Council debates successor

City Council considers five applicants who seek seat being vacated by Bob Monaghan

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Storms pound Hobbs

Tornadoes, hail, high winds hit east N.M.

■ Intersections flood, trees and power poles fall; five injured.

Associated Press

Tornadoes, heavy rains and hail blew into eastern New Mexico on Thursday, damaging dwellings, flooding intersections and injuring at least five people in Hobbs.

The twisters demolished one trailer, tore roofs off houses and uprooted trees and signs.

Scattered power outages left traffic signals dark in several Hobbs intersections, but officials said most stoplights were working again by 8:30 p.m.

"We had one small home destroyed. We had at least two trailer houses turned over, and then we had another portion of a house blown off, an addition," said David Hughes, assistant to the Hobbs city manager.

But he said the city escaped serious widespread damage.

"We're lucky in that regard," he said.

One youngster, about 9 or 10, said he and his sisters hid in a closet when one of three funnel clouds hit Hobbs late Thursday afternoon.

"It was just this loud boom, and the roof was gone," the boy told a reporter for the Hobbs News-Sun. The child didn't give his name.

One man on Avenue B said his house escaped damage, but "everybody's roof is in my back yard."

A woman 1½ blocks away from him said she heard a noise that turned out to be parts of someone else's roof hitting her house.

High winds tore a metal roof off a church in Tucumcari, and hail, an inch in diameter, fell in the area, authorities said. Tornadoes also touched down in the Portales and Elida areas, midway between Tucumcari and Hobbs, but no damage or injuries were reported there.

In southeastern Hobbs, about 10 to 15 power poles were blown over, and a 30-mph speed-limit sign was bent by the wind to a 45-degree angle.

A 40-year-old woman was admitted to Lea Regional Hospital in Hobbs with a fractured ankle, hospital officials said.

"She was trying to get her dog in the house," said

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ClayDesta: 'no contest' on violation

By Allen E. Howland
Assistant City Editor



Oden

AUSTIN — Lawyers for ClayDesta National Bank Thursday entered a plea of no contest to one misdemeanor charge of criminally violating the state insurance code.

Travis County prosecutors said bank officials had contracted with an unlicensed broker in a scheme that forced customers seeking car loans to buy costly life insurance.

The bank was ordered to pay $1.13 million in restitution, plus a $500 fine and court costs by Travis County Court at Law Judge David Puryear.

The sentence followed terms of an agreement the bank negotiated over sev-

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Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram

Tank-battery fire

Firefighters battle a tank-battery fire just west of County Road 1130 and north of Highway 80 at about 5:45 p.m. Thursday. The fire, which may have been caused by lightning, raged on for more than two hours, officials said. No one was injured in the blaze, officials said.

Math stumps Texas teens, study finds

By Faith Keenan
Hearst News Service

WASHINGTON — Only 10 percent of eighth-grade students in Texas public schools can solve math problems at a seventh-grade level, according to a study released Thursday by the U.S. Department of Education.

That dismal figure is below the grim national average of 12 percent of eighth graders who can handle seventh-grade work, according to the first state-by-state analysis of math performance based on the department's National Assessment of Educational Progress, or NAEP.

"None of the states are cutting it," said Secretary of Education Lamar Alexander at a Thursday press conference. "This is an alarm bell that ought to ring all night in this country."

President Bush, after previewing the survey's results, said the figures "tell us we don't measure up." The low scores, he

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Late marriage, divorce transform U.S.

WASHINGTON (NYT) — Delayed marriage and frequent divorce are transforming the American household, etching patterns of solitude, single parenthood and homes increasingly filled by unmarried couples, according to a new survey by the Census Bureau.

Children of the 1950s are living alone in record numbers, children of the 1960s and 1970s linger in the parental nest and almost one-quarter of the children of the 1980s and 1990s are living with a single parent.

The March 1990 survey — which is not based on the 1990 census, whose data have not yet been refined — confirmed patterns that are already staple themes in television scripts and sociological research.

But the survey also offered a long view

Survey paints patterns of solitude, single parenthood and homes filled by unmarried couples.

of the changes in American marriage and family patterns.

While men and women are marrying later than ever before in this century (at an average age of 26.1 for men's first marriages and nearly 23.9 years for women's first marriages), the 1990 figures complete a parabolic trend that bottomed out in 1956 (when men, on average, married at the age of 22.5 and women at the age of 20.2), and is now back where it was a hundred years ago.

One population researcher believes that the trend toward delayed marriage may be peaking.

"Women in their 20s have had enough opportunity to observe both the pros and cons of delayed marriage and delayed childbearing," said Thomas Espenshade, a professor at Princeton University's Office of Population Research.

"They want to have a better balance in their lives between careers and family. I think there will be a new trend toward somewhat earlier ages of marriage and childbearing."

Douglas Gurak, a sociologist at Cornell University, said he expected no downturn in the numbers of children living in

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Bush sheds tears, tells of praying before war

ATLANTA (AP) — President Bush preached a gospel of conservative political causes to Southern Baptists on Thursday and tearfully recalled weeping in prayer before sending Americans to war in the Persian Gulf.

Bush won thunderous applause as he deviated from his prepared speech and spoke emotionally about praying with his wife Barbara at Camp David before the start of the war.

It was an extraordinary disclosure by Bush, who shuns personal revelations and guards against attempts by others to analyze him.

"For me, prayer has always been important but quite personal," Bush told thousands attending the annual convention of Southern Baptists, whose 15 million members constitute America's largest Protestant denomination and among its most conservative.

"You know us Episcopalians," he joked.

Then the president became serious.

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President Bush

Legaldegook: State bar attacks legalese

AUSTIN (AP) — In an effort to persuade lawyers to use plain English, the State Bar of Texas will present its first "Legaldegook Awards" to writing that seems designed to confuse.

For example, a 1981 court case between the Mississippi Bluff Motel, Inc. and the County of Rock Island has the winning passage in the 1991 Rise-of-the-Roman Language Award competition: "Parens patriae cannot be ad fundandam jurisdictionem. The zoning question is res inter alios acta."

"Basically, that's a fancy way of saying the court doesn't have jurisdiction," said Bryan Garner, chairman of the State Bar's recently formed Plain-Language Committee.

And the "Woolliness Award" goes to that old standby, the Internal Revenue Code: "For purposes of paragraph (3) an organization described in paragraph (2) shall be

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NEWS WATCH

No title sharing

ATLANTA — A federal judge ruled Thursday that a black senior and his white classmate should share the title of valedictorian at a high school where the dispute over the top graduate has heightened racial tensions. But the black student said he would refuse to speak at Friday night's ceremony for Newton County High School. "I refuse to share in what I feel is an injustice," Johnathan Henderson, 18, told reporters after the judge's ruling. He said he didn't believe the decision was "right or fair."/7A

Victory stamp

WASHINGTON — The U.S. Postal Service will issue a special commemorative stamp honoring those who served in Operation Desert Storm. "These courageous men and women served to preserve the freedom Americans cherish so dearly," said Postmaster General Anthony Frank, noting that 2,500 postal employees were among reservists called up for the war with Iraq. The 29-cent stamps feature the Southwest Asia service medal, authorized in March for troops serving in the war. About 400 million stamps will be printed and will go on sale in early July, the Postal Service said Thursday.

Sylvia Porter dies

POUND RIDGE, N.Y. — Sylvia Porter, a financial reporter and columnist since 1935, died Wednesday at her home in Pound Ridge. She was 77. Miss Porter died of complications from emphysema, said her husband, James Fox. Miss Porter's New York Daily News column on personal finance was syndicated by the Los Angeles Times Syndicate to newspapers nationwide. Her 1975 book, Sylvia Porter's Money Book, sold more than 1 million copies. A second edition was published in 1980. The three-times-a-week column, titled simply "Sylvia Porter," reached some 40,000,000 readers in 450 newspapers around the world. Considered by many America's most widely read economic reporter, Miss Porter had to overcome many barriers in a traditionally male-dominated field.



Porter

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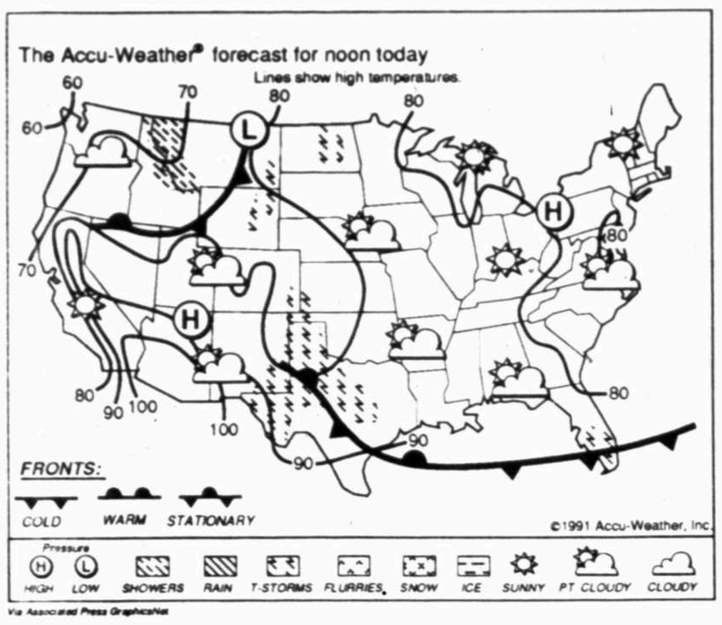
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WEATHER SUMMARY



Via Associated Press GraphicsNet

STORMS: Tornadoes, hail blow across N.M., Texas

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emergency room nurse Dolores Owen. "She was running out of the house and the wind got her and blew her up against a cinder block wall."

At least four others were treated for minor cuts and bruises, Ms. Owen said.

She said emergency room personnel were braced for any additional injuries.

Seven men and one woman whose homes were damaged had arrived at the Manna Outreach temporary shelter, said men's dormitory supervisor Buddy Ford.

Ford said the building, operated by area churches, could accommodate at least 30 more people.

Ford said one of the tornadoes hit about two blocks from the shelter, but the cinder block building was unharmed.

The storm formed west of Carlsbad, moving across New Mexico and passing into Texas, the National Weather Service said.

Meanwhile, much of the West Texas area was under various tornado watches and warnings throughout the evening on Thursday. Twisters were spotted near Fort Stockton in Pecos County and near Balmorrhea in southern Reeves County.

No damage was reported from those storms.

A tornado was also spotted in Dawson County.

In Midland thunderstorms dumped .23 of an inch of rain at the National Weather Service Station at Midland International Airport.

More wet and wild weather is expected in the Permian Basin through the weekend. There is a 40 percent chance of thunderstorms this afternoon, decreasing to a 30 percent chance tonight.

STATE

Heavy thunderstorms pounded opposite corners of Texas on Thursday as tornadoes were reported in the southeast and northwest.

Twisters were spotted in Dawson County and in Fort Bend County west of Houston. Damage was reported to an equestrian center in Katy.

Another tornado was reported causing minor damage in Limestone County of Central Texas. Twisters also were spotted near Fort Stockton in Pecos County and near Balmorrhea in southern Reeves County.

Showers and thunderstorms were also scattered in the Lower Rio Grande Valley and along the middle Texas coast. Other showers and thunderstorms developed in the Hill Country.

Far West Texas had sunny skies, but the rest of the state was partly to mostly cloudy Thursday.

Temperatures ranged from the 70s in the Panhandle and South Plains to the 80s in the Edwards Plateau and Permian Basin to the 90s in the Big Bend and Far West.

Winds were easterly across most areas except in the Big Bend and Far West where winds were south and southwest.

Forecasters expected thunderstorms would intensify today as temperatures continued to be hot.

NATION

Rain and storms extended from Wyoming to Florida on Thursday, and the Northeast had chilly temperatures.

At midday, showers and thunderstorms extended across southeastern Wyoming, eastern Colorado, western and south-central Kansas, western Oklahoma, south-central through northwestern New Mexico, northwestern Texas and the Texas Panhandle, southeastern and northeastern Louisiana, northwestern Mississippi, southwestern Georgia, and Florida.

Showers extended along the northern Pacific Coast.

Heaviest rainfall during the six hours up to 1 p.m. CDT included 1.75 inches at Melbourne, Fla., and 0.90 of an inch at Cocoa Beach, Fla.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

Midland statistics

FORECAST:

Today: Mostly cloudy, high mid-80s, east-southeast winds 10-20 mph, 40 percent chance of mainly late afternoon thunderstorms.

Tonight: 30 percent chance of evening thunderstorms, some possibly severe, low in the lower 60s.

Monday: Mostly cloudy, high mid-80s, 30 percent chance of mainly late afternoon thunderstorms.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS

Yesterday's High	90 degrees
Overnight Low	65 degrees
Sunset today	8:52 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	6:43 a.m.
Precipitation	
Last 24 hours	.23 inches
This month to date	.96 inches
Year to date	3.58 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES

6 p.m.	84	6 a.m.	65
7 p.m.	74	7 a.m.	65
8 p.m.	71	8 a.m.	67
9 p.m.	70	9 a.m.	72
10 p.m.	70	10 a.m.	76
11 p.m.	70	11 a.m.	78
midnight	71	noon	84
1 a.m.	68	1 p.m.	87
2 a.m.	67	2 p.m.	87
3 a.m.	66	3 p.m.	89
4 a.m.	65	4 p.m.	90
5 a.m.	65	5 p.m.	83
		6 p.m.	80

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Amarillo	78	58	.56
Austin	93	74	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	93	72	.43
Brownsville	95	75	
Bryan-College Station	93	71	
Corpus Christi	91	74	
Dallas	91	71	.01
El Paso	94	56	
Fort Worth	93	68	
Galveston	90	81	
Hondo	91	74	.01
Houston	92	74	
Laredo	95	78	
Longview	89	69	
Lubbock	80	62	.61
Marfa	90	59	
Presidio	102	76	
San Angelo	86	64	.07
San Antonio	94	75	
Victoria	94	73	
Waco	93	68	.01
Wichita Falls	87	67	
Wink	93	65	

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albany,N.Y.	76	44		clr
Albuquerque	82	55		cdy
Atlanta	78	63		clr
Atlantic City	66	44		cdy
Baltimore	74	52		clr
Boston	76	51		cdy
Chicago	74	50		clr
Cleveland	76	51		clr
Denver	74	53	.67	cdy
Detroit	79	53		clr
Flagstaff	77	46		cdy
Indianapolis	77	55		clr
Kansas City	78	56		cdy
Las Vegas	95	71		clr
Los Angeles	72	57		cdy
Louisville	81	56		clr
Memphis	84	67		clr
Milwaukee	73	54		clr
Nashville	83	62		clr
New Orleans	88	74	.18	cdy
New York City	78	53	.02	clr
Oklahoma City	80	66		cdy
Orlando	76	71	.76	rn
Philadelphia	76	53		cdy
Phoenix	100	73		clr
Portland,Ore	69	53	.08	cdy
Reno	79	38		clr
Sacramento	83	50		clr
St Louis	82	62		clr
San Francisco	61	50		cdy
Seattle	62	53		cdy
Shreveport	90	69		cdy
Spokane	66	47	.17	cdy
Topeka	81	62		cdy
Tulsa	84	70		cdy
Wichita	79	66		cdy

Area forecast

West Texas: Partly cloudy For West through Saturday. Scattered to numerous mainly afternoon and evening thunderstorms east of the mountains through Saturday.

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BANK: ClayDesta pleads no contest to violation

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eral months with Travis County officials.

ClayDesta's plea was to a misdemeanor charge of contracting with car loan broker Lloyd Williams Jr. of Houston, who prosecutors said "unlawfully solicited, marketed and required credit life and disability insurance in hundreds of transactions" and was not licensed to act as an insurance agent.

Under the scheme, high-risk customers were required to purchase expensive credit life insurance policies, underwritten by Service Life & Casualty Insurance Co. of Austin, as a condition of obtaining car loans from ClayDesta, said Travis County Attorney Ken Oden, the Associated Press reported.

Such insurance would pay off the loans if the buyer could not pay because of illness or death. State law allows a lender to require such insurance, but it bars dictating where the insurance must be purchased.

The bank received 50 percent to 85 percent of the $900,000 in premium payments, said Oden, who prosecuted the case.

Some 986 people, mostly in metropolitan Dallas and Houston, received the insurance during the approximately four months the program was in operation from October 1989 until it was ordered stopped in February 1990, Oden said. But he said the bank had planned to "massively expand" the loan program statewide.

"The purpose of it was to make a lot of money, and it was making a lot of money," Oden said.

Oden said Lloyd Williams, who is not related to Clayton Williams, was the first and largest insurance broker involved in the bank's credit life insurance program and wrote about two-thirds of the policies involved.

Two other brokers already have been convicted in connection with the case, Oden said. In addition, several consumers have filed a lawsuit against Service Life & Casualty and Lloyd Williams. Other entities, including the State Board of Insurance, still are investigating, Oden said.

Under Thursday's agreement, neither ClayDesta nor any of its officials can face further criminal charges in the Travis County investigation.

ClayDesta agreed to reimburse borrowers for all premiums it received plus interest to consumers wishing to cancel their insurance, said bank president Wayne Merritt.

Consumers choosing to keep the insurance also will receive a return of the premiums paid to the bank plus interest, and retain the insurance at no more than 15 to 50 percent of its original cost.

All restitution to bank customers will be in the form of credits made to existing notes, Merritt explained.

Oden said Clayton Williams and his wife, Modesta, were both on the bank's board of directors at the time the insurance plan was approved, and that board members were given regular updates on it.

"The members of the board of directors clearly knew about the program and the methods of its operation," Oden said.

Merritt said resolving the investigation has been a "top priority" in the six months since he and a new management team which joined the bank.

"This has drug on for more than a year and we're very pleased that it's going to be over," Merritt said.

"The cloud that has hung over the bank is lifted and we can get back to doing bank business," Merritt said.

Clayton Williams, who still owns about 95 percent of the bank's stock, no longer serves on the bank's board of directors, but his wife does.

The Travis County investigation began in September 1990. During last fall's gubernatorial campaign, Williams said the investigation was politically motivated and denied any wrongdoing.

Although he supported Gov. Ann Richards, Oden denied any political connection to the investigation.

Richards said Thursday morning that she was not aware of the pending ClayDesta plea. But she said it was ironic the plea came the same day she signed insurance reform legislation. Richards made insurance reform a key plank in her campaign.

"Yes, there is a touch of irony there," said Richards, who narrowly defeated Williams last November.

While Oden said credit life insurance itself is not "inherently evil," he called the way the business has been run and regulated in Texas "a shameful, ugly mess."

MATH: U.S. children aren't learning skills needed

(From 1A)

said "are evidence we need high national standards to serve as incentive for every student."

One of Bush's education goals for the year 2000 is for U.S. students to be first in the world in math and science. He has also endorsed national standards and voluntary national testing.

"If we want to (reach that goal), we better fire up our engine because we have an enormous challenge ahead of us," said Alexander.

American students have scored lower in math than their counterparts in other industrialized countries, according to the International Assessment of Educational Progress.

Dr. Iris Carl of Houston, president of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, said the students' poor showing indicates that schools are "not giving students the opportunity to learn real mathematics such as simple algebra concepts early enough.

"The introduction of algebra concepts needs to be going on in the early elementary grades so youngsters are prepared and it is not introduced as a surprise in the seventh grade," said Carl, who's math director for the Houston school system.

She added that the teachers' group in 1989 made early teaching of algebra one of its goals.

Alexander said the point of the report was not to blame anyone or cite a long list of failures, but to jolt students, educators and parents to action.

"The purpose is to point out where we are, where we have to go, and how to get there," he said. "We have to disabuse that notion that too many people think that the nation's at risk but they're OK."

The state-by-state study conducted by the National Center for Education Statistics included about 2,500 students from nearly 100 schools in each of 37 states, the District of Columbia, Guam and the Virgin Islands. Participation was voluntary.

Of the 2,542 eighth-grade students from 101 public schools in Texas who took the test in February 1990, 58 percent performed at a fifth-grade level. That is, they could multiply and divide whole numbers. Nationally, 64 percent of the eighth graders could perform fifth-grade work.

Nearly all, or 97 percent of the students tested, could master third-grade material. Nationally, an average of 97 percent of the eighth graders could handle third-grade work.

The standard of error was plus or minus 2 percentage points.

The average score of Texas students was higher than that of students in Hawaii, North Carolina, Louisiana, Guam, Washington, D.C. and the Virgin Islands. The state average was lower than that achieved in 15 other states, but about the same as 19 states.

Scores for the test are ranked on a scale of 0 to 500. A score of 200 indicates a student can do third-grade work. Level 250 reflects typically fifth-grade content and 300 indicates a student can work fractions, decimals, percents and simple algebra generally introduced in seventh grade.

SURVEY: Men, women marry later than ever

(From 1A)

single-parent households — now 15.8 million, or 25.9 percent of the children under the age of 18. "I don't see the dynamics for a shift there, or even a plateauing of the trend," Gurak said.

Of the children in single-parent households, 38.6 percent are living with a divorced parent, and 30.6 percent are living with a parent who has never married.

Another trend that shows no signs of abating is the tendency of grown children to live with their parents. More than half of those from 18 to 24 years of age are living with their parents, compared with 42 percent in 1960.

One in nine adults from 25 to 34 also lives in a parent's home, an increase of more than 25 percent in the stay-at-home rate since 1960.

The number of these stay-at-homes has reached nearly five million, up from two million in 1960.

"They are sort of standing on the edge of a standard-of-living abyss," said Espenshade. "When they face the prospect of what their standard of living is going to be if they go off and form their own household, they have a powerful incentive to retreat to the parental home."

These were among the findings in the study, which is conducted annually:

■ The proportion of women who have never married has increased among all age groups up to 45. But among women older than 55, the proportion of those who have never married has dropped dramatically.

■ Nearly 23 million Americans live alone, including about 11 percent of the 35-to 44-year-olds. Just 3 percent of the people in the same age group were living alone in 1970. Among the more vulnerable group of people 85 and older, 47.1 percent, or more than one million people, live alone.

■ Some 15.8 million children live in single-parent families, including more than 60 percent of all black children under the age of 18. Both the absolute figures and the proportion of children in one-parent families have doubled in the past two decades.

■ While divorce rates have been going down slowly since the early 1980's, the number of divorced people in the population has increased sharply in the last 20 years while young people have delayed forming new unions. As a result, the number of divorced people per 1,000 married people tripled in the last two decades; there are now 142 divorced people for every 1,000 married people.

■ The proportion of 25-to-34-year-old adults who have formed their own families declined from 83 percent to 65 percent from 1960 to 1990.

■ There were 2.9 million unmarried couples living together, an 80 percent increase over that of 1980.

That trend, Espenshade said, is likely to continue. "It wouldn't surprise me to see people continue to live together before marriage even as the marriage age comes down."

Among the eight million in their late 20's who have never married, 29 percent shared quarters with nonrelatives, 16 percent shared quarters with relatives (not including their parents), 21 percent lived alone and 34 percent lived with their parents.

LEGALESE: State bar issues plain-talk initiative

(From 1A)

deemed to include an organization described in section 510(c)(4), (5), or (6) which would be described in paragraph (2) if it were an organization described in section 501(c)(3)."

"That's something tax lawyers continue to puzzle over," Garner said.

Also among winners is a typographical error from a brief to the 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals, which points out, "In the index to this brief, the court will find an extensive copulation of authorities on this subject."

The plain-talk initiative is directed at the works of judges and lawmakers as well as lawyers, Garner said.

For example, a Dallas congressional candidate's answer to an abortion question won the competition for "Politician's Obfuscation of a Legal Issue." The candidate was Rufus Higginbotham, who ran as an independent.

The quote, as printed in a newspaper: "I believe that privacy in making reproductive choices has certainly been a pillar of civilized humanity since earliest history. In this end of the 20th century, with the knowledge we now have of the infinitude of creation in the heaven above — and with our certain ability to proceed therein as a peaceably, so employed humanity, we would become so productively involved, driven by related questions deep within our very souls, more temporary questions as these would surely diminish to less concern."

Garner will present the awards at the State Bar's June 21 annual meeting in Houston. He emphasized that the awards are not targeted at any person, but at a form of writing.

"We don't want to hold anyone up to ridicule. But we do want to ridicule certain types of writing — whatever is needlessly obscure, absurdly verbose, or downright nonsensical," Garner said in a Thursday statement.

While the awards represent a humorous attack on legalese, Garner said his committee is serious about its work. It has drafted a 10-point charter for plain legal writing, which the State Bar's board has approved.

The award categories may vary in future years, he added. This year's nominees represented more than 10 years of legal writing from all over the United States.

"We don't want to limit ourselves — virtually any worthy candidate can be considered," Garner said.

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BUSH: President renews call for voluntary prayer in public schools

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"And like a lot of people I've worried a little bit about shedding tears in public, or the emotion of it. But as Barbara and I prayed at Camp David before the air war began, we were thinking about those young men and women overseas."

His voice cracked as he recalled: "I had the tears start down the cheeks. And our minister smiled back. And I no longer worried how I looked to others."

The audience responded with applause and Bush brushed away new tears, confessing, "Here we go."

Resuming his remarks, Bush said: "And I think that like others — a lot of others who had positions of responsibility in sending someone else's kid to war — we realized that in prayer what mattered is how it might have seemed to God."

The fundamentalist-dominated convention was the perfect audience for Bush's remarks. Patriotism has been a central theme of the three-day gathering.

Before Bush's speech, the delegates adopted resolutions giving zhanks for Operation Desert Storm and saluting Bush for his role in the war.

Ticking off a litany of conservative issues, Bush renewed his call for a constitutional amendment to permit voluntary prayer in public school, as well as a ban on federally funding for abortions except when a mother's life is endangered.

Bush personally supports abortions in cases of rape or incest, but not federal funding.

On route back to Washington, Bush rejected the Southern Baptists' call for firing John E. Frohnmayer as chairman of the National Endowment for the Arts over grants for what the group considers "sacrilegious art."

"In my view he's done a good job," Bush said. "It is tough because we don't want censorship, but we don't want just plain sacrilegious junk being peddled as art."

Also on Air Force One, Bush:

—Revealed he had summoned his National Security Council to discuss the strategic arms talks with the Soviets. The remaining differences are "very technical," Bush said, adding that both sides clearly want a summit and "we're pushing."

—Urged the Senate to give his civil rights bill "a fair chance." He said most Americans share his view that the House-passed Democratic bill would force quotas on employers.

—Criticized the Episcopal Church ordination of a lesbian priest in Washington. "Perhaps I'm a little old-fashioned, but I'm not quite ready for that," said Bush, an Episcopalian.

Speaking to the Southern Baptists, Bush emphasized his efforts to promote parental choice in education, which would entail tax incentives for private schools, and said the nation needs to be tougher on crime and drugs.

"Whatever we've learned over the last few decades, it's clear that America is a nation that no longer lacks a moral vocabulary," Bush said. "Ideals like decency and virtue are no longer subject to scorn."

Bush also visited a church-run day-care center where he celebrated his victory in allowing religious programs to share in child-care vouchers for poor families.

While Bush flew here, the Department of Health and Human Services released rules for the new $732 million child-care voucher program that starts in September.

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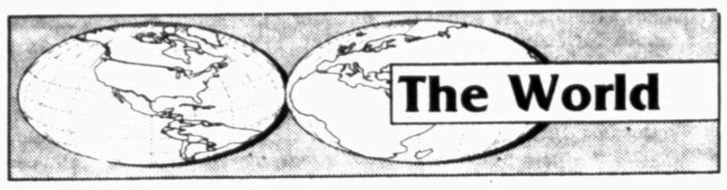
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British prime minister proposes inviting Gorbachev to summit



LONDON (AP) — Britain on Thursday proposed that Soviet President Mikhail S. Gorbachev be invited to London after a summit of the world's most powerful economies to make his pitch for massive aid from the West.

Prime Minister John Major's office said messages went out Thursday to the other participating countries suggesting a date immediately after their July 15-17 summit.

Gorbachev has been pressing for an invitation to plead his case before the leaders of the world's top industrialized democracies.

Those countries make up the so-called Group of Seven — Britain, the United States, Germany, France, Japan, Canada and Italy.

Support has been growing among Western leaders for Gorbachev to attend their summit. But they also have tried to dispel any expectations that the economic powers would provide a huge infusion of aid at this time.

Gorbachev says his reforms could fail without financial help.

A Downing Street spokeswoman said Major had received no responses to his proposal by late Thursday.

But earlier in the day, German Chancellor Helmut Kohl spoke as if the invitation had already been extended and accepted.

"I welcome the fact that Gorbachev will come to London," Kohl said, departing from the text of a speech before the German Parliament.

Major's office would not say what arrangements were proposed or whether Gorbachev would meet directly with the leaders of the other nations.

But a spokesman said: "There will be some sort of opportunity for Gorbachev to say what's going on in the Soviet Union."

"Several options are open but no decisions have been taken at this point; there could be some sort of dinner," said the spokesman. He spoke on condition of anonymity.

Some summit participants have suggested that Gorbachev be barred from their meetings but be allowed to meet with them before or after their talks.

The Downing Street spokesman said Major's proposal was unequivocal on that point.

"There is no question of Gorbachev attending the summit itself," he said.

Some officials have said the Soviet leader must produce a concrete reform plan before he can count on massive Western aid.

"It is important that the contacts between the industrial countries and the Soviet Union become more intense, but at the same time we should be careful not to raise expectations that can't be realized," Dutch Finance Minister Wim Kok said Wednesday.

Kok and others at the annual meeting of the 24-nation Organization of Economic Cooperation and Development in Paris said the Soviets must lay the foundation for a free market and encourage private business to prevent economic collapse.

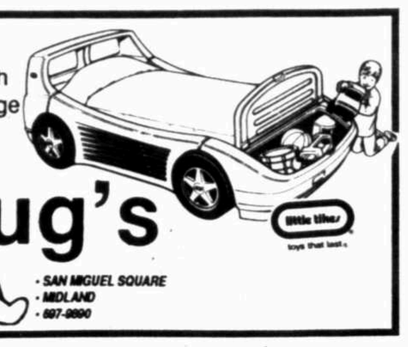
A British government source said Wednesday that the United States and Japan were both dropping objections to Gorbachev coming to the summit.

At the Paris meeting, U.S. Treasury Secretary Nicholas Brady and British Foreign Secretary Douglas Hurd implied that they expected Gorbachev to attend the Group of Seven talks. But they also indicated the Soviet leader should not expect a huge infusion of aid.

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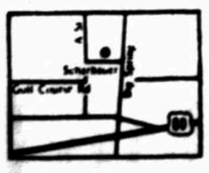


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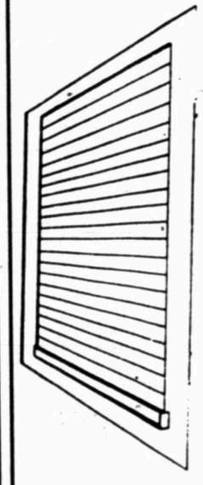
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Syria drops objections to Mideast peace meeting

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WASHINGTON — Syria has removed its objections to a regional Middle East peace conference, opening the way for President Bush to launch such a conference in Cairo soon, a senior White House official said Thursday.

The only hurdles preventing the conference from taking place in the next few weeks are Israel's objections to any role for the United Nations and to the composition of the Palestinian delegation, according to the official, who spoke on condition he would not be identified.

In Jerusalem on Thursday, Israel Radio and Army Radio said Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir had sent a strongly worded letter to President Bush rejecting a direct United Nations role in the peace conference. But the administration official said the letter should not be interpreted as the final word from Israel on Bush's initiative.

According to the Israeli radio report, monitored by Reuters, Shamir said in his letter that his government had made enough compromises and that it was now the Arab states' turn to make a concession.

One indication that Shamir's tough stance may be a negotiating tactic is the disclosure here on Thursday that Israeli Foreign Minister David Levy is planning to visit Washington next Wednesday for talks with Secretary of State James Baker on the Bush plan. The Levy trip was disclosed by Embassy spokeswoman Ruth Yaron.

The tentative plan for the regional peace conference, according to the White House official, is for Bush to go to Cairo with Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev either before or immediately after their Moscow summit, which is scheduled for late June or early July.

The United States and the Soviet Union have agreed to co-sponsor the proposed Arab-Israeli peace conference, which is intended to include the leaders of Syria, Jordan, Israel, Lebanon, Egypt as well as observers from the United Nations, Europe and the Persian Gulf.

Syria from the start of the discussions had demanded that the nations at the conference agree in advance to reconvene for direct bilateral talks. However, Syria now has dropped that demand and, in effect, has bowed to Israel's insistence that the Cairo session be a one-time event and last only a day or two.

Syria informed Bush about its new stance in a letter from President Hafez Assad delivered to Secretary of State James Baker on Wednesday, the official said.

Cairo has become the most likely site for a Middle East peace conference because Gorbachev does not want to come to Washington for a such a purpose and because Cairo, the capital of Egypt, has recently become the headquarters of the 23-nation Arab League, a State Department official said.

Egypt also is the only Arab nation that officially recognizes Israel and has ended its state of war with the Jewish nation.

The conference, coming immediately before or after the Moscow summit would be billed as a dramatic event ushering in a new era of peace in the region, the official said.

After it is over, Bush would make a week-long "victory lap," visiting Israel and each of the major nations that supported the United States in the Persian Gulf War.

But the White House official said there is no plan for the conference to break into smaller working groups in an effort to settle long-standing territorial and other disputes between Israel and its Arab neighbors or to agree in advance to reconvene at a later date.

In order to overcome last-minute obstacles, Bush wrote personal letters last weekend to each of the Arab leaders and Shamir, proposing the conference be reconvened "by consensus," requiring the assent of each of the parties.

Instead of launching new negotiations, the official said the main aim of the Cairo conference will be to "break the taboos" that have prevented the surrounding Arab nations from recognizing and accepting the existence of the Jewish state since its founding in 1948.

The administration official said one incentive for Shamir to drop his refusal to attend unless U.N. representatives were kept out is the Soviet Union's willingness to announce at the conference that it is resuming diplomatic relations with Israel after a 24-year lapse.

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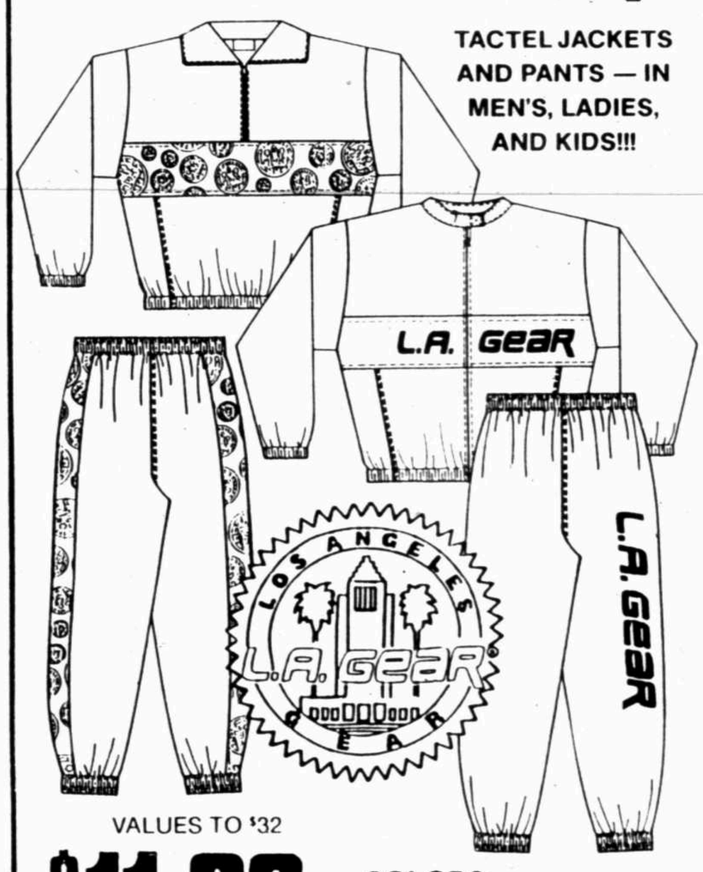
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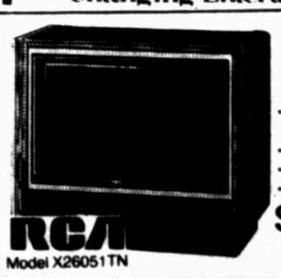
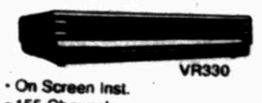
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Court's rulings set new course

In the mid-1980's, journalists and political analysts began talking about how the "Reagan Revolution" would extend far beyond the presidential tenure of Ronald Reagan. The way they explained it Reagan's main influence would not be realized through his impact on the Congress or the federal bureaucracy, but rather through his appointments to the U.S. Supreme Court and his rapport with the everyday American.

That judicial impact is now being experienced as the Supreme Court has in recent weeks:

- Overturned a 12-year-old precedent on police searches without court warrants, a move that stands to significantly broaden law enforcement ability.
- Upheld government regulations that forbid women from being advised about abortions at federally-funded family planning centers.
- Set a two-day limit on the time that persons arrested without warrants can be held before a determination must be made on whether police had "probable cause" to make the arrest.
- Cracked down on the filing of "frivolous" appeals by poor people who file free as paupers.

These and other rulings are reflecting what many analysts believe is a trend toward a more conservative court and one that is more attuned to the original intent of the framers of the U.S. Constitution. The trend was predicted because of Reagan's large number of Supreme Court and other judicial appointments and was bolstered by the fact that George Bush followed Reagan to the presidency and now has made even more appointments of conservative jurists to the Supreme Court.

Recent rulings seem to indicate a concern on the part of the court that earlier court rulings which liberally interpreted individual rights have had a detrimental effect on American society. The ruling on police searches, for example, indicates that if police stopped a vehicle in the first place, then they must have had enough suspicion that illegal activity was taking place to also search the vehicle's contents. Obviously, that ruling is in response to the massive amount of drugs being transported today. The ruling on abortion rights seems to support abortion information from private clinics although from federally-funded clinics such information is not acceptable. In other words, that ruling seems to say information about abortion should be legal at the purchaser's expense but not at the expense of the taxpayers.

From early indications, the court will be moving toward rulings that will require more responsibility on the part of individuals and which support greater social responsibility at the expense of individual liberties.

In future rulings, the Supreme Court's "fabric" for American society will become even more clear. Those rulings will merit watching.

OTHER VIEWS

Manned missions threatened by cuts

NASA's visionary plan to build an orbiting outpost in space suffered a major setback recently when a House appropriations subcommittee voted unexpectedly to eliminate $2 billion the Bush administration had requested for the project.

The panel's action places the future of the space station Freedom in jeopardy . . .

The central issue surrounding the space station is whether the United States should continue to have a human presence in space.

Critics of the space station contend that manned missions are unnecessary, that robots and probes can perform nearly any task an astronaut can. This same argument was made three decades ago against the Apollo manned missions to the moon . . .

The future of human space travel could hinge on whether lawmakers continue to support construction of the Freedom space station. If funding is not restored for 1992, the decline of America's space program is likely to accelerate.

— Amarillo Daily News

Prisons' 'revolving doors' need locking

How many more times are we going to have to read accounts of convicted murderers who have served little of their prison time being charged with killing again? Texans know the answer, so does the Legislature: Until laws are passed that lock the revolving doors in our state prisons, every one of us is at risk of confronting a violent criminal who has, as the cliche would have it, gotten away with murder . . .

People simply must shake off their feeling of helplessness against the ever-rising tide of crime. It is time to demand change. The status quo will only result in a continuing string of future tragedies.

— Dallas Times Herald

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Friday, June 7, the 158th day of 1991. There are 207 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On June 7, 1776, Richard Henry Lee of Virginia proposed to the Continental Congress a resolution calling for a Declaration of Independence.

On this date:

In 1654, Louis XIV was crowned king of France in Rheims.

In 1769, June 7 is recognized by Kentucky's Historical Society as the date that frontiersman Daniel Boone first began to explore the present-day Bluegrass State.

In 1848, French postimpressionist painter Paul Gauguin was born in Paris.

In 1864, Abraham Lincoln was nominated for another term as president at his party's convention in Baltimore.

In 1929, the sovereign state of Vatican City came into existence as copies of the Lateran Treaty were exchanged in Rome.

In 1948, the communists completed their takeover of Czechoslovakia with the resignation of President Eduard Benes.

In 1967, author-critic Dorothy Parker, famed for her caustic wit, died in New York.

JACK ANDERSON

Doctors' referrals mean kickbacks

WASHINGTON — In March, a Florida physician referred a 100-year-old patient to a medical lab for a brain scan. The expressed reason for the referral was that the man was experiencing "weakness" and "poor balance."



Anderson

The better explanation for the referral is that the physician is a part owner of the laboratory and profited from the $1,000 CAT scan fee. The apparently unnecessary test was paid for by Medicare — in other words, U.S. taxpayers.

In the past five years, a growing number of physicians have invested in a variety of medical labs as an almost foolproof income supplement. The resulting self-referral system amounts to legalized kickbacks for the physicians.

Even some doctors are disgusted by what they see. A veteran radiologist told us he's seen enough unnecessary lab visits to make him "sick to be a doctor." He said the problem had grown "exponentially worse in the past few years."

These joint ventures may soon become outlawed.

An upcoming Florida state study will show that almost 75 percent of the state's diagnostic imaging labs are now owned by physicians who refer their patients to these labs. That statistic is unnerving considering a federal probe in 1989 revealed that doctors refer their patients for 40 percent more lab work when they own a share of the lab.

Rep. Fortney "Pete" Stark, D-Calif., has crusaded to stop the self-referral onslaught. He maintains that it's not only costing patients a fortune, but milking Medicare and taxpayers for tens of millions of dollars. Stark wants to make all such arrangements illegal. Sen. Brock Adams, D-Wash., plans to push similar legislation in the Senate.

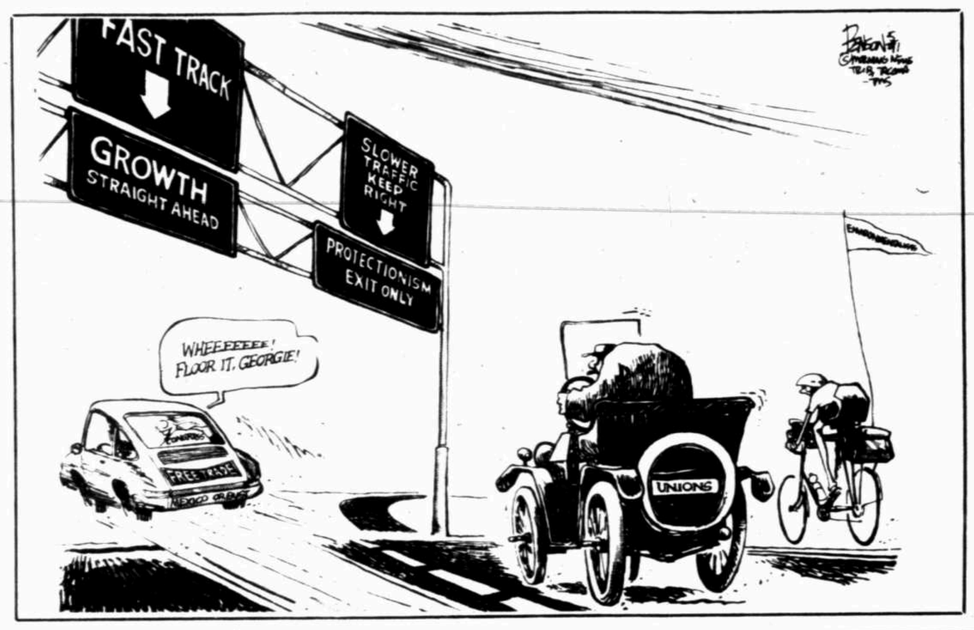
Physicians' lobbyists maintain that such legislation would rob rural Americans of modern medical equipment. They also argue that such a law would punish honest and dishonest doctors alike. At the very least, they want all existing joint-venture labs grandfathered under any new law. Stark calls it "grandfathering robbery."

Today's blue-chip investment in the nation's physician community is the Magnetic Resonance Imaging machine, or MRI. The cost of the diagnostic equipment is often spread out over several doctors who recoup their investment in less than a year, thanks to the steady stream of patients. The basic MRI costs patients about $1,000 a pop for an exam that usually lasts less than an hour. One Florida physician told us MRI labs dot most Miami street corners.

In May, a Florida physician referred an 18-year-old patient to an MRI lab. The resulting $1,000 test confirmed the doctor's suspicion. The young man's thigh was bruised. Medical experts doubt the test would have been ordered unless the doctor stood to profit.

Our associate Jim Lynch has reviewed files on one orthopedic surgeon in Florida who apparently believes all his patients should visit the MRI lab that he jointly owns. Although the doctor is only trained to diagnose bone problems, he routinely refers patients with headaches and possible neurological problems to his lab for testing. Normally such referrals are made by a neurologist.

