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O.J. defense

O.J. Simpson's defense to open case Monday with no obligation to point finger at anybody, but just raise reasonable doubt./9A

SPORTS

Graf takes title

Top-seeded Steffi Graf wins crucial 11th game of third set against Arantxa Sanchez Vicario for her sixth Wimbledon title./1C

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News Watch

Cityline Community Pulse

Flag burning

Last month, the House of Representatives approved a constitutional amendment that would allow states to make it a crime to desecrate the American flag. The Senate is expected to also pass the same legislation. Should U.S. citizens be allowed to destroy the American flag as a means of freedom of expression? Or should such destruction of a patriotic symbol be considered a crime? Call Cityline's Community Pulse Poll at 560-2400, Category 7655. If you feel Americans should be allowed to desecrate the flag if they so choose, press 1; if you feel such an act should be considered a crime, press 2. You will also have the chance to leave your comments after casting your vote. The Reporter-Telegram asks that you leave your name with your comments, but that is your choice. The non-scientific poll will remain open until noon Tuesday. Results will be published in Wednesday's Reporter-Telegram.

Military deployment

Percentage of U.S. active duty military force deployed in February 1995, and the actual number soldiers, sailors and airmen deployed.*

Army	4%	24,000
Navy	15%	84,000
Air Force	3%	11,000
Marines	8%	14,000
Total	9%	133,000

*These figures exclude the roughly 200,000 U.S. military personnel permanently stationed in Europe and the Pacific.

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New millionaire

AUSTIN — One ticket bought in Cleburne correctly matched all six numbers drawn Saturday night for the twice-weekly Lotto Texas game, state lottery officials said. The jackpot was worth $17 million. The numbers drawn from a field of 50 were: 2, 13, 17, 20, 37 and 48. Lottery officials estimate the jackpot for Wednesday night's game will be $4 million.

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U.S. activist could face execution

China charges human rights champion with espionage

■ Harry Wu, a Chinese-born American citizen who has secretly filmed abuses in Chinese prisons was detained June 19 when he tried to enter China.

Associated Press

BEIJING — After keeping U.S. officials from seeing a jailed American human rights activist for three weeks, China charged him Saturday with espionage — a crime punishable by death.

Harry Wu, 58, a Chinese-born American citizen who has secretly filmed abuses in Chinese prisons, was detained June 19 when he tried to enter China from Kazakhstan.

The government-run Xinhua News Agency reported that Wu was formally arrested and charged Saturday in the southeastern city of Wuhan — thousands of miles from the Kazakhstan border. It did not explain why or how he was taken to Wuhan.

The charges were "entering into China under false names, illegally obtaining China's state secrets and conducting criminal activities." Espionage carries a maximum penalty of death.

Xinhua said Wu used aliases to enter China several times in the past four years, went into areas off-limits to foreigners and "engaged in espionage and bought secret information and stole secret documents."

U.S.-China relations already are at a low point, battered by China's angry reaction to a visit last month to the United States by the president of Beijing's rival government in Taiwan. Suspicions that China is selling medium-range missiles to Pakistan are another chronic irritant.

Wu's arrest "represents a major escalation of China's confrontation with the West over human rights, especially the United States," said Robin Munro, a researcher with the New York-based group Human Rights Watch-Asia.

Please see ARREST/4A

People visit the memorial for Micheal and Alex Smith Saturday, at John D. Long lake where the boys drowned in their mother's car in October near Union, S.C. Below, Susan Smith to stand trial Monday for the murder of her two boys.

AP Laserphoto

Attorney seeks to paint mother as abuse victim

UNION, S.C. (AP) — The image of Susan Smith as a victim of abuse will be put to the test when her trial begins Monday.

Since the day he was hired, attorney David Bruck has focused on the mental state of the woman who drowned her two sons last year.

"Only someone who is crazy, who has something wrong with their head, could do this to their own children," Bruck said after Ms. Smith was indicted for murder in November.

Now, so she can avoid the death penalty, he must persuade a Union County jury to see her as a repentant, suicidal sex abuse victim, rather than a killer who watched her sons slowly disappear below the surface of John D. Long lake.

"That's (carjacking story) going to be something that will be hard for a jury to look past. They may say, 'She had to know what she did was wrong, because she lied about it.' "

— Dick Harpootlian
former prosecutor

The 23-year-old Ms. Smith already has taken her community on an emotional roller coaster.

For nine days, the rural mill town rallied behind her claim that a black carjacker had kidnapped her boys on the night of Oct. 25. Then the town turned against her when she confessed to rolling her car, with 3-year-old Michael and 14-month-old Alex strapped in their car seats, into the lake.

"Hold your head up! You're a baby murderer!," one woman shouted as Ms. Smith was escorted into the courthouse, a coat hiding her face.

Now that Ms. Smith's family secrets are common knowledge, some have softened

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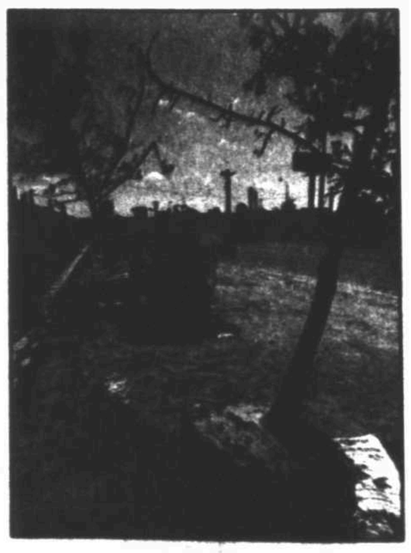

Trees await planting along Loop 250 at Midkiff Road as part of landscaping along the newly constructed roadway.

Curt Wilcott
Reporter-Telegram

Complimentary landscaping enhances loop

By Michael Kashgarian
Staff Writer

As the main lanes of Loop 250 pave the way for drivers through northwest Midland, complementary landscape work has been under way.

"We're really just trying to make a better roadway that will enhance Midland," said Laurie Williams, landscape architect for the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT).

Landscaping plans have been completed for the development of the loop just east of A Street to west Interstate 20. "Every phase (of the loop) that we're doing will have landscaping integrated into it," Ms. Williams said.

The recently opened portion of Loop 250 — from east of the Midkiff Road overpass to west of the Midland Drive overpass — has been undergoing landscape work.

In this district covered by TxDOT, landscaping had traditionally been performed following roadway construction. The loop is one of the first projects where the landscaping begins in conjunction with roadway construction, Ms. Williams said.

Landscaping along the Midkiff Road/Midland Drive section of the loop — which opened almost three weeks ago — is expected to be completed in four to six weeks.

As the roadway flows through a major urban area of Midland, landscaping helps blend the loop with its surroundings and prevents erosion as mandated by the federal government, Ms. Williams said.

About 175 trees — three to four inches in diameter and 10 to 15 feet tall — are being used. Varieties include live oaks, red oaks, Drake elms, Globe willows, redbuds, pinon pines and Bradford pears.

"We tried to select trees used in the areas adjacent to the roadway," Ms. Williams said. For example, pinon pines and oaks are being planted around the Midkiff Road interchange because of similar trees at the nearby mall and shopping centers.

Please see ENHANCE/4A

Independent first assistants cut costs, provide surgeons with experienced 'extra pair of hands'

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

Those "extra pair of hands" across from the surgeon in the operating room are those of the physician's first assistant, who increasingly is an independent, mobile practitioner.

"We are not here to be surgeons. We are not here to play doctor," said Wendy Evans, a 30-year-old certified first assistant (CFA) and certified surgical technician (CST) who operates an independent first-assistant business to serve surgeons and their patients.

"We are simply here to help cut the cost of health care by providing experienced services."

Commented her associate, Scott Brown: "If the doctor needs an extra pair of hands in surgery, that's who we are."

"We all are working together toward one goal: to get the patient out with a safe operation with the optimum results for that patient."

While surgeons often require hands-on assistance during surgery, in addition to a team of scrub and circulating nurses and the anesthesiologist or nurse anesthetist, the surgical first assistants often are independent specialists rather than surgeons or nurses who are trained in surgical assisting.

Dr. William L. McGavran III, a Midland neurosurgeon who uses independent surgical first assistants, including Ms. Evans, noted

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Wendy Evans, left, operates an independent first assistant business to serve surgeons. Scott Brown, right, is one of her associates.

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Serbs launch attack; government fire kills peacekeeper

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina (AP) — Rebel Serbs fired a barrage of tank shells and launched an infantry assault on the outskirts of an eastern Bosnian enclave Saturday. A U.N. peacekeeper was killed by government troops while fleeing the onslaught.

The Dutch soldier was the 67th peacekeeper killed in combat in the former Yugoslavia since 1992.

NATO warplanes were called in after Serbs attacked the enclave and shelled a U.N. observation post, but airstrikes were not requested, U.N. officials said.

The infantry assault followed a surge in Serb shelling of the enclave, which includes Srebrenica town, one of six U.N.-designated "safe areas" in which civilians are supposed to be spared from attack.

Bosnian radio claimed there were dozens of dead and wounded in the enclave, home to 42,000 Muslims, most of them refugees. Neither radio nor U.N. officials could elaborate on the casualty count.

More than 300 rounds hit the Srebrenica enclave overnight and Saturday morning, said Lt. Col. Gary Coward, a U.N. spokesman. Much of the Serb shelling was believed coming from a tank located about a mile from the town.

In the afternoon, Serb infantry launched an assault on the southeastern edge of the enclave, securing high ground overlooking the main road, Coward said.

A U.N. observation post in the area took four direct hits from Serb tank shells and was briefly surrounded before the group of about 15 Dutch peacekeepers was allowed to withdraw.

"After leaving the observation post the Dutch ran into an obstruction on the road placed by the Bosnian army. They were then fired upon by government soldiers," said Jim Landale, another U.N. spokesman.

The slain soldier was manning the gun on top of the peacekeepers' armored vehicle, Landale said.

Serb forces have been slowly pushing north into the enclave, trying to force government troops and peacekeepers back from high ground overlooking a key east-west supply route.

Even by the standards of the 3-year-old war, the situation in Bosnia has deteriorated dramatically over the last week.

On Wednesday, a rebel Serb plane, violating the "no-fly" zone over Bosnia, rocketed government-held territory in the northwest. On Thursday, hundreds of Serb shells rained down on peacekeepers and civilians in the U.N. "safe area" of Srebrenica. On Friday, European Union envoy Carl Bildt twice escaped injury when Bosnian Serbs opened fire on a road and later his U.N. helicopter.

"I was always slightly optimistic, but now we have to face reality," U.N. mediator Thorvald Stoltenberg told Associated Press Television in Geneva, where he attended a meeting of senior U.N. civilian and military officials.

In northwest Bosnia, the Bihac enclave was targeted by surface-to-air missiles for the second time in less than a week. There were no reported casualties.

AP Laserphoto

A Bosnian Serb soldier leads a packhorse with supplies for frontline troops near the village of Trnovo some 17 miles south of Sarajevo Saturday.

After yearlong goodbye to Kim, N. Korea can now look to future

By Laura King
Associated Press

■ News analysis

SEOUL, South Korea — On the first anniversary of leader Kim Il Sung's death, one of the world's biggest flags symbolized the end of a long goodbye.

Although North Korea marked Saturday's anniversary with solemn ceremonies and flowery tributes, the 60-by-90-foot red flag on the northern edge of the demilitarized zone flew at full height, not half-staff.

Kim remains a towering presence in the country he ruled for nearly half a century. But after a year — the traditional Korean mourning period — North Korea may finally be ready to look to its future.

The weekend's elaborate commemorations were carefully stage-managed to show the outside world that North Korea's authoritarian system remains intact and its hard-line political hierarchy is unchanged.

At the head of that hierarchy — in name, anyway — is Kim's son and designated heir, 53-year-old Kim Jong Il. He dutifully went through his paces this weekend, presiding over a series of stylized Stalinist rituals.

Preceded by goose-stepping soldiers, he snipped a thick red ribbon to inaugurate the memorial hall where his father's body lies in state for public view. Flanked by black-suited mourners, he listened — looking a bit bored — to long speeches pledging fealty to him in his father's eternal name.

He demonstrated no vigor, exuded no charisma. But no one expected him to. That's not his job.

Kim Jong Il still hasn't taken up his father's formal titles of president and communist party chairman. But speakers at the memorial service made it clear that he has already stepped into his most important role: that of stand-in for his father.

"He has fully inherited the idea, leadership and noble virtues of Comrade Kim Il Sung," intoned parliament speaker Yang Hyong Sop, while Kim fidgeted and gazed vaguely about.

For North Korea's leadership, just maintaining the status quo has been a feat. Upon Kim's death, it was just possible that North Koreans would seize the opportunity to rise up against one of the world's most oppressive regimes.

But there has been virtually no sign of open dissent among North Korea's 22 million people, politically indoctrinated since birth, tightly policed and struggling with daily hardships.

The Pyongyang government, while still capable of odd behavior, has shown a strong streak of pragmatism since Kim's death. It struck a deal to defuse a dangerous nuclear dispute. It is seeking better ties with the United States. And it is accepting food aid from rival South Korea and even despised Japan.

The North knows it must move to open its crippled economy, which is about 1/16th the size of South Korea's and shrinking. But the price of that is likely to be greater engagement with South Korea and the outside world.

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"For North Korea, opening its doors, especially to South Korea, can be a Trojan horse," said analyst Lee Jong-suk, a senior researcher at a government-funded think tank.

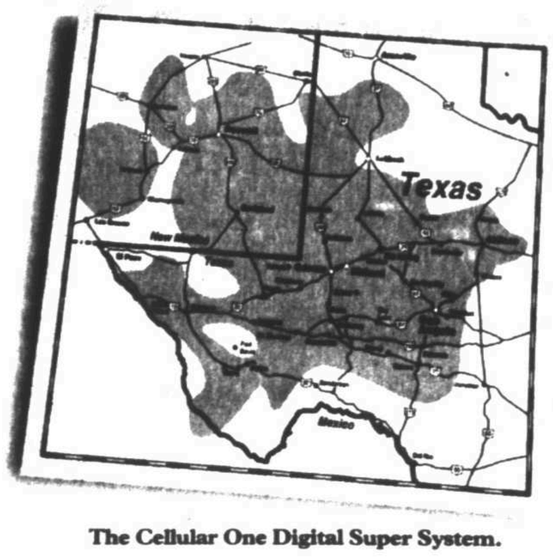
In South Korea, the anniversary of Kim's death slipped by almost unnoticed — a sharp contrast to a year ago, when word of the dictator's demise sent a wave of fear through the country.

Many worried at the time that Kim's death would trigger political upheaval that could spill southward — or even set off a second Korean War.

Now, though, South Koreans are preoccupied with domestic politics, the economy and disasters like a department store collapse that killed hundreds. Many say they hardly notice what's going on in the North.

"I just don't think about it as much now," said 38-year-old construction worker Kim Han-il, dangling his toddler in his lap as he sat in a downtown park. "We have our own problems."

"All I wonder about the North," said 58-year-old housewife Kim Ok-ja, a gold-capped tooth gleaming, "is how much money they're going to want from us one of these days!"



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Battle for wealth, power blocks development of Kazakhstan oil fields

By Greg Myre
Associated Press

ALMATY, Kazakhstan — In the salty, windswept desert of western Kazakhstan, snakes, lizards and camels wander one of the most barren landscapes on earth.

Temperatures soar to 130 degrees in summer and plummet to minus 30 in winter. There's no grass, no trees, no fresh water. And there was no reason for humans to be there — until they struck oil.

"It depends on how you look at it," American oilman Bob Williams says of the harsh terrain. "Some see it as stark beauty, others just see a hellhole."

Oil companies see the next Saudi Arabia.

Since Kazakhstan gained independence in the breakup of the Soviet Union, Americans and Europeans have come in hopes of extracting billions of dollars worth of oil from the Caspian Sea basin, some 1,200 miles west of Almaty, the capital. Among the U.S. companies are Chevron, Exxon, Mobil and Amoco.

The scramble has also provoked a heavyweight political battle featuring the governments of the United States, Russia, Kazakhstan, Iran and Turkey.

Neighboring Russia controls the only oil pipeline out of western Kazakhstan and is using its monopoly to limit exports. A second pipeline is needed somewhere in the region, but all proposals have been dragged down by increasingly bitter wrangling among the rival powers over the route.

The stakes could hardly be higher: The winners will make billions and control the flow of what could be one of the world's largest oil fields in the 21st century. If fully developed, the Caspian fields could change the shape of the oil industry and lessen Western dependence on the Middle East.

The most aggressive oil company has been Chevron, which has formed a joint venture with the Kazakh government to develop the Tengiz oil field on the northeastern coast of the Caspian.

The biggest of several fields in the region, Tengiz has an estimated 6 billion to 9 billion barrels of crude. That makes it one of the 10 largest oil fields in the world and the biggest to come into production since the Alaskan fields in the 1970s.

'In the decades to come, we believe Kazakhstan and the Caspian region will be one of the world's main sources of oil. We believe several pipelines will promote healthy competition in the transport of oil.'

— William Courtney, U.S. ambassador to Kazakhstan

Since the project began two years ago, Chevron has invested about $1 billion and plans to invest up to $20 billion over 40 years.

"It's a super-giant oil field," said Dale Wooddy, head of operations for the joint venture, TengizChevroil. "We are on the frontier of the oil patch."

But the pipeline dispute with Russia has limited exports to about 65,000 barrels a day, half of what was hoped for by now. The Kazakhs alone were exporting almost as much before Chevron arrived.

This year Chevron had planned to invest some $500 million, but slashed that to $50 million because it cannot increase its exports.

"We've essentially put on hold expansion of the Tengiz project," said Wooddy.

Russia seeks to develop its own oil reserves and says it can take only a limited amount of Kazakh oil through its pipeline. Also, Russia considers Kazakhstan and the Caspian region part of its sphere of influence and wants to maintain political and economic sway over the area.

"I don't rule out that there are political motives here to put Kazakhstan on its knees," Viacheslav Gizzatov, Kazakhstan's deputy foreign minister, said of Russia's policy.

One reason Russia has been so forceful in its war with Muslim separtists in Chechnya is that control of the Caucasus region is essential if Moscow wants to dictate oil export routes from the Caspian.

Everyone agrees on the need for an additional pipeline to handle increased output from the Caspian. Azerbaijan and Turkmenistan, two other states on the Caspian shoreline, also have huge oil and gas reserves that they seek to export as well.

"In the decades to come, we believe Kazakhstan and the Caspian region will be one of the world's main sources of oil," William Courtney, the U.S. ambassador to Kazakhstan, said recently. "We believe several pipelines will promote healthy competition in the transport of oil."

But where to build the second pipeline?

A pipeline through Russia to the Black Sea would probably be the most efficient route, but that would let Russia keep full control over the region's oil flow.

A proposed pipeline to Turkey and the Mediterranean would involve crossing the politically volatile Caucasus Mountains region.

Laying a pipeline through Iran to the Persian Gulf would face opposition from the U.S. government, which does not want to see the Iranians benefit from increased oil revenues or control over the flow of oil.

While the talks drag on, Chevron sits on its large pool of oil and waits.

Even at present levels, it is a huge operation with some 4,000 employees in the Tengiz field, including 180 Chevron specialists, mostly Americans.

It is a strange existence, with workers pulling 12-hour shifts, seven days a week. After 28 days of work, they get 28 days off. The Americans fly home, with most having roots either in Texas or near San Francisco, Chevron's headquarters.

In Tengiz, they live in dormitories with scant diversions, save a bar, a pool table, some televisions and occasional softball games. There are no towns or cities nearby, and workers have to rely largely on electronic mail and a fax machine to communicate with their families.

"It's taken a lot of work just to make it liveable year-round," said Williams, one of the top executives on the TengizChevroil project. "I'm not sure you'll ever be able to call it comfortable."

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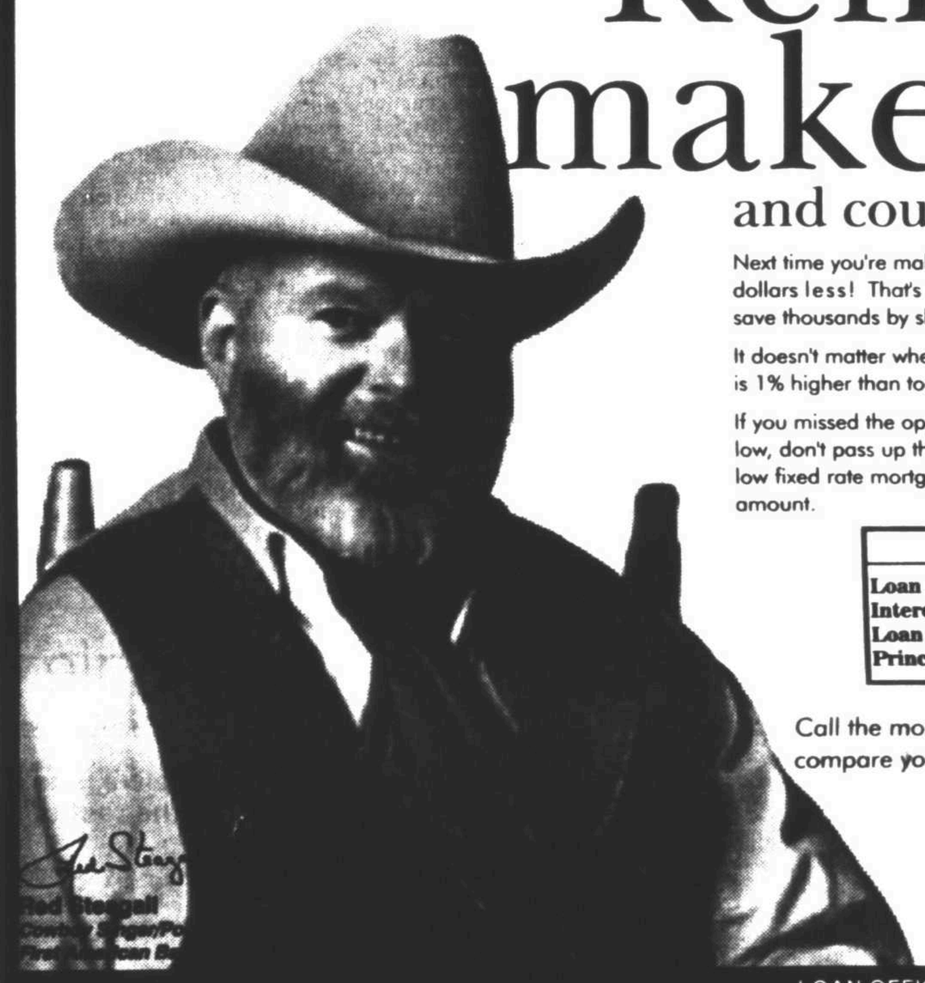

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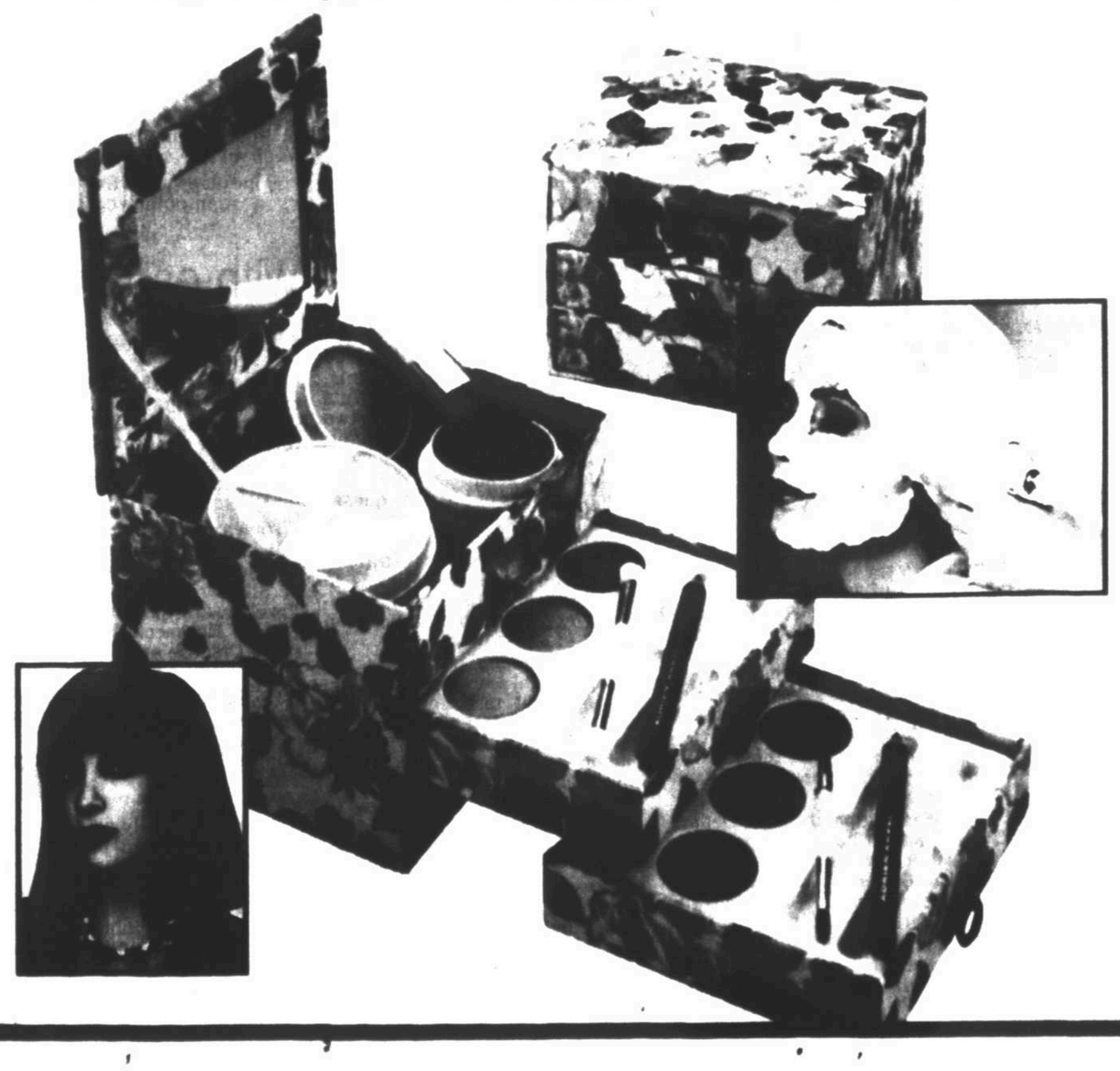

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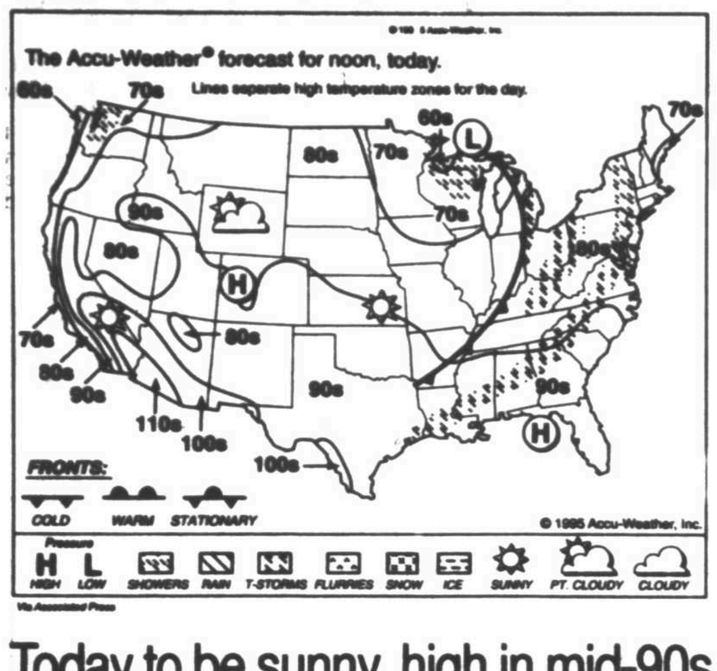

Via Associated Press

Today to be sunny, high in mid-90s

Staff Report

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

Tonight's forecast is mostly clear with a low in the mid-60s.

Monday's forecast is for mostly sunny skies with a high in the mid-90s, the NWS said.

After an overnight low of 65, Saturday's high reached 95, compared to the record high for that date of 103 set in 1964. The record low was 56 set in 1952.

STATE

Clear skies and afternoon temperatures in the 90s dominated the weather in the northern and western parts of Texas on Saturday.

The only notable clouds were in South Texas, where some isolated thunderstorms developed during the afternoon. Those didn't stop temperatures from climbing into the 90s, which felt hotter in the relatively balmy conditions.

Weather in West Texas and the Panhandle was dominated by high pressure that kept skies blue and the mercury rising. Fair nights and sunny days should continue with highs staying in the 90s, except in points along the Rio Grande where readings could top 100.

Light breezes prevailed statewide.

The National Weather Service said skies should be clear for most of the state today as fair, hot and humid become the rule further south. The only showers expected are in the mountainous areas in the southwestern part of the state.

Highs across North Texas are expected to near 100 across the region.

The heat has remained seasonable, as no weather records were tied or broken Saturday.

NATION

Strong thunderstorms with hail and high wind battered parts of the Midwest on Saturday, while showers fell across the West.

A line of thunderstorms stretched across the upper Midwest, with hail the size of half-dollars pelting Boone County, Neb.

Severe thunderstorms marched into Tennessee after bringing large hail and strong wind to southeastern Missouri. Marble- to golfball-size hail pummeled Corning County, Ark.

In the West, clouds and rain were spread along the coasts of Oregon and Washington, while light rain fell in central California, Nevada and Utah.

Thunderstorms developed in the Northeast along a line from extreme southeastern New York into northern Vermont.

A scattering of showers and thunderstorms was forecast from northern California to the Pacific Northwest.

Thunderstorms were also likely from the southern half of the Rockies to the lower Colorado River Valley and the far eastern Great Basin, and they were possible in the northern half of the Rockies and the adjacent eastern slopes.

Strong thunderstorms were expected from the northern Plains to the middle Mississippi River Valley, with tornadoes, large hail and up to 3 inches of rain possible in some areas.

More thunderstorms were forecast from the lower Mississippi River Valley into the Gulf Coast and southwestern Texas, and from the northern Florida coast into North Carolina.

The high temperature in the lower 48 was 103, in Palm Springs, Calif; the low was 38, in Marquette, Mich.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Today: Mostly sunny with a high in the mid-90s, winds south to southeast, 5-15 mph.
Tonight: Mostly clear with a low in the mid-60s.
Thursday: Mostly sunny with a high in the mid-90s.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:
Yesterday's High 95 degrees
Overnight Low 65 degrees
Sunset today . 8:58 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow 6:51 a.m.

Precipitation:
Last 24 hours 00.00
This month to date 1.48 inches
Year to date 07.16 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 p.m.	90	6 a.m.	65
7 p.m.	89	7 a.m.	70
8 p.m.	84	8 a.m.	75
9 p.m.	80	9 a.m.	78
10 p.m.	78	10 a.m.	82
11 p.m.	77	11 a.m.	85
midnight	75	noon	87
1 a.m.	74	1 p.m.	89
2 a.m.	71	2 p.m.	89
3 a.m.	70	3 p.m.	89
4 a.m.	67	4 p.m.	92
5 a.m.	66	5 p.m.	93
		6 p.m.	91

ULTRAVIOLET RAY READINGS:

10 a.m.	3
noon	7
2 p.m.	9
4 p.m.	9

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Area forecast

WEST TEXAS Panhandle South today, sunny. Highs in the mid to upper 90s. Tonight, mostly clear. Lows in the mid 60s. Monday, mostly sunny. Highs in the mid 90s. Monday night, fair. Lows in the upper 60s.

Border forecast

NEW MEXICO — Sunday and Sunday night, widely scattered afternoon and evening thunderstorms northern mountains and west. Fair skies east. Highs upper 70s to lower 90s mountains, 90s to near 100 elsewhere. Lows 40s and 50s mountains, upper 50s to lower 70s elsewhere. Monday and Monday night, widely scattered afternoon and early evening thunderstorms central mountains westward. Otherwise mostly fair east. Highs upper 70s to lower 90s mountains, 90s to near 100 elsewhere. Lows 40s and 50s mountains with upper 60s to lower 70s elsewhere.

WEST TEXAS — Sunday, mostly sunny. Highs around 100. Sunday night, clear. Lows upper 60s to mid 70s. Monday, mostly sunny. Highs around 100. Monday night, mostly clear. Lows in the lower 70s.

Texas temperatures

Highest temperature last 12 hours, lowest past 18 hours and precipitation for 24 hours ending at 7 p.m. CDT:

	Hi	Lo	Pcp.
Abilene	94	68	
Amarillo	93	63	
Austin	95	74	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	94	72	
Bryan-College Station	MM	75	
Corpus Christi	93	75	
Dallas 97	73		
El Paso	94	69	
Fort Worth	98	76	
Galveston	92	81	
Houston	94	72	
Lubbock	97	69	
McAllen	MM	77	
Mineral Wells	97	72	
Paris	94	73	
San Angelo	94	69	
San Antonio	91	74	
Victoria	93	75	
Waco	98	69	
Wichita Falls	99	72	
Wink	94	63	

Weather elsewhere

Temperatures indicate previous day's high and overnight low to 8 a.m. EDT:

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albuquerque	96	70	clr	
Atlanta	92	66	cdy	
Atlantic City	82	69	cdy	clr
Baltimore	89	68	cdy	cdy
Boston	89	68	clr	
Chicago	79	57	cdy	
Cincinnati	81	56	cdy	
Cleveland	78	61	cdy	
Columbia,S.C.	94	70	cdy	
Columbus,Ohio	81	54	cdy	
Denver	93	62	clr	
Detroit	75	54	cdy	m
Indianapolis	83	56	cdy	
Jackson,Miss.	91	70	clr	
Kansas City	89	73	cdy	
Las Vegas	109	84	clr	
Little Rock	93	75	clr	
Los Angeles	88	66	cdy	
Memphis	91	74	cdy	
Miami Beach	90	80	m	
Nashville	88	66	cdy	
New Orleans	96	73	clr	
New York City	79	70	.61	clr
Oklahoma City	95	68	clr	
Orlando	95	73	.19	cdy
Philadelphia	89	72	.03	clr
Phoenix	113	88	m	
Pittsburgh	81	60	cdy	
Sacramento	94	64	cdy	
St Louis	89	71	cdy	
Salt Lake City	98	69	cdy	
San Diego	74	63	cdy	
San Francisco	76	60	cdy	
Santa Fe	95	m	clr	
Seattle	75	59	m	
Shreveport	96	72	clr	
Tulsa	97	76	clr	
Washington,D.C.	87	68	.11	cdy

Pick 3 Texas

AUSTIN (AP) — The Pick 3 winning numbers drawn Thursday by the Texas Lottery, in order:

2-9-7

Lotto Texas

AUSTIN (AP) — The winning Lotto Texas numbers drawn Saturday by the Texas Lottery:

2-13-17-29-37-48

Estimated Lotto Texas jackpot: $17 million

HELP: First assistants cut costs, serve surgeons

(From 1A)

that the "first assistant is actually assisting with the operation, working with the surgeon in the wound, in the incision."

And it is the prerogative of the surgeon to decide if he or she needs a first assistant in a particular instance and who that person is.

"Some cases (need first assistants), some do not," he said. "Then, if you do, (it's a question of) who you feel most comfortable with and who is available."

And "out here in West Texas, the availability (of first assistants) is a major problem," McGavran said. "Quite frankly, in Midland, there are very few, if any, surgeons who are sitting around, waiting to be first assistants. All of us are very busy.

"If I needed an assistant for a case, it would be very difficult for me to get an M.D. associate to help me simply because all of my M.D. surgical associates are very busy in their own right."

Fortunately, "the surgical first assistants are immediately available," McGavran said. "They are very mobile; they can go to any facility that we want them to."

"A nurse can be an independent surgical first assistant, but you don't have to be a nurse," McGavran said.

In preparing for surgery, McGavran said, "I don't ask anyone to assist me in surgery in any light, whether it is anesthesia or surgical assistant, unless I am very confident about their abilities."

And first assistants "are a good, positive addition to the operating room."

The flexibility of an independent certified first assistant "makes them fully mobile. They are not tied, as employees, to any one organization or any one hospital. They can go to any hospital where a doctor requires their services.

"It's much like a CRNA, certified registered nurse anesthetist, who, instead of being employed by a single hospital, can go to any outpatient surgical facility or any hospital facility where their services are required.

"They take care of their own office administration, insurance, personal benefits. They are independent medical providers in the truest sense, just like a CRNA."

Michael Potter, administrator of Physicians & Surgeons Hospital, said physicians who practice surgery at hospitals often use independent first assistants.

But "not all cases require a first assistant," Potter said.

Brown and Ms. Evans were certified surgical technologists for years before the CFA — certified-first-assistant rating — became available in 1992.

"The reason the nursing profession didn't really take this (CFA) on is because the role that nurses play in the OR (operating room) in the surgical suite is one of a lot of legal paperwork," Brown, 35, said.

The demand for independent first assistants is increasing in part "since surgeons are no longer helping each other as much as they used to" and since insurance companies are more willing to pay the less-expensive fee of a non-physician first assistant than the higher fee of a first assistant who is a doctor.

"Assistant surgeon's fee had been cut quite a bit," Brown said. "(Fewer surgeons) are assisting each other as they have in the past. But they need an experienced, educated group of people that could come in and do this assisting at less cost."

Ms. Evans noted the vital roles played by all members of a surgical team.

"We all play our part in the operating room. Nurses are very important. We couldn't do our job without them, and they couldn't do theirs without us.

"We see the doctor up here; nurses over there," Ms. Evans said. "The technician goes in between. We kind of fulfill in every avenue, basically. We are not in the nursing profession. We are in the allied health-care profession."

Ms. Evans said that she and Brown attended surgical technology school at Odessa College to earn certificates in surgical technology and later took the examination, available in 1992, to become certified first assistants.

"We save insurance companies money. We save patients money," Ms. Evans said. "They (assistant surgeons) can charge up to half of whatever the primary surgeon charges." A first assistant's charges are "considerably less and are very competitive.

"We provide competent, educated, first-assistant services for the community and for the surgeons at a reduced cost," Ms. Evans said. "The surgeons are very supportive of us and enjoy the services that we provide.

"We are more technically oriented vs. nursing, which is more direct patient contact," Ms. Evans said. "We do preoperative and post-operative visits. We bring the compassion back to health care in our own sense. They (patients and physicians) can get in touch with us 24 hours a day, seven days a week."

ENHANCE: Complimentary loop landscaping is underway

(From 1A)

All the trees will be on an irrigation system that will be powered by solar controllers to be installed at each intersection, officials said. And "the city has agreed to furnish the water for these landscape projects," Ms. Williams said.

Along sloped areas, soil retention blankets — woven wood fiber that prevents water and wind erosion, and precipitates seeding — are being laid down and seeded. Flat areas are seeded with a seed drill generally attached to a tractor.

In addition, some planting beds — with shrub-type vegetation — will be constructed at each intersection.

Aside from the trees, shrubs and grass seeds, the landscape work also includes the use of modular block walls, which creates a retaining wall and reduces the amount of necessary embankment and the amount of concrete for roadway construction, officials said. And at the intersections, landscape pavers are used to enhance the concrete and add some color, officials said.

Once the landscaping is completed, the contractor will maintain the area for 90 days, after which TxDOT will be responsible for upkeep.

Landscaping of the Midkiff Road/Midland Drive section of the loop is being done by Dallas-based Randall & Blake Landscape Construction, which subcontracted the job. Trees and other materials used come from around the country, depending on availability and price, a company spokesman said.

The cost to the state for landscaping the recently completed portion of the loop is $245,000.

"The landscaping figure works out to be 4 percent of the cost of the roadway," Ms. Williams said.

That percentage will remain consistent for future landscape work as the construction of Loop 250 continues, she said.

The next phase of the Loop 250 project — currently under way — includes the Wadley Avenue and Holiday Hill Road interchanges.

The subsequent project — from I-20 to north of Thomason Drive — will be contracted this month. That will be followed by the loop portion to include the Garfield and A street interchanges, to be contracted in September.

The final phase of the project — which will extend the roadway from Big Street to Lamesa Road — is tentatively scheduled to be contracted out in September 1996.

Loop 250 has been a long time in the making. The idea was born in the mid-1960s and received approval from the highway department in 1977.

In addition to landscaping along the loop, landscape work by the state on I-20 at the Loop 250 overpass is slated to begin in six to eight weeks.

"The main reason is to mitigate the erosion," Ms. Williams said.

The work will primarily consist of planting native or adaptive plants, such as mesquite and desert willows. The project cost will be about $150,000.

TRIAL: Attorney to use abuse angle in Smith case

(From 1A)

their opinions.

"Maybe she couldn't help herself," said Linda Williams, who lives near the lake. "I mean, we've heard so much about how she was hurt and abused. There's no way to tell if she hasn't always been crazy."

In her confession, Ms. Smith wrote that she was an "absolute mental case" when she drove to the lake that night.

"When I left home on Tuesday, October 25, I was very emotionally distraught," she wrote. "I didn't want to live anymore. I felt I had to end our lives to protect us all from any grief or harm."

She never explained why she saved herself while allowing her sons to die.

If jurors find Ms. Smith guilty but mentally ill, they still could sentence her to death. That means she understood what she was doing was wrong but could not conform her action to the law.

A verdict of innocent by reason of insanity, which means she didn't understand that what she was doing was wrong, would send her to a mental hospital. If later she is declared sane, she could be released.

'If they kill her, it's over. If she stays alive, she'll have to think about what she did for the rest of her life.'

— Amy Sanders
jeweler in Susan Smith's hometown

Court documents chart a secretly troubled life for the young woman voted "friendliest" by her classmates at Union High School.

In 1978, when she was 6, her father, firefighter Harry Vaughan, shot himself to death.

During the next 10 years, she tried to kill herself twice by overdosing on aspirin and was hospitalized for depression after her second attempt.

In 1988, when she was a teenager, her stepfather, Beverly Russell, admitted sexually assaulting her. She and her mother, Linda, did not press criminal charges.

After all that, some townspeople said they can't stomach the idea of executing her.

"'I keep thinking of my own daughter when I think about her," Mrs. Williams said. "Susan grew up here in town where everybody knows everybody. I just can't see coldly telling somebody to kill someone I know."

Others have changed their minds for different reasons. Jeweler Amy Sanders said she was ready to lead a lynch mob for months after Ms. Smith confessed. Now, she's not so sure death is the best punishment.

"If they kill her, it's over," Mrs. Sanders said. "If she stays alive, she'll have to think about what she did for the rest of her life."

Prosecutor Tommy Pope has stood firm in seeking the death penalty, a move supported by the boys' father, David Smith, who divorced her on May 5.

Pope said he would keep in the courtroom a picture of the boys that David Smith gave him, with the inscription, "Don't give up on Michael and Alex."

Pope plans to portray Ms. Smith as a manipulative, adulterous woman who used murder to get rid of her children when they got in the way of a relationship with her boss' son, Tom Findlay.

In her confession, she said her breakup with Findlay left her suicidal, with nowhere to turn.

"I felt I couldn't be a good mom anymore, but I didn't want my children to grow up without a mom," Ms. Smith wrote. "I had never felt so lonely and so sad in my entire life."

What jurors decide Ms. Smith was thinking that night may well be what decides her fate, experts said.

"If she was intent on suicide the night of Oct. 25, why did she get out of the car?" said Dr. Harold Morgan, a forensic psychologist in Columbia. "And when she decided not to kill herself, why did she leave the boys in the car?"

The image of Ms. Smith crying and begging on television for the return of her sons also may be difficult to overcome.

"That's going to be something that will be hard for a jury to look past," said Dick Harpootlian, a former prosecutor in Columbia. "They may say, 'She had to know what she did was wrong, because she lied about it.'"

ARREST: China charges activist with espionage

(From 1A)

"They are seeking to draw a line in the sand, prepare for battle," he said.

Munro noted that Chinese authorities last month revoked medical parole for Chen Ziming, named by the government as one of the main forces behind the 1989 Tiananmen Square democracy movement, and returned him to prison to serve out the rest of his 13-year sentence.

The two actions could signal a shift in the way Beijing handles international pressure to improve its human rights record and an end to token gestures such as releasing dissidents championed by international groups, Munro said.

He called for "the most robust and sternest response from Washington."

In Washington, the State Department said China had promised consular access to Wu and that Consul-General Anthony Macias was being sent to Wuhan to try to meet with him.

Shortly after the detention, a U.S. consular officer had travelled to the border town of Horgas, where Wu was supposedly being held, but Wu was not there.

The State Department accused the Chinese government of misleading U.S. officials about Wu's whereabouts and violating the two countries' consular agreement. The United States says China was obligated to grant access to Wu within 48 hours of a U.S. request.

Wu has been a frequent witness at Congressional hearings on Chinese human rights. His testimony helped alert customs officials to the import of Chinese goods produced by prison labor, a violation of U.S. law.

Wu's evidence was collected during several secret trips into China since 1991 to uncover prison abuses. In violation of Chinese laws, Wu snuck into labor camps and filmed conditions with hidden cameras.

Wu's last trip into China was to film a documentary in secret that accused the Chinese government of harvesting organs from executed prisoners.

His wife, Ching Lee Wu, said in a statement from their home outside San Francisco, "The Chinese Communists are holding him hostage because he dared to tell the truth about the Chinese gulag."

Wu served 19 years in labor camps in China for criticizing the Communist Party. After his release, he emigrated to the United States in 1985 and became an American citizen.

He was a visiting scholar at the University of California, Berkeley, then joined the Hoover Institution at Stanford University in 1987. Three years ago, he started the Laogai Research Foundation to study Chinese prison camps.

He made headlines in 1991 when he returned to China, carrying a hidden camera for CBS-TV's "60 Minutes" and for Newsweek magazine.

Posing variously as a businessman interested in buying labor camp products, as a worker from Shanghai visiting camp guard friends and as a Chinese policeman, Wu filmed inhumane working conditions and treatment, including prisoners forced to stand waist-deep in vats of chemicals used to treat animal hides.

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Mexican authorities release two men in killing of presidential candidate

■ Exoneration leaves officials with only one of five suspects they originally charged.

N.Y. Times News Service

MEXICO CITY — A former state police officer and his son were freed from Mexico's maximum-security prison early Saturday after a judge dismissed charges that they helped assassinate the governing party's presidential candidate, Luis Donaldo Colosio.

The exoneration of the two men, Vicente Mayoral Valenzuela and his elder son, Rodolfo Mayoral Esquer, left the authorities holding only one of the five suspects they originally had charged with conspiring to kill Colosio as he left a campaign rally in the northern city of Tijuana on March 23, 1994.

Government officials said they expected prosecutors to appeal the ruling, but it was unclear how much damage the judge's decision might have done to the government's case.

The four suspects who have been exonerated in the case were all members of a crowd-control team formed by the local branch of Colosio's governing Institutional Revolutionary Party.

They were arrested on the basis of testimony from Colosio's bodyguards and videotapes of the rally that officials interpreted as showing the men helping to trap the candidate for his confessed killer, a young Tijuana factory worker.

Since the arrest of a second accused gunman earlier this year, officials familiar with the investigation say that it has focused on a more elaborate conspiracy, one involving higher-profile suspects. But they have offered almost no new evidence to support that hypothesis.

Other than the accused second gunman, a former governing-party driver and messenger named Othon Cortes Vazquez, government officials have charged only one new suspect in the case.

That suspect, a former federal police investigator, Fernando de la Sota, was accused of making false statements to investigators and was released on bail.

Member of Cali cartel surrenders

BOGOTA, Colombia (AP) — An alleged leader of the Cali cocaine cartel surrendered Saturday, the fifth kingpin of the world's biggest drug gang to wind up behind bars in less than a month.

Phanor Arizabaleta turned himself in at the Bogota offices of the DAS, Colombia's secret police, a DAS official confirmed, speaking on condition of anonymity.

Arizabaleta, a 57-year-old rancher, is believed to be among the more violent leaders of the Cali cartel, which has been hit by almost daily police raids in recent months.

In the past month, two cartel kingpins have been arrested and three, including Arizabaleta, have surrendered. Two cartel leaders remain at large.

Police, spurred on by U.S. pressure, have also been attacking the cartel's infrastructure. The Cali cartel supplies 80 percent of the world's cocaine, and makes billions of dollars a year in profits.

On Friday night, police nabbed Julian Murcillo, an alleged cartel front man, in Bogota. Gen. Jose Serrano, chief of the national police, said Murcillo was carrying 8 million pesos — worth $10,000.

President Ernesto Samper called Murcillo's arrest "a new success by the police within the strategy to dismantle the Cali cartel."

Arizabaleta is suspected, but hasn't been charged, in the murder this month of a police intelligence chief involved in raids on his properties north of Cali.

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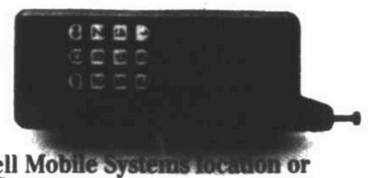

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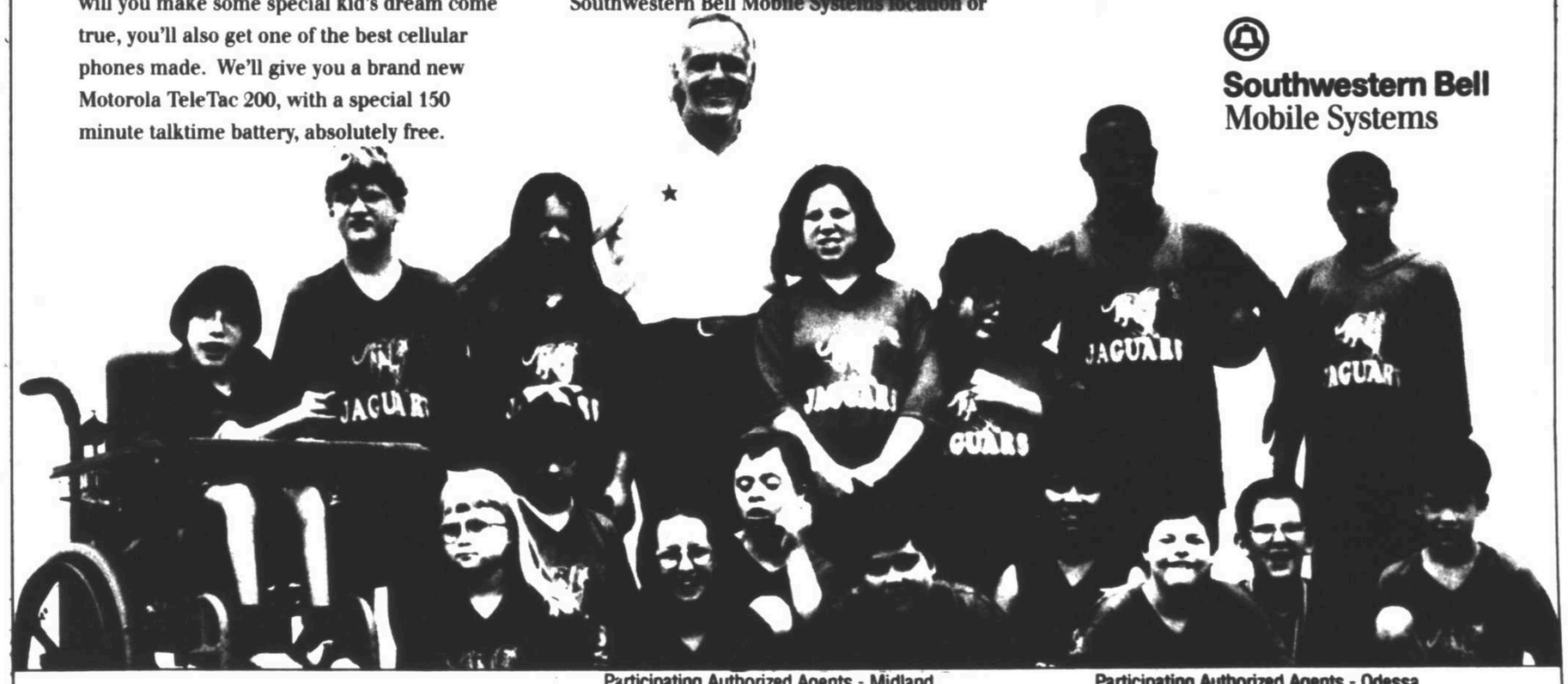

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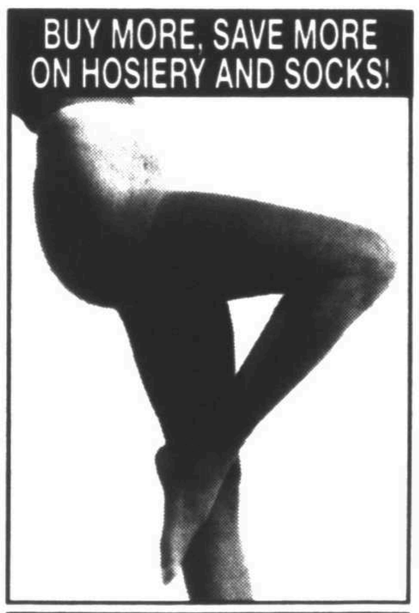

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French warship trails Rainbow Warrior II as it nears test site

SYDNEY, Australia (AP) — As Greenpeace's ship Rainbow Warrior II reaches France's nuclear test site in the South Pacific shadowed by a warship, the crew anxiously wonders: What will the French do to stop their protest?

It was 10 years ago Monday that French scuba divers attached mines to the hull of the original Rainbow Warrior in New Zealand's Auckland Harbor, sending it to the bottom and killing photographer Fernando Pereira.

The attack was an international embarrassment for France and a publicity coup — albeit a tragic one — for the environmentalist group.

The Rainbow Warrior II is expected to reach Mururoa Atoll by early today. While France seems determined to avoid overreacting, it has said it would prevent any protest this time at the nuclear test site.

Saturday morning, a French aircraft spotted a second Greenpeace vessel, the sailboat Vega, about 55 miles north of Mururoa, French military spokesman Pierre Olivier told reporters in France by telephone from Mururoa.

Henke Haazen, a Dutch crewman of the ill-fated ship and one of 31 people now aboard the Rainbow Warrior II, said he wouldn't rule anything out.

"There is a similar mentality reigning in the French administration," Haazen told the AP by satellite telephone. "Not caring what the rest of the world says or does."

"What they did 10 years ago was so outrageous, we don't put anything out of the reach of possibilities," he said.

French Adm. Philippe Euverte, commander of armed forces in French Polynesia, said on a visit to Mururoa Atoll on Friday that the use of arms against the protesters "would be completely disproportionate."

But before the Rainbow Warrior II left its final port of call a week ago in Papeete, Tahiti, French officials notified Greenpeace they had authorized military force against the boat if it comes within 12 miles of the atoll.

For days, a French navy frigate armed with missiles and 40mm cannon, and equipped with a helicopter, has lurked in the wake of Rainbow Warrior II, hugging the horizon about 12 miles back.

The frigate veered off course Friday to avoid meeting an inflatable speedboat Greenpeace sent back with a letter of protest.

Four more French warships and about 150 French troopers await the Rainbow Warrior II at Mururoa, 650 miles from Tahiti.

French Gen. Paul Vericel, director of French nuclear testing, said that when the Greenpeace ship arrives, his men will "ask them to leave the zone."

