	0-3-0
West											
New Orlns	5	0	0	1.000	121	47	3-0-0	2-0-0	2-0-0	3-0-0	2-0-0
Atlanta	2	3	0	.400	62	86	1-2-0	1-1-0	2-1-0	0-2-0	0-1-0
LA Rams	2	3	0	.400	73	105	1-1-0	1-2-0	0-0-0	2-3-0	0-2-0
San Fran	2	3	0	.400	95	96	2-0-0	0-3-0	1-1-0	1-2-0	1-0-0

Sunday's Games

Dallas 20, Green Bay 17

Houston 42, Denver 14

Miami 20, New England 10

Detroit 24, Minnesota 20

New York Jets 17, Cleveland 14

Tampa Bay 14, Philadelphia 13

Seattle 13, Cincinnati 7

Washington 20, Chicago 7

New York Giants 20, Phoenix 9

San Diego 21, Los Angeles Raiders 13

Pittsburgh 21, Indianapolis 3

OPEN DATE: Atlanta, Los Angeles Rams, New Orleans, San Francisco

Monday's Game

Kansas 33, Buffalo 6

Sunday, Oct. 13

Cincinnati at Dallas, noon.

Cleveland at Washington, noon.

Indianapolis at Buffalo, noon.

New Orleans at Philadelphia, noon.

Phoenix at Minnesota, noon.

San Diego at Los Angeles Rams, 3 p.m.

Miami at Kansas City, 3 p.m.

Houston at New York Jets, 3 p.m.

Atlanta at San Francisco, 3 p.m.

Los Angeles Raiders at Seattle, 6:30 p.m.

OPEN DATE: Chicago, Denver, Detroit, Green Bay, New England, Tampa Bay

Monday, Oct. 14

New York Giants at Pittsburgh, 8 p.m.

Transactions

Thursday's Sports Transactions

BASEBALL

American League

BOSTON RED SOX—Named Dan Zimmer third base coach and Rich Gale pitching coach.

CLEVELAND INDIANS—Sent Garland Kiser and Eric Stone, pitchers, outright to Colorado Springs of the Pacific Coast League.

MILWAUKEE BREWERS—Placed Rick Dempsey, catcher, on waivers for the purpose of giving him his unconditional release.

SEATTLE MARINERS—Fired Jim Lefebvre, manager, and Mike Paul, pitching coach. Retained Gene Clines, Dan Warthen and Rusty Kuntz, coaches, for the 1992 season. Sent Keith Comstock, Brian Givens and Mike Walker, pitchers, outright to Calgary of the Pacific Coast League. Announced that Comstock refused assignment and became a free agent.

National League

MONTREAL EXPOS—Sent Greg McCarthy, pitcher, outright to Indianapolis of the American Association.

NEW YORK METS—Announced that Rick Cerone, catcher, refused assignment and became a free agent.

Midwest League

QUAD CITY ANGELS—Announced they are changing their name to the Quad City River Bandits.

BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association

ORLANDO MAGIC—Agreed on a contract extension with Jeff Turner, forward.

PHILADELPHIA 76ERS—Signed Hersey Hawkins, guard, to a 4-year contract extension. Waived Mike Goodson, guard.

Continental Basketball Association

FORT WAYNE FURY—Signed Tony Karesek, center.

LA CROSSE CATBIRDS—Signed Baskerville Holmes, forward.

WICHITA FALLS—Signed Robert Youngblood, forward.

FOOTBALL

Arena Football League

PHOENIX—Named Danny White general manager and coach.

Professional Spring Football League

PSFL—Named Rex Larnder, Jr. commissioner and chief executive officer.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League

SAN JOSE SHARKS—Signed Perry Berezan, center. Returned Ed Courtenay, right wing, and Mikhail Kravets, left wing, to Kansas City of the International Hockey League.

East Coast Hockey League

COLUMBUS CHILL—Acquired Brad Trelliving, defenseman, from Winston-Salem for cash.

GENERAL

NEW JERSEY SPORTS AND EXPOSITION AUTHORITY—Promoted Michael Graime to director of college athletics and public relations for the Meadowlands Arena and Giants Stadium.

COLLEGE

NEW YORK COLLEGIATE ATHLETIC CONFERENCE—Elected Christopher Bledsoe chairman; Robert Hartwell vice chairman; Clyde Doughty secretary, and Vin Salemone treasurer.

COLLEGIATE TRACK CONFERENCE—Announced the addition of St. Francis, N.Y. to its membership.

GRACE—Named Don Gordon baseball coach.

STONY BROOK—Named Bernard Tomlin men's basketball coach.

NBA Sum

Hawks 131, Mavs 117

DALLAS (117)

McCray 0-4 1-4 1, Tarpley 6-12 1-2 13, Donaldson 2-5 1-2 5, Blackman 1-5 0-0 2, Harper 7-10 5-6 19, B.Davis 2-3 0-0 4, Lever 1-9 4-7 6, Cuttright 3-8 4-4 12, T.Davis 5-5 1-2 11, White 4-8 1-2 9, Johnston 3-8 1-2 7, Jones 5-8 0-0 11, Grandholm 2-3 0-0 4, Iuzzolino 1-4 0-0 2, Ferguson 2-4 2-2 6, Hodge 0-2 5-6 5. Totals 44-98 29-39 117.

ATLANTA (131)

Wilkins 9-13 6-9 25, Willis 8-15 4-6 20, Rasmussen 4-6 0-0 8, Augmon 1-7 4-4 6, Robinson 4-9 2-2 10, Koncak 4-7 0-0 8, Volkov 3-6 2-3 8, Monroe 3-10 5-6 11, Popson 1-1 0-0 2, Henrie 2-6 2-2 7, Leonard 6-7 2-2 12, Lett 1-5 3-4 5, Graham 2-2 5-6 9. Totals 47-96 36-43 131.

Dallas	24	35	20	38—117
Atlanta	20	38	37	36—131

3-Point goals—Dallas 3-8 (Cuttright 2-3, Jones 1-2, McCray 0-1, Iuzzolino 0-2), Atlanta 3-7 (Wilkins 1-1, Henrie 1-4, Koncak 0-1, Volkov 0-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Dallas 44 (Tarpley, Hodge 6), Atlanta 59 (Willis 14). Assists—Dallas 28 (Harper 6), Atlanta 31 (Robinson 9). Total fouls—Dallas 32, Atlanta 28.

Las Vegas Golf

LAS VEGAS (AP) — Scores and relation to par Thursday after the second round of the $1.8 million Las Vegas Invitational played on the 7,169-yard Las Vegas Country Club, 7,111-yard Desert Inn Country Club and 6,979-yard Sunrise Golf Club courses (all courses have par of 36-36-72):

John Daly	66-63—129	-15
Bruce Lietzke	68-63—131	-13
Craig Stadler	67-64—131	-13
Hal Sutton	68-64—132	-12
Roger Maltbie	67-65—132	-12
Mark Brooks	67-65—132	-12
Andy Bean	65-68—133	-11
Mark McCumber	69-64—133	-11
Tom Byrum	64-69—133	-11
Ted Schulz	65-68—133	-11
Larry Rinker	70-63—133	-11
Duffy Waldorf	67-66—133	-11
Jim Booros	69-65—134	-10
Jeff Sluman	66-68—134	-10
Andrew Magee	69-65—134	-10
Trevor Dodds	69-65—134	-10
Jim Gallagher	69-65—134	-10
Steve Jones	65-69—134	-10
D.A. Weibring	70-64—134	-10
John Cook	68-69—135	-9
Bruce Fleisher	64-71—135	-9
Bobby Wadkins	68-67—135	-9
Ed Fiori	69-66—135	-9
Ed Humenik	66-69—135	-9
Steve Elkington	66-69—135	-9
Gary McCord	68-67—135	-9
Kenny Knox	69-66—135	-9
Ken Green	70-65—135	-9

Bowling

City bowling results as provided by the Midland Bowling Association:

Cactus Lanes

Petroleum American: Bill Davis, 201-245—605; Scott Pope, 258, 210; Dennis Samsel, 236, 219; Vernon Hines, 203; Don Clark, 252; Johnny Lane, 226; Mike Boyer, 211; Bert Griggs, 216; Edward Mackey, 213; Gary King, 203, 227; Dennis Montgomery, 204; Billy Sullivan, 200, 202; Chris Shull, 210; Bill Davis, 201, 245; Jim Cameron, 202, 213.

Petroleum Mixed: Carolyn Berry, 214; Janice Tullos, 203.

Keglers (Men): Bill Morgan, 232-209—602; Russell Hall, 234-220—620; Mike White, 234-232—637; Don Clark, 246-231-208—685; Scott Pope, 217-257-207—681; Guy Gulic, 212; Bryan Kelley, 207; Wayne Patteson, 222; Bert Griggs, 205; Burt Evans, 213; Ken Maisel, 201; Ken Robey, 247; Lance Pomeroy, 200, 206.

Keglers (Women): Carol Carpenter, 216; Debbie Ellis, 209, 220.

Ex-Boom Time Bowlers (Men): Buddy Claxton, 208; Brian Wilson, 203; Frank McGovern, 234; Charlie Garner, 203; Terry Donathan, 232; David Griffin, 224; Roger Becker, 202; Joe Kemper, 206; Danny Adamson, 220; Tim Green, 200.

Ex-Boom Time (Women): Laura Skinner, 201; 140-avg. or below: Linda Powell, 190, 517; Lori Rose, 188; Debra Ellis, 205; Toni Amstadt, 181 (126 avg.).

Lone Star Ladies: Pat Fluharty, 97 triplicate, 297 series (86 avg.); Sonalee Barber, 208, 532 (140 avg.); Cathy Buretz, 204; Gail Poole, 205; Nancy Wilson, 233; Janice Moore, 202; Karen Ragsdale, 177 (131 avg.).

Tuesday Trios: Norma Nickerson, 179, (139 avg.); Linda Wright, 176 (134 avg.).

Wednesday Jokers: Shirley Warren, 210; Teresa Deso, 203; Kandy Pruitt, 189 (137 avg.); Sheril Burns, 176 (129 avg.).

Chevron (Men): Kevin Sullivan, 209, 212; Brian Ball, 208.

Chevron (Women): Duchess Klein, 503 (133 avg.); Betsy Vest, 500 (136 avg.).

Midland Firefighters: Greg Adkins, 204.

THIS WEEK'S BOWLING TIP: Whether you take a 3, 4, or 5 step approach, the last step is most important. It's called the pivot step. The pivot step is where you transfer your leg power into the delivery of the ball. Since most people can't generate enough strength with their arms alone, it is esential that you use your legs as another source of power. If you push off with your next to last step in the final approach, you will transfer leg strengh into the ball for a more powerful hit at the pin deck.

Tennis

TOKYO (AP) — Results Thursday of the Seiko Super tennis tournament at Tokyo Metropolitan Gymnasium (seedings in parentheses):

Andre Agassi (4), Las Vegas, def. Jeff Tarango, Manhattan Beach, Calif., 6-4, 7-6 (10-8).

David Wheaton (5), Deephaven, Minn., def. Gianluca Pozzi, Italy, 6-0, 6-2.

Michael Chang (8), Coto de Caza, Calif., def. Andrei Chesnokov (9), Soviet Union, 6-3, 6-4.

Derick Rostagno (7), Pacific Palisades, Calif., def. Richey Reneberg (10), Palm Desert, Calif., 3-6, 6-3, 6-4.

District 4-5A Stats

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OFFENSE

Team	FD	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg.	PF	C-At	In-FL
Permian	108	1499	684	2183	436.6	241	33- 63	1- 6
San Angelo	89	690	1093	1783	356.6	151	69-143	5- 9
Odessa	75	962	655	1617	323.4	143	31- 76	2-13
Cooper	82	743	557	1300	260.0	78	46- 93	5- 5
Lee	99	1354	149	1493	298.6	186	9- 21	0-10
Abilene	44	660	97	757	151.4	24	17- 59	2- 8
Midland	33	291	252	543	108.6	6	23- 68	8- 9

Penalties: Odessa 24-167, Permian 29-234, San Angelo 31-235, Cooper 25-249, Abilene 31-264, Lee 30-293, Midland 35-300.

DEFENSE

Team	FD	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg.	PA	C-At	In-FR
Lee	46	371	344	715	143.0	24	27- 67	9- 6
Permian	49	629	170	799	159.8	18	20- 71	4- 9
Abilene	55	723	359	1082	216.4	61	25- 69	4- 6
San Angelo	61	865	294	1159	231.8	58	18- 69	3- 9
Midland	89	1212	271	1483	296.6	133	17- 39	0- 7
Cooper	82	975	573	1512	302.4	97	34- 71	5- 7
Odessa	88	1024	871	1895	379.0	159	47-115	9- 9

Net Turnover Margin: Permian +7, Lee +5, Odessa +3, Cooper +2, Abilene 0, San Angelo -2, Midland -10.

TOTAL OFFENSE

Player, Team	G	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg.	TD
Shea Morenz, SA	5	228	1093	1321	264.2	14
Stormy Case, OP	5	94	658	752	150.4	7
Erik Hartman, OH	5	86	655	741	148.2	9
Brad Givens, OH	5	596	0	596	119.2	7
Malcolm Hamilton, OP	5	507	0	507	101.4	10

TANDEM OFFENSE

Player, Team	G	Rush	Rec	Total	Avg.	TD
Brad Givens, OH	5	596	223	819	163.8	9
Malcolm Hamilton, OP	5	507	19	526	105.2	10
David Hamilton, SA	5	432	51	483	96.6	4
Tony Tate, AC	4	223	157	380	95.0	2
Damon Carroll, SA	5	6	375	381	76.2	6

RUSHING

Player, Team	No.	Yards	Avg.	TD
Brad Givens, OH	81	596	9.8	6
Malcolm Hamilton, OP	72	507	7.0	10
David Hamilton, SA	84	432	5.1	3
John Williams, OP	30	357	11.9	3
Mike Rose, AC	53	277	5.2	0
Scott McLeod, Lee	40	275	6.9	6
Tim Ross, OP	40	268	6.7	4
Jimmy Patton, Lee	52	233	4.5	4
Sherman Dedrick, Lee	47	231	4.9	1
Shea Morenz, SA	38	226	6.0	1

PASSING

Player, Team	C-A	Yards	TD	Int
Shea Morenz, SA	69-139	1093	13	4
Stormy Case, OP	30- 58	658	7	1
Erik Hartman, OH	31- 76	655	9	2
Jason St. Pierre, AC	42- 83	507	3	5
Geoff Simmons, MH	19- 47	197	0	6
Jimmy Patton, Lee	8- 18	121	2	0
Jason Love, AH	7- 25	58	0	2
Antwan Goodley, MH	5- 20	50	0	2
Marcus Kaufmann, AH	10- 34	39	1	0
Courtney Turner, ML	1- 3	26	0	0

RECEIVING

Player, Team	No.	Yards	Avg.	TD
Damon Carroll, SA	20	375	18.8	5
Marcus Bibbs, SA	16	281	17.6	3
C.C. Witt, AC	16	196	12.3	1
Charles Vogel, SA	15	203	13.5	2
Kris Dodson, AH	14	83	5.9	1
Ryan King, SA	13	174	13.4	1
Dwyane Culpepper, MH	12	142	11.8	0
Tony Tate, AC	11	157	14.3	1
Will Wagner, OP	10	164	16.4	3
Brad Givens, OH	9	223	24.8	3

PUNTING

Player, Team	No.	Yards	Avg.
Darrell Lucas, ML	13	542	41.7
Cody Avants, SA	15	590	39.3
Cort Petterson, OP	2	74	37.0
Oglesby, AH	30	1061	35.4
Cory Emerson, MH	18	619	34.4

Lefty may be Key to Game 3

Associated Press

ALCS

TORONTO — The last person Minnesota's slumping power hitters wanted to see was Jimmy Key.

If past performance is any indication, the Toronto Blue Jays have a clear edge in Game 3 of the American League playoffs Friday night at the SkyDome.

The best-of-7 series, tied 1-1, is on the Blue Jays' turf and Key — a lefty — is just murder against Kirby Puckett, Kent Hrbek and Chili Davis.

The Twins' trio went a combined 3-for-20 in the first two games and all three hits were singles. Lifetime against Key, the three are a combined 11-for-66 (.167).

"Kirby, I always had pretty good success with over my career," said Key (16-12). "I don't know why. I'm not concerned with who's at the plate as much as what I can do."

The Twins will oppose Key with 20-game winner Scott Erickson, who struggled in the second half of the season.

Key is the veteran of the Toronto's four-man rotation. Knuckleballer Tom Candiotti started Game 1 and was hit hard and rookie Juan Guzman pitched 5 2-3 strong innings as the Blue Jays won Game 2, 5-2, to end the Twins' seven-game postseason winning streak at the Metrodome. Todd Stottlemyre is scheduled to start Game 4 on Saturday.

Manager Cito Gaston's strategy was to start Candiotti in the opener in an attempt to mess up Minnesota's timing. By passing up Key, however, the left-hander will go 10 days between starts.

"Normally I have trouble with extra days rest," Key said, "but I threw a simulated game so I wouldn't be too strong. I'm where I should be."

Key, 10-4 at the All-Star break, lost 1-0 to David West and the Twins on July 4 at the SkyDome.

"They're a team that seems to adapt well to the situation," said Key who stayed healthy this year.

Key, who has 12 or more wins in each of the last seven seasons, likes to change speeds now that he has lost a little velocity. He's particularly tough against certain left-handed batters.

Minnesota manager Tom Kelly says he plans to drop Hrbek down in the order, probably to sixth. Also Scott Leius will start at third base instead of the lefty-swinging Mike Pagliarulo.

Like Key, Erickson (20-8) was also a much better pitcher in the first half the season. In fact, he was spectacular. After losing his first two decisions, Erickson went on a 12-game winning streak and probably would have started the All-Star game if he didn't sustain a strained right elbow.

After coming off the disabled list on July 15, Erickson went 8-5 in the second half and gave up alomost five runs a game.

Erickson, when he's right, has a 91 mph fastball and a hard slider. In the second half, both pitches seemed to lose a little bite.

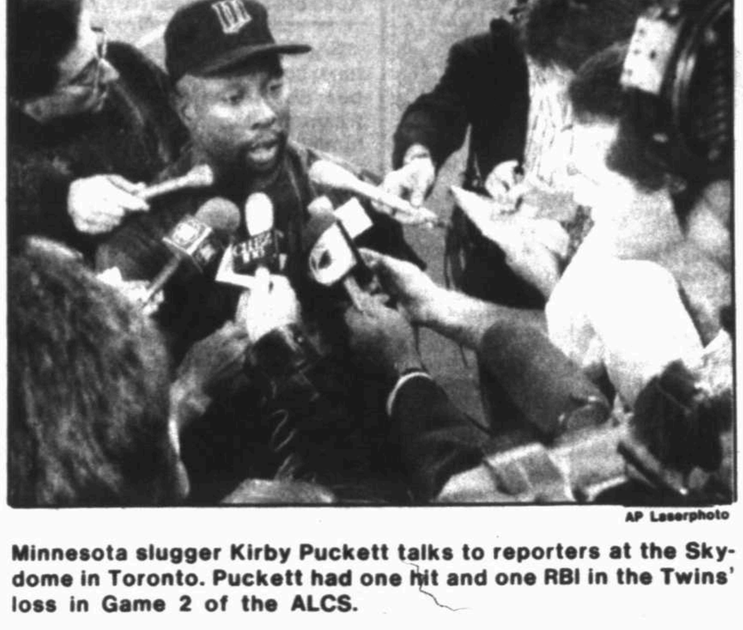
"He has learned how to pitch better in the second half," Kelly said. "His composure is a lot better, too."

Erickson, 23, is sometimes moody and likes to be left alone in the corner of the dugout when he pitches. Part of his pitching uniform is high-top black shoes.

Showing a soft side, however, Erickson says he calls his mother the night before he pitches. His mom, Stephanie, will be in Toronto for Game 3.

"Most of my adjustments this season were because of the injuries," Erickson said. "Now I'm back to throwing hard again."

Unlike Key, Erickson does not have any previous playoff experience.



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Minnesota slugger Kirby Puckett talks to reporters at the Skydome in Toronto. Puckett had one hit and one RBI in the Twins' loss in Game 2 of the ALCS.

NLCS:Series even at one game each

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"No, he didn't look rattled. Did he look rattled to you?" Van Slyke said. "He's young enough to almost have a rattle."

The baby Brave was the youngest pitcher to start a playoff game since Bret Saberhagen in 1984, and the youngest in the NL since Fernando Valenzuela in 1981.

Not that Avery pitched like a rookie, which he's not. He was 18-8 with two victories over Pittsburgh this year after going 3-11 last season with two losses to the Pirates.

"It was just too much Steve Avery," Leyland said. "We probably could've played two more hours and not scored against him. It was the best stuff I've seen this year."

Still, the Pirates, who led the majors in come-from-behind victories, almost pulled out another one in the ninth.

Bobby Bonilla led off with a double, making him 6-for-12 lifetime against Avery. That brought up Barry Bonds, and with the Pirates' star showing no signs of bunting, he popped up to shortstop.

Braves manager Bobby Cox felt that was enough for Avery and summoned Pena. He immediately put himself in further trouble with a wild pitch that sent Bonilla to third, but that was as far as he got.

