Midland Lee Rebels make changes for Friday's Del Rio "border raid."

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Chemical arms pact would permit mutual inspections

By BARRY SCHWEID
AP Diplomatic Writer

WASHINGTON — Barring a last-minute hitch, the United States and the Soviet Union will announce next week a landmark agreement to disclose their stockpiles of chemical weapons and permit inspection of their production facilities.

The emerging accord extends the principle of verification established in a 1987 U.S.-Soviet treaty to scrap all nuclear missiles with a range of 300 to 3,400 miles.

But the United States must first gain the cooperation of West Germany, on whose territory some U.S. chemical weapons are stored, U.S. officials said Wednesday.

Secretary of State James A. Baker III and Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard A. Shevardnadze would sign the agreement at their Sept. 22-23 meeting in Jackson Hole, Wyo., while making preparations for a superpower summit.

President Bush will see Shevardnadze in Washington on Sept. 21, White House press secretary Marlin Fitzwater said.

"The president would want to reassure him on support for the reforms in the Soviet Union and make sure there's no misunderstanding about our intention to move as fast as we can on arms control," Fitzwater said.

He said it was uncertain whether the Baker-Shevardnadze meeting would produce a date for a summit between Bush and Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev.

U.S. officials, who disclosed the latest arms control moves, said final details first must be ironed out by U.S. and Soviet experts.

They will meet here next Monday and Tuesday and try to determine exactly how much information is to be exchanged under the agreement.

"We are close," one official said.

The other key provision calls for short-notice inspection of each other's stockpiles and plants. It is designed as a model for an international treaty now under negotiation by 40 nations in Geneva.

The major sticking point in completing that accord is that the United States believes the Soviet Union has more chemical weapons than it is willing to acknowledge.

"We don't believe the Soviets, but we don't know how to find out how many more they have," an official said. "It's very difficult."

But he said the U.S.-Soviet memorandum is designed to serve as a "confidence-building" measure that could improve prospects for a 40-nation treaty.

The two superpowers, the only countries to admit possessing chemical weapons, began their negotiations four years ago and have had 12 rounds of talks in Geneva.

Besides the imminent accord, they recently agreed on two provisions that could be part of the 40-nation treaty, the official said.

One sets the procedures for destroying chemical weapons and the other for conducting inspections at suspect sites.

The two sides would reduce their arsenals to equal levels over eight years, with the aim of eliminating the remaining weapons later on.

Only this week Shevardnadze accused the Bush administration of "timidity" and failing to take full advantage of arms control channels opened by former President Ronald Reagan and Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev.



Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram

Long road back

Heather Preas is returning to wellness and robust health following the "miracle" of a successful bone-marrow transplant.

Local teen doing well after marrow transplant

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

Heather is faring well. Happily.

She almost didn't. She almost died too soon.

Heather Preas, now 17 and looking good, is a phenomenon — a sterling example of daring medicine at work.

In June 1988, as Heather neared death from leukemia-like aplastic anemia, she underwent a bone-marrow transplant in Baylor University Medical Center in Dallas. Her bone marrow virtually had ceased making blood and produced no blood platelets that prevent blood clotting.

For six months prior to the transplant, she had survived on the will to live, prayer, and on repeated blood transfusions.

"She was dying in the hospital here (in Midland)," said her mother, Cindi Preas, "and it was Friday the 13th of May (1988) that we got a call that she had a donor."

Even today, as Heather returns to health and as the swelling that painfully changed her appearance has subsided, she lives with a low-immune system, which she controls by rigid hygiene and medication. Her body's natural immune system seeks to reject the "foreign" bone marrow that saved her life and changed her blood type.

"It just totally wiped out my immune system — the disease and the chemotherapy," said the red-haired Heather, who appears in robust health.

She is back in school, where she is a senior at Midland High School and is keying in on a medical career — perhaps that of a physician.

"I just want to be able to help people the way they helped me," Heather said. "Maybe I can help save somebody's life."

Before the pathway to healing set in, her hope *almost* faded. But hope was always there. She lost friends, gained friends, and won a stronger family bond.

Her "best friend" bailed out of her life.

"I lost a lot of friends, who turned out to be rotten," Heather sighed. "I lost my very best friend. He told me he didn't want to come around, because I was going to die, and it would be painful," Heather recalled. "I had a lot of anger and bitterness toward him for a long time. But I learned that was his way of dealing with death."

And, for a time, Heather lamented: "I wondered why this (illness) couldn't happen to someone else? And I hated it," especially the change in her appearance, as she went from slender to "fat" due to body-fluid retention. Today, she is her former self, though she is far more mature.

Her will to live, before and after the transplant, sustained her.

"For one thing," Heather said, "I didn't want to leave my family." But, were she to die, she prayed to "come back as a guardian angel."

At times, Heather thought she might be "happier" in death.

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Prosecutors may discuss task force

By PATRICK CRIMMINS
Staff Writer

Coordination of Permian Basin Drug Task Force cases in a 17-county area and the punishment given convicted drug dealers are likely to be topics discussed Sept. 19 in a meeting of West Texas prosecutors in El Paso.

Al Schorre, Midland's District Attorney and one of the organizers of the task force, has asked area prosecutors attending a regional district attorney's convention to put the task force on their agenda.

"The purpose of the meeting will be to review drug task force operations and to discuss recent publicity relating to area drug cases," Schorre said in a memo sent to prosecutors.

"I'm just going to let them talk," the Midland prosecutor said. "It will be an excellent opportunity for everybody to get matters out on the table, and for everybody to speak up."

Schorre said he decided to call the meeting after a series of stories on the drug task force appeared in the Midland Reporter-Telegram. The series tracked 185 cases in 14 counties and reported their disposition, and in some interviews the high number of probated cases and a lack of coordination were criticized.

The task force was formed Feb. 15, 1988, and since its inception has investigated about 800 drug cases in 17 West Texas counties.

Ricky Smith, prosecutor in the 106th Judicial District that includes Lamesa and Seminole, said he supports the meeting but is unsure if he will attend.

"It always helps to get together and talk," Smith said. "There are some things that could be changed. There is always room for improvement on both sides."

Task Force Commander Tom Finley also will attend the meeting.

Schorre said he is unsure what may come out of the meeting.

"We are going to have to just wait and see," he said. "I don't lead that group. There is no mechanism for me or any other prosecutor to lead the group. But a point for discussion will be both the strong points and the statistical criticisms in the newspaper," Schorre said.

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Luttrell



Gaskin



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Bourland

Most interviewed don't want stricter dress codes

By BRIAN PEARSON
Staff Writer

More conservative dress codes in Midland schools would evoke plenty of kicking and screaming, according to Midlanders surveyed Wednesday.

Of the 25 randomly polled, 18 opposed dress requirements getting anywhere near the days of conservative, collar-length hair for boys and below-the-knee skirts for girls. Six said yes and one had "mixed emotions."

However, some public schools statewide have sought stricter dress codes to fortify discipline and make a more formal learning environment. Some have even proposed making students wear uniforms.

"Girls like to wear miniskirts," said Kelly McQueen, 16, a Midland High School junior. "I think we also should be allowed to wear shorts."

Midland Independent School District policy does not allow secondary students to wear shorts, but it does allow them to wear their hair any way they please as long as it is not disruptive. Many of the policies are left up to the prinicipals at the individual schools.

Both high schools and two of three junior highs allow boys to wear earrings. Neither of the freshman high schools allow them.

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Bakkers took $3 million in bonuses

CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP) — PTL founder Jim Bakker and his wife were given more than $3 million in bonuses as the ministry narrowly avoided a financial collapse during the mid-1980s, a witness and prosecutors said.

At Bakker's fraud trial Wednesday in U.S. District Court, former PTL finance director Peter Bailey read from more than 70 memos he had sent the evangelist between 1983 and 1987 detailing the TV ministry's chronic cash crisis.

"We are continuing to operate far in excess of what is coming in," Bailey read from a memo dated April 16, 1986, two weeks after Bakker got a $200,000 bonus. "The contributions are flat. We can have all the financial controls in the world but if we don't live within our means it doesn't mean anything."

Prosecutors contend Bakker took for his own use nearly $4 million earmarked for lodging at PTL's Heritage USA theme park and religious retreat near Fort Mill, S.C. If found guilty of the 24 counts of fraud and conspiracy he could be sentenced to 120 years in prison and fined more than $5 million.

Prosecutors on Wednesday presented evidence that while Bailey was warning Bakker of financial trouble, Bakker and his wife, Tammy Faye, continued to receive large bonuses of up to $500,000 from the PTL board.

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Oral Roberts

Roberts can't await miracle, shuts doors

TULSA, Okla. (AP) — Evangelist Oral Roberts, the faith-healer who built a religious empire on the credo "expect a miracle," now says he cannot wait for divine intervention to save his ministry's hospital and medical school.

Roberts said Wednesday the hospital will be closed by the end of the year, the medical school shut down next year, his home and four other ministry-owned homes sold and a university housing complex sold to pay off $25 million in debts.

"I hope we can look back at this and say this wasn't a failure," the 71-year-old pioneer of television evangelism said during a campus news conference. "I don't think it's as bad a day as it seems. I think we'll look back on this and think it's the right thing."

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Gabor says she's 'afraid of lesbians'

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (AP) — Actress Zsa Zsa Gabor, on trial for slapping a Beverly Hills cop, says she doesn't want to go to jail because she's "afraid of lesbians."

The Municipal Court jury that could put the flamboyant actress behind bars were sworn in Wednesday. Opening arguments were to begin today.

On the steps of the courthouse Wednesday, Miss Gabor confided in reporters her fears of being convicted. A conviction carries a maximum two years in jail and $4,000 fine.

"Mother is so worried," Miss Gabor said. "In a deathly voice, she phoned me this morning and asked me, 'Dahling, are they going to book you in jail?'

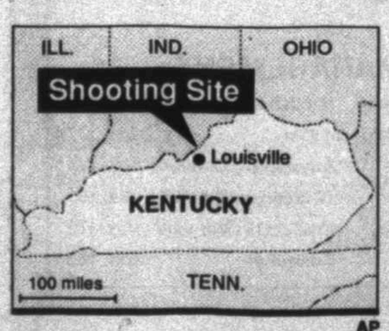
"I told her I hoped not. I have claustrophobia and would be very unhappy in jail.

"And besides, they are all lesbians in jail. And I'm so scared of lesbians. Can you imagine being in jail with all those women?"

Miss Gabor is charged with misdemeanor battery on a police officer, disobeying a police officer's orders, driving with an expired license, having an open container of alcohol in her car and having an expired car registration.

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At least five killed in Kentucky print-shop shooting



AP

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — A printing-company employee blazed away with an assault rifle as he went from floor to floor of the plant today, killing at least five people and wounding 14 before taking his own life, police said.

"It looks like a battle zone ... with the blood and the people involved there," Mayor Jerry Abramson said after touring the three-story building adjacent to The Courier-Journal newspaper offices.

Police searched every floor for victims because of the Standard-Gravure Co. building's many "nooks and crannies," Chief Richard Dotson said. Two victims were found during the mayor's tour.

"We also found a fellow sitting in a corner that was just shuddering in fear," Abramson said. "He hadn't been shot, but he was in shock."

The conditions of the wounded weren't immediately known.

The gunman, Joseph T. Wesbecher, entered the building at 8:30 a.m. with a duffel bag, an AK-47 rifle and a 9mm semi-automatic pistol and randomly fired at people with the rifle, which had ammunition clips of about 25 rounds, Dotson said.

"It started on the first floor. By the time our officers arrived he had gone up to the third floor ... and he eventually ended up in a pressroom in an annex area, which is where he killed himself."

"I thought it was firecrackers going off," said Bud Graser, a pressman for Standard-Gravure. "When I saw what it was, I turned around and told everybody to get out of there."

Ed Green, a supervisor in the plant's etching room, said he heard at least 20 shots. "I saw two (victims) and then I got out," Green said.

Dotson described Wesbecher, 47, as a disgruntled employee of Standard-Gravure, which prints newspaper inserts and Sunday newspaper supplements. He was on permanent disability, although the nature of his disability was not known.

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U.S. troop presence small but growing in cocaine battle

EDITOR'S NOTE: A secret directive in President Bush's $7.9 billion drug program may allow a greater role for the U.S. military in the cocaine-producing countries of Bolivia, Colombia and Peru. Here is a report on U.S. efforts in those countries so far.

By KEVIN NOBLET

The U.S. military presence is small but slowly spreading in the heart of South America's cocaine country.

Expansion is most evident in Peru, where about 20 U.S. Army Special Forces members quietly arrived three months ago and are providing paramilitary training to national police in their battle against a fearsome alliance of cocaine traffickers and Maoist guerrillas.

In Bolivia, where the fight is less dramatic but equally entrenched, about a dozen Green Berets have been conducting training and support operations from low-profile jungle base camps for years.

The confidential White House directive giving the American military more leeway in the drug war was crafted with Peru and Bolivia in mind, according to officials in Washington.

In Colombia, home to the biggest cocaine cartels, U.S. officials deny any military intentions beyond those associated with the delivery of hardware.

About 200 soldiers, including advisers, trainers and technicians, accompanied the recent arrival of two C-130 transport planes, A-37 observation and attack jets, UH-1H Huey helicopters and other equipment in an emergency U.S. aid package for Colombia's anti-narcotics offensive.

But U.S. Ambassador Thomas McNamara told reporters the U.S. crews would get the gear working, give some instruction and then get out — most of them within a few hours or days.

Colombian President Virgilio Barco repeatedly has insisted his country wants U.S. money and equipment, not troops.

Direct American military action would almost inevitably produce a wave of anti-U.S. nationalism and would certainly embarrass the Barco government, which has pressed for the United States to get out of Central American conflicts.

Peru and Bolivia, much poorer countries, also oppose major U.S. troop involvement but have allowed some training and support personnel to operate.

In Peru, about 20 bilingual Green Berets began instructing anti-narcotics police at a special base near the central jungle town of Satipo, officials from the U.S. Embassy in Lima told The Associated Press.

"It's intensive training, almost one-on-one," said embassy spokesman Gene Bigler. "They're taking small groups of 40 to 50 policemen and training them five weeks at a time.

"There's one whole section on entering and leaving helicopters under fire."

He said the policemen also are taught map reading, battlefield first aid, jungle patrols and night patrols.

"It's the same kind of paramilitary training that DEA agents are now getting before they arrive in Peru," Bigler said.

The training program is designed to last two years, with Peruvians then taking over the instruction.

Bigler said U.S. authorities hoped the trained Peruvian officers would be assigned to a newly built, heavily fortified police garrison at Santa Lucia.

Several former Green Berets on contract to the U.S. government for anti-narcotics efforts in Peru designed the Santa Lucia base, which includes an airstrip big enough for C-130s, three helicopter pads and nine buildings ringed by barbed wire and mines.

It is the centerpiece in a new, militarized strategy in Peru, where most of the world's coca is cultivated. Much of it is grown in jungle areas controlled by the Shining Path, a Maoist guerrilla organization.

"Santa Lucia is probably better fortified than most military bases in Peru," said Craig Chretien, the Drug Enforcement Administration chief in Peru.

Pistol-packing DEA agents have been seen routinely accompanying Bolivian, Colombian and Peruvian police in raids on cocaine processing laboratories and traffickers' jungle hideouts. About six U.S. Border Patrol agents assist in interdiction efforts. They are all under strict orders to avoid armed clashes.

DEA agents are among the U.S. military's harshest critics.

Speaking privately, they contend that U.S. soldiers lack political sensitivity. They fear an increased American military role would bruise Latin egos and ruin relations with local authorities and sources.

"If the Special Forces come down here on raids, I am pulling out of here. They are going to come down here thinking this is a war zone and start shooting at farmers, when what you need here is another kind of presence," said one DEA agent in Bolivia.

When Green Berets accompanied Bolivian police on a raid in April, a U.S. soldier walked off with a confiscated shortwave radio, insulting a police commander who told him the radio had to be properly registered, sources said. DEA agents had to intervene in the dispute.

Nonetheless, about a dozen Green Berets have worked with the Bolivian police force's elite anti-narcotics division, called the Leopards, for more than two years. It is widely acknowledged that disclipine among the Leopards has improved.

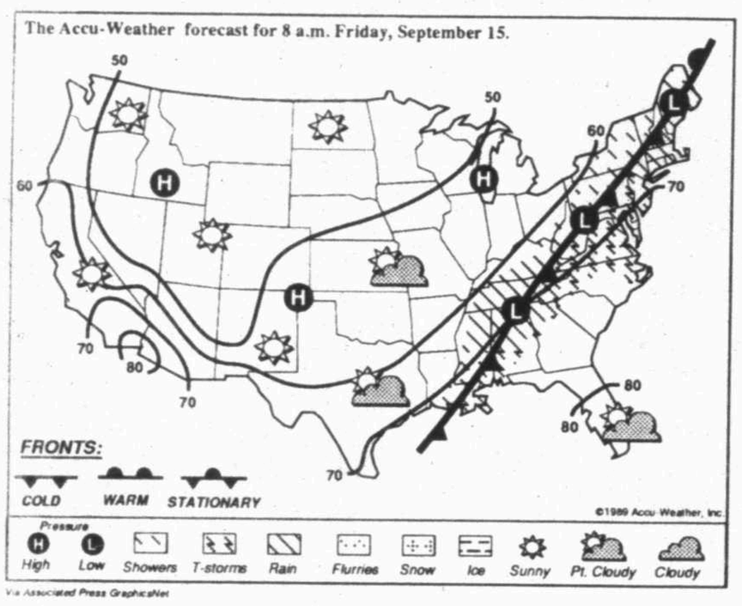
The U.S. Embassy in La Paz, the Bolivian capital, said it is ready to extend the instruction program.

"U.S. troops will not seek out conflict or combat, but we are prepared to expand our training role," embassy spokesman Bruce Wharton said.

The biggest U.S. military splash in the drug battle was made in July 1986, when 175 U.S. soldiers descended on Bolivia and helped the Leopards raid laboratories.

The three-month operation drove traffickers underground and paralyzed cocaine processing operations in Bolivia, the source of up to 30 percent of the world's cocaine.

WEATHER SUMMARY



Via Associated Press Graphicshet

Cooler temperatures continuing

Clear skies and continued cool temperatures are in the forecast for tonight, according to the National Weather Service at Midland International Airport, with the low in the upper 40s and winds light and variable.

However, a warming trend should follow.

Friday will be sunny and warmer with the high reaching near 80 degrees and winds from the southeast at 5-10 mph.

Wednesday's high of 70 was 32 degrees cooler than the record high of 102 set for that date in 1930. The overnight low of 51 set a new record low for this date, beating the previous record of 52 set in 1949 by one degree.

STATE

The Lone Star State continued in the grip of a cold front today, with lower temperatures bringing showers and thunderstorms.

The front stretched from near the Toledo Bend in East Texas along the Gulf coast to south of Corpus Christi and across the deep south to near McAllen.

Along and ahead of the front, showers and thunderstorms developed. Rainfall was reported in deep South Texas and the lower Rio Grande Valley. Thunderstorms also developed offshore from Sabine Pass to Padre Island.

Cloudy skies covered most of the state with some clearing in the Panhandle. Drizzle fell in the Permian Basin around Midland.

A high-pressure system moved into the state from Kansas, bringing a north wind at speeds from 5 to 15 mph. Deep South Texas had a light east wind.

Low temperatures were unseasonably cool, with 40s and 50s in the north and west and 60s in the south, along with some readings in the 80s reported in deep South Texas. Extremes were 40 degrees at Dalhart to 81 degrees at McAllen.

NATION

Showers and thunderstorms lingered in the south-central United States today while to the west skies were clear.

Thunderstorms produced heavy rainfall Wednesday night in Kentucky and Tennesssee.

Early today, showers and thunderstorms were scattered from northern Mississippi across middle Tennessee to eastern Kentucky. Light rain and drizzle spread from Arkansas across much of Missouri and Illinois.

Showers and thunderstorms also were developing across New York state and in the lower Rio Grande Valley of Texas.

In Oklahoma on Wednesday, heavy rainfall forced the Cottonwood Creek out of its banks, sending about 20 families in Guthrie out of their homes and to higher ground.

Skies today were clear across the upper Mississippi Valley and in much of the country west of the Great Plains.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Tonight: Clear, low in the upper 40s, light and variable winds. Friday: Sunny, high near 80, southeast winds 5-10 mph.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS

Yesterday's High	70 degrees
Overnight Low	51 degrees
Sunset today	7:56 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:32 a.m.
Precipitation	
Last 24 hours	1.10 inches
This month to date	2.78 inches
Year to date	7.79 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES

6 a.m.	57	6 p.m.	54
7 a.m.	54	7 p.m.	53
8 a.m.	53	8 p.m.	53
9 a.m.	52	9 p.m.	53
10 a.m.	52	10 p.m.	53
11 a.m.	51	11 p.m.	53
noon	52	midnight	53
1 p.m.	52	1 a.m.	53
2 p.m.	55	2 a.m.	53
3 p.m.	55	3 a.m.	52
4 p.m.	55	4 a.m.	52
5 p.m.	55	5 a.m.	52
		6 a.m.	52

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Pcp.
Abilene	76	49	0.93
Alice	100	67	0.04
Amarillo	50	40	
Austin	90	61	0.25
Beaumont-Port Arthur	91	71	0.60
Beaville	97	68	0.02
Brownsville	96	75	
Bryan-College Station	88	60	0.64
Childress	56	46	0.18
Corpus Christi	96	67	0.14
Cotulla	95	66	
Dalhart	53	38	
Dallas-Love Field	79	56	0.32
Del Rio	84	61	1.24
El Paso	80	54	
Fort Worth	78	56	0.31
Galveston	88	71	0.01
Hondo	88	62	
Houston Hobby Airport	89	62	0.31
Junction	89	55	
Kingsville	101	68	1.22
Laredo	101	64	
Longview	89	58	0.08
Lubbock	52	47	
Lufkin	92	62	0.21
Marfa	64	50	
McAllen	98	74	
Midland-Odessa	70	51	
Mineral Wells	75	51	1.03
Palacios	91	65	0.33
San Angelo	76	53	0.83
San Antonio	89	62	0.53
Stephenville	76	51	1.90
Texarkana, Ark.	80	58	0.25
Victoria	91	66	
Waco	80	57	0.19
Wichita Falls	64	53	0.15
Wink	70	53	0.05

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albany,N.Y.	81	62		rn
Albuquerque	74	47		clr
Anchorage	57	49	11	cdy
Atlanta	86	70		cdy
Atlantic City	82	65		rn
Baltimore	77	71	03	rn
Boise	80	52		clr
Boston	80	65		rn
Buffalo	70	54	04	cdy
Casper	67	38		clr
Charleston,S.C.	82	76	30	cdy
Chicago	60	57	13	clr
Cincinnati	82	65		cdy
Dayton	80	61		cdy
Denver	59	40		clr
Detroit	58	53	19	clr
Flagstaff	70	45		clr
Grand Rapids	53	48	27	clr
Great Falls	75	46		clr
Honolulu	90	77		clr
Indianapolis	75	57	46	cdy
Jackson,Miss.	93	71		cdy
Kansas City	53	51	.52	clr
Las Vegas	91	64		clr
Little Rock	78	60	40	cdy
Los Angeles	85	69		cdy
Louisville	88	67		cdy
Memphis	88	66	.78	rn
Milwaukee	57	55	.63	clr
Mpls-St Paul	67	42		clr
Nashville	89	68	.21	rn
New Orleans	91	70		rn
New York City	84	71		rn
Oklahoma City	53	49	.01	cdy
Omaha	63	40		clr
Philadelphia	86	69		rn
Phoenix	101	76		cdy
Pittsburgh	82	64		rn
Reno	83	46		cdy
Richmond	89	69		rn
St Louis	58	55	.46	cdy
Salt Lake City	73	48		clr
San Diego	76	65		cdy
San Francisco	73	53		cdy
Sioux Falls	63	37		clr
Spokane	81	48		clr
Syracuse	76	53	.01	cdy
Topeka	53	52	.23	clr
Tucson	95	64		cdy
Tulsa	55	53	.17	cdy
Washington,D.C.	79	72	1.62	rn
Wichita	51	50	.16	clr

County forecasts

Midland, Ector, Glasscock, Upton, Reagan, Crane, Gaines, Andrews, Dawson, Borden, Martin and Howard counties: Tonight...Mostly clear and continued cool. Low in the upper 40s. Light and variable wind. Friday...Mostly sunny and warmer with a high near 80. Southeast wind 5 to 10 mph.

Sterling, Coke, Irion and Tom Green counties: Partly cloudy by noon and then mostly sunny during the afternoon. High near 70. Northeast wind 5 to 15 mph. Tonight...Mostly clear and continued cool. Low near 50. Light and variable wind. Friday...Mostly sunny. High near 80. Light and variable wind.

ROBERTS

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Roberts said the action was necessary to help keep the 4,300-student Oral Roberts University financially secure.

"It will enable us to concentrate on saving the university proper," he said. "We're proud of our school, and we believe by the sale of certain assets we can attack this indebtedness."

Roberts left open the possibility that "some miracle" could happen, saying a donation could come in to help meet the needs of the hospital and the ministry without forcing the announced action.

But he said it was necessary to take immediate action in case his miracle does not come.

"Integrity means we have to tell our students now," Roberts said. "We feel that integrity demands that we give them a full year's notice."

Roberts has blamed the sharp decline in donations to his ministry on a "spirit of skepticism" in the wake of scandals involving fellow evangelists Jim Bakker and Jimmy Swaggart. Monthly contributions to Roberts' ministry declined from $5 million to $2.7 million during the past two years, officials said in May.

He said he believes the skepticism flourishes today.

"I think the wave of cynicism has hit every part of our life — Wall Street and the religious community alike. But we're going to stop it."

Roberts said a $50 million endowment is needed to keep the hospital and medical school open. The ministry's current endowment base is $64 million, officials said.

"Who knows that when this is known across America that someone we might have been dealing with, or someone we haven't been dealing with, might say, 'I've got the $50 million,'" Roberts said.

Dr. Larry Edwards, dean of the medical school, said officials with the Liaison Committee on Medical Education of the American Medical Association will declare the medical school's charter inactive next year. The action would allow the accreditors to reactivate the charter at a later date, he said.

The hospital, part of a three-tower complex with 60-story, 30-story and 20-story buildings, will be leased and the revenue generated dedicated to the ministry's endowment, Roberts said.

He said he had been discussing the possibility of a large donation, perhaps enough to meet the endowment, with a person whom he would not identify. But the discussions ended when the person said he could not make the contribution.

"The man who thought he was most able thought that he was going to do it," Roberts said. "He hasn't given up yet, but he said the economy is just too bad now."

Mark Swadener, chief fiscal officer for the ministry, said the ministry will "actively pursue" a buyer for the ministry's five homes, which includes the home of Roberts' son, Richard. The homes, owned by the Oral Roberts Evangelistic Association, are located on 9 acres in south Tulsa near the 400-acre ministry complex.

Oral Roberts' 6,328-square-foot, four-bedroom home was valued at about $500,000 in 1987. His son's 7,091-square-foot, two-story home was valued at $547,000 that year.

Roberta Roberts, the elder evangelist's daughter, lives in one of the other homes, Swadener said.

Swadener said the sale of the apartment complex, which has 830 units, would take place as soon as possible.

Edwards said 600 staff members at the hospital would be affected by the closing.

BAKKER

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"Our payroll is far too high and cannot be sustained...," Bailey wrote on March 12, 1984, as PTL was collecting $3 million a month in contributions and spending $7 million.

The next day, PTL's board voted Bakker a $390,000 bonus, which he soon used to buy a home in Palm Desert, Calif.

The prosecution testimony followed stories earlier this week from PTL contributors known as "lifetime partners." Thev said they spent $1,000 for the promise of three days of lodging every year at Heritage USA, but were turned away as planned hotels weren't completed.

Bailey said he frequently had to take money from lifetime partner accounts to pay bonuses to Bakker and PTL Vice President Richard Dortch, as well as other expenses. Dortch was sentenced last month to eight years in prison.

Among the other bonuses, Bailey said, in 1983 Bakker approved his dipping into PTL's savings account to pay operating expenses 10 days after the board approved bonuses totaling $150,000 for the Bakkers.

On Sept. 6, 1985, Bailey warned Bakker the ministry was surviving on lifetime partner donations and said cuts of 40 percent were needed immediately in the ministry payroll. On Nov. 12, 1985, the prosecution said, Bakker got a $250,000 bonus from the board.

Charles Chapel, a lawyer from Tulsa, Okla., who was hired to represent PTL in March 1986 for a tax audit, testified that he told ministry officials the lifetime partnerships should be separated from general contributions.

After PTL later that year decided to use a different law firm for its tax problems, Chapel said he wrote Bakker a letter warning, "You have got to take charge and get your business under control. Otherwise, your Church will be lost."

Under cross-examination by defense attorney Harold Bender, Bailey praised his former boss and the PTL ministry.

"He put his lifeblood into that place. ... The bottom line is, he raises the money. He delivers," Bailey said. He described PTL as a "great organization. ... There is no place like PTL. If you haven't been there, you've missed something."

TASK

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Rick Hamby, 118th Judicial District Attorney, said he will attend the meeting in El Paso, and will meet with other prosecutors about task force cases.

"But I am just going to do my job," Hamby said. "I am going to do my job on these cases without any pressure from the press, and without any pressure from the task force."

HEATHER

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"I was so close to dying. I felt at peace," she said.

Her father, Cecil Preas, said Heather "had to face a lot of grown-up things as a teen-ager. And when you have to face death at 16, it is pretty heavy."

With the aid of the Wadley Blood Center in Dallas and the backing of Midlanders, such as Midland medical technologist Mark Pace, a "suitable" donor was located in England.

The marrow came from Joan Aldcroft, a Cheshire mother of two daughters about the ages of Heather and her 15-year-old sister, Holly.

In a letter to Heather's mother, Mrs. Aldcroft penned: "And I remember, as I finally went to sleep, praying that God would let it (the successful transplant) be so."

And to Heather, Mrs. Aldcroft wrote: "How marvelous that you have done so well. I feel all of my prayers for your recovery have been answered. It is you that deserves praise for the hard fight."

DRESS

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Ted Miller, MISD spokesman, said the district has no current plans to strengthen the dress codes.

MHS junior Susie Luttrell, 17, said forcing students to wear more conservative clothing would make for a harsher learning environment.

"You should wear clothes comfortable to learn in," Susie said. "You can be comfortable and it won't disrupt learning."

But Judy Gaskin, 43, a homemaker, said school dress standards have taken a plunge into a pit of disrepair in recent years.

"Some of them look pretty ratty," Ms. Gaskin said. "The kids should go to school and look a little nicer and show some self-respect.

"It's not just that they don't have better clothes, it's just that they choose not to wear better clothes to school."

Bart Kotter, 26, a custom jewelry designer, preferred to teeter in the middle of the issue.

Kotter said the proper dress would make for a more businesslike environment conducive to learning. It also would promote responsible behavior, he said.

However, Kotter also said students deserve freedom of choice.

"I don't think that they can tell people what length to wear their hair," he said. "It's got to be a personal choice."

N.E. Bourland, 67, upholds a more traditional view of school dress.

"People my age are probably more conservative," said Bouland, a retired petroleum engineer. "I tend to be more along those lines."

Arlene Dulin, 38, a Midland Freshman High School teacher, had stronger convictions about more conservative dress.

"The clothes make the man," Ms. Dulin said. "If you dress decently, chances are you're going to act more appropriately."

Construction worker Jerry Trimble, 23, said he would like to see less conservative school dress, especially if it meant "letting girls wear shorts."

Trimble, though, would like to see shorter hair on boys and a rule banning them from wearing earrings.

Keith Collis, 21, also a construction worker, does not mind long hair on boys.

"I figure it's all right if it doesn't interfere with school," Collis said.

GABOR

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She was arrested June 14 after a policeman stopped her for having expired registration tags on her $215,000 Rolls-Royce Corniche convertible. While the officer was checking for other infractions, Miss Gabor allegedly drove away, only to be caught again two blocks away.

At that point, the officer said, she slapped him.

The former Miss Hungary pleaded innocent July 12 and maintains she was verbally and physically abused by the officer, Paul Kramer.

The defense's strategy in the trial, which is expected to last about two weeks, is to show that Kramer had a history of harassing celebrities.

Prosecutors have said they would try to prevent the testimony from being heard. Some of the past incidents involving Kramer are too old or different from Miss Gabor's to be pertinent to her trial, prosecutors said.

Miss Gabor denied she savored the publicity accompanying her trial.

"The Beverly Hills police started this. It was two days later my press agent called and said, 'Zsa Zsa, you have to protect yourself.' I don't need this publicity," she said.

Whether she needs it or not, the press has hounded Miss Gabor and her eighth and current husband Prince Frederick von Anhalt, Germany's Duke of Saxony.

Court documents reveal Miss Gabor was born June 6, 1923, making her 66, although she has been extremely secretive about her age.

SHOOTING

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The chief said an officer who knew Wesbecher told him the man had been "argumentative and confrontational for a number of years."

After the shootings, the gunman lay face-down in a pool of blood on the floor of a pressroom. The pistol was discovered under his body and the AK-47 was a few feet away. The gunman apparently shot himself with his pistol, Dotson said.

The newspaper building was evacuated following the shooting at about 8:30 a.m. At least two blocks were sealed off and about a dozen ambulances lined the streets.

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Exiled SWAPO leader welcomed home

WINDHOEK, Namibia (AP) — Sam Nujoma, leader of the SWAPO guerrilla movement, received a hero's welcome today as he ended 30 years in exile to compete for political power in soon-to-be-independent Namibia.

Tight security measures were in force because of threats on Nujoma's life and the assassination Tuesday of Anton Lubowski, the only white with a leadership post in the South-West Africa People's Organization.

"I'm happy to be home," Nujoma, the 60-year-old nationalist leader, said after kissing the tarmac at Windhoek's airport. He embraced SWAPO colleagues and his 89-year-old mother.

Thousands of cheering supporters, kept out of the terminal by police, gathered at the airport gates to greet Nujoma, who led a 23-year bush war against South African rule of the territory.

Most wore the red, blue and green colors of the independence movement.

Black trade unions urged their members to skip work in order to join in welcoming Nujoma, who arrived aboard an Ethiopian Airlines jet after a flight from Luanda, Angola.

Earlier today, police announced the arrest of a suspect in the assassination of Lubowski.

Police Inspector Kierie du Rand said the suspect was a 50-year-old white man with an Irish passport, arrested in Windhoek on Wednesday. He reportedly came to Namibia from Cape Town, South Africa.

The man's name was not released, and du Rand said additional arrests were expected. The South African Press Association said police were investigating a possible link with the Irish Republican Army but did not elaborate.

Lubowski, 37, was killed by automatic rifle fire outside his Windhoek home Tuesday night. A civil rights lawyer, he was a member of SWAPO's election directorate and helped lead its campaign for U.N.-supervised elections scheduled for early November as a prelude to independence next year.

SWAPO said the assassination of Lubowski was intended to create instability prior to the elections, which SWAPO is widely favored to dominate, and to frighten whites at a time when racial unity is growing.

South Africa, which has ruled Namibia 74 years, has agreed to independence for the territory under U.N. supervision as part of a regional peace accord also calling for withdrawal of Cuban troops from Angola.

On Wednesday, posters appeared in Windhoek with a photograph of Nujoma and a target superimposed on his face.

A local newspaper editor, Gwen Lister, said she received two phone calls Wednesday from men saying they belonged to the White Wolves and that the white supremacist organization killed Lubowski.

Men identifying themselves as Whites Wolves have carried out several attacks on blacks and anti-apartheid activists in South Africa. Police say they have not been able to prove the organization exists.

Fighting between SWAPO guerrillas and the South African-led security forces ended in April. Since then, there have been only isolated violent incidents in this territory whose 1.3 million population is 84 percent black with the rest nearly equal parts white and mixed-race people.

Lubowski died only hours after Namibia's nine largest political parties, including SWAPO, signed a code of conduct for the elections that prohibits violence.

WORLD

Bombings linked to Rushdie book

YORK, England (AP) — A small bomb shattered the window of a York bookstore owned by the publisher of Salman Rushdie's novel "Satanic Verses" and bombs were found at three of the publisher's stores in other towns, police say.

The Viking Penguin bookstore in the center of this northern city was closed Wednesday night when the blast occurred, causing minor damage and no injuries, police said.

City police Inspector Ron Johnson said the bomb was spotted by a member of the public and the area was evacuated. He said it exploded before an Army bomb squad could arrive.

Three other bombs found outside Penguin bookstores in three other cities and towns were defused or otherwise made safe before they could explode.

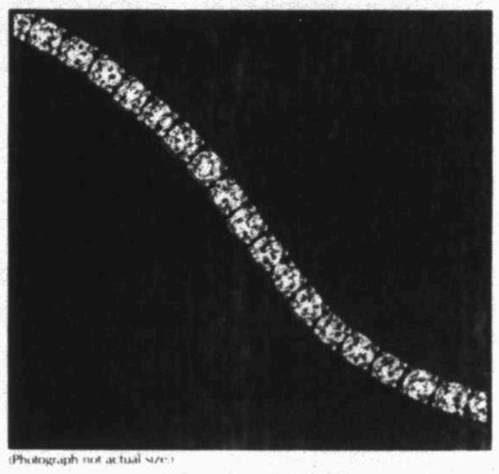
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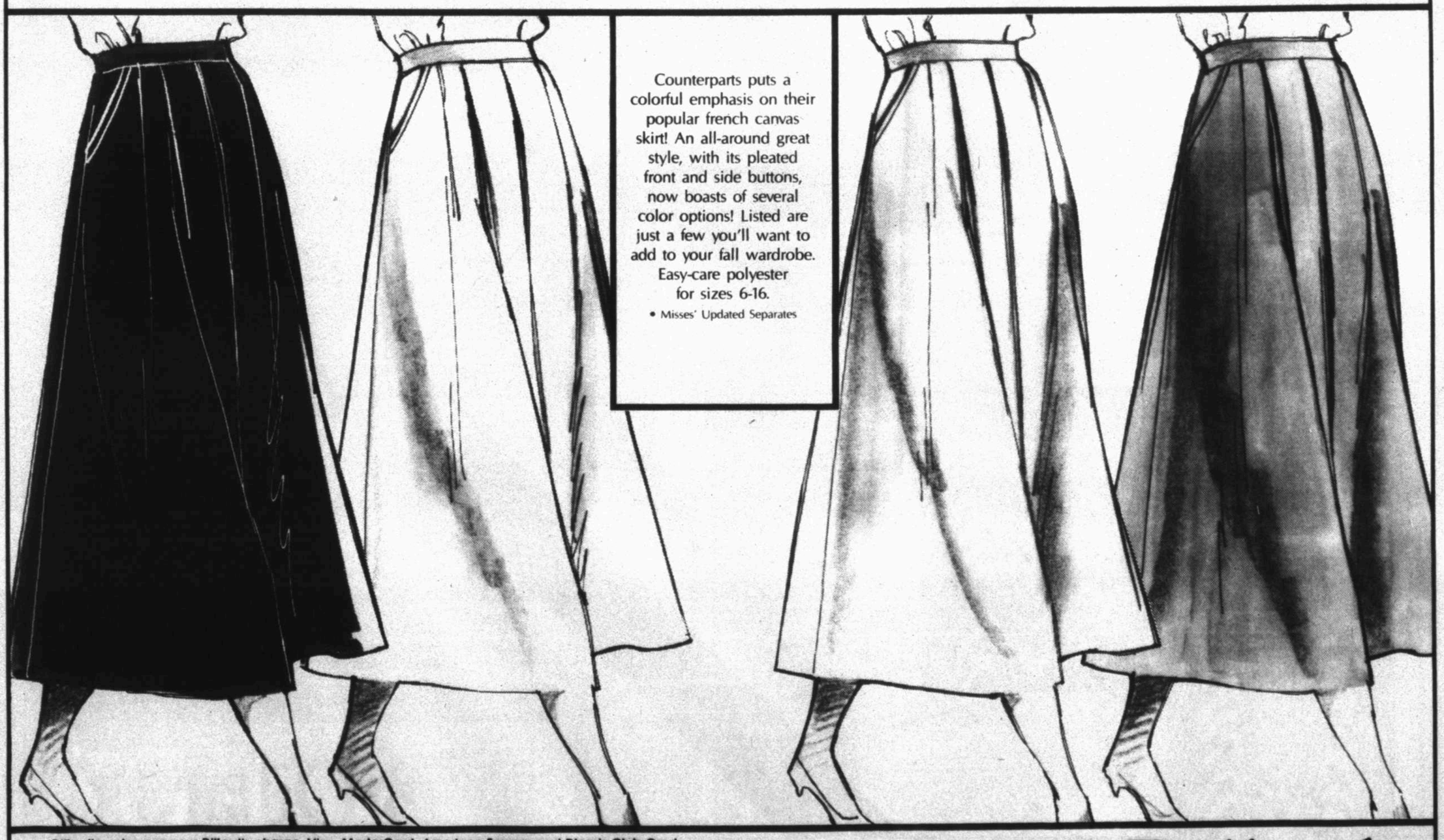
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Colombia, too, has addiction problem

BOGOTA, Colombia (AP) — While insisting that its problem with murderous drug traffickers is due to Americans' craving for cocaine, Colombia is finding it has a drug abuse problem of its own.

More than one in 10 Colombians use drugs regularly, and almost 5 percent of children age 12 and younger have tried them, according to an as yet unreleased government study obtained by The Associated Press.

When the drug use study conducted by the Ministry of Education is made public, it is bound to shock this proud Latin American country.

Many Colombians are fond of saying that drug abuse, violence and lust for pornography are problems characterizing Americans.

Colombian society prides itself on its traditional values such as family unity and respect for elders.

President Virgilio Barco, in speeches in Washington and on nationwide television, has repeated his message tirelessly: United States drug users are ultimately to blame for drug trafficking in Colombia.

The Colombian government does not have a national program to prevent or treat drug addiction, but it is spending money on advertising pointing to American addicts.

An ad being run in current government magazines and picked up by newspapers shows what is supposed to be a freckle-faced American woman snorting cocaine through a straw.

"Because of her cocaine habit, she is directly supporting the drug terrorists who are tearing apart our country," the ad says. "She's like thousands of young Americans, rich and poor alike, addicted to cocaine."

The statistics of the Colombian study are based upon lengthy questionnaires given to 7,513 Colombians from a wide social and geographic spectrum.

The study said 4.5 percent of Colombians age 12 and under have tried drugs and gave these figures for young people of other age groups:

- 13-15 years old: 20.8 percent.
- 16-18 years old: 47.1 percent.
- 19-21 years old: 59.5 percent.

The most frequently used drugs in order of use are marijuana, "basuco," cocaine, heroin, hashish, LSD and even hallucinogenic mushrooms, the study says.

Basuco is the brown residue scraped from the inside of a container after preparing cocaine base. It is smoked like crack.

Cocaine base has not yet been treated with hydrochloric acid for making pure cocaine and is therefore said to be weaker than crack.

The results of the Colombian study were so shocking that a follow-up study was done of 30,000 Colombians age 15 and older to see how many use drugs on a steady basis, the head of the Education Ministry study, Gabriel Gutierrez Garcia, told the AP.

Twelve percent of those questioned use illegal drugs on a regular basis, the study showed, according to Gutierrez.

There is no visible federal campaign against drug use in Colombia. Whatever minor programs there are scattered throughout the country are supposed to directed and coordinated by Colombia's National Drug Council.

Lawmakers investigating reports of mercenaries

BOGOTA, Colombia (AP) — Lawmakers have launched an inquiry into reports of American, Israeli and British mercenaries operating freely in Colombia to train scores of paramilitary groups, including drug traffickers.

Colombian congressmen, along with Minister of Defense Gen. Oscar Botero, watched a film Wednesday night at the Congress building of alleged paramilitary training in Colombia.

Scenes included men firing guns from moving vehicles, practicing assaults on houses, and taking explosives training. The film was made available by the Bogota television news program Noticiero Nacional.

A Colombian police general who appeared at the hearings Wednesday said in a televised interview he had told lawmakers a month ago that foreign mercenaries were training the paramilitary groups.

The general, Miguel Daza Marquez, heads Colombia's Administrative Security Police, which handles national criminal investigations.

Foreign Minister Julio Londono Paredes told the lawmakers, however, that the Ministry had no proof foreign mercenaries had actually trained Colombian drug traffickers or paramilitary groups.

But he acknowledged there were no restrictions on many foreigners who want to travel to this South American republic.

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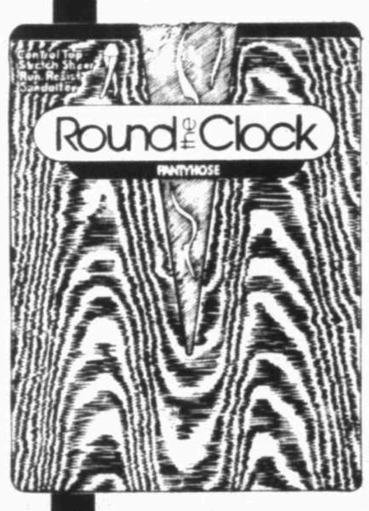
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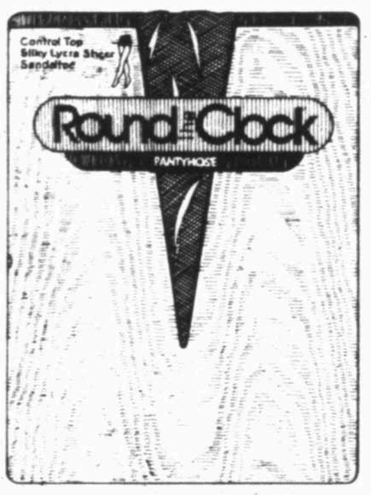
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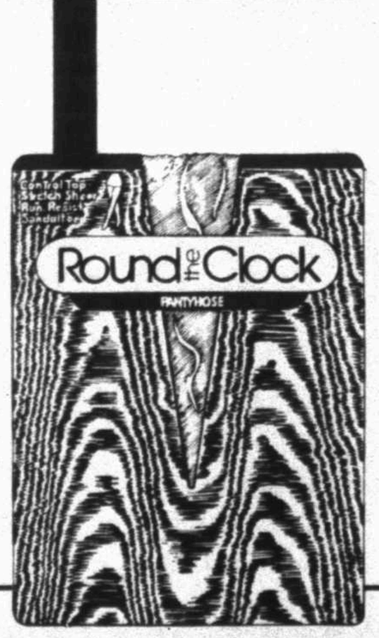












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WORLD IN BRIEF

A 'fifth man' linked to spies

LONDON (AP) — A senior KGB official says the four-man British spy ring that betrayed Western secrets to Moscow for more than three decades was aided by a fifth man, a London newspaper reported today.

The Independent quoted Yuri Modin as saying in Moscow Wednesday when asked by its reporter Rupert Cornwell if there was a fifth member: "Yes there was."

There has been repeated news media speculation in Britain over the years about the existence of a so-called fifth man.

The Independent identified Modin as the Soviet intelligence agency's key contact with one of the ring, Kim Philby, and the controller of three other members — Anthony Blunt, Guy Burgess and Donald Maclean.

Nun suffers setback

CALCUTTA, India (AP) — Mother Teresa had chest pains and developed a high fever today, a week after she suffered a heart attack, her doctors said.

Dr. A.K. Ashim, chief cardiologist at Woodlands Nursing Home, said the 79-year-old Roman Catholic nun "has had sort of a (second) heart attack."

Mother Teresa, who has devoted her life to helping the poor, was admitted to the nursing home on Sept. 5. "Her condition is serious," Ashim said. "She suffered chest pains during the night which required intensive measures to relieve. These measures are continuing."

He said doctors were constantly monitoring her heartbeat but refused to say what steps had been taken. "Mother Teresa is tired and resting," he said.

He called the overnight pains "a setback."

A nun at the Missionaries of Charity, the order founded by Mother Teresa nearly 40 years ago in Calcutta's squalid slums, said doctors seemed anxious about her condition.

"She's not well," said the nun, who asked not to be identified.

Mother Teresa suffered a heart attack on Sept. 8, three days after she was admitted to Woodlands Hospital with a high fever, an irregular heartbeat and blocked artery.

Doctors attached a temporary pacemaker after the heart attack.

Rebels make proposal

MEXICO CITY (AP) — El Salvador's Marxist rebels say they would lay down their arms and reorganize as a political party if the nation's rightist administration would agree to broad political and social reforms.

The guerrillas made the proposal Wednesday in their first talks with the government in two years.

Both sides said they hoped to reach an agreement today on a plan for negotiating an end to nearly a decade of civil war that has claimed 70,000 lives.

"The problem is if we're just going to talk or if we're going to talk about negotiating," rebel commander Joaquin Villalobos said Wednesday night.

He said the Salvadoran people are tired of fighting: "We are conscious the war has to end."

Hainan governor fired

HONG KONG (AP) — Chinese authorities have fired the reformist governor of Hainan province on graft charges, insisting the move was part of a campaign against corruption and not politically motivated.

Also today, an official Chinese newspaper reported that most new humanities graduate students will have to take a year off to work in factories or rural areas to improve their "political understanding."

Hainan Gov. Liang Xiang, who has been linked to purged Communist Party chief Zhao Ziyang, is the highest-ranking official to be dismissed in what Beijing calls its campaign to root out corruption from the leadership.

F.W. De Klerk elected

CAPE TOWN, South Africa (AP) — F.W. de Klerk was elected today to a five-year term as president and pledged to ensure that the voteless black majority "becomes part of the decision-making process."

The Electoral College, dominated by Parliament members of the governing National Party, cast a unanimous vote for de Klerk a day after the largest legal protest march in South Africa's history took place with his approval.

The brief meeting of the electors took place in a parliamentary chamber near St. George's Cathedral, starting point for Wednesday's march by more than 20,000 people.

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Methane gas blast, coal dust cited in deaths of 10 miners

WHEATCROFT, Ky. (AP) — A fiery methane gas explosion, smoke and dust figured in the deaths of 10 miners in the nation's worst coal mine disaster in five years, officials said as a federal investigation got under way.

"It was just a big boom. The ears popped and that was it. The dirt flew," said Tony Hawkins, who was installing support timbers in the mine about a half mile from the explosion Wednesday morning. "It was just scary. My knees started shaking."

Hawkins said he and others helped to evacuate some miners who scrambled out of the smoky blast site about 1,000 feet underground in the Pyro Mining Co.'s William Station Mine.

By late Wednesday, rescue teams had removed 10 bodies, which were taken to the state medical examiner's office for autopsies, and all other miners were safely accounted for, authorities said.

Fourteen to 15 miners were in the immediate area when a jet of flame erupted, said Jim Greenlee, an executive vice president of Pyro's parent company, Costain Coal Inc.

Officials believe some of the victims survived the explosion "and succumbed to the smoke and dust," Costain President Charles Schulties said. Some of the miners were found wearing self-rescuing units, devices miners carry on their belts to filter out poisonous carbon monoxide in emergencies, he said.

Paul Tompkins, Webster County deputy coroner, noted that four of the 10 victims sustained first-degree burns. The rest were not burned.

Schulties said it was reasonable to believe that something sparked a buildup of methane, an explosive gas that occurs naturally in coal seams and that mine operators are required to ventilate. He acknowledged that the U.S. Mine Safety and Health Administration cited the mine about two months ago for high levels of methane.

State and federal investigators entered the mine Wednesday. But Kathy Snyder, an MSHA spokeswoman who was in this town about 140 miles southwest of Louisville, said the investigation would not begin formally until today.

"There's no way to tell you anything about the cause until the investigation takes place," she said. A report will be released in several weeks, she said.

The accident claimed the highest death toll since 27 miners died in a Utah coal mine on Dec. 19, 1984, said Frank O'Gorman, an MSHA spokesman.

Kentucky and federal records show four previous fatal accidents at the Pyro mine since it opened in February 1983, including a 1986 death that may have been related to methane. Less than a year ago, three miners were hurt in a blasting accident.

O'Gorman said the explosion occurred as the miners dismantled longwall mining machinery, which continuously moves a cutter from side to side along a long exposed coal face.

The mine, which Schulties said employs 367 miners on three shifts, is in rural western Kentucky about 40 miles southwest of Evansville, Ind.



AP

Major U.S. mine disasters listed

Associated Press

Here is a list of some major U.S. mine disasters:

Dec. 19, 1984 — Faulty air compressor starts underground fire that kills 27 coal miners at the Wilberg Mine near Orangeville, Utah.

March 9-11, 1976 — Fifteen miners and 11 rescuers die as two methane gas explosions shake mine in Oven Fork, Ky.

May 3, 1972 — Fire fills the Sunshine Mine in Kellogg, Idaho, with smoke and poisonous gas, killing 91 miners. Two people survived the fire in the nation's richest and deepest silver mine, living for a week 4,800 feet below the surface by eating the lunches of their fallen comrades and tapping water from pipes.

Dec. 30, 1970 — Mine disaster in Hyden, Ky., kills 38 miners.

