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Bush plans private farewell for Reagan

WASHINGTON (AP) — His inaugural festivities launched amid thunderous fireworks over a sea of lights on the capital Mall, George Bush is spending his final day as vice president with plans for a private goodbye to the man he says helped make it all possible.

"It won't be too easy," Bush said of what could be his final private moment with President Reagan before he takes the oath of office.

On the eve of his inauguration as the 41st president, Bush was to meet at the White House with the outgoing chief executive as the focus of the nation's leadership was already beginning to shift.

A twilight inaugural extravaganza at the stately Lincoln Memorial on Wednesday was marked by a flyover of Navy jets, a massive fireworks display and music by the Beach Boys and other groups. Many in the crowd waved penlights handed out for the event to represent Bush's campaign theme of "a thousand points of light."

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Bush told the crowd that Reagan will be a hard act to follow.

"I am following a great president and a great presidency," he said.

"We're not coming in to correct the ills of the past. We're coming in to build on a proud record."

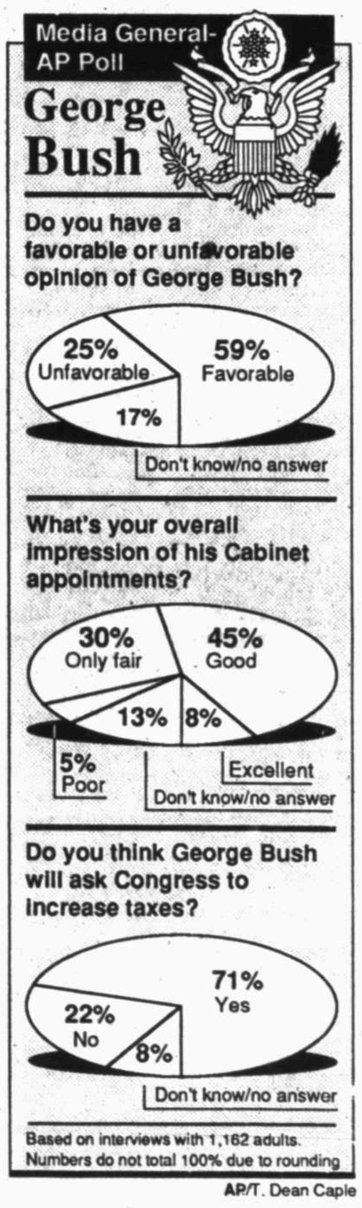
Bush tried to stress his commitment to social justice during several appearances Wednesday, as hundreds of homeless people protested outside the lavish banquets held for Republican boosters. Protesters outside one banquet at Union Station chanted "Feed the poor, not the rich."

"America is strong once again, but the job is not complete," Bush said at the Lincoln Memorial. "Some are still hurting. And we care."

The centerpiece of the day's activities is a $9 million nationally televised inaugural gala tonight before a black-tie audience of 12,000 people at the Kennedy Center.

The gala, to be attended by both Bush and Vice President-elect Dan Quayle, will include entertainment by some of the biggest stars in show business, including singers Frank Sinatra, Anita Baker, Julio Iglesias and Loretta Lynn; ballet dancers Susan Jaffe and Mikhail Baryshnikov; actor Chuck Norris; cellist Yo Yo Ma; and the Mormon Tabernacle Choir.

Bush also was to attend a morning youth inaugural celebration, was viewed as a possible drop-in guest at a salute to Barbara Bush and planned a private dinner in the evening with family and friends.



AP/T. Dean Caple

Bush favored but tax stand draws questions

NEW YORK (AP) — Americans have read his lips but expect George Bush to break his pledge of no new taxes, although a solid majority likes him anyway, a national poll has found.

Bush made opposition to taxes a cornerstone of his presidential campaign, and six in 10 respondents to the Media General-Associated Press poll agreed he should not seek a tax increase. But 71 percent said they think he will.

Even still, the survey found high approval ratings for Bush, who takes office Friday as the 41st president. Respondents voiced high expectations for his presidency and gave him strong marks for his cabinet choices.

A solid 59 percent said they viewed Bush favorably, precisely the same approval rate President Reagan received in a Media General-AP poll last spring. Only 25 percent rated Bush unfavorably; the rest withheld judgment.

Bush fared well in another comparison with his popular predecessor: Expectations for his presidency came close to the ratings of Reagan's performance in a Media General-AP poll conducted this fall.

Forty-eight percent in the new poll said Bush would be a good president and 13 percent said he would be excellent; this fall, 47 percent said Reagan would be recorded in history as a good president; 20 percent excellent.

The new poll was conducted by telephone Jan. 4-12 among a random sample of 1,162 adults nationwide. It has a 3-point margin of sampling error.

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School gunman 'hated' refugees

STOCKTON, Calif. (AP) — A drifter who opened fire with an assault rifle on a crowded schoolyard, killing five children of Southeast Asian refugees, hated Vietnamese immigrants and believed they were robbing native-born Americans of jobs, a former co-worker said.

Patrick Edward Purdy, who wounded 30 others at Cleveland Elementary School before committing suicide Tuesday, was "seething" when he spoke about Vietnamese workers, Steve Sloan said.

"He said he hated Vietnamese," Sloan said in an interview in today's editions of the Sacramento Bee.

"He seemed really frustrated ... because here he was, being barely able to hold onto a job. I got the impression that the guy had it in for other minority people because they're able to come into our country," said Sloan, who said he spoke with Purdy at Numeri Tech, a Stockton machine shop where the killer worked for a few months early last year.

The Bee also reported that Purdy tried to commit suicide in jail in 1987 and was described in a subsequent mental health report as "a danger to his health and others."

Purdy was carrying a book about the white supremicist group Aryan Nations when he was arrested for firing a 9mm Browning semiautomatic pistol at trees near Lake Tahoe in April 1987, the newspaper reported.

He told an El Dorado County Sheriff's deputy that it was his "duty to help the suppressed and to overthrow the suppressor," according to arrest reports cited by the paper.

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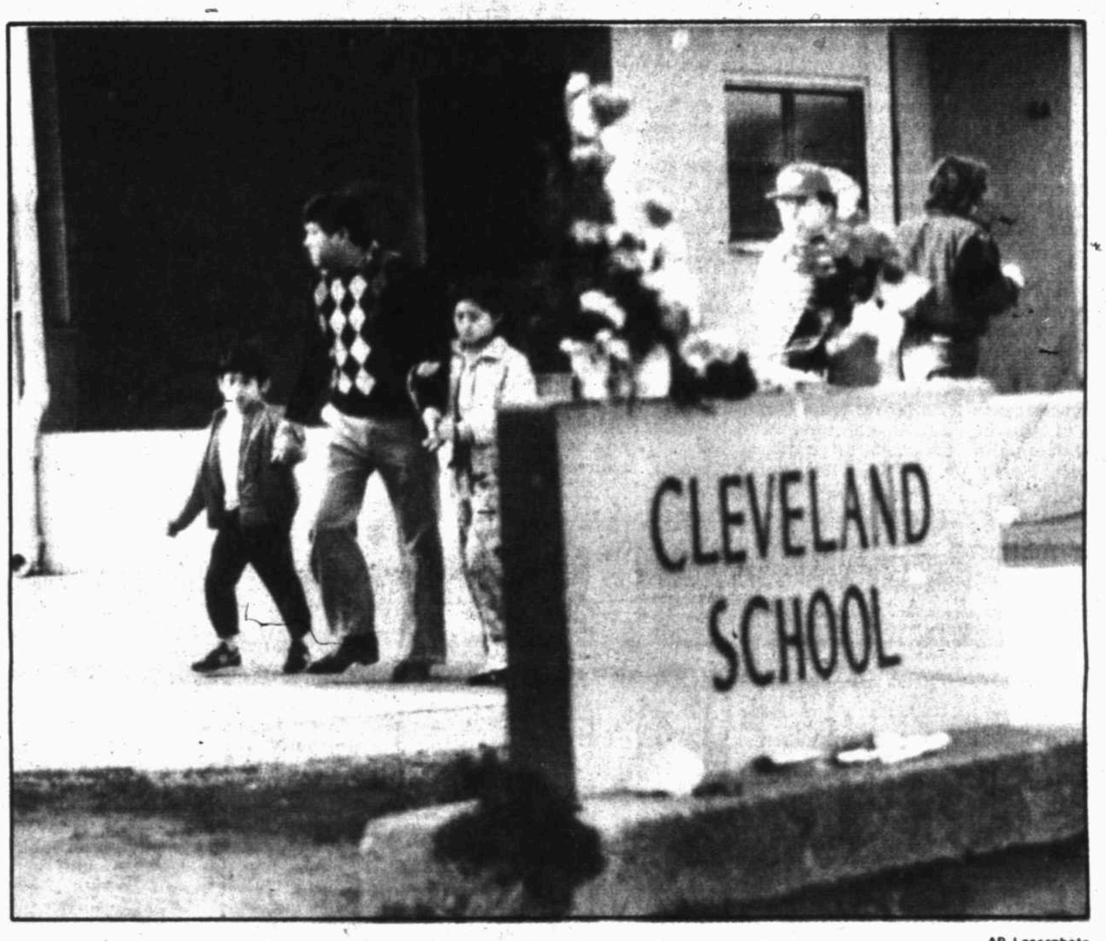
Once in jail, Purdy made a rope out of strips of his shirt, tried to hang himself but was discovered. He then tried to cut his wrists, the newspaper said.

In a subsequent mental health report, Purdy was described as dangerous and suffering from "mild mental retardation," the Bee also reported. Authorities say Purdy had a long criminal record

Investigators could not be reached for comment early today.

A woman who called herself Purdy's best friend said the killer, whose clothes and guns bore radical Islamic slogans, was prone to bleak moods "where he didn't want to live."

"He had a bizarre attitude, kind of paranoid," said Kelley Riley, 25, described by residents as Purdy's frequent companion in late 1987 and early 1988. "he wanted to make it on his own (as a welder) but he couldn't. He'd get upset at things. He'd get mad at himself."



AP Laserphoto

A man and two children approach Cleveland Elementary School in Stockton, Calif., scene Tuesday of a shooting in which five children and the gunman died and 30 persons were injured.

Will younger Bush make his own bid?

BEDFORD (AP) — Never mind that he has never held public office, his father's credentials make him a likely candidate for governor in 1990, according to some Texas political columnists.



Bush

The 42-year-old George W. Bush, a former Midlander and eldest son of the one who becomes president Friday, jokes that he's the right age to run for office, but insists he has no political plans to discuss.

But Texas columnists believe otherwise and often mention the longtime Texas oilman as a possible candidate for the Republican nomination for governor in 1990. Texas' current governor, Republican Bill Clements, has said he will not run again.

Bush's only political experience is an unsuccessful run for Congress from a West Texas district in 1978 and a successful stint as senior adviser to his father's 1988 presidential campaign.

"Those who liked me said I was the eyes and ears of the campaign," he said. "Those who didn't said I was the campaign's Bobby Kennedy. Either way I had a great experience, a fascinating time."

His father's campaign gave Bush some of the greatest moments of his life, he said, topped only by the birth of his twin daughters seven years ago.

At the Republican National Convention, Bush read the vote total of the Texas delegation, which put his father over the total required for nomination.

He said his brothers and sister have never minded being in the public eye or the rigors of the presidential campaign.

"We just felt like it was part of a mission and anything we could do to help, we would" he said, adding he would help again in four years if his father ran for re-election.

Bush grew up in Midland and Houston and served in the Texas Air National Guard. He formed a small oil company in 1975 after returning to Midland with a Harvard business degree.

The company slowly grew and in 1986 was merged with Harken Oil & Gas, now Harken Energy Corp., an independent explorer and marketer.

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Astronaut describes space flight

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

The spaceman enjoys his work seasoned with a touch of levity.

"I'm not a serious person at all," said the astronaut.



Gregory

But he was. He was both funny and serious on stage.

"My mother said that when I was growing up, I was in space," said U.S. Air Force Col. Frederick Gregory, a 48-year-old astronaut who has been around the world a time or two in the rocket-powered Space Shuttle.

"She said that's all I had between my ears."

Along with the laughs came the full attention of the audience — members of the Downtown Lions Club — Wednesday in the Midland Center.

Gregory was pilot of the Space Shuttle Challenger's April-May 1985 mission, STS-51-B, which was launched from the Kennedy Space Center in Florida.

In August, Gregory, a former test pilot and a 1964 U.S. Air Force Academy graduate, will be commander of a secret space journey around the Earth.

"To get in a program (NASA) like this, you have to be old and patient," said Gregory, who at age 37 in 1978 was selected as an astronaut candidate by the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. "There's not a lot of young people."

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Probe says insurance department 'inefficient'

AUSTIN (AP) — A two-month investigation of Texas' insurance department has concluded that the department is "dangerously mismanaged" and is rife with "waste, inefficiency, cronyism and patronage."

"The situation is intolerable," said state Sen. John Montford, D-Lubbock, in a letter attached to the report.

Montford, who initiated the investigation, also has urged Texas Gov. Bill Clements to demand the resignations of all three members of the State Board of Insurance, which oversees the department, The Dallas Morning News reported Thursday.

In his letter, Montford said the department's failure to regulate the insurance industry in Texas is "an open invitation to those intent on committing fraud to come to Texas and prey on unknowing insurance purchasers."

The report will be presented to Clements, Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and House Speaker Gib Lewis, D-Fort Worth.

The investigation turned up evidence that the agency has been "dangerously mismanaged" to the detriment of the consumers and the industry, the report said.

"The ultimate responsibility for this mismanagment should fall upon the board members themselves. Throughout this inquiry, they appeared to be either misinformed or uninformed."

The report also includes several proposals by Montford, chairman of the powerful Senate State Affairs Committee.

"We have not had an opportunity to see the report," the three board members said in a statement. "Neither the senator nor the committee's investigator has yet attempted to sit down with the board to discuss the contents of the report or the accuracy of any allegations raised."

Local elementary school student suspended for carrying a gun

By JULIE HILLRICHS
Staff Writer

An investigation by Midland school officials has resulted in the suspension of an elementary student who admitted carrying a gun to school last week, a district spokesman said Wednesday.

Ted Miller, coordinator of communications for the Midland Independent School District, confirmed that the Crockett Elementary School student — reportedly a sixth-grader — admitted to bringing the weapon to class last Friday.

Because the student is under 18 years old, school officials were withholding his name, age and grade level.

The MISD spokesman would not say whether the weapon — which he described as a "small" handgun — was loaded or unloaded.

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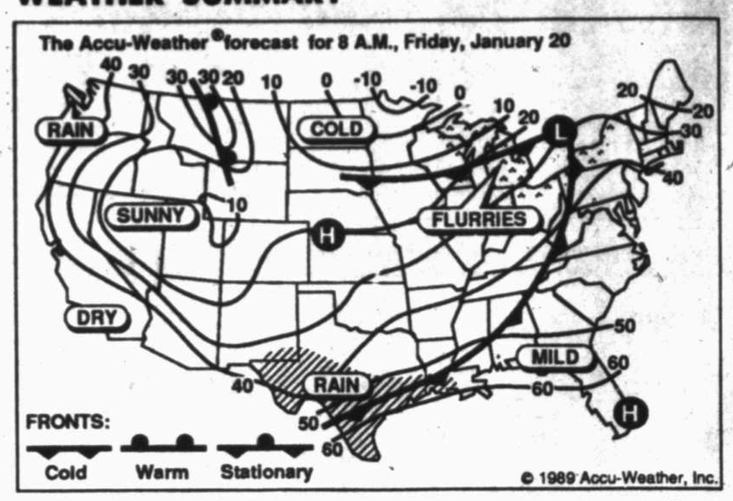
Thirty percent chance of showers tonight; northeast winds 15-20 mph and gusty. Details on Page 2A.

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WEATHER SUMMARY



Chance of showers noted

From Staff and Wire Reports

A 30 percent chance of showers exists tonight for the Midland area, according to the National Weather Service at Midland International Airport. Otherwise, skies will be partly cloudy. Winds will be northeasterly 15-20 mph and gusty, the low will be in the lower 30s.

Friday will be mostly sunny with the high in the middle 50s and easterly winds 5-15 mph.

Wednesday's high of 68 was nine degrees cooler than the record high of 77 set for that date in 1982. The overnight low of 39 was 31 degrees warmer than the record low of eight set for this date in 1963.

STATE

A flash flood watch was in effect across Southeast Texas through tonight because heavy rain was possible across an area that has received as much as four inches of rainfall.

Forecasters say the ground in the watch area is saturated and said they fear that additional rainfall, expected to be as much as 2-4 inches, could cause flash flooding.

The watch area was east and south of a Palacios-Columbus-Toledo Bend line and included the greater Houston-Galveston metropolitan areas as well as the Golden Triangle area of Beaumont-Port Arthur and Orange.

Elsewhere forecasts called for mostly cloudy skies around the state and for more rain across the southern part of the state through tonight.

Lows tonight will be in the 20s and 30s in West Texas, in the 30s and 40s across North Texas and in the 50s and 60s in South Texas.

Highs Friday will be in the 50s across most of West Texas except in the Big Bend area where readings will be in the 60s, in the 50s in North Texas and in the 50s and 60s in South Texas.

Dense fog was reported early today in South Texas and North Central Texas. The fog reduced visibility to a sixteenth of a mile across extreme South Texas.

Early morning temperatures were in the 20s and 30s in the Panhandle, in the 40s in North Texas and extreme West Texas and in the 50s and 60s in South Texas. Extremes ranged from 24 at Dalhart to 67 at both Brownsville and McAllen.

NATION

Light snow fell in North Dakota and Minnesota today as rain and snow were scattered along the Northeast coast.

Scattered rain fell across southern sections of Louisiana and Texas, and fog covered parts of southern Texas, Nevada and the central valleys of California.

Strong winds whipped the mountains of north central Colorado, with gusts up to 65 mph recorded near Boulder.

Light snow and strong northwesterly winds reduced visibilities in North Dakota and Minnesota. Advisories for blowing snow were in effect in eastern North Dakota and northern Minnesota, with winds up to 35 mph expected.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Tonight: 30 percent chance of showers, otherwise partly cloudy, northeast winds 15-20 mph and gusty, low in the lower 30s. Friday: Mostly sunny, high in the middle 50s, easterly winds 5-15 mph.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS

Yesterday's High	68 degrees
Overnight Low	39 degrees
Sunset today	6:11 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:48 a.m.
Precipitation	
Last 24 hours	0 inches
This month to date	06 inches
Year to date	06 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES

6 a.m.	34	6 p.m.	59
7 a.m.	34	7 p.m.	49
8 a.m.	32	8 p.m.	45
9 a.m.	38	9 p.m.	47
10 a.m.	48	10 p.m.	49
11 a.m.	52	11 p.m.	49
noon	57	midnight	47
1 p.m.	61	1 a.m.	46
2 p.m.	64	2 a.m.	43
3 p.m.	65	3 a.m.	43
4 p.m.	68	4 a.m.	42
5 p.m.	66	5 a.m.	42
		6 a.m.	41

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Abilene	65	37	
Alice	65	59	1.23
Amarillo	62	26	
Austin	61	56	0.01
Beaumont-Port Arthur	59	55	1.96
Beeville	68	60	0.11
Brownsville	77	63	
Bryan-College Station	58	55	0.12
Childress	66	33	
Corpus Christi	69	60	0.60
Cotulla	67	58	0.20
Dalhart	59	24	
Dallas	67	51	
Del Rio	68	56	0.11
El Paso	68	34	
Fort Worth	64	45	
Galveston	68	58	1.42
Hondo	71	56	
Houston Hobby	66	58	2.45
Junction	72	49	
Kingsville	70	61	0.51
Laredo	65	58	
Longview	58	54	
Lubbock	65	24	
Lufkin	57	54	0.17
Marfa	66	37	0.07
McAllen	75	66	0.01
Midland-Odessa	68	41	
Mineral Wells	65	41	
Palacios	68	60	0.78
San Angelo	70	38	
San Antonio	68	56	
Stephenville	63	46	
Texarkana	65	42	
Victoria	65	59	0.65
Waco	64	55	
Wichita Falls	66	34	
Wink	68	37	

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albany,N.Y.	42	36		sn
Albuquerque	56	30		clr
Anchorage	-02	-19		cdy
Atlanta	62	40		cdy
Atlantic City	51	34		cdy
Baltimore	56	33		clr
Boise	43	20		clr
Boston	43	35		cdy
Buffalo	45	34		sn
Casper	43	28		clr
Charleston,S.C	65	46		cdy
Chicago	45	25		cdy
Cincinnati	53	27		cdy
Dayton	51	32		cdy
Denver	58	32		clr
Detroit	47	34		cdy
Flagstaff	44	20		clr
Grand Rapids	41	31		sn
Great Falls	47	26		clr
Honolulu	82	68		clr
Indianapolis	52	27		cdy
Jackson,Miss	58	44		cdy
Kansas City	56	35		clr
Las Vegas	64	37		clr
Little Rock	65	35		clr
Los Angeles	81	53		clr
Louisville	57	30		cdy
Memphis	62	35		clr
Milwaukee	41	28		cdy
Mpls-St Paul	31	22		cdy
Nashville	62	32		clr
New Orleans	66	56	29	rn
New York City	50	40	04	rn
Oklahoma City	63	33		clr
Omaha	52	34		clr
Philadelphia	54	32		cdy
Phoenix	75	44		clr
Pittsburgh	48	37		cdy
Reno	47	23		clr
Richmond	61	38		cdy
St Louis	57	37		clr
Salt Lake City	36	10		cdy
San Diego	76	49		clr
San Francisco	65	48		clr
Sioux Falls	43	32		clr
Spokane	48	31		cdy
Syracuse	46	38	.02	sn
Topeka	58	26		clr
Tucson	72	39		clr
Tulsa	63	30		clr
Washington,D.C.	55	36		clr
Wichita	62	28		clr

County forecasts

Midland, Ector, Glasscock, Upton, Reagan, Crane, Gaines, Andrews, Dawson, Borden, Martin and Howard counties: Tonight, scattered showers this evening, otherwise partly cloudy with brisk northeast winds from 15 to 20 mph and gusty. Low in the lower 30s. Chance of rain 30 percent. Friday, mostly sunny with a high in the mid 50s. East wind 5 to 15 mph.

Sterling, Coke, Irion and Tom Green counties: Tonight, scattered showers mainly this evening, otherwise mostly cloudy with a low in the mid 30s. Brisk northeast winds from 15 to 20 mph and gusty developing during the evening. Chance of rain 50 percent. Friday, a 20 percent chance of morning showers, otherwise decreasing clouds with a high in the mid 50s. Northeast wind 10 to 15 mph.

Miami appears 'calm'

MIAMI (AP) — Police patrolled in caravans and monitored only occasional gunshots, fires and window-breakings today. City leaders, who set up a panel to investigate the shooting blamed for two nights of racial rioting, expressed hope that the worst was over.

"It's really quiet," police spokesman David Rivero said today. "We still have a perimeter around Overtown, about a two-square mile area. We're just letting in residents or people who belong there. Liberty City is completely open — nothing happened there last night."

He said police made about 30 arrests Wednesday night and early today, making it a night of marked contrast to Tuesday, when 325 youths were taken into custody, most for looting.

"There's nothing left to loot in there, and they've already shot out most of the street lights," said Coral Gables police Sgt. Wayne Harris. He was part of a 26-man force assembled to sweep the adjacent Coconut Grove neighborhood on Miami's south side after seven or eight gunshots were heard and two Molotov cocktails were tossed into roadways.

The sweep was called off, however, because the area quieted.

A few highway exit ramps remained blocked, and parts of Miami were still cordoned off at night.

In the Liberty City area on the city's north side, police received reports of car fires, smashed store windows, a minor fire at a fast-food restaurant and some rock- and bottle-throwing.

And in the Overtown section just north of downtown, where the riots began Monday night, a police "field force" took time for box lunches and television viewing on the hoods of squad cars.

City commissioners, meeting in emergency session Wednesday, appointed a panel with subpoena power to investigate the fatal shooting of an unarmed, 23-year-old black motorcyclist by a Hispanic policeman. And the sister of the motorcyclist's passenger, who died after the vehicle crashed, made a televised appeal for an end to the violence.

"Put down your weapons — I do not want my brother to be remembered with the riots," Claudia Lubrin said on local television.

The rioting that followed the killing has left one person dead, eight shot, about 20 buildings burned and numerous others looted in the black neighborhoods.

It also has left image-conscious city officials scrambling to minimize the impact on Sunday's Super Bowl. The Cincinnati Bengals remained at their downtown hotel, just blocks from the Overtown disturbances.

"What has happened the last two days has certainly taken the glitter off the Super Bowl," said Dick Anderson, a former Miami Dolphin player and chairman of a host city committee spending $2 million this week to enhance Miami's image.

"That's really what life is over there," said Bengals quarterback Boomer Esiason. "It really puts this game in perspective."

Police deployed about 450 officers, and worked to meet sporadic outbreaks of violence with shows of force. "Field forces" of officers clad in bullet-proof vests and riot gear were stationed on the edge of the riot-torn neighborhoods. Caravans of squad cars raced through the areas, and SWAT teams searched for troublemakers.

"We hope we can normalize and go back to routine patrolling," said Deputy Police Chief Walter Martinez. "We don't like being out here 12 hours and being shot at."

Speaking at the city commission meeting, Mayor Xavier Suarez apologized to police "for actions that may have endangered their lives unduly."

Suarez didn't elaborate at the meeting, but he told The New York Times that he may have erred when he allowed the sister of the dead motorcyclist to view her brother's body shortly after he was shot Monday night, the Times reported today. He said her reaction appeared to incite a group of nearby youths, who showered police with bottles.

"I took the sister over to the deceased," Suarez said. "I should have done that under more controlled circumstances. All the kids followed me. Things got out of hand. I don't believe what I did was the trigger. In fact, I may have helped for a while by going there and talking to people."



AP Laserphoto

Energy Secretary John Herrington, seated, signs documents officially selecting the site proposed by Texas for the Superconducting Super Collider. Looking on are, from left, Rep. Martin Frost, Sen. Phil Gramm, Texas Gov. Bill Clements and Rep. Joe Barton.

It's official: Texas to get SSC site

WASHINGTON (AP) — Texas has officially been named the winner of the seven-state battle to host a proposed $5.9 billion superconducting super collider.

Energy Secretary John Harrington Wednesday signed an official "record of decision" during a ceremony attended by Texas Gov. Bill Clements.

The official action certifies the decision build the massive physics installation around the city of Waxahachie, about 25 miles south of Dallas.

The collider is envisioned as a 53-mile underground ring that would use 10,000 magnets to whirl beams of protons into each other at energy levels 20 times what is now possible.

The facility will be used by scientists to explore the nature of matter and energy. It is to be called the Ronald Reagan Center for High-Energy Physics, although it remains uncertain whether Congress will give the go-ahead to begin construction.

Congress agreed last year to spend $100 million on the collider, but it decreed that none of the money be spent on construction. In his budget proposal for the coming fiscal year, President Reagan requested $250 million for the collider, including $90 million for research and development and $160 million for construction.

SPACE

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Of the seven-member crew in the 1985 flight, he, at 44, was next to the youngest. The oldest astronaut was 59.

"There is no retirement age. You just go, go, go until you can't do it anymore," he said.

Once on board and ready for take-off beyond the wild blue yonder, Gregory recalled: "You're lying on your back (in chairs); your feet are straight up.

You've just got to lie there (for two hours), and you look out the window and you see everybody evacuating" just before blast-off.

"We really don't do an awful lot" while patiently awaiting liftoff. "The people on the outside at the Kennedy Space Center in Florida are the ones who are actually monitoring and conducting the launch activities," he said. "We just kind of sit there. We don't do anything until about five or six minutes before liftoff when we start our hydraulics units — our auxiliary power units. I went to sleep to show you how excited I was about the whole thing. I was lying on my back, and they had to shake me to wake me up."

There was amusement among the Lions.

"The clock is counting down. Everybody on the outside knows that, but we don't hear anything inside," he said. Then, "five seconds before lift-off, the main engines (fueled by hydrogen and oxygen) start."

He sort of apologized, since Midland, like Houston and site of the Lyndon B. Johnson Space Center, is fueled economically by petroleum.

"I'm sorry it's not Texaco or Conoco or any of those companies," he said. "They say it's just old hydrogen and oxygen."

The blast comes. The engines spool up.

"It takes them a little while, about four or five seconds to come up to a 100 percent for top speed."

The 4½-million-pound space vehicle is powered by 6½ million pounds of thrust.

"It's got a pretty decent thrust-to-weight ratio — meaning it goes that way (up) fast."

"Now, from where I was, I thought we were pushing the Earth away from us. It felt like that inside."

He, again, remembered his mother, who was watching the blast-off four miles away.

"My mother thought that everything was exploding, and her poor son was dying."

"We rise up like this, and roll and pitch and fly right over you — the Atlantic Ocean," he motioned as if in flight. "It's not one of these skin-ripping accelerations. It's very gentle inside." Outside, there are vibrations and much shaking.

Soon, the spacecraft is at 70,000 feet and is flying at five times the speed of sound. Then, it moves up to 17,500 mph at Mach 25 about 220 miles above the Earth.

In space, the astronauts are at "zero Gs (gravity). Everything floats up: your hands, pencil, all the washers the guys left on board. All the debris. Everything."

"We had a bathroom," he said. "It never worked for seven days."

His audience laughed.

"You think that's fun: Imagine being in space for seven days with no toilet and no trees to go behind. It caused problems. That's probably the only place where you need gravity."

More laughs.

In a no-gravity atmosphere, at a comfortable 72 degrees and sea-level atmosphere in the spacecraft, "You don't walk in space at all. You don't use anything from your gut down. Everything is with your hands."

Food is OK. "Everybody has chocolate pudding. Gone are the days of Tang."

Gregory dressed in shorts and T-shirts.

"You can dress however you like: up or down."

And "in order to get anything done, you had to hold yourself down," he said.

"There is no up or down in space. We all know the floor is down, and the sky is up. Your head is up; your feet are down.

In space, "We look at the stars, and see what our solar system has been, will be."

The astronauts conducted experiments.

"Space looks like black velvet with diamonds on it with a spotlight on it — beautiful."

And the spacecraft orbits the Earth in 90 minutes.

"You're going so fast," he recalled, "days are 45 minutes long." And so are the nights.

POLL

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Although many respondents were unfamiliar with Bush's nominees for his Cabinet, those who did have opinions were strongly positive. Overall, 45 percent said their impression was that the Cabinet was a good one and 8 percent called it excellent.

The poll found a limited desire for more women or minority nominees to the Cabinet, with 70 percent saying race and sex were irrelevant. Bush has picked two women, one black and two Hispanics for Cabinet-level jobs.

Former Transportation Secretary Elizabeth Dole, nominated as secretary of labor, was the best known and best liked of Bush's more prominent nominees. Sixty-six percent viewed her favorably.

James A. Baker III, nominated as secretary of state, received a 57-7 favorable-unfavorable rating, the rest having no opinion; former Rep. Jack Kemp, picked for secretary of housing, scored 52-10; and Attorney General Dick Thornburgh, who is keeping his position, 51-7.

BUSH

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After the presidential campaign, Bush moved his wife Laura and daughters Barbara and Jenna to Dallas and took an office at Harken's Bedford headquarters.

Now Harken's second largest individual stockholder, Bush serves as a consultant to the company's chief executive officer, Mikel Faulkner, on mergers, acquisitions and special projects.

Bush said he believes both politics and the oil business are exciting, but finds them different.

"The only parallel I can find is the thrill of the chase. With oil, you drill a well, you're outside, dealing with good folks, less sure of what the outcome will be," Bush said. "Politics is really different. It has a clear, specific end, winning on Election Day."

Bush believes his life will change little with his father in the White House, but said, "I'm probably going to be judged at a little higher standard now.

"I'm comfortable with that. I'm not a naive fellow. I feel fully prepared."

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Miller said none of the school's faculty or administration actually saw a firearm in the student's possession; and added that the incident was not reported to Crockett Principal Roberto Banda until after the school day ended.

"It was only after the school day, when some students told their parents (that they had seen the gun), that the principal was notified," Miller said.

So far, investigators have yet to determine the youth's motive for bringing the weapon to the school campus, said Miller, noting that there were no confirmed threats made by the youth against any of the school's students or faculty members.

Miller said the youth was serving out a suspension in accordance with the school district's Discipline Management Plan, which provides a range of penalties for offenses committed by Midland students.

In this case, the presence of a weapon on campus "is a Level 4 offense — a serious offense — that requires us to notify" law enforcement agencies, he said in reference to the state-mandated policy.

Midland Police spokesman Cpl. Jim White said a full-blown police department investigation, wouldn't be initiated unless "the school district can come up with someone who saw the gun in the student's possession or someone who has personal knowledge that a threat had been made."

White said school officials notified juvenile detectives about the incident Monday.

Miller said improper behavior of any student, regardless of their action, is usually addressed by the school district's counselors and other appropriate staff people.

MISD Superintendent Dr. Joseph P. Baressi, in a prepared statement released this morning, said parents can be assured that a number one priority of the school district is the safety of every child.

"The actions (the suspension of the youth and the subsequent investigation) that are being taken and will be taken are shaped by this priority and this concern," he said.

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Texas therapist teaches students to put on 'Thinking Caps'

BEAUMONT (AP) — "Adam, how do you wake up your ears?" Beth Rhodes asked her 10-year-old son.

With a shy smile, the youngster began gently tugging and rubbing his ears from the top to the bottom.

Massage therapist Janelle Arrington said the exercise, called "The Thinking Cap," helps Adam to listen and concentrate better.

Massaging the ears is one of several exercises included in brain gym, a series of subtle movements and exercises designed to help children and adults relax or turn on specific sections of the brain, Arrington said.

"There are different areas of the brain responsible for different processes," Arrington said. "We do movements to stimulate specific portions of the brain."

Arrington uses the brain gym system developed by California educators Paul and Gail Dennison. A person does specific movements to activate the portions of the brain that are responsible for such skills as reading, writing, speaking or mathematics.

Linking specific body movements with certain mental processes also is referred to as educational kinesiology or Edu-K for short.

Brain gym helps people who have trouble getting both the right and left sides of their brains to work together smoothly, Arrington said. A child who must switch off one side of the brain to switch on the other can have trouble with activities such as reading that require both sides working in unison.

Brain gym tries to repattern the mental processes of children who can use only one side of their brains at a time with exercises that require them to use both the right and left sides of their bodies, she said.

One such exercise is the cross-crawl, in which a person stands, alternately raises each knee and tries to touch it with the opposite hand.

To help with reading and writing, children can trace a figure eight lying on its side, first using each hand, then using both hands together. In a similar exercise called "The Elephant," they also can extend their arms, press their heads to their shoulders and trace the "lazy eights" to help improve reading, listening and math skills.

Other exercises help to relax the bundle of nerve cells that connect the two halves of the brain so they can work together better, Arrington said.

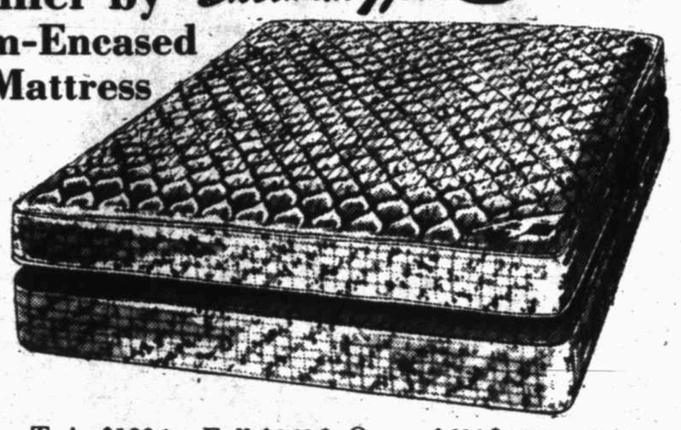
Arrington teaches brain gym in workshops for educators. In individual sessions, she conducts four weekly sessions to introduce brain gym, then meets with her clients once a month for follow-ups.

But for the best results, Arrington said the parents and, if possible, the whole family should do the exercises together with the child.

Rhoades said she was a little skeptical about brain gym at first. But she had tried other types of testing and tutoring with little success for Adam, who has lost much of his eyesight except for some peripheral vision.

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Former U.S. Marines Frank Noe, of Stoughton, Mass., right, and Nate Genna, of Boston, look over an unexploded 105 mm. artillery shell Wednesday in Khe Sanh, Vietnam. The shell was left there by Marines in 1968. The men are part of a group of six ex-servicemen who came as volunteers to help get rid of mines they had sown as young soldiers.

Six ex-Marines return to remedy war's effects

EDITOR'S NOTE: Six former U.S. Marines are in Vietnam on a sentimental visit to remember dead comrades and to help get rid of mines they planted two decades ago. Here is a report on their journey by George Esper, who spent 10 years covering the Vietnam War for The Associated Press and is on his second reporting trip there since.

BY GEORGE ESPER
AP Special Correspondent

KHE SANH, Vietnam — Twenty-one years ago in what is now only a heap of red dirt, U.S. Marines were crying out, "Corpsman! Corpsman! We've got wounded here!" as hundreds of artillery shells rained in on them.

It was here at Khe Sanh that U.S. Marines withstood a 77-day North Vietnamese siege in the winter and spring of 1968 in a classic battle of the Vietnam War, suffering more than 200 men killed and 1,600 wounded out of a garrison of 5,500.

Six of their former comrades, some of whom fought here, returned Tuesday to walk the same battlefield still strewn with shell casings and other leavings of war and to honor the men who died.

Standing in the fog-shrouded valley, in what was once the center of the base, restricted to a red dirt road because of land mines still around the area, surrounded by children, the Marines unfurled the American flag.

"There is no greater love than a man to give his life for another man," said Frank Noe, 40, of Stoughton, Mass., who served at Khe Sanh during the start of the siege. He then led the others in The Lord's Prayer.

"God bless all of those who gave their life at Khe Sanh," Noe said after the brief ceremony. "It's just a shame so many guys lost their lives not only here but all over the country.

"This was a hellhole, a pretty scary place to be. I sort of get that eerie feeling I had the last time I walked through this place. It brings back a little of that, especially with all this fog around."

All six were deeply moved as they visited Khe Sanh, one of a string of bases at which they served just below what was once the demilitarized zone that divided Vietnam into North and South at the 17th parallel during the war. The country was reunified in 1975 when with the Vietnamese communists' victory.

Gen. William C. Westmoreland, the former commander of U.S. forces in Vietnam, once characterized Khe Sanh as an important cork that bottled up North Vietnamese troops from moving eastward the south's populated coastal regions.

The Americans abandoned Khe Sanh after the siege was lifted and engineers from the 11th Marines, a battalion in which five of the men revisiting the site served, bulldozed the base.

The battalion planted 100,000 land mines, and the six Americans came to Vietnam to help get rid of those that remain concealed. They do not carry any equipment, but wanted to point out likely sites where mines may be concealed.

"This is a trip for me and all the other veterans to put this time in our lives to rest and say the land's at peace, the war's over, there's reconciliation between Vietnamese and Americans," said Mike Wallace, a 41-year-old farmer from Langdon, Kansas.

"I think we feel true peace now," said Gene Spanos, a 39-year-old police lieutenant from Rosemont, Ill., who organized Vietnam Revisited.

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Polish leader wins vote of confidence after Solidarity flap

WARSAW, Poland (AP) — Gen. Wojciech Jaruzelski won a confidence vote after he offered to resign over his government's controversial offer to reinstate Solidarity.

Soldarity chairman Lech Walesa did not immediately comment on Wednesday's vote by the Communist Party's governing Central Committee on a resolution to end the seven-year ban on the trade union.

During an acrimonious debate, the Central Committee spent two days devising conditions for restoring legal status to Solidarity — Poland's most potent opposition force and the only independent labor movement ever allowed in the Soviet bloc.

Prime Minister Mieczyslaw Rakowski has offered to legalize Solidarity for a two-year trial on condition it declare support for socialism, observe a strike moratorium and give up Western financial aid, which has exceeded $1 million a year. He recommended the offer so long as the union agrees to act as a partner, not a "political opponent."

Some Solidarity activists have described the conditions as unacceptable, even "laughable," saying the right to strike is fundamental to a trade union.

Wednesday, chief party ideologist Marian Orzechowski said the Central Committee had paved the way for granting the union movement legal status.

"We don't know the reaction of the other side yet," he said on state radio. "But I think that the most important thing has been said. The 'magic word' (legalization) is used in the document...The basic barrier that has been blocking all practical steps was overcome."

The Central Committee passed the resolution on political and union freedoms by a vote of 143-42.

In Washington, State Department spokesman Charles Redman said the Polish leadership's "stated willingness to relegalize the Solidarity trade union under certain conditions is a step forward...Relegalization would be a major achievement on the road to Poland's reform and recovery."

Solidarity, born during the summer of 1980 in a wave of strikes nationwide, was crushed in a December 1981 military crackdown and banned in 1982.

But the movement that once claimed the membership of one in three Poles has remained active, first as an underground organization, then increasingly in the open. Recently, Walesa has been treated as a member of the "constructive opposition" whose views are carried by the state-run media.

In an unusually candid description of the Central Committee debate, the official PAP news agency reported "accusations that party policy was incomprehensible, faulty and often contradictory of the expectations and view of party members."

The agency said the doubts of committee members were justified by the "bad experiences" of 1980 and 1981, when Solidarity pressured the government with strike threats.

The accusations prompted Jaruzelski, Rakowski and other members of the party's ruling Politburo to offer to step down, the news agency said. But the 230-member Central Committee gave Jaruzelski's government a unanimous vote of confidence with four abstentions.

It was the first time the government reported such a resignation offer, reflecting the recent policy of more official openness.

Poles read an unusually frank discussion of the party fight in today's official newspapers. State radio told listeners they should look in Friday's editions for the full text of the resolution on union freedoms.

Also today, the executive committee of Poland's official trade union alliance, known by its Polish initials OPZZ, met to discuss the Central Committee's actions.

Stanislaw Ciosek, a party trade union expert, told the executive committee that the union freedoms are necessary because of the "social forces in our country," according to a radio report. The OPZZ will consult with members on the issue and announce its position in a week, the report said.

Walesa has insisted that the government clearly state its willingness to legalize Solidarity.

Law requires outsiders to learn Estonian

MOSCOW (AP) — In a bid to protect the native language, the tiny republic of Estonia has decreed that all Russians and other non-natives who work in stores, government or other service jobs learn Estonian in four years.

The restive Baltic republic's Legislature voted Wednesday by 204-50, with six abstentions, to adopt the unprecedented law, said Felix Undusk, a commentator for state-run Estonian television. People who fail to comply will lose their jobs, he said.

It was another pioneering move by Estonia's Legislature, which in November challenged the central government in Moscow by declaring sovereignty over all but foreign affairs.

There was no immediate reaction from the Kremlin to Estonia's latest action. Official Soviet media reported on the new law, but did not mention the sanctions against workers who do not learn Estonian.

Radio Moscow said the republic's Supreme Soviet adopted a law making Estonian the official language but that the law "points out that such a status does not infringe on the rights of people whose mother tongue is not Estonian."

Estonia's standard of living, enviably high by Soviet standards, has led to an influx of immigrants, and many Estonians fear they will one day be outnumbered in their own homeland.

About 65 percent of Estonia's population of 1.5 million is ethnic Estonian. Russians make up 28 percent, Ukrainians 3 percent and Byelorussians 2 percent.

"This law means that if I go to the doctor, or ask a policeman where the post office is, I can get an answer in Estonian," Undusk said in a telephone interview from Tallinn, the Estonian capital. "For Estonians, this is important. This is the only place in the world where our language is spoken."

Undusk said there had been "a great deal of immigration in past years, and there are people who work in post offices, medical clinics and factories who don't speak Estonian and have never tried."

"This law will change that by requiring them to learn the language. If they don't after four years, they will have to leave their jobs."

He said another provision of the law requires all goods sold in the republic to be labeled in Estonian.

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"If we could just say this to every Vietnam veteran who served in Vietnam that, 'Peace is here, peace should be at home amongst us all.' They should have their own peace. There's no more war here. It's over with."

The Marines were on an unofficial goodwill mission of their own that they planned for more than a year. In inspecting their former bases, they found that land mines they planted more than 20 years ago to protect them from attack still posed a danger to civilians.

"This is just a moment in our life we're always going to treasure, a chance to come back," said Spanos.

"It unloaded some excess baggage that I didn't really know I was still carrying around," said Nate Genna, a 41-year-old maintenance man from Boston. "We did confirm some serious problems do exist here as a result of our actions and we want as much attention brought to them as possible."

William Johnson, a 41-year-old electric sign maker from Manchester, Conn., said it was a good feeling for him to return without any fear of danger.

"I feel some reward by this trip," said Johnson. "I feel I have first-hand information about what's happening here, the chance of people being injured in certain areas. These are questions I've had. It's people that had nothing to do with the war that are suffering. It's 20 years later, there's no war going on and children who weren't even around during the war are exposed to danger."

Some of the men picked up Khe Sanh war remnants as mementos to take home, including a rusted American helmet.

As Johnson left the base, he picked up a piece of scrap metal, the remains of a mess kit, and cradled it in his hands.

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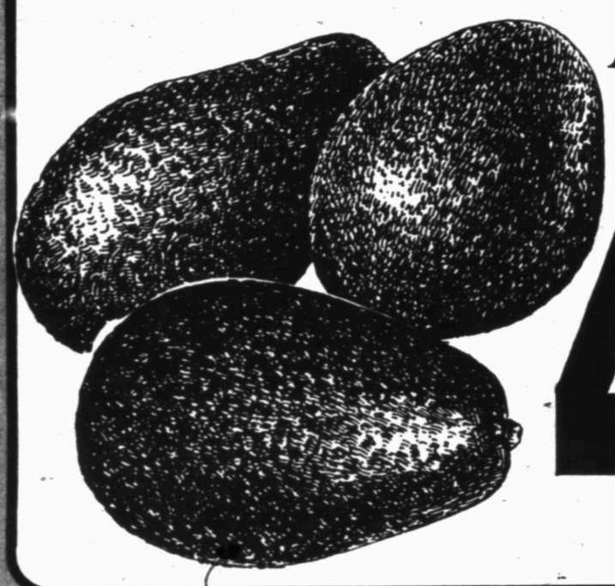


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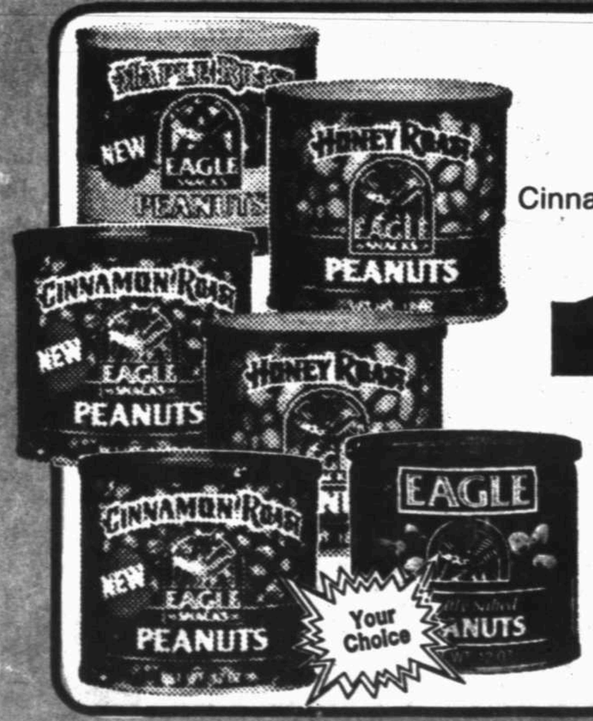


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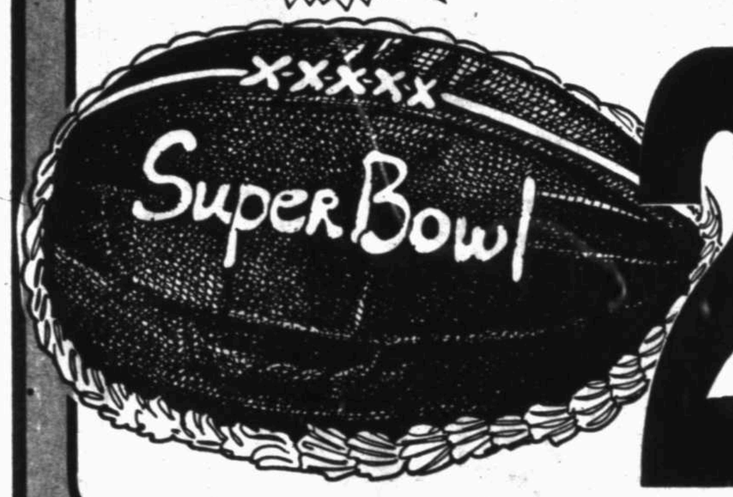
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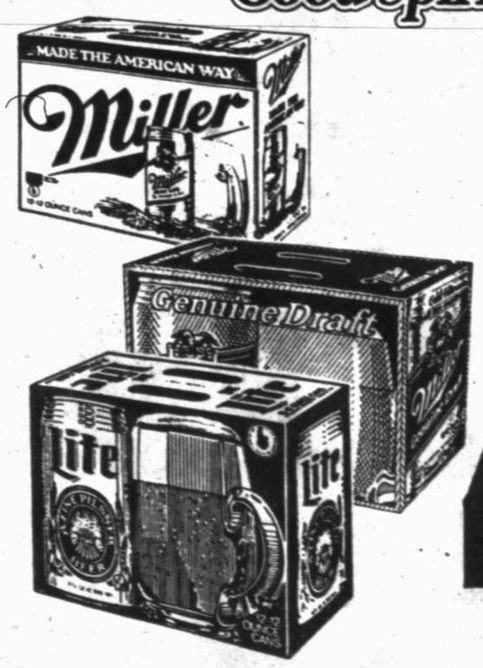


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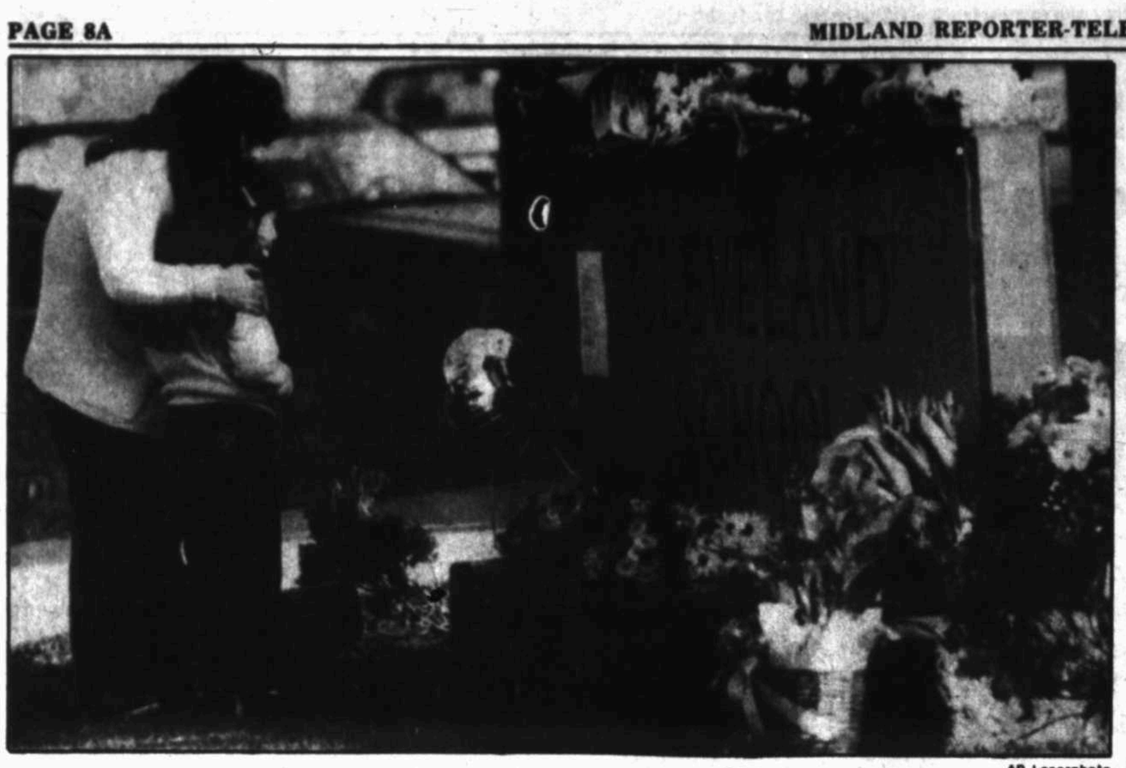
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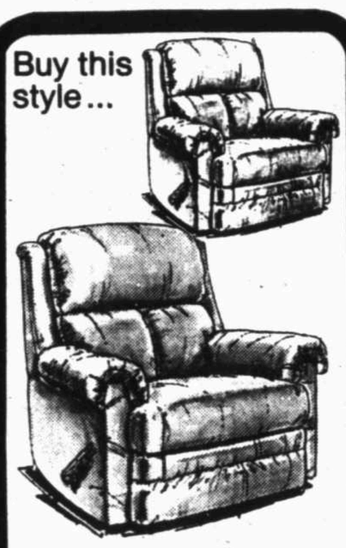


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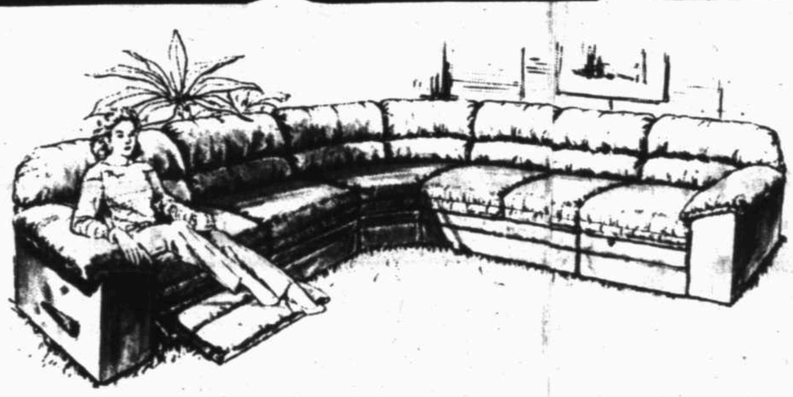
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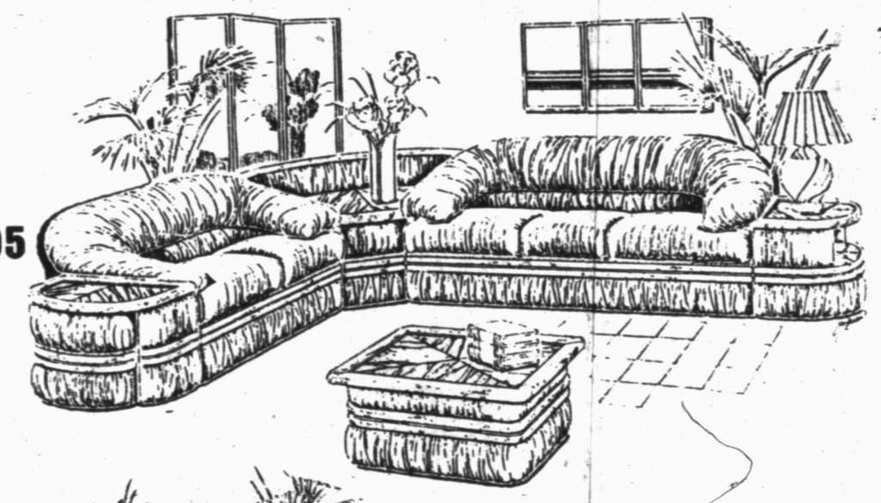
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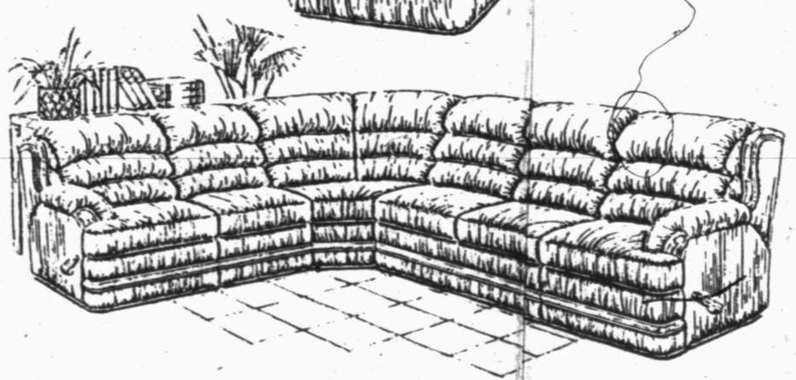
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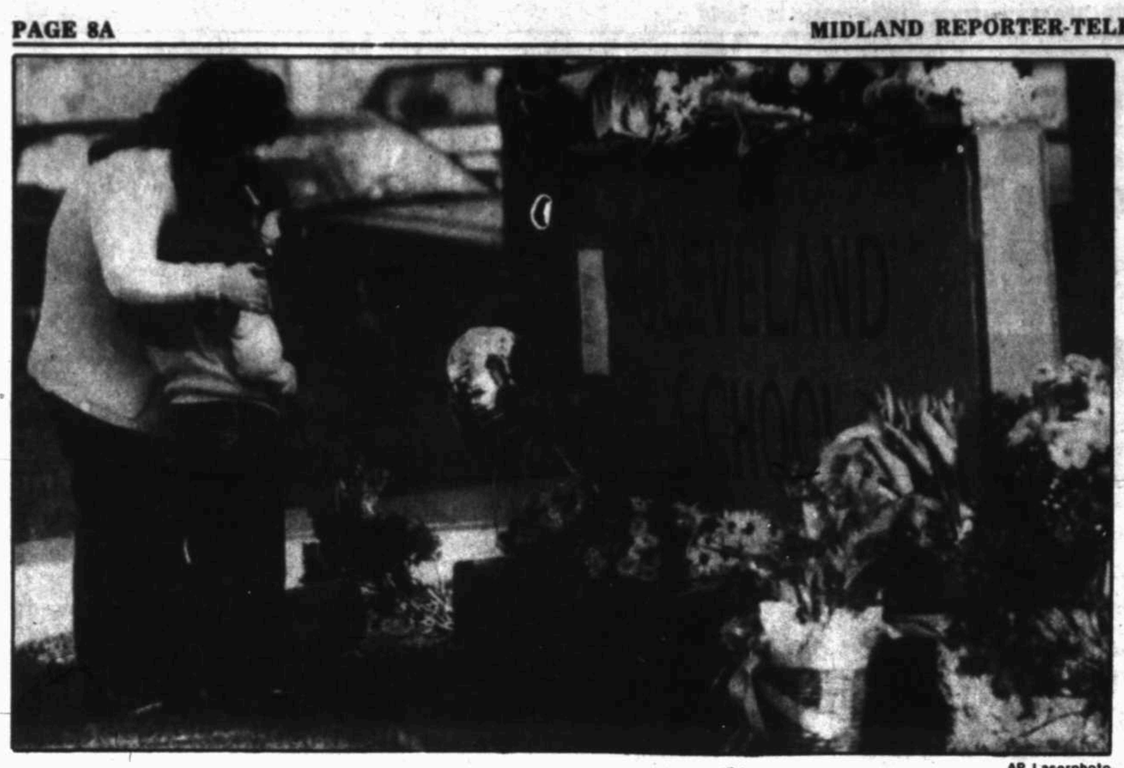
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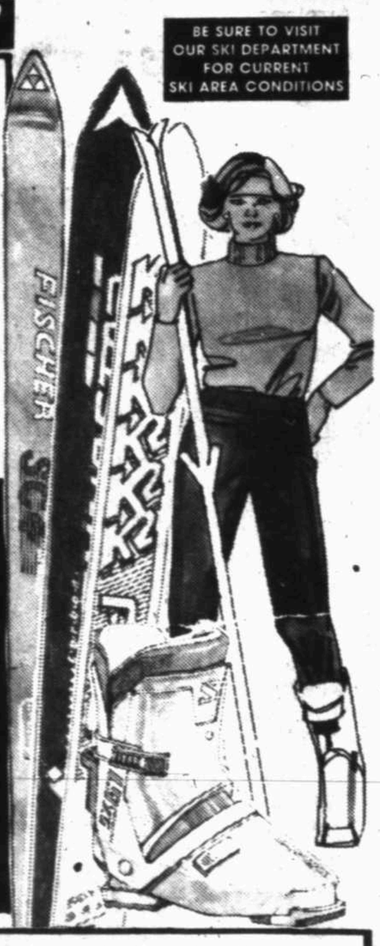
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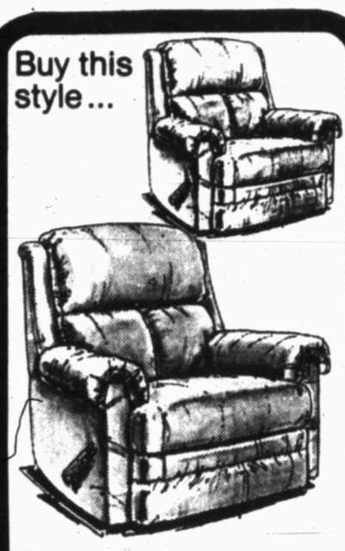
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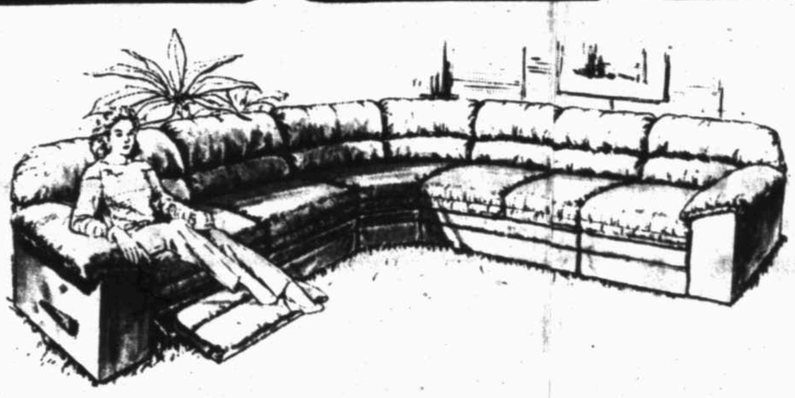
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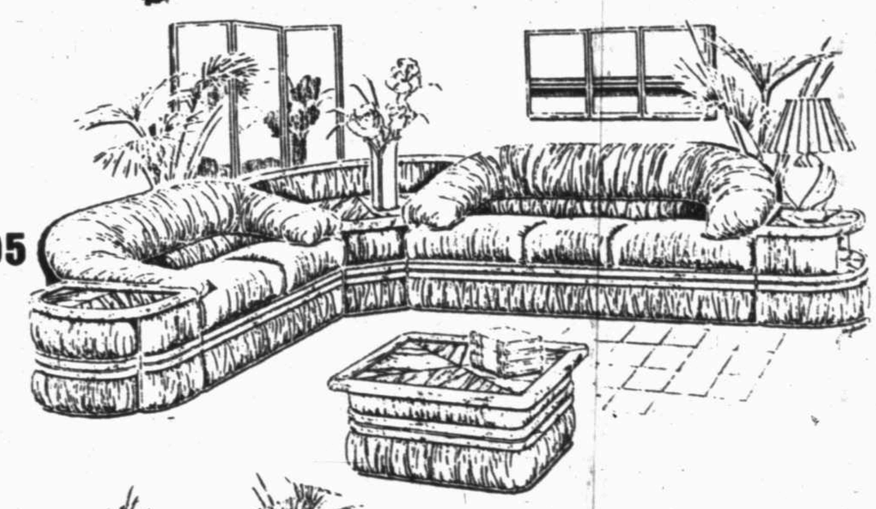


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Reagan's legacy: New U.S. outlook

As historians begin to sort out the meaning of Ronald Reagan's presidency, the inevitable question that arises is what was his most important, most lasting accomplishment?