Pena, 12-for-12 in save situations since being acquired from the New York Mets in late August, got Buechele on a grounder back to the mound and fanned Wilkerson, batting for Don Slaught, on three pitches to finish the first 1-0 playoff game since St. Louis beat San Francisco in 1987.

The Braves rushed to the mound to celebrate and ran off the field signalling with tomahawk chops.

"All we could've asked for was a split," Avery said. "We didn't score a lot of runs, but we won."

Avery, as he did all during the stretch, when he beat the Los Angeles Dodgers twice in five days — including his only shutout of the season — was in control. The left-hander walked his first batter of the game, but if he was nervous, it did not show as he struck out the next three batters and walked only one more.

"He sure doesn't pitch like a 21-year-old," catcher Greg Olson said. "He pitched a lot of big games down the stretch, but none were as big as this."

Even the largest crowd in Pirates' home history, 57,533, did not shake Avery. And when he walked off the mound after getting Van Slyke in the eighth, he punched at the air as a small section of Braves' fans began the team's war chant.

It figures to be a lot louder Saturday for Game 3 in Atlanta in front of the Braves' frenzied fans. John Smiley (20-8) will start for Pittsburgh against John Smoltz (14-13).

The Pirates were baseball's best road team this year, going 46-32. But they were 0-6 at Fulton County Stadium, and 3-9 overall against the Braves.

"Well, we've got to win in Atlanta and we haven't all year," Leyland said. "But it's a new season."

Police dismiss rape allegations against Cone

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — There is no foundation for allegations of rape against New York Mets pitcher David Cone and charges won't be filed, police said Thursday.

A 24-year-old New Jersey woman claimed Cone raped her after she gave him a massage in his Philadelphia hotel room last Saturday.

Philadelphia police and the district attorney's office decided Thursday to make no arrests after reviewing documents provided by the hotel and interviewing witnesses.

Cone's lawyer, Walter M. Phillips Jr., said he was happy police decided not to press charges.

"I think that it's unfortunate that David Cone had to go through a week like this with this totally unfounded allegation," Phillips said.

Police said an extensive investigation included an interview with Cone, but additional details weren't revealed.

"David went through 100 hours of hell, all on account of this phony charge," said Cone's agent, Stephen Fehr. "The police ought to look into charging her with filing a false statement, and we intend to talk to them about that.

"We knew there was chance her story would hold up. We were appalled to see the extent to which certain parts of the media reported it in great detail without making effort to substantiate it. I wish the press would show more concern for ther truth and less for senationalism before it publicizes claims, in this case false claims, which can seriously damage a person's reputation."

It was the first time in the investigation that police identified Cone by name, police spokeswoman Sgt. Theresa Young said. Throughout the investigation, police refused to call the allegation a rape.

The woman claimed the attack occurred the night before Cone tied an NL record by striking out 19 batters in the Mets' 7-0 victory against the Philadelphia Phillies.

He shares the record with Philadelphia's Steve Carlton and New York's Tom Seaver. The major league record of 20 was set by Roger Clemens of the Boston Red Sox.

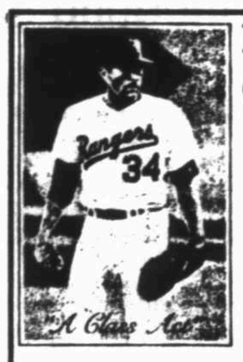
"We're naturally pleased at today's events," the Mets said in a statement. "David Cone is a fine young man and we were confident of his innocence all along. The only sad part of this episode is that David has been tried in some parts of the public eye before all the facts were in. We hope his innocence is the only thing people will remember from this affair."

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Another one bites the dust: M's fire Lefebvre

Associated Press

SEATTLE — Baseball's manager-firing frenzy continued Thursday when the Seattle Mariners dismissed Jim Lefebvre, the man who just guided them to their first winning season.

Lefebvre, 49, became the fourth manager to be fired in four days and the 12th since the season began. The New York Yankees fired Stump Merrill on Monday, Joe Morgan was fired by Boston Tuesday and Tom Trebelhorn was let go by Milwaukee on Wednesday.

There was speculation Lefebvre could be in line to manage the Chicago White Sox. Jeff Torborg resigned from them on Thursday to apparently become manager of the New York Mets next season.

Bucky Dent, who managed the New York Yankees from Aug. 18, 1989, through June 6, 1990, is considered a leading candidate to succeed Lefebvre in Seattle. Dent, 39, was the third-base coach of the St. Louis Cardinals under manager Joe Torre this past season.

Mariners general manager Woody Woodward, who hired Lefebvre and failed to renew his contract Thursday, was the general manager of the Yankees when Dent managed in New York.

Neither the Mariners nor Lefebvre would say why Lefebvre was fired.

"Both sides agreed they wouldn't discuss it," Mariners public relations director Dave Aust said. "They agreed it was not in their best interests."

Lefebvre's dismissal came after he met with Woodward in Arizona, where the Mariners are conducting their organizational meetings this month.

The Mariners also fired pitching coach Mike Paul, who was with Lefebvre in Seattle for three seasons

Lefebvre's 3-year contract expired at the end of the season.

"The entire baseball operations staff and Jim felt it was in the best interest for the organization that a change be made," Woodward said in a statement.

Lefebvre's other coaches apparently will be back for the 1992 season.

The Mariners said two, Ron Clark and Bill Plummer, will be interviewed as candidates for Lefebvre's job.

Lefebvre managed the Mariners to an 83-79 record this year, their first winning record in 15 seasons. The Mariners finished fifth in the AL West, 12 games behind division winner Minnesota.

Torborg to leave Chisox for New York

Associated Press

NEW YORK — Jeff Torborg agreed Thursday to quit the Chicago White Sox and become manager of the New York Mets.

The Mets called a news conference for Friday and a source said the team had received permission from the commissioner's office to announce the hiring of Torborg.

The White Sox said they, too, expected Torborg's switch to New York and the Mets didn't deny it.

"If the Mets are calling a news conference, I would say it's going to be about him," White Sox senior vice president Jack Gould said. "It's very attractive to him. He coached 10 years in New York. His wife is a Jersey girl."

All major announcements during the playoffs and World Series must be cleared in advance by the commissioner's office and the source, speaking on the condition he not be identified, said the Mets had asked for permission and received it.

Earlier Thursday, Torborg denied reports that his deal had been completed, but did say, "it's deep into discussion." He could not be reached later in the day.

Torborg, who lives in Mountainside, N.J., played for Los Angeles and California for 10 years, managed Cleveland in the late 1970s and coached with the Indians and the New York Yankees. His career managerial record is 407-436.

He began talking with the Mets after the White Sox said they wouldn't stop him from leaving.

"The main thing that interests me is the location," Torborg said Thursday morning. "I've spent almost 50 years here. My mother, who lives here, is 80 years old. We're about an hour and 15 minutes from Shea Stadium. I would not have thought about another team in another location."

Torborg said he met Wednesday with New York general manager Al Harazin and chief operating officer Frank Cashen.

"We talked for 3½ hours and I told them if I were to do it, what I would require of the ball club and what I would do to try to improve the ball club," Torborg said.

New York fired Bud Harrelson with a week left in the season in Cashen's final act before giving the GM title to Harazin.

White Sox chairman Jerry Reinsdorf last week gave Torborg permission to talk with the Mets. Torborg said he had been very happy in Chicago in Chicago.

"I have such a strong feeling for the White Sox situation," he said. "I got along superbly with Ron Schueler."

Boston hires Zimmer to coach

BOSTON (AP) — Don Zimmer, who managed the Boston Red Sox in the 1970s, was rehired Thursday and reunited with new manager Butch Hobson as third base coach.

General manager Lou Gorman also announced that Rich Gale, Hobson's top aide in the minors the last three seasons, had been named as pitching coach and Al Bumbry had been retained as first base coach.

Zimmer, fired as manager of the Chicago Cubs last spring, will replace third base coach Dick Beradino, a longtime member of the Boston organization, who will be offered another position.

Gale, 37, pitched in the major leagues for seven years with Kansas City, San Francisco, Cincinnati and Boston, compiling a 55-56 record before his career was cut short by arm trouble. He replaces Bill Fischer, pitching coach under John McNamara and then Joe Morgan since 1985.

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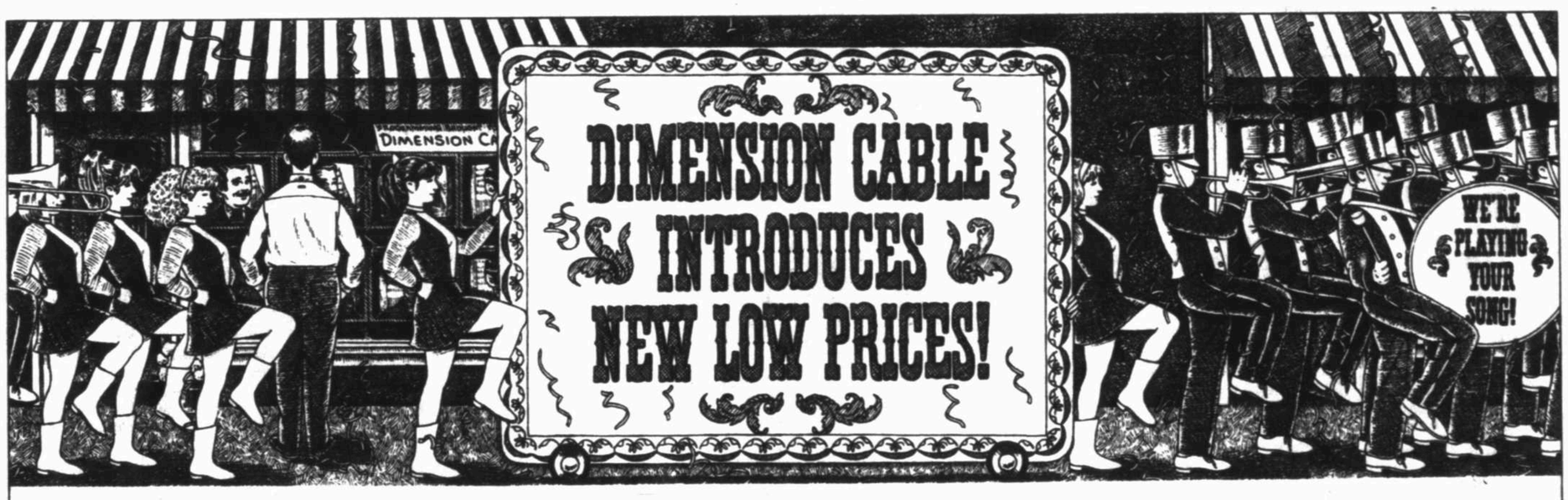
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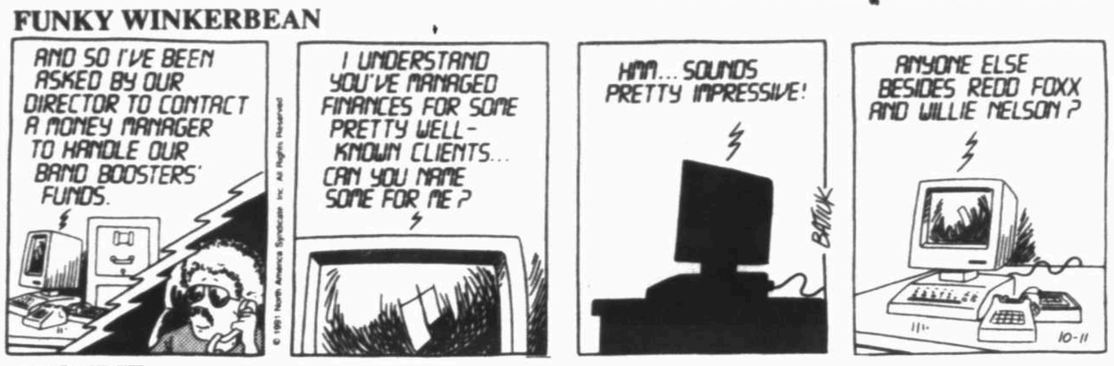
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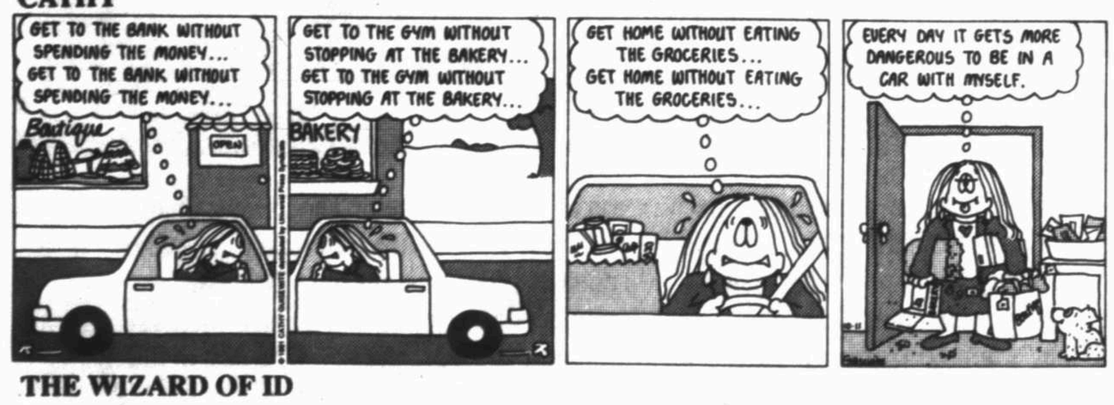
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ARIES (March 21-April 19): A family matter requires your personal attention. Be careful not to delegate tasks you should handle personally. A compromise helps resolve a financial problem.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): The more variety in your life, the happier you feel. Your intelligence puts you ahead of the crowd! Children affect your spending decisions. Romance is in bloom.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Show your appreciation for a friend who came to your rescue in an emergency. A sentimental gift means a lot. Give a child a chance to make more decisions independently.

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LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Set a good example for those around you. Children need to learn the value of self-discipline. Encourage them to set their own goals and rewards. Curb your impatience.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): You feel pulled in two directions now. Making a choice will not be easy. If you do not reach a decision, however, someone else will. Your energy returns following a rest or vacation.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Acting superior is a defense mechanism you often employ. Better find a new approach before you hurt a loved one. Let your true feelings show. A young person will follow your lead.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): New developments could open the door to a wonderful financial opportunity. Make the most of it! Get in touch with a former love; the flame has not gone out. Plan a reunion.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Get ready for big changes! Better days lie ahead. Reach out and grab the brass ring at work. A personal relationship improves with time. Enjoy your newfound happiness. Love surrounds you.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Although you feel better after letting off steam, you would be wise not to indulge yourself too often. A financial matter can be settled in your favor if you present a specific plan.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): An open-minded attitude will help you develop more harmonious relations with a family member. Stifle any critical comments. A tax matter should be resolved as quickly as possible.

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♠ 4 3
♡ 8 6 3
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1 ♠	Pass	Pass	Dbl
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Opening lead: King of ♠

Everyone likes to hold good cards. When we pick up a collection of garbage, the tendency to lose interest in the proceedings can be overwhelming. Had East suffered from that malady, declarer would have sneaked home in his four-heart contract on this deal.

Since a reopening bid of two hearts could be made with a far weaker hand, South correctly made a takeout double and then introduced the heart suit, confirming sound values. North had enough to raise and South, perhaps enchanted with those stray jacks, went on to game.

West led the king of spades and declarer was looking at five potential losers. A mere glance at the lie of the cards reveals that one loser could be avoided easily, but the other seemed insurmountable. South went for one of the few legitimate chances available.

Declarer ducked the opening lead, won the spade continuation and cashed the ace and queen of trumps. Next came a spade from dummy and, had East carelessly discarded, declarer would have landed the game.

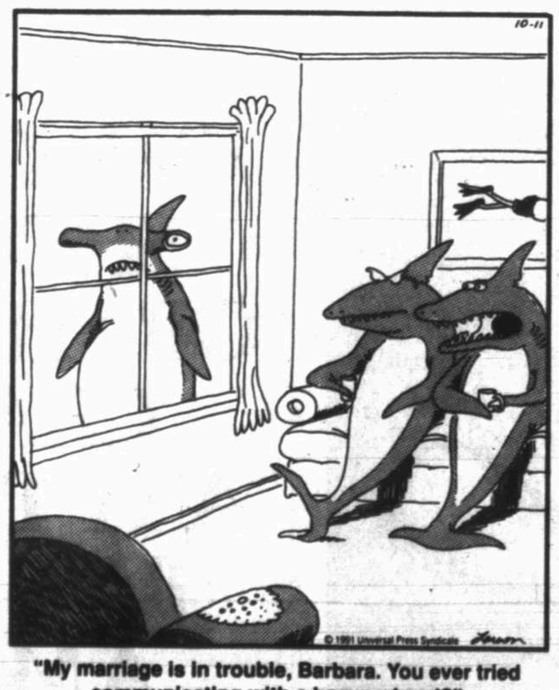
In with a spade, West could not exit with a diamond—declarer would run that to the jack and eventually collect four diamond tricks. If West exits with the ace of clubs and another, declarer wins and plays off all the trumps, and West cannot hold both the queen of clubs and the queen of diamonds adequately guarded. A low club exit leads to a similar position if declarer cashes out the trumps, and conceding a ruff-sluff is equally unavailing.

All that became moot. East ruffed the third spade and a club shift left declarer with no way to avoid losing two tricks in that suit for down one. Paying attention can be profitable!

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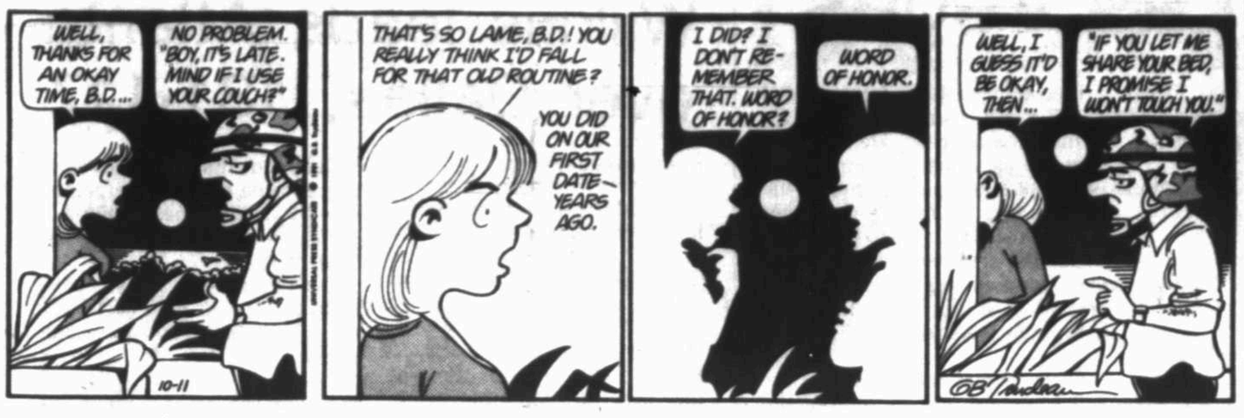
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VC1	Meet/Applegates (5)		The Surrogate (R, '84) ★ (Art Hindle) 1191256				Dances With Wolves (PG-13, '90) ★★★ (Kevin Costner) 9444091					
KMID	News 850	Wheel of Fortune	Family Matters	Step by Step 614	Perfect Strangers	Baby Talk 6324	20/20 1508		News 32546	Cheers 18966	Entertainment 9411	Nightline 39850
FAM	My Friend Flicka ('43) ★★★ (Roddy McDowall, Preston Foster) 402184				Father Dowling Mysteries 533353		The 700 Club 957099		Maniac Mansion	Videosyncrasy 562530		Little Rascals
SHOW	The Pirate (5) ('48) ★★★ 112362		She's Out of Control (PG, '89) ★ (Tony Danza) 4506053			Tommy Davidson	Pump Up the Volume (9:05) (R, '90) ★★★ (Christian Slater) 84183140				When Harry Met Sally... (R) 2498237	
CNN	Moneyline	Crossfire	Primenews		Larry King Live!		World News		Sports	Moneyline	Newsnight	
WTBS	Beverly Hillbillies	Sanford & Son	Young Love, First Love (79) ★★ (Valerie Bertinelli, Timothy Hutton) 715508				Night School (R, '81) ★ (Leonard Mann, Rachel Ward) 5576879				The Legend of Billie Jean (10:50)	
KOSA	News 9782	Married ... Children	Princesses 5879	Baseball: American League Championship Series, Game Three 765459					News 58508	M*A*S*H 67256	Dark Justice 24430	
KTPX	News 3546	A Current Affair	Real Life W/Pauley	Expose 3782	Dear John 7633	Flesh 'N Blood	Reasonable Doubts 60879		News 1856546	The Tonight Show 6268512		Late Night
UNI	Alcanzar una Estrella II 49527		En Carne Propia	Al Filo de la Muerte	Dona Bella 20817		Paul Rodriguez 52463		Noticiero Univision	La Movida 287701		
WGN	I Dream of Jeannie	Now It Can Be Told	52 Pick-Up (R, '86) ★★ (Roy Scheider, Ann-Margret) 413966		News 528237				Night Court	Kojak 634782		Exterminator 2
ESPN	SportsCenter	NFL's Greatest Moments 522506	Gymnastics: World Championships, Men's Team Finals 252237				World Aerobics Championship 760350		SportsCenter	Secrets of Speed		Horse Racing
KOCV	MacNeil/Lehrer NewsHour 645140		Washington Week	Wall Street Week	West Texas Journal	McLaughlin Group	Michael Feinstein & Friends 764614		Great Performances 767701	Images 901625		European Journal
KPEJ	Who's the Boss?	Mama's Family	America's Most Wanted 28411		The Ultimate Challenge 44459		Hunter 24695		Arsenio Hall 27782	Love Connection		Ron Reagan
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TMC	Lambada (5) (PG, '90) ★ 963411		Malone (R, '87) ★ (Burt Reynolds, Cliff Robertson) 801492		D.O.A. (R, '88) ★ (Dennis Quaid, Meg Ryan) 358091				Ghosts Can't Do It (R, '90) ★ (Bo Derek) 8558701			
DISN	Parent Trap III (5) ('89) ★★ 263898		Courage of Lassie (G, '46) ★★ (Elizabeth Taylor) 7642966		Sylvester (PG, '85) ★★ (Melissa Gilbert, Richard Farnsworth) 82982053				The Pride of the Yankees (42) ★★★★ (Gary Cooper) 4183343			
HSE	Hockey Week	Pennant Chase	Boxing: IBF Welterweight Championship 88430				Jack Crowe 59879	Today's Top 20	College Volleyball: Arizona State at Arizona 734053			
MAX	Dirty Dancing (5) (PG-13, '87) 743256		Making Mr. Right (PG-13, '87) ★★ (John Malkovich, Ann Magnuson) 1762256				Pretty In Pink (8:45) (PG-13, '86) ★★★ 58106256		I Come In Peace (R, '90) ★★ (Dolph Lundgren) 145633			
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PEOPLE

Dennis Miller says he'll use degree for talk show

JOHNSON CITY, Tenn. — Comedian **Dennis Miller** promises to put his journalism degree to good use when he interviews guests on his new talk show.