"If they don't want to leave it, (we will) urge them to do so courteously but more firmly, then eventually inspect the boat and lead it outside the zone," he told Associated Press Television on Friday.

Aboard the Rainbow Warrior II, spokeswoman Stephanie Mills said Greenpeace would resist any attempt to stop their protest.

"We set sail for Mururoa with the knowledge that the people of Tahiti and millions of people worldwide back our call for an end to nuclear testing," Mills said.

Greenpeace has not indicated what form its protest at Mururoa might take. In 1992, Greenpeace sent inflatable speedboats ashore, where French troops arrested and deported several of the crew, including Mills. The ship was also temporarily impounded.

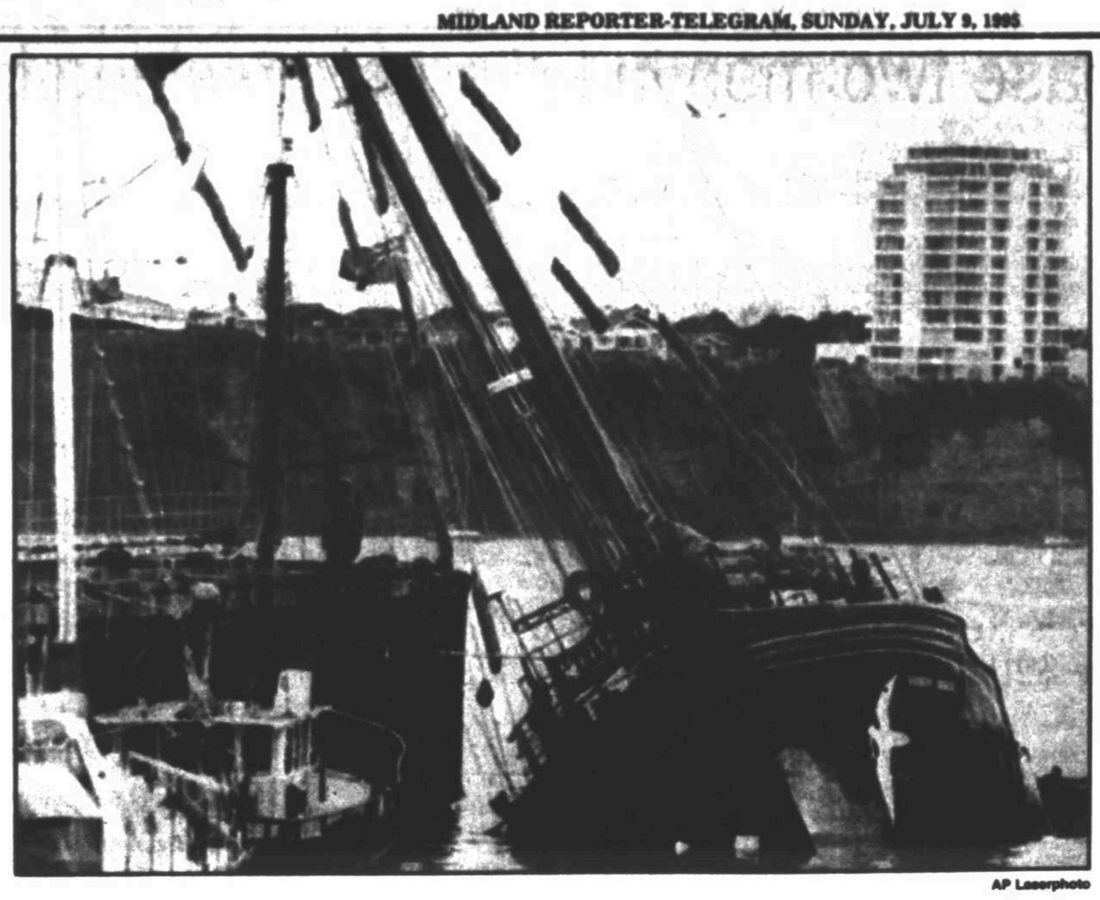
At least 10,000 Tahitians, a major part of the adult population, turned out in the largest protest in the island since 1983 to greet the Rainbow Warrior II's arrival two weeks ago.

The newly elected conservative administration of French President Jacques Chirac scrapped the indefinite moratorium on testing that Socialist President Francois Mitterrand declared in 1992 after the Greenpeace protest.

Mitterrand was also president when the first Rainbow Warrior was mined. It has never been clear if he knew of the plan to sink the ship, but then-Prime Minister Laurent Fabius admitted that the orders came from high up.

The defense minister resigned and the chief of the French secret service was fired. France also offered a formal apology and paid $7 million to New Zealand and $8.1 million to Greenpeace in reparations.

Mitterrand has denounced Chirac's decision to resume testing, which French military officials say is necessary to verify computer blast-simulation programs that will eliminate the need for future tests.



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The Greenpeace protest vessel Rainbow Warrior sits partially submerged in the harbor of Aukland, New Zealand after it was bombed, seen in this photo of July 11, 1985. As France embarks on a new series of nuclear tests, it is being haunted by the specter of the ill-fated ship and France's role in its demise.

Rescue workers find man alive 9½ days after building collapse

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) — Days after rescuers all but gave up hope, a man was pulled alive today from the rubble of a department store that collapsed and killed at least 147 people 9½ days earlier.

"Save me. Please save me. Water. Quickly," rescuers quoted Choi Myong-suk, 21, as saying in a faint voice that alerted them to life in the debris. Workers using torches and power drills cut through concrete slabs that were trapping him and extricated him an hour later.

Choi was discovered in what had been the upscale Sampoong Department Store's first basement, the underground level closest to the surface. He was a part-time worker on the second floor and had gone to eat at a restaurant below.

> **'I couldn't believe it when they told me he was dead. I can't believe it now that he is alive.'**
>
> — Choi Dong-suk, survivor's uncle

More than 900 people were injured when the five-story mall caved in June 29 in one of South Korea's worst peacetime disasters. Rescuers had given up on finding anyone else alive and begun using heavy equipment to remove debris.

As the work went on, Choi's father and uncle, both volunteer rescue workers, and his mother rushed to the scene. The parents appeared to be almost in shock.

"I couldn't believe it when they told me he was dead," the uncle, Choi Dong-suk, told SBS-TV. "I can't believe it now that he is alive. I called out to him, 'Myong-suk,' and he responded. He sounded healthy. I said, 'Don't worry.' "

He was carried in a stretcher to a waiting ambulance, a towel around his head to protect his eyes from the overcast daylight after so much time in the darkness.

The spot where he was found, in the center of the debris, was considered one of the least likely places for survivors. But doctors at the scene said Choi appeared to be in relatively good health, considering his long ordeal.

As they worked, rescuers communicated with Choi and could see him wave a hand. It was not known how he survived so long. The human body usually cannot last more than three days without water, and Choi was not believed to have eaten during his ordeal.

The last people pulled alive from the wreckage were 24 cleaners who were rescued from a largely intact basement room 7½ days ago. Choi also worked at the complex, although his duties were not immediately known.

Rescue work has been hampered by the arrival Saturday of heavy rains, part of the July monsoon season. Concerns have arisen about the possibility of disease with more rapid decomposition of bodies in the warm, humid conditions.

Fingerprints, mandatory for all South Korean citizens over 17, are being used to identify the victims.

Shoddy construction and negligence of safety standards are being blamed for the disaster.

A preliminary police investigation showed that Sampoong repeatedly expanded its shopping area without shoring up its foundation. News reports claim similar practices exist at other malls.

Government investigators on Friday said they will summon three current and former municipal ward chiefs for questioning. They are suspected of taking bribes from the mall's chairman for nearly three years to overlook violations of safety standards.

A Sampoong official allegedly told investigators that Lee Jun, the mall's chairman, misused $132,000 in company money for bribery.

Five lower-level city officials are under investigation for bribe-taking. Another five went into hiding when the police probe expanded.

Four store executives have been arrested. They allegedly knew the building was shaky and that its top floor was crumbling hours before the collapse, but did not warn anyone.

Floods in China kill almost 1,200 people, destroy homes, crop lands

BEIJING (AP) — Partially submerged trees. People wading through chest-deep water. Rooftops that look more like rafts on swollen rivers.

More scenes of flooding emerged Saturday from southern China, where nearly 1,179 people in 10 provinces have died in floods since May.

China has refused to let Beijing-based foreign correspondents travel to the region but nationally televised newscasts show the degree of devastation.

Vice Premier Jiang Chunyun witnessed the disaster during a tour Saturday of Jiangxi province in southeastern China. Jiang was shown riding a boat on a swollen river and visiting shantytowns crowded with people who had fled rising waters.

The rains that have hit south China this year have been unusually heavy, and the levels of all waterways are higher than normal. The death toll likely would quickly escalate if the Yangtze also overflows.

The river, China's longest, has risen steadily since June. According to the official Xinhua News Agency, the Yangtze is now the highest it has been since 1949.

An 83-year-old man gripped Jiang's hands and told him that he had never seen the waters so high. Jiang told the man the ruling Communist Party would not let anyone starve.

The affected areas are prime rice-growing regions, where land development and deforestation may be exacerbating seasonal flooding. Last year, more than 4,300 people died.

Hardest hit so far this year has been Hunan province, with 540 of the flood deaths. Of the more than 1.3 million people displaced by the flooding, a million have been in Hunan, the ministry said.

Some 900,000 thousand houses have collapsed and over 2.7 million acres of crops have been wiped out. Nearly half the unsalvageable crop land was in Jiangxi, where 242 people have died in the flooding.

Xinhua reported Saturday that strong winds and heavy rain killed more than 300 egrets and damaged 40 of 100 ancient cypresses in China's most famous Confucian temple.

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Environmentalists, anti-tech advocates disagree with Unabomber's message

By Richard Cole
Associated Press

SAN FRANCISCO — The Unabomber has donned a mantle of anarchism and radical environmentalism to justify his 17-year bombing spree that has killed three people and injured 23. But environmentalists and anti-technology crusaders have a message for the Unabomber, and any investigators looking their way:

He's not one of them and he can only hurt their cause.

"We don't consider what the Unabomber is doing activism — we consider it terrorism," says Greenpeace spokeswoman Cynthia Rust.

"There's a greater sense of technophobia around the nation now, but it is quite mad to think it's going to be advanced by killing people," says Kirkpatrick Sale, author of "Rebels Against the Future."

In his as yet unpublished 35,000-word manifesto, the Unabomber advocates the elimination of industrial technology and the reduction of human society to groups of no more than 100. He also reinterprets the Russian and French revolutions, and blasts both the political right and left.

The document has the 150-member San Francisco-based Unabom federal task force looking for leads from groups and publications sharing that ideology.

The new book by Sale tells the story of the Luddites, who smashed factory machinery at the dawn of the industrial age in England.

The author himself smashed a computer with a sledgehammer at a recent event staged by Utne Reader, a digest of alternative ideas and articles.

"The computer is destroying us, economically and socially," Sale says.

But he warns that blowing up people to combat computers will only make the public distrustful of the message.

Militant environmentalists have spiked trees to frustrate loggers. Earth First! last week had 200 people occupy the Fortuna office of the California Department of Forestry.

But they are angered by the Unabomber's attention to their cause, says Betty Ball of the Mendocino Environmental Center, which has been allied with Earth First! Their goal is to preserve life, not take it, she says.

"Anything that the Unabomber is doing clearly is the opposite of that, and is turning the public off and alienating the public," she says.

Earth First!, she adds, is not anti-technology.

"The Unabomber must be from a privileged class, who hasn't lived in the ghetto or in a Third World country where people die without running water," she says.

Sea Shepherd, which has sabotaged Norwegian boats it says violate international whaling bans, rejects the Unabomber's environmental credentials, says founder Paul Watson.

"The Unabomber has his own agenda," Watson says. "He's just opportunistically putting this cloak of respectability on it."

Greenpeace knows about violence. Its ships have blocked whaling boats on the high seas and interrupted French nuclear tests. In ratalliation, French agents bombed and sank Greenpeace's Rainbow Warrior 10 years ago, killing a Greenpeace crewman.

David Colfax, a former college professor and anti-war activist now prominent in the home schooling movement, says the Unabomber's views have nothing to do with "deep ecology," much less the latest currents in leftist political thought.

"It's pie-in-the-sky utopian socialism that Marx was knocking about in the last century," he says. "It's pretty unsophisticated stuff for somebody who can hide out from the FBI for this long. It sounds like he's 25 years behind the Summer of Love."

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HMOs often refuse emergency room claims, hospitals report

WASHINGTON (NYT) — As enrollment in health maintenance organizations soars, hospitals across the country report that HMOs are increasingly denying claims for care provided in hospital emergency rooms.

Such denials create obstacles to emergency care for HMO patients and can leave them responsible for thousands of dollars in medical bills.

The denials also frustrate emergency room doctors, who say the HMO practices discourage patients from seeking urgently needed care. But for their part, HMOs say their costs would run out of control if they allowed patients unlimited access to hospital emergency rooms.

How HMOs handle medical emergencies is an issue of immense importance, given recent trends. Enrollment in HMOs doubled in the last eight years, to 51 million in 1994, partly because employers encouraged their use as a way to help control costs.

In addition, Republicans and many Democrats in Congress say they want to increase the use of HMOs because they believe that such prepaid health plans will slow the growth of Medicare and Medicaid, the programs for the elderly and the poor, which serve 73 million people at a federal cost of $267 billion this year.

Under federal law, a hospital must provide "an appropriate medical screening examination" to any patient who requests care in its emergency room. The hospital must also provide any treatment needed to stabilize the patient's condition.

Dr. Toni A. Mitchell, director of emergency care at Tampa General Hospital in Florida, said: "I am obligated to provide the care, but the HMO is not obligated to pay for it. This is a new type of cost-shifting, a way for HMOs to shift costs to patients, physicians and hospitals."

Most HMOs promise to cover emergency medical services, but there is no standard definition of the term. HMOs can define it narrowly and typically reserve the right to deny payment if they conclude, in retrospect, that the conditions treated were not emergencies.

Hospitals say HMOs often refuse to pay for their members in such cases, even if HMO doctors sent the patients to the hospital emergency rooms. Hospitals then often seek payment from the patient.

Dr. Stephan G. Lynn, director of emergency medicine at St. Luke's-Roosevelt Hospital Center in Manhattan, said: "We are getting more and more refusals by HMOs to pay for care in the emergency room. The problem is increasing as managed care becomes a more important source of reimbursement. Managed care is relatively new in New York City, but it's growing rapidly."

HMOs emphasize regular preventive care, supervised by a doctor who coordinates all the medical services that a patient may need. The organizations try to reduce costs by redirecting patients from hospitals to less expensive sites like clinics and doctors' offices.

The disputes over specific cases reflect a larger clash of missions and cultures. An HMO is the ultimate form of "managed care," but emergencies are, by their very nature, unexpected and therefore difficult to manage.

Doctors in HMOs carefully weigh the need for expensive tests or treatments, but in an emergency room, doctors tend to do whatever they can to meet the patient's immediate needs.

Each HMO seems to have its own way of handling emergencies. Large plans like Kaiser Permanente provide a full range of emergency services around the clock at their own clinics and hospitals. Some HMOs have nurses to advise patients over the telephone.

Some HMO doctors take phone calls from patients at night. Some leave messages on phone answering machines, telling patients to go to hospital emergency rooms if they cannot wait for the doctors' offices to reopen.

At United Healthcare Corp., which runs 21 HMOs serving 3.9 million people, "It's up to the physician to decide how to provide 24-hour coverage," said Dr. Lee N. Newcomer, chief medical officer of the Minneapolis-based company.

George C. Halvorson, chairman of the Group Health Association of America, a trade group for HMOs, said he was not aware of any problems with emergency care. "This is totally alien to me," said Halvorson, who is also president of HealthPartners, an HMO in Minneapolis. Donald B. White, a spokesman for the association, said, "We just don't have data on emergency services and how they're handled by different HMOs."

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About 3.4 million of the nation's 37 million Medicare beneficiaries are in HMOs. Dr. Rodney C. Armstead, director of managed care at the Department of Health and Human Services, said the government had received many complaints about access to emergency services in such plans.

He recently sent letters to the 164 HMOs with Medicare contracts, reminding them of their obligation to provide emergency care.

Alan G. Raymond, vice president of the Harvard Community Health Plan, based in Brookline, Mass., said, "Employers are putting pressure on HMOs to reduce inappropriate use of emergency services because such care is costly and episodic and does not fit well with the coordinated care that HMOs try to provide."

Dr. Charlotte S. Yeh, chief of emergency medicine at the New England Medical Center, a teaching hospital in Boston, said:

"HMOs are excellent at preventive care, regular routine care. But they have not been able to cope with the very unpredictable, unscheduled nature of emergency care. They often insist that their members get approval before going to a hospital emergency department. Getting prior authorization may delay care.

"In some ways, it's less frustrating for us to take care of homeless people than HMO members. At least, we can do what we think is right for them, as opposed to trying to convince an HMO over the phone of what's the right thing to do."

Dr. Gary P. Young, chairman of the emergency department at Highland Hospital in Oakland, Calif., said HMOs often directed emergency room doctors to release patients or transfer them to other hospitals before it was safe to do so. "This is happening every day," he said.

Hundreds gather to remember Wolfman Jack

BELVIDERE, N.C. (AP) — Wolfman Jack's gravelly, rapid-fire delivery blared from a boom-box at his gravestone Saturday — just the way he would have wanted it.

His black broad-brimmed hat with a silver band rested atop his gray marble headstone, which was inscribed with his nickname, his real name — Robert Weston Smith — and the kicker, "One more time."

About 400 people, from leather-clad bikers to broadcast executives, gathered under magnolia trees and sprawling pines at Wolfman's home to remember the legendary rock 'n' roll disc jockey. Wolfman died July 1 at age 57.

"Wolfman wanted a party," said his longtime publicist, Dell Lang. "He wanted a celebration. He's not gone, he'll be around as long as people are playing the music he loved."

While there were some tears, the memorial service at the home on the banks of the Perquimans River, about 120 miles from Raleigh, was more of a party.

Before the service, people danced and clapped and laughed as The Mighty Clouds of Joy singers provided a gospel backbeat.

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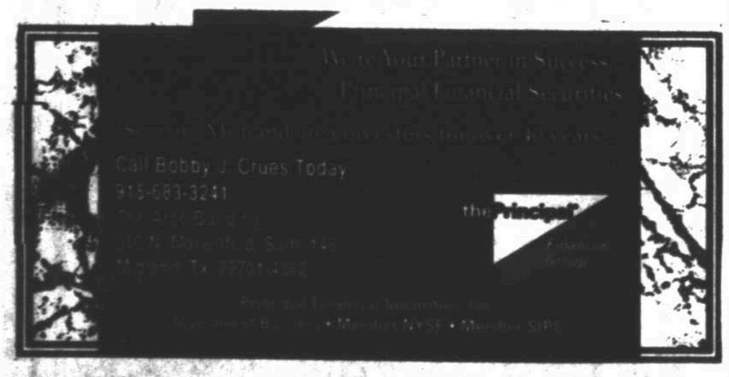

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O.J. defense doesn't have to prove anything, just create reasonable doubt

By Linda Deutsch
Associated Press

LOS ANGELES — If the O.J. Simpson trial were a Perry Mason mystery, the defense would now reveal the REAL murderer.

In reality, however, the defense has no obligation to point the finger at anybody, just to raise reasonable doubt about whether Simpson could have killed his ex-wife Nicole Brown Simpson and Ronald Goldman.

Jurors will be instructed that, if there are two reasonable explanations of any evidence, one pointing toward guilt and the other to innocence, they must accept the one favoring innocence, said Loyola University law professor Laurie Levenson.

"All the defense has to do is raise another reasonable theory," she said. "The key word here is reasonable."

The defense case also may be a campaign for resurrection, a chance for Simpson to revive his reputation as a nice-guy celebrity.

"They want us to remember the old O.J., the one everybody loved," Levenson said.

"The question they want jurors to ask is how could someone go from being a smiling happy person to a homicidal maniac in a matter of hours," she said. "That's the heart of the case. Could he have committed these brutal murders while his children were asleep upstairs?"

Simpson's defense opens its case Monday and a list of the first 10 defense witnesses shows that image repair is first on the agenda with his grown daughter, mother, a sister and some golfing buddies ready to take the witness stand.

On Friday, his lawyers hinted at the direction of a defense that will focus heavily on Simpson's demeanor before and after the slayings, his alibi, the possibility of a frame-up, contamination of evidence by sloppy or sinister detectives and an alternate scenario of how and why the killings might have occurred.

Specifically, defense attorney Johnnie Cochran Jr. plans to allege that hit men working for a Colombian drug cartel were after Ms. Simpson's friend, Faye Resnick, for an unpaid drug bill.

Loyola University law professor Stan Goldman said the alternate theory approach can be dangerous unless there is evidence to back it up.

"Are people going to roll their eyes the same way they did when F. Lee Bailey started talking about two guys wearing the same Bruno Magli shoes to the scene of the murder?" Goldman asked, referring to Bailey's multiple-killer suggestion during questioning about shoe print evidence.

"I don't think anyone should expect a Perry Mason moment," Levenson said. "No one is going to come forward and confess in this case. But they will raise the specter of other possible villains."

Winston McKesson, a Los Angeles defense lawyer and friend of Cochran, said he expects an all-out attack on DNA blood analysis, with experts advancing theories of possible cross-contamination and bungling when evidence was collected.

The defense also will try to attack the prosecution's murder timeline, that would have given Simpson more than an hour to commit the murders.

What's missing from the defense case may be almost as interesting as what is presented. No one expects Rosa Lopez, the maid for Simpson's neighbor, to appear before jurors.

Lopez, questioned outside the jury's presence, described seeing Simpson's Bronco at home the night of the killings. But her testimony was rife with contradictions.

"If the defense led off with Rosa Lopez, they'd make a laughingstock of themselves," said Tom Hoopes, a former prosecutor who practices criminal law in Boston.

The defense long ago removed from its list Mary Anne Gerchas, who claimed to have seen four men outside Ms. Simpson's condominium the night of the slayings on June 12, 1994.

She later was arrested and charged with grand theft and assorted other charges. She pleaded guilty to counts including defrauding a hotel out of about $24,000.

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Defense attorney Johnnie Cochran Jr., left, confers with defendant O.J. Simpson, right, during a hearing Friday. The prosecution rested its case Thursday. The defense is expected to begin calling witnesses Monday.

And don't expect any testimony from domestic violence experts. That would just remind jurors of prosecution efforts to portray Simpson as an abuser.

Still undecided is whether Simpson will testify.

Analysts are sharply divided with most saying it's a risk not worth taking, particularly because of the tough cross-examination he would face.

"There's no script once he gets up there," Levenson said. "It's just Marcia Clark at his throat. ... He may be feeling, 'I'm the Juice. Nobody can tell it better than I can. I'm the captain of the team.' But all he has to do is show a little temper and the prosecution will say it shows he's capable of these crimes."

House panel prunes budget but not to everyone's liking

By Michael Wines
N.Y. Times News Service

WASHINGTON — As the House Appropriations Committee passes the halfway mark in writing spending bills to fulfill Republican pledges of a leaner federal budget, the House's ruling right wing is expressing delight at what has been cut. It is what survives that ruffles them.

The National Endowment for the Arts, which sponsored Robert Mapplethorpe's contentious photographs of the human anatomy, is bloodied in the legislation being churned out of the appropriations panel, but it is still standing.

So is the Legal Services Corp., the federal law firm that conservatives accuse of promoting a liberal agenda in the courts.

So are the Tennessee Valley Authority and the Appalachian Regional Commission, icons of the New Deal and the New Frontier, respectively. So are loans to Russia, the Energy Department, the Education Department, Interior Department land purchases and a host of other agencies and programs that raise the blood of hard conservatives to a rolling boil.

That they should prove so hardy in a deeply conservative Congress — at least so far — may be surprising. In fact, it illustrates a political rule that transcends party dogma and transfers of congressional power: when it comes to spending, the Appropriations Committee marches to its own drummer. And it can do without excessive kibitzing, thank you.

"Everyone's entitled to their opinion of whether we should cut one program or another," the panel's chairman, Rep. Bill Livingston of Louisiana, said in an interview last week. "All these bills are going to the floor. They can change them if they've got the votes."

They surely will try. "We're certainly looking for further action," said Mike Russell, a spokesman for the Christian Coalition, a conservative religious group that plans to seek an end to the arts endowment, the Legal Services Corp. and additional education programs.

As Livingston notes, any rifts between his committee and other legislators or lobbies have little to do with the deficit. The Congress that returns Monday from a week off will find that the House Appropriations Committee, once the packinghouse for federal pork, has transmogrified into something of a slaughterhouse.

Seven of the 12 main spending bills in its jurisdiction have now been sent to the House floor. Gone from the proposals are the markers for highway "demonstration projects," new courthouses and many other favors that were legislative staples in years past.

Dozens of federal panels and programs, like the modest $318,000-a-year Susquehanna River Basin Commission and the $340 million-a-year Advanced Technology Program in the Commerce Department, are headed for extinction.

When the House and Senate Budget Committees drew up a broad framework for federal spending last month, they gave Congress' appropriations panels a kitty of roughly $532 billion — a third of the entire 1996 budget — to spend on discretionary programs like roads and education and environmental protection.

To date, every spending bill produced by the 13 House Appropriations subcommittees has come in below the budget committees' ceilings: $13 million below in farm spending; $202 million below in foreign affairs spending; $272 million below in energy and water projects spending, among others.

"Fact is, we're trying to cut harder than they want us to," Livingston said.

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Forbes may make bid for Republican 1996 nomination

WASHINGTON (AP) — Millionaire publisher Malcolm S. Forbes Jr. said Saturday he will decide by September whether to seek the Republican presidential nomination, and will pay initial campaign costs out of his own pocket.

Forbes, 47, used an appearance on CNN's Evans & Novak to outline his stand on a range of domestic and international issues. Faulting the political vision of the current array of GOP candidates and dubbing himself a "pro-growth, pro-opportunity" Republican, Forbes endorsed replacing the present income tax system with a flat tax.

He said he opposes government funding for abortion, performing abortions late in a pregnancy and allowing minors to obtain abortions without parental consent.

He also said the time is near for the United States to extend diplomatic recognition to Vietnam. President Clinton is close to a decision on whether to re-establish full diplomatic relations with the former communist adversary.

Forbes, who succeeded his father, the late Malcolm S. Forbes Sr., as president and CEO of Forbes, Inc., said his candidacy would be based upon his conviction that a unique opportunity exists to improve the living standards and quality of life of all Americans.

He contended none of the other 10 GOP contenders "have given the impression" that they understand that.

Asked about individual candidates, Forbes said that while Sen. Robert Dole, R-Kan., has an excellent record as Senate majority leader he has not demonstrated he could lead the nation.

"Where is his compass?" Forbes asked.

"Unfortunately, the whole crop of candidates — there's no point singling out Bob Dole — gives the impression that they do the political equivalent of painting by the numbers," Forbes said. "That's not leadership."

Forbes, who has never been a candidate for public office, said that if he does run, "I will use my own resources initially to help get my message across" before turning to others for contributions.

But, he joked, "being of Scottish descent" he will spend no more than he has to.

When asked how much he'd be willing to spend, Forbes said, "I have no idea."

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Residents who were evacuated by brush fire return to homes

■ Blaze burned across about 6,000 acres; areas still burning Saturday were mostly unpopulated.

Associated Press

SCOTTSDALE, Ariz. — Wind that had been driving a desert brush fire eased Saturday, allowing evacuees to return to luxury homes that had been threatened by the flames.

The fire got no closer than a few feet from any of the million-dollar homes, said Steve Springborn, a spokesman for the privately operated Rural-Metro Fire Department.

The fire burned across about 6,000 acres and areas still burning Saturday were mostly unpopulated, authorities said. More than 450 firefighters battled the flames, aided by four air tankers. Containment was not expected until at least tonight.

Lightning was believed to have started the fire Friday in the McDowell Mountains, and wind up to 40 mph drove the flames down onto the desert in the northern part of this city of 150,000 people on the east side of Phoenix.

"The fire was burning faster than you could run," said Colin Williams, a Rural-Metro Fire Department spokesman.

Residents of 300 homes, mostly clustered around the Troon Golf and Country Club, were evacuated late Friday but allowed to return before noon Saturday after wind eased to 15 mph.

Some residents had to be evacuated by helicopter.

"I just grabbed the photo albums and my teddy bear," said Alice Sobol.

One firefighter was treated for heat exhaustion. The only structural damage reported was to an unoccupied horse trailer, Springborn said.

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A slurry bomber drops fire retardant along a brush fire line approaching a home in Scottsdale, Ariz., Saturday. The 3,500-acre blaze, believed to be caused by lightning, forced the evacuation of 300 luxary homes in the area.

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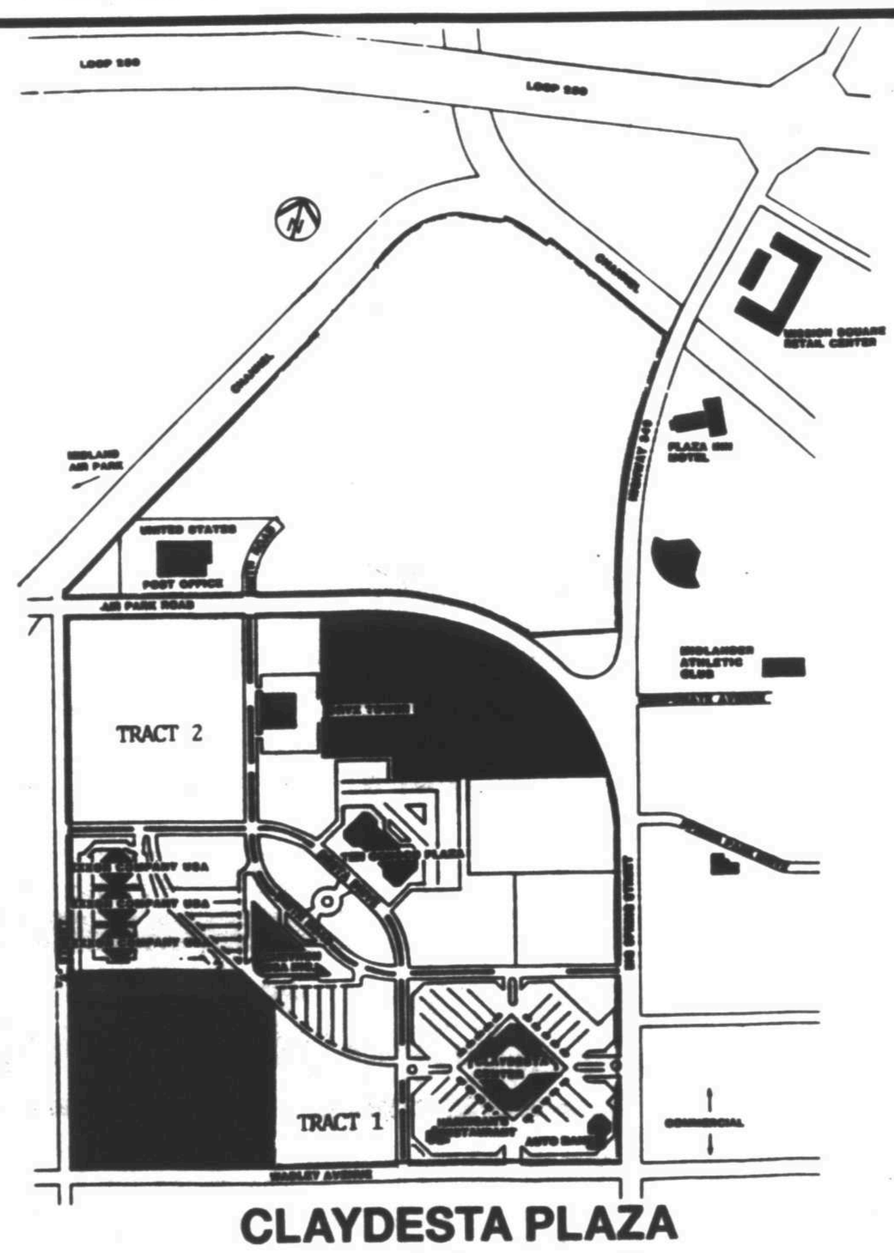

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Doctors agonize over new ability to identify cancer genes

By Paul Recburn
Associated Press

Janet didn't need a doctor to tell her something was wrong.

For more than a decade, she had watched as breast cancer stalked her family. Her mother was diagnosed in 1978, at the age of 47. Her aunt was struck a year later. The aunt's 29-year-old daughter was next, then another daughter, then one of Janet's sisters.

The two cousins and the sister died, and in 1992, the shadow fell on Janet. She, too, had breast cancer. She was 40 years old.

By then, Janet's sister Susan — four years younger and free of any sign of disease — could not stand waiting for what she viewed as the inevitable. She decided to do the only thing she could to avoid the tragedy that had befallen her mother, aunt, cousins and sisters: She scheduled surgery to have both her healthy breasts removed.

Janet and Susan — who used assumed names to protect their privacy — told their story last fall to several hundred geneticists and researchers gathered in Montreal for the annual meeting of the American Society of Human Genetics.

AS JANET BEGAN, the audience fell silent. The sorrow in her voice filled the cavernous hall, where doctors and researchers were beginning to grapple with a problem unlike any they had faced before.

Last year, the mystery behind the shadow that fell on the women of Janet's family was solved. Researchers identified the gene causing the breast cancer in families like hers.

But the discovery did little to lift the shadow. Instead, it brought with it a fearsome power. For the first time, doctors could predict, decades in advance, which members of those families would get cancer and which would not.

Within weeks of the discovery, Susan became one of the first women to undergo testing. Only days before the scheduled surgery to remove her breasts, doctors notified her of the results: She did not carry the breast cancer mutation.

That meant her risk of developing breast cancer was normal — not astronomical, as it would be if she carried the gene. She canceled the surgery.

"I couldn't believe it," Susan said. "It was the first reason we had for hope."

For many others, however, including other women in Janet's and Susan's family, doctors have only bad news. Many of those women are carrying "genetic markers" indicating they have the mutation. And doctors can do nothing to help them.

SOME DAY, IT MAY be possible to pluck out harmful genetic mutations, to "cure" bad genes. In the meantime, doctors who have identified patients at risk can only watch helplessly as their fates unfold.

"There's that quote from Sophocles — 'It is but sorrow to be wise, when wisdom profits nothing,' " said Dr. Francis Collins, the director of genetics research at the National Institutes of Health.

Collins directs the National Center for Human Genome Research, an ambitious effort to identify all the estimated 100,000 genes in humans — including an unknown number of cancer genes.

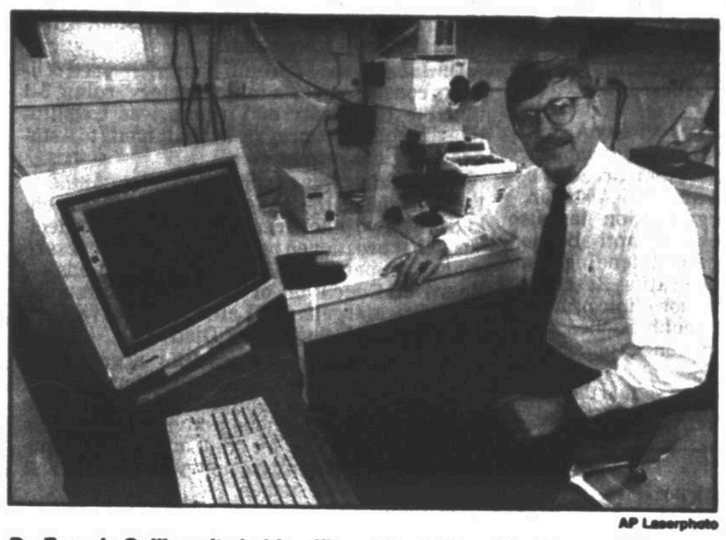
Last year, researchers discovered genes that make it possible to identify the individuals at risk in families ravaged by colon cancer. More such genes are sure to follow, Collins said.

"These genes for cancer are getting cloned willy-nilly. Testing would have potential benefits if we knew what to recommend. But we don't."

A few years ago, doctors found the gene for Huntington's disease, a crippling and ultimately fatal nerve disorder that killed folk singer Woody Guthrie. They are close to finding a genetic indicator of Alzheimer's disease.

Collins is among many geneticists who see a crisis building. Pressure to make testing available is coming not only from patients like Janet and Susan, but also from biotechnology companies, which stand to make a fortune selling test kits.

THIS NEW ABILITY to predict cancer raises a host of vexing scientific and ethical questions. How should the tests be interpreted outside the research lab? Should testing be offered to anyone? What kind of psychological support should be provided?



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Dr. Francis Collins sits in his office at the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda, Md. Collins, who directs genetics research at NIH, is among many geneticists who sense the growing pressure to identify all the estimated 100,000 genes in humans and an unknown number of cancer genes.

Cancer testing also is likely to have a disastrous impact on patients' health insurance. Insurance companies may drop coverage for people carrying cancer genes. And as the ability to test for such genes grows, the pool of people excluded from coverage could grow.

"We are all carrying around preexisting conditions, and we're learning more about how to find them," Collins said. "Pretty soon, we're all going to be uninsurable."

A further problem is that the government hasn't decided what it should do to assure the accuracy of the new gene tests and ensure they aren't misused.

The Food and Drug Administration has the authority to regulate genetic tests, but has not exercised it so far. Companies promoting the tests have not been submitting them to the FDA for approval, the National Academy of Sciences warned in a 1993 report.

The emotional consequences of testing can be so overwhelming that the tests must be nearly 100 percent accurate, the academy said. At present, they aren't.

Mary-Claire King, a geneticist at the University of California in Berkeley, did the ground-breaking work leading to the discovery of the breast cancer gene. Breast cancer runs in King's family, as it does it Janet's and Susan's.

Few people understand the significance of the test and its implications better than King. And she has decided not to take it.

"I have not screened myself. I have not screened my daughter," she said. "It is premature now. The information is of no use."

THE GENETIC LINK to breast cancer in her family is weaker than in Janet's and Susan's family; in King's family, the tests might not provide conclusive information on risks.

Many other families are in similar circumstances. Few families are hit as hard as Janet's and Susan's, so King pleaded with women in those families to wait before seeking testing. "Give us time to sort out the biology," she said.

When the biology is sorted out over the next few years, testing may become routine. But that in turn will create another problem. Genetic testing does not produce yes or no answers. The results are expressed in terms of probabilities.

In Janet's and Susan's family, the probability for any individual woman is either very high or very low, making the results relatively simple to understand. But what happens when a woman has a slightly elevated probability of getting breast cancer, or double the usual risk? What if a young man is told he is at high risk of getting Alzheimer's disease in his 60s?

There will be an urgent need for genetic counselors, professionals who can interpret test results and provide guidance. Collins imagined what might happen in the absence of such counseling:

"**A PATIENT COMES** in and says 'I lost my keys last week, and I can't remember this person's name. Am I getting Alzheimer's?'

"And the physician says, 'Let's do this test.' And he says, 'Yeah, you've got it. We better test your kids.'

"And some of them have it ...

"And one of them goes out and blows his brains out."

Add up the number of Americans at risk of breast cancer, colon cancer and Alzheimer's disease, and the numbers reach the tens of millions. But there are now only 1,200 genetic counselors in the United States, and Collins said the few training programs are short of funds and unable to expand.

That inevitably leaves doctors and nurses to fill the gap even though many of them may have little genetic training.

"We have to move very swiftly if we're going to prepare physicians and nurses for this," Collins said.

Even the limited use of the tests thus far has revealed surprises in the way patients react. When Susan learned she was free of the genetic marker for breast cancer, her worries should have been over. Yet the good news proved to be almost as difficult to handle as bad news would have been.

First, she felt anger — "for the hell my sisters had been through." Then a pervasive guilt seeped in, and remains.

"I keep thinking, 'Why did they inherit it and I didn't? They're good people.' I'm the only one out of five children that didn't inherit the marker. The next day I remember not being able to get out of bed."

JANET CONCLUDED HER remarks to the geneticists with a word of thanks — and a hope.

"We as a family feel tremendously grateful that something has been happening for us," she said.

"I wish you all a lot of luck in figuring this out."

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Clinton blames conservatives for blocking welfare reform

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Clinton accused conservative Republican senators Saturday of trying to hold welfare reform hostage to extreme political views in demanding that unwed teen mothers be denied assistance.

"This approach would punish the innocent children of unmarried teen-agers for the mistakes of their parents," Clinton said in his weekly radio address.

With Senate Republicans sharply divided over the shape of welfare reform, Clinton is trying to help steer the GOP-controlled Congress toward legislation he would be willing to sign into law.

The issue took on increased political importance after the failure of Clinton's centerpiece health-care reform plan and the GOP sweep of the 1994 elections in which Republicans successfully used welfare as a campaign issue.

"Let's settle our differences on welfare reform without resorting to legislative trench warfare designed to stop real reform at any cost," Clinton said. "A small minority shouldn't be able to get away with 'just say no' politics."

Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole, R-Kan., had hoped to begin debate on legislation to overhaul welfare last month, but was forced to postpone action until mid-July because of divisions within his party.

The GOP bill pending in the Senate would shift responsibility for Aid to Families with Dependent Children over to states as a block grant. States would be allowed to decide whether to support unmarried teen mothers.

Sens. Lauch Faircloth, R-N.C., and Phil Gramm, R-Texas, are among those pushing for an outright ban on aid to teen mothers, tougher work requirements and turning more welfare programs over to the states.

Faircloth said the ban on aid to young mothers was needed to combat illegitimacy, which he said is at the root of welfare dependency.

In his radio address, Clinton did not single out senators by name, but said there were "unsettling signs that progress could fall to gridlock."

"A handful of senators are threatening to hold welfare reform hostage to their own political views," Clinton said. "They are threatening to block a vote on any bill that doesn't cut off all help to children whose mothers are poor, young and unmarried."

The House-passed version of welfare reform would ban benefits for mothers younger than 18 with children born out of wedlock and for children born to a parent already receiving assistance.

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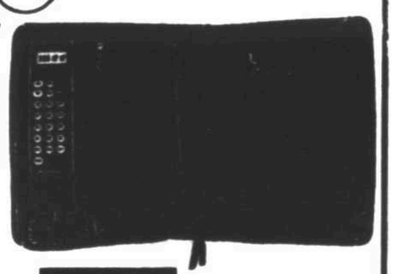
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Religious conservatives put faith in courtrooms

By Gustav Niebuhr
N.Y. Times News Service

Following their thrust into national politics, religious conservatives are creating their own legal organizations to combat what they see as a broad assault on religious liberties.

More than half a dozen religious liberty law firms, some founded in the 1990s, are waging battles in courts, schools and city halls to carve out a greater public space for religious activity — be it for student Bible clubs in schools, for the display of crosses in public parks or prayers at graduation ceremonies.

A major part in this trend has been played by religious broadcaster Pat Robertson. Just as he aided religious conservatives' push into politics by founding the Christian Coalition, so has his American Center for Law and Justice been instrumental in defending the conservative faithful, arguing cases up to the Supreme Court.

The rise of such organizations has much to do with a belief among religious conservatives that their religious liberties are besieged by those who would curb the public expression of faith.

"There is a genuine need," said Steven T. McFarland, director of the Center for Law and Religious Freedom, the legal advocacy arm of the Christian Legal Society and one of the oldest of the organizations. "We all have full dockets."

One reason for the organizations' growth is that religious conservatives, stung by what many see as a lack of commitment to their agenda by the Reagan administration in the 1980s, are reluctant simply to rely on politicians' promises to achieve their goals.

There is also money available to finance them, as people in the pews have put aside theological squeamishness about suing to protect what they see as their rights.

"The political awakening in the 1980s turned into the judicial activity in the '90s," said Mathew D. Staver, president and general counsel of the five-year-old Liberty Counsel in Orlando, Fla.

Staver, who was a church pastor before attending law school, explained, "Once conservatives and Christians began to see that the political arena was not addressing their concerns and that their legislation was being struck down in the judicial arena, then it was time to get involved."

The legal organizations are a varied lot. Some, like the Law and Justice center, focus on litigation, others on carefully crafting friend of court briefs. Some, like the Liberty Counsel, take mainly freedom of speech cases, while others are more wide-ranging.

One of the newest firms, the Becket Fund for Religious Liberty in Washington, calls itself ecumenical and bipartisan, disclaiming any bias. "We'll stick up for religious liberty issues that don't have anything to do with the platform of the Republican Party," said its president and general counsel, Kevin J. Hasson, who served as a lawyer in the Justice Department's Office of Legal Counsel in 1986-87. "We push religious liberty for its own sake."

Last month, the Becket Fund won a case allowing a private group to display a Christmas creche in a public park in Connecticut.

Yet, of the various groups, it is Robertson's Law and Justice center, based in Virginia Beach, Va., that is among the best-financed and perhaps the best known.

Its chief counsel, Atlanta lawyer Jay A. Sekulow, 39, a Jewish convert to Christianity, appears regularly on religious television broadcasts, including Robertson's program, "The 700 Club."

Founded in 1991, the organization has also aggressively worked on behalf of anti-abortion protesters, earlier this decade defending Randall Terry, the founder of Operation Rescue, in legal cases arising from abortion clinic protests. It has also worked against "bubble zones" that restrict protests at certain distances outside the clinics.

And the day President Clinton signed the Freedom of Access to Clinic Entrances Act, Sekulow filed suit in U.S. District Court in Washington to overturn it.

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With 400,000 donors, the Law and Justice center has a budget of $8 million and a staff of 13 lawyers along with more than 500 "affiliated" lawyers in various cities who will offer counsel on individual cases.

Receiving complaints alleging infringement of religious liberty, the organization dispatches what Sekulow calls "SWAT teams," lawyers who fly cross-country for face-to-face talks with the offending school principal or city council.

"It shows that this organization means business," said Gene Kapp, its spokesman, although he noted that the usual response is a letter or phone call.

In an interview, Robertson said his incentive in creating the organization lay in his desire to counter the American Civil Liberties Union. "Back in the early '80s, I took a long look at what the civil liberties union was doing to take religion from the public square of America," he said. "It was like an-all out vendetta against religious values. There didn't seem like there was any champion to stand up against them."

The civil liberties union disputed Robertson's characterization of its work. "We would and will take the case of any child in a public school who is told he cannot say grace before lunch," said Loren Siegel, public education director. "But we would absolutely oppose a graduation ceremony that would have a clergy person or anyone" reciting a prayer for the assembly.

Robertson said he was introduced to Sekulow in 1990 by the dean of Regent University Law School, which Robertson founded. Sekulow was serving as general counsel of his own, Atlanta-based religious liberties firm, Christian Advocates Serving Evangelism.

On June 29, the Supreme Court delivered religious conservatives a major victory, ruling 5-4 that the University of Virginia was constitutionally obliged to provide student funds to a student religious magazine.

Writing for the majority, Justice Anthony Kennedy called the decision one for free speech, and cited two other recent Supreme Court decisions that broadened religious groups' access to school property on free speech grounds — Board of Education of Westside Community Schools v. Mergens and Lamb's Chapel vs. Center Moriches Union School District.

Sekulow, who had successfully argued both cases before the court, said in an interview that the decisions have led to a vast expansion of Bible clubs and other religious activities in schools coast to coast. "You see student valedictorians doing prayer all over the country," he said. "You can't censor their speech."

He said the free speech strategy has proven effective with judges across the ideological spectrum against opponents who rely on the First Amendment's clause against the establishment of religion.

J. Brent Walker, chief counsel of the Baptist Joint Center on Public Affairs, described Sekulow as "very good on his feet" and the Law and Justice center as "extremely organized." But he said, "We disagree with them on just about every establishment issue."

Sekulow, a compact, broad-shouldered man who talks about his courtroom experiences with great zest, said he developed an interest in constitutional law while at law school at Baptist-affiliated Mercer University in Atlanta.

He was an undergraduate at Mercer, too, converting then to Christianity. "I was raised in a moderate Reform to Conservative household," he said, naming the two largest branches of Judaism in the United States, which, to different degrees, blend modern interpretations of the faith with traditional elements. His family, he recalled, was "culturally, very committed" to Judaism.

Among evangelicals, conversion stories often involve an immediate emotional experience, the believer driven to his knees or to the church altar by a conviction that defies reason.

But Sekulow described his spiritual transformation almost as a matter of logic, begun when he took a college course in the New Testament. "I'm one of those people who can testify that the words of the Gospel have an impact on you," he said. "When I really understood it intellectually, and when it translated into my heart — which is the most important part — my life has never been the same."

Sekulow said that the ultimate goal of Christian legal organizations was "restoring fundamental religious freedom in America." By this, he said, he meant that religious people would find their views "not merely tolerated or respected" within the public discourse, but welcomed, indeed, anticipated.

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AIDS Awareness

The Midland Angels have declared Thursday as AIDS Awareness Day. Tickets for the game are $4 and proceeds will benefit SPARC — South Plains Resource Center — and Camp Fire Boys and Girls, which provides an education program on HIV/AIDS. Information on HIV/AIDS will be distributed at the game. Tickets are available at SPARC, 3841 N. Dixie in Odessa; the Canopy, 3121 E. University in Odessa; and the Campfire office, 1024-B Andrews Highway in Midland.

TODAY'S AGENDA

Listings for meetings of Alcoholics Anonymous, Alanon, Palmer Drug Abuse Program, Codependents Anonymous, Narcotics Anonymous and Adult Children of Alcoholics can now be heard on CITYLINE. Call 560-2400 and enter category 1660 for complete information.

Permian Basin Road Runners Club, business meeting, 697-1066.

11th Step Study group for people in recovery, 10:30 a.m., 2103 W. Louisiana Ave., 697-4751 or 682-1646.

Greater Permian Basin Duplicate Bridge & Novice Duplicate Bridge, 1: 30 p.m., Allison Bridge Center.

Tall City Road Riders, 9 a.m., Warfield Truckstop, 682-9669, 687-5313.

Overeaters Anonymous, 3 p.m., Room 201B First Presbyterian Church, 697-5894.

Headquarters, 2nd Battalion/39th Regiment, Texas State Guard, 1 p.m., 683-8742.

SAA—Reflections, 560-5240. The meetings are closed.

MONDAY

Compassionate Friends, a support group for parents who have suffered the loss of a child at any age, 7:30 p.m., Hospice of Midland, 911 W. Texas, 682-2855.

Survivors Group for sexual abuse, rape and incest, 6 p.m., Glenwood Hospital, 563-1200.

Clogging, basic and intermediate levels, 7 p.m., 2800 W. County Road 130.

Texaco Toastmasters Club, 11:30 a.m., Texaco Heritage Center, 688-2932.

Midland Area AIDS Support, for family and friends of people with AIDS, 7 p.m., 684-6161 or 684-7821.

West Texas Singles dance class, 7:30 p.m., 520-5535.

West Texas Astronomers, 7:30 p.m., Marian Blakemore Planetarium, 689-6375.

Midland Rape Crisis support incest survivors. For group information, call 682-7273.

Alliance for the Mentally Ill—Permian Basin, 7 p.m., 211 E. Texas Avenue, Friendship House, 694-4248.

Rebekah Lodge No. 91, 8 p.m., 610 E. Florida St.

Downtown Kiwanis Club, noon, Midland Center.

Wall Street Toastmasters Club, 5:30 p.m., Midland Co. Library, 697-2084.

Barbershop Singing Society, Permian Basin Chapter of SPEBSQSA, Our Savior's Lutheran, 7 p.m., 685-1831.

Midland Amateur Radio Club, 7:30 p.m., MARC clubhouse 689-5441.

Norman Reed Assembly No. 298, Order of the Rainbow, 7:30 p.m., 1600 W. Wall St.

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Tests drive curriculum, report says

■ TAAS scores shouldn't be absolute indicators of student learning or teacher effectiveness, Texas State Teachers Association report says.

By Myra Lee Salcedo
Staff Writer

When teachers ask for salary increases, the word "accountability" is usually hung over their heads. Often, in the same breath, test scores are brought up.

In Texas, and in Midland, accountability specifically translates to TAAS — Texas Assessment of Academic Skills — tests. And that has got to stop, according to a recent report from Texas State Teachers Association.

"This is blaming teachers and damaging to the welfare of the child," according to the TSTA report, "Schools for the 21st Century: The Profession Speaks Out."

"Teachers are concerned that tests are driving and thus narrowing the curriculum," the report said. "Teachers fear the public, the media, and policy makers often see a single test score as an absolute indicator of student learning or teacher effectiveness. Teachers believe student learning should be evaluated in many ways — through the use of portfolios, exhibits, and presentations, for example. That is, measurement of performance should be better than that offered by standardized tests alone."

Alamo Junior High School teacher and Classroom Teachers Association of Midland President Jo Hayes agrees that test scores don't tell the whole story about a student's achievement. "For example, if a student moves from the 30th percentile up to the 60th percentile (scoring better than 30 percent of test takers to scoring better than 60 percent of test takers) he has made significant growth. But if he doesn't pass the TAAS test that is all that will be noticed. There is so much that should be looked at than just one score."

"Teachers can bring a student up from third-grade to fifth-grade reading level, but if that student doesn't pass the TAAS, then it looks like he didn't progress," said Linda Hancock past president of Classroom Teachers Association of Midland.

"It would make more sense to give a pretest at the beginning of the year and a post test at the end of the year, and if it shows progress, then we have accomplished something with that child," Ms. Hancock said.

Local teachers said they weren't denying the importance of the TAAS test, nor were they saying teachers don't need to be accountable.

"We are accountable. Our performance is evaluated one to five times per year," Ms. Hancock said.

Ms. Hayes said a lot of informal evaluating also takes place. "Good principals pop in and check classrooms," she said.

School board trustees have said the TAAS test should not be the only measure of performance, but it is still one of the most important indicators of student performance in the state. And without passing the exit-level test, Texas students won't graduate.

Former Gov. Ann Richards, who refused to lower math standards on the TAAS test, said previously, "We should set a high standard of expectations, and I think

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Judgment hearing gives information to 3-member panel

By Tonie Miller-Uzzel
Staff Writer

A summary judgment hearing on the constitutionality of the 385th District Court was finally conducted Thursday after months of anticipation by Midland County court officials.

That hearing provided a three-member U.S. District Court judge panel in Washington, D.C., with the information it needs to make a ruling on whether or not to allow the court to proceed.

No ruling was made, but the Bickerstaff law firm in Austin told the county attorney's office that a ruling was expected in the near future.

The 385th District Court, which was created by the state Legislature in its last session to help ease an overburdened court docket in Midland County, was not cleared for operation by the U.S. Department of Justice.

The Justice Department has ruled that the at-large system of electing judges in Texas is unconstitutional, despite a Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals ruling upholding the election system.

The Justice Department wants to see judges elected through precincts to allow minorities more voice in electing their judges.