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CHARLEY REESE

Will we ever bring the boys back home?

When I first wrote about the book "Kiss the Boys Goodbye," I said it had the potential to produce a major political shakeup — and that prediction appears to be true.



Reese

The thesis of the book, by Moniker-Jensen Stevenson and her husband, William, is that: (1) The United States abandoned living POWs in Southeast Asia; and (2) the U.S. government has covered up that fact.

Naturally, the U.S. government attacked the book and the authors, but the persistent work of two senators, Sen. Jesse Helms and Sen. Charles Grasley, produced a minority report that verified the essential accusations.

The minority report was attacked. In fact, my own editor got a letter from the League of Families, whom the book accuses of being a front for the coverup, attacking the book, attacking me, and attacking the minority reports.

". . . it should be noted," the League spokesman wrote, "that such charges have been investigated seven times since 1982. Each investigation found such charges completely without merit."

Hey, no doubt about that. The government investigated the government and found the government innocent.

Only, now, on top of the minority reports, there is new evidence to support "Kiss the Boys Goodbye."

This time it comes from Col. Willard G. Peck, a career army officer in charge of the POW/MIA office. Col. Peck, with long experience in the Defense Intelligence Agency, eagerly accepted the assignment, in part to put to rest the rumors and allegations of coverup.

Col. Peck has now resigned with a blistering memo. Read what a man with firsthand knowledge has to say:

"Everyone is expendable. I have seen firsthand how ready and willing the policy people are to sacrifice or abandon anyone who might be perceived as a political liability. It is quick and facile, and can be easily covered. I feel strongly that this issue (MIA/POW) is being manipulated and controlled at a higher level, not with the goal of resolving it but more to obfuscate the question of live prisoners and give the illusion of progress through hyperactivity.

"From what I have witnessed, it appears that any soldier left in Vietnam, even inadvertently, was in fact abandoned years ago and that the farce that is being played is no more than political legerdemain — one with smoke and mirrors to stall the issue until it dies a natural death."

Earlier in his memo, a copy of which I have, Col. Peck said the claim by national leaders that the issue is a high priority is a travesty. He said the principal government players are conducting a damage-limitation exercise and appeared to knowingly and deliberately generate an endless succession of manufactured crises and busy work.

"I became painfully aware," he writes, "that I was not really in charge of my own office, but was merely a figurehead or whipping boy for a larger totally Machiavellian group of players outside of DIA."

The colonel said the mindset to debunk, to discredit the source rather than pursue the lead of a live sighting was alive and well. "Practically all analysis is directing to finding fault with the source. Rarely has there been any effective, active follow through on any of the sightings . . ."

The mindset to debunk live sighting reports was a principal criticism of the Senate minority reports.

Col. Peck makes it clear that the villains are not in the MIA/POW office. Rather higher-ups use the office, where most of its work is easily classified, as a dumping ground for public anger.

He pointed out, for example, that the personnel in the office were constantly being given assignments on a urgent basis that had nothing to do with their mission and which prevented them from pursuing any leads. All of these tasks came from high up on unofficial channels that leave no trail.

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WILLIAM MURCHISON

Commission favors investment in children

The National Commission on Children, its two-year gestation period complete, is headed for the obstetrical ward. The New York Times, through journalistic amniocentesis (somebody on or near the commission leaked a copy), lets us know what is coming our way this month.



Murchison

It may surprise longtime fans of federal reports that the commission — hereinafter the Kidcommish — makes mostly sound recommendations about children's welfare.

The report endorses the two-parent traditional family as the best environment for child-rearing. This sounds like common sense. To voice such a sentiment, nonetheless, takes some courage and resolution, given the increasing abundance of single-parent families. It is not pleasant to offend voters.

"Children do best," according to the report, "when they have the personal involvement and material support of a father and when both parents fulfill their responsibility to be loving providers."

The report warns that divorce and illegitimacy can have significant "negative consequences."

Likewise, the report argues for parental empowerment. Refreshingly, and perhaps unexpectedly, the Kidcommish calls for school choice, at least within public schools. The commissioners — appointed by the House, the Senate, and the Reagan and Bush administrations — were unwilling to come out for vouchers that would let children attend private schools at government expense. Still, it is pleasant to hear any federal body come out for more freedom.

Freedom, essentially, is what the Kidcommish calls for when it proposes that families be allowed a $1,000 tax credit per child. The idea is to liberate family income for investment in, well, children.

The problem is increasingly urgent. Last spring, testifying before Rep. Patricia Schroeder's Select Committee on Children, Youth and Families, Gary L. Bauer blasted the federal tax code for its "anti-family biases, inequities and quirks."

Some of these, said Dr. Bauer, who heads the Family Research Council in Washington, D.C., "favor rich kids. Others favor poor kids. Almost all disadvantage middle-income children, especially those with parents who strike a good balance between meeting work and family responsibilities."

Dr. Bauer noted that, in 1948, the median income family with two kids paid a mere 2 percent of its income in federal taxes. Would you like to know what the figure is today? Sit down. Federal taxes take 24 percent and other taxes an additional 8 percent. Is it any wonder that both partners in those sainted two-parent families increasingly think they must work?

A $1,000 tax credit would help, but it wouldn't get the family back where it ought to be, financially speaking. Then there's the whole question of financing even so modest a credit.

The activist bloc on the Kidcommish has some big ideas for actually increasing government spending through "universal health insurance for children and pregnant women" — at a combined $16 billion for the federal government and employers. National health insurance bulks large on the Democratic agenda for the '90s. Who can be surprised to find the Kidcommish shoehorning it into a report on children?

Who is surprised anyway to find the government incapable of giving without taking? This patent inability is one of the reasons we have a National Commission on Children in the first place.

Children haven't always been a government problem, except insofar as the government set child-labor standards. Children used to be the concern of their parents — who weren't a government concern either.

The burden of proof surely is on those who argue that more government programs and money have made families, as intended, happier and closer. The Kidcommish itself acknowledges that federal welfare policy "often unwittingly undermines the formation of stable nuclear families."

Politicians must love babies, they kiss so many of them. Nonetheless, the kindest thing government could do for children is the same thing it is learning (slowly) to do for the economy — stand back, don't interfere. At a minimum, let's have tax credits, school choice and two cheers for a commission that could have done a lot worse than it did.

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The Nation

■ Saxophone great Stan Getz dies

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Tenor saxophone great Stan Getz, an 11-time Grammy winner whose mellow tones conjured up visions of "The Girl From Ipanema" for millions of jazz fans, died Thursday. He was 64.

Getz's publicist, Diana Baron, said the jazz man died at his home in Malibu. She provided no details on the immediate cause of death, but author Leonard Feather, who writes on jazz for the Los Angeles Times, said the musician suffered from cancer.

"He was very ill," Feather said.

Feather characterized Getz as the last of a long line of tenor saxophone greats like John Coltrane.

"He was one of a handful of real giants of the tenor saxophone," Feather said in a telephone interview.

He was recognized as an innovator of cool jazz. With his own quartets and quintets, he dominated the jazz scene in the late 1940s and early 1950s.

In the 1960s, Getz recorded "Jazz Samba," an album with the hit "Desafinado." The recording was one of the first to fuse jazz and bossa nova. He won four Grammys for his bossa nova innovations fueled by the hit "The Girl from Ipanema."

He also launched the careers of Chick Corea and Diane Schurr. His most recent album was "Apasionado," recorded in 1990.

Getz is survived by five children; his brother, Bob; grandchildren; and his fiance.

■ Pentagon partially unwraps secret missile

WASHINGTON — The Pentagon said Thursday that it is developing a radar-evading cruise missile that can be launched from the ground or from planes, including the B-2 stealth bomber.

The cost of developing, testing and producing the program's 8,650 missiles is $15.1 billion, Pentagon spokesman Pete Williams told reporters. That puts the cost of each missile at about $1.7 million.

Although the program has been underway since 1986, all information about the missile, which will have a conventional warhead, has been classified.

The stealth missile is designed to be used by the Army, the Navy and the Air Force to hit high-priority targets such as airfields and aircraft, aircraft shelters, air defense sites, command and communications bunkers, ships, tanks or other armored vehicles, Williams said.

Williams said the secrecy was due to the missile's "stealth" characteristics, which involve the weapon's design and construction materials that help it evade enemy radar.

The high cost of such techniques has fueled the debate in Congress over other weapons systems, in particular the B-2. The administration wants to buy 75 of the aircraft, at $860 million each. The House has approved a fiscal 1992 military budget that would stop production at 15 bombers.

■ State finds 2 more victims of AIDS dentist

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. — Two more patients apparently were infected with the AIDS virus by a dentist who died of the disease last year, health officials said Thursday.

The discovery brings to five the number of patients who have tested positive for the same HIV strain as the dentist. Dr. David Acer died of AIDS in September.

The patients became infected with HIV while receiving dental care, said a statement by the Florida Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services, which was notified of the test results by the Centers for Disease Control in Atlanta.

"The CDC indicated the two new patients had invasive procedures performed by Dr. Acer, and are infected with HIV strains which are similar to the strains from the three previously reported patients and from the dentist," the statement said.

■ Salvadoran president to meet with Bush

WASHINGTON — Salvadoran President Alfredo Cristiani will meet with President Bush on Wednesday to discuss the Salvadoran peace talks, human rights and other issues, the White House said Thursday.

"President Cristiani has shown leadership and courage in moving his country towards peace," White House spokesman Marlin Fitzwater said in announcing the visit.

Bush "is particularly interested in meeting him at this time to gain his perspectives on the negotiations," Fitzwater said.

A recent round of peace talks between Cristiani and the rebel movement known as FMLN was unsuccessful, with the major disagreement over the make-up of the Salvadoran armed forces.

More than 70,000 lives have been lost in the civil war that has gripped the Central American country for the last 11 years.

■ Congressman predicts mainstream epidemic

WASHINGTON — The co-chairman of a congressional AIDS task force predicted Thursday that the disease will devastate Asia and may strike deep into mainstream America.

Rep. Jim McDermott, a Washington Democrat and a surgeon, said he was convinced "that Asia is the sleeping giant of a worldwide AIDS epidemic" that will hit before the turn of the century.

What's more, he told a House hearing, "after examining the crisis in Asia, I am convinced an epidemic in the heterosexual population" of the United States may be inescapable.

"America is not India or Thailand," countries facing AIDS crises now, he said, "but we do have prostitutes, intravenous drug users and a sexually active young adult population.

"Americans need to confront tough questions regarding their own sexual behavior, such as condom availability and use, as well as sex education vs. sexual abstinence."

■ Panel begins base-closing hearings

WASHINGTON — A presidential commission opened public deliberations Thursday on the process of choosing which military installations to close across the country.

"This is an experimentation in open government," said Jim Courter, a former New Jersey congressman who heads the seven-member Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission.

Base closings have attracted widespread attention because military installations play an important economic role in their communities. Members of Congress and local activists have lobbied to keep their bases open.

The panel's process of targeting bases got off to a slow start as members quizzed commission staff members about the merits of individual Air Force bases. The panel will look later at the other services.

■ Birds idle $20 million earth mover

BRADLEY JUNCTION, Fla. — A towering $20 million crane that scoops up garage-size buckets of dirt at a phosphate mine has been idled by two chicks.

A pair of ospreys is nesting atop the giant dragline, bringing the operation to a halt until the two chicks learn to fly.

"We've certainly learned to respect the birds," said Ginny Germond, spokeswoman at IMC Fertilizer Inc. "You don't go messing with them."

The ospreys, protected by state and federal law, built their shaggy nest of sticks about six weeks ago on the top of the dragline, parked at the company's Haynsworth Mine in Polk County southeast of the Tampa area.

No one noticed until another machine was shut down for repairs and workers went to start up the crane, company spokeswoman Janet Roth said.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

Black valedictorian to decline shared title

ATLANTA (AP) — A federal judge ruled Thursday that a black senior and his white classmate should share the title of valedictorian at a high school where the dispute over the top graduate has heightened racial tensions.

But the black student said he would refuse to speak at Friday night's ceremony for Newton County High School.



Henderson

"I refuse to share in what I feel is an injustice," Johnathan Henderson, 18, told reporters after the judge's ruling. He said he didn't believe the decision was "right or fair. I worked hard for this award and I deserve it."

Henderson said he will attend the graduation in Covington, about 30 miles southeast of Atlanta, but other black students said they will boycott graduation if Henderson is not the valedictorian.



Allgood

U.S. District Judge Marvin H. Shoob said Henderson and C. Thomas Allgood III should share the honor when they and 329 other seniors graduate.

ALLGOOD, 17, who is white, had compiled a slightly higher grade-point average than Henderson. But before transferring to the school, he had earned some of his grades at a private school whose accreditation is in dispute.

"I'm happy with the decision," Allgood said Thursday at a Covington drug store where he works as a delivery person. "I think the fair, right thing was done."

Allgood said he was disappointed that Henderson won't speak at graduation. "I had hoped we both could be valedictorians," he said. "But I can't try to question his decision."

School system officials didn't return calls seeking to learn if Allgood will be allowed to speak Friday night without his co-valedictorian.

The dispute pits a white student against a black student at a school where racial tensions have been high in recent months, although students interviewed Thursday said they didn't view the disagreement in racial terms.

Interracial dating at Newton County High sparked fights and boycotts of classes last fall. Police were called in to patrol the school. Ku Klux Klansmen staged a rally at the courthouse to protest interracial dating.

AFTER HENDERSON was chosen valedictorian, white students protested, saying school administrators were unfair to whites. Another Klan rally followed.

Although some black students threatened Thursday to boycott the graduation ceremony, others said they would attend — and students, black and white, sought to play down the dispute.

Tracy Walker, a black senior, said she is going to the ceremony "because this is a once-in-a-lifetime thing." She added that she thought Allgood and Henderson should get together and agree to share the honor.

"They should come together as a whole, and let it rest," she said.

Leslee Huff, a white senior, said Henderson was "really hurting himself" by refusing to share the title. She added that she thinks he deserved the award.

The judge said he was forced to make the decision because the county school board abdicated its responsibilities by deadlocking in a vote on the matter Monday night.

"THIS IS A local issue," he said. "It should have been decided by the school board."

He said he would seek to determine why the board chairman did not attend Monday night's meeting and may cite her for contempt of court.

Board chairman Fran Ison was vacationing out of state. She had said last week when the judge ordered the board meeting that it was too late to change her travel plans.

The fight over the valedictorian began in April. County School Superintendent Richard Schneider recommended the two share the honor, which carries a $1,000 prize. Henderson's father asked the school board to pick one valedictorian; it picked Henderson.

Allgood sued, contending he should be the top graduate because his grade-point average was 97.7, including grades from two years at the private George Walton Academy. His lawsuit was based on a federal law entitling students or parents to correct inaccuracies in academic records.

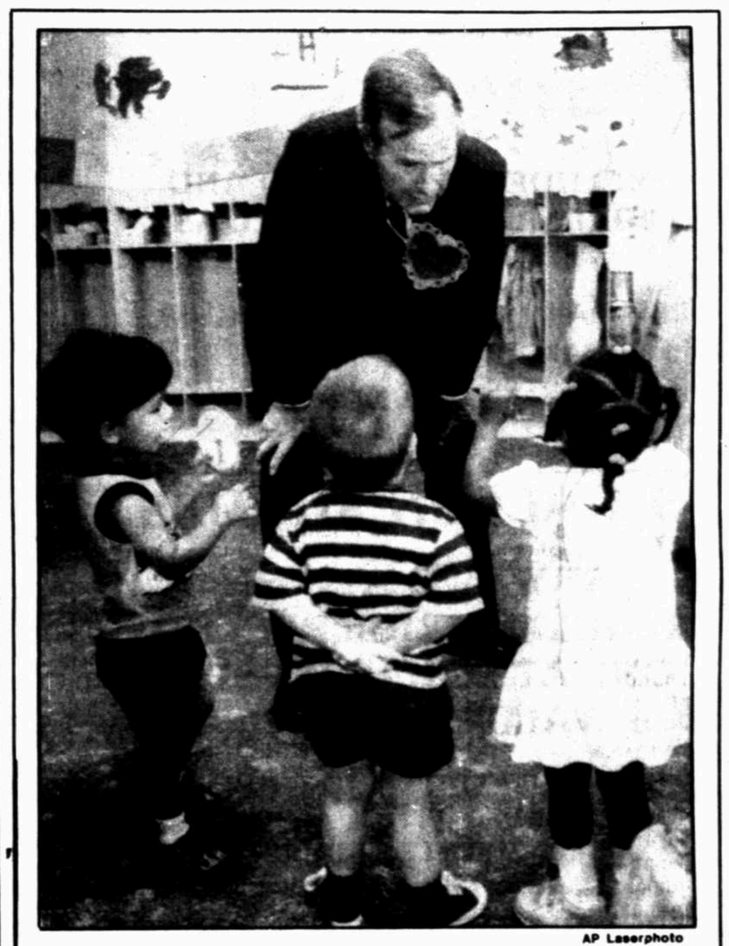
Henderson, 18, completed four years at Newton with a grade-point average of 96.96.

SHOOB RULED last week that the decision was the school board's to make, and he ordered Monday night's meeting. After the board deadlocked 2-2, Allgood's attorney requested Thursday's hearing.

The judge agreed with Allgood attorney Pat McKee that the board's deadlock means Schneider's earlier recommendation will stand.

Board members said their initial choice stemmed not from racial considerations but because questions arose about the accreditation of George Walton Academy. Allgood's grades there as a freshman and sophomore were included when his grade-point average was figured.

Walton Academy is accredited by the Georgia Accrediting Commission, but not by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, generally considered the regional accrediting agency.



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Greetings

President George Bush is greeted by children at the Child Development Center in downtown Atlanta on Thursday. The center, located in a renovated building next to the Central Presbyterian Church, is a non-profit institution designed to provide state-of-the-art childcare.

Prosecutors request exhumation of body

JACKSON, Miss. (AP) — Prosecutors said they had civil rights leader Medgar Evers' body exhumed because an autopsy report done soon after his 1963 slaying is missing and they need a new one to try to convict his suspected assassin.



Evers

Two New york pathologists exhumed and examined Evers' remains at the request of a Mississippi district attorney preparing to try white supremacist Byron De La Beckwith for a third time, an official said.

Evers' family consented to the opening Monday of the grave at Arlington National Cemetery in Virginia. The Army veteran was reburied Wednesday.

"This is a very personal thing," Evers' wife, Myrlie Evers, said Thursday from Oregon. "This case is very important to me and my family and I hope it's important to the state of Mississippi."

Evers, a field secretary for the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, was assassinated June 12, 1963, in the driveway of his Jackson home. The slaying focused national attention on the civil rights struggle in Mississippi and helped accelerate civil rights reforms.

Beckwith, 70, awaits a third trial in the slaying. He was tried twice in 1964, but all-white juries deadlocked both times. Charges were dropped in 1969 but there's no statute of limitations on murder.

Hinds County District Attorney Ed Peters asked for the autopsy, said John Metzler, superintendent of the Virginia cemetery.

Peters said prosecutors need an autopsy report since the report on the original autopsy Dr. Forrest G. Bratley performed after Evers was slain was missing.

"Due to the sensitive nature of any ongoing criminal investigation such as this ... specific findings from the autopsy will not be made public until the appropriate time," during Beckwith's trial, Peters said in a statement.

Having a new autopsy report will head off objections from Beckwith's lawyers and could yield new information, Peters said.

Bratley, who retired 10 years ago, refused to say Thursday if he still had a copy of the original report.

Dry weather, ranching threaten Warner sucker

PLUSH, Ore. (AP) — Conservation workers are dragging nets through the shallow Hart Lake in an effort to save a rare but unlovely fish before drought and predators introduced by man make it extinct.

The object of their attention is a big, dark, smooth, club-shaped fish with a gaping, downturned round mouth — the Warner sucker.

On a recent day, the net pullers were Rollie White and Tonya Ramsey of the Nature Conservancy. At the controls of their boat on Hart Lake in Warner Valley was Alan Munhall, a wildlife biologist for the U.S. Bureau of Land Management.

They are trying to rescue the Warner sucker before drought dries up the chain of pothole lakes in which the suckers mature.

The idea is to catch 300, enough to maintain a minimum gene pool, and send them to a federal hatchery for endangered fish in Dexter, N.M. When the drought is over and the lakes fill up again, the suckers can come back. Since mid-March, 64 suckers have been caught.

The fish, protected as a threatened species under the Endangered Species Act, live only in the Warner Valley in the arid high desert of southeastern Oregon.

"It is a normal cycle out here for the lakes to go dry periodically," Munhall said. "The last time was in the '50s. There was a very severe drought when everything went dry in the '30s.

"The factor they have now that they didn't have before is the introduction of predacious gamefish, like crappie, bullhead and bass."

The Oregon Wildlife Commission stocked Hart Lake with gamefish in the early 1970s for fishing. Officials didn't realize they were endangering the suckers.

A reserve population of Warner suckers lives in the streams that feed the lakes, Munhall said.

"They make it down to the lakes as little guys and grow up to larger lake fish. Now with predacious fish in there, when the little suckers hit the lake they are eaten up by the predacious fish. They won't be able to grow up and keep the stream population going," he said.

White began trapping suckers in Hart Lake last year to survey the population.

"We catch little crappie and tui chub, but we don't catch any little suckers," White said. "(Crappie) essentially eat every little sucker that comes into the lake."

Five years of drought have diminished the water supply feeding Warner Valley's lakes. Under the Endangered Species Act, the government could force ranchers to stop pumping irrigation water from Hart Lake, the biggest of them. But the lake is expected to dry up this summer anyway, Munhall said.

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WORLD IN BRIEF

■ Mexico cuts lead in gas

MEXICO CITY — To reduce smog in Mexico City, the lead content of regular gasoline will be cut nearly in half and industry will be able to use a new low-sulphur fuel oil, the government oil monopoly Pemex announced Thursday.

Francisco Rojas, general director of Petroleos Mexicanos, S.A., announced the company's latest anti-pollution steps during a celebration of World Environment Day.

President Carlos Salinas de Gortari, who was to receive a U.N. environmental award later Thursday, announced the country will sign an international agreement barring traffic in endangered species and take four other conservation steps.

The others are: care for Mexico's biological diversity; have ready in 30 days proposals for solving the problem of lead in industrial products; plant 10 million trees, 3 million more than originally proposed, to reforest nearly 900,000 acres in the Mexico City metropolitan area; and firmly oppose contaminating foreign or domestic investment in Mexico in free-trade agreement negotations with the United and Canada.

Beginning Friday, regular gasoline sold in Mexico City will have a maximum of .54 milliliters of tetraethyl lead per gallon, the level the European Economic Community recommends, Rojas said.

He said the reduction will reduce lead levels in the air while the city's about 2.5 million cars are gradually replaced by new vehicles with catalytic converters, which use unleaded gasoline.

■ Minister sent to prison

SOFIA, Bulgaria — A former top Communist official was convicted on Thursday of misusing official funds and sentenced to two years in prison, the state BTA news agency reported.

Stoyan Ovcharov, a Politburo member and economics minister under former strongman Todor Zhivkov, was the first top Communist official to be sentenced in Bulgaria.

The most prominent official currently on trial is Zhivkov, who ruled Bulgaria for 35 years.

Zhivkov, 79, is the first ousted Communist leader in Eastern Europe to be tried in open court. His trial, however, was suspended on April 15, pending completion of a medical report on his health.

Ovcharov was charged with using official funds to pay for Zhivkov's grandson to study in Switzerland.

The chief judge, Tanka Popova, found Ovcharov guilty despite the defense's claim that he was following Zhivkov's orders.

■ Algeria imposes curfew

PARIS — The Algerian government stepped up its confrontation on Thursday with the Islamic fundamentalist political movement by imposing a curfew on the capital, Algiers, and warning that any illegal activities by political parties, including rallies, public demonstrations, and strikes, will be met with force.

But Muslim fundamentalist leaders called again on Thursday for the continuation of the general strike they announced 12 days ago and said rallies should be held wherever possible.

They cautioned against clashes with Algeria's 125,000-member army, which has deployed its troops across the country at the orders of President Chedli Benjedid.

Those developments took place as a sense of calm began to return to major cities and particularly the capital, where army tanks, armored vehicles, and soldiers were highly visible. News agencies in Algeria reported the capital's streets to be calm.

The confrontation between government soldiers and fundamentalist leaders has eliminated for the time being any hope that Algeria will soon be able to resume its march toward democratization, and it is far from clear what political forces may benefit in the end.

■ Officials review data

VIENNA, Austria — The head of Lauda Air said Thursday that the reverse jet engine thrust he had suggested was responsible for the crash of his jetliner in Thailand couldn't have been the sole cause.

The Boeing 767-300, bound from Bangkok to Vienna, exploded and crashed in the jungle May 26 shortly after takeoff. All 223 people aboard were killed.

Officials have not decided what caused the crash. A cockpit recording released by Thai officials showed the crew struggling to interpret warning signals related to a reversal in engine thrust.

The airline's owner, Nikki Lauda, said he got a telex Thursday from Boeing confirming that both of the plane's engines had been found and that one was locked in reverse.

But Lauda told a news conference that, using a computerized flight simulator at London's Gatwick airport, he had concluded that reverse thrust "alone did not cause the crash. . . . There must be another cause."

Boeing spokeswoman Liz Reese In Thailand on Thursday, a Lauda official said forensic experts had identified 117 of the crash victims. But the government has yet to give authorization to bury the bodies, many of which are being kept in an unrefrigerated morgue in Bangkok, said monks who were overseeing funeral arrangements.

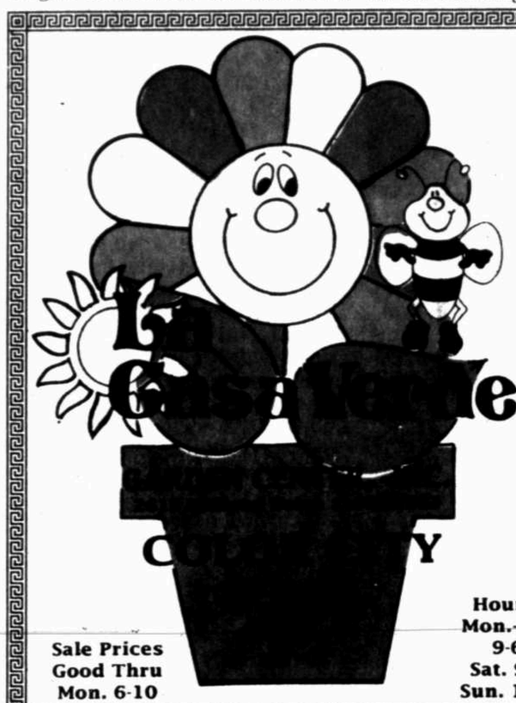
Thai officials said they planned to number the graves so the remains can be exhumed and transferred if they are identified.

■ Strikers attack police

LIMA, Peru — Thousands of striking nurses and teachers blockaded downtown streets and threw rocks at police Thursday in the largest labor demonstration since President Alberto Fujimori took office last year.

Union officials said at least 10 people were hurt by tear gas or clubbed by riot police who broke up the marches. About 50 people were arrested.

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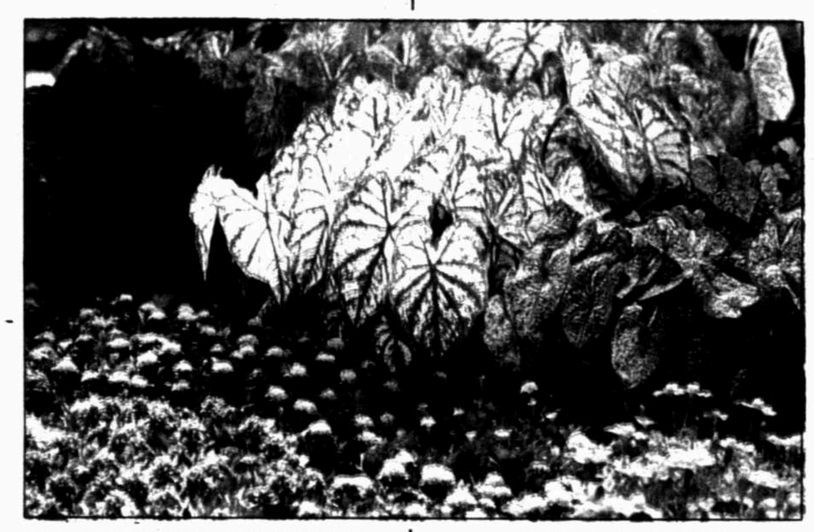
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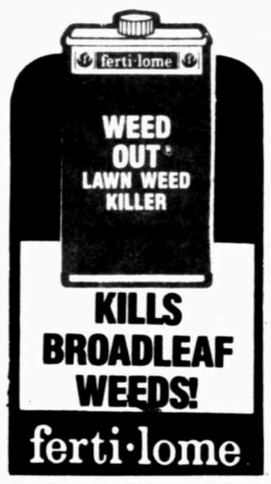
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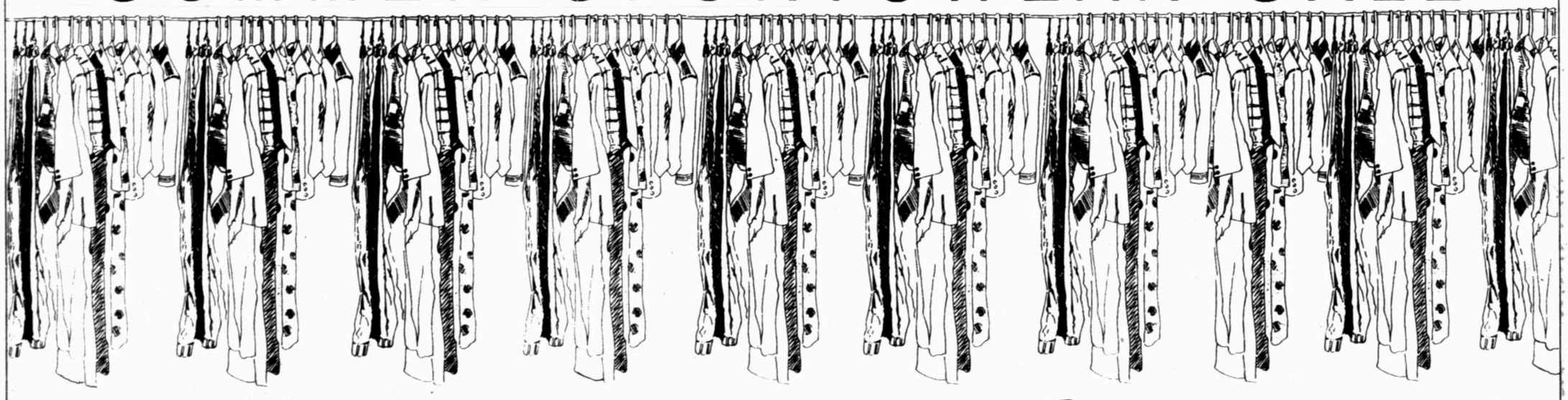
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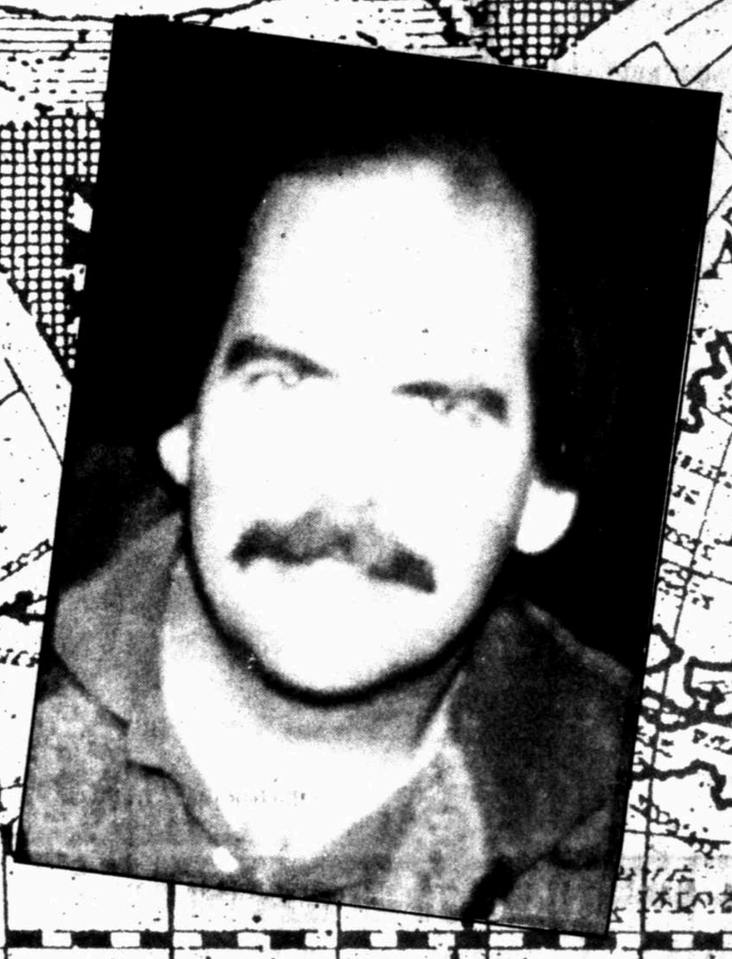


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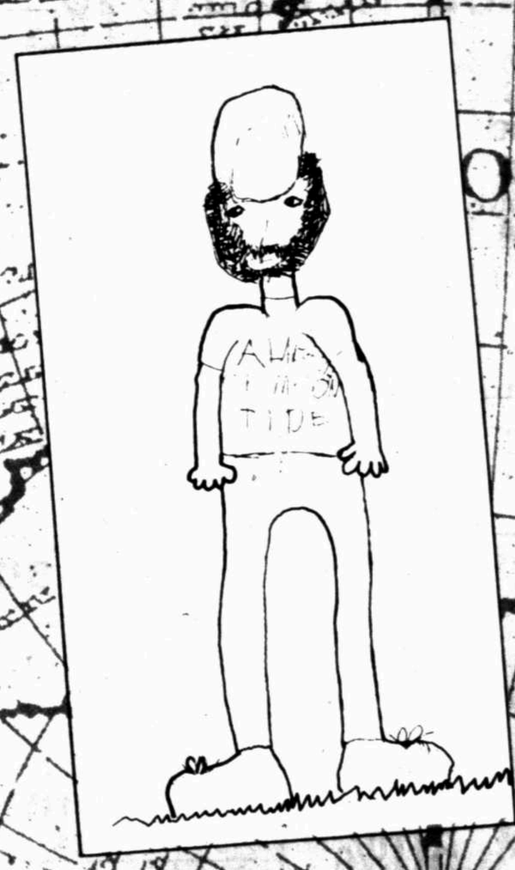
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Vanessa Mosely

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Sincerely,
Rachelle Cushen
Age: 7

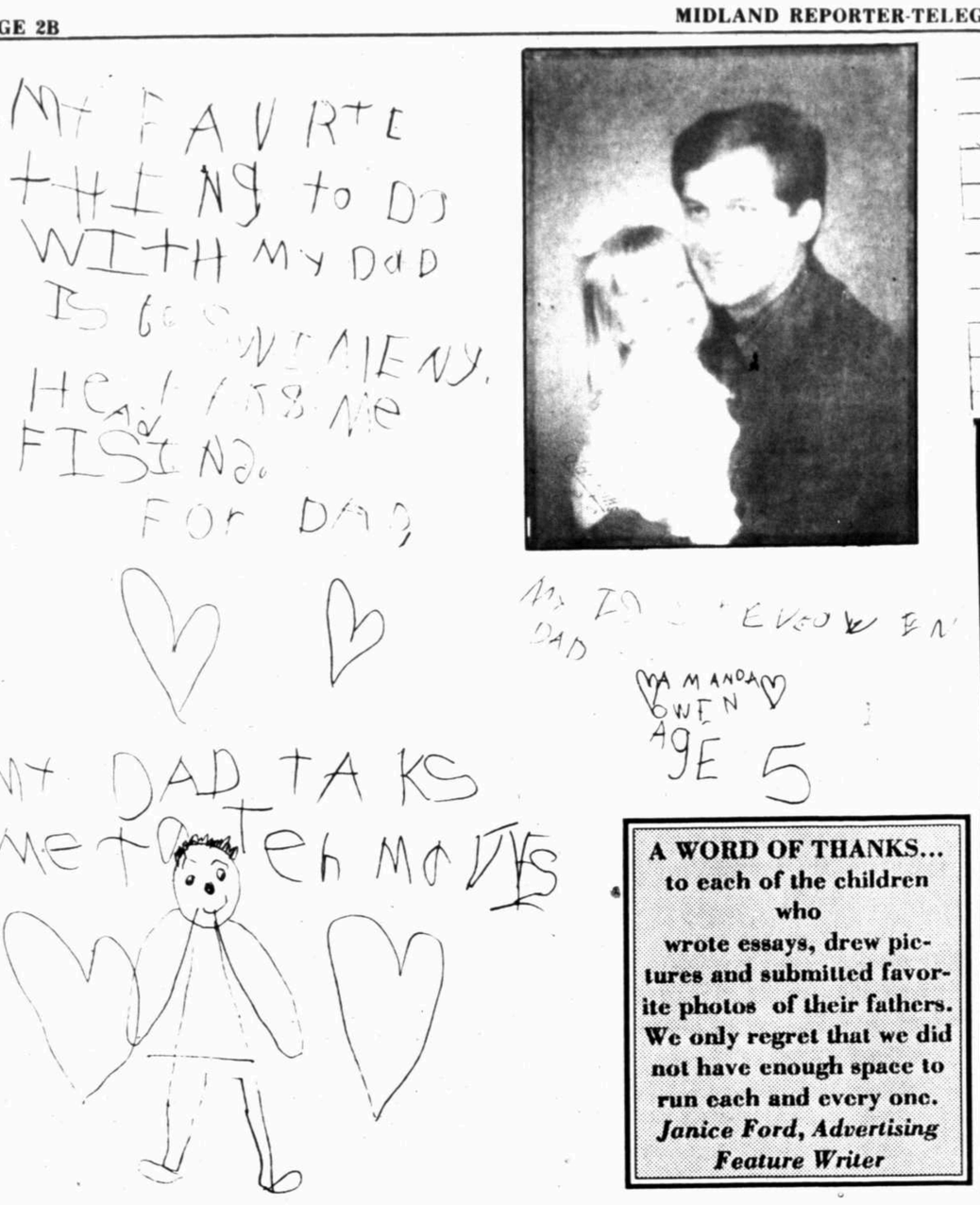


Congratulations to the winners of our 'Greatest Dad' Contest: 11-16 category Winner is Vanessa Mosely, age 12. Her poem and a photo of her father, Mark, appear above.

Our 10 and under category Winner is Rachelle Cushen, age 7. She also sent a drawing of her father in his Alabama Crimson Tide shirt.

There were no entries in the 17 and over category.

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MY DAD IS THE BEST DAD
AMANDA GWEN
AGE 5

A WORD OF THANKS...
to each of the children who wrote essays, drew pictures and submitted favorite photos of their fathers. We only regret that we did not have enough space to run each and every one.
Janice Ford, Advertising Feature Writer

My Dad is the greatest Dad because he never stops working he always encourages us to do our work. He always takes us on trips. When I am sick he gives me hugs & kisses & I feel better. I hope I win because I know my Dads the greatest!



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Garrett Sutton
#19 Hawthorne
Age 10

This is my favorite picture of my dad.

P.O. Box 7139
Midland, TX 79708
May 30, 1991
age 14
Jennifer Thompson
My father's name is Lee Thompson.

Dear Midland Reporter Telegram:

I would like to share with you something about someone very special to me. He is someone I can trust, someone I can talk to, and someone I can turn to when I am in trouble or feeling blue. He can make me laugh when everyone else has failed, and can help me feel good about myself again when I feel like a failure. He is wise and understanding. This man is my father. My father has a special place in my life and in my heart. He is patient and kind. He works hard to support my family and helps to live comfortably and happily. He is someone who would give up his own life without a second thought, just to save one of ours.

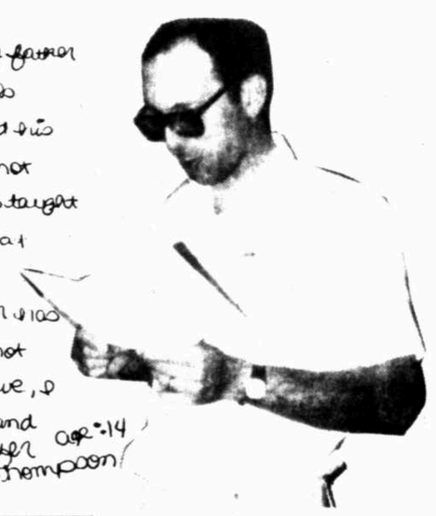
One of the most important things about my father is that he has taught me what my values and goals should be in my life. Through him, his actions, and his words, I have learned that I should work hard and not quit no matter how hard it may be for me. He has taught me discipline, honesty, and responsibility; and what these are very important qualities to have.

These are just a few of the many things my father has taught me. I love him very much. Even if you do not think he is the best father anyone could ever have, I do! (He taught me to not always go with the crowd and believe what they believe!) Sincerely, Jennifer Thompson age 14

My dad is the greatest. He is coaching 3 years of T-ball for each of us. He plays catch with us. Even though he didn't want a dog, he let us have one. He fix and makes things for us. He is in Indian Princess with me. He tucks us in each night. He spells out words. He reads books to us each night.

Ezra, Zachary, and Thomas Frisbie

P.S. We love him very, very much.





Why my dad is the greatest!!
By Will Cooper Age 4

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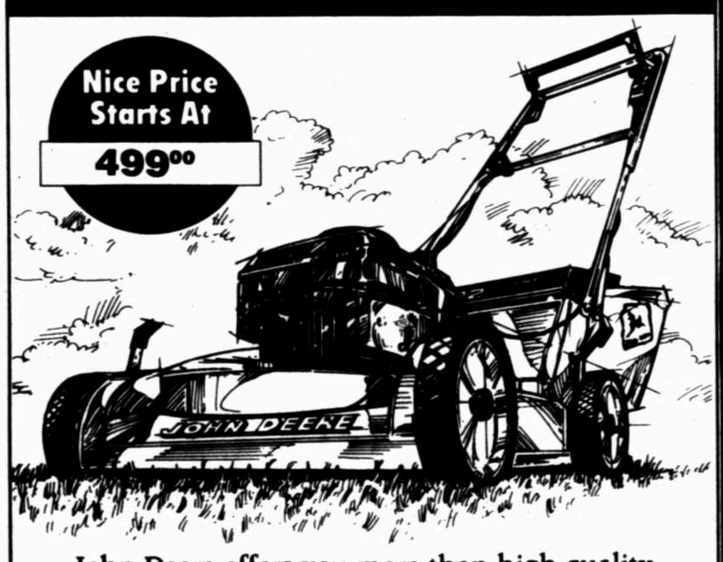
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Shai

My daddy is the greatest because he is special. He plays micro-machines and wrestles with me. He swims in my pool and plays catch with me. I can hit the ball when he throws it and when it goes threw the fence, he'll go get it.

I love my daddy because he loves Jesus and he takes me to church, where we learn about Jesus.

Dad pays our taxes and plans trips for us and he's going to take me fishing this weekend. Don't you wish you had a daddy like I do?



Aaron Schrank
1307 W. Missouri - 79701
683-9462
age: 6

I want to tell you about my dad. He works very hard sometimes seven days a week but he takes me shopping, movies, shows, out to eat. He buys me things. One day I told him I would like to have a water bed, the next day there it was. He taught me how to swim. When I was trying out for Cheerleader he would watch me and give me hints. He hates rock music but listen for me. We have our fights but everyone does. The other night was my concert he had to work that next day he put his arms around me and told me how sorry he was. He wore these, these were worn in his ears. When my brother was born he stayed day and night with my mom. We had new dad for four short years we see him my step dad not only my dad but my friend. My dads name Ron Parker I am his daughter Michael Bowman says it



Dear Newspaper,
I think my dad is the best dad because every day he provides me with food, clothes, and shelter. He is also very nice to me. He takes me to go to work to help me in my school work.



Sincerely,
John Manning
Midland Tx 79703



My dad is special because he plays with me and he is nice. He helps me with things I don't understand and I want to know.

Travis Smith

My dad is the greatest because he lets me know he cares. Because you see this dad isn't my dad by blood. He's a real dad. He'll step in and like a real dad. He gets on to me because I do wrong, but then explains why he gets mad. And always says he cares or because I love you and want you to do good because I want the whole world to know you're the way I do. He always sees us top when ever I do good or report card day. This is why my dad is the greatest and I love him

Shawn Peters
3rd grade Pearsall

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by Reggie Conley 5 yrs old
my brother Derek is 3½
My other brother Brian is 2



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MY DAD'S THE GREATEST!

by Dee Lynn Frazier
(age 13)

My dads name is Greg Frazier He is the coolest dad on earth! He takes me fishing and he always comes to my gymnastic meets. He is always there for me and he always incureges me. He builds nice houses for people to live in. He is a good coach for my brothers baseball team. He can be very funny and he likes all my friends. I love him very much and I hope you put this in the paper because my dad is the GREATEST!!!