Will Reagan's greatest contribution be found in his economic policies — so-called Reaganomics — which gave the nation the longest period of economic growth during peacetime in American history? Or is it in the policy that became known as the "Reagan Doctrine," which was one of actually rolling back communism rather than merely containing it? Could it lie in his approach to federalism which was to give states more responsibility to administer federally-mandated social-service programs, thus allowing states and communities to actually develop programs to help the poor escape dependency?



Reagan

In all these, and many other, ways Reagan brought change to the face of American democracy during the last eight years. Burton Yale Pines, senior vice-president of the prestigious Washington, D.C. think-tank, The Heritage Foundation, noted in a paper on "The Ten Legacies of Ronald Reagan," that the Reagan Revolution " ... transformed America as significantly as have two previous presidential revolutions: the political revolution of Andrew Jackson in the 1830s and that of Franklin Roosevelt in the 1930s.

"Just as the American government in the 19th century was shaped by the Jackson legacy, and just as American government in this century has been shaped by the Roosevelt legacy, so the next American Presidents, for several decades, will be shaped and influenced and limited by the Reagan legacy."

Reagan's philosophy that stressed less federal control and more individual responsibility for social needs was predictable stemming from his belief in the premise that the government governs best which governs least. No, Reagan didn't cut the federal bureaucracy to its knees, but his administration carried out a major overhaul of welfare law, privatized the Conrail freight railroad and issued ground-breaking recommendations for future privatization.

Aside from starting the longest peacetime economic expansion in American history, Reagan policies resulted in a personal income tax cut in '81 from a top marginal rate of 70% to a top rate of 28%, spurred economic growth and actually increased federal tax revenues. Yes, the federal deficit has grown to the point of becoming the Number One domestic worry for Reagan successor George Bush, but compared to the faltering economy that former President Jimmy Carter left the nation in 1981, today's economic picture is nothing short of extraordinary.

All these, and other, advances are impressive, yet Reagan's Administration should not be overlooked for the major change that it brought in regard to the Soviet Union. An outspoken anti-Communist when he took office, Reagan's military buildup, forward-thinking Strategic Defense Initiative and unwavering policy of challenging the Soviets around the globe resulted not in worse international relations but rather in realistic arms negotiations, a start on the road to dismantling the nations' nuclear arsenals, and unquestioned respect from the Kremlin. It is true the moves toward nuclear disarmament are not due totally to Reagan or his policies; disarmament is in the best interests of the Soviet economy as we all know. But Reagan and the U.S. defenses he strengthened are no doubt among the reasons.

Ronald Reagan changed America — for the better. He promised change eight years ago when he took office for the first time. He brought change in many forms while in office, but without a doubt the different outlook for America's future that he brought about — both domestically and internationally — is his greatest contribution. The America of today isn't the fearful, hesitant, faltering one of 1981. Rather, it's a proud, self-assured and patriotic America.

That's the Reagan legacy — and it's a great one!

JACK ANDERSON
Former Cuban prisoner relates horror

WASHINGTON — Jose L. Pujals spent nearly half of his life wondering if he would live to see the next day.

His antagonist was Fidel Castro, arguably the last of the charismatic communist dictators, who still believes he can turn his island nation into a peoples republic of paradise. Castro clings to ideals that even the Soviet Union is rethinking and he has cruelly repressed his enemies.

Jack Anderson

Last year, Castro made a rare attempt to spruce up his international image. He released about 250 political prisoners who have been piling up in Cuban prisons in the 30 years since he seized power.

The gesture may put a temporary sheen on Castro, but people such as Jose Pujals are skeptical. Pujals, now 63, spent nearly three decades in Cuban prisons because he disagreed with Castro. The dictator's sweeping gesture set Pujals free two months ago, but that can't make up for the 27 years that Pujals says he was beaten, stripped and forced to work in fields.

"Day after day, you don't know when they're going to take your life away," he said. "When we went out to the fields, we didn't know if we would come back or be beaten to death."

Our associate Scott Seek heard Pujals' first-hand account, which shows Castro's human rights record has plenty of room for improvement.

Pujals opposed dictator Fulgencio Batista, whom Castro overthrew in 1959. But he didn't trust Castro either. Pujals spoke out against the new revolutionary government and became a target for punishment. He was arrested in 1961 and charged with trying to kill Castro, with being an American spy and other crimes. He admits that he tried to organize opposition to Castro's regime, but he says the other charges were bogus.

The government, according to Pujals, had already decided his sentence before he went to trial. He lived for 14 months under the cloud of a death penalty. Today he believes diplomatic appeals forced the Cuban government to lift the death sentence.

But that didn't end his suffering. He was transferred back and forth more than 20 times among eight prisons. He worked in fields or a stone quarry, where, he says, prisoners were beaten indiscriminately.

While common criminals wore blue prison garb, political prisoners were forced to wear the yellow uniforms of the Batista troops. Many of them hated Batista, but they came to see the yellow uniforms as a symbol of dignity. Then the prison officials decided that political prisoners should wear blue. Pujals said those who resisted were beaten. He and others were thrown into a tiny dungeon, wearing only their underwear. They huddled together for warmth and took turns sleeping because there was room for only one person to lie down, he said.

The political prisoners were frequently deprived of food, mail, visitors, light, water and medical care. The rules about mail taught them that no news was good news. "If a letter comes informing you of bad news about your family, they will hand it to you," Pujals said. "If it's good news, that your family is doing well ... then they won't give it to you."

Pujals' wife Gloria sent their three children to be raised by relatives in Florida. She stayed in Cuba to be near him. Two months ago, Pujals saw his grandchildren for the first time. He now lives in Tallahasee, Fla.

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BLIMP ATTACKED — Federal drug enforcement officials witnessed a bizarre "attack" last week on an observation balloon 40 miles north of Cuba. The balloon was being towed by a Coast Guard ship. It was an "aerostat" or an unmanned aerial observation post tracking drug-running airplanes over the Caribbean. A small plane made two passes at the balloon, sprayed it with paint, then slipped into Cuban airspace. Drug runners have been known to head for Cuban territory to give the slip to American aircraft in pursuit. At first, the Coast Guard crew thought the paint was a poison intended to harm them. Now they suspect it may have been an attempt by a drug runner to mark the balloon so it would be visible to radar.

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MINI-EDITORIAL — The environmentalist group Greenpeace and the French government have reached an uneasy truce in Antarctica where Greenpeace staged a camp-in to stop construction of a French airstrip over the home of thousands of penguins. We don't blame Greenpeace for watching its back during the truce. It hasn't been too long since France freed a French agent who had a hand in blowing up the Greenpeace ship "Rainbow Warrior" in New Zealand in 1985. More than penguins were lost then. A Greenpeace photographer died in the bombing.

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



TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Thursday, Jan. 19, the 19th day of 1989. There are 346 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Jan. 19, 1937, millionaire Howard Hughes set a transcontinental air record by flying his monoplane from Los Angeles to Newark, N.J., in 7 hours, 28 minutes and 25 seconds.

ART BUCHWALD
Ronnie's movie has no plot, but giant price!

It was just eight years ago when the head of Warner Brothers studios called me in and said, "We're going to shoot a movie about a President of the United States in Washington."

"Great," I replied. "Who will play the title role?"

"I wanted Mickey Rooney, but he's not available. What do you think of Ronald Reagan?"


Art Buchwald

"You've got to be kidding. He only plays nice guys."

"That's what everyone says. But suppose we had a President of the United States who really was a nice guy — even nicer than his best friend Jimmy Stewart. I want to cast Nancy Davis as Ron's wife and create a helluva wardrobe for her. This picture is going to have glit"

"The audiences are dying for glitz," I told him.

He stood up from behind his desk and started pacing. "At the opening of the film I see Ronnie riding his horse right up to the front door of the White House, and the horse knocking on it with his hoof. All the servants are lined up and the head butler smiles and says, 'Welcome home, Mr. President. Your room is this way.' "

"That's all well and good," said. "But what's the story?"

The studio head slapped himself on the thigh with a riding crop.

"Ron has come to Washington to root out waste and corruption in government, something the people there don't understand. But his strong leadership prevails and before he is finished, half of his own staff has either been fired or indicted."

"That is a good start."

"In the meantime, I'm going to have Nancy turning up at all of Ronnie's meetings, in different outfits, yelling at everyone she meets 'Just say no.' "

"But where does that lead?" I asked.

"As the story unfolds, the plot poses the question, 'Can a nice guy spend eight years in the White House without becoming disenchanted with the government?' "

"Does Ron have a crisis of confidence?"

"Yes, he does. When underlings led by a Marine lieutenant colonel try to end-run the Oval Office, and set up their own clandestine operation with the Iranians, Ronnie deals with it as a President should."

"How's that?"

"He says he doesn't know anything about it."

"Is that the major plot of the film?"

"No. The real story is that Ron makes up with the Russians."

"Nobody is going to believe that. Reagan hates the Commies."

"That's the beauty of the plot. Ronnie, a man who detests Communists, finds good in all of them. We have a big scene on top of the Kremlin wall when Ron and Nancy embrace Mikhail Gorbachev and his wife Raisa as the Soviet troops march by in the May Day parade."

"I thought Brezhnev was in charge of the U.S.S.R."

"In the picture we're changing his name to Gorbachev, and making the Russian leader much younger for dramatic effect."

"It's a good script, but there doesn't appear to be any conflict in it. When does Ron stand up and fight?"

"He doesn't — but Nancy does. This movie portrays the struggle between two strong-willed women trying to protect their men. I want to have a hair-pulling fight between Nancy and Raisa in front of Lenin's Tomb."

"It sounds fine to me. How much will this production cost?"

He replied, "Would you believe a trillion dollars?"

Art Buchwald is a columnist for Los Angeles Times Syndicate.

Another View:

A desperate need

President-elect George Bush's pledge to give Angolan rebel leader Jonas Savimbi "all appropriate and effective assistance" is a wise precautionary move. It took the Soviets 13 years and billions of dollars to discover that the solution to Angola's problems cannot be found through repressive military force. But it is a lesson that Angola's Marxist ruling party, led by President Jose Eduardo dos Santos, apparently still needs to learn.

His continued refusal to hold talks with Jonas Savimbi's freedom fighters remains a major stumbling block to peace within the former Portuguese colony whose economy lies in ruins. Those talks are needed to end more than a decade of civil war which dragged in tens of thousands of foreigners and involved three regular armies, two guerrilla armies and roving bands of terrorists.

Mr. Savimbi's pro-Western bush fighters still control large areas of the vast oil-rich African nation despite determined efforts by the Soviets and their Cuban surrogates to eradicate all opposition to the puppet regime in the capital of Luanda.

With the signing of the Angola accord, the South African troops supporting Mr. Savimbi's army have been withdrawn entirely. The first of Cuba's 48,500 troops have left for home, and all are scheduled to be repatriated during the next two years. Meanwhile, this leaves Marxist government troops in an advantageous position to crush Mr. Savimbi's resistance, form an alliance with Marxist guerrilla forces of the South-West Africa People's Organization in neighboring Namibia and threaten other pro-Western states in the region. Mr. Savimbi has never needed American aid as desperately as he does at this hour.

Unless the two leaders get together for reconciliation, talks leading to free elections, which appears to be unlikely, the senseless civil war will drag on endlessly and Marxism will continue to grip this strategic corner of Africa. President-elect Bush's announced policy of continuing military assistance to the anti-communist Angolan freedom fighters is the surest way to force the Marxists to hold free elections.

— The San Diego Union

GEORGE F. WILL
Republicans find 'home' for conservatism

WASHINGTON — George Bush's inauguration bash is wrapped less in red, white and blue bunting than in gray worsted. By the composition of his Cabinet, heavily weighted with people who have carried the weight of office before, Bush has completed a process that Ronald Reagan began.


George F. Will

It is the transformation of the Republican Party. The party now is reconciled to the reality of modern government's role in life. Republicans recognize that governance is a dignified, difficult, learned vocation for seasoned professionals such as Bush has chosen.

Reagan's contribution to this process was his almost complete acceptance of the welfare state that evolved at a remarkably steady pace under his predecessors of both parties for half a century. Republicans remain free to talk like Jeffersonians, celebrating that government which governs least. But they live in, and want to be the dominant party in, Hamilton's America. It has a strong central government that requires a professional political class for the executive branch.

Until recently, conservative ideology caused many Republicans to regard service in Washington as akin to jury duty. Perhaps it had to be done, but it was not supposed to be fun or fulfilling or for long. Bush's remarkably seamless transition testifies to a change.

The passage into the Bush era began well before the election, with the installation of Bush supporters at Treasury (Nicholas Brady) and Justice (Richard Thornburgh). It speaks well of Bush's self-confidence that he has not been afraid to cobble together a large part of his administration from material at hand in Reagan's Washington. The most interesting person in the upper reaches of Bush's administration — Richard Darman — has been here before. Indeed, he barely left.

During last autumn's campaign, conservatives sent delicious thrills of terror down one another's spines by saying, "If Dukakis is elected, the government will fall into the hands of intellectuals grown in that hothouse of unrealism, the Kennedy School of Government at Harvard." Bush won, but the government is to a considerable extent in the hands of card-carrying Kennedy-schoolers. Darman, 45, who is head of the Office of Management and Budget.

A graduate of Reagan's White House and Jim Baker's Treasury Department, Darman is devising a strategy for complying with Gramm-Rudman deficit-reduction targets. Darman is the right man to test Bush's theory that we can grow our way to sufficient balance in the budget.

Darman believes that recessions are not necessary, are not inherent in the cyclical working of capitalism. Rather, recessions happen because policymakers in the public and private sectors make mistakes. The science of economics and the art of business management are sufficiently advanced that such mistakes can be avoided indefinitely. If he is right, then Bush is right: No new taxes are needed. We shall see. For now, Darman is the most intellectually self-assured man Washington has seen since Darman's boon companion, David Stockman, went off to write his kiss-and-tell memoirs, which told the sad story of Stockman's misplaced certitude.

As Bush begins, the most alarming imbalance in Washington is not budgetary, it is institutional. Bush, the model of the Republican man of government, must win for the executive branch the struggle for supremacy.

Bush is the first President in 12 years who has served in Congress. Under Carter and Reagan, Congress, already provoked by Nixon, grew more assertive and grasping. Bush may think he can work well within the system that candidate Reagan a decade ago denounced as "the Washington buddy system." Bush may think the get-along-by-going-along approach is just the application of kinder-and-gentler-ism. But it is a recipe for continued congressional ascendancy.

Bush should remember that he is the beneficiary of the great change wrought by the advent of broadcasting and other technologies of mass mobilizations. Presidents have only recently acquired political weight because of broad participation in presidential elections. Malcolm Shaw, a British professor of politics, says it was not until the 1920s that presidents were elected by receiving the votes of more than 10 percent of the "free population." Even the "strong" presidents received less — Jackson (5.8 in 1832), Lincoln (6.8 in 1860), Cleveland (8.8 in 1884), Teddy Roosevelt (9.3 in 1904), Wilson (8.9 in 1916).

Today the executive branch is more suited than Congress to Republicans who regard governance as a profession, rather than something akin to jury duty. The size of the modern presidential electorate facilitates and justifies "energy in the executive" which is "a leading character in the definition of good government." So said Hamilton. His hour has come 'round at last as a conservatism come of age.

George F. Will is a columnist for Washington Post Writers Group.

GOP feasts while hundreds of protesters highlight poverty

WASHINGTON (AP) — George Bush was toasted with champagne, serenaded by the Whiffenpoof songsters from Yale and cheered at a $1,500-a-plate inaugural dinner by Republican fat cats who refused to let chanting protesters and homeless onlookers spoil their party.

Outside Union Station on Wednesday night, street people stood eating a soup-kitchen supper of chili and rice off paper plates while protesters shouted chants of "Food for the Poor, Not the Rich" and "What About the Homeless?" at stretch limousines delivering black-tie guests to the dinner inside.

Once the police erected barricades and shooed away several hundred demonstrators, about 2,500 Republican Party stalwarts and wealthy contributors settled down at three great halls around town to feast on Maryland crab and mushroom-stuffed loins of veal washed down with California wines from crystal goblets.

Just as the diners were polishing off the apple-cranberry brown betty with cinnamon ice cream and bourbon custard, President-elect Bush and Dan Quayle, his vice president-to-be, arrived in the vaulted main hall of Union Station from visits to other dinners at the Pension Building and the Corcoran Gallery of Art.

They were running 25 minutes late — "We're exhausted," Bush said — but the GOP's big spenders finally got what they paid for, and they went slightly wild. Heraldic trumpets blared from a balcony. Cameras flashed. Women in sequined gowns and glittering necklaces left tables decked with floral trees of white roses and pushed forward. Bush waved and smiled.

"I'm gonna try my level best to be a good president of the United States, and work for all the people of the United States," he said.

"You've given me a chance, and I'm not going to let you down."

Bush and Penne Percy Korth, co-chairman of the inaugural committee, toasted each other with champagne. Bush waved his arm and mouthed the words of his school song, sung by the Whiffenpoof glee club of his alma mater, Yale University.

Then he plunged into the crowd of well-wishers, shaking hands, waving and exchanging hugs for the next 10 minutes. Bush thanked them for the financial support that helped him win the presidency, and for underwriting the four days of inaugural festivities with $100,000 interest-free loans.

Earlier, on the plaza facing the newly refurbished train station, demonstrators served a "counter-inaugural banquet" to several dozen homeless people from large metal pots steaming in the glare of television lights, and entertained them with folk singers and pro-abortion street theater.

Michael Hasty of the Washington Peace Center said it was "sick, decadent" for the Republicans to eat $1,500 dinners while people are homeless and starving on the streets.

"We've fed over 1,000 people so far tonight with less than a $200 budget," he said. "I wonder how long it would take for somebody out on the street to beg for $1,500 in spare change."

Miami riot scene quieter but tension continues

MIAMI (AP) — The man with the microphone was preaching Jesus through a battered speaker near the Liberty City checkpoint. "His love is e-e-e-ternal," he intoned as police checked motorists in the garish light of flares and squad car flashers.

A few miles north, officers in helmets and flak vests closed in on a house that might have been the source of gunfire, while fellow officers laughed and lounged a hundred feet away.

The streets of Miami's Overtown and Liberty City neighborhoods were a little easier Wednesday night. But they were still far from normal.

The looting and gunfire that punctuated the past two nights was muted. Police were still out in force. They wore body armor and toted loaded shotguns, but this night they sipped sodas and snacked on sandwiches and ice cream as their radios occasionally crackled with reports of car fires, smashed store windows and rock throwing.

The picnics spread out on squad car hoods spoke to the relative calm of the evening. So did the numbers that were being compiled back at police headquarters. Officials reported 50 arrests by 1 a.m., largely for rock-throwing incidents. Overnight Tuesday there were 325 arrests, mostly for looting.

"We hope we can normalize the situation and get back to routine patrolling," said Deputy Police Chief Walter Martinez.

The biggest problem for Gary Wilcox, a police sergeant who manned a Liberty City checkpoint, was fending off outsiders who wanted to tour the riot scene.

"We'll ask people where they're from and they'll say 'Kendall,' " a white suburb southwest of the city. "When we ask them why they're here, they'll say, 'Just to see what it's like,'" according to Wilcox.

The violence sparked by the fatal police shooting of a black motorcyclist Monday had not entirely abated. Police were fired upon at least twice. One man was arrested for shooting at a squad car from an apartment window. Caravans of police vehicles, known as field force units, rushed through neighborhoods.

One field force unit screeched to a halt in front of Lee and Rita's Grocery after officers thought they heard shots. Three men lounging in front of the store were forced to the ground while special weapons and tactics teams checked an adjacent apartment building.

The men remained on the ground, watched by two officers. The rest of the unit leaned on their cars, talking and joking while the SWAT unit made its cautious rounds. When they failed to find evidence of a sniper, the men on the ground were released.

"We're just trying to get the people off the streets without disrupting their lives and making sure we're selective about who we arrest," said Lt. Nelson Oramas.

But mostly, the night seemed an aftermath of the previous two evenings.



AP Laserphoto

Miami police officers take a dinner break while resting on the hood of their patrol car in Miami's Overtown on Wednesday night. The streets of the city were quieter Wednesday than the two previous nights when violence sparked by the fatal shooting of a black motorcyclist by a white police officer.

Panel set to endorse James Baker

WASHINGTON (AP) — James A. Baker III could be confirmed as secretary of state as early as next week, following assurances of a strong endorsement from the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

The committee was prepared today to recommend the confirmation of Baker, former treasury secretary under President Reagan and President-elect Bush's choice to run the State Department.

The full Senate will act on the nomination later, probably next Wednesday.

Today's scheduled committee vote followed two days of hearings in which Baker fielded questions on problem areas around the world and dealt comfortably with foreign policy issues ranging from the momentous to the obscure.

Virtually every member of the committee praised Baker's performance, applauded his appointment by Bush and said his confirmation was assured.

"I'm sure the vote will be unanimous," said Chairman Claiborne Pell, D-R.I.

"I think without any question you will be unanimously endorsed by this committee and by the full Senate in the days ahead," said Sen. Alan Cranston, D-Calif.

"He is very skillful, as he should be, and I'm impressed," said Sen. Nancy Kassebaum, R-Kan., expressing a view many other committee members said they shared.

On Wednesday, the second of two days of testimony, Baker said the United States and the Soviet Union are near agreement on procedures to verify compliance with two long-pending nuclear test ban treaties.

Baker said he understands that verification problems with the 1976 Peaceful Nuclear Explosions Treaty are "completely resolved." He said similar problems with the 1974 nuclear test ban treaty establishing a limit of 150 kilotons on underground tests are "close to being resolved."

He said both pacts will be submitted to the Senate for ratification but offered no timetable.

Baker also suggested that the new Bush administration may raise quotas for refugees because of the increasing numbers of people wanting to come to the United States from the Soviet Union and Southeast Asia.

"We will have to look at the possibility of increasing numbers and of increasing dollars" for the refugee program, Baker said.

Baker said he has reservations about U.S. participation in a scheduled 1991 international human rights conference in Moscow.

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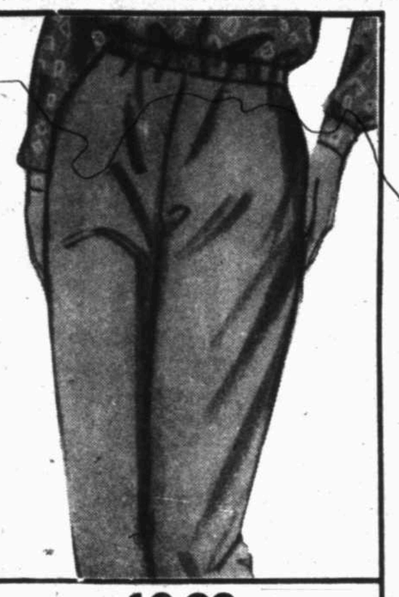
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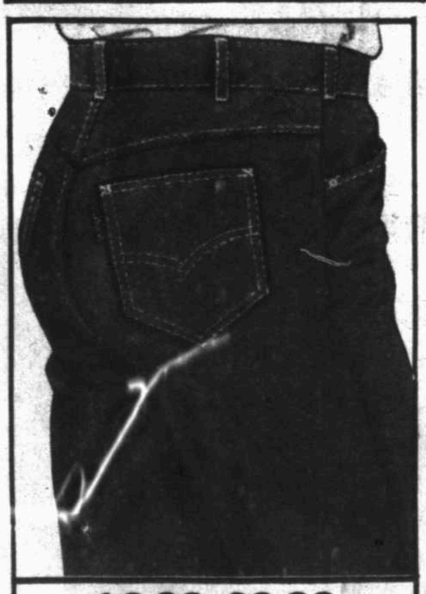
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Quake knocks out windows, power

LOS ANGELES (AP) — An offshore quake jolted Southern California, shattering windows in ritzy Malibu, briefly knocking out power to 100,000 customers and reverberating with dozens of aftershocks today.

No major damage was reported from Wednesday's 10:54 p.m. tremor, which was centered 30 miles southwest of downtown Los Angeles in Santa Monica Bay and swayed downtown skyscrapers.

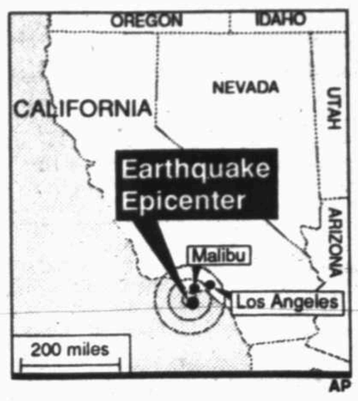
"It's the strongest earthquake I've felt in 14 years of living in Los Angeles," said Rick Cziment of Los Angeles. "It actually scared me. Our house went dark. My daughter woke up and began crying."

Firefighters in Manhattan Beach attributed one injury to the 5.0-magnitude quake when a woman fell on her nose. No other injuries were reported.

"At this point, it looks like we got off pretty well," said Michael Gurein, spokesman for the state Office of Emergency Services.

Rubble from about a dozen rock slides blew out tires on at least four vehicles traveling the narrow, twisting Malibu Canyon Road that leads to the swank Malibu beach colony, 30 miles southwest of Los Angeles, said sheriff's Sgt. Bill Hutton. The road remained open.

The quake could be felt from Seal Beach to Santa Barbara, a distance of 140 miles.



Windows along the coast shattered, including a department store plate glass window in Malibu.

But most of the damage was to the nerves of humans and animals alike. Cory Ford of Whittier said the quake rattled her cat.

"Moments before the quake, our cat, Jasmine, started running around in circles, her tail stood straight up, her fur out like electricity," said Ford. "Then came a sudden hard jolt for a few seconds, then a rolling shake, all for about 8 or 10 seconds, though it seemed longer."

Dozens of tiny aftershocks continued to vibrate throughout the area today, most of them too small to measure, said Lucile Jones, seismologist at the California Institute of Technology.

The quake briefly knocked out power to nearly 100,000 dwellings and businesses across Los Angeles, the city's Department of Water and Power reported.

Wednesday's quake struck with the same magnitude of a Dec. 3 temblor that was centered beneath downtown Pasadena. That quake briefly knocked out power to 100,000 homes and caused more than two dozen minor injuries.

The Whittier Narrows quake of Oct. 1, 1987, measured 5.9 on the Richter scale. That quake and its 5.3-magnitude aftershock on Oct. 4 killed eight people, injured more than 200 others and caused $358 million in damage.

The Richter scale is a gauge of the energy released by an earthquake, as measured by the ground motion recorded on a seismograph. Every increase of one number means a tenfold increase in magnitude.

An earthquake of 5 on the Richter scale can cause considerable damage.

New heart operation may cure common cause of strokes

MONTEREY, Calif. (AP) — A new kind of surgery can correct a common heart rhythm abnormality that is the underlying cause of 225,000 disabling strokes in the United States each year, its developer said.

The experimental procedure cures a disorder known as atrial fibrillation, which affects an estimated 1.5 million to 2 million Americans.

Although the strokes that result from this problem can sometimes be prevented with blood-thinning drugs, that treatment is often ineffective and may itself cause unwanted bleeding.

The new technique was developed by Dr. James L. Cox of Washington University School of Medicine, who described it Wednesday at a meeting of the American Heart Association. Slices are made in the atria, the two upper pumping chambers of the heart.

Cox has performed the operation so far on three people, and all of them have been completely free of the disorder since their surgery. However, more work will be necessary before doctors can estimate how widely the operation will be used.

"I think we have a definitive treatment for people with atrial fibrillation," said Cox.

"It's a remarkable step forward," commented Dr. Myron L. Weisfeldt of Johns Hopkins University, who is president-elect of the association.

The surgery corrects chaotic beating — fibrillation — of the atria. During fibrillation, the chambers stop orderly beating, and this disrupts the flow of blood through the heart.

As a result, blood tends to form clots inside the left atrium, and these sometimes break off and flow into the brain. There, they can plug arteries and shut off the flow of blood, causing strokes.

To combat the problem, doctors often give anticoagulants, which slow the body's natural tendency to form blood clots.

However, Dr. Louis R. Caplan of New England Medical Center in Boston said that doctors suspect this treatment may do more harm than good.

"It's a huge problem," said Caplan, a stroke expert. "The question is which, if any, patient should have anticoagulants and which, if any, should have this procedure."

During the 45-minute surgery, doctors make four slices in the atria. This keeps the electrical signal flowing across the heart muscle in just one direction so it doesn't double back on itself.

"This operation proves that you can deal with the problem of chaotic traffic (inside the heart) by creating one-way streets," said Weisfeldt.

Cox said it is still unclear how many of the 225,000 potential annual victims of strokes resulting from atrial fibrillation might be treated with the new operation. He said it is most likely to be used in patients who are already undergoing heart surgery for other problems.

He said he has been cautious in expanding the operation, which was first developed experimentally in dogs. But he said there is a waiting list of 14 patients who want to receive it at his hospital.

NATION IN BRIEF

Judge to determine if Marcos can stand trial

NEW YORK (AP) — Defense lawyers who won prosecutors' approval to move the arraignment of deposed Philippines President Ferdinand Marcos to Honolulu now say he is dying and too weak to face racketeering charges anywhere.

U.S. District Judge John F. Keenan agreed to hold a hearing here today to assess Marcos' condition and decide whether he is well enough to be arraigned or tried at all.

Assistant U.S. Attorney Charles LaBella said Wednesday prosecutors were convinced "for the first time" that the 71-year-old Marcos was too ill to travel here for arraignment. However, LaBella said the prosecution hoped for a speedy arraignment in Honolulu and would not drop charges accusing Marcos of plundering the Philippine economy.

Marcos, living in exile in Honolulu since 1986, has been hospitalized there since Sunday with pneumonia and bronchial asthma.

St. Francis Medical Center spokeswoman Norma Kop said Marcos was in guarded condition Wednesday and had improved. Marcos has been hospitalized three times in the last six weeks, twice for treatment of congestive heart failure.

Shuttle launch date set

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — The engine and tile problems of the last space shuttle mission have been resolved and the Discovery probably will be launched into orbit on Feb. 23, said the director of the Kennedy Space Center.

"We feel we have a good understanding of those problems and can move ahead," Forrest S. McCartney told reporters Wednesday.

Atlantis returned from orbit last month with severe damage to about 200 of 28,000 tiles that protect it from re-entry heat. And during post-flight inspection, two small cracks were found in a bearing unit in a high-pressure engine turbopump.

The tile damage resulted when insulation hit the shuttle during liftoff after stripping away from both the external fuel tank and the nose cone of one of the solid fuel booster rockets, McCartney said.

The fuel tank was the oldest one ever flown on a shuttle, it had gone through some earlier test fueling cycles and some of its insulation had been repaired before flight, he said.

Kuwait to cut back vessels

WASHINGTON (AP) — Kuwait will remove six of its oil tankers from the U.S. registration that gave them a military umbrella during the Iran-Iraq war, but five others will still fly the American flag and have all-American crews by early next year, administration officials say.

The decision to cut back reflects a desire by the Kuwaitis to save on the cost of maintaining all-American crews, as the ships must have, combined with a wish by the United States and Kuwait to maintain stability in the region despite eased tensions.

The Kuwaitis had received a waiver of the crew requirement when they first decided in 1987 to reflag tankers to obtain American military protection inside the Persian Gulf. The waiver allows the Kuwaitis to sail the vessels with only two Americans on board — the ship's master and the ship's radio officer.

"Those five ships are going to remain under the U.S. flag indefinitely and will have to be fully manned by U.S. crews, providing approximately 250 additional jobs for American seamen," one defense source said Wednesday.

The sources said that in order to provide the Kuwaitis a year to come into compliance with ship-manning laws, the Defense Department requested — and the Coast Guard approved on Tuesday — a special "National Defense Waiver" good through Feb. 11, 1990.

Closing arguments set

NEW YORK (AP) — Attorneys for Joel Steinberg said they both would make a last-ditch attack on his former lover's credibility in closing arguments to try to convince jurors that she killed the couple's illegally adopted daughter.

Ira London and Adrian DiLuzio planned to use the unusual tactic of addressing jurors together in closing arguments today in an effort to win acquittal for Steinberg, 47, who is accused of beating Lisa Steinberg to death. Lisa, whom Steinberg illegally obtained at birth, was removed unconscious from Steinberg's apartment on Nov. 2, 1987. She died of a brain injury three days later. Steinberg, a disbarred criminal lawyer, is charged with second-degree murder.

The prosecution has argued that Steinberg severely beat the girl, then acted with reckless and depraved indifference to her life by letting her lie unconscious on the bathroom floor for 12 hours without seeking help.

Honesty campaign starts

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — Honesty is not only the best policy, but organizers of a new citywide ethics campaign hope their efforts make it the only policy.

The Columbus Commission on Ethics and Values, headed by the Rev. Jeb Stuart Magruder, a former Watergate co-conspirator, on Wednesday launched its "Take an Honest Look" campaign, which is aimed at prompting discussion and thought on the value of honesty.

The privately funded, $75,000 campaign is aimed at residents, government officials, business people, schoolchildren, and religious and civic groups. Plans include public forums, school projects, promotional billboards and television spots, and an honesty test to be distributed to all askers.

Magruder, now a Presbyterian minister, was deputy director of communications in Richard Nixon's administration and deputy director of Nixon's Committee to Re-elect the President in 1972. He spent seven months in prison after he admitted destroying records and committing perjury in the Watergate scandal. He now serves at First Community Church in suburban Marble Cliff.

U.S. has tape of threat

WASHINGTON (AP) — The State Department says it has obtained a tape recording of Yasser Arafat, the chairman of the Palestine Liberation Organization, threatening anyone who tries to stifle the uprising on the Israeli-held West Bank.

According to spokesman Charles E. Redman, the PLO leader said last week: "Whoever thinks of stopping the Intifada before it achieve its goals, I will give him 10 bullets in in the chest."

Intifada is the Arabic word for the 13-month uprising by Palestinians against Israel's occupation of the West Bank and Gaza Strip.

Redman said Wednesday that Arafat has since denied he intended any threat against Elias Freij, the mayor of Bethlehem who is considered a moderate Palestinian and was the purported target.

The U.S. official gave no indication the United States was reconsidering its decision to hold talks with the PLO. The decision was taken last month after Arafat made a statement renouncing terrorism in all forms and recognizing Israel's right to exist.

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Livestock auction brings youths $51,625

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

Midland County youngsters who took on calves, lambs, pigs and rabbits to watch over and manage as money-making projects were rewarded with $51,625 in auction prize money over the weekend in the 40th annual Midland County Livestock Show.

"It was really good quality livestock all the way down to the end of the line," said Charlie Green, president of the Midland County Livestock Association, which sponsored the 40th annual show. "And we were pleased to get most of the kiddos in the sale this year."

All told, 127 Midland County 4-H Club and Future Farmers of America (FFA) boys and girls exhibited 127 premium animals in the auction.

The auction's top bid was United Bank's $2,350 for Jaime Valencia's 1,180-pound grand champion hefty black Maine-Anjou steer, named "Buddy" or "Bud."

"I felt happy," said Jaime, an eighth-grader at Midland's San Jacinto Junior High School and a member of the Valley View 4-H Club. "I just smiled."

The steer judge, Gary Harkey of College Station, just walked around the calf and said, "'You've got a good-looking steer,'" the boy recalled.

"He (the judge) poked (the calf), and he touched, and he poked, and he touched," said Jaime's grandmother, Midland County Commissioner Louisa Valencia.

Jaime said that he would use part of the money to take the steer to the El Paso Livestock Show next month and "save the rest for college." After that, the steer will be sold and soon turned into beef steaks and hamburger.

United Bank President Wayne Merritt, who described Valencia as a "bright young fellow," said that the bank made the top bid on the champion steer in the bank's "conscious decision" of supporting activities for youth.

"It is an investment (in youth)," Merritt said. "We're not buying it (the steer) for barbecue. The kids are out there working and learning values."

In years to come, the product of the youthful activities, whether they be in sports or livestock shows, ultimately will become a "benefit to Midland."

The 1989 livestock show was Jaime's third year of livestock competition.

"I thought he did good," said his grandmother. "He got him (the steer) so gentle with the help of David and Grandpa."

David is David Valencia, Jaime's 24-year-old uncle. His grandfather is Domingo Valencia, Mrs. Valencia's husband.

In March of 1988, Jaime got the steer, then a rambling club calf, from Ron Stewart of Midland. Stewart's avocation is looking over calves on ranches and sale barns for possible competition in livestock shows.

Before he selected 10 to 15 show calves, he looked over about 2,000 head of cattle.

"It doesn't matter who is it," Stewart said of the winner. "We just try to get some good calves down here. It don't matter who it is as long as it's competitive."

Stewart, who bought the Nebraska-bred calf in Abilene, sold it to Jaime for $700.

"I thrive on the show steers," said Stewart, a 37-year-old pole-line builder for Cap Rock Electric Cooperative. "We just do the club calves."

The reserve grand champion 1,110-pound Angus-Limousin calf, exhibited by Darla Graham of the Greenwood community, was auctioned to NCNB Texas for $1,025.

Julie Driver showed the grand champion 124-pound lamb, which was auctioned to the Reporter-Telegram for $825. Sallie Farrow exhibited the reserve champion 140-pound lamb, which First City National Bank made the $800 top bid.



George Wolf/Reporter-Telegram

Jaime Valencia, 14, holds his grand champion Maine-Anjou calf at halter in downtown Midland, while United Bank President Wayne Merritt lays a hand on the 1,180-pound steer, which Jaime calls "Buddy." United Bank awarded the youth $2,350 for exhibiting the champion calf in the 40th annual Midland County Livestock Show.

The 211-pound grand champion hog, exhibited by Colleen Alderson, commanded $875 from Community National Bank and Holt Cowden. Sally Moody's reserve champion 255-pound hog got a high bid of $850 from Jack Sherman Chevrolet of Midland.

Christi Lavine's grand champion pen of rabbits commanded a $325 price tag, which was picked up by Southwestern Bell Telephone Company. Boyd Weaverling's reserve grand champion pen of rabbits drew $350 out of Enron Oil Trading & Transportation Company, Omega Treating Chemicals, McClatchy Brothers Trucking Company, and M.F. Machen Contracting Inc.

The auction's $51,625 revenue included $14,425 for 25 head of cattle; $17,725 for 45 head of sheep; $18,800 for 55 hogs, and $675 for two pens of rabbits.

Green said he was "pleased" with the result of the auction, which came at a time when the "Midland economy hasn't fully recovered" from the bust in the cyclic petroleum boom-to-bust business.

"We had a good crowd there Saturday" in the auction in the Midland County Exhibit Building. The auction's turnout reflected "good support from the community — considering the times we're in," Green said. "We have faithful supporters that come year after year."

None of the bidders in the "sale" actually bought the animals, Green said. Top bids represented money awards, and the youthful exhibitors were allowed to keep the animals until they elected to sell them for additional income. Some did. Most didn't.

"We didn't sell them by they pound," Green said, "We just bid dollars."

The high bidder in each round of the auction awarded prize money to the 4-H or FFA exhibitor, who could keep the animal, take it to another livestock show, or sell it at the "floor" price, which, in the case of steers, was 70 cents a pound. The floor sale reflects the market price of livestock.

In previous years, animals in the auction ring were sold by the pound and often were sold back to the exhibit at the floor price or outright given to the exhibitor.

"It's simpler, really, for the buyer," Green said of the new dollar approach. "He doesn't have to sit there with a calculator in his hand and determine what's he's spending" by multiplying pounds by the cents per pound.

Last year, for example, the grand champion steer sold for $2.25 a pound for a total bid of $2,733.75.

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Paramedic says man told him he shot girl, mother in self-defense

By PATRICK CRIMMINS
Staff Writer

The man accused of the rifle slaying of an 11-year-old girl and the wounding of her mother told the first police officers and paramedics on the scene he shot in self-defense, according to testimony.

The testimony came in the second day of the trial of Lyndon Bart Long of Midland. He is being tried for the killing of Jennalee Frazier and the attempted murder of Debra Frazier, 34, in Judge Vann Culp's 238th District Court.

One of the first paramedics on the scene told Prosecutor Ralph Petty the defendant wanted his version of events "on the record."

"He seemed panicky...he was petrified," Reginald Rankin testified. "He was screaming and hollering, ranting and raving. He said, 'I wasn't at fault.' He said, 'I want to go on record that I didn't fire the first shot.'"

When officers arrived at 2408 Faulker Drive about 1:30 p.m. Feb. 8, 1988, they found the 11-year-old girl and her mother shot.

Long was stooped over the girl and attempting mouth-to-mouth resuscitation on her, according to Midland Police Officer Gilbert Villareal.

The defendant, who also had been shot, told the officer that Ms. Frazier had shot him and that he had shot her in self-defense.

On Wednesday, the victim's grandmother testified tearfully about the day of the shooting.

Fern Thurston, 53, told jurors she had visited her daughter's apartment early that day, a Monday, and found the defendant there. She ordered him to leave the apartment or she would call police, she said.

The confrontation was one of many between Mrs. Thurston and the defendant after he began dating her daughter, she testified.

"I told him he was a bum, that he was just sponging off of my daughter," she recalled telling Long at one encounter.

At about 1:15 p.m., Mrs. Thurston said the telephone at her home rang, and when her husband Reese answered "I knew something was wrong. I could tell by his face."

The caller was Jennalee, and she was asking for help, the woman told jurors.

"He's killing my momma. Hurry, Papa, Hurry," the little girl said.

"She was so scared," Mrs. Thurston sobbed.

When the grandmother reached the apartment 15 minutes later, police and paramedics already had arrived and were wheeling Ms. Frazier to an ambulance, Mrs. Thurston said, trembling.

Inside the apartment, she spotted the defendant with a police officer. The officer was holding a .22-caliber rifle.

Long "looked up at me and said, 'I didn't do it, Mrs. Thurston,'" she remembered.

"I didn't know where she (Jenna) was. I ran back in and I saw her," Mrs. Thurston said.

According to other testimony, the defendant was at the Midland College bookstore minutes before the shooting.

Long withdrew from two classes and tried to sell his books at the store after he told college employees he had no place to live, according to testimony.

"He was in a hurry — he seemed nervous," Ricardo Saldana, the director of guidance at MC, said of Long when he came to withdraw from school. "He wanted to get it over with as quickly as possible."

"Did he ever seem agitated?" asked Petty.

"No," Saldana said.

Gay Setliff, the bookstore manager, also encountered the defendant just before the shooting, she testified.

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Horn lesson

Musician Thomas Bacon, from Houston, conducts a master class for area French horn students, including Terry Takeda, 16, of Odessa, while in West Texas as guest artist with the Midland-Odessa Symphony & Chorale, Inc. Bacon will perform with the symphony's chamber orchestra at 8 p.m. today at Odessa's Bonham Junior High. Tickets may be purchased at the door.

City law puts mower to property owners

By CHRIS VAN WAGENEN
Staff Writer

Here's a tall tale of weeds and lots — a tale that is expected to bring more than a sneeze and a tear to the eyes and pocketbooks of private property owners around town.

It's a simple account really. Owners who don't mow their vacant properties will be indebted to the city for the work, according to the Midland Code Enforcement department, which has sent out about 100 notices since Oct. 1.

According to Code Enforcement Director George Wolf, those who have ignored warnings have been billed as little as $45 per lot and as much as $400 depending on the number of properties involved.

Based on an amended ordinance under the garage, trash and rubbish code, the city, as of last week, officially revised its existing law, thus setting new standards that will affect all property owners with tracts less than 7.5 acres.

"We revised it because we were just having to much difficulty getting these areas mowed," said Wolf.

"Most of the problems are on the west side of town near Loop 250."

City officials say overgrown lots are not just unsightly, but hazardous as well. The lots are a breeding ground for rodents and are quick to burn during dry periods, thus a threat to nearby housing.

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Marijuana, 2 vehicles seized in raid on West Odessa home

By FRANK TROMBLEY
Staff Writer

ODESSA — A raid on a West Odessa residence late Wednesday afternoon by area law enforcement officers resulted in the seizure of 205 pounds of marijuana, the arrest of three men and a woman and confiscation of two vehicles.

Police Cpl. John McAhon said the raid was the result of a joint investigation involving the Department of Public Safety and Odessa Police Department narcotics services.

Personnel from the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration, the Ector County Sheriff's Office and the Permian Basin Drug Task Force, he said, assisted DPS and Odessa police narcotics officers in executing a search warrant issued for a residence located at 2109 Polaris, Space No. 2, in West Odessa.

McAhon said a search of the residence resulted in seizure of the marijuana and the arrest of the four persons in the home at the time of the raid.

He said officers estimated street value of the marijuana at $102,000. Raiding officers also seized a 1988 Ford Broncho and a 1978 Dodge motorhome.

The three men and the woman arrested were transported to the city jail Wednesday night and booked on charges of unlawful possession of marijuana with intent to distribute.

Formally arraigned before Municipal Judge J.E. Weatherly this morning were: Francisca V. Carreon, 25, Denver, Colo.; Jesus H. Morales, 20, 601 W. 9th St., McCamey; Israel Q. Huerta, 31, 2109 Polaris; and Adam H. Vasquez, 26, Hobbs, N.M.

Weatherly set bond for all four at $20,000 each on charges of aggravated possession of marijuana, a second degree felony. The possession of marijuana is classified as aggravated, McAhon said, when the amount of the illegal drug is more than 50 pounds.

ED TODD

Whatever task you've chosen, do it with enthusiasm



Todd

It doesn't matter what you're doing — ironing clothes, repairing some electronic marvel, fixing a flat tire, planting beans and peas, or writing the Great American Novel.

There's a right and wrong — or better and best — way of doing things.

Last weekend, I did or didn't. What I did might not have been right or wrong. Certainly, it was something short of better and best.

Like Fallen Man, I fell short. Which is nothing new.

I ran another marathon. After you've done a few, running the 26.2-mile race is still an accomplishment bedded in training, dedication, perseverance and overpowering the weary body with mind and spirit. You know you can do it. On that account, there's really nothing to prove *except* to do it better and/or enjoy it more next time. You just don't want to give up even though the body, particularly the legs and feet, signal that they want to go home before the race is finished.

Racing, like playing the Super Bowl or passing a life-altering examination, is in the preparation.

There's the work. The race is the "fun" part — after it's all over.

If you're going to run, train. I did that. Got in a tad more than 1,600 miles on the road last year. Fine. I did the long runs. Got in some speed work. Even ran the 1988 Dallas White Rock Marathon, which is a big social event for Midland runners. Ate plenty of firm bananas but passed on the white wine.

What went wrong, Dear Conscience, was sabotage. I let the old body bypass its required sleep and, on the day before the race, did a moderate run — an eight-miler.

You're supposed to rest on the day before The Run.

On the day of the race in downtown Houston, I started out with flair amid the fog. So did everybody else in the Houston-Tenneco Marathon that fielded 5,000 men and women runners. I lumbered on in about two hours after the race's fastest runner, who ran a sub-5-minute-per-mile pace for 26 miles and 385 yards. His time was two hours, 10 minutes and four seconds — 2:10:04 — and his reward was $25,000 and a big cowboy hat. The woman champion also fared well. Both ran smartly to the finish line like Spitfires. I sort of lumbered in like a shot-up B-17 Flying Fortress returning from a bombing run.

Along the route, in one of George Bush's old home towns, spectators cheered and, kindly, yelled to the weary runners, "Looking good — going strong" even though, at "The Wall," many runners were gravely wounded with weariness. Certainly, many looked better than they felt. "You're going to make it!" encouraged the faithful and enthusiastic spectators.

At least one bystander was on a preaching mission.

"Follow the straight course. Avoid sin," exhorted a fellow standing on the sidelines. He was wearing a preacher's dark suit and was swinging arms as if he were pounding on the pulpit lectern.

"Please, not now," murmured a runner, who was concentrating on running, and had no intent of sinning and certainly was trying to follow the narrow path.

Along the route, one runner said to another: "What's the longest marathon you've ever run?"

"Five and a half hours," replied his friend.

"That's long."

Still, whatever the pace and finishing time, the runners fulfilled the simple rule for doing anything — ironing clothing or climbing a mountain: "Just do it."

And here are hearty salutes to every soul who finished a "marathon" of any sort — writing that best-selling novel, scaling a mountain, or just finishing a difficult task. Those who finish and who never give up share enthusiasm. Penned American philosopher Ralph Waldo Emerson: "Nothing great was every achieved without enthusiasm."

Well, let us all do greatly in whatever worthwhile feat, task or chore we take on even if the preparation wasn't perfect. Do, do, do.