Please see HEARING/2B

Jury selection to start in capital murder trial

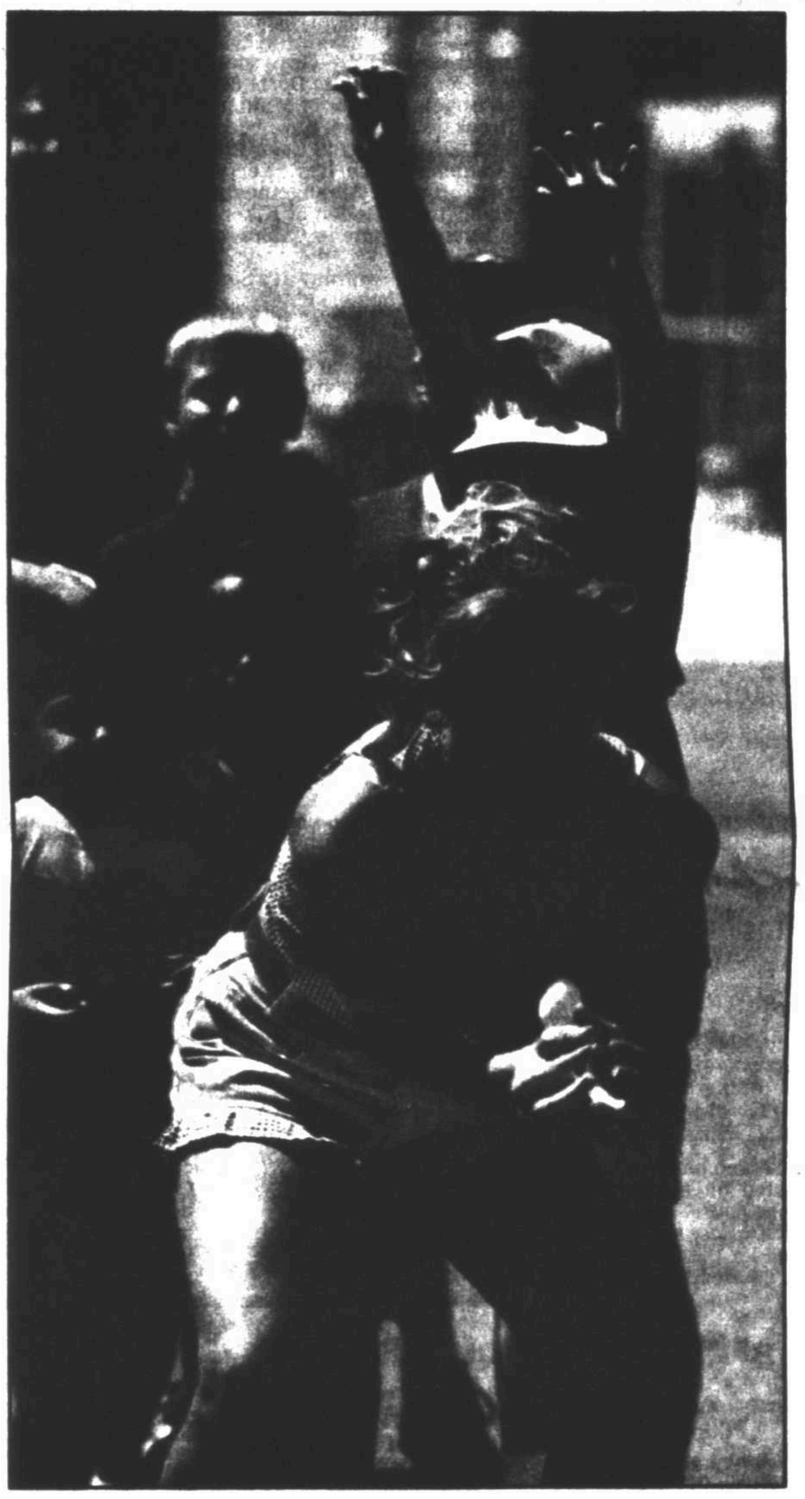
From Staff Reports

BIG SPRING — Jury selection begins Monday in the trial of Levy Lee Edmondson, who is charged with capital murder in the shooting death of Texas Department of Public Safety Trooper Troy Hogue in December.

Edmondson faces a possible death sentence if convicted. Attorneys likely will be spending the entire week selecting a panel of 12 jurors and two alternates, according to an attorney with Edmondson's court-appointed defense team.

Jury summons for about 350 Big Spring residents have been sent and attorneys will be interviewing these people in groups and individually during the voir dire process.

Edmondson, who had been pulled over for a routine traffic investigation, was arrested after reportedly producing a large-caliber handgun and shooting Hogue one time in the head before being wrestled to the ground by officers with DPS and the Howard County Sheriff's Office.



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Above, Rainnie Hull, Junior Miss Martin County, bobbles the egg toss, one of the events during the Old Settlers Reunion Saturday in Stanton. Billie Miles, top right, performed Saturday at the reunion.

62nd Old Settlers Reunion brings friends together

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

STANTON — Do you know how to tell if it is likely to rain in the next few days?

Doyle Hale has some clues, particularly since he's a farmer. And he has seen some signs and results that he was willing to share at Saturday's 62nd annual Martin County Old Settlers Reunion.

The weather and prospects of rain are most always timely topics in West Texas.

Hale's rain omens go something like this: It is a sure sign of rain when the tarantulas, the thousand-legs (millipedes) and terrapins start scrambling; when the coyotes howl three nights in a row; when the jackrabbits start hopping around at mid-day; and when the wind blows from the south for three days and three nights.

And there was another sign that Hale was telling fellow farmer Vernon Chandler: If the cotton is "real pretty" in the morning but begins to wilt by noon, then "you look out because it is going to rain" real soon — in a matter of days.

The folks in Martin County, who largely depend on the cotton crop for their livelihoods, were hoping so.

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Austin band Storyville to perform for streetdance

By Georgia Temple
Staff Writer

Once upon a time, the Austin-based blues and rock band, Storyville, wanted to come to Midland to play. So, they scheduled a performance for Saturday's street dance at Centennial Plaza.

"We're doing a lot of our own brand new material that we've written since we've been together," said Malford Milligan, named Best Male Vocalist at the Austin Music Awards. "The sound definitely rocks a little harder than the record did."

Recently named Best New Band at the Austin awards, Storyville sets the stage for Texas rocker Joe Ely. Gates open at 6 p.m. Saturday. Music begins at 8 p.m.

Advance tickets are $12.50 at Midland Sound and Endless Horizons, Odessa. Admission at the gate is $15. Reserved tables of 10 are available by calling 570-6307.

Milligan said he's been interested in music all his life, but he didn't start singing until around eight years ago, when he was in an alternative band called Stick People. At the time, he was a sociology major at the University of Texas at Austin.

"I graduated to not making a living because I went into music — made a decision I really wanted to sing and to write music," Milligan said of his choice not to complete his degree.

He said he is fortunate to have found what he loves doing.

"I was really searching for what I wanted to do, and I ran up on it by accident with music," Milligan said. "Being on stage, for me, was the place I could be all of who I am. I could express every emotion I felt. I could figuratively cry in songs, I could scream, and people dug it. I definitely wanted to do that."

Milligan is the first member of his family to become a musician.

"It wasn't an easy decision to drop out of school and do that," Milligan said. "My folks were real working-class people — no precedence in my family for being a musician. Eventually, they let me do what I wanted to do.

"They know me. I've got a real strong head. But I figured out I can make $50 doing music just like I could make $50 sacking groceries. This is a quiz. Which would you want to do? I knew this was what I wanted to do."

'I was really searching for what I wanted to do, and I ran up on it by accident with music. Being on stage, for me, was the place I could be all of who I am.'
— Malford Milligan, Storyville

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Friday Night Alternative provides safe, fun environment for singles

By Katherine Poteet
Staff Writer

Tired of being by yourself on a Friday night? Want to meet other young professionals in a safe environment?

No, it's not the classified ads, it's Friday Night Alternative — a program designed to get singles together in a fun and safe environment.

The program was started last year by Rooster Fletcher, singles minister at Crestview Baptist Church.

"It started as an activity of our single adult class," Fletcher said. "We opened up our gym every Friday night and encouraged not only our members to come, but to bring their friends."

Fletcher said the program at Crestview was successful; an average of 70 attended each Friday.

However, the church could not continue to use its gym each week.

Fletcher then approached the singles ministers at First Methodist Church, First Baptist Church and Golf Course Road Church of Christ about rotating the program between the churches.

"They (singles ministers) were very receptive," Fletcher said. "We all share the load and the program has become more of what we wanted — more interdenominational and citywide. It's not just that 'Baptist thing.'"

The program started again on June 2 and will continue through August. The program could continue past the summer if attendance warrants it, Fletcher said.

Child care and food are provided by the host church. Crestview conducts the program on the first Friday of the month, followed by First Methodist Church, First Baptist Church and Golf Course Road Church of Christ.

Activities at the program include volleyball, pool tables, card games and dominoes.

"It is a very low-key environment, a come-and-go type thing," Fletcher said. "There is no 'churchiness' to it. We want our members to bring friends and have them be comfortable with the environment.

Our intention from the beginning was to provide somewhere for singles to go besides the bars or sit at home on Fridays," he continued. "It is a safe place, both religiously and socially."

Fletcher said the program tends to attract young professionals between 25 and 40 years old.

"It is also a plus because our singles group got tired of being around the same people all the time," he said. "This gives them a chance to meet other singles from other churches."

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Storyville — from left Mallord Milligan, Tommy Shannon, Chris "Whipper" Layton, Dave Holt and Dave Grissom — is to perform at Centennial Plaza during Saturday's street dance. The group opens for Joe Ely.

BAND: Storyville to perform at Centennial Plaza for dance

(From 1B)

Milligan, who calls himself lucky, said his record offer from November Records, a small label out of New York, was the result of his performance at a South by Southwest Showcase.

"They liked it enough to want to promote a record — put one out, which I'm grateful for," Milligan said. "It's a rare thing to get a record deal."

He had a problem. "I didn't have a band. We talked about the people we wanted on the session. Chris Layton (Stevie Ray Vaughan, Arc Angels), Tommy Shannon (Stevie Ray Vaughan, Arc Angels) and Dave Grissom (John Mellencamp) were all at the top of that list."

The Storyville sound began to take form in 1994 in the recording studio with the help of producer Stephen Bruton, who has produced Bonnie Raitt and Kris Kristofferson. Background vocals were performed by Don Henley.

"It was really rewarding to be in the studio with them, and it felt really good to work with them," Milligan said.

The Storyville lineup also includes guitarist David Holt (Carlene Carter, Mavericks).

"The only one I hadn't worked with was Dave Holt, and he fit in perfectly. It was the band he wanted to be in."

Storyville's debut album, "Bluest Eyes," has met with success, but the format for the next is different. It will feature Storyville "writing Storyville's album as opposed to tunes I've written with other people," Milligan said.

As long as he's working, Milligan finds life satisfying. "That's the bottom line. I have to sing. It's not a love or a passion or a hobby. It's something I have to do. It's a part of who I am."

Milligan finds the musicians in Storyville "incredible. I really, hopefully, stepped up, became better as a singer because of the people I'm working with. They are all great people. It's a band that I really am proud to be a part of."

DEATHS

Taylor Sherrill

ODESSA — Services for Taylor A. Sherrill of Odessa have been set for 10 a.m. Tuesday at First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Jim Hawk officiating. Burial will follow at Sunset Memorial Gardens under the direction of Frank W. Wilson Funeral Directors.

Sherrill died Thursday in Odessa.

He was born Jan. 7, 1896, in Rising Star.

He moved to Odessa from Cisco in 1941.

He served in the U.S. Army during World War I. He was a lifetime member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

He was a carpenter, a member of First United Methodist Church.

He retired from Exxon Oil Co. after 33 years.

Survivors include two sons, Bill Sherrill of Odessa and James D. Sherrill of Poway, Calif.; a daughter, Alene Robertson of Dallas, Ore.; eight grandchildren, nine great grandchildren, and four great-great grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be directed to Hospice of the Southwest, P.O. Box 14710, Odessa, Texas, 79768; or to the First United Methodist Church Organ Fund, 415 N. Lee, Odessa, Texas, 79761.

Nellie Dorn

COLORADO CITY — Graveside services for Nellie Bess Dorn, 80, of San Angelo, mother of Midlander Brooksie Raschke, have been set for 2 p.m. Sunday at Colorado City Cemetery. The Rev. Kerry Cain will officiate. Arrangements are under the direction of Kiker-Seale Funeral Home in Colorado City.

Ms. Dorn died Saturday at a San Angelo nursing home.

She was born April 6, 1915, in Spur.

She lived in Colorado City most of her life before moving to San Angelo. She was a seamstress and a member of the Church of Christ.

Other survivors include another daughter, Bertie Lou Huff of San Angelo; six grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Loyd Bolin

LAMESA — Graveside services for Loyd Bolin, 88, of Lamesa have been set for 4 p.m. Tuesday at Lamesa Cemetery with the Rev. Clifton Igo of Crestview Baptist Church in Lamesa officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Branon Funeral Home.

Bolin died Friday at a Lubbock hospital.

He was born March 27, 1907, in Ada, Okla.

He married Faye Jackson in New Mexico in 1948.

He was a retired deputy sheriff from Dawson County and a cattleman. He was a member of Second Baptist Church of Lamesa for 15 years and of Elks Lodge in Carlsbad, N.M.

Survivors include his wife, Faye Bolin of Lamesa; two daughters, Doris Deemer of Las Cruces, N.M., and Janell Pendleton of Midland; two sons, Glynn Bolin of Alamagordo, N.M., and Larry Sanford of O'Donnel; and a brother, Robert Bolin of Ada, Okla.

Yesmael Equinones

STANTON — Services for Yesmael "Mike" Equinones, 81, have been set for 10 a.m. Monday at St. Joseph Catholic Church with the Rev. Terence Brenon officiating. Burial will follow at St. Joseph Cemetery under the direction of Gilbreath Funeral Home. Rosary will be recited 7 p.m. today at the funeral home.

Equinones died Friday at a Midland hospital.

He was born July 5, 1914, in Alpine.

He moved from Alpine to Stanton where he was a resident for 49 years.

He married Soledad Granados July 1946 in Stanton.

He retired from the Colorado River Muncipal Water District in 1976.

Survivors include his wife, Soledad G. Equinones of Stanton; a son, Domingo Equinones of Stanton; two daughters, Dorothy Equinones of Stanton and Ramona Ortiz of Lubbock; and six grandchildren.

Thomas Loyd

Services for Thomas Glenn "Tommy" Loyd have been set for 1 p.m. Monday at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with Frank Lasater of University Heights Baptist Church officiating. Burial will follow at Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Loyd died Thursday at his Midland residence.

Loyd was born Sept. 2, 1971, in Andrews. He was reared and educated in Midland, where he graduated from Midland High School in 1990.

He attended Midland College and was employed with Bravo One Security as a security guard. He was a member of Ranchland Heights Baptist Church.

Survivors include his father, Bill Loyd of Odessa; his mother Shirley Loyd of Lubbock; and his stepmother, Franciene Loyd of Odessa; two sisters, Debbie Witte and Tammy Cryer, both of Odessa; three step-brothers, Wayne Sawyer and Billy Sawyer, both of Midland, and Travis Sawyer of Paris; a step-sister, Joann Glenn of Paris; his grandmothers, Dorothy Skidmore of Andrews and Edith Alelxander of Mayfield, Okla.; two nieces and three nephews.

Elizabeth Turner

Funeral Mass for Elizabeth Johnson Turner will be celebrated 1 p.m. Tuesday at St. Ann's Catholic Church by the Rev. Fred Nawarskas. Burial will be at Calvary Cemetery in Fort Worth under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home. A rosary will be recited 7 p.m. Monday at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel.

Mrs. Turner died Saturday at a local retirement center.

She was born June 26, 1911, in Fort Worth, where she was reared and educated.

She moved to Midland in 1949 and was the secretary for Jones & Laughlin Supply. She was an active member of St. Ann's Catholic Church in Midland.

Survivors include a niece, Susan Hansell Bianchi of Boston; two nephews, Howard Hansell III of Philadelphia, and William S. Hansell of Irvington on Hudson, N.Y.; and two cousins.

The family requests memorials be directed to St. Ann's Altar Society, 206 N. M St., Midland, Texas, 79701; or Hospice of Midland, P.O. Box 2621, Midland, Texas, 79702.

Pauline Biggs

Services for Pauline Biggs of Midland have been set for 11 a.m. Monday at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with he Rev. Bob Porterfield officiating. Burial will follow at Fairview Cemeter under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Biggs

Mrs. Biggs died Friday at her Midland home.

She was born July 21, 1908, in Dimmit. She was reared and educated in Hereford and Dimmit and graduated from Dimmit High School.

She married John H. Biggs Oct. 9, 1927 in Hereford.

The couple moved to Midland in 1944.

Mrs. Biggs worked at the Treasure Shop for about five years and was a part-time bookkeeper. She was a member of First Baptist Church, and the Downtown Lion Tamers Club.

She was preceded in death by her husband preceded on Dec. 22, 1987.

Survivors include two daughters, Shirley B. McCollum and Mona Lancaster, both of Midland; eight grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren, and numerous nieces and nephews.

HEARING: Precedents make favorable ruling likely for state

(From 1B)

The state filed a lawsuit in U.S. District Court against the Justice Department for holding up the court. The state had asked for a summary judgment in favor of the state.

The court has the authority — through a summary judgment — to make a ruling without a trial.

The three-judge panel doesn't have to consider evidence or testimony, but can refer to law and precedence, such as the Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals decision a few years ago in which it ruled in favor of the state.

Midland County Attorney Mark Dettman said case precedence is on the state's side, which makes the end results look favorable.

Two previous panels of three U.S. district judges had heard similar cases from New York and Georgia, and in both cases found in favor of the state.

"I anticipate this being the end of it with a favorable result for Midland County and the other counties involved — that is my expectation," Dettman said previously.

There are four counties involved in the litigation — Fort Bend, Harris, Tarrant and Midland.

All the effected counties in the lawsuit are sharing expenses for retaining the Bickerstaff firm from Austin to assist the state in the lawsuit.

A new courtroom has already been constructed on the fourth floor of the courthouse. Midland attorney Willie DuBose was elected as the judge for the 385th District in the Nov. 8 election.

TEST: Teachers, students feel pressured by TAAS

(From 1B)

we should hold both our students and faculty to that."

Teachers have said there is added pressure for them since the state advocates having 90 percent of students pass the TAAS.

"Look at adults in college. Some pass and some fail. With former educators on our board I think they would take into consideration that there is a learning bell curve," Ms. Hayes said. "You don't see 100 percent of students passing a course in college."

"I'm not saying teachers shouldn't be held accountable, just that there are so many variables," the Alamo teacher said.

School board trustee James Fuller, who is also an instructor at Midland College, said expecting 90 percent of students to master the TAAS test "is not an unfair standard."

"It's a goal and a challenge," Fuller said. Noting that it takes more than teachers and test scores to educate a child, report "The Profession Speaks Out" said, on the subject of accountability:

■ Teachers need to be accountable for making every school a community of learners, for providing leadership to school reform, and for their own learning.

■ Administrators need to be accountable for providing and encouraging an environment in which teachers can function at their best.

■ Local school boards need to be accountable for establishing policies that provide guidance and allow for the maintenance of an educational environment in which teachers can function at their best.

■ Businesses need to be accountable for working with teachers and others to develop more relevant vocational programs, for working in the public schools, and providing their employees ample opportunity to be involved in schools.

■ Parents need to be accountable for being involved in the education of their children, for staying in touch with the school and for being a good role model.

■ Students need to be accountable for their own success in school, for respecting the rights of others and participating as contributing members of the community.

Diabetes camp educates children about exercise, nutrition and blood sugar

From Staff Reports

GAINESVILLE — Midlander Jacob Smith recently attended Camp Sweeney for children with diabetes.

The camp, located on 340 wooded acres 8 miles east of Gainesville, offers horseback riding, soccer, crafts, swimming and canoeing on Lake Dealey. Campers learn about exercise and nutrition and get the opportunity to meet other children who are learning to cope with diabetes.

Camp Sweeney's 80-member staff offers medical attention and training in blood-sugar monitoring and insulin injections.

Camp Sweeney, founded in 1950 by Dr. J. Shirley Sweeney, is funded by donations from individuals, foundations, and the United Way. About 95 percent of campers receive scholarships to defray costs.

Camp Sweeney is operated by the Southwestern Diabetic Foundation, Inc., P.O. Box 918, Gainesville, Texas 76241, (817) 665-9502.

Students receive art festival awards

From Staff Reports

Thirteen students who participated in the recent Student Art Festival at the Museum of the Southwest received awards for art that best exemplifies images of the Southwest.

More than 2,000 pieces of art were shown in the Children's Museum and the Turner and Thomas Galleries.

The 35 Midland public schools, as well as private and home schools, were represented in this 34th annual event. The works will be matted, framed, and displayed in the Children's Museum at the Museum of the Southwest during the next year.

Students receiving awards are:

■ Brian Ragan, first grade, Parker Elementary, color drawing, "Desert Sunset"

■ Brandon King, second grade, Bonham Elementary, 3-D collage, untitled

■ Colby Frerich, third grade, Midland Christian School, color drawing, "Indian Maiden"

■ Clare Edwards, fourth grade, Henderson Elementary, drawing, "Indian Blanket"

■ Jessica Hollums, fifth grade, Fannin Elementary, paper mosaic, "Texas Cactus"

■ Leslie Oswald, seventh grade, home school, tempera, untitled

■ Jason Alspaugh, eighth grade, Greenwood Junior High, watercolor, "Nocona"

■ Jessie Onzures, ninth grade, Greenwood High, color drawing, "8 Seconds"

■ Kristie Veage, sophomore, Lee High, weaving, "Spanish Cross"

■ Lisa Saunders, sophomore, Greenwood High, pointillism, "At the End of the Road"

■ Edward Martinez, senior, Midland High, metal sculpture, "Teepee"

■ Sarah Urbanovsky, senior, Lee High, ink, "Toward the Light"

■ Rhonda Mebane, senior, Greenwood High, color drawing, "Native Heritage"

Midlander attends Texas Lions Camp

From Staff Reports

KERRVILLE — David Wade Jr., 9, son of Midlander David C. Wade, recently attended the Texas Lions Camp in Kerrville.

Wade Jr.

Sponsored by the Suburban Midland Lions Club, Wade participated in activities including horseback riding, swimming, field sports and a challenge course program.

Established in 1949, the Texas Lions Camp has given more than 40,000 children with physical disabilities the opportunity to experience the joys of summer camp. Children between the ages of 7-16 attend at no cost.

The Texas Lions Camp is a non-profit organization funded by Lions and private donations. For more information, contact the local Lions club or the Texas Lions Camp at P.O. Box 247, Kerrville, Texas 78029-0247, (210) 896-8500.

POLICE REPORTS

Friday:

Burglary of a residence: Paul Neatherlin reported at 5:37 p.m. that the residence at 1902 N. Midland Drive had been burglarized.

Burglary of a residence: Dusty McCullom reported at 11:12 p.m. that a television and other items were taken from 3609 Caldera Blvd. Entry may have been gained through an unsecured screen door.

Saturday:

Burglary of a building: Someone at Colonial Cabinet Shop, 2218 Wolfcamp Circle, reported an airless paint sprayer, valued at $1,000, had been taken. Entry had been gained by breaking the front glass window.

Anyone having information concerning these incidents should contact the Police Department at 685-7108 or Crime Stoppers at 694-TIPS.

Scout receives his Eagle award

From Staff Reports

Jonathan Nelson, son of David and Cathy Nelson of Midland, recently received his Eagle Scout Award at a program in his honor at the Tarleton Chapel of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints which sponsors Troop 331.

For his Eagle project, he organized a home and fire safety program for children involving the Midland Fire Department and other scouts from the troop.

Nelson follows the lead of both his grandfathers, who also earned their Eagle awards. In addition, he has earned 25 merit badges, and the Arrow of Light Award, and is continuing his scouting experience by attending the Philmont Scout Ranch this summer in Cimmaron, N.M.

Outside of scouting, Nelson enjoys baseball and basketball, and has been involved in community service at the Permian Basin Food Bank and Habitat for Humanity.

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Opinions on military readiness vary widely between firing range, Pentagon

By John Diamond
Associated Press

FORT HOOD — The 63-ton M-1 Abrams tank, its turbine engine whining, rumbles up to a berm and, with a jaw-rattling boom, fires a 105 mm round down range.

The dummy shell hurtles across the arid range toward its target, then skips along the ground like a stone on a still pond. Here at the largest installation of armored forces in the Western world, the vast array of military challenges that mean "readiness," come down to this.

To both the untrained eye and to the military experts, this tank, attached to the 3rd Battalion, 66th Armored Regiment of the 2nd Armored Division — the legendary "Hell on Wheels" of World War II fame — stands ready to fight.

"I would feel comfortable telling mom and dad, 'I will take your son to war and he will fight and win and there's a reasonable chance he will come back alive,'" said Col. James J. Grazioplene, commander of the 2nd Armored's 1st Brigade.

But 1,200 miles away in the basement of the Pentagon, on computer screens at the Army's Operations Center, the 2nd Armored Division is considered "category 3," or C-3, the next-to-lowest rating on the military's four-step readiness scale.

The 2nd Armored Division was one of three combat divisions cited by the Army last fall for a decline in readiness.

Readiness refers to the ability of a ship, squadron or ground force to carry out all of its possible wartime missions. It encompasses manpower, training, and equipment condition and maintainability.

Some in the military give the term a wider meaning, including such intangibles as the quality of life, the adequacy of pay, benefits and recreational facilities, and time with family.

President Clinton repeatedly calls readiness his top priority. Defense Secretary William Perry says the critical problem is ensuring future readiness by modernizing and replacing aging equipment.

Perry rejects Republican criticism that the U.S. military has gone "hollow." He told his top commanders that in budget negotiations "they could trade off any other requirement that I've given in this budget in favor of readiness." They replied that they were satisfied with their readiness budgets.

The Army got an extra $3 billion from the Clinton administration, most of it to improve readiness this year.

For next year, the House added $2.8 billion to Clinton's $92 billion request for operations and maintenance, a key readiness-related account that pays for training and equipment upkeep. And the administration is seeking a new "readiness protection authority" to enable it to cope with the costs of unexpected deployments without having to dip into training accounts.

Clinton also has added $25 billion to his own long-term defense spending plan and the House favors spending $50 billion more. Already, spending per soldier, a key measure of military readiness, now stands at historically high levels.

Military critics contend readiness is being used to whip up support for greater defense spending. Said Rep. Barney Frank, D-Mass.: "If anyone wanted to invade the United States the best time to do it would be in November because that's when the military every year says they're in bad shape."

But the military's supporters say the problem is real.

Readiness refers to the ability of a ship, squadron or ground force to carry out all of its possible wartime missions. It encompasses manpower, training, and equipment condition and maintanability.

Low readiness, said Army Gen. Gary Luck, the commander in South Korea, "translates usually into more territory and battle damage and more lives lost."

Gen. Gordon Sullivan, who just retired as the Army chief of staff, warns that the military is at "the razor's edge" of readiness.

"Everyone wants to know where the edge is: Where do you break readiness," Adm. Richard Macke, the U.S. Pacific commander told the House National Security Committee earlier this year. "To be honest, I can't tell you. But I think we're near the edge of the envelope."

Those asking if the force is ready to fight are missing the point, cautioned Carl Mundy Jr., who retired last month as Marine Corps commandant. "The critical question is ... will we be ready to win?"

Investigations by Rep. Floyd Spence, the South Carolina Republican who chairs the House Armed Services Committee, and Sen. John McCain, R-Ariz., turned up an array of problems. Among them:

■ At Fort Hood, tank crews walk across the dunes and hillocks in groups, pretending to be in tanks.

■ Deployments to Haiti, Somalia and elsewhere required Marines in some units to be away from their families for more than six months at a time. In the 2nd Marine Division at Camp Lejeune, N.C., seven of the division's 17 battalions were given the next-to-lowest readiness grade because of personnel shortages.

■ The 2nd Marine Air Wing at Cherry Point, N.C., ran out of money needed to continue training flights.

■ The readiness of surface ships in the Atlantic fleet had declined. Adm. Jeremy Boorda, the chief of naval operations, said the fast pace of overseas operations combined with tight budgets force the Navy to cut into ship maintenance. In addition, the slow pace of base closures has saddled the Navy with costly overhead.

■ The Air Force said its force has been reduced by 30 percent over the last seven years while deployment obligations have increased fourfold. A reduction in force can increase readiness since there is less to maintain.

■ Time spent on missions over Bosnia and northern Iraq meant crews missed regularly scheduled combat training and required waivers to continue flying, Air Force Brig. Gen. John Dallager reported.

The Clinton administration says these problems are more anecdotal than systemic and can be attributed to unexpected deployments over the past year.

Since the fall, two of the three Army divisions cited as having below-par readiness have been phased out and the 2nd Armored is expected to be back up to speed by fall.

Sen. Sam Nunn, D-Ga., the ranking Democrat on the Senate Armed Services Committee, said it would be a waste of money to keep the entire force fully ready all the time. Units such as the 2nd Armored Division are designed to reinforce front-line forces 60 to 90 days after fighting begins. Those two to three months provide adequate time to prepare a reasonably well trained and equipped unit, Nunn said.

Lt. Col. Scott Feil, overseeing the shooting at the Fort Hood tank range, agrees that the "fire hose technique" of throwing money at readiness problems isn't the answer.

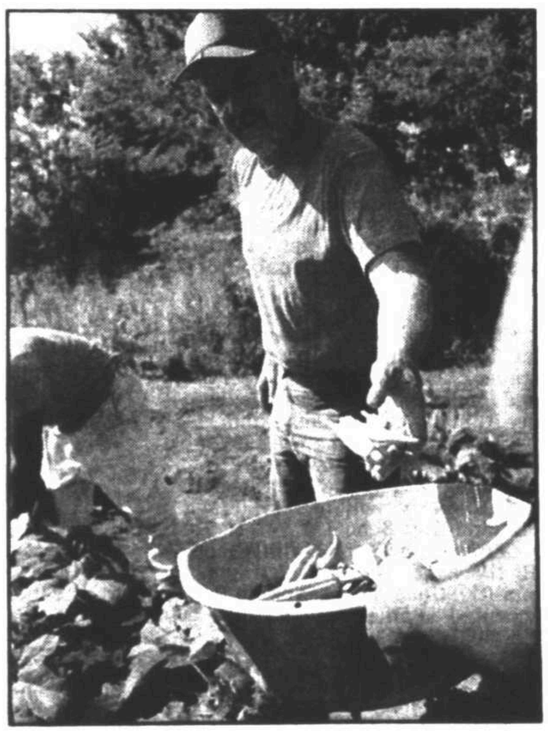
"I'd rather have everybody be at a B or B-plus range than have some straight-A's and some D's," Feil said.

His boss, Maj. Gen. Robert Coffey, takes issue with Republican descriptions of "walking" tank crews. At $100 an hour, an M-1 tank is an expensive machine to operate, Coffey notes. Before sending crews out on the range, he wants them to know exactly what they will be up against, and so crews walk through "sand box" models of the battlefield.

"I would tell you, no matter how much money you give me we're still going to walk our tanks," Coffey said. "That's a good way to train."

Coffey says the poor rating he gave his own division had nothing to do with Haiti or other foreign deployments.

"I said, 'We are not as good as we could be. We are not bad, but if I had more money I could train more and we could be better,'" Coffey recalled. "'But I could still go whip anybody in the world."



Harrison County Jail inmate worker Jefferey Ross tosses freshly picked okra into a bucket held by a fellow inmate at the jail's pea farm in Jonesville June 14.
AP Laserphoto

Jail inmates turn seized property into productive farm

By Sheryald Curbey
Marshall News Messenger

JONESVILLE — When Harrison County Sheriff Bob Green obtained a house and three acres of land in the Jonesville community through a drug arrest in the fall of 1993, he considered selling the property to bring in money for the county.

But when it became obvious that buyers weren't willing to pay what the county was asking for the home, Green decided to put it to good use through the department's inmate work program.

"This place was a mess," Green said of the half-finished home and weed-choked and trashed land.

Prior to the house being seized by law officers, occupants of the home had decided to renovate the house with interior colors of yellow, green, orange and black. The exterior of the home was covered with tar paper. Piles of trash, scrap metal and tin and broken down vehicles were scattered throughout the three and half acres that was overgrown with thicket.

Marijuana patches had spotted the area.

"The inmates have really done a lot of work cleaning this place up and turning it into something productive," Green said.

For the past year, Harrison County inmates on the volunteer program have cut trees, pulled weeds, burned brush, hacked at thick underbrush, hauled trash, and mowed.

What was once tangled growth, is now a finely manicured, well-kept yard and garden area.

"The produce grown here is used to feed the inmates," Green said. "Last year we saved the county $10,000 in food costs. This year our goal is $25,000."

Gardens yielding onions, peppers, tomatoes, squash, okra, peas and beans are all maintained by inmates.

"They till, plant, weed, water and pick the vegetables," Green said. "The produce is then taken to the county jail where female inmates there wash, can and freeze the vegetables."

In order to earn the trust to work on projects outside the county jail, inmates must meet certain qualifications.

"Those who are on the inmate work programs are all nonviolent criminals and they first begin by doing work inside the jail such as mopping floors and working in the kitchen. Their goal is to get to work on the pea farm and with the road and bridge crew," Green said.

It's not a game for the inmates. What they do is hard work and they are very dedicated to it, Green said.

"It gives them a pride of self-worth," he said.

Town's scenery includes unique conversation piece for visitors

By Janet Ausbury
Big Spring Herald

BIG SPRING — Every town must have its conversation piece, and The Hat certainly qualifies as one.

Which hat? You know — the one that sits off Interstate 20 West. The one everyone sees on their way coming to or going past the Big Spring airport. The huge oilfield worker's hat that usually has some local business or organization's name and logo on it.

If you've ever driven past The Hat and wondered about it, if you've ever paused to glance at it, now's the chance to learn about the largest piece of headgear you're likely to see anywhere.

According to the Big Spring Herald's files, Oilfield Industrial Lines, better known in town as OIL, introduced its theme "The Big Rig Factory" in May 1982 during the Offshore Technology Conference at the Houston Astrodome.

The Hat was described at the time as the world's largest hat. It weighs approximately 1,500 pounds.

A wood skeleton was covered with a plywood skin beneath a styrofoam coating to make The Hat. Bright orange Fiberglas covered the initial sculpture, with the OIL logo in white letters.

Because of The Hat's huge size, it had to be built in two parts for transportation from its construction site in Dallas. The two pieces were then bolted together and fastened to the crown of the rig.

The Hat was a familiar sight on the former OIL grounds. However, as the oil boom faded in the early to mid-1980s, so did OIL. The company went bankrupt, and The Hat ended up in the hands of an Odessa oil field buyer.

Enter Rodney Martin, owner of WT Oil Field Services Company Inc. in Big Spring. He bought The Hat for $100 at an auction in Odessa about three or four years ago — neither he nor wife Amy is sure of the exact year — and paid another $1,200 to have it moved to its present location.

He acknowledges The Hat was quite a bargain.

"It cost about $19,000 or $20,000 when it was built," he said. "You couldn't build it for that now."

The land on which The Hat sits has been in Martin's possession for several years. He has been planning to construct a new building for WT Oil Field Services at that location and originally bought The Hat to use, as OIL did, as an on-site attention-getter.

However, with his moving plans delayed, he decided The Hat should be put to some kind of use.

Passers-by will notice The Hat's appearance changes every few months. It acts as a billboard for various causes and businesses.

"I let local groups paint it whenever they've got a use for it, to promote the city of Big Spring," Martin explained. He charges no fee.

About a year ago, The Hat was painted in a Dallas Cowboys motif to welcome Bill Bates to town.

More recently, The Hat was blue and sported the Big Spring Symphony's "Hats Off to the Symphony" slogan.

Any organization that wishes to use The Hat had best inform Martin quickly; by next year he wants to finish his company's new location on The Hat's grounds, and The Hat will be painted with the company's logo and raised on a deck.

"That will make it even more of an advertising tool," Marin said.

Nobody will ever be able to wear it, but this $1,300 hat is proving more useful than any designer piece you'll ever see in a store.

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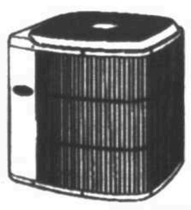

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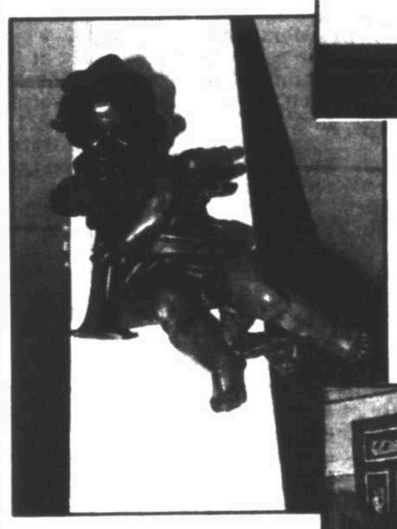

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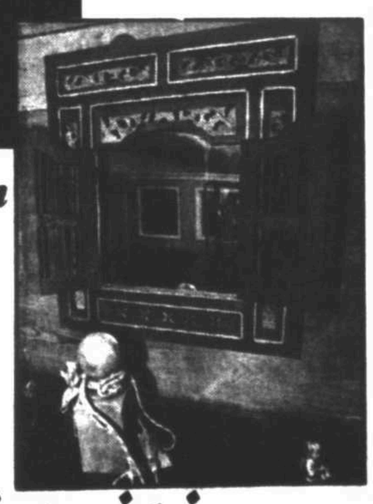

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ENTERTAINMENT IN BRIEF

Exhibit hosted

ODESSA — The Art Institute for the Permian Basin, 4909 E. University, is hosting through Aug. 30 the exhibition, "The Soviets: Soviet Photography, 1974-1990."

This exhibition of black and white photographs documents the lives of ordinary people living through extraordinary times. The work includes photos taken in Soviet cities and towns of peasants, city families, "punk rockers" and church goers from the Cold War years through the beginning of the dissolution of the Soviet Union.

The exhibition is on loan from the Harry Ransom Center of the University of Texas.

In 1988, Abilene photographer Bill Wright traveled to what was them the Soviet Union to explore the state of photography behind the Iron Curtain.

Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday and 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday. No admission is charged.

Also on display through July 30 is The Water Color Horizon Group Juried Exhibition. The show was juried by Pam Price, chairman of the art department at the University Fo Texas of the Permian Basin.

Show to close

The fifth annual American Spirit Arts and Crafts Show closes today at Midland Center, Wall and Main streets.

Artists and crafters from throughout the Southwest have their original art and handcrafted items on display in the main exhibit hall and foyer.

Hours are noon to 5 p.m. No admission is charged. The show was organized by Mel Prather.

Musical planned

FORT WORTH — Casa Manana Theatre will present the regional premiere of the musical hit "Forever Plaid" July 11-23.

The premiere features the original New York cast who created the characters Jinx, Sparky, Smudge and Frankie, and who have performed the show in New York, Los Angeles and London, where they presented a command performance for Queen Elizabeth.

Performances are at 8 p.m. Tuesday through Friday, 2 and 8 p.m. Saturday and 2 p.m. Sunday. Tickets range from $18 to $25 and may be purchased by calling 1-817-332-CASA, or any TicketMaster outlet.

Drawings on view

DALLAS — A series of autobiographical drawings inscribed with a handwritten narrative of the life of Williard Watson is on view in the Works on Paper gallery of the Dallas Museum of Art, 1717 N. Harwood.

The self-taught folk artist, known as the Texas Kid, died June 12.

The series, called the "Suite of 12 Life Cycle Drawings," was purchased for the museum by the friends of Williard Watson in 1985.

No admission is being charged to see the installation.

Play presented

The family musical "Pinocchio" is being presented by Midland Community Theatre's Pickwick Players at Cole Theatre, 2000 W. Wadley Ave., at 1:30 p.m. through Saturday.

The musical tells the classic story of the puppet who turns into a real boy.

Tickets are $5 each. For reservations call 682-4111.

Contest held

STAMFORD — A Fiddler's Contest will be held beginning at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday in the Roundup Hall here.

Prizes of $75 for first place, $50 for second place and $35 for third place will be awarded. All fiddlers 45 years old or older are eligible and invited to enter.

Registration begins that day at 9 a.m. For more information call 1-817-997-2680.

Exhibit displayed

"Quiet Pride, Ageless Wisdom of the American West," an exhibition of photographs by Robert Alan Clayton, is on display through July 23 at the Museum of the Southwest.

Clayton spent three years going down 40,000 miles of back roads in the western states photographing people along the way. His selenium toned black and white photographs document the lives of 36 rural, western Americans ranging in age from 57 to 114. Each photograph is complemented with text relating the kernel of the life, values and world view of its subject.

The exhibition "Educated Exposures: Photography by Students of Midland and Odessa Colleges" featuring 47 photographs by students of photography instructors Kent Moss of Midland College and Steve Goff of Odessa College also closes July 23.

Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday and 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday.

Child's Day set

BIG SPRING — A free Pioneer Child's Day is scheduled at the Potton House, 200 Gregg St., from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday.

The grounds of the historic Potton House will be covered with booths and individuals demonstrating the old-fashioned ways of the pioneers. Children and parents will be able to practice their skills at each of the special areas dealing with food, play, folk medicine, everyday tasks and farm chores.

Standard hours for the museum are 1 to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday.

Artists featured

Gallery 1114's summer show features artists Charles Evans of Waco, Dianne Greene of Roanoke, Kate Sartor Hilburn of Choudrant, La. and Jeanne Johannes-Templeton of Carmel, Calif.

This show of contemporary photographs, which will remain at the gallery through July 20, includes a variety of images and techniques, such as collage, painting and other manipulation of the image.

Gallery 1114, 1114 N. Big Spring St., is a co-operative center for modern and contemporary art. Gallery hours are 1 to 5 p.m. Thursday through Sunday.

Band to perform

Skeleton Crew is to perform at 7:45 p.m. July 16, at the Museum of the Southwest's Summer Sundays Lawn Concert.

The band's program ranges from The Beatles, Rolling Stones, and the Byrds to The Police and The Talking Heads.

Members of the band — which has performed previously at the Summer Concerts — are Odessan Scott Schenkel, drums and vocals; and Midlanders Mike Fletcher playing lead guitar, Tom Byrne, bass and vocals, and James Love on keyboard and guitar.

The Lawn Concerts is free family entertainment sponsored in part by the Reporter-Telegram. The audience is invited to bring seating and picnics.

MAKING THE GRADE

Seven Midland residents were among the 95 students named to the Odessa College Summa Cum Laude Honor Roll for the spring 1995 semester: **Vicki Cearley, Dewey Crossland, Ronald Dragoo, Jeffrey Foster, Todd Freese, Christe Gasser** and **Paul Knott.**

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Several local students have received awards from the United States Achievement Academy.

Kieffer

Curt Kieffer, son of Aurelia and Frank Kieffer and a student at Lee High School, won in leadership and service.

Ronica Pai, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vithal Pai and a student at Midland High School, won in English. She was nominated by Nancy Ponnell.

Carey Unger, daughter of Bob and Muffy Unger and a student at Lee Freshman High School, has been named an All-American Scholar.

Cowden

Courtney Cowden III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Holt Cowden and a student at Lee Freshman High School, also has been named an All-American Scholar. He was nominated by Reggie MacAllister.

Alonzo

Tawny Alonzo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Alonzo and a student at Lee Freshman High School, also was named an All-American Scholar.

She was selected for the All-American At Large Division because she is among the top academically talented students in America.

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Eric Colson, son of Keith Colson of Midland, is listed on the President's Honor Roll for the spring quarter at Texas State Technical College (TSTC) in Waco.

Colson is a student in the Aircraft Pilot Training Technology program.

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Jeremy Gengler, son of Scott and Richelle Gengler of Midland, has been awarded a $450 scholarship from Aid Association for Lutherans (AAL) to attend the Lutheran Music Program instructional music camp in Sioux Falls, S.D. through July 23.

Gengler

Gengler, who attends Midland Lutheran Church in Midland, specializes in voice and piano.

Lutheran Music Program Inc. provides a one-month program of intensive, high-quality music instruction for talented high school youth, offered in a caring, Christian atmosphere.

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Alisha Gonzales, daughter of Frank and Phyllis Gonzales, was among students from Texas Woman's University named to the University Honor Roll for both the fall and spring semesters.

Gonzales

She was also inducted into Gamma Beta Phi and has been accepted for fall admission into the TWU College of Nursing baccalaureate program in Houston.

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Brennan Hensley of Midland, has been selected as a 1995 summer orientation leader at The University of Mississippi.

Selected from all areas of University life, orientation leaders were chosen in the fall and enrolled in a leadership class during their spring semester. During each orientation session, the leaders spend time with a small group of new students and help them become acquainted with Ole Miss' programs, regulations and traditions.

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Suzette Harris, daughter of George and Sara Harris, recently received a bachelor of science degree in communication disorders from Texas Tech University at Lubbock.

Harris

Miss Harris is a graduate of Lee High School.

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Sam Pratt of Midland, participated in Salve Regina University's Graduate Extension Study Summer Institute June 23-26.

The institute fulfills the residency requirement for Graduate Extension Study (GES) at the University. Salve Regina's GES program enables students to complete courses via correspondence. It offers a master of arts in international relations or correctional administration and a master of science in management.

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Midland Beta Sigma Phi City Council announced the recipients of the scholarships for the fall of 1995 in the amount of $250 each to **Tara Rothwell Clark,** daughter of Charles and Beverly Rothwell and a student at Texas Tech University and **Lei-Lani Wood** and **Leah Wood** Steward, daughters of Rick and Karyn Wood and students at Midland College.

EDUCATION IN BRIEF

Area residents **Shane Davis** and his wife, **Cheryl Balthrop Davis,** have established the Katherine Rose Davis Memorial Scholarship in memory of their infant daughter.

Applications for the scholarship — established within the Permian Basin Area Foundation — are being accepted until Saturday.

The scholarship is for female graduates of high schools in Midland or Ector counties, Texas, or Cheatham County, Tenn. Applicants should have the intention of pursuing a college degree in the field of medicine or health care.

Davis is the weekend sports anchor at KWES-TV; Mrs. Davis is Director of Development and Marketing at Midland Community Theatre.

Applications for the $200 one-time scholarship award may be acquired by contacting the Permian Basin Area Foundation, P.O. Box 10424, Midland, Texas 79702. The office phone number for the Foundation is (915) 682-4704.

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Jim and Ann Hicks of Midland, will welcome a new "daughter" in August — **Martha Motta Kessler,** a Youth for Understanding (YFU) International Exchange Student from Brazil.

Ms. Kessler will be a student at Lee High School and will live with the Hicks family for the school year. She will participate in all family activities, from vacations to household chores. While she shares the culture of Brazil with her host family and schoolmates, she will learn about U.S. culture.

For more information about hosting YFU international students call YFU's volunteer for the Midland area, Tricia Renfro at 699-0622 or call YFU's regional office at 1-800-USA-0200.

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Billy and Deborah Salyers will host **Anton Odintsov,** an exchange student from Russia, and **George and Rachel Cross** will host **Alexander Kaplatiy,** an exchange student from Ukraine, during the 1995-96 school year. Odintsov will be attending Greenwood High School and Kaplatiy will be attending Midland High School.

Odintsov and Kaplatiy have met all the academic and character qualifications necessary to be accepted as an exchange student by ASSE International Student Exchange Programs.

ASSE needs more families in the Midland and surrounding area to host students from different countries.

To obtain more information about hosting or becoming an exchange student, please contact local Area Representative Verna Barrow at 915-385-0006 or call toll free at 1-800-473-0696.

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The Lee High School Choir Booster Club is to meet 7 p.m. Tuesday at Midland College Roadrunner Room.

The main topic for discussion is to be the choir's trip next year to Austria.

REUNION: Entertainment includes singing, tours

(From 1B)

Meanwhile, many of them were mingling with old friends, touring the 1880s-era convent and early-1900sjailhouse, touring the Martin County Historical Museum, attending high-school class reunions, socializing and listening to sentimental, uplifting, romantic, and gospel music.

The Anderson Cousins sang a medley of old songs. The popular Old Sorehead Band did its renditions of old standards. And George Glynn, simultaneously adept on the guitar and harmonica, played such tunes as "You Are My Sunshine," "Faded Love," and "The Old Rugged Cross."

On stage, Alton Turner yodeled in singing the glories of Texas.

Texas was lauded in song: "The sage in bloom is like perfume deep in the heart of Texas."

James Biggs sang in deep bass what could be Stanton's homecoming song, "Y'all Come To See Us When You Can."

Fay Jones Rhodes, 85, lively played the tub bass fiddle and wanted to play even more fast songs, but her cackling co-musician, Eddie Crow, didn't show up for the fun.

"I usually crow when we play 'They Killed the Old Red Rooster' and rear my head back," Mrs. Rhodes said. "And Eddie Crow (on the drums) usually cackles like a hen when I crow."

Like Ms. Rhodes, Crystal McClane Webb, 93, lives in Midland but still returns to her old hometown on Old Settlers Reunion day in July.

Mrs. Webb's parents moved from Eastland County to Martin County by rail in 1906 or 1907 "because the land was cheap" and settled on a farm north of Stanton.

In high school, she played on a championship girls' tennis team. "A lot of people back then didn't know what tennis was."

In 1917, when Mrs. Webb would have been a teen-ager, Martin County farmers suffered a severe drought. And her father, Will McClane, and a neighboring farmer, George Webb, and their families teamed up and headed for the Texas Panhandle.

"We went together to the Panhandle to pick cotton, because we didn't make a crop that year," Mrs. Webb said. The families saved the farms.

"They came back here with money for next year's crop," said her granddaughter, Jerrie Ann Westmoreland.

Mrs. Webb married her neighbor's son, Jim Webb, in 1921. They opened a grocery store in Stanton.

"If somebody was hungry, they'd get fed; they'd get some food," Mrs. Westmoreland said of her grandfather. He would see to it."

At age 81, Grover Springer is proud to be an old-timer and to survive teaching and horseback riding.

"I used to ride horses bareback all of the time," Springer said. "(But) every once in awhile, we'd use the saddle."

Sammy Yates said Springer "gave more people education in this country than anybody — he and his wife (Irene)," who also is a retired teacher. They taught in what is now the Grady Independent School District.

The Old Settlers Reunion brought Maxine McArthur and the Springers together.

The Springers' twin sons, Patrick and Michael, "were my best friends," reflected Mrs. McArthur, a Midlander who formerly lived in Stanton where she operated a flower shop. "They were such sweet, precious boys." She called them Pat and Mike.

"They sang duets in church. They sang everywhere," Mrs. McArthur said. "They sang in my daughter's wedding."

Pat Springer died in recent years. And there was yet another reunion, a joining of spirits, as Mrs. McArthur acknowledged: "Irene and I shed a few tears awhile ago about the boys."

Even so, the smiles and the joy in renewing old friendships and acquaintances at the Old Settlers Reunion brightened an already bright and sunny day.

Friends of missing executive continue nationwide search

Associated Press

DALLAS — Businessman John Cheek worked a 17-hour day at his Memphis, Tenn., office on Dec. 1, 1993, which was his custom.

"That was the last time anyone saw of him," said Andy Teller, a former Southern Methodist University classmate and close friend.

Friends and former classmates declared Saturday "National Search for John Cheek Day," and tacked up posters bearing his likeness at homeless shelters, truck stops and other public places across the country.

The last documented trace of the 28-year-old chief financial officer of the Cates Company, a growing Memphis real estate firm, was his charcoal-colored Acura Legend that was found parked near the Memphis-Arkansas bridge over the Mississippi River the day he disappeared.

Police first thought Cheek had jumped into the swift-running current of the mighty waterway, but an extensive search of the river turned up nothing. No evidence pointed to suicide.

In fact, things appeared to be going very well for the SMU and University of Chicago Graduate School of Business alumnus. Cheek had worked for months on a plan to take Mid America Apartment Communities public. Tireless days and sleepless nights were spent formulating a deal that would have meant a cool $1 million for Cheek within the month upon the deal's completion, Teller said.

But he wasn't around to cash in.

The following Valentine's Day, the family was informed of the first of many possible sightings of Cheek. Reports continued over the next year-and-a-half.

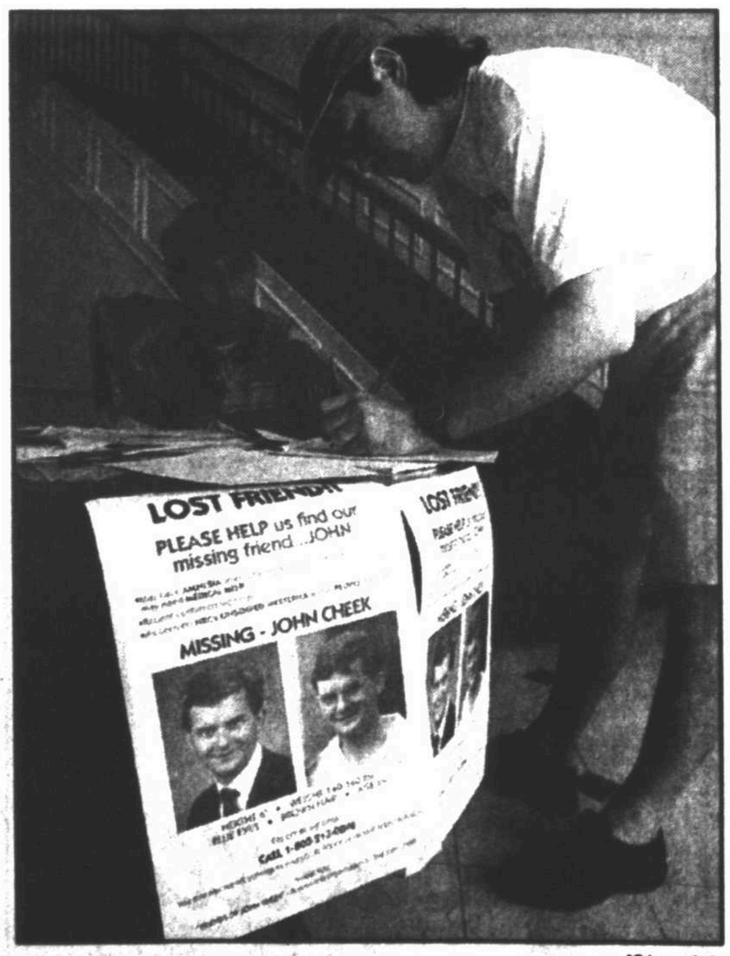
Trucker Ron Jackson saw a "missing" poster at a West Memphis, Ark., truck stop, and recognized the face. He told investigators he saw the same man just the morning before at a truck stop in Raphine, Va.

The man had been wearing a clean white shirt and tie, with other clothing wrapped neatly in a belt. Jackson also noted the man's unusual footwear as he bought him breakfast.

"That's what really got our attention," said Teller, who said he and other Phi Delta Theta members at SMU used to tease Cheek about his moccasin-like "driving shoes" that had little knots on the outside. "(Jackson) described those shoes. That gave us a lot of hope."

Teller said he searched the area near the truck stop for five days, with no luck.

The incident was the first of hundreds of reported sightings, though only a few appear to be valuable leads.



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Mike Mattocks, right, signs up to volunteer for "National Search for John Cheek Day" as Steve Bethel watches Saturday.

ARMED FORCES NEWS

Navy Seaman Recruit Chad Pierson, son of Julie Pierson of Midland, recently completed U.S. Navy basic training at Recruit Training Command in Great Lakes, Ill.

During the eight-week program, he completed a variety of training that included classroom study, practical hands-on instruction, and an emphasis on physical fitness. In particular, he learned naval customs, first aid, fire fighting, water safety and survival, and a variety of safety skills required for working around ships and aircraft.

Pierson is a 1994 graduate of Eunice High School in Eunice, N.M.