Dee Lynn Frazier



Not very many people have a perfect dad like mine.

My Mom & Dad are divorced. My dad drives 8 hr. (up & back) just to see me and my brother each month even if he can't afford it. He has to close his store and don't make any money when he comes. Even though it only like days we always spends it right. He alway acts happy to see me. Even though I hate talking about divorce, (it make me upset) I know I can alway talk to him and it don't make him mad. And he don't mak me do what I don't want to. Every night at dinner we talk about what we did that day that's called share it's a fun game.

But even though I don't get to see him alot I still love him and I know he loves me.

By: Denise Fleck 9 years

I think my dad is the greatest because he works hard for the family and because he takes good care of us and loves mary mom and me and he is very friendly with people and he cares for the people he meets and I can count on him for everything and that's what I think my dad is the greatest

my dad's name is SFC Felix Davila

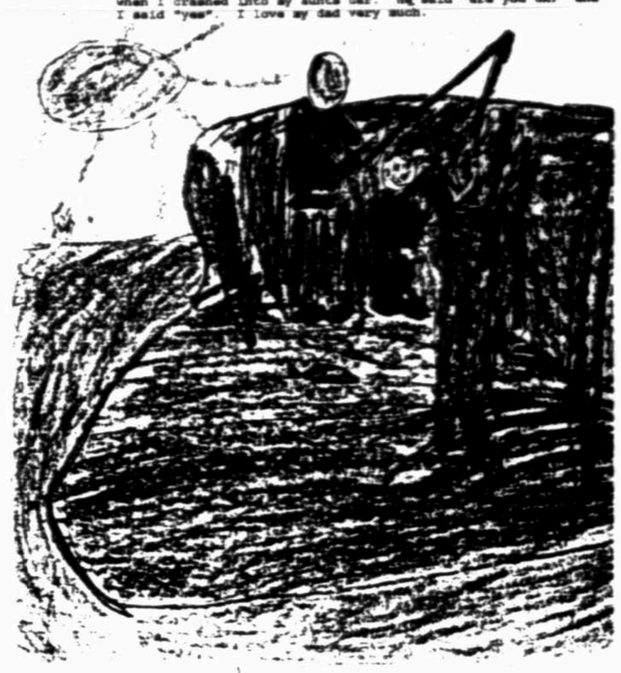


I Love my dad

my name is Alma Davila Age 8

By Steven Iamanaki

My dad is a nice guy. He plays lots of games with me. When I was six years old he took me fishing. He caught three fish. One for me, one for my dad and one for my grandpa. He also taught me to ride a two wheeler. He didn't get mad when I crashed into my aunts car. He said "are you ok?" and I said "yes". I love my dad very much.



My dad is the greatest because we go on special trips together. On these trips we have alot of fun. My dad also cares alot for me. He will help me in any he can. He never gets a put out with me if I get in trouble in school. I love my dad and he loves me.

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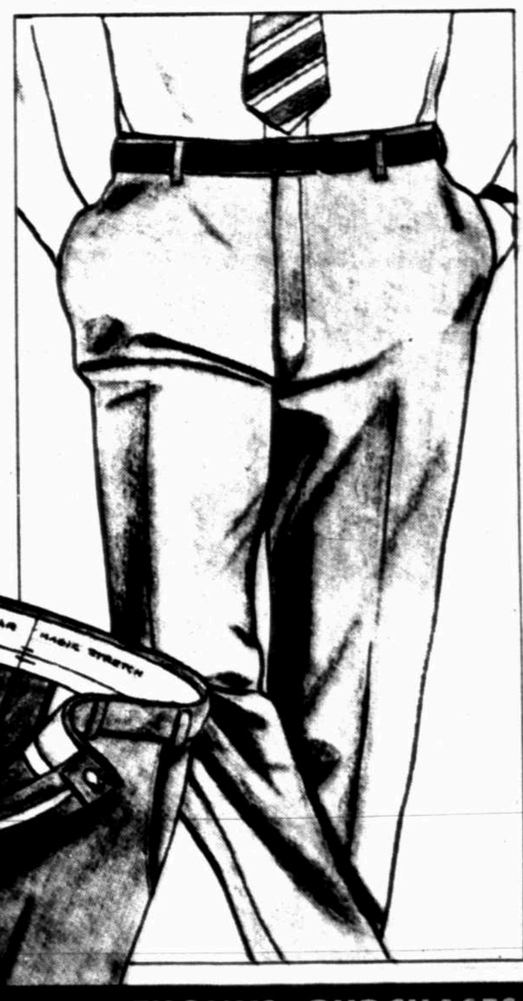
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"My Dad Is The Greatest"

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in every way.
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when things are bad.
He will love me and hug me
when I am sad.
He'll cheer me on
in any sport.
He will jump and shout
to show his support.
My dad was real angry
with me when
I signed a progress report
and turned it in.
But then he told me
how much he cared,
And in that moment,
right then and there,
I knew he was the greatest
in every way,
My dad is the greatest
I have to say.

By: Chris Scheumack,
13 years old





Dad The Great

My dad is the greatest
and here's why its true,
because he'll tell you anything
that you want him to.

He'll explain everything
that you want to know.
He teaches me lessons
and takes me where I need to go.

He looks out for me
all through the year.
Keeps me away from drugs,
alchol and beer.

He pops me up
when I'm feeling blue.
I might not act like it,
but Dad, I love you!

By,
Amy Bacher
Age: 14

My Dad is the Greatest because he takes me camping and he taught me how to fish. He takes me golfing. He hates cats but he let me and my sister have one for a pet. My dad is sweet and kind to all of us. He is handsome and I Love him

Chera DeVore
age 8
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Sincerely yours,
Tonalyn Taylor

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Rankin board rejects principal's resignation

■ School board wants Rankin Middle School administrator Melvin Wimberley to remain in his post because of all the changes in the district.

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

RANKIN — Rankin school board members Thursday unanimously rejected the resignation of Melvin Wimberley, the popular Rankin Middle School principal.

Board member Mike Hill recommended that Wimberley be retained because "we need familiar faces around here," particularly "with all the changes going along."

Those changes include the resignation of Bobby Dodds, Rankin superintendent for the past three years, an apparently iron-fisted administrator whose rule had been a source of low morale among teachers and staff.

Wimberley, who has been in the Rankin school district for at least 30 years, has been "a stabilizing force in the community," said Linda Dusek of Midkiff. Ms. Dusek, who attended Rankin schools, has two children in the school district.

Parents and school teachers who attended Thursday night's school board session voiced support for Wimberley while the board members were in executive session discussing "personnel matters."

Tena Gray, a chemistry teacher and counselor at Rankin, described Wimberley as the "most wonderful administrator I have ever seen. He is kind and considerate and is concerned about the kids in the community. And, above all, he is fair."

Virginia Cole, whose children and grandchildren attended Rankin schools, said Wimberley "cannot be beat. He is great." Mrs. Cole said Wimberley's middle school is the "only school we have harmony in."

Rankin teacher Rita Johnson said that "Melvin Wimberley is a model of professionalism and ethics."

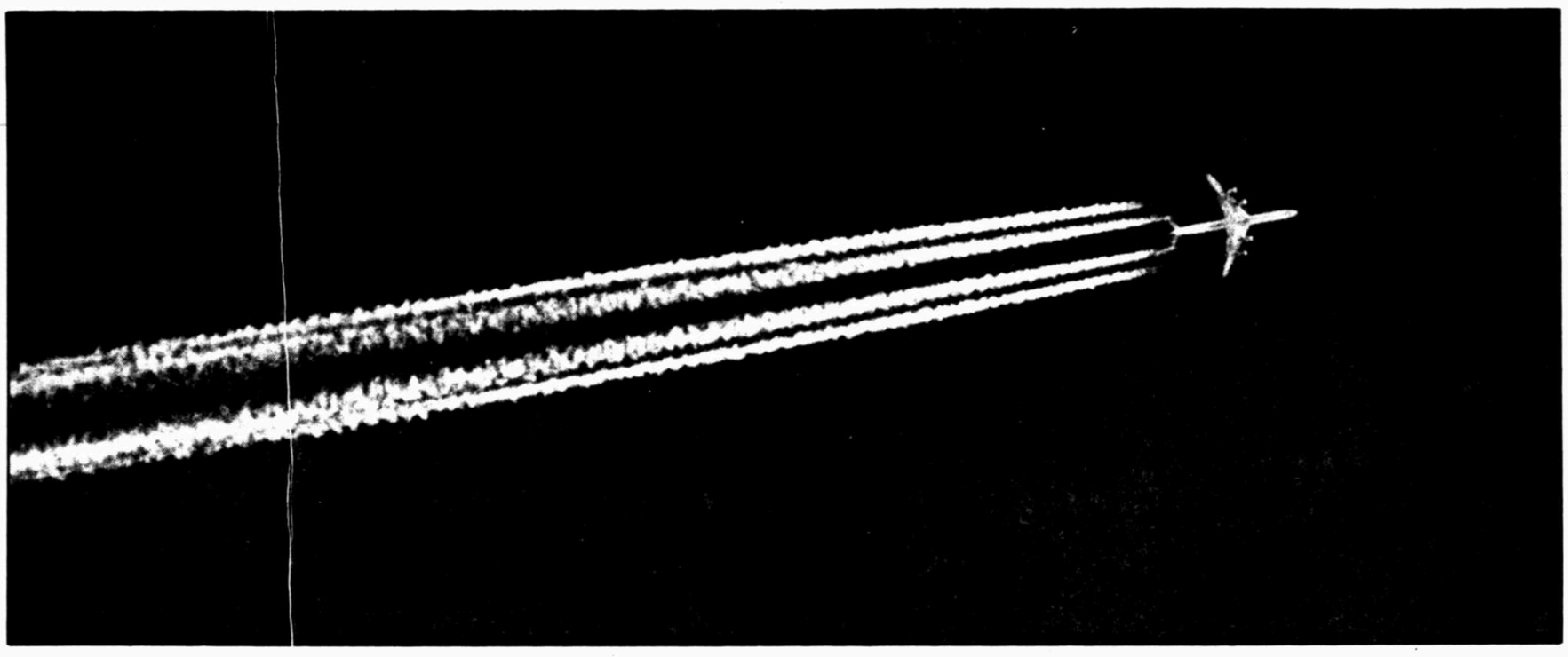
Dr. James D. Gossett, board president, said Wimberley submitted his resignation because of "the general atmosphere" of low morale. "He discussed retiring anyway" particularly because of the way "things are going this year."

Gossett said Wimberley "decided ne was tired of putting up with the hassle in the community" over the way the school district has been operating in recent years.

Wimberley reportedly was at his lakeside home near Del Rio Thursday night and unavailable for comment.

Outside of a brief discussion on asking Wimberley to reconsider his resignation, the board discussed the hiring of a screening firm to search out possible superintendent candidates for the Rankin school district.

School board members are to meet with representatives of the superintendent-search firm next week. After a new superintendent is hired, it will be up to that new administrator to recommend a new principal if Wimberley's resignation eventually goes through.



Contrails

A jet cuts a trail against a recent clear West Texas sky. Sunny skies early in the day continue to give way to clouds and scattered afternoon thunderstorms. More Weather/2A.

Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

Bunton denies motion to move Hale's trial

■ Decision may be moot since Hale expected to enter guilty plea.

Staff Report

A federal judge has denied a defense motion for change of location in the trial of Bryan Allen Hale, the former Glenwood Psychiatric Hospital administrator accused of receiving child pornography and mailing obscene material.

Defense attorney Glen Aaron II had claimed that publicity surrounding his client's case would make a fair trial impossible locally.

But U.S. District Judge Lucius D. Bunton III on Monday signed an order denying Aaron's motion. His decision, filed Thursday, will be moot if Hale enters a plea today in U.S. District Court, as his attorney has said he will.

Aaron, Hale's lawyer, said Wednesday that a plea agreement had been reached in the case and that his client is expected to plead guilty in connection with federal charges against him. However, Aaron would not say to what charges Hale will plead.

Court officials and other sources have said that Hale is expected to plead guilty to sending obscene material through the mail, a charge outlined in count four of a five-count indictment against him.

Hale also is charged with receiving child pornography in the form of a videotape and a magazine. Those charges are expected to be dropped in exchange for Hale's plea.

State burglary charges against Hale in Ector County were dismissed Wednesday, but Ector County Assistant District Attorney Mike Griffin would not say whether the dismissal was part of the plea agreement.

Assistant U.S. Attorney William W. Torrey, the federal prosecutor in the Hale case, also would not comment on the plea agreement.

Investigators said Hale mailed a 155-page book of sexual fantasies and exploits to Florida undercover agents in March.

Bank robbery suspect caught

Staff Report

A man wanted in connection with the armed robbery of an Odessa bank on Monday was apprehended outside of Indianapolis, Ind., about noon on Thursday, Odessa police officials said.

Brian Matthew Day, 26, was arrested at the home of his sister in Rushville, Ind., located about 32 miles southeast of Indianapolis on Texas and federal warrants for aggravated robbery of the AmWest Savings bank, 4900 E. 42nd St.

Day, who was taken into custody without incident, is expected to be brought to Midland to face federal charges.

Day is accused of being the man who surprised a bank teller early Monday morning and forced her into the bank at gunpoint. An undisclosed amount of cash was taken from the vault before the robber fled in the teller's car.

Before leaving, the robber chained what later turned out to be a fake bomb to the teller's wrist.

Bill would lift restriction on abortion counseling

WASHINGTON (AP) — Opponents of the Bush administration's ban on abortion counseling at federally funded family planning clinics easily won Senate committee approval Thursday of a bill to lift the restriction.

Democrats were joined by two Republicans in pushing the measure through the Senate Labor and Human Resources Committee on a 12-5 vote.

Dana Frazee, executive director of Planned Parenthood of West Texas, hailed the development as a first step toward eliminating the so-called "gag rule."

"It's exactly what we would like to see happen," said Ms. Frazee, whose organization staged protest marches in Midland and Odessa this week against the counseling ban. "The Planned Parenthood strategy over the next 30 days is to convince our House and Senate representatives to pass such a bill....If we could get a bill passed, everybody would be very happy."

Approval of a measure similar to the Senate bill was expected in a House subcommittee next week. It was unclear whether opponents of the "gag rule" could muster floor majorities large enough to override a promised presidential veto.

"The gag rule is an unfair restriction on the rights of women" served by federally funded family planning clinics, said Sen. Edward Kennedy, D-Mass., and the chairman of the labor and human resources committee.

The restriction interferes with a physician's treatment of a patient because it "puts politics, not medicine, in the doctor's office," he said.

But Sen. Orrin Hatch of Utah, the ranking Republican on the committee, said, "I cannot support legislation that removes the wall separating federal family planning programs from abortion services."

The restriction, upheld by a recent Supreme Court decision, was originally needed because some family planning clinics had been pushing abortion as an option to an unplanned pregnancy, he said.

"These regulations do not restrict anyone from having access to an abortion," Hatch said. "They only ensure that federal dollars are not being used to promote abortion."

Mark Mosely, president of West Texans for Life, said such restrictions are appropriate. Tax money should not be spent on "the promotion of the killing of pre-born human beings," he said. "The feeling of most pro-life groups is that taxpayers are upset about the way their money is being spent."

Nevertheless, Republican senators Jim Jeffords of Vermont and Nancy Kassebaum of Kansas joined Democrats to pass the bill, sponsored by another Republican, Sen. John Chafee of Rhode Island. Chafee is not on the committee.

Kennedy said he wants to get the issue to the Senate floor quickly, before the Department of Health and Human Services can implement the ban and cut off federal funds to clinics that don't agree to be silent on the issue of abortion when counseling a pregnant patient.

"We're prepared to go at the earliest possible time for floor consideration," Kennedy said after the panel's vote. "People know the issue," he said, adding that the recent Supreme Court ruling upholding the abortion-counseling ban has resulted in "an intensity about this issue and concern about the implications that's much more passionate this year."

Last year, a similar amendment was passed, 62-36, in the Senate, but the bill to which it was attached died.

Meanwhile, House Speaker Thomas Foley, D-Wash., and other House leaders met with Planned Parenthood officials to discuss strategy for the measure in the House, said Faye Wattleton, president of Planned Parenthood.

"The need to get language out of both houses of Congress before the department implements the regulation is crucial to preventing an interruption of funds," she said.

She estimated it would take 60 to 90 days for the department to begin putting the rule into practice.

Staff writer David Morris also contributed to this report.

Council considers Monaghan successor

■ Midland councilmen discuss five candidates seeking to replace the official who is resigning for health reasons.

By Brian Pearson
Staff Writer

Midland city councilmen, after a brief closed session Thursday, were tight-lipped about who would replace District 3 Councilman Bob Monaghan.

"We discussed all the candidates," at-large Councilman J.D. Faircloth reported of the executive session, which lasted about 30 minutes.

Faircloth said five applicants were considered.

The applicants who submitted resumes for consideration were L.D. "Buddy" Sipes, Grier Brunson, Hugh White III, Elizabeth Bull and Bruce Blake.

"It's a very impressive group," Mayor Carroll Thomas said. "They are very well qualified. That district is blessed with a number of well-qualified people."

Faircloth said Wednesday that Sipes, 56, a prominent petroleum engineer, had emerged as the top prospect to replace Monaghan, who has said he will resign Tuesday.

Sipes would add needed expertise to the council, which is facing a number of capital projects in the coming years, Faircloth said.

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Patriot doesn't deserve praise, soldier's widow says

EL PASO (AP) — The Patriot missile doesn't deserve the praise it's received over its performance in the Persian Gulf War, said the widow of a U.S. soldier killed when an Iraqi Scud missile smashed into a barracks in Saudi Arabia.

Hope Simpson, 20, was told by the Army Tuesday that a computer flaw kept the Scud-busting Patriot system from protecting her husband.

The Scud's 800-pound high-explosive warhead turned the building into an inferno, killing 28 soldiers and injuring 98 on Feb. 25. It was the biggest single loss of American troops in the Persian Gulf War.

"There was something wrong with the Patriot and I think it shouldn't be praised as much as it is," said Mrs. Simpson, who married Spc. Brian Simpson five days before he was sent to Saudi Arabia.

"I now know his death could have been prevented," she said.

The Army disclosed Tuesday that a computer problem in the Patriot air defense system that permitted the Scud missile to enter Saudi Arabia unopposed had been detected five days before the fatal attack. Patriot missiles intercepted virtually all other Scuds in the war.

The computer in the Patriot battery whose radar had picked up the incoming Scud failed to track the missile as it roared toward Dhahran. Therefore, no computer instructions were given and no Patriot missiles were launched, the Army said.

"The Patriot did a lot of good and saved a lot of lives, but it didn't save every life," Mrs. Simpson told the El Paso Times. "People should know it isn't 100 percent effective."

Brian Simpson was an Army reservist dreaming of a career as a rock 'n' roll drummer when he was called back to duty Jan. 31. He had left the service in July 1990 after a four-year stint.

The Indianapolis native served most of his tour with the 3rd Armored Cavalry Regiment at Fort Bliss, where he met his wife.

"All he ever wanted to do was be in a band and be famous," Mrs. Simpson said Wednesday.

"He had a 22-piece drum set and could sing."

Mrs. Simpson moved with her fiance to Indianapolis last summer. The couple lived with Simpson's parents while he tried to save money as a forklift driver to buy a mobile home.

They married just before he reported for duty with a Virginia unit.

He arrived in Saudi Arabia Feb. 20 and was housed in the barracks while waiting to report to a helicopter squadron. He was trained as a helicopter fuel handler.

"He wrote one letter and said he had been through a Scud attack. He said, 'I guess I'm a vet now because I lived through my first Scud attack,'" Mrs. Simpson said. "The letter was dated Feb. 24."

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DEATHS

Tommy McPherson

Tommy Joe McPherson, 54, of Pittsburg, Calif., brother of several Midlanders, died last Friday at a Concord, Calif., hospital.


McPherson

Services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at Faith Temple Church of God in Christ with the Rev. Johnnie Mitchell officiating. Burial will follow at Fairview Cemetery with Baker-Jackson Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Viewing of the body will be from 7-8 p.m. today.

McPherson was born Sept. 13, 1936, in Clarksville.

He married Hattie Maurie McPherson in 1962.

He was a retired employee with the state hospital in Pittsburg, Calif.

Survviors include his wife; two sons, Christopher C. McPherson and Roderick D. McPherson; seven brothers, Ben H. McPherson of Midland, Ben M. McPherson of Clovis, N.M., Glen McPherson of Lubbock, Lloyd McPherson of Fort Worth, Ballard McPherson of Killeen, Earl (Robert) McPherson of Oklahoma City and Gary Childs of Amarillo; five sisters, Regina Dennis, Evelyn Brown, Tara Kay Bryant, Janet King and Aroletha Jones, all of Midland.

Ben Woods Jr.

Services for Ben Woods Jr., of Midland were held Thursday at the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Bob Porterfield, pastor of West Kentucky Baptist Church, officiating. A masonic graveside service followed at Resthaven Memorial Park with Ellis Funeral Home handling arrangements.

He died Monday at his residence.

He was born Feb. 10, 1925, in Corsicana and was reared in West Texas. He enlisted in the U.S. Army and served during the Normandy invasion. Following his honorable discharge he worked with Exxon as a lease operator and continued to work for that company until his retirement in 1986. He was a member of the Acatia Lodge #1414, Suez Shrine Temple of San Angelo and the Midland Shriners Club.

Survivors include his wife, Lillian L. Woods of Midland; two sons, Randy Ben Woods of Odessa and Michael Woods of Big Spring; three daughters, Penny Irene Smith of Odessa, Nancy Stewart of Pittsburg and Judith Teising of Portland, Ore.; two sisters, Margaret LaVaughn Sparkes of Dallas and Roby Joyce Hite of Eastland; nine grandchildren; two nieces and one nephew.

Opal Diemer

Services for Opal Stephens Diemer of Midland have been set for 9 a.m. Saturday at Grace Presbyterian Church with Rev. Dick Braun officiating. Interment will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park with Ellis Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

She died Thursday at a local hospital.

She was born Oct. 29, 1922, in El Dorado, Ark., and she was reared in McCamey and Wink. She graduated from Wink High School. On Dec. 12, 1941, she married Ray Diemer in Monahans. They lived in Royalty for one year before moving to Midland in 1942. They had been Midland residents since that time.

Mrs. Diemer had been a Realtor for many years, working for Bunny Kent and Carriage Realty. She retired in 1987.

She was a member of Grace Presbyterian Church, where she was a past elder. She also was active in the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Tejas Garden Club and was a volunteer at Big Spring Hospital for many years. Her volunteer services in Midland have been numerous.

Survivors include her husband; two daughters, Linda Brown of Midland and Fran Cook of Austin; and four grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a brother, Douglas Stephens, and a sister, Clairene Pursley.

Amma Adams

Services for Amma Adams of Midland have been set for 11 a.m. Saturday at Alamo Heights Baptist Church with the Rev. Milo Arbuckle officiating and the Rev. Ben Condray assisting. Interment will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park with Ellis Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

She died Tuesday at a local hospital.

She was born Aug. 12, 1919, in Wichita Falls, where she was reared. She married B.H. Adams on Sept. 20, 1941, in Wichita Falls and they moved to Wink in 1946. In 1960 they moved to Midland and she had been a resident here ever since.

Mrs. Adams was a member of Alamo Heights Baptist Church and was a longtime member of the Midland Gem and Mineral Society.

Survivors include four sons, Charles N. Adams of Lewisville, James G. Adams of Seattle, Wash., John W. Adams of Lufkin and Donald R. Adams of Levelland; one brother, Charles Seal of Panama City, Fla.; two sisters, Rudell Martin of Greensboro, Fla., and Thelma Saunders of Wichita Falls; and seven grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be directed to the American Heart Association or the American Diabetes Association.

Velma Sam

Services for Velma Sam of Midland are pending with the Guardian-Midtown Funeral Home in Oklahoma City. Local arrangements are being handled by Ellis Funeral Home.

She died Thursday at a local hospital.

Marion Slay

Services for Marion Slay of Midland are pending with Eubank Funeral Home in Canton. Local arrangements are being handled by Ellis Funeral Home.

She died Thursday at a local hospital.

Ida Mae Simms

Ida Mae Simms of Midland died Thursday at a local hospital.

Services are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

LOCAL/AREA REPORTS

Kidnap charge

Staff Reports

A 22-year-old man was arrested Tuesday evening and charged with aggravated kidnapping after being accused of taking a 2-year-old girl from her mother, Midland County Sheriff's Office officials said.

Sergio Gonzalez was released from jail Wednesday after posting a bond of $5,000 set by Justice of the Peace Robert Pine.

He was apprehended by deputies near the intersection of Hicks Avenue and Colorado Street. The girl, in his possession, was uninjured.

Gonzalez is accused of taking the child from John's Mobile Home Park, 3415 Cottonflat Road, after allegedly threatening the girl's mother with a knife, officers said.

Gonzalez had lived with the woman at one time but was not the child's father, officers said.

Alleged assault

A 43-year-old Midland man was arrested Wednesday evening in connection with the aggravated sexual assault of a woman the night before, police said.

Wallace Lee Sims, 1405 W. Michigan, remained in jail Thursday in lieu of a $25,000 bond set by Justice of the Peace Robert Pine.

Wallace was arrested near the intersection of Illinois and Andrews Highway about 6:45 p.m. Wednesday on a warrant issued in connection with the assault of 28-old-woman in northeast Midland about 8:25 p.m. Tuesday.

The woman was not taken to the hospital for examination, according to police.

Details of the alleged incident were not available from police.

Mother given second life sentence for child's death

■ Woman blames mother-in-law's curse for the deaths of five of her children.

By Chip Brown

LUBBOCK (AP) — A woman who blames a mother-in-law's curse for the deaths of five of her children was sentenced to life in prison Thursday for the second time in a week.

Diana Lumbrera, 32, pleaded no contest in Lubbock County district court to murdering her 2-month-old son, Jose Lionel Garza Jr., in 1978.

Last Thursday, Ms. Lumbrera pleaded no contest in Parmer County district court to murdering 2-year-old daughter, Melinda Ann Garza, in 1982.

In exchange, the state dropped charges that she murdered two other daughters and the daughter of a cousin.

Tony Wright, who represented Ms. Lumbrera in court Thursday, said his client pleaded no contest to avoid the pain of a murder trial.

"Diana was fully cognizant of the conditions and pleas and agreed to it," Wright said. "She felt the plea was the best way to put all this behind her."

Ms. Lumbrera has been accused of killing five of her children and a sixth child who was the daughter of a cousin. The deaths occurred between 1976 and 1990. The death of another of her children, Christopher Lumbrera, is still under investigation in Dimmitt, 85 miles northwest of Lubbock.

A jury in Garden City, Kan., where Ms. Lumbrera had moved, convicted her last October of murdering her 4-year-old son, Jose Antonio, on May 1, 1990, and she was sentenced to life in prison.

Prosecutors say evidence shows she likely smothered the children.

The life sentence levied Thursday will run concurrently with the Kansas sentence.

When District Judge John McFall asked Ms. Lumbrera Thursday if she realized pleading no contest carried the same weight as a guilty plea, she replied, "Yes sir."

After being sentenced, Ms. Lumbrera asked for a few minutes alone with family members who attended the hearing. She spoke to them in Spanish and began weeping as she was handcuffed and taken back to jail.

Ms. Lumbrera will be eligible for parole in Kansas in 15 years. If she is released, she would immediately begin serving the life sentence exacted in Parmer County.

"I wish I could say she will never walk the streets again, but unfortunately there is no life without parole in Texas," said Rebecca Atchley, who prosecuted Ms. Lumbrera in Lubbock County.

"Hopefully, with three life convictions, the parole board will take a long look before releasing her."

Ms. Lumbrera has claimed that her mother-in-law cursed her, damning all of her children to early deaths.

Investigators in all of the children's deaths say evidence and testimony from doctors indicated she sacrificed her infants for the attention.

"I believe she knew killing all of her children was wrong. But the attention she got was more important," Mrs. Atchley said.

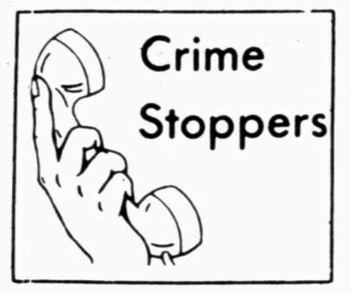
Several doctors who observed Ms. Lumbrera's case said she suffers from Munchausen's syndrome by proxy, a condition in which a person constantly complains of acute illness in loved ones, giving a dramatic history, all of which is false.

"She fits the Munchausen's profile without question," Mrs. Atchley said.

In the Lubbock County case, Ms. Lumbrera was accused of smothering her son while he was recovering from illness in a hospital room.

"Our case was strong," Mrs. Atchley said. "Medical records show the boy's condition was improving. Then she is left alone with him for 15 minutes in his hospital room and the child dies. There was enough there for the doctors to make some conclusions."

Crime Stoppers seeks information on robbery



This week Midland Crime Stoppers is seeking information on the aggravated robbery of O'Neil's Grocery, 3006 Garden City Highway.

On March 29 about 8 p.m., two men entered the store armed with tire irons and demanded money from the register.

One man then struck a clerk in the head with a tire iron knocking her to the floor. At this time another employee came out of an office and also was struck in the head with a tire tool.

After taking the money from the register, both men exited the store calling a name that would indicate a third man was outside.

Investigators believe the robbers may be responsible for another aggravated robbery committed on May 22 at the 7-Eleven, 7715 Highway 80.

One man was described as a black male, in his early 20s, 6 feet tall, 160-175 pounds, with black hair and brown eyes. A second man was described as black, in his early 20s, 5 feet 7 inches tall, 145 pounds with black hair and brown eyes.

At this time there are no suspects in this crime. Crime Stoppers is offering up to $1,000 to the first caller this week only for information which leads to the arrest and indictment of those involved. Call Crime Stoppers in Midland at 694-TIPS or in Odessa at 333-TIPS.

Registration for MC summer session to end

Staff Report

Monday is the final day to register for Summer I classes at Midland College.

Registration hours are 7 a.m.-5 p.m. in the Student Services area of the Student Center.

"Classes began Tuesday, but some of them still have openings," said Dr. Don Cates, associate dean of students and registrar. "We would encourage prospective students to register as early in the day as possible, so they could attend classes on Monday. Every day that's missed in the summer is a lot to make up."

With two days of late registration concluded, Cates said that enrollment was up slightly from the same period last year. Final enrollment for the Summer I session is expected to be from 1,500 to as many as 1,700 students. Final count for the 1990 Summer I session was 1,692.

The first summer session ends July 9. There will be a second summer session July 12-Aug. 15.

Classes are being offered during the first summer session in: Accounting, Air Conditioning/Refrigeration, Architecture, Art, Automotive Technology, Biology, Business Administration, Chemistry, Computer Information Systems, Criminal Justice, Economics, Electronics, English, Geology, Government, History, Journalism-/Photography, Legal Assistance, Management, Mathematics, Music, Office Education, Philosophy, Physical Education, Physics, Psychology, Reading, Real Estate, Sociology, Spanish, Speech Communication, Theatre, and Welding.

One of the Computer Information Systems courses is 11 weeks in duration. Both Welding classes last eight weeks.

Information about the summer session is available Monday by calling 685-4501.



Judge jails prospective jurors for being late

AUSTIN (AP) — A Travis County man sent to jail for being late to jury selection said he has learned his lesson and doesn't really blame the judge who locked him up.

"If you can't help being late, at least call somebody at the court and tell them," said Kenneth Wayne Hermes, 31, of Austin. "But the best thing is to be on time."

Hermes and James Franklin Bell, 26, of Manor, were among 45 people summoned for questioning as prospective jurors for the trial of Houston investor Thurman Maurice Skillern on insurance fraud charges.

The trial was to start Monday, but Judge Bob Jones delayed the proceedings, waiting for Bell and Hermes.

When they did not appear, he ordered deputies to find them.

"You cost the state and the defendant a lot of money by not being here," Jones told the two when they arrived before his bench Wednesday morning.

"You've cost Mr. Skillern the expense of having his lawyers wait around for this trial to start, and you've cost the (state) prosecutors who were here and ready," he said.

Jones rescheduled the Skillern trial for Monday, and Bell and Hermes were taken to jail by deputies.

Bell, a carpenter, was released Wednesday afternoon by order of the judge. Hermes, a landscaper, was released Thursday.

"I understand why the judge did what he did," Hermes told the Austin American-Statesman from his Travis County Jail cell. "I can't really blame him."

Jones said jury calls must be enforced to ensure that enough citizens show up to seat a 12-member jury.

"The other people showed up like they were supposed to," Jones said. "They were out there fulfilling their responsibility."

Steve McCleery, first assistant district attorney for Travis County, said the state has to pay the hotel bills of several witnesses brought in from Houston.

They will be sent home until the trial starts.

CITY: Council considering replacement

(From 1C)

Thomas said the council will appoint a replacement Tuesday, with the successor serving the remainder of Monaghan's term, which ends in May 1992.

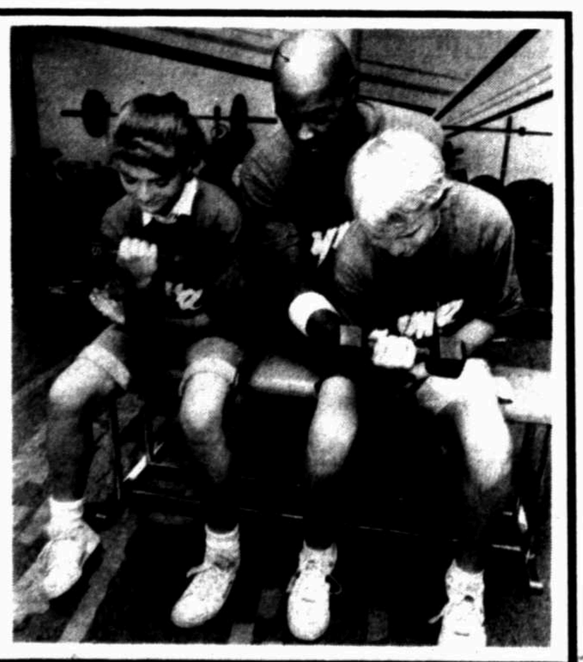
"We'll have a motion and a second and see if there's any debate on it," he said.

Faircloth said the council could go into executive session Tuesday if anyone else announces their candidacy by then.

"I would assume we would go back into executive session only if we got more candidates," he said. "We would still evaluate candidates right up to the second we vote."

Monaghan, 66, announced last week that he will leave his seat for health reasons. He underwent brain surgery about a year ago and said he could no longer effectively represent his constituents.

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The State

■ Rich San Antonio district joins lawsuit

SAN ANTONIO — Alamo Heights School District is joining 40 wealthy districts in challenging the constitutionality of the state's new education funding reform law.

"I think it's ludicrous that an exemplary school district like Alamo Heights is forced to cut its budget and face a potential tax hike of as much as 30 percent," said Alamo Heights Superintendent Charles Slater.

The district was stung for $3 million under the new law. It now has a budget of $15 million and has enacted about $1 million in budget cuts. Among those cuts are layoffs of 14 teachers and other instructional personnel and 13 maintenance workers.

Wealthy districts from around the state filed the lawsuit May 20.

Alamo Heights trustees voted late Tuesday to enter the suit.

In another part of San Antonio, officials at Edgewood School District, which led the battle by property-poor school systems for school funding equity, said they will also be in court — but defending the new law.

"I'm disappointed Alamo Heights chose to go that route" in challenging the measure, said Edgewood Superintendent James Vasquez. "We could, in three or four years, have a fairly equalized system for everybody."

■ Richards calls stadium liquor bill 'bad'

AUSTIN — Gov. Ann Richards said Thursday that a bill that would allow liquor sales within Texas Stadium was a "pretty bad old bill," but she declined to say whether she would veto it.

"That bill looks like a Christmas tree. The only thing it didn't have on it was the angel," Richards said at a news conference. "I thought it was a pretty bad old bill."

State lawmakers drew fire for adopting the measure on a 140-0 vote May 24 without discussion or opposition. Many legislators voted without reading the bill, which was stuffed with amendments sought by lobbyists.

Among other things, the bill would allow beer and wine to be sold within Texas Stadium by superseding an Irving city zoning ordinance.

Another section would protect liquor sellers and servers from lawsuits arising from the consequences of excess liquor consumption.

■ Richards signs DHS appropriations bil

AUSTIN — Gov. Ann Richards signed a bill that would make an emergency appropriation to the Texas Department of Human Services.

In addition Thursday, Richards signed into law a measure that establishes a automobile theft prevention authority that will be funded with a $1 charge on each insured motor vehicle.

Those insurance funds would be used by the authority to try to decrease auto theft through law enforcement and education programs.

The emergency funding measure would appropriate about $130 million to the state welfare agency in order to maintain the current levels of services through the end of the fiscal year.

■ Kelly to receive intelligence command

SAN ANTONIO — The secretary of the Air Force announced Thursday that Kelly Air Force Base will be home to the new Air Force Intelligence Command to be activated Oct. 1.

Air Force Secretary Donald B. Rice said about 17,000 people will work in the new command, which will combine some duties of other Air Force divisions.

Those other di isions include the Air Force Foreign Technology Division at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base in Ohio; the Air Force Special Activities Center at Fort Belvoir in Virginia; the Air Force Intelligence Agency in Washington, D.C.; and the Electronic Security Command at Kelly.

With the combination, some Air Force jobs will be eliminated through attrition and retirement, Rice said.

■ Special election to replace Johnson

AUSTIN — Gov. Ann Richards has set a July 13 special election for the Texas House District 60 seat vacated by Sam Johnson, a Republican from Plano who was elected to Congress.

Candidates must file with the secretary of state by 5 p.m. Wednesday, Richards said in a proclamation.

Johnson, a state representative for six years, was elected to Congress last month. He replaced Republican former U.S. Rep. Steve Bartlett, who resigned to run for mayor of Dallas.

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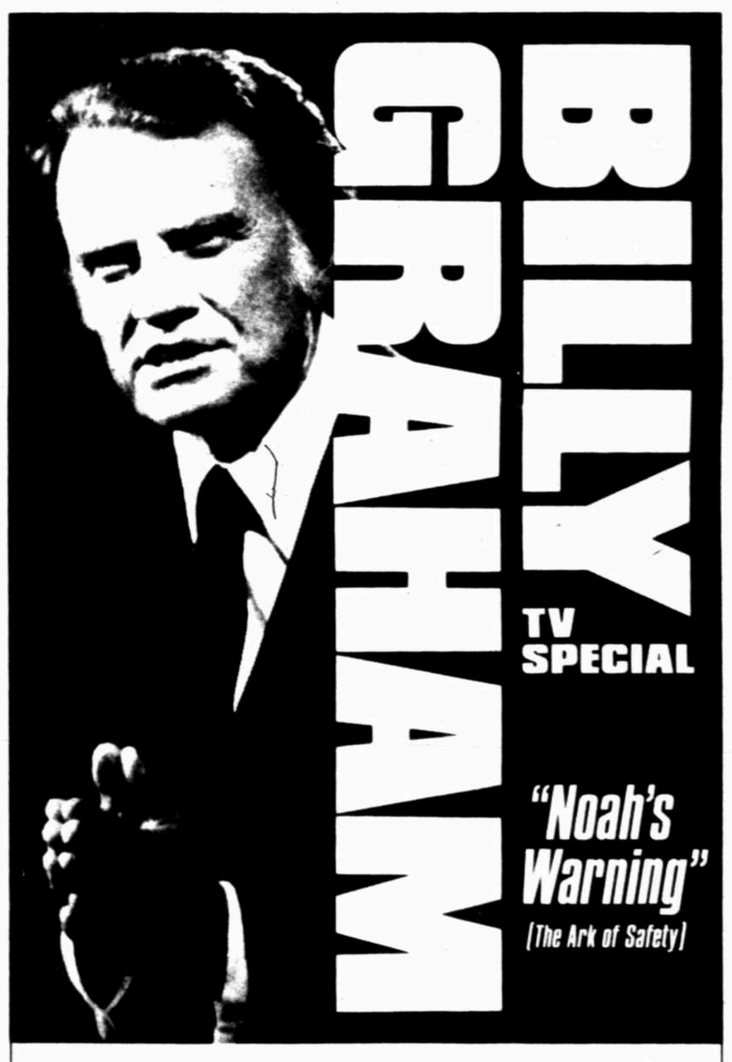
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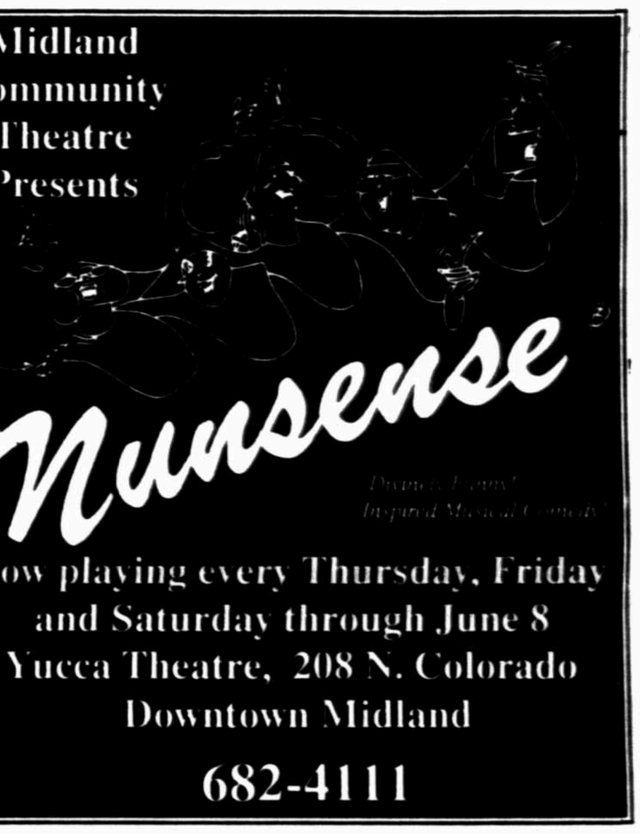
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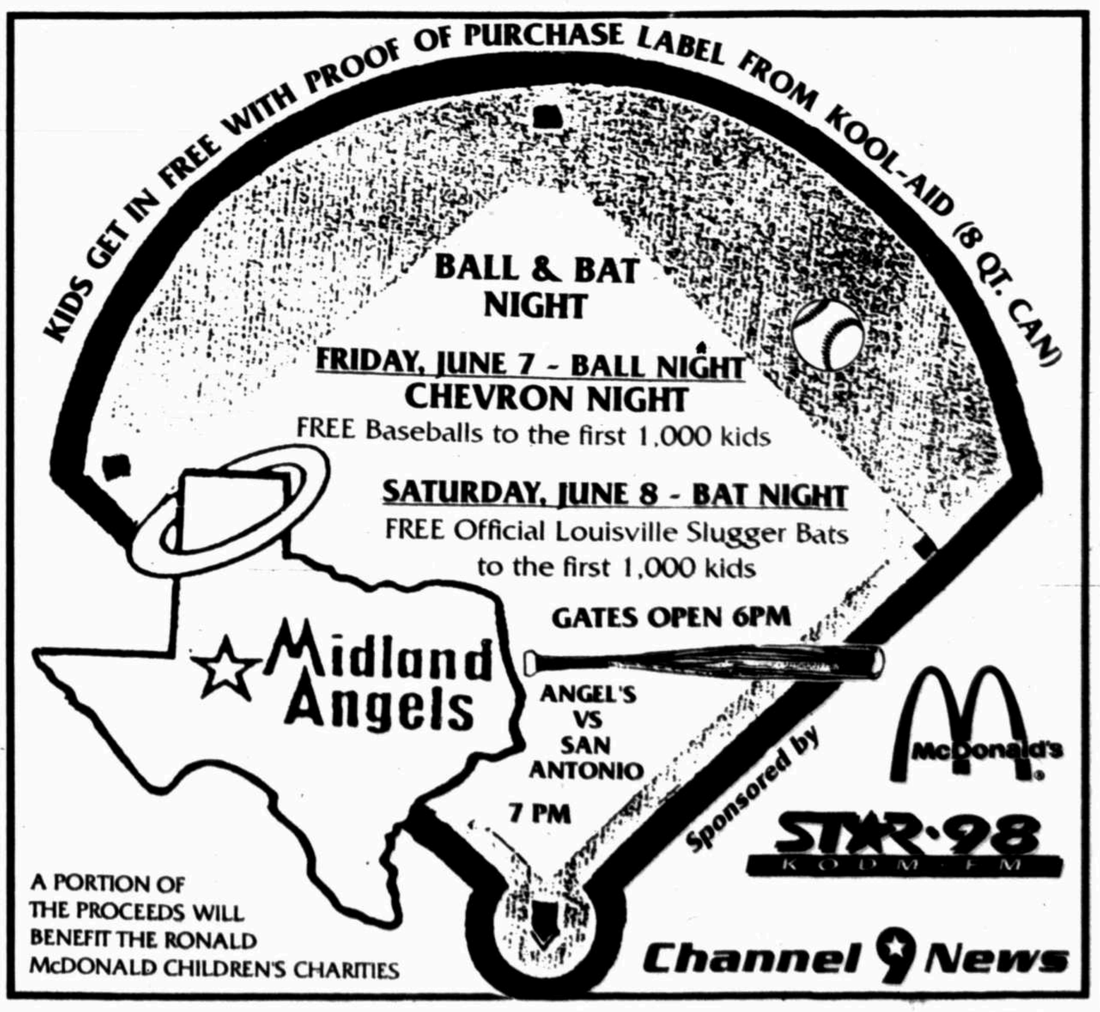
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Free trade pact will bolster jobs, ex-official says

MISSION (AP) — A free trade agreement between the United States and Mexico will bolster job opportunities on both sides of the border, a former U.S. Department of Commerce official said Thursday.