Miller

Miller, who presented the "news" on "Saturday Night Live," has a journalism degree from Point Park College in his native Pittsburgh.

"Thinking about pursuing a career in journalism is really what drove me to comedy," Miller said. "Because I laughed when they told me I'd probably make only 2 cents for each word I wrote."

But Miller told an audience Wednesday at East Tennessee State University that he was embarrassed by the controversy surrounding freedom of speech these days.

"With all the horrific happenings coming into our living rooms on our television screens every night, this shouldn't have been such a big issue," Miller said.

"The Dennis Miller Show," a syndicated talk show, is scheduled to air beginning in January.

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BOCA RATON, Fla. — Cable News Network's **Peter Arnett**, who dodged bombs while reporting from Baghdad, says he continues to dodge barbs back on the homefront.



Arnett

"Fortunately in Baghdad I missed all my mail calls," Arnett told a Nova University luncheon at the Boca Raton Polo Club Wednesday. "I'm glad I missed this one ... addressed to Peter Benedict Arnett."

At the start of the Persian Gulf War, Arnett stayed in the Iraqi capital when other Western journalists were ordered out. Some Americans viewed his reporting as traitorous as **Benedict Arnold**'s dealings with the British during the American Revolution.

Arnett, 56, dismisses the criticism as unfounded.

"Constitutionally, we were fully justified in being there," said the newsman, who won a Pulitzer Prize in 1966 while covering the Vietnam War for The Associated Press.

Arnett is on leave from CNN to write a book.

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NEW YORK — **Vice President Dan Quayle** says he's stung by jokes about him, but wishes "Tonight" show hosts **Jay Leno** and **Johnny Carson** would pay him a percentage for their comedy.

"I'd like to have a little of the money that they've made off of me. I think they ought to share," Quayle told **Barbara Walters** in an interview for ABC-TV's "20-20." The interview is scheduled to air Friday.

"I am sure that, knowing their political philosophy, as I think they do, that they ought to share a little bit of it, starting with their targets," he said.

When he toured Latin America, one joke made at his expense was that he supposedly said he wished that he spoke Latin.

"That started out as a joke on the Johnny Carson show, according to my information. It started out as a joke and all of a sudden, people said, 'Oh, this is true,' " Quayle said.

"But, you know what, Barbara, I have no doubt whatsoever in my mind I have been strengthened by what I've gone through."

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HARARE, Zimbabwe — Britain's **Queen Elizabeth II** arrived Thursday to a tumultuous tribal welcome and a local row over whether squatters' shacks were bulldozed because of her visit.

The 65-year-old monarch, on the second leg of a three-nation tour of Africa, arrived from Namibia with her husband, **Prince Philip**.

Queen Elizabeth was greeted at Harare International Airport by thousands of people, including tribal drummers and dancers clad in animal skins. Before leaving the tarmac, she inspected the guard of honor and received a 21-gun salute.

In the week before her arrival, the City Council demolished hundreds of shanties and evicted thousands of squatters 15 miles away, part of a face-lift for the capital.

Town Clerk Edward Kanengoni raised protests from church leaders, civil rights groups and resident royalists for saying the squatters' presence would be "an embarrassment" during the royal tour.

President Robert Mugabe, seeking to defuse the controversy, said Wednesday that Kanengoni's statement was "unfortunate." He said the squatters were moved because they trespassed, posed health hazards and disrupted social service planning.

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VIENNA, Austria — **Claudio Abbado** resigned as music director of the Vienna State Opera today for what he termed health reasons.

He did not specify the nature of the problems in his letter of resignation to opera **Director Eberhard Waechter**.

There have been rumors of disagreements between Waechter and Abbado, and some people familiar with the workings of the orchestra suggested that might have contributed to the resignation.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

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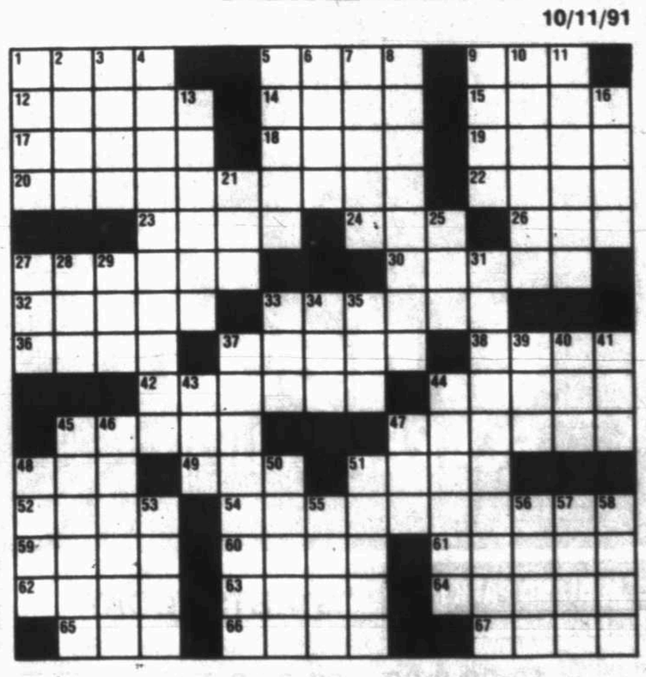
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Daly back in limelight at Las Vegas

Associated Press

LAS VEGAS — Shades of the PGA: Long John Daly in the lead and veteran Bruce Lietzke in pursuit.

"I thought I was going to win the PGA until he got in my way," Lietzke said Thursday, then offered a wry smile.

"I thought I was leading here and he got in my way again."

Daly, the long-hitting rookie who became a national sensation with his PGA triumph over Lietzke, "got in the way" with the speed of summer lightning in the second round of the five-day, 90-hole Las Vegas Invitational.

He finished birdie-birdie-birdie-eagle-birdie — 6 under par over the last five holes — for a 9-under round of 63 at the Las Vegas Country Club and went two strokes in front of the pack with a 36-hole total of 129.

"When you hit the fairways," the 25-year-old Daly said, "it's amazing how well you can score."

And that, he said, was the critical factor in the best round of his season.

"I choked down on the driver and started hitting it straight."

It was, by far, his best performance since he scored the first victory of his career in the PGA at Carmel, Ind., in August.

"I'm a grinder," Daly said. "This is the third week in a row I've played, and I'm just now getting that edge back.

"I really didn't want to take those two weeks off (after the PGA), but it was necessary."

From Lietzke's viewpoint, however, it wasn't necessary for Daly to once again overshadow one of his finest efforts.

"If I was ever going to shoot 59, this was the day to do it," the 40-year-old Lietzke said after his near-flawless 63 on the new Sunrise Golf Club that is being used as a one-time fill-in in the three-course rotation used for this unique event.

Lietzke missed one fairway, and made birdie on that hole. He didn't miss a green. He was putting for eagle on all four of the par-5 holes and played them 5-under. He didn't have a putt longer than 20 feet on any par-4 or par-3.

But the textbook effort wasn't even good enough to get him second alone in this event that has a history of exceptionally low scoring.

Craig Stadler shot 64 at the Desert Inn, generally considered the most difficult of the three courses, and tied Lietzke at 131.

Mark Brooks, Hal Sutton and Roger Maltbie were another stroke back at 132.

Wilkins leads Atlanta over Dallas, 131-117

Associated Press

NBA

ATLANTA — Dominique Wilkins scored all of his 25 points in the first three quarters and Gary Leonard had 12 in the fourth, giving the Atlanta Hawks a 131-117 exhibition victory over the Dallas Mavericks Thursday night.

Leonard, who has never scored more than six points in an NBA regular season game, scored four for the Hawks in a 6-0 run starting the fourth period.

With Wilkins and the other regulars on the bench, Leonard and Paul Graham carried the offensive load for the Hawks down the stretch.

Leonard's second basket in the fourth gave the Hawks a 98-79 lead, but the Mavericks then scored nine consecutive points, five by Jackie Jones within a 5-second span, to cut the Hawks' lead to 98-88.

But Dallas never got any closer as the Hawks held on to win this year's first NBA preseason game.

Wilkins' biggest quarter came in the second when he scored 10 points. He added nine in the third when Kevin Willis led all scorers with 13. Willis finished with 20 points.

Derek Harper led the Mavericks with 19, including nine in the fourth quarter. Roy Tarpley added 13 for Dallas and Michael Cutright 12.

Top draft pick Stacey Augmon played a total of 25 minutes and scored six points for Atlanta. He was 1-for-7 from the field.

Bo flunks Raiders' physical, doctors not optimistic

Associated Press

EL SEGUNDO, Calif. — Bo Jackson flunked his physical with the Los Angeles Raiders and will not play football this season or maybe ever again.

The two-sport star, who played the final month of the baseball season for the Chicago White Sox while recovering from a hip injury, failed the examination earlier this week, the Raiders said Thursday.

"Our doctors are not optimistic," Raiders executive assistant Al LoCasale said. "His doctor has not closed the door on 1992, our doctors are less optimistic.'

Raiders coach Art Shell spoke of Jackson's football career in past tense, saying, "He had a good career and now he's going to go on in baseball when his rehabilitation is finished. He wanted to play real bad, but he's been advised against it."

Jackson's injury has been diagnosed as a fracture-dislocation with cartilage damage in his right hip joint. There have been some reports that blood circulation has been impeded and that the cartilage was actually deteriorating, but none of the doctors or team officials involved have confirmed that.

Jackson sustained the injury in a playoff game last Jan. 13 against Cincinnati. He is in the final year of a 5-year, $7.4 million football contract.

The Raiders also issued a statement on Jackson.

"Bo Jackson has completed physical examinations administered by Raider doctors here in Los Angeles this week," it said. "There have been conversations among numerous doctors involved in his case. The results are that Bo Jackson is not able to play professional football.

"He will continue the physical rehabilitation program that he has been going through. His rehabilitation will be monitored."

Jackson reportedly earned $100,000 for merely reporting to camp, and also could get an estimated $4 million from a disability insurance policy. The Raiders will owe him his salary, thought to be around $1.6 million for this season, but that also will be paid off by an insurance policy taken out by the team.

During his baseball comeback, Jackson appeared to have lost much of his speed and limped noticeably when he ran. He was used as a designated hitter and didn't steal a base.

Last season, Jackson led the Raiders in rushing with 698 yards in 10 games.

Because of the injury, Jackson was released by the Kansas City Royals in spring training, but signed with the White Sox in April.

He hit .225 with three homers and 14 RBIs in 71 at-bats for Chicago.

"If it were up to me, then I'd play football," Jackson said.

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Pickens issues oil-imports warning

Takeover strategist challenges Congress to increase use of natural gas

WASHINGTON (AP) — Takeover strategist T. Boone Pickens challenged Congress and the major oil companies Thursday to reduce oil imports and increase the use of domestic natural gas.

"In America today, I see us miles from where we should be in our approach to energy," said Pickens, general partner of Dallas-based natural gas producer Mesa Limited Partnership and newly-elected chairman of the Natural Gas Vehicle Coalition.

"What's wrong with converting to a domestic resource that is environmentally superior, creates job, reduces the trade deficit, is a domestic resource that is cheaper than the alternative and doesn't require an army to guard it?"

In the last six years, America has increased by 60 percent its reliance on foreign crude oil, which accounts for more than half of the nation's energy consumption, Pickens said in a speech to the National Press Club.

The major oil companies — which own 60 percent of domestic natural gas resources — should be leading the switch to natural gas,

Please see **PICKENS**/ 12C

Oil, natural gas companies sign pact

By Kathleen Sullivan
Hearst News Service

SAN FRANCISCO — Chevron U.S.A. Inc. and Pacific Gas & Electric Co. have signed a 5-year pact to jointly build and operate natural gas pumps in Chevron stations in Northern and Central California.

In an announcement Wednesday, the two companies said the first natural gas pump would be installed at a Chevron service station in the Sacramento, Calif., area in early 1992.

PG&E will provide the gas and the equipment — pump, compressor and storage tank — needed to outfit the Chevron station, at an estimated cost of $250,000 to $400,000. The two companies will split the cost of constructing and operating the pump, as well as the revenue.

Under the agreement, Chevron has the option of buying out PG&E's stake.

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- Previous Close $23.16
- One Year Ago $38.69

POSTED PRICE
- Today $21.75
- Previous Week $21.50
- One Year Ago $37.50

Prices dip

NEW YORK — Oil prices retreated Thursday, snapping a three-day rally that took crude to the highest level since the Gulf War.

The fall was relatively gentle, because the market has few participants willing to sell oil.

West Texas Intermediate for delivery in November settled at $22.98 per barrel, down 18 cents, at the New York Mercantile Exchange. That kept crude hovering near the $23 mark that traders had for months been viewing as a ceiling.

Traders said prices were kept firm by continued strong demand across the Atlantic for gasoil, the European equivalent of home heating oil. Prices have been high lately amid fears that declining Soviet oil production and persistent Soviet political turmoil could lead to supply disruptions.

Crude prices also have been helped by the absence of Iraqi oil from the world market. Although Iraq has received clearance from the United Nations to resume oil exports, which were banned after the invasion of Kuwait, Iraq has yet to accept the U.N.'s terms for the deal.

Natural gas prices were lower, with contracts for delivery in November settling at $1.958 per 1,000 cubic feet, down 1.2 cents.

Dollar higher

NEW YORK — The dollar settled mostly higher in volatile trading Thursday sparked by rumors that the Russian president was missing.

The dollar opened lower in domestic trading but soon reversed course when rumors hit the market that Russian President Boris Yeltsin was missing. He was vacationing on the Black Sea.

In New York the dollar settled at 130.35 yen, up from 129.80 yen on Wednesday.

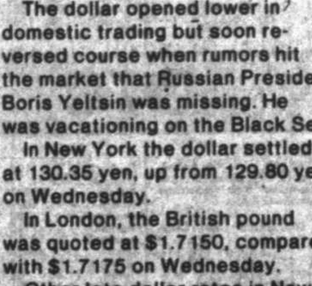
In London, the British pound was quoted at $1.7150, compared with $1.7175 on Wednesday.

Other late dollar rates in New York, compared with late Wednesday's rates, included: 1.6960 German marks, up from 1.6890; 1.4845 Swiss francs, up from 1.4785; 5.7780 French francs, up from 5.7515; 1,268.25 Italian lire, up from 1,262.25; and 1.1293 Canadian dollars, down from 1.1308.

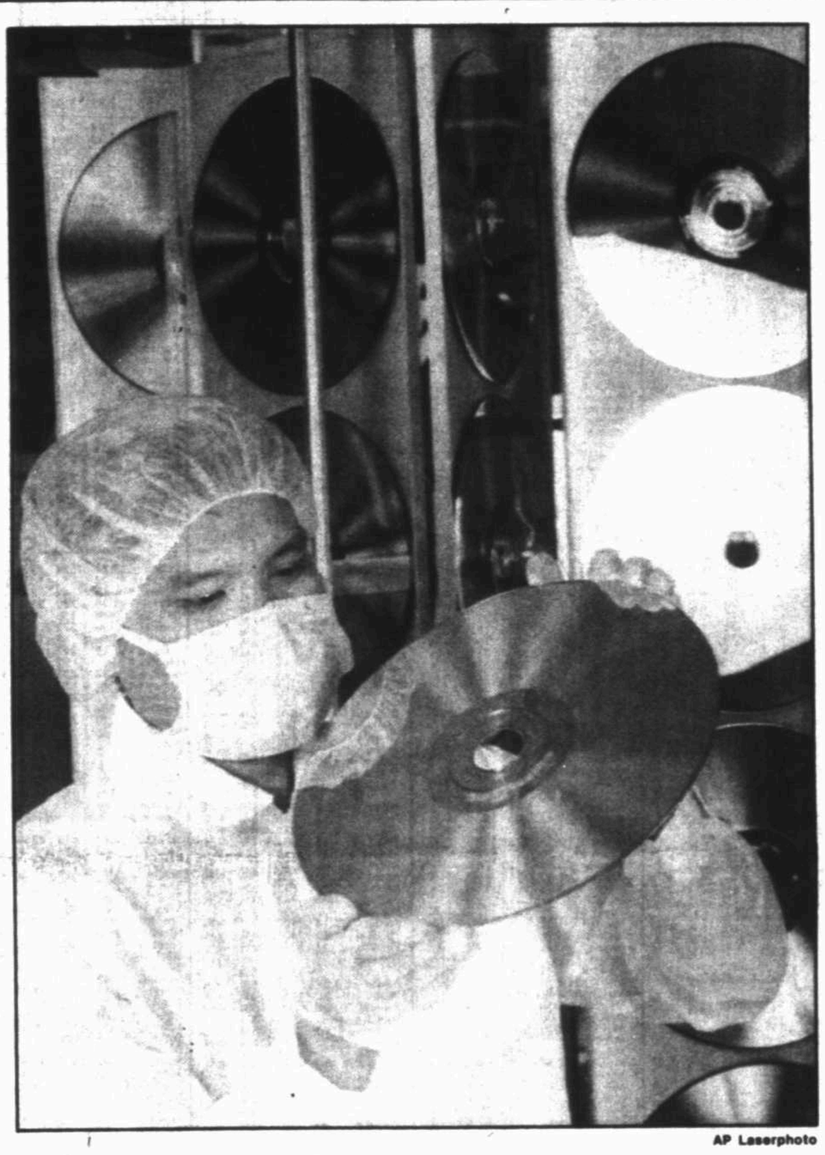
Market rallies

NEW YORK — The stock market recouped some of its early-October losses with a late rally Thursday led by blue chips.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials, which had taken a net drop of 72.01 points from Oct. 1 through Wednesday's close, climbed 30.19 points to 2,976.52.



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Laser disc factory

Javier Andrada looks over a laser disc produced at a new manufacturing plant opened by Pioneer Video Manufacturing in Carson, Calif. The discs are used in consumer entertainment, educational and industrial systems.

Anemic retail sales dim prospects for Christmas

Associated Press

A dismal September sales report by the nation's largest retailers Thursday dimmed their prospects for the Christmas shopping season and cast further doubt on the strength of the economic recovery.

Many retailers reported sales were only marginally higher or fell from a year earlier, when the Persian Gulf crisis took a heavy toll on their business. Storeowners said consumers remain extremely cautious, continuing to search for bargains and refraining from major purchases.

"The consumer did not come in for a back-to-school season," said Thomas Tashjian, an analyst with First Manhattan Inc. He said retailers were marking down merchandise earlier than usual in hopes of bringing in sales.

Discount stores continued to draw business away from department stores and general merchandisers. But even sales at Wal-Mart Stores Inc., which has been largely immune from the industry's problems, fell short of the company's usual strong performance.

Kmart Corp., which had improved sales in recent months, also found itself in the doldrums last month. Chairman Joseph E. Antonini said sales of electronics and other big-ticket items slumped, "undoubtedly reflecting consumer caution stemming from a still-weak economic environment ..."

Gap Inc., the specialty apparel retailer, was one of the few bright spots, reporting sales surged from a year earlier.

Overall results, while not unexpected, were a disappointment to retailers, whose slump predates the recession.

They also confounded the predictions of many economists who have been saying consumers would increase spending and help the nation escape the recession.

Since two-thirds of the gross national product stems from consumer spending, the economic recovery cannot proceed unless Americans increase their expenditures.