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Navy Chief Petty Officer Michael Williams, son of Carl and Alice Williams of Midland, recently returned to Norfolk, Va., from a six-month overseas deployment to the Mediterranean Sea with the destroyer tender USS Shenandoah.

Williams was one of 1,525 sailors aboard the ship who completed the 11,000-mile voyage that began in late November.

The 1974 graduate of Midland High School joined the Navy in August 1990.

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Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Johnny Guzman, son of Joe and Joyce Guzman of La Mesa, is halfway through a six-month overseas deployment to the North Atlantic Ocean and Baltic and Mediterranean seas aboard the mine countermeasures ship USS Pioneer.

Guzman is one of 86 sailors aboard the ship who have already traveled more than 5,000 miles since leaving Ingleside in February. Working aboard one of the Navy's newest high-tech mine sweepers, he has joined sailors aboard three other U.S. Navy mine countermeasures ships for a series of exercises involving NATO forces.

The 1986 graduate of La Mesa High School joined the Navy in April 1988.

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Board of inquiry to examine Texas Ranger's charges of sexual harassment

By Mike Cochran
Associated Press

AUSTIN — An unprecedented "board of inquiry" will attempt Tuesday to determine what occurred at a controversial overnight Texas Rangers outing in March 1994.

"There is not going to be a whitewash," says Houston attorney Ronald Krist, a member of the state Public Safety Commission that ordered the hearing.

"There is not going to be anything swept under the rug."

Krist said the three-member, policy-making commission, which oversees Ranger activities, wants nothing more than "to get to the bottom of this."

It was Krist who defined the unusual hearing as a board of inquiry.

The commission has summoned current and retired members of the unique law enforcement agency who attended the meeting at a remote lodge near Spurger in southeast Texas.

The inquiry, which comes on the heels of an internal investigation by the state Department of Public Safety, will examine allegations of sexual harassment by ex-Ranger Cheryl Steadman of Houston.

Ms. Steadman, 34, one of two history-making female Rangers commissioned in 1993, says most of the men at the meeting were drinking and some were using offensive language.

She said she was told to make a salad, peel potatoes, wash dishes and mix drinks by her superior officers, including Senior Ranger Capt. Maurice Cook.

Ms. Steadman, who was reassigned last year to the DPS Motor Vehicle Theft Service, told The Associated Press she intends to accept the invitation but may not testify.

"There's nothing fair could come out of this," she said.

She said she was shocked when Krist announced on national television in May that the commission would conduct a full hearing into her allegations.

That's what she thought DPS Internal Affairs was doing, she said.

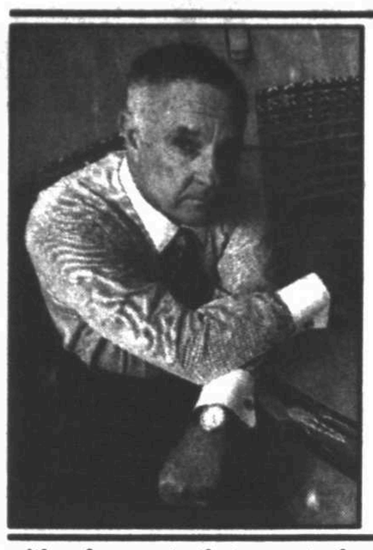
DPS investigators concluded in a report obtained by the AP in June that no one was drunk at the meeting, the "harsh language" was not directed at Ms. Steadman and she was not "treated inappropriately."

Asked if the board of inquiry was in effect rendering the DPS report suspect, incomplete or meaningless, Krist replied:

"I don't think it does anything with reference to that report other than to be totally open. ... There's been people suggesting that the internal affairs report was slanted and biased. ...

"I don't know what more we can do."

He said the DPS investigation was thorough but that the inquiry will supplement the internal report and allow witnesses to testify under oath.



'There is not going to be a whitewash. There is not going to be anything swept under the rug.'

— Ronald Krist, Houston attorney

Maintaining the Rangers are "stacking the deck" against her, Ms. Steadman said:

"It's a complete no-win situation for me. I have no expectations of gaining any ground here. I have never from day one thought this was a good idea, or even right."

She said she agrees with an unidentified source within the DPS who warned her in a letter June 26 that the "whole thing is being staged to discredit you and Lisa."

The source, code-named "Blue Light Red Light," referred to DPS criminal investigator Lisa Sheppard of Corpus Christi, who rejected a Ranger promotion last year and filed a human rights complaint against the agency.

Ms. Steadman said it was "Blue Light" who secretly sent her a copy of the DPS Internal Affairs report last month.

"I've never taken him lightly," she said, and when he cautioned her that the Rangers would be "gunning" for her Tuesday, she believed him.

At Ms. Steadman's request, Ms. Sheppard will attend Tuesday's hearing.

"I wouldn't miss it for the world," Ms. Sheppard told the AP with a laugh.

"The Rangers are putting on a production. It's going to be something for the media. It's not going to be something for Cheryl. ... I think they're doing whatever they can to save their butts, and you can't blame them for that.

"But they should suffer the consequences of their actions."

Neither of the female officers said she had ever heard of a hearing such as this. Mike Cox, a DPS spokesman, conceded as much. So did Commissioner Krist.

"I don't know of this ever happening before," Krist said.

"Let's bring the public in. Let's bring the press in. Let's bring everybody who has anything to say in support of or in criticism of what went on out there," Krist said.

Asked who will quiz the witnesses, Krist declared:

"I can guarantee you that I'm damn sure going to question the Rangers, and Cheryl if she shows up. The flip side of that is if you don't have the guts to show up, keep your mouth shut.

"If you have something to say, show up and say it."

In addition to the male Rangers, the agency's two female officers, Marrie Garcia of San Antonio and Christine Nix of Waco, reportedly have been ordered to appear.

Neither attended the 1994 retreat, an annual meeting which included firearms training for Rangers in Houston's headquarters company.

"If there's something wrong," Krist said, "then we're going to tend to it. But if it is a benign situation ... just a venting of frustration by a young woman who's incompatible in her new job, that's going to be the end of it."

NASA disputes report on missing supplies, Dunbar's reaction to experimental drug

HOUSTON (AP) — A NASA spokesman said Saturday astronaut Bonnie Dunbar was treated in a NASA laboratory after an allergic reaction last fall — not rushed to a hospital near death as has been reported.

CBS News said Friday that a NASA investigation found life-saving supplies were missing from the lab where a medical experiment was being performed on Dunbar.

But Johnson Space Center public affairs director Jeff Carr said the shuttle Atlantis crew member was taken to the hospital only for observation after her reaction to the experimental drug.

"You cannot possibly predict that kind of a reaction, but the (NASA) report found that when the reaction occurred, the physician and the medical team on the scene reacted appropriately," Carr said.

"The subject (Dunbar) was treated and stable and then only transported to a local hospital for observation," he said. "It's a far cry from the impression that she was rushed to the hospital near death."

Said CBS News spokeswoman Malka Margolies on Saturday: "CBS stands by everything in the story."

The experimental dye was injected into Dunbar last October to measure her blood volume while she prepared for Atlantis' recent linkup with the Russian space station Mir.

CBS said the drug was not approved for human use in the United States.

"That's not true," Carr said. "It is in fact approved for experimental and research use in humans in the United States, although it is not FDA-approved for clinical applications in the United States.

"This particular tracer is used in clinical applications widely in Europe so there is a broad data base for the use of this chemical tracer in human subjects."

Carr said the NASA probe found that all necessary supplies were at hand. However, a review team determined some other items should be readily available.

"They saw some things that they thought ought to be part of the standard inventory which were not. ... (But) to say that the laboratory was without the resources it needed to render emergency care, that's absolutely wrong."

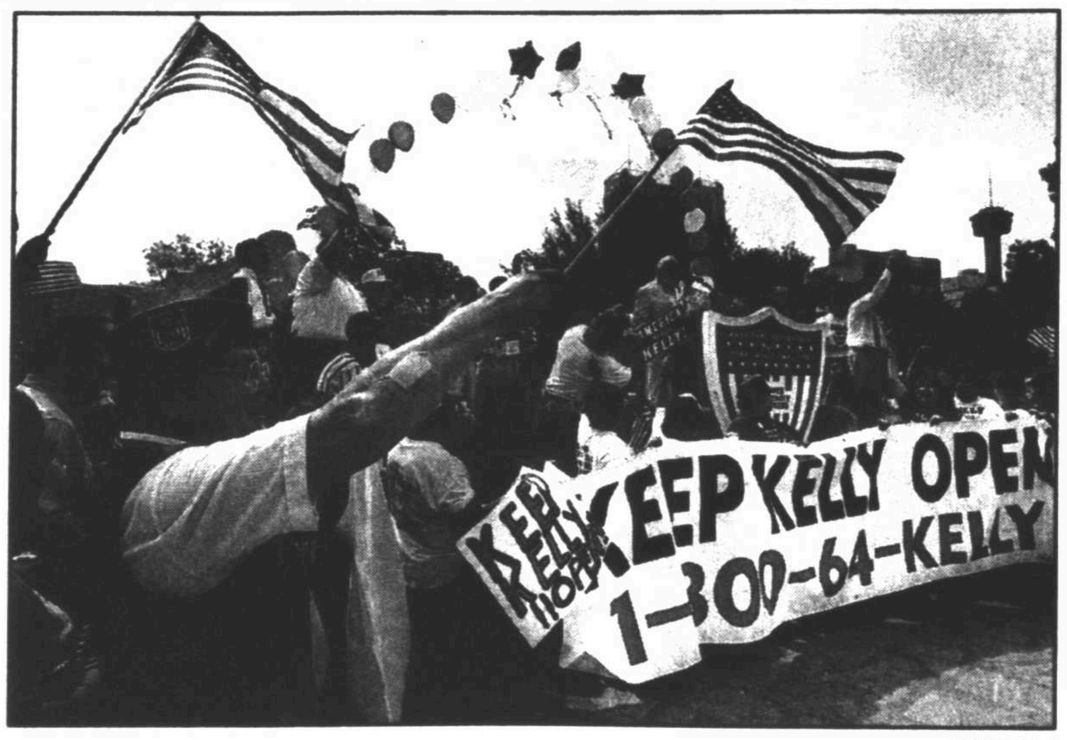
CBS said new rules being drafted will require independent observers to watch over future medical tests.

Carr said any changes to testing guidelines already were in the works in response to congressional and NASA directives.

Dunbar, 46, a biomedical engineer from Sunnyside, Wash., participated in last week's docking of the American and Russian spacecraft.

The American shuttle and Russian station parted ways Tuesday after five historic days flying as a single 223-ton spaceship — the biggest ever to orbit Earth.

Dunbar joined NASA as a flight controller in 1978 and became an astronaut in 1981. The Atlantis mission was her fourth space trip.



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Frank Perales, left, a veteran of the Korean and Vietnam wars, waves a flag in front of the Alamo during a rally to remove the Air Logistics Center at Kelly Air Force Base from the Base Re-alignment and Closure Commissions list Saturday in San Antonio. U.S. Congressman Henry B. Gonzalez of San Antonio is at the podium speaking in support of the base.

San Antonio residents march in support of Kelly AFB

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — About 1,000 people marched through downtown on Saturday to show support for embattled Kelly Air Force Base.

The march, from the Alamodome to The Alamo, responded to recommendations from the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission that maintenance centers at Kelly and California's McClellan Air Force Base be shut down and the work be parceled out to other bases.

In a march to the Alamo, protesters held signs reading, "When war comes, will America be ready without Kelly?" and "Keep Kelly working."

The turnout was smaller than the 30,000 people organizers had predicted. But organizer Orlando Cisneros said voices from the rally will be heard in Washington.

Some San Antonio-area residents have forsaken hope for the base's future before a federal closure commission. But commissioners did leave privatization as an option in Kelly's case.

Many still want President Clinton to reject the panel's recommendation.

Access to mental health records for background check shouldn't be automatic, Morales says

HOUSTON (AP) — Officials conducting federally required background checks on residents buying handguns should not have automatic access to state mental health records, Texas Attorney General Dan Morales said.

In a formal opinion written June 13 and released Friday, Morales said the state can release mental health records when the person being investigated consents or when a court orders disclosure.

"The federal Brady Act, in directing certain law enforcement officers to research 'available' records in order to determine lawfulness of a person's obtaining a handgun, does not require or authorize the Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation to disclose client records which are otherwise confidential," Morales wrote.

His opinion does not appear to affect the new state law on licensing individuals to carry concealed handguns. That law requires applicants to consent to mental health background checks.

The Brady law was passed in 1993 and named after a former presidential press secretary who was wounded in an assassination attempt on President Reagan. It requires people wanting to buy a handgun to wait five days to take possession of the firearm.

In the meantime, law enforcement personnel are supposed to check the individual's criminal and mental health history to assures that he or she can legally own a handgun.

State law expressly forbids the release of mental retardation records between governmental agencies except when necessary to deliver services to clients or to obtain payments, Morales wrote. The opinion also said state law makes confidential mental health records identifying the individual, the diagnosis and treatment.

However, it says state law authorizes a "professional" to disclose mental health records to medical or law enforcement personnel if there is a probability of "imminent physical injury by the patient to the patient or others."

Morales noted that many law enforcement agencies have been complying with the Brady Act only by investigating the criminal backgrounds of people buying handguns.

He also said several federal courts have ruled that the portion of the act requiring local law enforcement agencies to conduct background checks is unconstitutional. He said law enforcement officers now are conducting background checks on a voluntary basis.

Miss Oak Cliff wins pageant

FORT WORTH (AP) — Carly Jarmon, Miss Oak Cliff, won the 1995 Miss Texas crown at the scholarship pageant Saturday at the Fort Worth-Tarrant County Convention Center.

Ms. Jarmon, a 19-year-old Texas Tech University student who sang "Stormy Weather," won a $15,000 college scholarship and a chance to represent the Lone Star State during the Miss America Pageant. The contest will be held Sept. 16 in Atlantic City, N.J.

Ms. Jarmon defeated 55 other contestants to capture the title at the 60th annual Miss Texas Scholarship Pageant. The pageant has been staged in Fort Worth since 1962.

Eve Johnson, Miss Lubbock, was named first runner-up and awarded an $8,000 college scholarship. Ms. Johnson is a 22-year-old student at Texas Tech University.

Miss Hurst-Euless-Bedford, Vanessa Hunt, a 22-year-old University of North Texas student, won a $6,000 scholarship for her showing as second runner-up.

Rounding out the top five were Reagan Hughes, 20, Miss Mesquite, and Miss Lake O' The Pines, Julie Tisdale, 23. They won scholarships of $4,000 and $2,000 respectively.

In choosing Miss Texas, the contestants were judged in their performances in an interview, a talent show, and a swimming wear and evening gown competition.

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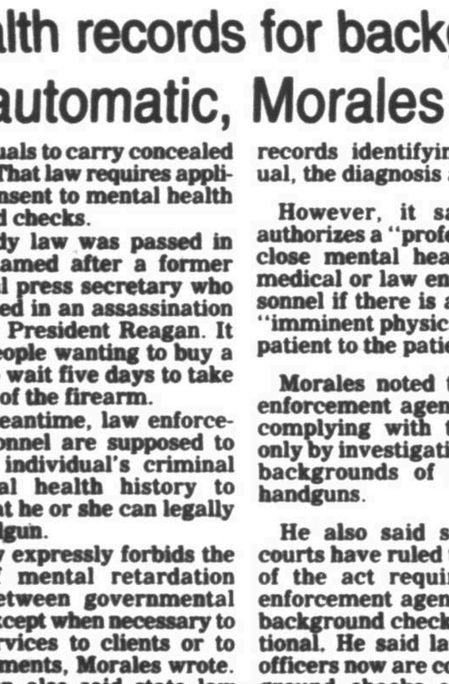

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Clinton activities raises eyebrows

Funny how things change once you get into political office.

Take, for example, how Bill Clinton used to rail against those "cliques of $100,000 donors" a mere three years ago. Now that he's sitting in the Oval Office and doing heavy hitting for the Democratic National Committee, however, Clinton can't find fault with the party prize list for contributors that includes a dinner with the president for those who give $100,000 down to socializing with Hillary Rodham Clinton and Tipper Gore for the run-of-the-mill $1,000 contributors.

Clinton's switcharoo hasn't gone unnoticed, however. In fact, Ann McBride, president of Common Cause, chastised Clinton's activities as "outrageous." She said, "President Clinton knows it's wrong and we are calling on the president to immediately end these fund-raising practices."

We agree wholeheartedly with Common Cause on this particular issue. Clinton is certainly not the first politician to stoop to this level in the interest of raising funds. Last year Sen. Chuck Robb, D-Va., invited $10,000 contributors to special breakfasts with himself and other prominent political figures.

And most Texans remember in 1987 when then-Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, D-Texas, invited lobbyists to breakfasts for $10,000 contributions. Bentsen later admitted that was a big mistake and canceled his "breakfast club."

Contributors to Presidents Ronald Reagan and George Bush, who became members of the "Eagles Club," were invited to private dinners and receptions at the White House and given special policy briefings.

Clinton's influence peddling is no less offensive. Even Marlin Fitzwater, White House spokesman in both the Reagan and Bush presidencies, called Clinton's activities a "crasser type of promotion." He noted, "One of the cautions is that you don't promise government favors for money donated. The closer you get to that line, the more dangerous it gets."

We agree that Clinton should immediately end these fund-raising practices. Political parties can operate effectively without active politicians stooping to influence peddling, and it's clear that Clinton is already over the line.

Another View

German role needed despite guilt of past

There surely are misgivings in some parts of Europe — including Germany — about the decision of the German government to contribute warplanes and 1,500 medical and air support personnel to the NATO effort to protect U.N. peacekeepers in the former Yugoslavia.

The aircraft will be based in Italy but would attack targets in Bosnia if called upon. The medics will be at a hospital in Croatia.

Yugoslavia was invaded by Germany in 1941, then partitioned and occupied. Yugoslav Chetniks and Partisans fought the Germans and each other. There were atrocities in Yugoslavia, although the worst may have been committed by Croats and Serbs against each other. Modern German commanders are aware of the memories stirred by a German military presence.

"We've all had doubts about the wisdom of a mission in an area where the German Wehrmacht committed atrocities," said Lt. Col. Johann G. Dora, a squadron commander, "but we can't eternally fall back on historical guilt."

There is no statute of limitations on national guilt from past wars, but surely 50 years is time enough to indicate that Germany today is far from the Nazi Germany of 1941. Germany has faced its past. It is a democracy. It has functioned as a responsible member of the European community for almost two generations.

Becoming a small part of a European military effort — the so-called rapid reaction force that is intended to protect U.N. forces — is a logical next step in Germany's acceptance as a world power and in German recognition of its natural role as a partner in European efforts to deal with explosive situations such as that in the former Yugoslavia.

— Fort Worth Star-Telegram

Today in History

Today is Sunday, July 9, the 190th day of 1995. There are 175 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On July 9, 1850, the 12th president of the United States, Zachary Taylor, died at the White House, having served only one year and four months of his term. Tests performed on Taylor's exhumed remains in 1991 showed he had died of natural causes — and not poison, as a writer had speculated.

On this date:

In 1540, England's King Henry VIII had his 6-month-old marriage to his fourth wife, Anne of Cleves, annulled.

In 1758, British Gen. Edward Braddock was mortally wounded as his troops suffered a massive defeat near present-day Pittsburgh during the French and Indian War. One survivor was an aide to Braddock — Col. George Washington.

In 1776, the Declaration of Independence was read aloud to Washington's troops in New York.

In 1816, Argentina declared independence from Spain.

In 1819, sewing-machine inventor Elias Howe was born in Spencer, Mass.

In 1918, 101 people were killed as an inbound local train collided with an outbound express in Nashville, Tenn.

In 1944, during World War II, American forces secured Saipan as the last Japanese defenses fell.

Jack Anderson

Health insurers pay for their billing fraud

WASHINGTON — When a Washington-area woman received a bill from her health insurer, she had little reason to suspect foul play. Her recent hospital stay had run up charges in excess of $23,000, and the insurance company was sending her a bill for the 15 percent copayment required of her.

Anderson

What she didn't know was that her insurer had negotiated a discount of nearly 50 percent with the hospital. Given the reduced rate, her copayment of $3,900 actually amounted to about 30 percent of what her insurer paid to the hospital — or twice what she should have paid.

A recently completed Senate investigation into Blue Cross/Blue Shield plans across the country found that this deceptive billing practice is all too common in the insurance industry. By determining a subscriber's copayment based on an illusory "billed charge" rather than what is actually charged and paid, insurance companies are billing their customers for millions of dollars in charges that they should have covered themselves.

"Over time, this practice has amounted to a subtle yet massive cost shifting from the Blues... to the subscribers," the Senate probe concluded. "One health care professional noted to the (investigative) Staff that the 'billed charge is a totally fictitious amount' that no one is paying. He went on to say that if a doctor or hospital attempted to submit such a fictitious amount to the insurance company, they would be sued or jailed for fraud."

Now that the public is beginning to wise up to such practices, insurers are starting to pay the price. Last month, Trigon Blue Cross/Blue Shield, Virginia's largest health insurer, coughed up nearly $23 million in refunds to policy holders who were overcharged over the past decade. In addition, they were required to pay a record $5 million fine to the Virginia State Insurance Bureau.

Trigon failed to make its customers privy to the many sizable discounts it had negotiated with hospitals. In some instances, Trigon negotiated bills that were actually lower than the subscribers' copayments.

While Trigon is among the first to be punished for these deceitful billing practices, they likely won't be the last. Trigon spokeswoman Brooke Taylor told us her company was engaging in a "widespread industry practice." An estimated 40 lawsuits alleging similar billing methods have been filed around the country.

The Maryland law firm of Carnot, Zapor & Klassen is preparing to file several class action suits on behalf of those wronged by health insurers. "The consumer has no way of knowing this is happening," firm partner Edward Carnot told our reporter Aaron Karp.

Hospitals give insurance companies these large, clandestine discounts for fear of losing patients. "The insurance company says to the hospital, if you want to treat our customers, you're going to have to cut us a deal," Carnot said. "If it's not fraud, it certainly is close to it."

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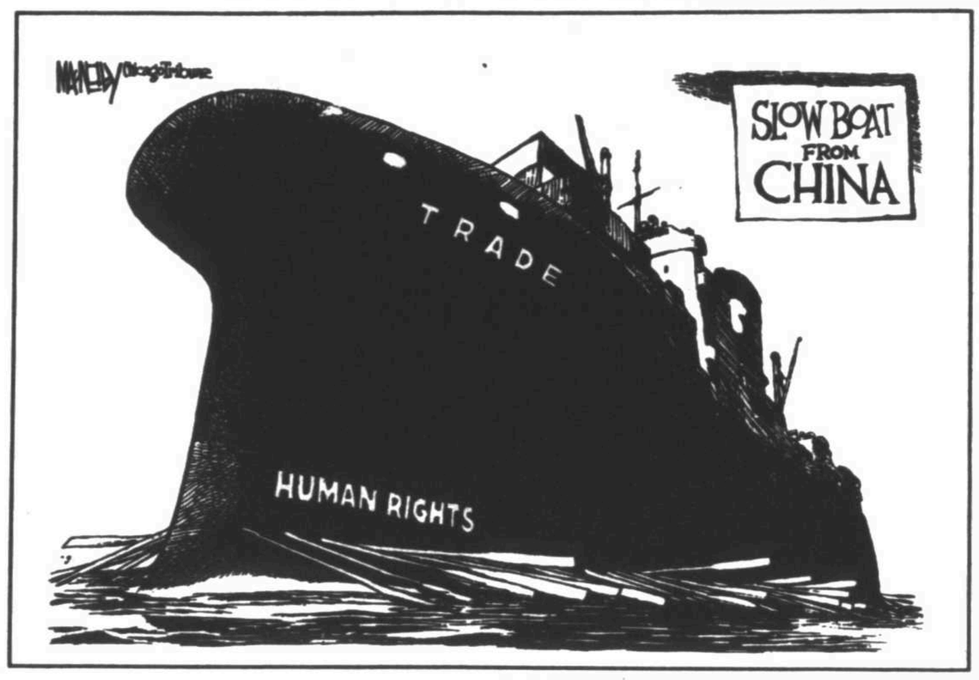

George Will

Supermajority rule doesn't win praise of some

WASHINGTON — David Skaggs, a thoughtful Democratic congressman from Colorado, has filed a lawsuit charging that virtually the first thing the House of Representatives did on Jan. 4 after its members swore to defend the Constitution was to violate the Constitution. And not in a peripheral matter, but by overthrowing the constitutional principle of majority rule.

Will

The flaw in his argument is that there is no such explicit constitutional principle, and it is problematic extracting even an implicit principle. But if his constitutional reasoning is unpersuasive, his prudential reasoning deserves more attention than it received on Congress' hectic opening day.

That day Congress performed the usual housekeeping chore of readopting, with some amendments, the rules that would govern legislative proceedings. But several amendments were unusual. For example, the House decided that no legislation containing "an income tax rate increase shall be considered as passed" unless it receives the votes of three-fifths of the members voting. (The House also voted that it cannot even consider a retroactive tax increase.)

Skaggs argues that this unconstitutionally empowers a minority to defeat legislation. He says that because the Constitution contains some supermajority provisions (consent to treaties, impeachment and so on), this implies that a simple majority is mandatory wherever the Constitution is silent. He also notes the provision that the vice president votes in the Senate when it is "equally divided." He says this means the framers intended the Senate, and surely not just the Senate, to operate by simple majority rule. Finally, he notes that the Constitution says that "a majority of each (house) shall constitute a quorum to do business."

Defenders of the new supermajority rule argue that the framers who wrote the quorum clause clearly assumed that in the absence of such a stipulation, Congress could do as it pleased. And there is no stipulation that all legislation shall be passed by simple majorities. Furthermore, the Constitution says "each house may determine the rules of its proceedings." And the Supreme Court has held that "congressional practice in the transaction of ordinary business is of course none of our concern."

However, the new supermajority rule's supporters, most of whom are Republican, are in a weak position to wax indignant about Skaggs and others taking the rule to court. When in 1993 the Democratic majority in the House voted to permit delegates from the territories and the District of Columbia — all Democrats, of course — to vote in the House when it is functioning as the Committee of the Whole, Republicans challenged this in the D.C. Court of Appeals. There they lost, but not because the court declined to review the House action. And that court said "there are limitations to the House's rulemaking power."

Still, no court has ever held a rule of either house unconstitutional. Even in this age of judicial overreaching it would be an unusually rash judge who would put courts into the business of examining House and Senate procedures (the Senate three-fifths requirement to limit debate, the "holds" senators can place on bills, the restrictive rules under which legislation can come to the House floor, various powers of committees and subcommittees) that can impede a majority eager to act.

There is nothing anti-constitutional about giving protective empowerments to minorities, or about complicating the way majorities work their wills. A supermajority requirement is one way of building into democratic decisionmaking a measurement of intensity of feeling as well as mere numbers. Furthermore, supermajority requirements are devices for assigning special importance to particular matters, and perhaps taxation is properly so regarded.

However, everyone considers something, and not always taxation, especially important. Skaggs worries that supermajority provisions will multiply as various factions use them to give imprimaturs of moral seriousness to this or that. Indeed, already the House has voted to require a three-fifths vote to repeal rules and regulations on the new "correction days" devoted to such repeals. Some of the people who opposed the supermajority provision regarding taxation wanted the supermajority provision for "corrections."

What a House majority has done regarding supermajorities and taxation, a subsequent majority can undo, but perhaps not easily. From now on congressional candidates will be asked how they will vote on the supermajority rule. A majority of each new Congress may come to office committed to keeping the rule.

Conservatives' pleasure about this should be, but does not seem to be, tempered by concern about the damage that may be done to future defense budgets by measures like the House supermajority rule that institutionalize today's particularly acute taxaphobia. The world is still a dangerous place, full of things more unpleasant than taxes.

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Russell Baker

Hugh Grant escapades go right by some people

Really out of it. That's what the old-timer was when the Hugh Grant story drove the press — oops, the media — half-crazy with delight.

Baker

Hugh Grant? Could he be an offspring of the cadet branch of the Ulysses S. Grant family?

Really out of it he was, but there were women who were not out of it. Who were in of it. Or in on it.

Of it or on it, no matter. Their inness was such that Hugh Grant's possible connection to Ulysses was of no matter since they knew him to be a movie actor. British.

In fact, they said, reminding the old-timer that he had long ago stopped trusting people who said "in fact." In fact, Grant had played in a film the old-timer himself had seen.

He hated being called "the old-timer," but being called "the old-timer himself" was unbearable and made him feel like an old crock.

Crock or timer, he had, yes, seen Grant perform on the silver screen. There had been an improbable story hung on sacramental plot gimmicks. Several weddings, a funeral.

Sex of course. Sex was cinematically obligatory these days.

He was glad he had not become a movie actor like Clint Eastwood. The women chortled. He detested chortling and urged them not to do it. When you chortle, he told them, you sound like creations of a college humor writer.

Chortling blithely, for he was so out of it that his advice was worthless, they humored him by inquiring why he was glad that he, of all the absurd nonentities who dreamed of movie stardom, had not become a movie actor like Clint Eastwood.

Because of the obligatory sex, he said. Hadn't they noticed Clint had to strip down to the waist for the inescapable sex in that silly Madison County movie?

Old fellow like Clint. Ridiculous. A man gets to Clint's age, you shouldn't have to take off your undershirt in front of millions. And Meryl Streep looking at you too. Checking out your pecs and 'ceps and abs. In the old days, he said.

You mean old-crock days, said the women.

Clint would have killed a fellow for showing Meryl his pecs, then thrown her across his saddle and ridden to sunset.

He could not recall if Hugh Grant had been very bare for the weddings and funeral. He remembered dimples. The chap had dimples. Funny how British movies made you call people chaps.

Dimples and dark hair parted down the middle and draped over the temples like bat wings. So why such fussing in the press — sorry, media — about Los Angeles police jailing him for sex in a car out there with a — oh, you know.

He was really hopeless.

No, serious, he said, not hopeless. Media were always brim full of famous Los Angeles people's sexual peccadilloes. So many babies born out of wedlock to famous stars out there, he wondered if anybody in Los Angeles ever got born in wedlock.

The patience of women with his crockery was not unlimited, they said, falling naturally into the double negative that is so infectious among admirers of British movie actors.

The old chap said did they mean they were fed up with him? Yes, fed up, they said. If he couldn't see how amazing it was to all media-pounded humanity that Grant — Hugh Grant, for heaven's sake! — had been arrested for sexual misbehavior in Los Angeles, surely the communications breakdown was hopeless.

He said it was a simple question about what was news.

They had to tell him we don't have news anymore, we have communications.

So communications had finally occurred? He had known it would, but had hoped it might not until age had left him oblivious to the world's accumulating endings.

He wanted to say, Say it ain't so, ladies, but refrained. With communications in the saddle, uttering taboo sounds like "ladies" and obscure baseball references to Shoeless Joe Jackson might be illegal. Instead he asked why communications was, or were as the case might be, excited about Grant's committing sex in Los Angeles when the only way Grant could have made news in the old-time days would have been by not committing sex in Los Angeles.

They said it was because Hugh Grant was hot. Very hot.

Really out of it.

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LETTERS

Parents shield their children from poverty

Sending your child across town can be frightening. So much so that parents often consider private school when they face the year that their child boards the bus and heads to an unknown neighborhood. Some neighborhoods more than others. Why are some neighborhoods more objectionable than others? Well, they're not "nice." The houses are not middle class. There may be trash in the street, cars parked in the yard, indicators that the property is not maintained. Crime might be higher. Cars are not quite as new and good-looking. You might even find cars being overhauled in the driveway or front yard. Dogs run free without tags. For some this is the part of town that one would never drive through willingly, much less send their children to on a daily basis. Out of sight, out of mind. It does not exist if one never sees it. Who wants to be bombarded with poverty? Its visual indicators are disgusting. And don't we want to protect our children — isn't it our responsibility as parents to shield them from the "ugly?"

The question is: How far do we take this protection?

In 1958, my family lived in a small town in southern Oklahoma. Louise was a member in my Girl Scout troop. She was very quiet and very likeable. We had been together for months when the car taking us home drove up, after dark to her house. It was a small wooden house. And what struck me most was that the light from the house was different — firelight — specifically, kerosene lanterns. They had no electricity. As amazing as this was for me, I soon had a new appreciation for Louise and her experiences. It was very different from my experiences. Different — not better, not worse, just different.

As an educator, I hate to hear that a child is being moved to a private school. It means in some way that what I represent has failed. It also means that our educational institution is not meeting the needs of the public. The public is not staying in the public arena to improve our educational system, but rather it is abandoning it. This can only be harmful in the long run. What one abandons, one cannot change and improve.

We are a pluralistic society and to pretend otherwise is foolish. Recognizing the varieties and differences in us all can only make us a stronger community. I strongly urge one considering private education for their children to deal with the objections they find in the public schools. Dealing with these objections and working with others to correct them in the schools can only make this community stronger.

Candy Porter
Midland

City owes taxpayers unreturned money

In response to the Midland Independent School District (MISD) considering a $94 million bond election to finance classroom and athletic facility renovations, in my 43 years as a property owner in Midland I have seen bond issue after bond issue passed by both the City of Midland and the school board for 10- and 20-year payout. Most were financed and paid for by small tax increases such as the proposed MISD's 6 percent.

I have looked back and can't remember the MISD or the city notifying the taxpayer of a reduction of their taxes at the end of the 10- or 20-year payout. I have felt these various bond taxes continue even after the bond payoff. By now this should be quite a bit of unreturned tax monies accumulated. This makes you wonder why an added bond issue is necessary now.

I did once ask one of our mayors why the taxes were not lowered when the bond was paid. The answer he gave was, "The city needed the money," and of course the taxpayer was never told of this at the time of redemption.

Alton A. Moore
Midland

We must take our government back

We do not need new laws made. What can be wrong with enforcing the laws already made and now existing? There must be participation from all sectors of society. We have not been good citizens because we have not been paying attention to how we have been governed in the past by lobbyists, special interest groups, and career politicians who were and are paying attention.

We own this country and we must take our government back! It is never too late to start on the road back. We should start now with term limitations to reduce the "pork barrel" spending by senior members of our Legislature who are indebted to special interest groups, political colleagues because of past deals, obligations and back scratching.

We need to take a hard look at the ways in which our money is being spent — just throwing money at the problem is not the answer. Career politicians often lose their sense of priorities after debating the same issues year after year. We have been led to believe the character traits and personal values portrayed by TV and movie personalities are a way of life. How sad!

To suspend students from school for inappropriate behavior is wrong. Corruption is all right, just be sure and cover your tracks; honesty is OK when it is convenient; trust is only a word; one is not accountable for personal behavior; to ask someone to wait for something is almost a sin. We seem to have forgotten what is right and what is wrong. Humanism, indecision, mistrust and moral decay all run rampant in our world. The general fast track of life has been created by instant everything and we have a higher incidence of emotional instability among our young people!

What happened to our ideals of right and wrong? What has happened to our principles of honesty in government? What has happened to public and private standards of morality?

Tom Nix
Midland

Voters can change funding procedures

In response to Citizens Against Tax Abuse in a June 25 letter, should we be satisfied with status quo, or is it time to upgrade to the 21st century, now only a scant 4 1/2 years away? November 1994 should be a sign indicating changes are due. Voter apathy has given our legislators in Austin and Washington a false sense of security. The window of opportunity has opened just enough for some of us to see a little of what is going on, and with a small push we can now get a foot into the door of opportunity. An opportunity to possibly change age-old funding procedures, such as the ad valorem school funding vehicle.

School funding is about the same as it was in 1519 when Spain first raised their flag over what is now the Lone Star State. Any educational procedures or costs were borne by the ranchers, the farmers, the "squatters," the local businesses. The first assistance from our Legislature then was a mere $0.62 per student a year. The same property/home owner now foots the bill for schools to the tune of 90 percent to 95 percent. With the natural decline in mineral production and the abatements from our legislators, mineral ad valorem tax base is declining at the rate of 25 percent a year, and predicted to continue to fall for the next 10 years.

Citizens for Tax Reform, a grass roots organization with the goal of restructuring taxes, has been formed in Big Spring. We gladly will share information with similar groups in the area, and welcome visitation and an interchange of ideas and members. We also feel - enough is enough! Our desire is to work with legislators to restructure in an orderly manner.

Roy Simmons, Sec.-Treas.
Citizens for Tax Reform
Big Spring

WILLIAM SAFIRE

Craft of misleading others was greatly respected by KGB leaders

In "Betrayal: The Story of Aldrich Ames, an American Spy," three of my New York Times colleagues in Washington explore the tangled-web world of deception. Quoting Civil War Gen. Thomas (Stonewall) Jackson's strategic advice to "mystify, mislead, and surprise," the authors — Tim Weiner, David Johnston, and Neil A. Lewis — note that the craft of misleading "was deeply respected within the KGB, which had an entire branch devoted to *maskirovka*, or deception techniques."

Safire

What a beautiful word, pronounced mas-kir-OAF-ka. The U.S. Army's 1955 Glossary of Soviet Military Terminology defines *maskirovka* as "camouflage; concealment; disguise." Leo Carl's 1990 International Dictionary of Intelligence agrees that it was a World War II term for camouflage, but takes it into the modern intelligence era by defining it as "Soviet GRU jargon for deception," and notes that the Soviet Military Encyclopedia divides *maskirovka* into "strategic, operational, and tactical deception."

That's the broad term, used by the GRU, the military intelligence service; the more specialized word, preferred by the KGB (now the Federal Security Service — the name changes every few months), is *dezinformatsiya*, "disinformation," the section referred to by the New York Times Ames trio. (*Dis*information should not be confused with *mis*information, which is simply mistaken or false data; the *dis-* prefix denotes intent to mislead, a knowing attempt to deceive.)

Anatoly Golitsyn, the longtime Soviet defector whose mole warnings were taken to heart by the late CIA counterspymaster James Jesus Angleton, turns out a newsletter in the United States, Soviet Analyst, and I'm on his mailing list. Still clinging grimly to the theory that the China-Soviet split was a huge deception, Golitsyn or one of his acolytes writes, "A report in The New York Times ... carried the following *maskirovka* fantasy for public consumption in the West ..." and derides the story's Beijing source as "disoriented by Soviet *dezinformatsiya*." (Nice use, in the Chinese context, of disorient.) In his usage, maskirovka is the general fantasy, dezinformatsiya the specific deception.

"*Maskirovka* means 'disguise,'" reports Viktor Klimenko, an interpreter in The New York Times' Moscow bureau who accompanies me on visits to KGB headquarters in the old Lubyanka prison. "One sense is 'camouflage,' like covering a tank with branches, and the other is generally 'concealment.' A spy given diplomatic status is an example, although that form of *maskirovka* is usually expressed by the Russian word *krysha* for 'cover.'" (That noun, which also means "roof," is pronounced KREE-sha.)

Irena Ustinova, a visiting scholar at the Maxwell School of Citizenship, at Syracuse University, recalls that the adjective form of *maskirovka* was used to describe the white uniforms worn by Russian troops in snow during their invasion of Finland in World War II. Before that, "it was used for a children's game like hide-and-seek. But now, when a spy is good at changing his image, at pretending to be somebody other than who he really is, he is said to 'use good *maskirovka*.' The Russian word is rooted in the English *mask*."

Which has its roots in the Middle French *masque*, which was taken from the Italian *maschera*, which may have jumped the Mediterranean from the Arabic *maskhara*, "buffoon, clown" who disguised the face with makeup. That's also how we get *mascara*, which every Mata Hari knows.

SURVEILLE

"I've noticed the emergence of a strange new verb," Christopher Valdina of Newton Centre, Mass., writes, "often in the context of the Oklahoma City bombing. *Surveille*, pronounced sur-VAIL, the verb form of *surveillance* — as in 'The FBI must *surveille* any individual or group that advocates violence.' It seems to fill a linguistic niche, but it's an odd duck of a word."

It does and it is. *Surveille* (sometimes *surveil*) is a 1949 back-formation from *surveillance*. The French *sur* means "over," and the verb *veiller* means "to watch"; thus, to *surveille* is "to keep watch over." The temptation to pronounce the Englished word in French as sur-vei-yuh should be resisted; it's sur-VAIL, with the French spelling retained for etymological purposes.

In an age of snooping, the word fills a void in the language. In an interview at Federal Security Service headquarters on Moscow's Lubyanka Square, Alexander Mikhailov, the press agent for the former KGB, used the Russian word *razvedka*, pronounced rahz-VHYED-ka, which was at first interpreted as *reconnaissance*, but on second thought was translated as *surveillance* and *intelligence-gathering*.

The synonymy of snoopery: the general *snooping on* or *spying on* is always pejorative; *tailing* or *shadowing* is police slang for "following," but does not include *wiretapping* or *bugging*, which keeps an electronic eye or ear on the watched-over person; *stalking* has gained a sense of intentional harassment; *observing* has more of a medical connotation and is less intense than *surveilling*, which is the only word we have for "close observation of a subject or place, as by a detective or intelligence agent." We do not yet have a term for "decrypting and monitoring data transmission," but the language has a way of catching up.

PALINDROMEDARIES

A palindrome, as word mavens know, is a word or phrase that runs the same backward; our hero is the late Burmese statesman U Nu. The key to *palindrome* is in the Greek root *dromos*, "running"; a *dromedary* is a "running camel" with a single hump. With *dromos* married to *palin*, "again, back," the word means "running back and forth," like a *palindrome*.

Every year, somebody comes out with a collection of them that hooks me. This year's is by Craig Hansen, from Plume Books, titled "Ana, Nab a Banana," where the *taco cat* pursues *sleek eels*.

In the world of palindromes, dieters are known as *dessert stressed*, and a sharp-tongued offspring points out that *Ma is acidic, as I am*. While one cowboy sits in the rain and eats *wet stew*, another loses his hat and has *no Stetson*. A blank page at the center of Hansen's book is, appropriately enough, labeled *page gap*.

My favorites include this admonition from a man in a tank explaining military injustice to a man armed only with a knife: *Now, sir, a war is never even. Sir, a war is won.*

Even better is the sign on the wall of a law firm willing to take on the most formidable adversary: *Sue Zeus*.

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SPEAKING OUT

1995 is year for 50th anniversary celebrations

By Robert Nash

Robert Nash, a Midland investment broker, is an Air Force veteran of World War II.

1995 has been a vintage year for 50th anniversary celebrations — and another key date is but weeks ahead.

The atomic bomb dropped on Hiroshima on Aug. 6, 1945, did two things: It shortened World War II, and it changed dramatically the course of history.

Some of the other pivotal anniversaries from that fateful year have been marked by gestures of reconciliation between the nations involved. V-E Day, for example, saw Germans, Frenchmen, Russians, the Brits and many other nationalities symbolically invoke the deepest desire for peace among ex-combatants on both sides.

We would pray that August will see the same spirit demonstrated. But there have been some early radar signals that the August anniversary will be greeted by something less than unanimity. The Blame-America-First crowd has already tried, and failed, to get an "anniversary" exhibit that would picture America's use of the A-bomb as racist, wanton and unnecessary. This attitude distorts history. It comes from an extremely vocal group in this country to whom the events of 1941-45 provide a source of material used for their endless and excessive exercises in probing, picking and moral posturing.

May one from that generation make some observations?

Japan in 1945 was well on its way to developing the atomic bomb. The theory of splitting the atom had been known in scientific circles at that time for several years; once the theory is known, it is a matter of putting the machinery together.

The United States, in a desperate race, simply got there first. My question to the Uncle Sam-bashers is: in their wildest mental wanderings, do they suppose that had the Japanese won the race, they would have succumbed to that exquisite degree of fastidiousness of scruple that — with 50 years of hindsight — seems to be demanded today?

The alternative to Hiroshima was the mounting of a land invasion of Nippon's homeland. Expected loss of life: 1 or 2 million Americans, far more for the Japanese. The bombings of Hiroshima and Nagasaki actually saved untold millions of individual lives — both American and Japanese.

The decision to drop the bomb was not simply a question of delicately balancing off a long and evenly divided list of abstract and complex philosophical factors, with 40 years of hindsight to calculate which way the scales should be tipped.

It was more like survival.

Contrary to the outpourings of the revisionist America-bashers, World War II was not really a 99-1 piece of cake. At several critical junctures it was more like 51-to-49, and take your choice. In the events leading up to August 1945, we had lost many of our brothers, fathers, cousins, classmates and friends around the world.

Every individual of that time has his or her own personal honor roll. On the supposition that I am a fairly typical representative of that era, may I name a few of the men who come to mind for me:

Roy (Shug) Vaughn, 1936 senior class president, Odessa High School, dead in a tank at Kasserine Pass in North Africa in 1942.

W.C. "Dub" Matthews, newspaper cartoonist, dead in a PBY off the Aleutians in 1943.

My brother Ralph, who died a few years ago still carrying fragments of German 88-millimeter shrapnel in his body since Italy in 1944.

J.D. Johnson Jr., my cousin who died young, a frostbitten survivor of Bastogne.

We owe these men, and the millions of others who served with them, something better than this.

The heroes of 1945 had their act together. They did what had to be done in a tight spot, the best way they knew how. We owe them nothing less than our existence.

Their leader Harry Truman had a tough decision to make in August that year. Good show, Harry.

Fifty years ago the world was different. The watershed year for the 20th century was 1945. There were no computers, no pill, no Internet, no space men, no smart bombs, no entitlements — just a bunch of guys like Ralph and Shug and Fred and Jack who got out there and took their chances and saved our hides.

We salute you and thank you for the last 50 years of peace. The bashers are doing a great disservice to your memory.

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Clinton activities raises eyebrows

Funny how things change once you get into political office.

Take, for example, how Bill Clinton used to rail against those "cliques of $100,000 donors" a mere three years ago. Now that he's sitting in the Oval Office and doing heavy hitting for the Democratic National Committee, however, Clinton can't find fault with the party prize list for contributors that includes a dinner with the president for those who give $100,000 down to socializing with Hillary Rodham Clinton and Tipper Gore for the run-of-the-mill $1,000 contributors.

Clinton's switcharoo hasn't gone unnoticed, however. In fact, Ann McBride, president of Common Cause, chastised Clinton's activities as "outrageous." She said, "President Clinton knows it's wrong and we are calling on the president to immediately end these fund-raising practices."

We agree wholeheartedly with Common Cause on this particular issue. Clinton is certainly not the first politician to stoop to this level in the interest of raising funds. Last year Sen. Chuck Robb, D-Va., invited $10,000 contributors to special breakfasts with himself and other prominent political figures.

And most Texans remember in 1987 when then-Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, D-Texas, invited lobbyists to breakfasts for $10,000 contributions. Bentsen later admitted that was a big mistake and canceled his "breakfast club."

Contributors to Presidents Ronald Reagan and George Bush, who became members of the "Eagles Club," were invited to private dinners and receptions at the White House and given special policy briefings.

Clinton's influence peddling is no less offensive. Even Marlin Fitzwater, White House spokesman in both the Reagan and Bush presidencies, called Clinton's activities a "crasser type of promotion." He noted, "One of the cautions is that you don't promise government favors for money donated. The closer you get to that line, the more dangerous it gets."

We agree that Clinton should immediately end these fund-raising practices. Political parties can operate effectively without active politicians stooping to influence peddling, and it's clear that Clinton is already over the line.

JACK ANDERSON

Health insurers pay for their billing fraud

WASHINGTON — When a Washington-area woman received a bill from her health insurer, she had little reason to suspect foul play. Her recent hospital stay had run up charges in excess of $23,000, and the insurance company was sending her a bill for the 15 percent copayment required of her.

Anderson

What she didn't know was that her insurer had negotiated a discount of nearly 50 percent with the hospital. Given the reduced rate, her copayment of $3,900 actually amounted to about 30 percent of what her insurer paid to the hospital — or twice what she should have paid.

A recently completed Senate investigation into Blue Cross/Blue Shield plans across the country found that this deceptive billing practice is all too common in the insurance industry. By determining a subscriber's copayment based on an illusory "billed charge" rather than what is actually charged and paid, insurance companies are billing their customers for millions of dollars in charges that they should have covered themselves.

"Over time, this practice has amounted to a subtle yet massive cost shifting from the Blues... to the subscribers," the Senate probe concluded. "One health care professional noted to the (investigative) Staff that the 'billed charge is a totally fictitious amount' that no one is paying. He went on to say that if a doctor or hospital attempted to submit such a fictitious amount to the insurance company, they would be sued or jailed for fraud."

Now that the public is beginning to wise up to such practices, insurers are starting to pay the price. Last month, Trigon Blue Cross/Blue Shield, Virginia's largest health insurer, coughed up nearly $23 million in refunds to policy holders who were overcharged over the past decade. In addition, they were required to pay a record $5 million fine to the Virginia State Insurance Bureau.

Trigon failed to make its customers privy to the many sizable discounts it had negotiated with hospitals. In some instances, Trigon negotiated bills that were actually lower than the subscribers' copayments.

While Trigon is among the first to be punished for these deceitful billing practices, they likely won't be the last. Trigon spokeswoman Brooke Taylor told us her company was engaging in a "widespread industry practice." An estimated 40 lawsuits alleging similar billing methods have been filed around the country.

The Maryland law firm of Carnot, Zapor & Klassen is preparing to file several class action suits on behalf of those wronged by health insurers. "The consumer has no way of knowing this is happening," firm partner Edward Carnot told our reporter Aaron Karp.

Hospitals give insurance companies these large, clandestine discounts for fear of losing patients. "The insurance company says to the hospital, if you want to treat our customers, you're going to have to cut us a deal," Carnot said. "If it's not fraud, it certainly is close to it."

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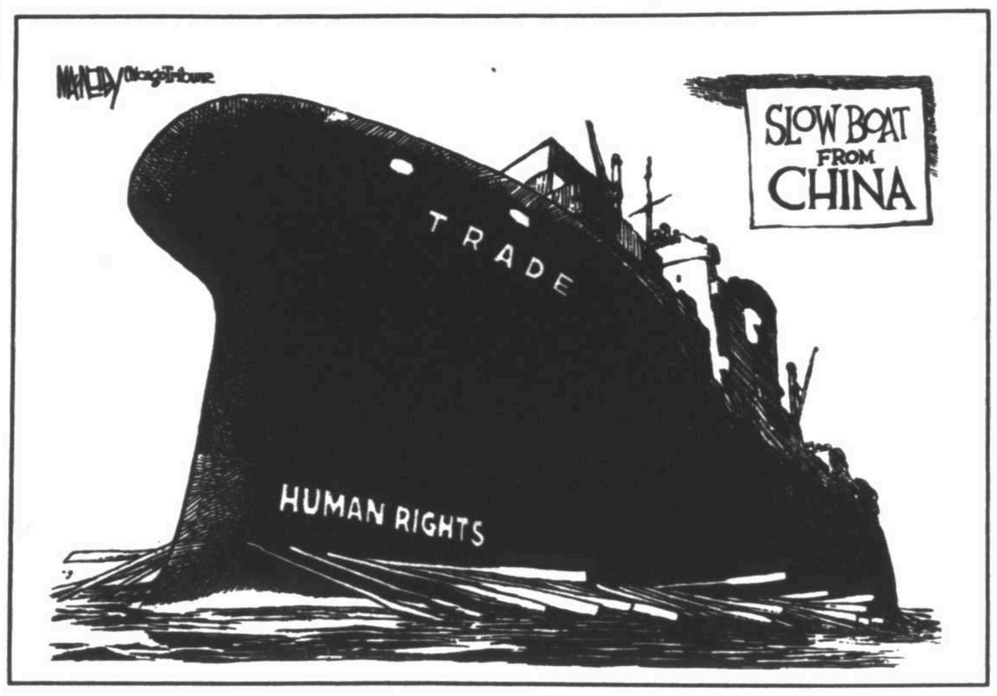

GEORGE WILL

Supermajority rule doesn't win praise of some

WASHINGTON — David Skaggs, a thoughtful Democratic congressman from Colorado, has filed a lawsuit charging that virtually the first thing the House of Representatives did on Jan. 4 after its members swore to defend the Constitution was to violate the Constitution. And not in a peripheral matter, but by overthrowing the constitutional principle of majority rule.

Will

The flaw in his argument is that there is no such explicit constitutional principle, and it is problematic extracting even an implicit principle. But if his constitutional reasoning is unpersuasive, his prudential reasoning deserves more attention than it received on Congress' hectic opening day.

That day Congress performed the usual housekeeping chore of readopting, with some amendments, the rules that would govern legislative proceedings. But several amendments were unusual. For example, the House decided that no legislation containing "an income tax rate increase shall be considered as passed" unless it receives the votes of three-fifths of the members voting. (The House also voted that it cannot even consider a retroactive tax increase.)

Skaggs argues that this unconstitutionally empowers a minority to defeat legislation. He says that because the Constitution contains some supermajority provisions (consent to treaties, impeachment and so on), this implies that a simple majority is mandatory wherever the Constitution is silent. He also notes the provision that the vice president votes in the Senate when it is "equally divided." He says this means the framers intended the Senate, and surely not just the Senate, to operate by simple majority rule. Finally, he notes that the Constitution says that "a majority of each (house) shall constitute a quorum to do business."

Defenders of the new supermajority rule argue that the framers who wrote the quorum clause clearly assumed that in the absence of such a stipulation, Congress could do as it pleased. And there is no stipulation that all legislation shall be passed by simple majorities. Furthermore, the Constitution says "each house may determine the rules of its proceedings." And the Supreme Court has held that "congressional practice in the transaction of ordinary business is of course none of our concern."

However, the new supermajority rule's supporters, most of whom are Republican, are in a weak position to wax indignant about Skaggs and others taking the rule to court. When in 1993 the Democratic majority in the House voted to permit delegates from the territories and the District of Columbia — all Democrats, of course — to vote in the House when it is functioning as the Committee of the Whole, Republicans challenged this in the D.C. Court of Appeals. There they lost, but not because the court declined to review the House action. And that court said "there are limitations to the House's rulemaking power."

Still, no court has ever held a rule of either house unconstitutional. Even in this age of judicial overreaching it would be an unusually rash judge who would put courts into the business of examining House and Senate procedures (the Senate three-fifths requirement to limit debate, the "holds" senators can place on bills, the restrictive rules under which legislation can come to the House floor, various powers of committees and subcommittees) that can impede a majority eager to act.

There is nothing anti-constitutional about giving protective empowerments to minorities, or about complicating the way majorities work their wills. A supermajority requirement is one way of building into democratic decisionmaking a measurement of intensity of feeling as well as mere numbers. Furthermore, supermajority requirements are devices for assigning special importance to particular matters, and perhaps taxation is properly so regarded.

However, everyone considers something, and not always taxation, especially important. Skaggs worries that supermajority provisions will multiply as various factions use them to give imprimaturs of moral seriousness to this or that. Indeed, already the House has voted to require a three-fifths vote to repeal rules and regulations on the new "correction days" devoted to such repeals. Some of the people who opposed the supermajority provision regarding taxation wanted the supermajority provision for "corrections."

What a House majority has done regarding supermajorities and taxation, a subsequent majority can undo, but perhaps not easily. From now on congressional candidates will be asked how they will vote on the supermajority rule. A majority of each new Congress may come to office committed to keeping the rule.

Conservatives' pleasure about this should be, but does not seem to be, tempered by concern about the damage that may be done to future defense budgets by measures like the House supermajority rule that institutionalize today's particularly acute taxaphobia. The world is still a dangerous place, full of things more unpleasant than taxes.