Nov. 20, 1968 — Explosions and fire at Consolidated Coal's No. 9 mine in Farmington, W.Va., kill 78 people. Twenty major explosions and many more minor ones rocked the mine's 100 miles of tunnels for nine days. This disaster led to the landmark Federal Coal Mine Health and Safety Act passed by Congress in 1969.

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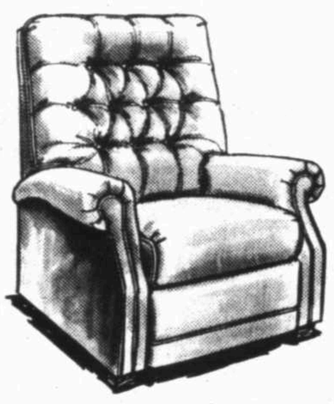
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Senate overrides delays on smoking ban

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate today moved a crucial step closer to approving a total ban on smoking aboard airliners, voting to halt delaying tactics by tobacco-state lawmakers.

By 77-21, the Senate voted to prevent a filibuster by cigarette industry supporters who had promised to bring legislative action to a standstill unless the smoking ban was limited to short flights. Debate on the proposal then continued.

Supporters of the measure to prohibit smoking aboard all U.S. airline flights had said in advance that they had the 60 votes needed to invoke cloture and halt the filibuster.

"No doubt about it," the chief sponsor, Sen. Frank Lautenberg, D-N.J., said Wednesday.

Smoking-ban opponents served notice that even if they lost, they would keep trying to block the proposal, which is part of an $11.9 billion transportation spending bill for next year. Sen. Ernest Hollings, D-S.C., promised to try to quash the smoking measure on procedural grounds.

"I've got 25,000 or 30,000 tobacco farmers in North Carolina to whom I have made a commitment that I'd protect their interests as long as I'm in the U.S. Senate," said Sen. Jesse Helms, R-N.C. "And I'm going to do that."

Helms said Lautenberg "may end up rolling us, but he will know that he has been in a fight."

Tobacco state lawmakers, sensing the fight was not going their way, said they would settle for a permanent extension of the current smoking ban on flights of two hours or less.

That restriction, which covers 80 percent of all U.S. routes, will otherwise expire next April. The House on Aug. 3 adopted a provision making the two-hour rule permanent.

In offering to accept the permanent ban on short flights, Sen. Wendell Ford, D-Ky., said he and his allies would slow the Senate's work on other matters if the other side persisted in seeking broader restrictions. Congressional leaders want to finish 13 spending bills by the Oct. 1 start of fiscal 1990.

"There's more at stake here I think than just the question of smoking on airliners," Ford said. "It's a question of the budget so the rest of world can work."

Airline employees and health groups have pressed for a total smoking ban on aircraft, claiming that cigarette fumes can cause a risk of cancer and other diseases for everyone aboard a flight.

Tobacco interests say there is no proof that cigarette smoke endangers non-smokers and argue that there are plenty of other chemicals in recirculated aircraft cabin air.

Democrats holding out for more anti-drug funds

WASHINGTON (AP) — Senate Democrats are ready to work with Republicans toward a compromise anti-drug program but say they'll hold out for something close to their $10 billion plan that President Bush threatened to veto.

"The president's plan is wholly inadequate," said Senate Majority Leader George Mitchell, D-Maine, adding that the White House is failing in its effort to paint the Democrats as big taxers and spenders for wanting to do more.

The Democrats, who hold a 55-45 majority in the Senate, united Wednesday behind a proposal by Sen. Robert Byrd, D-W.Va., to expand Bush's $7.9 billion drug program by $2.2 billion, with more money for drug education and treatment programs.

Mitchell contended the White House's quick threat of a veto for the Democratic plan, and its claim that Democrats just want to raise taxes, show that the administration knows its plan is in trouble.

But William Bennett, the president's point man on drugs, defended the administration plan as "our best assessment" of what is needed.

The administration, after the chest-thumping earlier in the week on the issue, was noticeably more subdued, working with Senate Republican leader Bob Dole of Kansas to set up talks with the Democrats.

Instead of raising taxes, Byrd's plan would pay for the extra spending by cutting other programs across-the-board by about one-half of one percent.

"If we can't find that (cut) in everybody's department, we're not serious about fighting the war on drugs," said Rep. John Breaux, D-La., chairman of the Democratic Senatorial Campaign Committee.

Despite the veto threat, the White House has made overtures to the Democrats to seek a compromise.

Educators say Bush must act after summit

WASHINGTON (AP) — Educators are voicing high hopes for President Bush's education summit with the nation's governors, but warn of "a tremendous letdown" if the politicians fail to find ways to improve America's schools.

Bush Wednesday held the first of several "listening sessions" with education leaders leading up to his Sept. 27-28 summit with the governors in Charlottesville, Va.

The educators, who are being excluded from the summit itself, said afterward they urged Bush to use the conference to help forge a new national consensus on what children should learn.

The White House indicated that is, in fact, what Bush has in mind.

Bush wants the governors "to help develop a set of realistic goals for the nation in education," said spokesman Marlin Fitzwater.

But Fitzwater said that Bush is likely to propose such goals, not at the summit's end, but at a later date.

American Federation of Teachers President Albert Shanker, one of 17 education leaders at the brainstorming session with Bush and Secretary of Education Lauro F. Cavazos, warned afterward:

"There will be a tremendous letdown if the summit takes place and turns out to be a mere media event and doesn't come up with anything that's substantive."

Keith Geiger, his counterpart at the National Education Association, said, "I don't think any of us are looking for another report."

Geiger called it an "excellent ... freewheeling discussion," and said the educators' overriding message "was that the president could lead in a national role of setting (educational) goals for this country."

That could include spelling out what "youngsters need to know in order to graduate from high school," he added.

Shanker said Washington doesn't need to establish a national curriculum, but must do something about the paucity of graduates able to read and write at advanced levels.

Earlier, Fitzwater told reporters, "The president believes that the nation's education system needs more accountability in terms of student achievement. He will suggest the need for a results-oriented education system and ask the governors for their ideas to make education meet those goals in a more effective manner."

Cavazos noted that many governors were holding their own pre-summit meetings to canvass experts for advice, and he emphasized that the Charlottesville meeting was "only a start."

"It's the beginning ... of an opening dialogue, not only with the governors, but with all of the people, with the teachers, with the educators, with the students, parents," said Cavazos.

Cavazos has complained that school reform has produced only meager improvements. "Everyone in that room knows what it takes. ... The fundamental question is why hasn't it happened," he said.

Meanwhile, the National Governors Association held a daylong hearing to allow educators, business leaders and others to offer ideas for the summit.

Arkansas Gov. Bill Clinton said that by convening the summit, Bush is going to have to "assume some personal responsibility for the future of the quality of education."

"Once you pick up this ball, you pretty well got to run with it. If you try to put it down after the summit's over, then I think you have dashed expectations, disappointed people, a divided country, people disoriented," said Clinton, a Democrat.

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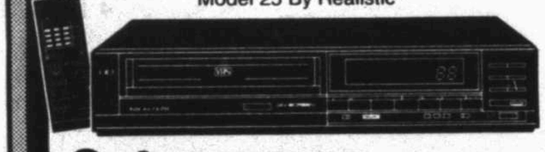




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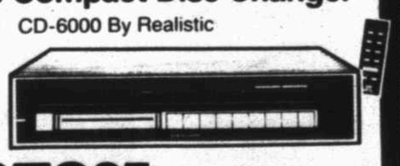
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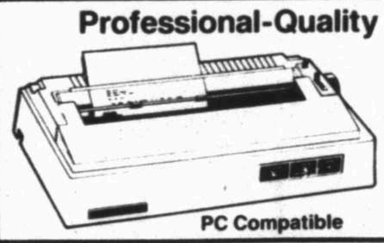


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Chinese writers draw on revolutionary roots

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — In 1966, as the horror of the Cultural Revolution fell upon China, Cheng Naishan and Wang Anyi were young schoolgirls, unaware how radically the events of the following decade would change their lives.

Today both are popular fiction writers in China, and each has drawn upon personal experience in new books that focus on the reform period that has followed the fall of the Gang of Four, who led the farleftist Cultural Revolution from 1966 to '76.

Wang's book, "Lapse of Time," and Cheng's, "The Piano Tuner," each include a novella and a series of short stories. They were published in English by China Books and each sells for $16.95.

For Westerners, the books reveal in fascinating detail the rigors of daily life in a society that only recently has begun to open itself to outside scrutiny. Both women have the ability to express the anger, humiliation and fear experienced by many during the Cultural Revolution and the newfound optimism in the days since.

Both authors have paid dearly for this expertise.

"Nineteen-sixty-six was the hardest time," recalls Cheng. "My family was raided and my grandmother died from a heart attack right after the raid. The cruelest part was that they not only raided your family's house, they also forced you to accuse your parents and your family members to show your own attitude."

She said her husband's grandparents also faced "this humiliation."

"The Red Guards forced them to eat human waste," she said. "They couldn't take it and they committed suicide by turning on the gas stove. After they died, nobody would even dare to take care of their bodies because they were so afraid of getting involved and getting persecuted."

Cheng's own father, who had worked in Hong Kong for a German company before 1949, was accused of being a spy.

"I was so afraid he would commit suicide, too, that I would wait for my father every evening for him to come back," she said.

"The political movement after 1966 was so intense, it filled every minute of your life. People didn't talk to each other about other things."

Wang was so young when the Cultural Revolution began that she and her classmates were at first naively pleased their classes had been interrupted. She remembered going to her principal with her friends to ask if they could be allowed to join the revolution.



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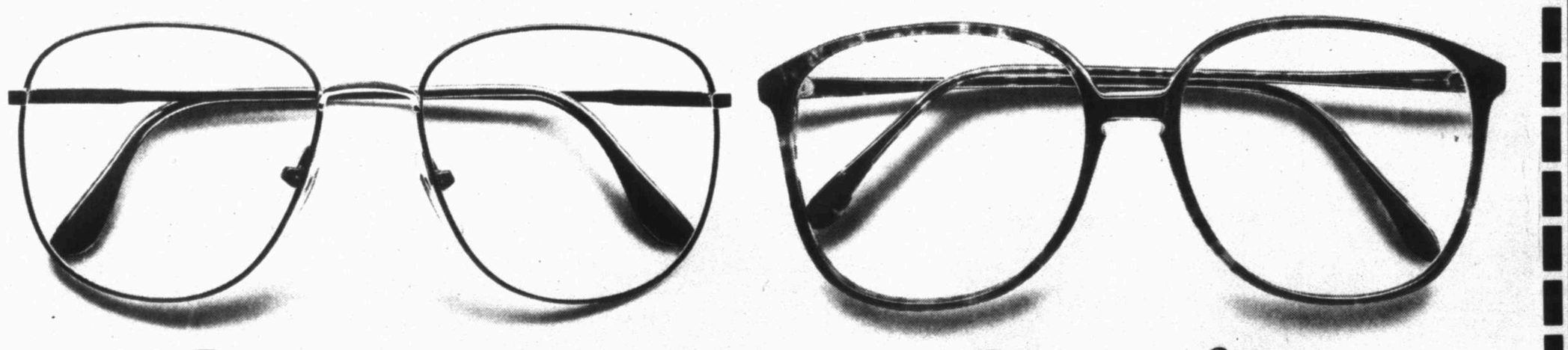
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Chinese author of famed 'River Elegy' TV series escapes

By JOHN POMFRET

HONG KONG (AP) — One of China's most wanted dissident intellectuals, the author of the controversial "River Elegy" television series, has escaped China and says the many people who aided him are all in "extreme danger."

"I've been living in terror for the past 100 days," journalist Su Xiaokang said in an interview 100 days after Chinese troops opened fire on unarmed citizens in Beijing crushing a movement for freedom.

"A lot of my friends have been arrested, a lot. I haven't seen my wife or my little boy since the massacre. The pressure on me has been intense."

Su said he left China about 10 days ago with several other dissidents also wanted by the Beijing government.

His escape contradicts recent reports in Chinese-language newspapers that the "underground railroad" to help dissidents and students has been cut.

One activist who helped arrange Su's flight said Chinese security forces "have not been able to shut the operation down."

So far, the activist said, more than 55 dissidents and student participants in the movement for freedom have fled China, among them student leader Wu'er Kaixi, political scientist Yan Jiaqi and Marxist theoretician Su Shaozhi.

Most have either gone or intend to go on the United States or to France, where Su went Wednesday. Some are waiting in Hong Kong for travel papers.

Still, Chinese authorities have been successful at crushing several other smaller "railroads," run by Hong Kong-based activists and students, arresting several Chinese student leaders and people helping them escape.

In the interview Tuesday, Su declined to reveal details of his flight to freedom: "I was helped by many, many people and they are all in extreme danger ... Suffice it to say I was trembling every day.

"My nerves are frayed, completely. It's hard going underground in a country like China. I felt like there were eyes watching me everywhere," he added. "People are afraid now, everywhere."

Su was active in the Beijing prodemocracy movement. On May 14, a day after a hunger strike began on Tiananmen Square, he and 11 other well-known liberal intellectuals, including journalist Dai Qing who has since been arrested, went to the vast expanse to plead with the students to leave.

"We love you," he shouted to the crowd of more than 100,000 people.

"The Chinese government is incompetent and it cannot stop the tide of history."

Since the crackdown, Su's works have frequently been criticized in the state-run press because they allegedly supported the cause of purged Communist Party boss Zhao Ziyang, who fell from power for supporting the student movement. Su's writings have been banned in China.

Along with Wu'er Kaixi, Su is by far the widest known escapee. His six-part "River Elegy" television series was shown twice in China in 1988, reaching hundreds of millions of homes.

The series criticized the Chinese people's fear of authority.

As it described the Yellow River, which has changed course many times in its history, killing millions of people, the program questioned Communist China's turbulent history which has itself left millions dead.

The program marked the beginning of an almost year-long thaw in the arts and political debate. That thaw was frozen over in June when troops invaded Beijing, killing hundreds of unarmed civilians.

Since the crackdown began, "River Elegy" has been subjected to a scathing series of attacks, the most recent of which was published Tuesday.

An editorial in the Guangming Daily in August said "River Elegy tries to obliterate in one stroke 5,000 years of Chinese civilization."

In a prescient essay written for the May issue of Wenhui Monthly, Su asked, "Why is it in China, the losers of a political struggle are always killed or meet some other such horrible fate. What is it about our system that creates this kind of misery?"

In another work, Su wrote a fictionalized account of an important Communist Party meeting in 1958.

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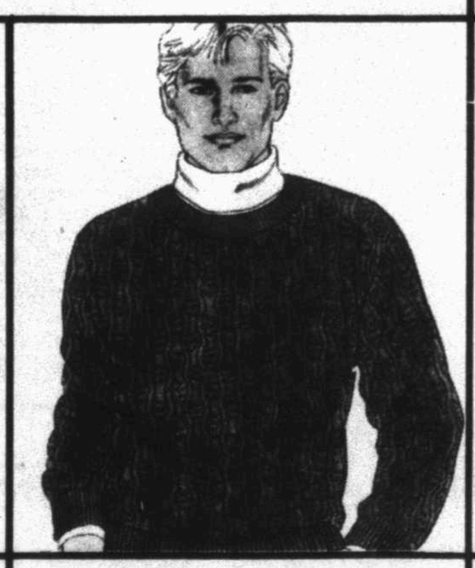

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Senate's gesture shows commitment

Although the sum amounted to only a literal "drop in the bucket" of what actually may be required in this nation's "war on drugs," the political gesture actually was quite impressive last week when congressional leaders made a $45 million down payment from their own budgets toward the president's goal.

That gesture speaks of the commitment that will be required not only of those in the halls of Congress but of Americans from all walks of life if the war against drugs is to be successful.

Senators, by a vote of 83 to eight, took $45 million from their own mailing funds, which have largely financed the mailing of newsletters and other information to constituents in what can be fairly called self-serving publicity. It's one of those "perks" which gives incumbent members of Congress a decided advantage over challengers but really doesn't provide that much important information to the people in the congressional districts.

Yet it was an important step for the Senate because it moved that body closer to the recognition that even political power may have to be compromised to win this desperate war.

President George Bush last week revealed his $7.9 billion strategy that relies heavily on transfers such as that by the senators to underwrite the cost. The president's plan has been criticized by Democrats who at first called for new revenues to finance the drug war, but then said there was no chance for approval in the face of the president's continuing opposition to a tax increase.

Perhaps Senate Judiciary Chairman Joseph Biden Jr. needs a gentle reminder of some of the "sacrifices" required in time of war. One of the principal critics of the Bush plan, Biden seemed to be edging toward concessions with the White House when he said, "Whether we accept this strategy in total or whether we add to this strategy, it's all going to have to happen in the next few weeks." Yes, senator, time is critical.

Yet then the senator belies that understanding through his failure to acknowledge that larger financial commitment to the war on drugs can always be added at any later time. For now, the Congress merely needs to portray a unified face against the threat of drugs.

That's why Biden's stance seems so curious. He starting to look like the first log in a jam that could hold back funds for the anti-drug campaign and that's not a favorable position to occupy in an emotionally-charged issue like battling drugs.

JACK ANDERSON

Cartel plot against Bush taken seriously

WASHINGTON — The Secret Service is taking seriously a reported plot by Colombia's Medellin cocaine cartel to assassinate President Bush by November.


Jack Anderson

Ten cartel assassins are allegedly hiding out on a ranch in the Mexican border state of Chihuahua waiting for false identification to carry in the United States. They are also quietly shopping for a ride from the border to Wheeling, W.Va. That hilly city, a 5-hour drive from Washington, would allegedly serve as their base camp for the assault.

We have learned the details of the raw intelligence that the Secret Service has received from a reliable government informant with close ties to Colombia. The Secret Service has checked out five reports of cartel assassination plots in recent weeks.

But a source close to the investigation told our associate Jim Lynch that this is the first tip considered reliable and serious enough to warrant telling the president.

Secret Service agents flew to Texas last week where the informant briefed them on the details of the plot.

There is allegedly a $3 billion bounty on Bush's head financed in part by cocaine kingpins who have already been jailed in the United States, such as Carlos Lehder, who is serving a life sentence.

At press time, one source told us the Secret Service was having trouble pursuing the leads. U.S. intelligence in the badlands of Chihuahua is almost non-existent.

And the informant, who fears for his life, refused to be part of a government sting. The Secret Service is at a loss to pinpoint where the assassins will try to cross the border. They would be most likely to wade across the shallow Rio Grande.

The hit team reportedly was assembled before Bush unveiled his anti-drug strategy in a nationally televised address Sept. 5. In that speech, the president gave the cartel more reason to want him out of the way. Bush committed U.S. money and troops to bring the cartel to its knees.

"Our message to the drug cartels is this: The rules have changed," Bush said. "We have a responsibility not to leave our brave friends in Colombia to fight alone."

Until now, the cartel has aimed its hit squads at local targets to intimidate the Colombian government, judiciary and press. The arrogant cartel mentality may have deluded its leaders into believing they can also scare off the entire United States government by a big assassination here.

Attorney General Richard Thornburgh and Drug Czar William Bennett are also reportedly targets in the current plot. Despite the fact that someone besides Bush is in danger, the FBI apparently has not been briefed on the information now in the hands of the Secret Service.

The names of the 10 would-be assassins supplied by the informant were plugged into the Secret Service crime computer. They all checked out as Colombians linked to the cartel who would be highly likely to participate in the scheme.

Our sources say the assassins have high-powered rifles and "explosives already in place." That could indicate an explosives cache is waiting for them in the United States.

Explosives would fit the cartel's pattern. Last year the cartel hired terrorists to blow up the car of then-Secretary of State George Shultz in Bolivia. Shultz escaped injury in the explosion.

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ILL WIND BLOWS A SLOW-DOWN — The "Ill Wind" investigation into Pentagon procurement blew out a good deal of corruption, but it blew in some new problems.

Navy sources told us that many good people quit in the wake of the investigation because they were fed up.

Those that are left learned a disconcerting lesson from Ill Wind. If they don't do anything, nothing will happen to them.

Thus, many contracts that used to take a month to process are now taking up to six months because no one wants to give them final approval, even if they are as clean as a newly swabbed deck.

Our sources say the situation is particularly bad in the Naval Sea Systems Command, whose thousands of clerical and administrative workers are supposed to keep the fleet in readiness.

The cost in lost hours because of sluggishness at the command is running into the millions of dollars.

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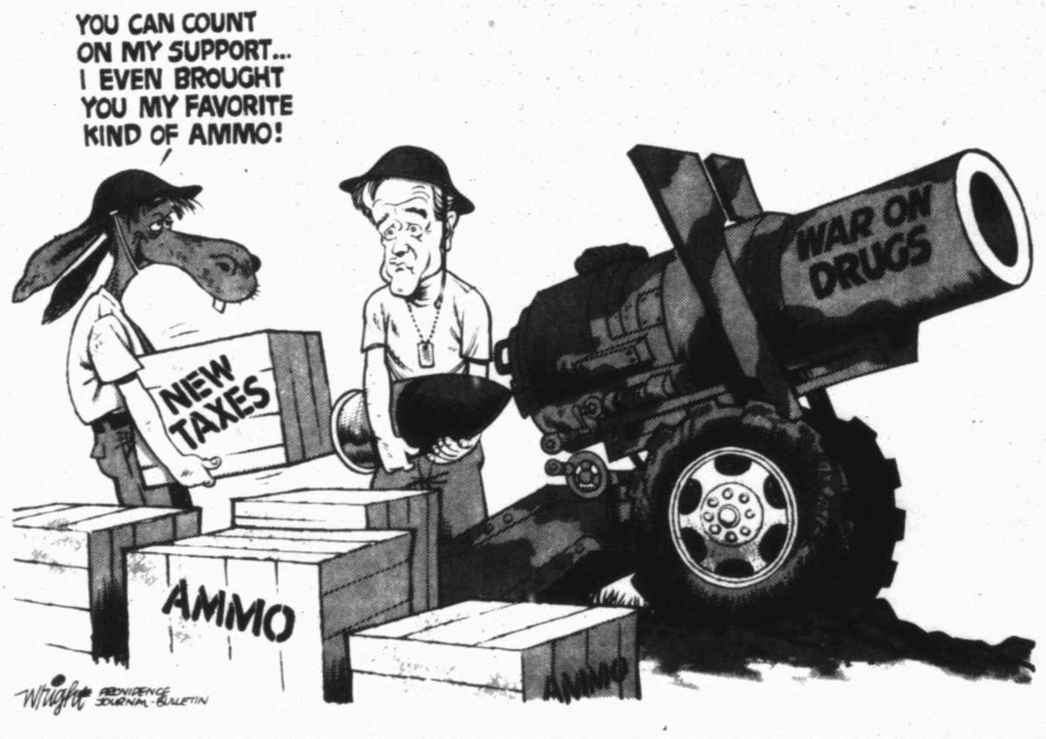
MINI-EDITORIAL — Moammar Gadhafi has been too philanthropic for his own good. Gadhafi would like to be known as the patron saint of the rabid revolutionary set around the world.

But apparently his money and his chutzpah are drying up. He is giving the impression that he can't afford to finance worldwide revolution anymore, and he wants to appear to be less of a mad dog himself.

Gadhafi's beneficiaries, a hodgepodge of terrorists who pass themselves off as visionaries, are reportedly frothing at the mouth over this new turn of events.

The question is, are they angry enough to bite the hand that has fed them?

Jack Anderson and Dale Van Atta are columnists for United Feature Syndicate.



LETTERS

You do have a choice

To diversify the city for entertainment we must first realize that Midland lacks the enthusiasm found in communities our size and smaller, including entertainment such as clubs, concerts, and aspects of sporting events, for instance basketball.

The problem rests in the community's hands by first saying "There's nothing to do here!" and secondly "I don't like going!" when an event does happen. This causes promoters to avoid our area when they plan a tour; for example, wrestling in Chaparral Center.

The sports section of the Midland Reporter-Telegram, in the Sept. 5 edition, contained an article on the local Amateur Softball Association's Class A Slow Pitch tournament headlined "Maryland team finds Midland unique." Larry Stambaugh, manager of Dougherty's Seafood softball team of Carroll County, Md., mentioned going for miles and not seeing anybody outside in their yards. Midland is a larger town than his but "not as bustling as it is at home."

To keep all of these negative thoughts from rushing through the minds of visitors and natives, we need to look at our alternatives. The article reported from a track not far from here at Ruidoso, N.M. Ruidoso Downs gets national attention. Why not here?

The money generated would not support drugs, bad habits or the Mafia, but each individual in the Permian Basin by supporting jobs and creating new business. I wouldn't be surprised if Taco Bell and Wendy's come back to get in on the horseracing fans, out of town money.

You do have a voice on Nov. 7th's ballot. Oct. 6th is the deadline to register. Your vote on a horseracing track to be built in Midland will make a difference for our entertainment choices.

Clifford Fegett
Midland

Alcohol major problem

There has been considerable publicity and comment about the drug problem in our country, but there has been very little, if anything, said about alcohol, our No. 1 drug of choice.

Alcohol is frequently the substance that leads to other drugs.

The result of the overuse of alcohol in the State of Texas in 1988 was 1,697 killed and 39,633 injured and a cost of at least $2.3 billion. Think about this! One of the tragedies of our society is we accept this. When are we going to stop accepting this as the norm?

Beware of politicians or leaders who emphasize or use as a basis for their platform "Just Say No To Drugs" then have or participate in parties with alcohol flowing freely and people drinking to excess. Alcohol, though it is legal and socially acceptable in many quarters, can be a very addictive drug.

Faye Higgins
Midland

Thanks for generosity

The Permian Basin Blood Center would like to thank every generous person who donated during our "emergency blood drive." We are fortunate to live in a region where people care about others and are willing to make the extra effort required to be sure that blood is available when needed.

In all, 118 people came down to the Blood Center and gave the "gift of life." On behalf of the patients in this community who will benefit from your generosity, thank you!

Heather Pregger
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TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Thursday, Sept. 14, the 257th day of 1989. There are 108 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On Sept. 14, 1814, Francis Scott Key wrote his famous poem "The Star-Spangled Banner" after witnessing the British bombardment of Fort McHenry in Maryland during the War of 1812.

On this date:

In 1807, former Vice President Aaron Burr was acquitted of a misdemeanor charge two weeks after he was found innocent of treason.

In 1812, the Russians set fire to Moscow after an invasion by Napoleon Bonaparte's troops.

In 1847, U.S. forces under Gen. Winfield Scott took control of Mexico City.

In 1901, President William McKinley died in Buffalo, N.Y., of gunshot wounds inflicted by an assassin. Vice President Theodore Roosevelt became president.

GEORGE F. WILL

Former 'sick man' of Europe model for future

ROME — Italy, until recently the sick man of Western Europe, is so robust that social scientists should be dizzy. A mere decade after last rites were being pronounced, it is flourishing in a manner that may make it a model for Europe's fast-unfolding future. It may be especially suited to absorb the political and cultural shocks of 1992, the unified market of the 12 nations of the European Community.


George F. Will

Italy had Europe's first formidable Fascist Party. As recently as a dozen years ago, when "Eurocommunism" was a cresting wave (Italian communists got 34.5 percent of the votes in 1976), Italy had the last formidable Communist Party.

Ten years ago Italy was the only European state under serious siege by terrorists. There were 2,500 terrorist incidents in 1978, including the kidnapping and murder of Italy's leading politician, Aldo Moro. The fever did not break until the rescue of the kidnapped American general, James Dozier.

Until the 1950s, Italy had a pre-industrial economy. A decade ago, a serious commentator, Luigi Barzini, concluded that Italy was "going down the drain like Bangladesh" and would be the first developed nation to "turn itself back into an underdeveloped nation." Barzini compared Italian workers to savages who do not connect sexual intercourse with the birth of a child nine months later: They "do not connect the dull discipline of factory work with their cars, their holidays and their homes."

But Machiavelli's nation is receptive to realism, including the distinctive realism of the 1980s, the rediscovery of the virtues and rigors of markets. In 1980, there was the "March of the 40,000," when Fiat workers went into the streets of Turin demanding, against their union leaders, the right to end a strike on terms favorable to Fiat's drive to modernize at the cost of jobs.

Today, Italy is the world's fifth largest industrial market economy (behind the United States, Japan, Germany and France) and it is a conundrum for social science. Catholic Italy has a higher standard of living than Protestant Britain. What, now, of the connection between the Protestant ethic and the spirit of capitalism? What of the adage that Catholics sleep well but Protestants eat well?

Actually, Italy may be the fourth largest market economy, ahead of France. It is hard to measure and easy to underestimate Italy's GNP because of the size of the unmeasurable "black economy." It hums along largely in the interstices of state supervision, and may account for at least 20 percent of GNP. One study showed that 54 percent of civil servants had second jobs, 33 percent sold goods within their ministries, 27 percent ran other businesses during office hours. By tax-avoidance and regulation-evasion, the "black economy" amounts to an unofficial but effective supply-side program.

Italians show less interest in and more cynicism about politics than other European peoples. Italians as a people are ancient; the Italian state is young. Having been governed over the centuries by Spaniards, French and Austrians, and having been unified only since the 1860s, they tend to regard the state as a semi-foreign presence. But the Italian attitude toward the state expresses an entire stance toward life, and may be something Europe will soon need more of.

In his new collection of essays "Europe, Europe: Forays into a Continent," Hans Magnus Enzensberger notes that for 200 years Northern Europeans (he is a German) have fallen under Italy's spell. Disregarding public inefficiencies and corruptions they would not tolerate at home, they have condescended to Italians as charming, creative, stylish but, at bottom, unserious.

However, Enzensberger writes, Italy is not the West's drive-in theater, a place for brief entertainment. Rather, it may have the mildly anarchic brio required for life in Europe's emerging mega-state.

A specter is, or should be, haunting Europe: the specter of ... Brussels. Not the cute bourgeois Brussels of fine chocolate and linen, but the gray Brussels of bureaucracy, the home of the administrative machinery of the "new Europe." In 1992, the 12 nations are supposed to begin playing by the same rules. The rules will proliferate exponentially.

Social scientists, writes Enzensberger, have assured us that the price of progress is life within "the armor of institutions." We must reconcile ourselves to life inside a labyrinth of walls, visible and invisible, as bureaucracy grows along with social complexity. The bureaucracy is the good shepherd and "the good shepherd's benevolence stops where his own corporate existence is called into question."

Italians are Europe's least state-broken people, a fact directly related to the fact they are perhaps Europe's most entrepreneurial people. They are the least likely to be inert clay in the hands of Euro-planners and other dreamers of statist dreams from which Europe in the 1980s has been tardily awakening.

George Will is a columnist for Washington Post Writers Group.

ART BUCHWALD

Off-the-rack fashions have that off-the-wall look

One of the things I enjoy most in the fall is looking at the men's fashion supplements in the magazines and newspapers. I study them faithfully in the hope that I can find out what I should be wearing in the months to come.


Art Buchwald

I must admit that I am puzzled about what the supplements show. A jacket looks as if it's falling off the model's shoulders, the pants are tumbling down to his knees, the shirt is wrinkled, and the sleeves are so long you can't see the man's fingers.

Every suit looks as if it was just unpacked from a duffel bag, as does the person who is wearing it. Page after page is filled with men whose overcoats hang down to their ankles and whose hats fall over their ears. In most cases, there is a jazzy girl in the picture hanging on for dear life to the man's scarf.

There isn't an outfit in the supplements that anyone would buy. So, I ask myself, who purchases these creative works of tailoring?

To get the answer, I went to see Gerry of Georgetown, a hot haberdasher, who is a fifth cousin to Louis of Boston.

"Gerry, I just looked through this fancy men's magazine and it seems to feature clothing for the homeless. Who buys this stuff?"

Gerry said, "Nobody. It's aimed at kids on trust funds who hang out in discotheques all night long because their parents are divorced."

"Why would they produce clothes like this if no one buys them?"

Gerry took me into a fitting room and whispered, "They don't manufacture those kind of clothes. They're not idiots."

"If they don't make the clothes, why do they advertise them?"

"Because they need something new to display. People are not going to be attracted to an ad showing ordinary clothes like the ones they wear to work. In real life, every man's suit looks like every other man's suit. So, they make up one of each of these KGB monstrosities and they put them in the supplement. If anyone calls to inquire about one, they hang up on him."

"How do they get that rumpled, washed-out, down-and-out look in the sports jackets?"

"I don't know about the rest of the menswear tycoons, but I have a friend who throws his clothes onto the Garden State Parkway in New Jersey and lets the eight-wheel tractor-trailers do his pressing for him."

"No wonder they look so great in the ads."

"My friend is a trendsetter in the men's fashion business. He was the first one to develop a necktie that looked as if the person wearing it was hanging himself with a noose."

"Do the manufacturers ever advertise anything in a supplement that a man can actually wear?"

"I've never seen it. You have to get it out of your head that just because you see men's clothing in a magazine doesn't mean it has anything to do with what you are expected to put on this winter. If you attempted to wear any of that stuff, you'd lose your arms in the sleeves, trip over your baggy pants and kill yourself with your belt buckle."

"I'm glad that you explained it to me, otherwise I would have thought I was weird."

"If you try on one of those corduroy, double-breasted, off-the-collar, silhouette suits — then you'll know what weird really is."

Art Buchwald is a columnist for Los Angeles Times Syndicate.

Senate OKs study of Lechugilla Cave

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate has approved a bill calling for a federal study of possible future plans for a series of caves at Carlsbad Caverns National Park, N.M., including the newly explored Lechuguilla Cave.

The Lechuguilla Cave Study Act, approved late Tuesday, was authored by Sen. Pete Domenici, R-N.M. It calls for the Interior Department to update its management plan for the national park and includes a study to determine how to protect and interpret the cave, second-deepest in the United States. It also would seek ways for greater public enjoyment of other caves in the park, Domenici said.

"I think it is particularly important that we determine just how Lechuguilla Cave, which has some of the most unique cave formations discovered in this century, can be preserved or utilized," Domenici said Wednesday in a statement released by his office. "...A key aspect of this study act is that it encourages the participation of the public. I am interested in what New Mexicans think are the best ways to present the magnificent resources of Carlsbad Caverns to the general public."

Meantime an eight-day expedition of the cave revealed 4.4 miles of previously undiscovered passages and a wonderland of rock formations and pristine pools 800 feet below the surface.

Columns shaped like soda straws stretch 15 feet long, and hunks of rock the size of houses were found in the cave by 60 explorers from around the world.

The expedition ended Sunday, and cave enthusiasts from around the country said Tuesday the project netted some impressive geological finds.

Taxes would cover lost benefits, groups claim

WASHINGTON (AP) — The government could save $140 million a year by letting older Americans earn unlimited outside income without forfeiting Social Security benefits, two conservative-oriented research groups reported today.

The new taxes paid by older workers who rejoin the labor force would more than offset the higher Social Security benefits that would be paid, the study said.

"Because the penalties for working are so high, many elderly workers are simply dropping out of the system and becoming more dependent on government instead," Rep. Dick Armey, R-Texas, said in an introduction to the report.

The report was prepared and sponsored by two Dallas-based groups, the Institute for Policy Innovation and the National Center for Policy Analysis, which say they are focused on finding solutions to economic problems through the private sector rather than government.

They released the report in conjunction with the House Republican Research Committee.

Under current law, older workers between the ages of 65 and 69 lose $1 in Social Security benefits for every $2 they earn above $8,880. The limit is $6,480 for workers under age 65, and there is no limit for those 70 or older.

Starting in 1990, benefits for those age 65-69 will be reduced by $1 for every $3 earned above the limit, which rises with growth in average wages.

Almost 1 million Social Security beneficiaries lose some or all of their benefits each year, and another 100,000 people in the 65-69 age group do not file for Social Security benefits, according to the Social Security Administration.

The researchers said their best estimate was that if the earnings limit were scrapped, at least 700,000 additional elderly retirees would enter the labor market. The nation's output of goods and services would increase by at least $15.4 billion, and government revenue would rise by $4.9 billion, outstripping increased Social Security payments by $140 million, they said.

Members of Congress have repeatedly made proposals to relax or repeal the earnings limits, including a plan approved by the House Ways and Means Committee to raise the earnings limit for those age 65-69 to approximately $10,440 by 1991. The Senate also has gone on record in favor of a higher earnings limit.

NATION in brief

Activists fight training monkeys for disabled

WASHINGTON (AP) — Animal welfare activists are opposing attempts to train Capuchin monkeys to provide small tasks and companionship to quadriplegics because they say the animals are subjected to cruel government treatment and never become fully tame.

"It simply is not possible to use monkeys in this type of program and still be humane," the Committee for Humane Legislation, an umbrella group for several animal welfare groups, told a House panel Wednesday.

The testimony came before the Veterans Affairs subcommittee on hospitals and health care, which is considering legislation introduced by Rep. Joseph P. Kennedy, D-Mass., that would set up a program providing helper monkeys for 20 disabled veterans and helper dogs for 10.

Although veterans' groups are pushing the idea, the animal rights activists said attempts to domesticate the monkeys are misguided.

According to the activists, monkeys trained as helpers have their teeth removed and are subjected to electric shock that causes them to have diarrhea. Fain said the monkeys' natural curiosity could cause them to harm people they are supposed to help.

Emergency care critical

WASHINGTON (AP) — Getting emergency room treatment in some hospitals can be as stressful these days as the emergency itself, say physicians who warn another healthcare crisis is looming.

In some cities, ambulances roam the streets trying to find an emergency room that has space and patients can wait hours, even days, in the emergency department for a hospital bed to become available.

"This is the future health care crisis," said Dr. Charlotte S. Yeh, a board member of the American College of Emergency Physicians and chief of emergency medicine at the Newton-Wellesley Hospital in Newton, Mass.

Emergency physicians described the problems Wednesday as they released a draft report based on a survey of the college's state chapters.

The pressure on hospital emergency rooms is coming from the growing AIDS epidemic, increased illegal drug use and an estimated 37 million Americans who have no health insurance and who get health care only through emergency rooms.

Explicit art bans rejected

WASHINGTON (AP) — House Democrats, saying they "respect freedom of expression," aren't going along with Sen. Jesse Helms' effort to bar federal subsidies for sexually explicit or blasphemous art — but the fight is far from over.

The House voted 264-153 Wednesday to reject Helms' proposed restrictions on the National Endowment for the Arts.

"We're telling Jesse we respect freedom of expression," Rep. Don Edwards, D-Calif., said afterward.

However, the chief House supporter of Helms' measure predicts at least one more vote on the highly charged battle over the endowment's awarding of $45,000 this year to help finance two controversial exhibits.

For two months, a coalition of Christian, conservative and Republican groups have campaigned for Helms' amendment to the Senate version of a 1990 appropriations bill for the endowment, the Interior Department and several other agencies.

Organizations supporting the arts also mobilized a campaign casting the issue as a battle over artistic freedom.

East River traffic resumes

NEW YORK (AP) — Maritime traffic resumed on the East River today and bridges were reopened after removal of a tank barge that ran aground and spilled 75,600 gallons of gasoline, the Coast Guard said.

The barge, carrying a cargo of 96,000 barrels or about 4.03 million gallons of gasoline, ran aground Wednesday night just north of the Triborough Bridge, said Petty Officer Jeff Crawley.

Most of the gasoline that spilled was expected to evaporate, Crawley said.

The vessel, belonging to the Manhattan-based Morania Oil Tankers, was towed to a dock, where a second barge arrived early today to take on the remaining gasoline from a damaged 315,000-gallon tank, said Crawley.

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Soviet students ready to launch Big Mac attack

OAK BROOK, Ill. (AP) — Somewhere in the Soviet Union future Big Macs are still on the hoof. But the people who will run the first McDonald's restaurant in Moscow are training hard already at Hamburger University.

Five Soviets arrived at McDonald's suburban Chicago headquarters Sunday for two weeks of training at its school for restaurant managers.

After returning to Moscow, they will be in charge of what's expected to be the world's highest-volume McDonald's, scheduled to open near Pushkin Square early next year with seating for 900.

Big Macs in the borscht belt?

"Russia, as you probably know, has very good cuisine, tasteful," said Alexander Egorov, deputy general director of Moscow-McDonald's. "But today, in our age when the speed of life is very fast, it is very difficult to eat a borscht plate very fast.

"There is a great need for fast-food restaurants such as McDonald's that will provide Muscovites with nutritious food and excellent service."

Egorov and his fellow trainees spoke Wednesday while making fast work of lunch before heading off to afternoon classes.

Moscow Mac's is a joint venture between McDonald's Restaurants of Canada Ltd. and the Food Service Administration of the Moscow City Council. Plans call for 20 restaurants and for all food — including the beef — to be raised in the Soviet Union.

"There are herds already waiting," Egorov said.

Joining Egorov at Hamburger University are four restaurant managers: Khamzat Kazbulatov, Mikhail Shelesnov, Georgij Smoleevskij and Vladimir Zhurakovskij.

Before arriving at Hamburger U., the five spent the summer studying at McDonald's Institue of Hamburgerology in Toronto. Their training included counter work and cooking at McDonald's restaurants, but in Oak Brook they are taking advanced operations courses to learn management skills.



AP Laserphoto

The group of five Soviets who will run the first McDonald's restaurant in Moscow take a break from training Wednesday at the corporation's headquarters in Oak Brook, Ill. From left, they are Vladimir Zhurakovskij, Mikhail Shelesnov, Khamzat Kazbulatov, Alexander "Sasha" Egorov and Georgij Smoleevskij.

Their counselor, Hamburger U. professor Henry Chapoy, said the five are "typical McDonald's people."

"Opening a country, I really wasn't expecting them to be at that level, but yes, they have that level. It's called 'ketchup in the veins,'" Chapoy said.

The five spend long days in classes and were to start laboratory work today. At night, they study from manuals printed in English and Russian.

Wednesday, the five could be distinguished from fellow students in an "Effective People Practices" class only by their headphones. Although each studied English this summer, translator Oleg Shakov, who took the course two weeks ago to prepare, worked from a darkened booth nearby.

The seminars "are very useful to me because I personally have learned a lot of new things for myself, for example, effective people practices," said Shelesnov. "My basic knowledge of how to communicate to people comes from Moscow, but what I've learned here has provided some insight into how to communicate well."

U.S. won't reject refugees who've already left U.S.S.R.

WASHINGTON (AP) — While some Soviet emigres may one day want to go back to the Soviet Union, the United States will not turn away any who have already left their country and wish to come here, a Bush administration official said today.

Jewel Lafontant, U.S. coordinator for refugees, said reporters had "misunderstood" her comment at a hearing Wednesday that nearly 5,000 Soviet emigres in Italy and Austria who have been denied entry to the United States can "always go to Israel or return to Russia. In these days of glasnost, that's not an impossible thing."

All those stranded in Rome and Vienna will be admitted to the United States, whether as fully funded refugees or as parolees with private funding, Lafontant said today as she resumed testimony before the House subcommittees on Europe and on immigration.

"Rest assured, they will not be stranded in Europe or forced to go elsewhere," she said.

Lafonant's comment Wednesday drew immediate criticism from some in Congress, who said returning to the Soviet Union could subject emigres to persecution.

Her remarks reflect the administration's quandary about how to reconcile the rising tide of Soviet emigres with shrinking U.S. budgets. For years, U.S. demands that the Soviets allow free Jewish emigration were a cornerstone of U.S. foreign policy.

Several congressional committees are holding hearings this week on the administration's proposal to admit 50,000 Soviets as refugees in the fiscal year that begins Oct. 1. The allocation announced Wednesday is part of the overall U.S. refugee allotment of 125,000 worldwide.

More than 17,000 Soviets are waiting in Italy for permission to enter the United States, and about 4,700 have been denied refugee status.

Today, the administration told Congress it is phasing out refugee processing centers in Rome and Vienna and beefing up the U.S. Embassy staff in Moscow to deal with the flood of applications.

Rep. Bruce Morrison, D-Conn., the immigration subcommittee chairman, rejected Lafontant's suggestion Wednesday that Jews might return to the Soviet Union. He said they are still subject to persecution in the Soviet Union.

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Williams wants to convert ranch in Big Bend into prison boot camp

By BRIAN PEARSON
Staff Writer

Clayton Williams' vision of Texas prison reform includes inmates busting rocks under the scorching sun at the scenic Big Bend Ranch, the Republican gubernatorial candidate said today.

Williams, speaking at a Midland Chamber of Commerce breakfast, said he wants to turn the 215,000 acres of craggy desert landscape into a convict "boot camp."

"My purpose for being here today is to win the war on the evils of drugs," he told about 200 people at Ranchland Hills Country Club. "They're killing our kids.

"I want to build a system where we get the drug dealer out of the schoolyard and into the prison yard."

Williams said the ranch, just west of Big Bend National Park, should serve as a rugged, prickly pear penitentiary for first-time criminals, with a majority of them convicted of drug-related crimes.

"I want to teach those criminals the joy of busting rocks," he said.

Gov. Bill Clements, former Land Commissioner Bob Armstrong and the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission engineered the state's purchase of the ranch in July 1988. They bought the land for $8.8 million from the Hondo Co. and Houston developer Walter Mischer.

Under Williams' proposal, the prisoners would spend 90 days in the boot camp and then work on community projects around the state for six months. The program is designed after ones in Florida and other states, he said.

Those who complete the program would leave with no criminal record, he said.

The war on drugs has been one of Williams' primary campaign issues. He vowed to continue Clements' efforts to hire 500 drug agents to escalate the war, funded through state cuts rather than higher taxes.

"I'm going to fight for those 500 narcotics agents, and I'm going to get them," he said.

In addition, Williams said he would kick convicted cocaine users out of state-funded colleges and slap a $20,000 fine on all those found guilty of using or selling the drug.

He proposed introducing drug education in public schools at the kindergarten level.

"I want to get our children before the drug dealers do," he said.

Williams also pledged to wrestle the state away from the liberals and their "hairbrained schemes."

"They're running a wrecking machine in Austin," he said, accusing the liberals of running companies out of Texas by creating a "poisonous business climate."

Williams, though, would not specify his plans for a better business climate and how he would guide the state into a rosier economic future. He said he would outline his program within the next two weeks.

Mark Lancaster, an Executone salesman who attended the breakfast, said Williams' ideas were "interesting."

"It will be interesting to see if he can make them go through," Lancaster said.

Also present was President Duane Leach of the University of Texas of the Permian Basin, who said Williams has "touched a central nerve with the drug issue."

"It's an issue that confronts every family in this state," Leach said.

He said Williams is a candidate whose ideas deserve the public ear.

"As the campaign wears on, he's going to have to come out with more specific ideas," Leach said. "I do think he's going to have broad state appeal."

Hance blasts Williams' refusal to support ban on income tax

AUSTIN (AP) — Clayton Williams, under attack from Republican gubernatorial opponents over his refusal to back a constitutional ban on state income taxes, says he would veto "any, every and all attempts" to pass such a levy if he becomes governor.

GOP candidates Kent Hance and Jack Rains on Wednesday said they favor an income tax ban. Hance's campaign claimed Williams' remark that he wouldn't flatly rule out an income tax was a fatal blow to his gubernatorial hopes.

"Clayton Williams today lost the election," said Mark Sanders, Hance's press secretary. Hance, who launched his campaign by signing a tax-ban pledge, called Williams "incredibly naive."

Rains said he, too, favors the ban. But he also criticized Hance for making the prohibition a cornerstone of his campaign.

"Everyone in Texas is against an income tax except a handful of liberals," Rains said. "It's a phony issue to avoid talking about the tough issues ... While Hance is signing a big income tax (ban) pledge, it's really nothing more than politics as usual."

Williams blasted Hance, charging that the Democrat-turned-Republican had a pro-tax record during his time in Congress.

"Kent Hance thinks he needs the crutch of a constitutional amendment to keep from raising taxes and — judging by his record — he's probably right. I don't," Williams said.

"If Kent would spend more time reading my quotes in the paper and less time trying to come up with cheap distortions, he would see that I said I'm opposed to a state income tax," Williams said.

The furor erupted after Williams on Tuesday said he wouldn't rule out asking for a state income tax to combat illegal drugs.

Calling Hance's proposed income tax ban "just stuff," Williams said he saw no need for a state income tax now.

"I have not taken the position that you should have a constitutional amendment for no income tax," the Midland oilman said.

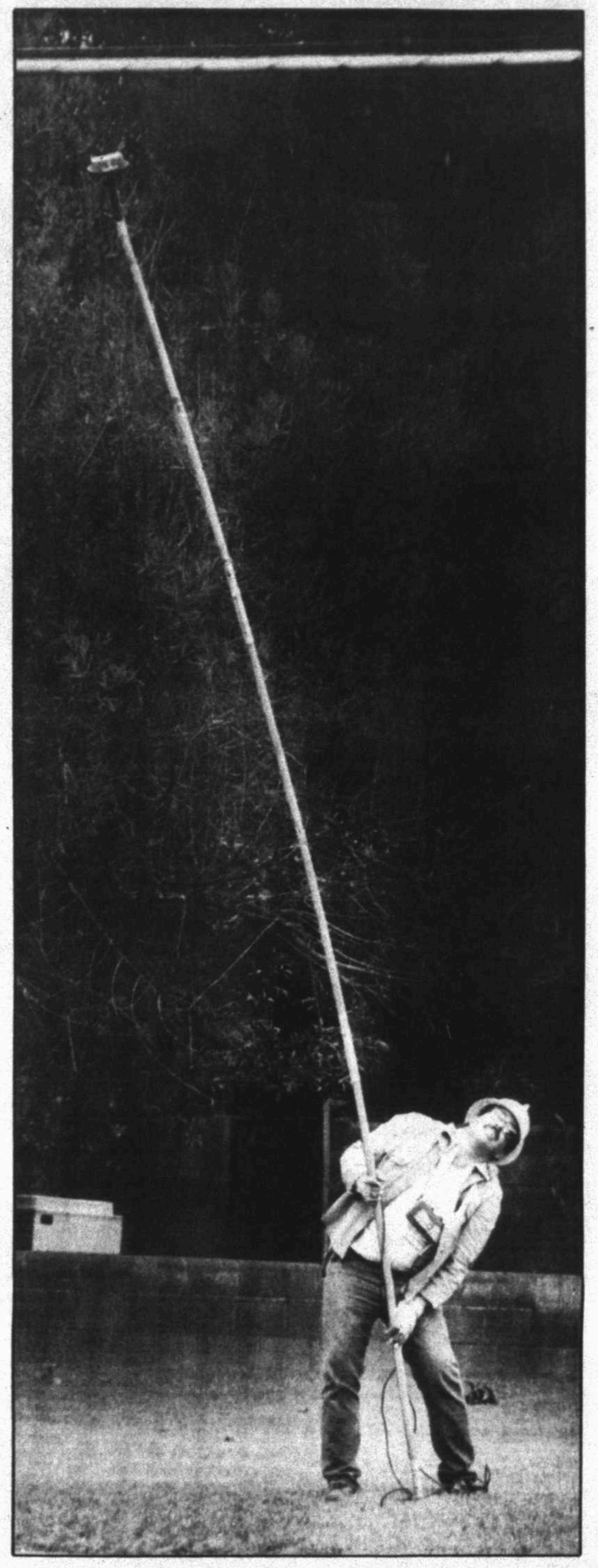
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Bush babysitter

President Bush meets with Lois Rogers of Colorado City, the sister of Wendell Hoover of Midland, in the Oval Office on Wednesday. Mrs. Rogers took care of the Bushes' children when the family lived in Midland. Bush invited Mrs. Rogers and her family to the White House for an overnight visit.

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Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

Checking out the lines

Southwestern Bell Customer Service Technician Bruce Willis uses a device to locate water damage in phone lines along Garfield Street. Willis said recent rain caused temporary problems in some of the lines.

Marfa balloon to be launched

From Staff Reports

MARFA — The first radar equipped balloon to be used along the Texas-Mexico border will be launched at 10:30 a.m. Saturday in Marfa.

U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm, R-Texas, will be the keynote speaker at the launching dedication.

As part of the latest effort in the war against drugs, six radar balloons known as aerostats will be set up along the entire length of the country's southern border to detect and control the entry of small boats and planes.

The 595,000 cubic foot aerostat will provide 24-hour, seven-day-a-week surveillance. The Marfa site is the first of three locations along the Texas border. Additional aerostats will be deployed in Eagle Pass and Rio Grande City.

Joining Gramm will be U.S. Rep. Lamar Smith, R-Texas, whose congressional district includes Midland, Customs Regional Commissioner James Piatt, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Michael Williams, Presidio County Sheriff Rick Thompson and other local officials.

Gramm will be discussing President Bush's "war on drugs" proposal involving drug interdiction along the Texas-Mexico border.

Midland, Odessa sales tax rebates down

By JULIE HILLRICHS
Staff Writer

Midland and Odessa still could enjoy a "banner year" for sales tax rebates, even though the two cities experienced declines in September, the State Comptroller's Office reported today.

The city of Midland received 9.3 percent less sales tax allocations for the month, but remains ahead of 1988 year-to-date total by 3.8 percent. With a $501,575 check the city's total for the year now stands at $6 million.