With Christmas 2½ months away, retailers and analysts were lowering their expectations for holiday sales and profits.

Jeffrey Feiner, an analyst with Merrill Lynch & Co., said he had reduced his estimate of sales growth for the Christmas season by a full percentage point to 3.5 percent after adjustments for inflation.

"This will mark the third disappointing Christmas" in a row, he forecast.

Tashjian predicted heavy price discounting, even before Thanksgiving. That was expected to reduce retailer earnings sharply because stores generally make half their annual sales and profits during the holiday season.

Economists see slow recovery

WASHINGTON (AP) — Top economists polled in a survey released Thursday believe the economy will dodge a double-dip recession but they have lowered their growth rate estimate for the recovery.

"Despite sometimes conflicting statistical evidence, the recession has ended," said Robert J. Eggert, editor of Blue Chip Economic Indicators, which conducts the monthly poll.

But, Eggert added, while the survey consensus said as early as April that the recession would be over by summer, it suggested the recovery will be "soft and even poky."

The survey by the Sedona, Ariz., newsletter found a consensus of the 53 panelists projected the economy grew at a 2.9 percent annual rate in the quarter that ended Sept. 30, the same rate projected in a poll a month earlier.

But the economists forecast growth at a 2.8 percent rate in the current quarter, down from 2.9 percent in last month's survey.

Northwest Airlines grasps for growth despite debts

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — Pressed to expand but hampered by debt, Northwest Airlines is on a dizzying spree of dealmaking in its quest to become the U.S. airline industry's fourth mega-carrier.

But analysts say the latest step in that campaign — acquiring Midway Airlines — doesn't assure Northwest's future.

The $174.7 million deal for Chicago-based Midway, approved Tuesday by the bankruptcy judge overseeing Midway's Chapter 11 case, came as Northwest negotiates a possible combination with troubled Continental Airlines. Northwest also has opened a mini-hub at Washington National Airport purchased from defunct Eastern Airlines.

America West Airlines and Hawaiian Airlines have provided overseas routes and a route option to Northwest in exchange for financial help. And the carrier is still fighting before the Department of Transportation to get Pan American World Airways' Detroit-London route, which Northwest hopes to carve out of a large package of Pan Am assets being purchased by Delta Air Lines.

Despite the flurry of expansion efforts, which included failed talks to buy the Trump Shuttle, industry analysts say Northwest is still a long way from clinching the mass of routes and planes it needs to survive the current wave of airline consolidation.

"What they have to do is expand the airline at minimal cost," said Mike Hamilton of The Leuthold Group in Minneapolis.

The Midway deal, expected to be approved by federal regulators, would increase Northwest's domestic presence by about 15 percent and lift its national market share by about 1 percentage point, into the 12 percent to 13 percent range.

INVESTORS' GUIDE

Risk in bond-holding funds is rather small

By Bill Doyle



Doyle

Q. As a retired person, age 71, I supplement my Social Security benefits with interest from three $100,000 certificates of deposits, each one in a different bank. The CDs pay 7.5 to 8.25 percent interest and are due to mature soon. To renew them, I would get the much lower current rate.

I'm considering switching to three no-load mutual funds. One is a short-term bond fund. The other two hold longer-term bonds.

Good move or not?

A. Consider it a prudent move. Although you would take on some risk, it would increase your income substantially.

Because the CDs are covered by Federal Deposit Insurance Corp., all your money is rock-solid safe. You would lose that and the absolute peace of mind that goes with it by putting your nest egg in mutual funds.

Along with most mutual funds, the share values of those you are considering can rise or fall — in line with the ups and downs in market value of the securities a fund holds as investments. The exceptions are money market mutual funds, whose share values remain constant. If you take some of your capital out of bond funds, by redeeming shares, you might get more or less than the price you paid.

However, the risk in such funds is rather small. The short-term bond fund has the least risk. That's because market values of bonds due to mature in, say, five years fluctuate less than the values of long-term bonds.

It follows that there is greater risk in funds holding long-term bonds than in short-term bond funds. That's offset by the fact that long-term bonds have higher interest yields, which is passed on to fund shareholders.

And it goes without saying you are wise to pick no-load funds, thereby avoiding the commission load levied on buyers of shares in many mutual funds. Obviously, you have demonstrated good sense by investigating before you invest.

Q. I transferred $63,636.80 to an "income" mutual fund run by an insurance company on the company's promise it would be a good move. I am disappointed with my first dividend, which amounted to $1,033.50 and the people there say I can expect every three months.

I am sure I can find an investment paying more than that on my $63,636.80. Right?

A. Sure. But if you move your money out of that fund by redeeming the shares you bought, you're not going to get the full $63,636.80 back.

On a purchase that size, the mutual fund you named in your letter levied a 4 percent commission charge. After that load was taken out, your money bought shares worth $61,091.33. If the fund continues to pay the dividends you "expect," you'll get $4,134 annually. That's a 6.8 percent yield on $61,091.33.

Be aware that the fund's share value can fluctuate. So can the dividend. You cannot count on the dividend to remain unchanged. It can be raised or lowered, depending on the dividends and interest the fund collects from securities it holds.

If you're willing to redeem your mutual fund shares and lick your 4 percent load wound, there are a number of places you can get better than 6.8 percent. Take a look at long-term bonds and certificates of deposit.

Q. A neighbor keeps trying to sell me mutual fund shares, which he says have an 8.5 percent commission load. If I invest $1,000, that load is taken right off the top and I would buy shares worth $915. I say that makes the load 9.3 percent. Do you agree?

A. Of course. That commission, the maximum allowed by National Association of Securities Dealers' regulation, is 9.3 percent of the amount actually used to buy fund shares. However, it is 8.5 percent of the total amount an investor pays.

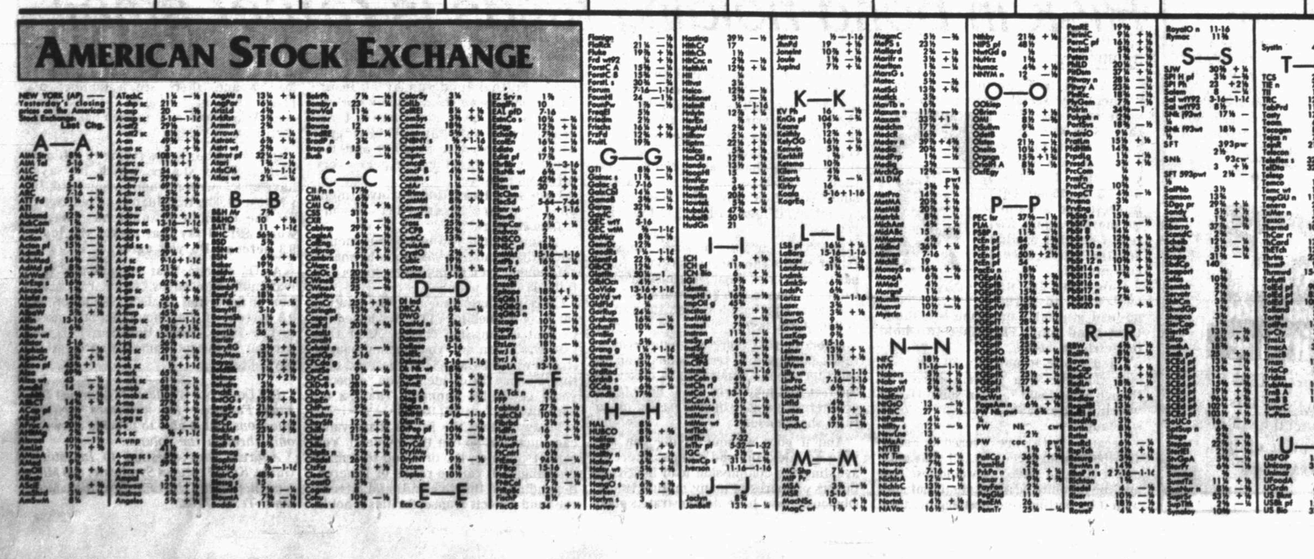
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NEW YORK (AP) — The following quotations, supplied by the National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc., are the prices at which these securities could have been sold (Net asset value) or bought (value plus sales charge) Yesterday.