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ANOTHER VIEW

German role needed despite guilt of past

There surely are misgivings in some parts of Europe — including Germany — about the decision of the German government to contribute warplanes and 1,500 medical and air support personnel to the NATO effort to protect U.N. peacekeepers in the former Yugoslavia.

The aircraft will be based in Italy but would attack targets in Bosnia if called upon. The medics will be at a hospital in Croatia.

Yugoslavia was invaded by Germany in 1941, then partitioned and occupied. Yugoslav Chetniks and Partisans fought the Germans and each other. There were atrocities in Yugoslavia, although the worst may have been committed by Croats and Serbs against each other. Modern German commanders are aware of the memories stirred by a German military presence.

"We've all had doubts about the wisdom of a mission in an area where the German Wehrmacht committed atrocities," said Lt. Col. Johann G. Dora, a squadron commander, "but we can't eternally fall back on historical guilt."

There is no statute of limitations on national guilt from past wars, but surely 50 years is time enough to indicate that Germany today is far from the Nazi Germany of 1941. Germany has faced its past. It is a democracy. It has functioned as a responsible member of the European community for almost two generations.

Becoming a small part of a European military effort — the so-called rapid reaction force that is intended to protect U.N. forces — is a logical next step in Germany's acceptance as a world power and in German recognition of its natural role as a partner in European efforts to deal with explosive situations such as that in the former Yugoslavia.

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TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Sunday, July 9, the 190th day of 1995. There are 175 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On July 9, 1850, the 12th president of the United States, Zachary Taylor, died at the White House, having served only one year and four months of his term. Tests performed on Taylor's exhumed remains in 1991 showed he had died of natural causes — and not poison, as a writer had speculated.

On this date:

In 1540, England's King Henry VIII had his 6-month-old marriage to his fourth wife, Anne of Cleves, annulled.

In 1755, British Gen. Edward Braddock was mortally wounded as his troops suffered a massive defeat near present-day Pittsburgh during the French and Indian War. One survivor was an aide to Braddock — Col. George Washington.

In 1776, the Declaration of Independence was read aloud to Washington's troops in New York.

In 1816, Argentina declared independence from Spain.

In 1819, sewing-machine inventor Elias Howe was born in Spencer, Mass.

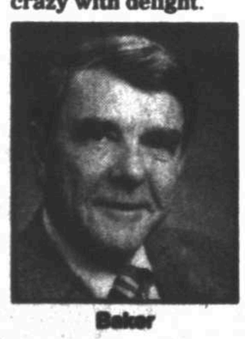
In 1918, 101 people were killed as an inbound local train collided with an outbound express in Nashville, Tenn.

In 1944, during World War II, American forces secured Saipan as the last Japanese defenses fell.

RUSSELL BAKER

Hugh Grant escapades go right by some people

Really out of it. That's what the old-timer was when the Hugh Grant story drove the press — oops, the media — half-crazy with delight.



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Hugh Grant? Could he be an offspring of the cadet branch of the Ulysses S. Grant family?

Really out of it he was, but there were women who were not out of it. Who were in of it. Or in on it.

Of it or on it, no matter. Their inness was such that Hugh Grant's possible connection to Ulysses was of no matter since they knew him to be a movie actor. British.

In fact, they said, reminding the old-timer that he had long ago stopped trusting people who said "in fact." In fact, Grant had played in a film the old-timer himself had seen.

He hated being called "the old-timer," but being called "the old-timer himself" was unbearable and made him feel like an old crock.

Crock or timer, he had, yes, seen Grant perform on the silver screen. There had been an improbable story hung on sacramental plot gimmicks. Several weddings, a funeral.

Sex of course. Sex was cinematically obligatory these days.

He was glad he had not become a movie actor like Clint Eastwood. The women chortled. He detested chortling and urged them not to do it. When you chortle, he told them, you sound like creations of a college humor writer.

Chortling blithely, for he was so out of it that his advice was worthless, they humored him by inquiring why he was glad that he, of all the absurd nonentities who dreamed of movie stardom, had not become a movie actor like Clint Eastwood.

Because of the obligatory sex, he said. Hadn't they noticed Clint had to strip down to the waist for the inescapable sex in that silly Madison County movie?

Old fellow like Clint. Ridiculous. A man gets to Clint's age, you shouldn't have to take off your undershirt in front of millions. And Meryl Streep looking at you too. Checking out your pecs and 'ceps and abs. In the old days, he said.

You mean old-crock days, said the women.

Clint would have killed a fellow for showing Meryl his pecs, then thrown her across his saddle and ridden to sunset.

He could not recall if Hugh Grant had been very bare for the weddings and funeral. He remembered dimples. The chap had dimples. Funny how British movies made you call people chaps.

Dimples and dark hair parted down the middle and draped over the temples like bat wings. So why such fussing in the press — sorry, media — about Los Angeles police jailing him for sex in a car out there with a — oh, you know.

He was really hopeless.

No, serious, he said, not hopeless. Media were always brim full of famous Los Angeles people's sexual peccadilloes. So many babies born out of wedlock to famous stars out there, he wondered if anybody in Los Angeles ever got born in wedlock.

The patience of women with his crockery was not unlimited, they said, falling naturally into the double negative that is so infectious among admirers of British movie actors.

The old chap said did they mean they were fed up with him? Yes, fed up, they said. If he couldn't see how amazing it was to all media-pounded humanity that Grant — Hugh Grant, for heaven's sake! — had been arrested for sexual misbehavior in Los Angeles, surely the communications breakdown was hopeless.

He said it was a simple question about what was news.

They had to tell him we don't have news anymore, we have communications.

So communications had finally occurred? He had known it would, but had hoped it might not until age had left him oblivious to the world's accumulating endings.

He wanted to say, Say it ain't so, ladies, but refrained. With communications in the saddle, uttering taboo sounds like "ladies" and obscure baseball references to Shoeless Joe Jackson might be illegal. Instead he asked why communications was, or were as the case might be, excited about Grant's committing sex in Los Angeles when the only way Grant could have made news in the old-time days would have been by not committing sex in Los Angeles.

They said it was because Hugh Grant was hot. Very hot.

Really out of it.

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LETTERS

Parents shield their children from poverty

Sending your child across town can be frightening. So much so that parents often consider private school when they face the year that their child boards the bus and heads to an unknown neighborhood. Some neighborhoods more than others. Why are some neighborhoods more objectionable than others? Well, they're not "nice." The houses are not middle class. There may be trash in the street, cars parked in the yard, indicators that the property is not maintained. Crime might be higher. Cars are not quite as new and good-looking. You might even find cars being overhauled in the driveway or front yard. Dogs run free without tags. For some this is the part of town that one would never drive through willingly, much less send their children to on a daily basis. Out of sight, out of mind. It does not exist if one never sees it. Who wants to be bombarded with poverty? Its visual indicators are disgusting. And don't we want to protect our children — isn't it our responsibility as parents to shield them from the "ugly?"

The question is: How far do we take this protection?

In 1958, my family lived in a small town in southern Oklahoma. Louise was a member in my Girl Scout troop. She was very quiet and very likeable. We had been together for months when the car taking us home drove up, after dark to her house. It was a small wooden house. And what struck me most was that the light from the house was different — firelight — specifically, kerosene lanterns. They had no electricity. As amazing as this was for me, I soon had a new appreciation for Louise and her experiences. It was very different from my experiences. Different — not better, not worse, just different.

As an educator, I hate to hear that a child is being moved to a private school. It means in some way that what I represent has failed. It also means that our educational institution is not meeting the needs of the public. The public is not staying in the public arena to improve our educational system, but rather it is abandoning it. This can only be harmful in the long run. What one abandons, one cannot change and improve.

We are a pluralistic society and to pretend otherwise is foolish. Recognizing the varieties and differences in us all can only make us a stronger community. I strongly urge one considering private education for their children to deal with the objections they find in the public schools. Dealing with these objections and working with others to correct them in the schools can only make this community stronger.

Candy Porter
Midland

City owes taxpayers unreturned money

In response to the Midland Independent School District (MISD) considering a $94 million bond election to finance classroom and athletic facility renovations, in my 43 years as a property owner in Midland I have seen bond issue after bond issue passed by both the City of Midland and the school board for 10- and 20-year payout. Most were financed and paid for by small tax increases such as the proposed MISD's 6 percent.

I have looked back and can't remember the MISD or the city notifying the taxpayer of a reduction of their taxes at the end of the 10- or 20-year payout. I have felt these various bond taxes continue even after the bond payoff. By now this should be quite a bit of unreturned tax monies accumulated. This makes you wonder why an added bond issue is necessary now.

I did once ask one of our mayors why the taxes were not lowered when the bond was paid. The answer he gave was, "The city needed the money," and of course the taxpayer was never told of this at the time of redemption.

Alton A. Moore
Midland

We must take our government back

We do not need new laws made. What can be wrong with enforcing the laws already made and now existing? There must be participation from all sectors of society. We have not been good citizens because we have not been paying attention to how we have been governed in the past by lobbyists, special interest groups, and career politicians who were and are paying attention.

We own this country and we must take our government back! It is never too late to start on the road back. We should start now with term limitations to reduce the "pork barrel" spending by senior members of our Legislature who are indebted to special interest groups, political colleagues because of past deals, obligations and back scratching.

We need to take a hard look at the ways in which our money is being spent — just throwing money at the problem is not the answer. Career politicians often lose their sense of priorities after debating the same issues year after year. We have been led to believe the character traits and personal values portrayed by TV and movie personalities are a way of life. How sad!

To suspend students from school for inappropriate behavior is wrong. Corruption is all right, just be sure and cover your tracks; honesty is OK when it is convenient; trust is only a word; one is not accountable for personal behavior; to ask someone to wait for something is almost a sin. We seem to have forgotten what is right and what is wrong. Humanism, indecision, mistrust and moral decay all run rampant in our world. The general fast track of life has been created by instant everything and we have a higher incidence of emotional instability among our young people!

What happened to our ideals of right and wrong? What has happened to our principles of honesty in government? What has happened to public and private standards of morality?

Tom Nix
Midland

Voters can change funding procedures

In response to Citizens Against Tax Abuse in a June 25 letter, should we be satisfied with status quo, or is it time to upgrade to the 21st century, now only a scant 4 1/2 years away? November 1994 should be a sign indicating changes are due. Voter apathy has given our legislators in Austin and Washington a false sense of security. The window of opportunity has opened just enough for some of us to see a little of what is going on, and with a small push we can now get a foot into the door of opportunity. An opportunity to possibly change age-old funding procedures, such as the ad valorem school funding vehicle.

School funding is about the same as it was in 1519 when Spain first raised their flag over what is now the Lone Star State. Any educational procedures or costs were borne by the ranchers, the farmers, the "squatters," the local businesses. The first assistance from our Legislature then was a mere $0.62 per student a year. The same property/home owner now foots the bill for schools to the tune of 90 percent to 95 percent. With the natural decline in mineral production and the abatements from our legislators, mineral ad valorem tax base is declining at the rate of 25 percent a year, and predicted to continue to fall for the next 10 years.

Citizens for Tax Reform, a grass roots organization with the goal of restructuring taxes, has been formed in Big Spring. We gladly will share information with similar groups in the area, and welcome visitation and an interchange of ideas and members. We also feel - enough is enough! Our desire is to work with legislators to restructure in an orderly manner.

Roy Simmons, Sec.-Treas.
Citizens for Tax Reform
Big Spring

WILLIAM SAFIRE

Craft of misleading others was greatly respected by KGB leaders

In "Betrayal: The Story of Aldrich Ames, an American Spy," three of my New York Times colleagues in Washington explore the tangled-web world of deception. Quoting Civil War Gen. Thomas (Stonewall) Jackson's strategic advice to "mystify, mislead, and surprise," the authors — Tim Weiner, David Johnston, and Neil A. Lewis — note that the craft of misleading "was deeply respected within the KGB, which had an entire branch devoted to *maskirovka*, or deception techniques."

Safire

What a beautiful word, pronounced mas-kir-OAF-ka. The U.S. Army's 1955 Glossary of Soviet Military Terminology defines *maskirovka* as "camouflage; concealment; disguise." Leo Carl's 1990 International Dictionary of Intelligence agrees that it was a World War II term for camouflage, but takes it into the modern intelligence era by defining it as "Soviet GRU jargon for deception," and notes that the Soviet Military Encyclopedia divides *maskirovka* into "strategic, operational, and tactical deception."

That's the broad term, used by the GRU, the military intelligence service; the more specialized word, preferred by the KGB (now the Federal Security Service — the name changes every few months), is *dezinformatsiya*, "disinformation," the section referred to by the New York Times Ames trio. (*Dis*information should not be confused with *mis*information, which is simply mistaken or false data; the *dis-* prefix denotes intent to mislead, a knowing attempt to deceive.)

Anatoly Golitsyn, the longtime Soviet defector whose mole warnings were taken to heart by the late CIA counterspymaster James Jesus Angleton, turns out a newsletter in the United States, Soviet Analyst, and I'm on his mailing list. Still clinging grimly to the theory that the China-Soviet split was a huge deception, Golitsyn or one of his acolytes writes, "A report in The New York Times ... carried the following *maskirovka* fantasy for public consumption in the West ..." and derides the story's Beijing source as "disoriented by Soviet *dezinformatsiya*." (Nice use, in the Chinese context, of disorient.) In his usage, maskirovka is the general fantasy, dezinformatsiya the specific deception.

"*Maskirovka* means 'disguise,'" reports Viktor Klimenko, an interpreter in The New York Times' Moscow bureau who accompanies me on visits to KGB headquarters in the old Lubyanka prison. "One sense is 'camouflage,' like covering a tank with branches, and the other is generally 'concealment.' A spy given diplomatic status is an example, although that form of *maskirovka* is usually expressed by the Russian word *krysha* for 'cover.'" (That noun, which also means "roof," is pronounced KREE-sha.)

Irena Ustinova, a visiting scholar at the Maxwell School of Citizenship, at Syracuse University, recalls that the adjective form of *maskirovka* was used to describe the white uniforms worn by Russian troops in snow during their invasion of Finland in World War II. Before that, "it was used for a children's game like hide-and-seek. But now, when a spy is good at changing his image, at pretending to be somebody other than who he really is, he is said to 'use good *maskirovka*.' The Russian word is rooted in the English *mask*."

Which has its roots in the Middle French *masque*, which was taken from the Italian *maschera*, which may have jumped the Mediterranean from the Arabic *maskhara*, "buffoon, clown" who disguised the face with makeup. That's also how we get *mascara*, which every Mata Hari knows.

SURVEILLE

"I've noticed the emergence of a strange new verb," Christopher Valdina of Newton Centre, Mass., writes, "often in the context of the Oklahoma City bombing. *Surveille*, pronounced sur-VAIL, the verb form of *surveillance* — as in 'The FBI must *surveille* any individual or group that advocates violence.' It seems to fill a linguistic niche, but it's an odd duck of a word."

It does and it is. *Surveille* (sometimes *surveil*) is a 1949 back-formation from *surveillance*. The French *sur* means "over," and the verb *veiller* means "to watch"; thus, to *surveille* is "to keep watch over." The temptation to pronounce the Englished word in French as sur-vei-yuh should be resisted; it's sur-VAIL, with the French spelling retained for etymological purposes.

In an age of snooping, the word fills a void in the language. In an interview at Federal Security Service headquarters on Moscow's Lubyanka Square, Alexander Mikhailov, the press agent for the former KGB, used the Russian word *razvedka*, pronounced rahz-VHYED-ka, which was at first interpreted as *reconnaissance*, but on second thought was translated as *surveillance* and *intelligence-gathering*.

The synonymy of snoopery: the general *snooping on* or *spying on* is always pejorative; *tailing* or *shadowing* is police slang for "following," but does not include *wiretapping* or *bugging*, which keeps an electronic eye or ear on the watched-over person; *stalking* has gained a sense of intentional harassment; *observing* has more of a medical connotation and is less intense than *surveilling*, which is the only word we have for "close observation of a subject or place, as by a detective or intelligence agent." We do not yet have a term for "decrypting and monitoring data transmission," but the language has a way of catching up.

PALINDROMEDARIES

A palindrome, as word mavens know, is a word or phrase that runs the same backward; our hero is the late Burmese statesman U Nu. The key to *palindrome* is in the Greek root *dromos*, "running"; a *dromedary* is a "running camel" with a single hump. With *dromos* married to *palin*, "again, back," the word means "running back and forth," like a *palindrome*.

Every year, somebody comes out with a collection of them that hooks me. This year's is by Craig Hansen, from Plume Books, titled "Ana, Nab a Banana," where the *taco cat* pursues *sleek eels*.

In the world of palindromes, dieters are known as *dessert stressed*, and a sharp-tongued offspring points out that *Ma is acidic, as I am*. While one cowboy sits in the rain and eats *wet stew*, another loses his hat and has *no Stetson*. A blank page at the center of Hansen's book is, appropriately enough, labeled *page gap*.

My favorites include this admonition from a man in a tank explaining military injustice to a man armed only with a knife: *Now, sir, a war is never even. Sir, a war is won.*

Even better is the sign on the wall of a law firm willing to take on the most formidable adversary: *Sue Zeus*.

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SPEAKING OUT

1995 is year for 50th anniversary celebrations

By Robert Nash

Robert Nash, a Midland investment broker, is an Air Force veteran of World War II.

1995 has been a vintage year for 50th anniversary celebrations — and another key date is but weeks ahead.

The atomic bomb dropped on Hiroshima on Aug. 6, 1945, did two things: It shortened World War II, and it changed dramatically the course of history.

Some of the other pivotal anniversaries from that fateful year have been marked by gestures of reconciliation between the nations involved. V-E Day, for example, saw Germans, Frenchmen, Russians, the Brits and many other nationalities symbolically invoke the deepest desire for peace among ex-combatants on both sides.

We would pray that August will see the same spirit demonstrated. But there have been some early radar signals that the August anniversary will be greeted by something less than unanimity. The Blame-America-First crowd has already tried, and failed, to get an "anniversary" exhibit that would picture America's use of the A-bomb as racist, wanton and unnecessary. This attitude distorts history. It comes from an extremely vocal group in this country to whom the events of 1941-45 provide a source of material used for their endless and excessive exercises in probing, picking and moral posturing.

May one from that generation make some observations?

Japan in 1945 was well on its way to developing the atomic bomb. The theory of splitting the atom had been known in scientific circles at that time for several years; once the theory is known, it is a matter of putting the machinery together.

The United States, in a desperate race, simply got there first. My question to the Uncle Sam-bashers is: in their wildest mental wanderings, do they suppose that had the Japanese won the race, they would have succumbed to that exquisite degree of fastidiousness of scruple that — with 50 years of hindsight — seems to be demanded today?

The alternative to Hiroshima was the mounting of a land invasion of Nippon's homeland. Expected loss of life: 1 or 2 million Americans, far more for the Japanese. The bombings of Hiroshima and Nagasaki actually saved untold millions of individual lives — both American and Japanese.

The decision to drop the bomb was not simply a question of delicately balancing off a long and evenly divided list of abstract and complex philosophical factors, with 40 years of hindsight to calculate which way the scales should be tipped.

It was more like survival.

Contrary to the outpourings of the revisionist America-bashers, World War II was not really a 99-1 piece of cake. At several critical junctures it was more like 51-to-49, and take your choice. In the events leading up to August 1945, we had lost many of our brothers, fathers, cousins, classmates and friends around the world.

Every individual of that time has his or her own personal honor roll. On the supposition that I am a fairly typical representative of that era, may I name a few of the men who come to mind for me:

Roy (Shug) Vaughn, 1936 senior class president, Odessa High School, dead in a tank at Kasserine Pass in North Africa in 1942.

W.C. "Dub" Matthews, newspaper cartoonist, dead in a PBY off the Aleutians in 1943.

My brother Ralph, who died a few years ago still carrying fragments of German 88-millimeter shrapnel in his body since Italy in 1944.

J.D. Johnson Jr., my cousin who died young, a frostbitten survivor of Bastogne.

We owe these men, and the millions of others who served with them, something better than this.

The heroes of 1945 had their act together. They did what had to be done in a tight spot, the best way they knew how. We owe them nothing less than our existence.

Their leader Harry Truman had a tough decision to make in August that year. Good show, Harry.

Fifty years ago the world was different. The watershed year for the 20th century was 1945. There were no computers, no pill, no Internet, no space men, no smart bombs, no entitlements — just a bunch of guys like Ralph and Shug and Fred and Jack who got out there and took their chances and saved our hides.

We salute you and thank you for the last 50 years of peace. The bashers are doing a great disservice to your memory.

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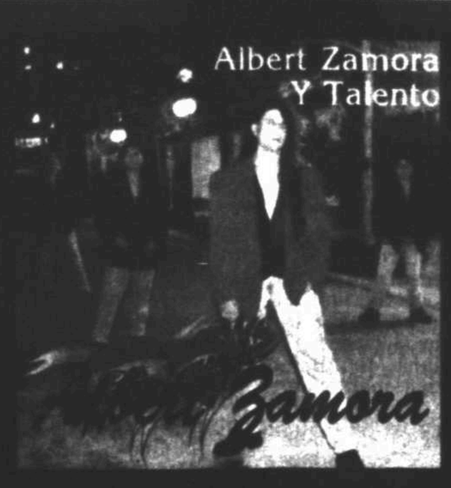

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TV Sports

TENNIS — Wimbledon Championships, men's championship, at Wimbledon, 6 a.m., NBC.

BASEBALL — Chicago Cubs at Philadelphia, noon, WGN.

San Diego at Houston, 1:30 p.m., PRIME.

San Francisco at Atlanta, 7 p.m., ESPN.

BOXING — "The CBS Sports Show," boxing, Kenny Keene (31-1-0) vs. Terry Ray (28-2-0), for IBC world cruiserweight championship, at Boise, Idaho, 1 p.m., CBS.

Champion Eddie Hopson (28-0-0) vs. Tracy Patterson (62-3-1), for IBF junior lightweight championship, at Reno, Nev., 2:30 p.m., ABC.

RACING — IndyCar Auto Racing, Texaco/Havoline 200, at Elkhart Lake, Wis., 1 p.m., ESPN.

GOLF — Celebrity Golf Association Golf, Isuzu Championship, final round, at Lake Tahoe, Nev., 2 p.m., NBC.

PGA Golf, Western Open, final round, at Lemont, Ill., 3 p.m., CBS.

3:30 p.m.

Senior PGA Golf, Kroger Senior Classic, final round, at Mason, Ohio, 4:30 p.m., ESPN.

SOCCER — CISL soccer, Washington Warthogs at Dallas Sidekicks, 7 p.m., PRIME.

CYCLING — Tour de France, stage No. 8, at various sites (delayed tape), 11:30 p.m., ESPN.

Texas Sports

BASEBALL — New York Yankees 7, Texas Rangers 3.

Game 1: Houston Astros 3, San Diego 2, 17 innings.

Game 2: Houston Astros 4, San Diego Padres 1.

TEXAS LEAGUE — San Antonio Missions 9, Midland Angels 7.

Sports Today

TALL CITY INVITATIONAL — Women' Bracket (to be played at Cowden Elementary): 9 a.m. - Midland Lee vs. Midland High; Championship game - 5 p.m. Third place game will be played at LHS at 5 p.m.

Losers' Bracket (to be played at Lee High School): 9 a.m. - Odessa High vs. Odessa Permian; 11:30 a.m.: Abilene Cooper vs. Lubbock Monterey.

All-Star honor

ARLINGTON, Texas — A presentation to former New York Yankees great Joe DiMaggio will highlight the pregame festivities at Tuesday's All-Star game.

As part of a ceremony honoring major league players who served in the military during World War II, secretary of the Army Togo West Jr. will make a presentation to DiMaggio, who missed three seasons while serving in the Army from 1943-45.

In addition, a 120-member chorus will sing patriotic songs and military jets will fly over The Ballpark in Arlington following the national anthem, to be sung by country star Lyle Lovett.

Nolan Ryan, the all-time strikeout leader and former Texas Rangers star, will throw out the ceremonial first pitch.

Soccer scandal

MARSEILLE, France — A former coach for Olympique Marseille told a judge that the fix scandal-tainted soccer club spent up to $1.2 million a year to throw matches and buy off referees, a newspaper reported Saturday.

Jean-Pierre Bernes, who was fired and given a suspended sentence last May in a match-fixing scandal, again pointed a finger again at the team's former owner, Bernard Tapie.

The probe focused on the finances of Marseille, which was placed in receivership in April.

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A sixth crown for Queen Steffi

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Steffi Graf holds up the victor's trophy after winning her sixth Wimbledon singles crown in a three-set win over Arantxa Sanchez Vicario. Graf won the match 4-6, 6-1, 7-5 in just over two hours. The match has been called one of the most memorable matches in the history.

■ Graf takes a key 32-point game in the final set to win her sixth Wimbledon title.

By Stephen Wilson
AP Sports Writer

WIMBLEDON, England — Thirty-two points. Thirteen deuces. Twenty minutes. And that was just one game.

In one of the best women's finals in the Open era, Steffi Graf won that crucial 11th game of the third set Saturday and beat Arantxa Sanchez Vicario for her sixth Wimbledon title.

After finally converting on her sixth break point of the game, the top-seeded German served out the match to win 4-6, 6-1, 7-5, in 2 hours, 2 minutes.

The victory gave Graf her 17th Grand Slam singles crown and her 92nd career title. The win also improved her record this year to 32-0.

"It was something exceptional," Graf said. "It was a great, great feeling. I was a little tired out there, but it still felt incredible. I was fighting. I never gave up."

The marathon game ranked with the famous 34-point tiebreaker between Bjorn Borg and John McEnroe in the 1980 men's final. McEnroe won the tiebreaker 18-16 but lost the match in five sets.

"It's a game that will stand out for many, many years," Graf said. "Never in my career had I played such a long game with so many quality points. We both didn't give anything to each other. I was really tired at the end. There were some incredible points in there."

The 26-year-old Graf, who has been troubled by a chronic back condition, was asked whether this might have been her Wimbledon farewell.

"I do hope, I do have the feeling to hopefully be back next year," she said. "I count on that."

Graf was playing in her seventh Wimbledon final and Sanchez Vicario in her first. But the Spaniard never showed any sign of nerves as she pushed the five-time champion to the limit.

In the end, Graf's power and attacking style won out over Sanchez Vicario's relentless counter-punching.

Graf's dominant shot proved to the overhead smash, which accounted for a remarkable 10 winners.

Graf beat Sanchez Vicario in the French Open final last month, taking the third set 6-0. This time, the third set couldn't have been more tightly contested.

"This match could have gone either way," Sanchez Vicario said. "I had my chances. Maybe I was a little unlucky at the end. Luck was more on her side today.

"I have to be very proud with the way I played. I played great tennis. I played maybe the best player in the world on grass and I almost won it."

The match was essentially decided when Graf won the marathon 11th game of the third set. With Sanchez Vicario serving at 5-5, she had eight game points and Graf had six break points.

Both players played superb tennis, with Graf putting on the pressure and Sanchez Vicario repeatedly hitting passing shot winners. Time and again, the players would celebrate by pumping their fists and shouting to themselves.

Graf finally cut off one of Sanchez Vicario's forehand cross-court passing shots, hitting a forehand volley into the open court to set up her sixth break point.

This time, Graf slugged a forehand deep into the corner and Sanchez Vicario hit a backhand into the net, giving the German a 6-5 lead.

Graf then served out the match at love. On match point, she hit a deep backhand volley and Sanchez Vicario sailed a backhand long. The two players hugged and kissed at the net and leaned on each other as if exhausted.

Graf dashed out the through the tunnel and up to the guest box to hug her coach Heinz Gunthardt and her parents.

When Sanchez Vicario received her trophy, she had tears in her eyes. Graf also was tearful as she accepted the silver plate. As they stood together, Sanchez Vicario playfully reached over and tugged at Graf's trophy as if to take it.

Graf won $525,000, while Sanchez Vicario received $262,000.

Sanchez Vicario played virtually flawless baseline tennis as she won the first set in 30 minutes. She lost only four points on her serve and broke in the seventh game when Graf made two straight forehand errors.

Graf, dictating the pace with her powerful forehand, raised her game to dominate the second set. She won five

Please see GRAF/5C

All-stars could feel right at home

■ Arlington's cathedral to baseball will make players feel right at home.

ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) — When players from all 28 major league teams gather Tuesday at The Ballpark in Arlington for the All-Star game, several of them may look around the 1-year-old stadium and feel right at home.

Detroit players will instantly recognize a tribute to Tiger Stadium with The Ballpark's so-called Home Run Porch in right field. Red Sox players may notice a tricky, asymmetrical outfield much like Boston's Fenway Park.

Kansas City players may be comforted by the grassy hitter's backdrop in center field, similar to Kauffman Stadium. Baltimore players will see a resemblance to Camden Yards, their modern home with a throwback look and feel.

There's always something to see or do at the $195 million Ballpark.

Hungry? Go to the upscale Diamond Club restaurant hidden behind windows in left field, or check out the view from Friday's Front Row Grill sports bar in right field. There's also plenty of concession stands with great names like Bambino's Pizza, Home Run Bakery and Cy Yogurts.

Want to know more about the game? Take a stroll through the Legends of the Game Baseball Museum and its learning center.

The museum and a sports art gallery are located in the part of the stadium that truly makes The Ballpark unique: there's a building inside.

Because the stadium is in suburban Arlington, a booming city midway between Dallas and Fort Worth, there were no warehouses or downtown buildings to use as a backdrop, as at Baltimore's Camden Yards and Denver's new Coors Field.

So, architect David Schwarz decided to put in his own and use the four-story structure to connect the sections of seats in left and right fields. Tenants include the Texas Rangers team offices, a radio station, an orthodontist and the Troy Aikman Foundation.

The building was Schwarz's way of fitting a traditionally round facility into a square block, another nod to some of the great ballparks of yesteryear.

It fits in perfectly, and when people are on the balconies facing the field, it's hard not to think of fans in Chicago watching a game at Wrigley Field from atop their apartment buildings.

Surrounding the building are several old-fashioned billboards, but the sign that draws the most attention doesn't advertise anything, except a chance for sluggers to improve their wardrobe.

The "Hit it Here, Win A Free Suit" sign atop the second deck of Porch is marked at 501 feet, but likely is farther. There's no sponsor, although Texas Gov. George

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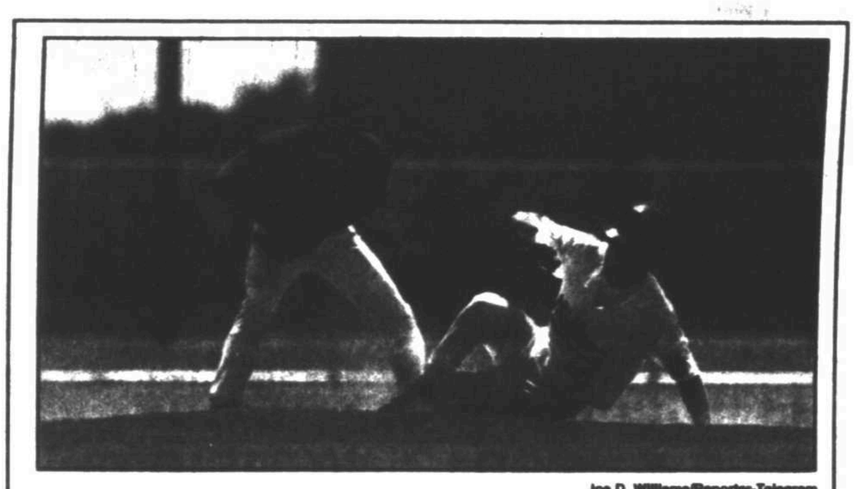

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He's safe!

Ross Nobles of Midland Eastern slides safely into second base against El Paso Frank Manning's Russell Barrett on Saturday during the Senior League District 3 tournament at Redfern Field. Midland Eastern defeated El Paso won 10-0.

Halos' home run rally falls short

■ Midland's Todd Greene cranks two home runs, but Marrero's bomb in the eighth seals the win for San Antonio.

Staff Report

SAN ANTONIO — Todd Greene and George Arias continued their assault on Texas League pitching with back-to back home runs Saturday. But the Angels fell short of coming back from six-runs down and lost to San Antonio 9-7 in the last of the team's six-game series here with the Missions. Midland stays in first place in the Western Division with El Paso's 4-3 loss to Wichita.

The Missions (8-10) jumped on Midland starter Jeff Schmidt for six runs, four of them earned, in the bottom of the first.

Please see ANGELS/6C

State meeting adds to Midland's soccer repute

■ With the opportunity to host the North Texas State Soccer Association's annual meeting, Midland is showing its strength in soccer.

By Mike Butts
Sports Writer

Midland has landed on the Texas youth soccer map. And this weekend it's serving as the sport's capital of North Texas.

The Midland Soccer Association is hosting over 600 members of the North Texas State Soccer Association for its three-day annual general meeting at the Midland Holiday Inn. The organization's use of Midland adds to the city's standing as a West Texas soccer center.

And it has made MSA officials feel recognized by the Metroplex-based NTSSA.

"We always felt like the wicked step-children out here," Debi Newsom, chairman of the MSA committee which helped organize the event, said. "The majority of the (local) associations are in Dallas-Fort Worth."

But after increasing player membership by 25 percent over the last two playing seasons, MSA was recognized as the fastest growing association in the NTSSA last fall, Newson said. This weekend it became only the second West Texas city to host the general meeting. MSA is now the fifth largest association in the NTSSA.

"West Texas is kind of left out of the limelight a lot because we're so far (from Dallas-Fort Worth)," MSA executive director Connie Stall said. "With NTSSA one of the things that we've always said is, 'Come see us. We do exist.' And this (meeting) is telling us that we're here."

NTSSA has 103 associations in the Permian Basin, San Angelo and the Panhandle along with the North Texas area. It oversees youth and amateur adult soccer in that region.

While NTSSA president David Messersmith said sites for the general meetings are chosen based on bids submitted to the organization, he did say the group, "likes to go where our associations are growing."

This year's general meeting includes workshops, coaching clinics, referee meetings and business meetings. The event concludes today with a general business meeting at 1:30 p.m.

Messersmith made clear Saturday that the association doesn't want to be regarded as a Dallas-Fort Worth only organization.

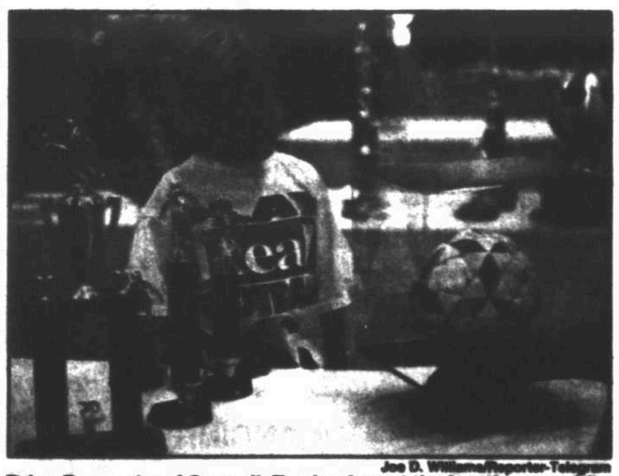
"Everything that happens in soccer doesn't happen in Dallas," Messersmith said. "We want all our members to understand that the people in Midland are just as important as anybody. Of course the numbers are bigger in Dallas, but we don't want it to be an us and them thing."

MSA is in it's 18th year, Stall said. Much of it's recent growth — the association now has 3,121 players — has been in the younger age groups.

Odessa's soccer association has 1,241 players, San Angelo's 2,290 and Lubbock's 3,030.

"I'm excited about the fact that soccer on the whole is being recognized out here," Stall said. "We'll always be a football community ... but I can see soccer being recognized as a true sport too."

Stall feels Odessa's youth soccer programs could eventually catch up to Midland's, which would add to the area's soccer reputation.



Joe D. Williams/Reporter-Telegram

Brian Barowsky of Coppell, Tx checks out the booths on exhibit at the North Texas State Soccer Association's general meeting held this weekend at Midland's Holiday Inn.

Twenty-five vendors set up booths at the Holiday Inn's Convention Center as part of the general meeting Saturday. Major League Soccer, SMU soccer and Soccer Learning Systems were among those represented. SMU players and coaches held clinics Saturday at Windlands Park as part of the meeting.

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Hot Atlanta wins 8th straight game

The Associated Press

ATLANTA — David Justice, Chipper Jones and pitcher Steve Avery each homered to lead a 14-hit attack as the Atlanta Braves won their eighth straight game, 9-4 over the San Francisco Giants on Saturday night.

■ NL Roundup

Justice, who had three hits and drove in three runs, hit a two-run homer, his 10th, in a three-run third. He also added an RBI double in the first as the Braves extended their longest winning streak since winning nine in a row Aug. 8-18, 1993.

Jones hit a two-run homer, his 13th, in the first off Mark Portugal (5-3) after Jeff Blauser doubled. Avery hit his second of the season leading off the second and he added a sacrifice fly in a three-run fifth.

Avery went 1-or-1 and is hitting .333 (9-for-27) on the season. It was the second straight night an Atlanta pitcher drove in two runs as Tom Glavine did it Friday night.

Cubs 3, Phillies 1

PHILADELPHIA — Jamie Navarro allowed two hits and an unearned run over 8 1-3 innings and Scott Servais homered as Chicago Cubs beat Philadelphia.

It was Chicago's seventh victory in eight games, while the Phillies dropped their 10th in 12. In those 12 games, Philadelphia has scored 35 runs.

Navarro (7-2) struck out two and walked two and was lifted after second baseman Rey Sanchez's error on a grounder by Gregg Jefferies. Randy Myers got the final two outs for his 21st save.

Pirates 3, Mets 2

PITTSBURGH — Don Slaught hit a two-run single and 27-year-old rookie John Ericks won his second consecutive start as Pittsburgh beat New York.

Slaught's single came in the third inning after Mets rookie starter Bill Pulsipher (1-4) had nearly pitched out of a bases-loaded, no-out jam.

Jacob Brumfield doubled, Jay Bell singled and Carlos Garcia walked before Pulsipher struck out Jeff King and Steve Pegues. Slaught then grounded a 2-1 pitch up the middle.

Ericks (2-1), who gave up five hits, allowed a run in the second, then retired 16 consecutive batters. He walked one and struck out seven in his first complete game and fourth major league start.

Dodgers 12, Reds 2

CINCINNATI — Carlos Hernandez homered and drove in a career-high five runs as Los Angeles emerged from a deep offensive slump and ended a five-game losing streak with a win over Cincinnati.

Hernandez, batting just .085 without a homer or RBI this season, put the Dodgers ahead to stay with a three-run homer in the fourth.

He added an RBI single in a four-run fifth and singled home another run in the eighth.

Rockies 8, Expos 3

DENVER — Vinny Castilla hit two home runs for the second straight game, driving in four runs in Colorado 's victory over Montreal.

Eric Young added a two-run homer for the Rockies, who won for their fourth straight. They have scored 66 runs in winning six of seven.

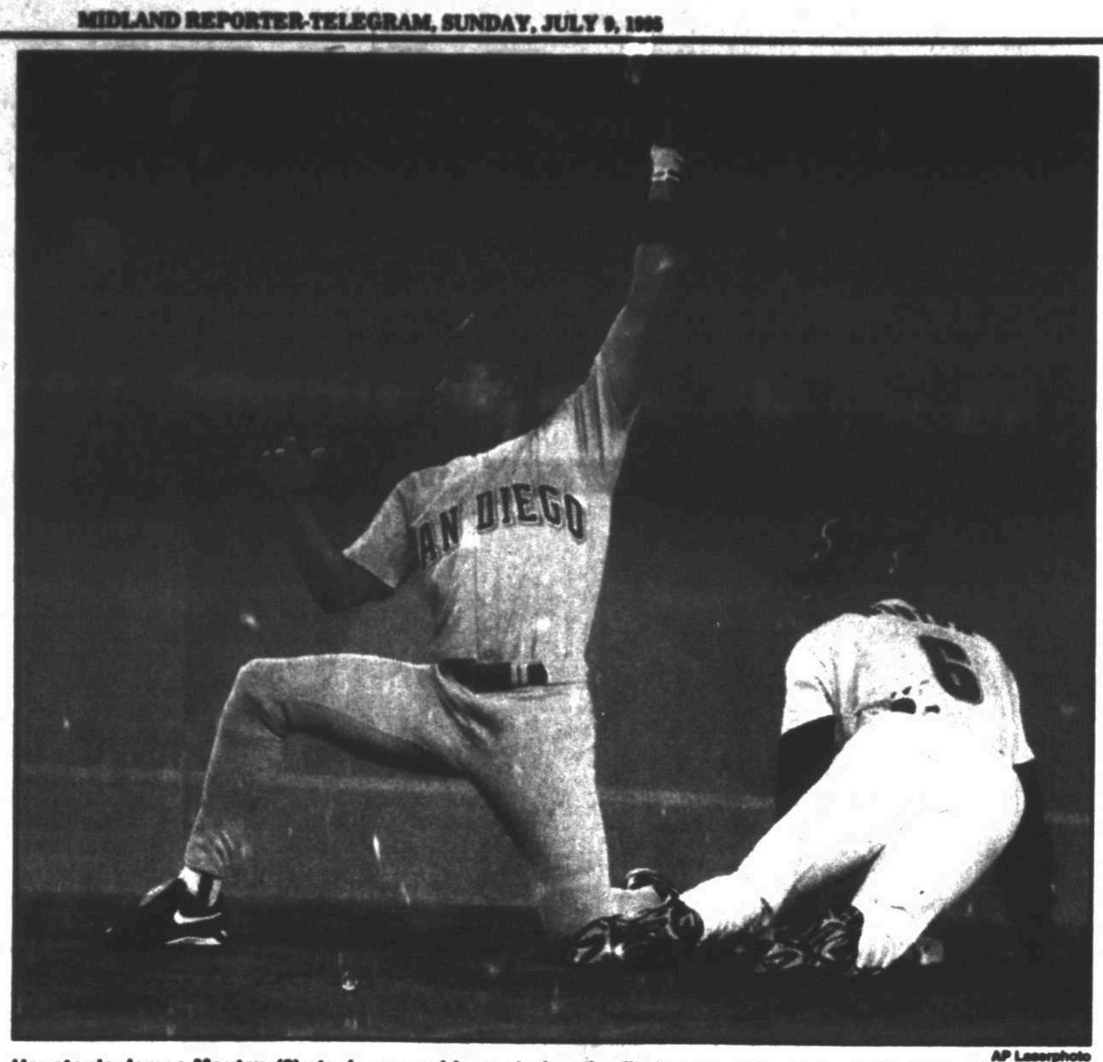
Cardinals 3, Marlins 2

ST. LOUIS — Ray Lankford hit a three-run homer and Allen Watson allowed one run over 6 1-3 innings in his first start in a month as the St. Louis Cardinals beat the Florida Marlins 3-2 Saturday night.

The victory was the Cardinals' fourth straight, their longest winning streak of the season.

Watson (2-2), making his first start since June 6 because of tendinitis in his right bicep, allowed eight hits and was aided by three double plays in his longest outing of the year.

Tom Henke worked the ninth for his 17th save in as many opportunities.



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Houston's James Mouton (6) steals second base during the first game of the Astros' doubleheader against San Diego as the Padres' Andujar Cedeno tries to coax an out call from the umpire.

Astros work OT in sweep

HOUSTON (AP) — Craig Biggio drove in the winning run in the 17th inning of the opener and hit a three-run homer in the second game as the Houston Astros swept a doubleheader from the San Diego Padres on Saturday.

Biggio's 10th homer of the season led the Astros to a 4-1 win in the nightcap and his single ended the 4-hour, 29-minute opener that Houston won 3-2.

Mike Hampton (3-1) allowed four hits over five innings to win the second game, his third consecutive victory. He left the game with a strained left groin after allowing a leadoff single to Fernando Valenzuela in the sixth. He struck out four and did not allow a runner to reach second.

In the opener, Doug Brocail used his arm and legs to get the Astros their third straight win in their final at-bat.

Brocail (2-0) set the Padres down in order in the top of the 17th and then led off the bottom of the inning with a perfect bunt down the third base line for a single. He was sacrificed to second and scored on Biggio's single.

O'Neil powers Yankees by Rangers

The Associated Press

ARLINGTON — Pinch-hitter Paul O'Neill broke a seventh-inning tie with a bases-loaded triple and Jack McDowell won for the fifth time in six starts as the New York Yankees rallied past the Texas Rangers 7-3 Saturday night.

■ ALRoundup

Texas led 3-2 until the seventh, when Tony Fernandez singled off Chris Nichting and Don Mattingly, pinch hitting for Leyritz, singled to right off Roger McDowell (4-1) and took second on Rusty Greer's weak throw to third.

Danny Tartabull hit an RBI groundout that tied the score, but McDowell loaded the bases by walking Gerald Williams and Stanley. O'Neill then lofted a drive to right-center about 10 feet beyond the outstretched glove of centerfielder Otis Nixon and the ball rolled to the wall.

Texas starter Kenny Rogers allowed two hits in the first five innings, but was visibly upset after being removed with one out in the sixth after allowing two runs and six hits.

Jack McDowell (6-5), improved to 9-3 against Texas, allowing six hits in 8 1-3 innings. John Wetteland finished for his 12th save of the season.

Indians 7, Mariners 3

CLEVELAND — Kenny Lofton tripled twice, drove in two runs and scored twice — once by stealing home — as Cleveland overcame an early three-run deficit and beat Seattle.

Albert Belle homered and Wayne Kirby tripled for the Indians, winners of 10 of their last 13 games. Seattle has lost five of six.

Charles Nagy (7-4) won his third straight game, yielding three runs in the first inning but then blanking the Mariners on three hits over the next eight innings.

Royals 4, Tigers 1

DETROIT — A strong start by Mark Gubicza cooled off Detroit, helping Kansas City end the Tigers' five-game winning streak Saturday with a 4-1 victory.

Jon Nunnally homered for the Royals, who stopped a three-game losing streak with only their sixth win in their last 19 games.

Gubicza (6-7) allowed just two singles from Chad Curtis and another by Fielder in seven innings. He struck out four and walked three. Jeff Montgomery pitched the eighth and ninth for his 14th save.

Orioles 5, White Sox 2

CHICAGO — Curtis Goodwin drove in two runs and Mike Mussina won his fourth straight start as Baltimore beat Chicago to win its third straight game.

Goodwin went 3-for-4 with a pair of RBI singles, including a seventh inning base hit that gave Baltimore a 5-1 lead. It was his 18th multi-hit game of the season. Mussina (9-5) gave up eight hits, struck out four and walked one in 7 2-3 innings.

Twins 9, Red Sox 5

MINNEAPOLIS — The Boston bullpen blew another game as Stan Belinda gave up a tie-breaking broken-bat single to Chuch Knoblauch in the eighth inning of Minnesota's victory.

Belinda (7-1) gave up a walk and two singles to start the eighth before Knoblauch blooped a hit to left, scoring Scott Stahoviak and Jeff Reboulet. One out later, Rheal Cormier gave up a two-run single to Pedro Munoz as the Twins won for the fourth time in five games.

Blue Jays 9-3, Athletics 6-6

OAKLAND, Calif. — Mike Aldrete's infield single drove in the tie-breaking run in the eighth as Oakland beat Toronto for a split of an ejection-filled doubleheader.

In the first game, Joe Carter and Devon White had three RBIs apiece and Molitor hit a tie-breaking homer in the seventh as the Blue Jays won 9-6. David Cone (7-5) struck out 10 for Toronto.

Angels 1, Brewers 0

ANAHEIM, Calif. — Mark Langston pitched a three-hitter to out-duel Ricky Bones and give California a victory over Milwaukee .

Langston (8-1) walked three and struck out nine in his first shutout in more than a year.

Big league managers disagree with fan vote

By Ronald Blum
AP Sports Writer

ARLINGTON (AP) — Major league managers disagreed with nine of the fans' 16 picks to start in Tuesday night's All-Star game, according to a survey by The Associated Press.

In the American League, Mark McGwire would replace Frank Thomas at first base, Roberto Alomar would bump Carlos Baerga at second, Jim Thome would bounce Wade Boggs at third, and Kenny Lofton and Manny Ramirez would start in the outfield instead of Ken Griffey Jr. and Kirby Puckett.

Griffey, who finished first in the fan voting, has been sidelined since May 26 and will be replaced in the starting lineup by Lofton.

In the National League, Mark Grace would be at first instead of Fred McGriff, Barry Larkin would start at shortstop instead of Ozzie Smith, and Reggie Sanders and Raul Mondesi would be in the outfield instead of Lenny Dykstra and Tony Gwynn.

Larkin will start at shortstop because Smith has been on the disabled list since May 24.

Cal Ripken, voted to start at shortstop for the AL tied in the voting with Gary DiSarcina.

Greg Maddux was chosen to start for the NL and Kevin Appier for the AL.

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Blue Jays 9, Athletics 6
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T—3:15. A—NA.

Athletics 6, Blue Jays 3
Second game

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T—3:14. A—25,103.

Indians 7, Mariners 3

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Seattle 300 000 000 — 3
Cleveland 012 130 00x — 7
E—Cora (7). DP—Cleveland 2. LOB—Seattle 2, Cleveland 6. 3B—Lofton 2 (7), Kirby (2). HR—Buhner (10), Belle (14). SB—Amaral (13), Lofton (19), Vizquel (15), Kirby (5). CS—Cora (2), MRamirez (4). SF—Vizquel, SAlomar.
IP H R ER BB SO
Seattle
Bosio L,6-3 4 6 6 6 2 0
BWells 4 3 1 0 3 1
Cleveland
Nagy W,7-4 9 5 3 3 3 7
Bosio pitched to 2 batters in the 5th.
HBP—by Bosio (MRamirez).
T—2:40. A—41,893.

Orioles 5, White Sox 6

BALTIMORE ab r h bi / CHICAGO ab r h bi
ByAdsn lf 3 0 0 0 LJhnsn cf 4 0 1 0
Alxndr 2b 4 0 1 1 Raines lf 4 0 1 0
Plmiro 1b 4 0 0 0 Thmas 1b 4 1 1 1
CRpken ss 4 0 0 0 Vntura 3b 4 0 0 0
Baines dh 4 1 1 0 Kruk dh 4 0 1 0
Hmnds rf 5 0 0 0 Dvraux rf 4 0 1 0
Huson 3b 3 2 1 0 Grbeck 2b 3 0 1 0
Hoiles c 4 1 2 1 Tremie c 2 0 1 0
CGdwn cf 4 1 3 2 Newson ph 1 0 0 0
Krkvce c 1 1 1 1
Guillen ss 4 0 1 0
Totals 35 5 8 4 Totals 35 2 9 2
Baltimore 022 000 100 — 5
Chicago 000 001 001 — 2
E—Tremie (1). LOB—Baltimore 12, Chicago 7. 2B—Hoiles (4), Guillen (12). HR—Thomas (21), Karkovice (7). SB—ByAnderson 2 (11), Alexander (9), Huson (1), CGoodwin (15). CS—Huson (1), LJohnson (2).
IP H R ER BB SO
Baltimore
Mussina W,9-5 7 2-3 8 1 1 1 4
Orosco 1-3 0 0 0 0 1
DJones 1 1 1 1 0 0
Chicago
Bere L,4-7 6 2-3 7 5 5 6 3
Fortugno 1 1 0 0 1 1
Dibble 2-3 0 0 0 2 1
RHernandez 2-3 0 0 0 0 1
WP—Bere.
T—3:02. A—30,593.

Royals 4, Tigers 1

KANSAS CITY ab r h bi / DETROIT ab r h bi
Cleman lf 5 1 1 0 Curtis cf 4 0 2 0
Godwin cf 3 0 2 0 Fltcher 2b 2 0 0 0
Lckhrt 2b 4 0 1 1 Frymn 3b 4 0 0 0
Ccerss 2b 0 0 0 0 Fielder 1b 4 0 1 0
Joyner 1b 4 1 1 0 KGbsn dh 3 0 0 0
Gaetti 3b 4 1 1 1 Hggnsn lf 3 0 0 0
Hmelin dh 4 0 2 1 CGmez ss 2 0 0 0
Nunly rf 4 1 3 1 Whiker 2b 2 0 0 0
Howard ss 4 0 0 0 Flherty c 3 0 0 0
Mayne c 4 0 0 0 Butista rf 1 1 0 0
Samuel lf 1 0 0 0
Totals 36 4 10 4 Totals 29 1 3 0
Kansas City 010 200 100 — 4
Detroit 000 001 000 — 1
LOB—Kansas City 6, Detroit 6. 2B—Coleman (13), Gaetti (12). HR—Nunnally (11). SB—Goodwin (26). S—Goodwin, Fletcher.
IP H R ER BB SO
Kansas City
Gubicza W,8-7 7 3 1 1 3 4
Mntgm S,14 2 0 0 0 1 3
Detroit
Moore L,5-7 8 10 4 4 0 6
Maxcy 1 0 0 0 0 0
WP—Gubicza.
T—2:23. A—36,906.

Twins 9, Red Sox 5

BOSTON ab r h bi / MINNESOTA ab r h bi
Tinsley cf 3 0 0 0 Knblch 2b 5 1 1 2
JnVlntn ss 4 1 0 0 Becker cf 4 0 0 0
MVghn 1b 4 1 1 0 Puckett rf 4 1 2 0
Cnseco dh 4 1 2 3 PMunz dh 5 0 1 2
O'Lry rf 4 1 1 0 Mattier lf 4 0 0 0
Nhring 3b 2 1 1 1 Leius 3b 3 1 1 0
Dnnels 3b 2 0 0 0 Stahvk 1b 3 3 1 1
Stairs lf 2 0 0 0 Reboulet ss 4 2 3 1
McGee ph 1 0 0 0 Wlbeck c 3 1 2 2
Mcfrlne c 3 0 0 0
Alicea 2b 3 0 0 1
Totals 32 5 5 5 Totals 35 9 11 8
Boston 020 030 000 — 5
Minnesota 000 302 04x — 9
E—MVaughn (7). LOB—Boston 4, Minnesota 8. 2B—MVaughn (6), Canseco (7), O'Leary (16), Puckett (14), Walbeck (8). HR—Canseco (5). S—Becker.
IP H R ER BB SO
Boston
Hanson 6 6 5 5 2 6
Hudson 2-3 1 0 0 1 0
Belinda L,7-1 1-3 3 4 4 1 0
Cormier 1 1 0 0 1 0
Minnesota
Tapani 7 1-3 5 5 5 2 6
Guthrie W,4-3 1 2-3 0 0 0 0 2
Belinda pitched to 4 batters in the 8th.
HBP—by Tapani (Stairs), by Tapani (Alicea). WP—Hanson 2.
T—2:45. A—14,838.

Angels 1, Brewers 0

MILWAUKEE ab r h bi / CALIFORNIA ab r h bi
Cirillo 3b 3 0 1 0 Phillips 3b 3 0 0 0
Hulse pr 0 0 0 0 Edmnds cf 4 0 0 0
Hmlton cf 4 0 0 0 Myers dh 4 0 0 0
Seitzer 1b 4 0 0 0 Salmon rf 3 1 1 0
GVghn dh 4 0 0 0 Snow 1b 3 0 0 0
Surhoff lf 3 0 1 0 GAndsn lf 2 0 0 1
JOliver c 2 0 0 0 Hudler 2b 3 0 1 0
Mieske rf 3 0 0 0 Fbrgas c 2 0 1 0
Listach 2b 3 0 0 0 DSrcna ss 3 0 0 0
JsVlntn ss 2 0 1 0
Totals 28 0 3 0 Totals 27 1 3 1
Milwaukee 000 000 000 — 0
California 010 000 00x — 1
E—Cirillo (6). LOB—Milwaukee 4, California 5. 2B—Salmon (13), Hudler (8). CS—JOliver (3), JsValentin (4). SF—GAnderson.
IP H R ER BB SO
Milwaukee
Bones L,4-7 8 3 1 1 2 2
California
Langston W,8-1 9 3 0 0 3 9
T—2:19. A—21,945.