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

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LIVESTOCK

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Buyer was the old First Republic-Bank Midland. In this year's auction, United Bank awarded Jaime Valencia $2,350 for showing the grand champion steer. The bid price figured out to $1.99 a pound.

However, had he opted to, the youth in turn could have sold the steer at the 70-cent-per-pound floor price, lost the calf, and added $826 to the $2,350 bid price for $3,176 in take-home revenue. "That's all that counts, anyway," Green said.

Initially, some bidders had a "little misgivings" about the new bidding approach, which is being used in other livestock shows. As it turned out, bidders "liked it very much," Green said.

The 1989 livestock show was dedicated to the late Jane Schweitzer. Mrs. Schweitzer, a 57-year-old rancher, range-grass judging mentor and lamb specialist, heartily supported youth-oriented livestock activities.

She died in a pickup mishap last March when she was driving to her family's Augustine Ranch in Pecos County.

"She loved the sheep," said Green, "but first and foremost, she loved the kids and what the program did for them. She worked more with sheep than she did with other animals. We sure missed her," said Green, a retired Texas Agricultural Extension Service agent.

Results of the auction according to exhibitors, project, winning bids and successful bidders include:

STEERS

Jaime Valencia, grand champion steer, $2,350 awarded by United Bank of Midland.

Darla Graham, reserve grand champion steer, $1,025 awarded by NCNB Texas.

Lori Stephens, steer, $500 awarded by Pevehouse Ranches.

Heather Roberts, steer, $700 awarded by Fasken Foundation.

Jason Gray, steer, $600 awarded by Clint Hurt, Tesco, J.D. Williamson.

Kari Roberts, steer, $450 awarded by Bennie Sue Thomas and ClayDesta National Bank.

James O'Brian, steer, $500 awarded by L&W Diesel and Lone Star Abstract & Title Company.

Vicki Franklin, steer, $500 awarded by Bell Petroleum, Bill Smith, FWA Drilling, Jay Horton.

Terry Stennett, steer, $400 awarded by John L. Cox.

Corey Simpson, steer, $625 awarded by Courtney Cowden and Palmer Pipe & Supply.

Jim Bob Stewart, steer, $475 awarded by B.J. Pevehouse, Roy Graham, and Albert and Sue Stewart.

T Stewart, steer, $900 awarded by Frank Cowden Jr. and The Insurance Man & Associates.

Shaine Myers, steer, $400 awarded by Fortson Oil Field Equipment, Roy Graham and Pump Unit Service.

Ginger Stennett, steer, $300 awarded by Clarence Scharbauer Jr.

Becky Piper, steer, $350 awarded by Fasken Foundation.

Jessica Stewart, steer, $475 awarded by Clarence Scharbauer Jr., Roy Graham, and Albert and Sue Stewart.

Kesha Garner, steer, $325, awarded by Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hancock.

J.C. Franklin, steer, $450 awarded by Apex Consulting Company, Petro Communications, Luchini Engineering, Rock Tool Company, and Jay Horton.

Jamie Chastain, steer, $375 awarded by Crawford Insurance Company.

Wendy Smith, steer, $700 awarded by Smith Brothers Pipe.

Clay Garner, steer, $400 awarded by Keith Barlow Appraisal Associates.

Tammy Jackson, steer, $300 Enron Oil Trading & Transportation Company.

Buck Smith, steer, $700 awarded by Smith Brothers Casing-Pulling.

Chris Jones, steer, $275 awarded by Midland 66 Oil Company.

Randy Howard, steer, $300 awarded by Midland County Farm Bureau.

LAMBS

Julie Driver grand champion lamb, $825 awarded by Midland Reporter-Telegram.

Sallie Farrow, reserve grand champion lamb, $800 awarded by First City National Bank.

Dan Phifer, lamb, $300 awarded by Tom Wageman.

Allison Worley, lamb, $250 awarded by John P. Butler and Patsy Yeager.

Rory Frazier, lamb, $350 awarded by Parker & Parsley.

Jo-Be Woodruff, lamb, $600 awarded by Woodruff Dry Wall Company.

Justin Jones, lamb, $425 awarded by Wagner & Brown.

Amanda Cassady, lamb, $300 awarded by Moffatt Carpets.

Jay Henson, lamb, $300 awarded by Enron Oil Trading & Transportation Company.

Mack Phifer, lamb, $275 awarded by Edwards Feed Store.

Jamie Stennett, lamb, $325 awarded by Murray Fasken.

Cindy Fortson, lamb, $250 awarded by Crawford & Crawford Farms.

Jesus Lara, lamb, $325 awarded by SCI Pipe Division and Wagner & Brown.

Colton Rogers, lamb, $500 awarded by Albertson's.

Brandi Carter, lamb, $325 awarded by Fasken Foundation.

Jimmy McKay, lamb, $250 awarded by Birkhead Feed Store and Eldon Welch.

Bobby Apple, lamb, $275 awarded by John L. Cox and Mid-West Insurance Company.

Amanda Hall, lamb, $300 awarded by Petro Pit Lining, Cass Electrical Construction Company, Polyethylene Pipe System Inc., and NABLA.

Laura Herring, lamb $325, awarded by Rayford and Dolly Calhoun.

Joseph Coleman, lamb, $350 awarded by Industrial Oils Inc.

Jeremy Jones, lamb $325, awarded by Mr. and Mrs. R L Spears.

Shannon Dozier, lamb $300, awarded by Enron Gas Pipe Line Operating Company.

Coy Worley, lamb, $225 awarded by B.J. Pevehouse.

Joe Coots, lamb, $400, awarded by Anderson Cattle Company.

Gaylon Rogers, lamb, $275 awarded by Crouch Well Service.

Kristopher Armistead, lamb, $475 awarded by Winches Inc.

Edmundo Lara, lamb, $275 awarded by SCI Pipe Division.

Mendy Wilson, lamb, $650 awarded by Terra Avery.

Duane Jobe, lamb, $750 donated by Glenn and Edith Drake.

Lucas McLain, lamb, $750 donated by TWS Pump & Supply and Tommy White Supply Company.

Jimmy Jackson, lamb, $250 awarded by Kem Merren, Eldon Welch, Andy's Lumber Company, Alpha Phi Mu.

Jean Franks, lamb, $300 awarded by Woodruff Dry Walls.

Louis Gonzales, lamb, $300 awarded Jumburrito Mexican Food Restaurants and Newnie W. Ellis.

Jody Franks, lamb, $250 awarded by Trimble-Batjer-Cobb Insurance Inc. of San Angelo.

Colt Fleming, lamb, $300 awarded by David and Lee Schweitzer.

Jodie Denny, lamb, $600 awarded by Midland Farmers Cooperative and ADM Corp.

Michael Merritt, lamb, $375 awarded by Debbie Smith.

Amy Edwards, lamb, $250 awarded by Wilson Construction Company.

Shane Jobe, lamb, $775 awarded by Edith and Glenn Drake.

Cody Teinert, lamb, $525 awarded by Bob Midkiff Insurance and A.C. Teinert.

Jim Fortson, lamb, $300 awarded by NCNB Texas and Clarence Scharbauer Jr.

Angela Foster, lamb, $325 awarded by NCNB Texas.

Justin Bain, lamb, $300 awarded by Royce Boyce and Smith Brothers Casing Pullers.

Scott Robinson, lamb, $225 awarded by Midland 66 Oil Company.

Mendy Kiehne, lamb, $525 awarded by Fasken Foundation.

HOGS

Colleen Alderson, grand champion hog, $875 awarded by Community National Bank and Holt Cowden.

Sally Moody, reserve grand champion hog, $850 awarded by Jack Sherman Chevrolet.

Jeff Dunn, hog, $275 awarded by Cave-Bowlin Inc.

Dusty Bryant, hog $300 awarded by Midland Farmers Cooperative.

Michelle Stennett, hog $300 awarded by Wayne Moore.

Lance Watters, hog, $450 awarded by Schumann Cattle Company.

Rebecca Moody, hog, $575 awarded by Panda Pipe & Equipment Company.

Bronc Fleming, hog, $300 awarded by Enron Oil Trading & Transportation.

Misty Walker, hog, $350 awarded by Steve and Murray Fasken.

Billy Pete Geurin, hog, $225 awarded by Donna Boyce.

Joel Taylor, hog, $250 awarded by Crawford & Crawford Farms.

J.L. Hopper, hog, $300 awarded by Canyon Pipe Line Corp.

Greg Chatwell, hog, $250 awarded by Tommy White Supply.

Brad Hanlan, hog, $200 awarded by Commercial Electronics Supply.

Susannea Bryant, hog, $300 awarded by Virginia Bryant.

Amy Alderson, hog, $275 awarded by Steve and Murray Fasken.

Cindy Dunn, hog, $300, awarded by Alvey Bryant.

Lacey Hamilton, hog, $500 awarded by Smith Brothers Pipe Inc.

Jimmy Chapman, hog, $250 awarded by W.R. Rental Tools.

Priscilla Rodriquez, hog, $200 awarded by Jack Hollums.

Scott Casbeer, hog, $250 awarded by Farmers Co-op Compress and Plains Co-op Oil Mill of Lubbock.

Doug Alderson, hog, $275 awarded by Mrs. Charlie Dunn.

Johnny Wyatt, hog, $225 awarded by Clint Hurt & Associates.

Andy Watzl, hog, $350 awarded by Patterson II Elliott Corp.

Loyd Mashburn, hog, $375 awarded by Enron Oil Trading & Transportation Company, Omega Treating Chemicals, M.F. Mechen Contracting Inc., McClatchy Brothers Trucking Company.

Bobby Flores, hog, $250 awarded by SCI Pipe Division.

Greg Boler, hog, $250 awarded by Industrial Oils and K&L Equipment.

April Curry, hog, $250 awarded by Hughes Fertilizer of Stanton.

Mandy Syler, hog, $400 awarded by Panda Pipe & Equipment Company.

Lyle Mashburn, hog, $400 awarded by Schumann Cattle Company.

Brandon Bain, hog, $300, awarded by Royce Boyce and Smith Brothers Casing Pullers.

Bryan Chatwell, hog, $250 awarded by Petro-Chem Services Corp.

Jason Lough, hog, $225 awarded by SCI Pipe Division.

Amber Hanson, hog, $325 awarded by Schuimann Cattle Company.

Michael Wyatt, hog, $350 awarded by Pancrete Products Inc.

Chad Gammage, hog, $300 awarded by Smith Brothers Pipe Inc.

Jody Paul Geurin, hog, $225 awarded by Royce Boyce.

Eric Clutter, hog, $200 awarded by Roy Rogers Dirt Contractor.

Cody Watson, hog, $500 awarded by B.J. Pevehouse.

Damon Cumba, hog, $250 awarded by Trimble-Batjer-Cobb Insurance.

Chap Harper, hog, $200 awarded by Tret-O-Lite Chemicals and Odessa Packer Service.

Dusty Taylor, hog, $400, awarded by Wagner & Brown.

J. J. Moody, hog, $400 awarded by Panda Pipe & Equipment Company.

Curtis Shupp, hog, $250 awarded by Charlie and Betty Green.

J.R. Ketter, hog, $300 awarded by Parker & Parsley and Lee Bell Water Sales.

David Curry, hog, $250 Dan Fender and Charlie Bird.

Lindsay Stewart, hog, $700 awarded by Stewart Electric.

Marshall Newman, hog, $250 awarded by Enron Oil Trading & Transportation Company.

Jacque Ketter, hog, $475 awarded by Enron Oil Trading & Transportation Company, Omega Chemicals, McClatchy Brothers Trucking Contractors Inc.

Steve Hamm, hog, $400 awarded by George Anderson, Willie DuBose, and Vann Culp.

Rachel Lough, hog, $300 awarded Schumann Cattle Company.

Lauri Gammage, hog, $325 awarded by Permian Basin Office Products.

Dusty Hipp, hog, $500 awarded by Rogers Ford.

Kenneth Casbeer, hog, $275 awarded by SCI Pipe Division.

Tanya Clutter, hog, $400 awarded by Oil Field Service.

RABBITS

Christi Lavine, grand champion pens of rabbits, $325 awarded by Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.

Boyd Weaverling, reserve grand champion pens of rabbits, $350 awarded by Enron Oil Trading & Transportation Company.

Political asylum cases delayed while judge rules on INS procedure

HARLINGEN (AP) — Political asylum cases filed here during the 2½-week life of a disputed Immigration and Naturalization Service procedure have been put on hold until a judge decides on the validity of the INS rule designed to keep Central Americans from traveling further north, an official said.

The delay affects up to 2,064 asylum applicants filing claims between Dec. 16 and Jan. 9. But many of them have traveled on to their U.S. destinations after U.S. District Judge Filemon Vela in Brownsville issued a temporary restraining order against the INS rule, said Virginia Kice, a spokeswoman for the INS' Harlingen District covering the southernmost part of Texas.

The procedure was devised to keep asylum applicants from working or traveling farther into the United States for the 30 days it would take to approve or deny their claims for refugee status. A marked increase in the number of homeless, jobless Central Americans camping out in the Lower Rio Grande Valley to await their adjudication by the INS followed the Dec. 16 implementation of the procedure.

Immigration attorneys filed a class-action suit against the procedure on Jan. 6. Vela on Jan. 9 granted a temporary restraining order until a full hearing could be held in the case.

The judge's order freed hundreds and maybe thousands of Central Americans to leave the Lower Rio Grande Valley and pursue their claims for refugee status elsewhere in the United States. Bus companies last week brought in extra vehicles and drivers to accommodate the extra northbound passengers.

A hearing has been set for Jan. 31, at which lawyers for the INS are expected to defend the travel-restricting procedure.

But the first immigrants' appointments for decisions under the now-blocked procedure were due Monday, a month after the procedure took effect.

Ms. Kice said applicants showing up for word on approval or denial of their claims will be asked to return in two weeks or report to the immigration office nearest their intended U.S. residence.

"We wanted to make sure that we obey the temporary restraining order both in spirit and in fact, and our attorneys are still analyzing the thrust of the order," Ms. Kice said. "We want to make sure that we follow it to the letter."

She said of 16 people who showed up Tuesday for appointments to learn of their status, "All of them said they wished to have their cases transferred out to other INS districts."

Since the restraining order took effect, INS records show the Harlingen office had processed 2,733 asylum applicants by the close of business Tuesday.

She said 34 percent indicated they were traveling on to Miami, 13 percent each to New York and Los Angeles, a combined total of 12 to Dallas or Houston and 6 percent to Washington, D.C., along with a long list of other cities.

Officials from Metropolitan Dade County, Fla., visited southern Texas last week in part to advise the Central Americans not to go to Miami if they did not have friends or relatives there.

Forty-four percent of the asylum-seekers processed in Harlingen since Jan. 9 were from Nicaragua, 20 percent from El Salvador, 14 percent from Honduras and 11 percent from Guatemala, with the rest consisting primarily of South Americans and Caribbeans, according to the INS.

"Fewer than 1 percent said they intended to stay in the Harlingen area," Ms. Kice said.

More than 30,000 Central American asylum-seekers passed through the southern tip of Texas last year, according to the INS.

Red Cross officials since last weekend have been caring for more than 200 Central Americans at an industrial warehouse near the Brownsville International Airport.

Man convicted of voluntary manslaughter

From Staff Reports

ODESSA — A 70th District Court jury this morning was scheduled to begin hearing evidence and arguments in the punishment phase of the trial of a 31-year-old man found guilty Wednesday of voluntary manslaughter.

Jurors deliberated slightly more than an hour Wednesday afternoon to find Ismael Flores Galindo, 2911 Henderson Ave., guilty. Galindo, who had been charged with murder but convicted of the lesser offense, faces a maximum 20-year prison sentence.

Conviction on the charge of murder would have meant a prison sentence as high as 99 years.

Galindo is accused of the March 26, 1988, fatal shooting of Javier Leora Martinez, 32, following a fight in the parking lot of the El Monterey bar, 410 W. Pearl St.

According to police, Martinez was shot four times with a small caliber handgun after he and Galindo had left the bar and engaged in a fist fight. The victim suffered wounds in the neck, chest, left arm and abdomen.

The case is being heard by retired 70th District Court Judge C.V. Milburn because Judge Gene Ater is ill.

Assistant District Attorney Dennis Cadra began prosecution of the case Tuesday. Galindo is being defended by attorney Richard Alvarado of Midland and Odessa.

Four persons rob jewelry, cash, handguns

From Staff Reports

Four persons broke into a home near a busy intersection Wednesday and robbed a 74-year-old man and his wife, 69, of jewelry, cash, and two handguns, according to Midland police.

The victims were not injured in the robbery, which occurred about 7:30 p.m., according to police.

When the man answered a back door at his home at 1604 N. Garfield Road, three men and woman forced their way in. After a brief scuffle, the resident was subdued by the men, who then went through the house.

Investigators today were still trying to determine what was missing, police spokesman Cpl. Jim White said.

The robbers may have used a van parked in a nearby alley to escape, according to investigators.

The suspects were described only as a tall black man and tall black woman. Two other black men described as short and stocky.

Rape trial delayed

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Trial for the second of 10 men indicted in the alleged kidnapping and gang rape of a woman near this South Texas town has been postponed until Feb. 6 at the request of a defense attorney.

Jury selection had begun Tuesday for the aggravated kidnapping trial of Felipe Chew, 28, in the 229th District Court in Duval County.

Chew, a Mexican national, has been in the Duval County Jail since March 31 in lieu of bonds totaling $70,000.

Twenty-four-year-old Orlando Garza was convicted here last Sept. 27 of sexual assault in connection with the case.

WEEDS

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Since Oct. 1, the city has spent $4,400 tax dollars mowing other people's property. Wolf said he plans to issue another $3,800 worth of contracts out to private companies. To date, only half the owners notified have complied.

"We have a mowing contract we regularly put out for bid. When we end up doing it, they (property owners) end up being billed through our finance office."

In addition to that unexpected mailbox surprise, the city, under its penalty provisions, can fine an owner up to $2,000 and place a lien on the lot to boot.

Only three types of property are exempted from the law:

- Zoned farm and grazing areas as well as property designated as wildlife sanctuaries.
- Land tracts of 7.5 acres or more, not wider than 300 feet, except within 35 feet of a paved roadway.
- Areas more than 175 feet from nearest developed property line.

Fire Marshal Jerry Petree said the fire department stands behind the ordinance and code enforcement. "Our interest is in fire safety. When you have a wet season and the weeds grow and then a dry spell, it's a fire just waiting to happen."

Petree said it has always been the goal of the department to keep such hazards at a minimum. "My people can write citations if necessary, but we basically try to work together with code enforcement. Our sole purpose is to get the hazard corrected."

Midland has always had a law on the books governing weed and brush control. "However, this is more in line with what we had been enforcing all along," said City Manager Fred Poe. "We just wanted to get it (the ordinance) in conformance."

DEATHS

Ethel Vandling

Ethel Vandling of Midland died today at a local nursing home.

Services are pending with the Gibbons-Bunker Funeral Home in Mesa, Ariz. Local arrangements are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Authorities find 29 terriers living in roach-infested cages

LIBERTY (AP) — Authorities seized 29 sick and malnourished toy fox terriers from a roach-infested bedroom and charged the owner with animal cruelty.

Barry Johnson, 46, a dog breeder, was released Wednesday on $30,000 bond. The dogs have been taken from Johnson's home in Liberty, where he lives with his wife and teen-age daughter.

Liberty Police Chief Paul Statton said a complaint from a Port Arthur dog breeder prompted the investigation.

"She had become concerned because she had been buying dogs from Johnson for years and had started noticing that their condition seemed to be deteriorating," Statton said.

Johnson had kept his breeding operation in his garage until neighbors complained about barking and foul odors two years ago. He was arrested then and fined for running a kennel without a license.

"Afterward, he refused to get a license. He told us he'd moved his breeding operation out of town," said Liberty's animal control officer, Doug Corley.

Authorities went to the home Tuesday morning where they found the dogs confined in small, portable cages that were stacked.

"There was no room for them to move around at all, which is against the law," Corley said.

In addition, the cages "were full of roaches, crawling all over the animals," he said. The dogs all appeared to be dehydrated and undernourished and many had protruding bones, he said.

A newborn puppy died Tuesday and another terrier is sick with heart worms, but Corley expects the others to survive after treatment at the animal shelter.

Shelter program may be expanded

HOUSTON (AP) — The school district superintendent is considering modifying the new school shelter program to keep at least one campus open in the evenings for sports and tutoring activities.

Joan Raymond, superintendent of the Houston Independent School District, told students at Jefferson Davis High School on Wednesday that keeping a campus open from about 5 p.m. to 10 p.m. may help draw in youths who need help.

For the past week, Jefferson Davis and Gregory-Lincoln Education Center have served as overnight shelters for homeless students. But only a few students have stayed at the school shelters.

HISD board members will decide Friday whether the school shelters should remain open.

Ms. Raymond refused to discuss specifically what recommendations she will make to the board regarding the shelter program, but she told the Jefferson Davis students she was considering opening the campus for activities in the evening.

During an impromptu talk in the school auditorium, Ms. Raymond asked the high school students whether they believed there are youths without a place to sleep. Most of the students raised their hands and some nodded emphatically.

Ms. Raymond asked the students to consider the possibility of evening activities as a way to gain the trust of school-aged children who have no place to stay, but have so far resisted efforts from the school system and other emergency shelter programs.

'Boss' arrested in 1871

William Marcy Tweed, better known as "Boss" Tweed, was arrested in 1871 on charges of defrauding the government of New York City.

TRIAL

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When Long was told he needed receipts to return books, his face dropped, she told jurors.

"I felt sorry for him," she told defense attorney Woody Leverett. "He looked like someone who had been kicked away from the table."

In his opening statement Leverett acknowledged to the jury that Long killed the 11-year-old and wounded her mother.

"The sole issue is whether the state can prove he not only wounded Debra Frazier and killed Jennalee Frazier...but that it was his conscious purpose to commit those acts," Leverett said.

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1982 BUICK Park Avenue, blue, four door, $2500, best offer. 687-4719, 201 E. New Jersey.

BABY swing, dressing table, carseat, other baby items and lots of miscellaneous. Friday - Sunday, 9 - 5, at 5128 Sunnyside.

1984 DODGE Charger, 38,000 miles, Excellent condition. Asking $2,500. Call 685-4921, 8 - 5. After 5 call 694-3154.

SALESPERSON needed for fast growing company. Experience in telecommunications preferred but not necessary. Call 683-3146.

★TWO Bedroom. Water Furnished. No inside pets. New carpet. $195 Monthly. $100 Deposit. 694-0909, 697-8383.

OLDER one bedroom duplex, unique decor, four blocks north of Midland High School, stove and refrigerator furnished, carpeted, vented heat, no pets please. Call 682-0605.

1985 PORSCHE 944, Guards red, Beige interior, alarm, 23,000 miles. $16,500. Call 697-1193.

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INSIDE Sale. 500 Howard, Friday and Saturday 8 - 5. Twin beds, queen size water bed, dinette, clothes dryer, and miscellaneous.

CHRISTIAN Man desires any type of heavy duty cleaning; windows, waxing floors, etc. of general buildings or home cleaning. Responsible, references, reasonable. Non-smoker, non-drinker. 683-7454, 683-7559 ask for Jesse Sr.

GOLF Clubs: Ping orange dot, black dot, woods, metal woods, 1 irons, sandwedges, putters, bags. Call 683-7512.

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HAVE a car, but need a truck! New 1988 Ford Tempo. Less than 8,000 miles. Excellent condition. $8300. Call nights or weekends, 683-6149.

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MATURE Christian Man with 40 years experience in Midland area desires any type of yard work. Prunning trees, cleaning flower beds, empty lots, planting shrubs, flowers and fertilizing. Non-smoker, non-drinker. Reasonable, responsible, references. Call 683-7454, 683-7559 ask for Jesse Sr.

2402 HOLLOWAY. 2 bedroom, 1 bath, central air/ heat. Deposit required. 697-2121 after 6 pm.

GARAGE Sale: Not enough room! Furniture, odds/ ends. Friday and Saturday, 8 - 6. 2503 Cuthbert.

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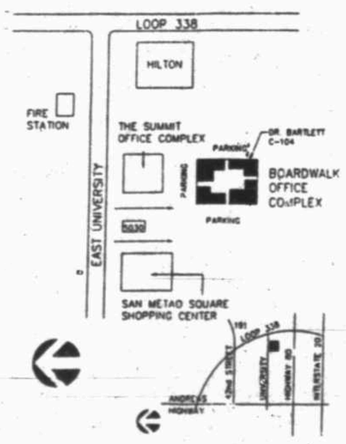
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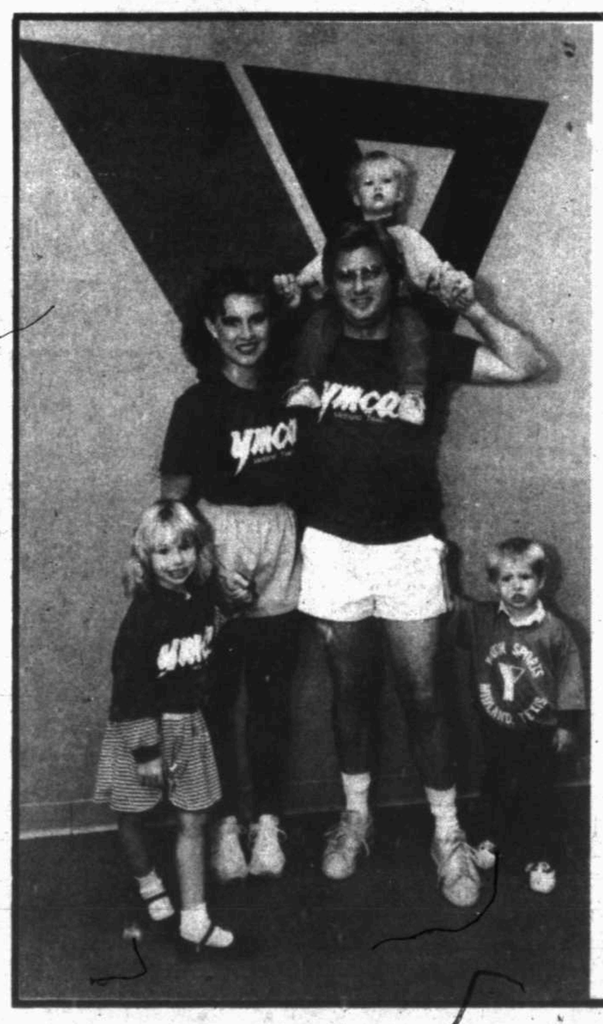
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Commander faces disciplinary hearing

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) — A non-judicial disciplinary hearing on his role in the treatment of Navy "whistleblower" Bryan Sims is in store for the commanding officer of Naval Air Station Corpus Christi, an official said.

Capt. Craig L. Reynolds is one of 10 persons for whom disciplinary hearings were ordered after an October court-martial verdict against Sims was thrown out Jan. 6.

Sims, a rescue swimmer and helicopter mechanic, was exonerated on Jan. 6 of military rules infractions. The charges were filed after Sims refused a 1986 order to take untested parts from a wrecked helicopter and install them on two working helicopters. Sims maintained that the charges, unrelated to helicopter maintenance, were brought because of his refusal to install the untested parts.

He completed a 30-day confinement-to-base sentence last month on charges he said were trumped up to punish him for "blowing the whistle"on helicopter safety violations. He transferred this month from Corpus Christi to Houston, at his request.

Vice Adm. John S. Disher, chief of Naval Education and Training in Pensacola, Fla., threw out the October court-martial verdict and ordered disciplinary action for 10 supervisors in Corpus Christi. Reynolds was one of those charged with dereliction of duty, the Navy has said.

The 10 are suspected of dereliction of duty in connection with improper parts procurement and maintenance practices.

Nine of the individuals were given the option of non-judicial hearings, in which they report to a superior for discipline, but Lt. Dennis Hessler, a spokesman for Disher in Pensacola, said only Reynolds had accepted the non-judicial hearing by Tuesday's deadline.

Hessler said the advantage of accepting a non-judicial hearing over a court-martial is the milder punishment.

"The penalties (of the non-judicial hearing) are a lot less severe," Hessler said. "A conviction with a court-martial could carry a stigma that would stay with them."

Hessler said the non-judicial hearings probably would be held within a month and that courts-martial might be scheduled within three or four months. In the event of a court-martial, he said the maximum penalties for officers would be 60 days' base restriction, forfeiture of two-thirds of base pay for six months and loss of promotional opportunities.

Officers at the non-judicial hearings could lose half of base pay for two months and face restriction to the base or their quarters for 30 or 60 days.

Sims, 27, who has served 10 years in the Navy, has said he was harassed and received death threats after refusing an Oct. 1986 order to install on two helicopters some crucial, untested parts from a search-and-rescue helicopter that crashed in 1985, killing three crew members.

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Funeral scheduled for Bentsen's father

MCALLEN (AP) — Funeral services were scheduled today for Lloyd M. Bensten Sr., who led a rich and active life up to his death two days ago in a traffic accident.

Bentsen, father of Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, Texas' senior U.S. senator, died Tuesday at the age of 95 in the accident that occurred at a rural highway intersection in Hidalgo County in the Lower Rio Grande Valley.

Department of Public Safety officials said Bentsen apparently failed to yield the right of way at a stop sign to an eastbound car.

Funeral services were scheduled for 10:30 a.m. today at First Baptist Church in McAllen with burial in Roselawn Cemetery and Mausoleum in McAllen.

The South Texas pioneer and entrepreneur had been active in his farming, ranching and real estate interests, which had helped him build a South Texas empire.

"He was here two or three times a week, sometimes every day," said Bud Williams, foreman for the past 25 years at Bentsen's 16,000-acre La Coma Ranch in Hidalgo County, one of six ranches Bentsen owned.

Bentsen held nearly 50,000 acres of farms and ranches scattered on land carved out of seemingly worthless brushland near the Mexican border.

In his final years, Bentsen continued living at a residence on Bentsen Road near Mission, and was up at dawn every day and on the road to his real estate office or one of the farms and ranches in Hidalgo and Starr counties.

Bentsen was a supporter financially and personally of his son's politicial campaigns.

He and his wife, Dolly, who died in 1977, had four children: Lloyd M. Bentsen Jr.; Kenneth, a Houston architect; Don, a McAllen businessman; and Betty, the wife of Lower Rio Grande Valley businessman Dan Winn.

Alleged drug trafficker's wife says photos humiliated her

EL PASO (AP) — The common-law wife of a reputed drug trafficker said Wednesday that she was humiliated and degraded by Mexican police who took nude pictures of her in jail in Ciudad Juarez.

Paige Elizabeth Lacey, who calls herself Priscilla Lacey, said in a statement through her lawyer that federal judicial police in Juarez stripped her, photographed her and distributed the pictures throughout the jail.

"She said, 'I was degraded,' " her attorney, Robert Harris, said Wednesday. He would not allow Ms. Lacey to talk to reporters.

Ms. Lacey, 23, of Templeton, Calif., was arrested Jan. 9 along with Gilberto Ontiveros, who is reputed to be one of the main marijuana smugglers along the U.S.-Mexican border. Ontiveros remains in a Juarez jail on drug-smuggling and weapons charges.

Ms. Lacey was deported Saturday into the custody of El Paso police, who wanted her on a charge of unauthorized use of a motor vehicle. She posted $6,000 bail Wednesday evening.

Ontiveros gave Juarez newspaper El Fronterizo a photograph of Ms. Lacey this week and said police had taken the pictures to humiliate her. The woman, who is eight months' pregnant, was nude from the waist up.

Ontiveros gave the newspaper pictures police had taken of two of his bodyguards who were arrested Jan. 9. Both were shirtless.

The newspaper printed all three photographs at the top of the front page in Tuesday's editions, provoking federal prosecutor Genaro Carrillo Elvira to launch an investigation into how the pictures got out of the hands of police.

Carrillo denied the photos were taken to humiliate the subjects.

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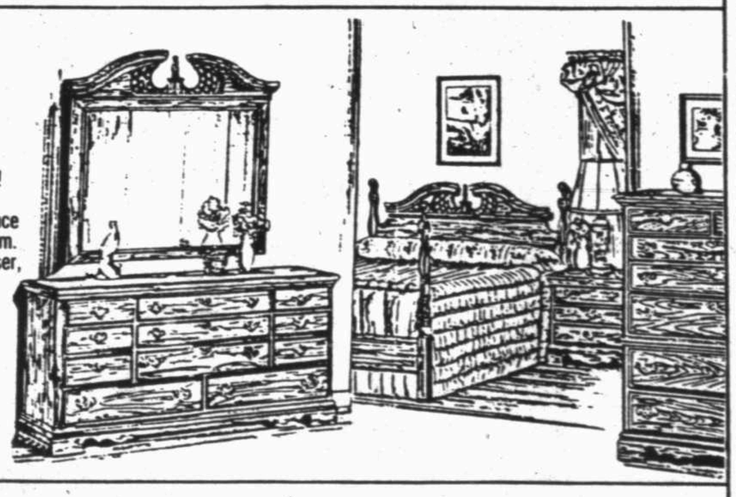
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Woman refuses to close book on 'fasten-a-ting' collection

By LYNN BULMAHN

The Leroy resident says she cannot estimate how many buttons are in her collection. Those not bound in the books she makes herself are displayed in wall hangings or used to make necklaces that, upon first glance, resemble expensive beads.

LEROY, Texas (AP) — Ask Hazel Witzel if she has a button, and she's likely to show you a hundred or so of them.

But not a one is ordinary.

There are buttons made of pink Depression glass, buttons that resemble paperweights, intricately carved bone buttons and those with cameos of beautiful ladies.

There are some that may have stood sentry on a wool suit, elegant in their gold-colored trim, and tiny buttons with delicate carvings that once graced an old-fashioned dress.

Witzel has dozens of pages of buttons in several leather-bound albums, and each one tells a story.

"It sounds kind of funny, collecting buttons," said Witzel, an 81-year-old retired Ross Middle School librarian.

"But not when you actually see them for yourself. They went to so much trouble for a little tiny button like that."

Her admiration of the everyday craftsmanship that went into the antique buttons stems from childhood.

"When I was a little kid, we had these (sewing) machines in our home," Witzel said. "I liked to look through all the little things in the drawers."

Many of the treasures in the sewing machine cabinet drawers were buttons — thus beginning Witzel's lifelong fascination.

The Leroy resident says she cannot estimate how many buttons are in her collection. Those not bound in the books she makes herself are displayed in wall hangings or used to make necklaces that, upon first glance, resemble expensive beads.

She says some buttons are 100 years old or older. The "newest" are at least 40 years old, she said, because that's when factories began manufacturing plastic buttons.

One button is ivory-colored and depicts a small airplane flying over an Art Deco-style ocean.

"That's one I wore myself," she said. "I got it in 1928, I believe. After (Charles) Lindbergh flew the ocean in 1927, a lot of things came out depicting airplanes."

Witzel has buttons depicting St. George fighting the dragon, Queen Elizabeth II and Punch and Judy.

Witzel has buttons of ruby glass, pink glass, clear glass and black glass, a popular style. Some black glass buttons are decorated with gold or silver overlays.

"Very often, there might be four pieces to a button," she said. "There would be the back and three layers of overlay on it. I can remember coat buttons I had as a child. Sometimes the overlay would eventually come off and the cardboard back would be left."

One button in Witzel's collection resembles a round glass paperweight. Inside the clear glass ball is a swirl of colored glass.

Other paperweight buttons have animals such as deer or dogs etched on their surfaces. Roses and flowers are often depicted in this variety of button, Witzel said.

Flat buttons called calicos were handpainted in various patterns and colors and used by women on calico dresses.

Underwear buttons were made from ceramic, she said, showing several white porcelain-like examples.

Witzel also collects military buttons and pins. One button looks like it would be more at home on a fancy dress with its large round circle containing what appears to be an amber-colored gem.

"Those were glow-in-the-dark buttons," she explained. "My brother wore that one. He was in a battleship. When they went into battle against a submarine, they had to black out the halls below. They wore these so that they could see each other and not bump into each other in the battleship hallways."

One page of Witzel's book has a collage of pearl buttons forming a tree.

"There just aren't any of those around any more," she said, pointing out the elaborate carvings.

One page contains buttons made of bone or horn.

"I remember my sister went out in the pasture and picked up some bones. She had a pile of them, mostly cow bones." Witzel said. "Here comes the peddler and buys them off of her. That's how she got her spending money."

Although materials such as abalone, glass, silver and pearl were expensive and featured elaborate workmanship, Witzel's hobby did not cost her a fortune to collect.

Many of the buttons in her collection are from relatives, such as the tiny black glass buttons Witzel believes were from her grandmother's dresses. Others were purchased second-hand.

"Used to be, you could buy a bucket of old buttons or jar of buttons at Goodwill or Salvation Army," Witzel said. "They're not available any more."

The days of buying a jar full of buttons for a quarter are gone, she said. Now, antique stores may have a few buttons, but their price has gone up.

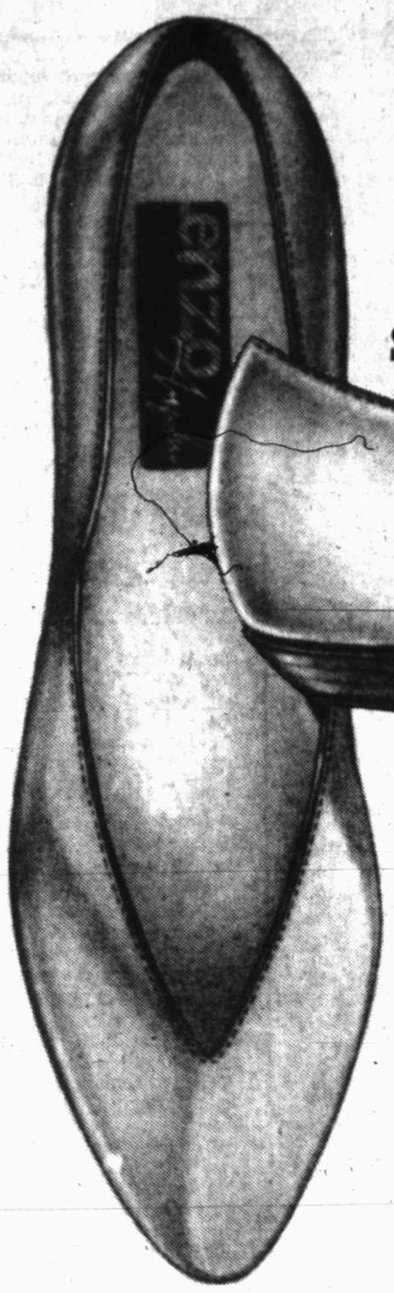
Witzel has spoken to children's groups, showing youngsters how to start their own button collection.

"I tell them to put your Scout buttons, your dad's military buttons and any silly little stuff you may have around the house in a book, and someday you will have an heirloom," she said. "This silly little stuff will be thrown away and someday it will be gone. But someday, some little kid will want it."

Witzel's albums contain buttons on one side of each page, and clothing labels and advertisements on the other. No two buttons are alike and the range of creativity is astounding.

Although hers has been an enjoyable hobby, she hints that she'd part with the collection — for a price. Witzel said she lost her savings when the Leroy Bank failed.

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CONSUMING INTERESTS

Best, worst 1988 supermarket list released

By LINDA ANDERSON



Anderson

With all the "best and worst of 1988" lists that we've seen since Christmas — best videos, top 50 songs, best and worst movies, best and worst dressed, major best-sellers — by now you are probably tired of all this retrospection and ready to get on with 1989.

Well, not just yet. This list involves something near and dear to all our hearts — and stomachs — the 1988 Best and Worst at the Supermarket List. (I'm sorry, but I couldn't resist.)

According to The Lempert Report, a biweekley source of the latest in marketing trends, the 10 supermarket winners for 1988 are:

- Old Fashioned Quaker Oats (do it right the first time, and leave it alone)
- Arm & Hammer Dental Care Toothpaste
- MicroReady Indicator (which they say "solves one of the microwave's biggest problems: the lack of cooking time uniformity." The indicator is attached into Armour microwave dinners.)
- Flavored seltzers (My kids are always begging me to take some of these home, but I have found my budget can't afford them too often.)
- My Own Meals (I've never heard of this one, but I'm hoping to check them out soon. They are described in TLR as "five-item line of microwaveable dinners for children...")
- Spago's Original California Pizza (Another one I've not seen in our area ... yet. Famous Chef Wolfgang Puck is responsible for this one.)
- Smartfood Popcorn (I made a point of looking for this one in the supermarket the other day — haven't found it yet eitherm but I'm still looking.)
- Prepared foods-to-go (Same convenience as deli foods, only more variety.)
- Single-serving frozen vegetables, and
- Olive oil (which *still* tastes bad to me.)

On to the 10 supermarket mistakes for 1988, according to TLR:

- MicroMagic Milkshakes (No argument here. Not worth the money, not worth the time, not as tasty as milkshakes made the "old-fashioned" way.)
- Slice (Arguments here. My kids *love* Slice, and it's still the only lemon-lime soda I'll drink — sorry 7-Up.)
- Seven-Up Gold (haven't tried it — see above.)
- Fruity Yummy Mummy with Monster Mallows (Another sugar-sweetened, marshmallow-infested breakfast cereal. My kids love them. I don't.)
- Refrigerated pasta
- Michelob Dry Beer (I don't drink beer, so I have no opinion on this one.)
- Oreo Cookies 'n Cream Fudge-Covered Snackwiches (So they have too much fat content, so they are bad for your teeth, so they break a lot of nutrition rules — they *taste* good.)
- Kellogg's Cracklin' Oat Bran (TLR knocked this one because, as originally marketed, it contained coconut oil — one of the fats to avoid. The company *did* change the recipe — but only after it was caught, according to TLR.)
- Flavored microwave popcorn (Messy, yes. Fattening, yes. Do I love it? Yes.)
- Frozen microwave entrees (Basically, TLR's beef on this one is that there are too many.)

You can probably come up with your own top and bottom 10s lists. Mine will include dried salads-in-a-box and anything made with dried potatoes, dried tomatoes or dried red peppers.

Linda Anderson is a Reporter-Telegram Lifestyle writer.

Rabbi to be seminar guest lecturer

From Staff Reports

Rabbi Earl A. Grollman of Belmont, Mass., will be the guest lecturer for a two-day seminar dealing with grieving, death and loss. The series, co-sponsored by Hospice of Midland, the Junior League of Midland and Midland Community Theatre, will be Tuesday and Wednesday.

The seminars are open to the public and are free of charge. They are an extension of the play "Arkansaw Bear," performed at Midland Community Theatre. The seminars are directed toward adults who are faced with the loss of a loved one or the task of explaining that loss to others.

Grollman is a pineer in family crisis intervention and is internationally known for his work concerning death, bereavement and divorce. For more than 30 years, he has served as rabbiat the Temple Beth El in Belmont and is a member of the Bereavement Team of Community School of Psychiatry at Harvard University.

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DEAR ABBY

New stepmother wants to end 'wicked' image

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN



Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I recently married a widower who is the father of three young children, so now I am a stepmother. I love these children and they love me, but here's the problem:

I hope you won't think I am being childish or silly, but while reading bedtime stories to the children, I am deeply hurt when I come across a character in the story who is described as the "wicked stepmother." Abby, this is terribly unfair to all the kind and caring stepmothers.

Is there anything we can do to stop perpetuating this ugly myth? How can we good stepmothers combat the "wicked stepmother" label? — A NOT-SO-WICKED STEPMOTHER

DEAR STEPMOTHER: Don't take the "wicked stepmother" label personally. She's been in the fairy tale literature for generations, and until and unless a more contemporary author of bedtime stories replaces her with "a kind and loving" stepmother, all you good stepmothers will have to let your deeds speak for themselves.

There must be a special place in heaven for those noble women who have chosen to raise another woman's children. And if there isn't, there should be.

DEAR ABBY: My father left our family when I was a young girl. (I am now 26 years old.) He changed his name and cut off all family ties. It's been nearly four years since I've heard from him — but that doesn't stop him from putting my name and telephone number on all of his hospital forms as "next of kin." The only reason I know of his recent heart attacks (he's had three) is because the hospitals have called me numerous times regarding information as to his whereabouts for non-payment of his bills.

I realize this may sound cold, but I want nothing to do with this man. My concern is, when he dies, am I financially responsible for his funeral expenses or any of his unpaid bills? He and my mother are legally divorced and everyone else in the family feels the way I do about him.

What should I do? Please hurry your answer. — CONCERNED IN CALIFORNIA

DEAR CONCERNED: According to Arthur Groman, my legal consultant, there are specific provisions in the law of California governing the obligation of children to support their parents who are in need. There is also a provision of law that any adult person abandoned by a parent prior to the age of 18 may bring an action to be relieved from the obligation of support. Because of the nature of these laws, you should consult a California attorney.

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I have a daughter who is 14 years old, and already she is 6 feet 2 inches tall. We have heard that she will continue to grow until she is 16 years old.

She feels very self-conscious being so tall for her age. Abby, can anything be done to stop her from growing taller? — WORRIED IN HAWAII

DEAR WORRIED: Ask your family physician to arrange a consultation with a pediatric endocrinologist. In recent years, the medical profession has learned much about how to "discourage" growth.

Abigail Van Buren is a columnist for Universal Press Syndicate.

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AT WIT'S END

At last! Sport that coordinates cute clothes, hair

EDITORS NOTE: Erma Bombeck is taking a one-week vacation. This Best of Bombeck was originally published Jan. 29, 1984.

By ERMA BOMBECK



Bombeck

All my life I have been looking for a sport that features a cute outfit that I can wear to do my grocery shopping, requires no more effort than putting one foot in front of the other, allows me to keep my next meal strapped to my back, and offers the cheap thrill of having someone breathe heavily behind me.

I've found it! Cross country skiing.

Imagine. No ambulance parked at the bottom of the hill. No tents at the finish line offering blankets and intravenous feeding. No standing around trying to find your pulse to see if it is accelerated.

As with any sport, basically what we are talking about is coordination. I cannot tell you how important it is to coordinate your entire outfit at one time. The knickers should fit well and be something eye-catching, preferably matching one's lightweight jacket. A cotton turtleneck or scarf tucked smartly under a blouse is a nice touch. Socks should be dark to help keep the calves from looking like piano legs. A lot of people wear thermal underwear, but personally I find it too warm for the supermarket.

What I really love about the sport is that you don't have to wear those awful caps that flatten your hair.

Setting your pace as you go is very important in cross country skiing. If you tear off in a kick-glide movement the way you are supposed to, you will never meet anybody.

As with most sports, cross country skiing improves with time and practice. After a while, you learn that if you look too frightened to move, someone will clamp your skis on for you, pull your gloved hands through your poles and never leave your side.

As for the promise of great personal satisfaction, I wouldn't know. Maybe I will discover that next week when I venture out of the parking lot.

Erma Bombeck is a columnist for Universal Press Syndicate.

Newest VCRs more portable

Associated Press

There are signs that two-piece portable video systems may be staging a comeback. Before these were replaced by the now ubiquitous camcorder, which combines camera and camcorder in one unit, the two-piece portables were the only way to go. However, they had two major drawbacks — weight and bulkiness. The cameras were heavy, and the suitcase-size recorders which hung from the user's shoulder often weighed as much as 30 pounds.

Because of new chip technology, cameras, televisions and videocassette recorders are now being built that are lighter and smaller than ever before. This opens the door for easy portability of two-piece units, something never before possible.

Sony's recently introduced GV-8 Video Walkman, approximately $1,300, is a television VCR that will play and record 8mm videotapes. Roughly the size of a thick paperback book, the GV-8 weighs only 3 pounds. The separate CCD-G1 8 mm camera, which retails for about $750, weighs only 6 ounces and is small enough to fit into a jacket pocket.

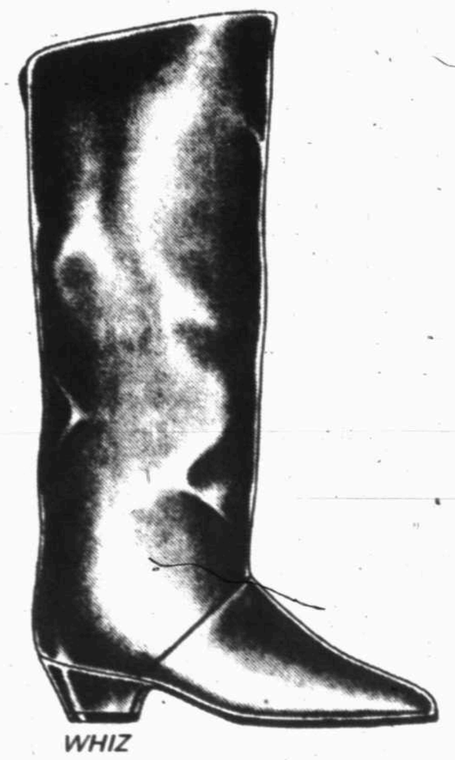
This tiny camera is easier to manipulate than a full-size camcorder, and is less intimidating to the person being videotaped. It connects to the Walkman with a simple wire, and the Walkman itself is concealable in a pocket or purse. While all camcorders play back through the viewfinder, most do so only in black and white, without sound. The two-piece Walkman setup allows instant playback in color and with sound.

The smaller two-piece systems coming on the market are unlikely to replace the camcorders as the system of choice.

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From Staff Reports



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Inspect house for possible problems

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Just as an auto mechanic can tell you if that used car you are looking at is a lemon on wheels, a professional home inspector can find the "silent signals" that point to potentially faulty conditions in an older home.

Your real-estate agent can refer you to a certified home inspector, or you can look in the Yellow Pages under "building inspector."

Louis Bobrowsky, president of the California chapter of the American Society of Home Inspectors, urges buyers to look for inspectors who are certified by his organization. A good inspector will examine the house's general structure, including the condition of the roof, and the electrical, heating, cooling and plumbing systems.

Potential buyers also are advised to note warped or jammed doors, inoperative stove and oven clocks, as well as missing dials and knobs. These signals can suggest the home has not been well-maintained.

Low-cost tips can help lower high heating, cooling costs

By MATTHEW L. WALD
New York Times News Service

Most homeowners will pay to heat their houses this winter, but some will pay more than they should.

Often the biggest way to save energy is to replace an old oil or gas furnace with a new one that uses fuel more efficiently, but that is a job best left for warm weather.

The initial price is high, starting at about $1,000 for an oil burner and $1,500 for a gas furnace.

An easier way to save energy right now is to install an automatic setback thermostat, which adjusts the temperature by time of day.

It can, for example, be set to turn the heat down by 5 degrees at bedtime, and back up again in the morning. You could do the same manually, but you'd have to get out of bed in a cold house to turn the heat up again. Another of the automatic thermostat's advantages is that its microchip is less prone to forget than you are.

If the house is empty during working hours, the setback thermostat can also be programmed to turn the heat down then, too, and to warm the house again before you return home at night.

Many models have settings for different days — Saturdays, Sundays and weekdays — to fit the heating cycles to your living schedule.

If you have central air-conditioning, buy a thermostat that will also serve your needs in summer.

According to the Federal Energy Department, an 8-hour setback of 10 degrees will cut a heating bill by 12 percent in a climate like New York's and by 15 percent in a climate like Atlanta's.

Prices start at about $50 but are higher for units that can vary the temperature several times a day and know the difference between weekdays and weekends. If you have to have the unit installed by a professional, the price will be substantially higher.

Thermostats are available at hardware and discount stores, but before you go shopping, jot down the brand and model number of the thermostat you are replacing.

Many of the new thermostats specify what types they will replace. Also, gas furnaces that run without pilot lights may need special equipment.

Some homeowners try to save money by turning their thermostats way down and then heating a single room with a portable electric heater.

The amount of savings — or loss — depends on what you pay for energy. In most parts of the country, electricity is substantially more expensive than oil or gas, so using a space heater in this way is like using steak to stretch your supply of hamburger.

A better solution, conservation experts say, is to close radiator valves or hot-air ducts in unused rooms.

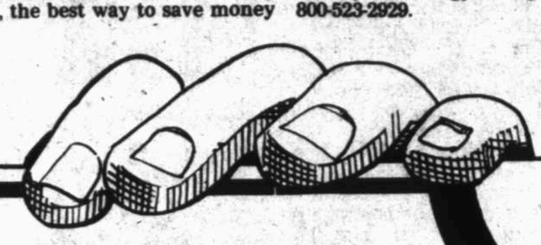
Turning the thermostat down and then up again when you feel cold is not economical, either, since you won't really start saving money until the house has been at a lower temperature for several hours.

For vacationers, or those who stay away from second homes for long periods, the best way to save money is to set the thermostat at 55 degrees, but no lower. If the outdoor temperature gets very cold, pipes in the walls can freeze if the interior air is not in the 50s.

Windows and insulation are important in keeping heat indoors. Even now, well into the heating season, it is not too late tighten up your home to save money.

Which steps will save the most money for the least cost? The easy way to find out is to call in an expert, and most electric and gas utilities will survey your home.

Another good source is the Conservation and Renewable Energy Inquiry and Referral Service, sponsored by the Energy Department. The service will mail you free literature on a variety of energy-saving steps; call 800-523-2929.



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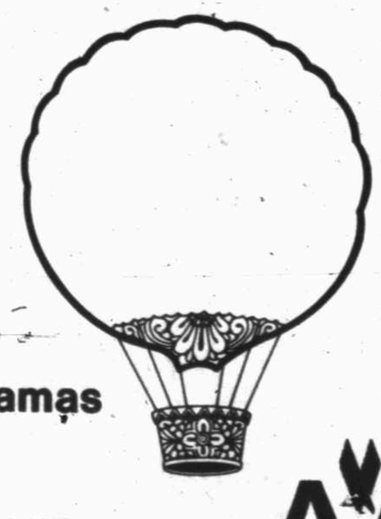




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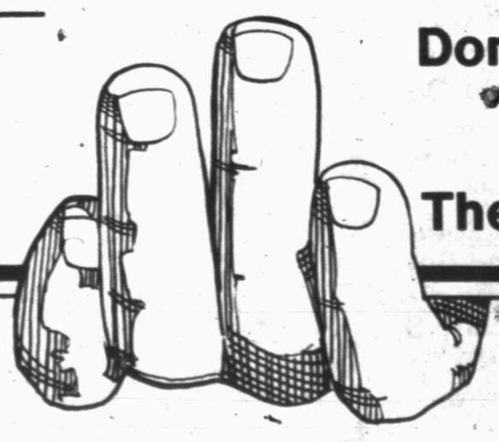




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Disposable diaper issue concerns environmentalists

By MICHAEL deCOURCY HINDS
New York Times News Service

NEW YORK — For more than a decade, the disposable diaper has been a symbol of contemporary child care. Today it is emerging as a symbol of the nation's garbage crisis.

The product, which took hold in the early 1970s, helped infant day-care centers function, eased the way for fathers to become more active parents and allowed families to travel more freely. "I can't think of a product that has helped parents more than the disposable diaper," said Judith Nolte, the editor of American Baby magazine.

But now, as new product lines extend the $3.3 billion-a-year business, environmentalists see the diapers as stark evidence of the nation's reckless attitude toward garbage.

More than 16 billion diapers, containing an estimated 2.8 million tons of excrement and urine, are dumped each year into a dwindling number of landfills around the nation. Like almost everything else in landfills, the diapers' impact on public health and the environment is unknown.

"There are a lot of unanswered questions there," said Edward A. Klein, deputy director of the Municipal Waste Program of the Environmental Protection Agency.

Eighty percent of all garbage is put in landfills, but nearly a third of the country's landfills will reach capacity within five years, the EPA has estimated. As dump sites close, the nation's "solid waste stream" — the common euphemism for the amount of garbage collected annually — is flowing fast and deep: 160 million tons this year and an estimated 192 million tons by the year 2000.

ENVIRONMENTALISTS CONCEDE that diapers represent something less than 2 percent of all solid waste, but they say the single-use diaper symbolizes the entire garbage problem.

"It's a perfect case where we're using a disposable product that costs more than a re-usable product, is more environmentally dangerous and uses up nonrenewable resources," said Jeanne L. Wirka, a policy analyst with the Solid Waste Project at the Environmental Action Foundation, a research and lobbying group in Washington that raises most of its money by public subscription.

Ms. Wirka said that manufacturers should make biodegradable diapers, and that governments should promote the use of cotton diapers by giving diaper delivery services the same tax incentives that recycling operations receive in some states.