William Cavitt, who once headed the Commerce Department in Mexico, told a group gathered at the South Texas Economic Development Conference that every $1 billion of U.S. exports supports more than 22,000 U.S. jobs.

"Based on past experience, more jobs will be created than will be lost," Cavitt said.

Critics of a free trade agreement with Mexico have said they're concerned that U.S. jobs will be lost to a cheaper labor market in Mexico. Cavitt said he wants to dispel those myths.

Cavitt added that U.S. exports to Mexico doubled from $14 billion in 1987 to $28 billion in 1990, meaning that U.S. jobs dependent on exports to Mexico also doubled from 300,000 to 600,000.

A study by the McAllen Economic Development Center showed that 20,700 maquila jobs in Reynosa in 1989 supported 23,400 jobs in Hidalgo County, Cavitt said.

"This is an exciting time to be involved in the Western Hemisphere," Cavitt said.

Roland Arriola, associate director of the University of Texas-Pan American's Center for Entrepreneurship and Economic Development, said the two-day conference is one of the most important South Texas events this year.

"This conference is unique in that it focuses not only on the potential impact of free trade on South Texas but also on a variety of issues, including technology training in our high schools, public entrepreneurship for cities and counties and other areas that will have a significant impact on the local economy in the years to come," Arriola said.

Postal employee charged with stealing items for troops

DALLAS (AP) — A part-time Postal Service employee has been charged with stealing a video cassette, more than a dozen compact discs and other items destined for Operation Desert Storm troops.

Theodore R. Mitchell, who was hired as a part-time worker in July, is accused of illegally opening packages at the Mail Processing Annex in West Dallas on April 30, said postal inspector J.R. Price.

"Stealing from those who are sacrificing their lives for their country is a low-rent sort of thing to do," Price said. "It's like when someone is stealing candy from kids — you automatically don't think much of that person."

Mitchell is scheduled to be arraigned before U.S. District Judge A. Joe Fish next week, authorities said. He faces up to 30 years in prison if convicted of the charges.

Postal officials became suspicious April 1 when they noticed that parcels had been opened and their contents stolen, postal inspector C.A. Konosky Jr. said in a federal affidavit.

To determine who was pilfering the mail, postal inspectors on April 30 sent through a parcel addressed to Sgt. Frank Kois of the 425th Artillery 17C.

Mitchell "was observed ... removing the 14 compact discs and then resealing the parcel without" them, Konosky said in the affidavit.

In another incident, Mitchell was seen "removing the letter from the mailstream, opening the letter, removing the contents and discarding both. Subsequently, the letter and contents were recovered," the affidavit said.

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TENNIS — French Open, noon, ESPN.

BASEBALL — Dodgers vs. Cubs, 2:30 p.m.

Red Sox vs. Athletics, 6:30 p.m., ESPN.

Expos vs. Braves, 6:35 p.m., WTBS.

Mets vs. Astros, 7:30 p.m., HSE.

White Sox vs. Royals, 7:30 p.m., WGN.

Tigers vs. Angels, 9:30 p.m., ESPN.

NBA BASKETBALL — Bulls vs. Lakers, 8 p.m., NBC.

Texas Scores

MAJOR LEAGUES — Texas Rangers 0, Kansas City Royals 0.

Houston Astros 0, Montreal Expos 0.

TEXAS LEAGUE — Midland Angels 0, San Antonio Missions 0.

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Sports Today

NJCAA GOLF — National Championship, 7 a.m., Green Tree Country Club.

SWIMMING — COM Summer Invitational, 6 p.m., Doug Russell Pool.

TEXAS LEAGUE — San Antonio Missions vs. Midland Angels, 7 p.m., Angels Stadium, KCRS (550 AM) radio.

Change in air

DALLAS (AP) — Representatives from three New Year's Day bowls, the Big East Conference, the Atlantic Coast Conference, and Notre Dame were scheduled to meet again Friday to discuss a possible alliance that would make them big power brokers in deciding the collegiate national football title each January.

"In my judgment there's too many things not settled for us to have a package put together for this year," said Jim Brock, executive vice-president of the Cotton Bowl. "But I really believe this thing has as chance to fly. It's hard to go wrong when you've got Notre Dame involved."

The plan would have the highest-ranking teams from either the Big East, ACC, and Notre Dame playing the highest ranking conference champions from the Southeastern Conference in the Sugar Bowl, the Big Eight Conference in the Orange Bowl, and the Southwest Conference in the Cotton Bowl.

The SEC is tied to the Sugar Bowl, the Big Eight to the Orange and the SWC to the Cotton Bowl as traditional host teams.

A fourth bowl, either the Fiesta or Citrus, could be a part of the mix, hosting two at-large teams to cover all possibilities for a national championship game.

Preseason NIT

NEW YORK (AP) — Four teams that finished last season ranked in the Top 25, led by Kentucky and Oklahoma State, are among 16 teams who will compete in the preseason NIT in November.

Kentucky, ranked No. 9, will open the tournament at home against West Virginia Nov. 20. Oklahoma State, No. 14, also will open at home against Evansville Nov. 21.

Other Nov. 20 games will have Monmouth at No. 18 Princeton, Washington at No. 23 Texas, Colorado State at Boise State, James Madison at Georgia Tech, and Manhattan at Pittsburgh. In the other Nov. 21 game, Ball State will be at Purdue.

Second-round games will be played Nov. 22 and 23 at sites to be determined.



Then press 1400 for SPORTSLINE -- sports news, scores and updates.



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Yugoslavia's Monica Seles ...beats Gabriela Sabatini

Graf suffers worst loss

PARIS (AP) — Arantxa Sanchez Vicario handed self-destructing Steffi Graf the worst defeat of her pro career Thursday, an astonishing 6-0, 6-2 victory that earned her a berth in the French Open final against Monica Seles.

Graf, twice a winner of the tournament and the No. 2 seed this year, repeatedly sprayed her vaunted forehand beyond the baseline or into the net while a surprised center-court crowd watched her lose the first set in 20 minutes.

When she finally won the first game of the second set, she looked up at the sky in relief, but her errors continued at a fatal pace. By unofficial count, she made more than 30 unforced errors, while Sanchez Vicario doggedly chased down her good shots.

Sanchez Vicario, the No. 5 seed, will seek her second French Open title Saturday against Seles, the defending champion who overpowered Gabriela Sabatini with devastating ground strokes to win their semifinal 6-4, 6-1.

With Graf's loss, Seles is assured of remaining No. 1.

Graf said she was aware that her father was involved in a scuffle during her match with an American who reportedly had been following Graf for several years.

But she made no excuses.

"I didn't feel confident," Graf said. "Everything I tried didn't work at all. I never had that feeling for a long, long time. It just wasn't my day at all."

Both semifinals were interrupted by rain, and both Seles and Sanchez Vicario said they relaxed by listening to music and playing video games.

"I had nothing to lose," Sanchez Vicario said. "I always stayed very concentrated."

Graf had not lost a set during her five previous matches and had not lost 6-0 since 1984, when she was 15.

It was only the second time in 12 encounters that Sanchez Vicario had beaten Graf. The first was in the 1989 French Open final, the Spaniard's only Grand Slam championship.

Sabatini, the No. 3 seed and the hottest player on the women's tour, held off the top-seeded Seles with an array of deft drop shots through eight games of the first set.

But after a 90-minute rain delay, which began with the first set knotted at 4-4, Sabatini ran out of answers and won only won more game. The second set took only 28 minutes.

Brevard goes on binge

■ Brevard College's national tournament record round of 20-under par — in danger for awhile due to some rough weather — puts a damper on Midland College's chances of winning the national golf title.

By Jimmy Patterson
Assistant Sports Editor

While Mother Nature playfully tossed around her daily afternoon dose of thunderstorms, she looked down and gave Floyd Horgen and his Brevard College Gators a nudge and a wink.

She must like good golf.

Brevard College busted the National Junior College Athletic Association golf tournament's single-round team record with a 20-under par, 272, Thursday to take a convincing lead over the remainder of the dampened field.

The record was almost all for naught, though, as Brevard had to endure not one, but two, rain delays. The first lasted almost two hours before play resumed just prior to 7 p.m. Some 45 minutes later, the remaining 23 golfers were called off the course due to lightning.

Had the last group of golfers not completed the 14th hole, the third round of the tournament would have been scratched and the Gators' 20-under feat nothing but a fond memory.

Horgen, Brevard's Junior College Hall of Fame golf coach, stood poised in the tee box with rain coming down late Thursday evening, watching as the last group cleared the 14th green to ensure the record round would remain.

"I said a lot of prayers," Horgen said. "I had all my fingers crossed and all my toes crossed."

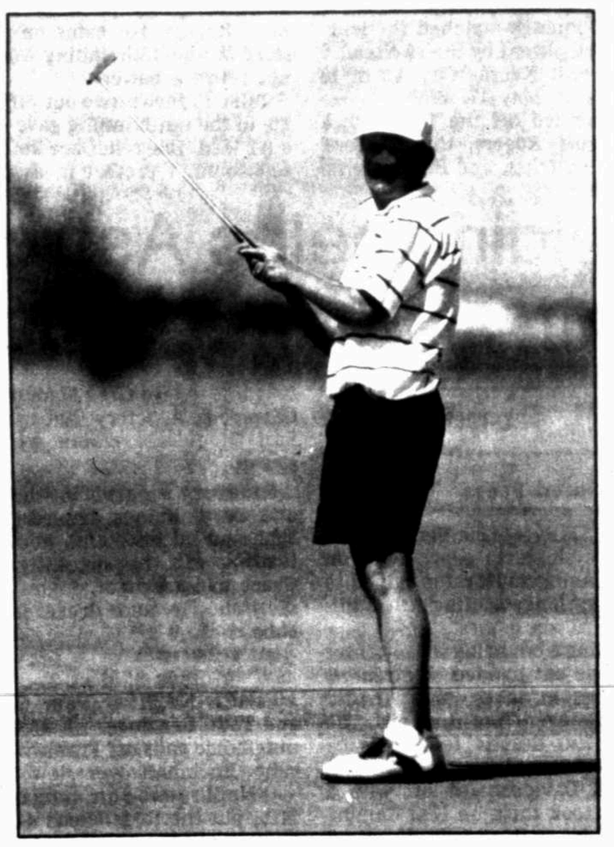
For Midland College, and a short list of others, a one-time mole hill became a mountain. Entering Friday's final round, Mount Brevard appears too steep for anyone to climb.

Richard Sadler had the low round of the tournament with a 65 Thursday. His Brevard teammate Fred Sauce had what quickly became the second lowest round of the tournament with a 66. And then there was No. 3 Gator Mark Baggerly, whose 67 is now tied for third lowest round of the tournament. His 67 is, needless to say, a mark set first by teammate Jason Williams on Wednesday.

Brevard made the turn at 17-under Thursday morning, playing consistent over the final nine and picking up an extra three strokes in the process.

Sadler birdied six consecutive holes Thursday, beginning with No. 5.

"Everything was good," Sadler said of his round. "It'll be tougher tomorrow because one round makes a lot of difference."



Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

Midland College's Darren Eckhardt watches a putt during NJCAA tournament action Thursday at Green Tree Country Club.

Midland College fell to a 16-stroke deficit but hung on to second place following their 284 Thursday. After three rounds, the Chaps are at 861 as a team while Brevard was in at 845 with 18 holes remaining.

"It'll be real difficult, but I don't like to say it can't be done," Midland coach Delnor Poss said of the Chaps' chances at catching the runaway Gators. "I think we're capable of shooting extremely well. We'll need to have

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Rain washes away Midland's lead

By Joe Wyatt
Staff Writer

Three games into their series with the San Antonio Missions the Midland Angels finally grabbed the lead — twice. Then Mother Nature washed out the works.

Midland and San Antonio completed four full innings Thursday night at Angels Stadium before building clouds finally burst. Umpires called the game after a 47-minutes rain delay, with the Angels holding a 5-3 edge.

The rainout will be made up as part of a doubleheader Saturday at 6 p.m, while tonight's regularly scheduled single game goes on as planned at 7 p.m.

The Angels never led in losing the first two games of the series, but they took a 2-1 lead in the first inning Thursday on a two-run home run by Ken Rivers.

San Antonio recaptured the lead with two runs in the fourth off left-hander Clemente Acosta. Acosta was a last minute replacement for Mark Holzemer, whose sore shoulder stiffened in warm-ups.

But RBI hits by Bobby Jones and Tim Salmon gave Midland a 5-3 lead as rain began to fall in the bottom of the fourth. After the final out was recorded in the inning, both teams dashed for cover and never returned. All of Thursday's player statistics are erased by the washout, including the first homer of the year by San Antonio's Tim Barker.

Midland outfielder Marcus Lawton, who was hitting .301 with 22 RBI, was called up to the Angels' Class 3A farm team in Edmonton Thursday. His replacement is switch-hitting outfielder Reggie Williams from Class A Palm Springs, who batted .293 in 13 games at Palm Springs.

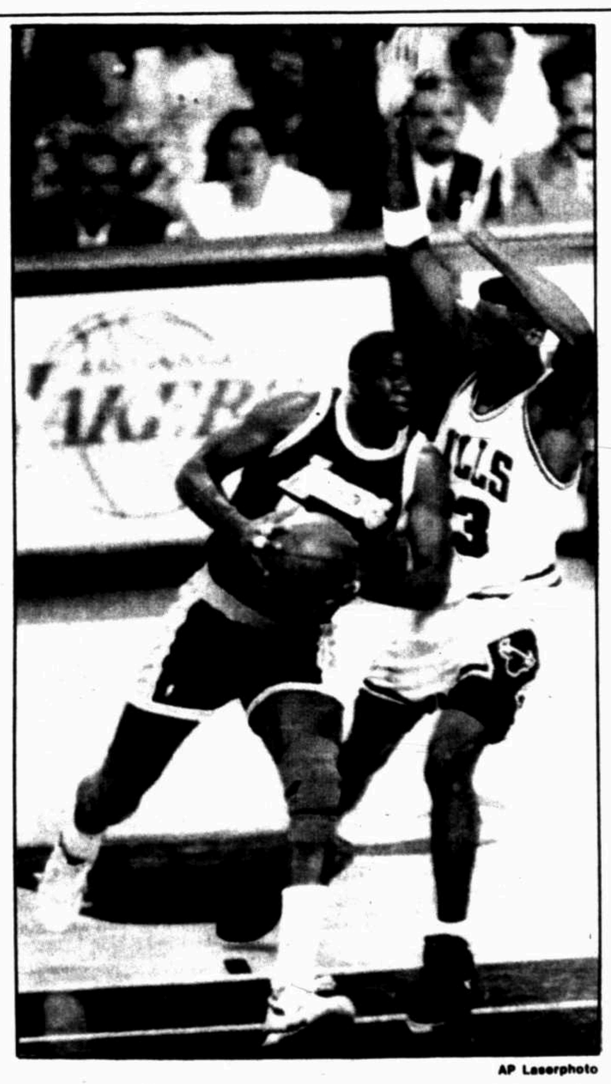
Shockers spill Creighton from Series

OMAHA, Neb. (AP) — Mike Jones' four hits and four runs batted in led a 14-hit attack that carried Wichita State to an 11-3 victory over Creighton Thursday night, earning the Shockers a spot opposite LSU in the College World Series championship game.

Wichita State (66-12) defeated fellow Missouri Valley Conference member Creighton (51-22) eight times in as many meetings this year and is 32-2-1 in the last seven years against the Bluejays.

The Shockers, seeded third, meet No. 4 LSU (54-18) in the title game noon Saturday.

Wichita State starter Kennie Steenstra also used the semifinal nine-hit victory to become NCAA Division I's winningest pitcher.



AP Laserphoto

LA's Magic Johnson tries to get around Chicago's Scottie Pippen during Game 2 of the NBA finals.

LA got one win, despite blowout

INGLEWOOD, Calif. (AP) — The Los Angeles Lakers are saying all the right things after a blowout loss to the Chicago Bulls that tied the NBA Finals.

All we needed was a split in Chicago. We have to forget about Game 2. We're glad to be home.

The Bulls evened the Finals at 1-1 Wednesday night with a 107-86 victory in which they set a championship series record by making 61.7 percent of their shots, including 15-for-18 by Michael Jordan, who scored 31 of his 33 points in the final 28 minutes.

"There will be no carryover from this loss," Sam Perkins said. "We wanted to win two in Chicago, but I guess that was being a little greedy."

Perkins, the Lakers' Game 1 hero with 22 points and a last-minute, winning 3-pointer, managed just 11 points in the second game.

The next three games are scheduled for Friday night, Sunday and Wednesday night at the Forum.

"We'll watch film of this one and correct our mistakes," Perkins said. "We have to play through this type of game and sustain our mental toughness."

"It was a game you rarely see at this time of the season," said James Worthy, who led the Lakers with 24 points. "It was a game where nothing goes right for one team and everything is perfect for the other. It's not embarrassing, just disappointing."

"They played in desperation," Byron Scott said. "That's exactly what they needed. I feel we'll be in good shape when we get back home. We'll forget about this loss and just take care of things at home on Friday."

Scott said he noticed Jordan celebrating and looking toward the Lakers' bench in the second half, something that could come back to haunt the Bulls.

"That's not something you do early in the series," Scott said. "It got us all upset and we'll be ready at home."

"This game was dictated by Chicago's aggressive play," Lakers coach Mike Dunleavy said. "They did a perfect job against us on defense. But we're still going home with the homecourt advantage, and we really have to take care of that. We can't let them dictate the play against us at home."

Valenzuela set for call today

ANAHEIM, Calif. (AP) — Fernando Valenzuela's debut for the California Angels will be accompanied by great hoopla — and questions about his ability to win games.

Valenzuela, released by the Los Angeles Dodgers last March 28 after a mediocre 1990 season and an even worse spring training, is scheduled to start for the Angels tonight against the Detroit Tigers.

The announcement earlier this week that Valenzuela would pitch already has had an impact for the Angels — ticket sales for the game have skyrocketed.

That's despite the fact that the Los Angeles Lakers entertain the Chicago Bulls in Game 3 of the NBA Finals in Inglewood, about 40 miles away tonight.

And the Angels, whose home attendance has dipped about 10 percent so far this season, figure to benefit again when Valenzuela gets his second start. That figures to come next Wednesday, when California plays a rare weekday afternoon game, normally a terrible draw, against Milwaukee.

While Valenzuela's impact at the gate promises to be significant, his impact on the Angels' won-lost record remains to be seen.

Angels manager Doug Rader said that, even if Valenzuela loses as many games as he wins, it will be a big plus for the team.

"If our fifth starter can be a .500 pitcher and put together some innings, then we're going to have a good year; of course I'm not even sure he will stay No. 5," Rader said.

Valenzuela was a .500 pitcher with Los Angeles in 1990, going 13-13.

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Rangers lose to Royals in 18 innings on error

Associated Press

AL Roundup

KANSAS CITY — Kevin Seitzer scored on pitcher Kenny Rogers' throwing error in the 18th inning to give the Kansas City Royals a 4-3 victory over the Texas Rangers Thursday in the longest game by time this season.

The game lasted 6 hours, 28 minutes, which was 23 minutes more than a 19-inning contest between Milwaukee and Chicago on May 1. The 18 innings matched the longest game played by the two teams. Texas beat Kansas City 4-3 in 18 innings on May 17, 1972.

Seitzer led off the 18th with a single off Rogers, the Rangers' seventh pitcher, and Brent Mayne walked. Kurt Stillwell laid down a bunt and Rogers threw wildly past shortstop Mario Diaz covering the bag at third, allowing the winning run to score.

Mike Boddicker (5-4), the seventh pitcher used by the Royals, got the win by pitching one inning. Rogers (4-5), came on at the start of the 18th inning and did not retire a batter.

Julio Franco's two-out RBI single in the ninth inning gave Texas a 3-2 lead. But relief ace Jeff Russell couldn't protect it, as pinch-hitter Carmelo Martinez led off with his second homer of the season.

Royals starter Bret Saberhagen allowed one runner as far as second until the seventh, when the Rangers scored twice to tie the game.

Athletics 9, Brewers 8

OAKLAND — Ricky Henderson's two-out single in the eighth scored Lance Blankenship to give Oakland a three-game sweep over the Brewers.

The A's had taken an 8-4 lead in the seventh on Harold Baines' grand slam, but Dante Bichette reciprocated with a grand slam of his own to tie it for Milwaukee in the eighth.

Then, with one out in the bottom of the inning, Blankenship doubled off Milwaukee reliever Chuck Crim (4-3) and stole third. After Mike Gallego fouled out, Henderson singled to left for the winning run.

Oakland's home record of 20-6 is the best in baseball. The A's are 24-9 in Oakland against the Brewers since 1986, including nine wins in their last 10 games.

Bruce Walton (1-0) was the winner despite allowing Bichette's grand slam. Dennis Eckersley pitched the ninth for his 17th save.

The A's lost shortstop Walt Weiss, who was carried off in the third inning after catching his spike in the dirt when he fell about six feet from first base. His injury was diagnosed as ruptured ligaments in his left ankle.

Tigers 5, Mariners 4

DETROIT — Cecil Fielder had three hits, including a two-run homer, and scored twice as Detroit held on to defeat Seattle.

Bill Gullickson (6-3) allowed seven hits, striking out two and walking two in eight innings.

White Sox 2, Indians 1

CLEVELAND — Tim Raines, who had four hits, scored the winning run on a suicide squeeze bunt by Robin Ventura in the 10th inning.

Doug Jones (1-5) took the loss in relief of Greg Swindell, who pitched nine strong innings but was again the victim of non-support. The Indians have scored two runs or less in seven of Swindell's 12 starts.

Orioles 6, Blue Jays 4

BALTIMORE — Leo Gomez celebrated his return to the major leagues with a triple and a two-run single as Baltimore ended a three-game losing streak.

Gomez, recalled from Class AAA Rochester earlier in the day, capped a four-run fifth inning with his tie-breaking single. He had played 17 games with the Orioles earlier this season without an RBI.

Yelding helps Astros halt six-game slide

NL Roundup

Associated Press

HOUSTON — Eric Yelding hit a two-run single to cap a four-run ninth inning as Houston rallied to end their longest losing streak this season at six games.

Yelding's bouncing hit to center with one out handed Montreal its first loss in three games under new manager Tom Runnells. The Expos lost despite four RBIs by Mike Fitzgerald.

Mark Davidson led off with a single, took third on Ken Caminiti's double and scored on a sacrifice fly by Eric Anthony off reliever Barry Jones (2-4). Jeff Bagwell got his third hit of the game, a single to center scoring Caminiti, and took third on Luis Gonzalez's double to left field.

Yelding's hit made a winner of Curt Schilling (2-3), who pitched the ninth.

Fitzgerald had a two-run triple in the ninth, giving Montreal an 8-5 lead.

Tim Wallach doubled to start the ninth off Al Osuna and Dave Martinez reached base on third baseman Caminiti's throwing error before Fitzgerald tripled to the right-center. Tom Foley singled home Fitzgerald.

Giants 6, Pirates 3

PITTSBURGH — Bud Black cooled off John Smiley and the Pirates with his bat and arm as light-hitting San Francisco — getting a three-run homer from Matt Williams — defeated Pittsburgh.

Black (6-5), who allowed four hits, gave up all the Pittburgh runs in the third inning. The loss was only Pittsburgh's second in 12 games and stopped the second four-game winning streak of the season for Smiley (8-2).

Cubs 6, Padres 2

CHICAGO — Ryne Sandberg had a homer and triple among his four hits to lead Greg Maddux and Chicago to a victory that snapped San Diego's six-game winning streak.

Sandberg singled in the first and third innings, tripled in the fifth and hit his eighth home run leading off the seventh. Mark Grace had a pair of singles and a sacrifice fly and drove in two runs.

Reds 5, Mets 3

CINCINNATI — Paul O'Neill and Todd Benzinger hit eighth-inning home runs off Frank Viola to rally Cincinnati over New York.

O'Neill's two-run homer, his 11th, put the Reds ahead 4-3, and Benzinger followed with his first of the season.

Viola (6-3) blew a 3-0 lead by giving up a solo homer to Chris Sabo in the sixth, an RBI single to Billy Hatcher in the seventh and the decisive homers in the eighth.

Braves 9, Phillies 4

ATLANTA — Torrid Jeff Blauser was 4-for-4 — including a homer for the third straight game — and drove in four runs as surging Atlanta beat downtrodden Philadelphia.

Blauser, who drove in 12 runs as Atlanta scored 29 in winning two of three games against Philadelphia, hit his fifth homer of the season after David Justice had his eighth, in the first inning. Blauser, who also walked, had an RBI in each official at-bat.

Dodgers 1, Cardinals 0

ST. LOUIS — Bob Ojeda and two relievers combined on four-hitter as Los Angeles shut out St. Louis for the second straight game.

The shutout was the National League-leading sixth for Los Angeles and came a night after Ramon Martinez threw a four-hitter in a 2-0 victory. The Cardinals, who lead the league in hitting, scored only three runs on 15 hits in losing two of three games in the series.

Clear Creek gains finals

AUSTIN (AP) — Brendan Daly scattered eight hits and Clear Creek tied a University Interscholastic League tournament record with nine stolen bases Thursday night in a 6-5 victory over San Antonio Clark in the Class 5A playoff semifinals.

Klein Oak (23-6) played Keller (33-3) after the game, which started two hours behind schedule because of long games during the day.

Shawn Buhner's two-run double in the sixth gave Clear Creek a 6-3 lead.

Daly (12-1) retired the side in the seventh, getting three straight ground balls as Clear Creek (26-7) advanced to Friday's championship.

Earl Nelson (11-4) suffered the loss. He allowed six hits in seven innings, striking out 10 and walking 10.

Clear Creek's nine stolen bases tied the tourney mark set by Lubbock Monterey in 1981.

In a Class 4A semifinal earlier Thursday, pitcher J.J. Velasquez doubled home the winning run as Robstown defeated Crowley 4-3 in eight innings.

Robstown, a runner-up last season, will play West Mesquite, which rallied for five runs in the sixth inning, with the tying and winning runs scoring on an outfield error, to defeat West Orange-Stark 8-7.

All championship games are scheduled for Friday.

Robstown (26-6) and Crowley (28-8) each scored one run in the final inning of regulation — Robstown on Robert Cervantes' double, after Velasquez had walked, and Crowley on Johnny Isom's single, after Scott Hilaman had been hit by a Velasquez pitch.

Velasquez (11-4) also made a fine defensive play, catching a throw on the run as he covered first base on a ground ball for Crowley's second out in the eighth.

The senior left-hander gave up four hits and two runs in the first and allowed only two hits in the final seven innings.

Jason Garner (11-2) was the loser, pitching 7 1-3 innings and giving up Velasquez's double to far left field.

West Orange-Stark (31-4) led 7-3, scoring four runs in the third inning on three successful bunts and an inside-the-park home run to center field by Kelly Free, and another three in the sixth.

But West Mesquite loaded the bases in the bottom of the sixth on two singles and a throwing error by pitcher Ronnie Teaff.

That game ended and the next one started with the temperature on the artificial turf about 115 degrees, peaking a few degrees higher.

Nicklaus stumbles, Albus rallies

DEARBORN, Mich. (AP) — When defending champion Jack Nicklaus stumbled at the start, it signaled the rest of the pack to charge for the front in the first round of the Senior Players Championship on Thursday.

When the round was over, unknown club pro Jim Albus was the leader at 6-under-par 66, two shots ahead of Gay Brewer, Bobby Nichols, Don Bies and Al Geibeiger, all of whom were tied at 68 in the $1 million championship which pays $150,000 to the winner.

Bob Charles and Mike Hill were a shot back at 69 over the new 6,876-yard TPC of Michigan layout in the shadow of the Ford Motor Co. world headquarters.

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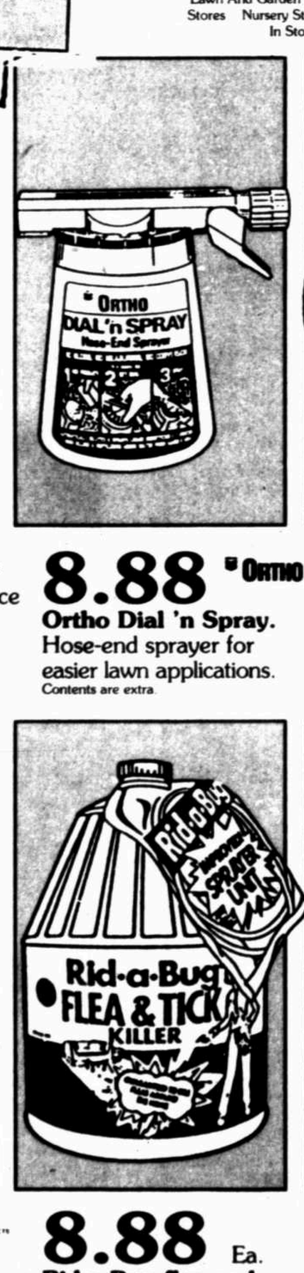
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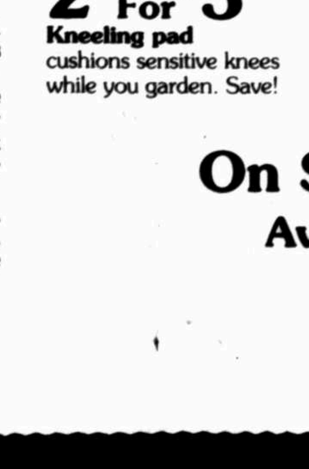
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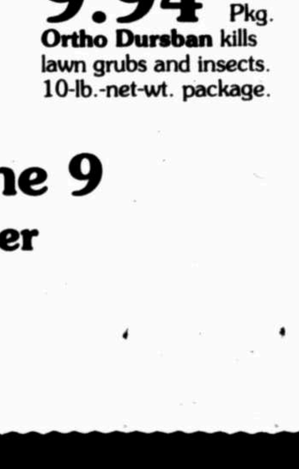
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First Half
Eastern Divis

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Shreveport	33	18
Jackson	24	27
Tulsa	20	30
Arkansas	14	34
Western Divi		
Wichita	35	17
El Paso	35	18
Midland	22	30
San Antonio	21	30

Thursday's Ga
El Paso 9, Wichita
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Sunday's Ga
Wichita at El Paso
San Antonio at Mid
Arkansas at Shreve
Jackson at Tulsa

SPORTS SCOREBOARD

AL Boxes

Royals 4, Rangers 3

TEXAS	ab	r	h	bi	KANSAS CITY	ab	r	h	bi
Pettis cf	3	0	0	0	McRae cf	7	1	1	1
Dwning ph	1	0	0	0	KGibson lf	8	0	1	0
MDiaz ss	5	1	2	0	Brett dh	6	0	4	0
Pimero 1b	9	0	0	0	Trtabll rf	5	0	0	0
Sierra rf	7	0	0	0	Shmprt 2b	2	0	0	0
Franco 2b	8	0	2	1	Crmrte 1b	2	0	1	1
Reimer lf	7	1	5	0	CMrtnz 1b	1	1	4	1
Gonzalz dh	8	0	2	0	Thrmn rf	4	0	1	0
Bechele 3b	6	0	1	0	Seitz 3b	6	1	2	0
Stnley c	6	1	0	0	Mayne c	6	1	2	0
Huson ss	2	0	0	0	Stillwell ss	7	0	0	0
Walling rf	6	0	2	1	Howard 2b	3	0	1	0
					Esnrich rf	1	0	0	0
					McIrine ph	1	0	0	0
					Pecota 1b	2	0	1	0
Totals	**66**	**3**	**14**	**2**	**Totals**	**61**	**4**	**15**	**3**

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KC 000 110 001 000 000 001—4

None out when winning run scored.

E—Stanley (2), Rogers (2), Seitzer (2). DP—Kansas City 1. LOB—Texas 20, Kansas City 26. 2B—Brett (5), Cromartie (4), Pecota (5). HR—CMartinez (2). SB—Gonzalez (2), Thurman (5). S—Buechele, Shumpert, Seitzer, Mayne, Stillwell. SF—McRae.

Texas	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Ryan	7	6	2	2	1	9
JoBarfield	1	0	0	0	0	0
JeRussell	2	2	1	1	1	0
Bitker	0	0	0	0	3	0
Jeffcoat	2 2-3	2	0	0	0	1
Alexander	4 1-3	4	0	0	8	1
Rogers L,4-5	0	1	1	0	1	0
Kansas City						
Saberhagen	7	5	2	1	3	4
Aquino	1 2-3	4	1	1	2	1
RDavis	0	0	0	0	1	0
SDavis	2 1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Crawford	2	1	0	0	2	0
Montgomery	4	4	0	0	2	4
Boddicker W,5-4	1	0	0	0	0	0

MDavis pitched to 1 batter in the 9th. Bitker pitched to 3 batters in the 11th. T—6:28. A—38,523.

A's 9, Brewers 8

MILWAUKEE	ab	r	h	bi	OAKLAND	ab	r	h	bi
Molitor dh	4	1	1	0	RHdsn lf	4	1	2	1
Surhoff c	5	1	2	1	Riles 3b	3	0	1	0
Shffield 3b	5	1	1	0	Cnseco ph	1	0	1	1
Yount cf	3	1	0	0	Law 3b	1	1	0	0
GVghn lf	4	1	1	0	DHdsn cf	2	2	1	0
Brock 1b	3	1	1	0	Baines dh	4	2	2	4
Bchette rf	4	2	2	5	McGwr 1b	3	1	1	3
Gntner 2b	3	0	0	1	WWlsn rf	4	0	0	0
Sveum ss	3	0	0	1	Afenir c	3	0	1	0
					Weiss ss	1	0	0	0
					Blkshp 2b	3	2	2	0
					Gallego 2b	3	0	1	0
Totals	**34**	**8**	**8**	**8**	**Totals**	**33**	**9**	**12**	**9**
Milwaukee					110 000 240—8				
Oakland					000 300 51x—9				

DP—Milwaukee 2. LOB—Milwaukee 4, Oakland 5. 2B—Surhoff (2), Canseco (12), Blankenship (3). HR—Bichette 2 (10), Baines (7), McGwire (6). SB—Molitor (6), Blankenship (7). S—Gallego. SF—Sveum.

Milwaukee	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
August	6 1-3	8	5	5	3	1
MkLee	2-3	2	3	3	1	2
Crim L,3-4	1	2	1	1	0	0
Oakland						
Hawkins	6	2	3	3	2	4
Nelson	1	4	3	3	1	0
Walton W,1-0	1	1	2	2	1	1
Eckersley S,17	1	1	0	0	0	0

Hawkins pitched to 1 batter in the 7th, Nelson pitched to 2 batters in the 8th. T—3:22. A—26,365.

Tigers 5, Mariners 4

SEATTLE	ab	r	h	bi	DETROIT	ab	r	h	bi
Rynlds 2b	5	1	2	1	Phillips rf	4	0	1	0
Cotto rf	5	0	2	1	Whtker 2b	3	2	1	1
GrfyJr cf	3	0	0	0	Trmmll ss	4	0	1	0
ADavis 1b	4	0	2	0	Fielder 1b	4	2	3	2
OBrien dh	4	0	0	0	Tttleton c	3	1	1	0
TJones lf	4	2	2	0	Incvgla lf	3	0	0	0
Brdly c	3	0	1	0	Brgmn dh	3	0	1	2
Buhner ph	1	0	0	0	Shelby cf	3	0	0	0
Vizquel ss	2	0	0	1	Frymn 3b	3	0	0	0
EMrtnz ph	1	1	1	1					
Schefer 3b	2	0	0	0					
Briley 3b	1	0	0	0					
Powell ph	1	0	0	0					
Totals	**36**	**4**	**10**	**4**	**Totals**	**30**	**5**	**8**	**5**
Seattle					000 000 *03—4				
Detroit					201 002 00x—5				

DP—Seattle 2. LOB—Seattle 9, Detroit 3. 2B—Reynolds (13), Cotto (2). HR—Whitaker (6), Fielder (12). SB—Reynolds (8), Cotto (11), Tettleton (1). SF—Vizquel.

Seattle	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Bankhead L,2-4	5 2-3	7	5	5	2	4
Swan	1 1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Swift	1	1	0	0	0	0
Detroit						
Gullickson W,6-3	8	7	2	2	2	2
PGibson	1-3	1	1	1	0	0
Henneman S,7	2-3	2	1	1	1	0

Gullickson pitched to 1 batter in the 9th. T—2:37. A—15,600.

Chisox 2, Indians 1

CHICAGO	ab	r	h	bi	CLEVELAND	ab	r	h	bi
Raines lf	5	1	4	0	Cole cf	5	0	2	1
Vntura 1b	3	1	1	1	MLewis 2b	5	0	2	0
Thmas dh	3	0	2	0	CJmes dh	3	0	0	0
Fisk c	5	0	2	1	Belle lf	4	0	0	0
Soss cf	4	0	1	0	TWard rf	0	0	0	0
Snyder rf	3	0	0	0	Baerga 3b	4	0	1	0
Fitcher 2b	4	0	0	0	Jacoby 1b	3	0	1	0
Grbeck 3b	4	0	0	0	Alfred rf	4	0	1	0
Guillen ss	4	0	0	0	Skinner c	3	0	0	0
					Huff ph	0	0	0	0
					Fermin ss	3	1	1	0
Totals	**35**	**2**	**10**	**2**	**Totals**	**34**	**1**	**8**	**1**
Chicago					000 001 000 1—2				
Cleveland					001 000 000 0—1				

E—Fisk (3). DP—Chicago 2, Cleveland 1. LOB—Chicago 8, Cleveland 7. 2B—Raines (6). SB—Raines (16), Fermin (3). CS—Raines (4), Cole (6). S—Ventura 2, Snyder, Fermin.

Chicago	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Fernandez	6	6	1	1	1	4
Perez W,2-4	3	2	0	0	1	1
Thigpen S,11	1	0	0	0	1	1
Cleveland						
Swindell	9	9	1	1	1	9
DJones L,1-5	1	1	1	1	1	1

WP—Perez, DJones. Balk—Fernandez. T—3:02. A—8,436.

Orioles 6, Jays 4

TORONTO	ab	r	h	bi	BALTIMORE	ab	r	h	bi
White cf	5	0	1	0	Dvraux cf	4	0	0	0
MWlsn lf	4	0	0	0	Hulett 2b	4	1	1	0
RAlmr 2b	4	1	1	0	CRpken ss	4	0	1	0
Carter rf	3	2	2	1	Orsulak rf	3	1	0	0
Mlniks dh	3	1	2	2	Milligan 1b	1	0	0	0
Tabler dh	0	0	0	0	Evans rf	2	1	1	2
Myers c	4	0	1	0	Horn dh	2	1	1	1
Olerud 1b	4	0	0	0	Gomez 3b	4	1	2	2
Sprgue 3b	4	0	2	1	Segui lf	3	0	0	1
MLee ss	4	0	0	0	Hoiles c	1	1	0	0
Totals	**35**	**4**	**9**	**4**	**Totals**	**28**	**6**	**6**	**6**
Toronto					022 000 000—4				
Baltimore					020 040 00x—6				

E—MLee (9), Segui 2 (2). DP—Toronto 1. LOB—Toronto 6, Baltimore 5. 2B—Carter (15), Mulliniks (4), Sprague (5). 3B—Gomez (1). HR—Horn (8). SB—Carter (10). CS—RAlomar (4), Carter (4), Devereaux (3), Evans (2). SF—Segui.

Toronto	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Acker	4 1-3	4	4	4	4	4
Timlin L,4-3	1-3	2	2	2	1	0
MacDonald	2 1-3	0	0	0	0	1
DWard	1	0	0	0	0	2
Baltimore						
Milacki W,2-2	6 1-3	8	4	3	1	8
Kilgus	2-3	1	0	0	0	0
Frohwirth	2-3	0	0	0	1	0
Flanagan	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Olson S,9	1	0	0	0	0	3

Kilgus pitched to 1 batter in the 8th. HBP—by Timlin (Orsulak). Balk—MacDonald. T—3:09. A—26,539.

Texas League

Texas League Standings
By The Associated Press

	W	L	Pct.	GB
First Half				
Eastern Division				
Shreveport	33	18	.647	—
Jackson	24	27	.471	9
Tulsa	20	30	.400	12½
Arkansas	14	34	.292	17½
Western Division				
Wichita	35	17	.673	—
El Paso	35	18	.660	½
Midland	22	30	.423	13
San Antonio	21	30	.412	13½

Thursday's Games
El Paso 9, Wichita 8
San Antonio at Midland, ppd., rain
Shreveport 9, Arkansas 5
Tulsa 12, Jackson 1

Friday's Games
Wichita at El Paso
San Antonio at Midland, 2
Arkansas at Shreveport
Jackson at Tulsa

Saturday's Games
Wichita at El Paso
San Antonio at Midland
Arkansas at Shreveport, 2
Jackson at Tulsa

Sunday's Games
Wichita at El Paso
San Antonio at Midland
Arkansas at Shreveport
Jackson at Tulsa

Baseball Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Toronto	29	25	.537	—	4-6	Lost 1	16-10	13-15
Boston	26	24	.520	1	2-8	Lost 4	16-10	10-14
Detroit	25	27	.481	3	z-3-7	Won 2	16-10	9-17
Milwaukee	23	28	.451	4½	z-4-6	Lost 4	13-12	10-16
New York	22	27	.449	4½	z-6-4	Lost 1	13-13	9-14
Cleveland	21	29	.420	6	z-6-4	Lost 1	10-16	11-13
Baltimore	19	32	.373	8½	z-6-4	Won 1	8-15	11-17
West Division								
	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Oakland	33	20	.623	—	z-7-3	Won 4	20-6	13-14
California	30	21	.588	2	z-8-2	Won 4	14-12	16-9
Texas	26	21	.553	4	z-3-7	Lost 4	12-10	14-11
Minnesota	26	25	.528	5	8-2	Won 5	16-12	12-13
Seattle	27	25	.519	5½	4-6	Lost 2	14-10	13-15
Chicago	24	26	.480	7½	z-5-5	Won 1	12-12	12-14
Kansas City	24	27	.471	8	z-6-4	Won 3	13-16	11-11

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Pittsburgh	33	17	.660	—	z-8-2	Lost 1	17-11	16-6
New York	27	23	.540	6	5-5	Lost 2	12-11	15-12
St. Louis	27	24	.529	6½	z-4-6	Lost 2	16-12	11-12
Chicago	27	25	.519	7	z-5-5	Won 1	15-11	12-14
Philadelphia	23	29	.442	11	3-7	Lost 1	13-11	10-18
Montreal	22	29	.431	11½	3-7	Won 2	10-13	12-16
West Division								
	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Los Angeles	30	22	.577	—	z-6-4	Won 2	15-11	15-11
Atlanta	27	22	.551	1½	z-7-3	Won 1	13-13	14-9
San Diego	28	26	.519	3	6-4	Lost 1	11-15	17-11
Cincinnati	26	25	.510	3½	z-5-5	Won 2	15-11	11-14
San Francisco	20	33	.377	10½	6-4	Won 1	12-14	8-19
Houston	18	33	.353	11½	z-2-8	Lost 6	11-16	7-17

z-denotes first game was a win.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Thursday's Games
Late Game Not Included
Detroit 5, Seattle 4
Kansas City 4, Texas 3, 18 innings
Oakland 9, Milwaukee 8
Baltimore 6, Toronto 4
Chicago 2, Cleveland 1, 10 innings
Boston at California, (n)
Only games scheduled

Friday's Games
Texas (Rogers 4-5) at New York (M.Witt 0-0), 6:30 p.m.
Toronto (Ju.Guzman 0-0) at Baltimore (Smith 2-0), 6:35 p.m.
Cleveland (Candiotti 7-2) at Minnesota (Anderson 2-4), 7:05 p.m.
Chicago (Huff 2-2) at Kansas City (Appier 3-6), 7:35 p.m.
Detroit (Tanana 2-5) at California (Valenzuela 0-0), 9:35 p.m.
Boston (Gr.Harris 1-5) at Oakland (Moore 7-3), 9:35 p.m.
Milwaukee (Higuera 0-1) at Seattle (Kreuger 1-2), 9:35 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Thursday's Games
Late Game Not Included
Chicago 6, San Diego 2
Cincinnati 5, New York 3
San Francisco 6, Pittsburgh 3
Atlanta 9, Philadelphia 4
Los Angeles 1, St. Louis 0
Montreal at Houston, (n)

Friday's Games
Los Angeles (Morgan 5-4) at Chicago (Boskie 2-4), 2:20 p.m.
Philadelphia (Greene 4-0) at Cincinnati (Armstrong 4-4), 6:35 p.m.
San Diego (Hurst 6-2) at Pittsburgh (Drabek 3-7), 6:35 p.m.
Montreal (Boyd 2-6) at Atlanta (Avery 6-3), 6:40 p.m.
New York (Darling 2-3) at Houston (Deshaies 2-6), 7:35 p.m.
San Francisco (Robinson 2-4) at St. Louis (Olivares 0-0), 7:35 p.m.