	Bell	Buy	Chg.
AALMutual:			
CaGr p	12.81	13.45	+.13
Inco p	10.00	10.50	—.03
MuBd p	10.33	10.85	
AARP Invst:			
CaGr	29.58	N.L.	+.12
GinM	15.68	N.L.	—.03
GthInc	26.75	N.L.	+.16
HQ Bd	15.64	N.L.	—.05
TxFBd	17.40	N.L.	—.02
ABT Funds:			
Emrg p	11.55	12.13	—.02
FL TF	10.57	11.10	—.01
GthIn p	9.88	10.37	+.06
UtiIn p	12.14	12.75	+.01
AdvnCa p	19.12	19.71	+.06
AEGON USA:			
CapApp	4.40	4.62	+.03
HiYld	10.00	10.50	—.04
Gwth	6.22	6.53	+.04
TaxEx	11.66	12.24	+.03
AFA NAv	9.98	10.48	+.03
AFA Tele	15.16	15.92	+.04
AHA Funds:			
Balan	11.36	N.L.	+.05
Full	10.41	N.L.	—.03
Lim	10.39	N.L.	—.01
AIM Funds:			
Chart p	8.14	8.61	+.04
Const p	10.98	11.62	+.01
CvYld p	11.74	12.33	+.01
HiYld p	5.24	5.50	
LimM p	10.05	10.23	
Sumit	9.34		+.06
Weing p	15.11	15.99	+.05
A M A Family:			
CloGt p	7.84	8.23	+.05
GlbGt p	21.72	22.80	+.11
GlbIn p	19.21	20.17	—.01
USGv p	8.82	9.26	—.03
AMEV Funds:			
AstAl p	12.99	13.60	
Capitl p	15.97	16.77	+.06
CoAp p	18.09	18.94	
Fidcr p	25.89	27.11	+.09
GvTR p	9.07	9.50	—.02
Grwth p	23.66	24.84	—.04
HiYld p	7.70	8.06	+.01
TF MN	9.95	10.42	—.01
TF Nat	10.31	10.80	—.02
TF NY	10.88	11.39	—.02
US Gvt	9.90	10.37	—.03
AMF Funds:			
AdjMtg	10.01	N.L.	
Cp Bd	9.58	N.L.	—.02
IntlLiq	10.67	N.L.	—.01
MtgSc	11.17	N.L.	—.03
ASO Bd	10.76	11.27	—.04
ASO Eq	12.13	12.70	+.11
AcornF	43.13	43.13	+.21
Afuture	9.90	N.L.	—.09
Advance America:			
Eqlnc	10.01	10.51	+.01
TF In p	10.04	10.54	
US	Gv		p
	9.47	9.94	
Advsot Advant:			
Govt p	8.70	8.70	—.03
Gwth p	15.15	15.15	+.02
HY Bd p	7.66	7.66	
Inco p	11.06	11.06	—.01
Spcl p	14.76	14.76	
AlgrSCp t	19.25	19.25	—.02
AlgerG t	16.87	16.87	—.02
Alliance Cap:			
Alian p	6.21	6.57	+.05
Balan p	12.46	13.19	+.05
Canad p	5.50	5.82	+.02
Count p	18.79	19.88	+.12
GlbSA p	10.20	10.79	—.01
Govt p	8.25	8.66	—.04
Grinc p	2.43	2.57	+.01
HiYld p	5.35	5.62	
IntlA p	14.51	15.35	—.03
ICalT p	12.75	13.35	—.02
InsMu p	9.86	10.32	—.01
Manin p	11.64	12.22	—.03
Mortg p	8.96	9.41	—.03
MItIn t	1.99	1.99	
MMSA p	9.92	10.23	—.01
MMSB t	9.92	9.92	—.01
MuCA p	9.95	10.42	—.01
MuNY p	9.27	9.71	—.01
NtMu p	9.95	10.42	—.01
NEur p	8.95	9.47	—.04
QusrA p	20.50	21.69	+.01
ST Mia p	9.92	10.23	—.01
ST Mlb t	9.92	9.92	—.01
Tech p	24.31	25.72	+.27
WldIn p	1.98	1.98	
AlpnCA	10.02	10.41	
Altura Funds:			
GvInt	10.50	10.94	—.02
Grwth	14.03	14.61	+.03
Inco	10.55	10.99	—.03
TF Inc	9.97	10.39	
Amer AAdvant:			
Balan	11.32	N.L.	+.03
Equity	11.71	N.L.	+.08
LtdTr	10.01	N.L.	—.01
Amer Capital:			
Cmstk	16.75	18.31	+.12
CpBd p	6.65	6.98	—.01
EmGr p	19.57	20.76	—.03
Entrp p	13.04	13.84	+.06
Eqlnc p	4.53	4.81	+.01
Exch	92.61		+.84
FdMg p	12.95	13.49	
GvSc p	10.53	11.06	—.04
GvT97	11.02	11.36	—.04
Grinc p	11.70	12.41	+.05
Harbr p	14.14	15.00	—.01
HiYld p	5.82	6.11	
MunB p	9.68	10.16	
Pace p	12.88	13.67	+.08
TEHY p	10.81	11.35	—.01
TxE I p	11.08	11.63	—.01
AExpEV	12.43	12.68	+.11
American Funds:			
A Bal p	11.46	12.16	+.03
Amcp p	11.86	12.58	+.11
AMutl p	20.35	21.59	+.15
Bond p	13.26	13.92	—.03
CapIB p	28.37	30.10	+.05
CapW p	15.62	16.40	—.01
Eupac p	31.54	33.46	—.07
FdInv p	16.53	17.54	+.19
Govt p	13.65	14.33	—.04
Gwth p	21.94	23.28	+.20
HI Tr p	13.63	14.31	
Inco p	12.71	13.49	+.01
IntBd p	13.82	14.51	—.04
ICA p	16.42	17.42	+.12
NEco p	21.78	23.11	+.17
N Per p	11.56	12.27	+.02
SmCp p	17.35	18.41	+.01
TxEx p	11.40	11.97	
TECA p	14.72	15.45	—.02
TEMd p	14.53	15.25	—.01
TEVA p	14.97	15.72	—.01
Wsh p	15.17	16.10	+.16
A GthFd	7.77	8.49	+.02
A Herita		1.22	N.L. —.01
A Invst	6.61	6.92	—.02
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Amer Nati Funds:			
Grth	4.66	5.09	+.03
Inco	21.80	23.83	+.15
Triflex	15.27	16.51	+.09
Am Perform:			
Bond	10.72	11.17	—.03
Equity	11.74	12.23	+.08
IntBd	10.60	11.04	—.02
A Allinc			
API Gr fp	12.41	12.41	—.08
Amway f	8.26	8.52	+.05
Analyt	12.73	N.L.	+.09
AnchrCa	23.46	23.46	—.01
Amstrng	6.87	N.L.	+.03
Aquila Funds:			
AZ TF	10.11	10.53	—.01
CO TF			
HI TF	11.09	11.55	—.01
KY TF	10.27	10.70	—.01
OR TF	10.18	10.60	
ArchCap	12.51	13.10	+.09
ArchDiv			
AscP5tk	20.31	21.32	+.16
Atlas Funds:			
CalTF	10.50	10.82	—.01
GroInc	12.06	12.43	+.07
GvtSc	10.29	10.61	—.02
TF Bd	10.43	10.75	—.02
BB&K	10.41	N.L.	+.01
BakerGv	15.75	N.L.	+.01
Babson Group:			
Bond	1.58	N.L.	
Enterp	13.91	N.L.	—.03
Gwth	11.17	N.L.	+.08
Intl	12.35	N.L.	—.04
Shadw	9.58	N.L.	—.02
TaxFr	9.02	N.L.	—.01
UMB St	14.63	N.L.	+.08
Value	19.04	N.L.	+.09
BairdBl p	16.55	17.56	+.13
BairdCo p	21.11	22.40	+.13
BaronA r	14.49	14.49	+.02
Bartlett Funds:			
BasVl	12.65	N.L.	+.03
FixedI	9.89	N.L.	
Vl Intl	9.27	N.L.	—.02
Bascom	22.08	22.08	+.05
Beac Hill	32.10	N.L.	+.15
BelAirBd	10.63	N.L.	—.04
BellAtEq	11.26	N.L.	+.11
Benham Group:			
AdjGov	10.05	N.L.	—.02
CorFL	11.14	N.L.	—.02
CorFln	9.61	N.L.	—.02
CorFH	8.93	N.L.	—.02
CoTFI	10.60	N.L.	—.01
EgGro	10.13	N.L.	+.06
GNMA	10.48	N.L.	—.05
GoldIn	7.86	N.L.	—.07
IncGro	12.14	N.L.	+.09
NITFI	10.51	N.L.	—.01
NITFL	11.32	N.L.	—.04
Tg1995	78.12	N.L.	—.14
Tg2000	52.54	N.L.	—.12
Tg2005	34.66	N.L.	—.18
Tg2010	24.43	N.L.	—.19
Tg2015	17.66	N.L.	—.20
Tg2020	11.74	N.L.	—.25
TNote	10.51	N.L.	—.02
Berger Group:			
100	10.94	N.L.	+.01
101	9.04	N.L.	—.04
Bernstein Fds:			
GvSh	12.97	N.L.	
ShtDur	12.88	N.L.	
IntDur	13.18	N.L.	—.05
Co Mu	12.96	N.L.	—.01
DivMu	13.04	N.L.	—.01
NYMu	13.08	N.L.	—.01
Blanchard Funds:			
PrcM p	5.70	5.70	—.02
ST Gl	1.95	1.95	
StrGr p	9.86	9.86	
BdEndw	18.17	N.L.	—.05
Boston Co:			
AAlloc p	14.51	N.L.	+.14
CaAp p	26.33	N.L.	+.21
Intl	11.44	N.L.	—.04
IntGv p	12.38	N.L.	—.02
MgdI p	11.08	N.L.	—.03
SpGth p	16.43	N.L.	—.01
Bmdyw	20.30	N.L.	+.01
Bruce	88.19	N.L.	+.18
Bull & Bear Gp:			
CaGr p	6.60	N.L.	+.05
Eqlnc p	12.46	N.L.	—.01
FNCI p	16.22	N.L.	+.15
Gold p	11.92	N.L.	—.02
HiYld p	8.31	N.L.	—.02
SpEq p	17.57	N.L.	+.21
TxFr p	17.82	N.L.	—.04
USGv p	14.42	N.L.	—.08
Burnham	20.66	21.75	+.12
CGM Funds:			
CapDv	32.17	N.L.	+.04
Mutl	27.11	N.L.	—.01
Calmos	11.60	N.L.	—.01
CalMun p	8.72	8.72	—.01
CalTrst	11.95	N.L.	—.01
CalUS	9.85	N.L.	—.04
Calvert Group:			
Ariel	28.22	29.63	+.14
ArielA	17.84	18.73	+.13
Capitl p	21.79	22.88	+.22
Inco	16.51	17.33	—.06
Social p	28.06	29.46	+.04
SocBd	16.42	17.24	—.05
SocEq	18.46	19.38	+.11
TxF Lt	10.65	10.87	
TxF Lg	15.92	16.71	—.02
TxF VT	15.45	16.22	—.01
US Gov	15.21	15.97	—.03
CapitolEq	10.30	N.L.	+.10
CapitolFI	10.41	N.L.	—.03
Capstone Group:			
CshFr	9.52	9.99	+.08
Fd SW	16.36	17.18	+.12
GvtInc	4.74	4.74	
MedRs	17.73	18.61	+.04
PBHG	11.35	11.92	—.05
Ray El	6.59	6.92	+.03
Trend	14.21	14.92	+.11
CarilCo	12.16	12.80	
Carneg Cappielo:			
EmGr p	11.86	12.42	+.06
Grow p	18.46	19.33	+.05
TRetn p	11.22	11.75	+.03
Carnegie Funds:			
Govt p	9.30	9.74	—.03
TECHG	9.34	9.78	
TENHI	9.81	10.27	
Cardnl	11.70	12.79	+.07
CrdnlGv	8.96	9.38	
Cst Shs	19.28	N.L.	+.12
ChartBC	11.45	11.45	+.05
Chestnt	109.57	N.L.	+1.12
CIGNA Funds:			
Agrsv p	17.20	18.11	+.06
GvSc p	10.14	10.67	—.01
Grth p	14.79	15.57	+.07
HiYld p	8.76	9.22	—.01
Inco p	7.76	8.17	—.03
MunB p	8.01	8.43	—.01
Util p	13.53	14.24	—.03
Value p	17.68	18.61	+.04
Citibank IRA-CIT:			
Balan f	2.57	N.L.	—.02
Equit f	2.86	N.L.	—.03
Incom f	2.28	N.L.	—.01
ShtTr f	1.84	N.L.	
Clipper	45.85	45.85	+.22
Colonial Funds:			
AGold p	14.90	15.81	—.10
CalTE	7.14	7.50	
CpCsh			p
	45.29	46.21	
Fund p	20.55	21.80	+.11
GvSec p	10.72	11.25	—.04
Gwth p	13.05	13.85	+.08
HiYld p	5.76	6.05	
Incom p	6.29	6.60	—.02
IntEq p	16.06	17.04	—.09
MATx	7.34	7.71	—.01
MI TE	6.69	7.02	—.01
MN TE	7.01	7.36	
NY TE	6.85	7.19	
OhTE	7.01	7.36	
SmlIn p	11.60	12.31	
StrtIn	6.85	7.19	—.01
TXIns p	7.88	8.27	—.01
TxEx p	13.23	13.89	—.01
US Gv p	7.01	7.36	—.01
US Id p	18.65	19.79	+.18
Colonial VIP:			
DvRat t	11.16	11.16	+.01
FdSec t	9.91	9.91	—.02
Gwth t	11.46	11.46	+.06
HiInc t	8.88	8.88	+.01
HYMu t	9.79	9.79	—.01
IntHd t	10.06	10.06	+.01
Columbia Funds:			
Fixed	13.24	N.L.	—.05
Govt	8.69	N.L.	—.01
Grth	26.11	N.L.	+.14
Muni	12.02	N.L.	
Spacl	47.51	N.L.	+.07
Common Sense:			
Govt	11.36	12.18	—.03
Grwth	14.64	16.00	+.07
GrInc	14.11	15.42	+.09
MunB	12.81	13.45	—.01
CwthBl	2.07	2.24	+.01
Compass Capital:			
Eqlnc	11.73	N.L.	+.04
FxdIn	10.40	N.L.	—.04
Grwth	12.03	N.L.	+.06
Shint	10.40	N.L.	—.01
Composite Group:			
BdStk p	11.04	11.50	+.03
Gwth p	11.70	12.19	+.07
InFd p	8.68	9.04	—.03
NW50 p	25.97	27.14	+.05
TxEx p	7.39	7.70	
USGv p	10.41	10.84	—.04
ComPtSt	9.69	10.15	—.01
Conn Mutual:			
Govt	11.02	11.48	—.05
Grwth	14.24	15.19	+.08
TotRet	13.80	14.53	+.03
Copley	15.55	N.L.	+.01
CorEqIn	18.94	N.L.	+.19
Counsellors Fd:			
CapAp	11.61	N.L.	+.06
EGth	15.66	N.L.	+.07
FixInc	9.56	N.L.	—.01
GblFxd	10.26	N.L.	
IntEqu	13.38	N.L.	—.03
IntGvt	10.76	N.L.	—.01
NYMu	9.88	N.L.	
CtryCo	17.18	17.71	+.20
Cowen p	11.46	12.04	+.08
CownOp p		14.25	14.98—
	.01		
CmbldG	11.32	11.32	
DR Euro	7.08	N.L.	+.03
Dean Witter:			
AmVl t	18.91	18.91	+.06
CalTF t	12.37	12.37	—.01
CapGr t	12.94	12.94	+.05
Convt t	8.54	8.54	
DevGr t	13.73	13.73	—.05
DivGt t	24.98	24.98	+.18
EqInc t	9.03	9.03	+.04
Euro t	9.05	9.05	+.08
Glbl t	9.75	9.75	
GPlus t	9.40	9.40	—.03
HiYld	6.04	6.39	+.01
Intmd t	9.63	9.63	—.02
MuCA t	10.04	10.46	—.02
NYTF t	11.53	11.53	—.02
NtRts t	10.96	10.96	+.07
PacGr t	11.62	11.62	
PrcM t	8.29	8.29	—.03
Premr p	9.86	10.27	—.03
SearT p	11.76	11.76	—.01
AdTx p	8.18	8.18	—.02
Mngd t	10.73	10.73	+.07
ST US p	10.07	10.07	—.01
Strat t	12.99	12.99	+.09
TaxEx	11.51	11.99	—.01
USGvt t	9.37	9.37	—.01
Util f	12.22	12.22	—.01
ValAd t	14.85	14.85	+.11
WWIn	9.07	9.07	
WldW t	15.05	15.05	+.07
Delaware Group:			
Dectrl	15.98	17.46	+.15
Dectrl p	12.94	13.59	+.13
Delaw	18.26	19.58	+.11
Delcp p	20.94	21.98	—.02
Delchl	6.36	6.82	
Dlchll p	6.36	6.68	
Gvt II p	8.86	9.30	—.04
Invl	9.98	10.29	—.02
Inv II p	9.98	N.L.	—.02
TxFPo	8.07	8.47	
TxIns	10.99	11.54	—.01
TxFU	11.68	12.26	
Trend	10.31	10.82	—.03
Value	15.21	15.97	—.01
Dimensional Fds:			
US Sml	6.24	N.L.	
Japan		N.L.	
UKing	21.27	N.L.	—.04
Cont	14.34	N.L.	—.05
Fixd	102.52	N.L.	—.02
Glbd	102.7	N.L.	—.16
Govt	109.89	N.L.	—.28
IntGv	107.52	N.L.	—.20
Dodge&Cox:			
Balan	38.60	N.L.	+.23
Inco	11.15	N.L.	—.05
Stock	43.70	N.L.	+.53
Dreyfus:			
A Bond	14.12	N.L.	—.05
CalTx	14.86	N.L.	—.01
CapV p	12.89	13.50	—.05
CvSec	8.12	N.L.	—.02
Dreyf	12.26	N.L.	+.09
GNM p	14.93	N.L.	—.04
GthOp	11.29	N.L.	—.01
Index	16.03	N.L.	+.15
InsMu p	18.17	N.L.	—.02
Interm	13.86	N.L.	—.01
Levge	17.31	18.13	+.16
Mas Tx	15.98	N.L.	—.02
NJ Mun	12.91	N.L.	—.02
NwLd p	31.43	N.L.	+.13
NY Tax	15.22	N.L.	—.02
NYTE p	17.01	N.L.	—.01
NYIn p	11.14	N.L.	—.02
Peopln	13.71	N.L.	+.13
ShInT	12.77	N.L.	—.01
ShtGv	11.57	N.L.	—.01
StrAg p	32.55	33.56	+.18
Strlnc p	13.39	14.02	—.04
StHiv p	20.54	21.51	+.02
StrW p	29.12	30.02	—.07
Tax Ex	12.77	N.L.	—.01
Thrd C	7.82	N.L.	+.02
USG Bd	13.65	N.L.	—.07
USG In	12.73	N.L.	—.02
Dreyfus General:			
GnAg p	26.33	N.L.	+.15
GnCA	12.94	N.L.	—.01
GMBd	14.59	N.L.	—.01
GNY p	19.22	N.L.	—.02
Dreyfus Premier:			
CAMu p	12.53	13.12	—.02
CTMu p	11.45	11.99	—.01
FLMu p	14.22	14.89	—.02
Gnma p	14.82	15.52	—.05
MDM p	12.38	12.96	—.01
MIMu p	14.69	15.38	—.02
MAM p	11.28	11.81	—.01
MNIM p	14.55	15.24	—.01
NYM p	13.57	14.21	—.01
OHMu p	12.25	12.83	—.02
PAMu p	15.57	16.30	—.02
TX Mu	19.77	20.70	—.02
MuBd p	13.65	14.29	—.02
DupKyhl	7.04	N.L.	
Eaton Vance:			
EVStk	13.96	14.66	+.11
GvtOb			p
	11.46	12.03	
Growth p	8.17	8.58	+.05
InBos p	7.61	7.99	
Invst fp	7.42	7.79	+.01
MunBd	9.54	10.02	—.01
Nautls	15.06	15.81	—.02
STGbl t	9.92	9.92	
STTsy p	52.07	52.07	
SpEqt p	27.07	28.42	+.14
TaxRt p	9.80	10.29	—.01
Eaton V Marathn:			
CalMn t	10.03	10.03	—.02
Eqlnc t	11.03	11.03	+.02
FltRxF t	10.72	10.72	—.02
Hilnc t	6.85	6.85	+.01
MATF t	10.28	10.28	—.02
MITxF t	10.26	10.26	—.02
NtMun t	9.44	9.44	—.02
NJ TF t	10.41	10.41	—.02
NYTF t	10.79	10.79	—.02
OhTF t	10.23	10.23	—.02
PA TF t	10.39	10.39	—.01
EclipEq	11.06	N.L.	+.02
Emblem Fund:			
EmrEq	11.03	11.49	+.04
IntGv	10.70	11.15	—.01
OH Reg	10.73	11.18	+.03
RelEq	11.10	11.56	+.11
SI Fnd	10.31	10.74	
EmrIEq	10.33	10.82	+.11
EmrIUS	10.33	10.82	—.04
EmpBld	17.53	18.31	—.03
Endow	17.63	N.L.	+.15
Enterprise Group:			
CapA p	23.61	24.79	+.04
GvSec p	12.20	12.81	—.03
Grinc p	15.28	16.04	+.13
Gwth p	7.66	8.04	+.04
HYBd p	10.11	10.61	+.01
IntGr p	13.18	13.84	—.07
PrcM p	10.53	11.06	—.01
Equitable Funds:			
BalB t	15.38	15.38	—.02
GvScB t	10.19	10.19	—.02
GwthB t	18.20	18.20	+.05
GrinB t			
STWF p	9.26	9.55	—.02
STWB t	9.27	9.27	—.02
TxEB t	10.46	10.46	—.02
EqStrat	27.12	N.L.	+.43
Evergreen Funds:			
Evgrn	12.91	N.L.	+.04
TotRtn x	18.46	N.L.	—.23
ValTm	12.44	N.L.	+.06
LtdMk	19.40	N.L.	+.06
ExcelMid	2.49	2.61	
ExcHY p	7.01	7.36	
FBL Gth t	11.86		—.03
FPA Funds:			
Capit	15.49	16.57	+.03
NwInc	10.23	10.71	—.03
Parnt	13.96	14.93	—.03
Paren	20.83	22.28	+.06
Fairmt	15.83	N.L.	
Federated Funds:			
Exch	58.22	N.L.	+.55
FBF	9.54	N.L.	—.02
FIGT	10.10	N.L.	—.01
FFRT	9.17	N.L.	+.01
GNMA	11.55	N.L.	—.05
FORO	20.82	N.L.	+.03
FHYT	8.36	N.L.	
FIT	10.61	N.L.	—.03
FIMT	10.26	N.L.	
FSIMT	10.23	N.L.	
FSIGT	10.25	N.L.	
FSBF	15.41	N.L.	+.07
FST	23.13	N.L.	+.23
FGVT	9.83	N.L.	—.03
MaxCp	10.72	N.L.	+.10
Tg2Yr p	10.20	N.L.	
Fenimre	14.99	15.78	—.06
Fidelity Invest:			
AgTF r	11.75	11.75	—.01
A Mgr	12.92	N.L.	+.04
Balanc	12.00	N.L.	+.01
BluCh	18.95	19.54	+.09
CA TF	11.51	N.L.	—.01
CA In	10.00	N.L.	—.01
Canad	15.27	15.74	
CapAp	15.39	15.87	+.03
Cpinc r	7.24	N.L.	+.01
CngS	134.08		+1.28
Contra	24.17	24.92	+.05
CnvSc	13.45	N.L.	+.02
Destl	15.30		+.17
Destll	22.89		+.22
DisEq r	16.13	N.L.	+.12
EmGr r	14.70	N.L.	—.03
Eq Inc	24.97	25.68	+.18
EQII	13.77	N.L.	+.03
Eqidx	14.50	N.L.	+.14
Europ	15.67	16.15	—.08
Exch	87.84		+.73
Fidel	18.98	N.L.	+.08
FlexB	7.01	N.L.	—.02
GloBd	11.85	N.L.	—.01
GNMA	10.81	N.L.	—.02
GovtSc	9.87	N.L.	—.04
GroInc	19.21	19.60	+.08
GroCo	25.70	26.49	+.03
HiYld	12.74	N.L.	
InsMu	11.46	N.L.	—.01
IntBd	10.26	N.L.	—.02
IntGr	13.79	14.07	—.07
LtdMn	9.56	N.L.	—.01
LowP r	12.47	N.L.	+.03
Magin	66.92	68.99	+.55
MI TF	11.22	N.L.	—.01
MA TF	11.39	N.L.	
MN TF	10.74	N.L.	
MtgSc	10.67	N.L.	—.02
MunBd	8.40	N.L.	—.01
NY HY	12.12	N.L.	—.01
NY Ins	11.28	N.L.	—.01
Oh TF	11.16	N.L.	—.01
OTC	23.72	24.45	+.10
Ovrse	26.46	27.28	—.08
PcBas	12.86	13.26	—.04
Puritn	13.84	13.92	+.07
RealE	10.11	N.L.	+.02
RetGr	16.72	N.L.	+.09
ShtBd	9.31	N.L.	—.01
SpcSt	21.07	22.12	+.07
StkSlc	14.59	N.L.	+.13
Trend	47.27	N.L.	+.44
USBI	10.64	10.64	—.02
Utilinc	12.61	N.L.	+.01
Value	29.39	N.L.	+.19
Wrldwr	9.46	N.L.	
Fidl Inv Instit:			
CTAR	8.69	N.L.	+.01
EqP G	24.07	N.L.	—.03
EqP I	11.25	N.L.	+.08
IP LTD	10.45	N.L.	—.03
IP SG	9.70	N.L.	—.01
TE Ltd	10.82	N.L.	
Fidelity Selects:			
SlAir r	11.38	11.73	+.04
SlAGld r	13.08	13.48	—.09
SlBio r	31.21	32.18	+.09
SlBrd r	13.48	13.90	+.01
SlBrk r	10.21	10.53	—.08
SlChe r	28.14	29.01	+.11
SlCmp r	15.82	16.32	+.22
SlDef r	13.39	13.80	+.16
SlElec r	9.48	9.77	+.05
SlEnr r	12.17	12.55	—.05
SlEng r	15.61	16.09	+.04
SlEnS r	10.65	10.98	+.12
SlEnv r	11.79	12.15	—.05
SlFnS r	33.49	34.53	+.44
SlFd r	28.46	29.34	+.05
SlHlth r	76.07	78.42	+.11
SlInd r	14.08	14.52	+.07
SlIns r	16.44	16.95	+.06
SlLsr r	27.49	28.34	+.12
SlMD r	18.96	19.55	—.16
SlMetl r	11.28	11.63	+.01
SlPap r	12.95	13.35	—.02
SlReg r	12.78	13.18	+.14
SlRtl r	19.28	19.88	+.02
SlSL r	11.66	12.02	+.06
SlSoft r	18.03	18.59	—.06
SlTec r	28.88	29.77	—.02
SlTele r	26.60	27.42	+.15
SlUtil r	36.51	37.64	+.01
Fidl Plymth:			
Europ p	9.57	10.05	—.04
GovSc p	9.51	9.91	—.02
GrOp p	20.03	21.03	+.20
HI Mu p	11.40	11.97	
HiYld p	9.93	10.43	+.01
IncGr p	13.68	14.36	+.03
ST Bd p	9.82	9.97	—.01
SpcSt p	20.89	21.93	+.06
Fidelity Spartan:			
CAHY r	10.48	N.L.	—.01
CTHY r	10.90	N.L.	—.01
GNMA	10.19	10.19	—.02
GovIn	10.89	N.L.	—.02
HighI r	11.05	11.05	+.01
IntGv	10.12	N.L.	—.01
LTG	11.40

PICKENS: Warning is issued

(From 9C)

Pickens said. Instead, they have been reluctant to develop compressed natural gas because it will disrupt the existing gasoline refining and marketing infrastructure, he said.

"They made it very clear to me they were afraid of what's developing," he said. "Today, I think the majors are seeing that natural gas has a real chance of competing in transportation."

Pickens urged congressional approval of an energy bill that would encourage fleets to convert to CNG. Fleets account for 30 million of the 187 million vehicles on U.S. roadways, he said.

He also challenged the oil companies to place CNG refueling pumps in all gas stations and suggested the federal government should convert its 500,000-vehicle fleet.

It costs up to $2,500 to convert a gasoline-powered vehicle to CNG, but Pickens said the environmental and long-term economic benefits should outweigh the cost. An estimated 30,000 vehicles in the United States are CNG-powered.

Last month, Pickens converted his Cadillac to natural gas and turned the garage of his Dallas home into a filling station. A $2,500 refueling unit takes natural gas from the line that heats his home and compresses it for his car.

America's car manufacturers should concentrate on developing CNG engines instead of wasting time on other alternatives, Pickens said. Electric vehicles are a gimmick, ethanol is too costly and methanol eventually would become a form of imported energy like crude oil, he said.

Last month, Mesa purchased a 70 percent stake in a West Virginia company that designs and develops car engines that burn natural gas.

"I see it as a very easy sell," Pickens said, calling natural gas a cheap, clean-burning, environmentally-friendly and safe alternative to gasoline.

Texas Instruments takes pretax charge

DALLAS (AP) — Texas Instruments Inc. said Thursday it will take a $55 million pretax charge to its third quarter earnings because of higher than expected costs of the employment reduction program it started in July.

More Texas Instruments workers than anticipated accepted the company's incentive package to retire early, driving up the program's cost.

The company took a $130 million charge against its second quarter for the program, which initially aimed at cutting 3,200 of 69,000 jobs. Texas Instruments expected 2,000 workers to accept early retirement but 2,900 did.

"Many felt it was too good a package to pass up," said Terri West, a spokeswoman for the Dallas-based semiconductor, defense and consumer products company.

The continued weakness in the U.S. economy and high number of voluntary departures will likely mean more than 3,200 jobs are eliminated by the time the program is complete at the end of the year, she said.

"Our plans were based on gradual economic improvement in the second half of year," Ms. West said. "That has not happened. We are seeing continued weakness."

Layoffs will be used to reach the 3,200 level, likely affecting the company's international operations the hardest. A precise number of jobs that would be affected above the 3,200 level could not now be determined, Ms. West said.

The company in July said it needed to cut jobs to reduce its cost structure and improve long-term competitiveness.

Wal-Mart boots hot dog vendor from Sam's

HOUSTON (AP) — The owner of a small vending company which sells hot dogs outside Sam's Wholesale Clubs in Texas said Thursday the Wal-Mart Stores Inc. division ordered her food carts shut and removed from stores, leaving 92 elderly or disabled people jobless.

"It's pretty tacky the way they went about this," Scarlett Rabalais of Houston, founder of Hot Diggity Dogs, said.

The closings are the climax of a yearlong battle involving Mrs. Rabalais and the discount store chain.

Her company operated in front of 24 Sam's stores in 11 Texas cities. Sam's collected 10 percent of the gross sales and Mrs. Rabalais bought the food she prepared from Sam's. The carts sell hot dogs, pickles, lemonade and tea to Sam's customers.

In other states, Sam's has comparable carts of its own in front of its stores and she said Sam's officials at the local stores said the plan was to put such carts at its Texas stores as well.

Sam's officials at the company's headquarters in Bentonville, Ark., declined to answer questions about the closing and equipment removal, which Mrs. Rabalais said were ordered at 11:30 p.m. Wednesday, well after the stores had closed.

"We believe the public realizes that the culture and philosophy of the company have always kept the best interest of our members, associates (employees) and shareholders in mind," Brenda Lockhart, a company spokeswoman, said in a prepared statement. "Our actions will continue to be based on these beliefs.

"Since the action is in litigation, we feel it's most proper to let the situation be handled in court rather than in the news media."

Mrs. Rabalais has said she invested nearly a half-million dollars in the project, which began four years ago. She won designation from the President's Committee on Employment of People with Disabilities as Texas' Small Employer of the Year.

Telephone companies praise new freedoms

NEW YORK (AP) — Though the nation's seven regional "Baby Bell" companies have won the right to immediately start providing information services, they say it could be months before they actually enter the business.

They also admit that despite years of fighting for the right, they don't know which services will prove popular or profitable.

The phone companies envision testing a multitude of services to homes and businesses over their lines, such as sports scores, news, weather reports and an electronic version of the Yellow Pages.

But because the companies were barred from seriously exploring these services until a court ruling Monday, none is ready to go.

"There's been a lot of anticipation that services would be introduced as soon as the ruling came down. That's misleading," said Lou Saviano, chief spokesman for Pacific Telesis Group, the phone company for California and Nevada.

"We weren't going to commit resources to something that was a pipe dream," said Janine Mudge, a spokeswoman for Nynex Corp., the Baby Bell for New York and New England.

The phone companies say they are looking at services that won't require a computer. Among them are sports scores, stock prices and other information provided over the phone through voice-synthesis technology.

PACT: Pacific Gas, Chevron to build pumps

(From 9C)

Greg Pruett, a PG&E spokesman, said the company was confident that the market for vehicles powered by natural gas would grow. Unlike oil, natural gas is in abundant supply in North America. It's cheaper to use — costing about 70 cents a gallon — and produces only a fraction of the pollutants emitted by gasoline.

Pruett said the Sacramento station would be used to gauge market demand. The companies are discussing plans to install natural gas pumps in other locations.

Chevron, the nation's largest producer of natural gas, operates about 400 stations in the geographic area covered by the agreement.