The states of Oregon and Washington have considered proposals to ban, label or tax disposable diapers.

Last year, legislators in Washington considered, but did not approve, a bill to require that packages carry this label: "Soiled disposable diapers contain viruses and microbes which may transmit diseases to the general population when disposed of improperly. Fibrous material must not be disposed with garbage or trash."

An infant's feces and urine can contain any of over 100 viruses, including live polio and hepatitis from vaccine residues.

The viruses are potentially hazardous to sanitation workers and others through ground water or when carried by flies.

Disposable-diaper manufacturers, as well as some independent solid-waste consultants, assert that soiled diapers have not been linked to any environmental or health problems.

"Bacteria and viruses associated with fecal material and urine do not appear to survive in a well-managed landfill," said Tina Barry, speaking for Kimberly-Clark in Dallas, which makes the Huggies brand.

"Procter & Gamble has contributed to the reduction of solid waste by making new super-absorbent diapers, which have reduced the solid waste volume by as much as 50 percent," said Jennifer G. Bailey, speaking for P&G in Cincinnati, which makes Pampers. Kimberly and P&G sell about 80 percent of all disposable diapers.



THE CONCERN about diapers is emerging now partly because of their symbolic role in the garbage crisis and partly because some people see a threat in their growing numbers.

Diaper sales increased to $3.3 billion last year from $90 million in 1969, according to Martin Friedman, a marketing consultant in New York, and the industry is always introducing new product lines.

There are super-absorbent diapers, colored diapers, Sesame Street diapers and diaper-like bibs and pads for use while changing babies.

"In all likelihood, disposable baby diapers represent the most dynamic new product category in consumer marketing history," Friedman wrote recently in Ad Week, a trade journal.

And now a huge market in adult diapers is opening. About $160 million was spent on diapers for incontinent people last year, and sales of adult diapers have been growing at an annual rate of almost 50 percent since 1983, according to manufacturers.

A new overview is presented in "Diapers in the Waste Stream," a study by Carl Lehrburger, a manager of recycling programs at the Energy Answers Corp., a waste-management consulting concern in Albany, N.Y.

The National Association of Diaper Services, a trade group for cotton-diaper services, paid for the $15,000 study, but Lehrburger said the organization, whose headquarters are in Philadelphia, had no editorial control and opposes some of its recommendations.

The study is to be released this year, when the diaper-service industry plans to step up its marketing campaign.

THE INDUSTRY, which once had 700 companies around the nation, now has only about 100 companies serving about 700,000 urban customers, according to trade officials. Recently, though, business has picked up, apparently because of consumers' renewed interest in using natural materials, they said.

In a draft of his study, Lehrburger estimated that fewer than 5 percent of the people who care for children follow manufacturers' intructions by emptying feces into toilets before disposing of the diapers. Citing research by others, he said 10 percent of disposable diapers contain viruses. He estimated that it costs $300 million to put into landfills the 3.6 million tons of used diapers generated each year.

Lehrburger's study said cotton diapers cost about 15 cents each from a delivery service, as against 22 cents for each disposable diaper. Babies require 6,000 to 10,000 diaper changes over a three-year period. Human waste from cotton diapers is properly channeled into the sewage system, and the fabric can be re-used up to 200 times before being recycled.

Other solid-waste experts minimize the problems associated with disposable diapers.

"I think the environmental groups are misguided: the disposable diaper is a very minor issue," said Neil Seldman, the director of waste utilization at the Institute for Local Self-Reliance, a non-profit research and educational organization in Washington that works on contract with municipalities.

Spokesmen for the plastics industry assert that contamination is unlikely because landfills are fairly stable and because the diaper's polyethylene liner acts as a permanent enclosure for waste matter. Decay occurs very slowly in landfills because of the lack of oxygen in the compacted garbage.

TO ALLAY public concerns about plastic, resin manufacturers have developed a biodegradable diaper liner that contains cornstarch. But major diaper makers do not use the product, saying it does not degrade in landfills.

To many parents, a world without disposable diapers is unthinkable.

"In my lifetime, the two biggest advances in raising children have been the clothes dryer and the disposable diaper," said Kay Willis, who founded Mothers Matter, an educational organization in Rutherford, N.J., that supports itself with a subscription newsletter.

Ms. Willis, who has 10 children, added, "If there is a problem with disposable diapers, they better fix it."

Old favorite now disposable

By RON ALEXANDER
New York Times News Service

One of the fastest-selling items in stationery stores around the nation is a fountain pen called the Fontaine that you throw away after it lives a life 3,000 feet long; that's hard to translate into days or hours because it depends on how often, how slow or how fast you write.

Why a disposable fountain pen?

The classic pens that had to be refilled from a bottle or with an ink cartridge fell out of favor with the coming of the ballpoint. They are popular again, but good ones are costly.

The Fontaine, however, sells for about $2, has a real nib and comes in many colors of ink that will not smudge.

The Fontaine's manufacturer, Berol USA, says demand has exceeded expectations since the pen was put on the market about two months ago, so supplies may be low at your local store.

"It is basically a new twist on a classic product," said Dan Fedoryshyn, the wet-ink products manager for the company, which has headquarters in Brentwood, Tenn.

The Fontaine's stainless-steel nib is imported from Japan and similar to those found in traditional fountain pens. The color of the barrel, which has a clear plastic top, indicates the color of the ink.

Phone calls to several stationery stores verified Fedoryshyn's claim that "the pens are doing extremely well."

Now, if someone could only figure out how many signatures you get out of 3,000 feet.

Products designed to keep small children safe

Copley News Service

Nearly 60,000 children are injured or die each year as a result of accidents in the home. Many of these accidents can be avoided if parents recognize and correct hazards around the house.

To increase parents' safety awareness, Baby's Best, a Colorado-based company, has published a catalog of child safety products. The catalog includes a comprehensive safety guideline, which covers the house room-by-room, exposing hazards and teaching parents how to spot them.

The catalog offers more than 50 items, all approved by the Juvenile Product Manufacturers Association. The products include:

- Kindergard Corner Cushions, self-adhesive plastic pads designed to help reduce injuries when children bump into sharp edges on furniture and doorways.
- Gerry Door Alert, a small battery-operated alarm that sounds when someone has opened a door or left one open too long.
- Playskool's Cord Guard, a plastic clamp that anchors a cord to a tabletop, preventing children from pulling appliances down.

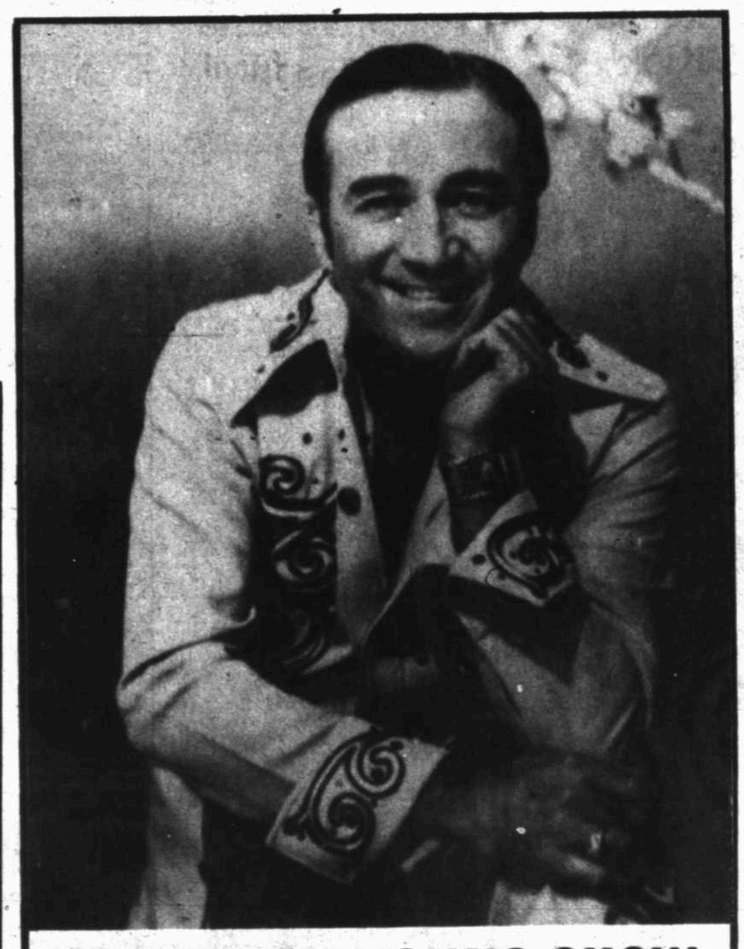
The company also offers a 20-minute educational video on safety-inspecting your home. For a catalog, write Baby's Best, Dept. P10012, P.O. Box 280028, Lakewood, Colo. 80228 or call (303) 988-1253.

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With planning, early retirement possible

Associated Press

You say you're 45 and already dreaming of a blissful early retirement when you hit 55? If you start planning now — with 10 years left to go — you can do it.

Here's how to determine what resources you have now and what resources you have yet to gather.

If you have worked in the same place for at least seven years and are willing to wait till age 55, you can probably count on your employer to help finance your retirement with pension benefits.

The checks are almost certain to be a lot smaller than if you waited till age 65 but they could give you just the lift you need to spring yourself early.

Private retirement plans come in three varieties: defined-benefit, defined-contribution and a combination of the two.

In a defined-benefit plan the company pays you an annuity based on your annual salary and years of service.

With defined-contribution plans, such as 401(k) plans and profit-sharing deals, you get a lump sum based on pay-ins made by you, your employer or both and what the money has earned over the years.

If you have a private retirement plan with your employer, under new vesting rules taking effect in 1989, you'll be entitled to benefits after no more than seven years of service, and many plans will adopt a five-year vesting schedule.

That won't mean too much under defined-benefit plans because if you leave early, the money usually remains with the company, unadjusted for inflation, until you are 65.

But in defined-contribution plans you'll get to take the cash with you when you leave. The money will be taxed and, if you're under 55, hit with a 10 percent penalty unless you put the funds in an IRA.

YOUR PERSONNEL office should be able to tell you how much you can expect depending on when you leave the job.

The benefits in a generous plan, for example, might be 1½ to 2 percent of your average pay over the last three to five years, multiplied by the number of years you worked for the company and perhaps reduced by a fraction of your Social Security benefits.

But even in a generous plan, quitting at age 55 could cost you 50-75 percent of the benefits you would have earned if you'd stayed until age 65.

If you hang on until normal retirement age, which might be as early as 62, the one-two punch of employer pension plus Social Security could provide anywhere from 50-80 percent of your preretirement income.

What can you expect from Social Security? Thanks to a new system of projecting benefits that takes into account your future earnings, you can get a fairly accurate estimate of your future Social Security income.

To make the calculations, get the pamphlet Personal Earnings and Benefit Estimate Statement from your local Social Security office, or call 800-937-2000.

Even though younger workers tend to write off Social Security as a source of retirement income, the system will be solvent into the next century.

In the year 2000 the normal retirement age to receive full benefits will start rising gradually from 65 until it hits 67 for people born in 1960 or later.

You'll still be able to retire at age 62 and qualify for reduced benefits, but the reduction will be larger, rising from the current 20 percent to 30 percent in 2022.

In the meantime, Social Security recipients will continue to fare well. An average worker earning around $19,000 a year can expect Social Security to replace about 42 percent of his income if he waits until age 65 to collect.

At income levels of $45,000 and higher, the replacement rate is 28 percent. At 62, benefits are reduced by 20 percent.

The top annual benefit now is just over $10,000 — or about $8,000 for folks to start getting checks at 62.

AND DON'T be daunted by the 20 percent reduction in benefits for early retirees, which is intended to compensate for the longer period over which the money will have to be paid.

A person who waits until age 65 to retire needs to collect 12 years of benefits to catch up with a co-worker who quit at 62.

And over the course of their lives, both will collect about the same amount.

With a better idea of how much you'll get from your company pension and Social Security, Changing Times suggests you use the "70-80 percent rule" to determine more accurately how much of your retirement income will have to come from your own resources.

That is, assume you'll want to quit early on 70 percent of your final salary — a commonly accepted rule of thumb for what you'll need to maintain a similar life-style, although 80 percent may be more realistic if you're planning to cash out at 55.

Once you know how much you'll have to kick in each year, figure on building a fund 10 times larger to generate that income.

If the do-it-yourself portion is $35,000, for example, you'll need $350,000 in your retirement fund.

And don't stop there. You'll have to take into account inflation, which even at a modest rate, can eat away your assets at a fearsome pace.

If you need $35,000 for the first year of retirement, for example, you'll need more than $90,000 in the 20th year to buy the same standard of living, assuming 5 percent annual inflation.

If inflation averages 7 percent, the bill would be more than $135,000.

To be safe, you'll have to start with a bigger nest egg; throw in an additional 40 percent to cover inflation of 4 percent a year, 65 percent if you think inflation will average closer to 6 percent.

WHATEVER YOUR situation, you should at least reevaluate your investments.

If you can afford to set aside only a limited amount, tax-favored investments like 401(k) plans still give you the biggest bang for your buck.

If you'll need the money before age 55, you may want to divert some of your assets to other investments that give you penalty-free access to your money.

In your mid to late 40s you're still young enough to afford to take some risks with your investments.

An aggressive investor who is more than five years from retirement could have 60 percent of assets in stocks, 30 percent in bonds and 10 percent in money-market funds, suggests John Markese, director of research for the American Association of Individual Investors.

For a conservative investor, the portfolio mix might be 40 percent stocks, with 30 percent each in bonds and money-market funds.

Early retirement OK for most

ROCHESTER, N.Y. (AP) — People who have taken early retirement believe they made the right decision, although women find it harder to adjust than men do, according to a study for the American Association of Retired Persons.

The study of 400 men and women, retired for five years or less, was conducted by Ladd Wheeler, a University of Rochester psychologist, for the AARP's Public Policy Institute. He was assisted by the Regional Council on Aging in Rochester.

Most of the men and women in the study took early retirement because their employers were cutting back on personnel and offered the employees deals they couldn't refuse, Wheeler says.

"Some people saw the employer's offer as an invitation to leave," he adds, "and thought they'd better do so when they had a good offer in hand, rather than risk a layoff or demotion later."

More women than men were dissatisfied, saying that at times they felt they had too little to do, that they worried about not having enough money, that they lacked self-esteem and missed their jobs and work friends.

The financial worries were real, according to Wheeler. "Women in our sample received a median retirement income of $14,062. The men's median was $26,743. The difference is tied to lower earnings and years of service for the women before their retirement," he says.

Wheeler says about a third of those studied said they wished they'd had more financial counseling before retirement. "That suggests to me that planning is key in enjoying retirement," he says. "Planning not only one's finances, but one's activities, too."

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New York Times News Service

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For general information about hiring limousines, call the National Limousine Association (800-NLA-7007).

Researchers survey rate of insurance coverage

Copley News Service

Insured adults of working age were 3½ times as likely as the elderly to do without medical care, according to a survey conducted by researchers at the University of California at Los Angeles.

In addition, they were 3.4 times as likely to suffer major financial difficulties because of illness. Among the 7,633 people surveyed, the poor were 4.4 times as likely to go without needed care as those above the poverty line, and minorities fared worse than whites.

Possible explanations include the difficulties faced by poor people in meeting co-payments, deductibles and restrictions. Other factors include the unwillingness of physicians to provide care to Medicaid recipients because of low reimbursement rates, patients' transportation problems, scarcity of available facilities and discrimination problems, the survey found.

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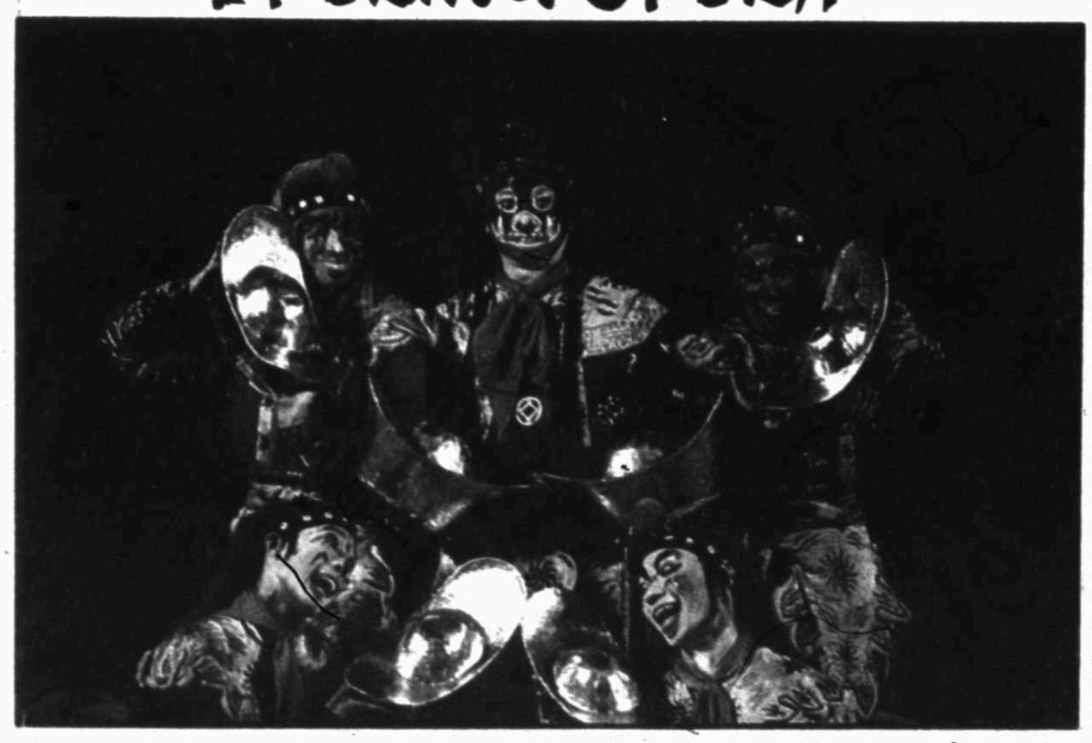
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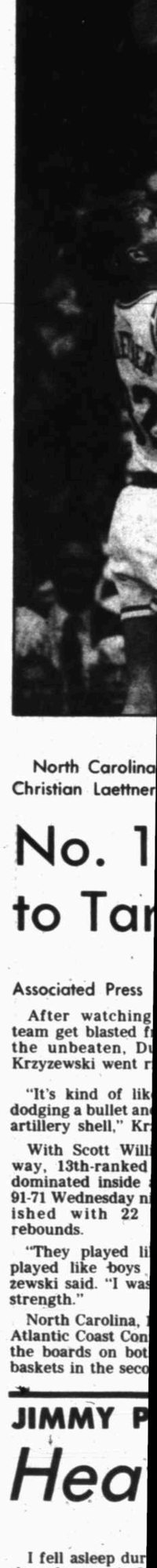
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Rebel, Bulldog soccer teams face historic weekend

By BILL GRIMES
Sports Writer

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Feeble attempts at a drum roll aside, local high school soccer teams will make history this week.

The Midland Lee soccer squad hosts Wichita Falls on the Hogan Park Soccer Complex at 5 p.m. Friday in the first-ever University Interscholastic League soccer match by a Midland school. Midland High then faces Wichita Falls at 1 p.m. Saturday.

The two local schools join San Angelo, Abilene High and Abilene Cooper in a newly-formed soccer district. Odessa High and Odessa Permian opted to stay away from UIL soccer play this year, though members of the Permian Basin Soccer Association have lobbied the school board in an effort to initiate competition next season.

Midland Soccer Association president Artie Smith is understandably delighted with the advent of UIL soccer in Midland.

"It can't be doing anything but helping our programs," Smith said. "It gives our teenagers a chance to continue playing."

The high school programs will inspire interest in community soccer programs, according to Smith.

"It lends credibility to the sport," he said. "The younger kids will get more involved as they see the opportunity on the high school level."

Gil Bartosh, Midland athletic director, said UIL soccer is an idea whose time has come.

"The interest has been here. We've just been waiting to have enough schools to form a district," Bartosh said. "We think it will really catch fire here."

Midland Lee

Rebel coach Eddie Bull said his players are still adjusting to the differences between club and UIL play.

"This is a little more disciplined program than they've been around," he said. "We emphasize classwork greatly."

The young Rebels features sophomores Greg Pepper, Jordan Reed and Mark Stewart on the attack, along with senior Daniel Ferguson.

Senior foreign exchange student Markus Wallin is a help at midfield, while junior Arthur Ferguson and sophomore Mark Ferguson also help out there.

Defensively, juniors Brian Wojcik and Russ Moore lead a group that includes Erik Williams and Sammy Jaso. The Reb fullbacks are charged



with keeping foes away from clear shots on junior goalkeepers Chad Skipper and Joel Renner — who are slated to split time in the net, at least through non-district play.

"We're not all that fast, but we're pretty quick," Bull said. The former North Dallas High School coach credits the MSA with paving the way to possible success.

"They did a great job of preparing these kids to play high school soccer," he said.

The MISD administration also helped ease the strain of starting a new program, he added.

"The total athletic department is behind us," Bull said. "They've taken great strides to make sure we're accepted and do well."

Midland High

Bulldog mentor Tom Esikhati relishes what other district coaches have told him.

"I haven't looked at San Angelo or the Abilene schools, but general concensus is that we have the material right now to compete in the district.

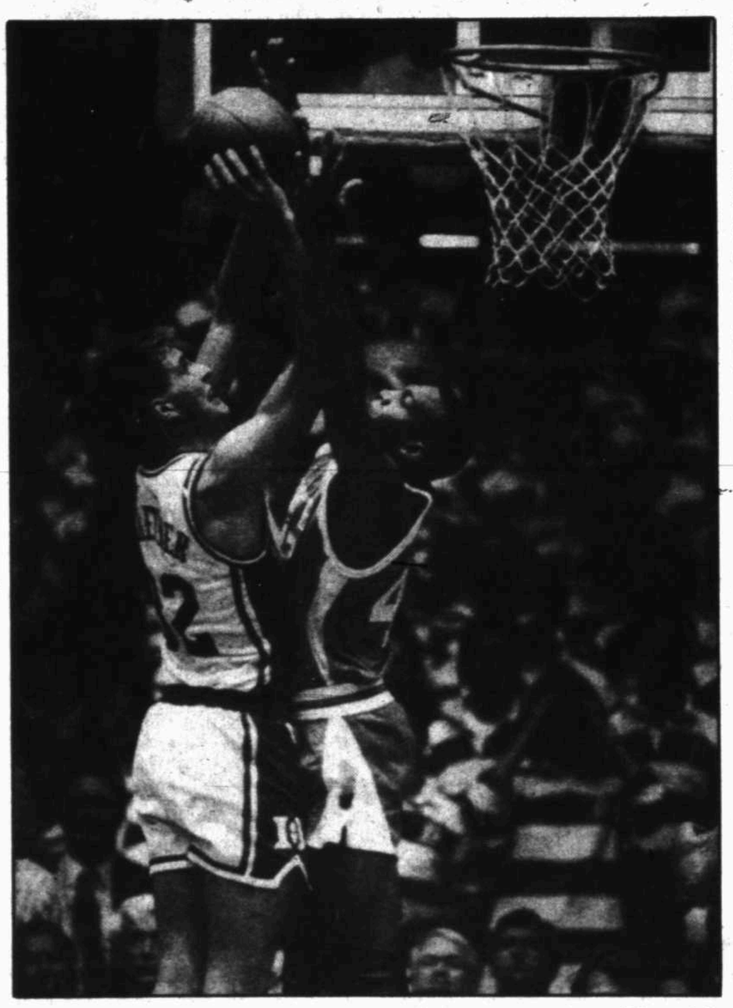
"I can't wait to see them in district competition. Given the opportunity, we can show that we are a force in the district.

"But I don't want to be overconfident."

The 'Dogs have both speed and international experience on their forward line. Shane Barden played in England last summer, while Shaun Savas is coming off an outstanding senior football season. Other forward prospects include David Allen and Chris Lanning.

Midfield starters include Joe Domingues, Jeff Lanning and Kofi Bruce, while Michael Savas will start at sweeper and John Sikes Johnson will line up at stopper. Jeff Ehler, Kendal Craig and Jason Farr are other defensive prospects.

Esikhati, a Kenya native who previously coached at Lubbock High, also has a logjam with either Justin Harf or Bryant Miller deemed fit to start.



AP Laserphoto

North Carolina's Scott Williams, right, blocks the shot by Duke's Christian Laettner during 91-71 upset over No. 1 ranked Duke.

No. 1 Blue Devils fall to Tar Heels, 91-71

Associated Press

After watching his top-ranked team get blasted from the ranks of the unbeaten, Duke coach Mike Krzyzewski went right to the point.

"It's kind of like we have been dodging a bullet and we got hit by an artillery shell," Krzyzewski said.

With Scott Williams leading the way, 13th-ranked North Carolina dominated inside and routed Duke 91-71 Wednesday night. Williams finished with 22 points and 11 rebounds.

"They played like men and we played like boys at times," Krzyzewski said. "I was amazed at their strength."

North Carolina, 15-3 and 2-1 in the Atlantic Coast Conference, pounded the boards on both ends. Of its 14 baskets in the second half, only one was a jumper from beyond 10 feet. The Tar Heels ran up a 43-27 edge in rebounds, including an 18-1 lead on the offensive boards.

Williams, who hit 10 of 14 field goal attempts, said he got the revenge he was seeking.

"We had every right to go into this game and play just like we had nothing to lose," Williams said. "We had lost to them three times last year. That was incentive to go out there and play. We had nothing to lose and everything to gain."

Duke, with Danny Ferry nursing a sore back, fell to 13-1 overall and 3-1 in the conference.

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Top 20 Teams

Reality haunts Super Bowl fantasy

MIAMI (AP) — Never has the make-believe nature of their profession been more apparent. Just days before the biggest game of most of their lives, this year's Super Bowl qualifiers are realizing how much closer to fantasy than reality they often live.

"This is not Disney World," San Francisco 49ers Pro Bowl safety Ronnie Lott said. "Anyone who expects that is in for a shock."

Miami has been shocked once again this week by outbreaks of violence. Just as the city is trying to dress up and strut as host of the Super Bowl, it is being torn apart by rioting, arrests and deaths.

"It's not the time for it," Cincinnati Bengals receiver Eddie Brown, a native of Miami, said. "I feel bad. It's not right for people to come here for the Super Bowl and see this going on.

"Super Bowl time is for enjoyment for the people here and the people coming in."

Brown grew up in the Overtown and Liberty City sections where the incidents have occurred. Already, three people are dead, eight others have been shot, 20 buildings burned and about 175 people arrested.

"I don't see Miami as this type of place. 'Miami Vice' gives Miami an image which I don't think Miami is like. With the Super Bowl here, it's getting blown up more as the 'Miami Vice' scene."

While the players express concern about the situation, they also claim they can't allow it to distract them from preparing for a game.

"Sure, I try to catch bits and pieces of it on the news," San Francisco guard Guy McIntyre said. "But I have to concentrate on the game, on getting ready for the biggest game. It has to be just another city and we can't get caught up in that."

So they try to retreat into the shell they claim is so critical for proper preparation.

Both teams have enough players with Super Bowl experience to lead them back to the Fantasy Island of NFL life — seven for Cincinnati, 14 for San Francisco, including center Randy Cross, who announced on Wednesday that the Super Bowl will be his final game.

"Experience in this helps a lot," Pro Bowl guard Max Montoya said. Montoya was in his third pro season when the Bengals got this far, losing to the 49ers 26-21 seven years ago.

"Some of us have had one shot at it and we know what to expect.

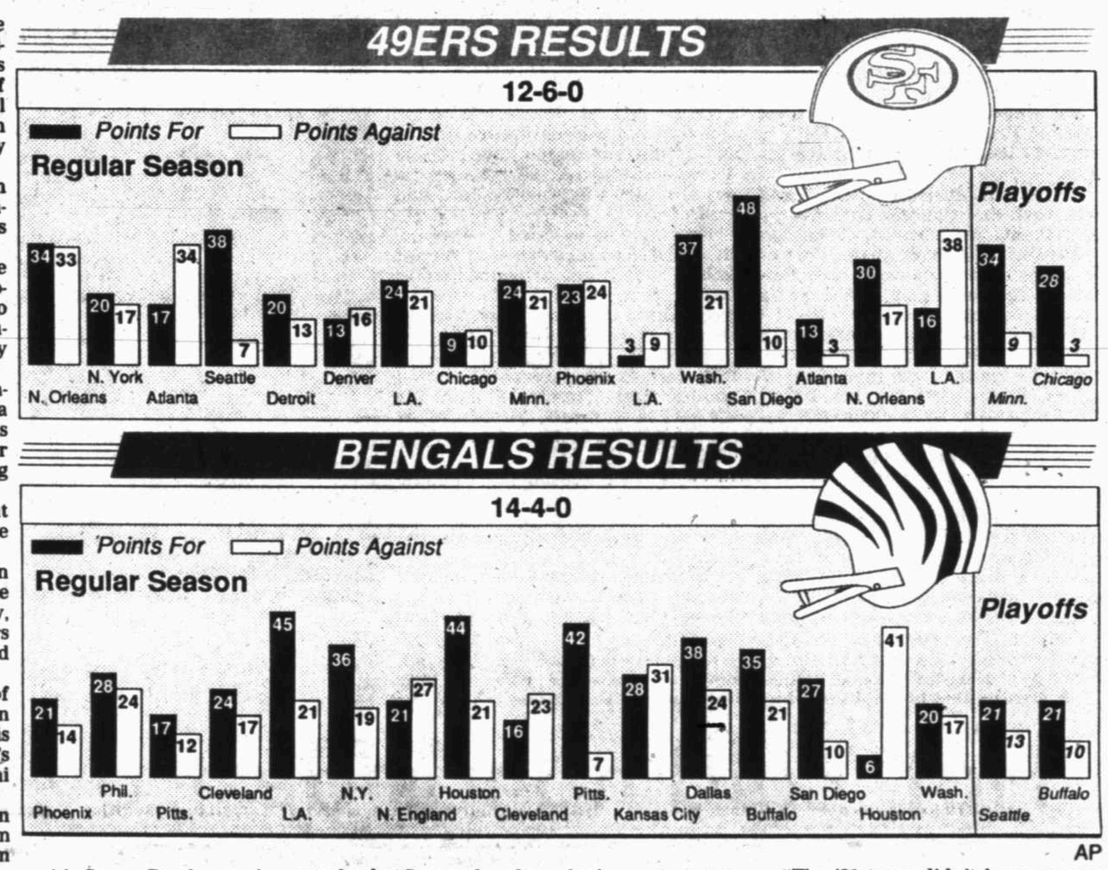
"We have a lot of younger guys who have asked" what Super Bowl week is like. "We don't set down any rules or try to coerce them into our way of thinking, but we did let them know what to look for."

The media crush, the hype, the irregularity of the entire scene all can work against the players. It's up to the veterans to help them cope.

"The '81 team didn't have anyone who had played in a Super Bowl," Bengals receiver Cris Collinsworth said. "Maybe that hurt us a little.

"We were pretty tight before the game and there was shoving in the line to get taped. Everyone was nervous and upset anyway and it got to the point of being ridiculous.

Which means confronting reality, something the players haven't been able to avoid this week.



AP

TCU nips Houston to remain unbeaten in SWC

Associated Press

Texas Christian coach Moe Iba says he's not sure how his team managed to whip Houston and remain undefeated in Southwest Conference basketball play and he doesn't care how the Horned Frogs did it.

Freshman center Reggie Smith scored seven of Texas Christian's last nine points and 17 overall to lead the Horned Frogs to a 55-54 victory over the Cougars Wednesday night.

"This is a great win for our team," TCU coach Moe Iba said. "I don't know how it happened and I don't care."

In other SWC conference play, Texas edged Texas Tech, 90-86. In a non-conference game, No. 14 Florida State defeated Arkansas, 112-105, in overtime.

Chris Morris of Houston tied the game at 52-52 with 1:25 remaining with a few throw. A three-point play by Smith made it 55-52 with 1:03 remaining.

Houston's Derrick Daniels missed the front end of a 1-1 with three seconds left to seal the victory for TCU, now 12-5 and 5-0 in conference play. Houston dropped to 9-7 and 1-3 after losing three straight conference games by a total of five points.

Richard Hollis led Houston with 16 points.

"Reggie Smith played a great game and we were able to play good defense," Iba said. "That's the only way we can win."

Travis Mays scored 35 points and Texas held off a furious Texas Tech rally for a 90-86 victory.

The Longhorns improved to 13-3, 4-1 in the SWC. Texas Tech is 6-9, 1-3.

Mays and Lance Blanks, who added 26 points, staked the Longhorns to a 17-point halftime lead that grew to 21 points early in the second half.

But the Red Raiders cut the lead to one point with 3:32 remaining on the strength of a 10-point run. Jerry Mason, who led the Red Raiders with 22 points, scored seven points during the 10-point run.

The game drew a crowd of 13,233, the Longhorns' largest of the season.

"Our guys like to flirt with danger I guess, " said Texas Coach Tom Penders. "We have had too many games where we have had comfortable leads and then let things get interesting."

Texas, the conference's top-ranked 3-point shooting team, was 10-of-18 from 3-point range.

"That was the most fantastic three-point shooting I have ever seen," said Texas Tech Coach Gerald Meyers. "I thought the key to the comeback was that we played defense and Texas finally cooled off a bit."

Florida State coach Pat Kennedy said his bench, particularly Derrick Mitchell, played a big part in the No. 14 Semioles' 112-105 overtime victory over Arkansas.

"This was the best road win for Florida State since I've been the head coach," Kennedy said. "To win in overtime on the road will really help us. That was an amazing ball game. I almost need someone to tell me exactly what happened."

He said the fact that Tony Dawson and George McCloud, who scored 49 points between them, fouled out and Theron Mayes broke his hand in the first half made the victory even more impressive.

Florida State is 13-1, the best start in school history. The Razorbacks are 10-4.

JIMMY PATTERSON

Heavyweights to Barneyweights



Patterson

I fell asleep during last Sunday afternoon's OU-Pittsburgh college basketball game. Not that the game was boring, it's just I have this weird, consistent habit of dozing off on Sunday afternoons.

At any rate, at some point during this snooze, I rolled over and the remote control fell from it's perch high atop my belly, tumbled off the couch and onto the floor. When I awoke, I was disturbed to find a boxing match on television and the channel-changer on the floor.

Too often when I wake up from these sleeps, I am too tired to move for about a half-hour, so I was doomed to watch this, this boxing match.

The SuperMatch pitted Mickey Ward and Frankie Warren — household names, both of them — in a 12-round United States Boxing Association Jr. Welterweight Championship.

Not that it matters, but The Champ, Frankie, retained his title in a close decision.

I'm not a boxing fan. I quit being a boxing fan when Muhammed Ali lost all his spunk and gained all his weight. Now, Ali is a shell of a man, suffering the consequences of taking repeated poundings in and around his cranial area.

Now hold on a second ... I'm not going to go off on some sort of vicious tirade condeming the evils of boxing and why it should be banned. If grown men want to get up on a stage and batter each other to a pulp, that's their own business.

What bugs me is why we have to divide these men into so many different categories. Why can't we just have one group over in one corner and call it the Super-Duper He-Men Master-of-the-Galaxy-with-muscles-up-to-their-ears type, and then have one group in this corner and call it Painful Looking Thin Guys Not From America?

It seems there's a different weight category for every other pound in boxing. It's become so ridiculous, if a boxer sweats enough he could literally change weight divisions after the seventh round.

Used to be only eight divisions in boxing: Heavyweight, light heavyweight, middleweight, welterweight, lightweight, featherweight, bantamweight and flyweight.

Nowadays, we have super-middleweight, junior welterweight, strawweight *(strawweight?)* and even junior-featherweight. The list goes on and on and on.

If I ever crawled into a ring, I would be in the Barneyweight category. All 138½ pounds of me (exact weight of honorable deputy Barnard P. Fife.)

I have no solutions for the problems with the overabundancy of boxing divisions. But if I were a boxing big wheel, I'd ditch the flyweight, strawweight and featherweight divisions. If someone referred to me as a flyweight, I think I might get mad enough to get in a ring and take it out on another scrawny runt, too.

Speaking of nuisances, following the big boxing match on Sunday, the All-Madden team was annnounced.

If you failed to catch the unveiling of the All-Madden team, you missed absolutely nothing.

The only thing that was worth seeing was Pat Summerall, who looked utterly and completely bored. Summerall's contract must state that he has to take part in everything John Madden is involved in (and in small print) No Matter How Stupid It Is.

Madden embarrassed himself by saying Los Angeles Rams offensive guard Tom Newberry belonged on the team because "he spits like a guard."

He spits like a guard.

Everyone knows the prerequisite for being a great football player is one's ability to heave spit with a vengeance.

Let's just be thankful that there aren't anymore John Maddens on TV.

And never fear, within the next week or so, maybe we can unveil the All-Patterson team. But anyone who spits is not eligible.

Jimmy Patterson is a sports writer for the Reporter-Telegram.

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Thursday's Question: Name the first horse and jockey to win the Triple Crown?

Wednesday's Answer: All-Knuckleball staff of the Washington Senators back in the World War II era: Roger Wolfe, Dutch Leonard, Johnny Niggeling and Mickey Haefner...

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SUPER SUB

Detroit's Dennis Rodman, playing the role of sixth man because of an injury to starting forward Rick Mahorn, pulled down 16 rebounds, blocked five shots and handed off three assists in just 27 minutes Wednesday as the Pistons beat New Jersey 103-90.

SHARPSHOOTER

Ricky Pierce of Milwaukee hit on eight of nine field goal tries Wednesday and scored 18 points in the Bucks' 118-106 victory over Charlotte. Kelly Tripucka and Robert Reid were both 9-for-14 from the field for the Hornets ... Boston's Kevin McHale made 14 of 19 shots and scored 31 points in the Celtics' 115-104 loss to Philadelphia.

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Not everyone opposed to NCAA's Proposition 42

Associated Press

John Thompson and many other college coaches and administrators don't like Proposition 42 and want another chance to vote against it.

Not everyone, however, is opposed to the controversial NCAA rule that would stop awarding athletic scholarships to high school graduates who fail to reach minimum academic standards.

"I disagree whole-heartedly with Thompson," University of Colorado faculty representative William Baughn said. "It's not aimed at blacks. It's to get people ready for college.

"I'd like to see young people ready to come to a university," he said. "The standards are minimal. They can go to community colleges to make the grades and still play two years at a Division I school."

Baughn voted in favor of Propostition 42 twice last week. The rule was defeated 1591-51 a week ago Tuesday at the NCAA convention in San Francisco, but passed 163-154 the next day.

Proposition 42 prohibits athletic scholarships for incoming freshmen who don't have both a 2.0 grade-point average in high school and a minimum score of 700 on the Scholastic Aptitude Test or a similar score on another test. The measure takes effect Aug. 1, 1990.

Thompson, the Georgetown and U.S. Olympic basketball coach, is so angry about Prop 42 that he has boycotted both games the third-ranked Hoyas have played since last week. Several critics say the rule is biased against minorities and have called it racist.

Grady Bogue, interim chancellor of Louisiana State University, disagrees.

"It seems a strange perspective that assumes that poor students and minority students are only enrolled on basketball and football teams," Bogue said Wednesday in New Orleans. "We have thousands of them enrolled in this school that are doing well in college. You cannot conclude that this rule does damage to the poor and minorities.

"A student who fails to obtain an athletic scholarship is not deprived of a college education. We have junior colleges and public colleges and universities that educate thousands of poor and minority students every year," he said. "I don't know if a basketball player who doesn't get a scholarship will go to college or not, but I do know that if they want to, they can."

Bogue's views are completely opposite those of LSU basketball coach Dale Brown, one of the rule's most outspoken critics.

Proposition 42 was written and sponsored by the Southeastern Conference, which had voted to phase it in unilaterally among its 10 member schools even if the NCAA as a whole didn't follow suit. LSU is a member of the SEC and so are the University of Georgia and University of Kentucky.

Charles Knapp, president of the University of Georgia, earlier this week called the proposal "a modest step in some ways, but an important step." He said there were "a lot better ways of promoting cultural diversity on campus besides athletic scholarships," such as hiring more faculty and providing more academic scholarships.

Knapp also said standardized tests are "imperfect measures, but they are used by all colleges and universities across the country to assist the admissions process."

"In my view, it is not a matter of cultural bias, but rather a matter of a young minority student, particularly blacks, coming into tests with less preparation than majority students," Knapp said. "We've clearly got an educational crisis in this country. That has been pointed out again and again in reports like 'Nation at Risk.' And we are seeing that reflected, rather than a demonstrated cultural bias, on SAT tests. Obviously, I don't believe it (the SAT test) is racist, and a majority of presidents of institutions that passed it (Proposition 42) in San Francisco don't believe it is racist."

Joe Burch, Kentucky's interim athletic director, said he had no problem with Prop 42.

"My understanding is this was the way Proposition 48 was intended," he said. "The idea of a partial qualifier was part of the transition period."

Under Prop 48, which went into effect three years ago, athletes short of a 2.0 grade-point average or a 700 score on the SAT can receive scholarships but are ineligible to play as freshmen.

West Virginia is one school that voted for Proposition 42, but is now willing to take another look at the controversial rule.

Fred Schaus, the athletic director at West Virginia, said, "Because of the ramifications raised toward possible racial discrimination, I feel that maybe they should take another look at it.

Thompson a no-show for Providence game

PROVIDENCE, R.I. (AP) — John Thompson's chair and towel were ready. So was his team.

But he wasn't.

Game 2 of the Georgetown basketball coach's boycott found him out of town while his third-ranked Hoyas were in Providence beating the Friars 80-77 Wednesday night in the Big East.

Upset with an NCAA rule passed last week that tightens entrance requirements for athletes, Thompson walked off the court at the start of Saturday night's game against Boston College and didn't even show up Wednesday night.

Assistant coaches Craig Esherick and Mike Riley didn't want Thompson to be too far from their players' minds. Their seats on the bench were separated by a chair, left vacant throughout the game with a towel like the one Thompson drapes over his shoulder draped over its back.

"It was symbolic," said Esherick, who handled the head coaching duties. "Mike and I just wanted to have that chair open, just to symbolize it's Coach Thompson's chair."

The Hoyas have done well without Thompson. They routed Boston College 86-60 and rallied to beat Providence by scoring the last nine points.

"We realize that he's not there but we still keep our intensity," said Charles Smith, who scored the winning basket with five seconds left and added two technical foul shots with one second remaining after Providence called a timeout it didn't have.

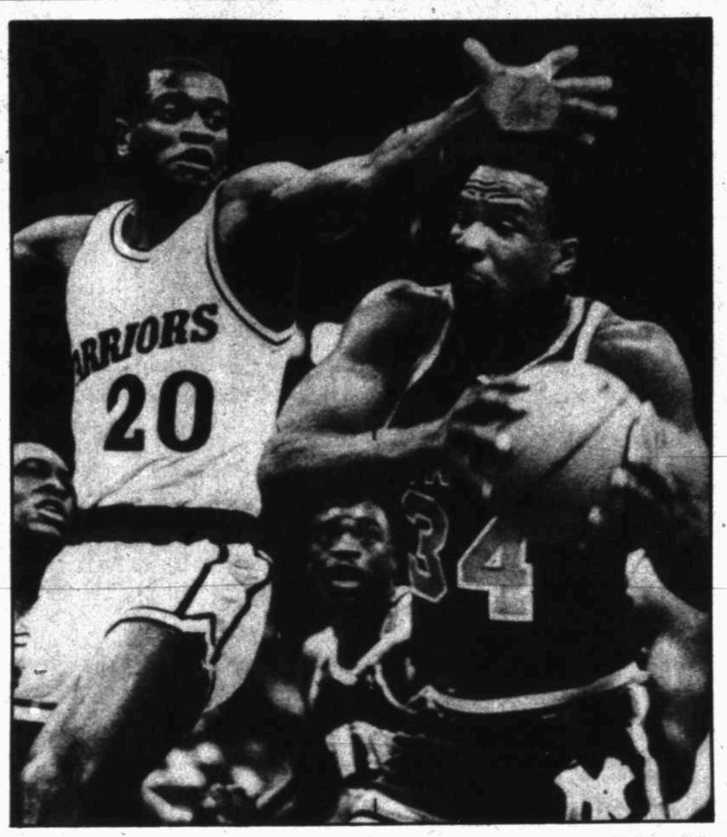
Smith said the players considered boycotting the game, but "Coach Thompson told us the best way to support him was to play hard and smart."

Thompson is opposed to Proposition 42, due to take effect in August 1990. It would deny financial aid to an incoming athlete who doesn't have both a 2.0 grade point average from high school and a minimum score of 700 on the Scholastic Aptitude Test, or a comparable score on another test. Thompson contends the SAT is culturally biased against socio-economically deprived students.

"We're really disappointed that he wasn't able to be here but we understand what he's trying to do and why he's not here," freshman center Alonzo Mourning said.

"It makes it a lot harder on us," guard Dwayne Bryant said. "He's not here to give us leadership and direction so we're forced to play harder."

Riley handled the team against Boston College and Esherick took over against Providence.



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Golden State's Terry Teagle (20) puts pressure on New Your Knick Charles Oakley in a game won by the Warriors Wednesday.

Charlotte crazy for NBA Hornets

CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP) — The Charlotte Hornets are stinging the critics who claimed they wouldn't sell in a state crazy for college basketball and stock car racing.

"At NASCAR races, when they go, 'Gentlemen, start your engines,' you get a rush," truck driver Jim Heuer said after one of the Hornets' eight victories at Charlotte Coliseum. "When they won the game, I got such a rush."

The Hornets are leading the NBA with an average crowd of 22,914, an unheard-of figure for a first-year franchise and 4,000 more than the team's own projections.

"I'm utterly amazed," general manager Carl Scheer said. "I'd love to say we had all this planned, but we didn't."

NO EXPANSION team has ever averaged more than 8,000 and in less than half the season, Charlotte already has drawn 116,000 more fans than the Dallas Mavericks did in their first season in 1980-81.

The crowds that have filed into the 23,388-seat Coliseum aren't just checking out the new curiosity in town. In just 19 games, 14 of them sellouts, the fans are earning a reputation for fiery support of the Hornets.

"From start to finish, this is the loudest crowd in the NBA," said Milwaukee coach Del Harris, who has criticized the quiet attitude at the Bucks' new Bradley Center. "It's like a playoff game atmosphere. This crowd is unbelievable. My hat's off to them for giving this kind of support.

"We could hardly communicate with our players. Chicago, Boston and New York crowds are just as loud, but only in spurts, not like the Charlotte crowd.

"You get the feeling this must really be important to these people."

"The volume was absolutely incredible," Dallas guard Derek Harper said. "The fans are up and excited the whole 48 minutes. That really surprised me."

"They made the Charlotte Coliseum a special place to play," Washington guard Jeff Malone said. "They are really loud. I haven't seen this kind of enthusiasm and spirit since Sacramento joined the league."

The Hornets lost their opener at Charlotte by 40 points to Cleveland, but are 8-10 since then as the players rally behind their supporters.

"The kind of stuff you're seeing here is what usually goes on in the playoffs," said forward Kurt Rambis, who played on four championship teams with the Los Angeles Lakers. "These have to be the best fans in the league. I think it's fairly obvious that the fans do a lot for us.

"The emotional charge and adrenaline it gives you makes you feel better while you're playing. The fatigue factor is less.

"In my years with the Lakers, they didn't sell out a 17,000-seat building (on a regular basis) until last year," Rambis said. "They're averaging 5,000 more than that here."

ONE SIGN that the Hornets' fans are new to the league is that they are still polite to opposing teams, reserving their enthusiasm for positive ends.

"Eventually they will start jumping on the opposing bench, too," guard Robert Reid said. "That's when you'll know they're really into it, when they start realizing it's legal to tell someone they're ugly."

One Charlotte fan did show some inventiveness in the zinger department earlier this season when Olympian Jeff Grayer went to the free throw line for Milwaukee.

"Hey Grayer, where's your bronze medal?" the fan yelled.

Perhaps the biggest test of the Hornets will be whether they can persuade dyed-in-the-wool college fans to switch,or at least alter, their allegiances.

Carlton Tadlock said he is just as enthusiastic, but not as fanatical about his first love, the North Carolina Tar Heels.

"I have felt some guilt and some puzzlement," Tadlock said. "What's happening here? Am I not a Carolina fan? But if somebody asked me who I follow most emotionally, I'd have to say the Hornets."

Hot, cold hands destroy Knicks

Mavs move into third place in NBA's Midwest Division

Associated Press

The New York Knicks were done in by several hot hands and a lot of cold ones.

The hot hands belonged to Golden State's Winston Garland, Mitch Richmond and Chris Mullin, who combined for 92 points on 33-of-48 shooting. The cold hands were those of the Knicks, who made only five of an NBA record 28 3-point shots and were only 20-for-36 from the foul line to Golden State's 32-of-38.

The result was a 133-119 victory for the Warriors, who own a six-game winning streak for just the second time in 10 years. The Knicks had a five-game winning streak snapped as they began a seven-game road trip.

"We're shooting the ball well, there's no doubt about that," said Golden State coach Don Nelson, whose 558th victory made him the 10th winningest coach in NBA history. "We've really been intelligent on our break and our shot selection has been good and we've been scoring.

"Our guys are in good shape and consequently we can play them a lot of minutes and still go hard. Winston Garland was the key tonight. He handled their pressure extremely well.

"Everybody's passing the ball. We've been working on that and we're getting shots because of it. We've been playing our own system and playing it well.

"When you're a mediocre team — we're only two games over .500, so I'm not being demeaning — like we are, when you win six in a row you're doing everything well."

Mavericks 102, Nuggets 92

At Dallas, Mark Aguirre scored five of his 26 points during a 16-2 first-period burst. The Mavericks made eight of their first 13 shots in building a 15-point lead and never led by fewer than 10 points over the final three periods.

Rolando Blackman added 22 points as the Mavericks won their second consecutive game after seven straight defeats. Danny Schayes had 20 points for the Nuggets, who dropped their seventh straight game on the road, equaling their longest road losing skid over the past three seasons.

The victory lifted the Mavericks over the Nuggets into third place by two percentage points in the Midwest Division. Both teams trail first-place Houston by 2½ games and runner-up Utah by two.

Lakers 111, Clippers 90

At Inglewood, Calif., a pair of 3-point shots by Michael Cooper paced a 10-0 fourth-period run that helped the Lakers remain the NBA's only unbeaten home team.

Despite dressing only nine players, the Clippers, who suffered their 11th consecutive setback, trailed only 85-79 with 8:12 remaining when the Lakers' 10-point burst in less than two minutes broke it open.

Magic Johnson scored 19 points and added 13 assists for the Lakers while James Worthy had 16 points and a season-high 15 rebounds. Quintin Dailey paced the Clippers with 19 points.

The Lakers are 16-0 at home and have won 23 consecutive regular-season home games since March 25, 1988. The Clippers have dropped 22 straight at the Forum.

Pistons 103, Nets 90

At Auburn Hills, Mich., Vinnie Johnson's four points during a 13-1 run midway through the fourth quarter let Detroit pull away. The Pistons are 15-1 when holding their opponents under 100 points. New Jersey is 2-13 when scoring less than 100.

Dantley led Detroit with 24 points, Thomas had 23 and Johnson 16. Buck Williams and Mike McGee had 16 apiece for New Jersey.

76ers 115, Celtics 104

At Philadelphia, the 76ers spotted Boston a 12-0 lead and then stormed back behind Ron Anderson's career-high 36 points, including 17 in the final period.

The Celtics led 83-80 at the start of the fourth quarter, but Philadelphia scored the first seven points in an 11-2 surge and took a 91-85 lead with 9:11 left. The Celtics got within three points five times, the last at 102-99 with three minutes remaining.

Bucks 118, Hornets 106

At Milwaukee, Terry Cummings scored 26 points and Ricky Pierce made five straight baskets to open the fourth quarter as the Bucks won for the seventh time in eight games.

Milwaukee led 59-57 at halftime, then used a 15-4 third-quarter run that included six points by Jack Sikma and four by Cummings to open a 74-61 lead with 7:49 left in the period.

COLLEGE

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The Tar Heels used their defense to clog the inside and shut down Duke's offense. And the Blue Devils didn't fare much better from the perimeter, either.

"When we got the ball inside, I don't think we shot particularly well," North Carolina coach Dean Smith said. "But that's why we got a lot of second shots. Usually, when we outrebound a team, we lose the game."

North Carolina led 39-34 at the half, but Duke began the second half with a 9-0 run to grab a 43-39 lead, its first advantage since the opening basket.

"That run we made in the second half off of our defense ... was almost bad for us," Krzyzewski said. "It put us in a state of mind that we were going to score on layups and score right away."

After the teams traded baskets until Duke led 50-45, the Tar Heels went on a 13-2 spurt and the runaway was on. North Carolina continued to build its lead to the end, hitting 15 of 19 free throws in the last 10 minutes.

"Everybody had written us off, especially without Jeff (injured guard Lebo)," Williams said. "We showed that we are competitors. If anything, we showed that tonight."

Robert Brickey paced Duke with 20 points.

No. 3 Georgetown 80, Providence 77

With Coach John Thompson sitting out his second straight game to protest a newly approved NCAA rule that tightens entrance requirements for freshman athletes, Georgetown got 35 points from Charles Smith, including a go-ahead baseline shot with five seconds left, to edge Providence in a Big East game.

The Hoyas, down 77-71 with 1:50 to play, scored the final nine points of the game. Smith put the Hoyas ahead with a five-foot shot from the right baseline, then added two foul shots.

"I talked to him about four o'clock this afternoon," assistant coach Craig Esherick, who filled in for Thompson, said of the Hoya coach. "He said, 'Craig, if all else fails, give Smitty the ball.'

"It wasn't a bad strategy. It was not my strategy. It was Coach Thompson's strategy."

Georgetown is 13-1 and 4-1. Providence, 13-2 and 3-2, was led by Eric Murdock with 20 points.

No. 5 Okla. 123, No. 17 Kansas 95

Former Midland College star Mookie Blaylock scored 30 points and Stacey King had 23 in Oklahoma's rout of Kansas. It was the first game between the Big Eight teams since the NCAA championship game last season when Kansas upset the Sooners.

"I'm not going to talk about last year," Oklahoma coach Billy Tubbs said. "Sure, I'd like to have had the same results, but that's behind us now."

The 123 points were the most ever scored against Kansas. The previous record was 115 by Kentucky in 1970.

Blaylock, who also had 12 assists and five steals, now has 1,000 points in his two-year career at Oklahoma.

Milt Newton paced Kansas with 22 points.

No. 14 Fla. St. 112, Arkansas 105, OT

Reserve Derrick Mitchell missed the front end of a one-and-on with six seconds left in regulation and the score tied at 100, but scored all seven of his points in overtime as Florida State downed Arkansas.

Mitchell's two free throws with 4:14 left in overtime put the Seminoles up 102-100, Florida State's first lead since it was ahead 73-72 with 11½ minutes to go.

George McCloud led the Seminoles with 28 points. At 13-1, it's the best start in school history. The Razorbacks are 10-4.

No. 15 N.C. St. 82, Wake Forest 64

Chris Corchiani's 22 points led a fast-breaking North Carolina State attack as the Wolfpack built a 16-point halftime lead and won their 10th straight game, raising their record to 12-1 overall and 3-0 in the Atlantic Coast Conference. Wake Forest fell to 8-6 and 1-4.

The Wolfpack press, led by Corchiani, forced 13 turnovers, many of which were converted into layups.

Chris King led Wake Forest with 15 points.

No. 18 Tennessee 83, Florida 76

Dyron Nix scored 19 of his 29 points in the second half to lead Tennessee past Florida. The Volunteers improved to 12-2 and lead the Southeastern Conference with a 5-0 record. Florida fell to 8-9 and 2-4.

Nix scored Tennessee's first nine points of the second half, but the Vols could not pull away as Dwayne Schintzius and Livingston Chatman kept the Gators close. Schintzius finished with 28 points and 12 rebounds, and Chatman had 19 points.

The Vols' biggest lead of the second half was 14 points on two occasions.

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Soccer Schedules

Midland Lee and Midland High soccer schedules for the 1989 season, the first for both schools in University Interscholastic League competition.