Little League CWS

Western League
Champions: A League White Sox (Coaches: Larry Hendricks and David Rich). B League Maroon (Coaches: Hal Semple and Gus Guzman). C League Orange (Coaches: Leroy Cagle and Jerry Ewing).

Western A League
Black 20, Gold 3. W-Jake Hendrix. L-Scott Worley. 2B-Nick Carter 2, Benny Chavez, Bo Rich (B).
Red 11, Blue 10. W-Andy Rodriquez. L-David Cunningham. 2B-Daniel Subia 2, Jeremy Woods, James Connally, Mark McCarley (B); Robert Salas 2, Josh Howell (R). 3B-Howell (R). HR-Cody Busbee (R).
Black 9, Red 4. W-Bo Rich. L-Joe Ray Williams. 2B-Jason Stoner, Jason Frazier, Rich (B).
Black 10, Blue 4. W-Benny Chavez. L-Daniel Subia. 2B-Benny Chavez, Bo Rich (Bla); David Cunningham, Jeremy Woods (Blu). 3B-Nick Carter (Bla).
Red 21, Gold 9. W-Chris Crawford. L-Scott Worley. 2B-Robert Salas, Andy Rodriquez, Cody Busbee (R); Joe Morales (G). 3B-Worley (G). HR-Josh Howell (A).
Red 6, Gold 4. W-Robert Salas. L-Scott Worley. 2B-Josh Howell (R). 3B-Andy Rodriquez (R).
Blue 9, Red 2. W-David Cunningham. L-Daniel Hunt. 2B-Cunningham (B); Eric Sanchez, Andy Rodriquez (R). 3B-Josh Howell (R).
Black 18, Red 10.
Blue 21, Gold 2. W-Daniel Subia. L-J.R. Rojas. 2B-Subia, Jeremy Woods (B). 3B-David Cunningham (B).

Western B League
Maroon 24, Blue 17. W-Justin Builta. L-Morgan Leak. 2B-Shane Scribner (B). 3B-Curtis Choat (M).
Red 22, Gold 12. W-Aurelio Munoz. L-Danny Cano. 2B-Corey Barber, Steven Lucero, Jack Horton, Mike Henderson (R).
Blue 15, Maroon 14. W-Morgan Leak. L-Jacob Rodriquez. 2B-Justin Builta (M).
Maroon 17, Red 1. W-Monty Magee. L-Aurelio Munoz. 2B-Jordan Scribner, Magee (M).
Gold 17, Blue 15. 2B-Bryan White (B); Beau Hughes (G).
Maroon 13, Gold 6.

Western C League
Orange 7, Red 6. 2B-Landon Turnbow 2 (R). 3B-Chris Weddle, Brandon Carr (R); Clint Dickson, Jeffrey Roman (O).
Black 15, Maroon 4.
Green 12, Red 9.
Blue 12, Light Blue 8. 2B-Ross Rogers, Richard Hoffman, Jacob Jansen (B); Stephen Campbell, C.J. Petronella, Jason Pritchett (LB). 3B-Richard Hoffman (B); Pritchett, Petronella, Jason Guzman (LB).
Orange 4, Blue 3. 2B-Stephan Campbell, C.J. Petronella (B).
Red 6, Gold 5.
Black 12, Green 8.
Gold 14, Blue 7.
Orange 9, Green 5. 2B-Jeffery Roman (O).
Orange 13, Maroon 1. 3B-Conner Ewing, Clint Dickson, Jeffery Roman (O).
Black 13, Red 9.

Wednesday's Late Boxes

A's 6, Brewers 4

MILWAUKEE	ab	r	h	bi	OAKLAND	ab	r	h	bi
Molitor dh	3	1	0	0	RHdsn lf	3	1	2	0
Surhoff c	4	0	0	0	Riles 3b	3	1	1	0
Shffield 3b	2	1	0	0	Law 3b	2	0	1	1
Yount cf	2	1	1	1	Cnseco rf	2	2	1	0
GVghn lf	3	1	1	2	WWlsn rf	2	0	1	0
Stubbs 1b	4	0	0	0	Baines dh	3	1	1	1
Bchette rf	4	0	1	0	DHdsn cf	2	1	1	3
Gntner 2b	3	0	0	0	Quirk c	2	0	0	0
Spiers ss	3	0	0	0	Afenir c	2	0	0	0
Sveum ph	1	0	0	0	McGwr 1b	2	0	0	1
					Weiss ss	5	0	0	0
					Gallego 2b	3	0	0	0
Totals	**29**	**4**	**3**	**3**	**Totals**	**31**	**6**	**8**	**6**
Milwaukee					100 003 000—4				
Oakland					302 001 00x—6				

E—Sheffield (4). DP—Milw 1. LOB—Milw 5, Oak 14. 2B—Canseco (11). HR—Vaughn (9), DHenderson (13). SB—RHenderson (18). CS—Sheffield, Gallego. SF—Baines.

Milwaukee	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Bosio L,4-6	3	4	5	5	6	2
KDBrown	2 2-3	3	1	1	2	1
Holmes	1 1-3	1	0	0	1	2
MkLee	1-3	1	0	0	0	1
Machado	2-3	0	0	0	2	0
Oakland						
Stewart W,4-2	5 1-3	2	4	4	5	1
Klink	1-3	1	0	0	0	0
Chitren S,1	3 1-3	0	0	0	0	3

HBP—by Bosio (Canseco), by Stewart (Molitor), by Chitren (Gantner). WP—Stewart. T—3:16. A—21,271.

Angels 7, Red Sox 2

BOSTON	ab	r	h	bi	CALIFORNIA	ab	r	h	bi
Reed ss	4	0	1	0	Polonia lf	4	1	1	0
Qintana 1b	4	0	1	0	Joyner 1b	3	1	0	0
Boggs 3b	4	0	0	0	Whfield rf	4	2	2	2
Bnsky rf	4	1	2	0	DPrker dh	3	1	1	2
Grnwll lf	3	1	2	0	Gaetti 3b	4	0	0	0
Burks cf	3	0	0	0	Parrish c	3	1	1	2
JClark dh	3	0	0	0	DHill 2b	3	1	1	0
Pena c	4	0	1	1	Vnable cf	3	0	0	0
Lyons 2b	4	0	1	1	Schfeld ss	3	0	1	0
Totals	**33**	**2**	**8**	**2**	**Totals**	**30**	**7**	**7**	**6**
Boston					000 200 000—2				
California					001 240 00x—7				

DP—Bsn 1, Cal 1. LOB—Bsn 7, Cal 1. 2B—Quintana (7), Brunansky (10), Pena (9), Winfield 2 (13). HR—DParker (3), Parrish (7). SB—Greenwell (7). S—Burks.

Boston	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Gardner L,1-1	4 2-3	6	6	6	2	2
Hesketh	3 1-3	1	1	1	0	0
California						
McCaskill W,6-5	7	7	2	2	2	5
McClure	1	0	0	0	0	0
JDRobinson	1	1	0	0	0	2

WP—Gardner. T—2:28. A—24,089.

Belmont Odds

Belmont Odds
By The Associated Press

The field for Saturday's 123rd Belmont Stakes, with post position, horse's name, jockey's name and odds:

1. Another Review — Migliore — 30-1
2. Scan — McCarron — 10-1
3. Mane Minister — Solis — 12-1
4. Lost Mountain — Perret — 8-1
5. Hansel — Bailey — 3-1
6. Corporate Report — Day — 8-1
7. Quintana — Cordero — 20-1
8. Green Alligator — Nakatani — 15-1
9. Subordinted Debt — Krone — 12-1
10. Smth Perfrmnce — Kinane — 6-1
11. Strike the Gold — Antley — 5-2

Trainers (by post position): 1, John Campo. 2, Scott Schulhofer. 3, Juan Gonzalez. 4, Tom Bohannan. 5, Frank Brothers. 6, D. Wayne Lukas. 7, David Cross, Jr. 8, Murray Johnson. 9, Dave Monaci. 10, Dermot Weld. 11, Nick Zito.

Owners (by post position): 1, Buckland Farm. 2, William Haggin Perry. 3, John A. Toffan and Trudy McCaffery. 4, LobLolly Stable. 5, Joe Allbritton. 6, D. Wayne Lukas and W.T. Young. 7, Gary Garber. 8, Anderson Fowler. 9, Leslie R. Grimm. 10, Moygaire Stud. 11, B. Giles Brophy, W.J. Condren and Joseph Cornacchia.

Weights: Each 126 pounds. Distance: 1½ miles. Purse: $695,800 if 11 start. First place: $417,480. Second place: $153,076. Third place: $83,496. Fourth place: $41,748. Post time: 4:32 p.m. CDT.

Transactions

Thursday's Sports Transactions
By The Associated Press

BASEBALL
American League
BOSTON RED SOX—Signed Phillip Bailey, Joel Barnett, and Tim Van Edmond, pitchers; James Crowley, and Antonio Ferreira, second basemen; and Dana Levangie, catcher.
OAKLAND ATHELTICS—Placed Joe Klink, pitcher, on the 15-day disabled list. Recalled John Briscoe, pitcher, from Tacoma of the Pacific Coast League.
SEATTLE MARINERS—Placed Ken Griffey Sr., outfielder, on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to June 1. Called up Dave Burba, pitcher, from Calgary of the Pacific Coast League.
TEXAS RANGERS—Activated John Russell, catcher, from the 15-day disabled list. Designated Eric Nolte, pitcher, for assignment.
National League
NEW YORK METS—Signed Mark Hokanson, Clifford Jones, and James McCready, pitchers; Brett Roessler, catcher; and Donald White, outfielder.
PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES—Signed Wayne Johnson, outfielder; Dave Hayden, shortstop; Dean Hopp and Art Ruth, catchers; and Pat Bojcun and Mike Grace, pitchers.
BASKETBALL
CBA
CBA—Approved the sale of the Rockford Lighting to Rick Holtzman.
ROCKFORD LIGHTING—Named Tom Kayser vice president-general manager.
FOOTBALL
Canadian Football League
BRITISH COLUMBIA—Signed Paul Frankklin, defensive back.
OTTAWA ROUGH RIDERS—Signed Tim McCray, running back and Jason Garrett, quarterback.
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
NEW YORK ISLANDERS—Agreed to terms with Ray Ferraro, center, on a multiyear contract.

College World Series

By The Associated Press
At Rosenblatt Stadium
Omaha, Neb.
Double Elimination

Friday, May 31
Fresno State 6, Florida State 3
LSU 8, Florida 1

Saturday, June 1
Creighton 8, Clemson 4
Wichita State 8, Long Beach State 5

Sunday, June 2
Florida 5, Florida State 0, Florida State eliminated
LSU 15, Fresno State 3

Monday, June 3
Long Beach State 12, Clemson 11, Clemson eliminated
Wichita State 3, Creighton 2, 12 innings

Tuesday, June 4
Florida 2, Fresno State 1, Fresno State eliminated
Creighton 13, Long Beach State 4, Long Beach State eliminated

Wednesday, June 5
LSU 19, Florida 8, Florida eliminated

Thursday, June 6
Wichita State 11, Creighton 3, Creighton eliminated

Friday, June 7
No game scheduled

Saturday, June 8
Championship
LSU (54-18) vs. Wichita State (66-12), noon.

Wichita State 11 Creighton 3

At Omaha, Neb.

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NL Boxes

Astros 9, Expos 8

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Grasom cf	3	0	0	0	Finley cf	4	0	1	0
Cideron lf	4	3	2	0	Henry p	0	0	0	0
Wlach 3b	4	3	3	2	Osuna p	0	0	0	0
DaMrtnz rf	4	1	1	1	Dvdson cf	1	1	1	0
Fitzgrld c	3	1	2	4	Cmintti 3b	5	1	1	0
LWlker 1b	4	0	1	0	Anthny rf	4	1	1	1
Burke p	0	0	0	0	Bgwell 1b	5	2	3	1
Wlliams ph	1	0	0	0	LGnzlz lf	4	2	2	0
BJones p	0	0	0	0	Yeiding ss	4	1	3	3
Owen ss	4	0	1	0	Cndele 2b	4	1	3	2
Nbholz p	2	0	0	0	Prtugal p	1	0	0	0
Mahler p	0	0	0	0	Rohde ph	1	0	0	0
Fssero p	0	0	0	0	Clancy p	0	0	0	0
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First Texas 4-H Water Camp to teach local youth respect for water use, conservation

The first Texas 4-H Water Camp will be held July 21-26 at Bently 4-H Center in Monahans.



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"The objective of the week-long event is to help older 4-H youth throughout Texas become aware of the value of water and learn to become to become good stewards of this valuable natural resource," said Dr. Nelson Jacob, 4-H youth and development specialist with the Texas Agriculture Extension Service.

"In parts of the country, increasing demands for water and below-average rainfalls have led to shortages and restrictions on water usage," he said. "Texas youth can learn how to prevent water rationing by conserving water."

Young people also will learn how agricultural, industrial, municipal and home water use can impact water quality and supply.

"Water conservation and quality is a national issue as well as a state issue," said Weldon Floyd, extension agent for Ward County. "One way Extension can lead is by educating our youth about this valuable resource."

"Although the camp is located in West Texas, a dry area, Monahans stands in the center of nearly every major source of water available," Floyd said. Youngsters will be briefed on Texas water laws, water supply, use and standards.

Field trips will give 4-H'ers an opportunity to study the applications and uses of water, Floyd said. Participants will see various water demonstrations, such as testing for specific chemicals, and conduct their own water tests in group projects.

4-H hopes the camp will become an annual event — a way to help preserve water for future generations.

The camp is sponsored by the Extension Service, Ward County 4-H and Upper Pecos Soil and Water Conservation District.

For more information, contact the Ward County Extension Office at 943-2682 or Dr. Nelson Jacob at Texas A&M at (409) 845-1211.

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REMINDER — Permian Basin Farmers Market will be sponsoring a contest for the largest watermelon in West Texas. The prize will be $500. Kids will win $30 "Geoffrey Bucks" from Toys 'R' Us for best of show or strangest watermelon. Entry blanks are available at the Midland County Extension Office at 2445 E. Highway 80 or by calling 694-3460. Entry deadline is June 30.

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

U.S. consumers leery of irradiated food

By Diane Duston
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON — Sam Whitney is betting $10 million that consumers are worried more about salmonella on raw chicken and bugs on fruit than they are gamma rays.

In August, Whitney plans to open the first U.S. company devoted solely to irradiating food, a process that uses gamma rays beamed from radioactive isotopes to kill bugs and bacteria.

It's a method the federal government says is effective and perfectly safe, but is used virtually nowhere in the United States, mostly because opponents threaten to boycott any company selling irradiated food.

"The general public still equates radiation and irradiation. They think they are going to glow in the dark," said Michael Hunt, production manager for J.R. Brooks and Son, Inc. of Homestead, Fla., the nation's largest mango grower, who doesn't irradiate his fruit, but is interested in the technology because it kills fruit flies.

He's right: Irradiation does not make food radioactive.

Here's how it works. Food moves on a conveyer belt through a sealed chamber where it is bombarded by rays produced by cobalt-60 or cesium-137. Quick exposure to what amounts to a superstrong X-ray breaks chemical bonds that lead to decay and sustain tiny parasites.

The cobalt-60 comes from a Canadian firm and the cesium-137 is a waste product of the nuclear weapons industry for which the Department of Energy has been trying to find new uses.

Another method of producing the rays is with a linear accelerator, which doesn't need radioactive materials and, if found effective, would likely eliminate opposition to irradiation based strictly on concern about handling of the isotopes.

The process is used to sterilize medical supplies, which is where the 20 or so independent irradiation companies in the United States get most of their business. The federal government allows spices, pork, grains, fruit and vegetables to be irradiated and is finalizing rules specifying how it should be used for poultry.

Of those, spices are virtually the only food irradiated in this country.

Whitney, president of Vindicator Inc. in Plant City, Fla., calls the people who oppose food irradiation "a bunch of kooks" and counters their concerns by saying "fear is the easiest thing in the world to spread."

But Dr. Walter Bernstein, a physician who founded Food and Water, Inc., five years ago to fight food irradiation, said more research is needed about its effects on humans.

"We've stopped them all, except for Vindicator, and we'll get Vindicator, too," said Bernstein. "The food industry would sell anything if it sells, but this is not going to sell."

Whitney disagrees, saying consumers will welcome the chance to buy produce free of bugs and poultry without salmonella or other food poisoning bacteria.

... There is a small vitamin loss in irradiated vegetables and fruits.

Federal law said irradiated food must be stamped with a special label.

"We want it stamped big," said Whitney. "Why would we go to all this trouble to make it safe and not put a label on it? Why would we spend $10 million?"

Whitney said his plant was paid for by about 550 stockholders, who are interested more in safe food than a return on their investment. But he said he has plenty of food company customers waiting for his plant to open so they can use the service. He won't name them, however, and said he doesn't have any signed contracts.

Whitney clearly sees a market that seems to be eluding other irradiation companies.

RTI of Rockaway, N.J., for example, was one of the petitioners who got the Food and Drug Administration to consider irradiating poultry, but an official at the firm said RTI would continue to confine its work to medical equipment and spices because there is no market for irradiated chicken.

Many other scientists are studying the process, with varying opinions about its value.

"Some evidence indicates that irradiated foods are more, not less, subject to infections with certain fungi," said Dr. Donald Louria, chairman of preventive medicine at the New Jersey Medical School.

He also warns about nutritional losses.

Dr. Jay B. Fox Jr., a chemist researching irradiation for the Agriculture Department, acknowledged that the process causes pork to lose some thiamin, a food component needed by humans to break down sugar, but is effective in ridding pork of the causes of trichinosis. He also confirmed that there is a small vitamin loss in irradiated vegetables and fruits.

The process also changes the texture of some foods.

Strawberries, which rot easily have been considered a likely candidate for the preservation that irradiation offers. But research by Dr. Noel Sommer, a plant pathologist at the University of California, showed that when irradiated strawberries were shipped, the jostling during transit made them softer than non-irradiated fruit.

The strawberry would look OK, Sommer said, but "it was like a little bag of water."

Canadian farmers tough it out

By Jeffrey Ulbrich
Associated Press Writer

PAYNTON, Saskatchewan — "I used to farm because I liked it," Gordon Ross said, leaning across his kitchen table. "I don't like it anymore. My son loves every minute of it, but I don't know how long that will last."

Ross, 59, and his son Greg, 27, farm 2,000 acres near this town on the vast Canadian prairie between Saskatoon and the Alberta border. They are among the lucky ones, a father and son with a farm that supports them both.

They are lucky, too, because they have diversified. With wheat, barley, canola, peas, lentils and about 140 head of beef cattle, the Rosses are less vulnerable to the vagaries of the world wheat market.

Generally, agriculture in the Canadian west is a matter of surviving, not prosperity.

The 1991 picture seems to be: If you are in cattle or hogs, you are doing well. If you have diversified, either with a good mix of crops, or crops and livestock, or have non-farm income, you are getting by. If you are a straight grain farmer, chances are you're in trouble.

"Survival probably is the right word," Ross said.

"Our biggest problem is that our operating costs keep increasing and we very seldom get a corresponding increase in revenue, so you compensate with efficiency and expansion. But we've gone about as far as we can go.

"Before, we felt like we were competing against other farmers. Now, we feel we are competing against governments."

In southern Alberta, smack up against the U.S. border, Ross Ford and his brother, Ron, farm about 3,700 acres, most of it in wheat or barley.

"A lot of times I think about calling it quits," said Ford, 29, driving down the dirt road that separates his fields from the United States.

Dry-land farming has never been easy, and it helps that his wife works. "The wives of just about all the farmers I know around here work," he said.

The Fords recently bought more land and have mortgage and machinery payments.

"Our land taxes are double what there were 10 years ago," he said. "Fuel is up. Grain prices are at 1950s levels. The farmers that are strictly grain are having a tough time. People who have cattle, cattle prices are OK, so they are doing all right."



Gordon Ross, left, and Greg Ross farm 2,000 acres in Saskatchewan.

Ford said neither he nor Ron earned enough to pay income tax, "and for the amount of hours we put in, we could pump gas and make more money."

Canadian grain farmers produced a bumper crop last year, but the bottom fell out of the market. Prospects for this year aren't bright either.

"I try to be optimistic, but I have no justification for it," Garf Stevenson, president of the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool marketing cooperative, said with a grim smile.

"We don't see any improvement in grain prices," he said. "There isn't anything out there, except a drought in China, that could affect prices. I don't think Russian chaos is going to affect sales."

How well a farmer does, in Canada or anywhere else, depends a lot on his debt.

"Debt load increases costs substantially on a per-acre basis," said Stuart Bond, head of agricultural services in Saskatchewan for the Royal Bank, Canada's largest.

Bond estimated about 30 percent of Saskatchewan's farmers are in financial trouble.

"Even for fellows that are relatively debt free, the return on their investment would be terrible," he said. "We are talking about $2.50 per bushel wheat compared to $4.15 wheat" in 1989-1990.

Saskatchewan, with a total population of 1 million, has 63,000 farms and about $5 billion in farm debt.

That may not be as gloomy as it sounds, since only about 13 percent of the farmland is mortgaged, but Stevenson said: "We are finding that increasing numbers of people with no debt are finding it hard to justify farming. We are of the view that 30-40 percent are in very severe difficulty."

Government payments provide an average of $8.8 billion a year to the nation's 290,000 farms, $2.4 billion of it in price supports for wheat.

In Saskatchewan, net farm income was $244 million, including government money. Without it, there would have been a loss of $144 million.

The latest round of federal aid was announced in April. The government promised $400 million for a complicated mix of interest-free loans, income insurance, soil conservation and cash.

Much of the extra money is for two new "safety net" programs guaranteeing minimum crop prices and minimum income.

Then there is Calvin Ausenhus, who farms 1,300 acres near Didsbury, Alberta, and says farmers don't need subsidies to be successful. In fact, he says, supports prevent good management.

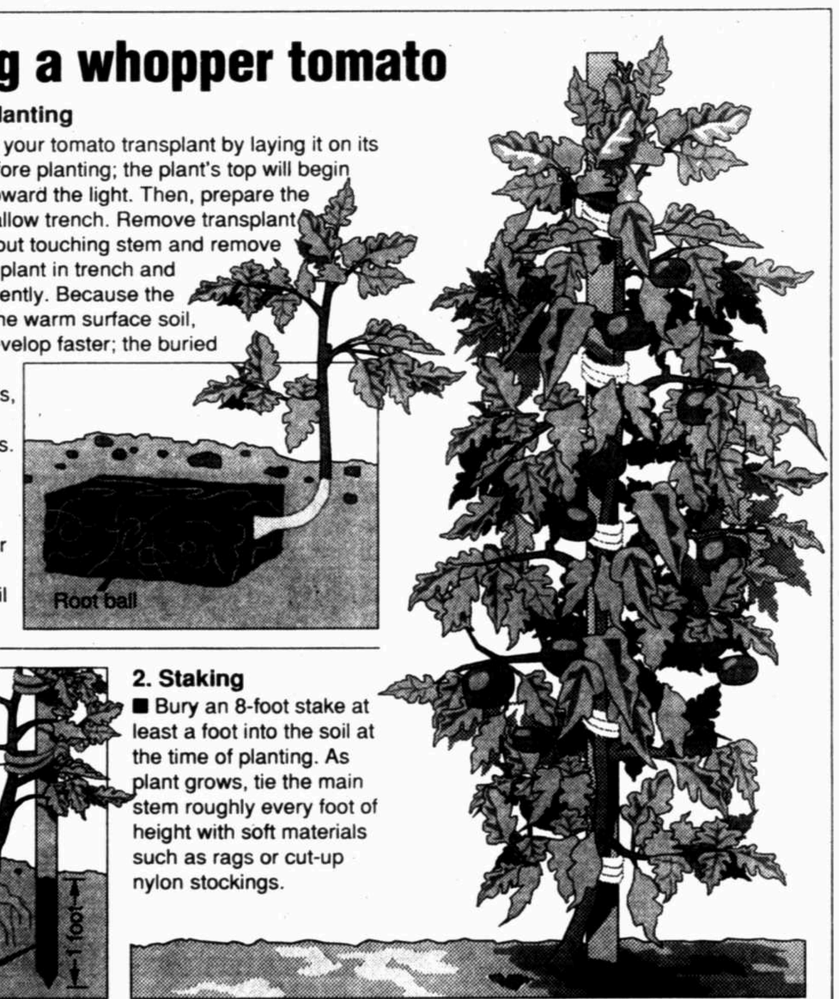
"If a grain farmer is guaranteed no better than an average price, then there is no way to excel according to his own management ability," said Ausenhus, 38, a fourth-generation farmer whose great-grandfather homesteaded the family land.

"Subsidies in the long run have no net benefit," he said over chicken dinner in his ranch-style home. "The extra income becomes part of the cost of production. Subsidies promote inefficiencies. Lack of subsidies forces survival.

"Nobody subsidizes the corner grocery store. They either make it or they don't.

"If we treat farming as a business, it will result in a pleasant way of life. If we treat it as a way of life, it will fail as a business."

Growing a whopper tomato



SOURCE: Chicago Tribune, "The Total Tomato" (Colophon Books, Harper & Row)

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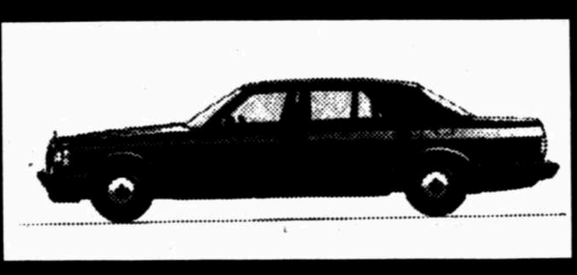
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FRIDAY

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SPOT MARKET
W.T. INTERMEDIATE
- Thursday $20.33
- Previous Close $20.47
- One Year Ago $16.92

POSTED PRICE
- Today $19.00
- Previous Week $20.00
- One Year Ago $15.75

Prices fall

NEW YORK (AP) — Oil prices fell Thursday but gasoline staged a modest afternoon rally in the futures market, where many traders seemed convinced supply will outstrip demand for a while.

West Texas Intermediate for delivery in July settled at $20.33 per barrel, down 14 cents, at the New York Mercantile Exchange.

Unleaded gasoline for delivery in July bounced up late in the session to settle at 64.44 cents a gallon, up .32 cent. That was only a partial recovery from Wednesday's plunge of 2.13 cents a gallon, however.

Prices for oil and the refined petroleum products had moved lower early in the day, but began to rebound after traders who had sold them decided the prices would fall no further and they began to buy them back.

The market has also been selling off in response to Tuesday's OPEC meeting, where the oil ministers decided to maintain current production quotas through the summer. Traders think there eventually will be pressure on OPEC to raise its quotas, to let Iraqi and Kuwaiti crude back into the supply stream, and that will weaken prices.

Natural gas prices fell Thursday, with contracts for delivery in July settling at $1.297 per 1,000 cubic feet, down 1.8 cents.

Stocks decline

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market remained on the defensive Thursday as traders assessed the outlook for interest rates and the economy.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials fell 10.51 to 2,994.86, extending its loss over the past three sessions to 40.47 points.

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Dollar rises

NEW YORK (AP) — The dollar settled mostly higher in quiet trading Thursday, boosted by an improvement in U.S. unemployment.

Gold prices advanced worldwide. On New York's Commodity Exchange, gold bullion for current delivery settled at $365.10 a troy ounce, up $2.50 from Wednesday.

In Tokyo, the dollar rose to a closing 139.25 Japanese yen from 139.17 yen on Wednesday.

In London, the British pound fell to $1.6865 from $1.6945 late Wednesday.

Other late dollar rates in New York, compared with late Wednesday's rates included: 1.7535 German marks, up from 1.7490; 1.5040 Swiss francs, up from 1.4960; 5.9400 French francs, up from 5.9220; 1,299.75 Italian lire, up from 1,294.50, and 1.1465 Canadian dollars, up from 1.1456.



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Conference looks at fuels issues

Natural-gas program subsidy unlikely, federal officials say

NORMAN, Okla. (AP) — Federal officials say it's unlikely federal funds will be used to subsidize any programs that encourage the use of alternative fuels, such as natural gas.

"It's a question of values," Steve Plotkin, senior analyst for the U.S. Congress' Office of Technology, said Wednesday at the Continental Conference on Natural Gas Vehicles. "The Canadians have put a lot of money into the program.

"That's not likely to be forthcoming from the federal and state governments because it's not there."

The conference, which ends today, was sponsored by the Canadian government, the U.S. Energy Department, the state of Oklahoma and the University of Oklahoma.

The university is hosting the conference, which involves discussions about technology, policies and regulatory issues concerning alternative fuels, particularly natural gas, said Barten Groten, executive director of the Sarkeys Energy Center.

The Canadian government began a program of alternative fuel usage in 1981 by converting vehicles to propane.

Peter Reilly-Roe, assistant director of the Transportation Energy Division of the Canadian Ministry of Energy, Mines and Resources, said about $20 million has been spent on a multi-pronged approach of research and development, demonstrations and marketing assistance.

"The strategy was to get industry involved from research to delivery," Reilly-Roe said. "Unless the natural gas utilities were involved, it would not be successful."

So far 25,000 vehicles have been converted, he said. A goal is to have 35,000 vehicles converted by 1994.

Barry McNutt, policy analyst for the Energy Department's Office of Energy Demand Policy, said the U.S. government has been working on an analysis since 1987. Any program would take time to develop, McNutt said.

"I see this as a five-year political process and I defy anyone to look into the literature and find a full cost-effective analysis of alternative fuels," he said.

Government leadership in the area is necessary, Plotkin said.

"I think any program won't get rolling or any kind of subsidized alternative fuel policy going with a government push," he said. "It is conceivable that once it's gotten going, it can go without continued subsidization."

Developing vehicles to run on alternative fuels has received greater attention since the Persian Gulf War.

Two Oklahoma gas stations for natural-gas vehicles — one in Stroud and one in Tulsa — have begun offering compressed natural gas in the past two months. A third station is expected to open this summer in Oklahoma City.

Some 24 universities in the U.S. and Canada are furthering research in the field as part of the Natural Gas Vehicle Challenge, which was scheduled to end Tuesday.

The schools were chosen based on their design proposals of natural gas-powered trucks supplied by General Motors.

Consumers urge rewrite of credit report laws

WASHINGTON (AP) — Consumers dunned by bill collectors, denied loans and fired from jobs because of mistakes in their credit records urged Congress Thursday to rewrite the law governing private reporting agencies.

"A hard-working, honest employee shouldn't have to defend his good name against unforeseeable false information," James R. Wiggins Jr. told the House Banking subcommittee on consumer affairs.

Wiggins, a 37-year-old District of Columbia resident whose middle name is Russell, told panel members he lost his job as a sales representative for a cable television company in January 1990.

The Atlanta-based Equifax Services Inc., in a check done for his employer, confused him with 27-year-old James Ray Wiggins, who had pleaded guilty of a charge of attempting to possess cocaine.

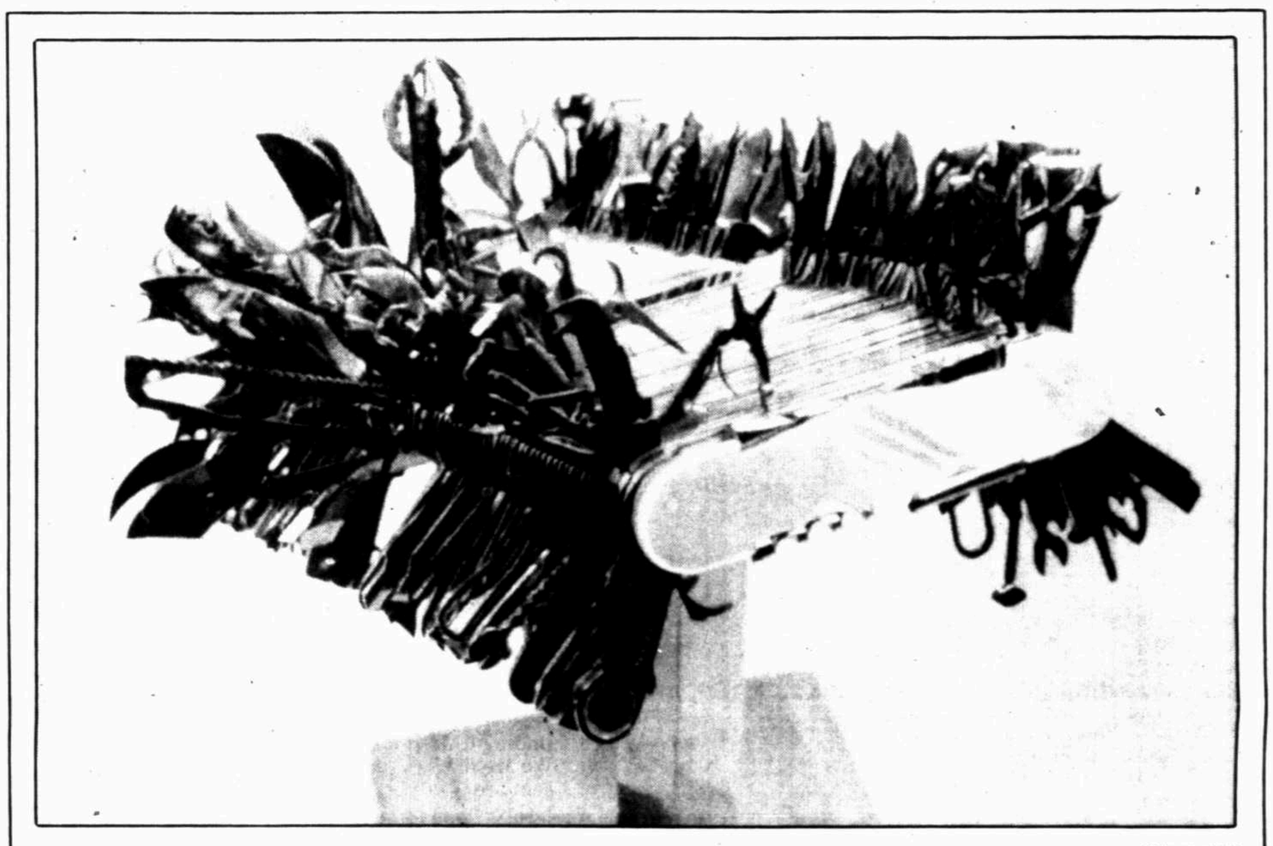
Equifax, one of three large companies that collect and disseminate credit and employment information, admitted making a mistake but said it promptly corrected it.

"There was an error and we regret that," said Equifax spokeswoman Tina Buckholtz. "Any inconvenience consumers experience due to inaccuracy is unacceptable and we do our best to rectify anything like that. ... We have a vested interest in supplying accurate information to our customers. That's our product."

Four House members — Reps. Richard H. Lehman, D-Calif.; Matthew J. Rinaldo, R-N.J.; Charles E. Schumer, D-N.Y., and Clay E. Shaw Jr., R-Fla. — have proposed legislation to update the Fair Credit Reporting Act of 1970.

Among their proposals are providing consumers with a free copy of their credit report on request, requiring prompt correction of errors, requiring credit bureaus to notify consumers after adverse information is placed on their record and prohibiting the release of information for marketing lists unless consumers consent.

Several members of the consumer affairs subcommittee cautioned against cracking down too hard.



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Cutting edge

A pocket knife with 314 different blades and instruments was presented to the public in St. Gallen, Switzerland, earlier this week. The inventor and his employees worked 750 hours to finish this new entrant in the Guiness Book of World Records. The pocket knife, which weighs close to 11 pounds, contains everything from a normal blade to a potato peeler.

Jobless claims drop 3rd straight week

WASHINGTON (AP) — The number of Americans filing new claims for unemployment benefits fell for the third straight week in May, the first such streak of improvements in more than a year, the government said Thursday.

"It suggests that the new 'R' word is recovery, not recession," said Irwin Kellner, the chief economist at Manufacturers Hanover Trust.

"Evidence that the recession is ending is piling up and this adds another block to it," added Robert Dederick of the Northern Trust Co. of Chicago.

The Labor Department said 439,000 people filed first-time unemployment claims for the week ending May 25, down 6,000 from the previous week's 445,000.

In the previous two weeks, there were combined declines of 14,000, the agency said. It was the first time new claims for unemployment benefits had fallen three weeks in a row since March 1990, the department said.

Despite the bright news on jobless claims, analysts still think it's likely that the nation's unemployment rate for May rose.

The May unemployment report comes out Friday from the Labor Department. In advance of the report, many analysts predict the rate rose to 6.7 percent or 6.8 percent, up from April's 6.6 percent.

Unemployment probably rose in May, analysts said, to make up for what was considered a statistical fluke in the April rate, which was down from the March rate of 6.8 percent.

In addition, joblessness can keep rising, even if the recession is ending, because employers tend to be leery about rehiring workers until a recovery is well underway.

Earlier this week, Federal Reserve Chairman Alan Greenspan asserted that the recovery appears to have begun. Although cautioning that the economy is not yet "clearly in an upswing," Greenspan said that the "probability of a stronger-than-expected recovery is rising slightly."

Greenspan, in Japan for the International Monetary Conference, noted that there have been a number of strong economic reports in the last two weeks. Among them were signs that auto sales have picked up and that factory orders are on the rise.

INVESTORS' GUIDE

Investment risk lower with mutual funds

By Bill Doyle

Q. I am a retired person and I am thinking of purchasing shares of a mutual fund which invests primarily in stocks of utility companies. If I remember correctly, this should be a fairly safe investment. Also, I think it should provide a reasonable return. What is your opinion on this?



Doyle

A. It's the same as yours, if the words "fairly safe" are changed to "not very risky." Most utility stocks are ounted as fairly conservative investments, but they do have some risk attached. You have to face the basic fact that there is risk in all stocks.

The same thing can be said about mutual funds holding utility stocks. However, the risk is diminished through diversification, because a mutual fund holds many different stocks. That's the old, "Don't put all your eggs in one basket" theory.

Lipper Analytical Services tracks 20 such utility funds. The dividend yield on those 20 currently is 5.4 percent. Total return — gain in share value, assuming dividends are reinvested to buy more shares — was 5.1 percent in this year's first quarter and 10.31 percent in the 12 months ended March 31.

A utility mutual fund is a sensible place for a retiree to invest part of his or her nest egg. Just don't put too many of your investment eggs in one fund.

Q. How is a price-earnings ratio calculated? What is a good price-earnings ratio? Can it be figured on a mutual fund?

A. The price-earnings ratio — "PE," for short — is arrived at by dividing the market price of a common stock by that stock's earning per share over the latest 12-month reporting period.

Let's say XYZ Corp. reported earnings of $3 per share for the 12 months ended April 30. Let's also say XYZ stock is trading at $30 per share. XYZ's PE is 10, or 10-to-one. Expressed another way, XYZ is selling at 10 times earnings.

There's no sure answer to your second query. PE's rise when stock prices go up and fall when stock prices decline. As I write this, the average PE on the 30 stocks used to compile the Dow Jones Industrial average is 19, it's 17.84 on the 500 stocks in the Standard & Poor's Index.

Mutual fund shares do not have direct PEs. Fund managements often calculate the average PEs of stocks the funds hold and make mention of it in reports to fund shareholders.

Q. I would like to invest about $10,000 in a mutual fund holding federal government securities and paying tax-free income. What is your advice?

A. That you give up any and all hopes of doing that. It cannot be done, because there is no such mutual fund.

Mutual funds holding municipal bonds — issued by states and their political subdivisions — pay tax-free dividends. Those funds collect tax-free interest from the bonds and pass that money along to shareholders.

But federal government securities — U.S. Treasury bonds, notes and bills and debt securities issued by federal agencies — pay taxable interest. So, dividends paid by mutual funds holding federal government securities are fully taxable.

Q. Is there any place I can obtain the addresses of companies dealing in money market accounts?

A. The term "money market" encompasses many things, from savings accounts, through U.S. Treasury bills and on to very complicated securities. Any interest-paying security with a maturity of one year or less is considered a money market instrument.

I suspect you're thinking about money market mutual funds, an increasingly popular method of investing already totaling more than $450 billion.

You can get detailed information about those funds from financial manuals in most public libraries. The Wiesenberger Investment Company Service tome is considered the "bible" of the mutual fund business.

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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE



ANALYSIS

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market remained on the defensive Thursday as traders assessed the outlook for interest rates and the economy.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials fell 10.51 to 2,994.86, extending its loss over the past three sessions to 40.47 points.

Declining issues outnumbered advances by about 9 to 7 in nationwide trading of New York Stock Exchange-listed stocks, with 673 up, 870 down and 508 unchanged.

Volume on the floor of the Big Board came to 168.26 million shares, down from 186.56 million in the previous session. Nationwide, consolidated volume in NYSE-listed issues, including trades in those stocks on regional exchanges and in the over-the-counter market, totaled 204.55 million shares.

Bond-market interest rates rose Thursday, extending a recent advance that has accompanied signs of a budding recovery from the recession.

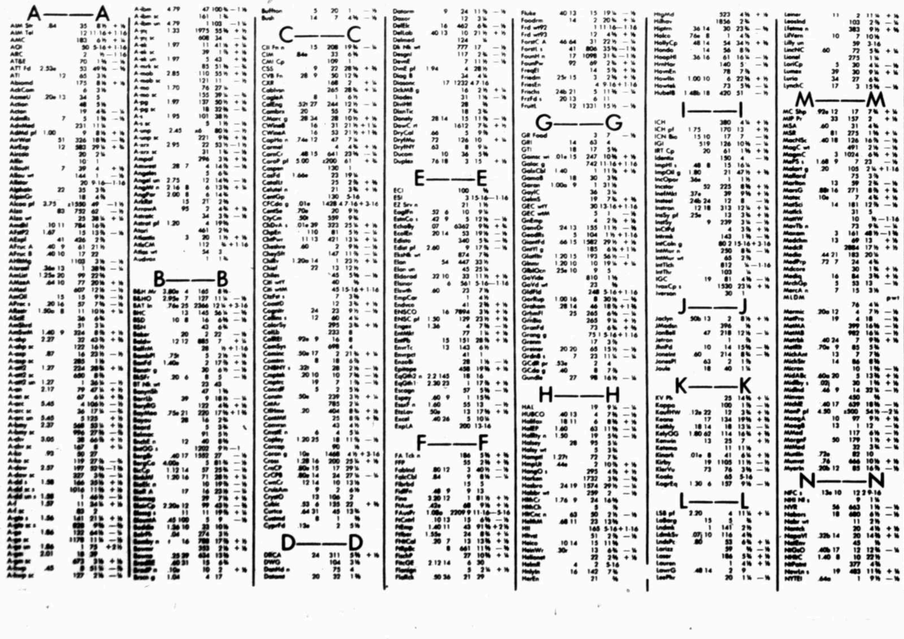
Prices of long-term Treasury bonds fell about $4 for each $1,000 in face value, increasing their yields to the 8.42 percent-8.46 percent range.

Analysts say the economic news of late has appeared to bode well for growth and some improvment in corporate profits.

But many traders are apparently questioning whether rising long-term interest rates might not act as a drag on the progress of the recovery, and dampen demand for stocks.

This debate is expected to continue Friday morning as the Labor Department issues its monthly report on employment.

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UPS AND DOWNS

NEW YORK (AP) — The following list shows stocks most widely traded and which gained or lost the most and shows the percentage gains and losses of changes on the New York Stock Exchange for securities trading below $1 or 100 shares included.