Odessa's $456,409 payment also came in 9 percent lower than the share of sales tax monies received in September 1988. However, year-to-date totals remain $1.2 percent above last year at $5.1 million.

"This has been a banner year for many local governments that count on sales tax rebates for revenue," said State Comptroller Bob Bullock, adding that year-to-date allocations are 9.4 percent higher on a statewide average than payments received through September 1988.

Cities can have a local sales tax rate of either 1 or ½ percent.

September checks represent taxes collected by monthly filers in July and are reported to the comptroller's office by Aug. 21.

Houston received a $12.2 million check — an 11.7 percent increase from last year, while Dallas got its second largest payment of $8.1 million.

In addition, 92 counties received payments of $7 million this month compared to $6.3 million in September 1988.

For Midland County, however, the month of September was not especially profitable.

This month's $272,680 check came in 6.2 percent less than a year ago. The county's year-to-date total now stands at a little more than $3.1 million.

The state's six metropolitan transit authorities and one city transit department received $36 million, an increase of 18 percent. Year-to-date payments are up 14.8 percent over September 1988's payments.

Houston's MTA received a payment of $13.4 million, an increase of 15.5 percent, and Dallas' DART chalked up a 9.4 percent gain with its $12.7 million allocation.

Some West Texas cities experienced gains in sales tax collections this month.

Andrews' check of $41,236 reflected a 1.7 percent increase in allocations over those received in September 1988. That brings the city in at $452,286 for the year-to-date.

The $33,650 check sent to the city of Lamesa represents an 11.65 percent increase over payments in September 1988. The city's year-to-date total is $400,975.

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ED TODD

Payoff for leading spiritual life having peace of mind

Just the other day, a fellow said he finally had figured out life. No more grappling and groping. Today, the search for meaning is with purpose: deeper discernment of his understanding. The light is on.



Todd

Life is a spiritual deal. The payoff is peace of mind at whatever socioeconomic level. Period.

That's what he said in a most confident — not cocky — manner. Spirituality has much to do with setting priorities, seeking "fulfillment," getting that "void" feeling expunged out of your soul, and being imbued with a God-centered life. Getting there is the journey.

The popular slant, supported by public education despite the fat verbiage and promoted by the business-work ethic despite the lax canons, is that work and gain are the true values. Success is gauged by money in the bank, membership in the club, mansion on the hill, the children and spouse outwardly behaving, and, if you gauge your life by the advertising mania, by the type of car you drive, the labeling on your clothing, the brand of whiskey or beer you drink, and whether or not you smoke. And if you do smoke, the brand of cigarettes is crucial, perhaps not as much as it used to be, but crucial nevertheless. Certainly avoid generic tobacco unless, of course, you are trying to make a statement about frugality or anti-establishment.

Unless you happen to experience it, peace of mind comes across as a nebulous thing — something ideal but not very practical in *these* days of money-making and merry pursuits.

Bills *have* to be paid. Credit accounts have to be maintained. Mortgages *must* be paid. The kids have got to be straightened out, sent off to school and put into lucrative careers. Retirement funds *have* to be considered. Work, work, work until you retire, and then, go fishing and play a bit of golf and bridge before you die.

That's life?

If that's all there is to that, show me now the way to the funeral bier and let me be.

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Look at the national "war" on drugs. Spending money like wildfire is the solution to the ills? Hardly. Curing the fixation on drugs is a spiritual matter. It can't be cured by throwing money down a well or shooting bullets.

Look at entertainment: the big escape. And the players are getting rich. They are paid in the millions of dollars for pretending and showing off. Often, they are on stage by the popular demand (of their audiences) for sex, violence, lust, greed and escapism.

And the drug lords? Money is king. Whatever it takes, they will do. If they can make money dealing in alfalfa hay, they will market alfalfa. Right now, cocaine is king — the big idol. It converts to money — the object of greed. There is so much cash, news reports say, that it is weighed instead of counted. The lust for cocaine, the *big high*, and the lust for money, the *big goal*, seem so pervasive and so prevalent. There is so much of both going around that even the *good guys* are falling prey to the lust for money.

And where does it all end?

Eventually, friends, the remnants of life on Earth end up in the grave. And any of us could be on the bier just about now or a bit or much later. You never know. You just weigh the probabilities.

Meanwhile, should it not be a common goal to die at peace with thyself and all mankind and with the heavenly angels? The quest for life rooted in lust and greed is not the way. The spiritual plane is the way to fly: at peace. Learning how is the journey.

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

Condo trial lawyer says jury having trouble reaching verdict

By HOLDEN LEWIS

LUBBOCK (AP) — The jury is hung up in the bank-fraud trial of D.L. "Danny" Faulkner and six others, and the judge has urged them to try to arrive at a partial verdict, a defense attorney said today.

Defendants and attorneys from both sides met for about five minutes this morning in the chambers of U.S. District Judge Sam Cummings, but no one would comment on the nature of the meeting. The judge has imposed a gag order.

Both sides met with Cummings twice for a total of about 35 minutes Wednesday. Everyone involved, including the judge and Assistant U.S. Attorney Terry Hart, was mum on the subject of the conferences.

The jury has been deliberating since Aug. 23 on the 88-count indictment that accuses the defendants of conspiring to steal $135 million from savings and loans. The defendants are accused of defrauding the thrifts through fanciful appraisals and sham real-estate transactions on condominium-zoned land along Interstate 30 east of Dallas.

One defense attorney, speaking on the condition of anonymity, would not disclose the nature of the talks with the judge, but said Cummings has asked the deadlocked jury to arrive at a "partial verdict." The attorney would not comment on whether that meant finding some defendants guilty and some innocent, or finding them all guilty on some counts and innocent on others.

Officials said jurors were planning to meet a half-day today and leave at 1 p.m. for personal matters. Last Friday, they told Cummings they were deadlocked, but the judge told them to continue. Later that day, a lone juror sent Cummings a note asking to speak with him privately. Cummings denied the request.

Late Wednesday morning, Cummings ordered all attorneys and defendants to appear in the courtroom at 2:15 p.m. wearing coat and tie — an indication that he planned to bring the jury into the courtroom for some reason.

But Cummings later told attorneys and defendants to meet privately in his chambers, without the jury or reporters present. They met for five minutes beginning at 2:15 p.m., then for another half-hour beginning at 3:30 p.m.

Two defense attorneys said the judge had asked them to use the intervening time to prepare some kind of arguments to him, but they would not say what the issue was.

After both meetings, Hart and other members of the prosecution team appeared somber, but some defense attorneys were smiling and appeared much more cheerful.

DEATHS

George West

Graveside services for George F. West, 80, are set for 2 p.m. Friday at the Rose Hill Cemetery in Merkel, with Dr. Bob Christian, pastor of Grace Presbyterian Church in Merkel, officiating. Services are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

He died Wednesday at a local hospital following a lengthy illness.

Born May 23, 1909 in Merkel to Henry West and Grace Sheppard West, he was raised in that community where his father was mayor for more than 30 years.

He married Bobbie Kinsey in Roby on Jan. 18, 1930.

The couple moved to Corpus Christi during World War II, where West worked as an electrician at the naval air station. After the war, they moved to Sweetwater, then to Midland in 1947.

An electrical contractor, West worked on many of Midland's first tall downtown buildings, including installation of the first beacon atop the Wilco Building.

He cut back on his work load in 1985 and retired in 1987.

Survivors include his wife Bobbie of Midland; two daughters, Barbara West and Frances (Mrs. George) Cheyney, both of Midland; one brother, Dick West of Ormand Beach, Fla.; one sister, Mrs. Melba Foy of Baird; four grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Memorials are requested to a charity of choice.

Freddie Reyes

Memorial services for Freddie Reyes Jr., 33, of Sumter, S.C, and formerly of Midland, will be held at 10 a.m. Friday in Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church in Midland with the Rev. Michael Slattery, associate pastor, officiating.

Reyes died Tuesday following an illness.

Survivors include his mother, Justina Reyes of Sumter, S.C.; a brother, Benny Reyes of Sumter, S.C.; three sisters, Carol Reyes, Carmen Curry and Irene Reyes, all of Sumter, S.C.; and his grandmother, Carmen Tarango of Midland.

Jessie Watkins

Funeral services for Jessie Watkins of Midland are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

She died this morning at a local hospital.

Survivors include one son, Ira L. Watkins of Midland.

HANCE

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"Today, I don't see that we need (an income tax)," he said. "But I hate to say that if the drug crisis has increased as much in the next five (years) as it has the last five, we may have to do it. But I'm not saying I'm for it. I'm not."

Williams said he believes strongly in the need to aggressively battle illegal drugs.

"At this point, we feel like we can get it done with privatization, prioritizing and a few cutbacks in some areas," he said.

Texas is one of the few states to levy neither a personal nor corporate income tax. Several constitutional bans have been proposed but never passed the Legislature.

Hance contended that Williams doesn't reflect the thinking of most Texas Republicans and suggested that Williams lead the way by volunteering to pay the state 5 percent of his annual earnings.

TAX

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Other West Texas cities experienced declines in sales tax rebates.

The city of Big Spring received $96,966, a 2.5 percent drop in allocations, bringing the city in at slightly more than $1 million for the year-to-date.

The city of Stanton experienced a 29.5 percent drop with its $3,412 payment this month. Stanton has generated $46,384 in sales tax allocation in 1989.



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Talk show

Houston Mayor Kathy Whitmire made a guest appearance on the CBS-TV late night talk show, "The Pat Sajak Show" Wednesday. She discussed politics and the size difference between Houston and Dallas. "I want to make it perfectly clear that Houston is bigger than Dallas," Whitmire said.

WEST TEXAS IN BRIEF

Lamesa theater staging thriller 'Wait Until Dark'

From Staff Reports

LAMESA — What part do a child's doll and a refrigerator play in the life and death struggle of an innocent blind woman? Find the chilling answer as the Lamesa Community Players present Frederick Knott's classic suspense thriller "Wait Until Dark."

Five performances are scheduled beginning at 8 p.m. today. Other dates are Saturday, Sept. 21, 22 and 23. Tickets may be purchased through the theater located at 214 North Austin Avenue for $5. Reservations may be made by calling 1-806-872-2705.

"Wait Until Dark" stars Candace Hansen, a former charge nurse at Medical Center Hospital in Odessa and a seven-year resident of Midland who moved to Lamesa in May to accept the position of Director of Nursing at Medical Arts Hospital.

Director Ron Rives and assistant director Ann Duran attempt to recreate some of the original suspense of the first production by Fred Coe which was presented at the Ethel Barrymore Theatre in New York in 1966 and starred Lee Remick and Robert Duvall. It was later brought to the screen with the main characters portrayed by Audrey Hepburn and Alan Arkin.

Writing seminar scheduled

From Staff Reports

Freelance writer Mary Frances Beverley will conduct a one-day seminar, "How to Sell What You Write," from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Lexington Hotel Suites, 1003 S. Midkiff Rd.

The seminar will include finding the right markets, writing query letters, avoiding beginning writers' most common mistakes, manuscript basics, reselling the same story, copyrights and self-publishing.

Attendees will receive handouts, answers to their questions and encouragement, Ms. Beverley says.

A box lunch, catered by Foods Fantastic, is included in the cost. Those registering need to send a $50 check to 107 Club Drive, Midland 79701. For more information call 684-6122.

Odessa fair continues

From Staff Reports

ODESSA — The Permian Basin Fair & Expo continues through Sunday at Ector County Coliseum.

Hours are 3 to 10 p.m. today, 10 a.m. to midnight Friday and Saturday and 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday.

The fair includes 118 booths inside the coliseum, food booths, live entertainment and the Gene Ledel Carnival.

Admission to the fair is $3 for adults and $1 for senior citizens and children 3 to 11 years old.

Service formed in 1790

The U.S. Revenue Cutter Service — a naval task force — was formed in 1790. It would later become the Coast Guard.

Senate approves SSC down payment bill

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate gave final congressional approval today to a $225 million down payment on the $5 billion experimental atom smasher planned for northern Texas.

The money was included in a compromise measure providing $18.6 billion for next year's federal energy and water programs, which lawmakers approved on a unanimous voice vote.

The bill was the first of the 13 annual appropriations bills for government agencies for fiscal 1990 to be sent to President Bush for his signature. Bush, who lists Texas as his official residence, was expected to sign the legislation. Fiscal 1990 begins Oct. 1.

Most of the $225 million for the superconducting super collider would be for initial construction expenses of what ultimately will be a 53-mile circular underground tunnel about 25 miles south of Dallas. The rest would be for research and development.

The project, expected to take up to seven years to complete, would be used by scientists to hurl beams of protons into each other in a search for the basic building blocks of the universe.

The measure also contains $1.6 billion for cleaning up the nation's nuclear weapons plants, about 70 percent more than the $975 million provided this year and 27 percent more than Bush requested. The overall task of removing radioactive waste from the facilities, which has been accumulating for more than 40 years, has been estimated at $100 billion.

The cleanup money is just part of $9.7 billion the measure provides for atomic energy defense programs, including weapons construction.

Also tucked into the bill are some of the favorite goodies lawmakers can bring home to their districts: water projects. The measure finances 33 new projects by the Senate's count, triple the administration's request.

Overall, it provides $3.2 billion for Army Corps of Engineers water programs and $977 million for Bureau of Reclamation projects, both figures representing 2 percent reductions from this year.

The legislation also provides $2.2 billion for energy research.

The House had passed an $18.54 billion version of the bill June 28, while the Senate approved an $18.45 billion measure July 27.

Tourism agency honors Prude's contributions

From Staff Reports

The Texas Department of Commerce' tourism division has honored John Robert Prude of the Prude Guest Ranch for outstanding contributions to the state's $17.6 billion travel industry.

The honor came at the fourth annual Texas Travel Summit in Houston, a four-day gathering of more than 500 visitor industry professionals.

Prude received the 1989 Governor's Tourist Development Award for his excellent service in the Davis Mountain and Big Bend regions. Over the years, Prude has launched aggressive and effective marketing strategies to attract not only U.S. travelers but also international tourists. His ranch's promotional materials now invite travelers to "Come Play Cowboy" in English, Spanish, German, Japanese, French and Italian.

The Prude Ranch was established in 1898 as a cattle ranch. Today it is still a working ranch as well as a "dude" ranch complete with cabins, heated indoor swimming pool, spas, lighted tennis courts and weight room. Prude's "dudes" enjoy horseback riding, hiking, rodeos, hayrides, chuckwagon cookouts, square dances and bluegrass music. Guests may also visit the nearby McDonald Observatory and Fort Davis National Historic Site.

Born in Alpine, 30 miles from the ranch, Prude is the third generation of Prudes at the ranch. He holds bachelors and masters degrees from Sul Ross University in Alpine and is a member of the American Camping Association, the Discovery Texas Association, National Tour Association, Travel Industry Association, Big Bend Travel Association, and the Fort Davis, Midland and West Texas Chambers of Commerce. He has also been a Jeff Davis County Commissioner for the past 29 years.

Past recipients of the state's foremost tourism award include Ima Hogg, Frank X. Tolbert, Gladys Porter, Mary Moody Northen and Walter Mischer.

Woman criticized for taking children from 'crack' houses

HOUSTON (AP) — Angry residents have screamed "baby snatcher" at a Harris County social worker as she removed children from a "crack" house where their mother was smoking the drug.

But Kathy Glascock with the Harris County Children's Protective Services said she may be the only hope for such children.

As part of their job, county social workers go into the houses where drugs are sold and used to take temporary custody of children. The workers don't have the authority to take children just because a mother is high on crack, but they can take them if the children are in apparent potential danger.

Workers don't need a warrant to take the children.

Faced with the dilemma of removing the children from their mother or leaving them in potentially dangerous environments, Ms. Glascock said she often turns to grandmothers to take custody of the children.

Ms. Glascock said in one case, angry residents screamed "baby snatcher" at her as she took two crying children from a drug house where their mother had been smoking crack.

"It's a life-or-death decision, but we have to make it. These crack moms can't take care of their children. They're totally out of touch with reality for days at a time," Ms. Glascock said.

Workers often get anonymous telephone calls from neighbors and relatives telling them that children are in crack houses with their mothers.

Nearly three years ago, the possibility was remote that CPS workers would have to go into crack houses to get children. But with more than 60 percent of the agency's cases now being drug-related, officials said the visits are a "daily routine."

"When I knock at crack houses, I never know what's on the other side. What I do know is that I may be the only hope for the children inside," Ms. Glascock said.

CPS regional director Gene Daniel said the agency has taken safety measures to protect employees who go into the crack houses. Telephones have been installed in the cars of night-shift workers who respond to calls.

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High-risk inmates at Houston jail to receive vaccine, penicillin

STATE

HOUSTON (AP) — A vaccination program for inmates at a high risk of contracting a bacterial infection that has claimed the lives of two inmates within the overcrowded Harris County Jail is being implemented to curb the outbreak, jail officials said.


Chopin

High-risk inmates also will be treated with penicillin as recommended by medical experts from the Centers for Disease Control in Atlanta as well as city and county medical personnel, said Lanny Chopin, administrator of the jail's medical unit.

Chopin said 120 high-risk inmates will receive a pneumococcal vaccine and penicillin starting Wednesday evening. Up to 1,000 other inmates, if warranted, also may receive the shot plus the daily oral doses of penicillin, he said at a Wednesday afternoon news conference.

"Commencing this afternoon the Harris County Sheriff's Department will begin a program of providing inmates and staff, who fall into the high-risk group, proper medication as recommended by the investigative team that's been here this week," he said.

Officials hope such vaccinations and antibodies will cut down on the number of infection cases.

Jail personnel were sent a letter Wednesday from Sheriff Johnny Klevenhagan explaining the bacterial infection and offering the vaccine if they fall into the high-risk categories.

The high-risk group includes those with cardiovascular disease, pulmonary disease, diabetes, alcoholism, cirrhosis, sickle cell disease, cancer, organ transplantation and those without spleens.

The two inmates who died last Thursday of pneumoccous disease had had their spleens removed.

Chopin said 19 inmates remain hospitalized — one in critical condition — while 33 others are being evaluated in the jail's infirmary. Seven, including the two deaths, were confirmed cases of pneumoccous disease, he said.

Cost of the vaccinations were not known, although the chief of epidemiology with the county health department said it may cost between $5 and $10 per vaccination.

Meanwhile, a federal court hearing continues with a judge expected to rule whether to release up to 500 misdemeanor offenders from the jail that now houses 8,300 — nearly double its capacity.

Attorney James Oitzinger, who represents inmates in an ongoing lawsuit, filed a motion Monday with U.S. District Judge James DeAnda seeking emergency relief from the overcrowding because of the bacterial outbreak.

Oitzinger's motion also seeks to isolate those at risk of contracting the bacterial infection.

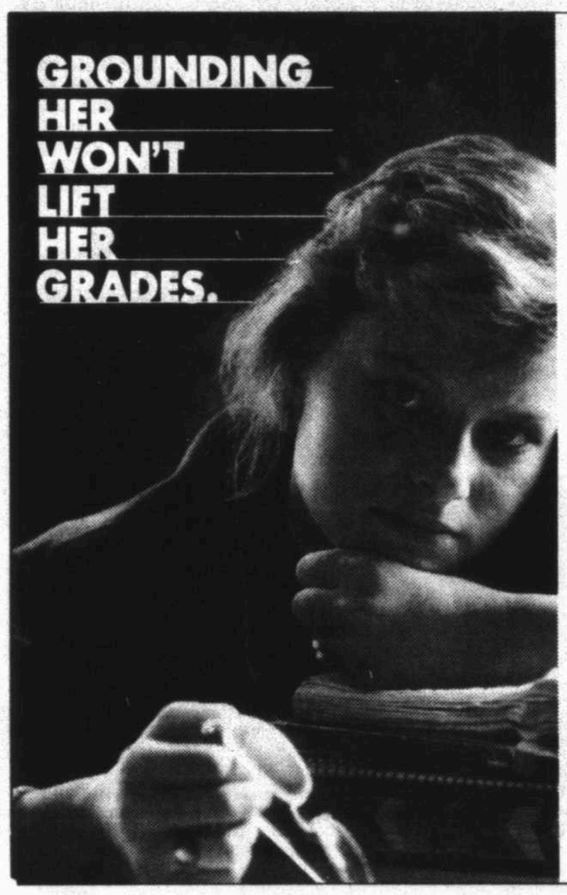
Amos Reed, a court-appointed jail monitor, testified Wednesday that the bacteria sweeping through the jail is symptomatic of overcrowded conditions.

But the sheriff said he believes there is no connection between the outbreak and the crowded conditions.

"I think the inmates are trying to make it an issue," Klevenhagan said. "There's been no proof by CDC or anyone else that overcrowding has anything to do with the sickness."

County attorneys contend that the overcrowded jails are a result of limits in the number of prisoners accepted to the Texas Department of Corrections. The state has been under federal court orders to limit the number of prisoners to 95 percent of capacity.

"It's a crisis situation for the entire metropolitan area of Texas," said Roderick Lawrence, who represents Harris County. "TDC is sitting up there, saying they can't take more than 95 percent of capacity and so we're here with 190 percent of our capacity."



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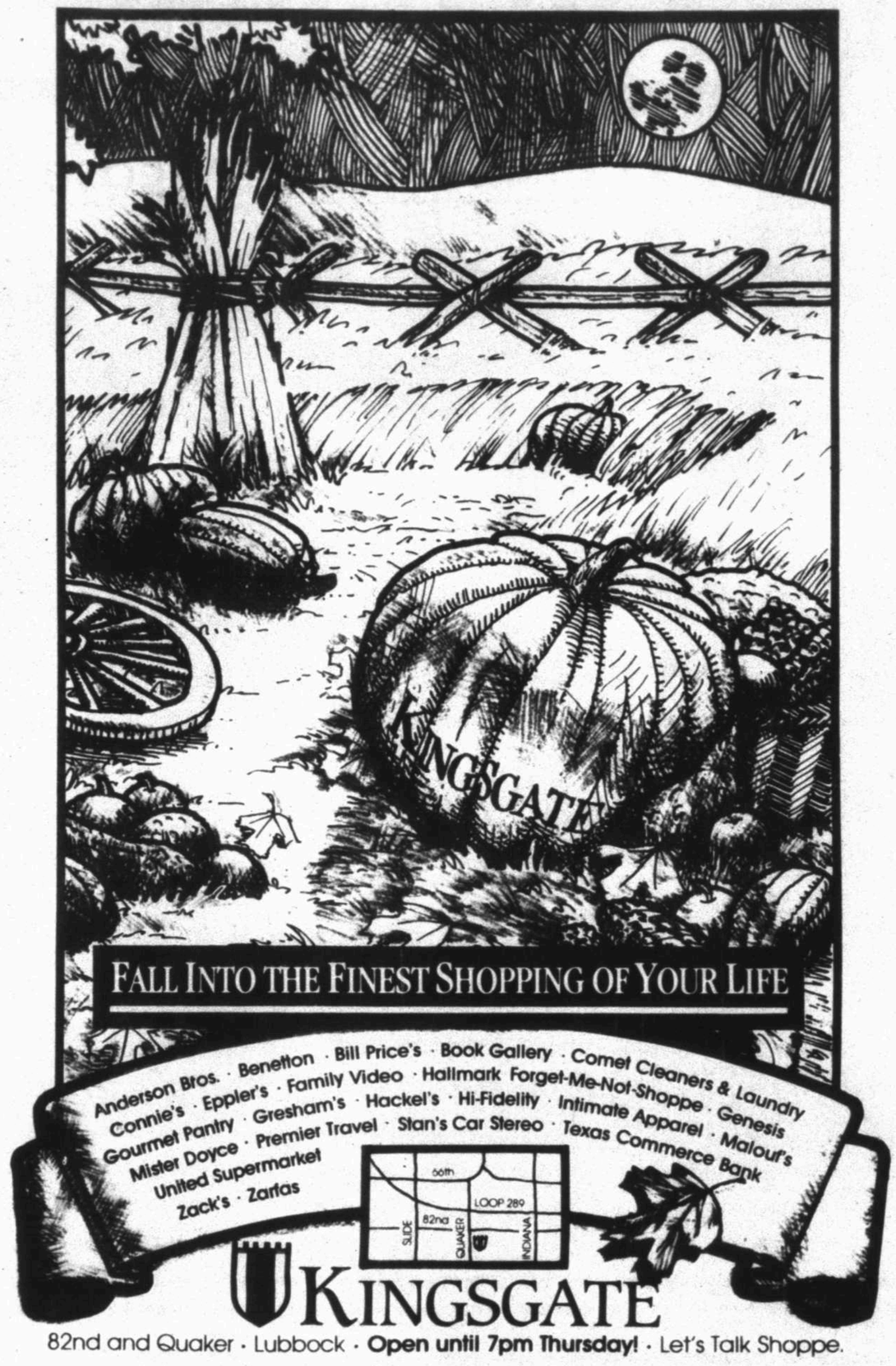
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7:30 Miss Permian Basin Fair and Exposition Pageant

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4:00 Fred Anderson Comedy
6:00 Fred Anderson Comedy
7:00 Wagoneers - C/W Music
8:00 Fred Anderson Comedy
9:00 Wagoneers -C/W Music

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Carnival Open 4 - Midnight

MAIN STAGE
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8 pm Scarlet Ohara
10 pm Room Service

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4:00 Fred Anderson Comedy
6:00 Fred Anderson Comedy
7:00 Wagoneers - C/W Music
8:00 Fred Anderson Comedy
9:00 Wagoneers - C/W Music
10:00 Rotel and The Hot Tomatoes

MIDWAY
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3:00 Fashion Show
7:00 Talent Show
10:00 Judy Gorlin Dancers

COORS / KNFM STAGE
11:00 Fred Anderson Comedy
12:30 Pet Show and Tricks
2:00 Fred Anderson Comedy
3:00 The Mo-Dels, 50's & 60's Music
4:30 Westwind, C/W Music
7:00 The Mo-Dels, 50's & 60's Music
8:00 Fred Anderson Comedy
9:00 The Mo-Dels, 50's & 60's Music
10:30 PrimeTime, C/W Music

MIDWAY
12:00 Noon Motocross
12:30, 2, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30- Racing Pigs
2:30, 4:30, 6:30, 8:30 Wild West Show

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SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 17TH
Fair Open 10 am - 6 pm

Carnival Open 1 - Midnight

MAIN STAGE
11:00 am Glen Waters Music
1:00 Mexican Dancers
2:00 Jazz Hour
3:00 Gospel Music Show

COORS/ KNFM STAGE
11:30 Fred Anderson Comedy
12:30 The Mo-Dels, 50's & 60's Music
1:30 Fred Anderson Comedy
2:30 The Mo-Dels, 50's & 60's Music
3:30 Fred Anderson Comedy
4:30 The Mo-Dels, 50's & 60's Music

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Carter's Furniture: Showcase for affordable leather furniture



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The Carter's Furniture showroom, located at 501 East Illinois, is loaded with quality furnishings and a new shipment of leather furniture for your selection.

Carter's Furniture offers a complete line of home furnishings at tremendous prices during the National Home Furnishings Sale. Located at 501 East Illinois, Carter's Furniture has served Midlanders for 38 years, and carries everything from contemporary to traditional styles by namebrand manufacturers.

"We are proud to be a sponsor of this year's sale," said owner Tim Carter. "Carter's Furniture is proud to be associated with a worthwhile cause like the Better Homes Foundation." Part of the registration proceeds from sale participants go directly to this non-profit organization established by Better Homes and Gardens magazine. This project of the home furnishings industry works to furnish and beautify homes and shelters for the homeless across the nation.

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And as the holiday season approaches, Carter's offers a tremendous selection of dining furnishings by Universal, Chromcraft, Dixie, Tell City and Broyhill.

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During this sale, Carter's Furniture will offer 90 days same as cash, with approved credit, as an option.

Carter's, recently voted by *Midland Reporter-Telegram* readers the "Best Furniture Store in Midland," is also well-known for its professional sales staff and a careful and efficient delivery team.

Stop by Carter's Furniture Monday through Saturday, open from 8:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. and take advantage of the tremendous values offered now. Call 682-2843 for more information.

Matlock Furniture buy one, get one free Lane recliner sale on now

Matlock Furniture, Midland's oldest family owned furniture store, has a store full of great values for fall and celebration of the National Home Furnishings Sale. Come in now for some specially priced buys in furnishings and accessories for the entire home.

Matlock Furniture is located at 805 South Big Spring and you'll find a showroom full of beautiful sofas, recliners, dining room furnishings, wall units, bedroom suites, mattresses and more.

Come in today and see the Matlock Furniture selection of recliners priced to sell for the super saver recliner sale It's time for the annual "buy one, get one free sale" on Action by Lane recliners. You won't want to miss this fabulous opportunity to furnish your living room or family area with quality chairs just in time for the upcoming football season.

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Many living room items are marked down now to closeout prices, so hurry in.

For a comfortable, relaxing chair, why not try a glider rocker? They are perfect for relaxing a baby to sleep, or your self, as well. They start at $199.

Also in is a new shipment of lamps to help accessorize your home. Choose from many popular decorating ideas, such as Southwestern and country style lamps in mauve, peach, blue and beige and many others.

Handsome Shelby and Imperial furniture would look great in your dining area. Choose from a large selection of wooden dining room sets and china cabinets by these fine manufacturers.

Matlock Furniture carries metal, glass and brass dinettes, also by Shelby and Imperial. At least 50 are in stock.

You can find a big group of dining room styles for your home, including contemporary and country, in oak, ash and cherry. Trestle, split pedestal and leg models are available.

Matlock Furniture was opened 47 years ago by Mr. and Mrs. T.M. Matlock, and they and their family continue to serve the needs of Midland furniture buyers. Donny Rains, John Bob Hopkins and Ann Matlock Hopkins are also ready to assist you with selecting new furniture.

Four generations of Matlocks are now associated with the company, including newborn Shane Thomas Hopkins, seven pounds, 14 ounces, and 19 and 3/4 inches long. Shane is the son of John Bob and Betty Hopkins.

A factory dealer for Sealy, and Sterns and Foster, Matlock Furniture carries eight different styles of bedding.

Matlock is selling some discontinued sets of Sealy bedding in king and twin sizes. Now is a great time to take advantage of these savings.

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Visa, MasterCard, Discover and bank rate financing are available, in addition to layaway. Stop by 805 South Big Spring Monday through Saturday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., and enjoy the fine selection of name brand home furnishings.



Matlock Furniture sales staff members are from left, John Bob Hopkins, Donny Rains, Ann Matlock Hopkins and Travis Matlock.

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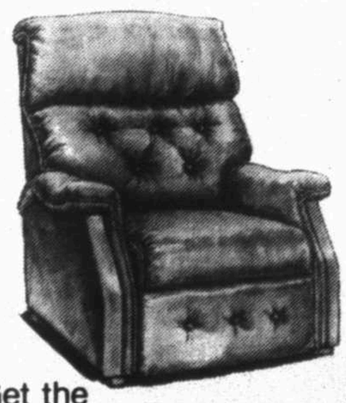
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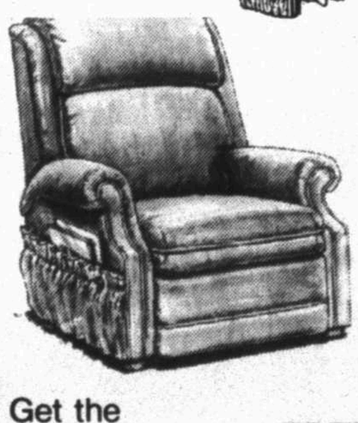
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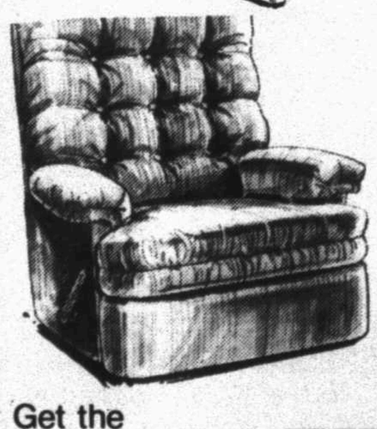
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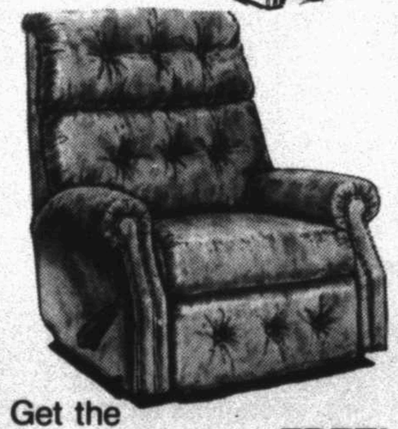
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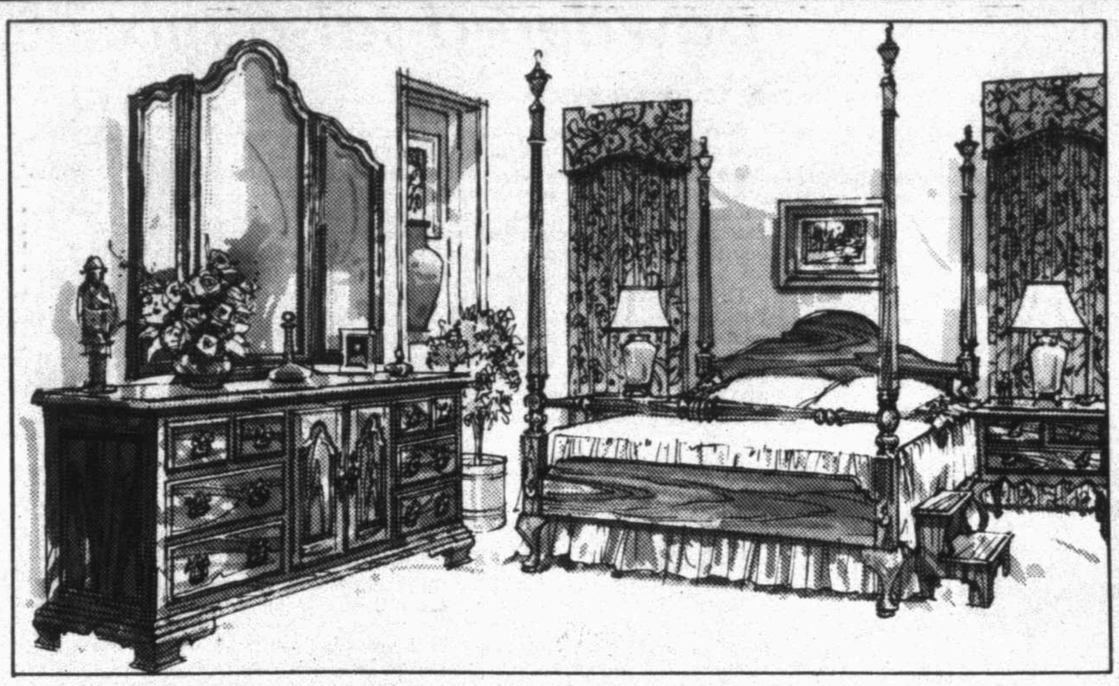
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Aladdin House is the exclusive dealer for Thomasville in the Permian Basin. Shown is the Fisher Park style, the look of 18th century country manors.

Aladdin House offers Thomasville quality, stylish upholstered furniture

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Aladdin House, located at 3504 W. Wall, is the exclusive dealer for Thomasville in the Permian Basin. The experienced, professional sales staff takes pride in this product as well as the many other fine furniture brands and decorating items which can be found at Aladdin House.

The makers of Thomasville combine the finest handcraftsmanship with the latest in technology to produce furniture of outstanding beauty and enduring quality. In constructing each piece, the manufacturer surpasses the highest standards of the industry.

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The finish has that special Thomasville depth and clarity, and is designed to complement and blend with an extensive collection of wood furnishings.

Thomasville offers a broad selection of frame styles as well as more than 1,000 beautiful fabrics and leathers from which to choose. From traditional to contemporary, from stripes to floral patterns, it is possible to create upholstered furniture that represents your distinctly individual taste. And Aladdin House, the area's exclusive Thomasville Furniture Gallery, can help you select just the right look — with decorating ideas, unique accessories and interior design assistance.

Thomasville offers all styles of furniture, including contemporary, French Provincial, Oriental, country and 18th century traditional, cherry and mahogany. It has a complete line of bedroom, dining room, upholstery furniture and occasional tables.

Ed Smead, Aladdin House owner, invites you to come in and see the Aladdin House difference.

"We feel we have as good if not a better delivery department than anyone in the Permian Basin. And, this is one of the very few stores to maintain a complete service department."

"Our service manager, Richard Jasso, has been a faithful member of our family for 18 years. And if Richard can't fix it, we get a bigger hammer. In other words, we service what we sell, Smead added.

Aladdin House is highly competitive in its pricing structure, said Smead, "simply because we allow Thomasville to carry our inventory. In most cases we give four to six weeks delivery. By eliminating hundreds of thousands of dollars invested in an inventory, we can afford to sell for less. We offer up to 35 percent off the manufacturers' list prices and on selected items, occasionally up to 50 percent off.

To see the Aladdin House difference, stop by the showroom Monday through Saturday 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., Thursday 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. and Sunday 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Call 694-6649 for more information.

Bed and bath of past now master suite

As people look to their homes as a place for relaxation, the typical bedroom is transforming into a master suite. No longer simply a place to lay one's head, the bedroom is now a haven of tranquility.

Bedrooms are more spacious. They include sitting areas, often with large fireplaces. And, adjacent to the bedroom is a large spa-like bathroom, often with exercise equipment and a whirlpool. Together, the bed and bath of the past comprise the master suite of today.

Unlike the past, when guests were limited to such public areas in the home as living rooms, today's master suite is no longer off limits to friends.

The master suite is a design showplace, an area where decorating dollars are dedicated to fine furniture, works of art, accessories and window coverings. With so much emphasis placed on decorating the master suite, homeowners now proudly show this well-designed area of their home to guests.

The emergence of the master bedroom suite has brought with it unique needs for window coverings. with the bedroom and bathroom feature large, expansive windows. Specialty windows such as skylights, arches and angles are prominent in the room for greater emphasis on style and design with a feeling of openness.

Like the windows they adorn, window coverings must make a fashion statement, provide a feeling of airiness and openness, and ensure privacy when needed.

For daytime use, a sheer pleated shade may be selected for a view to the outside and a feeling of openness. With a pull of a cord, change the shade to a privacy fabric for night.

And, for the master bathroom, a pleated shade lowers from the top or raises from the bottom, allowing light and air to enter at the top portion of the window while maintaining privacy below.

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Repo business is on fast track

'Adjusters' believe job's reputation outdated

By JOHN M. GLIONNA
Copley News Service



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She's like a late-model Corvette — sleek, racy and dead serious, decked out in heels and a fast-track business suit.

Her specialty is high-priced cars. Or, more specifically, using her blond hair and sky-blue eyes to get inside well-fortressed buildings to reach the owners of those cars.

Because if you buy something highbrow and expensive — a Jag, Mercedes, or Rolls — and you get behind in your payments, chances are you're going to meet 23-year-old Marcelle Egley face-to-face.

She's a Repo Woman. And, brother, she's only got eyes for your wheels.

These days, she calls herself a repossessor or adjustor. Her job is to resolve payment problems between creditors such as banks and the people who borrow their money to finance car purchases.

You know: knock on people's doors, convince them to work out a more accelerated payment plan.

But if talk fails, well, that car you absolutely worship is like the cash you recently took to the track. It's gone, and it's not coming back.

In a phrase, Egley is part detective, part negotiator, part heist master, a woman of very few words.

"This work can get dangerous sometimes," she said. "People pull guns. And retrieving a car is definitely not worth your life."

EGLEY REPRESENTS a new image of automobile repossessors nationwide — an industry that has spent years dusting itself off from unfavorable portrayals on television and in films like the cult flick "Repo Man," starring Emilio Estevez.

"We've cleaned up our own act," said Jack Whaley, repo man and convention chairman for the California Association of Licensed Repossessors.

"In the '50s and '60s, there used to be a lot of hoodlums on the street working cars. But we got together with the government and we set up some guidelines and regulations.

"Today, repossessing is a legitimate, serious business."

Women like Egley are becoming more common in the business, repossessors say. And for repossessors who stay busy, salaries have risen to near $50,000 — paid by banks and other lending institutions.

But some things don't change. Repo men still talk in terms of "skip accounts," (cars and owners they're trying to locate) "hot ones," (a car that has been missing for some time) and "tow jockeys" (repossessors who work without a license).

In a recent two-day meeting, more than 150 repo men from across California discussed new regulations and witnessed the latest gadgetry to affect their trade.

Like the pickup that, at the press of a button, automatically transforms itself into a tow truck, ready to tow an unsuspecting owner's car in a mere 14 seconds.

THE TRUCKS are selling quickly, its manufacturers say, because of the stealth nature of the business. Repo men can impound a vehicle only in instances where there is no verbal complaint or confrontation from its owner.

"The key is stealth and speed," Whaley explained. "If you're casing some car and the owner comes out and says, 'Hey, bub, waddya doin'?' and he won't give the car up voluntarily, you have to back off.

"Of course, you show up in a half-hour after the guy goes back in the house, hook up the car and drive off before he spots you."

Whaley is an ex-cop from Los Angeles who has been in the repo business for three decades now. He has the look of a true urban guerrilla: huge black sunglasses — as big as aircraft landing strips — and a head shaved like a brass spittoon.

"California is the car capital of the nation," he said. "It's got more registered vehicles than something like 45 states combined, that's 1½ cars per family. So it makes sense that one-third of the 600 licensed repossessors nationwide work out here."

That means added responsibility for his cohorts, he says. "For years, other states have followed our lead. We were the first state to be regulated, the first to be licensed.

"In a lot of states like Texas and Colorado, you don't even have to have a license to operate. You just go out and start repossessing cars."

CALIFORNIA LAW, however, calls for two years' apprenticeship under a professional before a would-be repossessor can become licensed. Their fingerprints and mug shots also must be kept on file with the state.

Despite the precautions, repo men continue to carry the image of licensed thieves. "The public perception is not as good as it should be," Whaley said.

Much of the negative image has come from "Repo Man," the 1984 cult film that spoofed the industry as a sleazy subculture of lawless urban cowboys.

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— Jack Whaley, repo man

The movie features a cast of adrenaline freaks who work out of a dusty East Los Angeles lot, using booze and dope to fuel their nocturnal wanderings.

"It stunk," one repo man said of the film. "Doctors don't like movies that make them out to be goofs. Reporters don't like to be made out to be goofs.

"Well, neither do repo men. We take ourselves seriously."

Repossessors, several repo men claimed, offer protection for responsible consumers by going after those who aren't.

"Where would this economy be if we allowed people to live solely off their credit?" said Myles Weiss, a repo man with 37 years in the business.

"If people are allowed not to pay their bills, we're in serious trouble, that's what. That's where we come in. There has to be some recourse."

BAD PR ISN'T the only thing nagging repo men. Car manufacturers have made it more difficult for them to heist automobiles.

New computer chips attached to keys, for example, make it impossible to substitute skeleton keys to start vehicles.

"It's a challenge, same as police work," Whaley said. "You can't imagine what the feeling is like, finding a car you've been after for three or four months. Your mouth gets extremely dry. Your hands shake."

If there is anything repo men have in common, he said, it's that they have good memories for the license plates of the cars they're after.

"You look for a car for a straight year, you remember the license; it becomes embedded in your brain. And sometimes you get lucky, like sitting in the drive-in with your wife and seeing, right there in front of you, the car you've been after.

"So you dig through your paper work just to make sure. And then, when they leave, you leave."

After all, when people fall behind in their car payments, they expect to see Jack Whaley sooner or later.

"In 99 percent of the cases, they know we're coming," he said. "It's only a matter of finding them. Most times, they're willing to hand the car over."

His advice to car owners?

"If you fall behind in your payments, call the bank, give them the benefit of the doubt," he said. "Be honest with them. Because if they call your house and find you've changed your number or your address, they get nervous.

"Or if they get in touch with you and you flunk the attitude test, they get nervous. And if they get nervous, they call me.

"And that means you're walking the next day."

CONSUMING INTERESTS

Journalists review powdered salsa mix

By LINDA ANDERSON



Anderson

Every now and then a product comes along that is *so new* that its manufacturers can't *wait* to get it into the stores — so they send samples out for media-types to try.

A couple of weeks ago we received such a product — a package of powdered salsa seasoning mix (no, I'm not kidding), and since journalists are usually eager to eat anything, I mixed it up according to package directions, set it on my desk and asked for opinions.

The mix was Lawry's Seasoning Blend for Fresh Salsa. Package directions read: "1. In medium bowl, combine 2 medium TOMATOES (the company put the capital letters in — I don't know why. I guess they figure consumers can read words better if they are in all caps.) (¾ pound), diced and SEASONING BLEND; mix well. 2. Cover and refrigerate 1 hour to allow flavors to blend. Makes 2 cups" That was easy enough.

While we were able to check it out the seasoning mix out for taste and advertising accuracy, the price was anybody's guess since we got the package of mix in the mail free. *My* guess is that the 1.13 ounce package of Lawry's salsa seasoning mix cost is somewhere between 69 cents and 89 cents, since that's what many of their other seasoning mixes cost.

Label advertising claims the product is "Seasoning Blend for Fresh Salsa ... a snappy combination of spices that makes fresh, homemade salsa easy to prepare." I'm not sure if something that lists (in order) maltodextrin, chopped onion, salt, tomato powder, green bell pepper, sugar, citric acid, jalapeno pepper and other spices, natural and artificial flavors, cilantro flakes, garlic, xanthan gum and silicon dioxide as its ingredients can be considered "fresh." And remember, all this stuff is in powdered form. Well, at least the *tomatoes* are fresh.

Information from the company insists: "Authentic Mexican cooks have known the secret to fresh salsa for years. They use fresh tomatoes, onions, chilies, herbs and spices ... Just by adding two tomatoes to LAWRY'S NEW SEASONING BLEND FOR FRESH SALSA you've got authentic restaurant-style salsa in minutes."

The taste-testers didn't agree with the above statement. They all — and I mean all, every single one of them — said "It's not hot enough." Some said, "It's too salty" or "It needs more jalapenos." Two of the taste-testers immediately noticed the salsa had no cilantro, a key ingredient to good salsa in their opinion. No one seemed to liked it very much, although all of them said the tomatoes were very fresh.

No one was particularly interested in finishing the salsa, either — which turned out to be a waste of good tomatoes. Oh, well, I guess it just proves that writers are usually eager to taste any new food, but sometimes only once.

Linda Anderson is a Reporter-Telegram Lifestyle writer.

Laundry service cleans up problem

New York Times News Service

In one man's attempt to free your Saturday from the drudgery of errands, a company in California's trendy Marin County is offering laundry service from a big — some might say tacky — prefab metal wardrobe box erected in the yard.

The Dry Cleaning Box, of San Rafael, is the enterprise of Beruz Jalili, a 33-year-old Iranian immigrant and construction engineer with a concise understanding of the word "yuppie."

He started last November with nine customers and now has 114.

Alison Scott, a 28-year-old Tiburon accountant, is his quintessential customer.

"I would normally pile things in my car and carry them around for three weeks until I got the time to deliver it," she says.

This inconvenience was averted when she heard about the box while commuting on the Tiburon ferry.

Now she throws her cleaning in plastic bags (supplied at no charge), stuffs the bags into the box on the back deck of her condo, and raises the red flag as if it were a mailbox with an outgoing letter.

In the still of the day, a delivery man in blue shorts and polo shirt swings by to collect.

The clothes are driven to Oakland, where they are laundered or dry-cleaned and returned on Mondays and Thursdays.

The flag is then raised like a buzzer on the dryer.

The clincher is it costs about the same, and often less, than fighting the traffic to the local laundry.

Laundered dress shirts are $1.15 on a hanger and $1.35 boxed, compared with $1.75 and $1.80 at many Marin cleaners.

"I'm a skeptic, and I kept looking for the catch," says Terry Thomas, 46, an executive search consultant, of Tiburon.

"But you look at the numbers, add to that the convenience of handling it at home, and the service has been good."

Thomas has his box hidden in a side yard and would expect neighbors to do the same.

"If I looked down the street and saw these boxes in front of every house, I'd think it was tacky," he says.

The box itself, custom-designed by Chico State professor Lee Koenig, stands 46 inches tall, 21 wide and 10 deep.

It costs $200 to produce, and is bolted to solid ground to prevent pranksters from running off with a box full of pressed and starched shirts.

Cub Scouts rally for new members

From Staff Reports

Buffalo Trail Council Inc., Boy Scouts of America will have a rally for boys in grades 1-5 interested in joining a Pack at Rusk, Lamar, Crockett and Greenwood 7 p.m. tonight.

Cub Scout rallies for Long, Travis and Santa Rita elementary schools will be 7 p.m. Monday, and rallies for Parker, Houston and DeZavala will be 7 p.m. Tuesday.

Rallies for Jones, Bowie, Milam, Burnett, Fannin and South elementaries will be 7 p.m. Sept. 21. Boys interested in joining the Pack at Golf Course Road Church of Christ may attend the 7 p.m. rally Sept. 21 in the family center.

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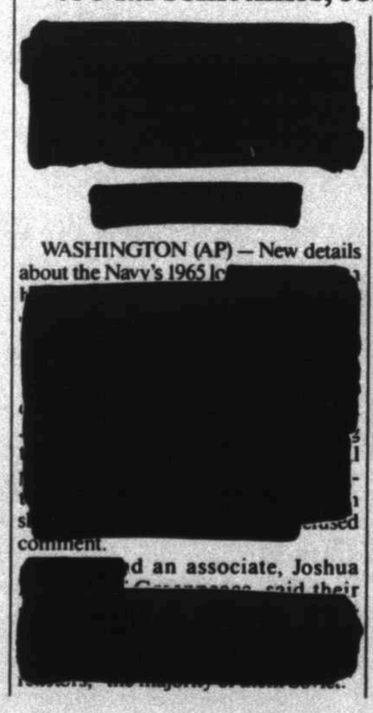
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DEAR ABBY

Mother thinks daughter is being fool for love

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN



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DEAR ABBY: I am worried sick about my daughter, Cynthia. She is a professional woman who has just attained a partnership in her firm, a position she has worked for 11 years to achieve.

She is ending her second marriage mainly because, as she put it, "We cannot communicate with each other." These two non-communicators have two beautiful children — my grandchildren.

Cynthia is now involved with a married man with children who is thinking seriously of leaving his wife of 12 years to marry her. This marriage entails Cynthia's giving up her partnership, selling her home, and taking her children thousands of miles away from me and familiar surroundings.

Meanwhile, her "boyfriend" keeps promising to leave his wife — but he has not done so. I have told her not to give up what she has now for an uncertain future.

Naturally she resents what she calls my "meddling" in her affairs and giving her no support for what she wants to do. I cannot condone the breaking up of this man's marriage, her stupidity in giving up all she has worked for and her lack of consideration for her children.

How do I get through to this foolish, headstrong daughter? — CAN'T SLEEP NIGHTS

DEAR CAN'T: You have already given her the message, so back off, Mother, lest you alienate Cynthia entirely. With all your good intentions, you cannot lead your daughter's life, nor should you try. I know you want only the best for her, but some people have to learn life's lessons the hard way. And your daughter may be one of them.

DEAR ABBY: I am getting married in the near future. I'm a very private person and do not have a lot of money to blow on a big wedding, so it is going to be a small wedding.

I work in a large office, and many of my co-workers have indicated that they expect to be invited to my wedding. I am going to invite a few, but I can't possibly invite the entire office. How shall I handle this without making a lot of enemies? Should I ask those whom I've invited not to tell the others? — IN A QUANDARY

DEAR IN: To those who indicate that they expect to be invited, but will not be, simply explain that yours will be a very small wedding.

Do NOT ask those you have invited not to tell anybody. It would be easier to smuggle dawn past a rooster.

DEAR ABBY: Back in the '30s and '40s, when a Hawaiian girl wore a flower over her left ear, it was supposed to signal something. And when she wore a flower over her right ear, it was supposed to signal something else.

Can you please tell us what the flower placement is supposed to signify? — FROM WAHOO, NEB.

DEAR FROM WAHOO: If a girl wears a flower over her left ear, it means she's uninvolved, approachable, not attached. A flower worn over her right ear means she is spoken for, going with someone, romantically involved, so hands off.

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Abigail Van Buren is a columnist for Universal Press Syndicate.

AT WIT'S END

If comfortable shoes fit, then wear them

By ERMA BOMBECK



Bombeck

Attention, Sisters of America! I want you to hear it from me first. I have just sold out. On my feet are a pair of running shoes that cost more than the monthly payment on our first house — and I don't even run. Nor do I intend to.

All the reasons I wore heels no longer exist for me. Forget the fat ankles. Forget about looking tall. Forget about trying to entwine one leg around the other like poison oak climbing a tree trunk just to look sexy. I'm going to be com ... comfor ... I can't say the word yet, but it will come.

I am like the kid at a college commencement I addressed last year who approached the platform on crutches, and as soon as they gave him his degree, threw them into the air and shouted, "I can walk!"