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Jan. 20	at Wichita Falls
Jan. 27-28	North Dallas Tournament
Feb. 10	at Wichita Falls
Feb. 11	at Wichita Falls
Feb. 14	Midland High
Feb. 18	San Angelo
Feb. 25	at Abilene Cooper
Feb. 28	at Abilene
Mar. 4	Midland High
Mar. 7	at San Angelo
Mar. 14	Abilene Cooper
Mar. 18	Abilene High

Midland High

Jan. 21	Wichita Falls
Jan. 27-28	Tourney of Champions
Feb. 3-4	Abilene Tournament
Feb. 10	at Wichita Falls
Feb. 11	at Wichita Falls
Feb. 14	Midland Lee
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NHL

National Hockey League
WALES CONFERENCE
Patrick Division

	W	L	T	Pts
NY Rangers	24	15	7	55
Washington	24	16	7	55
Pittsburgh	25	16	4	54
Philadelphia	24	22	2	50
New Jersey	17	22	7	41
NY Islanders	13	29	2	28

Adams Division

Montreal	32	11	6	70
Boston	18	18	10	46
Buffalo	19	21	6	44
Hartford	17	24	3	37
Quebec	14	27	6	34

CAMPBELL CONFERENCE
Norris Division

	W	L	T	Pts
Detroit	21	17	8	50
St. Louis	16	21	7	39
Minnesota	14	22	9	37
Toronto	16	27	3	35
Chicago	12	27	7	31

Smythe Division

Calgary	29	10	7	65
Los Angeles	27	16	3	57
Edmonton	24	18	5	53
Vancouver	18	23	6	42
Winnipeg	16	18	9	41

Wednesday's Games
Montreal 3, Hartford 1
Minnesota 3, Buffalo 3, tie
New York Rangers 6, Chicago 4
Edmonton 9, Winnipeg 4

Thursday's Games
Calgary at Boston, 6:35 p.m.
Minnesota at Toronto, 6:35 p.m.
Montreal at Hartford, 6:35 p.m.
Quebec at New Jersey, 6:45 p.m.
Los Angeles at New York Islanders, 7:05 p.m.
New York Rangers at St. Louis, 7:35 p.m.

Wednesday's NHL Sums

At Montreal

Hartford	1	0	0—1
Montreal	0	0	3—3

First Period—1, Hartford, Queneville 3 (Francis, Babych), 1:23. Second Period—None. Third Period—2, Montreal, McPhee 16 (Lemieux, Skrudland), 4:22. 3, Montreal, Carbonneau 15 (Corson, Robinson), 11:00. 4, Montreal, Svoboda 5 (Roy), 19:32 (en). Shots on goal—Hartford 10-6-8—24. Montreal 10-8-7—25. Goalies—Hartford, Sidorkiewicz, 10-10-2. Montreal, Roy, 19-3-3. A—16,544.

At Buffalo, N.Y.

Minnesota	0	3	0	0—3
Buffalo	1	1	1	0—3

First Period—1, Buffalo, Arniel 9 (Bodger, Ruuttu), 9:41. Second Period—2, Minnesota, McRae 9 (Ciccarelli), 1:15. 3, Minnesota, Pasek 3 (Broten, Gilles), 2:43. 4, Minnesota, Archibald 8 (Casey), 4:36. 5, Buffalo, Vaive 19 (Housley, Turgeon), 13:50 (pp). Third Period—6, Buffalo, Sheppard 14, 14:37 (pp). Overtime—None. Shots on goal—Minnesota 3-7-12-1—23. Buffalo 10-16-10-2—38. Goalies—Minnesota, Casey, 9-11-8. Buffalo, Puppa, 14-10-6. A—13,137.

At Chicago

N.Y. Rangers	2	2	2	6
Chicago	0	4	0	4

First Period—1, New York, Kisio 15 (Mullen, Hardy), 15:49. 2, New York, Granato 27 (C.Wilson), 19:40. Second Period—3, Chicago, Larmer 24 (Manson, Savard), 1:24 (pp). 4, New York, Granato 28 (Erixon, Sandstrom), 5:44. 5, Chicago, Savard 20, 8:31 (sh). 6, Chicago, T.Murray 10 (Savard, Graham), 11:51 (pp). 7, New York, Sandstrom 15 (Granato, C.Wilson), 15:49. 8, Chicago, Graham 17 (Savard), 17:40. Third Period—9, New York, Mullen 21 (Ogrodnick, Kisio), 6:00. 10, New York, Granato 29 (Sandstrom, Shaw), 19:10. Shots on goal—New York 7-12-11—30. Chicago 6-14-8—28. Goalies—New York, Vanbiesbrouck, 19-10-4. Chicago, Belfour, 3-10-3. A—15,498.

At Winnipeg, Manitoba

Edmonton	3	4	2—9
Winnipeg	2	0	2—4

First Period—1, Winnipeg, Donnelly 8 (Hughes, Ellett), 9:41. 2, Winnipeg, Hawerchuk 20 (Smail, McBain), 10:07. 3, Edmonton, Messier 15 (Frycer, Anderson), 15:41. 4, Edmonton, Joseph 3 (Kurri, Huddy), 17:44. 5, Edmonton, Carson 35 (Acton, Kurri), 18:00. Second Period—6, Edmonton, Hunter 4 (Buchberger), 6:02. 7, Edmonton, Muni 4 (Messier), 12:27. 8, Edmonton, Messier 16 (McClelland, Anderson), 15:25. 9, Edmonton, MacTavish 12 (Messier, Redmond), 19:27 (pp). Third Period—10, Edmonton, Kurri 28 (Joseph, Acton), 3:42. 11, Edmonton, Lamb 1 (Acton, Kurri), 4:19. 12, Winnipeg, Boschman 6 (Elynuik, Ashton), 15:58 (pp). 13, Winnipeg, Hawerchuk 21 (McBain, Smail), 18:10. Shots on goal—Edmonton 9-13-10—32. Winnipeg 8-13-7—28. Goalies—Edmonton, Fuhr, Ranford, 13-5-1. Winnipeg, Reddick, Berthiaume, 0-4-0. Reddick. A—11,361.

Transactions

Wednesday's Transactions
By The Associated Press

BASEBALL
American League

BOSTON RED SOX—Signed Wes Gardner, pitcher, to a one-year contract.

DETROIT TIGERS—Agreed to terms with Chris Brown, third baseman, on a one-year contract.

CLEVELAND INDIANS—Signed Tim Stoddard, pitcher, to a minor league contract. Invited Stoddard and Dan Firova and Tom Magrann, catchers, to their training camp.

KANSAS CITY ROYALS—Agreed to terms with Jerry Don Gleaton, pitcher, on a one-year contract.

OAKLAND ATHLETICS—Agreed to terms with Ron Hassey, catcher, on a one-year contract.

TORONTO BLUE JAYS—Signed Bob Brenly, catcher, to a one-year contract.

National League

MONTREAL EXPOS—Signed Andres Galarraga, first baseman, and Joe Hesketh, pitcher, to one-year contracts.

PITTSBURGH PIRATES—Agreed to terms with Bobby Bonilla, third baseman, on a one-year contract.

SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS—Agreed to terms with Kevin Mitchell, third baseman, on a one-year contract.

BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association

DETROIT PISTONS—Waived Steve Harris, guard. Activated Darryl Dawkins, center.

FOOTBALL
National Football League

DETROIT LIONS—Named Robert "Woody" Widenhofer defensive coordinator and Frank Gansz special teams coach.

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Wednesday's College Scores
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EAST

Alderson-Broaddus 113, West Liberty 101
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Texas 90, Texas Tech 86
Texas Christian 55, Houston 54
Texas Lutheran 86, Southwestern, Texas 75

FAR WEST

Claremont-Mudd 79, Whittier 74
Pomona-Pitzer 104, Redlands 103
Sacramento St. 87, Cal-Davis 81
U.S. International 106, Cal-San Diego 89

SWC Box Scores

TEXAS TECH (86)
Johnson 1-3 1-2 3, White 2-2 0-0 4, Sanders 7-12 7-10 21, Gay 8-14 4-4 21, Mason 8-19 2-2 22, Thurman 0-1 0-0 0, Duncan 3-7 0-0 7, Miles 1-1 2-2 4, Lowe 2-3 0-2 4. Totals 32-62 15-22 86.

TEXAS (90)
Blanks 10-13 3-7 26, Heggs 3-4 0-0 6, Nassar 3-5 0-4 7, Jeans 1-2 0-0 2, Mays 11-17 7-8 35, Wright 0-4 6-8 6, Shepard 2-6 0-0 4, Muller 2-3 0-0 4. Totals 32-54 16-27 90.

Halftime—Texas Tech 51, Texas 34. 3-point goals-Texas Tech 6-10 (Gay 1-1, Mason 4-7, Duncan 1-2), Texas 10-18 (Blanks 3-4, Nassar 1-1, Jeans 0-1, Mays 6-10, Wright 0-2). Rebounds—Texas Tech 32 (Sanders 9), Texas 30 (Mays, Shepard 5). Assists—Texas Tech 16 (Mason 7), Texas 17 (Wright 6). Total fouls—Texas Tech 22, Texas 17. Fouled out—none. Technicals-none. A-3,223.

TEXAS CHRISTIAN (55)
Lewis 6-12 3-3 15, Sibley 3-7 2-3 8, Smith 6-8 5-8 17, Hughes 2-7 0-0 5, Edmond 1-3 0-0 2, Lomas 0-0 0-0 0, Antee 1-4 0-0 2, Boutelle 3-3 0-0 6. Totals 22-44 10-14 55.
HOUSTON (54)
Hollis 6-12 2-2 16, Upchurch 6-13 0-0 12, Fernandes 0-1 0-0 0, Daniels 4-8 3-5 12, Morris 4-5 2-8 10, Chaney 1-4 0-0 2, Monaco 0-1 0-0 0, Mickens 1-4 0-0 2, Russell 0-0 0-0 0, Drewnick 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 22-48 7-15 54.

Halftime—Houston 33, Texas Christian 32. 3-point goals—Texas Christian 1-5 (Hughes 1-5), Houston 3-14 (Hollis 2-7, Daniels 1-3, Chaney 0-3, Monaco 0-1). Fouled out—Mickens. Rebounds—Texas Christian 30 (Lewis, Sibley 7), Houston 27 (Morris 6). Assists—Texas Christian 17 (Edmond 8), Houston 12 (Daniels 5). Total fouls—Texas Christian 14, Houston 20. A—3,180.

FLORIDA ST. (112)
Dawson 8-12 3-6 21, Thomas 6-10 6-11 18, Hunter 5-9 4-5 14, McCloud 7-18 8-12 28, Mayes 2-2 2-2 7, Boyd 3-7 1-3 8, Mitchell 1-3 5-7 7, Johnson 1-2 3-4 5, Hands 1-3 2-2 4. Totals 34-71 34-52 112.
ARKANSAS (105)
Howell 6-14 4-6 16, Marks 4-8 2-4 10, Miller 6-8 1-2 13, Mayberry 8-12 2-4 20, Wilson 7-15 2-5 16, Credit 2-5 0-0 4, Bowers 3-7 0-0 8, Day 6-11 3-5 18, Whitby 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 42-80 14-26 105.

Halftime—Arkansas 52, Florida St. 51. End of Regulation—Florida St. 100, Arkansas 100. 3-point goals—Florida St. 10-22 (McCloud 6-11, Dawson 2-6, Mayes 1-1, Boyd 1-3, Johnson 0-1). Arkansas 7-14 (Day 3-5, Bowers 2-2, Mayberry 2-4, Wilson 0-3). Fouled out—Dawson, McCloud, Miller, Credit, Day. Rebounds—Florida St. 44 (Thomas 12), Arkansas 47 (Howell 13). Assists—Florida St. 20 (Boyd 6), Arkansas 17 (Wilson 6). Total fouls—Florida St. 22, Arkansas 32. A—7,980.

Australian Open

MELBOURNE, Australia (AP) — Results Thursday in the $2.4 million Australian Open tennis championships at the National Tennis Center (seedings in parentheses).

Men
Singles
Second Round

Jason Stoltenberg, Australia, def. Anders Jarryd, Sweden, 6-3, 7-6 (7-4), 5-7, 7-5.

Boris Becker, West Germany (3), def. Kelly Evernden, New Zealand, 7-5, 6-1, 6-3.

Michiel Schapers, Netherlands, def. Marty Davis, Harbor Bay Isle, Calif., 6-7 (1-7), 7-6 (12-10), 6-1, 6-2.

Christo van Rensburg, South Africa, def. Neil Broad, South Africa, 6-3, 6-3, 5-7, 1-6, 6-2.

Wally Masur, Australia, def. Shuzo Matsuoka, Japan, 6-3, 6-1, 6-3.

Miloslav Mecir (9), Czechoslovakia, def. Mark Kratzmann, Australia, 6-2, 6-7 (4-7), 7-6 (7-2), 6-2.

Leonardo Lavalle, Mexico, def. Veli Paloheimo, Finland, 6-0, 1-6, 6-2, 6-1.

Chris Pridham, Canada, def. Glenn Layendecker, Portola Valley, Calif., 6-7 (10-12), 2-6, 6-3, 7-6 (7-5), 12-10.

Mikael Pernfors, Sweden (12), def. Tore Meinecke, West Germany, 6-2, 6-3, 6-2.

Goran Ivanisevic, Yugoslavia, def. John Fitzgerald (15), Australia, 6-3, 4-6, 6-3, 6-4.

Mark Woodforde, Australia, def. Danilo Marcelino, Brazil, 6-4, 6-0, 6-2.

Damir Keretic, West Germany, def. Paul Chamberlin, Toledo, Ohio, 7-6 (7-3), 6-7 (2-7), 3-6, 6-4, 9-7.

Jan Gunnarsson, Sweden, def. Christian Saceanu, West Germany, 6-1, 6-2, 6-7 (5-7), 4-6, 6-1.

Doubles
First Round

Grant Connell and Glenn Michibata, Canada (8), def. Tim Siegel, Kenner, La., and Des Tyson, Australia, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4.

John Letts, Rolling Hills, Calif., and Bruce Man Son Hing, Glendale, Calif., def. Joao Cunha-Silva, Portugal, and Gianluca Pozzi, Italy, 7-6 (7-2), 6-2.

Brett Custer and John Frawley, Australia, def. John Marinov and Bryan Roe, Australia, 7-6, (7-1), 6-3.

Rich Leach, Laguna Beach, Calif., and Jim Pugh (2), Palos Verdes, Calif. def. Richey Reneberg, Houston, and John Ross, Gainesville, Fla., 6-4, 6-2.

Patrick Baur and Udo Riglewski, West Germany, def. Jan Apell and Magnus Gustafsson, Sweden, 6-1, 6-3.

Peter Doohan and Laurie Warder (7), Australia, def. Steve Guy, New Zealand, and Shuzo Matsuoka, Japan, 6-1, 6-1.

Mark Koevermans and Michiel Schapers, Netherlands, def. Adam Anderson and Carl Turich, Australia, 6-1, 6-2.

Guy Forget, France, and Jakob Hlasek, Switzerland, def. Andrew Florent and Andrew McLean, Australia, 3-6, 6-3, 6-1.

Women
Singles
Second Round

Michelle Jaggard, Australia, def. Federica Bonsignori, Italy, 6-4, 3-6, 10-8.

Lisa O'Neill, Australia, def. Eva Krapl, Switzerland, 6-2, 7-6 (7-4).

Andrea Temesvari, Hungary, def. Kathrin Keil, Albuquerque, N.M., 4-6, 7-6 (7-4), 6-4.

Catarina Lindqvist, Sweden, def. Lea Antonoplis, Los Angeles, 0-6, 6-2, 6-3.

Manon Bollegraf, Netherlands, def. Katrina Adams, Chicago, 6-7 (6-8), 6-2, 6-3.

Hana Mandlikova, Australia (15), def. Eva Pfaff, West Germany, 4-6, 6-1, 6-4.

Helena Sukova, Czechoslovakia (5), def. Heather Ludloff, Foster City, Calif., 7-5, 6-3.

Belinda Cordwell, New Zealand, def. Beverly Bowes, Lubbock, Texas, 3-6, 6-3, 12-10.

Judith Wiesner, Austria, def. Emmanuelle Derly, France, 6-1, 6-2.

Ronni Reis, Miami, def. Patty Fendick, Sacramento, Calif., 6-4, 7-6 (7-4).

Pam Shriver (4), Lutherville, Md., def. Sarah Loosemore, Britain, 1-6, 6-3, 6-4.

Mary Joe Fernandez, Miami (10), def. Ann Grossman, Grove City, Ohio, 6-4, 7-6 (7-1).

Brenda Schultz, the Netherlands, def. Anne Minter, Australia (14), 6-4, 3-6, 6-1.

Catherine Tanvier, France, def. Pilar Vasquez, Peru, 6-3, 4-6, 6-2.

Doubles
First Round

Jennifer Fuchs, Dix Hills, N.Y., and Jill Smoller, Larchmont, N.Y., def. Virginie Paquet and Karine Quentrec, France, 6-4, 7-5.

Cynthia MacGregor and Cammy MacGregor, Palos Verdes, Calif., def. Cathy Caverzasio and Laura Golarsa, Italy, 6-4, 6-3.

Elizabeth Smylie and Wendy Turnbull, Australia (7), def. Iva Budarova, Czechoslovakia, and Clare Wood, Britain, 7-6 (10-8), 6-1.

Manon Bollegraf, Netherlands, and Nicole Provis, Australia, def. Andrea Betzner and Wiltrud Probst, West Germany, 6-4, 6-3.

Silke Meier and Christina Singer, West Germany, def. Cecilia Dahlman, Sweden, and Regina Marsikova, Czechoslovakia, 6-3, 6-3.

Katrina Adams, Chicago, and Zina Garrison, Houston, def. Louise Stacey and Jane Taylor, U.S., 6-0, 6-3.

Nathalie Herreman, France, and Eva Pfaff (10), West Germany, def. Lindsay Bartlett, Portola Valley, Calif., and Marianne Werdel, Bakersfield, Calif., 6-3, 6-0.

Terry Phelps, Larchmont, N.Y., and Raffaella Reggi (9), Italy, def. Michelle Bowrey, Australia, and Andrea Temesvari, Hungary, 6-1, 6-2.

NBA

National Basketball Association
EASTERN CONFERENCE
Atlantic Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	25	12	.676	—
Philadelphia	21	16	.568	4
Boston	16	20	.444	8½
New Jersey	15	22	.405	10
Washington	11	23	.324	12½
Charlotte	10	27	.270	15

Central Division

Cleveland	27	7	.794	—
Detroit	24	11	.686	3½
Milwaukee	22	12	.647	5
Atlanta	23	14	.622	5½
Chicago	21	14	.600	6½
Indiana	9	26	.257	18½

WESTERN CONFERENCE
Midwest Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Houston	22	14	.611	—
Utah	22	15	.595	½
Dallas	19	16	.543	2½
Denver	20	17	.541	2½
San Antonio	10	26	.278	12
Miami	4	31	.114	17½

Pacific Division

L.A. Lakers	26	12	.684	—
Phoenix	21	14	.600	3½
Seattle	21	14	.600	3½
Portland	20	16	.556	5
Golden St.	18	16	.529	6
Sacramento	10	24	.294	14
L.A. Clippers	10	28	.263	16

Wednesday's Games
Philadelphia 115, Boston 104
Detroit 103, New Jersey 90
Milwaukee 118, Charlotte 106
Dallas 102, Denver 92
L.A. Lakers 111, L.A. Clippers 90
Golden State 133, New York 119

Thursday's Games
San Antonio at Washington, 6:30 p.m.
Phoenix at Charlotte, 6:30 p.m.
Chicago at Miami, 6:30 p.m.
Cleveland at Indiana, 6:30 p.m.
Houston at Seattle, 9 p.m.
New York at Sacramento, 9:30 p.m.

Wednesday's NBA Boxes

At Dallas
DENVER (92)
English 8-17 0-0 16, Schayes 8-17 3-4 20, Cooper 0-4 0-0 0, Lever 7-12 1-2 15, Turner 5-7 1-1 12, W.Davis 2-9 3-4 7, Hughes 1-3 2-5 4, Lane 3-6 1-4 7, Rasmussen 1-4 0-0 2, Vincent 1-6 0-0 2, Natt 2-5 3-5 7. Totals 38-90 14-25 92.
DALLAS (102)
Aguirre 11-20 3-9 26, Perkins 5-11 1-2 11, Donaldson 3-5 0-0 6, Harper 3-12 1-2 7, Blackman 9-17 4-4 22, Schrempf 3-6 7-7 13, B.Davis 2-2 4-4 8, Wennington 2-5 0-0 4, Tyler 0-1 2-2 2, Wiley 1-2 1-1 3. Totals 39-81 23-31 102.

Denver	18	30	17	27— 92
Dallas	28	34	20	20—102

3-Point goals—Schayes, Aguirre. Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Denver 58 (Lever 12), Dallas 55 (Donaldson 13). Assists— Denver 19 (Lever 5), Dallas 25 (Harper 9). Total fouls—Denver 25, Dallas 27. Technicals—Denver coach Moe, Denver illegal defense. A—17,007.

At Philadelphia
BOSTON (104)
McHale 14-19 3-4 31, Lewis 10-18 2-3 22, Parish 8-17 4-4 20, Johnson 3-9 2-4 9, Paxson 5-12 6-6 16, Shaw 1-6 2-2 4, Lohaus 0-2 0-0 0, Acres 0-0 0-0 0, Grandison 0-1 2-2 2, Gamble 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 41-85 21-25 104.
PHILADELPHIA (115)
Jones 0-2 0-0 0, Barkley 7-17 9-13 23, Gminski 8-16 2-2 18, Cheeks 3-5 4-4 10, Hawkins 5-13 0-0 10, Anderson 15-22 6-6 36, Brooks 2-5 0-0 6, Welp 3-5 0-0 6, Henderson 1-3 0-0 2, Coleman 2-3 0-0 4. Totals 46-91 21-25 115.

Boston	26	27	30	21—104
Philadelphia	28	33	19	35—115

3-Point goals—Johnson, Brooks 2. Fouled out—Johnson. Rebounds—Boston 47 (Parish 16), Philadelphia 40 (Barkley, Gminski 11). Assists—Boston 33 (Johnson 13), Philadelphia 34 (Cheeks 11). Total fouls—Boston 21, Philadelphia 21. A— 17,121.

At Auburn Hills, Mich.
NEW JERSEY (90)
B.Williams 6-10 4-10 16, Morris 3-7 1-2 7, Carroll 5-12 2-4 12, Hopson 3-10 0-0 6, Conner 2-6 5-6 9, Hinson 5-12 0-0 10, McGee 6-11 2-2 16, Lee 1-2 0-0 2, Berry 1-3 0-0 2, Bagley 2-4 2-2 6, Shackleford 0-0 0-0 0, K.Williams 2-3 0-0 4. Totals 36-80 16-26 90.
DETROIT (103)
Dantley 10-17 4-6 24, Salley 3-6 5-6 11, Laimbeer 3-10 0-0 6, Johnson 7-12 2-3 16, Thomas 10-22 3-5 23, Rodman 2-5 0-0 4, Edwards 4-12 3-4 11, M.Williams 3-6 2-2 8. Totals 42-90 19-26 103.

New Jersey	23	25	23	19— 90
Detroit	29	25	25	24—103

3-Point goals—McGee 2. Fouled out— None. Rebounds—New Jersey 48 (B.Williams 11), Detroit 61 (Rodman 16). Assists—New Jersey 17 (Conner 10), Detroit 26 (V.Johnson, Thomas 6). Total fouls—New Jersey 24, Detroit 19. Technicals—New Jersey Coach Reed 2 (ejected), Detroit Coach Daly. A—21,454.

At Milwaukee
CHARLOTTE (106)
Cureton 4-9 0-0 8, Tripucka 9-14 1-1 20, Rambis 4-7 0-0 8, Holton 2-3 0-0 4, Reid 9-14 0-0 20, Chapman 6-11 2-2 15, Hoppen 3-5 4-5 10, Bogues 2-3 1-2 5, Kempton 2-3 2-2 6, Green 2-4 0-0 4, Lewis 0-1 2-2 2, Curry 2-6 0-0 4. Totals 45-80 12-14 106.
MILWAUKEE (118)
Cummings 11-22 4-4 26, Roberts 5-10 2-2 12, Sikma 7-12 0-1 14, Humphries 1-4 5-6 7, Pressey 5-10 5-8 15, Pierce 8-9 2-4 18, Mokeski 2-2 4-4 8, Davis 7-13 3-4 17, Horford 0-1 1-2 1, Turner 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 46-84 26-35 118.

Charlotte	31	26	26	23—106
Milwaukee	24	35	36	23—118

3-Point goals—Reid 2, Tripucka, Chapman. Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Charlotte 40 (Cureton 7), Milwaukee 44 (Sikma 10). Assists—Charlotte 34 (Holton 7), Milwaukee 30 (Humphries 9). Total fouls—Charlotte 25, Milwaukee 22. Technicals—Sikma, Kempton. A—16,145.

At Inglewood, Calif.
L.A. CLIPPERS (90)
Norman 7-21 5-6 19, Smith 8-12 1-1 17, Benjamin 4-10 3-3 11, Dailey 9-19 1-3 19, Nixon 1-6 1-2 3, Wolf 3-9 0-0 6, Kite 0-2 0-0 0, Williams 6-14 2-4 15, Gondrezick 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 38-94 13-19 90.
L.A. LAKERS (111)
Green 2-5 4-4 5, Worthy 8-13 0-0 16, Abdul-Jabbar 5-13 3-4 13, Johnson 7-15 4-5 19, Scott 6-16 0-0 12, Cooper 6-10 0-0 15, Thompson 5-11 4-6 14, Campbell 1-6 0-0 2, Woolridge 4-7 3-3 11, McNamara 0-1 0-0 0, Rivers 1-1 0-0 2, Lamp 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 46-99 15-20 111.

L.A. Clippers	19	30	23	18— 90
L.A. Lakers	27	28	24	32—111

3-Point goals—Cooper 3, Williams, Johnson. Fouled out—None. Rebounds—L.A. Clippers 50 (Benjamin 10), Los Angeles 70 (Worthy 15). Assists—L.A. Clippers 22 (Williams 5), Los Angeles 28 (Johnson 13). Total fouls—L.A. Clippers 20, Los Angeles 16. A—17,301.

At Oakland, Calif.
NEW YORK (119)
Newman 7-21 2-3 17, Oakley 6-8 5-10 17, Ewing 13-21 3-4 29, Jackson 3-10 5-9 11, G.Wilkins 9-20 4-6 22, Tucker 3-13 0-0 9, Walker 0-1 0-0 0, Strickland 2-10 0-0 5, Green 3-7 0-0 6, E.Wilkins 1-4 0-2 2, Butler 0-0 1-2 1. Totals 47-115 20-36 119.
GOLDEN STATE (133)
Mullin 13-20 4-4 30, Teagle 8-19 2-2 18, L.Smith 0-3 0-0 0, Garland 10-13 9-12 31, Richmond 10-15 10-12 31, Higgins 3-9 5-6 11, Bol 2-5 0-0 4, Alford 3-4 2-2 8. Totals 49-88 32-38 133.

New York	29	35	27	28—119
Golden State	34	33	31	35—133

3-Point goals—Tucker 3, Garland 2, Newman, Strickland, Richmond. Fouled out—None. Rebounds—New York 70 (Oakley 15), Golden State 59 (Mullin, L.Smith, Richmond 8). Assists—New York 21 (Jackson 7), Golden State 26 (Richmond 11). Total fouls—New York 31, Golden State 28. A—15,925.

Texas Fishing

AUSTIN: Here is the weekly fishing report as compiled by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department for Jan. 19:

CENTRAL

BASTROP: Water clear, 69 degrees, normal level; black bass fairly good to 3½ pounds on chrome and crawfish colored Rat-L-Traps in 8-10 feet of water; hybrid striper slow; crappie fairly good at night under lights on minnows to 20 fish per string in 18 feet of water; catfish good to 23 pounds on live perch baited jug lines.

BELTON: Water clear, 54 degrees, 6½ feet below normal level; black bass good to 3 pounds on black and chartreuse jigs with a pork crawdad trailer in 10 feet of water or less; hybrid striper fair to 5 pounds on chrome jigging spoons; crappie good to 25 fish per string on minnows in 20 feet of water; white bass fair to 12 fish per string on chrome Rat-L-Traps and L'il Georges in 15 feet of water; catfish slow.

BROWNWOOD: Water clear, 4 feet, 10 inches below spillway; black bass fair to 4½ pounds on black jigs; striper slow; crappie fair to 15 fish per string on minnows and a few jigs; white bass slow; catfish slow.

CANYON: Water clear, 56 degrees, normal level; largemouth bass fair to 6 pounds on dark jigs with a pork trailer; smallmouth bass fair to 4¼ pounds on deep diving crawfish colored cranks and brown jigs and pigs; striper fair to 10 pounds on Mann-O-Lures while feeding with white bass; crappie good at night under lights on minnows; white bass very good to 2 pounds on Mann-O-Lures under birds with good numbers of limits; channel catfish fair, yellow catfish slow.

FAYETTE: Water clear, 62 degrees, normal level; black bass good over the weekend through Monday to 6¾ pounds on black and blue Long As and Ringworms as well as live bait;

West Texas Sports

Booster Club...

There will be a meeting of the Lee High **Soccer Booster Club** today at 7 p.m. at the Lee Youth Center...

Umps Meet...

The Midland chapter of the **Southwest Baseball Umpires Association** will meet every Monday through Feb. 6 at 7:30 p.m. at the Parks and Recreation office, 300 Baldwin. For information, call 685-7357...

Field Hockey...

First annual **Midland Field Hockey** tournament Feb. 4-5, 9 a.m. daily, at Fannin Elementary School field. Call Mary Guinn, 694-8831...

Spring Volleyball...

Spring league starts Feb. 2. Divisions: Recreation, Intermediate, Power. Tournament Jan. 21-22, 16-team limit. Brent Finley 682-2551...

Flatlanders...

Telluride Feb. 15-19, 3 days, 4 nights, $250 land package, Coonskin Inn. Contact 563-2067 or 366-4615...

Soccer...

Indoor Adult Soccer League at Central YMCA. Limited 12 teams in two men's divisions and one women's division. Call 682-2551 or 697-5301...

Midland Soccer Association spring signup Saturday Jan. 28 and Jan. 29. at Midland Park Mall near the inside mall entrance to Sears. Saturday signup all day, Sunday from 1 to 5 p.m. Coaches may register entire teams is all paperwork, fees and player social security numbers are in hand. This will be only signup this season...

Fly Fishing...

Permian Fly Fishers fishing trip to San Juan River in northern New Mexico, March 30. New members welcome. Call Bill Elgin at 694-7398...

Bowling...

12 game marathon at Dellwood Lanes, Jan. 29, 12:45 p.m. Entry Fee $35...

Valentine Moonlite Doubles 10 p.m. Feb. 10 at Dellwood Lanes. Entry fee $30 per mixed doubles team....

Midland Women's Bowling Association City Tournament Feb. 11-12 and 18-19 at Dellwood Lanes. Entry Deadline Jan. 28. Entries to Paul Bayley, MWBA City Secretary, 2207 Culver, Midland 79705...

Midland Bowling Association Men's Tournament March 11-12 and 18-19. Team event at Fairmont Park Lanes, singles and doubles at Dellwood...

Most Over Average Tournament at Dellwood Lanes. Mar. 13 through April 28. Finals, May 6 and 7...

Dellwood Lanes Mixed Team/Doubles Tournament at April 8-9, 15-16...

Tennis...

Midland Tennis Club annual meeting at 6:30 p.m. Jan. 28 at Ranchland Hills C.C. Dinner and Door Prizes. For more information, call Darlene at 683-0066...

Softball...

The Midland Softball Association will hold a signup and organizational meeting for 1989 spring-summer leagues at 7 p.m. Feb. 21 in the Holiday Country Villa Convention Center. For more information, call Karl Reagan at 683-8741...

Boat Show...

The **San Antonio Sport, Boat and RV** show will open Jan. 24 and continue through Jan. 29 at the San Antonio Convention Center facilities at Alamo and Market streets. Hours are 5 p.m.-10:30 p.m. Tuesday-thru-Thursday, Friday noon-10:30 p.m.; Saturday 11 a.m.-10:30 p.m. and Sunday noon-7 p.m...

Baseball Tryout...

The **Cincinnati Reds** will conduct and open tryout camp for baseball players at the University of Houston field Jan. 28-29. Registration is 9 a.m. The camp is open only to players who have completed their high school eligibility. College and junior college players still active in their programs also are not allowed to participate...

Galarraga triples salary

NEW YORK (AP) — Andres Galarraga tripled his salary Wednesday while Bobby Bonilla, Joe Hesketh, Wes Gardner and Kevin Mitchell doubled their paychecks.

Galarraga and the Montreal Expos agreed to a one-year contract for $865,000, a 260-percent increase from the $240,000 he made in 1988.

Bonilla and the Pittsburgh Pirates agreed to a one-year contract for $730,000, a $485,000 raise.

Hesketh and the Montreal Expos settled at $417,000, a $226,000 raise. while Gardner and the Boston Red Sox settled at $285,000, a $168,000 raise.

Mitchell and the San Francisco Giants agreed at $535,000, a raise of $297,500.

Meanwhile, free agent catcher-infielder Bob Brenly signed a one-year contract worth $450,000 with the Toronto Blue Jays. Brenly, who made $600,000 last year with San Francisco, will get $425,000 in salary plus a $25,000 relocation bonus.

In other moves Wednesday, Ron Hassey and the Oakland Athletics agreed to a one-year contract with an option that is worth $700,000 guaranteed. Hassey will get $600,000 in 1989 and Oakland has an option for 1990 at $700,000. The Athletics must pay a $100,000 buyout if the option is not exercised.

Also, third baseman Chris Brown and the Detroit Tigers agreed to a one-year contract for $277,500, a $12,500 raise, and left-hander Jerry Don Gleaton and Kansas City agreed to $220,000, a $100,000 raise.

There are 119 players remaining in salary arbitration and they will exchange salary figures with their clubs on Thursday. Hearings will be held from Feb. 1 to Feb. 20.

Andy Van Slyke, the Pittsburgh outfielder, has agreed to a $5.5 million salary over three years but he and the Pirates have so far been unable to settle on lockout language covering the 1990 season.

Bonilla, though, was pleased with his deal. The 25-year-old third baseman batted .274 last season with 24 home runs and 100 runs batted in.

"I never dreamed of a year like that," Bonilla said. "What a year. What a wonderful year."

Galarraga, a 27-year-old first baseman, batted .302 in 1988, fourth-best in the National League, with 29 homers and 92 RBI.

Hesketh was 4-3 with a 4.99 ERA and two saves. The left-hander agreed to the same salary that Toronto's John Cerutti agreed to on Tuesday.

Gardner was 1-1 in 18 relief appearances with Boston before he became s a starter. The right-hander finished 8-6 overall with a 3.50 earned-run average.

Hassey, a catcher, batted .257 with seven homers and 45 RBI. Brown, acquired from the Padres in the off-season, hit .235 for San Diego with two homers and 19 RBI. Gleaton was 0-4 for the Royals with three saves in 42 games, all in relief.

Brenly batted .189 with five home runs and 22 RBI in 73 games with the Giants in 1988. He became a free agent on Dec. 20 when San Francisco failed to offer him a new contract.

Mitchell, a third baseman, hit .251 for the Giants with 19 homers and 80 RBI.

Moss files suit against Sam Houston State

HUNTSVILLE (AP) — Recently fired Sam Houston State basketball coach Gary Moss filed a lawsuit Wednesday demanding a jury trial and asking that the school be prohibited through a temporary restraining order from filling his position pending a hearing.

Moss names several Sam Houston State and several school officials, the NCAA and NCAA officials and state Attorney General Jim Mattox in the lawsuit.

The fired coach is seeking reinstatement of his salary and benefits and damages in the suit filed in the 12th District Court in Huntsville. Moss alleges his constitutional rights were violated and accuses the NCAA of interfering with his contract.

Moss also is requesting that the NCAA be prohibited from imposing sanctions on Sam Houston State or from directing Sam Houston State officials to penalize Moss pending the outcome of the hearing.

Sam Houston State officials fired Moss Jan. 6 after the NCAA accused him of involvment in alleged rules violations while he coached at West Texas State University.

The NCAA, in a decision released Dec. 22, ruled that the West Texas State basketball program illegally recruited players and provided players with free airplane travel, telephone credit cards and cash while Moss was with the university from 1984-87.

The NCAA prohibited Moss from coaching in postseason play this season and barred him from off-campus recruiting activities or speaking engagements related to any university that employs Moss for the 1989-90 school year.

Moss said his release from the university was based on misinformation and that he was not included in the meeting where the decision as made.

Moss's attorney Phillip Russ of Amarillo said Moss' rights were violated in his October hearing with the NCAA in Kansas City, Mo. and by the university when he was dismissed, the Huntsville Item reported.

Moss cooperated fully with the NCAA, although NCAA officials said he didn't, Russ said. He also said the claimed evidence to be used against Moss was not disclosed to him and was based upon unreliable evidence and hearsay.

Russ said the university faculty manual calls for a notice to be given and a hearing to be held prior to firing a faculty member.

Frank Krystyniak, director of public information for the university, said the university has no comment to make at this time concerning the pending litigation.

Lee, MHS Cage Stats

Midland Lee Boys (13-9, 1-3)

Player	G	FG	FT	TP	Avg.
Torval Crisp	22	143	46	346	15.7
Jared Edwards	20	101	59	264	13.2
Ed Brown	22	83	25	206	9.3
Darren Dortch	16	53	18	124	7.8
Terry Riley	22	60	34	154	7.0
Ed Hartmann	20	45	15	105	5.3
David Meade	21	29	12	70	3.4
Greg Crowe	19	9	11	30	1.6
Glen Chambers	6	5	1	11	1.8
Paul Dunn	6	0	4	4	0.7
Cody Reeves	8	2	1	5	0.6
Jerry Delk	5	1	0	3	0.6
Carlton Pertile	6	0	0	0	0.0
Totals	22	531	226	1322	60.0

Three Point Goals: Brown 15, Crisp 14, Edwards 3, Delk 1, Crowe 1.

Midland Lee Girls (16-5, 5-1)

Player	G	FG	FT	TP	Avg.
Monica Ramirez	21	213	60	486	23.1
Mary Ann Isom	21	99	25	224	10.6
Kim Davis	21	49	30	129	6.1
Gina Navarette	21	46	25	120	5.7
Marcia del Llano	21	40	20	100	4.8
Leslie Swann	19	25	31	81	4.3
Keyshia Crisp	20	18	20	56	2.8
Twala Medearis	20	8	24	40	2.0
England Carter	13	6	11	23	1.8
Jamelia Lott	16	9	2	20	1.3
Totals	21	513	248	1279	60.9

Three Point Goals: Isom 7, Navarette 3, Davis 1.

Midland High Boys (10-12, 2-2)

Player	G	FG	FT	TP	Avg.
Greg Lewis	22	179	80	438	19.9
Dexture Young	21	87	22	225	10.7
Tracey Bascus	22	78	39	199	9.0
Bart Saddler	22	73	16	173	7.8
Aundria Shaw	22	55	12	122	5.5
Dorey Thompson	22	42	14	100	4.5
Ben Wilson	20	26	5	57	2.9
Scott Melzer	22	22	16	64	2.9
Jarrod Johnson	13	10	3	23	1.8
Gary Nathan	17	12	6	31	1.8
Marty Skaggs	8	4	4	12	1.5
Tony Henderson	16	6	4	16	1.0
Eddie Mayes	1	1	0	3	3.0
Albert Ray	1	1	0	3	3.0
Dwight Brown	4	3	1	7	1.7
Rudy Garcia	14	2	2	6	0.4
Totals	22	601	224	1479	67.2

Three Point Goals: Young 29, Saddler 11, Thompson 11, Bascus 4, Melzer 4, Nathan 1, Mayes 1, Brown 1, Ray 1.

Midland High Girls (5-16, 0-6)

Player	G	FG	FT	TP	Avg.
Kim Jackson	21	139	69	347	16.5
Pat McMaryion	17	44	25	119	6.9
Robin Landreth	21	39	50	129	6.1
Cathy Yerby	16	34	21	89	5.6
Tina O'Neal	8	16	10	49	6.1
Richelle Beck	20	35	21	91	4.5
Stephanie Freeman	17	15	17	47	2.8
Angie Johnson	5	6	0	12	2.4
Tracy Parker	18	19	7	45	2.3
Paige Noland	17	6	14	26	1.5
Anita Montez	19	9	12	30	1.5
Meredith Harris	12	3	4	10	0.8
Mary Jane Carrasco	16	2	2	6	0.4
Krystal Scoggins	5	0	0	0	0.0
Stephanie Payne	2	0	1	1	0.5
Totals	21	367	253	1001	47.7

Three Point Goals: McMaryion 6, Neal 7, Landreth 1

Reagan meets with Irish football team

WASHINGTON (AP) — In one of the last public events of his eight years in the White House, President Reagan on Wednesday paid a sentimental tribute to the championship Notre Dame football team.

He received in return a sweater once presented to — who else? — George Gipp.

Reagan, whose role as Gipp, a Notre Dame star, in "Knute Rockne, All-American" gave him his first big break in the movie career that helped propel him to the presidency, told the players:

"I can't help thinking that somewhere a long way off there's a fellow with a big grin and a lot of pride in his school and he might be thinking to himself that maybe you won another one for the Gipper."

Manning faces long rehabilitation period

INGLEWOOD, Calif. (AP) — Los Angeles Clippers rookie forward Danny Manning was released from Centinela Hospital Wednesday, four days after undergoing reconstructive surgery on his right knee.

Manning will undergo a rehabilitation program at the Kerlan-Jobe Orthopedic Clinic for the next nine to 12 months, Clippers general manager Elgin Baylor said. Manning is expected to begin work on a stationary bike in three to four weeks, start running in three to four months and begin light basketball workouts in six months.

DOWN THE SLOPES

Bargain lift tickets found in Colorado

By PAUL WALLACE

Where are the lift ticket bargains in Colorado?

Discounted lift tickets are available at many outlets throughout the state. There are almost as many packaged discounts as there are true natives of Colorado.

The standard discount tickets outlets are listed. Breeze refers to a chain of ski rental outlets. King Sooper and Safeway (yes, the big S is doing well in Colorado) are grocery chains.

Town	Safeway	Breeze	Vickers	King Soopers
Arapahoe Basin	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Copper Mountain	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Cuchara	Yes	NO	No	No
Eldorado	Yes	Yes	No	No
Estes Park	Yes	No	No	No
Keystone	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Loveland	Yes	Yes	No	No
Monarch	Yes	No	No	No
Vail	No	No	No	No
Winter Park	Yes	Yes	No	No

The military, active and retired, and their dependents can obtain even better discounts by going through the tickets and tour offices of area military installations.

There are lodging facilities where children stay and ski free when accompanied by parents. There are many innovative beginner programs, where equipment, lessons, and lift tickets are packaged and can be purchased for less than discount liit tickets.

Each week areas establish new discount packages and this column will present these updates, when possible.

Paul Wallace is the Colorado Ski correspondent for the Reporter-Telegram.

GEORGE BUSH: A MIDLAND SCRAPBOOK



This special section will be published Friday in conjunction with the Inauguration of George H.W. Bush as 41st President of the United States.

Focusing on the years spent in Midland and the Permian Basin by Bush and his family, the special INAUGURAL will focus on Bush as a young businessman, a family man, civic leader and politician.

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Cincinnati pass attack vanishing act

MIAMI (AP) — Cincinnati Bengals Coach Sam Wyche, an amateur magician, has allowed his team's passing game to do a vanishing act in the playoffs.

Once known for their high-tech air attack, the Bengals have become a blue-collar running team in their climb to the Super Bowl. They've had under 100 net yards passing in three of their last four games, throwing sparingly.

A big question going into the Super Bowl is whether the passing attack has gone too far into hibernation to come alive if needed against the San Francisco 49ers.

Quarterback Boomer Esiason doesn't seem worried about having to pull out a win with his arm if the 49ers shut down the ground game.

"Yeah, we can win (by passing)," he said. "Sure running's a big part of it, but there have been games we've played this year where we've had to throw and we've won.

"I mean, we have 28 touchdown passes, so something's going right."

THE PASSING game was doing just about everything right as the Bengals opened the season 6-0. Esiason threw 17 touchdown passes in his first seven games, and receivers Eddie Brown and Tim McGee formed the NFL's most dangerous tandem in the early going.

Esiason's maturation as a quarterback and Brown's improvement as a clutch receiver helped the passing game evolve into a quick-strike attack that can put up points quickly and avoid mistakes.

Esiason's ability to handle the Bengals' sophisticated no-huddle attack and his leadership on the field helped make him the league's MVP. Wyche says Esiason has a better grasp of the mental part of quarterbacking in his fifth season.

"He's become a better decision-maker on the field," Wyche said. "He doesn't try to force the ball down the field."

Esiason has put in more preparation time this year, filling a notebook with observations about opposing defenses. The improvement has been obvious.

"He did an excellent job of running their offense," 49ers defensive back Ronnie Lott said. "That's why he's the MVP."

Esiason led the NFL's passing ratings every week of the regular season. One of his most impressive statistics is his average yards per completion: 9.2, tops in the league.

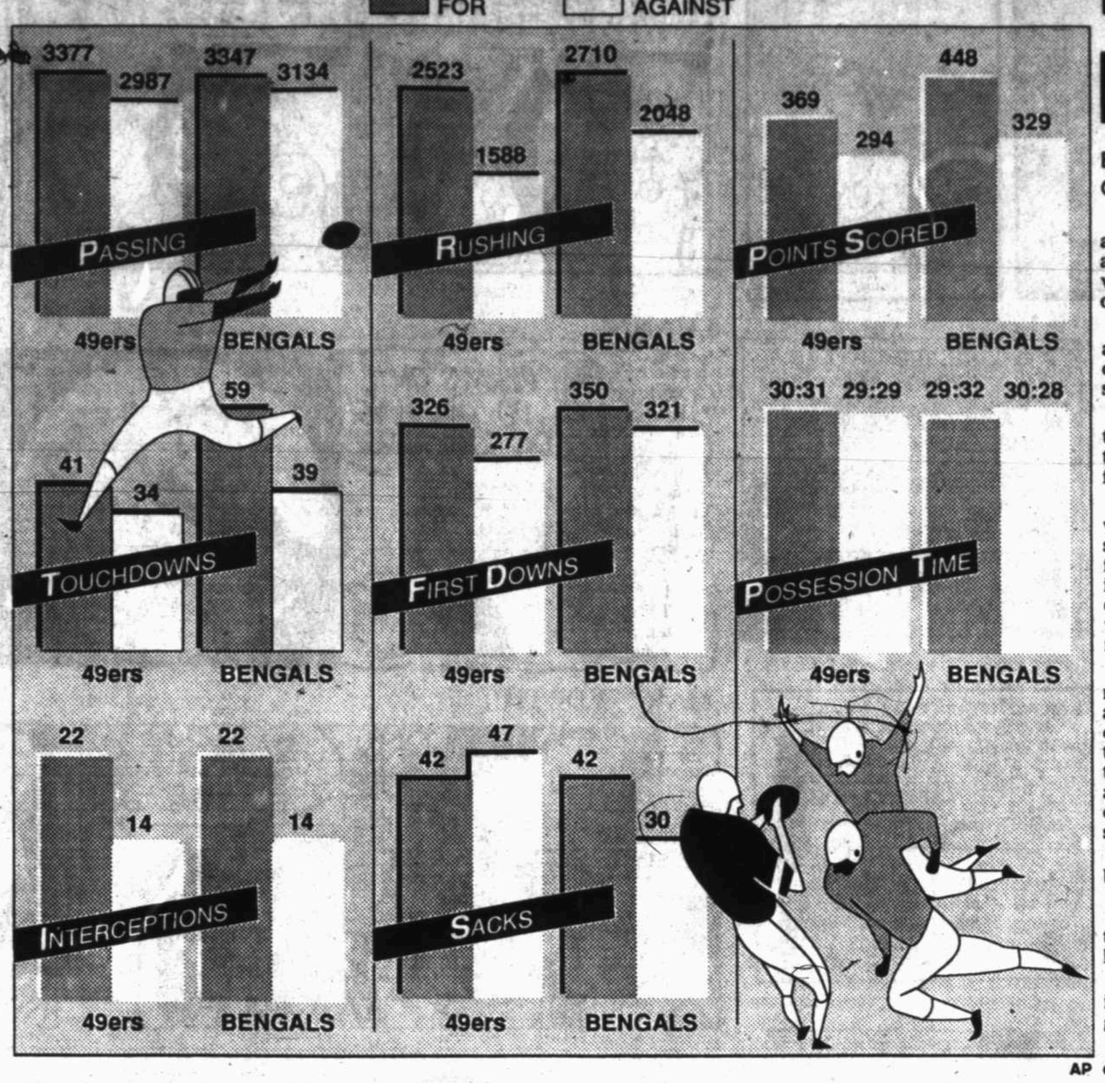
He achieved that with his strong arm, convincing play-action fakes and the speed of McGee and Brown.

"All of them can beat you," 49ers defensive back Don Griffin said. "Brown has been making big plays all year and piling up a lot of yards."

Brown set a club record with 216 yards receiving against Pittsburgh. He has been most dangerous when Esiason makes a good fake handoff, bringing the safeties toward the line of scrimmage and leaving Brown with one-on-one coverage on a deep pattern.

The Bengals' emphasis on running has reduced Brown's statistics recently — he hasn't caught more than two passes in any of his last seven games. But he remains a deep threat that keeps defenses wary. He finished the season as the AFC leader with 53 catches for a conference-high 1,273 yards.

TEAM COMPARISONS



AP

Rice key to 49ers' passing game

MIAMI (AP) — San Francisco's "other" receivers have escaped heavy coverage by the Super Bowl media in comparison to the extra people assigned to swarm around Jerry Rice.

The 49ers hope the same holds true against Cincinnati at Joe Robbie Stadium on Sunday.

If Rice doesn't recover sufficiently from an aggravated right ankle sprain, they will have to create another deep threat or rely exclusively on Joe Montana's short game in passing situations.

Coach Bill Walsh says that regardless of anyone's health, the 49ers want to throw about 30 passes and complete 20 of them.

"That's what it'll take to play effectively against the Bengals," he said, "because we know the Bengals have a great offense and will be most likely moving the ball well themselves."

THERE'S NOTHING wrong with a dependence on short passes, according to tight end John Frank, who happens to be one of its prime beneficiaries.

"People tend to forget that that's the way the 49ers have done well in recent history," the five-year veteran said Wednesday. "Ball control is something Joe's a master at."

Montana may have to be masterful without his primary weapon at full strength against the Bengals.

With four days remaining until the game, Rice said the ankle was 85 percent healthy, or about what it was after he first sprained it Oct. 16 against the Los Angeles Rams. In the next four games, he couldn't make cuts or play bump-and-run and totaled only 206 receiving yards and one touchdown.

Who will take up the slack if the All-Pro receiver isn't close to the form that has netted him five touchdowns in two playoff games?

There will be a distinct falloff to whomever does.

It could be wide receiver Mike Wilson, who caught a career-high 33 passes in the regular season but none so far in the playoffs. Or John Taylor, limited to 14 receptions before making six in postseason victories over Minnesota and Chicago.

It may be running back Roger Craig, who had a team-high 76 receptions but none longer than 22 yards.

Frank, who caught a 5-yard TD pass against the Bears, said Montana has "absolutely" shown more confidence in him since he first hit double figures in season receptions last season.

The 49ers are 9-1 in games Frank has played in this season, 3-5 during his absence with a broken hand.

"The team was on a roll when I came back" in late November, he shrugged. "I don't take any credit for that."

TERRY GREER, a record-setting receiver in the Canadian Football League who has played mostly in four-wide-receiver alignments, also could see more action. After Rice was hurt against the Rams, Greer made a critical 31-yard catch that sustained the game-winning drive in a 24-21 victory.

"I think Jerry will line up," Greer said. "Jerry's the man. But if he's dinged up at all, I'll welcome the challenge. It'll be an outstanding opportunity for me."

To hear the Bengals' confident defensive backs tell it, it won't matter if Rice is healthy or not.

"I don't think we're going to let him have much of an impact on the game," cornerback Lewis Billups said.

"The SWAT team has talked," he said referring to the secondary's nickname, "and we've said to each other that we're not going to let this guy beat us."

The 49ers will be able to isolate Rice in man-to-man coverage at least some of the time Sunday. Cincinnati's defensive coordinator, former NFL cornerback Dick LeBeau, said the Bengals will have to vary their coverage.

"If you double Rice on every play and if Montana takes one look at that, he's going to go back to the single coverage," LeBeau said. "Any time you let Joe Montana know what coverage you're in, or who's getting the coverage attention, he's going to hurt you someplace else."

NBA, not NFL, hurt in Miami

By DAVE GEORGE
Cox News Service

MIAMI — Sunday's Super Bowl and the myriad of sparkly parties and festivals that attend it this week will not be hampered by the scent of distant tear gas.

The NFL has an image to project and money enough to ensure the orderly and secure operation of its showcase event.

Don't panic just yet either about the blessed placement of Miami in the unofficial rotation of Super sites following a decade on the sidelines.

Joe Robbie Stadium, the perfect venue, need not be tainted by an association with Dade County's imperfections. Put the teams and media up in Fort Lauderdale and even the dirtiest mess in downtown Miami will seem as far away to Super Bowl revelers as Long Beach is this week.

The Heat, however, are a different matter. Miami's NBA franchise has an Overtown address, now and forever. The team's owners pledged that it wouldn't matter, considering the planned revitalization of the area. In fact they gambled the future of the franchise on that shaky supposition.

One day they may be proven right but not Tuesday night.

NOT WHILE the real heat was in the streets outside Miami Arena, huddled behind plastic shields.

Not while cars outside the building were being smashed by roving gangs of lawbreakers.

Not while the safety of thousands of fans was too tall an order to guarantee.

Long after the ugly events of this week are filed away in the newspaper archives and police reports, Heat management will be trying to explain away the cancellation of a game due to danger.

If Cincinnati Bengals star Eddie Brown, a native of Overtown, thought better than to cruise his old neighborhood Tuesday, imagine what it would take to get the average season-ticket holder to leave his car in the arena parking lot.

The bravest would walk slowly toward the building, whistling as if passing through a graveyard. Others might break into a nervous trot. And still more fans might give new meaning to the NBA term "fast break."

The only way my wife and kids are going to see Miami Arena in the forseeable future is on television. We'll plan our family outings at Metrozoo.

Miami city and police officials called off Tuesday's Phoenix-Miami game less than an hour before it was scheduled to begin.

That left fans in limbo, which was unfortunate, and in jeopardy, which was inexcusable. The warning signals being sent out from Overtown on Monday night were as subtle as those which emanated from Mount St. Helen's just before the big one.

Was it responsible even to consider inviting 15,000 fans to a war zone the following night? Of course not, as any of the spectators who found their car windows smashed could tell you.

So why did Heat officials take the chance?

First, they probably were guaranteed a secure area by Metro police, which must have been reassuring on a day when sporadic gunfire echoed through the neighborhood. Second, and most importantly, Heat partners Lewis Schaffel and Billy Cunningham didn't want to soil the silver lining around a first-year franchise that has exceeded all expectations for attendance and community support.

THE HEAT (4-31) have enough problems on the arena's beautiful wooden floor for the team's financial backers to voluntarily acknowledge problems in the dark alleys outside. Some innocent people could have been hurt Tuesday because of that cavalier attitude.

Now all the dominoes of doubt stand ready to fall.

Most immediately, we must look to Thursday's scheduled spectacle, the Miami debut of Chicago's Michael Jordan. The extended two-day forecast in the neighborhood is for scattered screams and only a slight chance of clearing. It seems possible the Heat may now begin to worry about a new kind of losing streak.

"It's impossible to make a decision from New York (about how Overtown's ongoing explosion may affect the Chicago-Miami game)," Brian McIntyre, the NBA's publicity director, said from league headquarters Tuesday night. "We're going to rely heavily on what the city and police officials down there tell us."

Oh, swell.

And how about the game after that and the game after that? Getting fans to return in the same numbers as before will be a challenge. Convincing the players to show up, of course, is the first step.