NL Boxes

Astros 3, Padres 2
17 innings
First game

SAN DIEGO ab r h bi / HOUSTON ab r h bi
Finley cf 7 1 1 0 Mouton cf 7 0 1 0
JoReed 2b 7 0 2 1 Biggio 2b 8 0 2 1
TGwyn rf 7 0 3 1 Bgwell 1b 5 2 1 0
Cminiti 3b 6 0 1 0 DBell rf 5 0 2 1
Plgne 1b 5 0 0 0 Esebio c 7 0 1 1
EWlms ph 1 0 1 0 Pintier lf 3 0 0 0
Asmus 1b 0 0 0 0 MTmsn lf 3 0 0 0
Lvngst 1b 1 0 0 0 Shipley 3b 7 0 2 0
Bean lf 5 0 0 0 Miller ss 6 0 0 0
PClark lf 2 0 0 0 Drabek p 2 0 0 0
BJhnsn c 6 0 0 0 Cnglosi ph 1 0 0 0
Holbert ss 4 0 0 0 ToJnes p 0 0 0 0
Florie p 0 0 0 0 May ph 0 0 0 0
Nieves ph 1 0 1 0 DVeres p 0 0 0 0
Hffman p 1 0 0 0 Mgdan ph 0 0 0 0
BWlms p 0 0 0 0 Stnkwc pr 0 0 0 0
Dshmn p 3 0 0 0 Dghrty p 0 0 0 0
ACdeno ss 3 1 1 0 Hrtgrvs p 0 0 0 0
Goff ph 1 0 0 0
Powell p 0 0 0 0
Brocail p 1 1 1 0
Totals 59 2 10 2 Totals 56 3 10 3
San Diego 100 000 000 000 000 10—2
Houston 100 000 000 000 000 11—3
One out when winning run scored.
E—Bean (1), DBell (3). DP—Houston 1. LOB—San Diego 7, Houston 13. 2B—JoReed (5), TGwynn (19), Biggio (18), Bagwell (17), Eusebio (10), Shipley (4). SB—Caminiti (3), Bagwell (9), DBell (17), May (3). CS—JoReed (4), Mouton (5). S—Mouton, Miller.
IP H R ER BB SO
San Diego
Dishman 9 5 1 1 2 5
Florie 3 1 0 0 3 6
Hoffman 3 1-3 2 1 1 1 2
BWilliams L,1-7 1 2 1 1 0 0
Houston
Drabek 8 3 1 0 0 8
ToJones 2 2 0 0 0 2
DVeres 2 0 0 0 1 2
Dougherty 1 1 0 0 0 2
Hartgraves 2 1 0 0 0 3
Powell 1 3 1 1 0 1
Brocail W,2-0 1 0 0 0 0 0
HBP—by Dishman (DBell). PB—BJohnson.
T—4:29. A—0,000.

Astros 4, Padres 1
Second game

SAN DIEGO ab r h bi / HOUSTON ab r h bi
Finley cf 4 0 2 0 Mouton cf 3 1 3 0
JoReed 2b 4 0 1 0 Biggio 2b 4 1 1 3
TGwyn rf 4 0 2 0 Bgwell 1b 3 0 0 0
Cminiti 3b 3 0 1 1 DBell rf 4 0 0 0
EWlms 1b 4 0 0 0 Esebio c 4 1 1 0
PClark lf 2 0 0 0 ToJnes p 0 0 0 0
Bean lf 1 0 0 0 Shipley 3b 3 0 0 0
Kroon p 0 0 0 0 Cnglosi lf 3 0 1 1
Lvngst ph 1 0 0 0 Stnkwc ss 3 0 0 0
BJhnsn c 3 0 1 0 Hmptn p 2 1 2 0
ACdeno ss 3 0 0 0 Hrtgrvs p 0 0 0 0
Vlnzela p 2 1 1 0 Dghrty p 1 0 0 0
Nieves lf 1 0 0 0 Goff c 0 0 0 0
Totals 32 1 8 1 Totals 30 4 8 4
San Diego 000 001 000 — 1
Houston 000 130 00x — 4
DP—San Diego 1, Houston 2. LOB—San Diego 5, Houston 4. 2B—Caminiti (14), Eusebio (11), Cangelosi (1). HR—Biggio (10). SB—Mouton (17). CS—Mouton (6). SF—Caminiti.
IP H R ER BB SO
San Diego
Valenzuela L,2-3 6 1-3 8 4 4 2 5
Kroon 1 2-3 0 0 0 0 2
Houston
Hampton W,4-3 5 4 1 1 0 4
Hartgraves 1-3 2 0 0 0 0
Dougherty 2 2-3 1 0 0 0 0
ToJones S,6 1 1 0 0 0 1
Hampton pitched to 1 batter in the 6th.
WP—Valenzuela.
T—2:18. A—25,008.

Standings

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AMERICAN LEAGUE
All Times CDT

East Division	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Boston	38	29	.567	—	z-5-5	Lost1	19-14	19-15
Detroit	36	33	.522	3	7-3	Lost1	21-14	15-19
Baltimore	32	35	.478	6	6-4	Won3	17-15	15-20
New York	30	35	.462	7	4-6	Won1	15-13	15-22
Toronto	26	40	.394	11 1/2	z-4-6	Lost1	16-17	10-23
Central Division	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Cleveland	46	20	.697	—	z-7-3	Won1	25-9	21-11
Kansas City	33	31	.516	12	3-7	Won1	15-17	18-14
Milwaukee	31	35	.470	15	6-4	Lost1	12-20	19-15
Chicago	28	37	.431	17 1/2	z-4-6	Lost3	17-17	11-20
Minnesota	22	45	.328	24 1/2	5-5	Won1	11-25	11-20
West Division	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
California	39	29	.574	—	z-6-4	Won1	20-14	19-15
Texas	38	30	.559	1	4-6	Lost1	23-14	15-16
Oakland	36	34	.514	4	4-6	Won1	17-19	19-15
Seattle	33	35	.485	6	z-4-6	Lost1	19-13	14-22

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Atlanta	42	25	.627	—	z-9-1	Won8	22-15	20-10
Philadelphia	39	28	.582	3	2-8	Lost2	16-17	23-11
Montreal	32	36	.471	10 1/2	3-7	Lost4	15-14	17-22
New York	25	43	.368	17 1/2	z-4-6	Lost1	13-23	12-20
Florida	23	42	.359	18	3-7	Lost4	10-21	13-21
Central Division	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Cincinnati	42	25	.627	—	z-6-4	Lost1	20-16	22-9
Houston	38	29	.567	4	7-3	Won4	18-18	20-11
Chicago	36	32	.529	6 1/2	7-3	Won3	13-18	23-14
St. Louis	30	39	.435	13	z-7-3	Won4	19-20	11-19
Pittsburgh	27	37	.422	13 1/2	z-5-5	Won1	11-19	16-18
West Division	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Colorado	38	30	.559	—	7-3	Won4	22-13	16-17
Los Angeles	34	34	.500	4	3-7	Won1	15-18	19-16
San Francisco	33	35	.485	5	z-5-5	Lost2	17-14	16-21
San Diego	32	36	.471	6	2-8	Lost4	20-14	12-22

z-denotes first game was a win

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Saturday's Games
Cleveland 7, Seattle 3
Toronto 9, Oakland 6, 1st game
Oakland 6, Toronto 3, 2nd game
Kansas City 4, Detroit 1
Baltimore 5, Chicago 2
Minnesota 9, Boston 5
New York 7, Texas 3
California 1, Milwaukee 0
Sunday's Games
Seattle (Torres 2-4) at Cleveland (Hershiser 5-3), 12:05 p.m.
Kansas City (Gordon 5-4) at Detroit (Lira 5-4), 12:15 p.m.
Boston (Wakefield 6-1) at Minnesota (Rodriguez 0-2), 1:05 p.m.
Baltimore (Erickson 4-6) at Chicago (Fernandez 4-4), 1:05 p.m.
New York (Rivera 2-2) at Texas (Burrows 2-1), 2:05 p.m.
Toronto (Hentgen 5-6) at Oakland (Darling 2-3), 3:05 p.m.
Milwaukee (Givens 0-2) at California (Finley 7-6), 3:05 p.m.
Monday's Games
No games scheduled
Tuesday's Game
All-Star Game at Texas, 7:29 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Saturday's Games
Houston 3, San Diego 2, 17 innings, 1st game
Houston 4, San Diego 1, 2nd game
Chicago 3, Philadelphia 1
Pittsburgh 3, New York 2
Atlanta 9, San Francisco 4
Los Angeles 12, Cincinnati 2
Colorado 8, Montreal 3
St. Louis 3, Florida 2
Sunday's Games
Chicago (Foster 6-5) at Philadelphia (Quantrill 7-4), 12:35 p.m.
New York (Saberhagen 5-3) at Pittsburgh (Loaiza 5-3), 12:35 p.m.
Los Angeles (Valdes 5-4) at Cincinnati (Schourek 7-4), 1:15 p.m.
Florida (Gardner 2-4) at St. Louis (Hill 5-5), 1:15 p.m.
San Diego (Ashby 5-5) at Houston (Kile 3-6), 1:35 p.m.
Montreal (Martinez 6-4) at Colorado (Freeman 2-6), 2:05 p.m.
San Francisco (Mulholland 2-7) at Atlanta (Mercker 4-4), 7:05 p.m.
Monday's Games
No games scheduled
Tuesday's Game
All-Star Game at Texas, 7:29 p.m.

Dodgers 12, Reds 2

LOS ANGELS ab r h bi / CINCINNATI ab r h bi
Fnvlle 2b 6 1 1 0 LHrris 1b 4 0 1 0
Offrmn ss 5 2 1 0 Larkin ss 3 0 0 0
RKelly cf 5 2 3 2 Lewis 3b 2 0 0 0
Astacio p 1 0 0 0 Gant lf 3 1 1 1
Eschen p 0 0 0 0 Pnngtn p 1 0 0 0
Karros 1b 5 2 2 2 McElry p 0 0 0 0
Mndsi rf 5 2 2 1 RSndrs rf 4 0 0 0
Wllach 3b 3 1 2 1 Howard cf 3 0 1 0
Hansen 3b 0 0 0 1 Sntiago c 4 0 0 0
Ashley lf 2 1 0 0 Boone 2b 2 1 0 0
Hndsw lf 2 0 0 0 Brnson 3b 3 0 2 0
CaHndz c 5 1 3 5 Ntkwsk p 1 0 1 1
RMrtnz p 3 0 1 0 Tbnsee ph 1 0 0 0
Webster cf 0 0 0 0 Jarvis p 0 0 0 0
XHrndz p 0 0 0 0
Brryhll c 1 0 0 0
Totals 42 12 15 12 Totals 32 2 6 2
Los Angeles 100 342 020 —12
Cincinnati 110 000 000 — 2
E—Fonville (4), Boone (1). DP—Los Angeles 1. LOB—Los Angeles 10, Cincinnati 9. 2B—RKelly 2 (13), Mondesi (14), Wallach (10), CaHernandez (1), RMartinez (2). 3B—Karros (1). HR—CaHernandez (1), Gant (20). SB—Fonville (2), Mondesi (15). CS—Branson (1). SF—Hansen.
IP H R ER BB SO
Los Angeles
RMartinez W,8-6 6 5 2 2 4 4
Astacio 2 1 0 0 0 0
Eischen 1 0 0 0 1 1
Cincinnati
Nitkowski L,1-2 4 4 4 4 3 2
Jarvis 1 7 6 6 1 2
XHernandez 1 1 0 0 0 2
Pennington 2 3 2 2 2 4
McElroy 1 0 0 0 0 0
Jarvis pitched to 2 batters in the 6th.
HBP—by Astacio (Howard). WP—Jarvis. PB—Berryhill.
T—3:24. A—37,830.

Cardinals 3, Marlins 2

FLORIDA ab r h bi / ST. LOUIS ab r h bi
Carr cf 4 1 2 0 GPena 2b 4 0 0 0
Diaz 2b 3 0 1 0 Battle lf 3 1 3 0
Browne 2b 2 0 0 0 BJrdn rf 4 1 2 0
Conine lf 4 0 2 1 Lnkfrd cf 3 1 1 3
Pndltn 3b 3 0 0 0 Cooper 3b 3 0 0 0
Clbrnn 1b 4 0 2 0 Mabry 1b 4 0 1 0
Mrman rf 4 0 1 0 Cromer ss 3 0 1 0
RVeres p 0 0 0 0 DeLcia p 0 0 0 0
KAbbtt ss 4 0 0 0 Arocha p 0 0 0 0
CJhnsn c 3 1 2 1 Coles ph 1 0 0 0
Veras pr 0 0 0 0 Henke p 0 0 0 0
Burkett p 2 0 1 0 Pgnozzi c 4 0 1 0
Arias ph 1 0 0 0 Watson p 2 0 0 0
Mthews p 0 0 0 0 Ogendo ss 1 0 0 0
YPerez p 0 0 0 0
Gregg rf 1 0 0 0
Totals 35 2 11 2 Totals 32 3 9 3
Florida 001 000 010 — 2
St. Louis 003 000 00x — 3
DP—Florida 2, St. Louis 3. LOB—Florida 9, St. Louis 8. 2B—Carr (8), Colbrunn (8), Morman (1), BJordan (11), Pagnozzi (14). HR—CJohnson (6), Lankford (10). SB—Carr (6), Veras 2 (27).
IP H R ER BB SO
Florida
Burkett L,6-8 6 9 3 3 1 4
Mathews 1 0 0 0 1 0
YPerez 2-3 0 0 0 1 1
RVeres 1-3 0 0 0 0 0
St. Louis
Watson W,2-2 6 2-3 8 1 1 1 1
DeLucia 1-3 0 0 0 0 0
Arocha 1 2 1 1 0 0
Henke S,17 1 1 0 0 1 0
HBP—by Arocha (Pendleton). WP—YPerez.
T—2:36. A—27,416.

Rockies 8, Expos 3

MONTREAL ab r h bi / COLORADO ab r h bi
Pride lf 3 0 0 0 EYng 2b 5 1 3 2
Crdero ss 4 0 1 0 Burks cf 4 0 2 1
Segui 1b 4 0 1 0 Bchette lf 5 1 1 0
Alou cf 3 0 0 0 LWlkr rf 3 1 1 0
DFlchr c 4 0 0 0 Glrrga 1b 4 1 1 0
Trsco rf 4 0 0 0 Castilla 3b 4 2 3 4
Berry 3b 3 1 1 0 Girardi c 4 0 1 1
CPerez p 0 0 0 0 Weiss ss 2 1 0 0
Shaw p 0 0 0 0 Rynoso p 2 0 0 0
Trdway ph 1 0 0 0 Lskanic p 1 1 1 0
Lnsing 2b 3 1 1 1
BHenry p 2 0 0 0
Andrws 3b 1 1 1 1
Totals 32 3 5 2 Totals 34 8 13 8
Montreal 000 020 010 — 3
Colorado 020 022 02x — 8
DP—Montreal 1. LOB—Montreal 4, Colorado 7. 2B—Cordero (19), Berry (9), Lansing (10), Galarraga (13). HR—Andrews (6), EYoung (1), Castilla 2 (17). SB—EYoung (10). CS—EYoung (4). S—Reynoso.
IP H R ER BB SO
Montreal
BHenry L,3-7 6 9 6 6 2 0
CPerez 1 2-3 4 2 2 1 1
Shaw 1-3 0 0 0 0 0
Colorado
Reynoso W,2-0 7 2-3 5 3 2 2 3
Leskanic S,4 1 1-3 0 0 0 0 1
HBP—by CPerez (LWalker). PB—Girardi.
T—2:29. A—48,190.

Cubs 3, Phillies 1

CHICAGO ab r h bi / PHILA ab r h bi
McRae cf 5 0 1 0 Dykstr cf 4 0 0 0
Snchez 2b 5 1 1 0 Mrndni 2b 3 0 0 0
Grace 1b 4 0 1 0 Jfferies lf 4 0 0 0
Sosa rf 3 0 1 0 Daulton c 4 0 0 0
Zeile 3b 4 0 1 0 DHllns 1b 3 1 0 0
Gnzalez lf 2 1 0 0 Esnrich rf 3 0 0 0
Dnston ss 4 0 1 0 Hayes 3b 3 0 1 0
Servais c 3 1 1 1 Stocker ss 3 0 1 1
Nvarro p 3 0 0 1 Schling p 2 0 0 0
Myers p 0 0 0 0 Lngmr ph 1 0 0 0
Slcumb p 0 0 0 0
Totals 33 3 7 2 Totals 30 1 2 1
Chicago 010 110 000 — 3
Philadelphia 010 000 000 — 1
E—Sanchez (7), Servais (7), Dykstra (2). LOB—Chicago 9, Philadelphia 4. 2B—McRae (20), Zeile (13), Dunston (15), Hayes (12). HR—Servais (3). SB—Dunston (4), Morandini (4). S—Navarro.
IP H R ER BB SO
Chicago
Navarro W,7-2 8 1-3 2 1 0 2 2
Myers S,21 2-3 0 0 0 0 0
Philadelphia
Schilling L,5-5 8 7 3 2 5 9
Slocumb 1 0 0 0 0 1
PB—Servais.
T—2:27. A—31,892.

Pirates 3, Mets 2

NEW YORK ab r h bi / PITTSBURGH ab r h bi
Butler cf 4 1 1 0 Brmfld cf 4 1 2 0
Alfonzo 2b 4 0 1 0 JBell ss 4 1 2 1
Brogna 1b 4 0 2 1 CGrcia 2b 3 0 1 0
Bonilla lf 4 0 0 0 King 1b 4 0 1 0
Hndley c 4 0 0 0 Pegues rf 3 0 0 0
Orsulak rf 4 0 0 0 Merced rf 1 0 0 0
Ldsma 3b 3 1 0 0 Slaught c 3 0 1 2
Vzcaino ss 4 0 1 0 KYng 3b 4 0 0 0
Plspher p 1 0 0 1 FGrcia lf 3 0 0 0
Otero ph 1 0 0 0 Ericks p 3 1 1 0
DiPoto p 0 0 0 0
Totals 33 2 5 2 Totals 32 3 8 3
New York 010 000 010 — 2
Pittsburgh 002 000 10x — 3
E—Brumfield (3), King (9). LOB—New York 6, Pittsburgh 7. 2B—Brogna (12), Vizcaino (5), Brumfield (10). SB—Butler (14). SF—Pulsipher.
IP H R ER BB SO
New York
Pulsipher L,1-4 7 8 3 3 2 8
DiPoto 1 0 0 0 0 0
Pittsburgh
Ericks W,2-1 9 5 2 2 1 7
Umpires—Home, Marsh; First, Rellford; Second, Kellogg; Third, Wendelstedt.
T—2:09. A—14,722.

Texas League

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Second Half

Eastern Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Shreveport	11	7	.611	—
Tulsa	9	9	.500	2
Arkansas	8	10	.444	3
Jackson	8	10	.444	3
Western Division				
x-Midland	10	8	.556	—
El Paso	9	9	.500	1
Wichita	9	9	.500	1
San Antonio	8	10	.444	2

x-clinched first half title
Saturday's Games
Wichita 4, El Paso 3
Shreveport 4, Arkansas 1
San Antonio 9, Midland 7
Jackson 2, Tulsa 1
Sunday's Games
No games scheduled
Monday Games
No games scheduled
Tuesday's Games
Jackson at El Paso
Shreveport at Midland
San Antonio at Arkansas
Only games scheduled

Transactions

By The Associated Press
BASEBALL
American League
OAKLAND ATHLETICS—Called up Doug Johns, pitcher, from Edmonton of the Pacific Coast League. Designated Dave Leiper, pitcher, for assignment.
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
BUFFALO SABRES—Traded Alexander Mogilny, right wing, and their 1995 fifth-round pick to Vancouver for their 1995 first-round pick and Mike Peca, right wing, and Mike Wilson, defenseman.
DETROIT RED WINGS—Signed Anders Eriksson, defenseman, to a four-year contract.
LOS ANGELES KINGS—Traded their 1996 first-round draft pick and a fourth-round pick in 1996 to the Washington Capitals for Dimitri Khristich, forward, and Byron Dafoe, goaltender.
PITTSBURGH PENGUINS—Traded Larry Murphy, defenseman, to the Toronto Maple Leafs for Dmitri Mironov, defenseman, and a 1996 second-round draft pick.
ST. LOUIS BLUES—Signed Dale Hawerchuk, center.
TAMPA BAY LIGHTNING—Signed Tyler Moss, goaltender.
WASHINGTON CAPITALS—Signed Brendan Witt, defenseman, to a five-year contract and Nolan Baumgartner, defenseman, to a four-year contract. Signed Adam Creighton, center.
Roller Hockey International
NEW JERSEY ROCKIN ROLLERS—Announced resignation of Benson Ross, team president.
COLLEGE
ALABAMA STATE—Named W. Curtis Williams athletic director.

America Cup

At A Glance
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FIRST ROUND
Group A

	W	L	T	GF	GA	Pts
Uruguay	1	0	0	4	1	3
Paraguay	1	0	0	2	1	3
Mexico	0	1	0	1	2	0
Venezuela	0	1	0	1	4	0

Wednesday, July 5
At Montevideo, Uruguay
Uruguay 4, Venezuela 1
Thursday, July 6
At Maldonado, Uruguay
Paraguay 2, Mexico 1
Sunday, July 9
At Montevideo, Uruguay
Paraguay at Uruguay, 2:05 p.m.
At Montevideo, Uruguay
Mexico vs. Venezuela, 4:05 p.m.

Group B

	W	L	T	GF	GA	Pts
Brazil	1	0	0	1	0	3
Colombia	0	0	1	1	1	1
Peru	0	0	1	1	1	1
Ecuador	0	1	0	0	1	0

Friday, July 7
At Rivera, Uruguay
Colombia 1, Peru 1, tie
At Rivera, Uruguay
Brazil 1, Ecuador 0
Monday, July 10
At Rivera, Uruguay
Colombia vs. Ecuador, 6:35 p.m.
At Rivera, Uruguay
Brazil vs. Peru, 8:35 p.m.

Group C

	W	L	T	GF	GA	Pts
United States	1	0	0	2	1	3
Argentina	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bolivia	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chile	0	1	0	1	2	0

Saturday, July 8
At Paysandu, Uruguay
United States 2, Chile 1
At Paysandu, Uruguay
Argentina vs. Bolivia, 4:05 p.m.

Tour de France

LIEGE, Belgium (AP) — Results Saturday after the seventh stage of the Tour de France — a 126-mile leg from Charleroi to Liege:
1. Johan Bruyneel, Belgium, ONCE, 4 hours, 48 minutes, 14 seconds.
2. Miguel Indurain, Spain, Banesto, same time.
3. Jesper Skibby, Denmark, TVM, 50 seconds behind.
4. Jens Heppner, Germany, Telekom, same time.
5. Giovanni Lombardi, Italy, Polti, same time.
6. Laurent Jalabert, France, ONCE, same time.
7. Bruno Thibout, France, Castorama, same time.
8. Francois Simon, France, Castorama, same time.
9. Bo Hamburger, Denmark, TVM, same time.
10. Andrea Ferrigato, Italy, Telekom-ZG, same time.
11. Angelo Lecchi, Italy, Brescialat, same time.
12. Maurizio Fondriest, Italy, Lampre, same time.
13. Laurent Brochard, France, Festina, same time.
14. Alvaro Mejia, Colombia, Motorola, same time.
15. Vladimir Poulnikov, Ukraine, Telekom, same time.

Western Open

LEMONT, Ill. (AP) — Scores Saturday after the third round of the $2 million Western Open, played on the 7,073-yard, par-72 Cog Hill Golf & Country Club (a-denotes amateur):

Brett Ogle	69-71-69 — 209
Steve Lowery	69-70-70 — 209
Jay Haas	69-68-73 — 210
Grant Waite	72-72-67 — 211
Bob Estes	72-73-66 — 211
Scott Hoch	73-69-70 — 212
Tom Watson	68-71-73 — 212
Billy Mayfair	73-70-69 — 212
Scott Simpson	71-72-69 — 212
Larry Mize	72-72-68 — 212
John Huston	73-68-72 — 213
Justin Leonard	70-71-72 — 213
Woody Austin	74-70-69 — 213
Don Pooley	76-67-70 — 213
Dan Pohl	73-71-69 — 213
Guy Boros	71-73-69 — 213
Bill Glasson	77-70-66 — 213
Bob Tway	76-69-68 — 213
Fred Couples	70-73-71 — 214
Paul Azinger	74-67-73 — 214
Ronnie Black	71-72-71 — 214
Ken Green	72-71-71 — 214
Nick Price	75-71-68 — 214
Mark Brooks	73-71-70 — 214
Sean Murphy	77-68-72 — 215
Billy Ray Brown	72-70-73 — 215
Ed Fiori	69-75-71 — 215
Robin Freeman	74-70-71 — 215
Nolan Henke	73-72-70 — 215
Glen Day	74-71-70 — 215
Tom Purtzer	74-71-70 — 215
Phil Mickelson	72-73-70 — 215
Steve Elkington	76-70-69 — 215
Jay Don Blake	74-72-69 — 215
Patrick Burke	75-72-68 — 215
John Cook	76-70-69 — 215
Scott Gump	74-70-72 — 216
Chip Beck	74-70-72 — 216
Jay Delsing	77-70-69 — 216
Chris Perry	73-72-71 — 216
Corey Pavin	74-73-69 — 216
Jeff Maggert	74-73-69 — 216
Duffy Waldorf	73-69-75 — 217
Greg Kraft	71-71-75 — 217
Brian Claar	72-72-73 — 217
Mark Calcavecchia	71-73-73 — 217
David Frost	75-70-72 — 217
Donnie Hammond	72-72-73 — 217
Blaine McCallister	75-72-70 — 217
Alan Pate	80-66-71 — 217
Paul Stankowski	74-73-70 — 217
Doug Martin	75-72-70 — 217
Jim Carter	73-68-77 — 218
D.A. Weibring	72-72-74 — 218
Joel Edwards	69-74-75 — 218
Mark Carnevale	72-74-72 — 218
Peter Jacobsen	75-71-72 — 218
Russ Cochran	73-74-71 — 218
Ed Humenik	76-71-71 — 218
Pat Bates	74-70-75 — 219
Michael Bradley	73-73-73 — 219
Steve Stricker	76-67-74 — 219
Brad Bryant	73-73-73 — 219
Ted Tryba	72-72-76 — 220
David Duval	74-73-74 — 221
Vijay Singh	73-73-75 — 221
Bobby Wadkins	73-72-77 — 222
Dudley Hart	73-74-75 — 222
a-Tiger Woods	74-71-77 — 222

Kroger Open

CINCINNATI (AP) — Scores Saturday after the second round of the Senior PGA Tour's $900,000 Kroger Classic played on the par-71, 6,628 yard Grizzly course at the Golf Center at Kings Island:

Mike Hill	64-66 — 130
Isao Aoki	66-66 — 132
Graham Marsh	70-63 — 133
J.C.Snead	66-68 — 134
Walt Morgan	70-65 — 135
Jay Sigel	68-67 — 135
Al Geiberger	68-67 — 135
Ben Smith	66-69 — 135
DeWitt Weaver	70-66 — 136
Gibby Gilbert	70-66 — 136
Bob Dickson	70-66 — 136
Don January	69-67 — 136
Joe Jimenez	68-68 — 136
Jim Dent	67-69 — 136
Rocky Thompson	70-67 — 137
Bud Allin	70-67 — 137
Chi Chi Rodriguez	69-68 — 137
Jim Colbert	69-68 — 137
Ed Sneed	67-70 — 137
Miller Barber	67-70 — 137
Gay Brewer	66-71 — 137
Rives McBee	74-64 — 138
Brian Barnes	72-66 — 138
Lee Trevino	72-66 — 138
Dick Goetz	70-68 — 138
Larry Ziegler	69-69 — 138
Gene Littler	69-69 — 138
Bob Hauser	69-69 — 138
Bobby Mitchell	67-71 — 138
Tom Shaw	72-67 — 139
Billy Casper	71-68 — 139
Tony Jacklin	69-70 — 139
Tom Wargo	68-71 — 139
Walter Zembriski	68-71 — 139
Harry Toscano	67-72 — 139
Robert Landers	73-67 — 140
Bob Zimmerman	72-68 — 140
Bob E. Smith	71-69 — 140
Bob Wynn	71-69 — 140
Bob Charles	71-69 — 140
Dick Rhyan	70-70 — 140
Jerry McGee	70-70 — 140
Bruce Summerhays	70-70 — 140
Calvin Peete	69-71 — 140
Tom Ulozas	69-71 — 140
Chuck Montalbano	73-68 — 141
Marion Heck	73-68 — 141
Harold Henning	72-69 — 141
Mike McCullough	71-70 — 141
Lee Elder	72-69 — 141
John Paul Cain	71-70 — 141
Deane Beman	71-70 — 141
Larry Gilbert	69-72 — 141
Dale Douglass	69-72 — 141
Bobby Nichols	69-72 — 141
Larry Laoretti	75-67 — 142
Simon Hobday	72-70 — 142
Homero Blancas	71-71 — 142
Dick Hendrickson	71-71 — 142
Terry Dill	76-67 — 143
Jack Kiefer	72-71 — 143
Bruce Crampton	69-74 — 143
Bob Brue	72-72 — 144
Charles Coody	72-72 — 144
Kermit Zarley	72-72 — 144
Robert Gaona	70-74 — 144
Babe Hiskey	74-71 — 145
Bob Boss	76-70 — 146

LPGA Jamie Farr

SYLVANIA, Ohio (AP) — Scores Saturday after the second round of the $500,000 Jamie Farr Toledo Classic, played on the 6,319-yard, par-71 Highland Meadows Golf Club (a-denotes amateur):

Pam Wright	71-66 — 137
Muffin Spencer-Devlin	67-71 — 138
Kathryn Marshall	67-71 — 138
Colleen Walker	66-72 — 138
Deb Richard	72-67 — 139
Beth Daniel	71-68 — 139
Sherri Steinhauer	69-70 — 139
Betsy King	68-71 — 139
Brandie Burton	68-71 — 139
Annika Sorenstam	70-70 — 140
Kelly Robbins	69-71 — 140
Lenore Rittenhouse	68-72 — 140
Michelle McGann	72-69 — 141
Stephanie Maynor	72-69 — 141
Nancy Lopez	71-70 — 141
Pat Bradley	71-70 — 141
Tracy Hanson	71-70 — 141
Vicki Fergon	73-69 — 142
Janet Anderson	72-70 — 142
Jean Zedlitz	72-70 — 142
Melissa McNamara	71-71 — 142
Tammie Green	71-71 — 142
Amy Alcott	71-71 — 142
Barb Mucha	69-73 — 142
Liselotte Neumann	75-68 — 143
Patti Berendt	73-70 — 143
Julie Larsen	72-71 — 143
Laura Brown	70-73 — 143
Jane Geddes	66-77 — 143
Barb Thomas	76-68 — 144
Meg Mallon	74-70 — 144
Tracy Kerdyk	74-70 — 144
Jane Crafter	74-70 — 144
Missie Berteotti	74-70 — 144
Dana Dormann	73-71 — 144
Danielle Ammaccapane	73-71 — 144
Michelle Mackall	72-72 — 144
Jill Briles-Hinton	72-72 — 144
Marianne Morris	72-72 — 144
Renee Heiken	72-72 — 144
Jackie Gallagher-Smith	72-72 — 144
Moira Dunn	72-72 — 144
Martha Nause	71-73 — 144
Juli Inkster	71-73 — 144
Judy Dickinson	71-73 — 144
Jennifer Wyatt	70-74 — 144
Denise Baldwin	70-74 — 144
Robin Hood	69-75 — 144
Lori West	75-70 — 145
Caroline Pierce	74-71 — 145
Sally Little	74-71 — 145
Nancy Harvey	73-72 — 145
Kris Tschetter	72-73 — 145
Jenny Lidback	75-71 — 146
Dale Eggeling	75-71 — 146
Kristal Parker-Gregory	75-71 — 146
Allison Finney	74-72 — 146
Emilee Klein	74-72 — 146
Chris Greatrex	74-72 — 146
Joan Pitcock	73-73 — 146
Heather Drew	71-75 — 146
Pat Hurst	71-75 — 146
Lia Biehl	71-75 — 146
Becky Iverson	70-76 — 146
Kristi Coats	70-76 — 146
Tina Tombs	76-71 — 147
Vicki Goetze	76-71 — 147
Pearl Sinn	74-73 — 147

Wimbledon

WIMBLEDON, England (AP) — Results Saturday from the $9.6 million Wimbledon tennis championships:
Men
Doubles
Championship
Todd Woodbridge and Mark Woodforde (1), Australia, def. Rick Leach, Laguna Beach, Calif., and Scott Melville, Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla., 7-5, 7-6 (10-8), 7-6 (7-5).
Women
Singles
Championship
Steffi Graf (1), Germany, def. Arantxa Sanchez Vicario (2), Spain, 4-6, 6-1, 7-5.
Seniors
Men
Doubles
Championship
John Newcombe and Tony Roche, Australia, def. Owen Davidson, Australia, and Cliff Drysdale, South Africa, 6-4, 7-5.
Women
Doubles
Championship
Wendy Turnbull, Australia, and Virginia Wade, Britain, def. Betsy Nagelsen, Kapalua Bay, Hawaii, and JoAnne Russell, Kingsmill, Va., 6-3, 7-6 (7-5).
Boys
Singles
Championship
Olivier Mutis, France, def. Nicolas Kiefer, Germany, 6-2, 6-2.
Doubles
Semifinals
Martin Lee and James Trotman, Britain, def. Justin Gimelstob, Whippany, N.J., and Ryan Wolters, San Jose, Calif., 6-4, 2-6, 6-3.
Alejandro Hernandez, Mexico, and Mariano Puerta, Argentina, def. Tommy Haas, Germany, and Greg Hill, La Grange, N.C., 6-4, 7-6 (11-9).
Girls
Singles
Championship
Aleksandra Olsza, Poland, def. Tamarine Tanasugarn, Thailand, 7-5, 7-6 (8-6).
Doubles
Semifinals
Trudi Musgrave and Jodie Richardson, Australia, def. Amanda Basica, Lomita, Calif., and Samantha Reeves, Monona, Wis., 6-3, 6-0.

NHL Draft

EDMONTON, Alberta (AP) — Round-by-round selections of the 1995 NHL draft:
First Round
1, Ottawa, Bryan Berard, d, Detroit, OHL. 2, New York Islanders, Wade Redden, d, Brandon, WHL. 3, Los Angeles, Aki-Petteri Berg, d, TPS Jr., Finland. 4, Anaheim, Chad Kilger, c, Kingston, OHL. 5, Tampa Bay, Daymond Langkow, c, Tri-City, WHL. 6, Edmonton, Steve Kelly, c, Prince Albert, WHL. 7, Winnipeg, Shane Doan, rw, Kamloops, WHL. 8, Montreal, Terry Ryan, lw, Tri-City, WHL. 9, Boston (from Hartford), Kyle McLaren, d, Kelowna, WHL.
10, Florida, Radek Dvorak, rw, Budejovice, Czech Republic. 11, Dallas, Jarome Iginla, rw, Kamloops, WHL. 12, San Jose, Teemo Rhiihjarvi', lw, Espoo Jr., Finland. 13, Hartford (from NY Rangers), Jean-Sebastien Giguere, g, Halifax, QMJHL. 14, Buffalo (from Vancouver), Jay McKee, d, Niagara Falls, OHL. 15, Toronto, Jeff Ware, d, Oshawa, WHL. 16, Buffalo, Martin Biron, g, Beauport, QMJHL. 17, Washington, Brad Church, lw, Prince Albert, WHL. 18, New Jersey, Petr Sykora, c, Detroit Vipers, IHL.
19, Chicago, Dimitri Nabokov, c, Krylja Sovetov, Russia. 20, Calgary, Denis Gauthier, d, Drummondville, QMJHL. 21, Boston, Sean Brown, d, Belleville, OHL. 22, Philadelphia, Brian Boucher, g, Tri-City, WHL. 23, Washington (from St. Louis), Miikka Elomo, lw, Kiekko-67, Finland7 24, Pittsburgh, Alexei Morozov, lw, Krylja Sovetov, Russia. 25, Colorado, Marc Denis, g, Chicoutimi, QMJHL. 26, Detroit, Maxim Kuznetsov, d, Moscow Dynamo, Russia.
Second Round
27, Ottawa, Marc Moro, d, Kingston, OHL. 28, New York Islanders, Jan Hlavac, lw, Sparta, Czech Republic. 29, Anaheim, Brian Wesenberg, rw, Guelph, OHL. 30, Tampa Bay, Mike McBain, d, Red Deer, WHL. 31, Edmonton, Georges Laraque, rw, St. Jean, QMJHL. 32, Winnipeg, Marc Chouinard, c, Beauport, QMJHL. 33, Los Angeles, Donald MacLean, c, Beauport, QMJHL. 34, Winnipeg (from Montreal), Jason Doig, d, Laval, QMJHL. 35, Hartford, Sergei Fedotov, d, Dynamo, Russia.
36, Florida, Aaron MacDonald, g, Swift Current, WHL. 37, Dallas, Patrick Cote, lw, Beauport, QMJHL. 38, San Jose, Peter Roed, c, White Bear Lake H.S. 39, New York Rangers, Christian Dube, c, Sherbrooke, QMJHL. 40, Vancouver, Chris McAllister, d, Saskatoon, WHL. 41, New York Islanders (from Toronto), Denis Smith, d, Windsor, OHL. 42, Buffalo, Mark Dutiaume, lw, Brandon, WHL. 43, Washington, Dwayne Hay, lw, Guelph, OHL. 44, New Jersey, Nathan Perrot, rw, Oshawa, OHL.
45, Chicago, Christiane Laflamme, d, Beauport, QMJHL. 46, Calgary, Pavel Smirnov, c, Molot Perm, Russia. 47, Boston, Paxton Schafer, g, Medicine Hat, WHL. 48, Philadelphia, Shane Kenny, d, Owen Sound, OHL. 49, St. Louis, Jochen Hecht, c, Mannheim, Germany. 50, Los Angeles (from Pittsburgh), Pavel Rosa, rw, Litinov Jr., Russia. 51, Colorado, Nic Beaudoin, lw, Detroit, OHL. 52, Detroit, Philippe Audet, lw, Granby, QMJHL.
Third Round
53, Ottawa, Brad Larsen, lw, Swift Current, WHL. 54, Toronto (from NY Islanders), Brian Pepperall, rw, Kitchener, OHL. 55, Anaheim (from Los Angeles), Mike Leclerc, lw, Brandon, WHL. 56, Tampa Bay, Shane Willis, rw, Prince Albert, WHL. 57, Edmonton, Zib Lukas, d, C Ceske-Budejovice, Czech Republic. 58, Detroit (from Winnipeg), Darryl Laplante, c, Moose Jaw, WHL. 59, Los Angeles, Vladimir Tsyplakov, w, Fort Wayne, IHL. 60, Montreal, Miroslav Guren, d, Zlin, Czech Republic. 61, Vancouver (from Hartford via Chicago), Larry Courville, lw, first drafted by Winnipeg 1993.
62, Florida, Mike O'Grady, d, Saskatoon Blades, WHL. 63, Dallas, Petr Buzek, d, Jihlava, Czech Republic. 64, San Jose, Marko Makinen, rw, TPS Jr., Finland. 65, New York Rangers, Mike Martin, d, Windsor, OHL. 66, Vancouver, Peter Schaefer, lw, Brandon, WHL. 67, Winnipeg (from Toronto), Brad Isbister, rw, Portland, WHL. 68, Buffalo, Mathieu Sunderland, rw, Drummondville, QMJHL. 69, Dallas (from Washington via Winnipeg), Sergei Gusev, d, Mayak Samara, Russia. 70, New Jersey, Sergei Vyshedkevich, d, Dynamo, Russia.
71, Chicago, Kevin McKay, d, Moose Jaw, WHL. 72, Calgary, Rocky Thompson, d, Medicine Hat, WHL. 73, Boston, Bill McCauley, c, Detroit, OHL. 74, Montreal (from Philadelphia), Martin Hohenberger, c, Prince George, WHL. 75, St. Louis, Scott Roche, g, North Bay, OHL. 76, Pittsburgh, Jean-Sebastien Aubin, g, Sherbrooke, QMJHL. 77, Colorado, John Tripp, rw, Oshawa, OHL. 78, New Jersey (from Detroit), David Gosselin, rw, Sherbrooke, QMJHL.

Auto Racing

Busch North

LOUDON, N.H. (AP) — Top 25 order of finish Saturday in the Auto Palace 150 NASCAR Busch North series race at New Hampshire International Speedway, with starting position in parentheses, driver, hometown, make of car, laps completed, reason out, if any, money won and winner's average speed in mph:
1, (14) Ricky Craven, Newburgh, Maine, Chevrolet, 125, $20,450, 81.804.
2, (2) Kelly Moore, Scarborough, Maine, Chevrolet, 125, $14,030.
3, (18) Tom Bolles, Ellington, Conn., Chevrolet, 125, $7,230.
4, (12) Robbie Crouch, Georgia, Vt., Pontiac, 125, $5,050.
5, (7) Keith Lamell, Essex Junction, Vt., Buick, 125, $4,225.
6, (13) Denny Doyle, Plymouth, Conn., Chevrolet, 125, $4,050.
7, (6) Martin Truex, Mayetta, N.J., Chevrolet, 125, $3,000.
8, (19) Mike Stefanik, Coventry, R.I., Chevrolet, 125, $2,750.
9, (24) Ken Schrader, Fenton, Mo., Chevrolet, 125, $2,000.
10, (1) Andy Santerre, Cherryfield, Maine, Chevrolet, 125, $2,275.
11, (15) Jamie Aube, Charlotte, Vt., Chevrolet, 125, $1,800.
12, (4) Stub Fadden, North Haverhill, N.H., Buick, 125, $2,200.
13, (26) Brad Leighton, Center Harbor, N.H., Chevrolet, 125, $1,600.
14, (39) Reggie Ruggiero, Berlin, Conn., Pontiac, 125, $1,500.
15, (5) Jerry Marquis, Enfield, Conn., Chevrolet, 125, $2,225.
16, (31) Bobby Dragon, Milton, Vt., Pontiac, 125, $1,650.
17, (3) Dave Dion, Hudson, N.H., Ford, 125, $1,800.
18, (27) Derck Lynch, Canada, Chevrolet, 125, $1,750.
19, (32) Babe Branscombe, Northwood, N.H., Chevrolet, 125, $1,700.
20, (34) Rollie MacDonald, Canada, Chevrolet, 125, $1,175.
21, (28) Jeff Spraker, Latham, N.Y., Oldsmobile, 125, $1,150.
22, (8) Brian Ross, Ballston Spa, N.Y., Chevrolet, 124, $1,550.
23, (17) Dale Shaw, Center Conway, N.H., Pontiac, 124, $1,500.
24, (20) Dick McCabe, Kennebunkport, Maine, Pontiac, 124, $975.
25, (11) Joe Bessey, Scarborough, Maine, Chevrolet, 124, $1,425.

Time of race: 1 hours, 37 minutes.
Margin of victory: 1 car length.
Caution flags: 3 for 47 laps.
Lead changes: 5 among 5 drivers.
Lap leaders: Santerre 1-16, Marquis 17-51, Bob Dragon 52-55, Craven 56-116, Moore 117-124, Craven 125.

Slick 50 300

LOUDON, N.H. (AP) — Lineup for Sunday's Slick 50 300 NASCAR Winston Cup stock car race at New Hampshire International Speedway with driver, residence, type of car and qualifying speed in mph:
1. Mark Martin, Daytona Beach, Fla., Ford Thunderbird, 128.815.
2. Robert Pressley, Asheville, N.C., Chevrolet Monte Carlo, 128.212.
3. Joe Nemechek, Mooresville, N.C., Chevrolet Monte Carlo, 128.048.
4. Bill Elliott, Dawsonville, Ga., Ford Thunderbird, 127.692.
5. Bobby Labonte, Trinity, N.C., Chevrolet Monte Carlo, 127.594.
6. Rick Mast, Rockbridge Baths, Va., Ford Thunderbird, 127.594.
7. Ricky Rudd, Lake Norman, N.C., Ford Thunderbird, 127.461.
8. Kyle Petty, High Point, N.C., Pontiac Grand Prix, 127.414.
9. Michael Waltrip, Lake Norman, N.C., Pontiac Grand Prix, 127.393.
10. Ken Schrader, Concord, N.C., Chevrolet Monte Carlo, 127.389.
11. Morgan Shepherd, Conover, N.C., Ford Thunderbird, 127.265.
12. Dick Trickle, Iron Station, N.C., Ford Thunderbird, 127.040.
13. Terry Labonte, Thomasville, N.C., Chevrolet Monte Carlo, 127.036.
14. Dale Jarrett, Hickory, N.C., Ford Thunderbird, 127.028.
15. Jeremy Mayfield, Lake Norman, N.C., Ford Thunderbird, 126.977.
16. Hut Stricklin, Calera, Ala., Ford Thunderbird, 126.973.
17. Ted Musgrave, Troutman, N.C., Ford Thunderbird, 126.952.
18. Dale Earnhardt, Mooresville, N.C., Chevrolet Monte Carlo, 126.935.
19. Ricky Craven, Concord, N.C., Chevrolet Monte Carlo, 126.795.
20. Rusty Wallace, Concord, N.C., Ford Thunderbird, 126.778.
21. Jeff Gordon, Huntersville, N.C., Chevrolet Monte Carlo, 127.355.
22. Geoff Bodine, Julian, N.C., Ford Thunderbird, 126.774.
23. Derrike Cope, Huntersville, N.C., Ford Thunderbird, 126.761.
24. Dave Marcis, Avery's Creek, N.C., Chevrolet Monte Carlo, 126.732.
25. Elton Sawyer, Chesapeake, Va., Ford Thunderbird, 126.719.
26. Bobby Hamilton, Nashville, Tenn., Pontiac Grand Prix, 126.635.
27. Ward Burton, Scottsburg, Va., Chevrolet Monte Carlo, 126.580.
28. Todd Bodine, Charlotte, N.C., Ford Thunderbird, 126.526.
29. John Andretti, Indianapolis, Ford Thunderbird, 126.448.
30. Jeff Burton, South Boston, Va., Ford Thunderbird, 126.354.
31. Sterling Marlin, Columbia, Tenn., Chevrolet Monte Carlo, 126.333.
32. Darrell Waltrip, Franklin, Tenn., Chevrolet Monte Carlo, 126.211.
33. Rich Bickle, Concord, N.C., Pontiac Grand Prix, 126.211.
34. Steve Grissom, Liberty, N.C., Chevrolet Monte Carlo, 126.128.
35. Mike Wallace, Concord, N.C., Ford Thunderbird, 125.840.
36. Lake Speed, Concord, N.C., Ford Thunderbird, 125.761.
37. Bobby Hillin, Charlotte, N.C., Ford Thunderbird, 124.715.
38. Jimmy Hensley, Ridgeway, Va., Pontiac Grand Prix, 125.360.
39. Chuck Bown, Asheboro, N.C., Chevrolet Monte Carlo, provisional.
40. Brett Bodine, Harrisburg, N.C., Ford Thunderbird, provisional.
41. Jimmy Spencer, Mooresville, N.C., Ford Thunderbird, provisional.

Texaco-Havoline

ELKHART LAKE, Wis. (AP) — Lineup for Sunday's Texaco-Havoline 200 Indy-car race at Road America, with driver's residence or country, type of car and qualifying speed in mph:
1. Jacques Villeneuve, Canada, Reynard-Ford, 142.206, track qualifying record; previous record 139.224, Scott Pruett, July 7, 1995.
2. Gil de Ferran, Brazil, Reynard-Mercedes, 142.161.
3. Michael Andretti, Nazareth, Pa., Lola-Ford, 141.631.
4. Raul Roesel, Brazil, Lola-Mercedes, 141.314.
5. Al Unser Jr., Albuquerque, Penske-Mercedes, 141.282.
6. Bobby Rahal, Dublin, Ohio, Lola-Mercedes, 141.063.
7. Scott Pruett, Crystal Bay, Nev., Lola-Ford, 140.796.
8. Teo Fabi, Italy, Reynard-Ford, 140.707.
9. Christian Fittipaldi, Brazil, Reynard-Ford, 140.703.
10. Bryan Herta, Indianapolis, Reynard-Ford, 140.633.
11. Paul Tracy, Canada, Lola-Ford, 140.471.
12. Andre Ribeiro, Brazil, Reynard-Honda, 140.359.
13. Parker Johnstone, Redmond, Ore., Reynard-Honda, 139.504.
14. Jimmy Vasser, Discovery Bay, Calif., Reynard-Ford, 139.425.
15. Adrian Fernandez, Mexico, Lola-Mercedes, 139.295.
16. Robby Gordon, Orange, Calif., Reynard-Ford, 139.182.
17. Stefan Johansson, Sweden, 1994 Penske-Mercedes, 139.037.
18. Mauricio Gugelmin, Brazil, Reynard-Ford, 139.017.
19. Danny Sullivan, Aspen, Colo., Reynard-Ford, 138.845.
20. Eliseo Salazar, Chile, Lola-Ford, 138.728.
21. Emerson Fittipaldi, Brazil, Penske-Mercedes, 138.656.
22. Eddie Cheever, Aspen, Colo., Lola-Ford, 137.859.
23. Alessandro Zampedri, Italy, 1994 Lola-Ford, 137.717.
24. Marco Greco, Brazil, Lola-Ford, 136.776.
25. Eric Bachelart, Belgium, 1994 Lola-Ford, 136.228.
26. Hiro Matsushita, Japan, Reynard-Ford, 136.144.
27. Hubert Stromberger, Austria, 1994 Reynard-Ford, 132.412.
28. Carlos Guerrero, Mexico

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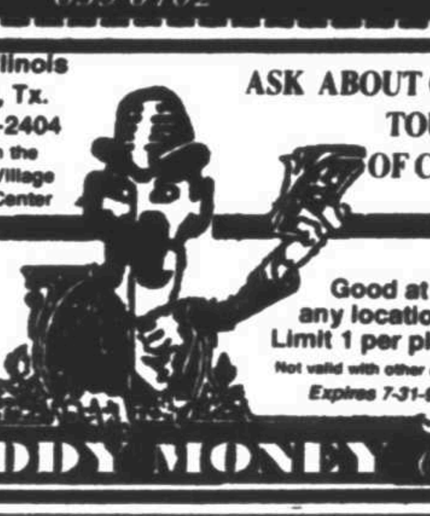
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Lowery, Ogle tied for lead at Western Open

LEMONT, Ill. (AP) — Welcome to the wild, wild Western Open.

Brett Ogle and Steve Lowery are tied for the lead, but 22 other golfers were within five strokes going into Sunday's final round.

"I don't like to watch the leader board," Ogle said after he birdied the tough 18th hole Saturday to pull even with Lowery at 7-under-par 209. "But I seem to grow eyes in the back of my head and watch all the time."

Said Lowery: "It's going to be whoever makes a lot of birdies. Hopefully, that'll be me."

Second-round leader Jay Haas led through the 16th hole but bogeyed the last two to fall one stroke back. Bob Estes and Grant Waite were another stroke off the pace.

Tom Watson, looking for his first PGA Tour victory since 1987, headed a group of five golfers three behind the leaders. Watson had a 1-over 73 Saturday despite making the shot of the day — a 45-foot sand shot for an eagle on the par-5 15th hole.

"I feel lucky to be in the hunt," Watson said. "Tomorrow, it's going to have to be around the 66 or 67 mark. That's what it's going to take, but I've got it in me, somewhere in there."

He waved his hands in the air in an exaggerated motion, as if searching for the solution that will end his seven-year drought.

"It's somewhere there," Watson said. "I don't know where the hell it is."

He was tied with Larry Mize, Billy Mayfair, Scott Simpson and Scott Hoch.

The eight-player group at 213 included Bill Glasson, who played early before the greens hardened Saturday and shot a 66. Others were Bob Tway, Dan Pohl, Guy Boros, Woody Austin, Don Pooley, John Huston and Justin Leonard.

Among the six golfers one more stroke back — within five of the leaders — were two-time defending champion Nick Price as well as Fred Couples and Paul Azinger.

"Yesterday, my long game was good and the short game was missing. Today, it was the opposite," said Price, who has struggled all year after topping the tour money list in 1993 and 1994. "So hopefully, I can put it all together tomorrow. But unless I skip a few holes, I don't favor my chances."

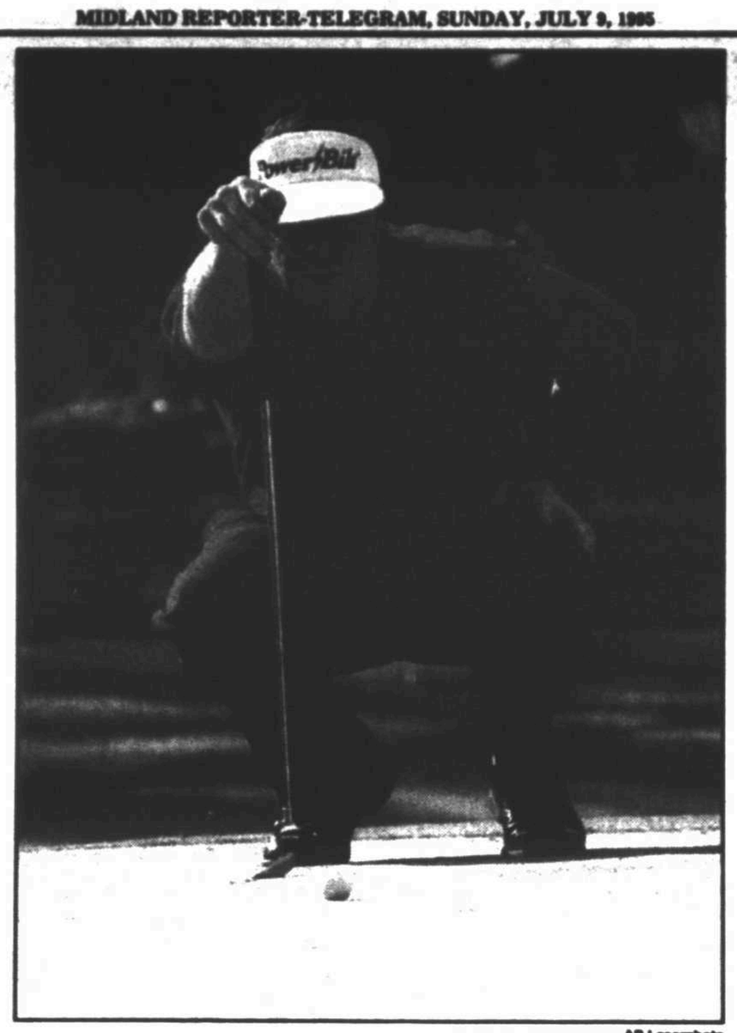
Sponsor Motorola increased the purse 67 percent to $2 million — making the Western Open one of the sport's richest events — and the golfers are playing for a $360,000 top prize.