I have left that majority of women who vow to wear uncomfortable shoes because they look good. The transformation takes a bit of getting used to.

My husband said the other day, "What's wrong with you?"

"Nothing," I said. "I'm not wearing heels and I'm shorter."

"Shorter! You could walk under the coffee table. I thought short women were supposed to wear heels to make them look taller."

"Woody Allen wears sneakers and no one worries about his height," I said.

"That's because men never play the game women play," he countered.

Unknowingly, he had put his finger on the problem. Men have always dressed com ... comfor ... it'll come. Think about it. Would a man wear anything with a zipper that he couldn't reach? Of course not. Unlike women, they would never get married because they couldn't dress themselves.

You don't see a man sitting around all night in pain because a label (made out of a double-edge razor blade) digs into his neck every time he moves his head. Only women do that. Men have labels that are unflappable.

And more important, you don't see men in a theater fishing around with their feet to find their shoes so they can put them on before the lights come up.

Yesirree. You can snicker at my sneakers all you want, but I feel good about myself. I feel secure enough not to care about what other people think, but about how I feel. I'm not afraid to make fashion history.

Tomorrow is the test. I go outside in them.

Erma Bombeck is a columnist for Universal Press Syndicate.

Credit card information clarified

Copley News Service

The next time you receive a credit card advertisement in the mail, it should be easier to decipher the terms you are being offered. The Fair Credit and Charge Card Disclosure Act requires credit card companies to explain rates and other cost information in a uniform and easy-to-understand manner.

As of Aug. 31, credit card issuers soliciting customers through the mail have to highlight the following:

- The card's annual percentage rate
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- The method for computing the balance to which the interest rate is applied.

Credit card companies that solicit credit card customers by telephone or by running applications in magazines must provide similar information, although the new law won't apply to magazine applications until Nov. 29.

The disclosure rules do not apply, however, to lines of credit, home-equity accounts or if you request a credit-card application.

'Telephone tyranny' is 20th century syndrome

By JOHN LANKFORD
New York Times News Service

SANTA BARBARA, Calif. — Now that Labor Day has come and gone, a few musings on the wonderful world of labor, or the lack of same:

The typical American executive wastes a month a year on the telephone. A survey by Motivational Systems of New York found that top executives said they spent about 30 percent of each day on the phone. Of that time, the execs thought that about 28 percent of the time was wasted. Works out to four weeks a year.

The folks at MS call this "telephone tyranny." And, as you might imagine, since it is their job to correct such things for a price, MS has a few suggestions for execs suffering phone-out.

First, always leave an action-oriented message. Like this:

"Fred, this is George. Be on the first tee at 9 a.m. Bring money."

Next, MS says to make your calls in groups. When you get a break, sit down and make your calls, one after the other. Presumably, when that is done, you can put your phone in a desk drawer. Ignore the ringing.

MS says don't answer your own phone. Get a secretary or receptionist to screen your calls. Keeps out the weirdos and other time-wasters. This approach will also increase employment in your town, and make all of your friends angry.

Get someone to make your calls for you. By this, MS eans have someone do the button-pushing or dial-turning. This saves not only time but also adds years to your fingers. The last thing you want is phone finger.

MS says to take the initiative in concluding your business calls. Some of my children have perfected this technique. They almost never say good-bye. They just hang up. My dad used to do that, too. They probably weren't aware that they were on the cutting edge of office science.

MS wraps ups by saying that executives who learn to use the phone properly are "giving themselves an incredible bonus — two extra weeks of productive time each year."

MS doesn't make any suggestions on how to use those extra two weeks. Some things do come to mind. Doing more work is one.

The next time your boss yells at you for being a couple minutes late from your lunch break, feed him these astonishing facts:

A survey initiated by Accountemps shows that the average American worker takes a 59.4-minute lunch break. Pretty close, eh?

The same study showed that the average American worker takes a 15-minute coffee break twice a day. But the 1,000 companies questioned in the survey said they allowed only 1.6 coffee breaks a day. Where is the missing 0.4 of the second break? Another of life's mysteries.

All this precision can be depressing. Remember years ago when everyone was saying the computer age was going to increase our leisure time? Has that happened to you?

A study by Priority Management Systems shows that people are working longer hours, experiencing more job stress, and spending less time with their families.

In the yearlong study of 1,000 business people, it was discovered that 85 percent worked more than 45 hours a week. On the stress front, 81 percent experienced stress at least once a week, and almost half the workers felt stress every day on the job.

Computers, which were supposed to free us for golf, tennis, sailing or just goofing off, have apparently led to more people taking work home with them. The popularity of home PCs means you take home what you can't get done at the office. Almost 90 percent of the people in the survey take work home.

Long, stressful hours at the office put a strain on the family. More than half the workers spent less than two hours a week looking after their children; 42 percent don't read to their kids.

One wonders who is serving whom in the computer age.

The Bureau of Labor Statistics reports that by the year 2000, of all the people coming into the work force, 92 percent will be women and minorities.

In that regard, here is some food for thought from the U.S. Census Bureau:

Minority populations in the United States will increase seven times faster than the white population over the next decade.

Nationwide in the early 1990s, there will be 4 million to 5 million fewer entry-level workers than in 1980.

This year, U.S. blacks and Hispanics will spend about $300 billion. By 2000, those groups will spend more than $650 billion.

Sounds like diversity management would be a pretty solid business to get into.

Children's safety seats required

New York Times News Service

For all car travel, even short trips to and from the local grocery or pool, the safest way to transport young children is in a safety seat in the rear of the car.

Small children, usually up to the age of 4, are required by law in every state to ride in approved seats designed for children, and the seats must be secured by safety belts. Find a seat that fits your child and your car and use it for every trip.

Here are some safety tips from the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration:

- **POSITION:** Place the child's carrier in the middle of the back seat to prevent injury in sideswipes. Face infants toward the rear of the car.
- **BELTS:** Thread the car's belt through the safety-seat frame according to the manufacturer's instructions. Fasten the child-seat harness snugly over the shoulders.
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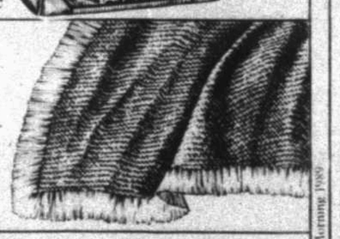


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HEALTH

JAMES HUMPHREYS, MD

Obstetric doctors become rare breed in rural counties

By JAMES HUMPHREY, MD

Physicians who offer obstetric services in rural Texas already are a rare breed and they may become an endangered species.


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According to current information from the Texas Department of Health, 66 counties have in-hospital births and practicing obstetricians and another 96 counties have in-hospital births with obstetric services provided by family physicians. The other 92 counties have no obstetric service available.

Obviously, those Texans who inhabit parts of the state outside of urban areas are heavily dependent on local family physicians to provide obstetric care. The future of this care may be in jeopardy.

A survey of 205 family physicians published in the September issue of Texas Medicine reveals some sobering facts:

- Of the 135 responding physicians, 29 percent practice in rural areas and another 37 percent practice in cities of less than 500,000 population;
- Of the 135 respondents, 23 percent — 31 — currently deliver babies, 58.5 percent — 79 — had delivered babies in the past and 18.5 percent — 25 — had never delivered a baby.
- Of those 79 who discontinued obstetrics, 40 percent have done so since 1984;
- Of those physicians not providing obstetric services, half cited high liability insurance premiums, while 37 percent said fear of lawsuits was the reason;
- Those still practicing obstetrics must pay significantly higher liability premiums, with 86 percent reporting that they have been forced to raise fees to cover the premium increase; and
- Of the physicians not practicing obstetrics, 25 percent said they would resume if the liability climate changed.

Provision of obstetric services by family physicians and obstetricians is risky business anywhere in the nation. Liability insurance premiums for obstetrics are among the highest for any specialty of medicine.

Obstetric patients are suit-prone and juries tend to award huge judgments for babies with neurological deficits, even when there is no demonstrable negligence on the part of the obstetrician.

Texas has not yet acquired a reputation as a hotbed of liability activity as have the more notorious states of New York, Florida and Illinois.

Nevertheless, there are some aspects of the legal climate in Texas which require considerable courage by the physicians who undertake providing obstetric care.

A few of these are:

- A 20-year statute of limitations applicable to obstetric cases;
- Interest awarded on monetary judgments in addition to the judgment itself; and
- The Texas Supreme Court, which has shown considerable tolerance for new concepts of liability and a tendency to systematically dismantle any attempts at tort reform by the Legislature.

If 92 of the 254 counties in Texas already are without obstetric services, if nearly one in three family physicians report that their obstetric patients must travel 50 miles or more to receive care and if physicians — generalists and specialists — continue to be driven out of obstetric care, what does it mean for the future?

A reasonable supposition might be that obstetrical care will become limited to areas with populations greater than 50,000.

If women must travel a significant distance to obtain pre-natal care, some will simply forego it. Inadequate access to care has been associated with poorer pregnancy outcomes and higher overall costs.

Some assistance was provided recently by enactment of the Texas Omnibus Health Care Rescue Act which, among other provisions, indemnifies health care professionals for the first $100,000 per occurrence for obstetric and emergency cases if at least 10 percent of his or her patients are covered by Medicaid or are charity cases and if there is at least $100,000 liability coverage carried.

Still more needs to be done to change the legal climate in Texas, however, or we face the disappearance of family physicians who deliver babies.

We can ill afford to lose the physicians who provide this service.

Dr. James Humphreys is the Midland County health authority.

Tap water holds threat for contact lens' wearers

Hearst News Service

For years, it has been common practice for contact lens wearers to rinse their contacts and lens cases in tap water.

Indeed, some eye care product manufacturers even suggest that procedure on their package instructions.

But, says an Albany, N.Y., professor of ophthalmology, that's the worst thing you can do. At least one person from the Albany area who followed that advice developed a serious infection from an organism in tap water and eventually lost her eye. Another has had repeated corneal grafts in an attempt to save her eye.

"Both these women are experienced contact lens wearers, very careful in following good care of their lenses, and both wound up with the same problem — an infection that is very difficult to eradicate," says Dr. Richard S. Smith, chairman of the Department of Ophthalmology at Albany Medical Center.

The problem, says Smith, is acanthamoeba, an organism that is present in virtually all U.S. water supplies. It causes acanthamoeba keritits, an eye infection that is on the rise.

The Albany professor says ophthalmologists were shocked when they started looking into the cause of the infections.

"We learned that this parasitic organism contaminates every tap water supply in the country." More shocking was the fact that the presence of the amoeba in water supplies is common knowledge.

"It's a very tough, very resistant bacteria. It isn't fazed by anything," Smith says.

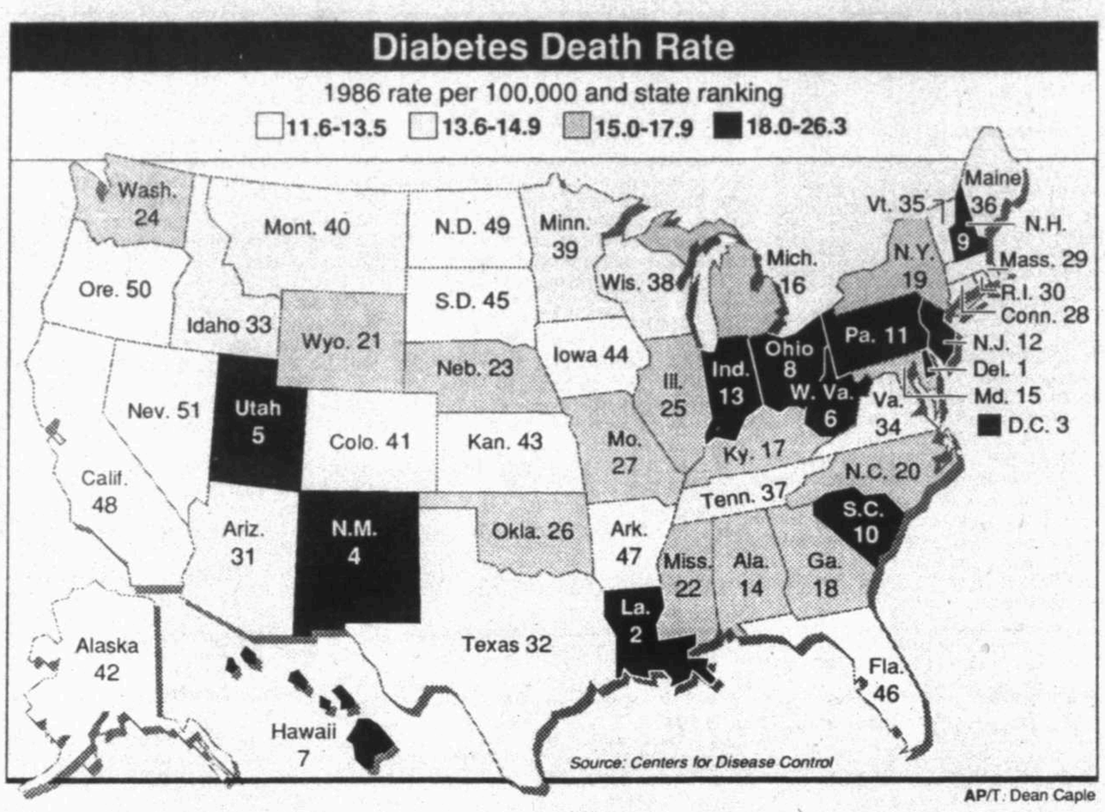
Amoebae are microscopic soil organisms, he explains. "There are hundreds of thousands of them in a handful of soil. The soil blows into reservoirs, and from there goes into the tap water. It's in all water supplies."

And, there is no way to avoid it.

"You can boil the tap water, but there is no way to absolutely guarantee the amoeba will be affected. It forms a hard wall around itself and goes into a state of suspended animation that lasts until it finds the right environment and starts to grow again. That's why it is so hard to kill with drugs. It stays inside that hard wall and can't get hit by the drug," he explains.

At present, the only medication available to treat the infection is an experimental drug being tested at some medical centers. But even that, says Smith, is far from being 100 percent effective.

"The only protection is not to get the infection in the first place," he advises.



AP/T: Dean Caple

Half of diabetics unaware of disease

ATLANTA (AP) — Half of the sufferers of diabetes don't know they have it, and the disease may contribute to as many as a quarter-million American deaths each year, federal health officials say.

Diabetes was the underlying reported cause in 37,178 deaths in the United States in 1986, the latest year for which final statistics are available, the national Centers for Disease Control said recently.

Two reasons, the CDC said, lead researchers to believe that diabetes is behind many more deaths than that. The disease was listed as a contributory cause of death on four times as many death certificates, while half the death certificates for people with the non-insulin-dependent form of diabetes didn't mention the disease.

"Thus, diabetes may be associated with approximately eight times as many deaths" as indicated by the 37,178 reported — or about 297,000 deaths, the CDC said.

Besides being potentially fatal, diabetes — in which the body can't properly handle sugars and starches — also can cause kidney disease, blindness and other serious complications.

The CDC estimates that in 1986, 10.5 million Americans had diabetes. The Atlanta-based agency said nearly half — 4.9 million — were undiagnosed cases in people who didn't know they were diabetic. CDC researcher Dr. Robert Hahn said undiagnosed cases are projected from surveys involving blood tests.

The CDC said more than one in five diabetics have at least one of three other conditions that can seriously affect their health: smoking, high blood pressure and overweight.

Twenty-seven percent of diabetics smoke, 47 percent have high blood pressure and 22 percent are at least 30 percent overweight, the CDC said. Researchers project that among diabetics, 39,000 deaths each year are attributed to the additional problem of smoking, 30,000 are attributed to high blood pressure and 12,000 are attributed to obesity.

Hahn said the highest additional risk for diabetics comes from smoking.

"Among diabetics who smoke, the risk of dying (in a given year) is 2.3 times higher," he said.

Government approves sale of hepatitis vaccine

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — The federal government has approved sale of a genetically engineered hepatitis B vaccine touted by its manufacturer, SmithKline Beecham PLC, as cheaper and faster acting than its sole U.S. competitor, a company official said.

The genetically engineered vaccine, Engerix-B, was approved in Europe in 1986 and has been for sale in more than 80 countries, including Canada and Australia.

The vaccine, which will cost $149 per patient, involves three doses administered over two months, said Catherine Sohn, SmithKline's director of vaccine marketing.

Recombivax, manufactured by Merck & Co. of Rahway, N.J., is the only other genetically produced hepatitis B vaccine available in the country. It costs $20 per person more than Engerix-B and can take as much as four months longer to be effective, Sohn said.

Engerix-B received U.S. Food and Drug Administration approval Aug. 28 and shipments to wholesalers began immediately. The vaccine should reach doctors by Monday, Sohn said.

SmithKline, based in London with offices in Philadelphia, scheduled a news conference in New York on Friday to announce the approval.

Hepatitis B strikes an estimated 300,000 people in this country each year, killing at least 5,000. Chronic carriers of hepatitis B are prone to develop liver cancer and cirrhosis.

Hepatitis B is transmitted sexually or through blood-to-blood contact. High-risk groups include homosexual males, intravenous drug abusers, health-care workers and Southeast Asians.

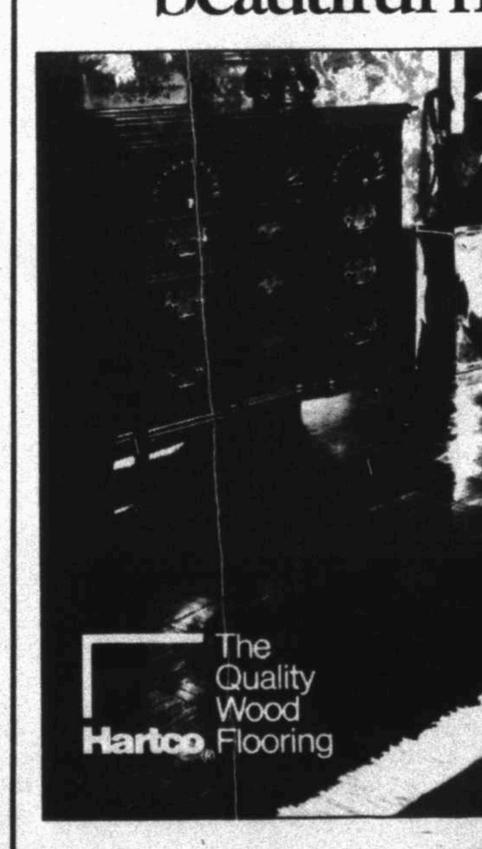
The federal Occupational Safety and Health Administration has recommended requiring employers to offer hepatitis B vaccinations free to any workers who risk contracting the disease through their jobs.

OSHA's recommendations also include protective clothing and education about hepatitis.

Workplace exposure results in 6,000 to 7,400 hepatitis B infections each year in the United States, causing up to 400 hospitalizations and 130 to 165 deaths.

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Rebs make more changes for border raid

By TERRY WILLIAMSON
Sports Editor

Midland Lee isn't leaving the state after its opening night football loss, 35-0, to Killeen, but Del Rio isn't far from it.

The Rebels trek to the border for an 8 p.m. game Friday with the Del Rio Rams in hopes of finding a turnaround elixir from the Rio Grande.

A year ago, Lee returned from an opening night loss to Killeen to spill the Rams, 28-6, and went on to a tri-championship and the team's sixth consecutive playoff berth. Lee coaches are hoping the same springboard is in place for 1989.

The Rebs bus from Midland at noon Friday and return after the game. This isn't one of your fun weekend travel packages, but it is hoped that a victory will make up for all the trouble.

Lee will be armed with another "new" look when they cross Lake Amistad. Gone is the experiment of playing some players two ways. It's back to the "old" Lee way of doing things.

"We've gone back to the way we've been coaching the last three years," noted Lee head coach Earl Miller. "We're going to keep the kids on one side of the ball. It's the only real way you can win in 5A.

"We can't split time with cross training. There's just not enough repetition. The bad part is you might not be able to win in the state playoffs without putting your best players on the field at all times, but we have to worry about getting to the playoffs at this point in time."

Chris Posey and Mantry Dedrick have moved into the defensive end slots for Lee while Steve Ruckman moves from defensive end to linebacker. Also cornerbacks Randy Brown and Scott Luckie are new additions to the starting lineup.

Offensively, Farris Strambler, who had 120 of Lee's 130 rushing yards last week, moves from fullback to a tailback slot while Jason Sever takes over at split end and John Valles moves out to flanker. Greg Rich moves in at tight end.

The only two-way starters will be Brandon Rayburn at tackle and Vince Henderson at quarterback and safety.

There's a lot of changes for Lee, and one would expect some after one of Lee's worst opening night defeats in almost two decades.

Midland Lee vs. Del Rio lineup

Midland Lee Offense

Quarterback: Vince Henderson, 170, Sr. **Fullback:** Anthony Sima, 160, Sr. or Alandis Chambers, 190, Sr. **Tailback:** Farris Strambler, 190, Sr. **Flanker:** Jason Sever, 180, Sr. **Wide Receiver:** John Valles, 160, Sr. **Tight End:** Greg Rich, 180, Sr. **Tackles:** Justin Firkins, 220, Jr.; Chris Kosh, 170, Sr. **Guards:** Matt Wilson, 240, Sr.; Brandon Rayburn, 220, Sr. **Center:** K.C. Jones, 210, Soph.

Del Rio Offense

Quarterback: Carlos Pacheco, 170, Sr. **Fullback:** Ray Sanchez, 205, Sr. **Tailback:** Brian Furman, 170, Sr. **Wingback:** Ricky Valdez, 180, Sr. **Split End:** Roger Torrea, 160, Sr. **Tight End:** Jeff Orr, 215, Jr. **Tackles:** Chris Fletcher, 245, Sr.; Eric Magana, 242, Jr. **Guards:** Ricky McGuire, 180, Sr.; Clemente DeHoyas, 195, Sr. **Center:** Jesus Castilla, 195, Jr.

Midland Lee Defense

Ends: Chris Posey, 210, Jr.; Mantry Dedrick, 170, Jr. **Tackles:** Brandon Rayburn, 220, Sr.; Ray Melgoza, 240, Jr. **Linebackers:** Steve Ruckman, 180, Sr.; Bennie Jones, 200, Sr.; Derrick Turner, 180, Jr. **Cornerbacks:** Randy Brown, 170, Sr.; Scott Luckie, 170, Sr. **Safties:** Vince Henderson, 170, Sr.; Ty Chambers, 160, Sr.

Del Rio Defense

Ends: Albert Sauceda, 210, Sr.; Gary Nelson, 192, Sr. **Tackles:** Gerald Soto, 216, Sr.; Jesse Trevino, 236, Soph. **Nose Guard:** Joe Mancha, 200, Sr. **Linebackers:** Frank Aarrendondo, 185, Jr.; Danny Walling, 165, Jr. **Cornerbacks:** David Metcalf, 165, Sr.; Jose Venegan, 150, Jr. **Safties:** Keith O'Brien, 170, Sr.; David Garcia, 160, Sr.

And Del Rio enters the contest after a 19-7 road victory over Laredo Nixon. That outing pleased Ram coach Dan Neuse.

"We're not at the stage of a Midland Lee," said Neuse, "but we lost to Laredo Nixon at home last year after having five touchdowns called back. At this stage of our development, we're excited every time we win.

"That's one reason we want to play a team like Lee. We want to build a program like they have and you have to play those kind of teams to see what it takes.

"Lee has a great coaching staff that is known across the state and country as winners and we want to build that kind of reputation here."

The loss to Killeen, however, doesn't make Neuse's grin any wider.

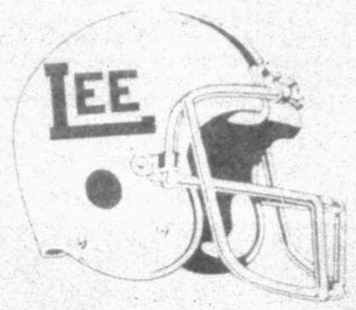
"Killeen may be one of the best teams in the country," said Neuse. "I don't think the people of Midland should be down on Lee because I'm not sure anyone can beat Killeen right now. They murdered Kerrville-Tivy in a scrimmage and we know how good Tivy is."

Miller says his Rebels will go into the game a little blind.

"We don't know much about the Rams," said Miller. "We agreed not to watch each other's spring training or first scrimmage. So, we've only scouted one game. But they do a lot of the same things Permian does. They throw about 50 percent of the time and run the trap and sweep a lot like Permian. We're going to treat it like Permian."

Miller says team morale has been good this week, despite the Killeen loss, but is still concerned with both his offense and defense.

"I know Killeen is good. I saw them scrimmage Kerrville-Tivy and I thought Tivy was terrible. Tivy scored over 40 points last week. Killeen has a way of making you look bad, but I still say we helped them a lot."



Defensively, Lee got hurt on big plays by Killeen with some major mistakes at the cornerback slots. That's one major reason Brown and Luckie will draw the task this week.

Miller expects Del Rio to treat this game as a big one on its schedule.

"My wife is from Del Rio, so we know a lot of people down there," said Miller. "In fact, that was one reason we were able to get this game last year. I'm sure they would just love to hang one on us."

Ranger schedule full of hurdles

By BILL GRIMES
Sports Writer

Bob Purser believes that a tough non-district schedule is good experience for when it matters later in the season — even if the experience is not reflected by wins.

The Greenwood head coach saw his team suffer through season-opening losses to playoff-bound Denver City and Reagan County last season before sweeping through District 4-3A play for their first-ever district championship.

But that was last year.

After a strong defensive showing in a 17-0 loss to Denver City last week, the Rangers face the task of getting their offense in gear Friday at Reagan County.

IN OTHER area games Friday, Andrews travels to Midland High, Big Spring hosts Lubbock Estacado, Lamesa hosts the Midland Lee junior varsity, McCamey entertains Crane, Iraan hosts Eldorado, Rankin tries to get back in the win column at home against Forsan, Stanton hosts Coahoma, and Garden City visits Grandfalls.

Purser said it won't be easy to handle Reagan County, especially after the Owls manhandled 4-3A favorite Crane 22-7 last week.

"It's a pretty rough way to start," Purser said. "But if we can get through Friday night, we'll be a lot better team.

"We don't want to get anybody beat up and hurt down there."

It won't be easy, and Purser knows it.

"They're better than Denver City, and Denver City is a very good 3A team," the coach said. The Owls have a combination of size and speed that may make them tough to beat in District 6-2A — which they dominated last season.

For one thing, they have senior tailback Sergio Balderas and junior fullback Willie Black. Balderas rushed for 1,000 yards last season, and Black has the potential to do so — if he can get the carries.

The Owl backs run behind a line that includes returning starters tackle Robby Hooker (217 pounds) and center Rodney Benson (193).

Purser said Greenwood's young offensive line needs to mature in a hurry for the Rangers to move the ball. Tackle Jason Gardner is the only returning starter, but the burly senior must be rested at times because he also plays defense.

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"We have to have some offense," Purser said. "If our defense plays like it did against Denver City, we should have a good chance of staying in the game."

Purser wouldn't say whether senior Larry Nichols or junior Cody Mebane would start at quarterback Friday, but he was impressed by Mebane's fourth quarter effort against Denver City.

"He did a good job, especially with their top defense still in the game," Purser said.

McCAMEY head coach Randy Adair never saw anything like it last Friday.

His Badgers outgained powerful Kermit 243-216, but lapses in the kicking game cost McCamey in a 40-7 loss.

There's a silver lining, though.

"We feel like everything that happened to us is learnable, coachable and correctable," Adair said. The Badgers were victimized by two blocked punts that Kermit covered for touchdowns, as well as a 55-yard interception return and three other turnovers.

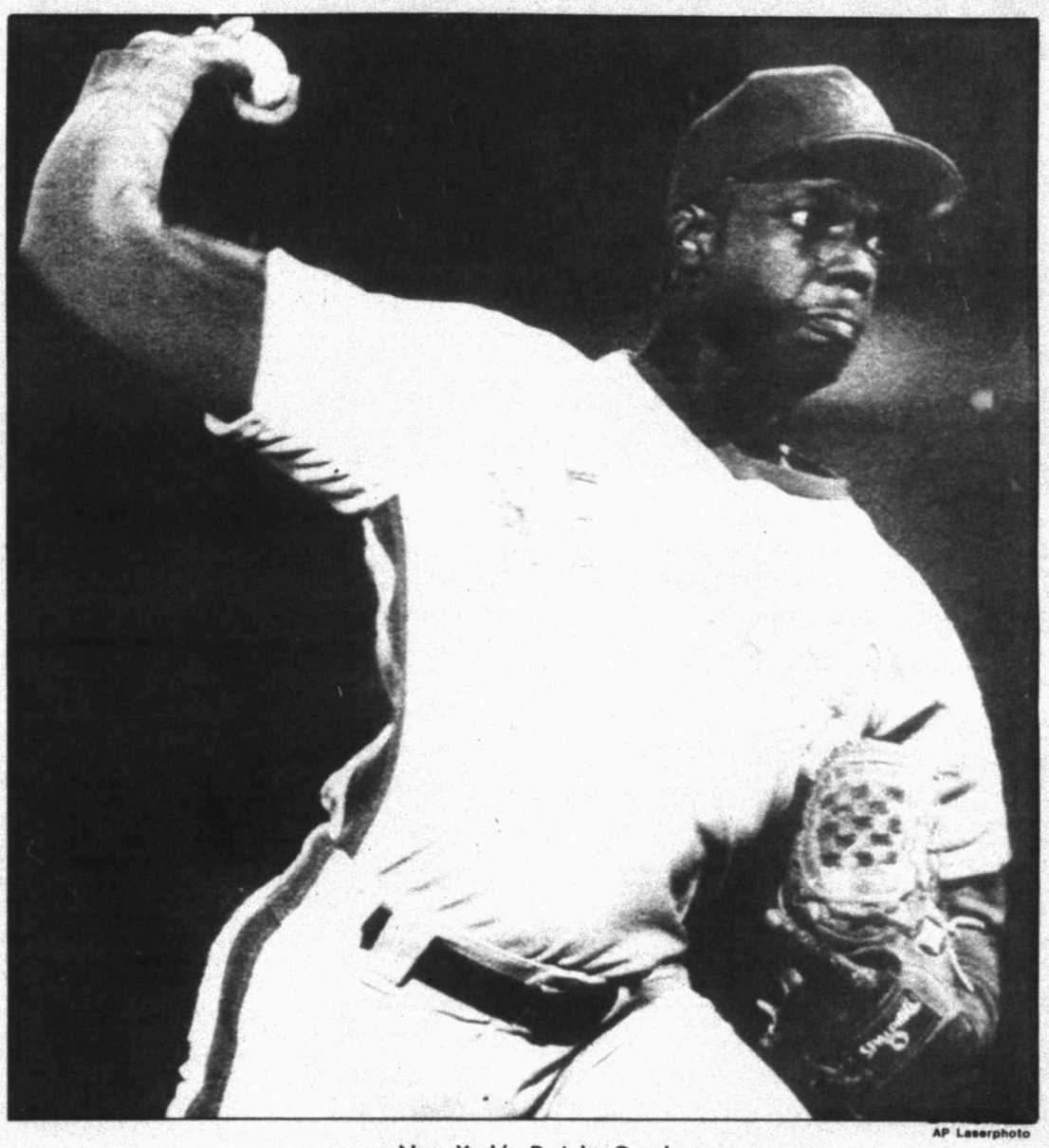
This week, the Badgers have to tussle with a big, talented team from Crane — still the District 3-4A favorites despite the loss to Reagan County.

"They are 10-15 pounds heavier than listed in their program," Adair said. "They're very big, very physical and very impressive."

And on top of that, McCamey's 280-pound nose tackle Ivan Barriga will miss the Crane game. Barriga was an all-district pick last season. Also, fullback-linebacker Manuel Martinez will miss the next two weeks with a knee injury that is not expected to require surgery.

Adair said the Badgers may have taken their high pre-season rating too seriously.

"We may have regarded ourselves too heavily," he said. "We need to quit reading the Harris Poll and *Texas Football* magazine and worry about McCamey.



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New York's Dwight Gooden
...one of few bright spots left for Mets

Walker steps for Georgia

IRVING (AP) — Herschel Walker will play football in his home state for the first since 1982 when the Dallas Cowboys meet the Atlanta Falcons at noon Sunday at Atlanta-Fulton County Stadium.

Waiting to greet Walker, the Cowboys' talented running back who lead the University of Georgia to a national championship in 1980, is the first home sellout the Falcons have had in two years.

When Walker skipped his senior year with the Georgia Bulldogs to join the USFL New Jersey Generals in February 1983, there was a public outcry throughout the state. Angry words were even spoken in the state legislature.

But all has been forgiven. Walker regularly visits his hometown during the off-season and made several public appearances in Atlanta.

'I'm received very well," Walker said. 'I was in Atlanta over the off-season and it felt great. They still remember my face. They did a lot of good things for me. A number of people come up to me on the street, wanting to talk to me."

How big is Walker in Georgia?

'I got some votes for governor," Walker said Wednesday, smiling.

The entire Walker family — six brothers and sisters and his parents, Willis and Christine — plus a good portion of Walker's hometown of Wrightsville will be in attendance.

'It'll be a good opportunity for my family to see me play (with the Cowboys)," said Walker, the 1982 Heisman Trophy winner. 'My parents have, but a lot of my brothers and sisters haven't seen me play live. My family doesn't get too emotional about things, but it'll be fun."

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Mets' Gooden gives pizzaz of reflected glory

By JOSEPH DURSO
New York Times News Service

PHILADELPHIA — In the debris of their disintegrating pennant race, the Mets had a moment of reflected glory Wednesday night: Dwight Gooden came out of the bullpen and pitched three scoreless innings against the Philadelphia Phillies in his first appearance since he tore a shoulder muscle 10 weeks ago.

The 24-year-old ace of the staff shook down the memories for the Mets as he delivered 45 pitches with pizzaz, struck out four batters, walked one and gave up two singles from the sixth through eighth innings.

The Mets even won the game, 10-4, making Bob Ojeda a winner for the seventh time in his last eight decisions.

But when all the emotions had run their course, the Mets had to cope with reality: The Cubs beat the Montreal Expos, 3-1, in Chicago, keeping the Mets five and a half games out of first place with only 17 to play.

Despite the dramatic return of the Doctor, the Mets had no illusions about the lateness of the hour or the slippage in the pennant race, especially after they took another tumble Tuesday night when Dickie Thon beat them by hitting a home run off Don Aase with one down in the ninth inning.

It was the 19th time this season the Mets had been beaten in the final turn at bat, and the eighth time by a home run.

Gooden watched it all Tuesday from the left-field bullpen, 330 feet from home plate. It was the first time he had been ready to pitch since July 1, when he suffered a torn muscle in the right shoulder.

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Rough start for Bulldogs' Corley

Last Friday night's turn of events surely wasn't appealing to followers of Midland High football.

The Bulldogs were trounced 33-6 in their season opener by Lubbock Monterey, a team that fell to Midland a year ago by a 34-0 count.



Price

Not exactly the way new Midland head coach Davis Corley hoped to begin his head coaching career. Corley replaced Doug McCutchen (1984-88 Midland head coach), who might have "gotten the heck out of Dodge while the gittin was good." when he took a similar position in Duncanville.

For a team that won its first district title in 37 years with a 4-5A tri-championship in 1988, this year's inauspicious start may seem like a step backwards for the Bulldogs. But those same followers also knew that a rebuilding year was coming. Midland returns but one defensive and three offensive starters from last year's 9-1 squad.

As Bob Brown, Monterey head coach, put it after his team went to 1-0 last week, "If Midland had the same kind of kids they had last year, Doug McCutchen would still be coaching there." Touche.

So now the question for MHS may be, how soon can the Bulldogs mature? Corley hopes it will be by 8 p.m. Friday, when the Purple Pack hosts Class 4A Andrews at Memorial Stadium. As defensive coordinator at Midland for the duration of McCutchen's stint, Corley's appointment as head coach has given the program a stabilizing air. Now Corley's job is to mold football players out of a bunch of kids that usually will be smaller and sometimes slower than the competition. No easy chore.

If nothing else, the Monterey game was an accurate indication of where the Purple Pack needs to improve. Monterey's defensive front controlled the line of scrimmage virtually the entire game as the Plainsmen linemen were constantly in the collective faces of Bulldog quarterbacks and running backs.

Midland netted 10 yards total offense in the first half and didn't gain a first down until the fourth period. Additionally, the 'Dogs had two of their first three punts against Monterey blocked and committed three turnovers.

Midland's defense may turn out to be its saving grace in the first few games. Even though the Dogs conceded a considerable size advantage to the Plainsmen, Monterey was held in check about as much as possible with the Bulldogs playing in the shadow of their own goal post for virtually the entire game.

The Bulldogs forced Monterey to kick four field goals in lieu of scoring touchdowns, and limited a potent offense to 183 net yards.

As is the case with most head coaches, Corley blamed himself after taking a big loss and said he didn't prepare his players well enough, especially in the kicking game. But he knows as well as anybody that the rebuilding at Midland is going to take more than the one official game he has had at the helm. The new coach in town was already taking steps to remedy what ailed MHS after last Friday.

The Bulldogs should win for the first time of the season on their own field this week as Corley is christened into the win column. But Andrews doesn't compare to the level of play in District 4-5A.

After all is said and done and November rolls around, this season may not compare to 1988. But even if Midland can't find that elusive key to the 4-5A strongbox this year, its time will again come and it won't be another 37 years in the coming. Davis Corley will see to that.

Bill Price is a sports writer for the Reporter-Telegram.

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Thursday's Question: Name the first San Pedro de Macoris resident to play in the major leagues.

Wednesday's Answer: The octet from San Pedro de Macoris in no particular order of excellence: Rafael Ramirez, Julio Franco, Alfredo Griffin, Rafael Santana, Jose Uribe, Nelson Norman, Mariano Duncan and Tony Fernandez.

Quotebook...

"For being booksmart, I thought he had a lot of street smarts. Which is tough to find sometimes." — St. Louis manager Whitey Herzog, on former baseball commissioner A. Bartlett Giamatti.

Baseball Today...

STATS

Eric Davis has hit 20 career home runs against San Francisco, including 16 at Candlestick Park.

SLUGGERS

Kent Hrbek has eight hits and nine RBIs in his last six games. He needs two home runs to join Harmon Killebrew, Tony Oliva and Bob Allison as the only Twins with 200 homers.

SLUMPS

Dave Righetti has blown nine save chances in 32 opportunities this season. ... Mark McGwire is in a 29-for-153 (.190) rut.

New commissioner already sounds like Giamatti

MILWAUKEE (AP) — It was Fay Vincent answering the questions, only it sounded like A. Bartlett Giamatti. That's just fine with the new commissioner of baseball.

Vincent, elected Wednesday to a 4½-year term as his late friend's successor, said he intends to follow the agenda and implement the policies of Giamatti, who died of a heart attack on Sept. 1.

"It's a chance to influence something very precious and special in American life," said Vincent, who had been the deputy commissioner. "I have an addiction to baseball."

Giamatti, the former Yale University president, had a national reputation as a baseball nut for many years. Most people hadn't even heard of Vincent until the last two weeks.

"Everybody wanted to get it resolved," American League president Bobby Brown said, "and we had somebody who fit the bill real well."

Vincent and Giamatti come from similar backgrounds: Yale degrees, friendships with President Bush, love of the English language.

While Giamatti had no business experience outside of Yale, Vincent ran Columbia Pictures Industries Inc. for nearly 10 years. While Giamatti was eloquent, Vincent is low-key and was somewhat shy in his few public appearances.

"I've worried about it, thought about that a lot," Vincent said. "I have a certain feeling, a sense of privacy, not because I want to be private, but because I enjoy my own time, doing what I enjoy doing. I recognize that one gives that up.

"On the other hand, I happen to believe that this is one of the greatest jobs in this country and I think one gives it up because one thinks progress can be made and good can be done. Perhaps I can contribute to moving this game, in the short frame in which I will be involved, to better circumstances. If I didn't think I could do it, I wouldn't take the job and because I think I can do it, I'll make that adjustment."

Vincent, 51, said he hadn't thought about whether he would want to remain past April 1, 1994, the day his term is to expire. He said that except for partial paralysis in his left leg, his health is good and that he has regular physicals. Although he does not smoke cigarettes, he does smoke cigars.

In his "stay the course" message, he said 'there's very likely to be a deputy commissioner" in his administration, but "I don't have any candidates in mind."

He was elected during a joint meeting of the two leagues, then spoke at a news conference, referring to Giamatti repeatedly and reverentially.

"I think about Bart a lot," he said, and his thoughts on the game are exactly the same as Giamatti's.

"I don't like the designated hitter. I don't like aluminum bats," Vincent said. "I do like grass. I do like baseball as you and I knew it growing up."

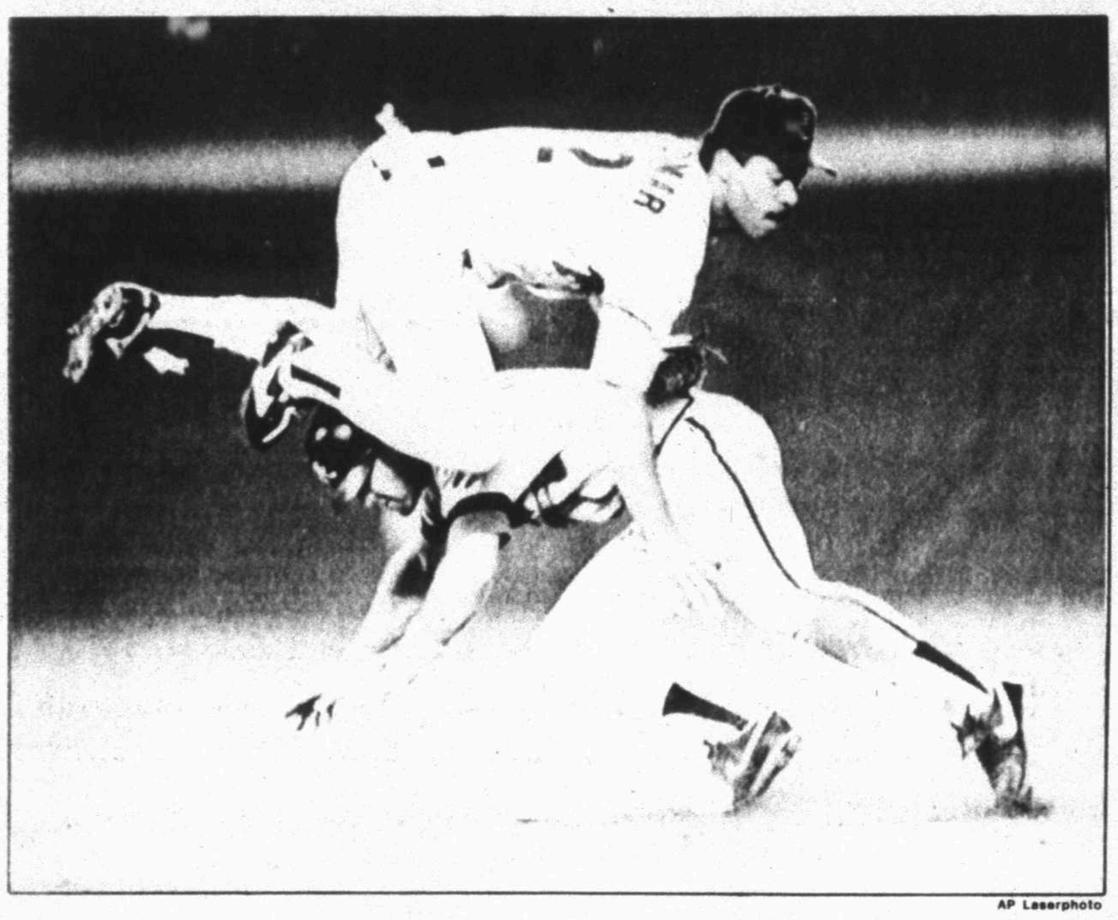
In his first hour as commissioner, he took a congratulatory telephone call from President Bush.

Vincent's answers to a range of questions were similiar to those of Giamatti, if somewhat less eloquent.

— On the expected application for reinstatement next summer by Pete Rose, baseball's career hit leader who was banned from the game by Giamatti for gambling: "That application, should it arise, will be dealt with in light of the circumstances at the time."

— On Giamatti's plan to announce a timetable for expansion of the National League by two teams within 90 days of a new collective-bargaining agreement: "I think that program is correct and we will stay that course."

— On the commissioner's role in collective bargaining: "I think I will do what Bart would have done," which is to work behind the scenes, away from the bargaining table.



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Atlanta Brave Jeff Treadway tries to break up a double play by taking out San Diego second baseman Roberto Alomar in the sixth inning of the Padres' 3-2 win Wednesday.

Santiago saves Padres

Associated Press

San Diego manager Jack McKeon said swing batter, and that's just what Benito Santiago did.

With pinch runner Joey Cora on first and none out in the eighth inning, Santiago missed two bunt attempts before hitting Dwayne Henry's fastball into the seats to give San Diego a 3-2 victory over Atlanta.

The Padres, who have won 17 of their last 20 games, remained five games behind first-place San Francisco in the National League West.

"I didn't do my job. I feel mad at myself because I didn't," Santiago said. "But they let me swing the bat, and the one I hit was down and in. I can't hit a strike. Pitch around me, and I hit better. Give me a strike and I don't hit it."

Garry Templeton led off the inning with a walk against Henry, 0-2. Cora ran for Templeton and Santiago hit the 0-2 pitch into the left-field seats for his 12th home run.

"I didn't put the pitch in the spot where I wanted it," Henry said. "He just lunged over the plate and got it. I'm learning the hard way."

Elsewhere in the NL it was San Francisco 8, Cincinnati 7 in 13 innings; Houston 3, Los Angeles 1; Chicago 3, Montreal 1, and New York 10, Philadelphia 4. Pittsburgh at St. Louis was rained out with no score in the sixth inning.

"I was telling Bruce Hurst in the dugout, 'How many times have you seen a guy mess up a bunt, and then hit one out?' " McKeon said. "The next pitch, there it went. I'm sure glad he didn't bunt it then."

Santiago has six of his 12 homers during the Padres' streak, including a grand slam, a three-run homer, and a pair of two-run shots.

After bickering with McKeon all season, Santiago has started 17 of the last 18 games.

"I get along great with Jack right now," said Santiago, often the target of trade rumors. "I tried to forget about everything in the past. I think about today and tomorrow. He changed, and I changed, too. That's the difference. If he helps me, I'll help him."

Astros 3, Dodgers 1

Orel Hershiser lost his fifth straight decision as Craig Biggio hit a tie-breaking double in the eighth inning for visiting Houston.

Mark Portugal, 5-1, allowed three hits in seven innings en route to his fifth straight victory. Danny Darwin pitched the final two innings for his sixth save, allowing one hit.

Portugal was lifted in the eighth for pinch-hitter Harry Spilman, who walked. Pinch-runner Eric Yelding took second on a sacrifice by Terry Puhl and scored when Biggio lined a double to right field.

Hershiser, 14-13, pitched eight innings and allowed six hits.

Giants 8, Reds 7

Brett Butler's run-scoring single with one out in the 13th inning capped a three-run rally as San Francisco beat Cincinnati at Candlestick Park.

Trailing 7-5, the Giants started the rally when Chris Speier was hit by a pitch from reliever Bob Sebra. Rookie Rosario Rodriguez relieved and walked Ernest Riles on four pitches. After a wild pitch moved the runners up, pinch-hitter Greg Litton doubled down the right-field line to tie the score.

Rodriguez, 1-1, walked Bob Brenly intentionally to face Butler, who sliced the game-winning single to left to score pinch-runner Jim Weaver.

Ernie Camacho, 2-0, pitched one inning for the victory.

Eric Davis, who had four hits and drove in four runs, tied the score 5-5 in the eighth with a three-run homer. It was his 32nd of the season.

Cubs 3, Expos 1

Scott Sanderson, making his first start since Aug. 18, allowed no runs in 5 ⅓ innings, and Chicago completed a three-game sweep against Montreal at Wrigley Field.

It was the first-place Cubs' fifth straight victory and dropped the fourth-place Expos seven games out in the NL East. Chicago has a five-game lead over St. Louis.

Sanderson allowed six hits, all singles, and struck out three to improve to 11-8. Les Lancaster finished for his seventh save, allowing three hits in 3 ⅔ innings.

Joe Girardi, Andre Dawson and Shawon Dunston had RBI singles for the Cubs.

Mets 10, Phillies 4

Dwight Gooden made his first appearance since July 1 and pitched three scoreless innings as New York beat Philadelphia at Veterans Stadium.

The third-place Mets, however, remained 5½ games behind Chicago in the East. New York has 17 games left.

A's, Royals heat up race

Associated Press

While their teams fight for the American League West title, Bret Saberhagen and Dave Stewart duel for the Cy Young Award.

Saberhagen got his 19th victory Wednesday night as the Kansas City Royals beat Texas 3-2. He pulled even with Stewart, who had lost a chance at his 20th win when Dennis Eckersley blew a ninth-inning lead in a game the Oakland Athletics eventually won 7-6 over Milwaukee.

Oakland stayed two games ahead of the Royals. Saberhagen figures he is ahead of Stewart in their matchup.

"So far, if I was a writer looking at things, I would say I would have to be the leader," Saberhagen said.

Saberhagen, 19-6, leads the league with a 2.41 earned-run average and his 11 complete games are most in the majors. He won the Cy Young in 1985.

Stewart, 19-9, has a 3.48 ERA and is tied with Saberhagen and Houston's Mike Scott for most victories in baseball. He was a 20-game winner each of the past two years, but lost in the Cy Young voting to Boston's Roger Clemens and Minnesota's Frank Viola.

Stewart, who got his 19th victory on Sept. 3, again failed to become the first pitcher to win 20 games in three straight years since Baltimore's Jim Palmer did it from 1975 through 1978.

Stewart left after seven innings with a 6-4 lead. Eckersley pitched a scoreless eighth, but Greg Vaughn's second two-run homer of the game tied it in the ninth.

Dave Henderson led off the bottom of the ninth with a home run and Eckersley got credit for the victory.

"I feel terrible," said Eckersley, 2-0. He blew his fourth save opportunity in 33 chances this season.

Stewart seemed undisturbed by the near-miss and no-decision.

"There's no doubt in my mind I'm going to win my 20th game, and I'm going to win some after that," he said.

"Eck's been there all year. He's bailed me out of I don't know how many games. The law of averages is that he's going to make a mistake every once in awhile and it's going to cost him. He's still the best in the league to me — the best."

Henderson's 12th home run of the year came against Chuck Crim, 9-6.

At Kansas City, Saberhagen pitched another complete game. He gave up two runs, one earned, on seven hits.

"Don't get me wrong, I'd like to have another Cy Young, but my objective is to get into the playoffs and the World Series," Saberhagen said.

"We knew Oakland had won, and I think the victory on the line had something to do with it," he said. "Each pitch and each hitter means a lot right now. You can't just throw your glove out there."

Frank White's first home run at Royals Stadium since Aug. 9, 1988, broke a 2-all tie in the seventh inning. He connected against Charlie Hough, 10-13.

"I'd just thrown one in the dirt, and I thought if I'd get it about helmet high, he might swing at a bad one," Hough said. "But I got it a little in. He didn't nail it or anything, but it wasn't the pitch I wanted."

Twins 3, Blue Jays 2

Rookie Kevin Tapani won his second major-league start and Kent Hrbek drove in two runs as Minnesota beat Toronto.

The Twins are 5-0 against Toronto in the Metrodome this season. The Blue Jays, who have lost three of five games, stayed two games ahead of Baltimore in the AL East.

Tapani, 2-0, gave up one run on six hits in 7⅔ innings. Jeff Reardon held on in the ninth for his 29th save.

Hrbek had an RBI single and run-scoring groundout against John Cerutti, 11-9. Hrbek has eight hits and nine RBIs in his last six games.

White Sox 3, Orioles 0

Rookie Greg Hibbard pitched four-hit ball for 8⅓ innings and Chicago won at Baltimore. The Orioles lost for the fourth time in six games.

Hibbard, 5-7, won on his 25th birthday. Bobby Thigpen finished with hitless relief for his 30th save.

Rookie Dave Johnson, 4-5, allowed 10 hits in his fourth complete game.

The game was delayed by rain for 49 minutes in the fourth inning. Orioles manager Frank Robinson put the game under protest in the fifth because of the wet field and was ejected later in the inning after taking off his hat and bowing at the umpires.

Mariners 7, Red Sox 4

Jay Buhner and Alvin Davis each homered as Seattle completed its first sweep against Boston and sent the Red Sox to their eighth straight loss.

The Mariners won all three games at the Kingdome. Boston's losing streak is its longest since 1984.

Jerry Reed, 6-6, pitched 1⅓ innings for the victory. Mike Schooler got two outs for his 29th save.

Mike Boddicker, 12-11, gave up six runs on nine hits in 5⅓ innings.

Buhner's two-run homer, his ninth, capped a four-run first inning. Davis hit his 19th home run, a solo shot, in the fifth for a 6-4 lead.