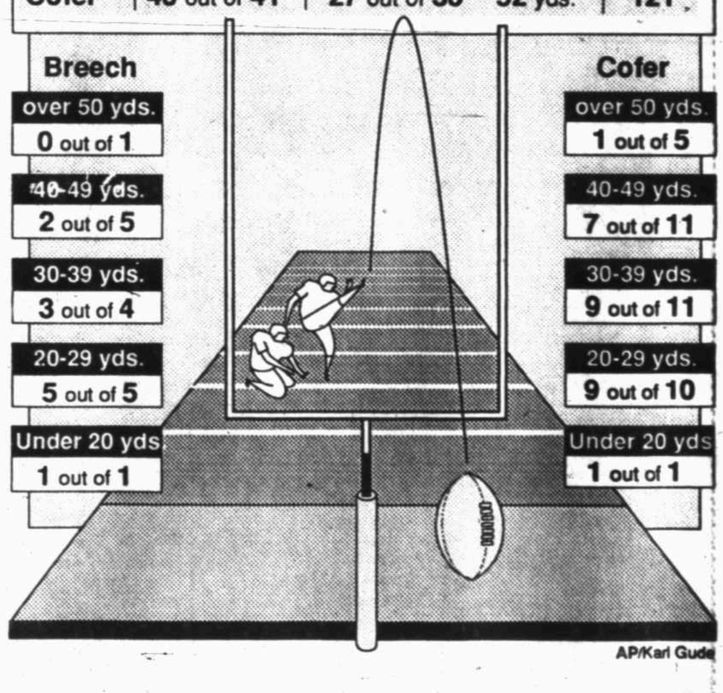
And down the road, no longer the untarnished jewel on the horizon, there is the 1990 NBA All-Star Game. When people in New York City, including NBA Commissioner David Stern, have to wonder about the safety of streets in your hometown, you know there is a serious problem.

For the time being, Schaffel and the other gilded gamblers on the Heat management team huddle inside their establishment just like shopowners and housewives and other concerned citizens all over Overtown.

Theirs is a franchise held hostage.

KICKING

BENGALS	EXTRA POINTS	FIELD GOALS	LONGEST	POINTS
Breech	56 out of 59	11 out of 16	45 yds.	89
49ers	**EXTRA POINTS**	**FIELD GOALS**	**LONGEST**	**POINTS**
Cofer	40 out of 41	27 out of 38	52 yds.	121



AP/Karl Gude

Walsh dodging retirement issue

MIAMI (AP) — Bill Walsh continued his daily sparring with the press on Wednesday about whether Sunday's Super Bowl will be his last game as coach of the San Francisco 49ers.

Walsh said he will disclose his plans early next week, then quipped that he may retire "and turn the new coach over to our writers."

He said his decision on possible retirement hasn't been easy.

"You vacillate somewhat depending on how you did the last week," he said. "But on Monday or Tuesday this next week, we will resolve what direction we're going in and how we're going to facilitate it. We're hopeful that our entire staff and organization can remain together."

The Cincinnati Bengals say they haven't been frightened by the closeness of the violence this week in the Overtown neighborhood, just a few blocks away.

Players have curtailed some activities to avoid problems, but say they feel safe as they prepare for the Super Bowl.

"The situation really has not affected our guys at all," Coach Sam Wyche said Wednesday. "We've been treated great by the people of Miami. ... Outside our hotel players are moving around freely. We don't hear it or see it."

The police car lights and smoke from the fires have been visible from the higher floors of the Bengals' hotel. Players are being cautious.

"No, I didn't go out last night," quarterback Boomer Esiason said. "I don't think I'd want to make a wrong turn somewhere."

The grim stories in the newspapers and on television have put the Super Bowl hoopla into perspective, Esiason said. He hopes this Super Bowl week won't end up being an ugly mark on the city.

"Unfortunately it's tainting the Super Bowl. I think if everybody calms down, cooler heads will prevail," he said.

"I'm feeling more sorry for the city than anything else," said Collinsworth, who lives in Titusville, Fla.

"I grew up in Florida, and I was all fired up about coming here and telling my teammates they were going to have the time of their lives, that this was the best place for a Super Bowl," Collinsworth said. "I felt that way, and I still do."

Security was tight around the Bengals' hotel even before the violence began nearby. The team's bus has police escorts when it goes anywhere — common practice at a Super Bowl. Police also accompany groups of players on social trips — Bengals players had an escort to the golf course Tuesday.

"They're not going to take any chances whatever with us," Collinsworth said. "They have the most unbelievable security here."

Local police are in charge of security for the Bengals. Cincinnati police Chief Lawrence Whalen accompanied the Bengals to Miami, and is helping to coordinate security for the team.

Tight end John Frank has one of the most demanding off-seasons of any of the San Francisco 49ers. For the fifth straight year, he'll be attending medical school at Ohio State.

Frank's studies overlap with the football season, slowing his progress somewhat.

"It's pass-fail and I'm passing," he said Wednesday. "But I'm not leading any research team projects, let me put it that way."

Known as calm and articulate among his teammates, he said he hopes to project the same image as a doctor. He has already worked in a hospital emergency room.

"I haven't saved anybody's life," he said. "When I was in St. Thomas once, a guy got hit by a car right in front of me. I was able to calm him down a little."

Injured offensive tackle Joe Walter came south with the team for the Super Bowl, and is generally following the team's schedule this week. Walter tore knee ligaments in the final regular-season game, requiring surgery.

He does rehabilitation work on the knee each day, sits in on team meetings, and hangs around with his offensive line friends like usual. He said they've made a special effort to make him feel he's still part of the team.

"Everybody has gone out of their way to include me," he said. "I was really down the first couple of weeks. I had to sit and watch the games, and they knew that."

Cincinnati offensive players have written Walter's No. 63 on their helmets and pads in tribute to his contribution to the team's success.

Defensive end Jason Buck had his leg elevated Wednesday during an interview session. Buck has a bruised calf, suffered in the AFC Championship game. Buck said there's some swelling in the muscle, but the injury won't keep him out of the Super Bowl.

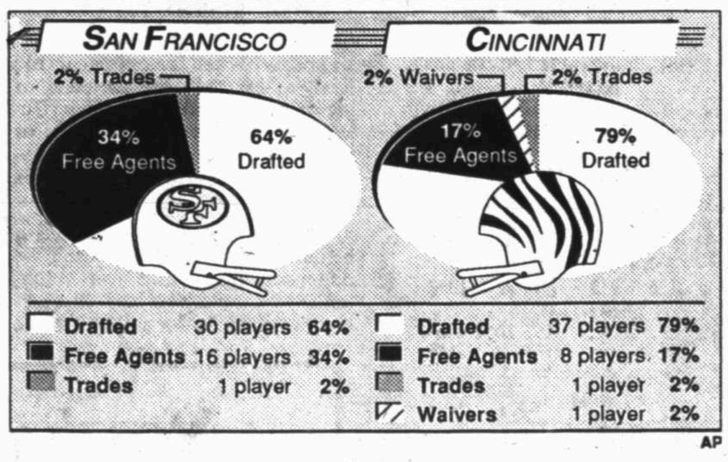
It's a long way from Delaware State to the Super Bowl for the 49ers' John Taylor.

Taylor, who's headed to the Pro Bowl as a return specialist in his second season, handled the pressure well in the Jan. 8 NFC title game victory over Chicago. He caught three passes for 51 yards and prevented the Bears from focusing largely on Jerry Rice, who had two touchdown receptions.

But his championship experience was limited. Taylor said he was in a conference championship game for Delaware State, scoring two touchdowns against Bethune-Cookman, and played defensive back in a state semifinal game for Pennsauken (N.J.) High.

Mike Wilson may be the least publicized of the six San Francisco 49ers who are playing in their third Super Bowl.

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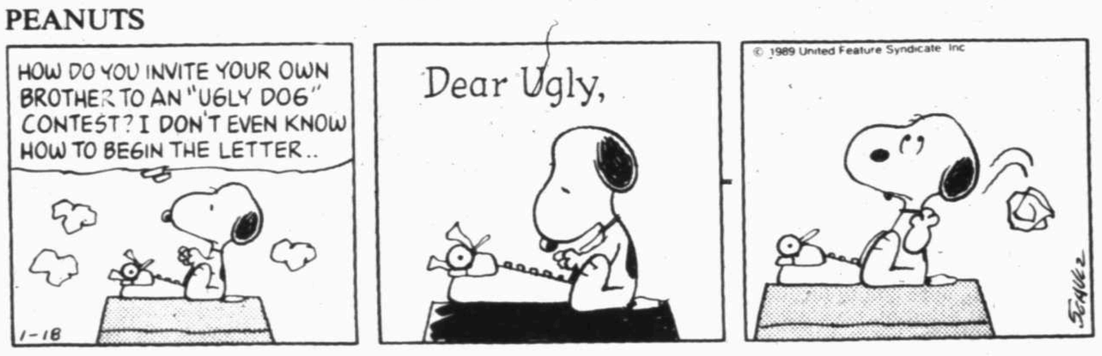
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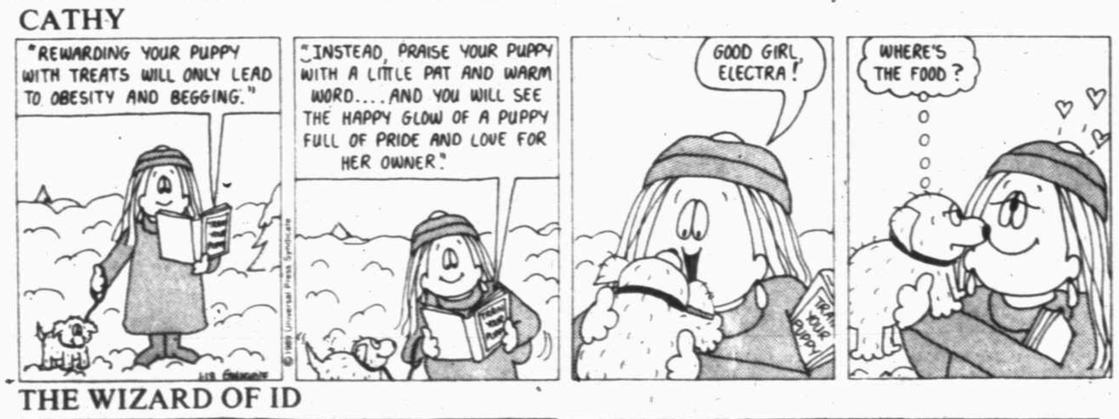
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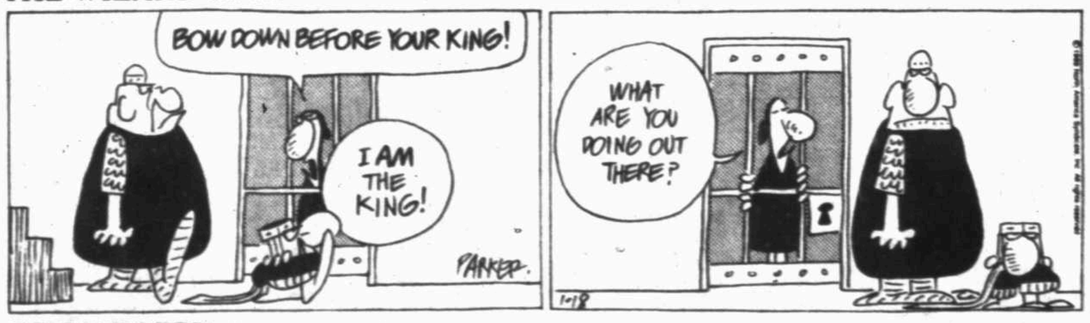
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JEANE DIXON'S your horoscope

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 19, 1989

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Know your worth, but let others negotiate for you. Do not put in overtime without compensation. Events give you the extra determination to get ahead financially. Guard your good health by getting enough rest and eating a balanced diet. Cooperating with those who have proved their loyalty will greatly improve your chances for success. Money will not drop into your lap, but it will be easier to come by.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: Gen. Robert E. Lee, artist Paul Cezanne, poet Edgar Allan Poe, singer Dolly Parton, actress Jean Stapleton.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Your plans develop more smoothly now. You should end up with more money in the bank. Rely on your excellent support system more often in the future. Loved ones back your pet cause.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): You are more sensitive than usual today. Formulate a plan for success and then follow it. Leave no stone unturned in your pursuit of a major career goal. Eliminate non-essentials.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Jealousy could become a problem if you let it get a grip on you. It's easier to save money than in the past. Keep in touch with a family member who needs support.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Look inward for the right answers, not to others. Know how much you are worth and refuse to settle for less. Family activities, socializing and romance are all parts of today's plan.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): You may find your partner in a stubborn mood this morning. Although unexpected events could stall your progress, you will eventually triumph. If possible, postpone negotiations and travel.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Concern over what your relatives might think could affect your decisions. Stop worrying so much about other people's opinions. A change of lifestyle brings comfort as well as inspiration.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Foreign contacts result in financial gains. Romance with someone you meet at school or on a business trip brings great delight. Curb a tendency to spend too much money. Purchase essentials.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Good luck accompanies those who take business trips today. New alliances give you greater clout and social prestige. Have more faith in your loved ones and your own abilities. Polish rusty skills.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Communicate with higher-ups through the usual routine channels. Open a door that has been closed for a long time. Take stock of your co-workers' virtues. An old romance is rekindled.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Travel enjoys favorable influences. Take a day trip if you can. Do not spend or lend more money than you can afford. Be more outgoing when introduced to new people.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Your memory could play tricks on you today. Write down details and directions. A phone conversation will provide some useful clues to an associate's irritable mood. Avoid stirring things up.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Pay cash and preserve your credit rating. The emphasis today is on imaginative, positive thinking. A new friendship could lead to professional advancement. A platonic relationship intensifies.

GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

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YOU BE THE JUDGE

Both vulnerable. North deals.

NORTH
♠ Q 4
♡ A J 10
◇ A Q J 10 7 6 4
♣ 5

WEST
♠ Void
♡ 9 7 4
◇ K 9 8 5 2
♣ K 8 7 4 3

EAST
♠ 9 7 3
♡ 8 5 3 2
◇ Void
♣ A J 10 9 6 2

SOUTH
♠ A K J 10 8 6 5 2
♡ K Q 6
◇ 3
♣ Q

The bidding:

North	East	South	West
1 ◇	Pass	2 ♠	Pass
3 ◇	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
4 ♠	Pass	4 NT	Pass
5 ♡	Pass	6 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		

Opening lead: Four of ♣

Study the bidding and play of this hand. At least one of the players, perhaps more, committed an error. Decide who, and what the blunder was.

South's hand was a classic jump shift—a good hand with a self-sufficient suit. Once North raised, simple Blackwood was all South needed to place the contract at the right level.

West led a club to East's ace, and the defense rested its case. Declarer won the heart shift, drew trumps and claimed the balance of the tricks, and the hand was thrown in.

Obviously, a diamond lead would have defeated the slam. What went wrong?

Those who would fault West for not leading a diamond are being unduly harsh. How was he to know that his partner was void? The blame should go to East for not telling partner to lead a diamond.

How can he do that? By doubling six spades! When the opponents bid freely to slam, you are not going to get rich with a penalty double. Unless they have lost their senses, or unless there is a really freak distribution, the most you can hope for is down one.

Theodore Lightner suggested a better use for the double when the opponents have bid to slam voluntarily—it should be a lead director. Normally, it asks for the lead of the first suit bid by dummy. Had East doubled six spades, West would dutifully have led a diamond. The resultant ruff would have completed the book and, since the ace of clubs was going to cash, the defenders would have scored a one-trick set.

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1 Rearrange letters of the four scrambled words below to form four simple words.

KROVEE
TICPH
CETHF
PANCEM



While preparing for a visit to a very small town, I asked what I should take along with me. My friend laughed, "A return trip ------!"

4 Complete the chuckle quoted by filling in the missing words you develop from step No. 3 below.

2 PRINT NUMBERED LETTERS IN THESE SQUARES 1 2 3 4 5 6

3 UNSCRAMBLE ABOVE LETTERS TO GET ANSWER

SCRAM-LETS ANSWERS

Revoke — Pitch — Fetch — Encamp — TICKET
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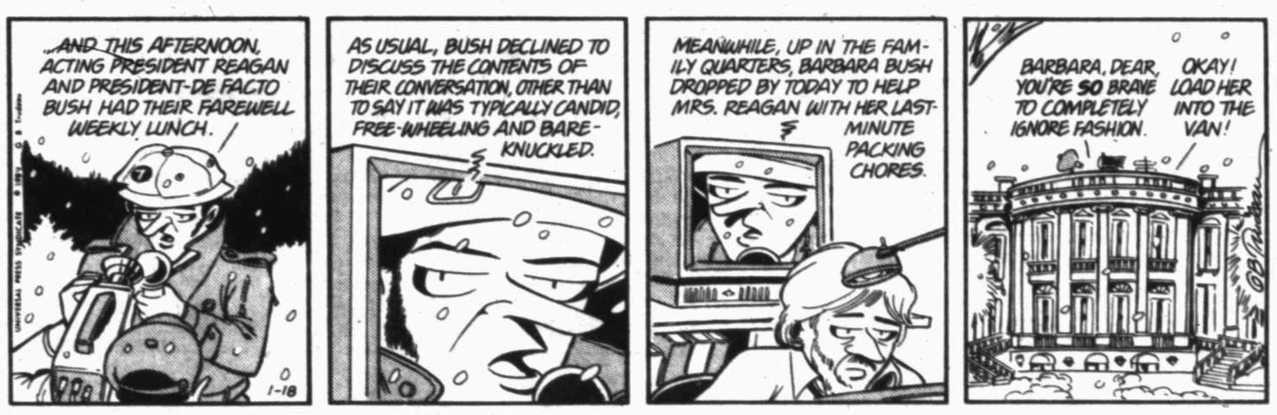


FAMILY CIRCUS



"I wanted Grandma to hear her purring, but now she won't do it."

DOONESBURY



PEOPLE

'Bad boy' Mick Jagger still rolling after 25 years of hard rocking

NEW YORK (AP) — **Mick Jagger**, nattily dressed and short-haired, stood on a stage at the Waldorf-Astoria and reflected humbly on his passage from irreverent "bad boy" to revered relic in the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame.

"Tonight we're on our best behavior and we're being rewarded for 25 years of bad behavior," the Rolling Stones' leader said Wednesday night at the fourth annual induction ceremony, at which **Dion, Otis Redding, Stevie Wonder** and the **Temptations** also entered the Hall of Fame.

Along with a rare appearance by the reclusive **Phil Spector**, who was inducted into the Hall's nonperformer category, Jagger sounded the evening's high note when he promised in his acceptance speech, "We're not quite ready to hang up the number yet."

The theme of a Stones reunion was taken up by the **Who's Pete Townsend**, who in inducting the group alternately teased and praised them, concluding, "Don't try to grow old gracefully. It wouldn't suit you."

"Will the Stones ever work again? If it wasn't for the vast sums they can make, they might not bother," Townsend said. "Luckily for us fans then that Mick has such expensive tastes."

"No more gags. The Stones are the greatest. Although they're all friends, I'm still a fan."

The four Stones present — Jagger, **Keith Richards**, one-time Stone **Mick Taylor** and his replacement **Ron Wood** — participated in an after-midnight jam session of inductees and presenters that followed the awards.

At one point, Richards played guitar directly behind Jagger, but the two, who've rarely been on stage together in recent years, didn't perform face to face. Jagger sang with **Tina Turner** and **Little Richard**, both presenters.

Bruce Springsteen, who was not part of the ceremonies, sang "Crying" in tribute to **Roy Orbison**, a previous Hall of Fame inductee who died late last year.

Wonder, inducted by **Paul Simon**, was accompanied on stage by his son and daughter. He said his selection made him want to "forever, till we die, give as much as we can."

Daryl Hall and **John Oates** introduced the Temptations by striking up "Don't Look Back," when five Temptations came on and took up the tune. The five original members, **Otis Williams, Melvin Franklin, Eddie Kendricks**, the late **Paul Williams** and **David Ruffin**, were inducted along with new member **Dennis Edwards**.

"This is about the past blending into the present," said Hall.

To be eligible for induction into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame, musicians must have made recordings more than 25 years ago. The inductees were picked by more than 150 performers, producers, writers, record executives and broadcasters. A building is to be built in Cleveland, with a projected opening in 1992.

Dion, who named his group the Belmonts after a Bronx avenue, was inducted by **Lou Reed** and evinced delight at his selection, calling it "amazing."

"Rock 'n' roll has sure changed since my heyday," said the singer, who has a record coming out in March. "I think, all told, 'The Wanderer' made me a little over $14,000. Over there, Bruce has $42 million on him. I'm joking around. You guys don't know what this means to me."

Little Richard was, as usual, outrageous as he inducted the late Otis Redding.

He called Redding "a pillar of rock 'n' roll. The first time I heard him since 'Lucille' I thought it was me. He was one of the greatest singers and composers that ever lived and that is including me, **Jimi Hendrix, the Beatles, James Brown**."

Redding died in a plane crash Dec. 10, 1967, while on tour. His widow, **Selma**, accepted his statue.



AP Laserphoto

Singing after their induction in the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame in New York late Wednesday night are the Temptations, from left, Otis Williams, David Ruffin, Melvin Franklin, Eddie Kendricks and Dennis Williams.

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NEW YORK (AP) — **Jimmy Carter** and **Jerry Ford** say they don't know why they got such bad press while in office and **President Reagan** has played so well in the media.

"Presidents Nixon, Johnson, Ford and I had bad relations with the press. Reagan had good relations," said Carter. "Why, I don't know."

The two former presidents took part in a discussion at Columbia University Wednesday on "The Press, the Presidency and the First Hundred Days."

Carter said he spent weeks trying to deflect attention from a story that a "killer rabbit" had swum out to his boat as he was fishing and that he had to beat it back with oars.

"How can you control something like that?" Carter asked. The rabbit story, he said, "gave an image of an incompetent president who could not even protect himself against a rabbit."

He said Ford "was the best athlete ever in the White House" but he was dogged by stories about his supposed clumsiness. "It hurt him politically," Carter said.

Ford said news people who accompanied him on ski trips to Vail fell as much on the slopes as he did "but nobody took pictures of them."

The images are hurtful, he said, but "it's part of what they think the public wants."

Ford and Carter agreed that when it comes to relations with the news media, **George Bush** will find **Ronald Reagan** a hard act to follow.

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PHOENIX (AP) — **Patrick Wayne**, son of the late John Wayne, married **Kyriaki Kokkodi** in a private ceremony in the chambers of a Maricopa County Superior Court judge.

The couple took out a marriage license Tuesday morning, **Judge Stanley Goodfarb** said. They were married with two of the judge's staff serving as witnesses, he added.

Wayne, who played minor roles in some of his father's films, listed his name on the marriage license as **Patrick John Morrison**, using the surname his father was born with. He gave his address as Toluca Lake, Calif. His bride listed her home as Los Angeles.

Evening TV Schedule

THURSDAY JANUARY 19, 1989

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5:00	Cosby Show	Current Affair	News	Airwolf	Bonanza: The	Day at a Time	El Tesoro	Facts of Life	Motorweek	Sesame Street	Tennis Mag.
5:30	ABC News	CBS News	NBC News	"	Lost Episodes	9 to 5	Noticiero Uni-	WKRP	SportsLook	"	Inside Golf
6:00	News	News	News	Star Trek	Our House	Andy Griffith	Senora	Cheers	SportsCenter	Humanities	Weight Room
6:30	Wheel-Fortune	Lose or Draw	USA Today	"	"	Sanford & Son	"	Night Court	Sports	Made in Texas	Outdoor Mag.
7:00	Knightwatch	CBS News Spe-	Cosby Show	Black Sheep	Movie: "The	Movie: "Five	Primavera	Movie:	College Bas-	MacNeil/	Miller, Ski Spcl
7:30	"	cial	Dif. World	Squadron	Emigrants"	Card Stud"	"	"Frenzy"	ketball: Geor-	Lehrer	College Bas-
8:00	Salute to the	To Be An-	Cheers	Movie: "Hail,	"	"	Encadenados	"	gia at Missis-	Mystery!:	ketball: Rice
8:30	President	nounced	Dear John	Hero!"	"	"	"	"	sippi State	Insp. Morse II	at Southern
9:00	HeartBeat	Knots Landing	L.A. Law	"	700 Club	Movie: "Best	Noticiero Uni-	"	College Bas-	Only One	Methodist
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12:00	News	"	man	possible	"	"	Juego Vivir	"Countdown"	Sail	Sign-Off	Methodist
12:30	Headline News	Night Heat	Bob Costas	Death Valley	"	"	America	"	Fishin' Hole		Sign-Off

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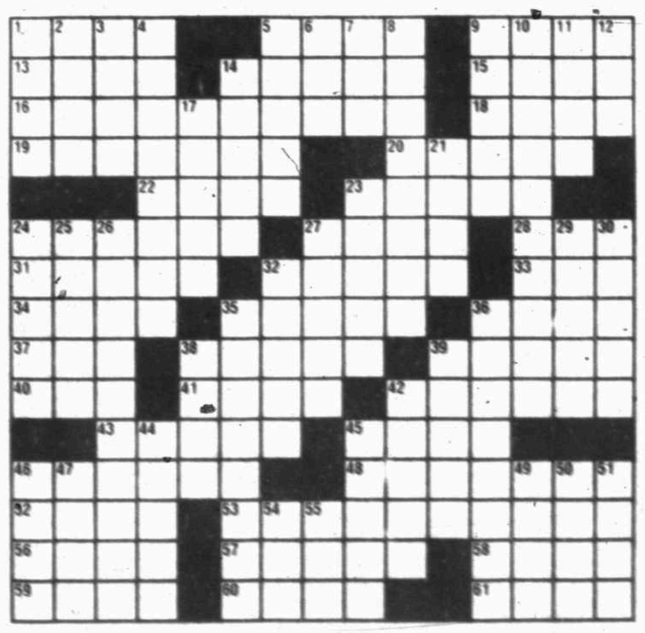
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BUSINESS/OIL

Inflation remains at 4.4 percent

WASHINGTON (AP) — Consumer prices rose 4.4 percent in 1988, the same as a year earlier, as hefty, drought-induced increases for groceries offset stable energy prices, the government said today.

Worry about inflationary pressures preoccupied many economists last year, but that pressure has not produced an acceleration in inflation thus far.

The 4.4 percent gain in the Labor Department's Consumer Price Index matched the 1987 increase, which was the highest since 1981 but was four times the 1.1 percent rate in 1986, a 25-year low.

A 0.3 percent rise in the index in December, which followed a 0.3 percent November increase, helped inflation finish the year at a moderate pace.

The summer drought, which shriveled crops and seared pastures, pushed food prices for the year up 5.2 percent, the steepest rise since 1980.

Poultry and egg prices jumped 17.9 percent and 16.5 percent, respectively, because of the drought.

On the other hand, beef and pork prices, which rose for the first six months of the year, fell during the second half as farmers sent more animals to slaughter as a way of avoiding high feed costs.

Energy for the year rose only a slight 0.5 percent following an 8.2 percent jump in 1987. Still, they were far below levels before the 1986 oil glut, when energy prices plummeted 19.7 percent.

Fuel oil prices jumped 2.8 percent in December after falling for six consecutive months. Despite the December advance, the price was 6.3 percent below that of a year earlier. Electricity charges rose 1.1 percent for the year, while natural gas was unchanged.

Gasoline prices were 1.1 percent lower than a year ago. Price increases for new and used cars also were moderate, 2.1 percent and 3.4 percent, respectively. However, the prices of auto insurance and of financing car purchases took steep jumps of 8.4 percent and 8.3 percent, respectively.

The cost of medical care, up 6.9 percent, also rose faster than the general inflation rate last year.

Tobacco prices posted one of the steepest rises of any subcatagory, up 9.4 percent for the year.

Clothing prices rose 4.8 percent overall, with men's and boys' apparel up 6.0 percent and women's and girls' clothing up 3.4 percent.

December's 0.3 percent increase left the price index at 120.5 percent of its 1982-84 base, meaning that a hypothetical selection of goods costing $100 during the base period would have cost $120.50 in December. That figure was up 30 cents from November.

President Reagan, who is preparing to leave office Friday, has listed the taming of inflation as one of his proudest accomplishments. Under his predecessor, Jimmy Carter, the nation saw double-digit price increases of 13.3 percent in 1979 and 12.5 percent in 1980.

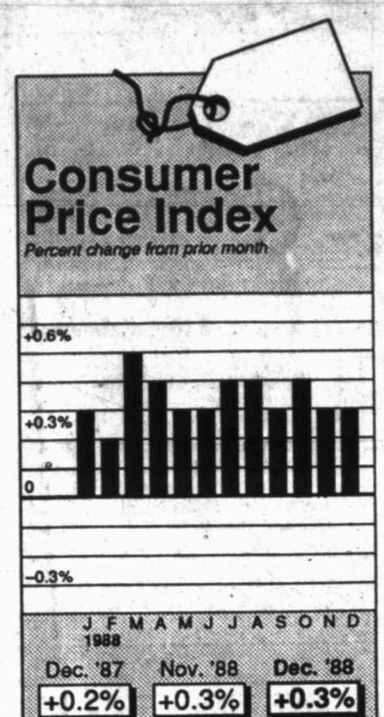
Many economists worry that the country may be in for a taste of the bad old days this year. They say tight labor markets and rising factory operating rates will inevitably lead to higher costs for consumers.

The factory operating rate in December was 84.2 percent, the highest in nine years. The higher the rate, the greater the likelihood of shortages and price increases.

At 5.3 percent, the unemployment rate was the lowest in 14 years. Labor shortages in some states, particularly in the Northeast, have already pushed up wages for entry-level jobs.

But other analysts say consumer resistance and foreign competition are helping to dampen price increases.

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BUSINESS GLANCE

MARKETS

API report, gas concerns up price

From Staff and Wire Reports

The energy futures market surged ahead Wednesday, with crude oil prices breaking the psychologically important $19-a-barrel level and reaching 14-month highs.

On the New York Mercantile Exchange, the February contract for West Texas Intermediate, the benchmark grade of U.S. crude oil, settled at $19.26 a barrel, up 31 cents from Tuesday, when it gained 7 cents.

Wednesday's close was the highest since Nov. 3, 1987, when the near-term contract settled on the exchange at $19.49 a barrel.

"Traders are more confident in OPEC and they feel that OPEC will continue to get it together through the summer," said Bob Baker, an energy analyst with Prudential-Bache Securities Inc.

Baker said a report from the American Petroleum Institute showing a sharp decline in oil supplies also added a positive tone to the energy market.

Baker said traders are now watching to see whether the February contract will hit $19.50 a barrel, another psychologically important level.

CRUDE OIL

SPOT MARKET

W.T. INTERMEDIATE

- Mid-morning Quote $19.12
- Wednesday's Close $19.25
- Previous Close $18.95
- One Year Ago $17.25

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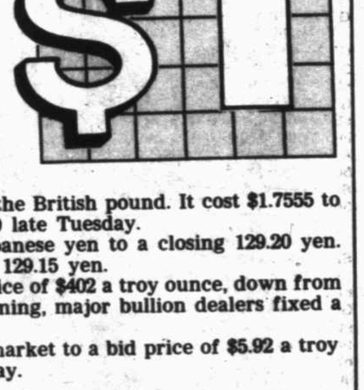
- Wednesday's Close $17.73-.77
- Previous Close $17.45-.50
- One Year Ago $15.85

SOURCE: NYMEX

POSTED PRICE

- This Week $17.75
- Last Week $17.25
- One Year Ago $16.50

Strong dollar withstands intervention



LONDON (AP) — The dollar was steady against most major currencies in European trading this morning, buoyed by speculation the market was preparing to test central bank resolve at keeping the U.S. currency from climbing.

Gold prices were mixed but also steady.

The dollar withstood several rounds of central bank intervention Wednesday following the report of a bigger-than-expected U.S. trade deficit in November, dealers said.

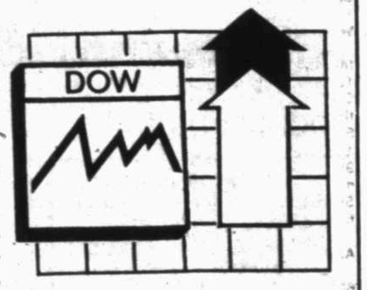
In London, the dollar fell against the British pound. It cost $1.7555 to buy one pound, dearer than $1.7550 late Tuesday.

In Tokyo, the dollar rose 1.30 Japanese yen to a closing 129.20 yen. Later, in London, it was quoted at 129.15 yen.

Gold opened in London at a bid price of $402 a troy ounce, down from $402.25 late Wednesday. At mid-morning, major bullion dealers fixed a recommended price of $402.30.

Silver bullion fell on the London market to a bid price of $5.92 a troy ounce from $5.94 bid late Wednesday.

Stocks undaunted by trade report



NEW YORK (AP) — Unfazed by disappointing news on international trade, stock prices staged a broad advance Wednesday that carried the market to new highs since the 1987 crash.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials climbed 24.11 to 2,238.75, surpassing the recovery peak of 2,226.07 it reached last Friday.

Advancing issues outnumbered declines by more than 2 to 1 in nationwide trading of New York Stock Exchange-listed stocks, with 1,036 up, 474 down and 468 unchanged.

Volume on the floor of the Big Board reached 187.54 million shares, their highest level so far in the new year, against 143.93 million in the previous session.

As measured by Wilshire Associates' index of more than 5,000 actively traded stocks, the market increased $26.34 billion.

BUSINESS IN BRIEF

Sharp endorses reducing EOR severance

AUSTIN (AP) — A bill filed in the House would offer producers tax incentives to go after hard-to-get crude oil in Texas, says Railroad Commissioner John Sharp.

Sharp said the bill, sponsored by Rep. Rick Perry, D-Haskell, would provide a 50 percent severance tax exemption for oil produced from new enhanced recovery projects.

The exemption would continue for 10 years for production from successful projects, Sharp said.

He said over the life of the projects — many lasting 20 to 30 years — "substantially more will be paid back than is lost" through the tax reduction.

Fed authorizes banks underwriting debt

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Federal Reserve Board authorized five of the nation's largest banks to underwrite corporate debt and said it would decide in a year whether to allow banks to underwrite stock.

The unanimous decision Wednesday by the seven-member board greatly expands the type of underwriting permitted, but still severely limits the quantity of underwriting.

BUSINESS TRENDS

CEO Survey

Questions about foreign investment asked of 95 chief executive officers of U.S. corporations with annual sales of at least $1 billion.

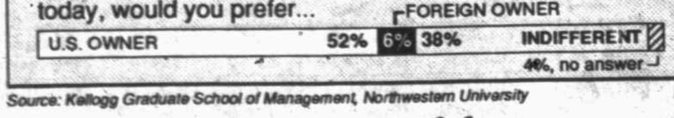
In the last year, have you been approached by a foreign firm interested in taking over your firm?

YES 17%

In the last year, have you been approached by a U.S. firm interested in taking over your firm?

YES 23%

If you were the target of a friendly takeover today, would you prefer...



Source: Kellogg Graduate School of Management, Northwestern University AP

Foreign suitors out of favor

Foreign companies made takeover overtures to 17 percent of the largest U.S. companies last year but only a handful of the approaches grew into a formal buyout bid, according to a survey.

The survey released Wednesday by Northwestern University's Kellogg Graduate School of Management also found about two-thirds of the 95 chief executives who participated said they were more interested in joint ventures with foreign companies than they were in selling out.

Texaco adds 29 new jobs

From Staff Reports

Expansion of Texaco USA's Midland Division continued this week with the addition of 29 jobs at the company's local office.

The Houston-based firm transferred the lease ownership records function for its land department into the ninth floor of its Heritage Center offices earlier this week, according to division vice president Alan McDaniel.

The move resulted in 17 families relocating from Houston to Midland and the hiring of 12 additional workers locally. McDaniel said Wednesday that most of the families have completed or are in the process of moving.

The relocated department takes up about half of the newly "built out" ninth floor in the 11-story building.

The department will maintain ownership records for leases throughout Texaco's 30-state Midland Division.

Coastal, Texas Eastern to meet

By BARBARA SHOOK
Hearst News Service

Executives of Coastal will meet with Texas Eastern's board and senior management on Sunday to discuss Coastal's $2.6 billion offer for the Houston company.

Industry observers say a friendly merger agreement could emerge from the talks.

It will be the first face-to-face meeting scheduled between officials of Coastal and Texas Eastern since Coastal announced its $42-a share bid for all Texas Eastern common stock Monday, but the two companies have exchanged letters and telephone calls, a Coastal spokesman said Wednesday.

Texas Eastern's stock, the most actively traded issue on the New York Stock Exchange since Monday, fell 5/8 to 45 3/4 Wednesday, while Coastal was up 1 1/4 to 35 1/4. On Friday, before the Coastal offer was disclosed, Texas Eastern closed at 30 1/4 a share.

In a letter to Dennis R. Hendrix, Texas Eastern's president and chief executive officer, Coastal President James R. Paul reaffirmed the company's belief that the $42-a-share bid was fair to Texas Eastern's shareholders. He also asked Hendrix for any additional information that might support a higher estimate of Texas Eastern's value.

"In the last two days, uninformed arbitrageurs and speculators have pushed the price of the Texas Eastern stock to levels which we believe, based on the public information presently available to us, are not supported by the fundamentals of your businesses," Paul said in the letter.

"If you have information which would show that our $42 offer does not reflect the values inherent in Texas Eastern, or if Texas Eastern provides information to any third party interested in acquiring Texas Eastern or any of its businesses or equity securities, we request that you share that information with us," the Coastal president said.

Coastal asked specifically for additional information on Texas Eastern's potential liabilities from the cleanup of polychlorinated biphenyls along the company's pipeline route. The toxic chemical previously was an ingredient in lubricating oil used in Texas Eastern's compressor stations. Texas Eastern has said the cleanup would cost $400 million.

In addition, Paul requested "fair and equal treatment" if Texas Eastern decides to pursue a sale of the company or any of its assets, a leveraged buyout or recapitaliza tion of the company. He said Coastal would not agree to either a standstill agreement or postpone ment of its tender offer.

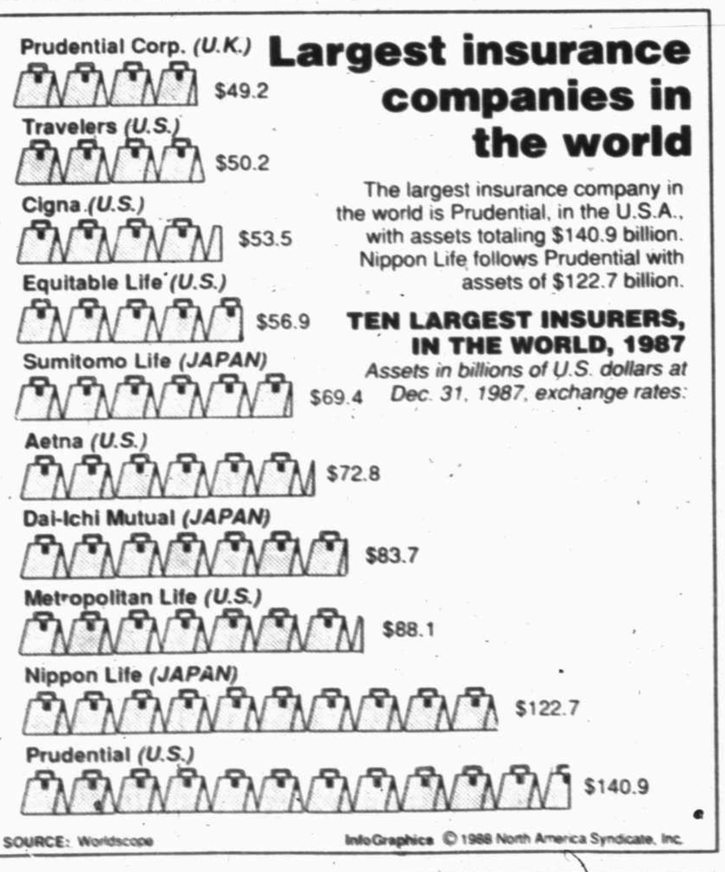
Texas Eastern has asked its share holders not to respond to Coastal's bid until Texas Eastern's board has an opportunity to consider the offer. Company officials have declined to comment further.

Wall Street analysts are optimistic Coastal will succeed in its bid, but they said the company probably will have to raise its offer to between $45 and $47 a share.

Mary Ann Sudol of Fitch Investors Services in New York said, "$46 would appear to be an attractive price. A deal for Texas Eastern doesn't work for anyone at a higher price; otherwise, we would have seen a white knight emerge."

Industry sources said Arkla Inc. and Panhandle Eastern Corp. both have turned down Texas Eastern's requests to consider making a competing offer.

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Top two Southmark executives leave firm

DALLAS (AP) — Southmark Corp., attempting to calm investors' concerns about the troubled real estate and financial services company, announced Wednesday the resignations of two of its top officers.

Gene E. Phillips, president, chief executive officer and board chairman, and William S. Friedman, vice chairman and secretary, resigned after negotiating a deal with the company that pays them $2.5 million for their departure. The deal also prohibits Phillips and Friedman from competing with Dallas-based Southmark or hiring away the company's employees. They will be retained for three years as consultants.

Arthur G. Weiss, assistant to the chairman at Southmark, was elected the company's new chairman, president and chief executive officer.

"The settlement with ... Phillips and Friedman resolves a deadlock, without protracted litigation, on Southmark's board of directors at a time when all of (the company's) attention needs to be devoted to solving the liquidity concerns that it faces," the company said in a statement.

Under terms of the resignation agreement, Southmark agreed to allow Phillips and Friedman five years to repay a $10 million loan.

"We have further secured our interest and that additional security provides some additional level of comfort that the loan will eventually be repaid," said Susan A. Seiter, vice president of investor relations.

In addition Phillips and Friedman resigned as officers and directors of Integon Corp., Servico, Inc. National Heritage, Inc. and J.M. Peters Company, Inc. However they will retain their posts with National Realty, L.P. American Realty Trust and real estate investment trusts advised by Johnstown Capital Corp.

Southmark officials said they would convert their managing general partnership in National Realty, L.P. into a limited partnership.

Southmark also gave Phillips and Friedman 90 days to purchase for cash, the company's interest in Parker & Parsley Petroleum Company. Meanwhile Southmark will continue to buy property worth $8 million at its current appraised value to help alleviate some of the company's debt.

Texas economy draws possible MCorp investor

By GREG STEINMETZ
Hearst News Service

The prospects of an economic recovery in Texas attracted a group affiliated with Chicago's wealthy Pritzker family to consider making a bid for MCorp, one of the group's partners said Wednesday.

"We believe the economy is stabilizing and will turn around," said Melvyn Klein, a partner in GKH Partners. As reported by the Wednesday, GKH is working with New York investment bank Donaldson, Lufkin & Jenrette on a possible offer for Texas' second largest and most deeply troubled bank.

"We're possibly interested in exploring it," said Klein, a Corpus Christi resident and a longtime Pritzker associate. "Donaldson Lufkin has asked us to explore with them, and that's where it stands."

B.J. Douak, a Donaldson Lufkin investment banker, confirmed that officials with his company have spoken with GKH, but declined to provide details. Douak and associate Larry Levine were the architects of last year's recapitalization of First City Bancorporation.

In addition to Klein, the other partners of GKH include former United Technologies Chairman Harry Gray, Donaldson Lufkin co founder Dan Lufkin and a Pritzker investment vehicle, HGM Associ ates. The Pritzker family controls Hyatt Corp. and formerly owned Braniff Airways.

GKH is general partner of Harry Gray, Melvyn Klein & Partners, Klein said. He said Gray Klein has equity of about $500 million.

Klein said GKH has not asked Donaldson Lufkin to deal exclusively with GKH, but did not know whether Donaldson Lufkin has approached other investors.

MCorp announced in October that it needed help from the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. to survive. The FDIC has invited potential investors to inspect MCorp's books. So far, Wells Fargo & Co. and Kohlberg, Kravis & Roberts have sent teams to the bank.

Church's puts itself on auction block

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Church's Fried Chicken, fighting a $290 million hostile takeover by its chief rival, says it is for sale, but still calls inadequate the buyout offer made by Popeyes Famous Fried Chicken and Biscuits.

Church's, which over the past three months has sold off restaurants and taken Popeyes to court in an attempt to halt the hostile takeover bid, announced Wednesday that it would be in the company's best interest to be auctioned off.

In a prepared statement, the company's board of directors said it could be possible to complete taking offers for the company's sale within 30 days.

The statement also said that Church's financial advisers still believed Popeyes offer of $8 per share was inadequate, but said it was willing to provide Popeyes the information that had been provided to other interested third parties.

"We believe the offer by Copeland is inadequate and to have them (shareholders) move on that is not in their best interest," said Church's attorney Diane Kerr.

"We think this decision is a move made out of responsibility by the directors for the shareholders," she said.

San Antonio-based Church's, the country's No. 2 chicken restaurant chain with 1,478 units, has been fighting since last November a hostile takeover bid by New Orleans-based Popeyes, the country's No. 3 chicken chain with 703 restaurants.

Popeyes is owned by Al Copeland, who earlier this month was given permission to continue his attempted takeover of Church's, after federal court proceedings stalled his efforts.

EXPLORATION HIGHLIGHTS

RK completes discovery in Martin

From Staff Reports

A plugback project in Martin County has yielded a Wolfcamp discovery for **RK PETROLEUM CORP.**, Midland.

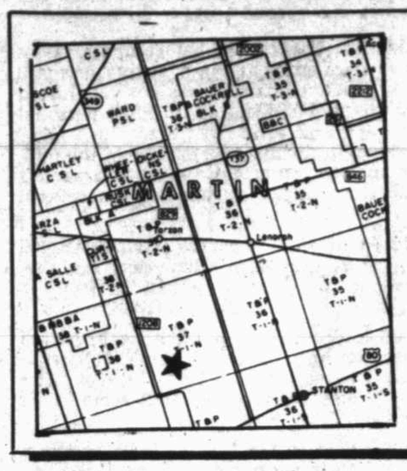
RK reentered and plugged back the No. 2102 RK Glass, former producer in the Glass Ranch (Silurian) field. The well was potentialed to flow 52 barrels of 43.8 gravity crude, 53 Mcfd and no water on a 4/64 inch choke with a flowing tubing pressure of 1,825 psi.

The well flowed from perforations 9,566 to 9,806 ft., which had been acidized with 3,200 gallons of 15 percent NeFe acid. Gas-oil ratio is 1,019:1.

Permitted as an 11,980 ft. wildcat plugback, the well was plugged back to that depth from original depth of 13,186 ft., with 5 1/2 inch casing set at 12,170 ft.

The well topped the Wolfcamp at 9,302 ft., Dean at 9,074 and Spraberry at 7,816 ft. on ground elevation of 2,862 ft. Pay was topped at 9,566 ft.

Location is 467 ft. from north and 853 ft. from west lines of Section 21, Block 38, T-1-N, T&P survey, 12 miles southwest of Tarzan.



★Martin discovery

RK Petroleum has completed a Wolfcamp discovery in Martin County with the plugging back of a former Glass Ranch (Silurian) producer.

Sutton producer has CAOF of 1.6 Mmcfd

Canyon gas production in the Mayer Ranch field of Sutton County was extended 3/4-mile north and slightly west as **STATEX PETROLEUM INC.**, Irving, completed activity in the area.

The No. 19 Mayer Ranch was tested for a calculated absolute open flow of 1.6 Mmcfd from perforations 6,960 to 7,103 ft. The inteval was acidized with 3,000 gallons of acid and fractured with 36,000 gallons of gel and 96,600 lbs. sand.

Drilled to 8,420 ft., the well was plugged back to 8,337 ft. with 4 1/2 inch casing set at 8,337 ft.

Location is 4,680 ft. from north and 1,800 ft. from east lines of McMullen CSL survey 7, Abs.t 499, 15 miles northwest of Sonora.

Questa Oil completes Schleicher extension

QUESTA OIL & GAS CO., Tulsa, has added a fourth Upper Henderson producer to the Velrex field of Schleicher County, extending the pay four miles southeast.

Questa completed the No. 1 Medor "15" for a calculated absolute open flow of 892.6 Mcfd from perforations 6,190 to 6,200 ft. The interal was acidized with 1,000 gallons of acid and fractured with 27,000 gallons of gel and 47,500 lbs. sand.

Drilled to 6,365 ft., the well was plugged back to 6,331 ft. with 4 1/2 inch casing set at 6,364 ft.

Location is 660 ft. from south and 900 ft. from west lines of Section 15, Block LL, TCRR survey, Abst. 89, eight miles north of Eldorado.

Menard field gains fifth Harkey producer

The Shaheen field of Menard County has gained its fifth Hrkey 500 producer, a northern extension o the pay.

LLOYD PATTON, Fort Worth, potentialed the No. 2 Barbara Russell et al "B" to pump 24.98 barrels of 37.1 gravity crude and no water from perforations 3,467 to 3,473 ft. The interval was acidized with 250 gallons of acid and fractured with 10,000 gallons of gel and 10,000 lbs. sand. Gas-oil ratio is 3,162:1.

Total depth was 3,550 ft. and the well was plugged back to 3,493 ft. with 4 1/2 inch casing set at 3,524 ft.

Formation tops, on ground elevation of 2,191 ft., include the Coleman Junction at 1,030 ft., King Sand at 2,020, Canyon Lime at 2,950 and Harkey Sand at 3,440 ft.

Location is 467 ft. from south and 1,683 ft. from west lines of EL&RR survey 73, Abst. 874, seven miles north-northeast of Fort McKavett.

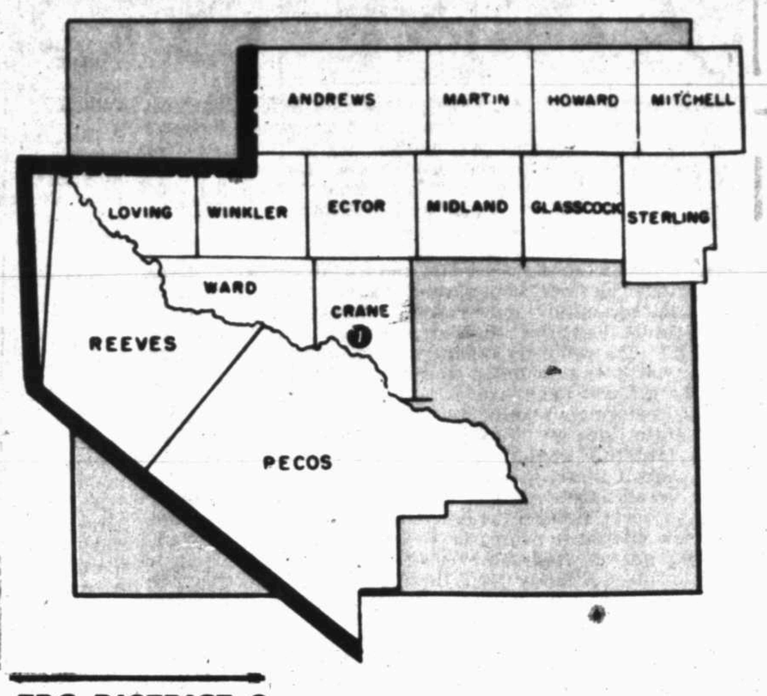
Plugbacks net Strawn wells in Midland field

Recompletion efforts in Midland County have resulted in new Strawn producers in the Azalea field for **TEMPO ENERGY INC.**, Midland. Both wells are plugged back from the Devonian formation.

The No. 1 McAlister was tested to flow 90 barrels of 45 gravity crude, 270 Mcfd and no water on a 22/64 inch choke from perforations 10,301 to 10,369 ft. Flowing tubing pressure was 140 psi.

The No. 1 Rhinelander was completed to pump 80 barrels of 45 gravity crude and 160 Mcfd from perforations 10,314 to 10,390 ft.

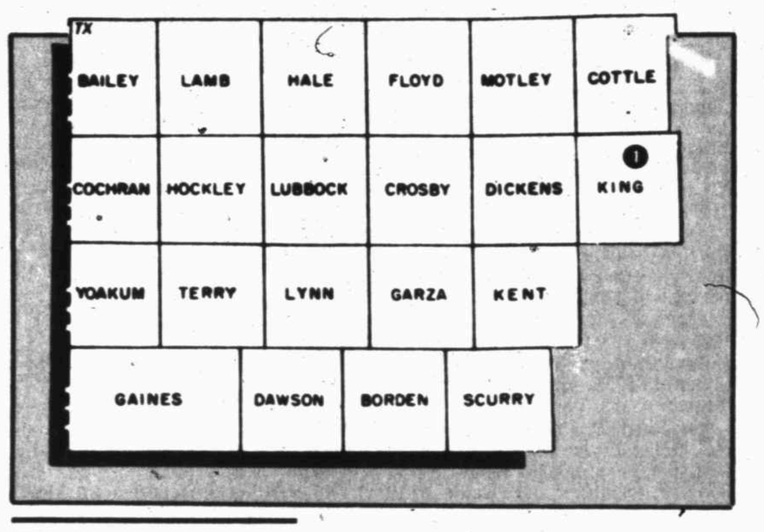
WILDCATS



TRC DISTRICT 8

■ **1. CRANE DRAWS WILDCAT LOCATION.** A 4,100 ft. wildcat to test the Clearfork and San Andres formations is set for Crane County, 20 miles southwest of Crane. The well will also test the Hamco (Tubb) field.

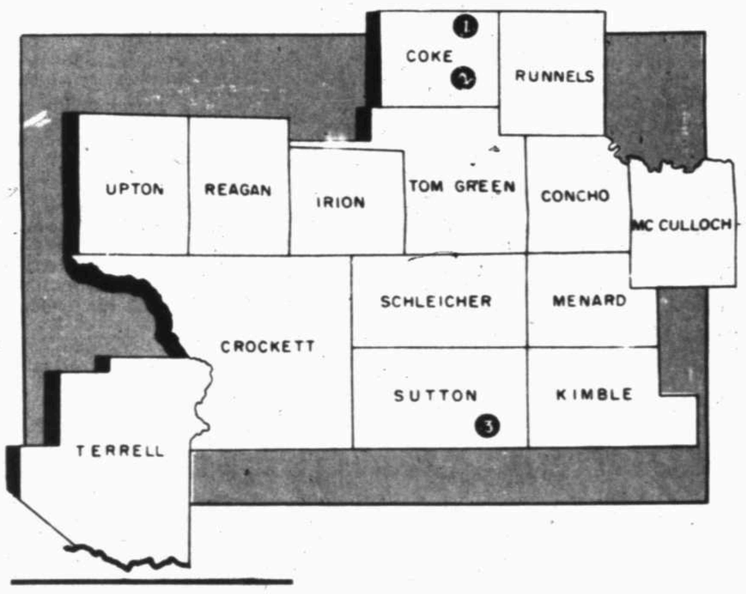
R.C. Banks, Midland, has staked the No. 1 Cowden 467 ft. from northwest and 7,453 ft. from northeast lines of Section 11, Block 1, H&TC survy.



TRC DISTRICT 8A

■ **1. HARBERT EYES KING PROSPECT.** Harbert Energy Corp., Houston, has applied to drill a 7,000 ft. prospect in King County, 15 miles north of Guthrie.

The No. 3-E Masterson Ranch is 12 ft. from north and 2,497 ft. from west lines of Section 37, Block A, R.M. Thompson survey.



TRC DISTRICT 7C

■ **1. DALLAS OPERATOR EYES COKE PROSPECT.** Kinlaw Oil Corp., Dallas, has applied to drill a 6,999 ft. prospect in Coke County, six miles southwest of Blackwell. The well will also test as an outpost to the Suggs (Ellenburger) field and possible extension of the Lazarus (Strawn) field of Nolan County.

The No. 1 Copeland is 1,980 ft. from south and east lines of Section 278, Block 1-A, H&TC.

■ **2. SECOND COKE TEST PLANNED.** A 5,200 ft. test has been staked in Coke County, 17 miles southeast of Sonora.

Baytech Inc., Midland, will drill the No. 1 Smith 2,000 ft. from south and 1,100 ft. from west lines of Section 1, HE&WT survey.

■ **3. SUTTON PROJECT STAKED.** A 5,200 ft. project in Sutton County will also test the Sawyer (Canyon) field and as an outpost to the Miers (Stray) field.