The list and percentage changes are based on the latest available prices and do not include odd lots or bid prices

UPS

Name	Last	Ch
1 Hmngbrd	1¾	+ ¼
2 Fruehauf	1¾	+ ¼
3 AdtysTc	3⅜	+ ⅛

DOWNS

Name	Last	Ch
1 Homestkfd	2⅜	— ⅛
2 Supermkt	1⅝	— ⅛
3 Alex	1⅜	— ⅛

MUTUA

AAL Mutual:
CalGr p 12.72 13.36 -.06
Incp p 8.70 9.13 -.01
Mutlnd p 10.10 10.60 -.01

AARP Invest:
CalGr 28.11 NL -.3
GthInc 15.27 NL -.03
GthInc 26.58 NL -.04
HiQ Bd 15.08 NL -.04
TxFrbd 14.87 NL -.05
TxFSh 15.23 NL -.01

ABT Funds:
Emrg p 9.96 10.48 -.09
FLTR 10.70 10.70 -.01
Gthin p 9.72 10.20 -.04
Utilinc p 10.46 10.98 -.05
AdvCsh 19.61 20.22 ---

AEGON USA:
Capapc 9.48 10.16 ---
ISTrE 7.98 8.56 -.01
GvtIA 10.78 11.32 -.07
AFA Hiv 10.78 11.32 -.07
AHA Tax 13.27 13.93 -.05
AHA Bal 11.27 NL -.05
AHA Usl 10.51 11.03 -.07

AIM Funds:
Const p 10.31 10.91 -.07
CVYld p 11.51 12.08 -.06
MTHId p 9.12 9.57 -.04
Limit p 9.92 10.10 ---
Summit 9.12 --- -.04
Weing p 14.79 15.65 -.08

A M A Family:
ChiGr p 8.19 8.60 -.04
GBIDs p 10.26 10.77 -.06
GBIIn p 10.56 19.49 -.03
USGvt p 8.41 8.84 -.01

AMEV Funds:
CapAp p 12.49 13.10 -.11
CapGr p 15.77 16.54 -.13
CaGrp p 14.77 17.30 -.16
Fdinc p 10.26 10.76 -.08
GvTrp p 8.90 9.33 -.01
GvtInc p 8.90 9.33 -.01
NYMp p 7.13 7.49 ---
NY Int p 9.86 10.34 -.01
TF Ntd 9.99 10.46 -.02
TF Int 10.27 10.77 -.01
US Gvt 9.64 10.09 -.02

AMP Funds:
Cp Bd 9.25 NL ---
IntGr 10.48 NL -.02
MuHi p 10.48 10.97 -.02
ASG Ex 12.87 13.27 -.04
Accmul 42.08 43.68 -.13
Ahuvn 17.02 NL -.22

Advanced Asset Mgmt:
Eqtic 9.90 10.39 -.05
Tr Inp 9.90 10.39 -.05
US Gv p 9.30 9.66 -.01

Advest Inc:
Govt p 8.48 8.48 -.02
GvtSp p 14.95 14.95 -.09
Incp p 8.98 9.42 -.02
Incp p 10.90 10.90 -.04
Incp p 10.90 10.90 -.04
AlphSGr 19.21 19.21 -.30
AlphGT p 17.77 18.71 -.27

Alliance Cap:
Alln p 12.47 13.20 -.05
Const p 12.47 13.20 -.05
Const p 18.34 19.41 -.07
GlbSA ---

Amer Adv Mgmt:
Govt p 8.01 8.41 -.02
Grwth p 6.49 6.81 -.02
NYM p 5.17 5.43 -.01
NYTax p 6.47 6.79 -.02
RCafT p 12.47 13.09 -.02
Ultra p 12.47 13.09 -.02
Usinfo p 11.23 11.79 -.03
Valu p 9.86 10.35 -.04
Abbv 2.01 2.01 ---
AMAS A 9.79 10.29 -.02
Cnvtc 9.76 10.22 -.02
Gthin 9.73 10.21 -.02
Hlthc 9.73 10.21 -.02
Optinc 9.05 9.50 -.02
Prcmp 9.96 10.46 -.02
ST Mstr 9.99 10.20 -.01
ST Mstr 9.99 10.20 -.01
Tech p 25.08 26.54 -.10
Wldwc 10.02 10.41 ---
AlphCp 10.02 10.41 ---

Atlantic Funds:
Gvtinc 10.10 10.52 -.02
Grwth 13.88 14.46 -.01
Inco 10.13 10.57 -.02
Intl 9.93 10.34 ---
Intl 9.98 NL -.01

Amer Capital:
CapGr 16.37 18.11 -.06
Comstk 16.37 18.11 -.06
Emrgg p 8.36 19.67 -.07
Enrgy p 8.36 19.67 -.07
Exchfd p 4.47 4.74 -.02
Fdmtl p 4.47 4.74 -.02
Fdmtl p 31 --- -.31
Gvtinc p 9.72 13.46 ---
GvSec p 10.18 10.69 -.02
Grwth p 11.68 12.37 -.05
Grwth p 11.68 12.37 -.05
HiYld p 5.43 5.75 -.02
HiYld p 5.43 5.75 -.02
Incom p 12.97 13.76 -.04
Incom p 12.97 13.76 -.04
TRYld p 10.94 11.49 -.01
TxExH p 10.94 11.49 -.01
Utlinc p 9.99 10.49 -.03

American Funds:
A Bal p 11.42 12.12 -.02
A Inc p 20.74 22.01 -.08
A Inv p 20.74 22.01 -.08
CapWg p 28.10 29.81 -.10
Fdinv p 25.07 26.60 -.09
Gwth p 31.30 33.21 -.11
Incom p 13.24 14.05 -.02
Govt p 13.24 14.01 -.02
Hi Yld p 13.12 13.77 +.01
Hi Tr p 13.12 13.77 +.01
Incom p 13.30 14.17 -.02
ICA p 16.48 17.49 -.11
N Pers p 11.47 12.17 -.09
Tax Ex p 11.14 11.79 -.02
TxEx p 11.14 11.79 -.02
TEInc p 14.27 14.98 ---
TEInt p 13.58 14.26 -.01
WA p 15.45 16.39 -.02
WshMu p 13.58 14.40 -.02
A Hyinc 1.13 NL ---
A Inco 6.18 6.51 +.01
A Inv p 6.18 6.51 +.01

Amer Natl Funds:
Bal p 21.66 23.07 -.01
Incm p 13.58 14.46 -.01

Am Perform:
Bond 10.34 10.77 -.01
Eqty 11.38 12.06 -.01
Gvt 10.38 10.71 -.04
A Allnc 8.37 8.54 +.01
A Gth Op 22.66 24.03 -.08
Amcap 8.45 8.71 -.02
Andy 12.88 NL -.02
Andy 12.88 NL -.02

Aquila Funds:
AZ Tf 9.68 10.39 -.03
CO Tf 9.68 10.39 -.03
Ltd Tf 10.08 10.50 -.03
NY Tf 10.08 10.50 -.03
OH Tf 9.68 10.39 -.03
ArchCap 12.99 13.55 -.04
Bdinc 10.18 NL -.02
Bdinc 10.18 NL -.02
Cashinc 10.18 NL ---
Cashinc 10.18 NL ---
EqIncm 10.81 NL -.02
EqIncm 15.43 NL -.02

Babson Group:
Bond 1.34 NL ---
Enter 13.74 NL +.04
Gwth 11.67 NL -.02
Shsec 9.36 NL +.01
Shtbnd 9.36 NL +.01
UMid Sv 14.80 NL -.01
UMid Sv 14.80 NL -.01
Value 20.10 NL -.04
Value 20.10 NL -.04

Bartlett Funds:
Bond 13.00 NL ---
Cptl 22.07 22.07 -.08
Fdvalu 33.60 NL -.08
Rsfdfd 11.12 NL ---

Bonham Funds:
Cashfd 10.00 NL ---
Corbnd 9.39 NL ---
Corbnd 9.39 NL ---
Corbnd 10.40 NL ---
Corbnd 10.40 NL ---
Gnbnd 8.70 NL +.01
Gnbnd 8.70 NL +.01
Grwth 10.06 NL ---
Grwth 10.06 NL ---
Muhi 12.82 NL ---
Muhi 12.82 NL ---
Muhi 11.46 NL ---
Muhi 11.46 NL ---

Bonchard Funds:
Prefin p 7.68 8.07 +.01
STG 1.93 1.93 ---
Strtg p 9.77 9.77 ---

Boston Co:
Calvp p 11.81 NL ---
Calvp p 11.81 NL ---
Calvp p 11.81 NL ---

MARKET PERFORMANCE

Ups & Downs

UPS AND DOWNS
NEW YORK (AP) — The following list shows the Over-the-Counter stocks and warrants that have gone up the most and down the most based on percent of change for Thursday.
No securities trading below $1 or 1000 shares are included.
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UPS

Name	Last	Chg	Pct.
1 Invregine	2⅛	+ ⅛	Up 41.7
2 MedImune	16⅛	+ 4⅛	Up 40.4
3 ArbyhTc	5⅛	+ 1⅛	Up 34.4

DOWNS

Name	Last	Chg	Pct.
1 HomeshMid	2½	— 1½	Off 37.5
2 Supermkt	1⅛	— ⅛	Off 28.6
3 Alltel	1⅛	— ⅛	Off 25.0

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UPS

Name	Last	Chg	Pct.
1SunshMn	1⅛ +	⅛ Up	30.0
2 CanalCap pf	1¼ +	¼ Up	25.0
3 CrossleSv pfA	1¼ +	¼ Up	25.0

DOWNS

Name	Last	Chg	Pct.
1 StarlOptcl	1⅛ —	⅛ Off	29.4
2 CF Income	1⅛ —	⅛ Off	20.0
3 BrookeOp rt	2⅛ —	⅛ Off	10.5

UPS AND DOWNS
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Net and percentage changes are the difference between the previous closing price and today's 5:30 p.m. price.

UPS

Name	Last	Chg	Pct.
1 PW cav. part	2	+ ⅛	Up 23.1
2 Semtech	3⅜	+ ⅛	Up 22.7
3 GntYellow g	6⅛	+ 1⅛	Up 22.5

DOWNS

Name	Last	Chg	Pct.
1 HarkenEngy	3⅜	— ⅛	Off 15.6
2 DesignInd	2⅜	— ⅛	Off 15.4
3 AlloutRt wt	1	— ⅛	Off 11.1

COMMODITIES

Petroleum

CRUDE OIL
1,000 bbl.; dollars per bbl.

	Open	High	Low	Settle	Chg
Jul	20.32	20.39	20.05	20.33	— 14
Aug	20.40	20.49	20.18	20.42	— 16
Sep	20.59	20.62	20.36	20.58	— 12
Oct	20.65	20.69	20.50	20.70	— 08
Nov	20.75	20.80	20.60	20.78	— 06
Dec	20.80	20.84	20.63	20.83	— 06
Jan	20.80	20.80	20.60	20.76	— 05
Feb	20.64	20.67	20.53	20.70	— 04
Mar	20.59	20.61	20.52	20.65	— 04

Est. sales 99,277. Wed.'s sales 91,293.
Wed.'s open int 279,482, up 6,567.

UNLEADED GASOLINE
42,000 gal; cents per gal

Jul	64.00	64.60	63.60	64.44	+ 32
Aug	62.75	63.10	62.25	63.05	+ 20
Sep	61.45	61.50	60.80	61.49	+ 14
Oct	58.80	58.90	58.35	58.75	+ 06
Nov	57.35	57.35	57.10	57.40	+ 10
Dec	56.50	56.50	55.90	56.25	+ 15
Jan	55.75	55.95	55.30	55.60	+ 11
Feb	56.50	56.50	55.85	55.95	+ 16
Mar	57.30	57.90	57.30	57.15	+ 16
Apr				61.05	+ 15

Est. sales 21,055. Wed.'s sales 21,435.
Wed.'s open int 75,274, up 4,135.

NATURAL GAS
10,000 mm british thermal units

Jul	1.310	1.315	1.294	1.297	—.018
Aug	1.330	1.330	1.320	1.322	—.013
Sep	1.330	1.330	1.320	1.320	—.015
Oct	1.417	1.417	1.405	1.409	—.016
Nov	1.700	1.700	1.685	1.690	—.012
Dec	1.950	1.950	1.915	1.921	—.030
Jan	2.050	2.050	2.015	2.021	—.034
Feb	1.800	1.801	1.782	1.785	—.027
Mar	1.550	1.550	1.540	1.545	—.015
Apr	1.440	1.443	1.440	1.440	—.008
May	1.440	1.440	1.440	1.440	—.008
Jun				1.457	—.008

Est. sales 2,402. Wed.'s sales 1,317.
Wed.'s open int 18,011, off 71.

HEATING OIL
42,000 gal; cents per gal

Jul	53.90	54.30	53.60	54.20	— 08
Aug	55.00	55.10	54.60	54.99	— 26
Sep	56.40	56.60	56.20	56.49	— 24
Oct	57.50	57.65	57.35	57.59	— 29
Nov	58.60	58.75	58.35	58.62	— 34
Dec	59.60	59.75	59.30	59.54	— 42
Jan	60.00	60.00	59.60	59.84	— 42
Feb	59.25	59.40	58.75	58.94	— 42
Mar	57.40	57.40	56.70	56.79	— 47
Apr	54.95	55.15	54.95	54.94	— 52
May	53.70	54.00	53.70	53.54	— 52

Est. sales 24,096. Wed.'s sales 34,443.
Wed.'s open int 95,493, up 6,032.

MUTUAL FUNDS

AALMutual:
CaGr p 12.72 13.36—.04
Inca p 9.70 10.18—.01
MuBd p 10.10 10.60—.01
AARP Invst:
CaGr 28.72 N.L.—.30
GinsM 15.27 N.L.—.03
GthInc 26.38 N.L.—.13
HQ Bd 15.08 N.L.—.04
TxFBd 16.87 N.L.—.04
TxFSh 15.23 N.L.—.01
ABT Funds:
Emrg p 9.98 10.48—.09
FL TF 10.33 10.85—.02
GthIn p 9.72 10.20—.04
GthMun p 11.92 12.51—.05
AdamCo p 19.61 20.22—.11
AEGON USA:
CapApp 4.11 4.32—.03
HiYld 9.68 10.16
Gwth 6.04 6.34—.05
AFA HAv 10.78 11.32—.07
AFA Tele 15.27 16.03—.18
AHA Bal 11.27 N.L.—.05
AHA Lthl 10.11 N.L.—.01
AIM Funds:
Chart p 7.79 8.24—.02
Const p 10.31 10.91—.07
CvYld p 11.51 12.08—.06
HiYld p 5.12 5.38
LimM p 9.92 10.10
Summ 9.12 —.04
Weing p 14.79 15.65—.08
AIM A Family:
ClasGr p 8.19 8.60
GlbGtr p 22.48 23.60—.05
GlbIn p 18.36 19.49—.03
USGv p 8.61 9.04—.01
AMEV Funds:
AstAl p 12.49 13.08—.04
Capitl p 15.39 16.16—.11
CoAp p 16.77 17.56—.16
Fidel p 24.86 26.03—.18
GvTR p 8.90 9.32+.01
Grwth p 22.35 23.46—.20
HiYld p 7.15 7.49
TF MN 9.80 10.26—.01
TF Nat 9.99 10.46—.02
TF NY 10.57 11.07—.01
US Gvt 9.64 10.09—.02
AMF Funds:
Cp Bd 9.25 N.L.
MtlLiq 10.48 N.L.—.02
MtgSc 10.86 N.L.—.02
ASO Eq 12.87 13.27—.04
AcornF 42.08 42.08+.07
Afuture 12.02 N.L.—.22
Advance America:
Eqinc 9.90 10.39—.05
TF In p 9.83 10.32—.01
US Gv p 9.20 9.66—.01
Advsel Advant:
Govt p 8.48 8.48—.02
Gwth p 14.95 14.95—.09
HY Bd p 7.52 7.52+.02
Inco p 10.90 10.90—.04
Spcl p 13.80 13.80—.05
AlgrSCp t 19.21 19.21—.30
AlgerG t 16.30 16.30—.27
Alliance Cap:
Alian p 6.33 6.70—.06
Balan p 12.47 13.20—.05
Comst p 6.07 6.42—.02
Count p 18.34 19.41—.07
GlbSA p
Govt p 8.01 8.41—.02
Grinc p 2.49 2.63—.01
HiYld p 5.17 5.43+.01
IntlA p 14.79 15.65—.08
ICalT p 12.47 13.06—.02
InsMu 9.63 10.08—.01
Manin p 11.23 11.79—.03
Mortg p 8.71 9.14—.02
Mtrin 2.01 2.01
MMS A 9.98 10.29—.03
MuCA 9.76 10.22—.02
MuNY 9.06 9.49—.01
NtMu 9.70 10.21—.02
NtSur p 9.06 9.59—.06
QuarA p 20.75 21.96—.04
ST Mtg p 9.89 10.20—.01
ST Mtg t 9.88 9.88—.02
Tech p 25.08 26.54—.30
Wldinc 1.99 1.99
AlpnCA 10.02 10.41
Altura Funds:
Gvtst 10.10 10.52—.02
Grwth 13.85 14.43—.01
Inco 10.15 10.57—.02
TF Inc 9.93 10.34
Amer AAdvant:
Balan 11.04 N.L.—.04
Equity 11.80 N.L.—.06
LtdTr 9.88 N.L.—.01
Amer Capital:
Cmath 16.57 18.11—.06
CpBd p 6.47 6.79—.01
EmGr p 18.56 19.69—.07
Entrp p 13.00 13.79—.07
Eqinc p 4.47 4.74—.02
Exch 92.98 —.31
Hilnc p 12.92 13.46
GvSc p 10.18 10.69—.02
GvTI97 10.31 10.63—.02
Grinc p 11.66 12.37—.05
Harbr p 14.03 14.89—.01
HiYld p 5.43 5.70+.02
MunB p 18.92 19.86—.03
Pace p 12.97 13.76—.06
TEHY p 10.39 11.23—.01
TxE I p 10.94 11.40—.01
AExpEV 12.97 13.23—.04
American Funds:
A Bal p 11.42 12.12—.03
Amcp p 11.94 12.67—.10
AMutl p 20.74 22.01—.08
Bond p 12.82 13.46—.02
Capitl p 28.10 29.81—.10
CapW p 15.14 15.90—.05
Eupac p 18.37 19.31—.13
FdInv p 16.78 17.80—.11
Govt p 13.34 14.01—.03
Gwth p 22.02 23.36—.27
HI Tr p 13.12 13.77+.01
Inco p 12.59 13.36—.02
IntBd p 13.50 14.17—.02
ICA p 16.48 17.49—.11
NEco p 22.30 23.87—.26
N Per p 17.47 18.22—.09
SmCp p 17.17 18.22—.07
TxEx p 11.14 11.70—.02
TECA p 14.38 15.10—.04
TEMd p 14.27 14.98
TEVA p 14.66 15.39—.02
Wsh p 15.45 16.39—.05
A GblFd 8.03 8.78—.06
A Herlg 7.13 N.L.
A Invst 6.88 7.52
A Inv In 6.18 6.51+.02
Amer Natl Funds:
Grth 4.64 5.07—.02
Inco 21.66 23.67—.01
Trillex 15.23 16.46—.04
Am Perform:
Bond 10.34 10.77—.02
Equity 11.38 12.06—.01
Mutl 10.38 10.71—.02
A Allnc 8.37 8.54+.01
API Gr fp 12.26 12.26—.04
Amvay 8.45 8.71—.08
Analyt 12.88 N.L.—.02
Amstrg 7.04 N.L.—.03
Aquila Funds:
AZ TF 9.94 10.35—.02
CO TF 9.88 10.29—.02
HI TF 10.88 11.30—.02
KY TF 10.08 10.50—.02
OR TF 9.98 10.40—.01
ArchCap 12.89 13.50—.04
AscPSth 19.97 20.97—.23
AtlasCA 10.18 N.L.—.02
AtlasGv 9.99 N.L.—.03
B&K 10.81 N.L.—.02
BakerGv 15.45 N.L.
Babson Group:
Bond 1.54 N.L.
Enterp 13.74 N.L.+.04
Gwth 11.67 N.L.—.08
Intl 12.13 N.L.—.04
Shadw 9.36 N.L.+.01
TaxFr 8.78 N.L.—.01
UMB St 14.80 N.L.—.03
UMB B 10.98 N.L.—.01
Value 20.10 N.L.—.18
BairdIBf p 16.46 17.46—.09
BairdCa p 20.88 22.15+.02
BaronA r 14.42 14.42—.04
Bartlett Funds:
BasVl 13.00 N.L.—.04
Fixedl 9.61 N.L.—.01
Vl Intl 9.21 N.L.—.01
Bascom 22.07 22.07—.06
Bear Hill 33.68 N.L.—.23
BelAdMd 10.28 N.L.—.02
BelAtEq 11.12 N.L.—.02
Benham Capital:
CatFl 10.85 N.L.—.02
CatFin 9.32 N.L.—.03
CatIM 8.73 N.L.—.01
CalTFI 10.40 N.L.—.02
GNMA 10.19 N.L.—.01
GovInc 8.70 N.L.+.36
NITFI 10.28 N.L.—.02
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Big Brothers/Big Sisters fifth annual Benefit Bachelor Auction will be June 15 at the Petroleum Club. Preview party will be 6 p.m., followed by the auction at 7 p.m.. Becky Neighbors and Skip Baldwin of KMID-TV will be masters of ceremonies.

Tickets are $15 for general admission, which includes hors d'oeuvres and a complimentary drink, and $25 for reserved seats, which includes hors d'oeuvres and a complimentary drink plus a complimentary bottle of champagne per table and a closer view of the runway.

Funds raised will benefit Big Brothers/Big Sisters. For tickets and Bachelor catelogues, call 687-0195...

...**MIDLAND STROKE** Club, an affiliate of the American Heart Association, will meet 7 p.m. Tuesday at Memorial Hospital and Medical Center, Midland Rehabcare Unit. Dr. Gregory Bartha will speak on "Strokes: Causes and Effects." For more information call 685-4952 or 686-1848...

...**ALTRUSA CLUB** of Midland will meet noon Thursday at First United Methodist Church. New officers and committee chairmen will be introduced and the year's projects and programs will be presented. For reservations call 684-5185 or 694-2648...

...**NEIGHBORHOOD SUMMER** Swim League is accepting applications from children, ages 6-15. All interested children and their parents are asked to call 684-7799 for more information...

...**MIDLAND COMMUNITY** Theatre's Pickwick Players will present "Li'l Abner," a musical comedy for the entire family, and Dogpatch Jubilee summer-fun carnival July 11-13 at MCT, 2000 W. Wadley. Carnival begins 11:30 a.m.; "Li'l Abner" begins 1:30 p.m...

...**PETRO-PLAINS COUNCIL** of Camp Fire for Boys and Girls will have its fourth annual Golf Tournament June 14 at Ratliff Ranch in Odessa. Tee times will begin 1 p.m. for this four-person scramble. Awards will be given for top three teams, hole in one, closest to the pin and longest drive. Entry fee is $250 per team or $62.50 per person, and includes cart, range balls, steakfinger dinner and refreshments during play. To enter call 694-7704 or 563-5437 today. Tournament limited to the first 72 players. Proceeds will benefit Petro-Plains Council of Camp Fire Boys and Girls, a non-profit youth organization...

...**GIRL SCOUT** Day Camp will be Monday through June 14 at Girl Scout Program Center. Activities, which will vary according to age level, will include canoeing, horseback riding, cooking out, gourmet cooking, bicycling, singing, playing games and swimming. For more information call 684-6222...

...**MIDLAND HIGH** School Orchestra Booster Club will have a bake sale and cookie decoration event 10 a.m.-3 p.m. June 15 at Wal-Mart...

...**UNITED OSTOMY** Association Midland-Odessa Chapter #590 will meet 2:30 p.m. June 16 at Midland Memorial Hospital Auditorium...

...**CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT** of Midland County Public Library will present free movies 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. Wednesday. Barbara Sumners of the American Red Cross will present a program on water safety rules 10 a.m. June 14. For more information about all Camp Wanna-Read programs call 683-2708...

...**DELLWOOD SENIOR** Citizens Center will host its Golden Wedding Anniversary Celebration 1 p.m. Wednesday at the center, located in Dellwood Mall. All couples who have been married 50 years or more will be honored. Widowed golden wedding persons will be recognized. For reservations call 699-5023...

...**BAKE SALE** and car wash fund-raiser to help send Midland High School's Golden Girls to drill team school at Southern Methodist University, will be 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday at Wal-Mart...

Parents help their children learn to make best decisions

By Lawrence Kutner
N.Y. Times News Service

One of the most difficult tasks of childhood is to learn how to resist social pressure.

The challenges come from many directions and are faced by children of all ages: a dare to shoplift a pack of baseball cards, an invitation to use an illegal drug, a demand for sexual intimacy, an offer to join a gang.

Resisting such pressure is more complex than it appears. It requires that children think about the possible consequences of their behavior and that they feel strong enough to risk rejection.

It also requires a sense of empathy for the person applying the pressure, and the ability and self-confidence to propose different behavior.

"It's clear that children need to learn refusal skills, just as they need to learn how to tie their shoes," said Andrew Halper, a senior scientist in the pediatrics department at the University of Minnesota who has developed drug-abuse prevention programs for schools and community groups.

These programs help children learn how to make informed choices by looking for alternatives and trying to figure out the benefits and problems of each choice.

While adults may focus on the long-term health effects of cigarette smoking, for example, children tend to focus on the short-term benefits.

A teen-age girl may so strongly believe that smoking will help her stay thin while she is in high school that she will pay little attention to warnings about a higher risk of cancer.

But she may be more concerned by the fact that smoking will give her bad breath and increase the wrinkles in her face, two relatively minor health concerns that address her immediate goal of physical attractiveness.

Researchers who have studied how children respond to social pressures of all types have found that some are more likely than others to cave in. At particular risk are children who feel few emotional ties to their families.

"If a child is lonely and isolated, and a group comes along that offers membership and a sense of affiliation, the child may welcome that, even if it's a gang or a cult," said Dr. Norman G. Hoffmann, the executive director of the Chemical Abuse/Addiction Treatment Outcome Registry in St. Paul and an assistant professor of psychiatry at the University of Minnesota.

A child whose parents are domineering is also at risk for being manipulated, even though the parents often think such behavior inoculates the child.

"If your child does only what he's told by his parents, he's prepared later to listen to and not to question other authority figures," said Dr. Philip C. Kendall, the head of the clinical psychology division at Temple University.

"If he has practice making his own decisions, then he's prepared to keep making his own decisions," Kendall added. "Children who have experience making choices that are not crucial feel more confident with more difficult decisions later on."

Learning how to respond to social pressure is a skill that is separate from moral values and personal philosophies. Like other skills, it is sharpened more through coaching and practice than through dogma.

"Telling a child, 'Just say no!' or explaining the reasons why a child shouldn't do something simply doesn't go far enough," said Dr. Alan Marlatt, a professor of psychology and the director of the Addictive Behaviors Research Center at the University of Washington in Seattle.

Such simplistic approaches ignore the social pressure felt by children and do not give them a way of maintaining relationships while refusing to give in.

A child who can respond to a friend's invitation to get drunk or high with a simple counteroffer to go to a movie or split a pizza is more likely not only to avoid problems with drugs and alcohol but also to maintain the friendship, perhaps helping the friend as well.

"Simply saying no is seldom enough to get you out of a situation," said Halper of the University of Minnesota, "especially if you're being pressured by a friend or someone you would like to be a friend."

For children, resisting peer pressure can take practice

N.Y. Times News Service

Here are some ways that parents can help their children learn to resist social pressures:

■ Talk about the decisions you make as an adult and the ones you made as a child. Think through some of those decisions out loud, evaluating the short-term and long-term pros and cons. Help your child see how you weighed the alternatives.

"Weave these discussions in and out of your daily conversations with your children instead of making them formal, sit-down talks," said Andrew Halper, a senior scientist in the pediatrics department at the University of Minnesota.

■ Give children practice in making decisions. This can be as simple as choosing which cereal to eat for breakfast, what clothes to wear to school and which baseball cards to trade. The process of making a decision and being responsible for its outcome is much more important than the choice itself.

"Talk to your children about how they made specific, ordinary decisions," said Dr. Philip C. Kendall, the head of the clinical psychology division at Temple University. "This shouldn't be an inquisition or criticism. It's a way of helping the child get better at thinking through alternatives."

■ Do some role-playing with a group of children and perhaps their parents. Act out some skits with your children that involve real-life situations in which they have to make a choice. What should you do if someone dares you to ride on the back bumper of a bus? What if you haven't finished your homework and someone you really like asks you to go to the movies? What if someone offers you a drink or some drugs at a party? Does it matter if it's a stranger or a friend? What if a boy says he'll spread rumors about you at school if you don't have sex with him?

Have the children try solving these problems in different ways to see what the responses might be. "Then they can talk about whether their responses sound phony or effective," said Dr. Alan Marlatt, a professor of psychology and the director of the Addictive Behaviors Research Center at the University of Washington in Seattle. "The more children you can get involved in these practice and discussion sessions, the better."

Although young children feel comfortable doing this at home, teen-agers often prefer to try role-playing at school or at a community center, and with adults other than their parents.

■ Expect children to make some bad decisions. Mistakes do not mean that you or your child has failed. " 'Just say no' implies that if you do say yes, even once, you're a bad person," Marlatt said. "But most of the children who say yes once or twice to alcohol or drugs don't go on to have major problems. It can be normal experimentation."

Kendall said that he had heard parents label their teen-ager a drunk for coming home once or twice with beer on his breath. "That's not only untrue," he said, "but it may create the problem they're trying to prevent."

Wedding chapel coverage difficult assignment for bachelor reporter

By Jason Akst

AMARILLO (AP) — I've handled tough assignments before, but this one really had my palms sweating and my nerves jangling. For I was entering an alien world, an environment that challenged my view of reality and forced me to summon both my courage and my journalistic objectivity.

I am an affirmed bachelor, and I was assigned to write a story on ... The Wedding Chapel.

I tiptoed into the Amarillo facility and met its owner, Brenda Flowers. I think she sensed my nervousness: perhaps it was my right eyelid twitching uncontrollably.

She fixed me a cup of coffee, which was very tasty but didn't help my nerves much, and quietly explained how her fledgling business serves those about to embark on total doom, er, lifelong bliss.

In all seriousness, though, Ms. Flowers did make me appreciate the true value of The Wedding Chapel. While The Wedding Chapel doesn't provide the counseling I probably need, it is a service that eliminates most of the hassle, stress and cost associated with weddings.

Ms. Flowers explained that her operation provides everything for a wedding and reception except clothing and photographers. Except for a part-time assistant, The Wedding Chapel is a one-person operation.

At reasonable rates, brides and bridegrooms-to-be are provided the chapel itself, the cake complete with lighted fountain, invitations, personalized napkins, candles, fancy lighters to light the candles, music, a minister, flower-girl baskets, ring-bearer pillows, a guest book, blue garters, toasting glasses — the works.

Ms. Flowers offers three basic packages: a wedding only and no reception, a wedding with as many as 50 people and a reception, and a wedding with as many as 100 people and a reception. Prices go from $150 to $500, plus tax. She handles all preparations and clean-up work.

Receptions offer punch and a place for guests to mingle while pictures are shot. Ms. Flowers said she also offers a non-alcoholic champagne and could probably arrange for a licensed person to serve alcoholic champagne, but prefers not to.

All ministers or justices of the peace she works with are licensed to perform weddings.

Best of all, I felt, Ms. Flowers strives to prevent a wedding from seeming commercialized.

"I am able to give each of my brides and grooms my own special attention," she said. "Obviously I do have to advertise, but ... it's really kind of strange. I get really attached to each of these brides and grooms, almost like they were my own children."

Flexibility is another strong point of the service. Ms. Flowers said at one point, a client called at 10 a.m. and wanted a wedding and reception for 100 people at 7:30 that same evening. It was accomplished. A week is usually required to arrange the ceremony, but the wedding can be planned in about an hour.

So far, she has booked or performed seven weddings since April. The business opened last December under different ownership. Most ceremonies have been traditional, but some have requested country and western music.

Some western grooms have worn black jeans and tuxedo jackets. One bride in an elegant white gown carried a beautiful rose bouquet — in her fiance's cowboy hat.

Ms. Flowers said she's had no truly bizarre requests yet, but expects it's only a matter of time. Whatever the request, Ms. Flowers said she always tells clients to do what they want.

"I always stress, 'It's not what your parents want, it's not what your friends think you ought to have. It's your day. It's your wedding, something that you're going to remember for the rest of your life. Do it like you want to.' "

Everybody from construction workers to doctors have inquired about services, Ms. Flowers said. Clients have ranged in age and marital status from teen-agers to those entering a second marriage to those in their 70s.

DEAR ABBY

Victim's silence allows rapist to go unpunished

Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I worked in a large office building. Each day my husband would drop me off in the morning and pick me up after work.


Van Buren

One day I took my break a little later than usual and went to the restroom down the hall from the office where I worked.

As I entered the restroom, I was grabbed from behind by a man who told me if I screamed or struggled, he would strangle me. Right there in the restroom that man raped me! I didn't know who he was because he wore a ski mask. After he finished, he said if I told anyone, he would hurt my 2-year-old son. Abby, he even told me the cross streets where my son was in day care!

I was so frightened, I told no one, not even my husband. For six weeks I found excuses not to go to work. When I finally told my husband, who had known something was wrong but had no idea what it was, he was so angry, he kicked a two-foot hole in our wall!

Since then, I have made a police report, but because so much time had gone by — and all the evidence had been destroyed — there is little hope of catching him.

I have contacted the Rape Crisis Center, moved my son to another day-care center and have filed for workman's compensation. I am also seeing a psychologist to help me deal with the mixed-up emotions I am feeling.

I want to tell other women that if something like this ever happens to them, to report it immediately! Hiding it was the worst mistake I could have ever made. Now they may never catch the creep who did this to me. — SCARED AND STUPID

DEAR SCARED: Thanks for giving me this opportunity to tell my readers that all rapes should be reported immediately. (For the record: A person is raped when another person forces her (or him) to have sex against that person's will.)

Many victims of rape fail to report the crime because they are ashamed or embarrassed. That's a big mistake. The rapist is then free to rape another victim.

DEAR ABBY: My husband is a very successful businessman. He is also a habitual liar. When we are out socially, and especially on vacations, he tells such outrageous lies that I am embarrassed. He has tripped himself up many times, and vows he will never lie again — but he continues to do so.

It's bad enough that he lies to others, but he also lies to me — usually about insignificant things. I can't understand him. We've been married nearly 25 years, and his lying has become such an issue between us that I nearly left him twice! I love him, but I don't like him because he lies so much. Perhaps if I knew why it is so hard for him to tell the truth, I could cope better. Please help me. — A LIAR'S WIFE

DEAR WIFE: Chronic liars are insecure people who feel the need to appear better or more important than they are. Some merely exaggerate; others fabricate or "embroider" a story to make it more entertaining. Perhaps if your husband felt more comfortable just being himself, he would stick closer to the truth.

DEAR ABBY: When we bought our home up north 30 years ago, this motto was tacked to the frame of the entrance. We thought it was appropriate then, and still is now.

I thought you might want to share it with your readers. — A.M.T. IN FLORIDA

GO TO WORK AND SAVE $$

If you are poor — work.

If you are rich — continue to work.

If you are happy — keep right on working.

Idleness gives you room for doubts and fears.

If disappointments come — work.

If sorrow overwhelms you, and loved ones seem not true — work.

When faith falters and reason fails — just work.

When dreams are shattered and hope seems dead — work.

Work as if your life was in peril. It really is.

Whatever happens or matters — work.

Work faithfully — work with faith.

Work is the greatest material remedy available.

Work will cure both mental and physical afflictions.

— From the "Silent Partner"

DEAR A.M.T.: Thanks for a worthwhile addition to this space. But how about all those people who are willing and eager to work, but cannot find a job?

DEAR ABBY: This letter is for all of those frustrated housewives who wonder if they've gone off their rockers when they find only one sock in the washing machine. You dealt with this problem some time ago by stating that washers and dryers do not eat socks.

Sorry, Abby, but the washer is, in fact, the culprit. I have worked in customer service for General Electric Major Home Appliance Repairs for many years, and we were instructed to tell our customers that the washing action of the water will sometimes push a lighter item, i.e. a sock or washcloth, over the top of the inner tub into the space between the inner and outer tub — and during the pumping cycle it can be washed down the sewer.

I have scheduled hundreds of service calls for socks to be removed from the pump of a washing machine. So, women, take heart, and tell your husbands to go yell at the washer! — NEW ORLEANS WOMAN

DEAR NEW ORLEANS WOMAN: I'm sure that many who have thought they were going crazy after discovering an odd number of socks in their washing machines will appreciate your explanation.

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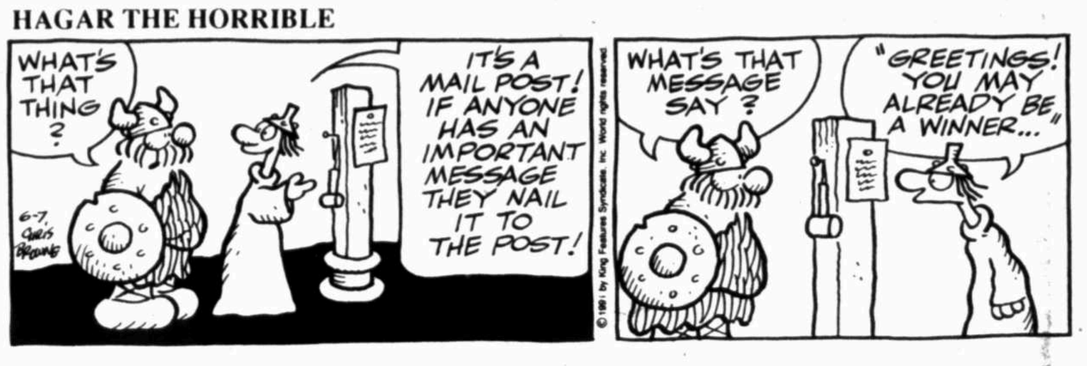
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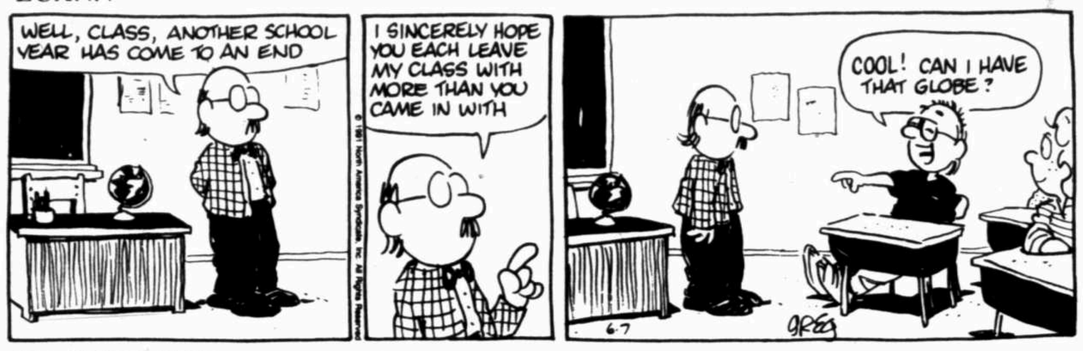
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YOUR HOROSCOPE

By Jeane Dixon

FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 1991

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Slow down a little and you will have a highly productive and profitable year. Domestic matters enjoy especially favorable influences in September. Expect romance to play a major role in the decisions you make around the winter holidays. A positive frame of mind helps you over some rough spots. Travel for business in March and April of 1992. Any money woes will subside by next May.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: rock star Prince, actress Jessica Tandy, singer Tom Jones, poet Gwendolyn Brooks.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Job concerns demand the lion's share of your attention today. Creative self-expression affords you the relaxation you need. A tendency to let work interfere with your personal life puts a damper on romance.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Try to be more flexible when you set priorities. Your sensitivity and compassion are challenged by a difficult situation. Your social life begins to pick up. Focus on making new friends.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): At the office, your authority is noted by influential people. Let go of self-destructive habits and rekindle your spiritual faith. Find a way to control your irritation at minor mistakes. Romance looks terrific!

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Follow your instincts. You need to act more aggressively now, whether or not everyone approves. You may have to lay down some spending rules for a rebellious family member. Be firm but fair.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Offbeat, original ideas will help you move up the ladder of success. An unusual situation could open new doors. Reduce spending on non-essentials. Put more zing in your love life. Take a trip.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): A renewed friendship helps you resolve your differences with a tenant or landlord. Your imagination is working overtime, raising groundless fears. Relax. Romance is on the upswing! Wear your heart on your sleeve.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): You get a bright idea at exactly the right moment today. Try to explain your goals to those who really count. Seeking revenge will get you nothing. Love is in bloom again.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): A selfish attitude will lead to problems where business is concerned. Financial matters require careful handling. Take nothing for granted now. A sense of humor protects you against feelings of insecurity.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Casual acquaintances will bring you good news today. Words said in haste could create a rift between you and a loved one. If you have to discuss family matters, do it privately.

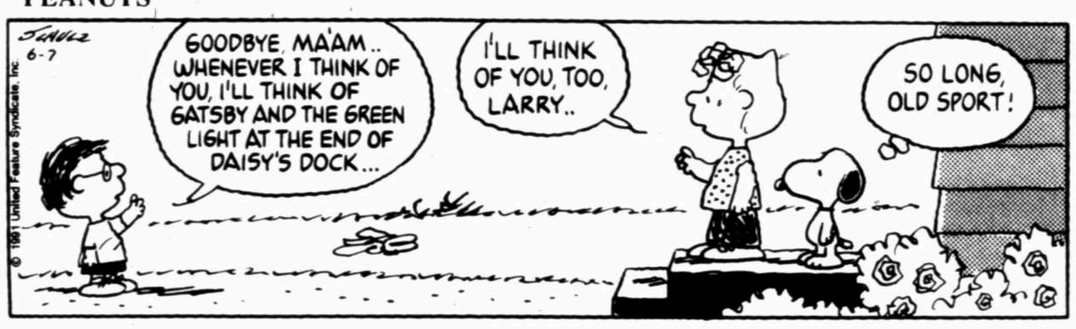
CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Making promises you cannot keep just to please a loved one will backfire. Romance will be best served by your waiting to see what develops. Be more receptive to new ideas.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): You could be a big winner if you play your cards right today. Your friendships and career interests are in the spotlight. An age difference may stand in the way of romance.

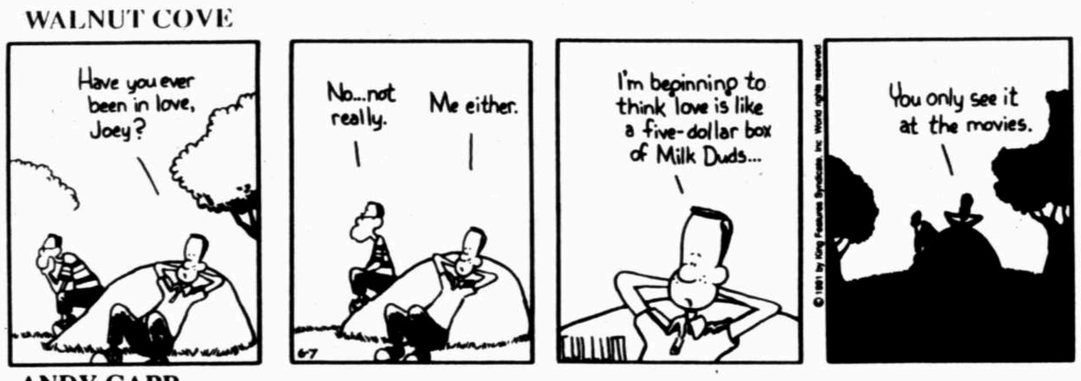
PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): The spotlight is on the arts and other creative activities. A meeting with a member of the opposite sex could trigger an outburst of emotion. Keep a closer eye on your spending.

TODAY'S CHILDREN are so persuasive they can convince anyone of anything! Witty and outgoing, they attract people like a magnet. Wise parents will caution these youngsters about their tendency to make decisions too quickly. Give them challenging outlets for their pent-up energy. They can be very creative. Nobody likes to take shortcuts more than these Geminis do!