Angels 4, Yankees 3

Wally Joyner beat New York for the second straight night, singling home the winning run with two outs in the 10th inning as California won its fifth straight game.

The Angels stayed four games behind Oakland in the AL West. The Yankees lost their fourth in a row following a nine-game winning streak.

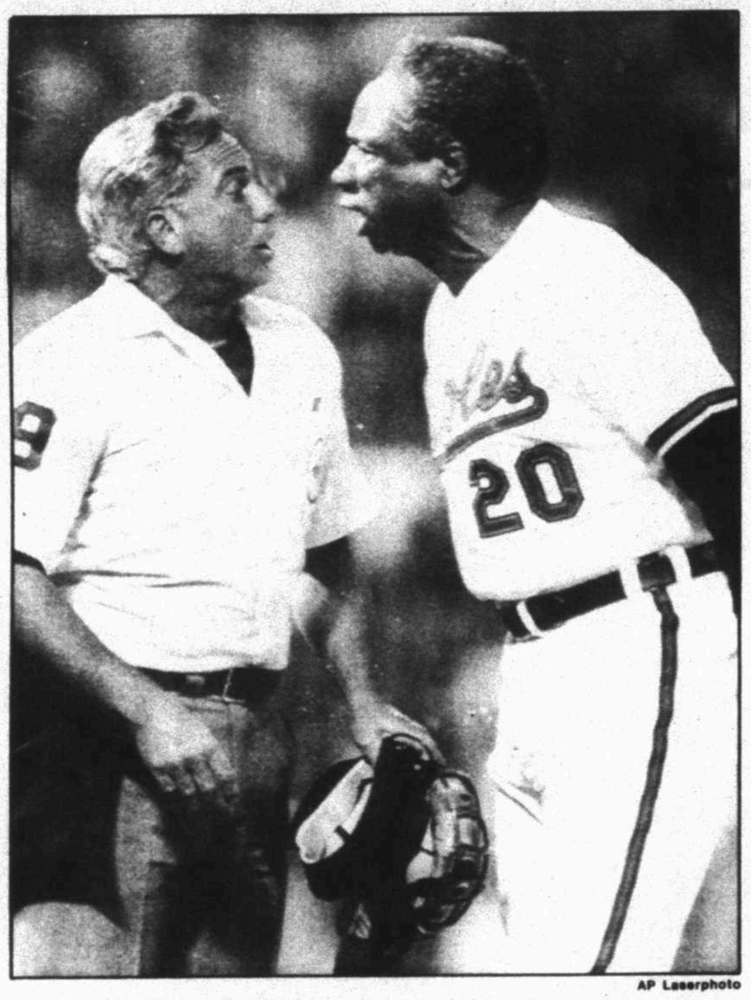
Dave Righetti, 2-6, relieved to start the Angels' ninth with a 3-2 lead, but Brian Downing hit the second pitch for his 13th home run. Righetti blew his ninth save chance in 32 tries.

With one out in the 10th, Devon White reached second base on shortstop Alvaro Espinoza's error. White moved to third on a groundout by Chili Davis and Joyner followed with a single off Righetti. On Tuesday night, Joyner's RBI single with two outs in the ninth gave the Angels a 7-6 victory.

Tigers 3, Indians 1

Jack Morris pitched a five-hitter and won his third straight start as Detroit beat the Cleveland for its ninth victory in 11 games.

Morris, 6-11, struck out six and walked two in his eighth complete game. He is 3-1 against the Indians this season and 25-8 in his career.



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Manager Frank Robinson was ejected from Wednesday's game after arguing with umpire Rich Garcia in Baltimore's 3-0 loss.

National League

AL Roundup

Texas Farm Bureau pushes Ryan for ag commissioner

WACO (AP) — Disgruntled with Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower, the Texas Farm Bureau said Wednesday it has approached Texas Rangers pitcher Nolan Ryan about seeking the statewide post.

"We think Mr. Ryan is a very credible candidate," said Joe Maley, director of public affairs for the Farm Bureau. "We think he'd make a very good commissioner."

While the bureau is not endorsing Ryan at this point, Maley said everything he has heard about the 42-year-old strikeout king has been "very, very positive."

Ryan, baseball's all-time leader in strikeouts, met with Farm Bureau officials in Arlington last week about the possibility of running for agriculture commissioner.

"I met with them last week and am giving the matter some thought," Ryan said in a statement issued Wednesday. "However, the discussions at this point have been strictly preliminary, and I do not have any other comment on the matter at this time."

The Waco-based agriculture group has been critical of Hightower, particularly his efforts to sell hormone-free beef to Europe. Representing more than 334,000 families, the bureau is the state's largest farmers organization.

Maley said the Farm Bureau wants a commissioner who "represents the interests of Texas agriculture."

By that, Maley said, he means farmers need an advocate in the post. "We do not feel agriculture has had an advocate (in Hightower)."

Ryan, a cattle rancher in Alvin, said he could mount a race while pitching another season for the Rangers. If he runs, Ryan told the Houston Post, it probably would be as a Republican.

Rangers owner George W. Bush, who considered but ultimately rejected seeking the Republican gubernatorial nomination next year, said he hopes whatever Ryan decides it includes pitching at least one more season.

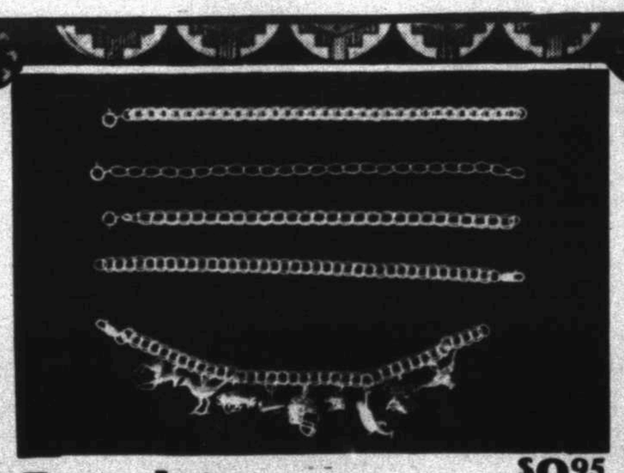
"I think Nolan could do anything he wants. He'd be a great candidate once he finishes pitching," said Bush, the president's eldest son.

Ryan has never sought public office. His wife, Ruth, said he never even ran for Student Council in high school "because he was too busy with sports, and it's been the same way ever since."

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Sports Scoreboard

AL Boxes

Royals 3, Rangers 2

TEXAS	ab	r	h	bi	KANSAS CITY	ab	r	h	bi
Daghrty lf	3	0	0	0	Seitzer 3b	4	0	2	0
Espy cf	1	0	0	0	WWilsn cf	4	0	0	0
Pimero 1b	3	0	1	0	Brett 1b	4	0	1	0
Baines dh	4	0	1	0	BJackson lf	3	1	0	0
Palmer pr	0	0	0	0	Eisnch rf	3	0	1	0
Sierra rf	4	1	1	0	Tritabll dh	2	1	0	0
Franco 2b	4	0	0	0	Stillwell ss	3	0	1	1
Buechel 3b	3	0	1	0	FWhite 2b	3	1	2	2
RLeach ph	1	0	0	0	Boone c	3	0	1	0
MStanly c	3	0	1	1					
Petralli ph	1	0	0	0					
JGonzlz cf	3	1	1	0					
Manrig ss	3	0	1	0					
Totals	33	2	7	1	Totals	29	3	8	3

Texas 010 010 000—2
Kansas City 020 000 10x—3

E-Saberhagen. DP-Tex 2, KC 1. LOB-Tex 5, KC 4. 2B-Sierra, Gonzalez. 3B-Seitzer. HR-White (2). SB-Eisenreich (25), Seitzer.

Texas	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Hough L,10-13	8	8	3	3	2	2
Kansas City	**IP**	**H**	**R**	**ER**	**BB**	**SO**
Sabrhgn W,19-6	9	7	2	1	1	7

WP-Hough, Saberhagen. T-2:23. A-20,011.

Athletics 7, Brewers 6

MILWAUKEE	ab	r	h	bi	OAKLAND	ab	r	h	bi
Felder 2b	5	0	1	0	RHdsn lf	5	1	2	0
Spiers ss	4	0	1	0	Lansfrd 3b	4	1	2	1
Molitor 3b	4	1	2	0	Gallego 2b	1	0	0	0
Yount cf	4	1	1	0	Canseco rf	4	2	1	0
Brock dh	4	1	1	1	DParkr dh	4	1	2	2
Deer rf	4	0	0	0	DHdsn cf	5	1	1	1
Surhoff c	4	1	2	1	Steinbch c	3	1	1	0
Vaughn lf	4	2	2	4	McGwir 1b	4	0	1	0
Canale 1b	4	0	0	0	Phillips 2b	3	0	3	1
					Weiss ss	4	0	0	0
Totals	37	6	10	6	Totals	37	7	13	5

Milwaukee 020 002 002—6
Oakland 104 100 001—7

None out when winning run scored.

E-Spiers. DP-Milw 1. LOB-Milw 4, Oak 10. 2B-Brock, Molitor, RHenderson, Yount. 3B-Canseco. HR-Vaughn 2 (5), DHenderson (12). SB-Lansford (31).

Milwaukee	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Filer	2	4	3	3	1	0
Krueger	2-3	2	2	2	1	1
Peterek	2 1-3	3	1	1	0	0
Crim L,9-6	3	4	1	1	1	2
Oakland	**IP**	**H**	**R**	**ER**	**BB**	**SO**
Stewart	7	8	4	4	0	3
Eckersley W,2-0	2	2	2	2	0	1

WP-Krueger 2. T-2:58. A-21,426.

Angels 4, Yankees 3

NEWYORK	ab	r	h	bi	CALIFORNIA	ab	r	h	bi
Sax 2b	5	1	1	0	Wantn rf	5	0	2	0
Polonia dh	5	1	2	0	DWhite cf	5	1	0	0
Mingly 1b	4	0	1	1	CDavis lf	5	1	1	0
MHall lf	3	0	1	1	Joyner 1b	4	0	1	1
Barfield rf	3	0	0	0	Dwnng dh	4	1	2	2
Velarde 3b	3	1	2	0	Ray 2b	4	1	3	0
Kelly cf	3	0	0	0	Rose 2b	0	0	0	0
Geren c	4	0	1	0	Parrish c	3	0	1	0
Espnoz ss	4	0	0	0	McLmr pr	0	0	0	0
					Orton c	0	0	0	0
					Howell 3b	4	0	1	1
					KAndrs ss	2	0	0	0
					Armas ph	1	0	0	0
					Hoffmn ss	1	0	0	0
Totals	34	3	7	2	Totals	38	4	11	4

New York 210 000 000 0-3
California 100 000 101 1-4

Two outs when winning run scored.

E-Howell, Sax, Espinoza. DP-NY 2, Cal 1. LOB-NY 5, Cal 7. 2B-Davis, Downing, Ray. HR-Downing (13). S-Kelly, Orton. SF-Hall.

New York	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Cadaret	6 1-3	8	2	2	1	3
McCullers	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Guterman	1 1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Righetti L,2-6	1 2-3	3	2	1	0	2
California	**IP**	**H**	**R**	**ER**	**BB**	**SO**
Blyleven	7	7	3	3	0	3
Minton W,3-3	3	0	0	0	2	3

WP-Blyleven. T-2:56. A-30,670.

Twins 3, Jays 2

TORONTO	ab	r	h	bi	MINNESOTA	ab	r	h	bi
Moseby cf	5	0	0	0	Newmn 2b	4	0	1	0
MWilsn rf	5	1	2	0	Gladden lf	4	0	2	0
GBell lf	4	0	1	1	Puckett cf	3	0	0	0
McGriff 1b	3	0	2	0	Harper c	4	2	2	0
Whitt c	3	0	0	0	Larkin dh	3	1	3	0
Borders c	1	0	0	0	Hrbek 1b	4	0	1	2
Fernndz ss	3	1	1	1	CCastill rf	3	0	0	0
Gruber 3b	3	0	1	0	Moses rf	1	0	0	0
Mazzilli dh	3	0	0	0	Gagne ss	3	0	0	0
Liriano 2b	4	0	1	0	Jorgnsn 3b	3	0	0	0
Totals	34	2	8	2	Totals	32	3	9	2

Toronto 000 001 001-2
Minnesota 010 200 00x-3

E-Moseby. DP-Minn 1. LOB-Tor 9, Minn 7. 2B-Harper 2, McGriff, Gladden, GBell, Larkin. HR-Fernandez (9). SB-Fernandez (18).

Toronto	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Cerutti L,11-9	6 2-3	6	3	2	0	1
Acker	1 1-3	1	0	0	1	0
Minnesota	**IP**	**H**	**R**	**ER**	**BB**	**SO**
Tapani W,2-0	7 2-3	6	1	1	3	4
Wayne	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Reardon S,29	1	2	1	1	1	0

WP-Acker. T-2:24. A-14,903.

Chisox 3, Orioles 0

CHICAGO	ab	r	h	bi	BALTIMORE	ab	r	h	bi
LJohnsn lf	5	2	3	0	PBradly lf	4	0	1	0
Fletchr 2b	5	0	3	0	Orsulak rf	3	0	0	0
Caldern dh	5	0	0	0	CRipkn ss	4	0	0	0
Fisk c	4	0	1	0	Tettletn dh	4	0	1	0
Lyons rf	3	1	1	1	Millign 1b	3	0	1	0
CMrtnz 1b	4	0	0	0	Wthgtn 3b	3	0	0	0
Gallghr rf	0	0	0	0	SFinley ph	1	0	0	0
Ventura 3b	4	0	2	1	Deverex cf	4	0	0	0
Sosa cf	4	0	0	0	Melvin c	3	0	1	0
Guillen ss	4	0	0	0	BRipkn 2b	1	0	0	0
					Hulett 2b	1	0	0	0
Totals	38	3	10	2	Totals	31	0	4	0

Chicago 001 110 000-3
Baltimore 000 000 000-0

E-Devereaux, Fisk, CMartinez. LOB-Chicago 9, Baltimore 7. 2B-Ventura 2, Tettleton, LJohnson. 3B-Fletcher. S-BRipken.

Chicago	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Hibbard W,5-7	8 1-3	4	0	0	2	4
Thigpen S,30	2-3	0	0	0	0	1
Baltimore	**IP**	**H**	**R**	**ER**	**BB**	**SO**
DJohnsn L,4-5	9	10	3	2	1	0

T-2:46. A-16,484.

Mariners 7, Red Sox 4

BOSTON	ab	r	h	bi	SEATTLE	ab	r	h	bi
Boggs 3b	3	1	1	1	Reynlds 2b	5	1	3	1
Barrett 2b	5	1	1	0	Briley lf	5	1	0	1
Horn dh	2	0	0	0	ADavis 1b	4	2	2	2
Rivera dh	2	0	0	0	Leonrd dh	5	0	0	0
Greenwl lf	5	0	4	1	Griffey cf	3	0	1	1
Heep 1b	2	0	1	1	Bohner rf	4	1	3	2
Quintan 1b	1	0	0	0	SBradley c	2	0	0	0
Kutcher cf	5	0	0	0	Valle c	1	0	0	0
Reed ss	2	0	0	0	Coles 3b	4	2	2	0
Romine rf	4	1	2	0	Vizquel ss	4	0	2	0
Marzano c	3	1	1	1					
Stone ph	1	0	0	0					
Gedman c	0	0	0	0					
Totals	35	4	10	4	Totals	37	7	13	7

Boston 000 130 000-4
Seattle 410 010 01x-7

DP-Seattle 2. LOB-Boston 11, Seattle 10. 2B-Reynolds, Coles, Heep, Romine, Marzano, Bohner, Griffey. HR-Bohner (9), ADavis (19). SB-Griffey (16). SF- Griffey.

Boston	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Boddicker L,12-11	5 1-3	9	6	6	2	4
Murphy	1 2-3	1	0	0	0	1
LSmith	1	3	1	1	1	1
Seattle	**IP**	**H**	**R**	**ER**	**BB**	**SO**
Zavaras	4 2-3	6	4	4	2	2
Comstock	0	1	0	0	0	0
JeReed W,6-6	1 1-3	1	0	0	3	0
Powell	1-3	1	0	0	0	0
MJackson	1 2-3	0	0	0	2	1
Schooler S,29	1	1	0	0	0	0

Comstock pitched to 1 batter in the 5th.

T-3:02. A-9,837.

Tigers 3, Indians 1

DETROIT	ab	r	h	bi	CLEVELAND	ab	r	h	bi
Pettis cf	5	2	2	0	Browne 2b	4	0	0	1
Bergmn 1b	5	0	1	0	James lf	4	0	0	0
Whitakr 2b	2	0	2	1	Carter cf	3	0	0	0
Lynn lf	4	0	2	1	POBrin 1b	4	0	2	0
Nokes dh	3	0	0	0	Jacoby 3b	3	0	0	0
GWard dh	1	0	0	0	DClark dh	4	0	1	0
Lusader rf	3	0	0	0	Snyder rf	4	1	1	0
KWilms rf	1	0	0	0	Skinner c	2	0	1	0
Heath c	4	0	1	0	Allred ph	1	0	0	0
Strange 3b	4	0	2	0	Magrann c	0	0	0	0
Brumly ss	4	1	1	0	Fermin ss	2	0	0	0
					MiYong ph	1	0	0	0
					Aquayo ss	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	3	11	2	Totals	32	1	5	1

Detroit 102 000 000-3
Cleveland 000 010 000-1

E-Skinner. LOB-Detroit 11, Cleveland 6. SB-Pettis (37), Whitaker (8), Strange (3). S-Whitaker. SF-Lynn.

Detroit	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
JMorris W,6-11	9	5	1	1	2	6
Cleveland	**IP**	**H**	**R**	**ER**	**BB**	**SO**
Candiotti L,12-9	6 2-3	9	3	2	2	3
Kaiser	0	0	0	0	1	0
Olin	1 1-3	1	0	0	0	2
Orosco	1	1	0	0	0	1

Kaiser pitched to 1 batter in the 7th. WP-Morris 2. PB-Skinner 2. T-2:35. A-5,068.

Baseball Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Toronto	80	66	.548	—	6-4	Lost 2	40-32	40-34
Baltimore	79	69	.534	2	z-5-5	Lost 2	42-31	37-38
Milwaukee	74	73	.503	6½	6-4	Lost 1	40-32	34-41
Boston	70	76	.479	10	1-9	Lost 8	38-33	32-43
New York	67	80	.456	13½	z-6-4	Lost 4	37-36	30-44
Cleveland	66	79	.455	13½	3-7	Lost 1	36-37	30-42
Detroit	56	91	.381	24½	z-8-2	Won 1	37-38	19-53
West Division								
	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Oakland	88	57	.607	—	z-7-3	Won 1	49-25	39-32
Kansas City	86	60	.586	3	z-6-4	Won 3	52-21	33-39
California	84	61	.579	4	6-4	Won 5	50-25	34-36
Texas	73	71	.507	14½	z-4-6	Lost 2	40-34	33-37
Minnesota	73	72	.503	15	z-5-5	Won 2	41-29	32-43
Seattle	64	81	.441	24	z-4-6	Won 3	36-39	28-42
Chicago	61	84	.421	27	z-4-6	Won 2	30-40	31-44

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Chicago	83	63	.568	—	z-7-3	Won 5	43-31	40-32
St. Louis	77	67	.535	5	z-4-6	Lost 4	41-31	36-36
New York	77	68	.531	5½	5-5	Won 1	48-27	29-41
Montreal	76	70	.521	7	3-7	Lost 4	41-32	35-38
Pittsburgh	65	79	.451	17	z-7-3	Won 4	31-36	34-43
Philadelphia	59	86	.407	23½	5-5	Lost 1	33-40	26-46
West Division								
	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
San Francisco	84	62	.575	—	z-6-4	Won 1	46-25	38-37
San Diego	79	67	.541	5	z-6-2	Won 3	43-31	36-36
Houston	77	69	.527	7	5-5	Won 1	43-33	34-36
Cincinnati	70	76	.479	14	4-6	Lost 3	37-38	33-38
Los Angeles	69	77	.473	15	z-5-5	Lost 1	37-34	32-43
Atlanta	57	89	.390	27	2-8	Lost 1	30-42	27-47

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

Wednesday's Games

Oakland 7, Milwaukee 6
Seattle 7, Boston 4
Detroit 3, Cleveland 1
Minnesota 3, Toronto 2
Kansas City 3, Texas 2
Chicago 3, Baltimore 0
California 4, New York 3, 10 innings

Thursday's Games

Toronto (Flanagan 8-9) at Minnesota (Guthrie 1-1), 12:15 p.m.
Detroit (Ritz 4-3) at Cleveland (Nichols 3-4), 6:35 p.m.
Texas (Jeffcoat 7-5) at Kansas City (Gordon 16-7), 7:35 p.m.
Only games scheduled

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Wednesday's Games

Chicago 3, Montreal 1
New York 10, Philadelphia 4
Pittsburgh 0, St. Louis 0, tie, 5½ innings, rain
San Diego 3, Atlanta 2
Houston 3, Los Angeles 1
San Francisco 8, Cincinnati 7, 13 innings

Thursday's Games

Pittsburgh (J.Robinson 8-11) at St. Louis (Tewksbury 0-0), 12:35 p.m.
Houston (Scott 19-8) at Los Angeles (Wetteland 4-7), 3:05 p.m.
Cincinnati (Leary 8-13) at San Francisco (LaCoss 7-10), 3:05 p.m.
Atlanta (Glavine 13-8) at San Diego (Whitson 16-10), 9:05 p.m.
Only games scheduled

No. 1 vs. No. 2

No. 1 vs. No. 2
By The Associated Press

Meetings between the No. 1 and No. 2 ranked teams in the Associated Press' college football poll. The No. 1 team has won 15 times, the No. 2 team has won 7 times and two games ended in ties (in the case of Jan. 1 Bowl games, the year indicates the regular season):

1988—No. 1 Notre Dame 27, No. 2 Southern Cal 10
1987—No. 2 Miami, Fla. 20, No. 1 Oklahoma 14, Orange Bowl
1987—No. 2 Oklahoma 17, No. 1 Nebraska 7
1986—No. 2 Penn State 14, No. 1 Miami, Fla. 10, Fiesta Bowl
1986—No. 2 Miami, Fla. 28, No. 1 Oklahoma 16
1985—No. 1 Iowa 12, No. 2 Michigan 10
1982—No. 2 Penn State 27, No. 1 Georgia 23, Sugar Bowl
1981—No. 1 Southern Cal 26, No. 2 Oklahoma 24
1978—No. 2 Alabama 14, No. 1 Penn State 7, Sugar Bowl
1971—No. 1 Nebraska 38, No. 2 Alabama 6, Orange Bowl
1971—No. 1 Nebraska 35, No. 2 Oklahoma 31
1969—No. 1 Texas 15, No. 2 Arkansas 14
1968—No. 1 Ohio State 27, No. 2 Southern Cal 16, Rose Bowl
1968—No. 1 Purdue 37, No. 2 Notre Dame 22
1966—No. 1 Notre Dame 10, No. 2 Michigan State 10, tie
1963—No. 1 Texas 28, No. 2 Navy 6, Cotton Bowl
1963—No. 2 Texas 28, No. 1 Oklahoma 7
1962—No. 1 Southern Cal 42, No. 2 Wisconsin 37, Rose Bowl
1946—No. 1 Army 0, No. 2 Notre Dame 0, tie
1945—No. 1 Army 32, No. 2 Navy 13
1945—No. 1 Army 48, No. 2 Notre Dame 0
1944—No. 1 Army 23, No. 2 Navy 7
1943—No. 1 Notre Dame 35, No. 2 Michigan 12
1943—No. 1 Notre Dame 14, No. 2 Iowa Pre-Flight 13

Harrah's Odds

RENO, Nev. (AP) — This week's odds for upcoming National Football League games and college football games involving teams in the Associated Press' Top 25:

NFL
Sunday

New England 6½ over Miami
New Orleans 4½ over Green Bay
Atlanta 2 over Dallas
Washington 2½ over Philadelphia
Cleveland 7 over New York Jets
Kansas City 2 over Los Angeles Raiders
Cincinnati 10 over Pittsburgh
San Francisco 7½ over Tampa Bay
New York Giants 10½ over Detroit
Seattle 7 over Phoenix
Los Angeles Rams 6 over Indianapolis
Chicago vs Minnesota, pick
Houston 3½ over San Diego
Monday
Buffalo 6½ over Denver

College

1. Notre Dame 1 under No. 2 Michigan
2. Michigan 1 over No. 1 Notre Dame
3. Miami, Fla., 28 over California
4. Nebraska 30 over Utah
5. Auburn 16½ over Southern Mississippi
6. Oklahoma 7½ over Arizona
7. Clemson 11 over Virginia Tech
8. Colorado 5½ over No. 10 Illinois
9. Arkansas 13½ over Tulsa
10. Illinois 5½ under No. 8 Colorado
11. Syracuse 15½ over Army
12. West Virginia 8 over South Carolina
13. Southern Cal vs Utah State, no line
14. Pittsburgh is idle
15. Washington 21 over Purdue
16. Alabama 19 over Memphis State
17. Tennessee 8 over Duke
18. Houston is idle
19. N. Carolina State 8 over Wake Forest
20. UCLA 20½ over San Diego State
21. LSU vs Florida State, pick
22. Texas A&M 11½ over Texas Christian
23. Washington State 10 over Oregon, State
24. Iowa 3 over Oregon
25. Mississippi State is idle

NHL

NHL Preseason Schedule
By The Associated Press
Friday, Sept. 15

St. Louis vs. Winnipeg at Saskatoon, Saskatchewan
Hartford at Pittsburgh
Los Angeles at Quebec
Montreal at Detroit
Saturday, Sept. 16
St. Louis vs. Winnipeg at Grand Forks, N.D.
Pittsburgh at Hartford
Toronto at Edmonton
N.Y. Islanders at Philadelphia
Los Angeles vs. N.Y. Rangers at Cincinnati
Detroit vs. Minnesota at Kalamazoo, Mich.
New Jersey vs. Buffalo at Rochester, N.Y.
Montreal at Quebec
Sunday, Sept. 17
St. Louis at Chicago
Winnipeg at Edmonton
N.Y. Rangers at N.Y. Islanders
Minnesota at Detroit
Hartford at Buffalo
Boston vs. Quebec at Halifax, Nova Scotia

Transactions

Wednesday's Transactions
By The Associated Press

BASEBALL

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL—Elected Fay Vincent commissioner through April 1, 1994.

American League

MINNESOTA TWINS—Activated Gary Gaetti, third baseman, from the 15-day disabled list.

BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association

INDIANA PACERS—Signed LaSalle Thompson, forward-center, to a multiyear contract extension.

LOS ANGELES CLIPPERS—Named Todd Person strength and conditioning coach.

MINNESOTA TIMBERWOLVES—Signed Tony Campbell, guard, to a four-year contract; Conner Henry, guard, to a two-year contract; and Donald Royal, forward, to a one-year contract.

SEATTLE SUPERSONICS—Signed Mike Champion, forward, to a one-year contract.

FOOTBALL

National Football League

GREEN BAY PACKERS—Signed Jerry Boyarsky, nose tackle.

KANSAS CITY CHIEFS—Signed Pete Mandley, wide receiver, to a one-year contract.

NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS—Resigned David Douglas, offensive lineman.

PHOENIX CARDINALS—Placed Lonnie Young, safety, on injured reserve. Signed Karl Wilson, defensive end.

SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS—Signed Corris Ervin, cornerback, and Jerry Leggett, linebacker, to its developmental squad.

COLLEGE

ALABAMA—Named Cecil Ingram athletic director.

ARMY—Named Gary Winton, women's head softball coach; Duane Goldman, assistant wrestling coach; Rick Krouse and Wayne Durrigan, assistant track and field coaches; Ed Denny, assistant swimming coach; and Joe Del Balso, assistant sports information director.

CALIFORNIA, PA.—Named Chris Kennedy part-time assistant wrestling coach.

DREXEL—Named Don Maines head baseball coach and Walter Fuller men's assistant basketball coach.

EDINBORO—Named Tim Brueggman men's and women's tennis coach and assistant men's basketball coach; Ed Stults offensive line coach; Tim Verge men's assistant swimming coach; and Terry Kennedy and Sean O'Day assistant wrestling coaches.

FAIRLEIGH DICKINSON—Named John Scheinman assistant men's basketball coach, and Doug Goulding, tennis coach.

KUTZTOWN—Announced the resignation of Carol Teske, associate athletic director.

MARIST—Announced that Reggie Chambers, basketball guard, has withdrawn from school.

NEW MEXICO STATE—Named Doug Hoselton women's basketball coach and Cedric Hurt women's assistant basketball coach.

Leaders

Money Leaders
By The Associated Press
TENNIS
Women
Through Sept. 10
WITA Money Leaders

1, Steffi Graf, $1,338,905. 2, Martina Navratilova, $768,964. 3, Gabriela Sabatini, $489,301. 4, Arantxa Sanchez, $470,348. 5, Zina Garrison, $381,278. 6, Helena Sukova, $325,029. 7, Jana Novotna, $296,896. 8, Chris Evert, $231,683. 9, Natalia Zvereva, $193,033. 10, Mary Joe Fernandez, $186,455.

Men
Through Sept.10
ATP Money Leaders

1, Boris Becker, $1,183,478. 2, Ivan Lendl, $1,096,660. 3, Stefan Edberg, $712,672. 4, John McEnroe, $602,156. 5, Brad Gilbert, $460,081. 6, Michael Chang, $420,402. 7, Alberto Mancini, $399,246. 8, Miloslav Mecir, $315,929. 9, Andre Agassi, $300,506. 10, Tim Mayotte, $295,896.

AUTO RACING
NASCAR
Through Sept. 10
Money

1, Rusty Wallace, $987,665. 2, Darrell Waltrip, $980,645. 3, Dale Earnhardt, $740,275. 4, Ken Schrader, $686,140. 5, Terry Labonte, $539,282. 6, Bill Elliott, $521,447. 7, Davey Allison, $504,384. 8, Mark Martin, $434,468. 9, Geoff Bodine, $418,155. 10, Morgan Shepherd, $415,827.

CART
Through Sept. 10
Money

1, Emerson Fittipaldi, $1,634,526. 2, Al Unser Jr., $812,061. 3, Rick Mears, $778,244. 4, Michael Andretti, $678,903. 5, Raul Boesel, $598,841. 6, Teo Fabi, $559,608. 7, Mario Andretti, $551,654. 8, Scott Pruett, $547,318. 9, Danny Sullivan, $505,994. 10, Bobby Rahal, $494,104.

BOWLING
Men
Through Aug. 17

1, Mike Aulby, $262,215. 2, Dal Ballard, Jr., $186,260. 3, Amleto Monacelli, $142,215. 4, Pete Weber, $131,278. 5, Brian Voss, $101,230. 6, Dave Ferraro, $101,172. 7, Jess Stayrook, $100,006. 8, Tony Westlake, $93,450. 9, Randy Pederson, $87,225. 10, Jim Pencak, $86,833.

Women
Through Aug. 18

1, Robin Romeo, $85,495. 2, Leanne Barrette, $41,220. 3, Lisa Wagner, $38,515. 4, Cheryl Daniels, $36,485. 5, Aleta Sill, $32,300. 6, Nikki Gianulias, $28,920. 7, Michelle Mullen, $28,467. 8, Jeanne Maiden, $27,675. 9, Tish Johnson, $21,382. 10, Carol Gianotti, $20,965.

NL Boxes

Astros 3, Dodgers 1

HOUSTON	ab	r	h	bi	LOS ANGELS	ab	r	h	bi
Puhl cf	3	0	1	0	Griffin ss	4	0	0	1
Biggio c	3	1	1	1	Rndlph 2b	3	0	0	0
Bass lf	4	0	2	0	Murray 1b	4	0	0	0
GDavis 1b	3	0	0	0	Marshal rf	3	0	1	0
GWilson rf	3	0	0	0	Hamltn 3b	4	0	2	0
Young cf	1	0	1	1	LHarris lf	4	0	0	0
Caminit 3b	4	1	1	1	Shelby cf	3	1	0	0
CRnlds 2b	3	0	0	0	Scioscia c	2	0	0	0
Ramirz ss	4	0	0	0	Hershsr p	2	0	1	0
Portugal p	2	0	0	0	Hartley p	0	0	0	0
Spilmn ph	0	0	0	0					
Yelding pr	0	1	0	0					
Darwin p	1	0	0	0					
Totals	31	3	6	3	Totals	29	1	4	1

Houston 010 000 020—3
Los Angeles 000 010 000—1

DP—Hou 1, LOB—Hou 6, LA 6. 2B—Biggio, Hamilton. HR— Caminiti (9). S—Hershiser, Puhl.

Houston	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Portugal W,5-1	7	3	1	1	4	4
Darwin S,6	2	1	0	0	0	2
Los Angeles						
Hershsr L,14-13	8	6	3	3	4	5
Hartley	1	0	0	0	0	0

T—2:46. A—21,715.

Giants 8, Reds 7

CINCINNATI	ab	r	h	bi	SAN FRAN	ab	r	h	bi
Winghm lf	7	2	2	1	Butler cf	6	2	3	1
Quinons 3b	5	1	1	0	RThmp 2b	6	1	1	3
EDavis cf	5	2	4	4	WClark 1b	6	0	1	0
ONeill rf	5	1	0	0	KMitchl lf	5	1	1	0
Bnzngr 1b	5	0	0	0	MWlms 3b	5	0	1	2
Oliver c	1	0	0	0	Kennedy c	3	0	1	0
JReed c	3	0	0	0	Speier ss	1	0	1	0
Duncan ss	5	0	1	1	Oberkfl ph	0	1	0	0
Oester 2b	5	1	3	0	Sheridn rf	3	0	1	0
Roomes pr	0	0	0	0	Mdndo rf	2	0	0	0
Roesler p	0	0	0	0	Riles ph	0	1	0	0
Larkin ph	0	0	0	0	Uribe ss	2	1	0	0
Sebra p	0	0	0	0	Bathe c	1	0	0	0
Rodriguz p	0	0	0	0	Bedrosn p	0	0	0	0
Scudder p	0	0	0	0	DNixon ph	1	0	0	0
Sabo ph	1	0	0	0	McCmnt p	0	0	0	0
Brwnng pr	0	0	0	0	Camach p	0	0	0	0
Mahler p	0	0	0	0	Litton ph	1	0	1	2
Collins ph	1	0	0	0	Weaver pr	0	1	0	0
Charlton p	0	0	0	0	DRobsn p	0	0	0	0
Griffey ph	1	0	0	0	Brantley p	0	0	0	0
Franco p	0	0	0	0	TWilson p	2	0	0	0
Rchdsn ss	2	0	0	0	Lefferts p	0	0

Cowboys' Cobb wants thinking to turn into hitting

By MARK WANGRIN
New York Times News Service

IRVING — Garry Cobb spent Sunday watching — more than he felt he should have.

The injured Dallas Cowboy linebacker's teammates, meanwhile, spent Sunday thinking — more than he felt they should have.

Cobb watched his teammates think about all that was going wrong defensively in their 28-0 loss at New Orleans, which was plenty.

"Once a play breaks down a guy starts thinking, 'Was it me or was it another guy?'" Cobb said. "Everybody wasn't disciplined in that, 'I just have got to do my job. My job is to cover this gap now and then go to the football.' That's basically what it is.

"You can't get to a point where you're not in your gap (to cover for a teammate) and then all of a sudden you're the breakdown. I think that was what was happening Sunday. There was too much doubt. You have to believe in yourself and you have to believe in the guys next to you."

Sunday against Atlanta, Cobb wants to be one of those guys. Before Wednesday's workout he said he was "95 percent" sure he'd be able to play at strongside linebacker when the Cowboys visit Fulton County Stadium for a noon kickoff.

After practicing at Texas Stadium because the morning downpour made the Valley Ranch grass fields too slick, Coach Jimmy Johnson said Cobb's mobility isn't back to normal but he hasn't decided who will start. "Cobb is a good player when he's 100 percent," Johnson said. "We've got to see if he's 100 percent."

"Everything comes down to what the trainers and doctors say," Cobb said, "but I'm ready to go. We definitely need a shot in the arm."

Cobb's return should give stability to a unit that needs it. Busted assignments and missed tackles contributed heavily to the Saints' ability to control the ball for nearly three quarters of the game and to giving up 190 yards rushing, the third highest total for the weekend's 14 games.

Third-year pro Ron Burton started the opener at strongside linebacker, making three tackles. Jack Del Rio, acquired on waivers two weeks ago, also had three tackles in a relief role and would have figured prominently this week if not for a bruised calf that will keep him out for at least one week and might ticket him for the injured reserve list.

With Cobb back, Burton has been practicing at middle linebacker, where he started his Cowboys career before being moved outside to replace the injured Jeff Rohrer last season.

Cobb's left knee began giving him problems during minicamp in the spring and he had surgery early in the preseason to remove cartilage. He had hoped to be ready for the Saints, but his knee swelled up at midweek.

Last season Cobb was the Cowboys' most productive linebacker. Signed in late August after Philadelphia released him following three years with the Eagles, Cobb won the weakside linebacking job and had 104 tackles and 7½ sacks, a team high.

NOTES — Defensive tackle **Danny Noonan** (pulled groin) did not practice. ' 'We told him he has to be the judge of whether we rest him and let him heal or if he's ready to play," Johnson said. **Dean Hamel** would start alongside **Willie L ee Broughton** at the tackles if Noonan can't play. Fullback **Broderick Sargent** (ankle) is not at full speed and is listed as questionable.

Fullback **Curtis Stewart**, who signed with Chicago out of Auburn in 1988 and was waived in the preseason this year, was added to the Cowboys' developmental squad. **Tim Jackson**, a defensive back from Nebraska, was cut for the second time this year to make room for Stewart.

Owner **Jerry Jones** said Tuesday he would like to negotiate a contract extension for Herschel Walker, who's in the fourth year of a guaranteed five- year, $5 million deal. Walker said he'll leave the negotiations to agents **Ralph Cindrich** and **Peter Johnson** but said he likes the idea. "No matter what happe ns with my life I'd like to finish my career in Dallas," Walker said. "Even if they may not have confidence in me to carry the ball it makes me feel like they have confidence in me doing something."

Johnson said trade talks have stalled for unsigned quarterback **Steve Pelluer**. "The interest we had initially is not as strong, so we're back to square one," he said. "Every time I think of that square, I think of how we had a deal done (with Atlanta) and they (Pelluer) turned it done. They put themselves on that square." This week the Saints and Falcons all but killed any dealings for Pelluer, sources said.

Dallas Cowboy Notes

Oilers lack secondary experience

Starting two players with only five games under belt

By REGGIE ROBERTS
New York Times News Service

HOUSTON — When the Houston Oilers play the San Diego Chargers on the West Coast on Sunday, they will start two players in the secondary that have five games of NFL experience between them.

That's not a good way to begin the second week of the NFL season, considering what happened the first week. For those who have forgotten, Houston was throttled by the Minnesota Vikings 38-7, and the Oilers secondary, with three veterans and one rookie, played poorly.

Against Minnesota, rookie strong safety Bubba McDowell started his first regular-season game. This week free safety Tracey Eaton, who has played in four regular-season games, probably will join McDowell in the starting lineup against Jim McMahon and the Chargers.

Eaton, who played his college ball at NCAA Division II Portland State, has been forced into action because starting free safety Jeff Donaldson severely sprained his ankle against Minnesota. Donaldson is listed as questionable for Sunday. Eaton played some last week.

"You always get a sick feeling when one of your best players goes down, but in this business you've got to go without him," Houston Coach Jerry Glanville said. "The thing I liked about him (Eaton) Sunday was that he tried as hard as anybody out there. He's a good kid who just needs playing time."

Eaton will start his first NFL game against one of the better quarterbacks in the league. McMahon was traded from Chicago to San Diego during the preseason, and Chargers Coach Dan Henning says his new quarterback is adjusting to his new offensive scheme nicely.

The injury-prone McMahon turned in poor numbers against the Los Angeles Raiders, 40-14 winners over San Diego last Sunday. The former Super Bowl quarterback completed seven of 18 passes for 91 yards before being replaced by David Archer in the third quarter.

NOTES — Glanville said the Oilers will play better Sunday because he and his coaching staff will do a better job of preparation. "We didn't play good in a lot of places Sunday," he said. "I wouldn't want to point fingers at the offensive line, the linebackers or the secondary because we just don't have that many fingers. The bottom line is that we've got one finger, and we have to point it at ourselves. I'm going to do a better job this week, and if everybody takes that attitude, we'll be 47 times better, and we'll win."

Injuries are still plaguing the Oilers. Center Jay Pennison has perhaps the worst problem for Sunday with a sprained ankle. Pennison, listed as doubtful, will be replaced by George Yarno. Should Pennison miss Sunday's game, it would be the first time the fourth-year player from Nicholls State has missed a game since his junior year in college. ... On the bright side, nose tackle Doug Smith has made excellent progress, according to Oilers trainers and team physicians, and might see some playing time Sunday.

Giants' running back seeks place in history

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — His place on the New York Giants and his career, for that matter, have been in Jeopardy for three years, so in the category of "Football for $1,000," the answer is:

He's the NFL's oldest starting running back, its 10th all-time leading rusher and the league's seventh-leading runner one week into this season.

If you answered, "Who is Ottis Anderson?" congratulate yourself.

Anderson, who wll be 32 in November, is just beginning to pay benefits for the Giants, who acquired him more than than three years ago from the then-St. Louis Cardinals as insurance if Joe Morris got hurt before the Super Bowl.

Anderson did a lot of watching from the sidelines and sweating out final cuts in preseason, until, this year, when Morris broke a foot in the final exhibition game.

Anderson isn't watching anymore, and he's doing a different kind of sweating as the Giants' No. 1 running back.

His biggest day in three years — 23 carries for 93 yards and a 14-yard touchdown — came Monday night against the Washington Redskins.

"It was definitely fun and different," Anderson said Wednesday before the team's first practice since its 27-24 victory over Washington. "I hadn't done it since 1984, so there were a lot of questions that I needed to answer for myself."

West Texas Sports

Football...

University of Texas football film review with Texas coach James Blackwood every Tuesday following a UT game through Dec. 5 at 11:30 a.m. at Goodnight's Lounge in Midland Hilton. Lunch $7...

Midland Lee Booster Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Lee Youth Center to review film of the LHS-Del Rio Game...

The Midland A&M Club is sponsoring a bus trip Oct. 7 for the A&M vs. Texas Tech football game. The price is $45 per person (includes ticket to game, barb-que following game and bus transportation). Entry deadline is Sept. 15. Call Steve Burke at 697-4872...

Basketball...

The Tall City Girls Basketball Tournament, Dec. 1-2 at Midland College's Chaparral Center, is seeking another high school team to round out its bracket. Interested coaches should contact Midland High girls' basketball coach Jane Young (689-1133), or the Midland athletic office (689-1196)...

Tennis...

The Southwest Oilman's Tennis Tournament will be Sept. 21-23 at Midland Country Club, the Racquet Club and the Midlander. Doubles only. Entry fee $150. For more information, call Win Farquhar 682-3753 or Dick Sevier at 683-6047.

Golf...

Martin County CC couples select-shot tournament, Sept. 16-17. Cost is $80 per team. Contact Ike at 756-2556...

Two Lady scramble at Andrews Country Club, Sept. 23-24. Cost is $70 per team and includes a meal. For more information call 523-2461...

Hogan Park Men's Golf Association will conduct its Two-Man Target Points Tournament Sept. 30 with a 12:30 p.m. tee time. A maximum six-stroke difference in team members handicaps is allowed. Entry fees are $10 for members, $15 for non-members. For more information, call 685-7360...

Skiing...

The Flatlanders Ski Club has organized a trip to Laax/Flims, Switzerland for Jan. 26 to Feb. 3, 1989. Cost for roundtrip airfare from Midland to Zurich, ground transfers, seven nights lodging and seven buffet breakfasts is $995. Call Will Green at 683-2141...

Soccer...

Referee Clinic Sept 18-19, 21 and Sept. 25-26, 28 at the Community Room, second floor of the NCNB Building. Time 7 p.m. Persons completing the clinic will be eligible for certification by the United States Soccer Federation. Clinic Fee $15. Certification $22. For more information, call Ray Chapa at 688-8844 or 699-2431...

Junior Referee Clinic at 7 p.m. Sept 20 for people under 13 years old at NCNB Community Room. Free for those interested in officiating at Under 6, Under 8 and Under 10 matches. Call Ray Chapa at 688-8844 or 699-2431...

YMCA...

YMCA **Youth Flag Football** takes registrations are ongoing. For boys and girls, kindergarten through sixth grade. A nine-game season begins on Oct. 10. Call 699-0142...

Central YMCA offers **Adult Coed Fall Volleyball League** Sept. 21. Four divisions and 10 teams per division. Fee $165 per team. Call 682-2551...

Northeast YMCA will hold a **Men's Volleyball League** starting Sept. 18. Games will be on Monday and Wednesday nights. Team fee $150. For more information, call Brent Finlay at 682-2551 or John Singleton at 682-8469...

Teen Steam Aerobics at Alamo Y Sept. 18 through Oct. 18 on Monday and Wednesdays from 4 to 5 p.m. Call 694-2528...

Fast Photo Raquetball Tournament is Oct. 6-8 at the Town West YMCA, 1012 E. Andrews Hwy. Entry forms available at Town West. Entry deadline is 5 p.m. at Oct. 4...

The Town West YMCA is now forming a **Junior Racquetball** team for beginning and advanced players. Team meets at 6 p.m. Thursdays. Free for first six weeks. Bring racquet, can of balls and eyeguards...

The Town West YMCA is offering a free **Racquetball Clinic** every Monday at 7 p.m. — beginning and advanced. Open to members and non-members...

Running..

Marathon Training Program for White Rock Marathon in December. Call 689-0646, 684-5531 or 682-2551...

Clovis, N.M., Allsup's Road Races Oct. 28 half-marathon, 10-kilometer, 5-kilometer and one mile. Call (505) 769-2311, ext. 103...

Volleyball...

Third Annual Odessa Invitational Co-Rec Volleyball Tournament will begin at 8 a.m. Sept. 23 at the Girls Club of Odessa, 900 S. Grant. Entry fee $60. Three men and three women must be on each team. Entry deadline Sept. 21. Call Felix Robles at 334-2151 or 362-9800...

Bowling...

A **bowling clinic** for children aged 6-up will be held at Busby's Bowling Lanes in Odessa on Saturdays from 1 to 3 p.m. beginning Sept. 16. Entry deadline Sept. 15. Call 362-6964...

Fishing...

The Kiwanis Club of Ruidoso, N.M., will host a fishing tournament Sept. 16-17 from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. Entry fee both days $15. Open to public except for Kiwanis Club members and their families. Entry forms can be sent to Kiwanis Fishing Tournament, 1009 Mechem Drive #3, Ruidoso, N.M., 88345 or Box 1107, Ruidoso, N.M., 88345...

Softball...

Hispanic Softball tournament, Sept. 23-24. Deadline Sept. 21, 8 p.m. Hidalgo and Washington parks. Entry fee $90 (no checks). Two non-Hispanics allowed per team. Contact Henry, 682-1714 or Tony 683-4385...

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P205/75R15	81.79
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Irish paranoia sets in for Michigan battle

By MALCOLM MORAN
New York Times News Service

Considering the normal sense of paranoia that seems to come with the job of coaching college football at the highest level, and the low public expectations that became a weekly feature of Notre Dame's perfect season in 1988, Lou Holtz's outlook going into the first serious threat to the Irish this season is a predictable one.

This is a coach who early last November was worried about two Rices (Tony, his quarterback, and the Rice Owls, the overmatched opponent).

You can imagine his concern about what could happen this Saturday afternoon at Michigan Stadium, with its six-figure crowd in maize and blue, and a Wolverine team that has been ranked second in the nation in the Associated Press poll of reporters and broadcasters.

"I definitely wish we didn't play Michigan this early in the season," Holtz said. "I wish we didn't play Michigan this early in my career."

He has been a head coach, somewhere, since 1969. His last stop as an assistant before his first job at the College of William and Mary was a one-year post at Ohio State, where assistants learned the fear of Woody Hayes as a consequence of a bad afternoon in Ann Arbor.

So Holtz emphasizes a Michigan running game that overpowered what he had considered an outstanding Southern California defense last January.

Holtz discusses a Wolverine defense that he says successfully prevents opposing offenses from making big plays. He talks about a group that has had 12 months to chew on a 19-17 Notre Dame victory last year that was not decided until Mike Gillette of the Wolverines missed a field-goal attempt at the final gun.

He remembers a Michigan team that "almost beat us last year, or could have beaten us, or should have beaten us."

No. 2, on the road, in the big house.

Holtz does not emphasize the fact that the same poll has ranked the Irish No. 1.

"This is the beginning of the season," he said. "At the beginning of the season, rankings mean nothing."

And while Holtz does not choose to emphasize the positives, he does not deny them. Rice, whose throwing ability was questioned by Holtz up to the Fiesta Bowl victory, has become a more confident passer and an outstanding decision-maker on the option game.

He completed 7 of 11 passes for 147 yards against Virginia, and gained 70 yards in 8 rushes.

AP TOP 25

For the week ending Sept. 9, 1989

School and record	Points
1. Notre Dame 1-0-0 *(37)*	1,463
2. Michigan, 0-0-0 *(15)*	1,440
3. Miami, Fla., 1-0-0 *(5)*	1,360
4. Nebraska 1-0-0 *(3)*	1,303
5. Auburn 1-0-0	1,249
6. Oklahoma 2-0-0	1,121
7. Clemson 2-0-0	1,073
8. Colorado 2-0-0	1,065
9. Arkansas 0-0-0	1,035
10. Illinois 1-0-0	953
11. Syracuse 1-0-0	900
12. West Virginia 2-0-0	713
13. Southern Cal., 0-1-0	647
14. Pittsburgh 2-0-0	598
15. Washington 1-0-0	514
16. Alabama 0-0-0	508
17. Tennessee 2-0-0	492
18. Houston 1-0-0	470
19. N. Carolina St., 2-0-0	394
20. UCLA, 0-1-0	365
21. LSU, 0-1-0	310
22. Texas A&M 1-1-0	168
23. Washington St., 2-0-0	157
24. Iowa 0-0-0	135
25. Mississippi St., 2-0-0	120

( ) = Number of first place votes AP

Gators face 'death' ban

By MARLON MANUEL
Cox News Service

ATLANTA — The NCAA's "death penalty" automatically would terminate the University of Florida basketball program for two years if coaches paid players or committed other major violations, as a federal pretrial motion alleges, according to the NCAA director of enforcement.

"The death penalty automatically applies when major violations are processed within five years of the starting date of a major penalty," David Berst said Wednesday.

A pretrial motion filed Tuesday in U.S. District Court in Tallahassee, Fla., said Florida head basketball coach Norm Sloan, associate head basketball coach Monte Towe and Gator athletic boosters gave thousands of dollars to players, including former Florida guard Vernon Maxwell.

SLOAN WAS out of town on a fishing trip, but released a statement through the university's sports information office: "The allegations against me and my staff are totally untrue. This is exactly the same statement I made before the grand jury. Unfortunately, it wasn't carried in the recent news coverage of grand jury testimony."

The Florida football program was hit with two years of NCAA sanctions in 1985 for recruiting violations. The Gators made no television appearances and could not appear in bowl games. The NCAA also limited the number of Florida's football scholarships.

However, Berst said, the committee on infractions can impose any penalty it thinks is appropriate in any case, including the equivalent of the death penalty — which would shut down the program for one season.

"All you need is one major violation to impose very severe sanctions," Berst said.

The defense motion, filed on behalf of four south Florida sports agents charged with defrauding the University of Florida, the Internal Revenue Service and others, asked the U.S. District Court to dismiss a 21-count, 94-page indictment. Gerald Gratenstein, Greg Latimer, John Kasbar and Glenn Haft — all officers in Professional Athlete's Advisors Inc. of Hollywood, Fla., — are charged with conspiracy, racketeering, mail fraud and wire fraud. The government also says they signed and paid players before their college eligibility expired, also an NCAA violation.

The motion, which relies extensively on the grand jury testimony of Maxwell, other former Gators, and federal drug investigators, contends that since the players received money, they should have been declared ineligible by Florida. Hence, no fraud could have resulted and the indictment is faulty.

OTHER EXCERPTS from the motion that allege potential NCAA rules violations:

— Current basketball player Stacey Poole, a freshman who missed last season with an injury, received money from Sloan or Towe, according to speculation by Maxwell.

— Former football player Ronald Moten was promised $3,000 for the season tickets he would have received for playing at Florida. Upon signing, he received $1,000 from an unidentified coach.

— Former football player Clifford Charlton, now with the Cleveland Browns, received "around $500" from former Gator linebacker coach Ty Smith, who sold Charlton's season tickets to fans.

— Besides Sloan and Towe, Gator alumni also gave Maxwell money while he was still in college.