Statex Petroleum Inc., Irving, has located the No. 13 W.A. Miers 1,980 ft. from north and 560 ft. from west lines of Section 55, Block 14, TW&NG survey, 17 miles southeast of Sonora.

COMPLETIONS

TRC DISTRICT 8

ECTOR COUNTY

Goldsmith (5600)

Phoenix Hydrocarbons Inc. No. 3 Amoco-Cowden "9"; 660 fwl, 660 fsl, sec 9, blk 45, T-2-N, T&P, 12 nw Goldsmieth, Elev. 3321, TD 5864, PB 5764. Completed 12/5/88. Potentialed 12/12/88, pumping 10 bopd, 14 Mcfd, 55 bwpd, 38.1 API. GOR 1400:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 5864. Perforations 5608 to 5734. Acid: 2150 gals. neFe. Frac: 30,000 gals. gel, 50,000 lbs. sand. Formation tops: Yates 2853, San Andres 4272, Clearfork 5698. Top of pay 5608.

MARTIN COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)

Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. No. 1 Mabee "S"; 660 fel, 660 fsl, sec 3, blk 38, T-1-N, G&MMB&A, 17 sw Lenorah, Elev. 2803, TD 9600, PB 9568. Completed 12/20/88. Potentialed 1/4/89, pumping 37 bopd, 41 Mcfd, 150 bwpd, 39.1 API. GOR 1108:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 9600. Perforations 7815 to 9453. Acid: 5500 gals. 15 percent HCL. Frac: 180,000 gals. gel, 444,500 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Upper Spraberry 7806, Lower Spraberry 8467, Dean 9114, Base Dean 9482. Top of pay 7815.

Wildcat

RK Petroleum Corp. No. 2102 RK Glass; 467 fnl, 853 fwl, sec 21, blk 38, T-1-N, T&P, 12 sw Tarzan, Elev. 2862, TD 13,186, PB 11,980. Completed 12/1/88. Potentialed 1/14/89, flowing 52 bopd, 53 Mcfd, 4/64 inch choke, FTP 1825 psi. API 43.8. GOR 1019:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 12,170. Perforations 9566 to 9806. Acid: 3200 gals. 15 percent NeFe. Frormation tops: Wolfcamp 9302, Dean 9074, Spraberry 7816. Top of pay 9566. Plugback from Glass Ranch (Silurian) field.

MIDLAND COUNTY

Azalea (Strawn)

Tempo Energy Inc. No. 1 McAlister; 1980 fnl, 660 fwl, sec 32, blk 37, T-1-S, T&P, 9 e Midland, Elev. 2751.8, TD 11,975, PB 10,430. Completed 12/27/88. Potentialed 1/9/89, flowing 90 bopd, 270 Mcfd, 22/64 inch choke, FTP 140 psi. API 45. GOR 3:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 11,975. Perforations 10,301 to 10,369. Acid: 5000 gals. 15 percent NeFeHCL. Formation tops: Strawn 10,296, Atoka 10,474, Mississippian 11,135, Woodford 11,224, Devonian 11,300, Fusselman 11,872. Top of pay 10,296. Plugback from Devonian formation.

Tempo Energy Inc. No. 1 Rhinelander; 660 fsl, 660 fel, sec 31, blk 37, T-1-S, T&P, 8 ne Midland, Elev. 2754.1, TD 11,983, PB 10,430. Completed 12/20/88. Potentialed 1/9/89, pumping 80 bopd, 160 Mcfd, 45 API. GOR 2:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 11,990. Perforations 10,314 to 10,390. Acid: 5000 gals. 15 percent NeFeHCL. Formation tops: Yates 2593, San Andres 4239, Clearfork 6607, Strawn 10,314, Devonian 11,330, Fusselman 11,876. Top of pay 10,314. Plugback from Devonian formation.

Spraberry (Trend Area)

Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. No. 1 Crespi "L"; 660 fel, 660 fsl, sec 20, blk 38, T-5-S, T&P, 6 se Midland, Elev. 2703, TD 9250, PB 9200. Completed 1/4/89. Potentialed 1/12/89, pumping 60 bopd, 46 Mcfd, 120 bwpd, 39 API. GOR 767:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 9250. Perforations 7425 to 9068. Acid: 5000 gals. 15 percent HCL. Frac: 180,000 gals. gel, 432,400 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Upper Spraberry 7410, Lower Spraberry 8082, Dean 8740, Base Dean 8980. Top of pay 7426.

Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. No. 1 Texas Ten "L"; 660 fnl, 660 fel, sec 37, blk 39, T-2-S, T&P, 7 s Midland, Elev. 2728, TD 9425, PB 9306. Completed 1/9/89. Potentialed 1/16/89, pumping 56 bopd, 53 Mcfd, 190 bwpd, 39 API. GOR 946:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 9425. Perforations 7710 to 9247. Acid: 5000 gals. 15 percent HCL. Frac: 180,000 gals. gel, 432,400 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Upper Spraberry 7688, Lower Spraberry 8377, Dean 9011, Base Dean 9251. Top of pay 7710.

Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co. No. 1 Texas Ten "N"; 660 fnl, 660 fel, sec 37, blk 39, T-2-S, T&P, 7 s Midland, Elev. 2728, TD 9425, PB 9353. Completed 1/7/89. Potentialed 1/16/89, pumping 62 bopd, 51 Mcfd, 180 bwpd, 39 API. GOR 823:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 9425. Perforations 7724 to 9314. Acid: 5000 gals. 15 percent HCL. Frac: 180,000 gals. gel, 424,400 lbs. 20/40 sand. Formation tops: Upper Spraberry 7706, Lower Spraberry 8278, Dean 9032, Base Dean 9272. Top of pay 7724.

WARD COUNTY

Rhoda Walker (Canyon 5900)

Amtex Energy No. 1 C.M. Black; 660 fnwl, 660 fswl, sec 104, blk 34, H&TC, 10 sw Pyote, Elev. 2678, TD 7250, PB 7227. Completed 1/8/89. Potentialed 1/10/89, pumping 27 bopd, 96 Mcfd, 227 bwpd, 42.1 API. GOR 3555:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 7227. Perforations 6457 to 6472. Acid: 500 gals. 15 percent HCL. Frac: 26,000 gals. gel, 70,000 lbs. 12/20 sand. Formation tops: Lamar 5090, Bell Canyon 5136, Cherry Canyon 5991. Top of pay 5991.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

BORDEN COUNTY

Reinecke

Union Oil Co. of California No. 264 Reinecke Unit; 2640 fnl, 1320 fel, sec 52, blk 25, H&TC, 10 nw Vincent, TD 6857. Pumping 140 bopd, 53 bwpd, 43 API. GOR 957:1. Casing 7 inches at 6856. Perforations 6850 to 6857.

SCURRY COUNTY

Diamond M (Clearfork)

Calley & Fowler Production Co. No. 19 L.M. Wilson; 1650 fsl, 990 fwl, sec 183, blk 97, H&TC, 12 sw Snyder, TD 3400. Pumping 29 bopd, 98 bwpd, 30 API. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 3400. Perforations 3170 to 3309.

Calley & Fowler Production Co. No. 20 L.M. Wilson; 330 fsl, 990 fwl, sec 183, blk 97, H&TC, 12 sw Snyder, TD 3358. Pumping 27 bopd, 87 bwpd, 30 API. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 3358. Perforations 2381 to 3321.

Calley & Fowler Production Co. No. 6-B Bishop; 330 fnl, 990 fwl, sec 165, blk 97, H&TC, 13 sw Snyder, TD 3330. Pumping 19 bopd, 71 bwpd, 30 API. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 3327. Perforations 2398 to 3283.

Calley & Fowler Production Co. No. 6-B McLaughlin; 990 fsl, 330 fel, sec 179, blk 97, H&TC, 14 sw Snyder, TD 3321. Pumping 18 bopd, 66 bwpd, 30 API. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 3321. Perforations 2370 to 3279.

Shannon Ranch (Ellenburger)

Patterson Petroleum Inc. No. 3 Von Roeder; 2173 fsl, 467 fwl, sec 302, blk 97, H&TC, 14 nw Snyder, TD 8107. Pumping 25 bopd, 1200 bwpd, 38 API. GOR 400:1. Casing 5 1/2 inches at 8107. Perforations 8088 to 8097.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

MENARD COUNTY

Shaheen (Harkey 3500)

Lloyd Patton No. 2 Barbara Russell et al "B"; 467 fsl, 1683 fwl, EL&RR survey, 73, Abst. 874, 7 nne Fort McKavett, Elev. 2191, TD 3550, PB 3493. Pumping 24.98 bopd, 37.1 API. GOR 3162:1. Casing 4 1/2 inches at 3524. Perforations 3467 to 3473. Acid: 250 gals. Frac: 10,000 gals. gel, 10,000 lbs. sand. Formation tops: Coleman Junction 1030, King Sand 2020, Canyon Lime 2950, Harkey Sand 3440.

DEVELOPMENT WELLS

■ **PARKER & PARSLEY PLNS ACTIVITY IN SPRABERRY.** Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co., Midlad, plans to drill four new producers in the Spraberry (Trend Area). Threare in the Midland County portion and one is in the Martin County portio. Depths range from 9,225 ft. to 9,700 ft.

■ **DRILLING PROGRAM ST IN BORDEN FIELD.** Five new wells are planned for the Reinecke fld of Borden County by Union Oil Co. of California, Midland. All fivere in the Reinecke Unit, located in Block 25, H&TC survey, 10 miles nor west of Vincent. Contract depth is 7,000 ft.

■ **SPRABERRY TO SEE NW ACTIVITY.** The Upton County portion of the Spraberry (Trend Area) ands to gain six new producers as Exxon Corp., Midland, plans activity in te Pembrook Unit. Three are in Block A and three in Block B of CCSD&GNG survey, 16 miles north-northeast of Rankin. Contract depth is 8,50 ft.

TRC DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY

Shafter Lake (Devonian)

Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 10 Texas "PP"; 1991 fsl, 2177 fel, sec 25, blk 13, ULS, 10 sw Andrews, PD 9700, OTD 12,190 plugback.

HOWARD COUNTY

Mer-Max (Mississippian)

Meridian Oil Inc. No. 1 Rosco Buchanan; 660 fnl, 660 fel, sec 33, blk 31, T-N, T&P, 3 nw Coahoma, PD 8400.

Meridian Oil Inc. No. 3 C.F. Umhress et al; 660 fnl, 660 fel, sec 34, blk 31, T-N, T&P, 2.5 w Coahoma, PD 9400.

MIDLAND COUNTY

Azalea (Strawn)

Tempo Energy Inc. No. 1 Rhinelander; 1972.2 fnl, 660 fel, sec 31, blk 37, T-1-S, T&P, 8 ne Midland, PD 10,450. Plugick from Devonian formation.

PECOS COUNTY

Abell (3200)

Williams Oil Co. No. 1 Hook 100 fwl, 1550 fsl, sec 25, blk 9, H&GN, 3 n Imperial, PD 3370, OTD 5910. Plugback.

Toborg

Laguna Petroleum Corp. No. 1 I.G. Yates; 4340 fsl, 7260 fwl, sec 3, Runels CSL, Abst. 2169, 5 nw Iraan, PD 600.

STERLING COUNTY

Durham (York & Harper)

Southern States Energy Inc No. 7 Gillaspy "A"; 70 fel, 2262 fnl, sec 3, blk T, T&P, 4 w Sterling City, PD 1700.

WINKLER COUNTY

Hendrick

Olsen Energy Inc. No. 1 Hendrick "G"; 1650 fnel, 1650 fsl, sec 40, blk 2, PSL, 3.5 wsw Kermit, PD 2900.

Kermit

Highland Production Co. No. 1 Nute; 990 fel, 2310 fsl, sec 16, blk B-3, PSL, 1.5 n Kermit, PD 3600.

Kermit (Grayburg)

RBD-Shelby Agency No. 2 Daugherty-Leck; 330 fsl, 1650 fwl, sec 16, blk 74, PSL, 9 nw Kermit, Abst. 1484, PD 340

TRC DISTRICT 8A

COCHRAN COUNTY

Bonanza East

Sterling Production Co. No. 2 E.D. Slaughter; 1700 fsl, 7000 fel, League 149, Randall CSL, 3 e Bledsoe, PD 500

DAWSON COUNTY

Welch South (San Andres)

Pitts Energy Co. No. 3 Baty; 1667 fsl, 467 fel, sec 84, blk M, EL&RR 4 sw Welch, PD 5000.

KING COUNTY

Guthrie Southwest (Lower Tannehill)

Tempo Energy Inc. No. 4-L S.B. Burnett; 2310 fsl, 2310 fwl, sec 1, G&BN, 5 sw Guthrie, PD 3500.

KING COUNTY

Prentice (6700)

JCR Jr. Operating Inc. No. 1 Prentice; 826 fnl, 467 fel, sec 380, blk D, J.H. Gibson, 12 ne Plains, PD 6700.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

CROCKETT COUNTY

Ozona (Canyon)

OJB Inc. No. 2-4 V.I. Pierce; 1354 fnl, 1331 fel, sec 2, A. Vasquez, Abst. 5032, 19 sw Ozona, PD 6540.

SUTTON COUNTY

Mayer Ranch (Strawn)

Primary Fuels No. 7 Mayer Ranch; 6426 fsl, 6456 fel, McMullen CSL survey 7, 14 nw Sonora, PD 8300. Deepen from Canyon formation.

TOM GREEN COUNTY

Sugg Ranch (Canyon)

IP Petroleum Co. Inc. No. 22-2 Pfluger "N"; 660 fsl, 1980 fel, sec 22, blk A, TCRR, 23 sw Sterling County, PD 8400.

T.D. (6575)

Peter Henderson Oil Co. No. 9 Tara Turner; 2100 fnl, 500 fwl, sec 1133, GC&SF, 8 s Water Valley, PD 7500.

UPTON COUNTY

King Mountain (Strawn 9150)

Chevron U.S.A. Inc. No. 3 McElroy Ranch Co. "M"; 660 fsl, 660 fwl, sec 74, blk Y, TCRR, 10 se Crane, PD 11,885. Reentry.

PLUGGED WELLS

TRC DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY

Deep Rock (Penn)

Conoco Inc. No. 72 W.T. Ford; 660 fsl, 860 fel, sec 16, blk A-43, PSL, 7 sw Andrews, TD 9085. Completed 12/18/88. Plugged 12/23/88. Dry hole.

Means

Exxon Corp. No. 2508 Means San Andress Unit, 667 fel, 660 fsl, sec 18, blk A-35, PSL, 5 se Andrews, TD 4515. Completed 6/16/48. Plugged 12/1/88. Oil well.

HOWARD COUNTY

Luther Southeast (Penn Canyon)

BTA Oil Producers No. 1 Rosewood; 660 fnl, 660 fel, sec 45, blk 32, T-2-N, T&P, 7 n Big Spring, TD 10,046. Completed 5/31/87. Plugged 10/31/88. Oil well.

INVESTORS' GUIDE

Tax worries generally minor in settling estate

By BILL DOYLE

Q. I am a widow, 70 and own my home. My youngest son will be executor of my estate and is instructed in my will to sell my house upon my demise. The proceeds are to be divided among my three children and grandchildren.

The federal government gives a once-in-a-lifetime exclusion from capital gains tax on up to $125,000 of the profit from the sale of a "principal residence" of a person 55 or older who has lived in the house three of the previous five years.

What happens upon my death? Does that exclusion still apply? Or does my executor have to pay tax on the difference between the selling price and my "basis" — the price I paid plus the cost of additions and improvements?

Needless to say, I don't want to burden my son with tax worries.



Doyle

A. Stop fretting. Unless you leave a good deal more than the house, there will be no tax problems.

When you join the choir silent, the basis of everything you own — including your home — will "step up" to the value put on it when your estate is settled. That will be the market value on the date of your death, unless your executor uses an alternative valuation date.

If your estate sells your home for a price no higher than its value on the date you die, there will be no profit from that sale. No profit; no capital gains tax.

Unless the total value of your estate tops $600,000, there will be no federal estate tax and the Internal Revenue Service will get no bite at all.

And, because your home address is Las Vegas, there will be no state death tax. Nevada is the only state with neither a state inheritance or estate tax.

Q. What is the tax effect of giving a family car to a relative or friend strictly as a gift?

A. That depends o the car's value. You can make gifts of up to $10,000 in cash, car, securities or anything else to each of as many people as your generosity allows e ry year without even filing a federal gift tax return. For a married coupl making the gifts jointly — so-called "split" gifts — that "annual exclusion" s $20,000.

If you make large gifts, you're required to file federal gift tax returns. But you don't have pay federal gift tax until the total amounts of the gifts in excess of the anual exclusions exceeds $600,000.

So if you personly gave away a car worth no more than $10,000 or you and your spouse mae a gift of an auto valued no higher than $20,000, there's absolutely no tax ffect.

Please, dear readrs, let's not make the mailbag bulge with letters telling how families makemuch larger gifts, with the IRS never finding out. Sure, that happens, eve though it fractures the rules.

Q. Here's someting that must be on the minds of winners and dreamers alike. When a erson becomes the lucky winner of a state lottery, are there any rules r guidelines the attorney or investment counselor engaged must abe by in calculating fees?

A. Nothing hard and fast. Everything depends on what chores the lawyer and/or investmen advisor performs. It's always wise for a lucky lottery player or anyone lse who seeks legal or investment advice to shop around and get a line o charges, before retaining professionals.

While a large ercentage of the people who come into sudden wealth might need extenive work by lawyers and investment types, many do not require much he, some none at all.

After all, if yo hit a lottery for a couple of million dollars, you could handle that mone yourself and stash it all away in U.S. Treasury securities, then live the re of your life in comfort, with absolutely no worries.

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OIL AND GAS DIGEST

Maxus plans to sell Canadian subsidiary

DALLAS (SWN) — Maxus Energy Corp. has announced its intent to sell Maxus Energy Canada, Ltd., a wholly owned subsidiary based in Calgary, Alberta. Maxus Energy has retained The First Boston Corp. to assist in the completion of this sale.

"We intend to sell our Canadian operation as a going concern," said Chairman C.L. Blackburn. "We will use the proceeds to reduce debt." This program is a continuation of the company's previously stated intent to sell selected assets, primarily producing properties.

Maxus Energy Canada is currently producing 2,900 barrels of oil and 20 million cubic feet of gas per day from properties located primarily in Alberta and British Columbia.

Kern gains new customer, passes FERC hurdle

HOUSTON (SNW) — The proposed Kern River Gas Transmission pipeline to be built from southwestern Wyoming to Kern County, Calif., gained an additional 40 million cubic feet per day of transportation volumes when the City of Long Beach, Calif., signed a letter of intent with the project.

Kern River now has in hand a signed contract and letter agreements covering the transportation of almost 400 million cubic feet per day.

Kern River also cleared a significant regulatory hurdle last week when the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) approved the project's environmental impact statement. FERC approval of the non-environmental aspects of the project could come as early as this spring and the new line could be transporting gas in 1991.

Japanese, U.S. firms jointly buy Gulf oilfields

Asahi News Service

TOKYO — Japan Petroleum Exploration (JAPEX) and Consolidated Natural Gas Producing Co. of the U.S. have jointly purchased the drilling rights to 700 square kilometers (273 square miles) of oil and natural gas fields from Mark Producing of Texas.

JAPEX announced Jan. 9 that it paid $100 million of the $245 million cost, with Consolidated paying the rest.

The Gulf of Mexico location contains 14 developed fields that had a combined daily average output of 100 million cubic feet of gas and 19,100 barrels of crude oil in 1988.

IBM reports 12.4 percent rise in quarterly net income

By JOHN MARKOFF
New York Times News Service

NEW YORK — Laying the foundation for a year that analysts think will be financially strong, the International Business Machines Corp. reported Wednesday that its fourth-quarter net income rose 12.4 percent from a year earlier.

IBM earned $2.35 billion, or $3.97 a share, compared with $2.09 billion, or $3.47 a share, in the fourth quarter of 1987. The company's revenue rose 9.3 percent, to $20 billion, up from $18.3 billion a year earlier.

The results were slightly below some analysts' expectations and included an assortment of special adjustments for charges, gains and accounting and taxation changes.

As a result, Wall Street showed some uncertainty Wednesday about IBM. The company's share price fell 75 cents in morning trading but later rebounded to close at $125, up $1.25, on the New York Stock Exchange.

IBM's performance contrasted sharply with results of Wang Laboratories Inc., which said its second-quarter earnings fell 97.1 percent, to $1 million, or 1 cent a share, from $34.1 million, or 21 cents a share, a year earlier.

The Lowell, Mass., office-automation company said the weak earnings were caused by production delays and slow demand for a new mid-range computer. Revenue declined 3.1 percent, to $760.7 million, from $784.7 million.

Meanwhile, the Tandy Corp., the Fort Worth-based consumer electronics and personal computer manufacturer, said its second-quarter earnings had risen 32.9 percent, to 135.1 million, or $1.50 a share, from $130.8 million, or $1.46 a share, a year earlier. Revenues rose 7.7 percent, to $1.4 bilon from $1.3 billion.

IBM, based in Armonk, N.Y., said its fourth-quarter results were reduced by a $270 million pretax charge ecause more employees than expected had accepted financial incentives to leave the company as part of its consolidation program.

IBM said 6,500 manufacturing and headquarters employees had chosen to leave; the company had expected 000 to leave when it announced the $600 million program i June.

IBM's total employment is now 387,000 worldwid and 223,000 in United States.

IBM also said it posted a pretax gain of $220 millin as part of the payments that it has been receiving from ujitsu Ltd., Japanese computer maker, under an arbitration oer to settle a software copyright dispute.

For the 12 months ended Dec. 31, IBM said its ernings had risen 10.4 percent, to $5.81 billion, or $9.80 a sharefrom $5.26 billion, or $8.72 a share, in the previous year. Revnue rose 8 percent, to $59.68 billion, from $55.26 billion in 87.

Analysts generally agreed that the results indicad significant strength, particularly in the mid-range and hh end of IBM's product line. The company is now shipping ignificant numbers of its powerful 3090S mainframe model, an sales of its AS/400 mid-range computers have significantlyexceeded the expectations of analysts.

"I expected IBM to have a gang-buster fourth quarter, but revenues were slightly below my expectations," said Robert Djurdjevic, president of Annex Research, a market research firm in Phoenix. "The good news for IBM is that after you make all the adjustments, the record looks even better."

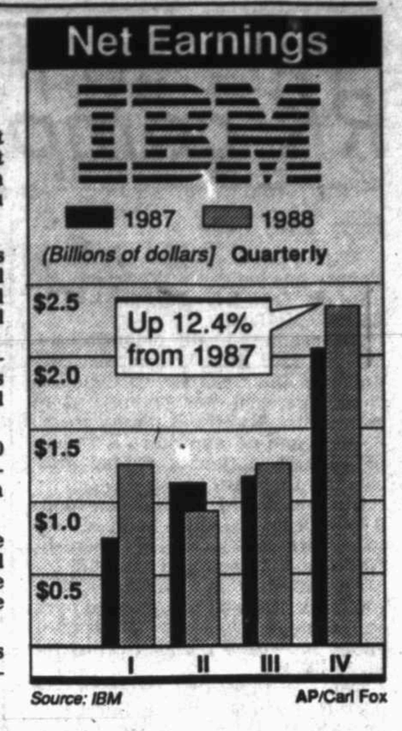
Several analysts said that IBM's personal computer sales were strong during the year, but that the company was still having problems with a product mix that has not yet shifted strongly to the Micro Channel models of its PS/2 personal computer line.

Significantly, IBM's strength during 1989 may be in the mid-range of the computer market, an area in which the world's largest computer maker has lagged during the last several years.

"They finished the year with sales in excess of 30,000 AS/400 machines and could sell more than 80,000 this year," said Stephen P. Cohen, an analyst at the Soundview Financial Group in Stamford, Conn.

IBM is likely to pick up considerable ground in market share for the middle of its product line. "We don't think it's Digital that will get whacked as much as other players," he said. "The Data Generals and the Primes are the ones that seem to be getting hurt."

IBM also acknowledged Wednesday that its sales overseas could decline if the dollar continued to rise, making its exported products more expensive.



AMR reports surge in earnings

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — AMR Corp., parent company of American Airlines, on Wednesday reported preliminary unaudited record net earnings for 1988 of $476.8 million, more than double the $198.4 million it earned in 1987.

AMR also said its 1988 profit-sharing fund will total $121 million. The fund will be paid to employees in March.

AMR's earnings per share for 1988 were $7.92 primary and $7.66 fully diluted. The 1987 share earnings were $3.28, primary and fully diluted.

AMR also set a net earnings record in the fourth quarter of 1988 with net earnings of $116.7 million, or earnings per share of $1.93 primary and $1.87 fully diluted. This compares to a 1987 fourth-quarter net loss of $805,000, or 5 cents a share.

"Our share of domestic industry passenger miles increased by more than that of any major carrier during the year; in the fourth quarter, American Airlines carried more revenue passenger miles and provided more available seat miles than any other carrier," said Robert L. Crandall, AMR's chairman and president.

AMR's operating income in 1988 was $806.5 million, up 74.9 percent from the $461.1 million in 1987. Operating revenues for the year increased 22.6 percent to $8.824 billion, up from $7.198 billion. American's yield, or average amount of revenue per passenger mile, increased 7.7 percent over 1987, while revenue passenger miles increased 14 percent over the year before.

DOT gives OK to Trump Shuttle

WASHINGTON (AP) — Donald Trump's quest to acquire Eastern Airlines' northeastern shuttle for $365 million cleared a key regulatory hurdle as the U.S. Department of Transportation gave tentative approval to his operating plans.

The Transportation Department on Wednesday said it has concluded that Trump's proposed plans are financially sound and his key personnel possess the managerial and technical ability to carry them out.

"Essentially, we've tentatively approved a fitness certification for Trump to operate the Trump Shuttle," said Hal Paris, a Transportation Department spokesman. "We are allowing any interested parties who have objections to file them within the next 15 days. Then there's a seven-day period to respond to any of those objections."

The Federal Aviation Administration still must certify that the planned shuttle operation is safe before the deal is final.

Texas Air Corp., Eastern's Houston-based holding company, has been ying to sell the profitable shuttle, arguing that it need cash to survive.

A federal judge aproved the sale last month over objections of labor leders who had challenged it as a union-busting tactic. The carrier's unions argue that the shuttle sale is parof a plan by Texas Air to dismantle Eastern Airlines, nose 30,000 employees are represented by three militnt unions.

"There is no doubt at an ongoing struggle has and will continue to exist tween Eastern and its (unions)," U.S. District Judge Birington D. Parker wrote in his opinion. "However, th court feels that equally plausible is the idea that mnagement is seeking to rebuild the company and placet on a sound financial footing."

The unions said the would appeal the decision.

The shuttle makes hrly flights among Boston, New York and Washington Trump announced an agreement to purchase it o Oct. 12, 1988.

He plans to rename he service the Trump Shuttle.

December housing starts up

WASHINGTON (AP) — Housing construction fell 2.2 percent in December, ending 1988 on a flat note after three consecutive monthly increases, the government said today.

The Commerce Department said the weakness in December helped drag down housing construction for the entire year to 1.49 million units, the poorest showing for the housing industry since the recession year of 1982 when 1.06 million units were built.

December's seasonally adjusted annual rate of 1.52 million units was down from 1.56 million units a month earlier.

The December decline was the steepest monthly drop since a 12.1 percent decline last May.

Economists have been predicting that rising mortgage interest rates will take their toll on housing because of the resulting higher monthly mortgage payments.

Interest rates on fixed-rate mortgages reached 10.81 percent last week, according to the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp.

Single-family homes in December were built at a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 1.11 million units, down 1.9 percent from a month earlier.

Apartment construction, always volatile, reached 410,000 units during the month, down 3.1 percent after a 6.5 percent rise in November.

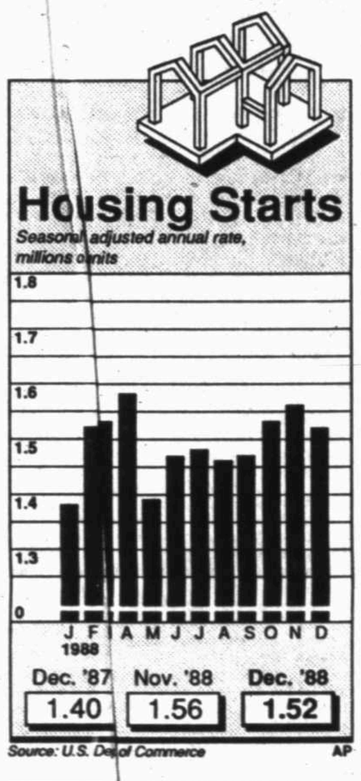
The apartment sector has been plagued by widespread overbuilding and changes in federal tax law that removed many of the incentives for investing in rental projects.

Overall, construction fell 20.1 percent in the Northeast to an annual rate of 179,000 units in December. Construction was off 7.2 percent in the West, leaving the pace of building there at an annual rate of 427,000 units.

Construction in the South was down 3.6 percent to 589,000 units.

Big gains were posted in the Midwest, where construction surged 25.1 percent to 329,000 units.

Building permits, considered a good indication of future activity, were up 1.8 percent in December to an annual rate of 1.54 million units after being unchanged a month earlier.



MEET

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The chances of a white knight coming in become more unlikely every day, said Bruce Lazier of Prescott, Ball & Turben in New York. "A major oil company doesn't need to buy Texas Eastern to get the North Sea properties," he said. "It can buy them from Coastal. There also is no one among the gas pipe lines that could make a bid."

Coastal said it probably would sell Texas Eastern's North Sea oil and gas operations to finance part of the cost of the acquisition. The North Sea holdings are valued at more than $1 billion.

Lazier sees the final agreement calling for a price of $46 a share. He said he recommended that Texas Eastern stockholders sell their shares now and reinvest the proceeds in Coastal.

Lawrence A. Crowley of Rauscher Pierce Refsnes in Houston said the entry of another bidder or successful negotiations with Coastal could drive the eventual price into the mid-$40s.

"Obviously Texas Eastern is open to other purchasers, but at the same time I am glad to see it opening a dialogue with Coastal," Crowley said. "The clock is running, and Texas Eastern's ability to look at alternatives is diminishing."

A friendly negotiated merger would benefit both companies, Sudol said. She does not believe Texas Eastern's Hendrix would want a protracted, hostile battle because of the potential effect on the company's employees and operations.

Sudol does not expect massive layoffs to follow the consolidation of the two organizations.

Over the past couple of years, Texas Eastern has been quietly streamlining. "There might be some redundancies at the corporate level, but staffing in the operating units is fairly lean. Except for corporate staff functions, Coastal operates in a generally decentralized manner," she said.

If successful, a Coastal takeover of Texas Eastern would create a 30,000 mile natural gas pipeline network from the Rocky Mountains to New England and from the Canadian border to the Mexican border. The consolidated system of the two companies would be the nation's second largest in length, behind Enron Corp.'s 38,000 miles of pipe.

The Coastal-Texas Eastern pipelines would be the largest in the volume of gas transported. In 1987, the two companies carried 7.5 billion cubic feet of natural gas a day, while Enron's pipeline system delivered an average of 6.5 billion cubic feet of gas daily.

Coastal has about 2,000 employees in Houston, and Texas Eastern has 1,751.

INFLATE

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"It's difficult to pass along cost pressures," said Donald Ratajczak, an economist with Georgia State University. "Consumers will back off and wait a couple of months to see if they can get a price discount.

"Domestic (production) capacity pressures ... probably don't mean as much as they once did. There are resources readily available offshore if our prices start to rise."

Nevertheless, the Federal Reserve Board, whose prime job as the nation's central bank is keeping inflation under control, has been pushing interest rates slowly but steadily higher since March in an effort to slow the economy and ease inflationary pressures.

Cynthia Latta, an economist with Data Resources Inc., a Lexington, Mass., forecasting firm, joined Ratajczak in predicting only a modest speedup in price increases this year.

"I have more confidence in the ... Fed than I ever did," she said. "I think they'll have real trouble getting inflation down to the 2 percent range, but I think they'll keep it from accelerating."

Probe no danger to Pemex monopoly

MEXICO CITY (AP) — The government has no plans to sell or dismantle its huge oil monopoly despite worker unrest and a sweeping corruption probe that has toppled the oil union's leadership, the company's director said Wednesday.

Pemex director Francisco Rojas rejected speculation that President Carlos Salinas de Gortari planned to sell some sections of state-owned oil operation.

"I want to decisively affirm that there is not nor has there been a move to divide up the functions that Pemex has," Rojas told a news conference.

"The state will not renounce the exclusive jurisdiction the Constitution provides it in the exploitation of basic petrochemicals," he said.

Pemex is responsible for the exploration, production, refining and export of oil and is the country's leading foreign exchange producer. Pemex accounts for about half of the federal revenues.

Salinas, inaugurated on Dec. 1, has pledged to divest or eliminate unprofitable and non-strategic state-owned industries.

Divestment speculation continued after the government arrested the longtime de facto leader of the oil workers union, Joaquin Hernandez Galicia, following a gunfight at his home on Jan. 10 that claimed the life of a federal agent.

Hernandez Galicia warned just a week before his arrest that the union "would declare its first strike before the nation" if the government attempted to sell all or part of the company.

His union represents about 90 percent of Pemex's 180,000 employees.

Hernandez Galicia, popularly known by his nickname, La Quina, was indicted Tuesday on charges of homicide, weapons possession and resisting arrest. Authorities said they found 200 Uzi submachine guns in his home in Ciudad Madero.

A public notary in Ciudad Madero, J. Guadalupe Gonzalez Galvana, declared in written testimony that he went to La Quina's home shortly after the arrests and found "20 sealed boxes that elements of the army had left in the hallway and the office" of the house.

Gonzalez Galvana said he opened the boxes and found 10 machine guns inside each of them. The testimony, dated Jan. 10, was included in papers prepared for Hernandez Galicia's defense.

Forty-five other union leaders and associates either are under indictment or have posted bail.

Also Wednesday, a faction of oil workers called for sweeping reforms within the union. The group, calling itself the Independent Lazaro Cardenas Petroleum Movement, issued a statement calling for a continued crackdown on corruption it said has been rampant in the union for decades.

"This is a situation that not only the oil union workers should worry about, but also the Mexican people and the government," the statement said.

Former President Lazaro Cardenas nationalized Mexico's oil industry in 1938.

Seven-Up bottler's sale results in layoffs

FORT WORTH (AP) — More than 50 employees of a small bottling company were out of work today after their company was purchased by Dr Pepper Bottling Co. of Texas.

The employees learned Wednesday of the sale of Full Service Beverage Co. of Texas, a Seven-Up bottling plant to the Dr Pepper.

Some employees said the number of workers left without jobs might be as many as 200 because there were other employees at distribution centers in Irving, Sherman, Mineral Wells and Ardmore, Okla.

The purchasing company is one of the largest franchisees of Dr Pepper Co., which produces and distributes products under franchises with Seven-Up Co., A&W Brands Inc., Crush International, Royal Crown Cola and Big Red Inc.

The Fort Worth plant poured and distributed soft drinks such as Sunkist, Dad's Root Beer and Nehi, employees said.

Jim Turner, chairman and president of Dr Pepper Bottling, could not confirm the number of employees affected by the purchase. Full Service officials did not return repeated calls, the Fort Worth Star-Telegram said.

"We can't really comment on their employment (numbers) because we bought the assets, we didn't buy an ongoing business," Turner said.

Turner did say his company could hire as many as 50 of the Full Service employees and could relocate them in Dr Pepper's Fort Worth, Dallas or Houston facilities.

Some of the employees said they had applied to Dr Pepper, but didn't sound optimistic about new jobs.

"I don't know what I'm going to do," Hubert, Miller, 36, a four-year employee, said. "I'm not going to work for a cola company again."

Warehouse manager John Lambert, 62, who had worked at Full Service for 10 years and had been in the soft drink industry for 40 years, said, "It's hard to take."

FORECAST '89

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Caesar 11 595 31⅝+ ⅛
CampSp .92 17 154 32½+ ⅛
CapCits .20 17 188 35⅝+ ⅛
CarPw 2.84 15 288 35⅞— ⅛
CartHw 11 8 9⅛
CastlCk .13 348 27 — ⅛
Caterp 1.20 12 2669 u68⅝+ ⅜
Centel 1.84 17 1861 u59½+ 1⅛
CentEn 1.60 7 1916 15⅝
CenSoW2.60 9 890 31⅛
ChilPS 1.76 9 164 21⅛
Chmpin 1 8 1126 33½— ⅛
ChamSp .20 50 1485 16⅞— ⅛
ChartC .05e 2 168 4¼— ⅛
Chase 2.36 3 1057 31⅜— ⅛
ChmBnk 2.72 3 1664 31⅝— ⅛
Chevrn 2.60 9 2608 48⅞— ⅛
ChrisCr .53t 22 1410 u24¾+ 1⅛
Chryslr 1 6 3762 27⅞+ ⅛
CircleK .26 13 2230 12½+ ⅜
CirCty .12 14 246 40½— ⅛
Citicorp 1.48 5 5891 25¾— ⅛
ClarkE 24 99 32⅝+ ⅛
Clorox 1.04 13 534 32½— ⅛
Coastal .40 16 427 35¾+ ⅛
CocaCl 1.20 16 1835 44⅞
Colec 191 1⅛
ColgP 1.48e 14 x277 46½— ⅛
ColGas 2 18 236 36½— ⅜
CmbEn 1 414 29½— ⅛
Comdre 8 314 13⅜+ ⅛
CmwE 3 9 1007 33⅜— ⅜
Comsat 1.32 9 14 26¾
ConsEd 3.20 10 538 46⅜— ⅛
ConsNG 1.76 17 317 40⅜— ⅛
Conrail 1.20 8 1011 35⅜+ ⅛
ConStor 17 272 6½
Contel 2.08 27 6273 u44¾+ 2½
ContiCp 2.60 19 458 33⅜— ⅛
CtData 99 718 20⅛
Cooper 1.80 14 408 56⅞— ½
CornGl 1.60a 11 1086 71⅜— ⅜
CornG wi 6 36¾
CrayRs 19 700 63¾+ ⅛
CwnCk s16 299 u51½+ ⅛
CumEn 2.20 15 63¾

D—D

DPL 2.16 11 100 25 — ⅛
DanaCp 1.60 12 80 39¾+ ⅛
DataGn 95 18¾+ ⅛
DaytHd 1.12 15 317 41⅛
Deere 1.20 12 3311 48¾+ ⅜
DeltaAr 1.20 8 924 54 + ⅛
DetEd 1.68 10 598 17⅞— ⅛
Digital 11 14650 104⅜+ 4¾
Disney .40 18 1826 69⅛+ ⅛
DomRs 3.20 9 873 42½— ⅛
Dover s.68 14 907 29⅝+ ⅛
DowCh 2.80 8 3605 91 + ⅛
DowJns .72 13 223 31⅝— ⅜
Dresr .80 15 1607 32½+ ⅛
duPont 3.80 11 5738 u94⅛+ ½
DukeP 2.96 10 342 46 — ⅛
DuqLt 1.28 9 295 18½

E—E

ERC 9 39 9½— ⅛
EastGF 1.30 12 531 24⅛
EKodak 2 11 3885 46 — ⅜
Eaton s2 10 247 57½+ ⅛
Echlin .62 14 167 16⅝+ ⅛
EKCO 50 60 3½— ⅛
Emrsn 1.12 13 1413 30⅝
Enron 2.48 1743 37 —1
Enserch .80 799 20⅛+ ⅛
Ethyl .48 12 614 22⅝+ ⅜
Exxon 2.20 11 3937 45 — ⅛

F—F

FMC 11 297 33 + ½
FPL Gp 2.20 9 788 31⅝+ ⅛
Fairchd .20 299 18⅝+ ⅛
Fairfd 265 6⅝— ⅛
Feders .32 17 60 12⅛— ⅛
FedNM .96 9 2153 57⅜— ⅜
FnSBar .10 8 18 3⅛
FtBkSy 1.64 8 392 20
FCapHd 5 1496 8 + ⅛
FstChic 1.80 4 396 32⅜
Flntste 2.92 144 46½+ ⅛
FstPa 11 168 u13 + ⅛
FtWach 1.52 9 57 38⅜
FleetEn .64 10 397 26½+ ½
FlightS s.16 20 579 27⅜+ ⅛
FlaPrg 2.56 10 822 34⅜
FlwGen 10 19 5 — ⅛
Fluor .04e 32 960 22⅝— ⅛
FthillG .20 6 14 7
FordM 3 5 3047 52⅜— ⅛
FrptMc 1.50a 8 802 32⅜— ⅛

G—G

GAF .10 14 430 48⅝+ ⅛
GTE 2.88 13 2722 45⅛
Gannett 1.08 17 2390 36½+ ⅜
GenCrp .60 8 940 17⅜+ ⅛
Genetch 26 8897 19 + ⅛
GnDyn 1 6 712 51½— ⅛
GenEl 1.64 13 8681 46 + ⅛
GnHous .24 15 10 7⅛
GnInst .50 11 2155 28⅜+ ⅛
GnMills 1.88 17 491 55 — ⅜
GMot 5e 7 3502 88⅜
GM E .68 15 482 46⅛
GPU 1.80 8 9 37⅛
GnSignl 1.80 53 21 49⅜
Gensco 11 44 5 — ⅛
GaPac 1.40 9 527 38⅜+ ⅛
GerbPd 1.48 26 502 61¼+ ⅛
GibrFn 95 1 — ⅛
Gillete .86 15 1225 34⅛— ¼
Glaxo .55e 15 2834 19¼+ ⅛
GldNug .5 30 16⅝
Gdrich 1.72 9 2380 55 + ⅜
Goodyr 1.80 6 831 49⅛— ⅛
Grace 1.40 12 896 28 — ⅛
GtAtPc .60 15 37 48⅜
GtNNk 1.12 7 877 41⅜
GtWFn .76 8 2934 15¾+ ⅜
Greyh 1.32 45 505 30 + ⅛
Grumn 1 40 71 20
GlfWst s.70 13 1277 41 — ⅜
GlfStUt 11 1547 8⅛

H—H

Halbtn 1 27 2008 30⅛— ⅛
Harind .58 15 373 21⅜+ ⅛
Harley 7 19 24⅞+ ⅛
Harris .88 16 697 27½— ⅜
HeclaM .05e 23 578 13⅜+ ⅜
Heinz 1.44 15 750 47¾+ ⅛
Herculs 2.24 15 394 48½— ⅛
Hrshey .70 11 179 25⅝
HewlPk .34 16 4546 54½+ 1⅜
Holiday 8 257 28 — ⅛
Hmstke .20 8 922 13⅜+ ⅛
Honwell 2.10 18 3837 61⅜+ ⅛
HCA .72 14 721 46⅜
Hotlinv 1 23 178 8⅝— ⅛
Housint 2.14 10 116 62⅛
Houlnd 2.96 8 574 28½— ⅜
Human .92 11 287 26½— ⅜

I—I

IRT 1.40 12 10 17⅞
ITT Cp 1.48 7 1427 52⅝+ ⅛
IdahoP 1.80 23 x148 22⅛
IdealB 883 2⅛
IllPowr 2.64 9 444 19⅞+ ⅛
ITW .48 14 357 35½— ⅜
ICI 4.19e 8 1302 75¾— ⅜
ICA .60 3 312 7⅞+ ⅛
INCO 80a 6 4013 28⅝
IngerRd 1.04 13 1188 36½+ ⅛
InldStl 1 7 1825 45¼—1
Intrlke 1.50 10 86 44¼+ ⅜
IBM 4.40 14 9251 125
IntFlav 1.92 15 2330 49 — ⅛
IntMin 1 15 348 40⅜— ⅜
IntPap 1.48 7 3811 48⅜— ⅜
Ipalco 1.64 9 320 22¾— ⅛

J—J

JRiver .48 11 284 28½— ⅛
JohnJn 2 15 919 66½— ⅛
Josten .64 8 253 19 + ⅛

K—K

K mart 1.32 10 987 36⅜— ⅛
Kaneb 1045 2⅝— ⅛
KCSou 1.08 21 14 36½+ ⅛
KanGE 1.60 10 197 20¾+ ⅛
KansPL 1.72 10 189 23¾+ ⅜
Katyin 14 87 20 + ⅛
KaufBd .32b 9 75 14⅜— ⅛
Kellogg 1.52 18 228 65⅝— ⅜
KerrMc 1.10 18 1600 38¼— ⅜
KimbCl 2.60 13 4388 61 + 1⅛
KnghtR 1.22 17 489 46⅜+ ⅜
Kroger n 759 8⅝

L—L

LTV 386 2½
Learnl .48 14 2 16½
LeeEnt .68 16 53 26¾— ⅛
Lehmn 1.31e 336 12¼
Lilly 2.70 17 1151 87⅝+ ⅛
LincNtl 2.48 17 413 46 — ⅛
Litton 12 225 75⅜— ⅛
Lockhd 1.60 4 1955 44¼+ ½
Loews 1 6 867 77⅛+ ½
LnStar 1.90 14 746 29⅜+ ⅜
LILCo 6 811 13 — ⅛
LaLand 1 790 34¼+ ⅛
LaPac 92b 8 203 31⅜— ⅛
Lukens .80 8 9 27¼

M—M

MCA .68 32 1427 48¼+ ⅜
MDU 1.42 11 4 19⅞— ⅛
MfrHan 3.28 2 675 30¼+ ⅛
Manvl n 205 7⅜+ ⅛
MAPCO 1 7 343 55½+ ⅛
Marriot 24 17 1470 32¼
MartM 1.10 6 801 40½+ ½
Masco .48b 13 818 24⅜— ⅛
Maxus .05e 686 7¼
MayDS 1.28 11 326 37⅜
Maytag 90a 11 875 20¼
McDerl 1 213 16¾— ⅛
McDnl .56 14 1889 47¼
McDnD 2.56 11 579 u82⅜+ 1⅛
McGrH 1.84 19 2055 70⅛+ 1⅛
McKes 1.44 14 205 30⅝— ⅜
Mead .76 8 704 40⅜
Mellon 1.40b 61 26⅞+ ⅜
Melvill 2.60 14 144 77¾— ⅜
MercSt .80 12 95 44¼— ⅜
Merck s1.48 21 4413 60⅜+ ⅜
MerLyn 1 16 755 26¾+ ⅜
MidSUt 20e 10 3766 15¾
MWE 1.56 10 20 19⅛
MMM 2.12 13 1723 62 + ⅛
MinnPL 1.72 11 34 23⅜
Mobil 2.40 10 4095 48¼— ⅛
Monsan .3 11 1147 86⅝— ⅛
MonPw 2.76 12 71 34⅝+ ⅛
Morgan 1.66 7 3336 35¾+ ⅛
Morton .92 12 344 39½+ ⅛
Motorla .76 13 2123 42½+ ½

N—N

NCNB 1 12 217 28¾+ ⅛
NCR 1.32 10 1301 55¾+ ⅛
NIPSCO .84 13 725 13¾
NL Ind n.60 96 18½— ⅛
NWA .90 16 1717 58¾— ⅜
Nalco 1.32 15 178 37½— ⅛
NatFGs 1.26 12 90 19¾+ ⅜
NII 19e 234 19¾— ⅜
NtSemi 773 9 + ⅛
Navistr 6 2431 5¼
NevPw 1.52 10 38 20¼
NEngEl 2.04 116 23¾— ⅛
NwtMg .60 18 278 35¾+ ⅛
NiaMP 1.20 14 312 13½— ⅛
NltkSo 1.32 10 1503 u33½+ ⅝
Nortek 10a 20 8¾
NoestUt 1.76 11 416 20
NoStPw 2.12 10 100 32¾
Nortrp 1.20 9 899 26½+ ⅛
Norton 2 13 249 50 + ⅛
Norwst s1.34 8 353 33½
Nynex 4.04 10 665 67¼— ⅛

O—O

OcciPet 2.50 19 2793 26⅝
OhioEd 1.96 10 577 19¼
OklaGE 2.36 10 124 32⅜— ⅛
Olin 1.80 12 151 51 + ⅛
ONEOK .29 657 21½— ⅝
OrngCo .02e 16 101 10
OwenC 6 320 26 — ⅛
Oxford .50 15 11

P—Q

PHM .12 139 82 11⅛
PPG 1.36 10 1028 42 — ⅛
PSI 5 297 13⅝+ ⅛
PacEnt 3.48 10 360 38½+ ⅛
PacGE 1.40 12 1608 17⅜+ ⅛
PacTel 1.76 12 5800 32 + ⅛
Pacifcp 2.64 9 267 34⅜
PanAm 3016 3
PanEC 2 394 26⅛
Patten 12 5 49 3⅜
Penney 2 513 52⅞+ ⅛
PaPL 2.76 10 187 35⅝— ⅛
Penwit .40 26 421 103½+ ⅜
Pennzol 3 44 637 77 + ⅝
PepBoy .10 20 243 12⅜
PepsiCo .84 14 3482 38⅜— ⅛
PerkEl .68 15 1761 24⅜+ ⅛
Pfizer 2.20 12 2246 56⅝—1⅛
PhelpD 1.60 5 1486 57⅜— ⅜
PhilaEl 2.20 8 1501 20¼
PhilMr 4.50 11 2722 102⅝+ ⅛
Philpln .52 12 467 18½+ ⅛
PhilPet .88 9 2759 21⅛— ⅛
Phlcorp 59 12 + ⅛
PinWst 1.60 7 915 15⅝+ ⅛
PitnyBw .92 15 963 44 + ½
Pittstn 478 18⅝
PlcrD g.30 1593 13½+ ⅛
Polaroid .60 77 15659 39⅝+ 3⅜
PortGC 1.96 14 560 22⅛— ⅛
Primca .28 10 4417 22⅝+ ⅜
ProctG 3.20 14 1939 88 + ⅛
PSvCol 2 8 428 20¾
PSEG 2.04 10 1475 24¼— ⅛
PugetP 1.76 9 356 18½
Pyro 114 7
Qantel 2 117 ⅝
QuakrO 1.20 17 824 56¼— ⅜
QuakSC .80 38 1097 18¼— ⅜
Quntm n 4 997 55⅝— ⅛
Questar 1.88 41 89 33½— ⅛

R—R

RJR Nb2.20 17 10182 94⅜— ⅜
RLC .20b 8 36 11⅝— ⅛
RLC wi 20 9½— ⅛
RalsPur 1.50 15 200 84⅜— ⅛
Ramad 55 9 — ⅛
RangrO 56 750 5⅝+ ⅛
Raythn 2 9 961 67½— ⅛
ReadBl 1621 1 — ⅛
ReyMtl 1 8 2597 57⅞— ⅛
RiteAid .82 14 206 32⅜+ ⅛
Robins 14 20 26
Rockwl .72 7 924 21⅜— ⅛
RohHas 1.12 11 252 35½+ ⅜
Rohr 16 53 30¾— ⅛
Rorer s.80 23 1844 40¾— ⅛
Rowan 1781 6⅜+ ⅛
RoyID s3.62e 7 1753 58½+ ⅛
Ryder .56 16 851 26⅝

S—S

SCEcp 2.48 9 3163 32⅝
SPSTec 1.20 29 19 42¾— ⅛
SFeSP s 1979 18½+ ½
SaraLee 1.44 16 946 47½— ⅛
SCANA 2.40 11 717 31 — ⅛
SchrPlg 1.60 17 628 57½— ⅜
Schimb 1.20 14 2647 36¾+ ⅛
ScottP s.80 8 510 39
Seagrm 1.20 11 1258 u66¾+ ⅜
Sears 2 11 1795 41⅜— ⅛
SecPac 1.96 7 585 37⅛
ShellTr s2.61e 10 334 38⅛ — ⅛
Shrwin .64 11 641 26 — ⅛
Skyline .48 12 229 15¾+ ⅜
SmkBck 1.84 25 2526 51⅜
Sonat 2 12 405 u31½+ ⅛
SonyCp .30e 33 823 55⅞—1⅞
SouthCo 2.14 9 1450 23½— ⅛
SwBell 2.48 12 2584 41¼+ ⅛
SwtPS 2.20 11 33 27½
SquarD 2 12 293 49¼+ ⅜
Squibb 1.60 16 1235 64⅞+1
SunCo n1.80 631 32⅜
Syntex 1.30 15 892 40¼
Sysco .36 18 294 37½— ⅜

T—T

TECO 1.42 11 114 23⅜— ⅛
TRW 1.72a 10 329 43¼+ ⅜
TacBt 413 ⅝
Talley .30 81 162 13 — ⅛
Tandem 20 4117 19 + ⅛
Tandy .60 11 2802 39½+ ⅜
TchSym .14 23 12¾
Tektrnx .60 29 66 22
Teldyn 4 10 71 343½— ⅛
Tennco 3.04 1390 49⅜+ ⅛
Tesoro 313 117 12½
Texaco 3 13 3920 54¼+ ⅛
TexEst 1 16 1296 46 + ⅛
TexInst 72 11 3905 42½+ ⅜
TxPac 40 47 4 30¼— ⅛
TexUtil 2.88 7 814 28⅝
Textron 1 9 685 25 + ⅛
Tigerin 11 735 20¼+ ⅛
Time 1 22 2103 109¾+ 1⅜
TmMir 1 15 1346 33⅜+ ½
Timkn s.80 20 295 35½— ⅛
Tokhem .56 12 126 20½— ⅜
Tosco 5 1109 3⅞
Transm 1.88 8 547 34½— ⅛
Transco 1.36 425 37½— ⅛
Travler 2.40 13 250 35½+ ⅛
TriCon 2.06e 117 20¾
Tribune .76 15 1044 37⅛
Trinova .64 12 1176 28½
TucsEP 3.90 10 147 49½

U—U

UAL Cp11 591 115¼— ⅝
UGI 2.14 10 35 31
UNCInc 15 340 8⅛
USFG 2.64 8 791 30⅛
USG n 3 486 5⅜
USX 1.40 16 6183 31¾— ⅛
UCarb .80 7 8362 27⅜+ ⅛
UnElec 2 9 635 24 + ⅛
UnPac 2.20 13 2851 68⅜+ 1⅛
Unisys .1 8 3521 29⅜+ ⅛
UBrnd s.20 10 72 15¾— ⅛
USWest 3.52 10 370 58
UnTech 1.60 8 3231 42⅜+ ⅛
UniTel 1.92 29 12985 45 — ⅛
Unocal 1 1834 40⅞— ⅛
Upjohn .88 16 1682 29⅝— ⅛
USLIFE 1.36 9 31 37⅛

V—V

Varian 26 23 183 29⅛+ ⅜
Varity 9 1411 3⅜+ ⅛

W—W

Wackhl 60a 12 5 17½— ⅛
WalMrt 16 24 1762 31¾
WarnC 56 16 7542 u40¼+ 1⅜
WarnrL 2.56 16 1845 76¾— ⅛
WshWt 2.48 10 61 27½
WellsF 3 7 317 61¾— ⅛
WUnion 274 1¾+ ⅛
WstgE 2 10 2826 54⅜+ 1⅛
Weyer s1.20 10 1886 26½— ⅛
Whrlpl 1.10 12 277 26 — ⅛
Whitmn 96b 15 1261 37½+ ⅛
Whittak 1 16 110 52¼+ ⅜
Willam 1.40 9 545 32½
WinDix 1.92 15 66 45
Winnbg 40 26 8 8⅞— ⅛
Wolwth 1.64 13 854 53¾+ ⅛
Wynns 60 113 16 24⅛— ⅛

X—Y—Z

Xerox 3 10 477 58¾— ⅛
ZenithE 316 20¼— ⅛

MUTUAL FUNDS

AAL Mutual:
CapGr p 9.08 9.53
Inco 9.41 9.88
MuBd p 9.76 10.27
AARP Invst:
CapGr 25.87 NL
GinlM 14.87 NL
GenBd 14.76 NL
GthInc 21.51 NL
TxFBd 16.54 NL
TxFSh 15.25 NL
ABT Funds:
Emrg p 8.07 8.47
GthIn p 9.99 10.49
Secin p 9.77 10.26
Utilin p 13.55 14.23
AdsnCe p 14.86 15.32
ADTEK 9.29 NL
AdvnlG p 9.07 9.47
AIM Funds:
Chart p 5.38 5.65
Const p 7.24 7.60
LimM p 9.74 9.91
Weing p 9.50 9.97
A M A Funds:
ClaGt p 9.13 NL
EMT p 12.12 12.72
GlbGt p 20.48 NL
GlbIn p 19.68 NL
GlST p 9.82 NL
GrPl p 18.94 NL
MdTc p 9.30 NL
USGvP 8.58 NL
AMEV Funds:
AstAll 9.96 10.43
CapItl 12.13 13.26
Fidcur 19.08 19.98
Grwth 15.41 16.84
HiYld 9.90 10.37
Specl 19.16 NL
TF Nat 9.88 10.35
US Gvt 9.53 9.98
AcornF 36.92 36.92
Afuture 9.43 NL
Advest Advant:
Govt p 8.30 8.30
Gwth p 12.28 12.28
Inco p 9.93 9.93
Spcl p 9.86 9.86
AlgerG t 10.55 10.95
Alliance Cap:
Alian p 5.79 5.85
Balan p 12.80 13.54
Canad p 7.84 8.30
Conv p 9.18 9.71
Count p 15.01 15.88
Divid p 2.80 2.75
Govt p 8.31 8.79
HiYld p 8.31 8.79
Intl p 15.87 16.79
ICalTx 12.14 12.65
InsMu 9.41 9.80
Monin p 11.76 12.44
Mortg p 8.83 9.34
MunCA 9.53 9.93
MuNY 8.85 9.22
NtlMu 9.48 9.86
Quasr 18.98 20.08
Survy p 12.13 12.84
Tech p 19.91 21.07
Amer Capital:
Cmstk 13.54 14.80
Corp 7.08 7.43
Entrp 10.87 11.66
Exch 66.16
FdMg p 12.45 13.07
Fd Am 10.64 11.63
GvSc p 9.98 10.70
Grow 16.53
Harbr 12.71 13.89
Hi Yld 8.84 9.48
Mun B 18.65 19.58
OTC 6.46 7.06
Pace 22.54 24.63
Provid 4.05 4.37
TEHY p 10.75 11.29
TxE I p 10.88 11.42
Ventr 12.02 13.14
American Funds:
A Bal p 10.67 11.32
Amcp p 10.25 10.88
AMutl p 17.97 19.07
Bond p 13.34 14.01
CapIB p 22.78 24.17
CapW p 14.72 15.45
Eupac p 25.96 27.54
Fdinv p 15.18 16.11
Govt p 13.44 14.11
Gwth p 18.09 19.19
HI Tr p 14.19 14.90
Inco p 11.70 12.41
IntBd p 13.73 14.41
ICA p 13.22 14.03
NEco p 20.59 21.85
N Per p 10.04 10.65
TxEx p 10.95 11.50
TECA p 14.03 14.73
TEMd p 13.83 14.52
TEVA p 14.25 14.96
Wsh p 12.97 13.76
A GthFd 6.50 7.10
A Heritg 1.09 1.09
A Invst r 6.80 7.43
A Inv In 7.91 8.33
Amer Natl Funds:
Grth 4.19 4.58
Inco 18.05 19.73
Triflex 14.63 15.82
API Tr 11.83 NL
Amway 6.64 7.10
Analyt 12.31 NL
Amstng 7.09 NL
Aquila Funds:
Ariz 9.73 10.14
Hawai 10.77 11.22
Oreg 9.72 10.13
TFCol 9.71 10.11
AscPStk 14.05 14.75
AvonGv 9.68 9.78
Axe Houghton:
FndB p 8.04 NL
Incom p 5.03 NL
Stock p 5.56 NL
BB&K 10.47 NL
Babson Group:
Bond 1.52 NL
Enterp 11.67 NL
Gwth 11.35 NL
Shadw 8.81 NL
TaxFr 8.65 NL
UMB St 12.99 NL
UMB B 10.25 NL
Value 16.78 NL
BairdBl p 11.60 12.02
BairdCa p 14.93 15.47
BakerUS 15.02 NL
Bartlett Funds:
BasVl 12.41 NL
Fixedl 9.51 NL
Stratin .96 NL
Bascom 21.10 21.10
Beac Hill 26.66 NL
BenchB 8.02 NL
Benham Capital:
CalTL 10.62 NL
CapTR 9.11 NL
CatIH 8.61 NL
CaTFI 10.13 NL
CPTNT 9.76 NL
GNMA 9.75 NL
GoldIn 9.12 NL
NITFI 9.97 NL
NITFL 10.84 NL
Tg1990 86.10 NL
Tg1995 56.97 NL
Tg2000 38.11 NL
Tg2005 25.10 NL
Tg2010 17.87 NL
Tg2015 13.15 NL
Berger Group:
100 18.42 NL
101 12.41 NL
BigEGv p 9.75 10.40
BianPrc 7.39 7.39
BinSGr p 9.84 9.84
Boston Co:
CaAp p 29.41 NL
GNM p 11.72 NL
Mgdl p 11.47 NL
SpGth p 14.66 NL
BosGrl 12.17 12.17
Brndywn 13.09 NL
Bruce 86.12 NL
Bull & Bear Gp:
CaGr p 8.74 NL
Eqinc p 11.30 NL
Gold p 13.39 NL
HiYld p 10.39 NL
SpEq p 18.23 NL
TxFr p 17.53 NL
USGv p 13.70 NL
Calmos t 10.30 NL
CalMun p 8.96 8.96
CalTrst 11.38 NL
CalUS 9.39 NL
Calvert Group:
Ariel 22.93 24.01
Equity p 18.02 18.02
GvLtd 14.80 14.89
Inco 15.84 16.58
Social p 24.85 25.81
SocBd 15.39 16.11
SocEq 14.58 15.26
TxF Lt 10.60 10.81
TxF Lg 15.39 16.11
US Gov 14.25 14.92
WshA t 18.07 18.07
Capstone Group:
EqGrd 9.25 9.71
Fd SW 11.13 11.69
Incom 5.16 5.42
PBHG 10.72 11.25
Trend 12.12 12.72
Carnegie Funds:
CapG p 16.00 16.75
CapTR 10.52 11.02
Govt p 9.32 9.76
TxE NHY 9.47 9.92
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13 Pushkin love letters bought by Soviet Union

GENEVA (AP) — The Soviet Union has purchased 13 love letters written by poet Alexander Pushkin in a transaction that fulfilled a lifelong dream of the late Russian-born choreographer Serge Lifar.