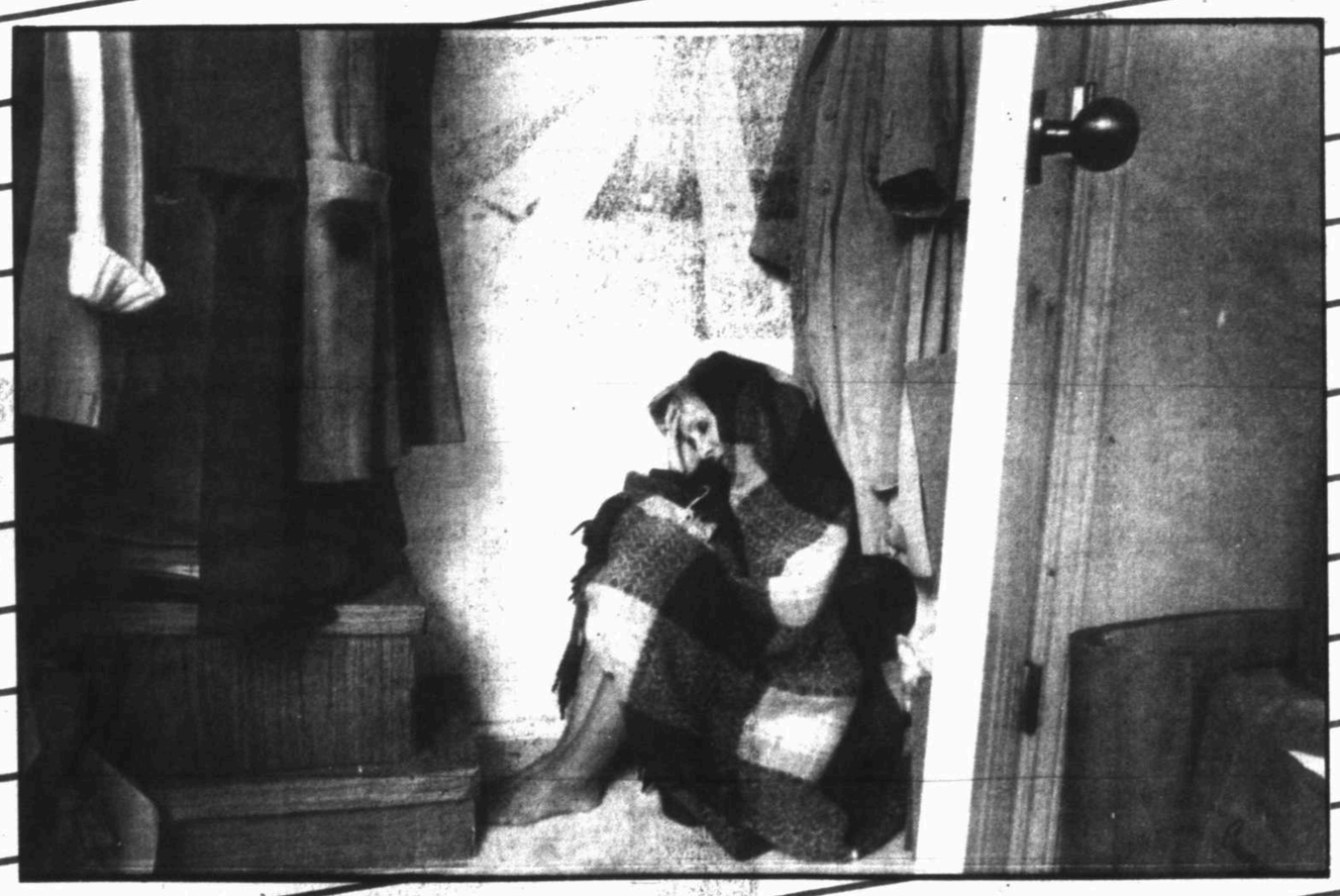
In July, the California Public Utilities Commission gave PG&E permission to spend $12.5 million on programs to install natural gas pumps at its own facilities and at retail gas stations. The commission is allowing PG&E to recover program costs through customer rates.

The commission recently gave Chevron and other companies the green light to enter the market when it ruled that it would no longer regulate the sale of natural gas for vehicles.

PG&E already operates 14 natural gas refueling stations, including seven in the Bay Area. The company started using natural gas in its own fleet in 1973.

At present, vehicles must be converted to run on natural gas. However, General Motors Corp. has begun manufacturing vehicles that run on natural gas and is expected to ship 2,000 natural-gas-powered Sierra pickups next year.

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Baker expects terrorist disruption

■ Secretary of state predicts that terrorists and extremists will try to interfere with his attempt to set up Mideast peace conference.

'Basically, what you have today is an attitude change on the part of the Palestinians and maybe the Arab world.'

— Palestinian Sari Nusseibeh

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Secretary of State James A. Baker III said Thursday he expected terrorists and extremists to try to disrupt his drive to set up a Middle East peace conference this month.

Baker said "highly classified information" led him to the conclusion, but he provided no details in his remarks to reporters before a meeting with four Palestinian Arabs.

Baker is scheduled to fly to the Middle East Saturday night to try to arrange an October peace conference.

"As we get closer and closer to the end of October," he said, "I think that there will be ... a tendency on the part of rejectionists and extremists across the region to take actions designed to disrupt the possibility of peace."

Baker said he did not want to suggest that Wednesday's takeover by Jewish settlers of six Arab homes in East Jerusalem was the kind of incident he had in mind. He said he agreed with Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir, who called the action mistaken.

"I wouldn't want to take it any further than that," Baker said. "I'm also not going to be in the business of pointing out what specific incidents I'm referring to when I talk about rejectionists and extremists taking actions to disrupt the process."

He said he didn't want to be specific because "many of these things have to do with prospects for terrorism and they come from highly classified information. So I'm not prepared to go beyond what I just said."

Baker met in his office with the four Palestinians in an effort to enlist their support for the peace conference.

"I think it is the major issue that remains to be resolved," Baker said.

Hanan Ashrawi, one of the four Palestinians who saw Baker, said she was satisfied "to a certain degree" with Baker's assurances about the nature of the negotiations to be held.

"I don't think we have reached the ideal level of assurances that are needed, but we have made some progress and I think there is more possible," she said. "That's why we are here."

Baker, meanwhile, stressed that he is not ready to announce a conference would be held.

"We've got to see some decisions taken here," he said. "We've got to see some decisions taken across the board."

Depending on how his trip works out, Baker said the United States and the Soviet Union, as cosponsors, might issue invitations for a peace conference later in the month even if all the parties have not agreed to attend.

One of the Palestinians, Sari Nusseibeh, said before the session that he didn't think a formula for Palestinian participation had been worked out.

Nusseibeh, speaking at a luncheon sponsored by the private Foundation for Middle East Peace, called for a two-state solution to the Arab-Israeli dispute — establishment of a Palestinian state alongside Israel.

"Basically, what you have today is an attitude change on the part of the Palestinians and maybe the Arab world," he said.

The other Palestinians seeing Baker were Faisal Husseini and Zaakaria al-Agha.

Baker will be making his eighth trip to the Middle East since the Bush administration seized on the defeat of Iraq in February to launch a drive to get Israel, Syria, Jordan and Palestinians into negotiations.

A deadline of sorts looms over the Baker mission to Egypt, Jordan, Syria and Israel. In July, President Bush and Soviet President Mikhail S. Gorbachev said they would issue invitations for a peace conference in October.

The Palestinians would be in a delegation with Jordan and attend without visible links to the Palestine Liberation Organization, which has conducted a guerrilla war against Israel and is committed to dismantling the Jewish state.

On the one hand, Shamir is watching carefully for any sign of PLO influence, while on the other, Yasser Arafat's PLO is trying to exert an influence on the delegation and the agenda.

The Bush administration broke off talks with the PLO in June 1990.

Three airmen killed in helicopter crash

EDWARDS AIR FORCE BASE, Calif. (NYT) — Three airmen were killed and two others were injured when an Air Force helicopter crashed during a routine parachute drop mission, according to Air Force officials.

The two survivors parachuted to safety as the Vietnam-era UH-1N helicopter crashed and caught fire Thursday, scattering debris over a mile-long area and starting several small fires among the sparse Mojave Desert vegetation, officials said.

The jumpers were described as experienced parachuters who were making parachute drops to keep up their skills, base spokesman Dennis Shoffner said.

None of the victims were identified pending notification of their families.

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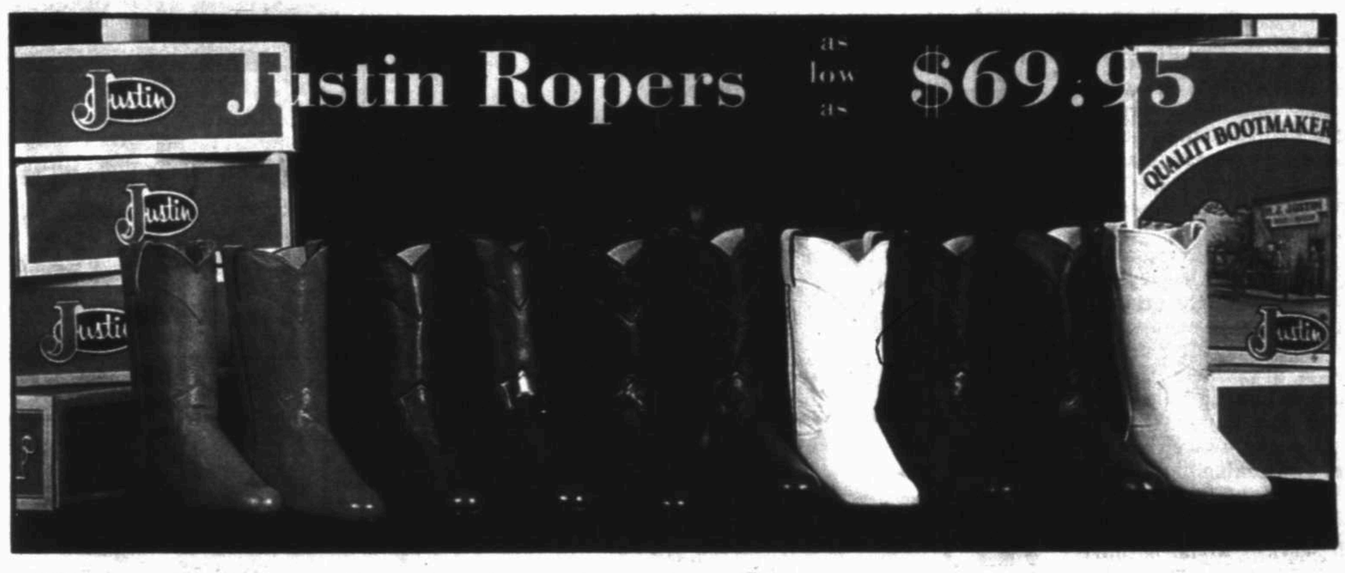


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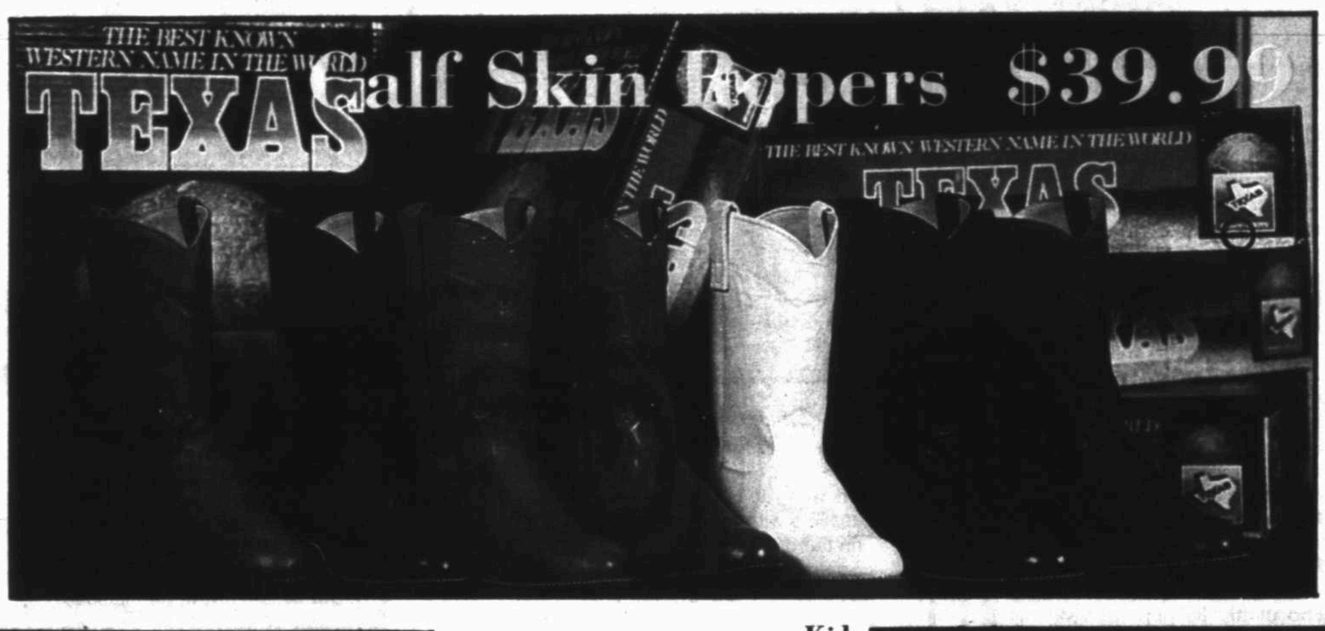
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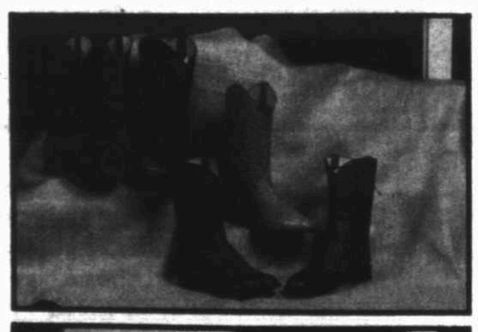




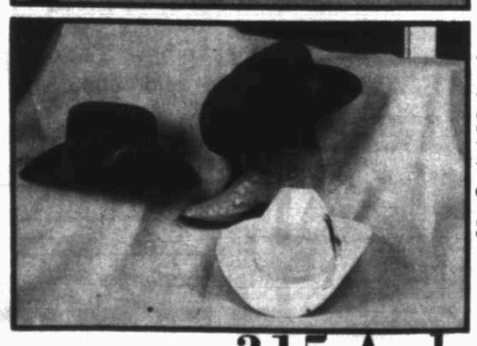
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Soldiers must repay benefits

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — The Defense Department has ordered thousands of Army reservists and National Guardsmen to repay overpaid housing allowances given to them when they were returning from the Gulf War, officials said Thursday.

The overpayments could total millions of dollars, said Virginia Johnson, a spokeswoman for the Defense Finance and Accounting Service-Indianapolis Center at Fort Benjamin Harrison.

She blamed most of the problem on soldiers receiving an entire month's benefits even though they served only a fraction of the month before being sent home.

"So many people were discharged at the same time, there was such an influx, the system couldn't catch up with taking them off the system," Mrs. Johnson said.

She said she did not know how many people had received overpayments or how much might have already been returned.

Affected soldiers were notified by mail they have 30 days to repay the balance. Those who choose to pay in monthly installments will be assessed 8 percent interest and a $15 handling charge.

Any balances past due after 90 days will be assessed an additional 6 percent interest rate, according to the letters, which were signed by G.J. Letterman, director of accounting and debt management operations for the finance center.

Many of the overpayments stemmed from bachelor quarters allowances, paid to personnel to maintain homes while they are on duty elsewhere.

The allowances run from $278 to $500 for soldiers through the rank of captain with dependents, said John Randt, an Army spokesman at Fort Harrison.

Between 10 percent and 15 percent of the 130,000 Army reservists and National Guardsmen activated for operations Desert Shield and Desert Storm have received letters of indebtedness, but not all of those were related to overpayment of benefits, Mrs. Johnson said.

Sgt. Joseph Vidal Jr. of Evansville, a member of the 380th Quartermaster Company, learned late last month that he owed the government $397.50.

"To be quite honest, we don't have the money to pay $397.50," said his wife, Amy. "I don't plan on paying interest. So the chances are they will take it out of his reserve check."

Mrs. Vidal said she thought it was unfair that soldiers who risked their lives in a war zone were being asked to pay for the government's mistake.

"The United States spent billions of dollars on this war," she said. "I think it's a small amount, even if they were overpaid, to take their life in their hands."

King plagarized portions of his dissertation, panel concludes

BOSTON (AP) — A committee of scholars said Thursday that civil rights leader Martin Luther King Jr. plagiarized passages in his dissertation for a doctoral degree at Boston University.

"There is no question but that Dr. King plagiarized in the dissertation by appropriating material from sources not explicitly credited in notes, or mistakenly credited, or credited generally and at some distance in the text from a close paraphrase or verbatim quotation," the panel said in a report.

Despite its findings, the committee said: "No thought should be given to the revocation of Dr. King's doctoral degree from Boston University" because that wouldn't affect "academic or scholarly practice."

But the group did recommend that a letter stating the committee's finding be placed with the official copy of King's dissertation in the university's library.

University Provost Jon Westling accepted the report's recommendations. He said the committee "conducted the investigation with scholarly thoroughness, scrupulous attention to detail, and a determination not to be influenced by non-scholarly consideration."

Boston University established the committee nearly a year ago to determine whether plagiarism allegations against King, who was assassinated in 1968, were true.

King wrote "A Comparison of the Conceptions of God in the Thinking of Paul Tillich and Henry Nelson Wieman" in 1955 as part of his requirements for a Doctor of Philosophy degree. He received his degree after completing his studies at the Division of Religious and Theological Studies.

Committee member John Cartwright, the university's Martin Luther King professor of social ethics, said the initial rumors about the plagiarism did more harm to King's reputation than the panel's findings will.

"I think it is so good to get this behind us," Cartwright said.

Cartwright said the committee refrained from speculating about the reasons King may not have properly attributed material.

Polled drivers rate drinking most serious road problem

WASHINGTON (AP) — Drunken driving is considered the nation's most serious highway safety problem by a plurality of Americans, according to a survey commissioned by Mothers Against Drunk Driving.

The survey of 9,028 drivers across the country, conducted by the Gallup Organization, also showed that a large majority of Americans who drink say they have changed their behavior over the last few years, with many embracing the designated driver system.

George Gallup Jr., the organization's president, said at a news conference that the survey shows there is a wide perception that teen-age drivers are a major group involved in driving after drinking.

"This is a problem that kills more people than do wars," Gallup said. "The good news is that there is an increasing awareness of the dangers of drinking and driving."

Micky Saddof, president of MADD, said the organization will use the results of the poll to focus its efforts to push for laws permitting the administrative revocation of the licenses of drivers found to be under the influence of alcohol, to lower the legal blood alcohol limit for drivers over 21 to .08 percent, to set the legal limit at zero for drivers younger than 21 and to push for sobriety checkpoints.

The random telephone survey was paid for by the State Farm Insurance Co. and the Gallup Foundation. The margin of error was plus or minus 1 percent.

Major conclusions based on the survey were:

- Thirty-nine percent cited drinking and driving as the most serious highway safety problem, followed by speeding, 22 percent; poor highways, 8 percent; poor drivers, 6 percent; not wearing seat belts, 5 percent; and heavy traffic, 5 percent.
- Forty-eight percent said they thought penalties for first offense drunken driving were not severe enough. But that margin increased to 59 percent who felt the penalty for second offense drunken driving was not severe enough.
- Forty-two percent said they personally knew someone who was killed or injured by a drunken driver.
- More than half, 55 percent, said they knew someone who was convicted of drunken driving.
- Fifty-eight percent said they drink alcoholic beverages. Of those who drink, 88 percent said that over the past couple of years they have taken precautions or chosen not to drive after drinking. And 49 percent said the precautions they have taken include "using a designated driver" who has not been drinking.
- A full 97 percent said that the factor most likely to deter them from driving after drinking is the knowledge they could kill or injure others. Other factors, in descending order, were: the knowledge they could kill or injure themselves, 93 percent; a jail sentence, 89 percent; losing their license to drive, 86 percent; substantial fines, 81 percent; advice from a friend, 74 percent; having the car impounded, 74 percent; anti-drunken driving campaigns, 70 percent; and fear of losing their job, 70 percent.
- Fifty-five percent of those who said certain groups of drivers had more of a problem with alcohol and driving than did others named "those age 21 or younger."

The Transportation Department says that last year drinking and driving killed an estimated 22,083 people in the United States and injured an additional 355,000 at an estimated cost of $57 billion.