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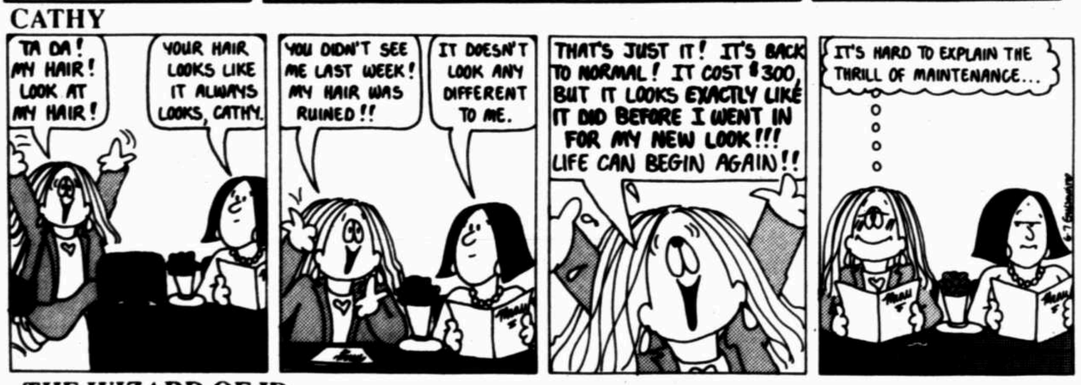
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With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

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♡ A 6 2
◇ A 10 8 4 3
♣ A

WEST
♠ 5
♡ Q 9 7
◇ Q J 9
♣ K Q J 9 6 2

EAST
♠ J 9 8 4
♡ J 10 8 5 4
◇ Void
♣ 8 7 5 3

SOUTH
♠ A K 7 2
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♣ 10 4

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 ◇	3 ♣	4 ♣	5 ♣
Pass	Pass	6 ♣	Pass
6 ◇	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: King of ♣

When you have been alerted by the auction that suits might break badly, even seemingly simple contracts can become rigorous exercises in technique. South had to navigate through the shoals of distribution to bring home 12 tricks on this deal.

East-West took advantage of the vulnerability to preempt vigorously. That tactic was probably counterproductive. Looking only at the North-South hands, a grand slam is a reasonable contract. And with no intervention North-South might reach a spade slam, which had no play as the cards lay. As the bidding developed, North judged well to discount spades as a possible contract and to force the auction to slam in diamonds.

When dummy came down, declarer was ready to claim his contract. All that changed when, after winning the ace of clubs, the ace of diamonds revealed that there was a trump loser. Now the fourth spade posed a possible problem.

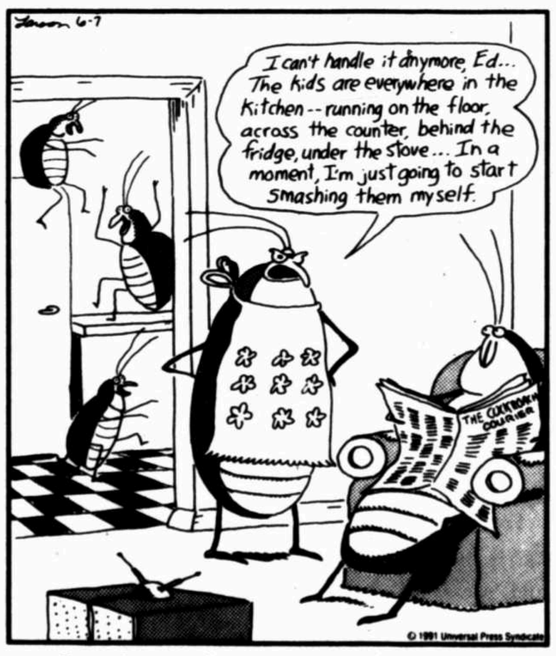
Declarer came to hand with the king of diamonds, cashed the king of spades and continued with a low spade. Since ruffing would not help, West discarded a heart and dummy's queen won. A heart to the king provided the entry for a club ruff, and declarer continued with the ace of hearts and a heart ruff.

West realized that an overruff would be useless—the forced club continuation would give declarer a ruff and sluff. However, discarding a club only postponed the moment of truth. Declarer exited with a trump, and this time there was no escape for West. In with the queen, West was truly snared in the coils of an endplay. On the club return declarer discarded a spade, while ruffing on the table, and was able to claim the rest of the tricks.

There are days like that. East-West did nothing wrong, but probably suffered a large loss because they made life tough for the enemy.

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THE FAR SIDE



Saturday mornings in cockroach households

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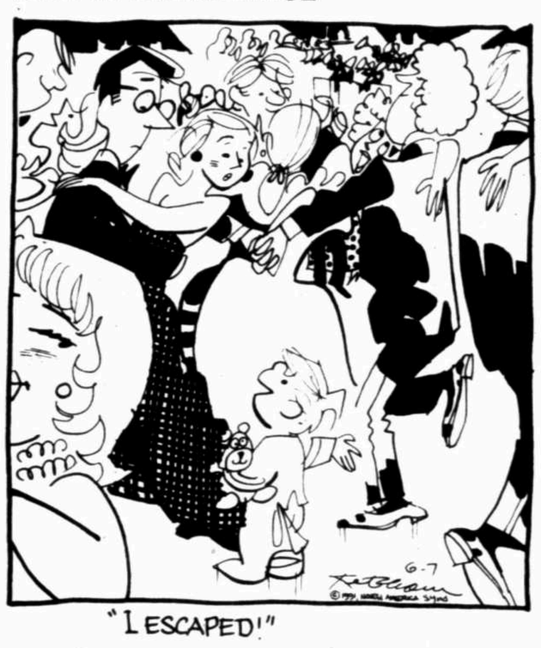


FAMILY CIRCUS



"Guess what! They want me back again in September!"

DENNIS THE MENACE



"I ESCAPED!"

PEOPLE

Jay Leno to replace Carson

NEW YORK — There's something about those "J" names. First there was Jack. Then Johnny. For awhile Joan. Now Jay.

NBC officially announced Thursday comedian **Jay Leno** will take over as host of "The Tonight Show" when **Johnny Carson** retires next year.

Leno had nothing but praise for Carson.

"Johnny's the best at what he does," Leno said. "I don't think we'll ever see the likes of it again. No one will ever hold an audience for 30 years the way Johnny has."

Leno, 41, has been exclusive guest host of "The Tonight Show" for the past three years.

"Leno has proven extremely popular with the late night audience and we are confident that the show will continue its late night dominance for many, many years," said Warren Littlefield, president of NBC Enterprises and executive vice president of NBC Productions.

Carson, whose last show will be May 22, said through an NBC spokesman: "I wish Jay all the success in the world."

Carson took over the helm of the "Tonight Show" in 1962 from **Jack Parr**. **Steve Allen** was the show's original host — from 1954-57.

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SALT LAKE CITY — University of Utah officials have a message for actor-director **Robert Redford**: It's not like the Oscars — you have to be there in person to get an honorary degree.



Redford

Redford informed the university recently he will be directing a film in Montana and unable to attend the June 14 graduation ceremonies.

In early May, the university's board approved Redford and six other honorary-degree recipients. University officials said Wednesday if Redford does not attend, he will not get the degree.

"Unfortunate," Jim Jardine, chairman of the board of trustees, said of situation. "If we had known there was a scheduling problem, we would not have made the announcement and then have to withdraw."

In a letter to President Chase N. Peterson, Redford expressed regret at not being able to attend. As director for the film "A River Runs Through It," he is required to be on the set or the production must be shut down.

"I have tried but it is just impossible to leave cast and crew three days after the start of photography, and impose such a burden on the film's budget and schedule," he wrote.

"I am very grateful to have been chosen by the university to receive an honorary degree. I do not take it lightly. I consider it to be the most important tribute given to me in my 30 years in Utah," the letter said.

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — Country music fans will get a chance to buy jewelry, furniture and other valuables belonging to Grand Ole Opry singer **Dottie West** because she owes more than $1 million to the IRS.

The items will be auctioned June 13 and 14 while 24,000 fans are in town attending the International Country Music Fan Fair. The week-long event features concerts and photo and autograph sessions with top country performers.

West, a former duet partner of **Kenny Rogers**, filed for bankruptcy last year.

U.S. Bankruptcy Trustee John C. McLemore said the auction was timed so that West's fans will have a chance to help her.

"This auction will include everything that Dottie West had except her clothes and her personal pictures," McLemore said. "She's got a $1.5 million debt and a lot of it is still owed to the IRS."

More than 25 large crates of furniture and 450 boxes of other goods to be sold were seized by court officials after they learned in March that the singer had placed china, silver and other items in storage.

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WESTPORT, Conn. — **Paul Newman** welcomed home four bicyclists who traveled cross-country raising money for his camp for seriously ill children.



Newman

The cyclists, all counselors at the Hole In The Wall Gang Camp, rode 11,000 miles through 26 states. They stopped at more than 50 pediatric hematology-oncology centers to entertain patients with a western-style singing act.

"This camp ... seems to breed different kinds of devotion," Newman said Wednesday at a ceremony in Westport, headquarters for his non-profit food company that helped launch the camp in 1988.

"I'm staggered by the level of their devotion to the cause here," said the actor, an Oscar winner for "The Color of Money."

The 300-acre Connecticut camp is free for children ages 7 to 17 suffering from cancer or other life-threatening illnesses.

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LONDON — **Raquel Welch** stole the show at the wedding of her son, **Damon**.

"Hurry, I'm late already," she told photographers waiting outside the church Wednesday. Miss Welch made her entrance 10 minutes late, dressed in black and white.

Damon Welch, 31, and wife Rebecca, 26, eloped last year in Los Angeles. They had a formal ceremony to bless their 14-month-old marriage and to please their parents.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

TODAY'S TV SCHEDULE

FRIDAY JUNE 7, 1991

Programs subject to change without notice

	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 (18) Spanish CABLE 10	WGN Chicago CABLE 11	ESPN Sports CABLE 12	KOCV (36) Odessa CABLE 13	HSE Sports CABLE 20
7:00	Good Morning America	This Morning	Today	Muppets Chipmunks	Dinosaucers Littles	Brady Bunch Jeannie	TV Mujer	Banana Splits Bozo	Nation's Bus. SportsCenter	Body Electric Reading	
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8:00	"	"	"	Menace Flintstones	Flying Nun Hazel	Little House on the Prairie	Festival en Acapulco '91	" Bewitched	Baseball Th'breds	Sesame Street	
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9:00	Sally Jessy Raphael	Designing W. Family Feud	Tennis: French Open	Live -- Regis & Kathie Lee	700 Club	Movie: "In the Custody of	"	Magnum, P.I.	Baseball Mag. Inside PGA	Mister Rogers Reading	
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10:00	Home	Price Is Right	-- Men's Semi-	Highway to Heaven	Sheila Walsh Paid Program	Strangers"	El Lobo	Joan Rivers	Getting Fit Basic Training	3-2-1 Contact Garden	Body by Janis Talk Baseball
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11:00	Hard Copy News	Young and the Restless	"	Jeannie B. Hillbillies	Paid Program Am. Baby	Perry Mason	Simplemente Maria	Geraldo	In Motion Bodyshaping	Strip Quilting Gourmet	Racquetball: AARA Na-
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12:00	All My Children	Paid Program Bold, Bea.	Days of Our Lives	Love Connect. It's a Living	Movie: "Who's Minding the	Movie: "Tales of the Unex-	Cristal	News	Tennis: French Open	MacNeil/ Lehrer	tional Singles Championship
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2:00	General Hospital	Guiding Light	Santa Barbara	700 Club	Father Knows Father Knows	Tom & Jerry's Funhouse	Platavision	Lead-off Man Major League	"	Fire on the Rim	"
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3:00	Geraldo	Oprah Winfrey	Challengers Trump Card	Chip 'n' Dale Peter Pan	Batman C.O.P.S.	Flintstones Addams F.	Natacha	Baseball: Los Angeles Dodg-	College Baseball: NCAA	3-2-1 Contact Mister Rogers	This Week in NASCAR
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6:00	News Wheel-Fortune	News Golden Girls	News Current Affair	Who's Boss? Mama	Big Bro. Jake Man. Mansion	Jeffersons Major League	De Mujeres	Jeannie Night Court	SportsCenter College Base-	MacNeil/ Lehrer	Talk Baseball Pennant
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7:00	Full House Family	Billy Graham Crusade	Hunter	America's Most Wanted	Movie: "Who's Minding the	Baseball: Montreal Expos at	En Carne P. Pobre Diabla	Dugout Major League	ball: NCAA World Series	Wash. Week Wall St. Week	Sports Talk Major League
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	SHOWTIME Mov/Spec CABLE 5	TMC Movies CABLE 17	DISNEY CABLE 18	MAX Movies CABLE 21	HBO Movies/Var CABLE 22	TNN Country CABLE 23	USA Variety CABLE 24	NICK Children CABLE 25	A&E Cultural CABLE 26	KMLM (42) Relig CABLE 31	TNT Turner Net CABLE 37
7:00	Movie: "Project Z" Cont'd	Movie: "Blonde	Donald Duck Pooh Corner	Movie: "Destination	Babar Wizard of Oz		Cartoon Express Cont'd	Insp. Gadget Heathcliff	Survival World Crusade	Greg Laurie Robison	Popeye Hour
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DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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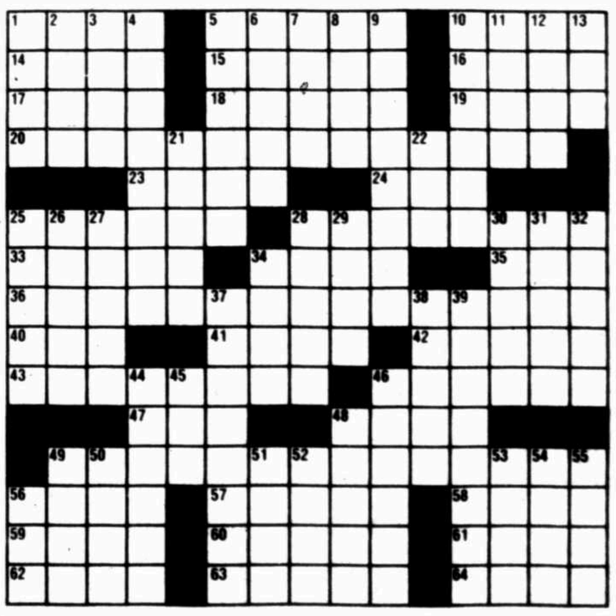
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PRIME TIME

Seniors: Know retirement benefits

DENVER (AP) — Because employment patterns and the corporate landscape have changed in the last 10 years, a company retirement plan is no longer the guarantee of the good life once your working days are over.

Even when most workers spent 30 or more years with one company and built substantial benefits, employees needed to know more about the workings and rewards of their retirement plans than they did, says Jan Walsh, an academic associate at the non-profit College for Financial Planning and retirement planning expert.

Today, in a time of changing tax laws and investment options, having detailed information about your benefit plan is even more important.

"With that information, we can integrate its benefits into the broad picture of Social Security benefits and personal savings that make up an important part of a comprehensive retirement plan," Walsh says.

To assess your company's plan, first determine its type. There are two general types of retirment plans: the defined-benefit plan and the defined-contribution plan.

A defined-benefit plan promises to pay a retirement benefit based on length of service and salary. To estimate benefits, a plan will calculate 1 percent or 2 percent of your average annual compensation as specified in the plan and multiply this by the number of years employed.

For example, with 30 years' service at 2 percent of compensation, you would retire with 60 percent of that figure.

UNDER A defined-benefit program, the company is obligated to pay a stated amount of benefit and so bears all the investment risk. Payments from defined-benefit plans are insured, up to the monthly maximum, by the Pension Benefits Guaranty Corp., to which the employer pays an annual premium for each plan participant.

Growing in popularity are defined-contribution plans, in which the company makes an annual contribution on each employee's behalf to a 401(k), profit-sharing, money purchase, thrift, savings, or employee stock ownership plan. The company defines the contribution, not the final benefit.

In a defined-contribution plan, the risk has shifted to the employees, who may be asked to make investment choices for their retirement plan nest eggs. Just how well these investments perform determines the employee's retirement benefit.

"Every plan will play a different role in your retirement planning decisions," Walsh says.

Walsh advises employees to take time to learn who determines the choice of investment options in a defined-contribution plan, and who manages the investments themselves. That manager may be an employee committee, a financial consultant, or an investment firm. In some cases, the company's principal directs the investments.

TYPES OF contributions vary also, Walsh says. In some plans, contributions are made only by your employer; in others, you make all the payments; and in some, your company matches the funds you contribute. In the case of a 401(k) plan, your contributions are made in pre-tax dollars.

"If your company matches one-half of your contributions, you're making 50 percent on your money immediately," Walsh says. "Whether you can take full advantage of this depends on your financial situation, but if you can, it means you'll receive maximum benefit."

It's important, too, to know the basis of your company's contribution, Walsh says. "Is that 20 percent contribution based on salary only, or does it also include overtime?"

Keep an eye on your plan and its progress, Walsh suggests, even to the point of making sure that the contributions your company promises are shown on your statements, and are directed to the fund or savings vehicle you've selected.

Much of a plan's pertinent information is relayed within a Summary Plan Description, which must be distributed to you within 90 days of your eligibility. Additionally, each year a Summary Annual Report will capsulize the plan's structure, management and other useful information.

Be aware of the different ways companies will present plan data. Many private qualified plans — plans that meet Internal Revenue Service requirements — integrate Social Security benefits into the plan's benefit formula. However, that may confuse participants who think the numbers reflect their retirement plan only.

WHETHER YOUR investment in your contribution plan should be in stocks, for instance, or fixed-income securities isn't a straightforward decision; the mix depends on your goals, your tolerance for risk, and your proximity to retirement age.

"The moment when you're asked to make a choice about investment funds is when you may want to consult a professional financial planner," Walsh says. "He or she can help you make an informed decision that makes sense for your situation."

Other areas to note include:

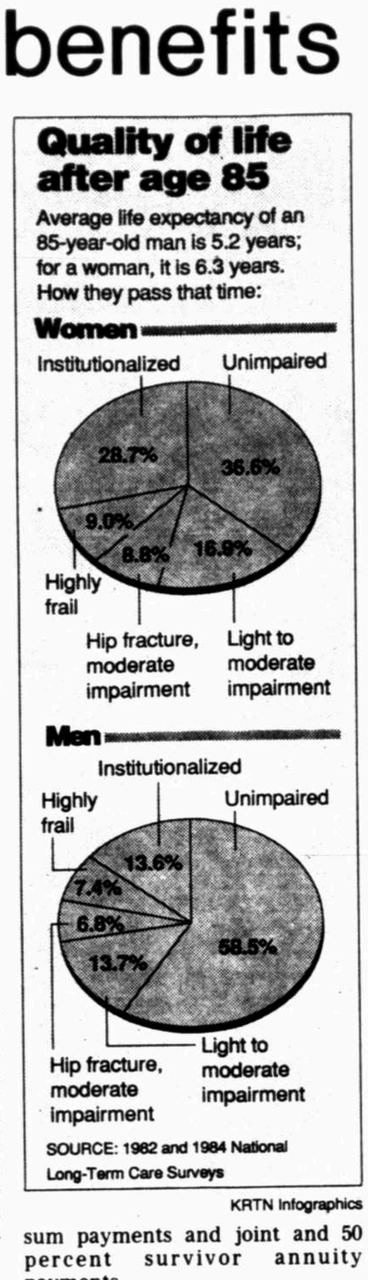
■ Vesting. Companies generally offer either "cliff" vesting, which provides full benefits after five years, or "graded" vesting, which allows employees to claim 20 percent of their benefits after three years, plus 20 percent each year until they are 100 percent vested after seven years. Today's trend toward job-hopping means more workers will finish their careers without reaching 100 percent vesting at any one company.

■ Low-cost loans. Loan provisions within many plans offer unusual flexibility and the ability to borrow at low cost.

■ Disability benefits. Don't forget to factor in your company's disability retirement benefit when you assess your full financial plan.

■ Distribution options. Plans usually offer numerous methods of distribution, including lump-sum payments and joint and 50 percent survivor annuity payments.

"The real goal of financial planning is a successful retirement," Walsh says. "Your company's retirement plan won't fulfill all of your retirement needs, but you should know its provisions and benefits so that you can plan wisely for what you'll need to accomplish outside your company's program."



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PRIME TIME CALENDAR

CASA DE AMIGOS

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

■ Monday: 9 a.m. billiards; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 10 a.m. cooking class; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 12:15 p.m. table games.

■ Tuesday: 9 a.m. billiards; 9:45 a.m. gem and minerals; 10 a.m. sing-a-long; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 12:15 p.m. Can bingo; 1 p.m ceramics.

■ Wednesday: 9 a.m. billiards; 9:30 a.m. walk for fitness; 10 a.m. Advisory Board meets; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 12:15 p.m. Bible study.

■ Thursday: 9 a.m. billiards; 9:45 a.m. adult education; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 12:15 p.m. Spiritual singing with Clara.

■ Friday: 9 a.m. billiards; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 10:15 program — Living Wills; 11:15 a.m. lunch; 12:15 p.m. bingo.

MIDLAND YMCAs

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

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

Scheduled activities at the Central YMCA are:

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

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

Scheduled activities for Alamo YMCA are:

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

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

Scheduled activities for the Town West YMCA are;

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

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

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

SOUTHEAST SENIOR CENTER

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

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

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

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

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

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

MIDLAND SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER, DELLWOOD MALL

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

Activities planned include:

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

■ Tuesday: 9 a.m. billiards, exercise and ceramics; 11:30 a.m. lunch; 1 p.m. bridge.

■ Wednesday: 9 a.m. billiards, ceramics and exercise; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 10 a.m. Gospel Singing; 11:30 a.m. lunch; 1 p.m. bridge and Golden Anniversary party.

■ Thursday: 9 a.m. billiards and exercise; 9:30 a.m. dancing and sewing; 10 a.m. art for fun; 11 a.m. ballroom dancing; 11:30 a.m. lunch; 12:30 p.m. movie; 1 p.m. 42 Lessons and bridge.

■ Friday: 9 a.m. billiards, exercise and Wellness Clinic; 9:45 a.m. exercise; 11:30 a.m. lunch; 1 p.m. bridge.

VOLUNTEER CENTER

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

■ Volunteers are needed to work as information and referral telephone counselors to help link individuals with community services which need assistance. Training is provided.

■ A museum dedicated to the preservation of World War II history and vintage aircraft needs volunteers to field calls and perform various clerical duties.

DR. PAGE

Many leg pains not serious, easily remedied

Dr. Henry Page

When homo-sapiens became erect and started walking on his two hind legs, he laid the ground work for multitudinous musculo-skeletal complaints that persist to this very day.



Page

Matters became more complicated when the female of the species adapted to high heels, thereby emulating horses who also walk on their toes. The stage was then set for the entrance of "Charlie." Rememer that Charles for generations has been the accepted name for a lame horse — hence the all-too-common expression, "Charlie horse." So now, when you develop a muscular cramp in the leg you know from whence it originated.

Restless legs and Charlie horses comprise all too common complaints that receive scant attention from the average physician, being brushed aside as nothing really serious.

This attitude may exist because of the lack of a ready explanation of the cause, and also the realization that it is benign and not a prelude to serious disease.

If you notice unpleasant deep discomfort inside the calves when sitting or lying down, especially just before sleep, producing an irresistible urge to move your legs — then you have "Restless Leg Syndrome."

On the other hand, if while resting or sleeping you note unilateral or bilateral flexion of the toes, rapid ankle flexion or partial flexion of the knee persisting for several seconds and recurring every 20-40 seconds, — then you have "Nocturnal Leg Cramps." Actual muscle weakness or atrophy, nor any neurologic defect, cannot be demonstrated.

All laboratory studies are negative. The more serious and happily much less frequent causes of leg pain relate directly to exercise, and positive physical and laboratory abnormalities can also be demonstrated.

The restless leg syndrome is relieved with movement, and stretching of the muscles prior to sleep usually prevents the nocturnal leg cramps.

The two most frequently prescribed medications that seem to help are Quinine and Calcium. Other medications include Benadryl and various tranquilizers with their concommitant side effects.

So now, if you unfortunately are afflicted by the above-noted dolorous twists of fate, put on your low-heeled walking shoes, kick the gong around, and waltz to "Good-bye Charlie."

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

Common mistakes made when filing for Social Security benefits

N.Y. Times News Service

Many retirees make expensive mistakes when they file for Social Security benefits simply because they don't understand the system.

For example, people who continue working past the age of 70 often fail to file for benefits because they wrongly believe that their full-time employment makes them ineligible.

In fact, such a person can receive full benefits no matter how much money he or she earns each year. (For those 65 through 69, benefits are reduced $1 for each $3 earned above $9,720; for those 62 through 64, $1 is cut for each $2 earned above $7,080.)

And some under 70 do not understand that during the first year of retirement they have a choice of meeting an annual earnings test or a monthly earnings test before losing benefits.

If you retire in November at 65 and have earned significantly more than the $9,720 limit, you can still qualify for benefits for November and December if your earnings in each of those months do not exceed one-twelfth of the overall limit, or $810.

For example, say you earn $70,000 through Oct. 31. If you earn no more than $810 in November and in December, you are entitled to benefits for those two months.

There is one catch: If you earn just one penny over the monthly limit, you lose your entire benefit.

Increasing number of AIDS victims are elderly

By Brenda C. Coleman

CHICAGO (AP) — AIDS may seem like a young person's disease, targeting mainly homosexuals, intravenous drug abusers, prostitutes and babies, but the epidemic also afflicts thousands of elderly people.

"It is indeed a problem of senior citizens as well as everybody else," said Dr. Peter Drotman, an epidemiologist with the national Centers for Disease Control in Atlanta.

The CDC has recorded 2,332 cases of AIDS among people 65 and older during the past 10 years in the United States, out of a total of 161,073 cases as of Dec. 31, Drotman said in a telephone interview. That is the latest date for which complete figures on the elderly are available.

The oldest victim was 90 and got infected through a blood transfusion, Drotman said. Transfusions no longer are a significant source of infection, since blood banks began screening out the human immunodeficiency virus, which causes AIDS, in 1985, he said.

But because it can take 10 years for AIDS-virus infections to develop into the disease, the largest group of elderly cases are still those that resulted from contaminated transfusions. They account for 46.7 percent of the total, or 1,090 cases, Drotman said.

About 30 percent of elderly AIDS cases, or 699, have resulted from homosexual contact; about 2.5 percent, or 58 cases, from intravenous drug abuse; and about 0.8 percent, or 18 cases, from one or the other, he said.

THE OLDEST homosexual victim was 86, Drotman said. The oldest drug abuser was 72, he said. A 75-year-old victim was both a homosexual and a drug abuser, he said.

"Risk behaviors most people associate with activities of younger adults are activities that senior citizens do indeed participate in," Drotman said. "Physicians need to be aware that these are topics that senior citizens are interested in and need to receive prevention information on."

Heterosexual contact has accounted for 161 elderly AIDS cases, Drotman said. Elderly hemophiliacs who have received contaminated blood products have accounted for 60; immigrants from Haiti or Africa for 14; and people infected from other or unknown sources for 232, he said.

Many elderly AIDS patients died before the source of their disease could be determined or were dead before they were correctly diagnosed, Drotman said.

Wayne C. McCormick, a physician in the AIDS and geriatrics clinics at the University of Washington in Seattle, said AIDS in the elderly has "received no attention."

At the 48th Annual Meeting of the American Geriatrics Society recently in Chicago, he reported on a Seattle woman diagnosed with AIDS at age 84 — only two years after she had stopped working as a prostitute.

"Who would think that this lady was engaging in a risk behavior for HIV?" he asked. "And even if she was doing that a couple of years before, she probably contracted it at least a decade before, when she was 70, or 65."

SLIGHTLY MORE than 10 percent of people diagnosed with AIDS are over 50, and about 1 percent are over 70, McCormick said. Of the total number of victims 65 or older, 1,797 were men and 535 were women, CDC figures indicate.

"There are more and more cases of AIDS in general, and therefore more and more cases of AIDS in the elderly," McCormick said. "This is something that geriatricians and people who take care of older people are having to address."

AIDS in older people tends to produce unexplained infections, mild pneumonias, headaches or a cough — all problems with many possible causes, McCormick said.

"Nowadays, its common for people with AIDS to have fairly nonspecific symptoms, like severe weight loss," McCormick said. "It (weight loss) is very common in older people. ... I'd say average geriatricians don't think 'AIDS.' They think 'malignancy,' or just the common malnutrition of advanced age."

And diagnosing the disease correctly is just the beginning of the challenge, he said.

"We have to remember that the common diseases of old people still happen in old people with AIDS. Old people with AIDS still get heart attacks and still need their diabetes managed and still have strokes. So we can't forget to work on those problems as well," he said.

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UNITED STATE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY PUBLIC NOTICE OF PROPOSED ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

This is to give notice that the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Region 6 has issued a Proposed Administrative Order to Kent Convenience Store US 80 under the Safe Drinking Water ACT (SDWA). Development of the Proposed Order was based on a preliminary staff review by EPA, Region 6, with an invitation for input from the State of Texas and Kent Convenience Store US 809.

Any interested person may request a public hearing regarding the Proposed Order by filling a written request which must state the issues to be raised. A public hearing will be held if EPA finds a significant degree of interest in the next days.

The EPA contact person for obtaining a copy of the Proposed Administrative Order, submitting written comments, requesting information regarding the Proposed Administrative Order and/or Administrative Order is:

Fran Haertel
Water Supply
Branch (6W-SP)
U.S. Environmental
Protection Agency
1445 Ross Avenue
Dallas, Texas 75202

EPA will notify each person who submits a written request of the final decision on the Proposed Administrative Order.

The Proposed Administrative Order requires Kent Convenience Store US 80 to attain compliance with the following requirements of the Safe Drinking Water Act:

1. Upon receipt of this Order, analyze or use the services of an approved laboratory for coliform bacteria at least once per month.

2. Within 60 days of receipt of this Order, meet the maximum concentration level for bacteria coliform.
June 7, 1991

The City Council of the City of Midland, Texas, will hold a public hearing, at 10:45 A.M., Tuesday, June 25, 1991, in the Council Chamber, City Hall, on a request by Monica Maynard for a Specific Use Permit for a Day Care Center on Lot 11, Block 113, West End Addition, City and County of Midland, Texas. (Generally located on the north side of Kentucky Avenue, approximately 50 feet west of its intersection with "M" Street - 2002 Kentucky.)

CITY OF MIDLAND
B.C. CLANTON
CITY SECRETARY
JUNE 7, 1991

NOTIFICATION OF TOTAL COLIFORM VIOLATION

The Midland Regional Air Terminal water system collected one water sample during the month of May, 1991 that contained Coliform bacteria. The Midland Regional Air Terminal water system is required to submit a minimum of four water samples each month for bacteriological analysis.

The Texas Department of Health sets drinking water standards in Texas and has determined that the presence of total coliforms is a possible health concern. Total coliforms are common in the environment and are generally not harmful themselves. The presence of these bacteria in drinking water, however, generally is a result of a problem with water treatment or the pipes which distribute the water, and indicates that the water may be contaminated with organisms that can cause disease. Disease symptoms may include diarrhea, cramps, nausea, and possible jaundice, and any associated headaches and fatigue. These symptoms, however, are not just associated with disease-causing organisms in drinking water, but also may be caused by a number of factors other than your drinking water. This Department has set an enforceable drinking water standards for total coliforms to reduce the risk of these adverse health effects. Under this standard, no more than 5.0 percent of the samples collected during a month can contain these bacteria, except that systems collecting fewer than 40 samples/mouth that have one total coliform-positive sample per month are not violating the standard. Drinking water which meets this standard is usually not associated with a health risk from disease-causing bacteria and should be considered safe.

Please contact Mr. Ken Jones, 685-7262 with questions.
June 7, 1991

NOTIFICATION OF TOTAL COLIFORM VIOLATION

The City of Midland water system collected five water samples during the month of May, 1991 that contained Coliform bacteria. The City of Midland water system is required to submit a minimum of 90 water samples each month for bacteriological analysis.

The Texas Department of Health sets drinking water standards in Texas and has determined that the presence of total coliforms is a possible health concern. Total coliforms are common in the environment and are generally not harmful themselves. The presence of these bacteria in drinking water, however, generally is a result of a problem with water treatment or the pipes which distribute the water, and indicates that the water may be contaminated with organisms that can cause disease. Disease symptoms may include diarrhea, cramps, nausea, and possible jaundice, and any associated headaches and fatigue. These symptoms, however, are not just associated with disease-causing organisms in drinking water, but also may be caused by a number of factors other than your drinking water. The Department has set an enforceable drinking water standards for total coliforms to reduce the risk of these adverse health effects. Under this standard, no more than 5.0 percent of the samples collected during a month can contain these bacteria, except that systems collecting fewer than 40 samples/month that have one total coliform-positive sample per month are not violating the standard. Drinking water which meets this standard is usually not associated with a health risk from disease-causing bacteria and should be considered safe.

Please contact Mr. Ken Jones, 685-7262, with questions.
June 7, 1991

The City Council of the City of Midland, Texas, will hold a public hearing, at 10:48., Tuesday, June 25, 1991, in the Council Chamber, City Hall, on a CITY-INVITIATED PROPOSAL for a zone change from MF-2, Multi-Family Dwelling District, and 1F-2, One-Family Dwelling District 1F-3, One-Family Dwelling District on the following described property:

EXISTING MF-2 DISTRICT:
Lots A-F, Block 46; Lots 1 and 2, Block 74; all of Block 75; Lots, 1-6, Block 77; Lots 1-6, Block 76; all in Original Town Addition. Lots 7-12, Block 34; Lots 7-12, Block 55 all in the Moody Addition. Lots 1-6, Block 135, Lots 1-6, Block 128; Lots 1-3, Block 124; Lots 1-3 and 10-12, Block 125; Lots 1 & 2, Block 137; all of Block 126, Block 127, and Block 136, all in the Southern Addition, City and County of Midland, Texas.

EXISTING 1F-2 DISTRICTS:
Lots 7-12, Block 35; Lots 7-12, Block 44; Lots 7-12, Block 45; all in the Moody Addition. Lots 1,2,11 & 12, Block 138; Lots 1, 2, 11 & 12, Block 139; Lots 4-9, Block 124; Lots 4-9 125; Lots 4-9, Block 123; Lots 4-6, Block 122; Lots 1 & 2, Block 141; Lots 1, 2, 11, 12, Block 140; all in the Southern Addition, City and County of Midland, Texas.

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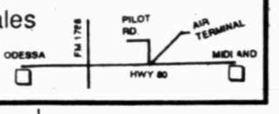
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1985 FORD 27' SPORTCOACH Mini-motor home. Excellent shape, 32,000 miles. All options. Would consider large 5th wheel in trade. Call 697-5127.

1981 GMC PICKUP good condition, low mileage motor, self contained cab over camper. $3,500. or will sell separate. 687-1224 days 694-3773 after 6 and weekends.

1977 FORD F250 crewcab with camper shell, automatic, power-steering, air conditioner, new tires. $2,500. 697-5999.

260 Boats and Motors

17' LARSON. Easy load trailer, 85hp motor, excellent condition. $4,500. Call 687-2646, after 6, Monday - Friday.

17' 6" VIP Fishing/ Ski Bass Boat, champagne/tan, 12-24 trolling motor, $5,500 obo. 363-9152.

REBUILT 50 Johnson, $950, rebuilt 50 Evinrude, $850; rebuilt 70 Johnson, $1,200; 50 Mercury, $900; 115 Mercury, $1,400. 687-0945.

1988 Hurricane, 19', 150 Mercury, trolling motor, good family boat for fishing and skiing. Very clean. 694-7796.

1977 CHRYSLER. 105 HP, Tri-Hull Power trm, trolling motor, boat cover, Hummingbird Graph, all regulations, safety access, trailer, new tires, new 16 gallon plastic tank plus extra tank, new seats, battery, $2,650, 694-7917.

GREAT fishing boat! 16' Mon Ark, 25 hp Johnson, Two depth finders, Trolling motor, Swivel seats, Carpeted, Anchormate. $1,500. After 5 p.m., 699-6825.

20' MAKO, center console, 225 hp Johnson, Lake or Gulf ready. Contact Jack White, Trailwest Trading Post, Highway 90 West, Del Rio, Texas, (512)775-3910.

NEW AND USED BOATS available. Best financing. Good condition used boats. Great selection new boats. Falcon Marine 1920 N. Loop 250, Midland. 563-2099.

1983 ARROWGLASS Cohoe, 18', center console, graph, trolling motor, 135 hp Evinrude. $5,500. 813 W. Spruce or 687-3309.

15' INVADER Walk-Through 65 HP Evinrude, dilly trailer $1,800. Call 686-8618.

16 foot Browning, deep V hull, 105 horse power, fishing and skiing accessories. $1,500. 699-2030.

290 Auto Parts and Accessories

300 ENGINES to choose from. Long-blocks, shortblocks - Foreign, Domestic. Ron's Engines, 401 N. Terrell. 685-1076.

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310 General Help Wanted

ROOFING CREWS. Contact Jim Needham. 590-6755.

CASA OLE is now accepting applications for full time waitress and waiter positions. Apply in person after 2 pm. Monday thru Saturday. 4410 N. Midkiff.

PINOCCHIO'S PIZZA
Now hiring delivery drivers full or part-time hours available. Earn $5 to $9 an hour CASH that is paid daily. Must have dependable car. Current license and insurance. If you want to join one of the fasted growing Pizza Companies in Texas, apply in person at the San Miguel Shopping Center at 3303 N. Midkiff.

ALLDREDGE GARDENS is now accepting applications for immediate employment. Part time and full time positions available, flexible hours, benefits. Positions needed cashier, salesperson. If you would like working with people, very customer oriented and self motivated. Apply today only those having experience as cashier or sales person need to apply.
Apply in person at:
Alldredge Gardens
3300 N. Fairgrounds Road
Midland, Texas. 79705

CIRCULATION DISTRICT MANAGER

The Midland Reporter-Telegram has a position open immediately for one motivated, service-oriented person to begin a career in the newspaper business. The position is responsible for recruiting, training, and managing adult newspaper carriers. Qualified applicants must have a good driving record and be willing to work a flexible schedule, mostly early morning hours. Need dependable transportation as this job requires use of personal car...Company will reimburse mileage. Previous circulation experience or college a plus. We will train the right individual.

APPLY OR SEND RESUME TO:

CHRISTINA A. MCCARVER
MIDLAND REPORTER-TELEGRAM
201 E. ILLINOIS AVE
MIDLAND, TX 79701

Great Part-time Opportunity
Wednesdays only

Earn about $50 every Wednesday as an independent distributor delivering the Reporter-Telegram's 'non-subscriber' product to Midland homes.

There are no apartments and no collecting... delivery only.

This job requires a dependable, preferably fuel-efficient, vehicle. About 2-3 hours will be needed to package the product in bags, and 3 - 4 hours to actually deliver it. The deliveries must be made between 8 am and 3 pm on Wednesdays.

Contact Chip McCarver
687-8809
between 8 a.m. & 5 p.m.
weekdays.

PART-TIME INCOME AVAILABLE

The Midland Reporter-Telegram has several distributorships which need to be filled with qualified, responsible individuals.

OFTEN ASKED QUESTIONS:

Is it worthwhile for adults also?

Yes! Our current carrier force is already 90% adult and 10% youth. Morning newspaper routes are attractive for:

- ADULTS who have full-time jobs, yet want to supplement their income with a steady part-time job.
- MOTHERS who can't justify a small job and daycare, because as a carrier, you do not need daycare!
- COLLEGE STUDENTS needing a part-time job which will work with classes!
- SENIOR CITIZENS wanting regular exercise, added income, or just want to work with people, neighbors, and friends.

How much money can I make as a carrier?

Depending on the size of the distributorship from $300 to $700 monthly! Some make even more!

How long does it take?

The actually delivery takes 1 - 2 hours Monday - Saturday, and 2 - 3 hours on Sunday, again depending on the size of the distributorship. Also, a few hours a month are needed to collect from subscribers. Many carrier's choose to handle some of this by putting envelopes in subscribers' papers. Collecting in person will be necessary though!

When do papers have to be delivered by?

6 a.m. Monday - Friday and 7 a.m. on Saturday, Sunday and holidays.

Do I ever get a day off?

The job requires a 7-day a week commitment. However, carriers do take days off by finding a friend or family member to substitute for them!

RESERVE YOUR DISTRIBUTORSHIP NOW!
APPLY TO:
CIRCULATION DEPARTMENT
MIDLAND REPORTER-TELEGRAM
687-8806

310 General Help Wanted

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REPLYING TO A BLIND BOX NUMBER?

Address your reply to the Blind Box Number -(The Specific number in the ad you are replying to - for example A-3)
c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, Texas 76702

The Midland Reporter-Telegram cannot disclose the identity of an advertiser using one of our box numbers to anyone for any reason. This information is confidential. However, readers who are interested in positions offered, but who desire to avoid sending a resume to certain companies can do so. Address your reply to the specific box number in the ad and place it in another envelope along with a note listing the companies you do not want your reply to reach. If the advertiser is anyone on your list, we will destroy your reply.

Be sure to use the specific Box number listed at the end of the ad. Without this number, it is impossible to forward replies. Call 682-6222 if you have questions about the procedure.

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BELLMAN - Holiday Inn Midland. Must be neat, dependable, customer service oriented. Must have current drivers license and good driving record. Apply in person 4300 W. Wall.

BABYSITTER WANTED: person to care for 3 month old baby, northwest Midland. Call 699-7898.

FRONT Desk Clerk - Holiday Inn Midland. We will train you to work on IBM Computer, AT&T PBX console and teach you customer service. Must be dependable, hard working and work as a team. Apply in person 4300 W. Wall.

RECEPTIONIST NEEDED at animal clinic for afternoons and Saturday. Apply at 3400 N. Big Spring.

NEED CAREGIVERS part time and substitutes. Telephone and transportation helpful. Open Monday - Friday, 7 a.m. - 6 p.m. Must be able to work any of these hours. Must have GED or high school diploma and be 18 years minimum. Penney's Early Learning Center. 699-1313.

WANTED: mature person to live with elderly woman in Midland. Salary with 1 day a week off. Call after 5:30 p.m., 1-523-2839.

TELEMARKETERS NEEDED immediately. $6 to $12 an hour possible, bonuses offered, good leads still available. 687-0178 after 10 AM.

SONIC DRIVE IN is now accepting applications for Assistant Manager and/ or Manager. Fast food experience required, references required, must possess a winning attitude and be self motivated. Salary and benefits are scaled to experience. Our company is promotion minded. Please call between 1 and 5 PM. Ask for Mr. Mann 697-2391.

" WE WERE REALLY OVERWHELMED!! "
Pages and Prints Book Store Owner Patteann Daniel - Beverly was very pleased with the results of the Classified Section of The Midland Reporter-Telegram.
"We were really overwhelmed by the response we received to a recent ad for a Book Seller and received some outstanding applicants."
Patteann Daniel- Beverley
Pages and Prints Book Store

311 Medical Help Wanted

MEDICAL Assistant or Nurse needed for busy doctors office. Apply in person, 1802 W. Wall.

DENTAL ASSISTANT with experience for established practice. Excellent office environment. Looking for best individual to round out team. All inquiries confidential. Send resume to Dental Assistant 2100 West Michigan, Midland, Tx. 79701.

RN DIRECTOR OF NURSES for 65 bed nursing home. Full-time LVN position, GVN or RN treatment nurse. Salaries based on experience. Stanton Care Center 1-756-3387.

SECRETARY/ RECEPTIONIST needed for physians office. Prior experience necessary. Duties include insurance filing, corrections, filing and light typing. Send replies to BOX M-18 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

RECEPTIONIST Wanted for fast paced medical office. Experience a must. Benefits. Salary negotiable. Send resume to BOX K-08 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

DENTAL HYGENIST needed 3 days a week. Please send resume to 3303 N. Midkiff, Suite 266, Midland, Tx. 79705.

LVN NEEDED
for a doctors office.
Call 687-5252 Days
697-5350 Evenings.

DOCTOR'S OFFICE: Receptionist. Full-time, Monday - Friday. Non-smoker preferred. Salary DOE. Send Resume to: BOX A - 4 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

311 Medical Help Wanted

POSITION OPEN for experienced medical collector, salary and bonus, insurance benefits, and 401K Plan. Call Mrs. Hernandez 560-4040.

MEDICAL TRANSCRIPTIONISTS
$1,000 Sign-On Bonus!

Join our dynamic team of medical professionals. Northwest Texas Hospitals, an acute care hospital serving the Panhandle regions, currently has excellent positions available for experienced hospital transcriptionists.

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Contact
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Human Resources Department
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Amarillo, TX 79175
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320 Sales Help Wanted

An opening is available for the right individual to join a proven team in sales leadership. The individual must possess strong desire to succeed, and have the ability and strong organizational traits to handle volume sales. The individual must have a sincere attitude in customer needs and wants. If you feel you are qualified, please apply in person. Experience is preferred but we will train the right individual.

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312 Professional Help Wanted

REVENUE ACCOUNTANT

Independant Oil Company has position open for Revenue Accountant. Applicant must have accounting degree with 3 -4 years experience in Revenue Accounting. Salary DOE.

Send resume to:
BOX L-11
c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, Texas 79702

312 Professional Help Wanted

ELECTRONIC ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN

needed for trouble shooting, testing and installation of equipment by long established local company with good benefits. Some travel required.