No. 18 at Cog Hill Golf & Country Club is considered one of the tour's toughest closing holes.

On Thursday, Ogle bogeyed it after hitting a poor shot with his driver and called the hole a "stinker." On Saturday, following a perfect 1-iron tee shot, he knocked a 7-iron within 10 inches of the cup. He smiled and said:

Ogle, an Australian, is going for his third tour win and first since the Hawaiian Open early in 1994.

Lowery, in his eighth year on the tour, is looking for his second victory.



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Steve Lowery lines up his putt for birdie on Saturday during the Western Open in Lamont, Ill. Lowery is seven under after three rounds. He is for the lead with Brett Ogle.

Wright drains her putts for 66, second round lead

SYLVANIA, Ohio (AP) — The long putts kept rolling in, and Pam Wright kept moving up the leaderboard in the LPGA Jamie Farr Toledo Classic.

Five of her six birdies came on putts of 15 feet or longer, including a 25-footer on the 532-yard, par-5 18th that gave her a 66 and a one-stroke lead after two rounds of the 54-hole event. Her score of 5-under-par 137 gave her a one-stroke lead over Colleen Walker, Muffin Spencer-Devlin and Kathryn Marshall.

Walker had a 72 Saturday after shooting 66 in the first round, and Spencer-Devlin and Marshall each shot 71.

Wright, a native of Scotland, had birdies on six of the final 11 holes to offset a single bogey during her round over the 6,319-yard Highland Meadows Golf Club.

"I putted well yesterday, but most of those were for par saves," Wright said. "Today, I got myself some opportunities and I took them and it was a lot of fun.

"Today was quite an exception for me in that I was rolling them in from a long distance. ... I got my stroke going on the back. I was getting a good feel and that's what you need on the greens," she said.

"Standing on the 10th tee, I was 1-under and I was quite content," Wright added. "Now I'm 5-under and very happy. That's how golf is. One minute you're up, and then you're down and then up again. You just hope you stay up."

Wright, the LPGA tour's 1989 rookie of the year, has yet to win a tournament in seven seasons as a pro. Her best finishes are seconds in the 1990 Atlantic City Classic and the 1989 Nippon Travel-MBS Classic.

Wright was third in the Rochester International last month, but has missed the cut seven times in her other 12 tournament appearances this year.

AP Laserphoto

Kelly Robbins of Mount Pleasant, Mich., digs herself out of the sand on the fifth hole during the second round of the Jamie Farr Classic.

Walker and Jane Geddes, who shot 66 to share the lead after Friday's first round, both struggled Saturday.

"I never hit it really close today," Walker said after her 72. "The wind came and went. At least yesterday, you knew it was blowing."

Geddes had three bogeys and triple-bogeyed the 132-yard, par-3 eighth hole on the way to a 77 that put her at 143.

Spencer-Devlin made 16 pars on the way to a 71.

Deb Richard shot a 67 Saturday to join a group at 139, two strokes off the pace. Also at 3-under were Beth Daniel, Brandie Burton, Sherri Steinhauer and Hall of Famer Betsy King. Daniel shot 68, Steinhauer 70 and King and Burton 71.

Eighty-seven players made the cut at 5-over 147.

Hill barely holds to lead Kroger lead

MASON, Ohio (AP) — Graham Marsh shot a tournament-record 8-under-par 63 in the Kroger Senior Classic on Saturday, and Isao Aoki had a second straight 66.

But neither could overtake first-round leader Mike Hill, who takes a two-stroke advantage into Sunday's final round at The Golf Center at Kings Island.

Hill shot a 66 to tie the tournament record with a 12-under 130 total. Aoki is two back and Marsh is another stroke behind.

"I'd rather be two strokes up than two strokes down," Hill said. "But it will take another 66 to win it. I hope I hit 15 or 16 greens tomorrow to make sure that they're going to have to beat a good score."

Aoki briefly moved a stroke ahead of Hill with a birdie on No. 16, but three-putted No. 17 and put his approach in the lake in front of the 18th green for his first back-to-back bogeys of the tournament.

"I will try not to do that tomorrow," Aoki said through an interpreter.

Hill birdied three of the first four holes and the par-5 ninth. But then he played the backside in even par, salvaging par on No. 11 with a 30-foot chip that he called the key to his round.

He birdied No. 18 to pick up two strokes on Aoki, not knowing that Aoki had gone into the water.

"I played my ball and looked up at the scoreboard and that's the first I knew he had bogeyed," Hill said.

Marsh's 63 was just one stroke off the course record by designer Jack Nicklaus, who had a 62 in 1973 over the 6,628-yard Grizzly Course.

The course, which yielded 40 sub-par rounds Friday, was even more severely ravaged Saturday as 55 of the 78 posted two-day scores under par.

Dick Goetz trailed Hill by eight strokes, but produced one of the highlights of Saturday's round. Goetz got a hole-in-one on the 157-yard fifth hole, using an 8-iron.

Rives McBee had a 64, crediting a change in putters.

Walter Morgan, a career soldier, shot 65.

Ben Smith had a 69 to go with Friday's 66 to win the 36-hole Super Senior tournament for players 60 and over. He earned $15,000.

■ Golf Roundup

Rhoden leads Celebrity Golf Championship

STATELINE, Nev. (AP) — Two-time winner Rick Rhoden shot a 5-under-par 67 in windy and rainy conditions Saturday to take an eight-stroke lead after the second round of the Celebrity Golf Championship.

The former major league pitcher holed out from a greenside bunker on the par-3 12th hole and finished with six birdies and a bogey for a 6-under 138 total on the Edgewood Tahoe course.

"That sand shot was the key," Rhoden said. "I was in a bunker three times today and finished 1-under on those three holes."

Houston Oilers kicker Al Del Greco and former NBA player Jack Marin were tied for second at 146. Del Greco shot a 75 and Marin had a 74. Mike Schmidt (76), Neil Lomax (76) and Peter Tom Willis (74) were 10 back.

Montgomerie leads Irish Open

KILKENNY, Ireland (AP) — Colin Montgomerie of Scotland took the lead in the Irish Open on Saturday, and Greg Norman vaulted into contention by matching the the course record with a 7-under-par 65 in the third round.

Montgomerie birdied the last two holes, including an 18-foot putt at the 18th, for a round of 69 and a 205 total.

Norman was one stroke back, tied with England's David Gilford and Sam Torrance of Scotland.

Sven Struver, a little-known German who led for the first two rounds, dropped back with a 73 and was three strokes off the pace.

One stroke ahead of him, at 207, were Australian Wayne Riley, New Zealander Michael Campbell and Howard Clark of England.

Norman was six strokes back heading into the third round, and then blazed around the Mount Juliet course, tying the record Stuver set Thursday. Norman had six birdies and a 45-foot eagle putt at the 518-yard 17th.

Norman sank birdie putts of 35 and 40 feet at the second and third, two-putted the 537-yard fifth after getting home with a drive and five-iron.

Out in 33, he two-putted the long 10th, holed from 15 and 10 feet at the 12th and 14th and then rolled in his eagle at the 17th.

Norman went to the 18th with a shot at breaking the course record, but his drive hit a tree and he bogeyed the par 4 hole.

PARK: 49,178 seat stadium is a home run for baseball fans

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W. Bush, a Rangers part owner, once joked he'd give away one of his own.

So far, the stadium is a home run with fans.

The 49,178-seat park was sold out for 21 of 62 games last season. Even without the 20 games lost to the strike, Texas shattered its single-season attendance record by averaging 40,374 per night and with a total draw of 2,503,198. Like most teams, attendance is sagging this year. Texas was averaging only 26,485 going into this weekend.

Many of those fans parked in the north lot that used to be Arlington Stadium, an overgrown minor-league facility that was the Rangers' home for 22 seasons.

Search for Special Olympian comes up short

MADISON, Conn. (AP) — After a third day of searching in the waters off a state park, divers were unable to find a trace of the body of Ramesh Mali, a young Nepalese soccer player feared drowned.

Divers called off the search Saturday night and were scheduled to return Sunday.

Mali's mother held out hope her son would be found alive, but also said Ramesh never had learned to swim.

"He never ever talked of swimming," Mahalakshmi Mali told The Associated Press during an interview Saturday at her home in Katmandu, the Nepalese capital.

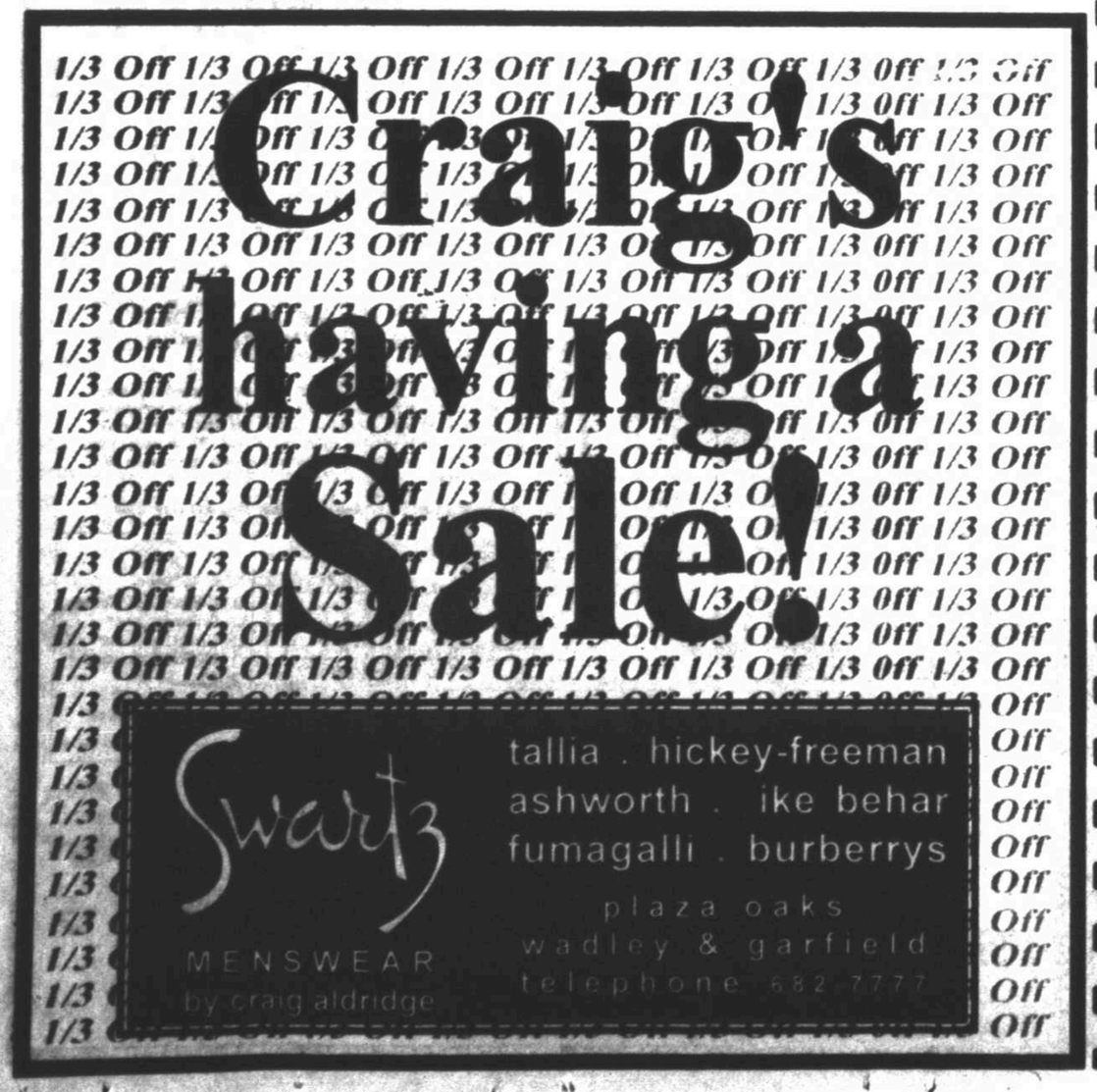
Mali, who was participating in the Special Olympics World Games, vanished in Long Island Sound on Thursday during a private outing to Hammonasset Beach State Park with his fellow athletes and four adults.

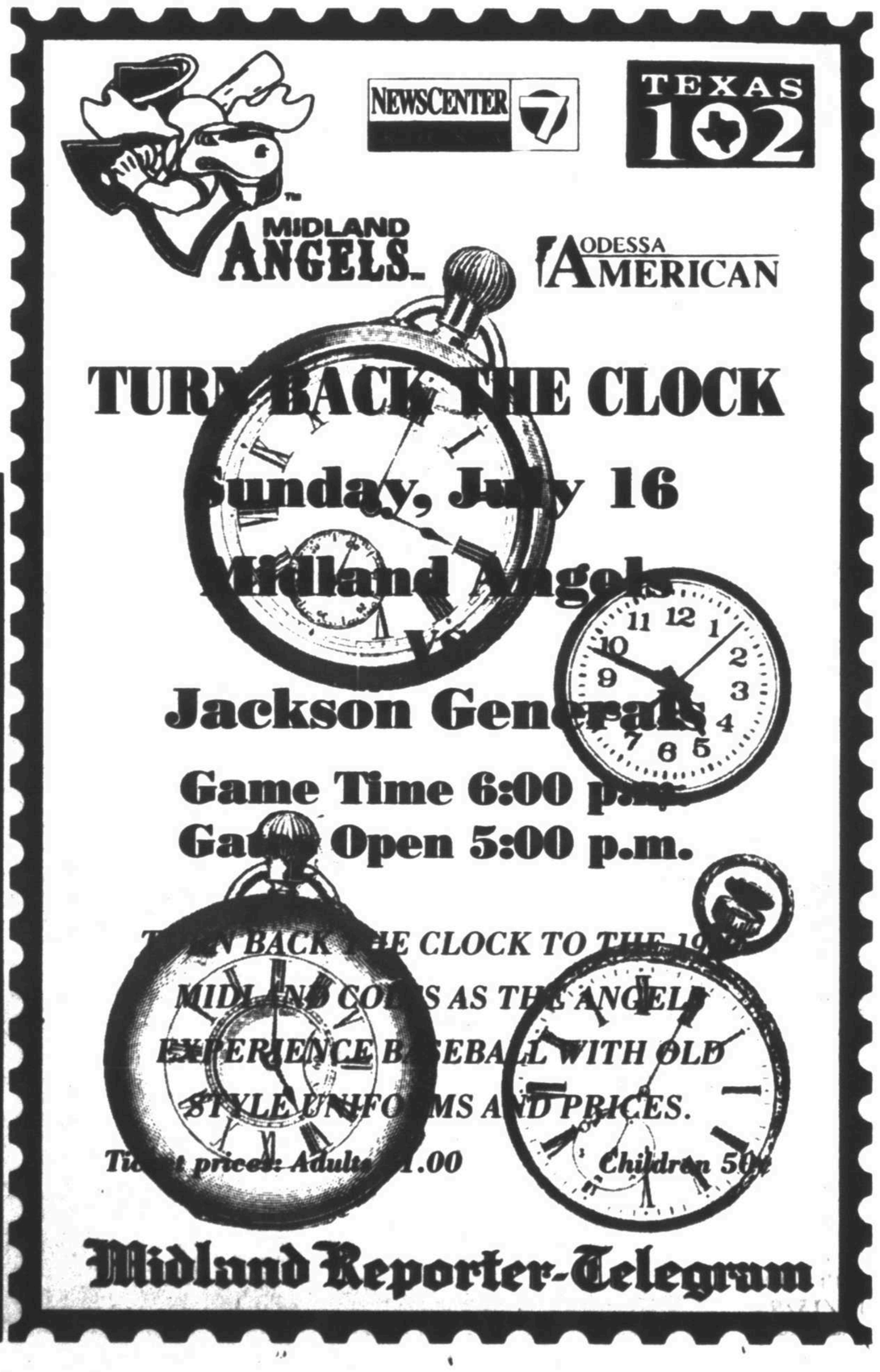
His mother gave his age as 19.

After covering an 18-mile-square area of the Sound in the hope of finding him alive, the Coast Guard suspended its search Friday.

Divers, however, returned to the beach Saturday to look for his body.

The Nepalese soccer team played its final match Friday at New Haven, the main site of the Special Olympics competition. A moment of silence was held before the game. The Nepalese team lost and settled for a bronze medal.





West Texas Sports

Basketball...

Athletes Against Drugs Basketball Camps is July 17-20 (grades 5-12) at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene. Indiana's Andrae Patterson and Texas' Brandy Perryman will work the camps with several HSU players and HSU coach Dennis Harp. Cost is $195 for overnighters July 17-20 and $100 for commuters. For information call Harp at 670-1467...

Football...

The Midland Bulldog Football Camp for students entering seventh through eighth grades is July 17-21 from 9 a.m. to 12 noon at the Midland High locker room at Memorial Stadium. Fee is $40. No one will be refused because of inability to pay. For more information call Ronnie Reeger at 689-1195...

Softball...

Cisco Junior College will hold tryouts for its first women's fastpitch softball team on July 12 at the Cisco city park at 10 a.m. or 2 p.m. For more information call 817-442-2567...

Rainbow Softball Classic is July 15 in Lufkin. Entry fee is $105 per team. Entry deadline is July 12. Two-game guarantee. Mail entries to Annual Rainbow Softball Tournament, P.O. Box 151008, Lufkin, Tx., 75915, or call 633-4112...

Coyotes & Critters Midnight Madness III Classic men's D&E softball tournament is July 14-15 at Rio Conco Sports Complex in San Angelo. Entry fee is $100 with 3-game guarantee. Entry deadline is July 13 at 7 p.m. Call 1-915-655-4251 for information...

The Red Devils Softball Club July Classic double-elimination tournament July 14-16 at the Gene Burk Sports Complex in Andrews. $110 entry fee per team (no checks) by 8 p.m. July 12 (16-team limit). Awards to top four teams, t-shirts to top two teams, all-tournament and MVP. Contact Doug McCallister at 520-9462 or Rufus Williams at 524-9819 for more info...

Golf...

The Gaines County Golf Club in Seminole will conduct a women's four-person, two low-ball net tournament July 11 with a shotgun start at 9 a.m. Cost is $140 per team plus cart fee. Deadline for entry July 9. Call (915) 758-3808 for more information...

The Northern Texas PGA Section is accepting registration applications for the 1995 Ping State Junior Boys Championship, contested at Tanglewood Golf Club in Lake Texoma July 11-12. The competition is open to male Texas residents from 12 to 18 years old as of July 15. Qualifiyngs are held across the state in June. Call (713) 363-0511 for more information...

The Desk and Derrick Club's Black Gold two-person golf tournament takes place July 14 at Hogan Park Golf Course. Entry fee is $140 per team and includes cart, green fees, memorabilia, food and drinks. Limited to first 40 teams. Play begins at 8 a.m. with shotgun start. Trophies for overall gross and net, awards for first through third in each flight. For more information, entry forms contact Jamye Ball at 684-6872...

Redfill Ranch golf course in Odessa will hold a two-person scramble July 30. Entry fee is $50 per person to first 40 paid teams. Call Redfill Ranch at 1-915-368-GOLF to enter...

The 32nd Annual Midland Women's City Golf Tournament is set for July 24-27 at various courses around the city. Qualifying for the championship and first flight is July 24 at Hogan Park Golf Club. The first round is July 25 at Green Tree Country Club, second round July 26 at Ranchland Hills Country Club, final round July 27 at Midland Country Club. Contestants must have been a resident of Midland for a minimum of thirty days and have a current established handicap. Anyone with a handicap index of 16.9 or less must qualify but qualifying is open to anyone. Entry fee of $30 (except carts) is due by noon on July 21. Sign up sheets are posted at each club. For more information, contact Sarah McDonald at 682-5070 or Betty Sappington at 697-2470...

Green Tree Country Club is one of the sites for qualifying for the Nitro Texas State Open Aug. 1-4 at the Woodlands TPC and Palmer courses. Qualifying at Green Tree is July 11. Hosted by the Southern Texas PGA, professionals and amateurs with a handicap index of 5.0 or less are eligible to qualify. Entry fee is $100. For more information call the STPGA at (713) 363-0511. Entry fees can be picked up at Green Tree...

NationsBank Midland Men's City Championship will be Aug. 4-6 at Hogan Park Golf Course to benefit Casa de Amigos. The championship flight will play all three days and all other flights play on the final two days. Entry fee is $60 for championship and $70 for all other flights (carts extra) by 6 p.m. Aug. 2. No refunds after Aug. 3. Entry forms available at all golf courses in Midland and at NationsBank. Fee must accompany entry form. Players of all handicap levels are encouraged to participate. Players must be a resident of Midland and have a current established handicap...

The Ranchland Hills Women's Golf Association will host the 17th annual tournament of the West Texas Senior Women's Golf Association Sept. 17-21. Registration is Sept. 17 and qualifying is Sept. 18...

Here is the 1995 golf schedule for the Big Spring Country Club: Guys and Gals Scramble, August 12-13.; two-man combo, Sept. 30-Oct. 1; two-man scramble combined team age over 80, Oct. 28-29. For more information call (915) 267-5354...

Tournaments available at Stanton's Martin County Country Club are July 22-23, two-person scramble, $120 team; Aug. 12-13, four-person scramble, $240 per team; Sept. 16-17, three-person scramble, $120 per team. Call (915) 756-2556 or (915) 756-2314...

Masters Golf Range is holding Junior Clinics each week in July for ages 7-13 from 9-10:15 a.m. and ages 14-17 from 10:30-11:45 a.m. Cost is $60 each week. Call 570-4499 to sign up...

Tennis...

The Midland College Tennis Camp of Champions has sessions in July for 6-over players, beginners, intermediate and advanced players. Call 687-4046 for information...

The tournament schedule for the **Midland Tennis Club** is: Men's Singles, July 15-16; Women's Singles, July 22-23; Mixed Doubles, July 28-30. Non-members may play any tournament, except championship, for $10 entry fee...

Tennis camps will be held at **Midland College** this summer: July 17-21 for session V; July 21-28 for session VI. Ages 9-under will meet Monday through Friday from 8-10 a.m. and the cost is $50 per session. Ages 10 & up will meet 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Friday 8 a.m. to noon. The cost is $120. Call 697-4046 for more information...

Green Tree Country Club is holding Summer Tennis Camps for ages 8-18. First Session July 11-20, Pee Wee, 9-9:45 a.m. ($40), beginner-intermediate and swim with lunch ($100); Green Tree Junior Excellence, 1-3 p.m. ($60). Session II is July 25-Aug. 3 has same times and costs. Junior tournament is Aug. 5-10. Call 697-7805 for information.

The Tennis Association of Midland's Reach Out summer tennis schedule of free clinics for children 8-11 years old (equipment provided) is: (all 5:30 p.m.) July 10, Washington Park; July 17, Lee Freshman; July 24, Midland Freshman; July 31, Washington Park; Aug. 7, Lee Freshman; Aug. 25, Washington...

Dunlap and The Midlander tennis staff will conduct the Junior Tennis Super Camp July 17-20. The camp for ages 7 and up will cost $62 and registration deadline is July 12th. The Midlander junior tennis tournament will be held July 21-23 at the Midlander. Different levels will be accomodated with a $5 fee and one can of balls for Match Day players of July 21 and $8-12 fees for level 3-6 players July 22-23.

Soccer...

The Highlander Soccer Club will hold tryouts for their 15-Under team. Those whose birthdates fall between 8-1-80 and 7-31-82 are invited to try out at Bowie Elementary at 7 p.m. July 11. Please bring a soccer ball, light shirt and dark shirt, water and shin guards. For more information, call Ray Lopez at 697-4307 or 697-0961 or Steve Parnell at 570-4949 or 697-4204.

The Gecko United Soccer Club is holding tryouts July 16 at Redfill Park. The tryouts will be for 12-U at 2 p.m., 14-U at 3:30 p.m. and 12-U girls at 5 p.m., For more information, call Curt Pervier at 694-0993.

The Diamond '82 Boys Club Soccer Team tryouts are July 11 at 7:30 p.m. at Goddard Junior High. Players with birth dates between 8/1/81 and 7/31/83 are invited. Call Debbi Corey at 699-7831 to arrange a tryout if not able to make above times...

Alvin Alexander presents Daniel Gonzalez's Goalkeeping Camp Aug. 10-12 at Hogan Park from 5-9 p.m. Gonzalez has professional coaching and goalkeeping experience. Send $25 deposit by July 10 to Alvin Alexander, 2507 Maxwell, Midland, 79705. For more information call 570-5154...

The Midland Soccer Association's fall signup runs through July 31. Registration forms can be mailed or dropped off at MSA. Mail signup is July 29-30. The season is Sept. 9-Oct. 28. Fees are $35 for Rec and $39 for Select players. Call 684-5425...

Tryouts for the Odessa Force United Soccer Club's U-14 boys team are July 15 at Sherwood Park from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. For more information call 367-0575 or 367-5298...

The 16th annual Lone Star Soccer Camp will be held at the Bluebird Soccer Complex for one-week from July 20-August 11. The camp will be conducted by the District 5-5A champion MHS coach Tom Esidhati and will run from 8:30 a.m. to noon each day. For more information please call, 683-7033 after 5 p.m. or 682-7367 after 1 p.m...

British Soccer Camp is July 31-Aug. 4. Instruction available in mini kickers recreational and competitive levels. Sign up by July 16. Call 570-4949 (day) or 697-4204 (night)...

Alvin Alexander Tactical Skills Camp for beginners and advanced boys and girls is Aug. 7-11 from 5:30-9 p.m. at Hogan Park. For more information call 570-5154...

Black Magic Club tryouts are at Bowie Elementary on the following schedule: July 9—2 p.m. U-17 boys, 3:30 p.m. U-12, U-14 girls, 5 p.m. U-16 boys; July 10—3:30 p.m. U-12, U-11 boys, 7 p.m. U-15 boys, U-16 girls; July 11—3:30 p.m. U-14 boys...

Tryouts for the **Celtic United Football Club** will be held July 13 at Midland Lee at 6 p.m. For boys U-15 (8/1/80). Call Mike Smith at 686-0489 for information...

The Rangers Select Soccer team is holding 12-under tryouts July 11 from 6-8 p.m. All tryouts are at Goddard Jr. High. Birthdates for players must be from 8-1-83 to 7-31-85. For more information, please call Terry Jenson at 697-5183 or Janna Hudson at 682-6820.

Midland Soccer Association is accepting registration for the fall season. The deadline is July 31 at 2 p.m. The fee is $35/REC and $39/Select. Call MSA at 684-5425 with more questions...

Blast Soccer Club will hold tryouts Aug. 19. The schedule is as follows: Date of birth 8-1-84 to 7-31-85 or 8-1-83 to 7-31-84—girls 9 a.m., boys 5 p.m.; DOB 8-1-82 to 7-31-83 or 8-1-81 to 7-31-82—girls 10 a.m.; boys 6 p.m.; DOB 8-1-80 to 7-31-81 or 8-1-79 to 7-31-80—girls 11 a.m., boys 7 p.m.; DOB 8-1-78 to 7-31-79 or 8-1-77 to 7-31-78 or 8-1-76 to 7-31-77—girls noon, boys 8 p.m. For more information call Manu Senon at 685-1018 or Jerry White at 520-5800...

Girls Matrix 89 (under-16) will have soccer tryouts at 6 p.m. July 13 at Goddard Junior High. Bring a ball and water. For more information call David Stat at 682-8904...

Baseball...

The San Diego Padres will hold an open tryout camp July 10 at Snyder High School for players 15 to 22 years old. Registration is from 8-9:30 a.m. For more information call Roland Herrera (915) 573-1355 or Bernie Dwyer at (713) 850-0562...

The Boston Red Sox will hold a tryout camp on July 14 for ages 15-21 at Howard College in Big Spring. Registration is 8 a.m. Tryouts are at 9 a.m...

Odessa College Baseball Clinics are July 10-13, 17-20 and 24-27 for youth. Cost is $40 and will meet 8-10 a.m. at American Legion Field in Odessa. Call OC at 1-915-335-6580 for information...

Boxing...

A non-contact boxing camp is being offered by **Odessa College Continuing Education** from 1 to 3 p.m. July 17-21 at Dominey's Boxing Club in Odessa for youngsters who want to learn to box without the risk of physical contact. Fundamentals of boxing, including proper punching, defensive techniques and conditioning, will be taught for a fee of $40. Classes will be taught by former Texas cruiserweight champion Alvin Dominey and Carl Chancellor. For more information or to register call OC at 335-6580...

Swimming...

The City of Midland Aquatics is sponsoring the Permian Basin "C" Championship meet on July 13 for a level of beginning swimmers to compete for times, ribbons and trophies. This will be a good start for someone interested in getting into swimming. The meet begins at 6 p.m. at the Mabee Aquatic Pool on North "A" Street. For

Australians equal countrymen's feat with three-peat in doubles

■ Woodforde-Woodbridge match Newcome-Roche by winning third straight Wimbledon doubles title.

WIMBLEDON, England (AP) — Australians Mark Woodforde and Todd Woodbridge matched countrymen John Newcombe and Tony Roche's Open era feat of winning three consecutive Wimbledon doubles titles with a 7-5, 7-6 (10-8), 7-6 (7-5) victory over Americans Rick Leach and Scott Melville Saturday.

But there was no hard feelings by Newcombe and Roche, who won three straight Wimbledon trophies in 1968, 1969 and 1970. The run by Newcombe and Roche also was the last time a doubles team won three straight doubles titles at any of the four Grand Slam tournaments.

"They've (Newcombe and Roche) been niggling us for the past 12 months that, 'You're going to do a three-peat, just so that you can do what we did,' " Woodbridge said. "Roche left us a bottle of champagne on ice in the lockerroom because he had to go out and play. The champagne's gone down well.

Newcombe and Roche had their own success Saturday, winning the senior doubles final over Owen Davidson and Cliff Drysdale 6-4, 7-5.

In their previous two final wins on Centre Court, Woodforde and Woodbridge beat the Canadian-American team of Grant Connell and Patrick Galbraith, both times in straight sets.

Woodbridge and Woodforde won their first title together at Brussels in 1991. The twosome now have amassed 27 career titles, which includes four Grand Slam laurels — the 1992 Australian Open and 1993, 1994 and 1995 Wimbledon.

In the women's doubles final, play was suspended because of darkness at 4-4 in the third set. Three-time defending champions Gigi Fernandez and Natasha Zvereva won the first set 7-5, Jana Novotna and Arantxa Sanchez Vicario won the second set 7-5.

GRAF: Steffi collects $525,000 with win

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straight games from 1-1.

The third set provided some of the most compelling women's tennis in years, with both players scrambling all over the court and refusing to give in.

In the men's final Sunday, Pete Sampras seeks his third straight Wimbledon title against former three-time champion Boris Becker.

Becker, who became Wimbledon's youngest champion in 1985 at the age of 17 and won the title again in 1986 and 1989, reached the final for the seventh time Friday by rallying to beat top-seeded Andre Agassi in four sets.

The win came 10 years to the day since he beat Kevin Curren in the 1985 final. But the circumstances of Friday's victory made it even more special for Becker.

Sampras survived a barrage of 38 aces to overcome Goran Ivanisevic 7-6 (9-7), 4-6, 6-3, 4-6, 6-3. It moved him within one victory of becoming the first man to win the title three years in a row since Bjorn Borg won five straight from 1976-80.

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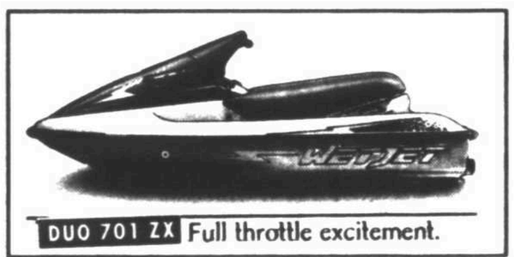

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Craven tunes up with Busch North win

■ Ricky warms up for today's Slick 50 300 race with win over GN points leader Kelly Moore.

LOUDON, N.H. (AP) — Ricky Craven, tuning up for his ride Sunday in the Slick 50 300 Winston Cup race, beat points leader Kelly Moore in a stirring finish Saturday to the rain-marred Auto Palace 150 NASCAR Busch North race.

The race, interrupted twice by heavy rain at the New Hampshire International Speedway, took nearly six hours to complete. The second delay, which caused the race to be reduced from 150 laps to 125, lasted 3 1/2 hours.

Craven got under Moore as their Chevrolets entered the third turn of the 1.058-mile track and passed him as they went by the flagstand. Moore had passed Craven with eight laps to go, and both slipped and slid through the corners, never separated by more than car length.

Tom Bolles was third in a Chevrolet, closing up when the leaders were forced to slow to keep from crashing on the flat, slow-drying surface. Robbie Crouch was fourth in a Pontiac, followed by the Buick of Keith Lamell.

Nearly a third of the race, a support event for the Slick 50 300, was run under caution with the drivers following the pace car in an attempt to dry the track for the Auto Palace 40.

■ Racing Roundup

Indy 500 champ Villeneuve blazes way to Texaco-Havoline pole

■ Villeneuve records a 142.206 mph lap on his final round during qualifying for Sunday's race.

ELKHART LAKE, Wis. (AP) — Jacques Villeneuve's record-smashing final lap in Saturday's qualifying gave the Canadian the pole position for Sunday's Texaco-Havoline 200.

Villeneuve earned his second straight pole — and the second of his Indy-car career — with a blazing lap of 142.206 mph on his final trip around the four-mile Road America circuit, just beating the checkered flag for the 30-minute session.

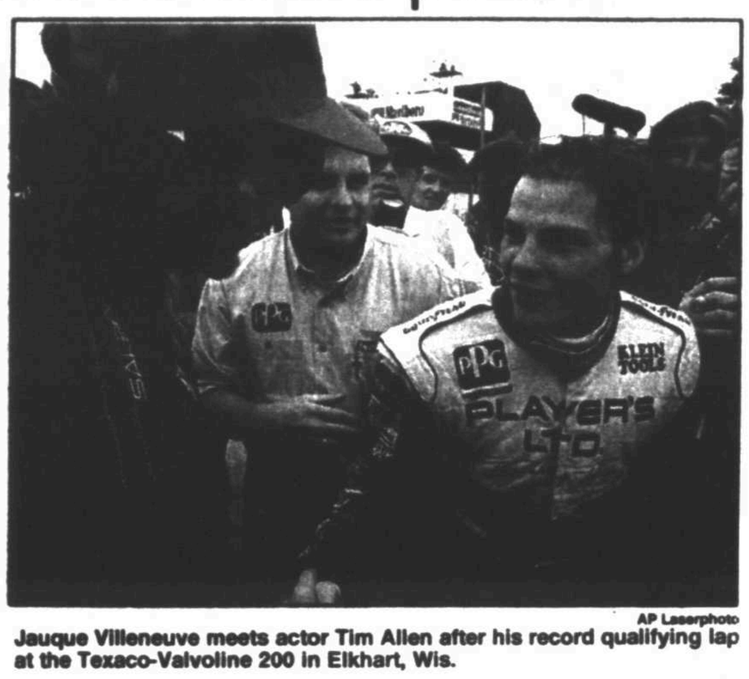
That came only moments after Brazilian rookie Gil de Ferran appeared to win his first Indy-car pole with a lap of 142.161. The pole-winner also vaulted past Michael Andretti, whose 141.631 only minutes earlier had put him briefly in front in the competitive session.

"I saw P3 (position three) on my pit board and I knew it was going to be the last lap," Villeneuve said, grinning as he glanced at de Ferran, sitting nearby. "I knew it was going to be the last lap and you put everything into it in that situation.

"When you do that, sometimes you crash. Today, it worked."

De Ferran, disappointed at having his first pole snatched away at the final moment, said, "I knew I had it because we take the time in the exit of the last corner and they had the P1 on the board by the time I came by at the top of the hill. But, by the time I was exiting the first turn, they told me (Villeneuve) took it. Then I ran out of fuel before I could finish my last lap."

The point for winning the pole position moved Villeneuve, whose first Indy-car victory came in this race last year, into sole posession of the PPG Cup series lead. He broke out of an 82-82 tie with Robby Gordon, who qualified 16th.



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Jauque Villeneuve meets actor Tim Allen after his record qualifying lap at the Texaco-Valvoline 200 in Elkhart, Wis.

Raul Boesel, who was 11th after the opening session of qualifying Friday, leaped to fourth at 141.314, followed by defending series champion Al Unser Jr. at 141.282 and Bobby Rahal at 141.053.

Scott Pruett, who won the provisional pole Friday with a then-record lap of 139.224, slipped to seventh despite improving to 140.796.

Aided by a new asphalt surface, the top 15 qualifiers Saturday surpassed Pruett's record speed of Friday, while 24 of the 28 starters in Sunday's race qualified faster than the previous record of 136.602, set last year by Paul Tracy.

Tracy, who had won three consecutive poles at Road America, had a couple of off-course excursions Saturday and wound up a disappointing 11th at 140.471. He is driving with five pins in his broken left foot, a reminder of a go-kart accident last week.

Looking ahead to the race, Andretti, a two-time Elkhart winner who is third in the points and looking for his first win of the season, said, "This track is tough on tires ... Our race speeds are probably going to be as fast as our qualifying speeds were last year, and that puts a lot of pressure on the tires."

"Another thing is that starting position is everything these days because the fields are so close," he added. "This track is easier to pass on than some, but it's not as easy as it used to be. Even the slow guys are harder to pass because they're not as slow.

"This is going to be a tough race. There'll be a little strategy, trying to make it on two pit stops, or maybe making a third splash-and-go stop, and with tires.

Bruyneel wins stage, takes yellow jersey in Tour de France

LIEGE, Belgium (AP) — Johan Bruyneel of Belgium won Saturday's stage of the Tour de France and moved into the overall lead of the cycling classic.

Miguel Indurain of Spain, winner of this race the last four years, made the biggest move on Saturday, charging into second place in the overall standings.

Bruyneel and Indurain broke away 15 miles from the finish and left chief challengers Tony Rominger and Evgueni Berzin more than a minute behind in the final of a spectacular stage.

The psychological effect of Indurain's charge a day before the individual time trial over similar hilly terrain through southern Belgium's Ardennes was apparent.

"He was incredible, it was like riding behind a motorbike," said Bruyneel.

Indurain is 31 seconds behind the Belgian in the standings. France Laurent Jalabert is third, 11 seconds behind Indurain.

The Spaniard overtook Berzin, earning a 42 second edge, and Indurain led Rominger by 1.31 minutes.

After he caught his rivals napping in the sweltering 86-degree sunshine, Indurain took Bruyneel in his slipstream over the last two of 10 steep hills marking the 126-mile stage from Charleroi and left the pack 50 seconds behind.

His second-place finish also earned Indurain 12 seconds more in bonus time.

Sunday's individual time trial, a speciality of Indurain, covers 33 miles from Huy to Seraing.

"He will be real tough to beat in the time trial. I saw it from up close," Bruyneel said of Indurain.

Indurain has used the first time trial of each of the last four Tours.

He is trying to join Eddy Merckx of Belgium and Frenchmen Jacques Anquetil and Bernard Hinault as five-time winners. Indurain would be the first to do it five straight years.

Midland's Jim Hall racing team gets best performance

Staff Report

ELKHART LAKE, Wis. — Midland Jim Hall had reason to smile Saturday as his Brazilian rookie driver, Gil de Ferran, turned in his best qualifying performance since Hall came back to Indy car racing in 1991.

Driving the Pennzoil Special, de Ferran was the second fastest of 23 drivers who broke the track record and will start on the outside of the front row.

De Ferran speed of 142.206 mph around the 4-mile, 14-turn road course was second only to Indianapolis 500 champion Jacque Villeneuve. This was the best qualifying effort in four and a half years of racing.

De Ferran, who had never seen the seen the course before the weekend was pleased with the effort.

"I've only seen it on TV," he said. "This was a good effort by the Pennzoil team, and I am happy for them. A big reason (he drove competitively) was that we had good tests at Laguna Seca and also at Mid Ohio."

De Ferran was the fastest of of about a dozen drivers conducting tests at both tracks last month.

ANGELS: Five Angels will head to Shreveport for the Double A All-Star game

(From 1C)

They sent ten men to the plate in that inning and five different batters had RBIs. The last run came on an Arias error.

The Angels (10-8), who split the series 3-3, couldn't get to Missions' starter Gary Rath (12-3) until the sixth inning when Greene hit a solo homer for his league-leading 23th of the season. In the eighth inning, Midland cut the Missions' lead to 6-3 when catcher Jose Monzon tripled to score Tim Harkrider. Monzon later came home on a groundout by Jovino Carvajal.

Greene and Arias teamed to cut the lead to one in the eighth. Greene hit No. 24 and Arias No. 22 on the year, both solo shots. But the Missions got three insurance runs in the bottom of the inning off reliever David Holdridge. The big hit coming on right fielder Oreste Marrero's two-run home run.

Midland scored two in the top of the ninth, one on Greene's sacrifice fly. It was Greene's third RBI of the game and 55th RBI of the season.

Rath increased his league-leading win total in the game. He is ahead of teammate David Pyc by three wins. Schmidt, in his second start back from a finger injury, fell to 4-7 although shutting the Missions out for three innings after the first.

The Angels return to Christensen Stadium Tuesday to face Shreveport after a day off Sunday and the Double A All-Star game Monday in Shreveport. Angel players Greene, Arias and Mike Schooler will join manager Mario Mendoza and coach Jeff Barnes in that game.

San Antonio 9, Midland 7

Midland	ab	r	h	rbi	San Antonio	ab	r	h	rbi
Carvajal rf	5	0	0	1	Guerrero ss	5	2	2	0
Ortiz lf	5	1	2	1	Cairo 2b	4	0	0	0
Greene c	4	2	2	3	Melendez 1b	5	1	2	1
Arias 3b	5	1	2	1	Marrero lf	3	2	1	2
Wolff cf	2	0	0	0	Rios 3b	5	1	2	1
Glenn 1b	4	0	0	0	Romero cf	4	0	2	1
Ramirez 2b	4	0	1	0	Martin lf	4	1	1	1
Harkrider ss	4	1	2	1	LoDuca c	1	1	0	0
Monzon c	3	1	1	1	Luzinski c	2	0	0	0
Takayoshi ph	0	1	0	0	Blanco 3b	4	1	2	1
Totals	36	7	10	7	Totals	37	9	12	7

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Midland						
Schmidt L,4-7	4.0	7	6	4	4	2
Harris	2.0	2	0	0	0	2
Holdridge	2.0	3	3	2	0	3
San Antonio						
Ruth W,12-3	6.1	7	3	3	1	4
Hubbs	0.2	2	2	2	1	0
Correa S,12	2.0	1	2	2	1	2

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LOCAL SPORTS

Lee, MHS advance

Both Midland Lee and Midland High advanced to the semifinals of the Tall City Invitational high school baseball tournament with wins on Saturday.

Lee beat Abilene Cooper 6-4 and pounded Amarillo High 18-8 to get to the championship bracket semifinals while Midland split a pair of contests.

The teams meet each other in the second semifinal game at 11:30 a.m. at Christensen Stadium for the right to play for the tournament championship at 5 p.m. Amarillo and San Angelo Central play in the first semifinal at 9 a.m.

In the consolation bracket to be played at Ernie Johnson Field, Odessa High takes on Odessa Permian at 9 a.m. and Abilene Cooper will play Lubbock Monterey at 11:30 a.m.

Britt Harper drove in five runs on a 4-for-4 performance and led the Rebels to a 10-run first inning in drubbing Amarillo. Matt Withrow also had a home run for Lee as Jesse Ramos picked up the victory on the mound.

Withrow also led the Rebels to the win over Cooper on a 3 for 3 performance with a double and two RBI. Bo Garrison was 2 for 3 and Justin Ham went 2 for 4. Randy Forman got the win for Lee.

Jason Rogers' two-run homer helped give Midland High a 9-1 win over Lubbock Monterey following an earlier 6-5 loss to San Angelo Central.

The Bobcats built a 6-1 lead before Midland scored four runs in the bottom of the seventh, three coming on a home run by Clay Johnston. It was his second home run in as many days.

Midland High wasted no time in putting away Monterey. The Bulldogs took a 4-0 lead in the third and then added two runs in both the fourth and fifth innings to put the game out of reach. Rogers hit a two-run homer in the fifth and Midland also got RBI triples from Johnston and Joel Bermea.

In other tournament game final scores, Abilene Cooper beat Odessa High 4-3, Amarillo defeated Odessa 11-1 and Odessa Permian beat Monterey 11-8 at McCanlies Field.

Two teams tied for Key lead

The team of Bobby Sharp and Tommy Hale shot an opening-round 63 Saturday to share the first round lead in the championship flight of the Key Senior Classic golf tournament with Rod Phares and Don Pyle at Ranchland Hills Country Club.

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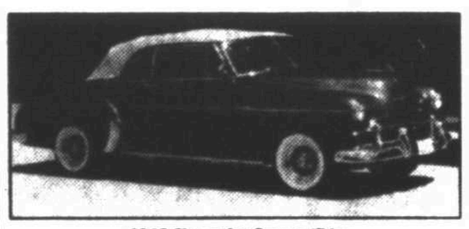
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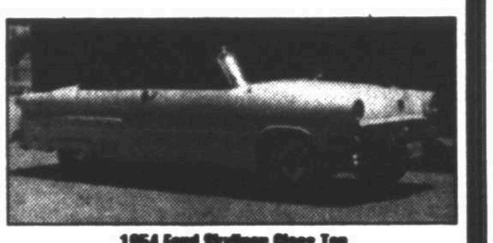
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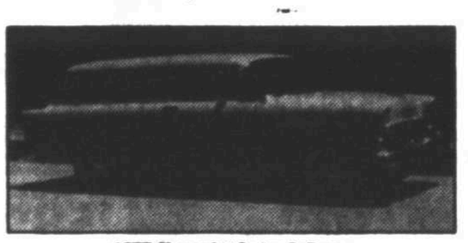
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Berard, Mogilny headline Hockey's draft day

EDMONTON, Alberta (AP) — Topped by Bryan Berard, it was defense first in Saturday's NHL draft.

But the Vancouver Canucks stole the thunder of the hopeful amateur players by pulling off a big trade for all-star Alexander Mogilny.

While the first-round picks followed form, the Canucks gave up their first-round pick, plus two players with little NHL experience, to snatch the high-scoring forward from Buffalo.

Mogilny, who scored a league-leading 76 goals in 1992-93 and has 211 goals in a six-year NHL career, moved to Vancouver for center Mike Peca, who has one year of NHL experience, and defenseman Mike Wilson, who has none.

In addition, the teams exchanged draft picks, with Vancouver's No. 1, 14th overall, going to Buffalo for the Sabres' fifth-round pick.

With the pick, the Sabres selected Canadian juniors defenseman Jay McKee, one of nine blue-liners picked in the first round in this "Year of the Defenseman." The Sabres, who had two picks in the opening round, then selected Canadian juniors goaltender Martin Biron with No. 16.

Biron was one of four goalies picked in the opening round as defensive-minded NHL teams hoped to find another gem like Martin Brodeur, who helped the New Jersey Devils win the Stanley Cup this year.

The Maple Leafs, meanwhile, announced the acquisition of veteran defenseman Larry Murphy from Pittsburgh for defenseman Dmitri Mironov and a second-round pick next year. In another trade, Los Angeles gave Washington two picks for next year's draft, including its No. 1, for forward Dimitri Khristich and goaltender Byron Dafoe.

By that time, the NHL draft had established a couple of precedents. This was the first time that defensemen had been selected 1-2-3, and the first time since 1974 that a defenseman has been selected No. 1 overall in two consecutive entry drafts. In 1973, Denis Potvin was selected first by the New York Islanders and in 1974 Greg Joly went to the Washington Capitals.

After the Senators went for Berard, the Islanders picked Wade Redden and the Los Angeles Kings seletced Aki-Petteri Berg, as expected.

Berard, a smooth-skating defensemen with great offensive skills, hyad 20 goals and 55 assists last season with the Detroit Jr. Red Wings of the Ontario Hockey League.

"There will be pressure, but I handle pressure pretty well. I think I play better, so hopefully it will be to my advantage ," said Berard, the third American in the 33-year history of the draft to be the overall No. 1 pick.

Brian Lawton was a No. 1 pick in 1983 and Mike Modano in 1988, both by the Minnesota North Stars.

Berard said it was important for him to be the top pick.

"That was a goal in my mind since I was young, to be the first player to be selected in the draft. I am just relieved and happy."

Redden, more of a stay-at-home defenseman than Berard, was selected from Brandon of the Western Hockey League, one of nine players picked in the first round from the WHL.

He was just as excited as Berard.

Berg, a big, hard-hitting defensmen, became the highest drafted player from Finland. Teemu Selanne was the previous highest drafted player from Finland when taken 10th by Winnipeg in 1988.

Wynalda scores twice to lead U.S. past Chile

PAYSANDU, Uruguay (AP) — Eric Wynalda scored two first-half goals as the United States beat Chile 2-1 on Satuday for its first ever victory in the America Cup.

Wynalda opened the scoring in the 15th minute, converting a cross from Ernie Stewart from 5 yards out. The striker made it 2-0 14 minutes later, bending a 19-yard free kick past goalkeeper Marcelo Ramirez.

Wynalda has 17 goals in 61 appearances, passing Hugo Perez for second place on the U.S. career list, four behind Bruce Murray.

"Today's two goals helped the team win an important game in an important tournament," Wynalda said.

AP Laserphoto

U.S. player Eric Wynalda celebrates his first goal against Chile in the United States' first game in the America Cup. The U.S. won 2-1.

The U.S. team, 3-0-1 since falling 2-1 to Costa Rica on May 28, had its 313-minute shutout streak stopped when Sebastian Rozenthal beat goalkeeper Kasey Keller in the 63rd minute.

"Today was very important to come to Copa America and win our first game," said defender Marcelo Balboa, who played in his 103th international game, tying Germany's Franz Beckenbauer for 18th on career list.

"From the run we've had from U.S. Cup to here, I think everything is finally falling into place."

In the 1993 America Cup, the U.S. team's first appearance in the 79 years of the tournament, the Americans were eliminated after going 0-2-1 in the first round without many top players.

U.S. defender Alexi Lalas, who played in the 1993 tournament, said the Americans approached this one differently.

"We come into this situation knowing that this is a proving ground," he said. "As much as we suffered the first time we were down here, we must show the Americans that we have improved — even since the 1994 World Cup."

Chile, playing without star striker Ivan Zamarano, entered the game with a 5-0-1 record against the United States. Zamarano, who led the Spanish League in scoring for Real Madrid, refused to play in the tournament.

"We didn't deserve to lose, because we attacked all the time. But they scored two goals and we scored only one," said Chile coach Xabier Azkargorta.

The U.S. team (1-0-0) is tied for first place in Group C with defending champion Argentina. A victory over Bolivia on Tuesday would clinch a quarterfinal berth.

In Saturday's other game, Argentina got goals by star strikers Gabriel Batistuta and Abel Balbo to defeat Bolivia 2-1.

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Vendor requests will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. (CST), July 12, 1995. The quotations will be opened at 2:00 p.m. (CST), July 13, 1995. For information please contact Mr. Leon Hartter of Mr. Larry Johnson at 915-689-1752. Please mail or fax information to:

Mr. Leon Hartter,
Director of Purchasing
Midland Independent
School District
P.O. Box 2298
Midland, TX 79702

FAX NO. (915) 689-1754

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CONSTABLE'S
NOTICE OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF MIDLAND

WHEREAS by virtue of Writ of Execution issued out of the 11th District Court of Harris County, Texas, on the 14th day of May, 1993, in Cause No. 92-22521, where Industrial Tube & Metals, Inc. was/were Plaintiff, and Petra Pipe & Equipment, Inc. was/were Defendant, on a judgment rendered in said Court against Defendant and in favor of said Plaintiff, for the sum of $27,448.80 DOLLARS, with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per cent per annum, from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit; I did on the 9th day of May, 1995, at 9:00 o'clock A.M., levy upon the following described lots, tracts and parcels of land situated in Midland County, Texas, as the property of Petra Pipe & Equipment, Inc. to-wit:"

8100 East Hwy. 80, Odessa, Tx 79768

The property is legally described as a 9.80 acre tract of land in the southwest part of Section 14, Block 41, T-2-S, T & P Ry Co. Survey, Midland County, Texas.

At About 10:00 o'clock A.M., on the 1st day of August 1995, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M. on said day, at the courthouse door of said County, and I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of Petra Pipe & Equipment, Inc. in and to said above described property.

Witness my hand this the 7th day of July, 1995.

RON RICE, Constable
Midland County, Texas
By Ken Colston, Deputy

NOTICE TO BIDDERS:
The Board of Trustees of the Midland Independent School District is requesting bids on Pens & Markers. Bid #5-0070. Bid specifications and regulations may be secured from the Director of Purchasing, Mr. Leon Hartter, 7201 W. County Road 60, Midland, TX 79707. Phone. 689-1750. Bids will be opened at the Purchasing Office July 19, 1995 at 2:00 p.m. CST.

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NOTICE

CITY OF MIDLAND CITIZEN PARTICIPATION PLAN
for Community Development and Housing Funds

The City of Midland is entitled, as per the Housing and Community Development Act, 42 U.S.C. 5301 et seq., to an annual allocation of Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds. In applying for these funds, the City must meet the citizens participation provision of the above Act. The City is required to adopt a citizen participation plan that sets forth the City's policies and procedures for citizen participation.

The citizen participation plan must provide for and encourage citizens to participate in the development of the Consolidated Plan, substantial amendments to the Consolidated Plan, and the performance report. The following individuals are the focus of the Housing and Community Development Act and are especially encouraged to participate in the development of the Consolidated Plan: low- and moderate-income individuals, individuals living in low- and moderate-income neighborhoods, minorities, persons with disabilities, non-English speaking persons, and residents of public and assisted housing developments.

The Consolidated Plan establishes Midland's long-range strategy (five years) for investment of its U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) resources and other resources linked to activities directed at community development and housing and homeless service needs. To participate in the CDBG program, the City must prepare a Consolidated Plan and submit it to HUD for its approval.

The draft plan may be examined at the following location from July 10 to August 8, 1995 (a 30 day public review period):

City Secretary's Office
Room 430, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine

Midland County Public Library
301 W. Missouri

Casa de Amigos
1101 E. Garden Lane

SE Community Senior Center
1803 E. Indiana

Midland Senior Center
Kingsway Mall, 3303 W. Illinois

Please direct any written comments to the City's CDBG Office, P.O. Box 1152, Midland, Texas 79702, by August 8, 1995. After any appropriate revisions and inclusion of a citizen comment section to the citizen participation plan, the City Council of Midland will meet in a regular section on August 22, 1995, at 10:00 a.m. in the Council Chambers, City Hall to approve the citizen participation plan.

For further information, call the City's CDBG Office at 685-7408 or 685-7402.

July 9, 1995

LEGAL NOTICE

Midland College is now accepting bids for the following: (1) Property/General Liability Insurance, (2) Commercial Umbrella Liability Insurance, (3) Commercial Automobile Policy, (4) Airport Liability/Aircraft Policy. Specifications may be picked up beginning Wednesday, July 5 or thereafter in the Midland College Administrative Services Office Monday through Thursday, 7:00 am until 5:00 pm. Bids will be accepted no later than 3:00 p.m. Thursday, August 24, 1995 at which time they will be read aloud. Bids should be addressed to Rudy Gonzales, Vice President of Administrative Services, Midland College, 3600 N. Garfield, Midland, TX 79705. The College reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids submitted.