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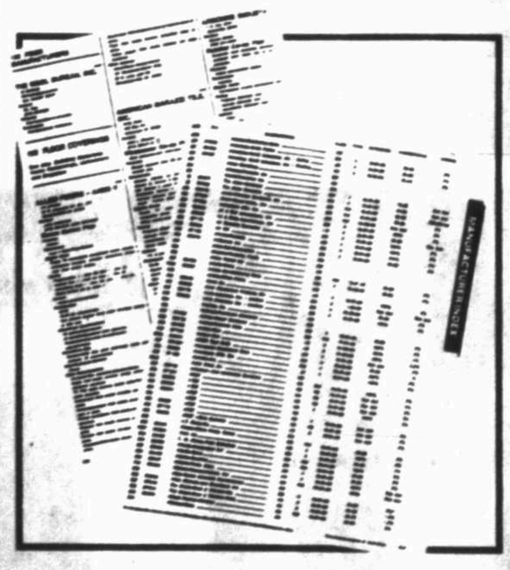
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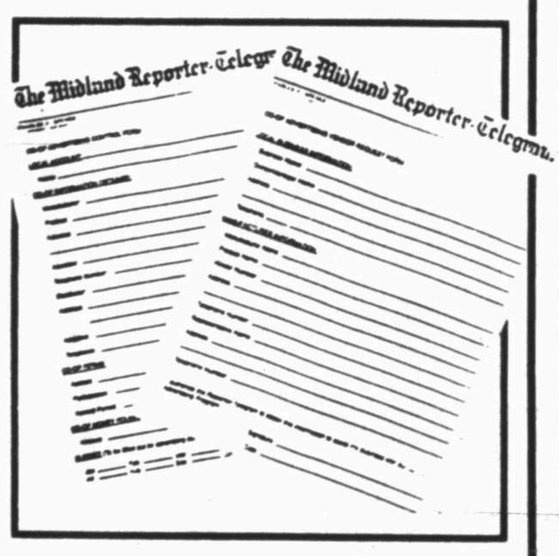
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Drug cartel supports Panama candidate, witness testifies

MIAMI (AP) — Colombian drug barons funneled millions of dollars into the 1984 election of Panama's President Nicholas Ardito Barletta, a witness testified Thursday in Manuel Noriega's trial.

The United States also gave strong backing to Barletta despite a report by then-Ambassador Everett Briggs saying the military had stolen the election for its candidate.

President Reagan received Barletta in the Oval Office two months after the election, and sent Secretary of State George Shultz to his inauguration. Barletta then helped the United States in its efforts to isolate the leftist Sandinista government in Nicaragua in the mid-1980s.

He was later overthrown by the military after trying to set up a commission to investigate charges that Noriega had a political rival murdered.

Also Thursday, U.S. District Judge William Hoeveler ordered the government's star witness, Floyd Carlton, to be returned to Miami after Noriega's lawyers charged that prosecutors intimidated him from talking to the defense. The judge said he would personally ask Carlton if he was coerced.

Hoeveler also said he would hold a hearing next week on accusations that the U.S. Marshals Service leaked the defense's secret witness list in violation of the judge's orders.

The Medellin cartel's support for Barletta surfaced in prosecution testimony by the former head of the Panamianian Air Force, Col. Lorenzo Purcell.

Purcell said that in a meeting of the general staff, he, Noriega and others were told two Colombians were angered about a May 1984 raid on a cartel drug lab in a remote Panamanian province.

The Colombians said they had paid millions of dollars to Noriega's aide Col. Julian Melo to protect that lab, with the understanding Noriega was to receive part of it.

"It was also said that the ex-President Ardito Barletta — that part of the money was used to support the election that had taken place a few weeks earlier," Purcell testified.

Prosecutors have said the Medellin cartel paid about $6 million to protect the lab, and that Noriega had to return the bribe to the cartel after the dispute was mediated by Fidel Castro in Cuba. The raid on the laboratory was an error made by uninformed military officials who mistook it for a guerrilla camp, prosecutors contend.

Purcell said that at that same staff meeting, Noriega strongly denied any knowledge of the bribe, and had Melo investigated by five colonels. They kicked Melo out of the military and turned him over to civilian authorities. Melo was never tried in a criminal court, however.

Lead prosecutor Michael Sullivan suggested that Melo was used as a scapegoat to protect Noriega.

On cross-examination, defense attorney Frank Rubino emphasized that Noriega had Melo arrested as soon as he heard of the charge.

The defense also showed the former air force commander, who now works in a Fort Lauderdale pizzeria, a letter Noriega had written him warning that Panamanians were trading on Noriega's name in order to make business deals.

The witness admitted he may have been wrong in his testimony Wednesday that Noriega had the 20 to 25 Colombians arrested in the drug lab raid sent back to their homeland in the Panamanian leader's executive jet.

The defense showed him pictures of the plane landing with the prisoners in Bogota, Colombia, and Purcell identified it as an older, propeller-driven Air Force cargo plane.

Purcell was followed on the stand by former Noriega co-defendant Eduardo Pardo, who had pleaded guilty to flying $800,000 in laundered drug money from Fort Lauderdale to Panama.

Pardo testified that on one occasion in 1983 he flew cartel chief Gustavo Gaviria into Panama City, where he was met by Melo, Noriega's secretary, who embraced Gaviria warmly.

"Where did he get those affectionate embraces from?" Pardo said he asked Melo.

"He's a friend of the house," he said Noriega's aide replied.

Noriega faces up to 140 years in prison if convicted of all 10 drug and racketeering counts. Noriega surrendered to U.S. invasion troops in January 1990.

'Whorehouse' may be altered on play's promotional banner

GLENS FALLS, N.Y. (AP) — A theater company is willing to alter the banner promoting its fall musical to read "The Best Little Blankhouse in Texas" if it'll keep everyone happy.

"I understand the mayor's position. I'm willing to compromise," said Beth Myers, promotions director for the Glens Falls Community Theatre.

The company's production of "The Best Little Whorehouse in Texas," scheduled to run Nov. 7-10, is not what's causing the ripple.

Glens Falls Mayor Francis X. O'Keefe initially denied the group's request to hang the banner across a street, saying the title of the musical was too provocative.

"It's because of the wording of the banner" said O'Keefe, whose city 50 miles north of Albany has a population of about 17,000. "I'm concerned with the churches, the PTAs and other people who may take that the wrong way."

However, Myers said she contacted O'Keefe on Wednesday regarding his decision and was told a final ruling would be made by the Common Council at its Oct. 17 meeting.

"He's a political person. He's got to weigh everything in how people see him," Peter Snyder, the musical's director, said of the mayor.

The players argue that while the musical is about a brothel in Texas, it is actually a delightful, lighthearted work.

"You can't judge the show by its name," said Don Cornell, who does set work and performs bit parts. "Personally, I think the word, in this day and age, is acceptable."

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF ANDREWS SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, F.A.

On September 6, 1991, Andrews Savings and Loan Association, F.A., Andrews, Texas ("Association") was closed by Order of the Director of the Office of Thrift Supervision ("OTS"). The Resolution Trust Corporation ("RTC") was appointed as sole Received for the Association. The RTC as Receiver is charged with the responsibility of winding up the affairs of the Association in accordance with the Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery, and Enforcement Act of 1989 ("FIRREA").

Creditors of the Association are notified to present their completed Proofs of Claim with supporting documentation to the Receiver by December 10, 1991, which date is not less than 90 days after the initial publication of this Notice, or such claims may be disallowed by the Receiver.

Claims should be filed by presenting the Proof of Claim to the Receiver at the following address:

Resolution Trust Corporation
Receiver of Andrews Savings and Loan Association, F.A.
Maggie Escoto, Claim Agent
10100 Reunion Place
San Antonio, Texas 78216
September 11, 1991
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NOTICE TO DEPOSITORS OF ANDREWS SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, F.A.

The Director of the Office of Thrift Supervision of the Department of the Treasury of the United States ("OTS"), by order dated September 6, 1991, appointed the Resolution Trust Corporation ("RTC") as sole receiver ("Receiver") for Andrews Savings and Loan Association F.A. Andrews, Texas, ("Association"). The Receiver took possession of the Association on September 6, 1991, and succeeded to all of the Association's rights, titles, powers and privileges, Pursuant to the Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery, and Enforcement Act of 1989 ("FIRREA"), the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation ("FDIC") is the exclusive manager for the Receiver of said Association.

The insured portion of all deposit accounts that were opened at the Olton Branch, located at First St. (Hwy. 70), Olton, Texas, have been transferred to Security State Bank of Littlefield, Littlefield, The insured portions of all deposit accounts at the following locations will be paid out to depositors by mailing checks for the insured portion to their last address of record.

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If you have any questions about you Olton Branch account, please contact Security State Bank of Littlefield. Questions regarding checks being mailed to depositors that are not received by Friday, September 13, 1991 may be directed to the Claims Department at the Resolution Trust Corporation after Friday September 13, at 512-344-9911.

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150 Lost and Found

LOST White male Poodle/ mix. Lost in Saddle Club Area. Please call 682-8256.

LOST: 14K solid gold nugget bracelet. Reward offered. Call 686-9296.

FOUND: BLACK Labrador about 9 month old, in the vicinity of Saddle Club. Call 697-7402.

LOST: A TINY BLACK female Pomeranian dog vicinity of Terncliff and Midland Drive; She is old and needs medication. PLEASE return. Generous reward. 689-4409 or 694-1904

FOUND: Miniature Schnauzer, no tags, in Vacinity of Thomason and Midland Dr. Call 694-2667, to identify.

FOUND: Female, white, Pomeranian Cross. Vicinity of Garden City Highway. If not claimed, needs good home. Call 683-3414.

FOUND Kitten siamese with unusual markings, in-door kitten, male, 2 months. Vicinity of Henderson Elementary on 10-1-91. Call 682-6254 to identify.

FOUND: full blood, female, Husky. Call Animal Control identify.

LOST: Gray stripped Tabby in vicinity of Stanolind and Godfrey. Please call 520-2600.

FOUND last week in the vicinity of Lee High School. Men's watch. Call 694-3131 with description.

LOST Four year old grey/ white female cat. Great big green eyes. Answer to the name of Jade. Lost Walgreen's vicinity. Call 682-6950 or 682-6348.

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PLEASE Help us find our "Shadow." He is a gray domestic long-haired cat with white feet and chest. Disappeared afternoon of Oct. 2, vicinity of 2403 Apperson. Reward $100 Cash. Call 682-4858.

FOUND: Diamond. Must describe completely to claim. Mail any replies to BOX C-02 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

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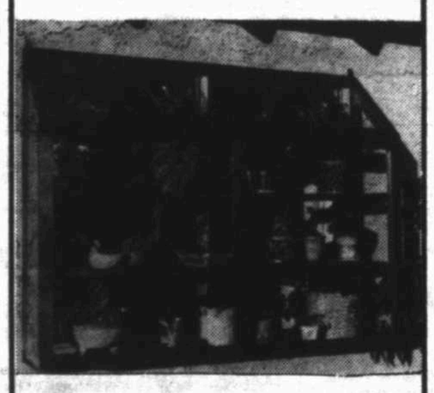
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310 General Help Wanted

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341 Child Care Providers

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EDIFICA un Hermoso Futuro con Jafra. Llama hoy mismo para que veas nuestro video de la Oportunidad. 683-9180.

RETAIL FURNITURE - related business. Excellent return on investment. Call 699-1754 leave message.

GREAT OPPORTUNITY for savvy lady who loves clothes, money and fun. Small investment, return in less than one year. Send replies to Box B-15 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

Merchandise

400	Auctions	460	Antiques & Art	510	Office Supplies
405	Garage/Yard Sales	470	Musical Instruments	520	Store, Shop, Cafe Equip.
410	Miscellaneous Sales	475	Crafts & Supplies	530	Air Cond. & Heating
415	Miscellaneous Wanted	480	Cameras & Supplies	540	Building Materials
420	Good Things To Eat	485	Radios, Stereo & TV	550	Portable Buildings
430	Household Goods	490	Computers & Access.	560	Machinery & Tools
440	Firewood	495	For Free	570	Oilfield Supplies
450	Sporting Goods	500	Pets & Supplies	580	Farm Equipment
		505	Livestock - Poultry		

400 Auctions

BALOG & BALOG Auctioneering Business liquidations, equipment, office furniture. (915)561-5133

405 Garage/Yard Sales

★4501 PALMER Drive. Light fixtures, sewing machine, children's clothes, other very nice items. Friday - Saturday, 8 a.m..

★5 FAMILY garage sale. Lots of stuff. Clothing (small children - large women's), 1810 E. Oak. Saturday, 8 - 7.

★SATURDAY, October 12, 8-2. 3402 Pinemont, in alley. Jr. Size girls clothes and miscellaneous.

★3627 IMPERIAL, Saturday 8-2. Furniture, bikes, doors, good clothing, cosmetics, cosmetic accessories, lots more. Cash.

★3 FAMILY. Saturday 8 - ? 3309 Crestmont. King and full bed frames, recliner, lamps, stereo cabinet, luggage and more.

★ GARAGE SALE ★
Bedspreads, comforters, pillows, dustruffles, blankets, mattress protectors, linens, afghans, table cloths, napkins (all sizes), placemats, dishes, tableware, utensils, towels, shower curtains, bathroom sets, rugs. Fall clothing, bags, shoes and boots available. Saturday, 8 - 1. 501 S. Webster.

3 FAMILY GARAGE Sale. Lots of clothes all sizes, twin beds, clothes dryer, miscellaneous. Saturday 8-5 and Sunday 12-5. 3806 Cedar Springs.

FRIDAY ONLY! 9 am till. Come on back! Prices reduced. Still lots of ladies clothes, bicycles, jewelry, more. 700 E. Broadway, corner of West Louisiana.

BACKYARD SALE some antique furniture, iron bed, glassware, lots of miscellaneous. 1001 S. Weatherford, Friday-Sunday.

GARAGE SALE: Friday and Saturday, 1805 Garfield, 3 families. Glass tables, china hutch, clothes dryer, exercise equipment, baby clothes, lots of miscellaneous.

GARAGE Sale: large metal desk, coffee table, end table, quilt stands, clothing, etc. Saturday 8 am - 6 pm. Sunday 8 am - 2 pm. Corner Crestview and Sycamore.

GARAGE SALE: Saturday/ Sunday; 2800 Delano. Five family after summer clean-out. Nice clothing, jackets/ coats, portable color T.V., stereo, tons of toys, arts/ craft items, 1984 Crown Victoria, 1982 Chevrolet pickup, two horse trailer, miscellaneous. Doors open at 9:00 a.m., NO EARLY SALES!

3005 B MARK LANE- FRIDAY & SATURDAY 9 - ? AT&T Spirit 3 phone system, less than 2 years old costs new $1,200. Trampoline frame/ springs, wood dinette, refrigerator, 9 x 12 Persian rug, office furniture and miscellaneous, drum set, lots of old books/ miscellaneous.

3402 BOYD- Patio sale. Friday 1-5 Saturday 8 -noon, wheel barrows, tires/ rims, luggage, tent, work clothes, leather and mink coat, trimmer, spreader, decorator pictures, cornices 78" and 58", ski pants, etc.

☆ BIG 4 FAMILY SALE! ★
Friday and Saturday, 7-5
3110 Barkley
Baby items, boys clothes (all sizes), maternity clothes (like new), screen house, dishwasher - give away, door - 32", Sony TV, skiis and boat ladder.

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GARAGE SALE
4726 WILSHIRE
Friday Only
Collectibles, chairs, desks, tools, baseball cards, baby clothes and much more.
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★3304 WINDSOR. Friday, 8 - ? Dinette set, Schwinn 3 speed men's bike, grill, lamps, phone, 14" Cragers, miscellaneous. Women's and children's clothing.

★3608 W. LOUISIANA. Friday and Saturday 8-5. Nice Table with 4 chairs, electric lift chair, recliner chair, small drop leaf table, good drapes, water tank, quilt pieces, dishes and appliances.

★OCTOBER 12, 5 Family Garage Sale, 8-4. No Early Sales. Piano, Furniture, clothes, apartment size Washer - Dryer. Cash Only. 4308 Boulder, in alley.

★4618 RIC Drive. 4 family garage sale Saturday only 9 am - 2 pm.

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GARAGE SALE
2 LEE CHEERLEADERS
Garage sale proceeds go for trip to England for Allstar Universal Cheerleaders Association.
2916 McDONALD
Saturday Only, 9 - 2
Lots of odds & ends.
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ANNUAL SALE at
GALLERY 1114
SATURDAY October, 12
From 8 - 5 pm
And SUNDAY October, 13
From 1 - 5 pm
1114 N. BIG SPRING

★3506 BEDFORD, West of Midkiff; East of Midland Dr. Miscellaneous and lots of women's clothing (sizes 8-11). Saturday beginning at 8:30

FURNITURE, Paintings, decorative items, roll top desk, lawn furniture, chairs, tables, antiques, bookcases, mirrors, tires, smoker grill, girls 26" bike.
4015 W. ANGELINA
Friday 8-4, Saturday 8-2

405 Garage/Yard Sales

★MOVING SALE 2105 Woodlawn, Thursday-Friday 8 AM to 6 PM-Furniture, appliances, dishes, linens, clothing, books.

★ 2606 HUGHES ★
3 family garage sale.
Thursday, 8:30 - 1:30, Friday 8:30 - 11:30. No early sales! Oak king size waterbed with 6 drawers, water dispenser, 2 non-working stereos, 35mm zoom lens, platform rocker, lots of clothes, boy's and girl's, newborn - adult, much, much more.

★MOVING SALE: 4007 Kniffen (Off Loop, past Angel Stadium). Furniture, clothes, miscellaneous. Thursday and Friday, 8-6.

GARAGE SALE 4404 Westminster Drive, 8 to 3 - Women's, children's clothing, miscellaneous items. Saturday only.

★WEDNESDAY, Thursday, Friday, 8am - 4pm. Furniture, clothing, lots of miscellaneous. 103 W. Shandon.

★3010 PHILLIP Place (Wydewood area, off Preston St.) Bedspread, wall decorations, children's clothes, etc. Friday - Saturday. 8:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. No checks.

★306 Mariana. 9 - 6 Thursday, Friday, Saturday and 2 - 5 on Sunday. Clothes, waterbed and lots of Dollar items.

★CHURCH GARAGE SALE 3113 W. OHIO. Friday and Saturday. 8 - 5. Baby items, furniture, office room dividers, large appliances, and much more.

★TENT Sale: Work Clothes: New insulated coveralls, new bib overalls (all sizes), work pants (new and used, all sizes and lengths), select coveralls (your choice, $7 each), work shirts, $2 or 3 for $5; Dress pants $4 to $6, welder shirts, and many more items, too numerous to mention. Tuesday - Sunday, Parking lot of Sundown Market, 703 E. Front Street, Midland.

★BACKYARD SALE - Years of accumulation, hundreds of items. Friday only. 8 am - 5 pm, 2906 Aurora.

★FRIDAY noon, Saturday 8am, Sunday 1pm. Clothes, mower, bikes, scooter, records, tapes, books, cabinet stereo, record player, reel tape player. 3308 Fannin.

★8 FAMILY SALE
1306 W. LOUISIANA
FRIDAY SATURDAY
OPEN AT 8 am - 8 pm
Something For Everyone!!
Appliances, furniture, toys, extra large clothing to all sizes, console television, antiques, new ceramics, office supplies, fishing equipment.
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★GARAGE SALE: Friday 9-4, Saturday 9-3. Multi-Family. Furniture, clothes, adults and boys (4T, 7 slim), lots of miscellanous. 3501 Travis, in the rear.

★2306 W. SHANDON -Saturday, Sunday 9 am- ? . Beautiful coats, food processor never used, electric oven, too many items to mention.

★3305 ROOSEVELT, Saturday 9:00-5:00 - Sunday 9:00-1:00. Baby items, children and adult clothing, furniture, miscellaneous items.

★FRIDAY. 1016 Ward. Antique dresser, designer girl's baby clothes (like new), maternity, bicycles, toys, clothes.

★GARAGE SALE: Clothes and miscellaneous items. 3217 W. Ohio. Friday, 9-5.

★ONE DAY Only! Giant Moving Sale. 8am - 6pm, Friday. 1009 Ward. Appliances, life jackets, lots of goodies.

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3300-3306 W. OHIO
Friday and Saturday, 9-5
Antique table, clock, chairs, vases, writing desk, glassware, music boxes, refrigerator, miscellaneous.
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OLDIES BUT GOODIES ANTIQUES 2305 W. Michigan. A Touch Of The Past At Affordable Prices! 570-0588.

★4308 COUNTRY CLUB DR. Friday & Saturday 8 - 5, HUGE Garage Sale, furniture, tools, household items. We have it all!

3612 Sinclair, Friday, 8 am. Sear's Craftsman 5 hp 2 phase Comp, Air tools, hoses, 2 gallon paint pot. Power tools. Soft-side waveless tube floatation queen bed (new). Twin bed, refrigerator, brass and glass coffee table. Household items. Girl's, boy's, adult clothes. 520-3124.

GARAGE SALE Friday only, 8 to ?. No Early Sales. 4011 Norwood. Many baby items, waterbed, microwave, motorcycle, clothing and miscellaneous.

HUGE GARAGE SALE! Desk with book shelves, table with marble top, miscellaneous furniture, 10x13 canvas tent, 10 speed bike, tuner, speakers, home security device, knick-knacks, books, clothing, much more! Delmar Villas, 509 Delmar, #907 (rear), behind K-Mart. Friday/ Saturday Only! 9am - 4pm

FRIDAY AND Saturday- 2422 Apperson- old camera equipment, luggage, clothes, bed spread, linens and lots of goodies.

400 E. FLORIDA. Lots of storm windows, fireplace, magazines and furniture. Friday and Saturday.

★SATURDAY Only. Baby and children's clothes, toys, 2 scooters, miscellaneous. 2410 Northtown Court (in alley).

405 Garage/Yard Sales

1411 W. WASHINGTON. Tuesday - Friday, 9 a.m. Culligan water softener, washer, clothing for all, lots of miscellaneous. Too much to list.

The Texas Bedding Law requires all second hand bedding to be sanitized by a licensed germicidal treatment operator and properly labeled before being offered for sale.