Coaches cry before Hog-Tulsa matchup

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. (AP) — Arkansas Coach Ken Hatfield went the other direction from Tulsa Coach David Rader. For balance, Hatfield said. Truthfully, he probably would have taken that approach anyway.

The question — who has the advantage, Arkansas which has seen Tulsa play for two weeks or Tulsa, which has played two games, but has no line on the Razorbacks?

"What did he say," Hatfield said Wednesday during a telephone hookup.

Told that Rader put the onus on Arkansas, he wanted to know why.

Because Arkansas knows what Tulsa is going to do and how the Hurricane is going to line up.

"OK, I guess then, since he said that, I'll say I've got the advantage just to keep it nice and even," Hatfield said Wednesday. "But there's no doubt, if you got him at a time when he knew it wouldn't be quoted before a ball game, I think anybody would rather say they'd rather have two games under their belt rather than opening up.

"I think there's a decided advantage as evidenced by a lot of teams who opened up the first week and played better football the second week," Hatfield said. "Our advantage, hopefully, is that we've been able to see a lot of other teams open up the season and, if we've been able to learn from some of the mistakes they've made, maybe we'll be a better team."

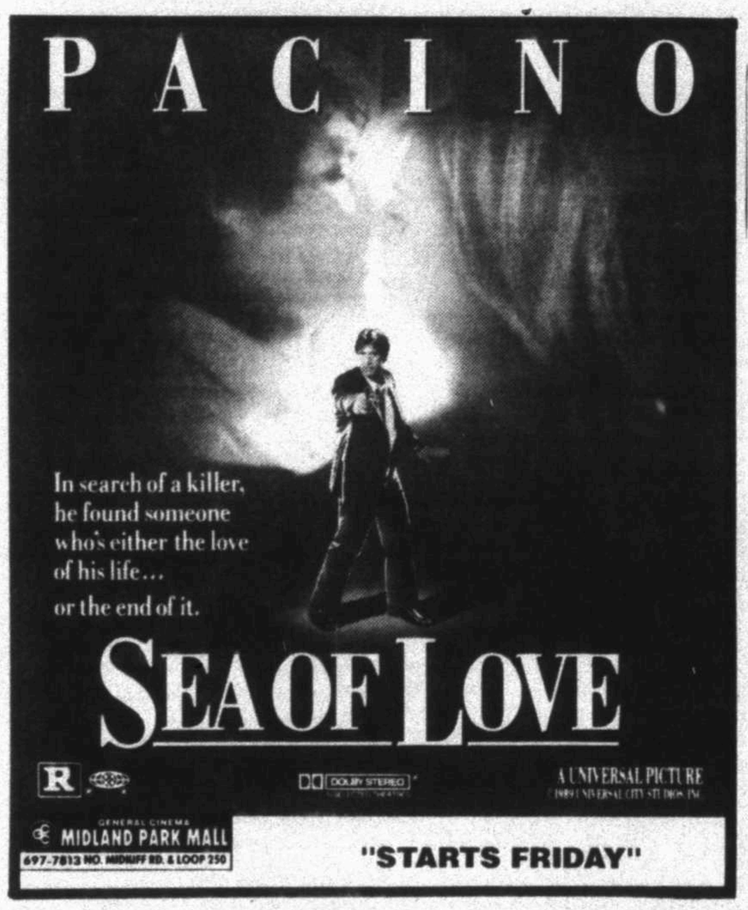
Rader admitted that both teams have an advantage, but settled on Arkansas.

"They've had the opportunity to see us twice and they know exactly what we're doing, where we line up and all that," Rader said. "They have changed defensive coordinator and offensive coordinator."

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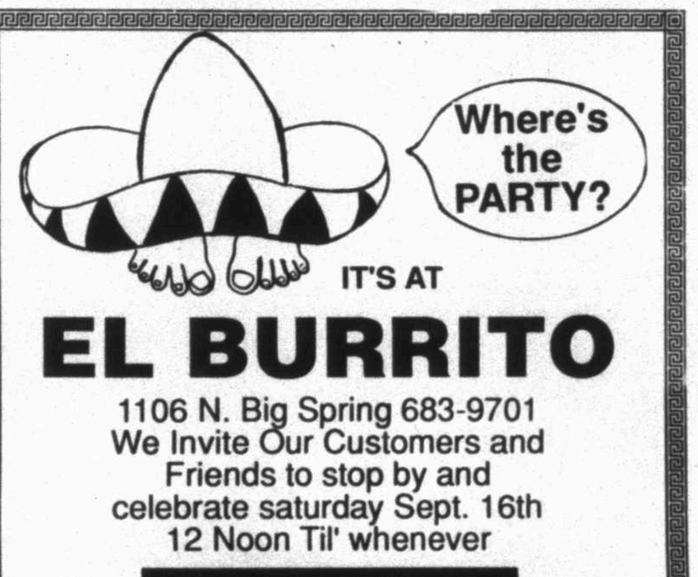
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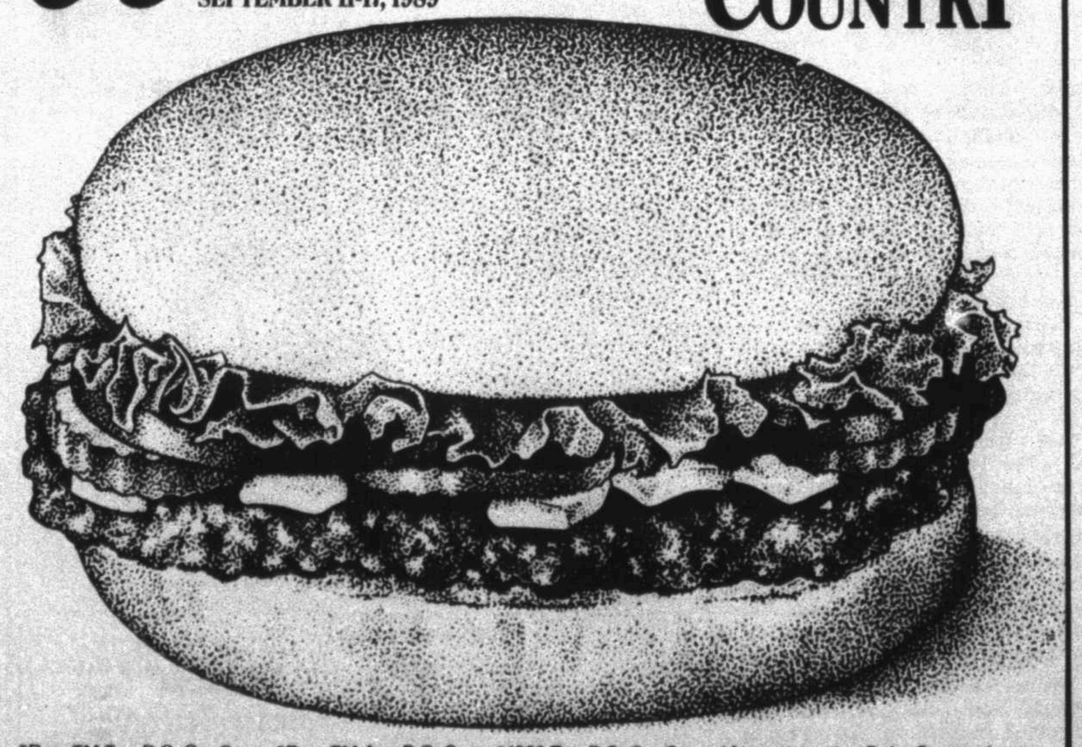


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CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: actor Jackie Cooper, mystery queen Agatha Christie, Opry star Roy Acuff, President William Howard Taft.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Seek quiet surroundings and you will accomplish more. Do not ignore the undercurrents in your professional or personal life. Sharpen your communication skills. You find a clever way out of a social jam!

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): A better day for granting favors than seeking them. Secret business negotiations work in your favor now. Parent-child discussions are productive. A spur-of-the-moment romantic encounter enjoys favorable influences.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Mistakes are not forever. Stop looking back and get on with your life. Studying seems to agree with you. Take a more realistic approach when dealing with members of the opposite sex.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Good luck comes with exams and job interviews. Move with the times but shun speculative financial ventures. Technological changes boost your earning power. A new romantic partner gives you moral support.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Select your goals more carefully and you soon will be a big winner. Success is linked to new relationships. Phone a faraway relative. Let family members know that cooperation is a two-way street.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Inconsistent behavior could make others think you are two-faced. Be diplomatic when you set the record straight or you could lose someone's respect. Buy that new outfit you have wanted for so long.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Channel your energies into disciplined work and you will realize improved profits and opportunites. A damaged relationship can be salvaged if you move quickly. Loved ones share some terrific news!

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Your insights into other people's motives help you arrive at an important decision. Your finances improve, and so does romance. Take full advantage of creative inspiration. Showcase your talents.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): The best-laid plans could go awry today. Don't worry — exciting new possibilities open up. Make an all-out effort to promote yourself to those in authority.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Others are counting on you. Do not let them down! A patient explanation will help you get your point across to loved ones. Give in to those romantic feelings and share your innermost thoughts.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Pay more attention to details; overlooked mistakes could cost you a bundle. Family talks are favored if you are straightforward. Expressing your affection openly may calm a tense loved one.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Squelch an urge to gossip. You have a tendency to jump to conclusions before you have all the facts. Partner offers valuable advice. A visit from a long-lost friend sends your spirits soaring.

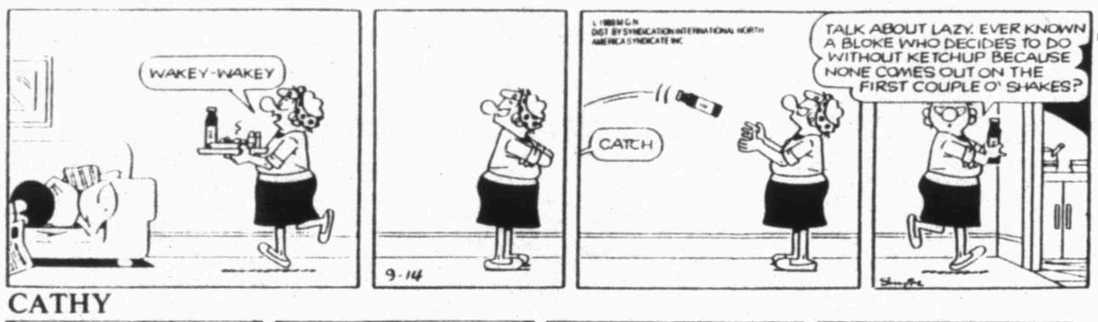
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♡ K 10 9
◇ 8
♣ J 9 7 3

WEST
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♡ 6 4 3
◇ K J 7 6 3
♣ 2

EAST
♠ 8 3
♡ A Q J 5
◇ A Q 10 9 4
♣ 6 4

SOUTH
♠ Q 9
♡ 8 7 2
◇ 5 2
♣ A K Q 10 8 5

The bidding:

North	East	South	West
1 ♠	2 ◇	3 ♣	4 ◇
5 ♣	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: Six of ◇

If there is anything we fear more than a person who proudly claims to "play by the seat of the pants," it is one who claims to go "by the book." The first is likely to be a player with more imagination than is healthy; the latter, one with no imagination at all.

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West led his fourth-best diamond. East won and, with the threat of the spade suit staring her in the face, cashed the ace of hearts before trying to take a second diamond. Making five-odd—a "book" result, since West had made the textbook opening lead of fourth-best in her partner's suit.

However, a rather more imaginative defender would have defeated the contract. With five-card support for partner's suit, West should have realized that two rounds of diamonds were not going to live—indeed, even the first diamond might not survive. It might be vital for West to direct the defense, but she had no entry.

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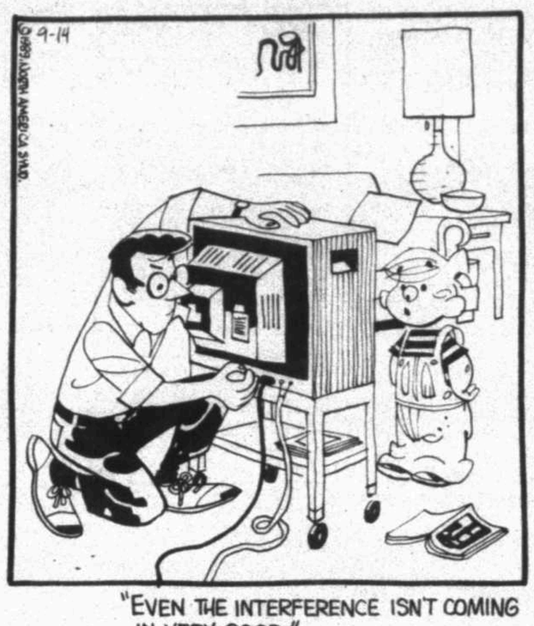
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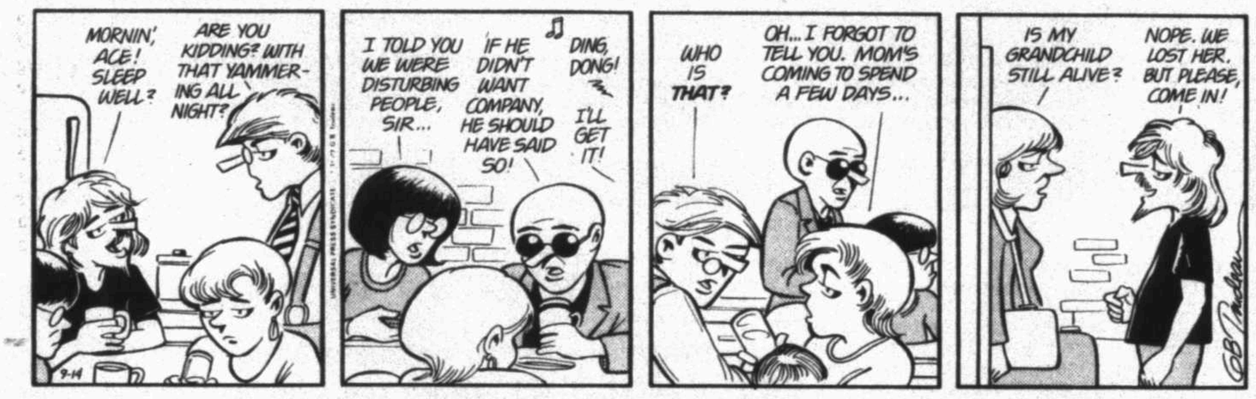
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Miss Louisiana sweeps swimsuit stakes; Miss Oklahoma wins talent competition

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. (AP) — Miss Louisiana gave in to a craving for chocolate chip cookies after winning the swimsuit contest on the second night of preliminary competition for the Miss America Pageant.

Miss Oklahoma won the talent portion Wednesday night with a rendition of "Since I Fell For You," which she listened to as a child with her mother.

Miss Louisiana Stacy King, a green-eyed 5-foot-5 blonde who weighs 105 pounds, wore a white swimsuit with spaghetti straps at the shoulders.



Miss Oklahoma Tamara Marler, left, and Miss Louisiana Stacy King

To stay in shape, Miss King plays softball, dances, bicycles and trains with weights every day.

She said she also ran up and down steps at her high school stadium. "All those stadium steps really paid off," Miss King said.

She said one of her biggest sacrifices for the pageant was giving up chocolate chip cookies. "I gave them up right after I won the state pageant on June 18 — that's 2½ months. If I lose in Atlantic City, I'll eat a lot of them."

She said she would allow herself the two chocolate chip cookies left for each contestant before bed as part of a sponsor promotion.

Miss King, a 23-year-old from Slidell, has a degree in fashion merchandising from Louisiana Tech University and plans to obtain a degree in dental hygiene. Eventually, she said she hopes to combine both degrees to design work uniforms.

Miss Oklahoma Tamara Denise Toshiko Marler, a 26-year-old from Tulsa, said she did not rehearse her selection during the day.

"I don't practice because it's not fresh that way," she said. "It's just not real."

Miss Marler said "Since I Fell For You" is special because she listened to it during her childhood with her mother, who is at the pageant.

She said the song rarely fails to move listeners because "when you sing love songs ... about hearts getting broken, the audience can feel it."

For her performance, she wore a full-length navy silk gown beaded with Mediterranean blue bugle beads and featuring a sweetheart neckline.

Miss Marler is a marketing graduate of the University of Tulsa and hopes to become a lawyer.

The three nights of preliminary competition for the 51 contestants are the first steps to the nationally televised Miss America finals Saturday night.

The 10 women who have accumulated the most points in preliminary competitions and interviews with the judges will become the top 10 finalists. Those 10 will start with a clean slate Saturday night, competing to succeed **Miss America 1989 Gretchen Elizabeth Carlson.**

The 63rd annual pageant will be broadcast on NBC-TV at 9 p.m. CDT Saturday.

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CARSON CITY, Nev. (AP) — **Charles Russell**, a newspaper publisher who turned to politics and served as governor and congressman, died of a heart attack Wednesday after being hospitalized for breathing problems. He was 85.

Russell, a Republican, was governor from 1951 to 1958, when he was defeated in a bid for a third term by Democrat Grant Sawyer.

He served two terms in the state Assembly and three terms in the state Senate, one term in Congress and several years administering the Marshall Plan in Europe and foreign aid programs in Paraguay.

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NEW YORK (AP) — Former Secretary of State **Henry Kissinger**, no stranger to television, has joined the board of CBS Inc.

Kissinger, who once worked for NBC and still appears on network news programs as a guest expert, was named Wednesday to the board that includes former CBS anchorman **Walter Cronkite.**



Kissinger

Kissinger, who won the Nobel Peace Prize in 1973 for his efforts to end the Vietnam War, was **President Nixon's** national security adviser before becoming secretary of state during the Nixon and **Ford** administrations.

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LOS ANGELES (AP) — An allegedly obsessed fan of **Tiffany** was barred by a court order from telephoning, closely observing or blocking the movements of the 17-year-old singer.

A Superior Court commissioner also ruled Wednesday that 35-year-old **Jeff Deane Turner** of Santa Cruz must remain at least 200 yards from Tiffany's home, recording studios and sites of her concert appearances.



Tiffany

Turner was arrested in June 1988 in Los Angeles after trying to present Tiffany, whose full name is **Tiffany Darwish**, with a bouquet and a samurai sword.

"I had never seen or heard of the defendant prior to that time," the singer said in a sworn statement. "Apparently, he's an obsessed fan."

In her petition, Tiffany said Turner later appeared at a Northern California promotion and "kissed me and walked with his arm around me. The defendant sent me numerous letters, one of which states God wants us to be together."

The singer said in her statement that Turner obtained her home address in La Mirada from the Department of Motor Vehicles, the same way that a man accused of killing **Rebecca Schaeffer** allegedly obtained the actress' address.

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GREENSBORO, N.C. (AP) — **William "Fishbait" Miller**, who during his three decades as the folksy doorkeeper of the U.S. House once said "Howdy ma'am" to the future **Queen Elizabeth II**, has died at the age of 80.

Miller arrived in Washington, D.C., from his native Pascagoula, Miss., in 1933. From his job as a clerk in the House post office, he rose to become the official doorkeeper.

His knowledge of the workings of Capitol Hill led to his book "Fishbait," which included accounts of the drinking and sexual exploits of several members of Congress.

Miller's job involved more than guarding doors. He supervised 357 employees and an annual budget of $3.5 million. He oversaw messengers, pages, barbers and janitors.

Miller left his post in the mid-1970s and had lived in Greensboro the past three years.

He died Tuesday night at his Greensboro home.

Evening TV Schedule

THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 14, 1989

	KMID (2) Md/Od CABLE 3	KOSA (7) Odessa CABLE 8	KTPX (9) Odessa CABLE 9	KPEJ (24) Md/Od CABLE 14	FAM Family CABLE 4	WTBS Atlanta CABLE 7	SIN (10) Spanish CABLE 10	WGN Chicago CABLE 11	ESPN Sports CABLE 12	KOCV (38) Odessa CABLE 13	HSE Sports CABLE 20
4:00	Donahue	Growing Pains	Trial by Jury	Jetsons	Batman	Munsters	Cristina	C.O.P.S.	Pulling Series	Sq. 1 TV	Coach's Show
4:30	"	Growing Pains	People's Court	DuckTales	Batman	Good Times	"	Fun House	Th'breds	3-2-1 Contact	Coach's Show
5:00	Cosby Show	Jeopardy!	News	Highway to	Hardcastle	B. Hillbillies	Los Ninos	Facts of Life	HR Derby	Sesame Street	Coach's Show
5:30	ABC News	CBS News	NBC News	Heaven	"	Andy Griffith	Noticiero	Jeffersons	SportsLook	"	This Week
6:00	News	News	News	Mama	Our House	Jeffersons	Senora	Andy Griffith	SportsCenter	Telecourse	Weight Room
6:30	Wheel-Fortune	Night Court	Current Affair	Andy Griffith	"	Sanford & Son	"	Benson	SpeedWeek	M. MacKay	Pennant
7:00	Mission: Im-	48 Hours "Re-	Cosby Show	Hunter	Movie: "A-	Movie:	Rebelde	Movie: "Amaz-	Auto Racing:	MacNeil/	High School
7:30	possible	turn to Crack	Dif. World	"	Haunting We	"Apache"	"	ing Stories:	Off-Road Race	Lehrer	Football: San
8:00	ABC News Spe-	Street"	Cheers	Movie: "Crisis	Will Go"	"	Dulce Desafio	The Movie"	Drag Racing:	Mystery!: In-	Antonio
8:30	cial: Grade	"	Dear John	at Central	"	"	"	"	Northstar	spector Morse	Holmes at San
9:00	Primetime	"	L.A. Law	High"	700 Club	Major League	America	News	Monster	Struggles for	Antonio Ma-
9:30	Live	"	"	"	"	Baseball: At-	Noticiero	USA Tonight	Trucks Racing	Poland	cArthur
10:00	News	News	News	Love Connec.	Batman	Ianta Braves	Aqui Esta	Tales-Darkside	Auto Racing	Alive Off Ctr.	Boxing: Fight
10:30	Cheers	M*A*S*H	Tonight Show	Arsenio Hall	Batman	at San Diego	"	Magnum, P.I.	SportsCenter	Printing	Night at the
11:00	Ent. Tonight	Pat Sajak	"	"	Movie: "A-	Padres	"	"	Motorcycle	Telecourse	Forum
11:30	Nightline	"	David Letter-	Movie:	Haunting We	Movie: "The	"	Movie: "The	Auto Racing:	Telecourse	"
12:00	News	"	man	"Blame It on	Will Go"	Brides of Dra-	"Morir de	Babysitter"	GTO Series	Sign-Off	"
12:30	Headline News	Night Heat	Bob Costas	the Night"	"	cula"	Madrugada"	"	Tractor Pull		Straightline

	SHOWTIME Mov/Spec CABLE 5	TMC Movies CABLE 17	DISNEY CABLE 18	MAX Movies CABLE 21	HBO Movies/Var. CABLE 22	TNN Country CABLE 23	USA Variety CABLE 24	NICK Children CABLE 25	A&E Cultural CABLE 26	TBN Religious CABLE 31	TNT Turner Net. CABLE 37
4:00	Gaucho	Set"	Kids Inc.	Outlaw Josey	"	"	Dance Party	Can't on TV	"	Praise the	"
4:30	"	"	Sidekicks	Wales"	Movie: "The	On Stage	USA	Don't Sit	Child's Life	Lord	"
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6:30	Carol Leifer	"	"	Mules for Sis-	Movie: "De-	Top Card	"	Looney Tunes	Survival World	"	Fraggle Rock
7:00	Carmilla	Movie: "Invad-	Walt Disney	ter Sara"	fense Play"	With Dinah	Murder, She	Bewitched	Durrell/Russia	Behind Scenes	Movie: "Battle-
7:30	"	ers From	"	"	"	Crook	Wrote	Mister Ed	Wild World	Dale Evans	ground"
8:00	Movie: "Steele	Mars"	Movie: "Royal	Crazy About	Movie: "Ac-	Nashville Now	Boxing:	Patty Duke	Intimate	Dwight	"
8:30	Justice"	"	Wedding"	the Movies	tion Jackson"	"	George For-	Car 54	Pages	Thompson	"
9:00	"	Movie: "Mar-	"	Movie: "Ima-	"	"	man vs. Mi-	Sat. Night	Vivaldi: The	Praise the	"
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10:00	Comedy Club	Mob"	Movie: "Three	Lennon"	Inside the NFL	VideoCountry	Miami Vice	Laugh-In	Improv Tonite	Praise the	for Broke"
10:30	Network	"	Little Words"	Movie: "Less	"	Crook	"	My 3 Sons	Black Add.	Lord	"
11:00	Movie: "Red	Movie:	"	Than Zero"	Movie: "Moon	Nashville Now	New Mike	Donna Reed	Durrell/Russia	Praise the	"
11:30	Heat"	"Salsa"	"	"	Over Parador"	"	Hammer	Room-Daddy	Wild World	Lord	Movie: "Take
12:00	"	"	Chandar, the	"	"	"	Dragnet	Bewitched	Intimate	Behind Scenes	the High
12:30	Risky Bus.	"	Black Leopard	Pointmam	"	On Stage	Hollywood	Mister Ed	Pages	Jay Sekulow	Ground"

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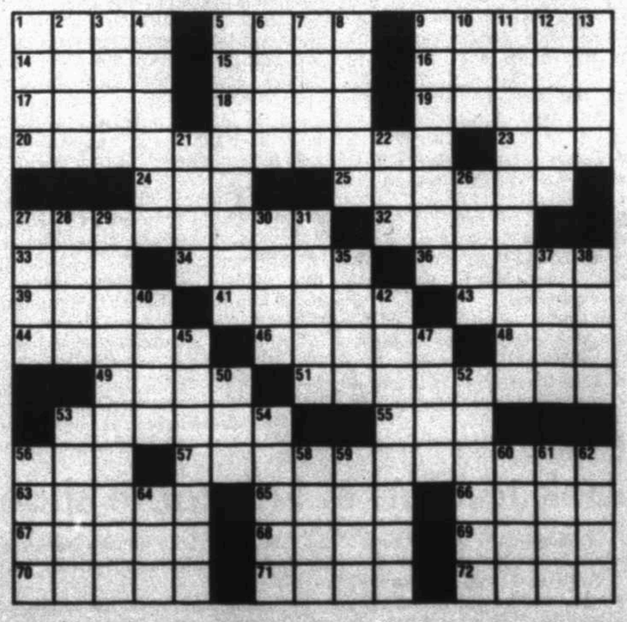
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OIL INDUSTRY

Oil production, reserves down

From Staff and Wire Reports

U.S. oil reserves and production continue to fall, indicating a continuing reliance on imported crude oil and a trend toward natural gas exploration, according to reports released this week.

An Energy Department report showed last year's domestic oil discoveries were the second-smallest on record, while an industry report indicated that daily production was at the lowest level in 25 years. At the same time, a report released by the Texas Railroad Commission reveals that the number of natural gas wells drilled now exceeds oil wells.

A report Wednesday by the department's Energy Information Administration said known reserves of U.S. crude, including the newly discovered oil, fell last year for the eighth time in the last 10 years.

The report underscored a trend of declining U.S. oil resources that accelerated in the mid-1980s when prices dropped sharply and oil exploration tailed off.

The slower exploration, combined with rising energy demand, has resulted in a rapid increase in oil imports, which in July supplied more than half the nation's petroleum needs for the first time in more than a decade.

The report said drillers added 553 million barrels of oil last year to U.S. reserves, either by discovering new fields, extending those already in production or finding new reservoirs in existing fields. That is a 20 percent drop from the 1987 discovery total and is the second lowest on record, the agency said.

Domestic proved oil reserves — defined as crude oil that could be pumped from known reservoirs under existing economic conditions — totaled 26.8 billion barrels as of Dec. 31, 1988, the report said. That is a drop of 431 million barrels, or 1.6 percent, from a year earlier.

A barrel equals 42 gallons.

The reserves total has dropped in each year during the past decade except in 1984, when a gain of 711 million barrels was reported, and in 1987 when the total rose by 367 million barrels.

The 1988 total oil reserves would disappear in about nine years, at current rates of consumption, if additional oil were not found. The Interior Department reported last month that undiscovered U.S. oil resources totaled about 49 billion barrels, indicating a further 16 years life expectancy for oil in this country.

Proved reserves of natural gas plunged by 10 percent last year to 168 trillion cubic feet, the report said, because of a major revision of gas reserves for the North Slope of Alaska. The major companies operating on the North Slope agreed that 24.6 trillion cubic feet of gas should be removed from the reported total because the prevailing gas prices are too low to make it marketable, the report said.

Production declines also match reserve declines. Domestic crude oil production dropped 6.6 percent in August compared with a year earli-

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Gas drilling exceeds oil

AUSTIN (AP) — Mired for years in the depressed oil patch, Texas' rebound may be fueled by natural gas, officials said.

Texas Railroad Commissioner John Sharp said Wednesday that natural gas exploration in the United States is exceeding oil exploration for the first time.

That bodes well for Texas, he said, since the state has approximately 20.7 percent of the nation's natural gas reserves.

"The rebirth of our state's energy industry to meet increasing demand for natural gas will be as significant for the Texas economy as the high technology growth we expect in the future," Sharp said.

He said the increase in natural gas drilling activity is significant for the nation's energy industry and an historical milestone for Texas.

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MARKETS

Crude buyers raise posted price

From Staff and Wire Reports

Oil futures prices passed the psychologically important $20 barrier, while posted prices also moved higher.

On the New York Mercantile Exchange, October contracts for West Texas Intermediate were up 15 cents to $20.01 at midmorning. The contract broke through the $20 mark Wednesday before falling back, closing at $19.86 a barrel, a gain of 16 cents.

Local crude buyers such as Citgo, Permian, Phillips and Sun raised their posted price 25 cents to $18.75 a barrel, effective Wednesday.

Crude prices moved higher on the strength of gasoline contracts, with heating oil contracts also strong. Traders shrugged off potentially bearish reports from the American Petroleum Institute of higher inventories in the latest week.

Unleaded gasoline contracts for October delivery rose 0.86 cent to settle at 57.75 cents a gallon.

CRUDE OIL

SPOT MARKET

W.T. INTERMEDIATE

- Mid-morning Quote $20.01
- Wednesday's Close $19.85
- Previous Close $19.70
- One Year Ago $15.40

W.T. SOUR

- Wednesday's Close $17.78
- Previous Close $17.70
- One Year Ago $15.23

SOURCE: NYMEX

POSTED PRICE

- This Week $18.75
- Previous Week $18.25
- One Year Ago $14.00

Dollar falls overseas

LONDON (AP) — The dollar was lower against most major currencies in nervous European trading early today as traders awaited the release of key U.S. economic indicators. Gold prices were higher.

Dealers said the dollar fell sharply in earlier Asian trading amid speculation that West Germany may raise its interest rates, then recovered some of its losses in European dealings.

They said the dollar, whose underlying trend is bullish, should be little affected by today's release of U.S. retail sales figures, which were expected to rise by 0.1 percent.

U.S. trade figures for July, due out on Friday, should have a greater impact, dealers said.

In Tokyo, the dollar fell 0.85 Japanese yen to a closing 145.85 yen. Later, in London, it edged back up to 146.33 yen.

In London, the British pound rose to $1.5612 from $1.5530 late Wednesday.

Gold opened in London at a bid price of $360.35 a troy ounce, up from $358.50 bid late Wednesday. At midmorning, the city's five major bullion dealers fixed a recommended price of $359.80 dollars.

Silver rose in London to a bid price of $5.09 a troy ounce, up from $5.08 bid late Wednesday.

Exchange Rates

- 1.9680 West German marks
- 1.6965 Swiss francs
- 6.6440 French francs
- 2.2147 Dutch guilders
- 1,414.25 Italian lire
- 1.1833 Canadian dollars

Stocks fall below 2,700 mark

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market yielded to a late-afternoon barrage of selling Wednesday, sending the Dow Jones industrial average below 2,700 for the first time in three weeks.

Brokers attributed the selloff partly to rumors, which were quickly denied, that a major brokerage firm was facing large losses from a position in high-yield "junk" bonds.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials fell 27.74 points to 2,679.52, closing below 2,700 for the first time since it stood at 2,678.11 on Aug. 23.

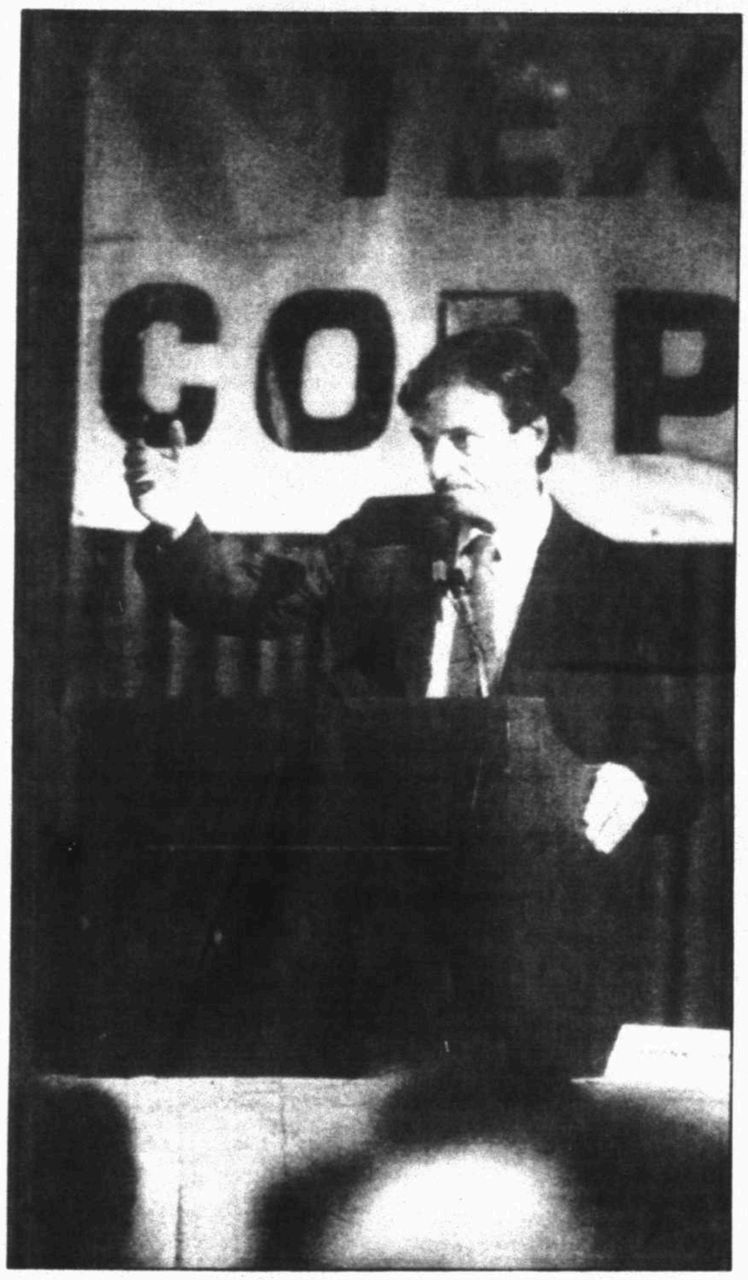
Declining issues outnumbered advances by about 5 to 3 in nationwide trading of New York Stock Exchange-listed stocks, with 555 up, 912 down and 526 unchanged.

The market's drop in the last hour of trading came as rumors spread that Merrill Lynch & Co. was sustaining losses from holdings in bonds of a unit of Campeau Corp., which is undergoing a financial restructuring that includes plans to sell its Bloomingdale's department store chain.

Merrill Lynch denied that it faced any losses in the junk bond sector, and said it owned no bonds related to Campeau. But Merrill stock dropped 1⅜ to 32⅞.

Otherwise, analysts said traders were hoping for some positive news later in the week to serve as a market stimulus.

Security tight for Texas Air meeting



AP Laserphoto

Texas Air Corp. Chairman, Frank Lorenzo, addresses shareholders Wednesday at the annual meeting of the strike-torn company. Security was tight for the meeting.

HOUSTON (AP) — Texas Air Corp. Chairman Frank Lorenzo insists that he plans to remain in the airline business, countering speculation that he might quit.

A defiant Lorenzo also said Wednesday that Texas Air's Eastern Airlines subsidiary will start turning a profit next year, despite the strike-bound carrier's enormous debts and bankruptcy proceeding.

While about 100 Eastern strikers chanted anti-Lorenzo slogans outside the long-delayed Texas Air annual meeting, the chairman of the nation's biggest airline company told shareholders he has no plans to quit the business, won't sell Eastern and likely will have Texas Air assume some of Eastern's financial obligations.

"I have no intentions of leaving the airline business," Lorenzo said at a news conference after the meeting. "I plan to be around for plenty of years to come, God willing."

Speculation that Lorenzo might quit was fueled by his surprise announcement Aug. 24 that he was considering selling all or part of Houston-based Continental Airlines, Texas Air's other main subsidiary. He had no comment on a statement Wednesday by Jan Carlzon, managing director of Scandinavian Airlines System, that SAS has no "immediate interest" in buying part of Continental.

SAS, which owns a 9.9 percent stake in Texas Air, has been in talks with Texas Air officials about possibly buying part of Continental. Under U.S. law, foreign airlines are allowed to own up to 25 percent of an American carrier.

Security was tight at the hotel where the shareholders meeting took place, largely because of Lorenzo's unpopularity among Eastern strikers. Stockholders had to pass through metal detectors, television cameras were banned from the meeting room and Houston uniformed and plainclothes police as well as private security guards were present.

Lorenzo's remarks about Miami-based Eastern came as the airline is mired in the seventh month of a strike that has become a national symbol of labor resistance and has left thousands of pilots, flight attendants and Machinists union members walking picket lines demanding Lorenzo's resignation.

Eastern has been replacing the strikers with picket-line crossers and non-union hires and is flying a limited operation, but it is doing business under the protection of federal bankruptcy court — where it sought protection from creditors five days after the strike began March 4.

If Continental were sold, some observers believe Lorenzo might liquidate Eastern and quit the business.

But the airline chief told about 300 shareholders at the meeting that Eastern "is projecting profitable operations beginning next year." The stockholders responded with applause.

Eastern has made an "astonishing rebound from the devastation caused by the strike of its three unions, and is recovering much faster than expected," Lorenzo said during the hourlong meeting.

He said Eastern's proposed reorganization plan, submitted to bankruptcy court July 21, likely will receive final court approval by year end or early next year, clearing the way for the airline to emerge from bankruptcy at about two-thirds its pre-strike size.

"Texas Air is standing behind Eastern Airlines, and the possibility is excellent that Texas Air will assist Eastern," said Lorenzo, who aggressively built the parent company from a small intrastate carrier into an airline empire.

The annual meeting coincided with a hearing in U.S. Bankruptcy Court in New York at which a judge approved a plan for payment of $98.3 million Eastern owes to employee pension plans. Texas Air is lending Eastern $45 million toward the payment, Eastern is paying $27 million with the proceeds of asset sales, and the rest has been deferred until July 1990.

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BUSINESS IN BRIEF

House passes commodities trading reform bill

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House has passed legislation that would outlaw the types of trading fraud allegedly uncovered in a wave of indictments at the nation's two largest futures exchanges in Chicago.

The Commodity Futures Improvements Act, which passed 420-0 Wednesday, also would give extra muscle to the Commodity Futures Trading Commission, which congressional critics have called too gentle a watchdog of the nation's futures markets.

House members hailed the bill as the toughest, most sweeping legislation in this area since the CFTC was created 15 years ago.

MGM-UA subject of takeover offer

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (AP) — MGM-UA Communications Co. says an unidentified bidder has offered $1.35 billion for the company, beating an offer from an Australian entertainment group.

One source close to the bidding said the latest offer Wednesday came from Rupert Murdoch's News Corp. Ltd., which owns 20th Century Fox Film Corp., although Fox and News Corp. declined comment.

MGM-UA had agreed to sell its United Artists assets to an affiliate of Qintex Australia Ltd. by the end of this month in a deal that valued MGM-UA's stock at about $1.2 billion, about $150 million less than the new offer.

OSHA may fine Boise Cascade mill

WASHINGTON (AP) — The government has proposed fining the owner of Maine's largest paper mill nearly $1.6 million for 531 alleged safety violations inspectors said left workers at substantial risk of death and serious injury.

The Labor Department's Occupational Safety and Health Administration said Wednesday that many of the problems found at the Boise Cascade Corp. mill in Rumford, Maine, had been detected in company safety audits but left uncorrected.

Cap Rock annual meeting draws record attendance

From Staff Reports

A record crowd of more than 3,000 attended the annual meeting of Cap Rock Electric as the cooperative celebrated its 50th anniversary. The meeting was Sept. 9 at Chaparral Center.

During the meeting, three members of the board of directors — C. Ray Russell of Big Spring, Newell Tate of Tarzan, and Teddy Stewart of Stanton — were reelected to the board.

Board chairman Rusty Jones told members that the meeting was a celebration of 50 years of partnership between Cap Rock and its member/customer.

He reported a second year of record capital credit returns to members of over $600,000. He further stated there had been no rate increase in 1989 and none was expected in 1990.

Chief executive officer and general manager David Pruitt told the gathering that the electric industry is changing and the future of a changing industry belongs to companies who are willing to demonstrate their initiative and creativity, who are willing to step out front and make decision and take prudent risks. "Those willing to do this will have the opportunity to reap great benefits and make great accomplishments," he stated.

Steve Collier, director of power supply for the coop, said Cap Rock's goal was maximum value for the member/customer. He added that new efforts were being made to make Cap Rock's utility system more efficient, reliable and flexible.

Cap Rock, a member-owned electric utility, has served the West Texas area since 1939. The present system includes 13 counties and covers a 10,000 square-mile area with almost 20,000 meters and 5,000 miles of line.

P&P finals sale of waterflood

From Staff Reports

Midland-based Parker & Parsley Development Partners L.P. has closed the previously announced $74,235,000 sale of its approximate 91 percent interest in the Levelland Waterflood Project.

Parker & Parsley Development Partners is a publicly-traded limited partnership of which Parker & Parsley Ltd. is the general partner.

The decision to sell Levelland has allowed the company to achieve its economic goals for the project without waiting the expected two-year response period for the waterflood to increase oil production. The sale also reduced the inherent risk of not achieving expected future production levels and eliminated the burden of further capital expenditure requirements.

The proceeds of the sale, according to the oil company, will be used to retire debt. Since the purchase of Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co., the debt level has been reduced from $100 million to approximately $50 million.

Parker & Parsley was purchased from the Southland Corp. by a senior managment group in May of this year.

Retail sales show gains

WASHINGTON (AP) — Retail sales, paced by soaring automobile purchases, advanced a moderate 0.7 percent last month in their best performance since May, the government reported today.

The Commerce Department said sales increased to a seasonally adjusted $144.3 billion in August following a 0.5 percent gain in July. Sales had remained flat in June after rising 0.8 percent in May.

The department said auto sales advanced 2.6 percent last month, their best performance since a 3 percent gain in January 1988. Those sales had risen 1.7 percent in July.

Auto sales, driven last month by end-of-model-year sales incentives and the threat of steep price increases for 1990 models, represent about 20 percent of retail sales.

Overall retail spending itself accounts for about one-third of economic activity and is closely watched as a measure of the overall economy.

Excluding the automobile category, however, retail sales edged up only 0.2 percent in August.

Sales of durable goods, big-ticket items autos that are expected to last more than three years, rose 2.4 percent. Building materials advanced 2.2 percent and furniture and other home furnishing sales gained 1.6 percent.

Sales of non-durable goods, however, fell 0.4 percent.

Reebok to market inflatable shoe

CANTON, Mass. (AP) — The term "flat feet" may take on new meaning with Reebok International's new sneakers that can be inflated with air with built-in pumps and will sell for $170 a pair.

"The wearer will be able to inflate the shoe using a pump on the tongue of the shoe, making it fit round the wearer's foot perfectly," Reebok said in a statement Wednesday.

"Before removing the shoe, the wearer must release the air, using a special valve on the heel."

Kate Burnham, spokeswoman for Reebok, said air can be let out of the sneakers gradually, adjusting the fit if ankles swell during a game.

"It creates a totally adjustable kind of shoe with support around the ankle," she said

BUSINESS TRENDS

Tomorrow's airport giants

Airport passenger patterns are expected to change between now and 2000.

TODAY'S TOP AIRPORTS

1. Chicago O'Hare
2. Atlanta Hartsfield
3. Los Angeles Int.
4. Dallas-Fort Worth
5. Denver Stapleton
6. New York Kennedy
7. San Francisco
8. Newark
9. New York La Guardia
10. Miami

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8. San Francisco
9. Newark
10. Miami

SOURCE: Federal Aviation Administration

EXPLORATION HIGHLIGHTS

Mitchell announces Lea discovery

From Staff Reports

MITCHELL ENERGY & DEVELOPMENT CORP. has completed a prolific new-field discovery in Lea County, N.M.

The No. 1 Wynell Federal tested at an average daily rate of 6.2 Mmcfd and 1,032 barrels of condensate per day on a 17/64-inch choke with flowing tubing pressure of 4,100 psi. The well produced from Atoka perforations 12,630 to 12,637 ft.

MEC Development, Ltd., a partnership in which Mitchell is the operator and general partner, holds a 50 percent working interest in the producer. Other interest owners include Manzano Oil Corporation of Roswell, N.M., which is also the operator.

The Wynell producer is the second Mitchell discovery this year in Lea County. The company previously reported completion of the Sapphire Federal No. 1, which tested at 11.6 million cubic feet per day from the Morrow formation. Mitchell has interests in more than 2,100 acres of leases in the immediate vicinity and plans additiional drilling.

Chaves County nets Strawn discovery

A Strawn gas discovery has been completed in Chaves County, N.M., northwest of the Sams Ranch field.

MERIDIAN OIL INC. tested the No. 1 Cannonball Federal to flow 114 Mcfd on an 18/64 inch choke from perforations 7,756 to 8,031 ft. Flowing tubing pressure was 98 psi and the producing interval was acidized with 3,500 gallons of acid.

Permitted as a 9,000 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to 8,450 ft., where 4 1/2 inch casing was set, and plugged back to 8,404 ft.

Formation tops, on ground elevation of 3,531.5 ft., include the Yates at 300 ft., San Andres at 1,615, Tubb at 4,420, Abo at 5,220, Wolfcamp at 6,410, Strawn at 7,675, A,toka at 7,965, and Chester at 8,265 ft. Pay was topped at 7,756 ft.

Location is 1,060 ft. from south and 2,180 ft. from west lines of Section 7, T14s, R28e.

Alps Oil tests well to flow 1.2 Mmcfd

A new gas producer has been completed in the Running W (Wichita Albany) field of Crane County by **ALPS OIL CO.**

Alps tested the No. 12 M.B. McKnight for a calculated absolute open flow of 1.2 Mmcfd from perforations 5,185 to 5,409 ft. The interval was acidized with 3,000 gallons of 15 percent NeFeHCL acid.

Drilled to 6,224 ft., where 4 1/2 inch casing was set, the well was plugged back to 5,521 ft.

The well topped the Judkins at 2,915 and Wichita Albany at 5,050 ft. on ground elevation of 2,680 ft. Pay was topped at 5,185 ft.

Location is 330 ft. from east and 3,000 ft. from south lines of Section 8, Block B-21, PSL survey, 21 miles northwest of Crane.

Ector field producer flows 313 barrels oil

OSCEOLA OIL & GAS CORP. has finaled a strong new producer in the Cowden South field of Ector County.

On potential test, the No. 4 Eve Kayser flowed 313 barrels of 35 gravity crude, 86 Mcfd and 12 barrels of water on a 24/64 inch choke with flowing tubing pressure of 220 psi. The well flowed from perforations 4,146 to 4,199 ft., which had been acidized with 1,500 gallons of 15 percent NeFe acid and fractured with 40,000 lbs. 16/30 sand. Gas-oil ratio is 276:1.

Drilled to 4,610 ft., the well was plugged back to 4,368 ft. with 5 1/2 inch casing set at 4,608 ft.

The well topped the San Andres at 4,130 ft., Grayburg at 3,780, and Queen at 3,674 ft. on ground elevation of 2,961 ft. Pay was topped at 4,130 ft.

Location is 699 ft. from west and 1,980 ft. from south lines of Section 34, Block 43, T-2-S, T&P survey.

Development continues in new Glasscock field

Development continues in the Bankbook (Fusselman) field of Glasscock County, with **UNION TEXAS PETROLEUM CORP.**, Houston, adding a new producer to the field.

The No. 1 Neste TXL was completed to flow 296 barrels of 53.2 gravity crude, 57 Mcfd and barrels of water on an 8.5/64 inch choke from perforations 10,162 to 10,202 ft. Flowing tubing pressure was 870 psi and the producing interval was acidized with 500 gallons of 20 percent NeFe acid. Gas-oil ratio is 193:1.

Drilled to 10,232 ft., where 5 1/2 inch casing was set, the well was plugged back to 10,227 ft.

Formation tops, on ground elevation of 2,705 ft., include the Yates at 1,676 ft., San Andres at 2,672, Spraberry at 6,117, Strawn at 9,440, Woodford at 9,902, and Silurian at 9,970 ft. Pay was topped at 10,162 ft.

Location is 500 ft. from south and east lines of Section 7, Block 33, T-5-S, T&P survey, eight miles southeast of Garden City.

PLUGGED WELLS

TRC DISTRICT 8

GLASSCOCK COUNTY

Howard Glasscock
Oryx Energy Co. No. 3 Hall; 330 fnl, 990 fwl, sec 21, blk 33, T&P, 6 w Forsan, TD 2225. Completed 1936. Plugged 8/11/89. Oil well.

HOWARD COUNTY

Howard Glasscock
Oryx Energy Co. No. 216 Dora Roberts "BD & E"; 960 fnl, 330 fwl, sec 137, blk 29, W&NW, 2 se Forsan, TD 1417. Completed 8/24/29. Plugged 8/8/89. Oil well.

MARTIN COUNTY

Sprabeerry (Trend Area)
Parker & Parsley Petroleum Inc. No. 3 Scharbauer "D"; 4100 fsl, 1389 fel, Labor 19, League 324, LaSalle CSL, 12 n Midland, TD 9560. Completed 6/4/73. Plugged 8/7/89. Oil well.

MITCHELL COUNTY

Turner-Gregory (Clearfork)
Fina Oil & Chemical Co. No. 35 Morrison "E"; 330 fwl, 990 fnl, sec 20, blk 28, T-1-N, T&P, 5 nw Westbrook, TD 3175. Completed 8/2/83. Plugged 5/17/89. Oil well.

PECOS COUNTY

Fort Stockton (Seven Rivers)
Odessa Exploration Inc. No. 4 H.J. Eaton "F"; 1427 fwl, 1200 fnl, sec 254, SA&MG, 7 w Fort Stockton, TD 3100. Completed 6/9/89. Plugged 7/27/89. Dry hole.

Wildcat
Bill J.Graham Oil & Gas Corp. No. 1 Atkins State; 2173 fnel, 2173 fsel, sec 54, blk 10, H&GN, 12 sw Imperial, TD 5442. Completed 8/14/89. Plugged 8/15/89. Dry hole.

Trobaugh Properties No. 1 Owega-Phillips; 933 fel, 933 fsl, sec 116, blk 11, H&GN, 7 w Givin, TD 3075. Completed 8/2/89. Potentialed 8/11/89. Dry hole.

STERLING COUNTY

Conger (Penn)
American Cometra Inc. No. 1-C R.T. Foster "10"; 990 fnl, 990 fel, sec 10, blk 21, H&TC, 13 sw Sterling City, TD 7700. Completed 6/30/76. Plugged 6/30/89. Gas well.

WARD COUNTY

Rhoda Walker (Canyon 5900)
Amoco Production Co. No. 1 Avary "B"; 660 fswl, 660 fnwl, sec 132, blk 34, H&TC, 7 w Pyote, TD 6800. Completed 12/6/77. Plugged 5/10/89. Oil well.

WINKLER COUNTY

Keystone (Colby)
Texaco Producing Inc. No. 18 Seth Campbell; 1940 fsl, 3200 fel, sec 22, blk 3, PSL, 2 ne Kermit, TD 3388. Completed 10/16/57. Plugged 8/24/89. Oil well.

Three Girls
Rust Oil Corp. No. 1 Prothro-Bashara "10"; 1980 fsl, 1980 fwl, sec 10, blk 77, PSL, 8 n Kermit, TD 2930. Completed 12/21/85. Plugged 8/2/89. Gas well.

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DEVELOPMENT WELLS

■ **DRILLING PROGRAM SET IN HOCKLEY.** Four wells have been staked in the Leeper (Glorieta) field of Hockley County by Wheeler Properties, Fort Worth. The four are on the Doyle lease, Section 15, Block X, PSL survey, 4.5 miles southwest of Clauene. Contract depth is 6,700 ft.

■ **PHILLIPS STAKES THREE IN LEA.** Phillips Petroleum Co. plans to drill three new wells in the Maljamar field of Lea County, N.M. The three are on the Philmex lease, Section 26, T17s, R33e, 7.5 miles west of Buckeye. Contract depth is 4,900 ft.