Send resume to:
P.O. BOX 5505
MIDLAND, TX 79704

CURRENT Opening for Personnel Director. Successful candidate must have a Bachelor's Degree in Personnel Management, Business Administration, or closely related field. A minimum of four years experience in a highly responsible position with human resources management and an indepth knowledge of the laws and regulations concerning the field to include EEOC and FLSA. Includes hiring, evaluating and benefits management for approximately 300 employees. Monthly salary $2602.00. Applications available at
3701 N. Big Spring in Midland
or
1012 McArthur and
3128 Kermit Hwy. in Odessa

INDEPENDENT seeking individual for position in accounting. Heavy oil and gas experience required including joint interest, revenue and general ledger. Must be self-starter, non-smoking office. Send resume with salary requirement to: Personnel, P.O. Box 3233, Midland Texas, 79702.

RECEPTIONIST NEEDED for pediatric dental office. Dental knowledge helpful but will train right person. Must have typing skills, filing, general front office duties. Non smoker. NO PHONE CALLS! Please send resumes to 100 North N., Midland, Texas. 79701.

SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGIST

The Socorro Independent School District is accepting applications for the position of school psychologist. Certification as a Texas school psychologist is required. Prefer applicant be bilingual in English and Spanish. Salary range $35,000 to $50,000 depending on experience.
Interested applicants please contact
Tom Marcee,
Assistant Superintendent for Personnel,
12300 Eastlake Drive,
El Paso, Texas 79927
or call 1-800-356-3179
Deadline for applications June 14, 1991

316 Clerical Help Wanted

LVN NEEDED
for a doctors office.
Call 687-5252 Days
697-5350 Evenings.

312 Professional Help Wanted

SALES PART TIME/ full time. Incredible income potential. Will train. Flexible hours. CALL 214-504-8852 message.

ENGINEERING TECH
Needed for 2 months assignment. Must be experienced with researching and analyzing well files, reading well histories and morning reports. Must also be familiar with Packer settings, rates and pressures. Immediate opening. Resume required. Call Fran for an appointment.
Temporary Resources
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TEMPORARY RESOURCES
Needs experienced
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WORD PERFECT

We have immediate assignments for secretaries with Word Perfect and 60 wpm plus typing. Call Vickey for an appointment
TEMPORARY RESOURCES
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V.I.P. TEMPORARIES. Call for Temp. or permanent jobs available now! No Fees. 686-9722.

HOLIDAY INN Midland. Entry level bookkeeping position available, must have 10 key experience, computer experience will be helpful. Good benefits with a solid Company. Apply in person 4300 W. Wall.

PART time accounting/ clerical employment opportunity with independent oil company. Typing, data entry, filing, answering phones, wordprocessing and accounting experience a plus. Non-smoker. Send resume to: One Marienfeld Place, Suite 580, Midland, TX 79701, Attn: Sandy.

TEMPORARY Positions available
TEMP TIME
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PHOTOGRAPHY RECEPTIONIST

Appearance and personality important. Enthusiasm and telephone skills required. Must be able to sell quality photography. Must be fast mover-quick thinker. Busy studio. Four day week. Call 684-4343 for appointment.

BOBBY COX COMPANIES is now taking applications for a full charge bookkeeper and for a payroll clerk. Must have experience in a multi company environment. Send resume to Steve Carroll at Bobby Cox Companies Inc. 5030 E. University. Odessa, Texas. 79762.

LAND SECRETARY
needed for stable company. Wordprocessing, shorthand and heavy land experience mandatory. Production experience helpful, oil and gas experience a must. Excellent company benefits after trial period.
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PARENTS

$2,000 Month plus. Earn unlimited money this summer as an educational consultant. Industry giant announces new break through developmental learning skills program for children. Tested and proven, and endorsed by experts. Ground floor exclusive opportunity. Be first in your area. Write Learning Skills, Box 13372, Odessa, Texas. 79768-3372.

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EKA AND ASSOCIATES

Commission sales positions. Must be experienced in advertising sales, aggressive, neat appearance. Bonuses offered and gas allowance. 687-0178.

MANAGER NEEDED retail sales experience necessary, floral experience helpful. Call 368-7669 ask for Bob.

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TECHNICAL SALES REPRESENTATIVE

3 - 5 years sales experience in Rod Lift Systems with an emphasis on Pumping Units, Prime Mover and Rod String design.
Send resume and salary history to:
A-01 c/o
The Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, Texas 79702

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INSIDE SALES COORDINATOR

3 - 5 years experience with pumping unit electric prime movers and controls. Position requires experience in preparing quotations, bid and order entry documentation.
Send complete resume and salary history to:
A-02 c/o
The Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, Texas 79702

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IF you enjoy traveling, meeting people and earning a lot of money without selling anything, call Rex in Odessa at 337-4332 or Midland at 580-4332.

OILFIELD SALES

Expanding company needs downhole pump salesperson for the Crane area. Must be experienced, with good driving record. Drug screen required. Excellent benefits, including medical, dental, 401(k), etc. Exceptional opportunity for advancement with a stable firm.

Send resume to:
P.O. BOX 60950
MIDLAND, TEXAS 79711

ESTABLISHED GROWING Chemical company seeks experienced production chemicals sales person. Must have at least 3 to 5 years experience in the Permian Basin. Top salary plus commissions and other benefits. Send replies to BOX M-13 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

COMPUTER SALESPERSON

needed immediately by Midland's fastest growing appliance/electronics retailer. Paid vacations, group insurance and unlimited earning opportunity.

Apply at:
FOLGER'S SUPERSTORE
corner of Wall & Andrews Hwy.

330 Situations Wanted

INTERIOR/ EXTERIOR PAINTING construction work, fence work, building maintenance, shed, garage construction or repair. Tree, yard work, etc. Free estimates. 697-5694.

TREXLER DESIGNS



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SAIL AWAY

A jaunty sailboat rides the waves on a crocheted warm-weather top. As an added touch, waves continue on the back. It takes five colors of sport-weight acrylic yarn to work this nautical scene from a chart. Directions are easy to follow and gauge is 5 stitches per inch.

C-042191 Sail Away – (all materials included)

Kit $24.95
Instructions only ..... $ 2.00

Colors: White with blue, red, yellow & jade

Send check to: Trexler Designs, (c/o this newspaper) P.O. Box 419148, Kansas City, MO 64141

Name
Address
City State Zip

Allow 4 weeks for delivery.

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RESUMES, Letters, Newsletters, etc. All done professionally on laser jet printer. Call 687-5737.

CALL OLSTEN TODAY -- We will do our best to keep you working. 683-5577

RESUMES and wordprocessing. Laser generated, printed. Concise & professional. Prompt service. Excellent rates. 689-7790.

310 General Help Wanted

PRINTING Press operator needed, 1 year experience. Apply in person 315 N. Colorado.

GET PAID FOR WALKING in the cool of the morning. Responsible individuals call Rob 699-7193.

REAL ESTATE LICENSE required full or part time, secretarial/ receptionist. Call Ruth Young 682-7884.

HOUSEKEEPER/ COOK
must have references and own transportation.
Full time position.
call 683-1874.

SMALL BUSINESS OWNER needs an assistant. Willing to teach two trades, woodworking and finish painting. Benefits available. Call Monday 686-7261.

EXPERIENCE Maintenance Person needed. Must have AC/ Heating experience, plumbing, appliances and have own tools. Call for interview, Monday - Friday, 9-5, 697-3157.

EXPERIENCED SEAMTRESSES needed immediately. Apply with Lundy Look. 682-3154 talk to Cindy. Se Habla Espanol.

GREAT EXPECTATIONS. Position open for stylist. Must be responsible and neat in appearance. Hourly wage plus commission. Apply at Midland Park Mall.

SUMMER WORK
$9.90 TO START

National Retail firm filling position immediately.
694-3188

310 General Help Wanted

SHAKEY'S

Applications are being accepted for day help, bartenders and kitchen help. No experience necessary.
Apply in person
2 pm - 4 pm.
3305 Andrews Highway, Midland.

PLUMBER REPAIR experience, license, and truck. Call Ken's Plumbing 699-4137.

AVON - the smartest shop in town wants representatives. Flexible hours. Good $$$. Call 694-1934.

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Job security awaits high school diploma graduates. 17-30 willing to relocate. Excellent pay/ benefits. Paid training.

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BAKERS
FUDDRUCKERS

is now hiring reliable full time bakers. Experience helpful but not required. Apply in person between 2 - 5 p.m.
Monday - Friday
Fuddruckers, Midland Park Mall

APPLY NOW to operate firework stand in Midland Area June 24 - July 4. Must be over 20. Make up to $1,500. Call 1-800-364-0136 or 512-622-3788 from 10 am - 5 pm.

I'VE BEEN FRAMED

Yes, I have been framed in this picture frame styled ad that caught your attention and everyone who turned to this page. The next time you place an ad and want it to get special attention, go first class ... ask to be FRAMED! 682-6222

AVON needs you to work as a Midland representative. Call Verla to sell/ buy, 520-0119.

STARTING June 17th, full time inventory clerk needed. Overnight travel required with motel, food and transportation provided. Training pay, 10-key by touch required. Guaranteed salary. Send resume to: PRIS, Suite 352, P.O. Box 3, Midland, Texas 79702.

310 General Help Wanted

POSITIONS open: part-time waitperson/ cocktail server. Apply in person, 1 - 6 p.m., Ranchland Hills Country Club, 1600 E. Wadley. No phone calls please.

DOMINO'S PIZZA now hiring delivery drivers, average $7 - $12 per hour. Order takers, $4.50 per hour. Must be 18 or older with valid drivers license and insurance. Apply in person or call 699-5602

MACHINIST needed with engine lathe experience and mechanical ability. Gas Compressor repair a real plus. Well established local manufacturing company. Full benefits. Send resume or work history with salary requirements to Box A-11, The Midland Reporter Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Tx. 79702.

SONIC - America's Favorite Drive-Inn - Will be opening it's newest location - Rankin Highway - UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT - We are hiring •Cooks • Carhops • Cashiers • Food Preparation People - All hours...All Shifts...Part time or Full time - Come be part of our team...If you have what it takes, please apply in person at our 2310 North Big Spring Location.

WANTED OILFIELD ELECTRICIAN, Must have experience with pumping unit controls, LACT unit and VR units. For more information call 915-563-2209.

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Be a part of West Texas' newest Entertainment Center. Positions open for Bartenders, Waitresses, Door Persons, Bar Backs, DJ's, and floor walkers.

Come join Midland's newest FUN TEAM and earn a desirable salary.
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335 Adult Care

EXPERIENCED, DEPENDABLE. State Certified Nurses Aide will care for your loved one in home or nursing home. 684-7016.

LOVING care for your loved one, your home, hospital or nursing home. Experienced and dependable with references. 684-7061 or 683-7547.

LVN would like to provide a home and care for the elderly or disabled. 683-1304.

MORNING GLORY ADULT FOSTER care will be opening in Midland July 1, and is now accepting clients. 24 hour service or drop in welcome. For information call 697-6200.

340 Child Care Needed

NEED LOVING CHRISTIAN woman to watch two kids in my home. 685-1607 or 689-7260 after 5 PM.

BABYSITTER WANTED person to care for 3 month old baby, northwest Midland. Call 699-7898.

BABYSITTER needed for 3 month old in my home, Monday - Friday, 6 hours daily, prefer Christian mature adult. Will provide transportation to and from work if needed. $60 weekly. 689-7909.

BABYSITTER needed in my home for 7 year old girl. Weekdays, 7:15 - 4:45, part-time during school months. Must have own transportation. Call 697-8837, leave message.

341 Child Care Providers

WILL BABYSIT in my home, any hours, any ages. Experienced. Reasonable rates. Please call 682-4235.

CASA DE NINOS with opening of newborn to 5 years old. Please call 687-1621.

KANDY KANE DAY CARE AND PRESCHOOL has spaces available, for ages 2 year thru 12. Summer activities include arts and crafts, bowling and skating, park activities, and tours. Call or come by 683-7063. 1911 N. Garfield. 7 AM to 5:30 PM. Monday thru Friday.

INFANTS ONLY! The most important decision you will ever make for the most important person in your life. Licensed. Please call Jan, 694-8024.

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350 Business Opportunities

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341 Child Care Providers

WOULD like to baby sit in my home. 2 years and up. References furnished. Lunch, snacks provided. Reasonable rates. 699-5872.

BABYSITTING: my home. Reasonable rates. Ideal atmosphere for children. Hot meals - healthy snacks provided. 520-8512.

REGISTERED CHILD care in my home, ages 2 and up. Open until 9 pm. 694-6575.

RAINBOW CHRISTIAN Day Care, downtown. 1009 W. Missouri. 6:30 am - 7:30 pm. Please Call 683-5161.

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UP, UP AND AWAY Learning Center, now open. Located in Northland Shopping Center on Scharbauer and A. We will care for infants - 13 years. 687-2715.

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CHRISTIAN MOTHER will provide child care at my home, nice atmosphere, snacks provided. Call 683-2423.

MOTHER of one will keep children, ages 0 - 4, in her home. References furnished. 697-9615, after 5.

NEW BEGINNINGS DAY CARE has openings for children 6 weeks thru 5 years. Call 697-3875 for more information.

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350 Business Opportunities

LOCAL Flower Shop for sale. If interested, please reply to BOX L 07 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

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CAREER Burnout? Get the facts on a serious alternative. 24 hour recorded message (915) 560-5234.

NEW MULTI-level Business opportunity. Low capital. Will train 694-4316.

ATTENTION, 1991 High School Grads. National Retail Firm filling positions immediately. Must be 18. Call 694-3188.

OPPORTUNITY KNOCKS: The opportunity to Loose Weight, Feel Better, Make Money. If any of these 3 things appeal to you, call Ronney or Alana for details 694-3616 after 4 or leave message.

UNLIMITED FUNDS AVAILABLE National Corporation has Money available for all purposes. Start-up - Leasing - Expansion - Acquisition - Inventory Construction, Etc. Call Bill, from 9 - 5, Monday - Friday at (915)682-1995.

405 Garage/Yard Sales

★MOVING-IN - 3603 Cunningham Saturday - Sunday 1980 Oldsmobile, $500/ offer, boat, furniture, clothes, tools, miscellaneous.

THREE FAMILIES
4908 SAN ANTONIO
(Off Loop 250)
Thursday - Friday, Saturday until noon. Couch, $50, table, $25, stereo, $30, brand new oak bunk beds, $250, antique phone $20, waterbed (baffle bladder only), $50. Tools, dishes, lots of clothes (all sizes).

LOTS of everything sale. 4100 Crestwood. Friday and Saturday, 8 - 4.

EVERYTHING must go! Furniture, doors, screens, sinks, etc., miscellaneous items. 3103 Travis, Saturday Only.

1619 E. MAPLE three family sale 8 a.m. daily, lots of nice clothing including large ladies, bedspreads, linens, decorative glass, kitchen appliances, furniture, toys and stuffed animals. 1 Sears riding mower with rear catcher $350, 1 Wards riding mower with catcher $500, 3 power mowers, 2 edgers, garage door opener, much more. Friday - Sunday.

UNSOLD BOOKS? Donate them to the Friends of the Library for their Annual Used Book Sale. Bring them to the Book Drop, Illinois and Weatherford (next to the Reporter Telegram) every Wednesday, 9 -12.

BABY SALE cribs, strollers, walker, high chair, car seat, play pen, toys, baby girl clothes, size 0-2. Saturday 9 to 5. 4201 Harlowe.

SATURDAY ONLY, 8 AM
3907 DOUGLAS
Baby, toddler, and adult clothes, baby items, strollers, child gate, Little Tykes and other toys, books, 10-speed bicycle, linens, dish set, telephone, craft and other miscellaneous items.
NO EARLY SALES!!

★3607 KANSAS. SATURDAY ONLY. 8 - 1 p.m. Shop equipment, lots of clothes, toys, miscellaneous.

SATURDAY AND SUNDAY only 3202 Sentinel - Open at 8 am. 3 Family Garage Sale. Crib, car seat, infant/ toddler clothes, toys, etc. Women's large and small sized winter clothes, many miscellaneous items.

MOVING SALE - Couch, dining room table, coffee table, end table, desk, sewing machine, lamps, vacuum cleaner, clothes, many household items. The Lakes Apartment #2202 Saturday and Sunday. 8 to 5.

★THREE family - Baby items, toys, clothing, compactor, dishwasher, more. Friday - Saturday, 8 - 1. 1826 Dukes - Polo Park.

BACKYARD SALE - Broyhill pit group, king waterbed, stereo console, much more. Saturday 10:00, 4500 Glen Eagles.

2 FAMILY SALE 4631 Crockett; 8 to 2 - Infant to adult clothing, typewriter, crib, miscellaneous.

★GARAGE SALE★
Saddle Club South
1307 Tara Court
Infant, children's, men's, women's and maternity clothes, walker, stroller, etc. water skis, tennis ball machine, much more. Saturday 8:00 to 1:00. No early sales.

★4947 RUSTIC TRAIL 9:00 AM Friday and Saturday. No early sales. Multi-Family. Microwave, baby items, toys, stereo, sewing machine, pots and pans, small appliances, miscellaneous.

★5107 W. ILLINOIS. Friday afternoon and all day Saturday. furniture, clothing and miscellaneous items.

★JUNTIQUE SALE
FIRST TIME EVER
GARAGE/ ESTATE SALE
Depression, collectable glassware, old pottery, cook books, costume jewelry, anvil, cast-iron, antique cream separaters, king size bed, hide-a-bed, portable dishwasher, small under counter freezer, air-conditioner, water coolers, chain saw, gas powered edger, Chevy 6 hold turbine wheels (2 eights, 2 tens), Aspencade motorcycle, camper, even more good stuff!!! Absolutely NO early sales. East Highway 80, to No. Co. Rd. 1130) follow signs. Saturday Only.

BIG GARAGE SALE - 612 Raymond - 9:00 to 6:00. Saturday June 8 only.

MOVING Sale. 3704 W. Michigan. Saturday only. 9:00 - 5:00.

★4517 PALMER. Saturday and Sunday. clothing and lots of miscellaneous.

YARD SALE - Bound carpet, moving boxes, kitchen items, clothes, books and games. 3113 West Illinois. Saturday only. 9 to 4.

★YARD SALE. Friday & Saturday. Picnic tables, lawn furniture, ladies bike, comforter, toys, tupperware, etc. Saddle Club Apartment #178 Behind 7-Eleven.

3900 Crestline Friday and Saturday 10 to 5. Lots of kids and adult clothes, honda moped, furniture, books, etc.

★THREE family garage sale, rowing exerciser, 2.5 cubic ft. refrigerator, doors, miscellaneous household items. 2000 Abbey Place. Saturday only, 9 a.m.

GARAGE SALE 3803 Neely. Saturday 8 to 2. Multi Family. Dinette table, barstools, desk, camping equipment, skis, books and much more.

★4503 AMIGO, moving sale, furniture, mens, womens and teens clothing, central heating unit, lots of miscellaneous treasures. Saturday 7-6, Sunday afternoon.

★FANTASTIC★
ANTIQUE
GARAGE SALE
9:00 - 2:00 Friday & Saturday
4534 SINCLAIR
1 block west of Midland Dr
Square oak clawfoot dinning table, late 1800's bed with side rails, hall tree, old chest of drawers, old advertising signs, primitive gumball machines, kitchen items, 1957 Wurlitzer Jukebox, Elvis original movie posters, fern stands, toys, 5' coke clock, bird cage with stand, 1950's kids pedal car, old kids wagon, end tables, prints, writing desk. Too much to mention.

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2604 N. GARFIELD
Saturday, June 8th
7:30 am to 4:00 pm
Sleeper sofa, king size headboard, tables, dresser, several lamps, drapes and rods, queen spread, mirror, wall-mounted walnut bookshelves and desk, patio furniture, some women's clothing, misc. household items, lots of odds and ends.

★MULTI-FAMILY SALE. Saturday only 7:30 to 2:30. 2101 Abbey Place. Clothes and miscellaneous.

★3321 NEELY I-2, Brighton Court (in rear). 20" dirt bikes, lamps, vacuum cleaner, bedding, typewriter, boy's clothes (summer - winter), kitchen stuff. Saturday, 8 a.m. - 3 p.m. Cash Only.

★GARAGE SALE: Saturday, 8 - 2. Desk and credenza, antique marble top dresser, king size bedframe with box springs, lots of stuff. 4334 W. Dengar.

405 Garage/Yard Sales

★3603 W. Michigan, SATURDAY ONLY, 8 - 5, CASH ONLY. Furniture, movie camera and projector, encyclopedias, speakers, smoker/cooker, tent, baby clothes, miscellaneous.

★4505 - WOODHOLLOW. Loop 250 at Midland Drive Briarwood. Bedroom furniture, clothes and miscellaneous. Saturday 8:00 to ?

★SATURDAY ONLY, 8 - 1. 3507 Whittleway. Baby items, dryer, vacuum cleaner, bedding, household goods, scroll saw, Rockwell table saw, Homelite chain saw, 3 hp air compressor, Vent-a-hood, wrenches.

★FRONT YARD SALE
King size waterbed with dresser and two night stands, floor mirror, reel lawnmower, stereo system, office and computer equipment and furniture, new 5' bathroom vanity with sink, weight bench with weights, sewing machine, children and adult clothing, much more.
3408 BOYD
SATURDAY ONLY, 8 - 6

★GARAGE Sale, Saturday 9-2, 5001 Castleford, Saddle Club South. Children's clothes, bikes, golf clubs, tent, rocking chair and much more.

★MULTI-FAMILY Garage Sale Saturday June 8, 7:30 to 2:00. 3210 Stanolnd.

★6 FAMILIES Cul-de-sac yard sale. Furniture, baby clothes, toys, 1984 Ford truck, treadmill. Saturday only, 8 - ? Rainbow Circle.

★PATIO SALE - Summer dresses, blouses, split skirts, sweats, blouses, skirts, jumpsuits, shorts, lingerie (to size 24). Beautiful hats, bags, shoes, sneakers to size 10 half price. Household items available, canning jars, dishes, pots and pans, all size linens.
SATURDAY, 8 a.m. - 1 p.m.
501 S. WEBSTER

YARD SALE Saturday only. 500 Ruby Street - 8 til ? No Early Sales.

FURNITURE, Toys, yard tools. 5113 Belaire. Saturday, June 8th 8:00 to 3:00.

4738 BEDFORD. Saturday only 7:00 to 5:00. Lots of furniture and other miscellaneous items.

SATURDAY ONLY. 5 piece modular couch with hide a bed, restored national cash register, 89 Chevy pickup wheels, lots of toys. 8 to 5, 5005 Brazos.

MOVING SALE: Furniture, clothing, lots of miscellaneous. Saturday and Sunday, 1209 Burchill.

★BACKYARD SALE Saturday Only 9 to 5 - Infant to size 5 clothing, toys and baby accessories, adult clothes, bed frame, sofa sleeper and love seat, craft items, etc. 3202 Camarie.

4809 RIC DR. SATURDAY ONLY, 8 am to 2 pm Furniture, clothes and lots more.

SATURDAY ONLY! 9 to 3. 2506 Harvard by Cowden park. Church wide sale to benefit missionaries. Sporting goods, appliances, furniture, tools, baby clothes.

GARAGE SALE Saturday June 8, Sunday 9. 1716 E. Pecan. Many items to choose from.

PATIO SALE. Quality ladies, kids and maternity clothes, toys, small appliances and dishes. Saturday only 8:00 - 2:00. 2501 Auburn Place.

3801 MARK LANE. Saturday 8:00 - 1:00. Furniture, lamps, toys, children's clothes and miscellaneous items.

3601 FAIRMONT. 1920's mirrored piano, nice hide-a-bed, double oven, stove, cradle, chairs, tables, crochet and lots of miscellaneous. Saturday and Sunday, 9 - 6. Cash Only.

1106 CHESTNUT Saturday Only. 8 to 4. Teen age clothing, furniture, golf shirts, miscellaneous items.

1404 MANOR, Saturday Only, 8-6. Fairly new microwave, children's clothes, lamps, odds & ends.

MOVING TO CALIFORNIA! Everything must go. Furniture, household items miscellaneous. 4306 Roosevelt, Friday, Saturday, Sunday.

PRICED TO SELL!! 4317 PRINCETON Friday and Saturday 7:30 - 2:30. Dishwasher, clothes, oven, couch, miscellaneous.

SATURDAY, 8 - 3. Lots of great clothes, shoes, Christmas decorations, camping gear, buffet table and miscellaneous. 1411 W. Tennessee.

SPORTS CARD sale 4706 W. Dengar. Saturday 8-5 and Sunday 12-5, also complete Gameboy system with 10 games.

1001 CARTER Saturday only patio sale clothes, crafts and woodworks, Queen sized bedspread and curtains, pillow shams, sheets, dishes, a lawn mower, weed cutter, belt sanders, other sanders also, good luggage, lots of miscellaneous. 9 a.m.-?

SALESMAN'S Jewelry sample sale, excellent quality fashion jewelry, cash only, 9 - 5 Saturday. 3506 Stanolind.

HUGE RUMMAGE SALE
Something for everyone, (6 Truck Loads) all priced low enough for you to re - sell. Saturday and Sunday 8 to 4. 1400 Navajo, backyard.
NO EARLY SALES!

BACKYARD SALE: 3511 Park Lane, Saturday & Sunday, adult and children's clothing, toys, dishes, lots of miscellaneous.

2803 HAYNES. Saturday 8:00 AM. Two family sale. Children's clothes, craft supplies, waterbed, lots of miscellaneous.

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HUGE GARAGE SALE
3514 W. OHIO
Saturday 7:00 AM till ?
& Sunday all day
Kingsize triple dresser solid wood with mirror, bed, bar stools, clothing, gas grill 1 year old like new and lots and lots of miscellaneous items.
Pre-Sales by calling
687-0178 ask for Edward

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4 FAMILY SALE 3307 Durant - Antiques, bicycles, housewares, clothes and lawn tools. 8 to 5. Saturday Only. No Early Sales.

HUGE garage sale - Saturday Only, 9 a.m. - Furniture, appliances, clothes, lots and lots of miscellaneous. 704 Lanham.

SATURDAY ONLY 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. 4505 Lanham. Alley Entrance. (North of Emerson Elementary) Clothing, furniture, miscellaneous.

5105 CONCHO. Friday & Saturday 8:00 to ? Lots of material, upholstery, 2 church pews, furniture, clothes, miscellaneous.

SAME PLACE
DIFFERENT TREASURES
Bangles, beads and trinkets, Christmas tree, assorted ornaments, furniture, refrigerator, washer, dryer, fishing gear.
5202 CANADIAN
Saturday 8:00 am to 12:00 noon

405 Garage/Yard Sales



Tuesday - Friday
1411 W. Washington

Wednesday - Saturday
109 W. Cowden

Thursday - Saturday
1009 W. Kansas

Thursday & Friday
2203 Humble
2100 Culver
4500 Versilles

Friday Only
3209 Golf Course
5003 Polo Parkway
2012 W. Indiana

Friday & Saturday
4319 Monty
3612 Dentcrest
1826 Dukes
4631 CroCkett
4947 Rustic Trail
5107 W. Illinois
Saddle Club Apts #178
3900 Crestline
4534 Sinclair

Friday, Saturday & Sunday
Florida & L St. Storage Unit A2
4608 Cherokee

Saturday Only
4800 Preston Dr.
4201 Harlowe
3907 Douglas
3607 Kansas
4500 Gleneagles
3603 Michigan
1307 Tara Court
E. Hwy 80 to N. Co. Rd 1130
(follow signs)
612 Raymond
3704 W. Michigan
3803 Neely
2000 Abbey Plae
3113 W. Illinois
2604 N. Garfield
2101 Abbey Place
3321 Neely
4334 W. Dengar
4505 Woodhollow
3507 Whittleway
3408 Boyd
5001 Castleford
3210 Stanolind
Rainbow Circle
(neighborhood sale)
501 S. Webster
3202 Camarie

Saturday & Sunday
3202 Sentinel
The Lakes Apts. #2202
3603 Cunningham
4503 Amigo
4517 Palmer

Sunday
2100 Seaboard

4102 LEHIGH. Saturday, 8 - 12. Infant's, children's, adult clothing, playpen, walker, stroller, changing table, bedroom ensembles, lawnmowers, books, pictures, frames, toys, much more.

4415 GULF FRIDAY ONLY! 8 to 8. Dishwasher, reloading equipment, light fixture, drapery rods, clothing.

YARD SALE SATURDAY morning - Dishes, bedspreades, luggage, men and women's shoes and lots of miscellaneous. 600 E. Cuthbert.

3618 SHELL. Friday & Saturday 8:00 to Noon. Guns, Chest of Drawers, SanSui Amp., kids clothes, commodore computer program.

FRIDAY - Saturday, 3507 Douglas. Lots of clothes (all sizes including children's), lots of other miscellaneous.

FRIDAY ONLY!
2907 W. KENTUCKY
#302/#303. 8 TO 5.
Refrigerator, water bed, dininggroom table with chairs, vacuum cleaner, upright piano with bench, 2 complete computer set ups, weights, baby bed, tools, golf clubs, many miscellaneous items.

MOVING Sale- lots of miscellaneous, bicycles, garden tractor, gun cabinet. Saturday and Sunday. Greenwood area, Wills Lane, 1.6 miles east of I-20, overpass on Hwy 307.

3 FAMILY SALE Saturday only. 7:30 - 2:00 Toys, clothes, home furnishings, exercise bicycle. 3306 Oakmont.

MOVING SALE household items, toys, bicycle, barbecue, flute. Saturday 9 to 5. 4305 Valley use alley entrance.

SATURDAY, 8 - 4, 407 W. Dengar. Kitchen and household goods, dryer, file cabinet, go-cart.

YARD sale, Friday and Saturday, 3310 Sycamore. 1977 Datsun, lots of miscellaneous.

1906 N. H. SATURDAY early, pickup toolbox, bicycle, golf clubs, deer rifle, clothes, miscellaneous. 682-5794.

2603 WARD
MOVING SALE:
Dryer, refrigerators, bookshelves, lateral filing cabinet, trampoline frame and springs, color console TV, night club lighting, turntables, mixers and sound system, lots of other miscellaneous.
SATURDAY, 8 a.m - Until all is gone. No early sales.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

DEMO Spa, portable with full warrantee. Morgan. 563-1860.

PLANE TICKETS - Round trip to Denver, 6/14 return 6/16, $190. Call 689-7197.

NEW YORK - one or two round trip tickets from DFW, June 24-30. $250 each. 684-7577.

ALMOST NEW - Bose 2.2 Home speakers, $100 pair; black 27 inch Peugeot 10 speed bicycle $150; 195CM RD Coyote snow skis with tyrolia bindings and poles. $300; size 9 black Nordica boots, $150; Call Stuart 688-3100. 697-1161.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

BEAUTIFUL, Full length, Ranch Mink Coat, female Pelts, size 9-10, appraised over $4,000. Must sell!! $1,200 or best offer. 699-1343.

SWIMMING pool slide, $200, Zerox machine, $50; stroller, $20, changing table, $20. Call 689-6761.

BOYS SCHWINN 20" Preditor, $85. 3 used P-215-75-14 tires and rims $45. 697-5322.

ESTATE sale: man's Rolex watch, stainless, Oyster Perpetual, $750. Call 682-2525, Mrs. Anderson.

RCA VHS CAMCORDER, Hard case, light, tripod, battery pack, $500. 699-5127.

6' x 8' single axle, utility trailer with tilt bed. $400. 699-5127.

USED STAINED OAK cabinets for large kitchen, good shape. $750. 699-1243.

ODOR PROBLEM? Cat box? Shoes? Smoke? Call for a free Non-Scents® Demonstration. 694-4316.

ALL MUST GO! couch, chairs, barstools, dining set. To much to list. Best offer. Please call 570-7409.

100 GALLON FUEL TANK L shaped under tool box, electric pump and filter. $400. 694-7472.

LARGE IN GROUND HOT-TUB Complete with all equipment $500. 687-3470

CHILDREN'S Jungle Jim set: includes slide, firepole, sandbox, swing set, monkey bars, ladder, $1,100. 686-1904, evenings.

LAWNMOWERS for sale: 19" Toro, 22" Toro, 5 hp commercial, self propelled; Sears 20", Tiff mower, all have bags. Also Craftsman gas blower. Call for prices. 699-6378.

FOR SALE SHAVED Ice stand, 12x16 Building equipment and signs. $5,500. Call 697-2880.

BRIGHTLY COLORED Fixtures, with formica tops, counter, cash register bar stools, 685-0155, 683-6361, 687-2567.

BEAUTIFUL WOODEN table, for kitchen or game room with four cushion chairs. $150. Call 683-0960.

WATER Lillys, silver dollar plants, water poppies, other pawn plants. Gold fish and Koi. 4621 Sinclair, 697-4168.

CAP COLLECTOR'S SALE. Over 4,000 hats. Shelves too! Make Offer! 915-267-6707, 3705 Dixon, Big Spring.

19" REMOTE control color TV, $200; also 7" solid gold chain bracelet, $100. Call 697-0941.

GRACO Baby stroller, excellent condition, $50. Call 686-0390.

NEED COLLEGE MONEY!
Pickup camper shell $125
Running boards, lighted $50
AM/FM cassette car radio $30
electric range $150
quilted footstools $25
90% restored
1969 BMW, 2 door. $1,850
Glass lid Ball
canning jars ..... $8 each
Call 689-0274

SIDEWALK SALE, Saturday, June 8th, 9 - 4. 500 W. Front, Stanton. Antiques include wood and gas stoves, old silver dollars, steamer trunk, collars, hames, bits, spurs, etc. Scat Hovercraft. 1986 Chevy pickup and camper, much more.

MOVING OVER SEAS: Clean pop up camper trailer, $1,750; DP Airgometer exerciser, $175. Call 689-7504.

"COMPLIMENTS TO THE MIDLAND REPORTER-TELEGRAM CLASSIFIED"
Mr. Cary Caldwell placed his ad in the Miscellaneous Sales in Classified. "The first looker came and purchased our trampoline and it didn't take long for the rest of the items to sell. I am very pleased to give my compliments to The Midland Reporter Telegram. Classifieds DO WORK!!" said CARY CALDWELL

BEAUTIFUL SOFA aqua and green brocade like material, excellent condition. $175. Call 684-4975.

TREES
Large red and Live Oaks
Guaranteed and planted at 25% to 40% below retail
Tree farm 2 miles East of Airport on Hwy 80.
BIG TREE KOMPANY
561-8123

WON AS A PRIZE!!! Too many tv's! Brand new 20" GE color tv. 685-3532 after 5.

BENCH PRESS and complete weight set, very good condition. $100. Please call 699-0082.

KING BED, HEADBOARD, nightstands, set of sheets, cases, pillows, electric blanket, bedspread. $300 FIRM. 694-4443.

PORCH Swings, New, Heavy Duty, $30; Picnic Table, $45-$65; Dog Houses, $30-$40. 563-0452.

MOVING BOXES for sale. Cheap. Approximately 25, all sizes. Please call 697-5733.

CUSTOM built rocking baby crib. Baby gorilla couldn't shake it apart. Swivel TV stand and color TV, $30. Baby stroller, $15. Custom built meat smoker with firebox on wheels, $150. Classic antique motorcycle. Also, Kawasaki 900 and 1000 parts. All will be sold this weekend at some price! 520-6666.

415 Miscellaneous Wanted

WANTED: Good Used medium size refrigerator. White or almond. 699-4368 leave message.

Don't throw away that non-working portable color TV or VCR. It might be worth money. 697-1558 or 699-1454.

WANTED: Geri-chair, good condition. Call 682-3379, anytime.

420 Good Things To Eat

★ DELICIOUS homemade decorated cakes for parties, weddings, etc. Reasonably priced. Call Mickie Perkins, 694-8445.

CUSTOM PECAN SHELLING - Buy and sell in shell or shelled - Pick up and deliver. 682-4887.

460 Antiques and Art

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ESTATE SALE

EARLY AMERICAN TYPE furniture. Table and chairs, end tables, coffee table, beds, dresser.

CONSOLE TV, Washer and dryer (used only 3 months), sofa, recliner, cookware (Pyrex and Corningware) clothes, odds and ends.

At Antiques Etc.
15 Plaza Center
Garfield at Wadley

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430 Household Goods

WE need good used furniture. We pay extra. Call D & K New and Used for estimate. 4404 W. Illinois. 697-4847.

NEED good used furniture. Buy, sell & trade used furniture and appliances. Rowe's New & Used. 1211 S. Big Spring. 687-5966.

INSTANT CASH for your working and non-working appliances. Call 559-2943.

Refrigerator, Washer and Dryer, Freezer, Stove, Call 337-5335.

MATCHING sofa and love seat, navy, peach and rust colors. $325 both. Call 697-0076, evenings.

BEAR CAT Scanners and dining table, with 2 benches, for sale. Call 694-5412.

WHITE Westinghouse Stove and Oven, self-cleaning, almond, brand new, still in box. Paid $625, will take best offer. Call 694-5957.

FURNITURE sale: Bedroom, dining and living room furniture. Tuesday - Saturday. 2506-A College or 683-6324.

USED WASHERS & DRYERS
Sell, Buy or Trade. 30-Day Guarantee. 694-5310.

LIKE NEW ROPER washer, white, used only 2 months. $295. King size waterbed with pads, $125 or best offer. Call after 6 683-5026.

WHITE 30" Electric Stove, Litton Microwave on top, $400 CASH. 694-3377.

BASSET 6 drawer dresser with adjustable mirror for sale. Call 682-5920.

DREXEL BLONDE DINING TABLE, 6 chairs, unique style, solid wood, sturdy, 685-1800 after 5:30 M-F.

DOUBLE BED, with frame, like new, $175. 687-5039.

Matching blue SOFA and Chair, $150, Bunk beds with chest $100, piano, $350. 699-0145.

$300 Maple dining table and chairs, 3 pairs of drapes and draw string rods, new king sized rose bedspread, commercial picture frame. Call 694-0133.

SWIMMING POOL: 18' x 4', Sears Best. Ladder, filter, covers, etc. $500. Call 697-4606, evenings.

SIMMONS Hide-a-bed couch $195, heated waterbed $80, kitchen table $25, office desk and chairs $200, Sears kitchen stove like new $395, humidifier $15. 684-8511.

REFRIGERATOR 22' Side-by-Side, Ice maker, like new, coppertone, $300 cash. Call 570-0603.

DRAPERIES 80 x 84 winter white, open weaved, lined, excellent condition. $25. Call 697-7725.

COUNTRY ROSE KING SIZE Waterbed with under drawers, padded rails, sheets and comforter, $175. Light brown velvet couch, $100. 699-5352.

35 YARDS plush brown carpet, excellent condition. Padding included. Clean - good condition. $125. Call 682-2145.

10 PIECE PATIO SET, vanilla diamond bond surface, yellow, green, peach plaid cushions. New condition. $475. 694-3913.

SOUTHWESTERN DISHES: Franciscan Earthen ware, new condition, yellow and cream color, oven safe, 70 pieces. Beautiful. $165. 694-3913.

SEARS Side-by-side refrigerator freezer with ice maker 19 cubic feet $275. GE Freezer 15 cubic feet $200. 682-9190.

BEAUTIFUL 4 POSTER waterbed, complete. Excellent condition. $175. Call 689-0015 or 685-4128 before 5.

TRUNDLE bed set with special pop up feature, slept on twice, $385. 683-2972, after 5.

COUNTRY blue verticle blinds, made to fit sliding glass door, $400 new, asking $150. Call Pat, 682-1030.

440 Firewood

THE WOOD YARD. Oak, Mesquite, Pecan. 701 N. Fairgrounds. Call 686-8107 or 684-8918.

CUT SEASONED Mulberry firewood, you haul, $20 a cord and a half. 2812 Fannin 694-5277.

450 Sporting Goods

SHOOT SPORTING Clays, this type of shooting will help your game shooting. Windwalker Farm Sporting Clays. Open 6 days per week, closed Mondays. 694-2311

BETWEEN THE WALLS
1707 B. N. Big Spring.
(Behind Payless Cleaners) Midland, Tx. 79701. Month of June Special. Ruger P 85's blue, $289. Stainless, $319. with hard case and two clips. Just in time for Father's Day.

POOL table, regulation size, slate top, includes all accessories. Call 699-4304 days, after 5.

REMINGTON model 1100, 12 gauge, excellent condition, $375. Call days, 688-4545 or 689-6727 evenings.

460 Antiques and Art

LUCKY DOG COLLECTIBLES: Consign your antiques, furniture, misc. Proceeds to help animals. 3712 C West Wall.

ANTIQUES ETC - Fine collectibles, American oak, Victorian, cut crystal, unique furniture and more. Garfield and Wadley in Plaza Center, 11 a.m. - 6 p.m., Monday - Saturday, 1 - 5 p.m., Sunday. 682-9257.

COMPLETE ESTATE SERVICE
Sale, Auction or Appraisals
Years of Professional Experience
Dorthy 682-4840
Yvonne 683-2934

10-S/N G. Harvey framed prints. Including are " Boomtown Drifters ", " Pumpjack " and " Oil patch." Call 563-3031.

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ESTATE SALE

EARLY AMERICAN TYPE furniture. Table and chairs, end tables, coffee table, beds, dresser.

CONSOLE TV, Washer and dryer (used only 3 months), sofa, recliner, cookware (Pyrex and Corningware) clothes, odds and ends.

At Antiques Etc.
15 Plaza Center
Garfield at Wadley

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Merchandise

400	Auctions	460	Antiques & Art	510	Office Supplies
405	Garage/Yard Sales	470	Musical Instruments	520	Store, Shop, Cafe Equip.
410	Miscellaneous Sales	475	Crafts & Supplies	530	Air Cond. & Heating
415	Miscellaneous Wanted	480	Cameras & Supplies	540	Building Materials
420	Good Things To Eat	485	Radios, Stereo & TV	550	Portable Buildings
430	Household Goods	490	Computers & Access.	560	Machinery & Tools
440	Firewood	495	For Free	570	Oilfield Supplies
450	Sporting Goods	500	Pets & Supplies	580	Farm Equipment
		505	Livestock - Poultry		

400 Auctions

PUBLIC ESTATE AUCTION
SATURDAY, JUNE 8, 10:30 a.m. SUNDAY, JUNE 9, 2:00 p.m.
1705 WEST WALL, MIDLAND, TEXAS

The antiques are from the Estate of William & Betty Norton following are some of the items that have been in storage and not circulated for 15 years, newer items from Mrs. Kay Roam's.

Early 1900 pitcher and bowl, set of early Flo Blue dinner plates, Ruby Flash covered butter dish, coin collection, Fosteria separated bowls, Civil War nude print Chalois, Early oriental cooker, Rare depression glass, Royal Crown Derby Bone China, Early Birds of Paradise platter, Old Thread glass, RS Prussia Cut glass mustard jar, Early selection round & square butter molds, collection wall mounted early coffee grinders, early porcelain face wall mounted clock, large Silver Russian San A Bar, Early French statue - 18th century, early collection copper tea kettles, Silver overlay glassware, Booth china England, old Victorian silver plate, old hand held railroad lanterns, old candy factory copper cooking tub & pans, old covered cheese dishes, German bowls, Indian jewelry, Indian artifact, Charlie Russell bronze "Wolf with Bone", Golden Oak carved breakfast table, Golden Oak library table - heavily carved, chest of drawer with carved columns, large 6' 1840's chest, Eastlake marble entry way table with heavily carved mirror, Victorian arm chair, Early wooden barber shop chair, Golden Oak "T" back, Eastlake marble top sewing stand, Brass hall tree, Early English sink with pedestal with carved shell design, Standing bakers cabinet, primitive wash stand, Primitive tool cabinet, 1760's corner cabinet, carved oriental table, Early petticoat mirror on stand, Soda fountain dispenser, Exquisite Victorian bedroom suite with rose marble topchest drawer & blanket chest with original pull rings, Golden Oak buffet with carved lions, 1982 GE washing machine, 1982 GE electric dryer, OKee Merriott range double oven, 1 Emerson turn table microwave, large Kenmore electric refrigerator, 1 small GE freezer, 800 lots, merchandise too numerous to list. Many rare and collectable antiques.

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720 Homes For Sale

OWNER FINANCE - 202 North Dewberry, completely redone. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, enclosed patio, new carpet, tile and paint. Agent 697-4343.

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FANNIN (27B)-Nice family neighborhood, 3 BR, 1 3/4 BA, large master $62,900

FREDNA (29B)-Light and open 3 bedroom, beautifully landscaped, assumable $69,900

REDUCED

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By Owner
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FOR only $89,900, large 5 br, 4 ba, 3 living areas, 2 car garage. In north part of town.
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NON-QUALIFYING ASSUMPTION
Low Equity
Part financed by owner. Brick 3 br, 3 ba, ref a/c and central heat, sto & clos. Westside. So! So reasonable. Call
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730 Suburban Property

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