CLEARANCE SALE 50% OFF
K-Dee Resale #11 Meta Drive, Village Shopping Center

OLIVER TRACTOR, golf cart, all appliances, living, dining, bedroom furniture, waterbeds, chests, rockers. Discounted 1954 - 1959 pickups, solar system. 570-4851.

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The ★ star on garage sale ads means the address and day of the sale will appear in our Garage Sale Directory which runs each Friday. To get your sale listed in the Garage Sale Directory, simply call your garage sale ad in by 4 p.m. Tuesday.
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FOUR FAMILY GARAGE SALE: Many items, nice clothes (womens/ boys, some never worn), lots of toys, kitchen, carpet and miscellaneous. 2604 Country Club, 8 am - gone. No Early Sales!

IN Back of 424-A W. Pecan. Something for everyone. Weed eater, bicycle, clothes (children and Adult). Saturday 9 am. No early Birds.

REMODELING SALE- 4627 RIC Saturday, Sunday 9-6 stereo cabinet, couch, sewing machine, large clothes, many bargains.

★3702 AMELIA. Saturday only, 7:30-11. Dishwasher, TV, tires, pelit gyn, hunting bow, weight bench, toys, clothes (all sizes), furniture, lots of miscellaneous.

GREAT SALE! Saturday only, 8 am - gone! Full bed with frame, bicycles, scooter, stereo, keyboard, clothing (girls/ adult). 4302 Arroyo Dr.

MOVING SALE
3316 Baumann
Saturday 8-5
Cars, furniture, dishes, clothes, lots more. Something for everyone!

★☆ MULTI-FAMILY ☆★
5000 CANDLETREE COVE
(Alley)
Bluebird Lane to Melville (between Garfield & Midkiff) then South 2 blocks to Candletree.
DON'T MISS THIS ONE!
Saturday 7:30 am - 2 pm
Tools, car seats, exercise bike, gas grill, lawn mower, typewriter, TV, VCR, picnic table, electronic sewing machine, microwave & lots & lots of misc.

SATURDAY ONLY 7 - 6- 2424 Apperson. Lots of good, quality clothing; washer; television; couch and small appliances.
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REMODELING SALE
2810 LOCKHEAD
Saturday only, 7 - 2
1986 Chevy Sprint, dining table, recliner, sofa bed, household miscellaneous, some antiques, coats, nice ladies clothing, boy's and girl's clothes. Too much to list.
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SATURDAY Only, 8 - 5. 2900 Lockheed. Punch bowl, pictures, picture frames, lamps, tables, costume jewelry.

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●3603 TRINITY MEADOWS●
●Saturday 8 am - 12 noon●
Christmas tree and decorations, video and Nintendo games, roller blades, children's bedspreads, toys, men's women's clothes, children's clothes, rally wheels and tires.
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MIDLAND
GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY
Annual
TRASH TO TREASURE
SALE
October 10 to 13
Starts Thursday Night the 10th
Midland County Exhibit Building
in conjunction with
Friends of The Library
Book Sale
All Proceeds Benefit Library

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GARAGE SALE
Saturday,
October 12
2518 Lockheed

CIRCLE DRIVE SALE- 2810 Andover- Saturday only 9 - 5. Too much to mention.

GARAGE SALE
3209 SENTINEL
Friday - Saturday
3 Tv's (1 color), antiques, glassware, silver, drapes, dishes, radio's and miscellaneous.

GARAGE SALE: Saturday only, 9-4. 2415-B Haynes, in alley. Glassware, books, clothes and lots of household items.

1429 LANHAM, Saturday 9 - 6. Exercise bike, garden sprayers, record rack, childrens and adults clothes.

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✓ GARAGE SALE DIRECTORY

Tuesday - Sunday
703 E. Front Street

Wednesday - Friday
103 W Shandon

Thursday - Friday
2105 Woodlawn
2606 Hughes
4007 Kniffen

Thursday - Sunday
306 Mariana

Friday Only
2906 Aurora
3304 Windsor
1016 Ward
3217 W. Ohio
1009 Ward
702 Osage

Friday -Saturday
3010 Phillip Place
3113 W. Ohio
3308 Fannin
1306 W. Louisiana
3501 Travis
3300-3306 W. Ohio
4308 Country Club Dr.
3110 Barkley
3608 W. Louisiana
4015 W. Angelina
4501 Palmer Drive

Saturday Only
4404 Westminister Drive
4308 Boulder (in alley)
4618 Ric Drive
2916 McDonald
1810 E. Oak
3402 Pinemont
3627 Imperial
3309 Crestmont
501 S. Webster
5000 Candletree Cove
2424 Apperson
2810 Lockhead
4307 Crestridge
2410 Northtown Court
3506 Bedford
3804 Fairhaven

Saturday -Sunday
4009 A W. Illinois
1114 N. Big Spring
2306 W. Shandon
3305 Roosevelt

3806 NEELY. Saturday 8 a.m. Waterbed, stereo, full size bed, chairs, lots of miscellaneous.

SATURDAY 8:00 We've cleaned house. Men's suites, baby and children clothes, household items and much more. Cash Only. 3404 Claremont.

5000 N. LAMESA ROAD #318, Saturday 8 - 5. Twin beds, full size bed, freezer and assorted clothes, couch and love seat. 694-8341.

2605 BRUNSON- Friday and Saturday. Baseball cards, sporting goods, boat, lawn mowers, motorcycles, toys, clothes and lots more.

GARAGE SALE - Large Quantity of Clothing, coats, shirts, dresses and pants. $1 each, your choice. 2900 W. Front, in Purple Building.

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MOVING SALE
903 SHIRLEY COURT
Saturday only, 7 AM to 6 PM
Books galore, patio furniture, clothing, miscellaneous appliances. Come Early For Good Selections.
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GARAGE SALE: 3609 Imperial, Saturday 8-12.

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FRONT YARD SALE
3305 Dawn Circle
Saturday 9 am - 2 pm
Baby clothes and toys, household items, some furniture, ladies and men's clothes, teenage girls clothes, inflatable queen size bedding, comforters, books and junk. Cash only No early sales
★CHURCH WIDE RUMMAGE sale. Too many items to list. Saturday 8:30 am - 12:30 pm. 3804 Fairhaven (in Fairmont Park).

FOUR FAMILIES
Tools, 3 tool boxes, clothes (children's 0 - 12 years, maternity, men's, women's, dress leisure and work), toys, baby swing and tub, etc., miscellaneous galore.

2907 DOUGLAS
Friday & Saturday
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ESTATE SALE
10 am Saturday at..
ECONOMY STORAGE UNITS
(Located just North of Loop 250, off Midland Drive.) Furniture, lamps, Soma water bed, sewing machine, elderly care items, household goods. Cash only.
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2003 ABBEY PLACE
(West on Sinclair off Midland Dr, 1 block west of Wydewood)
SATURDAY, SUNDAY 8 - 5
CD radio, 3 living room chairs, new dryer, medicine cabinet, coffee table and end table. New and used clothes, lots of miscellaneous.

TWO FAMILY MOVING SALE 1610 and 1607 W. Holloway. - Washer, dryer, freezer, box springs and frame, liquor and filing cabinets, furniture, household goods, miscellaneous. Saturday only 8-4.

2401 W. College, 9 - 6 Friday Only. Refrigerator, office desk, couch, lots of miscellaneous.

GARAGE sale: Double bed, maternity and kids clothes, toys, lots of miscellaneous. Friday only, 8 a.m., 3304 W. Storey.

1800 N.'I' St- Credenza, chair, small office supplies, typewriter, linens, costume jewelry, luggage, gadgets, miscellaneous housewares and baby to adult clothing. Saturday, Sunday.

SATURDAY, 8 - 5. 105 S. McDonald. Large size men's and boy's clothing, Christmas decorations, dishes, etc.

ALL WELCOME 4420 Leddy. Furniture, bed, ski boots, miscellaneous. Friday, Saturday Sunday 8 - 6.

FRIDAY, Saturday and Sunday. Antique Victrola (console), antique bicycles, Jeep fenders, van spare tire cover (metal), van ladder, old railroad items, lots of antiques and junk. 109 American Airline Mobile Home Park. 697-0452.

606 DEVONIAN- Friday, Saturday 10 am- 7; Sunday noon- 6 dishes, nice clothes, furniture, antique pieces, 8' pickup camper.

3301 DAWN CIRCLE
Bedroom furniture, Hamilton drafting table, map rack, camera, magazines, pictures, dishes, other household items. Nice clothes for teens and adults (some never worn), lots of miscellaneous.
SATURDAY ONLY
NO EARLY SALES

GARAGE SALE; Ladies clothes (10-12), glassware, pictures, no furniture. 3205 Cimmaron. Friday and Saturday, 9-3.

612 W. CUTHBERT- Friday, Saturday. Miscellaneous household goods, children's clothing, 280 Z parts and car.

HUGE SALE
We are selling down to the walls. Room dividers, office desks, credenza, pie safe, hoosier-type cabinet, wardrobe, rockers, sideboard, costume jewelry, kitchen collectables, tables, 4 oak dining chairs, and lots of other goodies. Up to 50% off on many items. Come see us at The Right Time. 350 N. Midland Dr. in K-Mart Shopping Center. 10-6 Tues. - Sat. 697-0540.

4808 BROOKDALE Saturday - Sunday, 8 AM to ? - Gas range, metal desk, mini-blinds, guitar, amplifier, clothes, shoes, miscellaneous.

3615 MICHIGAN Saturday only 8 am - ?. Children's and adult clothing, furniture, toys, lots of miscellaneous

405 Garage/Yard Sales

4 FAMILIES - 2403 S. MIDKIFF- (north side of I-20 & S. Midkiff). Motorcycles, dune buggy frame, furniture, tools, toys, clothes, lots of miscellaneous. New items added. Saturday and Sunday only, 10 - 7.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

BEAUTIFUL authentic Indian jewelry. By appointment only. Buy, sell or trade for old jewelry. 694-8670, leave message.

GOOD SELECTION of vacuum cleaners. Like new. Priced to sell. Rankin Highway Flea Market. Every Saturday and Sunday.

USED Consew Industrial Machine, Model 220B, excellent condition, $550. Call 685-4079.

PAPER backs, Science Fiction, cartoon, novels. Visit The Bookworm in Antiques Etc., Plaza Center.

HONDA 3-wheeler, $700. King Trombone, $250. Florida Time Share, $6,000. For more information call 697-2714.

PAYNE Gas Furnace, 75,000 BTU, $125. Retail sign, 3x12, $150. Call 694-4527.

TREES
Large Red and Live Oaks
Guaranteed and planted at 25% to 40% below retail
Tree farm 2 miles East of Airport on Hwy 80.
BIG TREE KOMPANY
561-8123

HOST Commercial Carpet Cleaning Machine, good condition, heavy duty brushes. Call 699-1191

FOR SALE: Complete Commodore Computer with disk drive and Magnavox monitor, 8x16 skid mounted storage building and piano, excellent condition. Call 697-4300.

GOLD SOFA loveseat and chair for $200. Wedding dress (5-6) with slip $75. 689-7013.

20% OFF Everything in store, including new shipment Southwest Jewelry. 10-5/ 10-15. Big-Tex Pawn. 1405 Big Spring.

PORTABLE "Jacauzzi" make any bathtub a whirlpol bath. $50. Call 682-8487 after 5:30 or 697-4345.

3 SPEED ladies bicycle never ridden (husband was right). $75. 689-7026 after 5 pm.

2 HEADACHE Racks for short bed pickups .$150 and $65 . 2 old typewriters $5 a piece. 1 old calculator $5. Cement finisher $100. 685-0631.

CHIROPRACTOR MASSAGE Table (loaded), two antique gold lamps, room divider. Call 684-7409.

FOR SALE king size pedestal water bed and hot springs portable spa. 699-6203.

GLASS SHOWCASE with 2 shelves. Desk with 4 drawers, 2 filing drawers and 1 pullout for typewriter. Call 684-5316 or 686-0774.

DEMO Spa, portable with full warrantee. Morgan. 563-1860.

FOR SALE: 4 Piece Check-out counter, formica top and sides, 1 piece has glass front and glass shelves. Extra nice and priced right. Call 699-6299.

DRESSER. Four drawers, white color, good condition. $65. Call 699-5284.

MUST SELL MEADE Model 312 Telescope in box with accessories. 4 year old African grey parrot with cage. 1 ½ Horse power water well pump and motor. Call 687-4332 with offers.

" MUST sell to settle Estate: Double Crypt, Ch-1-B, Sanctuary of Flowers, Resthaven North, Midland, Texas. (915) 337-4109, leave message."

ARTISTS Easel. Sturdy for indoor/ outdoor use. Originally $200 plus. Yours for $60. Phone 694-9491

SEARS HEAVY duty green dryer; 38 special revolver; 10 speed like new; monitor and keyboard; Kenmore sewing machine in cabinet; 16½ ' refrigerator/ freezer on top; beer cabinet with keg and Co2 tank complete; 1 assault pistol 9 mm; Remington electric typewriter; miscellaneous adult clothing; 1971 Ford Torino; etc. 686-8203; 694-2542.

COMMODORE - Amiga computer & color monitor, extra joysticks, power box, lots of software. Various Coors pictures including #1. Marcy EMI Pro Complete home gym. Taylor Frozen drink machine. Large trampoline. All priced to sell. Phone 689-0650. Leave message if not home.

SOFA HIDE-A-BED, brown floral $150. Silver fox jacket size 10 $275. Call 694-1371.

BEAUTIFUL old mahogany coffee table bookcase Encyclopedia, complete with old, but wonderful books. $75. Call 699-4461.

TWO LOVE SEATS/ one sleeper, regular size sofa, wing chair. All good condition. Call 694-8724.

2 COUCHES, 1 sleeper, end tables, twin bed, dresser. Call 682-5812.

NIKE Shark cleated high top athletic shoes, size 7½, excellent condition $30. Call 699-5441.

CEMETERY LOT. 1 lot in Garden of Meditation #335, Lot 1. $1,095 negotiable. 682-0320, 682-8825.

MEN'S ROLEX: 2 tone, black face, only 8 months old. Asking $2,500. Call 699-6848.

KENMORE Dryer, secretarial desk, complete crib, gas grill, etc. Call 694-9890.

ATTENTION SEAMSTRESSES: Wanting to update your sewing room with a used sewing machine Serger and Cabinet call 694-4976.

WHITE EYELET Curtains, dust ruffle, sheets, bedspread, pillows, and accessories. Call 684-3877 after 4 PM.

SMITH CORONA Super Collect XT electric typewriter with carrying case. Excellent condition. Call 694-6048.

DOG HOUSES, new, $30. Book case, $30. Porch swings, heavy duty, $30. Child's Play House, $225. 563-0452.

NICE 1 Carat Diamond Solitaire Ring. $1,500. Call 697-1790 leave message.

COFFEE TABLE $35 - Pair of lamps $5 - Maternity clothes. Call 694-5194.

BRAND NEW Wedding dress with veil, size 14, worth $1,000 will sell for $500. 682-4685.

CEMETERY LOTS. 3 spaces for sale at Resthaven Memorial, Garden of Meditation. Call 682-9170.

77-88 CADILLAC, rear fender panel extensions. Fiberglass Replacement TAIL FINS for rear wheel drive Cadillacs. $109.50 & $119.50/ pair. Satisfaction Guaranteed! 1-713-528-2593.

415 Miscellaneous Wanted

WANTED Go - Cart Preferably good condition. Ask for Jeff at 683-7595.

NEED: Texas/ Oklahoma football tickets. Call 699-2559.

415 Miscellaneous Wanted

BUYING SOUTHWEST AIRLINES company club award tickets. Call 561-9012

DON'T Throw Away that non-working portable Color TV or VCR. It might be worth money. 697-1558 or 699-1454

WOULD LIKE TO BUY Southwest Airlines Company Club tickets. Call 684-9617.

TOP DOLLAR paid for your Southwest Airlines Company Club Awards. Call 687-5039.

420 Good Things To Eat

PERMIAN Basin Farmer's Market for farm fresh produce. Monday and Friday, 1505 E. Front, Tuesdays and Saturday, 5021 Princeton. Open until October 29th or until first freeze.

SEPULVEDA VEGETABLE FARM. Halloween Halloween Halloween Pumpkins, Indian corn stalks, Decorative gourds, green beans, blackeye peas, peppers, tomatoes. 699-4372. You pick we pick. Monday - Saturday. After 1pm. on Sundays.

430 Household Goods

WE need good used furniture. We pay extra. Call D & K New and Used for estimate. 4404 W. Illinois. 697-4847.

NEED good used furniture. Buy, sell & trade used furniture and appliances. Rowe's New & Used. 1211 S. Big Spring. 687-5966.

GOOD used refrigerators, electric stoves, dinettes, chest of drawers, china cabinet, dressers with mirrors, bedroom suite, file cabinets, bookshelves, space heaters, new glass and brass dinettes, 3 piece coffee/ end table sets, living room groups.
JOHN'S FURNITURE
600 E. Florida 683-7872

USED WASHERS And Dryers. Sales and Service. Kenmore, Whirlpool, Hot Point and GE. 682-5366.

USED WASHERS & DRYERS - Sell, Buy, Trade. 30 Day Guarantee. 694-5350, after 5 682-7529.

BETTER HOMES & BARGAINS
Home furnishings consignment
3326 N. Midkiff
699-5524
HOURS: Mon- Sat 10-6; Sun 1-5

WALNUT Antique Buffet, good condition, $250. Please call 684-6412.

2 WING back chairs, country decor. Excellent condition. $100 each. Call 682-9802.

LOVE seat, earth tone casual pattern, excellent condition. $75 cash. Call 699-4297.

BEAUTIFUL Sofa, love seat, like new, navy floral, $400 - Oak/ glass coffee, end tables; Papizan chair. 683-5330.

ETHAN Allen baby bed, complete, excellent condition. $200. Call 683-7741.

MUST SELL: Large triple dresser, huge mirror, approximately 40 years old. Excellent piece. $145. 694-7359.

MUST SELL. 3 Counter top water treatment units and 2 air units. Call 697-4465.

NICE CLEAN traditional size sofa excellent condition. Real bargain at $120. 682-2698 Cash Only.

72" WHITE COUCH and chair. Cut velvet gold/ white couch. Bookcase headboard. Rust recliner - Cash only. 682-2790. 2 -6pm ONLY.

TWIN BED $50. Dark pine coffee table $50. Please call 697-5137.

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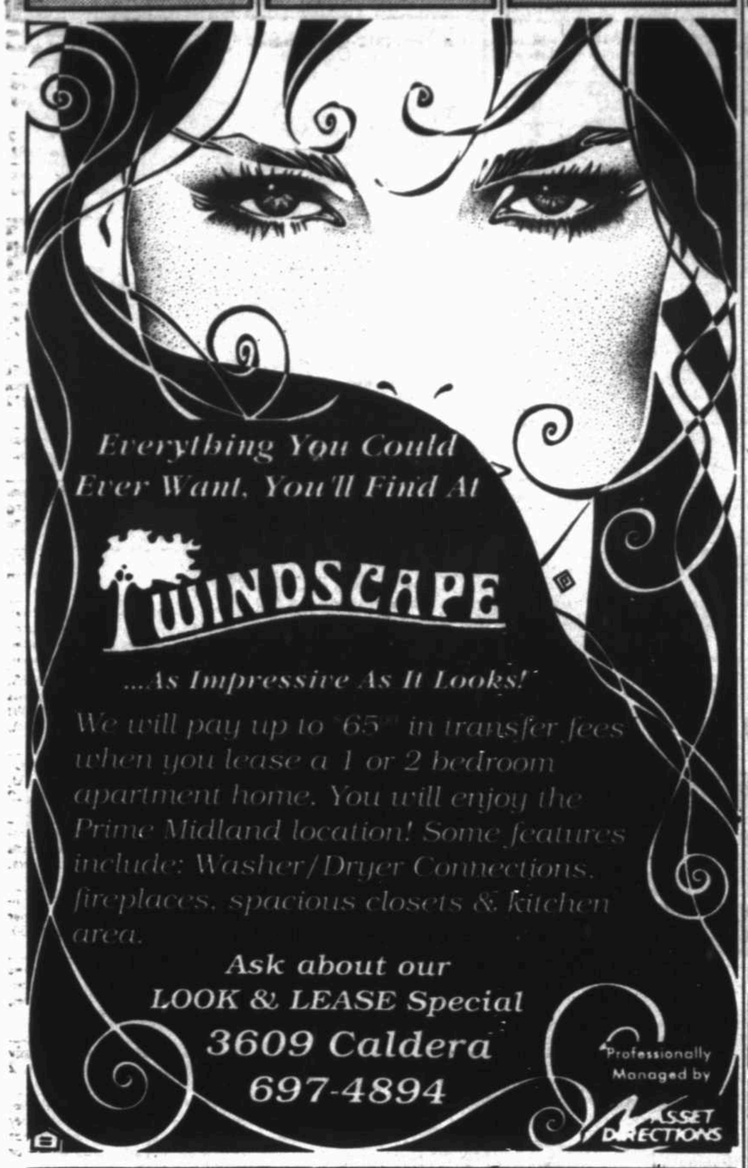
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