TRC DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY

Emma (Ellenburger)
Steller Energy & Investment Corp. No. 3 W.F. Cowden "Ellenburger"; 467 fwl, 2345 fnl, sec 101, T&P, SF 9955, 14 sw Andrews, PD 12,700.

CRANE COUNTY

Peak Victor (Devonian)
Nearburg Producing Co. No. 5 Dawson "78"; 520 fnl, 1365 fel, sec 78, blk X, CCSD&RGNG, 7 s Crane, PD 5800.

Sand Hills (Tubb)
Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 1175 W.N. Waddell et al; 1270 fsl, 2540 fwl, sec 20, blk B-26, PSL, 22 nw Crane, PD 4592, OTD 5835. Plugback from Wolfcamp formation.

ECTOR COUNTY

Cowden North
Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 4 O.B. Holt Jr. et al; 660 fnl, 687 fel, sec 1, blk A, PSL, 8 ne Goldsmith, PD 4350, OTD 5320. Plugback, commingle with Deep formation.

HOWARD COUNTY

Howard Glasscock (Grayburg-San Andres0
Marathon Oil Co. No. 31 Kloh; 875 fwl, 2315 fsl, sec 5, blk 32, T-2-S, T&P, 4 w Forsan, PD 2600.

Marathon Oil Co. No. 32 Kloh; 1450 fwl, 2460 fsl, sec 5, blk 32, T-2-S, T&P, 4 w Forsan, PD 2600.

PECOS COUNTY

Toborg
Corvette Oil Corp. No. 31 H. Monroe "A"; 2810 fel, 5722 fsl, sec 39, blk 194, Gc&SF, 8 nw Iraan, PD 460.

STERLING COUNTY

Conger (Penn)
John L. Cox No. 6 Foster; 1980 fsl, 660 fwl, sec 28, blk 22, H&TC, 10 nw Sterling City, PD 8200.

WINKLER COUNTY

Kermit (Yates)
Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 1824 W.E. Baird; 1400 fwl, 1760 fsl, sec 18, blk B-3, PSL, 2 ne Kermit, PD 3290.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

TERRY COUNTY

Leeper (Glorieta)
W. Ridley Wheeler Estate No. 1 Mamey; 660 fnl, 660 fwl, sec 14, blk D-11, 11.5 nw Meadow, PD 6200.

NEW MEXICO

CHAVES COUNTY

Graham Spring
Penwell Energy Inc. No. 1 Mescalero "11" Federal; 1980 fsl, 1650 fwl, sec 11, T12s, R30e, 12 sw Caprock, PD 10,500.

Pecos Slope
Bran Oil Corp. No. 2 Union "33" Federal; 1880 fsl, 1880 fwl, sec 33, T6s, R26e, 13.5 nw Elkins, PD 4400.

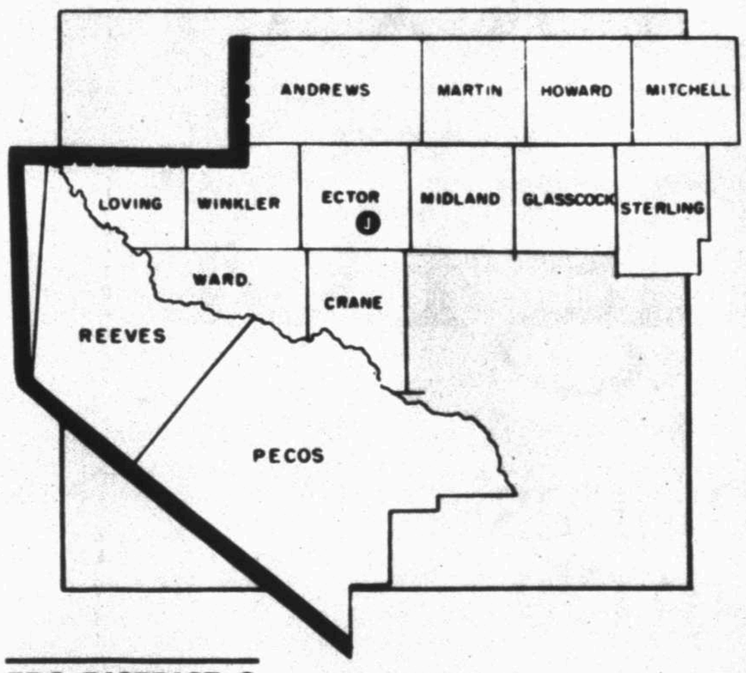
EDDY COUNTY

Catclaw Draw
Dinero Operating Co. No. 1 Dinero-Exxon Pardue Farm; 1980 fnl, 330 fel, sec 22, T21s, R25e, 7 nw Carlsbad, PD 3000.

LEA COUNTY

Shipp
Conoco Inc. No. 11 West Knowles; 660 fsl, 330 fel, sec 34, T16s, R37e, 5 nw Humble City, PD 11,700.

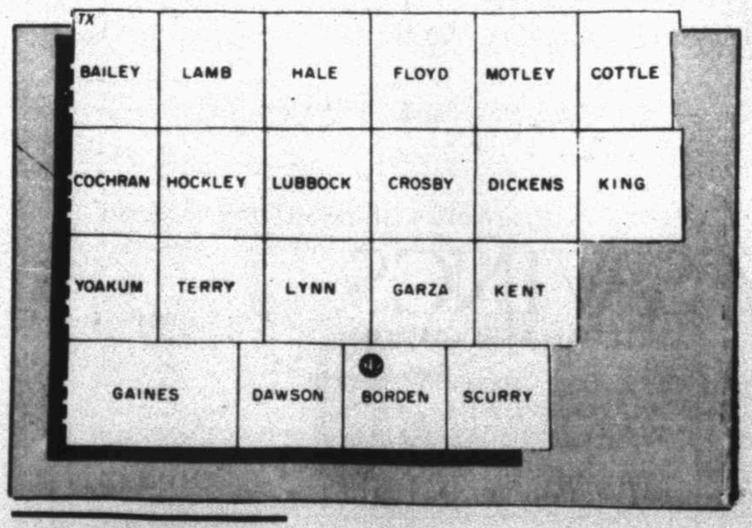
WILDCATS



TRC DISTRICT 8

■ **1. ECTOR DRAWS WILDCAT LOCATION.** A 6,100 ft. wildcat is set for Ector County, one mile west of Odessa.

Phillips Petroleum Co., Odessa, will drill the No. 32 H.C. Foster 1,570 ft. from south and 1,030 ft. from east lines of Section 8, Block 42, T-2-S, T&P survey.



TRC DISTRICT 8A

■ **1. BORDEN DRAWS WILDCAT LOCATION.** A 10,000 ft. wildcat is planned for Borden County, 18 miles northwest of Gail. The well will also test the Tyler Gordon (Lower Strawn) field at 9,270 ft.

J. Ingram Oil & Gas Inc., Dallas, will drill the No. 1 Cates-McPherson 1,762 ft. from southeast and 2,169 ft. from southwest lines of Section 10, Block 32, EL&RR survey.

COMPLETIONS

TRC DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY

Martin (Wichita)
Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 2 University "T"; 674 fnl, 678 fwl, sec 14, blk 11, ULS, 16 sw Andrews, Elev. 3311, TD 8105, PB 7930. Completed 5/23/89. Potentialed 8/23/89, pumping 45 bopd, 97 Mcfd, 232 bwpd, 41 API. GOR 2156:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 8104. Perforations 7454 to 7509. Acid: 4000 gals. 15 percent NeFeHCL. Formation tops: Rustler 1505, Yates 2750, Grayburg 3990, San Andres 4200, Glorieta 5235, Clearfork 5570, Tubb 6100, Wichita Albany 6708, Wolfcamp 7512. Top of pay 7454. Plugback from Block 11 (Fusselman) field.

Shafter Lake (Yates)
B&R Contracting No. 1 State School Board; 663 fsl, 661 fwl, sec 14, blk A-36, PSL, 8 nw Andrews, Elev. 3112, TD 3010, PB 3800. Completed 4/21/89. Potentialed 4/24/89, CAOF 290 Mcfd. Casing 9-5/8 at 3800. Perforations 2890 to 3010. Reentry.

CRANE COUNTY

Running W (Wichita Albany)
Alps Oil Co. No. 12 M.B. McKnight; 330 fel, 3000 fsl, sec 8, blk B-21, PSL, 21 nw Crane, Elev. 2680, TD 6224, PB 5521. Completed 9/2/89. Potentialed 9/5/89, CAOF 1.2 Mmcfd. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 6224. Perforations 5185 to 5409. Acid: 3000 gals. 15 percent NeFeHCL. Formation tops: Judkins 2915, Wichita Albany 5050. Top of pay 5185.

ECTOR COUNTY

Cowden South
Osceola Oil & Gas Corp. No. 4 Eve Kayser; 699 fwl, 1980 fsl, sec 34, blk 43, T-2-S, T&P, Elev. 2961, TD 4610, PB 4368. Completed 8/28/89. Potentialed 8/31/89, flowing 313 bopd, 86 Mcfd, 12 bwpd, 24/64 inch choke, FTP 220 psi. API 35. GOR 276:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4608. Perforations 4146 to 4199. Acid: 1500 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Frac: 40,000 lbs. 16/30 sand. Formation tops: San Andres 4130, Grayburg 3780, Queen 3674. Top of pay 4130.

GLASSCOCK COUNTY

Bankbook (Fusselman)
Union Texas Petroleum Corp. No. 1 Neste TXL; 500 fsl, 500 fel, sec 7, blk 33, T-5-S, T&P, 8 se Garden City, Elev. 2705, TD 10,232, PB 10,227. Completed 8/30/89. Potentialed 9/7/89, flowing 296 bopd, 57 Mcfd, 21 bwpd, 8.5/64 inch choke, FTP 670 psi. API 53.2. GOR 193:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 10,232. Perforations 10,162 to 10,202. Acid: 500 gals. 20 percent NeFe. Formation tops: Yates 1676, San Andres 2672, Spraberry 6117, Strawn 9440, Woodford 9902, Silurian 9970. Top of pay 10,162.

HOWARD COUNTY

Howard Glasscock (Wolfcamp 7400)
Mobil Producing TX & NM Inc. No. 25 Kelly-Roberts; 1980 fnl, 660 fel, sec 112, blk 29, W&NW, 14 se Big Spring, Elev. 2439, TD 8000, PB 7874. Completed 9/2/89. Potentialed 9/6/89, flowing 225 bopd, 186 Mcfd, 17/64 inch choke, FTP 265 psi. API 38.9. GOR 827:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 8000. Perforations 7510 to 7520. Acid: 3000 gals. 15 percent NeFeHCL. Formation tops: Wolfcamp 5480, Pay 7510. Top of pay 7510.

Iatan East Howard
Arco Oil & Gas Co. No. 231 Granville M. Dodge Estate; 2590 fnl, 651 fel, sec 3, blk 30, T-1-S, T&P, 5 e Coahoma, Elev. 2275, TD 2910, PB 2799. Completed 8/19/89. Potentialed 974/89, pumping 6 bopd, 4 Mcfd, 384 bwpd, 64/64 inch choke, FTP 45 psi. API 32.4. GOR 667:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 2910. Perforations 2370 to 2734. Acid: 9000 gals. Formation tops: San Andres 1870, San Angelo 2361O, Clearfork 2588. Top of pay 2370.

Arco Oil & Gas Co. No. 232 Granville M. Dodge Estate; 1980 fsl, 660 fwl, sec 3, blk 30, T-1-S, T&P, 5 e Coahoma, Elev. 2303, TD 2910, PB 2785. Completed 8/21/89. Potentialed 9/1/89, pumping 2 bopd, 6 Mcfd, 22 bwpd, 31 API. GOR 3000:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 2910. Perforations 2360 to 2703. Acid: 7000 gals. Formation tops: San Andres 1860, San Angelo 2460, Clearfork 2640. Top of pay 2360.

Arco Oil & Gas Co. No. 233 Granville M. Dodge Estate; 1896 fnl, 2640 fel, sec 11, blk 30, T-1-S, T&P, Elev. 2251, TD 2900, PB 2818. Completed 8/23/89. Potentialed 9/1/89, flowing 20 bopd, 10 Mcfd, 43 bwpd, open choke, FTP 45 psi. API 32.1. GOR 500:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 2900. Perforations 2424 to 2686. Acid: 8000 gals. Formation tops: San Andres 1895, San Angelo 2468, Clearfork 2670. Top of pay 2424.

Mer-Max (Mississippian)
Meridian Oil Inc. No. 4 C.F. Umphress et al; 1980 fsl, 660 fel, sec 34, blk 31, T-1-N, T&P, 2 nw Coahoma, Elev. 2470, TD 9450, PB 9402. Completed 9/1/89. Potentialed 9/5/89, pumping 86 bopd, 230 Mcfd, 50 bwpd, 42.2 API. GOR 2674:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 9448. Perforations 9057 to 9106. Acid: 3200 gals. 15 percent NeFeHCL. Frac: 94,000 gals. gel, 134,000 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Yates 1300, San Andres 2395, Wolfcamp 6344, Strawn 8668, Fusselman 9231, Ellenburger 9356. Top of pay 9055.

LOVING COUNTY

Wheat (Cherry Canyon)
Oryx Energy Co. No. 9 W.D. Johnson Jr. "F"; 467 fnwl, 467 fswl, sec 88, blk 1, W&NW, 30 w Kermit, Elev. 2818, TD 6117, PB 6110. Completed 8/10/89. Potentialed 8/19/89, flowing 64 bopd, 90 Mcfd, 349 bwpd, 19/64 inch choke, FTP 230 psi. API 39. GOR 1406Z;1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 6117. Perforations 6007 to 6106. Acid: 4000 galsl 7.5 percent NeFeHCL. Frac: 40,000 gals. gel, 92,000 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Delaware 4442, First Cherry Canyon 6002, Second Cherry Canyon 6051. Top of pay 6002.

MARTIN COUNTY

Mabee
Texaco Producing Inc. No. 572 J.E. Mabee "A" NCT-1; 669 fsl, 85 fel, sec 18, blk 39, T-2-N, G&MMB&A, 25 nw Stanton, Elev. 2884, TD 4760, PB 4755. Completed 8/30/89. Potentialed 9/4/89, pumping 88 bopd, 18 Mcfd, 55 bwpd, 32 API. GOR 205:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4786. Perforations 4696 to 4749. Acid: 5000 gals. 28 percent HCL. Formation top: San Andres 4649. Top of pay 4696.

WINKLER COUNTY

Kermit (Yates)
Mobil Producing TX & NM Inc. No. 314 J.B. Walton; 660 fnl, 3300 fwl, sec 19, blk 74, PSL, 7 nw Kermit, TD 11,400, PB 2784. Completed 7/10/89. Potentialed 7/29/89, CAOF 1.5 Mmcfd. Casing 7-5/8 at 8281. Perforations 2573 to 2758. Acid: 2000 gals. 15 percent NeFeHCL. Formation tops: McKee 10,480, Devonian 8300, Yates 2573. Top of pay 2573. Plugback.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

KENT COUNTY

Michelle Kay (Cisco)
John L. Cox No. 3 Bobby Baird; 660 fsl, 1860 fel, W.A. Smith Pre-Empt, 10 sw Spur, TD 5820. Pumping 72 bopd, 16 bwpd, 38 API. GOR 270:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 5820. Perforations 5672-5782.

Salt Creek
Mobil Producing TX & NM Inc. No. 326-A Salt Creek Field Unit; 100 fnl, 900 fel, sec 3, D.R. Stout, 9 nw Clairemont, TD 6700. Pumping 464 bopd, 1491 bwpd, 39.4 API. GOR 582:1. Casing 7 inches at 6702. Perforations 6177 to 6517.

Mobil Producing TX & NM Inc. No. 768-C Salt Creek Field Unit; 1374 fsl, 2664 fel, sec 167, W&NW, 9 nw Clairemont, TD 6700. Pumping 69 bopd, 366 bwpd, 38.7 API. GOR 623:1. Casing 7 inches at 6708.

TERRY COUNTY

Slaughter (Clearfork)
Crump Petroleum Corp. No. 1 C. DeVitt; 710 fnl, 1980 fel, sec 4, blk D-11, J.H. Gibson, 16 nw Brownfield, TD 7800. Pumping 69 bopd, 50 bwpd, 30 API. GOR 250:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 7800. Perforations 7184 to 7701.

Welch
Beach Exploration Inc. No. 3-A Morley; 990 fnl, 1380 fel, sec 1, blk C-38, PSL, 23 se Wellman, TD 35. Pumping 28 bopd, 4 bwpd, 35 API. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 4911. Perforations 4826 to 4854.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

CROCKETT COUNTY

Farmer (San Andres)
Pro Oil No. 2 Pro Oil No. 1; 2335 fnl, 1650 fwl, sec 1, blk 47, ULS, 28 nw Ozona, TD 2625, PB 2590. Flowing 63 bopd, 4 bwpd, 14/64 inch choke. API 35. GOR 714:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 2625. Perforations 2285 to 2473. Acid: 2000 gals. Frac: 50,000 gals. gel, 67,032 lbs. sand.

Holt Ranch (Ellenburger)
Texas Crude Operating Inc. No. 3-14 Holt; 656 fnl, 2164 fel, sec 14, blk OP, GC&SF, 9 n Ozona, TD 7950, PB 7868. Pumping 87 bopd, 88 bwpd, 45.6 API. GOR 2483:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 7950. Perforations 7843 to 7853. Acid: 500 gals.

NEW MEXICO

EDDY COUNTY

Grayburg-Jackson
Marbob Energy Corp. No. 3 Texaco "BE"; 330 fnl, 1650 fel, sec 16, T17s, R30e, Elev. 3678.2, TD 5530, PB 5515. Completed 8/8/89. Potentialed 8/15/89, pumping 54 bopd, 113 Mcfd. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4032. Perforations 2710 to 3506. Acid: 4500 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Frac: 60,000 gals. gel, 400 sacks 20/40 sand, 200 sacks 12/20 sand. Formation tops: Queen 2108, Grayburg 2570, San Andres 2840. Top of pay 2710.

Morexco Inc. No. 1 Foran State; 2310 fnl, 330 fel, sec 16, T17s, R31e, Elev. 3860, TD 3844, PB 2753. Completed 8/22/89. Potentialed 8/22/89, pumping 85 bopd, 1 bwpd. Casing 5 inches at 3796. Perforations 3160 to 3494. Acid: 6500 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Frac: 6000 gals. gel, 110,000 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Grayburg 3110, San Andres 3430.

Parkway
Strata Production Co. No. 2 Halcon State; 330 fsl, 1980 fel, sec 26, T19s, R29e, Elev. 3326.2, TD 4730. Completed 8/15/89. Pumping 88 bopd, 197 Mcfd, 160 bwpd. GOR 2.23:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4731. Perforations 4244 to 4258. Acid: 100 gals. 7.5 percent. Formation tops: Salt 545, Base Salt 1215, Yates 1554, Delaware Sand 3571. Top of pay 4244.

Penasco Draw
Yates Petroleum Corp. No. 1 Laney "AGJ" Federal Com.; 1980 fnl, 1980 fwl, sec 11, T18s, R24e, Elev. 3704, TD 8350, PB 5300. Completed 8/21/89. Potentialed 8/21/89, flowing 834 Mcfd, 3/8 inch choke, FTP 210 psi. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 8350. Perforations 5021 to 5135. Acid: 4500 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Frac: 4000 gals. gel, 85,000 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: San Andres 528, Glorieta 1912, Abo 3876, Wolfcamp 5004, Cisco 6180, Upper Canyon 6650, Lower Canyon 7130, Strawn 7426, Atoka 7797, Morrow 8069, Chester Lime 8208. Top of pay 5051.

LEA COUNTY

South Corbin
Meridian Oil Inc. No. 4 State "16"; 548 fsl, 760 fwl, sec 16, T18s, R33e, Elev. 3851, TD 11,460, PB 11,413. Completed 8/3/89. Potentialed 8/9/89, pumping 105 bopd, 60 Mcfd, 11 bwpd, 48 API. GOR 571:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 11,460. Perforations 10,886 to 11,406. Acid: 9100 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Formation tops: Salt 1446, Yates 3050, Queen 4228, San Andres 4820, Bone Spring 6886, Lower Leonard 10,324, Wolfcamp 10,886. Top of pay 10,886.

Vacuum
Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 21 M.E. Hale; 1194 fsl, 2040 fel, sec 35, T17s, R34e, Elev. 4015.7, TD 4800, PB 4755. Completed 8/4/89. Potentialed 8/21/89, pumping 404 bopd, 163 Mcfd, 38 API. GOR 400:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4800. Perforatins 4354 to 4645. Acid: 1500 gals. 15 percent NeFeHCL. Formation tops: Rustler 1551, Yates 2803, Seven Rivers 3150, Queen 3720, Grayburg 4058, San Andres 4347, Lovington 4496. Top of pay 4354.

West Lusk
Harvey E. Yates Co. No. 2 Lusk "16" State; 1650 fsl, 330 fwl, sec 16, T19s, R32e, TD 6600, PB 6553. Completed 8/23/89. Potentialed 8/26/89, pumping 42 bopd, 27 bwpd, 39 API. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 6600. Perforations 6506. Formation tops: Anhydrite 888, Yates 2728, Seven Rivers 3102, Queen 3889, Goat Seep Reef 4093, Delaware Sand 4945. Top of pay 6506.

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Mosbacher reprimanded?

TOKYO (AP) — An aide to U.S. Commerce Secretary Robert Mosbacher denied Wednesday that the White House had reprimanded Mosbacher for his plan to promote a U.S. high-definition television industry.

Earlier, a congressional source in Washington said the White House branded Mosbacher a "renegade promoting industrial policy" with his plan to loosen tax and antitrust laws to boost the competitiveness of U.S. industry in the development of high-definition television, or HDTV. The source spoke on condition of anonymity.

Wayne Berman, counsellor to Mosbacher, attributed the report to "anonymous midgets in the seat of the mighty in the White House commenting on matters to which they were clearly not a party."

Berman, accompanying Mosbacher on a 15-day visit to Asia and Eastern Europe, said the report of the reprimand was based on "wholly incorrect information."

He said that in many months of meetings with various government agencies, the Commerce Department's plan to deal with HDTV has been broadened.

"It took us some time to evolve our thinking, but we decided we don't want to single out HDTV for special treatment," Berman said. "It will be part of a larger policy to make our high technology competitive."

Also Wednesday, Mosbacher told Japanese and foreign reporters at a luncheon that the flow of HDTV technology from Japan, the pioneer in the field, to the United States would be welcome.

"We don't believe it's the government's position to take the lead in this kind of development, but this could be a good example of building a basis for some technology from Japan to the United States."

TEXAS

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Eastern's proposed reorganization calls for repaying all creditors in full, including refunding the price of tickets that weren't used because of the walkout.

The strikers have been pushing for a sale of Eastern in its entirety and have allied themselves in that effort with Joseph Ritchie, a Chicago businessman. Eastern, meanwhile, has been selling aircraft, routes and airport gates to raise money toward paying off its $2.3 billion debt.

The Air Line Pilots Association, which represents pilots at nearly all the nation's major carriers, has spent $69.5 million — about 57 percent of its contingency fund — on the battle with Eastern. Pilots at the other airlines have provided strike benefits to Eastern pilots averaging about $2,400 a month per pilot, said John Mazor, an ALPA spokesman in Washington.

But the number of pilots paying those assessments to their colleagues at Eastern has decreased as the strike has worn on, Mazor said in a telephone interview.

"That's typical for any (strike) assessment, for any labor union," he said. "It goes through a predictable cycle."

ALPA members are being balloted on whether to continue strike benefits to their Eastern colleagues, he said.

GAS

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"This is more solid evidence of what I have been saying for the last three years, that natural gas is the new 'Golden Goose' for the Texas economy," Sharp said.

Lawrence Polson, a spokesman for the Interstate Natural Gas Association of America, said, "You'll be hearing more about Texas being a gas state than an oil state."

"It could be that we're seeing the beginning of what we said could happen, that the 1990s could be a decade of gas," Polson said.

Sharp, who has organized national conferences in Boston, Houston and Los Angeles to promote natural gas, said by reclaiming its share of the nation's natural gas market, Texas will create more than 50,000 new jobs.

OIL

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er, falling to the lowest daily output level in more than 25 years, the American Petroleum Institute reported today.

The trade group's monthly breakdown of supply and demand in the United States also said August imports of oil and petroleum products rose 16.3 percent over a year earlier and supplied nearly half of American requirements for the second straight month.

The API report reflected both falling domestic production and a rising American dependence on foreign energy sources, trends that have resurrected fears in Washington of an excessive reliance on imports.

The report said year-to-date domestic oil production has been falling at an average annual rate of 5 percent to 6 percent compared with 1988, nearly double the decline of 3.2 percent for the previous three years.

U.S. crude production averaged 7.545 million barrels a day in August, vs. 8.079 million barrels a day in August 1988, the report said. The last full year in which average daily domestic crude production dipped as low was in 1963.

INVESTORS' GUIDE

Dividend reinvestment offered by corporations

BY BILL DOYLE

Q. I heard about something called "reinvestment funds" on a television financial newscast. These are for small investors who want to accumulate stock for such things as retirement and children's education.

It was mentioned that an investor could pay a "one-time" broker's fee and then buy more shares at will, without further fees. I have contacted several local brokerage firms, but have been told they do not handle these funds.

Can you provide information concerning these funds?

A. You're thinking about "dividend reinvestment plans," — DPRs, for short — very sensible and increasingly popular methods of long-term investing. They are available through well over 1,000 corporations — not brokerage houses.



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Here's how they work. You buy a small amount of stock, perhaps only one share, in a company with a DPR. Then, you sign up to participate in the plan. After that, instead of receiving the dividends paid on your stock by check, that money is automatically used to purchase more shares. You buy full and fractional shares, typically to the fourth decimal place.

The longer you stay in the plan, the larger your holding becomes. Each reinvested dividend increases the number of shares you own and the amount of the next dividend. And you are "dollar cost averaging" — buying fewer shares when prices are high and more shares when prices are low. As a result, your average cost per shares will be lower than the average of your purchase prices.

Many DPRs permit participants to make optional additional investments — send in checks to purchase still more shares. Details vary from plan to plan, but most allow you to make additional investments of as little as $50 and as much as $3,000 or $5,000 every three months.

The cost of participating in a DRP can be minimal or nonexistent, because the majority of companies with those plans pick up most or all of the expenses. Some companies allow reinvestments and even optional additional investments at discounts below prevailing market prices.

That "one-time" fee you mention would be the commission you pay to a broker for making your initial stock purchase. After that, you can deal directly with a company's DRP and never pay another brokerage commission.

Q. Where can I obtain a list of companies with dividend reinvestment plans?

A. Various publications print such lists from time to time. But the list changes frequently. The best source I know is Evergreen Enterprises, P.O. Box 763, Laurel, MD 20707, which sells a directory providing details on some 1,000 DRPs for $24.95.

As always, when an address is provided in this column, we have assurance that readers who write will not end up on mailing lists.

Q. I read somewhere that some companies will sell their stock directly to investors who do not already own any shares, thereby allowing participation in dividend reinvestment plans without ever dealing with a broker.

Can you name those companies?

A. Evergreen Enterprises, the font of knowledge on DRPs, says they are American Recreation Centers, Central Vermont Public Service, Citicorp, W.R. Grace, Great Northern Nekoosa, Johnson Controls, Kroger and Manufacturers Hanover.

Also, some electric and gas utility companies permit their customers to joint their DRPs directly. However, because people outside each utility's service area are excluded, those DRPs are not wide open to the general public.

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Washington gets look at oily rocks

WASHINGTON (AP) — Environmentalists tried a new tactic Wednesday in their dispute over Exxon's cleanup of oil-stained beaches in Alaska: They brought bits of the still polluted beaches to Washington.

Messengers from the National Wildlife Federation spread out across Capitol Hill to deliver zip-lock plastic bags of oil-stained Alaska rocks to every member of Congress.

Rock samples also went to the White House, to other key members of the Bush administration and to the top executives of Exxon Corp., in New York, according to spokesmen for the federation — as well as to reporters at a news conference.

"These are the rocks that Exxon has cleaned twice," Jay Hair, the federation's president. He said he brought them back from Smith Island, one of the areas of Alaska most affected by the massive spill from the Exxon Valdez oil tanker last March.

The island's beaches already have been cleaned twice by Exxon, but oil continues to seep up from beneath, having penetrated as much as 40 inches in some areas, the environmentalists said.

"We wanted every member of Congress to actually touch these rocks, to smell the palpable coatings of crude oil, to experience for themselves in a small way the immensity of this disaster," Hair said.

Criticism of Exxon's cleanup efforts increased this week as the hugh oil company was pulling most of its equipment and manpower out of the polluted areas for the winter. No further cleanup activity is planned until next spring.

Exxon, which has estimated that the cleanup costs likely will exceed $1 billion, claims that most of the contaminated beaches have been "environmentally stabilized" and has hinted that it may not return for further cleanup activities next next year.

Hair ridiculed Exxon's references to beaches being "environmentally stabilized."

"That's an Exxon euphemism. It does not mean cleaned up in any scientific sense," said Hair, whose federation is the country's largest conservation group with 5.8 million members. "No beaches have been cleaned. Exxon can not make this thing-go away by their arrogance."

Earlier this week nearly a dozen of the country's major environmental groups criticized Exxon's cleanup efforts, saying that claims by the oil company that 1,090 miles of contaminated shoreline have been cleaned cannot be substantiated by scientific fact.

The groups said the damage caused to wildlife by the spill has yet to be calculated, but that so far the confirmed casualties include more than 33,000 birds, 138 bald eagles, and 980 sea otters. Alaska's fishing industry also has been thrown into chaos.

Hair said that in many cases shorelines have been exposed to "irretrievable damage."



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National Wildlife Federation President Jay D. Hair holds oil coated rock from Valdez spill at a Washington press conference Wedneday.

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This morning's stock market

NEW YORK (AP)—Midday national prices for New York Stock Exchange issues

MUTUAL FUNDS

AAL Mutual:
CaGr p	10.83	11.37
Incp p	9.62	10.10
MuBd p	9.89	10.38

AARP Invest:
GaGr	34.02	NL
GlobM	15.09	NL
GovBd	15.14	NL
GthInc	26.00	NL
TxFBd	16.83	NL
TxFSh	15.20	NL

ABT Funds:
Emrg p	10.81	11.35
Gthin p	11.49	12.06
Sccin p	11.06	11.61
Utilin p	15.60	16.38
AdamCa p	18.21	18.77
ADTEK	10.75	NL
AdmtG p	9.17	9.60

AIM Funds:
Chart p	6.90	7.30
Const p	9.83	10.40
CvYld p	10.65	11.18
HiYld p	7.84	8.23
LtdMa p	9.81	9.98
Summit	8.37	
Weing p	12.15	12.86

A M A Funds:
ClsGt p	10.46	NL
EMT r	13.42	16.19

AMEV Funds:
AstAll	11.93	12.49
Capitl	15.92	17.40
CapAp	15.66	16.40
Fidcur	25.45	26.65
Grwth	21.48	23.48
HiYld	9.36	9.80
Specl	26.48	26.48
TF Nat	9.94	10.41
US Gvt	9.74	10.20
AcornF	43.94	43.94
Afuture	11.03	NL

Advest Advant:
Govt p	8.41	8.41
Gwth p	14.44	14.44
HY Bd	9.66	9.66
Inco p	10.95	10.95
Spcl p	12.05	12.05
AlgrSCp t	18.54	18.54
AlgerG t	13.52	13.52

Alliance Cap:
Alian p	7.06	7.47
Balan p	14.35	15.19
Canad p	9.00	9.52
Conv p	10.12	10.71
Count p	19.89	21.05
Divid p	3.10	3.28
Govt p	8.39	8.88
HiYld p	7.58	8.02
Intl p	18.71	19.80
ICalT p	12.24	12.75
InsMu	9.52	9.92
MonIn p	12.05	12.75
Mortg p	8.73	9.24
MuCA	9.66	10.06
MuNY	8.97	9.34
NtlMu	9.58	9.98
Quasr p	24.88	26.33
ST Mlt p	9.70	10.00
Survy p	15.56	16.47
Tech p	23.02	24.36

Altura Funds:
Grwth f	12.34	12.34
Inco f	10.05	10.05

Amer Capital:
Cmstk	16.57	18.11
Corp	6.80	7.14
Entrp	13.29	14.10
Exch	81.37	
FdMg p	12.77	13.41
Fd Am	12.26	13.01
GvSc p	10.30	10.81
Harbr	14.45	15.33
Hi Yld	7.84	8.23
Mun B	18.84	19.78
OTC	8.53	9.05
Pace	27.70	29.39
Provid	4.55	4.91
TEHY p	10.91	11.45
TxE I p	10.91	11.45
Ventr	15.07	15.99
AExpEV	14.25	14.54

American Funds:
A Bal p	12.00	12.73
Amcp p	12.50	13.26
AMutl p	20.95	22.23
Bond p	13.54	14.22
CapIB p	25.00	26.53
CapW p	14.34	15.06
Expac p	28.66	30.41
FdInv p	18.40	19.52
Govt p	13.58	14.26
Gwth p	23.08	24.49
HI Tr p	14.18	14.89
Inco p	13.32	14.13
IntBd p	13.82	14.51
ICA p	15.83	16.80
NEco p	26.17	27.77
N Per p	11.69	12.40
TxEx p	11.00	11.55
TECA p	14.15	14.86
TEMd p	14.10	14.80
TEVA p	14.35	15.07
Wsh p	15.30	16.23
A GthFd	7.54	8.24

Amer Natl Funds:
Grth	5.00	5.46
Inco	21.02	22.97
Triflex	15.80	17.08
API Tr	13.55	13.55
Amway	8.12	8.68
Analyt	13.65	13.65
Amstng	8.15	NL

Aquila Funds:
AZ TF	9.82	10.23
CO TF.	9.74	10.15
HI TF	10.87	11.32
KY TF	9.86	10.27
OR TF	9.90	10.31
AscPStk	17.97	18.87
AvonGv	9.88	10.29

Axe Houghton:
FndB p	9.01	NL
Incom p	5.13	NL
Stock p	7.29	NL
BB&K	11.27	NL

Babson Group:
BairdBl p	13.52	14.34
BairdCa p	19.15	20.32
BaronA r	17.47	17.47

Bartlett Funds:
BasVl	13.86	NL
FixedI	9.73	NL
Bascom	22.74	22.74
Beac Hill	28.29	28.29

Benham Capital:
CatfL	10.67	NL
CatfIn	9.22	NL
CatfH	8.70	NL
CaTFI	10.15	NL
GNMA	10.02	NL
GoldIn	9.30	NL
NITFI	10.00	NL
NITFL	10.91	NL
Tg1990	91.83	NL
Tg1995	62.93	NL
Tg2000	42.99	NL
Tg2005	28.84	NL
Tg2010	20.74	NL
Tg2015	15.90	NL
1 Note	10.05	NL

Berger Group:
100	25.32	NL
101	13.73	NL

Bernstein Fds:
DiscEGv p	9.99	10.66
DiscPr p	7.26	7.26
DiscSGr p	10.37	10.37

Boston Co:
CaAp p	35.08	NL
GNM p	12.02	NL
Mgdl p	11.43	NL
SpGth p	17.88	17.88
BosGrl	16.09	16.09
Brndywn	17.49	17.49
Bruce	94.01	94.01

Bull & Bear Gp:
Burnhm	22.91	24.12
CJL Trst	10.33	10.81
Calmos t	11.54	NL
CalMun p	8.96	8.96
CalTrst	11.41	NL
CalUS	9.58	NL

Calvert Group:
Ariel	27.86	29.17
Equty p	23.21	NL
GvtId	14.48	14.77
Inco	16.39	17.37
Social p	27.63	28.93
SocBd	15.94	16.69
SocEq	17.64	18.47
TxF Lt	10.63	10.84
TxF Lg	15.43	16.15
US Gov	14.73	15.42
WshA t	21.74	21.74

Capstone Group:
EqGrd	10.12	10.62
fd SW	13.99	14.69
Incom	5.11	5.36
PBHG	14.00	14.70
Trend	14.89	15.63

Carnegie Funds:
CapG p	18.69	19.57
CapTR	13.04	13.64
Govt p	9.42	9.86
TEChG	9.16	9.59
TENHi	9.57	10.02
Cardnl	17.64	19.28
CrdnlGv	8.78	9.22
Crt Shs	18.94	NL
ChpHY p	11.71	12.29
Chestnut	96.11	NL

CIGNA Funds:
Agrsv p	13.32	14.02
GvSc p	9.90	10.42
Grth p	15.21	16.01
HiYld p	9.82	10.34
Inco p	7.83	8.24
MunB p	7.74	8.15
Util p	13.06	13.75
Value p	16.16	17.01

Citibank IRA-CIT:
Balan f	2.11	2.11
Equit f	2.47	2.47
Incom f	1.88	1.88
ShtTr f	1.58	1.58
Clipper	47.95	47.95

Colonial Funds:
AGold p	20.25	21.72
ColTE p	7.00	7.35
CpCsh p	47.08	48.04
CCsll p	45.02	45.94
Dvsdln	7.55	8.10
Fund p	21.35	22.90
GvSec p	11.18	11.99
Gwth p	13.79	14.79
HiYld p	6.90	7.24
Incom p	6.61	6.94
IncPls	9.69	10.39
IntEq p	18.38	19.30
MATx p	7.14	7.50
Mi TE p	6.58	6.91
MnTE p	6.86	7.20
NYTE p	6.64	6.97
OhTE	6.82	7.16
SmlIn p	14.08	14.78
TXIns p	7.64	8.02
TxEx p	13.02	13.67
US Gv p	7.14	7.50
US Id p	16.88	17.72

Colonial VIP:
AggG t	13.06	13.06
DvRet t	11.93	11.93
Hilnc t	9.73	9.73
HYMu t	9.88	9.88
Co DTE	9.96	10.36

Columbia Funds:
Fixed	12.67	12.67
Grth	26.80	NL
Muni r	11.56	11.56
Specl r	44.99	44.99

Common Sense:
Govt	11.36	12.18
Grwth	13.40	14.64
Grlnc	13.05	14.26
MunB	12.36	12.98
Cwlth AB	1.56	1.69
Cwlth CD	2.18	2.36
CmpsEq	10.55	11.05
CmpsGr	10.64	11.14

Composite Group:
BdStk p	11.20	11.67
Gwth p	12.63	13.16
InFd p	8.56	8.92
NW50 p	20.33	21.29
TxEx p	7.24	7.54
USGv p	10.02	10.44
ConcCnv	10.19	10.90

Conn Mutual:
Govt	10.53	11.03
Grwth	14.39	15.35
TotRet	13.46	14.36
ConstEl	10.86	11.37
Copley	13.94	NL

Counsellors Fd:
Ctry Cap	16.95	17.47
Cowen t	12.00	12.61
CownOp p	11.30	11.88

Critrn Transam:
GvInc p	8.62	8.84
GvSec p	8.32	8.73
GrIn p	10.02	10.52
InvQl p	9.04	9.49
Lowry p	10.27	10.78
SunbR p	21.05	22.10
TF In	10.16	10.67
Tech p	21.94	23.03

CritTrans Spcl:
BlChp t	9.43	9.43
CvSec t	9.92	9.92
Globl t	12.52	12.52
GvInc t	9.99	9.99
HiYld t	8.69	8.69
HYTF t	9.35	9.35

Dean Witter:
AmVl t	16.36	16.36
CalTF t	11.94	11.94
Convt t	9.72	9.72
DevGr t	11.09	11.09
DvGth t	23.97	23.97
GPlus t	9.22	9.22
HiYld	10.26	10.86
Intmd t	9.99	9.99
NYTF t	11.15	11.15
NtlRs t	11.90	11.90
Optn t	9.15	9.15
SearT p	11.29	NL
AdTx p	9.00	NL
Mngd t	10.31	10.31
Strat	11.26	11.92
TaxEx	11.16	11.63
USGvt t	9.51	9.51
Util	11.72	11.72
ValAd t	15.04	15.04
WWIn	9.68	9.68
WldW t	15.44	15.44

Delaware Group:
Dectrl	19.93	21.78
Decttl p	13.82	14.51
Delaw	17.76	19.05
Delcp p	18.64	19.57
Delchl	7.42	7.96
Dlchll p	7.42	7.79
Gvtin p	8.62	9.05
Invas p	9.67	NL
TxFPo	7.89	8.28
TF USI	10.69	11.22
TxFU	11.61	12.19
Trend	10.31	11.27
Value	14.55	15.28
Destinyl	14.70	14.70
Destll	21.29	21.29

Dimensional Fds:
DG Div	24.83	24.83

Dodge&Cox:
Balan	37.06	NL
Inco	10.59	NL
Stock	42.71	NL

Dreyfus Grp:
StrAg p	28.79	29.68
StInc p	13.25	13.87
StInv p	19.28	20.19
StrW p	22.80	23.51

Eaton Vance:
EVStk	15.19	15.95
GvtOb p	11.39	11.96
Grwth	7.99	8.39
IncBos	9.29	9.75
Invest	7.64	8.02
MunBd	9.11	9.56
Nautls	11.98	12.58
SpEqt	22.42	23.54
TotRt p	9.21	9.67
VS Spl	13.21	13.87

Eaton V Marathn:
CalMn t	9.95	9.95
Hilnc t	9.02	9.02
HiMun t	9.63	9.63
EclipEq	12.11	NL
EmpBld	16.97	NL

Enterprise Group:
GvSec t	11.87	11.87
Grlnc t	15.79	15.79
Grwth t	7.61	7.61
HYBd t	12.17	12.17
IntlGr t	13.87	13.87
PrecMt t	12.56	12.56

Equitec Siebel:
AgGth t	14.09	14.09
HiYld t	8.70	8.70
TotRet t	14.89	14.89
USGv t	9.12	9.12
EqStrat	19.44	NL
EurpEm	11.49	12.03

Evergreen Funds:
Evgrn	13.98	NL
TotRtn	19.55	NL
ValTm	13.13	NL
LtdMk	22.19	NL
ExcelMid	2.66	2.79
ExcelVal	7.96	8.34
ExcHY p	8.59	9.02
FBL Gth t	11.32	11.32

FPA Funds:
Capit	14.60	15.61
Nwinc	9.99	10.46
Parmt	14.85	15.88
Paren	22.10	23.64
Fairmt	53.10	NL

Federated Funds:
FCCT	8.95	NL
Exch	59.57	NL
FBF	9.17	NL
FTIT	16.77	NL
FIGT	9.66	NL
FFRT	9.47	NL
GNMA	11.07	NL
FGRO	22.48	NL
FHYT	9.50	NL
FIT	10.22	NL
FIMT	9.88	NL
FVRM	9.91	NL
FSIMT	10.12	NL
FSIGT	9.99	NL
FSBF	16.16	NL
FST	26.84	NL
FGVT	9.52	NL
Fedinvre	12.09	12.09

Fidelity Invest:
AgrTF r	11.56	NL
A Mgr	11.41	11.41
Balanc	11.85	12.09
BluCh	13.63	13.91
CA TF	11.18	NL
CA In	9.64	NL
Canad r	15.50	15.82
CapAp r	18.02	18.39
CngSt	111.32	111.32
ConnT	10.65	NL
Contra	17.75	17.75
CnvSc	11.86	11.86
DivEq	13.58	13.58
Eq Inc	29.34	29.94
Eqldx	13.38	13.38
Europ r	15.57	15.89
Exch	82.46	82.46
Fidel	19.50	19.50
FlexB	6.90	NL
Fredm	15.63	NL
GloBd r	10.94	10.94
GNMA	10.29	NL
GovtSc	9.56	NL
GroInc	18.03	18.40
GroCo	20.11	20.73
Hilnc	8.23	NL
HiYld	12.70	NL
InsMu	10.99	NL
IntBd	10.07	NL
IntGr r	12.96	13.09
LtdMu	9.27	NL
MagIn	63.57	65.54
OTC	22.52	23.22
Overse	26.30	27.11
PcBas r	14.93	15.23
Pa TF	9.85	NL
Puritn	14.49	14.79
RealEs	9.93	10.13
ShtBd	9.32	9.32
ShtTGv	9.93	9.93
Sht TF	9.45	NL
SprtG	10.47	10.47
SpcSit	19.61	20.43
TX TF	10.30	NL
Trend	49.83	49.83
UtilInc	12.23	12.48
Value	33.10	NL

Fidl Inv Instit:
CTAR r	9.22	9.22
EqP G	17.03	NL
EqP I	13.08	NL
IP LTD	10.35	10.35
QualD	12.62	12.62

Fidelity Selects:
SlAir r	13.40	13.67
SlAGl r	14.89	15.19
SlBio r	14.19	14.48
SlBrd r	18.28	18.65
SlBrk r	9.94	10.14
SlChe r	26.33	26.87
SlCmp r	11.67	11.91
SlDef r	13.46	13.73
SlElec r	7.61	7.77
SlEUt	10.88	11.10
SlEng r	16.11	16.44
SlEnS r	10.47	10.68
SlEnv r	10.94	11.16
SlFnS r	36.04	36.78
SlFd r	23.52	24.00
SlHlth r	45.15	46.07
SlInd r	14.89	15.19
SlLesr r	32.70	33.37
SlMD r	11.73	11.97
SlMetl r	12.06	12.31
SlPap r	13.41	13.68
SlPrp r	14.33	14.62
SlReg r	13.33	13.60
SlRetl r	16.79	17.13
SlSL r	12.87	13.13
SlSoft r	14.52	14.82
SlTec r	19.17	19.56
SlTele r	26.18	26.71
SlUtil r	31.96	32.61

Fidl Plymth:
GovSc t	9.26	9.65
GrOp p	17.18	17.90
HiYld p	9.68	10.08
IncGt p	13.14	13.69
ST Bd p	9.92	10.07
SpcSit p	19.40	20.21
FiduCap	18.63	18.63

Financial Prog:
FstEag r	14.85	14.85

Fst Investors:
BlChp p	12.27	13.23
BdAp p	8.74	9.42
Disco p	10.60	11.58
Govt p	10.96	11.82
Gwth p	6.92	7.56
HighY p	6.02	6.49
Inco p	4.81	5.26
IntSc p	5.39	5.89
NYTF p	13.86	14.94
SpcBd	12.64	13.63
TxEx p	10.06	10.85
Value p	11.24	12.28

First Trust:
TFInc p	13.75	14.10
TFIns p	15.45	15.85
USGv p	10.24	10.50

Flag Investors:
CrpCs p	9.73	9.73
EmGt p	15.70	16.44
IntTr p	13.98	14.64
TxFin p	21.37	22.38
TRTs p	10.33	10.82

Flagship Group:
AATE p	9.77	10.20
AZTE p	9.65	10.07
CpCsh p	33.89	NL
CTTE p	9.71	10.14
GATE p	9.80	10.23
KYTE p	9.95	10.39
MITE p	10.66	11.13
NCTE p	9.52	9.94
OHTE p	10.51	10.97
PATE p	9.49	9.91
TnTE p	10.20	10.65
VATE p	9.72	10.15

Flex Funds:
Bond p	18.24	18.24
Grth p	11.39	NL
IncGr p	19.86	19.86
Muir fp	5.99	5.99

Fortress Invst:
GtSt r	9.34	9.43
HiQal t	14.28	14.42
HY M t	10.22	10.32
TP US r	10.35	10.35
44 WtEq	5.42	5.47
44Wall	2.79	2.79

Founders Group:
BlueC p	8.16	NL
Frntr p	20.51	NL
Gwth p	11.12	NL
Inco p	8.40	NL
Specl	7.88	NL

Franklin Group:
AGE	3.10	3.23
AdjMt	10.08	10.50
AZ TF	10.59	11.03
Calins	11.20	11.67
CvtSc	10.13	10.55
DNTC	14.89	15.51
Equity	7.63	7.95
FedTx	11.36	11.83
FL TF	10.76	11.21
Gold	12.24	12.75
Grwth	23.71	24.70
HY TF	10.65	11.09
Incom	2.12	2.21
InsTF	11.35	11.82
MaTF	10.82	11.27
MI Tax	11.14	11.60
MNIns	11.50	11.98
NJTF	10.73	11.18
NY Tax	11.01	11.47
Ohiol	11.26	11.73
ORTF	10.67	11.11
PaTF	9.74	10.15
Option	5.68	5.92
PR TF	10.82	11.27
SI Gov	10.25	10.41
TA Gov	10.10	10.52
TxAMY	9.19	9.57
Utils	8.04	8.38
US Gov	6.91	7.20
CalTx	6.93	7.22

Franklin Mgd Tr:
CpCsh p	21.45	21.78
InvGd p	8.60	8.96
RisDv p	11.62	12.10

Freedom Funds:
EqVal t	11.95	11.95
Globl t	13.14	13.14
GlIPl t	10.17	10.17
Gold t	15.16	15.16
GvPls t	9.93	9.93
MgTE t	10.84	10.84
RgBk t	13.21	13.21
FmntMA	11.39	NL

FundTrust:
Aggr fp	14.55	14.77
Grth fp	15.35	15.58
Grol fp	15.07	15.30
Inco f	9.63	9.78

Fund Source:
EqTr p	11.48	11.96
GvSec	6.89	7.01

Gabelli Funds:
Asset t	18.72	18.72
CnvSc	10.51	NL
Gwth t	17.30	17.30
Geico fp	20.99	NL

GIT Invst:
EqSpc	18.87	NL
HiYd	10.70	NL
InMax	8.07	NL
InARt	10.12	NL
TFVA	10.96	NL
GNA r	9.66	9.66
GatwyGr	12.84	NL
GtwyOp	15.13	NL

GT Global:
Amer p	12.77	13.41
Bond p	11.16	11.72
Euro p	9.80	10.29
GvInc p	10.38	10.90
Intl p	8.46	8.88
Japan p	14.00	14.70
Pacif p	11.74	12.33
Wldw p	12.85	13.49

Galaxy Funds:
Bond	10.23	10.23
Equity	12.20	12.20
GenAgr p	25.60	NL

Gen Elec Inv:
GenSec	12.91	12.91
GnTxE p		

Gintel Group:
CaAp p	17.05	NL
Erisa p	43.48	NL
GintFd	84.62	NL

Gradison Funds:
EstGr p	19.70	NL
GvIn p	12.98	13.24
OpGr p	15.18	NL
Grnspg	13.77	NL
GwWsh p	14.81	15.59
Grth Ind	9.76	9.76

Guardian Funds:
Bond	11.83	NL
ParkA	25.53	26.73
Stock	23.94	NL
HTInseq	13.54	14.18
HanCalo	9.65	10.13

Harbor Funds:
Grwth	13.62	NL
Intl	16.21	NL
US Eq	13.92	NL

Hartwell Fds:
EmgGt	15.90	16.39
Gwth	20.32	20.95
HrvstG p	11.08	11.76
HeartG p	9.18	9.61
HeartId p	16.80	17.59

Heimsman Fds:
DiscEq	11.73	11.73
GrEq	11.66	11.66
Income	9.93	9.93
IncEq	11.02	11.02
Heritge p	14.43	15.03
HrtgCv p	10.45	10.89
HiMark	12.13	NL

Home Group:
GvSec	9.46	9.93
HY Bd	9.59	10.07
NatTF p	7.00	7.35
Hor Man	22.08	22.08
Hummer	16.53	NL

IAI Funds:
Apollo	14.29	14.29
Bond	10.14	10.14
IntFd	11.39	11.39
Region	22.18	22.18
Resve	10.25	10.25
Stock	17.77	17.77

IDS Group:
Bond p	4.75	5.00
Col p	4.90	5.15
Discv p	8.15	8.58
Equit p	10.00	10.52
Extrl p	4.44	4.67
FedIn p	5.01	5.28
GlobBd	5.17	5.44
Gwth p	23.05	24.26
HiYld p	4.51	4.75
Insr p	4.96	5.23
Intl p	9.27	9.76
MgdR p	9.81	10.32
Minn p	4.99	5.25
Mutl p	13.39	14.09
NY p	4.85	5.10
NwD p	10.16	10.69
PreMt p	6.88	7.25
Prog p	7.25	7.64
Select p	8.65	9.11
Stock p	21.07	22.18
TE Bd p	4.04	4.25
StrAg t	12.09	12.09
StrEq t	8.96	8.96
StrInc t	5.77	5.77
StrST t	1.00	1.00
UtilIn	5.73	6.04
StrPa t	4.46	4.46

IDEX Group:
Idex	17.83	19.49
Idex II	16.91	18.48
Idex 3	14.87	16.25
TotInc	9.74	10.47
IMG Bd	10.68	10.95
IMG Stk	15.07	15.87

Integrated Resc:
AgGth p	18.51	19.43
CapAp t	15.57	15.57
CvSec p	10.50	11.02
Grwth p	17.68	18.56
HiYld p	10.12	10.62
Home t	10.10	10.10
IncPl t	8.39	8.39
Stripe p	12.26	12.87
TotRt p	16.71	17.54
GvPl p	10.28	10.79
IntlCsh p	13.20	13.37

Invst Portfolio:
Divin t	5.90	5.90
Equit t	14.26	14.26
GvtPl t	7.48	7.48
HiYd t	8.88	8.88
InPtr t	10.82	10.82
InvPrf p	9.99	10.41

Inv Tr Boat:
GrOp p	11.67	12.19
Hilnc p	10.88	11.36
MasT p	16.32	17.04
Inv Resh	6.11	6.68
Istel p	14.34	NL

Ivy Funds:
Grwth	16.77	NL
Inst	12.20	NL
Intl	20.28	NL
JP Grth	15.17	16.27
JP Inco	9.46	10.14
JW Gant	1.92	2.05

John Hancock:
AstAll	11.01	11.56
Bond	14.92	16.31
FxdIn p	9.06	9.51
Globl	16.92	18.49
Grwth	17.13	18.72
Hilnc p	8.92	9.36
FdPl p	9.29	9.75
PcBas p	11.23	11.79
SpclEq	6.70	7.32
TxEx p	10.64	11.17
USGv	8.79	9.61
GtdMt	10.00	10.93
Kaufmn r	1.63	NL

Kemper Funds:
BluCh p	10.01	10.48
DivInc	7.91	8.64
EnhG p	8.59	8.99
CalTx	7.23	7.57
Gold p	7.56	7.92
Grow	9.51	10.39
Hi Yld	10.44	10.93
Incom	8.35	8.74
IntlFd	10.25	11.20
Mun B	9.70	10.16
NYTF	10.13	10.61
Summ	4.59	5.02
Tech	10.23	11.18
Tot Rt	8.40	9.18
US Gv	9.06	9.49
KyTxFr	6.73	6.73

Keystone:
CusB1 t	15.80	15.80
CusB2 t	17.80	17.80
CusB4 t	6.08	6.08
CusK1 t	9.34	9.34
CusK2 t	7.79	7.79
CusS1 t	24.40	24.40
CusS3 t	9.22	9.22
CusS4 t	6.01	6.01
Intl t	7.14	7.14
KPM t	17.12	17.12
TxETr t	10.85	10.85
TaxF t	8.25	8.25

Keystone America:
Eqln t	11.40	11.63
GlbInc t	9.48	9.67
GovSc t	9.99	10.19
GtStk t	13.78	14.06
HiYld t	8.98	9.16
InvGd t	8.84	9.02
Omeg t	17.35	17.70
TxFr t	10.20	10.41

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Baker sells pastries door to door

By CAROL RUST

PORT ARTHUR, Texas (AP) — The faded blue van rumbles around the corner; the brakes screech as it stops.