The yellowed letters, in Pushkin's flowing handwriting, were handed over Wednesday night in a brief ceremony at a Geneva hotel to Yuri M. Khilchevsky, a deputy Soviet minister of culture, who spoke of a "festive event."

All but two of the letters are in French and addressed to Natalya Goncharova before Pushkin married her in 1831 after a turbulent courtship and against the will of her mother.

Once owned by a member of the czar's family, Grand duke Mikhail, they were acquired by Sergei Diaghilev, the famous impresario who died in 1929, and eventually were obtained by Lifar, the executor of Diaghilev's will.

The Soviet Ministry of Culture paid an undisclosed price for the letters in a private deal negotiated through Sotheby's, the auction house. The money will help fund the Serge Lifar Prize awarded annually to talented dancers.

Khilchevsky, alluding to the policy of perestroika launched by Soviet President Mikhail S. Gorbachev, said a "new political mentality" had "humanized relations." People, he said, increasingly valued the "pure source" of Pushkin's works which he termed a "symbol of Russian culture."

The letters tell in dramatic prose of Pushkin's love for Natalya who was separated from him for months because of a quarantine imposed on Moscow residents during a major outbreak of cholera in the summer of 1830.

Many are pierced with a pin, apparently in the belief this would kill the dreaded disease, experts said. One letter that was read aloud revealed his feelings for Natalya and his fear that her mother would prevent their marriage.

"Maybe she is right and I am wrong in believing that happiness would be mine. But in any case, you are absolutely free to decide. As for myself, I give you my word of honor that I will either belong to you or never marry."

Pushkin died in 1837, at age 38, from injuries received defending his wife's honor in a duel with his brother-in-law.

The letters will become part of the Pushkin Museum in Leningrad, the former St. Petersburg, where the author of "Boris Godunov" and "Eugen Onegin" settled after his marriage.

Lifar, who left Russia as a refugee, settled in France in the 1920s where he revolutionized French ballet. He died of cancer Dec. 15, 1986, at 81 in Lausanne after moving to Switzerland in 1981 with his companion of three decades, Countess Lillan Ahlefeldt of Sweden.

She attended the ceremony Wednesday night and told reporters Lifar hoped throughout his life the letters would return to the country where he was born. She said he had many offers from other countries, including the United States, but refused them all despite being in dire financial straits.

"Instead of selling the letters, he would eat biscuits or take the metro (subway)," she told reporters. "His hopes were raised by several visitors from the Soviet Union. They kept telling him you will hear from us. But they left him waiting till his death.

"He was already dying when they promised him that if the letters would come back, they would perform his famous classical ballets," she said.



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Triple play

With three gaudy faces stuck to one body, this participant in a recent carnival in the southern Dutch city of Maastricht, Netherlands, was having triple fun. For four days each year the city's narrow streets are clooged with masked and costumed people.

Inquiry into rig disaster reveals previous sabotage

ABERDEEN, Scotland (AP) — As an inquiry opened today into the world's worst oilfield disaster, Occidental Petroleum Corp. said sabotage was discovered on the Piper Alpha rig a year before it was swept by fire.

The North Sea rig, owned by the U.S. company and a consortium of British partners, was swept by explosions and fire on July 6 that killed 167 men. The bodies of 31 have not been recovered.

"Ball bearings were found in one of the gas compressors," Occidental spokesman Alex Blake-Milton told Britain's Independent Radio News in an interview today.

"Lord Cullen (the Scottish judge conducting the inquiry) and the Department of Energy are both aware and so it may well be raised at the inquiry," he added.

Blake-Milton said the sabotage attempt was discovered in September 1987. The ball bearings were found and removed without incident.

The British Broadcasting Corp. said the ball bearings were found in the same area in which the explosions occurred in July.

Occidental, which operated the Piper Alpha platform, said the ball bearings were placed in a gas compression valve while it was temporarily out of service and were found when it was brought back into commission.

The BBC quoted an unnamed Occidental spokesman as saying the bearings could have caused serious damage, but not necessarily an explosion.

The sabotage attempt had earlier been disclosed John Wood, one of the 62 survivors of the disaster last July. "At the time none of us could believe that we had a saboteur on board," Wood said in a television interview.

"We all wondered if there was going to be a police inquiry into it, but nothing more was ever said. So it's still a mystery to this day. It did worry me at the time. I was living and working on this platform and someone was trying to wreck it with me on it."

The Department of Energy has said the disaster was not caused by sabotage. It said in a preliminary technical report that a buildup of gas following a leak in the control module was thought to have been the cause.

Leftists blamed in vicious attack on Colombian judges

BOGOTA, Colombia (AP) — A judicial commission was ambushed by leftist guerrillas in eastern Colombia and only two of its members escaped alive, the army said. Two judges were among the 13 people killed.

"It is an unprecedented attack on investigators who did not constitute an attack force," Carlos Eduardo Lozano, director of criminal judges, said of Wednesday's attack near the port city of Barrancabermeja.

The commission — consisting of judges Mariela Morales, 35, and Pablo Beltran, 40; two secretaries; nine judicial police officers and two drivers — was investigating the October 1987 disappearance of 17 merchants and $235,000 in goods.

The attackers set off dynamite charges under a road as two vehicles carrying the party passed, then opened fire with automatic weapons, army and police reports said.

Two police officers escaped despite their wounds and were taken to the hospital of the state-owned oil company Ecopetrol, where officials said they were out of danger.

Barrancabermeja, a port on the Magdalena River for oil shipments, is Colombia's largest eastern city and lies 160 miles northeast of the capital.

Gen. Yanine Daz, commander of the army's 2nd Division, said from the nearby city of Bucaramanga that the guerrillas belonged to the Revolutionary Armed Forces of Colombia, a communist group.

Police, however, blamed the attack on the Army of National Liberation, a group inspired by Cuban leader Fidel Castro.

Both guerrilla groups operate in the region.

WORLD in brief

Israeli soldier kills teen

JERUSALEM (AP) — An Israeli soldier shot a Palestinian teen-ager to death today as the youth urged on stone-throwers at a refugee camp in the occupied Gaza Strip, the army and Arab reports said.

Twenty-one Palestinians were reported wounded in scattered clashes with Israeli troops in the Gaza Strip and occupied West Bank, including 10 who were shot after attacking the home of an alleged Palestinian collaborator.

The violence came as West Bank residents staged a general strike to protest an upsurge in Palestinian deaths. Fourteen Arab youths have been killed in clashes with the army in the past week.

The strike order came two days after the army instituted a tougher policy that allows soldiers to fire plastic and rubber bullets more freely and provides for harsher punishment for stone-throwers.

The military government also closed 84 of the West Bank's 1,200 schools today in an effort to block violent protests. The schools were shut down for periods of three days to four weeks.

Botha names acting leader

CAPE TOWN, South Africa (AP) — President P.W. Botha, who was hospitalized after suffering a stroke, today named Chris Heunis, a longtime ally and a government minister, as the acting president, Botha's office said.

Heunis, the senior-ranking Cabinet minister, served as acting president for several days last year while Botha was traveling in Europe. It was not immediately clear how long Heunis would remain in the post.

Heunis, the minister of constitutional development, is considered a mainstream member of Botha's National Party who would be unlikely to seek any major changes in policy.

"We will continue within the parameters laid down by the state president," Heunis, 61, said at his swearing-in ceremony.

Botha, who turned 73 on Jan. 12, suffered the stroke Wednesday morning and was taken to No. 2 Military Hospital in the Cape Town suburb of Wynberg.

Soviet magazine attacked

MOSCOW (AP) — A magazine that blossomed under glasnost and ran stories this week on corruption, pollution and suicide has come under attack in two leading newspapers, indicating some leading Communist officials may be getting fed up.

Seven prominent cultural figures, in a letter published Wednesday in the Communist Party daily newspaper Pravda, bitterly attacked the magazine Ogonyok, saying it went "far outside the bounds of literary arguments."

Those signing the letter, including conservative writers Valentin Rasputin and Vasily Belov, said they supported "with all their souls" President Mikhail S. Gorbachev's reforms but had become alarmed by "scum bubbling up on the crest of the mighty stream of renovation."

15 die at funeral lunch

NEW DELHI, India (AP) — At least 15 people attending a funeral lunch for an eight-year-old girl died of food poisoning in the southern city of Hyderabad, news reports said today.

Police Commissioner T. S. Rao said Wednesday's tragedy occurred when an unidentified chemical substance mistaken for salt was used to prepare the customary lunch, the Press Trust of India reported.

The agency said four of the dead were children.

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Researchers link stuttering, brain disorders

By LEE SIEGEL

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Stuttering, once thought to be psychological, has been linked to brain abnormalities by scientists who hope to understand many disorders by making 3-D videotapes of the brain in action.

Subtle irregularities in electrical activity and blood flow were found in brains of 60 percent of stutterers, whose speech is broken by abnormal pauses, repetitions (st-st-stuttering) or prolongations (ssssstuttering) of sounds, said audiologist Terese Finitzo, who directed the University of Texas studies.

She said similar brain abnormalities were detected in 84 percent of people with spasmodic dysphonia, in which malfunctioning vocal cords produce a hoarse, strained, strangled-sounding voice.

The Dallas scientists studied 20 stutterers and 77 people with spasmodic dysphonia by examining magnetic resonance imaging pictures of brain anatomy. Unlike CAT scans, which use X-rays, the technique uses a giant magnet and radio waves to make pictures of organs.

The scientists also made maps of brain electrical activity as measured by electrodes on the head; and images of brain blood flow.

But they also developed a way to process the two-dimensional maps of brain electrical activity to pinpoint the location of that activity.

That let them superimpose the brain anatomy and electrical activity images, then string them together on videotape to make "an animated movie or cartoon, so as electrical activity progresses you can see it moving through the brain" in three dimensions, said Dr. Kenneth Pool, a neurologist in the Texas group. Blood-flow images will be added later.

Such technology might help scientists understand how the brain works, and perhaps eventually how to better diagnose and treat speech defects, mental illness, epilepsy, dyslexia, Alzheimer's and Parkinson's diseases, post-stroke speech loss and other disorders, Pool said.

The technique "is expected to radically alter (brain) disease evaluation and management for neurologists, psychiatrists and neurosurgeons," said a news release from the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association.

Scientists have long believed that the speech impediments were psychological. But in recent years, many have linked the impediments to brain malfunctions that can be aggravated by psychological stress.

That view is supported by findings of the government-funded, $2 million Texas research outlined by Finitzo, Pool and colleagues at the annual meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

The studies also suggest the speech defects have many causes, because not all the patients had brain abnormalities, Pool said.

About 1 percent of Americans stutter to some degree. Spasmodic dysphonia is uncommon, although there are no reliable estimates, Finitzo said.

Stutterers and people with spasmodic dysphonia often receive speech therapy to learn to slow down, breathe differently or otherwise alter their speaking habits, but for many "the benefits are minimal," Pool said.

He said patients are relieved when told their stuttering or spasmodic dysphonia is physical.

"We've had people say, 'Thank God it's not my fault.' They don't have to feel responsible for it, (even) if everybody's telling them, 'If you just relax you can speak better,'" he said.

Arnold E. Aronson, head of speech pathology at the Mayo Clinic in Minnesota, said there are several forms of the speech defects and that people whose stuttering is psychological may get improper treatment if they believe otherwise.

Aronson questioned the reliability of the Texas team's methods, saying they were biased by preconceptions and studied too few patients. He also accused them of making conclusions "far beyond what the facts imply" and of failing to conduct adequate psychiatric exams of their patients.

But he did say "there is great merit in what they are doing."

Louisiana State University speech scientist Ray Daniloff agreed more people should be studied, but said he reviewed much of the Texas research for the government and concluded "the data are good...The methodology is sound."

"I think it's good work," said University of Connecticut speech scientist Peter J. Alfonso. "They are probably the only people in the world using a combination of new brain-imaging techniques to investigate stuttering."

Pool and Aronson agreed the brain abnormalities aren't necessarily the direc cause of stuttering and spasmodic dysphonia, and that the abnormalities and speech defects could result from some other ultimate cause.

But because the abnormalities are in parts of the brain believed to control speech, the Texans believe the abnormalities cause the impediments — even if they ultimately might be caused by a chemical flaw in the brain, a gene, injury, tiny strokes or even pollutants, Pool said.

States and weights

Since 1984, 25 states and the District of Columbia (shaded on the map below) have been collecting weight and height data on their residents by means of telephone interviews. West Virginia and Wisconsin had the highest percentages of "overweight" people, using the new Body Mass Index as a standard. An index of 27.8 for men and 27.3 for women is regarded as the dividing line – people with an index higher than that are in the heaviest 15% of the U.S. population.



STATES WITH MOST OVERWEIGHT POPULATION (percent overweight)

West Virginia	24%
Wisconsin	23%
North Dakota	23%
North Carolina	22%
Kentucky	22%
Rhode Island	21%
South Carolina	21%

STATES WITH LEAST OVERWEIGHT POPULATION (percent overweight)

Utah	14%
Hawaii	14%
New Mexico	16%
Arizona	16%
Georgia	17%

How to caculate your Body Mass Index

The basic formula:

Weight (in kilograms) ÷ Height (in meters ^{2}) = Index

Here is an example:

1. A woman 5 feet 4 inches tall, weighing 125 pounds
2. 125 lbs. ÷ 2.2 = 56.8 kilograms
3. 64 inches x 2.54 ÷ 100 = 1.62 meters
4. Then multiply 1.62 by itself = 2.63
5. Now divide 56.8 (wt.) by 2.63 (ht. squared) = 21.6 Body Mass Index
6. The U.S. Public Health Service defines people of ages 20-29 with an index greater than 27.8 (men) or 27.3 (women) as overweight.

SOURCE: Mass. Medical Society, "Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report"

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Doctor finds 'safe' fats good for heart

By DANIEL Q. HANEY

MONTEREY, Calif. (AP) — Eggs, beef and other tasty dishes considered bad for the heart can be made healthy by replacing the dangerous fats in those foods with safe ones, a top researcher predicts.

Almost every sensible eating plan advocated by health groups calls for cutting out fat in order to avoid the saturated fat that contributes to heart disease and to prevent overweight.

But while such diets may be healthy, they usually mean skimping on the meat, ice cream, pastries and other tasty things most Americans think are good food.

"For Americans, low-fat diets are not close to reality. They find low-fat diets unpalatable," said Dr. Scott M. Grundy, who described his work recently at a meeting of the American Heart Association.

Grundy, co-author of past dietary statements by the association and director of the Center for Human Nutrition at the University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center in Dallas, has been searching for safe fats that can take place of the dangerous ones Americans like so much.

Typically, sensible eating plans urge people to restrict fat intake to 30 percent of their total daily intake of calories, and suggest that fat consumption be divided roughly equally between the three major kinds: saturated, polunsaturated and monounsaturated.

Saturated fat is found in relatively high quantities in meat and foods that contain butter fat or palm oil. The body converts this fat to cholesterol, and it clogs the arteries that supply the heart, leading to heart attacks.

Grundy said two imporant substitutes for saturated fat should be monounsaturated fat and stearic acid.

Monounsaturated fat is found in olive oil, canola oil and some forms of safflower oil and sunflower seed oil. Grundy's studies have shown that eating monounsaturates will lower the body's levels of low-density lipoprotein, or LDL, the so-called bad cholesterol that contributes to heart disease. But unlike polyunsaturated fat, it does not lower HDL, the good cholesterol that protects people from heart trouble.

Stearic acid is found in meat and other foods. While it is a saturated fat, Grundy's work has shown that it does not raise cholesterol. He said that it should take the place of palm oil in margarine and shortening.

Other research shows that a sterol, or an unsaturated alcohol, produced by plants can be added to eggs, preventing the body from absorbing the cholesterol in egg yolks, Grundy said.

Fat substitutes are also being developed that are entirely calorie-free, and meat producers are starting to raise low-fat beef.

This does not mean, however, that people will be able to eat fat with abandon, Grundy said.

Women using tests for sex selection

By PHYLLIS BATTELLE
Hearst News Service

NEW YORK — Only four short years ago, in Philadelphia, a medical geneticist, Marie Barr, was approached by a pregnant woman who wanted a pre-natal test. Such tests are meant to detect possible physical defects in the fetus. They also can define the sex of the baby, a fact that most honorable doctors are reluctant to divulge to patients.

"I asked the woman and her husband if they wanted to know the sex of the baby," Barr recalled. "They said they did, but assured me the sex did not matter."

When the woman failed to appear for a follow-up ultrasound scan the next week, "I called her. And she said she had aborted. It was a boy, and they had wanted a girl...I was outraged! It is a warning to us to be careful."

In developing tests that determine the sex of fetuses within a few weeks of conception, medical science has unleashed a terrible technological tiger. And, as careful as most gynecologists try to be in screening the motives of applicants for the sex-determination procedures, more and more women are seeking abortions, on the basis of fetal gender alone.

National surveys show that medical geneticists who approve of pre-natal diagnosis for sex selection rose from 1 percent in 1973 to nearly 20 percent in 1988. This represents "a major change in medical attitudes and practice," according to a recent New York Times report.

Doctors interviewed report that women of Indian and Asian descent are, thus far, the ones most likely to ask openly for the tests: "These women almost always want to have a boy," they said.

An Analysis

Women of other ethnic backgrounds are less open about stating a preference, and one geneticist, Dr. Laird Jackson of Jefferson Medical College in Philadelphia, notes that while "virtually all of the babies ultimately born to Indian patients are males, for other patients, the ratio of males to females is about 50-50."

Ethicists have worried about the dangers of geneticists' "advances" in this field for years. "Tampering with the natural mysteries of life," Britain's Colin Rose said a decade ago, "is obviously not altogether respectable."

Like most other science-followers, he predicted that if allowed to go too far sex pre-selection would skewer the world's populations, to an overabundance of males and a shortage of females.

The late anthropologist, Margaret Mead, agreed. "Since the beginning of time," she told me in a 1978 interview, "boys have been the preferred choice for first-borns. In some cultures, in fact, unwanted girls were actually abandoned."

Americans were more tolerant. "We have always wanted both sexes in the family, usually preferring a boy first and are rarely deeply disappointed to get a girl."

She added that the women's movement had upgraded the female status enormously in this country and felt that if pre-selection became a reality, the ratio of wanted boys-to-girls would depend on the tenor of the times: "Historically, during periods of transition or fundamental change in the mores of societies, parents have preferred girls. This is because parents don't know what a boy will do during change," Dr. Mead said, "but girls have been less likely to react strongly against tradition. They represent stability."

But remember, the famed anthropologist made that comment 10 years ago. Some of today's contemporary mothers are in the forefront of the changes in tradition that are resulting in abortion-by-sex. It is they who are demanding, sometimes by devious means, to know the gender of their unborn fetuses for the purpose of giving birth to exactly the kind of family they want.

Most doctors say they would never conduct such tests if they thought a sex-selection abortion might result, but "what we are talking about is a collision course, which pits a patient's autonomy and the right to do what she wants with her own body, against the broader issue of social responsibility," says one geneticist. And women will lie, if necessary, about their motives.

"It's all a part of the 'perfect baby syndrome,'" geneticist Joan Marks has said. Prospective mothers say they want to be sure the fetus doesn't have Down's Syndrome, hemophilia or muscular dystrophy they sometimes even make up stories of previous children with birth defects to put themselves in the high risk category, therefore eligible for pre-natal diagnosis. "They make up stories. Then the truth usually comes out later when they abort a healthy baby."

Some doctors say that they cannot ethically turn down women's requests for pre-natal tests, especially as more and more career women wait until they are in the mid-30s or even early-40s to conceive. After age 35, the risk of genetic defects rises substantially, and some doctors even consider "maternal anxiety" reason enough for testing.

Doctors, dentists discovering patients frustrated by waiting

By CATHERINE DRESSLER

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Leon Johnson had a bruised chest when he went to see the doctor, but waiting two hours for treatment made him sick to his stomach.

"I finally did get treated by the doctor, but I was so upset by the time he was through I didn't care whether it hurt or not. I just told him off," said Johnson, 74, of Oakhurst, Calif.

"He was too busy for me and I didn't need his services that bad. It is particularly frustrating to some of us senior citizens who don't have that much time left to wait."

In the face of increasing competition, some doctors and dentists are becoming more concerned about time-conscious patients like Johnson and are taking a cue from hard-driving executives on how to manage time.

"People have become more sensitized to the consumer age and realize that patients aren't going to wait. They're going to go somewhere else," said Mark Samuels, a dentist who teaches practice administration at the University of Pittsburgh's dental school.

To determine how long patients wait, time management expert Michael Fortino recently kept track of how much time 350 patients spent in the waiting rooms of 75 general practitioners and 90 dentists in the Pittsburgh area.

Fortino, president of the consulting firm Priority Management Pittsburgh Inc., found that 61 percent of the general practitioners and 43 percent of the dentists ran late. The average wait was 14 to 17 minutes beyond the scheduled time for a physical exam, and nine to 16 minutes for a dental checkup.

However, the patients imagined they had waited more than twice as long as they actually did, with those in the dental office estimating they spent 45 to 50 minutes in the waiting room, Fortino said.

Once patients left the waiting room they spent a half-hour detailing their medical histories, having vital statistics taken, waiting for the doctor in examining rooms and paying their bill.

They actually saw the doctor for about 13 minutes.

Fortino, who has consulted with doctors and led seminars for them, said tardy patients sometimes throw a schedule off, but physicians who chronically run late often fail to schedule enough time for patients.

"They are misjudging the amount of time needed for each patient," he said. "They're overbooking their schedules."

Dr. George L. Collins Jr. of Eden, N.Y., secretary-treasurer ofthe American Medical Association, said physicians often are not at fault when they run late. "It's not like working in the bank from nine to five. There are all kinds of things that can happen in a day to throw your schedule off."

Emergencies can be common, said Collins, who recently retired after 33 years as a cardiologist. "Every physician hates to be behind. It's not something they do out of selfish reasons."

Dr. Paul Eckstein, a dentist for 30 years in nearby Valencia, prides himself on sticking to his schedule. "Once in a while you get tied up, but we don't usually schedule more patients than we can see in the alotted time."

Still, most medical schools don't consider teaching management skills a high priority, and most doctors must learn the business side of medicine as they practice, Samuels said. In 1987, 18.9 percent of U.S. medical schools offered courses in practice management, according to the Association of American Medical Colleges.

Atom smasher bombards tumors

BATAVIA, Ill. (AP) — The Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory lost out in the battle to house the world's largest atom smasher, but developed what officials say is the world's smallest — to bombard cancer.

"It's the first accelerator built exclusively for medical treatment," FermiLab spokeswoman Barbara Lach said of the $60 million cyclotron being built here for the Loma Linda University Medical Center in California.

With conventional radiation — X-rays and gamma rays — the beams go right through the patient, said Loma Linda spokesman Dick Schaefer. "We're losing 100,000 people in the United States alone because we can't put enough radiation on the tumor without doing too much damage to the good tissue."

Proton beams, however, "come through good tissue at a tremendous rate of speed and come to a stop" at the directed target, Schaefer said. The Loma Linda accelerator will deliver 250 million electron volts.

Proton therapy and neutron therapy so far available only through hospitals with access to major physics laboratories. Neutron therapy, provided since 1976 to patients at Fermilab's Neutron Therapy Facility, is available at a handful of U.S. hospitals, said Fermilab physicist Arlene Lennox. "We've had people from India...the Philippines" and all 50 states for treatment, she said.

"There has been talk of running it 24 hours a day because of the expected interest," said Schaefer. Loma Linda is expected to take delivery this summer.

"It's been an international effort to benefit mankind," he said. Researchers from Sweden, Switzerland, Japan, the Soviet Union and various parts of the United States contributed to the project.

The facility carried an initial pricetag of $40 million, since augmented by $20 million from the U.S. Energy Department, Ms. Lennox said.

At 50 tons, it really is small only in accelerator terms.

Dermatologist recommends skiers use sun screen

NEW YORK (AP) — Skiers are just as likely as beachgoers to get sunburned and suffer premature wrinkling or even skin cancer, says James Leyden, a University of Pennsylvania dermatologist.

Leyden says that although more of the sun's harmful ultraviolet rays reach the earth during the summer months, "UV dosage increases by about 5 percent for every 1,000 feet above sea level, and the snow reflects up to 90 percent of these rays, thereby intensifying the potential for skin damage."

Leyden, a consultant for Avon Products, suggests that skiers use a sunscreen with a sun protection factor of at least 15, paying special attention to sun-sensitive spots such as the nose, ears and eye area. Apply sunscreen at least 15 minutes before going outdoors to allow it time to form a more uniform barrier.

He suggests wearing sunglasses that offer maximum UV protection. Eyelids are not only prone to burn, he says, but recent studies have linked cateracts to sun exposure.

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STATE IN BRIEF

Case dropped against state prison director

HOUSTON (AP) — A contempt of court citation filed against the state prison director for failing to implement the Texas Department of Corrections "boot camp" program was dismissed a day after the TDC opened the new facility.

State District Judge Ted Poe held prison director James Lynaugh in contempt in December 1987 after he sentenced two non-violent offenders to the boot camp and they were, instead, placed with the general prison population.

Poe said Tuesday that it was "interesting to note that the camp began the day before this hearing."

The 90-day Special Alternative Incarceration Program is for male offenders ages 17 through 26 who have not been to prison before. The program is designed to give them a taste of prison life without letting them serve time with older, hardened criminals.

A former trusty camp was remodeled to house the 200-bed boot camp program. The participants will find strict discipline and rigorous physical labor similar to military boot camp.

Michael Hodge, an assistant with the state attorney general's office, said the problem with the boot camp starting was that the Legislature authorized the program but failed to provide funding.

Clements at SSC ceremony

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov. Bill Clements on Wednesday participated in the signing ceremony in Washinton at which Texas was officially designated as the site for the superconducting super collider.

"This is a big day for our state and a great day for the scientific community across the country," Clements said. "We've worked long and hard to bring this project home — home to Texas."

Clements said in a statement the atom-smasher project would create 4,500 construction jobs and 2,500 permanent jobs and add $658 million to the annual gross state product.

Treasurer wants state post

HOUSTON (AP) — Harris County treasurer Nikki Van Hightower said she is seriously considering running for Texas state treasurer in 1990.

Ms. Van Hightower, 49, a Democrat who was elected to the county office in 1986, said Tuesday she is researching the current state of the law regarding whether county officials must resign to run for other offices.

The U.S. Supreme Court in 1982, overturning lower court decisions, upheld a provision in the Texas state constitution requiring immediate resignation of county officials who sought other offices while more than one year remained in their county terms.

The 1990 Democratic primary is March 8, with filing deadline Jan. 2 of that year, which would be the last year of her county term. Ms. Van Hightower presumably would have to hold off her entry into the race until filing deadline.

Ms. Van Hightower said she won't seek the state office if the race requires her to resign.

Her race also is contingent on Texas Treasurer Ann Richards giving up the office to run for governor in 1990.

Man denied jail release

MADISON, Neb. (AP) — A Pilger man fighting extradition to Texas on charges in the beating death of a Houston man has lost his bid to be released from the Madison County Jail.

County Judge Phillip Riley denied the writ of habeus corpus Tuesday sought by Ronald D. Smith Jr., who has been held on a $200,000 bond since his arrest Oct. 6.

If there is no appeal, Smith will be returned to Texas, where he was indicted by a grand jury, said Deputy Madison County Attorney Joe Smith.

Robert W. Busch, 34, of Wisner and Smith, 20, were indicted on a charge of aggravated assault. Busch waived extradition Dec. 2 and was returned to Texas.

Charles L. King, 35, died after he was struck by a blackjack during a robbery, according to the indictment.

Concert promoter arrested

ATHENS, Ga. (AP) — A Texas man was arrested Wednesday and charged with violating the Georgia Charitable Contributions and Solicitation Act of 1988 through his promotion of a series of benefit concerts last year.

Gilbert Lawrence, 40, of Houston, was arrested on a misdemeanor bad check charge, a felony bad check charge and a felony theft by conversion charge under the charity act. The charges stemmed from a series of Beatlemania concerts he promoted last August and September for the Athens Council for the Blind.

Police spokeswoman Kathy Lawrence, who is not related to the Texas man, said Lawrence may face additional charges following a joint investigation being conducted by Athens police and the business services and regulation division of the Georgia Secretary of State's office.

Lawrence allegedly bilked the Council for the Blind out of $4,000 during the promotion of the concerts, said Athens police Lt. Lawrence McCrary. He said the amount of money involved "could go up substantially" as the investigation continues.

Lawrence was being held on $60,000 bond in the Clark County jail.

Newspaper launching club to commemorate men named George

Hearst News Service

SAN ANTONIO — In San Antonio, there happen to be a lot of men named George. Particulary well-known Georges.

For this reason, the San Antonio Light will launch The George Club at the Olmos Pharmacy on Friday, the day that George Bush is inaugurated president of the United States. Invited participants will receive Founding Member certificates at the event.

"Call it fate, call it what you will. But remember, this day marks only the second time in exactly 200 years that one of our own has risen to the presidency of the United States, so we're gathering an invited group of San Antonio Georges to celebrate the occasion," noted George Stalle, founder of The George Club and Special Projects Director of the Light. The group will have no political affiliation.

Up to 34 San Antonio Georges (only 34 because the drugstore's soda fountain has counter and booth space for that many) will attend the 10 a.m. event, billed as a "Kinder, Gentler Brunch." Television sets will be placed at either end of the soda fountain so that George Club memebers can watch the inauguration. The Olmos Pharmacy, founded in 1938, is one of San Antonio's oldest and best-know corner drugstores.

Among the San Antonio Georges who will attend the event are George B. Irish, publisher of the San Antonio Light; George Becker, chairman, Sea World of Texas; and George Cisneros, artist and brother of Henry Cisneros, the city's mayor.

Other receiving founding memberships will be George McKenzie, sportscaster for KMOL-TV (NBC); George Jennings, reporter for WOAI news radio; George Shipley, political consultant; and George Stone, the establishment's pharmacist.

Founder Stalle will read letters from celebrity Georges across the country. Stalle has requested anecdotes from each George about the significance of the name in their life.

Irving Fein, manager of George Burns, has sent a letter authorizing Burns as Member No. 6.

"Just think about it," Stalle noted. "Being a George has reaped political stardom for George Bush, millions for George Lucas, and fashion recognition for Giorgi Armani. The only sad part to report is that I can't find a single rocket scientist in history named George."

Stalle also cited other successful Georges: Sir Georg Solti, conductor of the Chicago Symphony; George Brett of the Kansas City Royals; Sen. George Mitchell, the new Senate majority leader; and political columnist George Will.

History has given the name great honor. These include President George Washington, 10 defenders of the Alamo named George, composer George Gershwin, author George Bernard Shaw and St. George the Dragonslayer. All are recorded in the colorful annals of George history.

Citing the memory and legend of Curious George, Stall said that the motto of the new club will be "Still Curious After All These Years."

Interested Georges are invited to write for George Club memebership certificates by sending a self-addressed, stamped envelope to The George Club, c/o The San Antonio Light, P.O. Box 161, San Antonio, Texas 78291.

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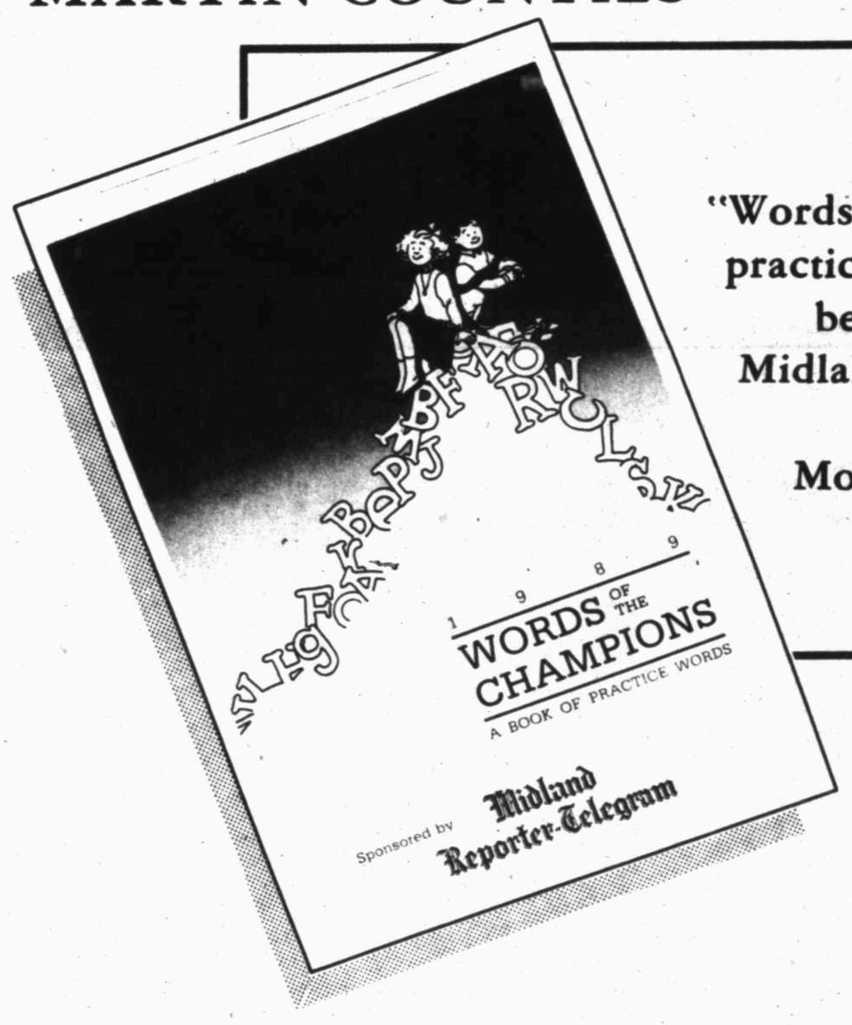
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niche — (noun) "Trying to find a 'niche' in life," is an expression someone might use when referring to career goals. A "niche" is a place, condition of life or employment, or position suitable for the capabilities of a person. It is a situation or place where a person "fits in" or "feels comfortable." The origin of "niche" can be traced back to the Latin word "nidus" or "nest." Another meaning of "niche" is a recess or hollowed space in a wall, often made to display a statue or other ornament.

Column provided courtesy of Lawrence Institute of Technology and The Detroit News

Police investigating El Pasoans' abductions

EL PASO (AP) — Police on both sides of the border are trying to figure out why a group of Mexicans kidnapped four El Pasoans visiting Ciudad Juarez, tortured one victim for a week and demanded a total ransom of $12,000.

State judicial police in Juarez had one suspect in custody Wednesday, but they had not yet questioned the man because he had been shot in the chest in a gunfight with police Tuesday.

Two boys, ages 3 and 5, and a man were released the day of the Jan. 11 abduction after the boys' mother gave two kidnappers more than $2,000 ransom. But the boys' father, Danny Jose Duran, remained in captivity until after Mexican police got into a gunbattle with suspects Tuesday afternoon in downtown Juarez. The kidnappers had demanded $10,000 for Duran.

Duran, 28, was released by his captors Tuesday afternoon in the village of Zaragoza, southeast of Juarez. He rode a bus downtown, walked across an international bridge and called some friends, who took him to a hospital, Lt. Paul Saucedo of El Paso police said Wednesday.

"It appears he had been tortured," Saucedo said. "His face was bruised, his hands were swollen and he had several burn marks around his body. They appeared to be from a cattle prod-type device."

He said police don't understand why the kidnappers chose those particular victims, and that family members deny knowing the kidnappers or owing them money.

"The family claims they have no reason for this to happen," he said.

Duran, an unidentified friend and Duran's two sons were visiting Juarez Jan. 11 when they were kidnapped by several men wearing military uniforms, Saucedo said he was told.

Duran's wife — who police declined to identify — told police two Mexican men barged into her El Paso home the evening of the kidnapping and demanded $2,000 cash. They said they knew where the cash was and took it, along with a videocassette recorder and a television set, Saucedo said.

Duran's sons and friend were released unharmed near their El Paso homes about midnight Jan. 11, he said.

Monday, the abductors called Ms. Duran and demanded $10,000 for her husband's release, Saucedo said. She then called El Paso police, who notified state judicial police in Juarez.

Duran's relatives negotiated a dropoff of the ransom money Monday, but the deal fell through, Saucedo said.

On Tuesday, the kidnappers appeared at the dropoff site in downtown Juarez, and several police officers staking out the scene moved in to arrest the three suspects, said Jose Refugio Rubalcava, commander of the state police in Juarez.

In the ensuing gunfight, a police officer shot one suspect in the right side of the chest, Rubalcava said. The suspect, identified as Antonio Marquez Zepeda, 28, was charged with kidnapping, he said.

Marquez Zepeda, a professional wrestler and bus driver in Juarez, was in stable condition Wednesday at Juarez General Hospital, Rubalcava said. No one else was injured.

Two other suspects escaped from the shootout scene in a pickup truck and then on foot, he said.

About an hour after the noontime shootout, Duran's kidnappers put him in a car and drove around before dropping him off in Zaragoza, Saucedo said. He added that Duran was blindfolded throughout the weeklong ordeal and does not know where he was held.

Law enforcement officials refused to release the names of Duran's kidnapped friend, of his wife or of his two children.

"We're really worried about the welfare of the family," Saucedo said, adding the family has been relocated temporarily.

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110 LODGE NOTICES

Acacia Masonic Lodge #1414. 1000 Upland. Stated Meetings 2nd & 4th Tuesday, 7:30 pm. Work in Entered Apprentic Degree, Monday, January 23rd; Fellowship, 6:30 pm; Work, 7 pm. Visiting masons welcome. Ron Yeager, W.M. J.H. Beaty, Secretary

The Midland Shrine Club, 2019 Trade Drive. Regular stated meeting third Thursday each month - January 19th, 1989. Hospitality 6:30 pm. Catered dinner 7 pm. Business meeting 8 pm. All nobles and their ladies invited. Ron Yeager, President, Rex Perkins, Secretary.

Midland Lodge 623 AF & AM, 1600 W. Wall, 682-3292. Saturday, January 21, Texas Lodge of Research, 10:30 AM. Thursday, January 26th, dinner at 6:30 pm. All knife and fork masons welcome. Tom Vannaman, W.M. R. G. Kiker, Secretary

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Keystone Chapter & Council R.A.M. & R.S.M. 1st Tuesday of month, 7:30 p.m. Midland Commandery #84 1st Thursday of month, 7:30 p.m. Practice Wednesday nights 7:30 p.m.

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Any banking corporation, association or individual banker desiring to be designated as County Depository shall make and deliver to the County Judge on or before February 13, 1989 at 9:00 a.m., an application to be designated as such depository. The application shall be accompanied by a statement as to the amount of paid up capital stock and permanent surplus of said bank and a statement showing the financial condition of said bank on the date of said application. The application shall also be accompanied by a certified check of not less than one-half of one percent of the County's revenue for the preceding year as a guarantee of the good faith on the part of said bank, and that if said bank is accepted as county depository, that it will enter into the required bond.

DATED at Midland, Texas, this 16th day of January, 1989.

William B. Ahders, County Judge
Midland County, Texas
January 19, 26, 1989
February 2, 9, 1989

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Alfrieda Manns

The residence of such Independent Executrix is Midland County, Texas. The Post Office Address is:

c/o Boldrick & Clifton
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All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within and time ...id in the manner prescribed by law.

DATED this 16th day of January, 1989.

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JANUARY 19, 1989

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HAVE openings for three hairdressers. Lease $65 weekly. House of Beauty, 2308 W. Michigan. Next door to the new Luskey's. Call Marian Jennings 684-4881, home 694-7695.

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150 LOST & FOUND

LOST: Black and gray striped cat, neutered male, 2 years old. Area of 3500 Princeton. Reward! 694-4325.

LOST: 2 Boston Terriers, male and female. Reward offered. Thompson drive/ Loop 250. Call 699-6412.

LOST: male Miniature Schnauzer, salt and pepper, red collar and tags. Answers to Rambo. 685-0745.

LOST: In Los Colinas, Wadley and Godfrey area, 14 week old blonde female Cocker Spaniel weacing a yellow collar. Large Reward. Please call 699-6966.

LOST: REWARD
PLEASE HELP ME FIND MY PUPPY!
Approximately 3 year old COCKER SPANIEL, buff colored. Last wearing red collar, no tags. Lost in vicinity of Midkiff and Sycamore approximately 3 weeks ago.
682-2685 or 689-8178 evenings

LOST: White Samoyed with pink nose, female. Vicinity of Midkiff and Neely. Call 694-8398.

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LOST: female seal point Siamese cat, 15 years old. Near Maxwell and Midkiff. Reward!! 697-2752.

FOUND: kitten, six months, light colored Taby/ tortoise shell in vicinity of "D"/ Stanolind. 687-2302 after 5 days 687-7727.

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210 General Help Wanted

AVON; work full-time, part-time, any time. Will help you get started. Evon, 699-2075!

DO WINDSHIELD repairs full or part-time, excellent income. Be your own boss, $500 investment. 368-5222, Odessa.

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High School Degree or equivalent. Must be neat and well-groomed. Requires knowledge of all facets and ground tree and plant care. Familiarity with applications and proper usage of chemical fertilizer, herbicides, pesticides. Must know how to maintain sprinkler systems and yard vehicles. General maintenance a strong plus. Non-smoker preferred. Position available immediately. Applications accepted in person only Monday - Saturday 9 - 5 pm at:
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Midland, Texas 79702

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To be live-in companion for disabled female college student. Must have drivers license. Good salary.
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Immediate opening for 15 sharp guys and girls to travel U.S. major cities with unique business group. Must be 18 years or older, single, well groomed and free to start immediately. Return trip guaranteed.
For personal interview call Stacy Montoya at 697-3236 or apply in person at the Metro Inn, 3708 W. Wall between 10am - 5pm; Wed. - Fri.
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FIELD ENGINEER
Midland based stimulation service company has immediate opening. Applicant must have BS in engineering, and prior stimulation in field and fluid experience. Good salary, benefits, and advancement opportunity.
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Midland, Tx, 79701

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■ MUST HAVE OWN TOOLS
■ GOOD PAY & BENEFITS
■ EXPERIENCED ONLY
683-3007

TOP PAY for person motivated enough to manage our tire stores. Apply in person: 2804 West Wall 8 - 10 AM.

WANTED: Mature women to babysit 16 month old boy in my home, Monday thru Friday, 6:15 am - 4:00 pm. Pay $60 weekly. 686-8736.

EXPERIENCED BRICKLAYERS
Must have at least one year experience.
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9:00 AM - 11:00 AM
4500 West Illinois, Suite 200
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Excellent Opportunity for Individuals With 2 - 3 hours to Spare
In the Early Afternoons Monday - Friday & the Early Mornings Saturday & Sunday.
Routes Are Available in Odessa, Midkiff & the Downtown Midland Area.
Must Be Dependable And Have Reliable Transportation.
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212Professional Help Wanted

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Mrs. Wolf
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210 General Help Wanted

HOT SHOT RIG
Rig & Driver needed to move 8 & 12 ft., empty trailers, 48 states. Call (512)261-5063.

DRIVERS - Tractor Trailer
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Monday - Friday

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10 AM - 5 PM

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FINANCIAL Services company expanding operations in the Permian Basin. Quality of character much more important than job experience. Excellent income and benefits. Full time, part-time and management positions available now. Send resume to: Attention Bill, 2740 West County Road, # 8, Odessa, Texas, 79763.

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• Minimum 3 years experience in Sign Instillation/ Repair.
• Must also have welding experience,
• At lease 3 verifiable references.
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THE Permian Basin Center For Battered Women and Their Children has an opening for a part time Children's Program Assistant. Must have a Bachelor's Degree in Child Development, Behavioral Science or Education and one year experience working with preschool children and their families. Will assist in providing support groups for children also intake and statistical recording procedures. Send Resumes to: PO Box 2942, Midland, Texas 79702 by January 30th.

211 Medical Help Wanted

RN'S for Odessa/ Midland for intermittent visits. Home health aids, state certified. Live-ins and part time companions. Visiting Nurse Service 689-6693, Mavis Felix-Walton, Nurse coordinator.

WANTED: Registered nurses for skilled long term care facility. Experience preferred but not required. Starting salary $12.50 per hour. Automatic raise in 90 days. For interview, contact Mary Ann at 333-4511.

RN Weekend release. Day shift available. Parks Good Samaratian. Call 563-5707 for appointment.

POSITION Opening in May for an experienced Medical Transcriptionist for busy clinic. At least one year experience as a Medical Transcriptionist required. Also, some knowledge of completing disability forms a plus. Please send resume' to Medical Transcriptionist. Attention Debbi Willis, 2103 W. Michigan, Midland, Texas 79701.

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DENTAL HYGIENIST needed, full-time on a 4 day work week. Send replies to: BOX E-04, c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

DENTAL ASSISTANT. PART OR FULL TIME FOR 2 DOCTORS. EXPERIENCE IN FRONT DESK AND CHAIRSIDE ORTHODONTIC EXPERIENCE HELPFUL. CALL 685-3014.

220 Sales Help Wanted

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The Midland Reporter-Telegram is looking for an organized and creative self-starter to join their "Buyer's Digest" advertising department. This individual must have sales and planning experience with a good educational background.
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Midland, TX 79702
ATTN: Christina McCarver
Or come by our office at 201 E. Illinois, Midland and fill out an application.
Successful applicants will be contacted for interview.
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212Professional Help Wanted

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Midland, Texas 79702.

PERSONABLE Individual needed for busy Chiropractic office. Must have good bookkeeping, clerical and insurance background. For more details call 337-4512.

GRANDY'S IS HIRING!
RESTAURANT MANAGERS
Call Debbie Shelton
(214) 317-8149

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Person wanted for research of motor vehicle accidents under U.S. DOT contract in Midland County. Associate degree or accident investigation experience required. Some Physics, Math, Mechanical understanding desired. Job is 50% outdoor work. Entails vehicle and highway inspection and personal interviewing. Training provided. Salary $15,000 with incentive plan and benefits.
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Wanted by West coast Independent for West and North Texas gas gathering, drilling and production operations. Degreed or Non-degreed, with experience.
Send resume to: D.L. & E.
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Suite 440
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WANTED: Experienced people in the field of restaurant and supermarket equipment. Refrigeration knowledge a plus. Great pay and benefits with upward moving company. Immediate openings. Send resume to: 306 N. Fillmore, Amarillo, Texas, 79107. Or call 806-374-7077.

PERMIAN General Hospital Home Health Unit is accepting applications for contract Medical Social Work in Andrews, Texas. Must have Master's Degree in Social Work. Those interested, contact Uvonne Stevens, RN at 915-523-3476. EOE.

IMMEDIATE opening for Licensed Physical Therapist, on contract. At least one year experience in Physical Therapy is desired. Mileage reimbursable. Excellent pay. Please contact Permian General Hospital Home Health Unit at 915-523-3476. M - F, 8 - 5. EOE.

NIGHT auditor needed for Saturday - Sunday 11 PM - 7 AM. Apply at Ramada Hotel 5 PM daily 3100 West Wall.

216 Clerical

RECEPTIONIST wanted for an Independent Oil & Gas company. Benefits and paid parking. Salary DOE. Non-smoking office. Send resume to: Receptionist, P.O. Box 993, Midland, Texas, 79702.

PART-TIME Secretary. Choose your own hours. Must type 90 wpm, know Wordstar. Non-smoker preferred. Send replies to BOX D-15 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

FULL-CHARGE BOOKKEEPER
GROWING retail business needs experienced full charge bookkeeper. Responsibilities include general ledger, accounts payable, accounts receivable, payroll, inventory, and insurance forms. Minimum 5 years experience in Retail business. Send resumes, salary, and references to: Send replies to BOX E-02 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

RECEPTIONIST for optical shop. Approximately 32 - 35 hours a week. $4.00 per hour. Experience preferred but not necessary. Send resumes to: BOX E-05 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

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SHARP outgoing individual to work eight to ten hours a week. Grow at your own pace. Can earn as much as $100,000 a year. For appointment call 699-6617.

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220 Sales Help Wanted

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Established Rep. in the Midland/ Odessa area seeks Sales Representative with experience in this market. Must be comfortable with valves, controls and process equipment, with emphasis being placed on instrumentation knowledge. Familiarity with enhanced recovery in automation procedures is desired.
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Mr. Rollman will be in Midland accepting applications for 5 people to work with young progressive chemical company. Travel all 50 states with Foreign travel possible. Guarantee pay during training period with above average earnings there after. Transportation furnished with return guaranteed. Rapid advancement for young executives on the move. Must be unencumbered, free to travel.
For immediate interview, apply in person only to:
James Rollman, Friday, January 20, and Saturday, January 21, 10:00 - 4:00, Midland Holiday Inn T-Dome - 3904 W. Wall

230 Situations Wanted

PUMPER with 15 years experience seeking employment. Workovers, installing production equipment. Contract/ Company. 697-8740 nights.

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300 Automobiles-Domestic

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Carriage top, all equipment, in excellent condition, 26,000 miles.
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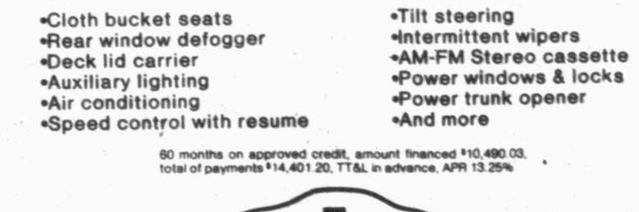
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410 Miscellaneous Sales

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AIRLINE Ticket for sale. Midland to JFK-New York. Must travel before February 8th, scheduling flexible, round-trip, $149. 699-4577 leave message on recorder.

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415 Miscellaneous Wanted

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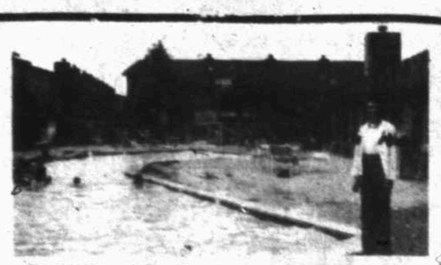
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Owner/ Agent
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