Heliodoro Nava gets out, slamming the van door behind him. He hurries up a walk to a house and ignores a barking dog to knock on the door.

Then he gives the cry that has earned him a name in Hispanic communities in Southeast Texas: "Pan," he says, announcing the weekly arrival of the bread that fills his bakery early each morning with the smells of butter, sugar and cinnamon.

Sometimes it is an old woman who fumbles with the latch to open the door; other times it is a barefoot child who dances from foot to foot to keep them from burning on the hot pavement as she walks along the street.

They follow Nava to the back of his van and wait as he opens the door, making a majestic sweeping gesture toward the inside.

"Pan," he repeats, beaming. And the sight of hundreds of pastries, stacked neatly in long flat pans and still smelling fresh from the oven, always draws exclamations no matter how many times customers have seen it.



AP Laserphoto

Heliodoro Nava works at his bakery early in the morning preparing the pastries he sells door to door. Nava, who has been making Mexican pastries for 43 years, hopes to earn enough money to bring his family to the United States.

Nava, 56, has been a baker since he was a barefoot 13-year-old in his native San Luis Potosi in Mexico. He has baked in markets and bakeries in Los Angeles, Chicago and Houston. But at his current location in the faded white house in Port Arthur, Nava has faith he can make it.

He is the only Mexican baker in Southeast Texas known to deliver door to door.

Nava hopes to earn enough money one day to allow his wife to come to the United States; for the time being, he sends money home to her, his children and grandchildren.

And every day, seven days a week, the short little man with the wide grin works 10 to 20 hours. He rises before dawn to start mixing the various batters, going through hundreds of eggs and pounds of butter and flour each day.

Just as soon as his one employee reaches the bakery, Nava hits the road with a van full of wares to deliver in Beaumont, Port Neches, Nederland — anywhere there's a customer.

"I know how to make all the Mexican pastries, but I just make the ones that sell the best," he said. If someone asks for a specific kind of pastry he doesn't normally make, he'll gladly fill the request.

Since he got a license last month from the city health department to operate a bakery, he plans to put a bigger sign out front to advertise the dozens of kinds of pastries and pies he makes.

And at some point, Nava hasn't ruled out locating bakeries in other areas. But no matter how much business picks up at the present bakery, he will continue delivering door to door.

Scholar says males ruined Little Red Riding Hood

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — The Little Red Riding Hood story read to generations of children is a fake, distorted from original folk versions by male writers who made the girl into a frail victim, an anthropologist said recently.

"Male writers completely ruined the tale by bringing men into it," said Alan Dundes of the University of California-Berkeley, editor of a new book of scholarly essays on the classic folktale.

"They made the girl a weak little thing who had to be rescued. The original folktale is a female story in which the mother sends the daughter out and the little girl is triumphant."

Dundes' book includes analyses of Little Red Riding Hood by psychologists, historians, anthropologists and sociologists, plus versions of the oral folktale collected in Europe and Asia.

"There are enough oral versions around in different languages so that we know what the original must have been like," Dundes said in an interview.

The original folktales may have been considered too crude by Charles Perrault, the French writer who first put the story into written form in 1697 and made it into a moral fable warning girls against listening to strangers, Dundes said. At the end, Little Red Riding Hood got gobbled up by the wolf.

The Grimm brothers, Jacob and Wilhelm, based their popular 1812 story on a second-hand account of Perrault's version and changed the ending. This time the girl was saved by a hunter, who cut open the wolf's stomach to allow Little Red Riding Hood and her grandmother to spring out alive.

Once upon a time, though, Little Red Riding Hood was a craftier character who escaped the wolf's big teeth. In fact, said Dundes, the wolf was orginally female and the little girl didn't even have a red hood.

In European oral folk stories, the girl unwittingly eats the flesh and blood of her grandmother, who had been killed by the wolf, Dundes said. In various Asian versions, she is tricked by the villain, usually a female tiger or ogress, into eating her sister's finger or bone.

In all the oral stories, Dundes said, the girl triumphs over the villain and gets away.

Perrault and the Grimm brothers left out the cannibalism and made Little Red Riding Hood into "a real wimp" who "stupidly tells the wolf where she's going" on the way to her grandmother, Dundes said.

"The feminists have attacked the wrong tale," Dundes said. "They are rightly concerned about the influence fairy tales have in society. But they should be attacking the Grimm or Perrault or Walt Disney versions. It's not the tale that's at fault. It's the male versions."

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BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS OF PROPOSED

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

SPECIAL ELECTION
NOVEMBER 7, 1989

PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 102 proposes a constitutional amendment that would increase the salary of members of the legislature to one-fourth of the Governor's salary and increase the salary of the Lieutenant Governor and the Speaker of the House of Representatives to one-half of the Governor's salary. The annual salary of members of the legislature, the Lieutenant Governor, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives is currently $7,200. Under this provision, the annual salary of the Lieutenant Governor and the Speaker would be $46,716, and the annual salary of members of the legislature would be $23,358, based on the Governor's current annual salary of $93,432. The increase for the Speaker and the members of the legislature would take effect when the legislature convenes for its regular session in January 1991. The increase for the Lieutenant Governor would take effect when the term of that office begins in 1991. The salary increase for the Lieutenant Governor would not make members of the legislature ineligible to run for the office of Lieutenant Governor.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to limit the salary of the lieutenant governor and the speaker of the house of representatives to not more than one-half of the governor's salary and to limit the salary of a member of the legislature to not more than one-fourth of the governor's salary."

PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 5 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the Texas Water Development Board to issue an additional $500 million of Texas water development bonds. The additional bonds are to be used as follows: $250 million of the bonds are to be used for water supply loans and facilities acquisition; $200 million of the bonds are to be used for water quality enhancement projects; and $50 million of the bonds are to be used for flood control. The legislature may provide that $100 million be used for subsidized loans and grants to economically distressed areas of the state for water and wastewater facilities.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to authorize the issuance of an additional $500 million of Texas water development bonds for water supply, water quality, and flood control purposes."

PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 51 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to provide for the issuance of general obligation bonds to provide money to establish a Texas agricultural fund, a rural microenterprise development fund, a Texas product development fund, and a Texas small business incubator fund in the state treasury. The Texas agricultural fund would be used to provide financial assistance to develop, increase, improve, or expand the production, processing, marketing, or export of crops or products grown or produced in Texas by Texas agricultural businesses. The rural microenterprise development fund would be used to stimulate the creation and expansion of small businesses in rural areas. The Texas product development fund would be used to aid in the development and production of new or improved products in this state. The Texas small business incubator fund would be used to stimulate the development of small businesses in the State.

The principal amount of bonds outstanding at one time could not exceed $25 million for the Texas agricultural fund and $5 million for the rural microenterprise development fund. The financial assistance offered by both funds could include loan guarantees, insurance, coinsurance, loans, and indirect loans or purchases or acceptances of assignments of loans or other obligations. To carry out the Texas product development fund, the legislature could authorize loans, loan guarantees, and equity investments, and the issuance of up to $25 million of general obligation bonds for initial funding. To carry out the Texas small business incubator fund, the legislature could authorize loans and grants of money, and the issuance of up to $20 million of general obligation bonds for initial funding.

Bonds authorized under this amendment would be paid out of the first money coming into the treasury in each fiscal year that is not otherwise appropriated by the constitution, less any amount in any interest and sinking account at the end of the preceding fiscal year that is pledged to payment of the bonds or interest.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for the recovery and further development of the state's economy, with goals of increasing job opportunities and other benefits for Texas residents, through state financing of the development and production of Texas products and businesses."

PROPOSITION NO. 4 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 13 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature, by general law, to exempt from ad valorem taxes property owned by nonprofit veterans organizations that are chartered or incorporated by the United States Congress.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to exempt property of nonprofit veterans organizations from ad valorem taxation."

PROPOSITION NO. 5 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 11 proposes a constitutional amendment that would provide an exemption from ad valorem taxation for goods, wares, merchandise, other tangible personal property (including aircraft), and ores (other than oil, gas, and petroleum products) if the property is acquired in or imported into the state and is destined to be forwarded out of the state, regardless of whether the intention to forward the property existed when the property was acquired or imported into the state, if it remains in Texas for 175 days or less for assembly, storage, manufacture, processing, or fabrication. The proposed amendment would authorize the governing body of a county, municipality, school district, or junior college district to prevent the exemption of this tangible personal property from taxation by taking official action before April 1, 1990. A county, municipality, school district, or junior college district could rescind a decision to tax the property, in which case the exemption would become effective in the year of the rescission and the property could not thereafter be taxed.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment promoting economic growth, job creation, and fair tax treatment for Texans who export goods to other states and nations by restoring and allowing, on a local option basis, an ad valorem tax exemption for certain personal property that is in Texas only temporarily for the purpose of assembling, storing, manufacturing, processing or fabricating."

PROPOSITION NO. 6 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 4 proposes a constitutional amendment that would enable the legislature to provide, by general or special law, that members of a hospital district board may serve terms not to exceed four years. Currently, hospital district board members' terms are two years.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"Authorizing the members of a hospital district governing board to serve four-year terms."

PROPOSITION NO. 7 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 40 proposes a constitutional amendment that would change the format of the oath of office for officeholders in this state. All elected and appointed officers would be required to take an oath or affirmation swearing to faithfully execute the duties of office and to preserve, protect, and defend the constitution and laws of the State and the United States. In addition, each elected and appointed officer would be required to sign a sworn statement that he or she had not paid, offered, or promised anything of value for a vote or to secure appointment to an office, as applicable. The written, sworn statement would be filed with the secretary of state. The information in the statement is currently contained in the oaths of office taken by elected and appointed officials.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to require that a member of the legislature, the secretary of state, and an elected or appointed officer, before assuming office, sign a written oath stating that the member, the secretary of state, or the officer did not engage in bribery to obtain the office."

PROPOSITION NO. 8 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 24 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature to authorize the issuance of up to $400 million in general obligation bonds. The proceeds of the bonds could be used to acquire, construct, or equip new corrections institutions, mental health and mental retardation institutions, youth corrections institutions, and statewide law enforcement facilities and to repair and renovate existing facilities of those institutions. The bonds would constitute a general obligation of the state. The bonds and interest on the bonds would be paid from the first money coming into the treasury that is not otherwise appropriated by the consitution, less any amount in a sinking fund at the end of the preceding fiscal year that is pledged to payment of the bonds or interest.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the issuance of general obligation bonds for projects relating to facilities of corrections institutions, youth corrections institutions, and mental health and mental retardation institutions and for the expansion of statewide law enforcement facilities."

PROPOSITION NO. 9 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 101 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to pass laws to organize and combine state agencies that perform criminal justice functions. The legislature could combine into one or more agencies all agencies that have authority over the confinement and supervision of convicted criminals, that set standards for or distribute state funds to political subdivisions with authority over the confinement and supervision of convicted criminals, and that gather information about criminal justice administration. Agencies that could be combined would include the Texas Department of Corrections, the Board of Pardons and Paroles, and the Texas Adult Probation Commission. The amendment would also authorize the legislature to pass laws authorizing the appointment of members of more than one department of government to serve on the governing body.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to organize and combine various state agencies that perform criminal justice functions."

PROPOSITION NO. 10 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 4 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to enact laws requiring or permitting judges to advise juries that a defendant convicted of a criminal offense can receive credit for good conduct that results in a shorter prison term and that eligibility for parole or mandatory supervision can also affect the length of time a convicted criminal serves in prison.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to require or permit courts to inform juries about the effect of good conduct time and eligibility for parole or mandatory supervision on the period of incarceration served by a defendant convicted of a criminal offense."

PROPOSITION NO. 11 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 102 proposes a constitutional amendment that would increase the per diem of members of the Legislature. The amount of per diem allowed during a calendar year would be equal to the maximum amount allowed for federal income tax purposes as of January 1 of that same year as a deduction for living expenses incurred by a state legislator. The per diem of $30 would increase to $81, which is the current maximum living expense deduction.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to set the amount of per diem received by a member of the legislature at the amount allowed for federal income tax purposes as a deduction for living expenses incurred by a state legislator in connection with official business."

PROPOSITION NO. 12 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 53 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to provide for the use of the permanent school fund and the income from the permanent school fund to guarantee bonds issued by the state for the purpose of providing loans or purchasing the bonds of school districts to acquire, construct, renovate, or improve instructional facilities. If the permanent school fund were required to make payment as a result of its guarantee of bonds issued by the state, the fund would have to be reimbursed immediately from the state treasury. The amount of bonds guaranteed by the permanent school fund could not exceed $750 million unless a higher amount was authorized by a two-thirds vote of both houses of the legislature. If a school district were to become delinquent on a loan, the amount of the delinquency would be offset against other aid to which the district was entitled.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to provide for using the permanent school fund and its income to guarantee bonds issued by the state for the purpose of aiding school districts."

PROPOSITION NO. 13 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 19 proposes a constitutional amendment that would provide a bill of rights for crime victims. This constitutional amendment would give crime victims the right to be treated with fairness and respect and to be reasonably protected from the defendant. On his request, the crime victim would have the right to notification of court proceedings, the right to be present at all public court proceedings unless a court determines that the victim's testimony would be affected by hearing other testimony, the right to confer with a representative of the prosecutor's office, the right to restitution, and the right to information about the conviction, sentence, imprisonment, and release of the defendant. The legislature would be authorized to enact laws to define the term "victim," to enforce the rights of crime victims, and to provide that certain public officers and agencies are not liable for a failure to protect a victim's rights.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment providing a bill of rights for crime victims."

PROPOSITION NO. 14 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 71 proposes a constitutional amendment that would require the district attorney in Fort Bend County to be elected and serve terms at the same times as criminal district attorneys in the state. Currently, criminal district attorneys are elected in gubernatorial election years and district attorneys are elected in presidential election years.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment requiring a district attorney serving in Fort Bend County to be elected and serve a term in the manner provided by general law for criminal district attorneys."

PROPOSITION NO. 15 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 32 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature, by general law, to permit charitable raffles conducted by qualified nonprofit organizations. The amendment would require that the raffles be conducted, promoted, and administered only by members of the qualified nonprofit organizations and that the proceeds from the sale of raffle tickets must be spent for the charitable purposes of the organizations.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to permit and regulate raffles conducted by certain nonprofit organizations for charitable purposes."

PROPOSITION NO. 16 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 34 proposes a constitutional amendment allowing the legislature to pass general laws authorizing the creation of hospital districts upon approval of a majority of the qualified voters of the district. The amendment would also permit the legislature to authorize the creation of hospital districts by general or special law in counties with populations of 75,000 or less and to authorize the commissioners courts of such counties to levy ad valorem taxes and issue general obligation bonds for the support and maintenance of such districts.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment granting to the people the right to decide whether to create and maintain hospital districts to protect the public well-being in a manner independent of the legislature."

PROPOSITION NO. 17 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 33 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature, by general law, to authorize the use of public money to provide local fire departments and other public firefighting organizations loans or other financial assistance to purchase firefighting equipment and to aid in complying with federal and state law. The legislature would also be allowed to authorize the use of public money for scholarships and grants to educate and train members of these organizations. Part of the money could be used for administrative costs of this program. The legislature would provide for the terms and conditions of all such scholarships, grants, loans, and other financial assistance.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the state to provide scholarships, grants, loans, and other financial assistance to local fire departments and other public fire-fighting organizations to purchase fire-fighting equipment, to aid in providing necessary equipment and facilities to comply with federal and state law, and to educate and train their members."

PROPOSITION NO. 18 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 44 proposes a constitutional amendment that would repeal subsection (e) of Article III, Section 50-d of the constitution. Article III, Section 50-d currently allows the Texas Water Development Board to issue and sell Texas agricultural water conservation bonds in an amount not to exceed $200 million, if two-thirds of the members of each house of the legislature approve. Under subsection (e), this authority will expire in November, 1989. Repeal of subsection (e) by passage of this amendment would continue in effect the authority to issue and sell the bonds.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to eliminate certain time limitations relating to the issuance of Texas agricultural water conservation bonds."

PROPOSITION NO. 19 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 59 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow local governments to invest their funds as authorized by the legislature. Currently, the constitutional prohibition against a grant of public money to an individual, association, or corporation or against becoming a stockholder in a corporation, association, or company prevents local governments from making some kinds of investments. This proposed amendment would allow local governments to make any investments authorized by the legislature.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to authorize local governments to invest their funds as provided by law."

PROPOSITION NO. 20 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 16 proposes a constitutional amendment which, if passed, would abolish the office of county surveyor in Cass, Ector, Garza, Smith, Bexar, Harris, and Webb Counties. A majority of the voters in an affected county must vote in favor of this proposed amendment before the office is abolished in that county. If the office of county surveyor is abolished in any of these counties, the powers, duties, and functions of the office are transferred to a county officer or employee designated by the commissioners court of the county in which the office is abolished.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to abolish the office of county surveyor in Cass, Ector, Garza, Smith, Bexar, Harris, and Webb Counties."

PROPOSITION NO. 21 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 74 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to enact laws authorizing the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board or its successor to provide for, issue, and sell an additional $75 million in general obligation bonds as college savings bonds. The form, terms, and denominations of the bonds would be prescribed by law. The interest rate and installments would be prescribed by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board or its successor. The maximum net effective interest rate would be set by law. Proceeds from the sale of the bonds would be credited to the Texas opportunity plan fund, which is used to make loans to students to attend institutions of higher education in Texas. The bonds and interest on the bonds would be payable from the first money coming into the treasury in each fiscal year that is not already appropriated by the constitution, less the amount remaining in the sinking fund at the close of the prior fiscal year.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment providing for the issuance of general obligation bonds as college savings bonds to provide educational loans to students and to encourage the public to save for a college education."

Estos son los informes explanatorios sobre las enmiendas propuestas a la constitución que aparacerán en la boleta el día 7 de noviembre de 1989. Si usted no ha recibido una copia de los informes en español, podrá obtener una gratis por llamar al 1/800/252/8683 o por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12060, Austin, Texas 78711.

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New foundation dedicated to Mickey Leland's cause

WASHINGTON (AP) — A top official of the Chicago Mercantile Exchange says he's going to try to "awaken corporate America" to the causes that Rep. Mickey Leland died trying to help.

As a first step, Leo Melamed, chairman of the executive committee of the Chicago Merc, is joining the board of a newly created foundation dedicated to eradicating world hunger.

The foundation's first effort is a university center devoted to the issue of global hunger, and on Wednesday it received seed money of $100,000 from the Merc.

The center, at Leland's alma mater, Texas Southern University in Houston, will be known as the Mickey Leland Center on Global Hunger.

Leland, the founder and chairman of the House Select Committee on Hunger, died last month when his bush plane slammed into a remote Ethiopian mountain on its way to a refugee camp on the Sudanese border. It was Leland's sixth trip to Ethiopia since 1984 to learn more about the condition of thousands of starving Africans.

At a brief Capitol Hill ceremony, Melamed and John Geldermann, chairman of the board, presented a check for $100,000 to Texas Southern President William H. Harris.

"World hunger must be eradicated or we can never have world peace," Harris said.

Later in the day, Leland was remembered at an official congressional memorial in the Capitol's Statuary Hall.

"To have known him is to have been touched by him," said House Speaker Tom Foley, D-Wash. "He never took, he only gave, and he never stopped giving: to his nation, his state, to his friends, his family."

Earlier in the day, Melamed said Leland's concern with the hungry and the incongruity of hunger in a world of microchips, satellites and fiber optics "struck a chord" with him as he got to know the Houston Democrat, and they became good friends.

Rep. Gary Ackerman, D-N.Y., a member of the hunger committee, said the Leland foundation and university center would focus on the hungry and the homeless, at home and abroad. He said he is unaware of any similar university center dedicated to such issues in the United States, and possibly, the world.



AP Laserphoto

Sen. Edward Kennedy, D.-Mass., pays his respects to Alison Leland, widow of Rep. Mickey Leland, during a memorial for the late Texas Democrat at the Capitol on Wednesday.

Leland, he said, lived a life of giving, caring and of fighting for the underdog and the downtrodden.

"I think it is extremely important we carry on the work and traditions Mickey Leland cared so much about," said House Majority Whip William H. Gray, D-Pa.

Gray, Ackerman, Melamed, Rep. Bill Emerson, R-Mo., and Rep. Jack Fields, R-Texas, on a board of advisors formed to guide the new project.

Number of winter Texans up

EDINBURG (AP) — The number of retirees spending winters in the Lower Rio Grande Valley continues to increase each year, according to researchers who studied the 1988-89 "winter Texan" season.

Primarily from Midwestern states, the retirees spent about $193 million at the southern tip of Texas this past winter tourist season, reported University of Texas-Pan American business professors Dr. Gilberto de los Santos and Dr. Vern Vincent.

More than 81,000 winter Texans were in the Lower Rio Grande Valley during February, the peak period of the 1988-89 tourist season, the professors reported. The total number of visitors for the entire season was much higher, the study said.

The estimated peak population in 1987-88 was 79,000.

Business professors from the university have conducted the annual study since 1975.

Each year shows an increase in the number of visitors, de los Santos said.

"There are more winter Texans and also they are spending a little bit more per couple," de los Santos said.

The direct dollar impact of $193 million was estimated by considering the number of winter Texan households, average length of stay, monthly expenditures and one-time expenditures, according to the report. Winter Texans spent an estimated $161 million in the Valley in the 1987-88 season, according to the previous survey.

A surprising new finding, de los Santos added, was that many make major purchases while in the Valley, such as recreational vehicles, mobile homes, furniture, appliances and lots for their mobile homes.

This year's survey was based on a random sampling of 101 of the 513 recreational vehicle and mobile home parks listed in the 1989 RV & MH Park Directory for the Rio Grande Valley.

Findings in the study include:

- Approximately 70 percent came from Midwestern states with Minnesota and Iowa each accounting for 14 percent of the total winter Texan population. Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, Missouri, Kansas, Canada, Indiana and Ohio were ranked next, followed by representation from 33 other states.
- The typical winter Texan is 67 years of age, retired, married and plans to return to the Valley for the eighth time this winter season.
- Winter Texans spent $914 per month this year for living expenses, compared with $790 per month two years ago.
- Climate and friendliness of the local people were two of the most important reasons the retirees chose to winter in the Valley.
- They listed the same problems as in previous surveys: local residents who spoke Spanish in their presence, quality of the drinking water and bad drivers.
- The concern about vehicle theft rose in importance from sixth two years ago to second in this year's survey.
- Seventy-eight percent said they planned to return for the 1989-90 season; 8 percent said they definitely would not return.

Vincent and de los Santos said their estimates were conservative as to the number of winter Texans and their economic impact because of "the difficulty and cost associated with data collection prohibit precise estimates."

STATE IN BRIEF

Pigeons bombard fighters

FORT WORTH (AP) — What can get the drop on the F-16 Fighting Falcon, considered one of the deadliest fighter planes in existence?

Pigeons, say General Dynamics Corp. officials and they are not pleased about the way the pesky birds have been bombarding their plant with droppings.

Plans call for poisoned bird seed to be scattered on the flight line, according to reports in Wednesday's editions of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

"Would you want to pick up a $15 million airplane full of bird droppings?" said Z. Joe Thornton, a spokesman for the defense contractor.

Thornton said that the birds not only create a health hazard with their droppings, but the waste matter also threatens to damage the paint and cockpit canopies on the jets.

Steve Hamilton, a special agent for the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, said pigeon extermination is permissible under wildlife laws.

But Linda Yarbrough of the Animal Liberation League, an environmental group, said instead of poisoning the birds they should be moved.

Rare rhino doing fine

McALLEN (AP) — The second rare baby rhinoceros born in Texas within several weeks is doing well, according to the man who won a long struggle to bring 10 of the endangered animals to the United States from Zimbabwe.

The latest birth occurred Monday at the El Coyote Ranch north of McAllen.

"It's nice to be a granddaddy again," said Harry Tennison, head of Game Conservation International, which directed placement of black rhinos at the ranch and zoos in Fort Worth, Dallas, Milwaukee and San Diego.

The ranch, owned by Lee and Ramona Bass of Fort Worth, was given an adult male and adult female. Tennison and zoo officials hope that the black rhinos will breed in Texas so their species can be preserved.

The first baby was born at the Fort Worth Zoo and named Harry in Tennison's honor.

Storm damages boats

LEWISVILLE (AP) — Several boats and boat docks were heavily damaged Wednesday morning when a storm swept through a Lake Lewisville marina, officials said.

Nancy Haase, who manages Scott's Pier 121 Marine, said the boat docks sustained the heaviest damage, but no damage estimates were available Wednesday night, according to The Dallas Morning News. Several boats sank and about a dozen more were damaged.

Weather officials said it wasn't likely the storm that hit the marina carried a tornado, but Ms. Haase said a few found that hard to believe.

"We had some people sleeping onboard here," she said. "They heard what sounded like a twister. Then it got real quiet. They evacuated their boats, and then, all of a sudden, it just sucked everything up."

No one was hurt.

Skip Ely, National Weather Service meteorologist, said that radar did not indicate a tornado near the lake during Wednesday's showers and thunderstorms.

"I couldn't completely rule it out, but given the weather situation,it appears a little unlikely," Ely said.

The weather service said 1.15 inches of rain fell at Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport on Wednesday. Winds gusted up to 35 mph shortly before 6 a.m. at the airport.

A&M enrollment up

COLLEGE STATION (AP) — Texas A&M officials are reporting a fall enrollment of 40,505 students, placing A&M among six other universities with student enrollments of more than 40,000.

Preliminary statistics for the fall semester show A&M has also surpassed last fall's record enrollment of 39,176, school officials said.

Although the figures have to be double-checked and reported to the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board, they are within the institution's enrollment projections, officials said.

Last year, the University of Minnesota Twin Cities campus, Ohio State, the University of Texas at Austin, Michigan State, the University of Wisconsin at Madison and Arizona State were the only schools which enrolled more than 40,000 students.

March protests drugs

TEXARKANA, Texas (AP) — Light rain did not deter more than 200 people from plodding along for about 30 blocks through Texarkana in a show of solidarity against crack dealers.

Singing spirituals and chanting "Up With Hope, Down With Dope," the procession made its way through Texarkana's Newtown community on Wednesday evening.

The parade, escorted by police squad cars, was organized by local churches as a protest against local crack traffickers.

Tree-lined mall part of renovations of state Capitol area

AUSTIN (AP) — In the future, the area north of the Texas Capitol may have the look of Washington, D.C.

An architect renovating the Capitol area is drawing plans for a tree-lined mall that would extend from the statehouse grounds to the University of Texas campus.

"We are looking at a mall like the one at the U.S. Capitol, but on a much smaller scale. The appeal will be a broad expanse of grass, framed by trees and a park-like thoroughfare — something that will visually frame the Capitol from the north," said architect Allen McCree.

The four-block esplanade along North Congress Avenue would be part of a master plan for renovations of the Capitol area, McCree said.

Costs for the mall haven't been estimated, McCree said. The work wouldn't be part of a $149 million restoration and expansion of the century-old Capitol that is scheduled to begin next year.

But McCree said the design is being drawn to complement that massive construction project.

Preliminary plans call for North Congress Avenue to be rebuilt with a wide median bordered by three rows of trees and wide sidewalks. The mall would run from 15th Street north of the Capitol four blocks to Martin Luther King Boulevard, which borders the southern edge of the UT campus.

South of 15th Street, the mall would contain a park and gardens that will surround a new underground office building that is part of the Capitol renovation construction project.

To make certain the new mall blends with the Capitol, McCree said, sidewalks may be built of granite, like those along Congress Avenue in downtown Austin. Replicas of antique street lamps might be used.

Celebration will honor 10th anniversary of archbishop

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — National business and church leaders are planning a four-day celebration of Archbishop Patrick Flores' 10th anniversary as Texas' top Catholic official.

Among the invited Catholic dignitaries is Archbishop Pio Laghi, apostolic pro nuncio to the Unites States and personal representative of Pope John Paul II in this country.

The celebration Oct. 12-15 will focus on Flores' life as an example of the classic American success story of overcoming social and financial disadvantages - through hard work and determination.

"The archbishop's importance is often underestimated here — the respect he has nationally and internationally for his commitment to the poor and to giving everyone an opportunity to develop the talents God has given them," said the Rev. Virgilio Elizondo, rector of the San Fernando Cathedral.

Money raised during the celebration will benefit the 250-year-old cathedral. Among the events planned are a gala dinner and a fiesta.

Flores, now 60 and head of the Archdiocese of San Antonio, started working for the rights of the poor and oppressed at a young age.

At 14, he demanded an end to discrimination of Mexican-Americans in his one-room school in Pearland.

50 Legal Notices

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND PARTIES

You are hereby notified of the opportunity for written public comment concerning the Construction Permit Application No. 19556 by Midland Memorial Hospital to construct a Special Waste Incinerator in Midland, Midland County, Texas. The proposed location is 2200 West Illinois Avenue. This facility proposes to emit the following air contaminants: Nitrogen Oxides, Carbon Monoxide, Hydrogen Chloride, and Particulate Matter including Lead. Before a permit can be issued for this facility, all emission sources must demonstrate compliance with all Rules and Regulations of the Texas Air Control Board and all applicable Federal Regulations. This includes the application of "best available control technology" to each emission source and compliance with all ambient air quality standards.

A copy of all materials submitted by the applicant is available for public inspection at the Texas Air Control Board Regional Office at 1901 East 37th Street, Suite 101, Odessa, Texas 79762, telephone 915-367-3871, and at the Texas Air Control Board, 6330 Highway 290 East, Austin, Texas 78723. All interested parties may inspect these materials and submit written comments to the Executive Director of the Texas Air Control Board. Any person who may be affected by emissions of air contaminants from the proposed facility may request a contested case hearing from the Board on the construction permit application pursuant to Section 3.271(c) of the Texas Clean Air Act. All comments and hearing requests must be received in writing by October 14, 1989. All written comments submitted to the Executive Director shall be considered in determining whether to issue or not to issue the permit. All comments will be made available for public inspection at the Texas Air Control Board office in Austin.

September 13,14, 1989

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
BID #2-90

Sealed proposals, addressed to the Mayor and City Council of the City of Midland, Texas, for Street Sweeping Services will be received at the office of the City Secretary, City Hall, Midland, Texas, until 3:00 p.m. on the 3rd day of October, 1989 and publicly opened and read at 3:00 p.m. on the same day.

Any bid received after closing time as stated above will be returned unopened.

Bid envelopes shall be plainly marked "Proposal for Street Sweeping Services".

Complete copies of specifications, and contract documents may be examined and/or obtained at the office of Engineering and Transportation, City Hall, Midland, Texas.

A bid bond or proposal guaranty is to accompany the bid guaranteeing that the bidder will enter into the contract. The guaranty is to amount to five percent (5%) of the total bid (on an annual basis) and must be in the form of cash of certified check, issued by a bank satisfactory to the City of Midland , or a bid bond. If in the form of cash or certified check, it is expressly understood and agreed that the City of Midland is given the right to retain such as liquidated damages if such bidder withdraws its bid anytime after such bid is opened and before official rejection of such bid, or if successful in securing the award thereof, such bidder fails to enter into the contract and furnish satisfactory performance and payment bonds. If a bid bond is submitted, it shall be executed on forms contained in these contract documents by a corporate surety authorized to do business in the State of Texas, and acceptable to the City of Midland.

The City of Midland, Texas, reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals or bids, to waive technicalities, and to make any investigation deemed necessary concerning the bidder's ability to perform the work covered by the plans and specifications, and to accept what in the judgment of the Mayor and City Council is the most advantageous bid.

City of Midland

B.C. Clanton
City Secretary
September 14,21, 1989

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Notice is hereby given that on the 12th day of September, 1989, Letters Testamentary were issued to Mary Florence Miller as Independent Executrix in proceedings in the County Court of Midland County, Texas in Probate, styled "In the Matter of the Estate of John E. "Dock" Miller, Deceased", being No. 9235 in that Court, and which proceedings are still pending. All persons having claims against the Estate are hereby required to present the same to Mary Florence Miller at 3914 Roosevelt, Midland, Texas 79703, within the time prescribed by law.

DATED this 12th day of September, 1989.

MARY FLORENCE MILLER,
Independent Executrix of
the Estate of John E. "Dock"
Miller, Deceased
September 14, 1989

NOTICE

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF VERNON MAXIE McQUERRY, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that on the 12th day of September, 1989, Letters Testamentary were issued to Dorothy Evelyn McQuerry as Independent Executrix in proceedings in the County Court of Midland County, Texas, in Probate, styled "In the Matter of the Estate of Vernon Maxie McQuerry, Deceased", being No. 9232 in that Court, and which proceedings are still pending. All persons having claims against the Estate are hereby required to present the same to Dorothy Evelyn McQuerry at 1018 N. Loraine 79701, within the time prescribed by law.

DATED this 12th day of September, 1989.

DOROTHY EVELYN McQUERRY,
Independent Executrix of the
Estate of Vernon Maxie McQuerry,
Deceased
September 14, 1989

110 Lodge Notices

The Midland Shrine Club, 2019 Trade Drive. 685-1790. Regular stated meeting third Thursday each month. Hospitality 6:30 pm. Catered dinner 7 pm. Business meeting 8 pm. All nobles and their ladies invited.
Russ Holmberg, President,
Sam Bradley, Secretary.

Keystone Chapter & Council R.A.M. & R.S.M. 1st Tuesday of month, 7:30 p.m. Midland Commandery #84 1st Thursday of month, 7:30 p.m. Practice Wednesday nights 7:30 p.m.

Acacia Masonic Lodge. #1414 AF & AM. 1000 Upland. Regular Stated Meetings, 2nd and 4th Tuesday. 7:30 pm. Visiting brethren welcome.
Marvin Witcher, W.M.
Dale Ivie, Secretary

Midland Lodge 623 AF & AM, 1600 W. Wall, 682-3292. Regular stated meetings 2nd and 4th Thursday, 8 pm. Thursday, September 14th: all members urged to be present to discuss raising dues. Dinner will be served 6:30 pm.
Bob Stringer W.M.
F. L. Cooper, Secretary

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150 Lost and Found

RABBIT Lost: Gray and brown, male. Lop ear. Vicinity of Wadley and Godfrey week of September 3rd. Call 699-2041.

FOUND an adult neutered black and white male cat, wearing white flea collar, 500 block of Homsley, 685-7420.

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150 Lost and Found

LOST medium long haired male black dog with gray on back of hind legs, vicinity of Andrews Hwy. and Louisiana, call 682-6911. Large Reward.

LOST 1 year old Golden Lab, female at Loop 250 and Big Spring. Has brown collar with tags, Children Heartbroken. Evenings, 684-5571.

FOUND: female German Shepherd puppy in vicinity of Illinois and Midland Drive. Please call to identify, 697-0260.

LOST: Izod gold rim bifocals Saturday afternoon 9/9/89. Call 682-9500 after 5 PM.

MISSING male cat. 1½ years old, peach with white spots and stomach. Long haired, white flea collar, missing since September 4th. Area of Midland Drive and Loop 250. 697-4817.

REWARD: Lost male Norwegian Elkhound, (Eskimo type dog), dark gray and white, has tags, needs medication. Last seen Monday, South Marienfeld and Front Street. Call days, 688-8500, ask for Linda, 683-7619, evenings.

FOUND 3 or 4 month old female Brittany Spaniel puppy, red collar, no tags. Call 685-0656.

LOST: dark colored female Schnauzer puppy near Henderson Park. Call 694-2817. Reward.

LOST: Dark brownish/ rust colored, long haired cat, wearing flea collar. Reward. 697-9908, 687-2088, 694-7482.

LOST: small red male poodle. Vicinity of Ward and Sinclair. Call 685-4106.

LOST - REWARD - Dark Red Male GOLDEN RETRIEVER, named "Rusty". Between Wadley and Goddard Junior High, has OLD ADDRESSED TAGS. NEW PHONE NUMBER, 697-7458.

LOST from 1210 S. Ft. Worth 3 month old male Doberman/ Rottweiler mix, tail clipped, call 682-6073.

LOST one Male black Lab and one female Chocolate Lab, on 9/12/89 on Sinclair and Loop 250, 683-0858. Reward

FOUND: young Calico kitten, gender unknown. Gold, brown and black. Vicinity of Fannin area. Call 684-0502.

FOUND: female Brittany Spaniel, blue collar, no tags, white with liver spots, vicinity Trinity School. 697-0604.

FOUND Gray cat with 4 white paws on the 3000 block of Moss, need to talk to owner. Call 697-8356.

REWARD offered for return of black leather handbag with or without contents (reading glasses in red case) missing from in front of Harrigan's. Some contents found Pine and Lomax. 694-6233.

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LIVE-IN child care for three children, housekeeping. References required. 694-0299 After 6:30 for information.

BLESS Your Heart is now hiring part time help. Apply at 508 W. Wall. No phone calls please.

NATIONAL company with headquarters in Odessa has immediate opening for Computer Programmer. Experience with Datapoint, Databus or Xenix preferred. Verifiable employment background and experience required. Advancement potential. Salary range $18K-$30K plus benefits. Apply in person: BIDCO Corporation, 312 East 2nd, Odessa.

210 General Help Wanted

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570 Oilfield Supplies
580 Farm Equipment

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620 Houses Furnished
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630 Houses Furn. & Unfurn
635 Condos & Townhouses Furn
640 Condos & Townhouses Unfurn
645 Condos & Townhouse Furn/Unfurn
650 Mobile Homes Furnished
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Experience necessary.
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EXPERIENCED furniture movers wanted, must have own transportation, telephone and be dependable. Call 560-3209.

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MALONE & HOGAN CLINIC is looking for licensed
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To serve as director of our physical therapy department. The position offers a high salary and excellent benefits. If you are interested please send resume to: Malone & Hogan Clinic, 1501 W. 11th Place, Big Spring, Tx, 79720 or call Pam Shuttlesworth 1-800-262-6361 ext. 336

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Wanted for physicians office with experience filing insurance preferred but not necessary. Hours, 9:00 - 2:00, salary $5.50 per hour, Non-smoker preferred.
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212 Professional Help Wanted

ACCOUNTING STAFF ACCOUNTANT

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Permian Basin Area Foundation
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Midland, Texas 79702

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PHARMACIST wanted for Texas owned chain. Work in Midland/ Monahans. Good salary and benefits. Call Sue, 684-6317.

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216 Clerical

TEMPORARY RESOURCES
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Call Temporary Resources for appointment 684-0527

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216 Clerical

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Must understand oil & gas documents and be able to type 50 wpm. Approximately 16-20 hours/ week. $5 Per hour contract basis.
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Part-Time
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WE ARE LOOKING FOR:
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Call Scott Farris today at
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240 Child Care

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GRANNY'S Playhouse. Licensed, 18 months - 4 years, Monday - Friday 7 - 6. Meals and snacks, 4406 Thomason. 694-0104.

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HAVE openings for half day kindergarten, in Jane Lone area. Reasonable rates. Call 689-6919 for appointment.

LOVING mother of two will care for your child in my home. Clean Christian non-smoking atmosphere. Morning and afternoon snacks and lunched provided. Call Cindy at 697-3996.

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I WILL Babysit your child in my home Monday through Friday, 7:00 - 5:00, $45 weekly. If interested call Ronda 697-8511.

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Friday & Saturday, 9-6

2714 KESSLER

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In Meadow Park Addition off Loop 250 behind Saddle Club Apts

Gym Pack weights, baby items, clothes for all ages, toys, books, Nintendo game, childs bike, train set. AND MUCH MORE!!!

2801 GULF. Friday - Saturday. Antique chair, divan, storm door, solid door, petite, toddler clothes, books, miscellaneous.

SATURDAY Only September 16th, 8:00 - 5:00, 327 Rocky Lane. Waterbed, rowing machine, color TV, lamps, mother of the bride dresses and lots more clothes.

3010 PHILLIP PL.

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SATURDAY 8 AM - 3 PM

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TRS-80 COMPUTER and printer, furniture, TV, clothing, miscellaneous. Saturday Only, 8:00 - 4:00, No early Sales. 1902 Ward.

2700 N. "L". Thursday, Friday, & Saturday. Furniture, lamps, baby items, pictures, ironing board, clothes, and lots & lots of miscellaneous items. Located in the back yard.

GARAGE Sale 1108 West County Road 130 - Lots of very nice girls fall school clothes, jackets, all sizes. Many household items. Friday and Saturday. 2 miles south on Rankin Highway.

LARGE Garage Sale. Some furniture, Kitchenaide dishwasher, lots of miscellaneous. Thursday - Saturday, 2312 Cloverdale Road.

GARAGE Sale. Baby items, maternity clothes, all size clothing, collectables, 5200 Rio Grande (Northgate Addition) Friday and Saturday, 9:00 - 6:00.

MOVING SALE

813 NEELY

Friday 12 noon - 6 pm

Saturday 7 am - 12 pm

Lawnmower, rototiller, computer desk, canning items, dishes, b/w tv, encyclopedias, sci.fi books, credenza. MORE!

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SEPTEMBER 15th & 16th

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1982 WINNEBAGO Brave 27' diesel, 57,995 miles, $16,995. Please call 682-5554 or 687-5823.

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1981 19' SEA Ray 260 HP Inboard/Outboard Mercury, local owner, complete package. See and inquire at Falcon Marine, Loop 250 at Andrews Highway, Phone 563-2099 Midland Texas.

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1972 24' WINNEBEGO Travel Trailer, $2750. Trades welcome, 1310 Rankin Hwy.

AIRSTREAM - 1980, Excella 31', queen rear bedroom, center bath, extra nice, newly decorated. Call 694-5561.

1981 STARCRAFT XL1906 Popup camper, excellent condition, new Coleman air conditioning, $2550. Honda ES3500 generator, $1000. 8 - 5, 683-2455. After 5:00 and weekend 683-4947.

1982 COACHMAN BX24 Travel Trailer in excellent condition. Roof air, all appliances, sleeps 5, fully self-contained or park. Frontier Mobile Housing, 6720 Andrews Hwy., Odessa 362-2594.

350 Recreational Vehicles

PICKUP Covers: Over 200 in stock. Pop-up, Cab Overs. Krugman Camper Sales, 501 West 42nd, Odessa. 366-9010.

1985 PACE ARROW motor home. 29', like new and loaded. 454 Chevrolet chasis, awning and much more. Call 332-1288 or come by Golden Suzuki Honda, 306 E. 2nd.

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NEW pickup and suburban seats. $150. Van seats, $49.95 and up. 9" grinders, $79.95. Wheel opening moldings, Chevy pickup, $25 set. Four spoke steering wheels, $35. $600 trailer motor, $225. 684-6354.

1973 MONTE Carlo body, $300; 400 transmission, $200; 2 mags, $50 both. Call 689-9963.

405 Garage/Yard Sales

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.

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CAR TALK!

BY TOM AND RAY MAGLIOZZI

PRESERVE THE TURBO - A NEW CAUSE?

Dear Tom and Ray:

We have a 1986 Peugeot 505 Turbo Wagon. We love the comfortable ride and the nice features. However, after only 28,000 miles, the turbo burned out. Thankfully, it was under warranty, but the dealer tried to blame us by saying that we didn't let the engine idle long enough before turning it off. When we bought the car, they told us to let it run for about 15 seconds. After it burned up they said we should have run it for 45-60 seconds. With only 2,500 miles left on the warranty, we are wondering how to prolong the life of the turbo. — Lisa

RAY: When the dealer told you to run it for 15 seconds, I think he meant you should only drive it for 15 seconds. That would be the best way to preserve the turbo.

TOM: What we have here is another anti-turbo argument. Don't you feel stupid trying to look busy for 15 seconds while the turbo cools down ... you fumble through the glove box, adjust the mirror, check the presets on the radio. Can you imagine what a jerk you'll feel like sitting there for a whole minute?

RAY: But since you have a turbo, you really have no choice but to let it cool down. Idling the engine cools the turbo because it circulates the oil, yet it does not make the turbo "work." The amount of cooling it needs is directly related to the way you just finished driving. When you drive gently around town, 15 seconds should be more than adequate. When you drive the car hard — in other words, when your husband drives it — you should let it cool for 30 to 60 seconds.

TOM: I'd pick up a copy of "War and Peace" to read while the turbo is cooling. At two or three minutes a day, you should finish the book just in time for your next turbo replacement.

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Dear Tom and Ray:

I have a practically new fuel-injected 1978 Volvo with 173,000 miles on it. When I step on the brake while idling, the rpms drop, almost to the point of killing the engine. The brake fluid level has been fine. The mechanics are baffled. Do you have an answer? — Allen

RAY: An internal combustion engine creates natural suction when the intake stroke sucks in gas and air. Modern engines use this vacuum to operate things like ventilation controls, cruise controls and power brakes.

TOM: In your case, there's probably a leak in the vacuum system which occurs when you activate the power-brake booster. This confuses the fuel injection, which constantly monitors the amount of air being sucked into the combustion chambers. The leak makes the fuel-injection system think that less air is coming in, so it cuts the amount of gasoline to match. This is probably what causes your rpms to drop.

RAY: Have someone step on the brake while you put your ear near the brake booster. Vacuum leaks are usually accompanied by a hissing noise. If you hear hissing, start looking for a repair shop with clean carpets. This is a sure sign that they understand vacuums.

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2517 EMERSON - furniture, tools, golf and exercise equipment, toys, art, decorator items, and much more. 9 AM Friday.

MOVING Sale. Portable dishwasher, furniture, linens, plants, garden tools, lots of miscellaneous items. 4701 Leisure (corner of Leisure and Eisenhower Streets).

4 FAMILY garage Sale. Children's clothing, 3 - 4' X 72" and 1 patio door mini-blinds, appliances, miscellaneous. 5216 LaVaca, Friday Only.

MOVING SALE. 4202 Greenbriar, rear garage. Furntiure and miscellaneous items. Friday and Saturday. 9:00 - 3:00.

2405 NEELY

Many baby items, carseats, walker, infant seat, high chair, bedding, toys, and clothes. Also adult clothing, bedspread, linens and miscellaneous.

FRIDAY ONLY
9 AM - 3 PM

405 Garage/Yard Sales

GARAGE Sale: Friday 15th & Saturday 16th, 3 room tent, exercise equipment, wooden art crafts, and lots of other good stuff. 4317 Douglas.

1601 E. PINE. Friday & Saturday only. Men's, women's & children's clothing cheap .50¢ - .75¢ Miscellaneous items.

THREE FAMILY GARAGE SALE

Stereos, car seats, stroller, gas edger, table and chairs, ski boots, lots of household goodies.

4515 FALCON
Northgate Addition
Friday only 8:30 - ?

1969 Jeep four wheel drive pickup, five man raft boat, plywood, motor stand, 32" glass door, exercise equipment, dishwasher, hand truck, lawn mowers, wheels, tires, 1975 Cadillac transmission, chairs, 4' florescent lights, lots of clothes and little stuff. 694-8666.
2801 S. MIDKIFF (Just south of I-20.) Thurs., Fri., Sat.

405 Garage/Yard Sales

ESTATE Sale of Mrs. Ira Proctor, 1407 W. Ohio. Several nice pieces of furniture and miscellaneous. 10 - 5 Friday and Saturday, 1 - 5 Sunday. Sale conducted by David Kirby of Red Door Antique Center.

906 MANOR. Wednesday through Saturday. Used Furniture, lawnmower, lots of clothes and miscellaneous.

GARAGE Sale. Color TV, VCR, children's clothes, toys, miscellaneous items. 8:00-5:00. Thursday - Friday. 1211 Godfrey.

6 FAMILY GARAGE SALE
Friday 8am-7pm, Saturday 8am-6pm

4905 THOMASON

3 Piece liv.room set, recliner, chest, built-in gas oven & cooktop, bunkbeds, shutters, mini blinds, lamps, curtains, ceiling fans, small appliances. Much More! Order Customized T-SHIRTS & other craft items for XMAS.

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410 Miscellaneous Sales

NICE queen size waterbed, $125. Also Hutch free-style bike in good condition. Call 685-0867.

DIAMOND marquis ring ½ carat and guard with eight diamonds, appraised at $2200, sell at $1100. Dinner ring, 14 carat, ½ carat center diamond with four rubies, appraised at $900, sell at $400 or best offer. 687-6388.

19" COLORED Portable Television, $75. Electric motor, $10. King Coronet, $35. Folded extension ladder, $50. 694-4814

WAREHOUSE SALE

12" Engine lathe, 10hp lawn tractor, garden tools, washer/dryer, garbage compactor, furniture, books, antiques, plywood. MANY OTHER ITEMS! COME SEE! Friday 15th to Sunday 17th, 7:30am - 5pm, (Noon Sunday).

2812 GIST
(3 blocks south railroad tracks, 2 blocks east off Midkiff)
699-4537 after 5:00

DISCOUNT Building Materials. Truck load sale - exterior doors. Florescent light fixtures, 8' - $ 5.00; Carpet, $4.00 yard; Windows, $15.00 up; We also cut glass. West Texas Largest Salvage and Surplus Center. 3015 W. Front. 689-6586.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

AWNING - Aluminum, 10x18, free standing or attached, ideal carport, creme color, like new, $600. 699-7664

WEDDING GOWN - Original Bridal Gown and Veil. Beautifull Size six (6), $500. Call 699-1022.

ELECTRIC Burke (Super Scout) 3 Wheel cart for physically impaired, near new, $1000. 683-4278 after 5:00.

SAVE Money - Buy Amway Products. 100% Guarantee. We Deliver. Free Catalog. Call 697-3856.

3 CEMETERY Lots. Resthaven Memorial Park. $1800 value. Sell for $1500 or sell separately. 337-4049, mornings, 683-4711, ext 238, afternoons.

WASHER and dryer, refrigerator, bedroom suite. Baby swing, bed, walker, stroller. Chairs, lamps, marble top round cocktail table. 686-0004.

KNITTING machine - white, computerized, double bed with table, excellent condition. $1,200. Call Dee at 697-0517.

ELECTRIC hospital bed with air & wool accessories $1800 new, asking $500; Wheel chair with tray, $100; Ruby ring, $200; Saxophone $400; Coronet, $300. Chest freezer, $300. All excellent condition. [illegible]

DIAMOND ring, 14K, diamonds total weight- 1.5 kt. Appraised at $3400. Sell at $2300 or best offer. 694-8771.

415 Miscellaneous Wanted

NEED Immediately infant car seat, baby swing, bassinet, stroller, baby accessories. Call 686-0576 anytime.

WANTED: Little Tykes toys: Log Cabin, Activity Gym, Train/ Tracks, Big Slide, Crane. King bookcase headboard. 16" boy's bike. 689-8837.

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