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NOTICE FOR BIDS

Midland County Hospital District is accepting bids for a BIRTHING BED.

Specifications may be secured at the Purchasing Office of Memorial Hospital and Medical Center on or after Thursday, July 6, 1995.

ALL BIDS MUST BE SEALED AND LABELED "BID #191-063095 ENCLOSED.

UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES WILL FAXED BIDS FROM BIDDERS BE ACCEPTED.

All bids must be received in the Materials Management Office by 12:00 P.M. on THURSDAY, JULY 20, 1995 at which time bids will be closed.

Bid opening will be at 2:00 P.M. in Department of Materials Management, Memorial Hospital and Medical Center, 2200 West Illinois, Midland, Texas, 79701, on Thursday, July 20, 1995.

ALL BIDS MUST BE PRICE PROTECTED UNTIL NOVEMBER 20, 1995.

All bids will remain confidential until after the Board of Directors has met and voted an award. Vendors will then be allowed to review the bids in the Purchasing Office according to Policy/Procedure of Memorial Hospital and Medical Center. Midland County Hospital District reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive formalities.

Director of
Materials Management
Purchasing Office
Midland County Hospital
District
Memorial Hospital
and Medical Center
2200 W. Illinois
Midland, TX 79701

NOTICE OF BID

IRAAN-SHEFFIELD
INDEPENDENT
SCHOOL DISTRICT

The Iraan-Sheffield Independent School District will be accepting sealed bid(s) for the purchase of the following personal property:

HEALTH INSURANCE

Additional information concerning this item may be obtained from the School District Administration Office, 100 S. Farr, between the hours of 8:00 am and 4:30 pm, Monday through Thursday.

Bids must be received in the School District Office of Administration not later than 2:00 pm, Wednesday, August 9, 1995. Any Bids received after 2:00 pm, Wednesday, August 9, 1995, will not be considered and returned to the bidder unopened. Bids will be let at the regular meeting of the Iraan-Sheffield I.S.D. Board of Trustees at the School Administration Building at 7:00 pm, Monday, August 14, 1995.

The School District reserves the right to accept or reject any bid or all or part of a bid, waive minor technicalities, and award the bid to best serve the interest of the School District.

Sealed bids should be addressed to:

Bobby D. McCall
Superintendent
Iraan-Sheffield Independent
School District
P.O. Box 486
Iraan, Texas 79744-0486
Phone: (915) 639-2512
Fax: (915) 639-2501

THE Midland Independent School District will receive Bids for Re-Roofing of Jane Long Elementary. Bid #5-0069. Bid specifications and regulations may be secured from Mr. James Riggen, AIA, Director of School Plant Services, Building #1, 801 South Moran, Midland, Texas 79701. Phone 689-1500. Bids will be opened in Mr. Riggen's office at 10:00 a.m., CST, July 12, 1995.

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MIDLAND, TX 79707

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MIDLAND, TX 79707

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779 TUTOR
PARIS, TX 75460

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118 COLUMBIA ST.
CLEBURNE, TX 76031

907 N. DALLAS ST.
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TORRES, MARIANO
1201 E. GOLF COURSE RD.
MIDLAND, TX 79701

915 EDWARDS ST.
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BLK: 003 LOT: 019
CURRY, FLORENCE MARIE
P.O. BOX 8522
MIDLAND, TX 79708

810 N. WEATHERFORD ST.
ADDN: HOMESTEAD
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THOMPSON, JAMES BRAUM
(RTS)
810 N. WEATHERFORD ST.
MIDLAND, TX 79701

312 E. OAK AV.
ADDN: LOMA LINDA SEC 3
BLK: 014 LOT: 015
FELIX, MAVIS
P.O. BOX 481004
TULSA, OK 74148

609 S. CLAY ST.
ADDN: GREENWOOD
BLK: 030 LOT: 008
BROWN, C.
(RTS)
611 S. CLAY ST.
MIDLAND, TX 79701

1208 E. GOLF COURSE RD.
ADDN: EAST MIDLAND
BLK: 81A LOT: 008
SMITH, BISHOP
RTN
1208 E. GOLF COURSE RD.
MIDLAND, TX 79701

408 S. WEBSTER ST.
ADDN: GREENWOOD
BLK: 012 LOT: 005
LINDSEY, GWENDOLYN M
(RTS).
408 S. WEBSTER ST.
MIDLAND, TX 79701

410 S. WEBSTER ST.
ADDN: GREENWOOD
BLK: 012 LOT: 006
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(RTS).
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MIDLAND, TX 79701

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110 Lodge Notices

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682-3292
Bill Dormady, W.M.
Robert G. Kiker, Sec.

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Bob Ellwood, Secy.

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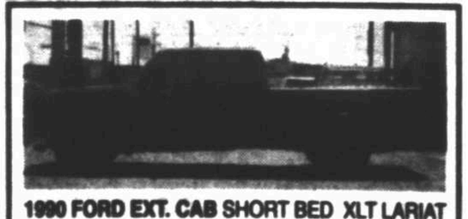

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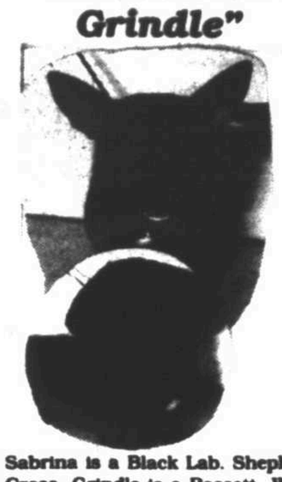

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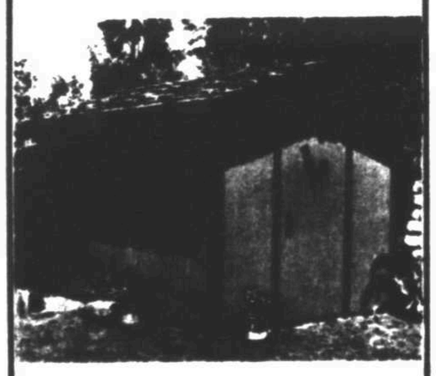

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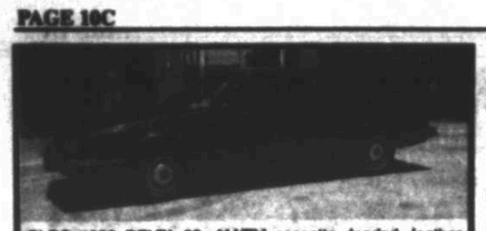

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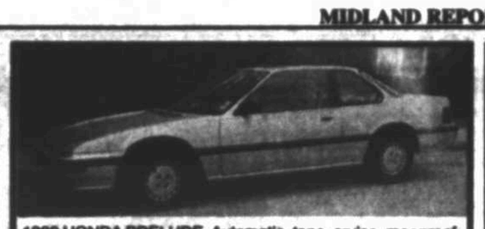

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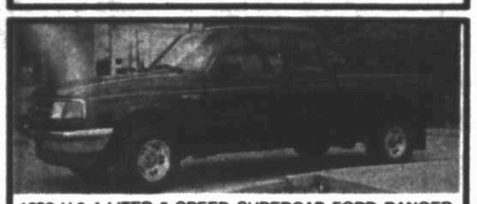

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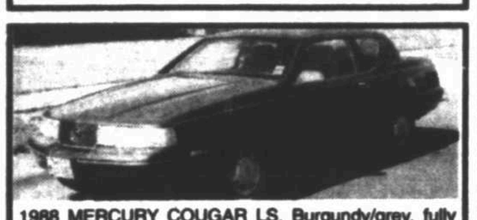

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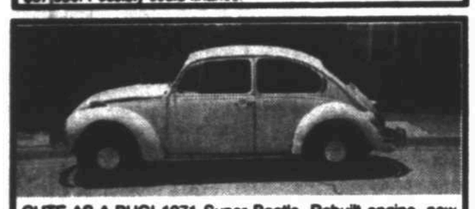
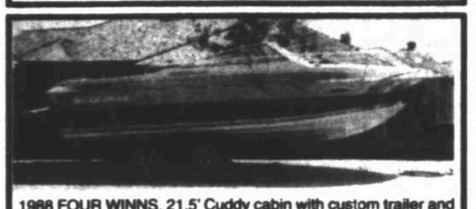
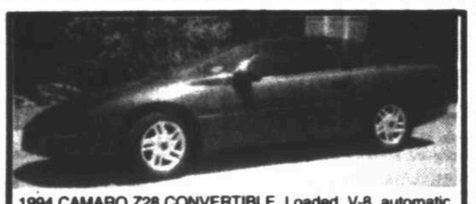


CUTE AS A BUG! 1971 Super Beetle. Rebuilt engine, new shocks, new tires, new radio and tape player. $2300 or best offer. Call 686-7908.

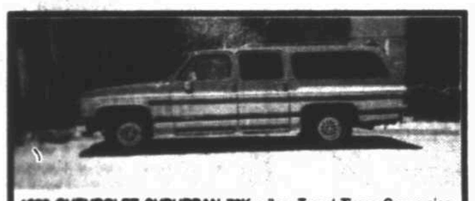


1988 FOUR WINNS. 21.5' Cuddy cabin with custom trailer and cover. 260 horsepower. Inboard/Outboard. Excellent condition. One owner-call Danny 687-5103 or 688-6969. $14,500.

1991 PONTIAC SUNBIRD LE CONVERTIBLE, white w/tan interior, electric locks/windows. Excellent condition, 26,000 miles, $9,600. Call 570-6007 M-F 8-5.



1994 CAMARO Z28 CONVERTIBLE. Loaded, V-8, automatic, low miles. A car this much fun to drive should be illegal. Great price $23,900, negotiable. 689-6011

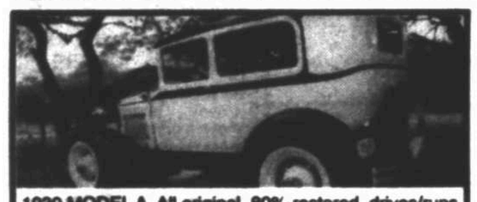


1990 CHEVROLET SUBURBAN 78K miles, Travel Times Conversion, aluminum wheels, custom paint, alarm system, running boards, towing package, garaged, super nice! $16,900 697-1420.

FORD 1995 BRONCO XLT. Next to new. Loaded. $25,750. Must sell, will consider take over payments. 699-5517.

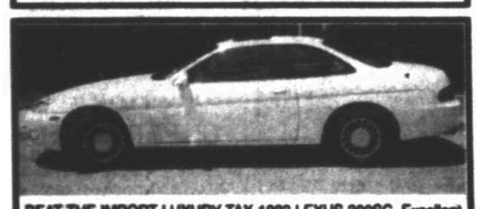
1991 FORD TAURUS, 53K, 6Cyl, PS/PB/AT. Air/cruise/pwr. win., seat, lock. Clean, good car. (915) 686-0798 after 5:00 or 682-9715, ext. 209.

1986 FORD XLT LARIAT F150 SUPERCAB PICKUP. $4,250. Please call and leave message 682-4224.



1930 MODEL A. All original, 80% restored, drives/runs good, extra set of wheels and hubcaps. $6,000. O.B.O. serious inquiries only. (915) 943-8652

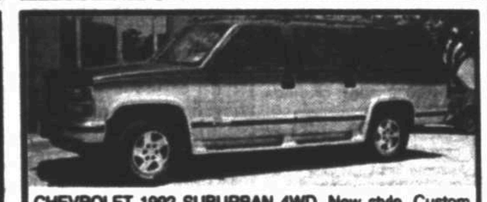
1989 SUN TRACKER 24' PARTY BARGE PONTOON. 90hp Johnson, like new only 75 hr. Garaged. Fully Equipped. Lake Ready! $11,500. 689-2340 Serious Inquiries Only.



BEAT THE IMPORT LUXURY TAX-1993 LEXUS 300SC. Excellent condition, 22,000 mi., automatic, white w/grey leather interior, air conditioning,AM/FM cassette. 520-6603 after 6 p.m. $29,900.

1990 EAGLE TALON TSI-White/black.44K, pampered baby by adult driver; tint, power locks/windows, leather, new tires, non-smoker. $10,650.00. 694-3765 or 570-7737

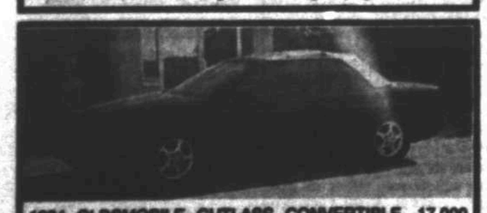
1994 CAMARO Z28. White w/grey leather, 6-speed, CD, all power. Showroom condition. 12K, 75K warranty. $21,000.00 OBO. Call Brad 362-2511(w) or 520-2657.



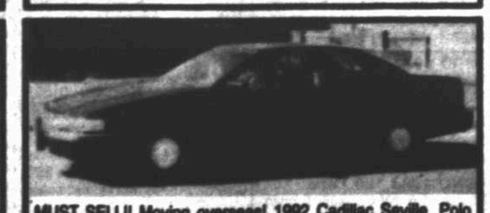
CHEVROLET 1992 SUBURBAN 4WD. New style. Custom teal and silver paint, running boards, security system. 52,000 miles. $22,000. 699-7730.

1992 CHEVY CHEYENNE. Automatic air, AM/FM, alarm, tinted, aluminum wheels, 45K, transferable warranty. Excellent condition. Asking $13,000 Digital pager 561-0995

1994 TOYOTA 4-RUNNER, V6, 4WD. 11,000 miles, fully loaded. White with tan leather interior, sunroof, CD. Below blue book. Daytime: Ron 683-5233, Evenings 697-7526



1994 OLDSMOBILE CUTLASS CONVERTIBLE. 17,000 miles, loaded $23,000 699-5555



MUST SELL!! Moving overseas! 1992 Cadillac Seville, Polo Green exterior, Tan leather interior. CD/Cassette Players. Digital Display. 39,900 miles. $23,500. Please Call 570-4061.

FORD 1991 TAURUS SHO. Strawberry red with black leather. Keyless entry, loaded with Premium sound CD. 38K Perfect condition. 697-2682 $11,950

BMW750-il 1989, cirrus blue, phone, AM/FM/Cassette, CD, sun roof, leather heated seats, alarm, radar detector, 52,000 miles, $22,000. Scott 682-3753, M-F, 8-5.

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Actual delivery takes 1 - 2 hours Monday - Saturday, and 2 - 3 hours on Sunday, depending on the size of the route. Papers must be delivered by 6 a.m. on weekdays and 7 a.m. on weekends.

You'll need a valid driver's license, and a dependable vehicle. A modest cash bond is also required to get your small business started.

For more information call the Circulation Department or apply in person

Midland Reporter-Telegram

201 E. Illinois

688-2700

310 General Help Wanted

INSTALLER

Southwestern Bell Mobile System (SBMS) one of the largest cellular provides in the United States, has an immediate opening for the following position in the Midland/Odessa area:

Installer: High School Diploma or equivalent required. 1 year service installation preferred. Valid drivers license as well as a safe and good driving record. Certification by a major manufacturer a plus. You will install cellular phones into all types of vehicles. Program, repair, and maintain cellular equipment. Tools provided.

Southwestern Bell Mobile Systems offers competitive salaries, commissions and a comprehensive benefits package. No phone calls will be accepted. All interested and qualified candidates should submit resumes specifying position applied for to:

Southwestern Bell
Mobile Systems
4937 E. 42nd
Odessa TX 79762

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310 General Help Wanted

COMMUNITY LIVING INSTRUCTORS

Provide instruction in basic social and living skills. Daily supervision, care, training and assessment of individuals. $5.00 per hour. Part-time, up to 38 hours per week. Midland and Odessa locations.

COMMUNITY SERVICE AIDES

Provide instruction in basic living skills. Provide training services to individuals enrolled in Supported Housing Programs. $5.00 per hour. Full-time and Part-time available. Midland locations.

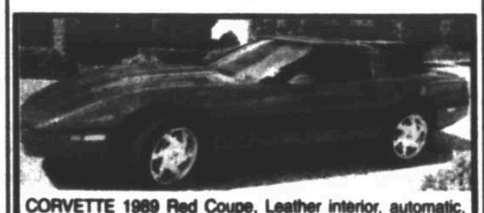
JOB COACHES

Train and assist clients in keeping a job in the community. Learn job and teach it to them. Evening and weekend hours are necessary. $5.00 per hour. Part-time up to 38 hours per week. Midland and Odessa locations.

UA ASSISTANT

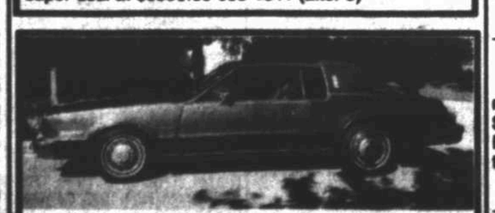
Substance abuse knowledge helpful. Will assist counselor in overseeing Federal Program and with urine collection procedure, labeling and storing. $5.00 per hour. Part-time, up to 38 hours per week. Odessa location.

Applications available ONLY at Permian Basin Community Centers, 401 E. Illinois, Suite 301, Midland 79701. E.O.E. **NO PHONE CALLS.**



CORVETTE 1989 Red Coupe, Leather interior, automatic, loaded. Excellent Condition. 46K miles. Priced below book at $16,400. 688-6985 days, 687-0908 evenings.

1992 CHEV. CHEYENNE P.U. LWB, V-6, New auto transmission, tires & starter, stereo system, clean & super deal at $8950.00 683-1041 (after 5)



1982 OLDS TORONADO. One owner, redwood color, loaded w/memory seat. $3450. Weekdays 682-0452, nights & weekends 697-7353.

310 General Help Wanted

BLIND BOX REPLIES

When replying to a blind box number listed in an advertisement, address your reply to:
(this is an example)

BOX Z-01
c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, TX 79702

The information for a blind box is confidential, therefore, The Midland Reporter-Telegram cannot disclose the identity of the advertiser to anyone for any reason. However, readers who are interested in a position offered, but do not want their resume to go to certain companies, can simply address the reply to the specific box number and place it in another envelope addressed to: Classified Supervisor and the address above. Include a list of the companies that you do not want your resume to reach. If the advertiser is anyone on your list, we will shred your resume without opening it.
If you have any questions please call 682-6222 and a friendly Classified Consultant will explain the procedure to you.
Thank You for using the Midland Reporter-Telegram Classifieds.

CAKE Decorator. Looking for the right person with special talents to help with cake decorating and also counter help. No phone applicants. Apply between the hours of 11 and 1 Monday thru Friday. Plaza Oaks Shopping Center, Wadley & Garfield, Midland.

CAREGIVER- Child Care Center needs full time caregiver for toddlers. High School diploma and day care experience required. Call 684-5009.

COMMUNITY ORGANIZER

Experienced community organizer needed to identify, recruit, and organize residents to participate in activities of the NHS. Experience in outreach, leadership development and training, and group facilitation required. Must have strong verbal and written communication skills in English and Spanish and be a self starter.

Send resumes to:
401E. Illinois, Suite 106
Midland, TX 79701
ATTN: Teresa Ramsey

Resumes must be received in the office by July 20, 1995. Not post-marked, but received in our office by July 20, 1995.

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COMPUTER USERS needed. Work own hours. $20K to $50K per year. 24 Hours 714-363-4203 extension 1397.

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COOK. Hours from 7 to 2. Preparing snacks and cooking lunches. Apply 2111 W. Michigan.

Restaurants

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Another **Black-eyed Pea Market Grill** will be opening soon in **Midland at 2609 West Loop 250 N.** The success of our new concept means more money for enthusiastic, service-oriented people like you!

We need:

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Apply in person Monday - Saturday, 9:00am - 6:00pm, at 2609 West Loop 250 N. Or, call Jerry Moore at (915) 685-0510 for more information.

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1-800-569-9232

The Midland Reporter - Telegram has routes available now in the following areas:

Downtown area
Illinois & Midkiff area
Midkiff & Cuthbert area
Midland High area

As with all newspaper distributorships, this opportunity requires 7 day a week commitment (when you go out of town, you must arrange a substitute for yourself) and it is early morning work.

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Apply in person or contact the Circulation Department:
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201 E Illinois
Midland

Or call Gilbert Silva..... 687-8810,
(please leave message)

310 General Help Wanted

The Midland Reporter- Telegram has an opening on one of its few "special allowance" routes. This larger route receives a $50.00 check each Friday in addition to the regular monthly route profits. There are two routes available:

Rankin Hwy & Cottonflat area
Midland Freshman area

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FOR EXTRA INCOME !!!

Deliver the Midland Reporter-Telegram to homes and retail locations in the ODESSA AREA. This route will be available on July 1st, 1995.

Please call Ronnie Griffith at 687-8805 for more information.

310 General Help Wanted

COOK. Big Spring State Hospital is seeking experienced institutional cook for a Head Cook II position. Apply in person at BSSH, Human Resources. Please bring proof of highest level of education, valid photo ID and social security card. Phone (915) 268-7256. EOE.

COOKS

Now hiring cooks, experience preferred. Apply in person only

KETTLE RESTAURANT
4206 West Wall
Midland, TX 79703
We are an equal opportunity employer

CREW WORKERS needed for pulling units. Call 570-7087, after 6:00 am.

310 General Help Wanted

CREW MEMBER needed for small drilling rig. Class A CDL required. Overtime and travel. All expenses paid. Oil Field construction experience helpful. Wage based upon experience. Good employee benefits. Call 682-8343, 24 hours, leave name and number.

FOOD SERVICE SUPERVISOR- Comanche Trail Nursing Center, Big Spring, is taking applications for food service supervisor. We offer competitive wages, paid health insurance, vacation and holidays. Please call (915) 263-4041 or fax resume to (915) 263-4087. Nursing home experience preferred. E. O. E.

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Excellent benefits including vacation, health insurance, free meals and room nights. PART TIME ASSOCIATES RECEIVE BENEFITS TOO!

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To set up a confidential interview please contact:

Delma or Candace at 683-0429
Monday 9 am to 5 pm

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WE'RE BUILDING FOR THE FUTURE

At Physicians and Surgeons Hospital, we are seeking talented individuals who wish to build their futures along with ours. As a 60-bed acute care facility, we are committed to providing and managing QUALITY care to our patients, while working in a more intimate, family atmosphere. We present the following career opportunities.

Licensed Physical Therapy Assistant

Full-time; Must have current Texas License as a Physical Therapy Assistant; current Texas Drivers License and reliable transportation required.

Transcriptionist

Full-time; 2-3 years Medical Transcriptionist experience required.

Data Collector

Full-time; Medical Records background; Risk Management experience; analytical skills a definite plus.

Medical Records Assistant

Temporary-Full-time; 1:00-9:30pm, Monday-Friday; on call required; Medical Records experience required; Hospital experience preferred.

Physicians and Surgeons hospital offers its staff competitive salaries., medical/dental insurance, tuition reimbursement, 24 days paid time off per year, shift/specialty/weekend differential, credit union membership and 401K.

We are currently in the process of constructing a new 100 bed acute care facility (scheduled opening Fall 1995), complete with state-of-the-art technology and equipment. For details on our exciting opportunities, interested persons should contact:

Physicians & Surgeons Hospital

J. Rick Brown • Director of Human Resources
P.O. Box 51070 • Midland, TX 79710
(915) 686-3837
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Quick Service Mexican Restaurant

Seeking aggressive, enthusiastic unit managers and assistants.

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Large, regional home care company has immediate position open for delivery driver. Must have CDL License and good driving record. Good communication skills and ability to work with elderly. Full benefits package. EOE.

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Karen Williams, RRT
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409 W. 5th St.
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New Midland business seeking full/part-time employees for assembly work on various consumer products. Applicants must be neat, courteous, and able to readily interpret and follow assembly instructions. Must be proficient in the use of various hand tools. Good driving record required. Great opportunity for retirees/college students to supplement income.

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Using unique selling points • Using complete words • Creating mind images with words • Always include a price • Use brand names when appropriate • Always include your phone number • Always include best times to call you • Give your ad a chance to work by advertising for a reasonable amount of time.

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310 General Help Wanted

CUSTODIAN

SIMON PROPERTY GROUP

MIDLAND PARK MALL

NIGHT CUSTODIAN needed full time. Should be experienced in stripping, waxing, and buffing. Six months to one year experience helpful. Must have good communications skills. If interested please apply at 4511 N. Midkiff, Mall Office from 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.
PLEASE NO PHONE CALLS.

CUSTOMER SERVICE- Fast growing company is looking for customer service representatives. Hourly, paid training. Good customer service skills a plus. Please fill out applications at 426 Andrews Hwy.

DELIVERY- SEEKING individual to deliver San Angelo Standard Times in Midland area. Earn approximately $400 a month. Early morning hours. Must be bondable. Call 1-800-588-1884 Ext. 293.

DELIVERY/ Collection. Must be 25, possess valid Texas Drivers License and clean driving record. Apply in person, No Phone Calls. Imperial Rentals, 3306 W. Illinois, Monday - Friday, 10 am to 5 pm.

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Change is GOOD!
Start 25¢- 32¢/ mi. (based on exp.) + Bonuses! Great Benefit Package for driver & family. Top pay **38¢** + Bonuses! 23 years old, CDL (A) w/ HazMat.
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AWESOME OPPORTUNITY

This is not a job, but it is work.
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Experienced kill truck, vacuum truck & winch truck drivers needed. Drug screening required. Class A CDL with HazMat. Apply in person, Monday-Friday, Trey Trucks 3700 E. Garden City Hwy. 687-1080.

FOR RESUMES that get results. Call 699-1919. Fast service. Reasonable rates. Professional quality.

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POSTAL WORKERS

Paid training while you learn postal operations. H.S. diploma grads, 17-34 years old. Travel, excellent fringe benefits. Paid relocation. Call 1-800-292-5547. Local interview available.

GENERAL- Cactus Moon is now taking applications. Must be TABC certified. Apply between 12- 2 pm, Tuesday through Friday, 1006 S. Midkiff.

GENERAL- NEED Care Takers and Cook/ Care Taker for personal care home. Call 687-1650 for appointment.

The Midland Reporter - Telegram has routes available now in the following areas:

Available Now!

"A" Street Routes
Lee Freshman

Available 8/1/95!

DeZavala Area
"A" Street & Loop 250

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Or call Pat Keahey..... 687-9002,
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MARKETING ASSISTANT

Fast- paced automotive aftermarket company needs sharp, high energy, very organized individual to assist with media material and ad placement scheduling. Must be computer literate, with good language and writing skills. Minimum 1 year college mandatory. Fax resume to: (915) 687-5951, Attn: Anita, or bring to Jacobs Electronics, 500 N. Baird, Midland. EOE, M/F.

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Come grow with us as our expansion continues! Learn our business from "the ground up" Start at **$1500 a month average.** We offer a full benefits package plus a 401(K) plan, also higher earnings as your career progresses.
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Mondays-Fridays
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310 General Help Wanted

GENERAL- SONIC DRIVE- IN, north Midkiff Road, is now hiring Cooks, Wait Staff and Cashiers. All shifts available, many shifts available during school hours. Please apply in person only 1109 N. Midkiff.

HAIR DRESSER needed with experience. Operator retiring. Excellent environment. 694-2579 or 520-8217 ask for Patricia.

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310 General Help Wanted

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Fax 333-6078
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(Fax 689-0486
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Shelly Smith, Director Community Services
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Phone (915) 263-0007. Fax (915) 264-0916
EOE

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Tips for beating burglars

Safety in the home is a subject that would cover volumes of books. As Realtors, we take our safety and those of our clients/customers very seriously. For instance, lockboxes instead of issuing keys out with addressed labels, is not just for the convenience of showing for Realtors, but they are for the safety of the HomeOwner. Burglaries and vandalism unfortunately do happen, but if you follow good old common-sense, it will not be because caution was not taken by your Realtor and sub-agents. Talk to your agent and take necessary precautions similar to those you normally do when going on vacation (don't leave numerous daily papers collecting in yard!). As general review, here's a few facts and tips to generally deter a Burglar.

Peggy Strong, Chaparral Realtors

Burglaries aren't limited to the summer months, although break-ins peak in August when 9.3% of them occur. Protecting your possessions at home has become a year-round job, often requiring more "common sense" than dollars and cents.

The average burglar spends no more than 60 seconds breaking in. In fact, 40% of burglars get in without using any force at all. Security experts say the trick is to delay a burglar 90 seconds or more, because when burglars encounter delays in entering, they often become nervous and move on to an easier target. Deadbolts in which the bolt extends at least 1 1/2 inches into the door frame make it more difficult to break in. Even a simple metal rod in a sliding patio door makes a big difference.

An empty television or VCR carton outside your home is a beacon to burglars. When you put the carton out for pickup, turn it inside out or cut it up.

In 13% of home burglaries, robbers find someone at home. If you re ever faced with this situation, don't confront the burglar. The best strategy is to get out of the house fast. In the nightmarish event that you wake up and find a burglar in the room, experts suggest you pretend you're asleep; most burglars won't attack unless frightened.

If you return home and find that your house has been broken into, get out of the house fast. Find a phone and call the police, but don't go into your house until the police arrive. The burglar could still be inside. Once inside, don't touch anything until the police finish their search. And don't give the police a list of missing items off the top of your head because the police report will become the basis for your insurance claim. Get a copy of the police report and take photos of any vandalism or damage before cleaning up.

Seminar planned for August 5th

Kay Sutton, Realtors will be offering a home buying seminar with a step-by-step guide to the home buying process on August 5th from 8:30 a.m to 12 noon at Kay Sutton Realtors Meeting Center, 702 Andrews Highway, Midland.

Kay Sutton, Kay Sutton Realtors

The seminar will feature speakers from the following fields; mortgage lenders, mechanical and termite inspectors, title company closing agents, insurance agents and realtors.

Mortgage lenders will be explaining both the qualifying requirements and the loan processing steps, mechanical and termite inspectors will discuss the process of home inspections and insurance agents will be on hand to offer advice on home and furnishings insurance. Realtors will help with the process of selecting a home and the paperwork involved.

A closing agent from a title company will also explain the title search and closing process once the buyer has found a home.

The Home Buying Seminar is being offered free to those who are interested. All reference material will be furnished. Space is limited, so reservations are necessary. You may reserve your seat by calling Kay Sutton Realtors at 570-8200.

312 Professional Help Wanted

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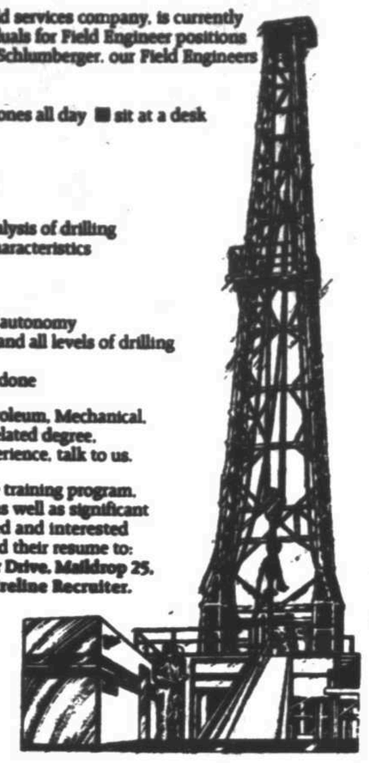

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Full-time position with Print Tech, Texas Tech University's full-service campus printing facility. Primary function of position is coordination of daily operations of PrinTech's design/graphics/desktop publishing division. Because of the high level of staff and customer interaction, candidates must possess excellent people and written/verbal communication skills. Technical duties include hands-on design, graphics, illustration and desktop publishing using traditional and electronic methods; customer interface; sales of goods and services provided by department; and technical advice and expertise. Management responsibilities include supervision and training of staff; day-to-day coordination of work flow in a cost effective manner; liaison with Production Manager to coordinate cost-effective, efficient production of jobs; and liaison with Director on long and short-term capital equipment needs, strategic planning, marketing, and personnel functions. Minimum of 5 years progressively responsible experience in full-service, sheetfed, four-color commercial printing environment or ad agency, including 2 years of supervisory experience. Bachelor's degree in related field preferred. Must have working knowledge of modern commercial offset printing operations and technology and ability to work well under pressure in a multi-task environment to meet customer deadlines. Must have specific hands-on experience with Macintosh computers and peripherals and high resolution output devices. Specific knowledge of commonly used DTP software packages such as Aldus PageMaker, Quark Xpress, Adobe Illustrator and Photoshop. Digital printing and publishing experience desirable. Salary $25,164 per year. Comprehensive employee benefits plan. Please send resume, including information on availability and format of professional portfolio, to Texas Tech University, Personnel Department, Box 41093, Lubbock TX 79409-1093, (806) 742-3851, or pick up application at 143 Drane Hall. Applications received by July 24, 1995, will receive preference. Texas Tech is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action/ADA (Americans With Disabilities Act) Employer.

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For testing of computer systems using PC's, PLC's and Flow computers. Entry level considered. Knowledge in Quick Basic and/ or Visual Basic helpful. Some travel required. NO PHONE CALLS. Local established company. Resumes only to:

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Bachelor's degree in elementary education, early childhood, kindergarten, special education or a related field. Must have valid Texas teaching certificate. Provide education services to infants and children 0-3 years of age who are in the Infant Stimulation Program. Ft. Stockton location. $2,000 per month.

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Bachelor's degree in human services field. Conduct interdisciplinary team meetings, complete required reports, complete enrollment and discharge packets, observe programming services, and conduct supervision and staff scheduling. Odessa location $1813.50 per month.

Applications ONLY available at Permian Basin Community Centers, 401 E. Illinois, Suite 301, Midland TX 79701. E.O.E. NO PHONE CALLS.

312 Professional Help Wanted

PC TECHNICIAN

Local Oil & Gas company seeking individual with experience trouble-shooting PC hardware and software. Knowledge of DOS, Windows and OS/2 a must. Understanding of LANs, AIX and TCP/IP a plus. Skills with Wordperfect and Lotus products desired.

Please forward resume along with complete salary history to:

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P.O. Box 1650
Midland Texas 79702

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314 Clerical Help Wanted

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Candidates for this position should enclose a complete resume including salary history. All resumes must be received by 5:00 p.m. Monday, August 7, 1995. All replies will be held in strict confidence. Direct replies to:

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County Judge
Midland County Courthouse
200 W. Wall, Suite 106
Midland, Texas 79701

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OFFICE SYSTEM TECHNOLOGY

Applications are invited for the position of Office System Technology at Odessa College. Bachelor's degree; minimum of three years non-teaching work experience in a secretarial or office assistant position; experience using and/or teaching WordPerfect, accounting, LOTUS 1-2-3, typewriting, and supportive professional references. Preference will be given to applicants who have teaching and/or work experience in a state of the art business environment using software/hardware, such as WordPerfect for Windows, Database programs, Desktop publishing, Fax machines and Internet use. Successful teaching experience at a Community College and/or secondary school level is desired. This position is for nine months per year with beginning salary ranging from $28,973 to $32,673. Application deadline is July 18, 1995. Apply in the Personnel Office, Odessa College, Monday-Thursday, 8AM-5PM; 915-335-6606; AA/EOE/ADA CLOSED FRIDAYS.

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PUBLIC AUCTION

10 a.m. Sat. July 15, 1995
C.I.S.D. Adm. Bldg. Colorado City, Tx.
Gym on Corner of 12th & Hickory

COLORADO IND. SCHOOL DIST.

Directions: Off of IH-20. Take 208 then go south on Hickory St. to corner of Hickory and 12th St. Entrance to gym is on 12th. These items are excess to the need of the C.I.S.D. & will be sold at Public Auction.

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79705

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79706

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4500 Oriole	4/3	$2,200
4004 Springfield Ct. (Available Aug. 15)	4/3 3/4	$1,750
1901 North D (TH, pool, over 2000)	3/3	$1,600
1418 W. Pine	3/2 1/2	$1,200
1011 W. Texas (Office)	3/2	$800
4909 Bellegrove	3/2	$800
4307 Thornberry	3/2	$800
3809 Permian	3/2	$800
3204 Shandon	3/2	$700
711 Dormard	3/2	$700
3821 Gulf	3/2	$745
4312 Pasadena	3/2	$650
2400 N. Pecos	3/2	$470
1008 W. Missouri (Business)	2 1/2	$550
1008 W. Missouri (East Side)	1/1	$500

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ADDRESS	BEDROOMS	BATHS	LEASE PMTS:	SECURITY
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3213 W. SHANDON	3	2	$625.00	$400.00
204 ACKLEN	3	2	$495.00	$300.00
4719 COMMANCHE	3	1	$390.00	$300.00
4709 BOULDER #1305	2	2	$395.00	$300.00
4707 C SHADY LANE	2	1	$295.00	$175.00
4705 C SHADY LANE	2	1	$295.00	$175.00
4700 BOULDER	2	2	$225.00	$225.00
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4503 MEADOW LARK LANE, north off Midland Drive. 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, 1.39 acres, horse stalls, etc. Owner/ Agent. 694-6037.

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Beautifully decorated 3/2/2 located at 4515 Fairbanks. Owner transferred, recently reduced $4,000! Taxable value-$78,450. Priced at only $73,500! Open this Sunday from 1-3 pm.

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1608 W. WASHINGTON. Large 2- Bedroom Older Home + Rental Unit. Completely Remodeled. Central Air. Lovely Hardwood Floors. $29,500. Williams & Assoc., 694-6663.

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FANTASTIC Totally updated 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, 2 car garage, central heat and air, hardwood floor. Must see! 1308 W Tennessee. 686-7533.

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NEW CONSTRUCTION $79,500
3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage, custom built cabinets, raised ceilings with 2 set crown molding, his-n-her closets, separate shower and garden tub...PICKYOUR OWN COLORS..Call now for more details!

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3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, carport, oversized lot, new dishwasher, disposal, kitchen cabinets, water heater, storm windows. Nice neighborhood, excellent starter or investment. 699-7303.

3 BEDROOM, 1 bath, central air, water system, fenced large yard, fruit trees. 1200 Tennessee. 699-9759.

FOR SALE 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage, huge pool and yard in "Old Midland" area. 3112 W. Michigan. Call 1(806) 745-1784.

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GREEN TREE: REDUCED!
GREAT Buy with 2 living areas, 3 bedrooms, formal dining area and much more. OPEN TODAY 3:30-5:00. 6213 Sequoia **$108,000**

TODD ROAD - COUNTRY LISTING
4 bedrooms, 2 bath on 1.04 acres. Some hardwood floors. OPEN TODAY 1:00-3:00 2110 Todd Road. **$67,000**

NEW LISTING!
LANHAM. This 3 bedroom home is charming from the minute you drive up! Pride in ownership is found throughout! **$49,700**

ACREAGE
4 acres in North West of County. Off of C.R. 60 (bus barn). New construction in this area..... **$24,000**

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4 BEDROOM, 3 bath, formal living/ dining, large den, sequestered mother in law or 4 bedroom with kitchen, completely remodeled with new carpet, paint and ceramic tile in kitchen. $79,500. By appointment only, Gayland Simpson- Agent, 697-1337 or 684-7830.

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MOCKINGBIRD HEIGHTS LOTS AVAILABLE 559-6916 557-5557

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4511 CARDINAL LANE in Melody Acres. 4 bdrm, 3 bath, 3 car garage, 2 acres. Call Sue Lasnerich (Owner-Agent) Langston Realtors 685-0400. Evenings 694-8752.

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OWNER financed. 307 W. Hamby. 2 bedroom, 1 bath, garage, washer, dryer connections, carpet, good neighborhood. $500 down, payments approx. $325 monthly, includes taxes and insurance. Owner/ Agent. Drive by first then call 699-6454.

VA/ HUD HOMES. 0 to 3% down. All prices. All areas. Free List. Free Consultation & Bid Placement. Financial Assistance Available. Robles Real Estate, 309 E. Illinois, 682-0470. Se Habla Espanol.

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By Owner
5000 King Richards Row
✔REDUCED: $114,900✔
4 Bedroom, 2- 1/2 Bath
2 Car Garage, Ceramic Tile, Great Neighborhood,
6- 1/2% FHA Assumable Loan
Call 520-0961

★ FOR SALE By Owner-
Nice 2 bath brick home with concrete block shop and fence, carport, storage, nice trees. 694-1639.

FOR SALE BY OWNER-HOMEOWNER- Need assistance in selling your home? Call us. No Obligation. Robles Real Estate, 682-0470

FOR SALE- By Owner. Recently refurbished 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage, vaulted living room ceiling, large fireplace. Near Bush Elementary and Abell Junior High. 2905 Wydewood Drive. $85,200. Leave message, 697-4512.

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BY OWNER: FHA, non -qualifying assumption 8.5% interest. Approximately 2200 sq. ft. 4 Bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, 2 living areas, 2 dining areas, 2 fireplaces, inground pool. Also has single bedroom studio apartment separate from house. Apartment has kitchen, living & dining areas with approximately 500 sq. ft. totally great for rental. Located 3 blocks from Lee High in a quiet and friendly neighborhood. Interested parties call Days (806) 592-6562, evenings (806) 592-7669 or 697-7046.

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SOUTHERN LIVING
4 Bedrooms, 3 Living Areas, Lots of Attention to Detail, Custom Woodwork, Leaded Glass, Accent Lighting. This classic beauty can be yours for only $180,000.

OPEN HOUSE
Sunday 2-4
3506 CANEMONT
Freshly painted and new carpet. 3 bedrooms, 2 bath in Fairmont Park. Condition, Locations, and Price of $73,500 Demands Fast Action.

WHERE'S MY HOME? If your home was listed with Vicky Garrett at Chaparral Realtors it would be here! She advertises the homes she markets.....

NEW CONSTRUCTION
Just completed 2 story in country club setting with 4 bedrooms plus study, formals, 3 1/2 baths, 3 car garage. All for $199,900.

LOOKING FOR A GOOD BUY?
You are at the right place at the right time on this one. 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick home with refrigerated air. Seller will pay $1,000 toward Buyer closing costs. $48,900.

UNDER $100 IN TRINITY
Bargain priced but fully loaded with plantation shutters, French doors, high ceilings, stained glass, exceptional master.

FAMILY DELIGHT
Great family home in Old Midland, pool, spa, game room, 4 bedrooms + study, mother-in-law plan. $250,000.

IT'S LOADED
Everything you could imagine, 2 story, 17 acres, barn, pool, tennis courts, RV storage, guest house, caretaker quarters. Recent price reduction.

COWBOY
2 story ranch house with game room, basement, tile flooring, six acres, fenced. $81,000.

HIDDEN TREASURE
Custom 4000+ sq. ft., 19 acres, barn, pool. Designed around atrium, huge rooms. Owner says make offer.

INDIVIDUALISTIC
Superb Old Midland brick floors, high ceilings, pool, sequestered 4th bedroom, 4 baths, study. Steal this for $108,900.

ATTENTION: FOR SALE BY OWNERS?
Establishing fair market value is critical in marketing your home. Vicky will be happy to give her professional broker's price, opinion- without cost or obligation, of course. For knowledge, competence and unbeatable service, call VICKY GARRETT Broker Associate.

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OPEN HOUSE: SUNDAY JULY 9, 1995

1208 LORAINE: 3 br, 1 ba. Near school & park. $25,000. Shown 1:00 - 3:00pm, by BRENDA WALLACE.

NEW LISTINGS

HOWARD - Beautifully maintained wood frame home. 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, breakfast room with built-in hutch, large evaporative air conditioner. Only one half block from Burnet Elementary. Call MAY ADELAIDE BARBER.
HEREFORD - Exceptionally nice and roomy 4 bedroom home. Located in Grassland Estates this home is guaranteed to give you something different. Convenient to Scharbauer, Abell, & Lee High. $136,900. Call DAVID COLLINS
BURCHILL - Cute Stucco Home with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, single car garage, central heat and air conditioning, corner lot. $41,500. Call MAY ADELAIDE BARBER

SCOTTSBORO	Beverly Dwyer	$ 199,500
Only 1 year old: Custom built 4 bedroom, 3 bath, 2 living areas, study, & kitchen to die for!		
SHADY OAK	Beverly Dwyer	$ 154,900
FORE!!!: 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath golf course home w/ 2 living, fireplace, 3 c garage, beautiful trees.		
CR 130	May Adelaide Barber	$ 135,000
Gentleman's Country Estate: 4 bedroom, 2 bath, on 10 acres, security system, TV satellite system.		
AUBURN	Beverly Dwyer	$ 109,000
Now Is The Time: 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath, 2 living areas, hobby room, on a tree shaded cul-d-sac.		
CR 180 W	Shirley Rogers	$ 90,000
Lots of Extras: 10.37 acres, 2 barns, 3 ww, windmill & tank, drip system, cedar cabin, & equipment.		
NORTH "B"	Brenda Wallace	$ 69,900
Spacious: 4 bedroom, 2 bath, formal dining, sunroom, fireplace, 2 c garage, water softener, oversized corner lot.		
ASPEN		$ 66,000
Private & on a Corner: 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath Townhouse, fireplace, 2 car garage, & patio.		
"A" STREET	Gary Telnert	$ 65,000
Lots & Lots of Room: 4 bedroom, 2 bath, storage in back, new heating & a/c, newly remodeled kitchen.		
CR 1130	Linda Slate	$ 65,000
Land Ho: 22.5 acres, 3 br, 2 ba, mobile home, + 4 other home hook-ups, 2 ww, septic systems. Cleared & fenced.		
W. DENGAR	Forrest Taylor	$ 64,500
Tree Shaded: 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 living areas, 2 car garage, water softener, extra room in garage.		
REDBUD, ODESSA	Mary Maddoux	$ 59,500
Make this Home your own: 3 bedroom, 2 bath, formal dining, fireplace, central heat & a/c.		
W. KANSAS	Forrest Taylor	$ 52,000
Corner Lot: 4 large bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 living areas, fireplace, open patio, plus workshop & storage area.		
W. STOREY	Shirley Rogers	$ 52,000
Great West Side Home: 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 c garage. Needs some T-L-C. Can go non qualifying assumption.		
PRINCETON	May Adelaide Barber	$ 50,000
Super Deal ! Clean, Neat 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage, newer home with fireplace.		
W. PINE	Gloria Valdez-Farmer	$ 49,000
Lots of Room: 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 living, and a large yard.		
VILLAGE WAY, ODESSA	Mary Maddoux	$ 46,500
Comfortable Elegance: 2 bedroom Townhome, with 2 baths, 2 living areas, and fireplace.		
HARLOWE	May Adelaide Barber	$ 45,000
Quaint: 3 bedroom, 2 bath with spacious living area with bay window, workshop/apartment in back.		
ILLINOIS	Fay Baum	$ 44,000
Fabulously Decorated: 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 living areas, central heat & air, decorated to the max!		
TRAVIS	Mary Maddoux	$ 41,700
Easy Buys It: 3 bedroom, 1.5 bath, 1 car garage, newly painted, & new roofing. Non-qualifying assumable.		
TENNESSEE	Gary Telnert	$ 39,900
Great Investment Property: 2 bedroom, 1 bath, central heat & air, wheel chair accessible, quiet neighborhood.		
WILSHIRE	Gary Telnert	$ 39,900
Perfect: 3 bedroom, 2 bath, with large kitchen, steel siding, & storm windows.		
ROOSEVELT	May Adelaide Barber	$ 31,000
Surprisingly Large rooms for a small price. 3 bedroom, 1 bath with storage in back, recent a/c.		
WEATHERFORD	Brenda Wallace	$ 28,000
Spacious is the word: 3 bedroom, 2 bath, large living area, nice sized kitchen, on a corner lot.		
APACHE	Brenda Wallace	$ 28,000
It's a cutie: Remodeled 3 bedroom, 1 bath, with modern colors, covered patio, storage shed in back yard.		
LORAINE	Brenda Wallace	$ 25,000
One Owner Home: 3 bedroom, 1 bath, large living area, near school and park; very well kept.		
KANSAS	Gary Telnert	$ 25,000
Cute Starter Home: 2 bedroom, 2 bath, 1 carport, on a large lot, zoned commercial.		
SPRABERRY	Gary Telnert	$ 24,900
Handy Man Special: 3 bedroom, 1 bath. Could be a great rental property investment.		
THOMASON	Brenda Wallace	$ 23,500
Remodeling throughout this 2 bedroom, 1 bath home. Spacious rooms, 1 carport, and lots of trees.		
ROOSEVELT	Forrest Taylor	$ 15,000
Fix 'er Upper: 3 bedroom, 1 bath, possible owner financing.		
CARVER	Gary Telnert	$ 5,000
Special: As is, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, 1 living, close to school.		
SIESTA LANE - DUPLEX'S		$ 31,000-56,000
CONDO'S	Availible at: Fairmont, Sandstone, & WestCastle	$ 12,500-20,000
COMMERCIAL PROPERTIES		From: $ 35,000 - $ 190,000
Located on: Illinois, Wall St., Big Spring, Garden City Hwy., Colorado, Missouri, & Midland Dr.		
LOTS / ACREAGE: Wide variety of sizes to choose from		From: $ 1,500 - $ 90,000
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WE INVITE YOU TO STOP BY THESE HOMES OPEN TODAY!
3300 DENTCREST - FANTASTIC FAIRMONT PARK!-Beautiful large home that has all the amenities. 3 Br/2Ba in Excellent Condition! $76,900 Open only from 1:30 to 2:30. Shown by Marisa Beckett.
907 CITATION - EXCLUSIVE SADDLE CLUB NORTH-New Listing and first time open! Out of the Ordinary town home with 4 BR/3.5 BA/2 LV. Huge, Mature Landscaping. Immediate Occupancy!!! Open only from 3:00 to 4:00. Shown by Marisa Beckett

NEWEST LISTINGS

CEDAR SPRINGS-great family home, 3 BR, corner lot priced to sell very quickly $30,000 call Teresa Griffin 697-5206.
MCDONALD-Delightful 3BR, 2 bath home with new paint, central heat & air, storm windows - too much to list.
COTTON FLAT-3 BR country home close in, 2 living areas, 2 carports, 1 car garage with room for storage, fenced, $48,000 call Ruth Shields 563-3680.
PLEASANT-easy to buy - Non-qualifying assumption - 3BR, 2 living area, large LA w/fireplace, beautiful yard, $41,000 call 686-7000.
DELMAR-4BR, 3 bath, 2 living areas with plenty of updating for only $55,000 call Alice Howard 694-3040.
DENTCREST-One of a kind family home - 3 BR, 2 bath Northwest Midland close to shopping $76,900 call Teresa Griffin 697-5206.
LOCKHEED-Old Midland charm, large corner lot. 4BR, lots of space, great location, lots new $78,900 call 686-7000.
HEATHER-TOTALLY redone, all new, pretty southwest colors, hot tub off master BR, $125,000. Non-qualifying. Great Loan. Call Alice Howard 694-3040.
SEQUOIA-Outstanding 2 story, 4 or 5 BR, lg. LA, den, pretty landscaping, lots of space $189,900. Call Norma Pine 682-0662 to view this one.
RADCLIFF-Wonderful 5 BR, on corner lot in Trinity West, custom built, over 3,800 call Norma Pine 682-0662 for your appointment to see.

MORE OUTSTANDING PROPERTIES

HOWARD-already have FHA appraisal, inspections and repairs on this 3 BR for $36,000 - call John Nobles 694-4464.
GLENWOOD-3 BR, 1 LA, lots & lots new and NON-QUALIFYING, easy to own $42,950 call 686-7000.
PLEASANT-3 BR, 1 LA, recent carpet & paint, great price for all the amenities $47,500 call 686-7000.
ERIE-3 BR, 2 LA fantastic open plan, every Mom's dream kitchen, too many extras, hot tub, only $47,900 call Jody Smith 694-9426.
STANOLIND-Mrs. Clean lives here! 3BR with new carpet, paint, roof, wallpaper, FP in den $47,900 call 686-7000.
PRINCETON-3 BR, 3 LA on large corner lot, large workshop, lots for the money $48,750 call John Nobles 694-4464 for your appointment to see this one.
EDWARDS-Size is the thing! 4BR, 2 BA, 1 LA close to Crockett, built-ins, bomb shelter, great buy $49,900 call 686-7000 or Jody Smith 694-9426.
PASADENA-lots of updating, 3 BR, 2 LA, fireplace, very affordable at $50,000 call Ruth Shields 563-3680
HUMBLE-**Super star 4 BR, lots of remodeling, park like yard, spacious LA w/rock fireplace only $65,000 call Teresa Griffin 697-5206.
GULF-remodeled kitchen, 3 BR, 2 LA or 1 LA & den, carpet allowance $69,900 call 686-7000.
MARCIE LANE-light bright 3 BR, lush garden w/exquisite flowers, hardwood floors, bonus office area all for $77,500 call Teresa Griffin 697-5206.
CANEMONT-Welcome home, much TLC in this 3BR in Fairmont, 2 bath, cozy fireplace, only $77,500 call Ruth Shields 563-3680.

TODAY'S FEATURE HOME
WOULDN'T YOU LIKE TO LIVE HERE?
Absolutely fantastic 2 story home in Greentree Country Club. Flexible plan - can be 5 bedrooms or 4 bedrooms plus a study/craft room. Elegant living area, formal dining, super kitchen - over 3,600 sq. ft. Gorgeous landscaping. Call Norma Pine today 682-0662 or Chaparral Realtors 686-7000 to view this spectacular property.

BRAZOS-one of Northgate's largest homes, 3 BR, pretty FP, lots new, immaculate $78,500 call Norma Pine 682-0662.
FAIRHAVEN-Fairmont Park contemporary in quiet cul-de-sac lot, 3 BR, wet bar, custom draperies, very large lot & priced to sell quickly $78,000 call Alice Howard 694-3040.
RAINBOW CIRCLE-new consturction, 3 BR, new plan, 10 ft. ceiling in LA + crown molding, time to pick colors, $79,500 call Ruth Shields 563-3680.
NORTHTOWN-3BR, 1 LA, spacious den, atrium area, 2 car garage + 2 carports $84,900 call Nelda Welborn 697-8301.
CLAREMONT-3BR, Resnick built, well maintained, formal dining, wet bar $84,500 call 686-7000.
LOCKHEED-4 BR, 3 BA, 2 LA, QUALIFYING ASSUMPTION, mother-in-law plan $89,900 call 686-7000.
WEDGEWOOD-wonderful quiet cul-de-sac nestles this 3 BR, framed molding in dining area, all for $95,000 call Teresa Griffin 697-5206.
LOCKHEED-Old Midland charm! 4 BR, 2 LA, 4th BR is seq w/bath, POOL, corner lot $109,900 call Tracy Dau 694-4732.
CROWLEY-WOW! Grasslands Kahler built 4 BR less than 2 yrs. old, next to club house $119,900 call Tracy Dau 694-4732.
STILLMEADOW-A+ in design for entertaining, 4 BR, oversize den w/FP, garden tub & marble shower in master $120,000 call Marisa Beckett TODAY! 699-7161.
TERRA CT.-Robert Graham Const. 4 lg. BRs, closets, 3 baths, country kitchen, workshop in garage - $144,900 call 686-7000.
HACKBERRY-sleeper on course in Greentree 3 or 4BR, wonderful view and new price $146,900 call Norma Pine.
STANOLIND-Just Reduced Again.Super 4BR patio home with atrium, surrounds lovely inground pool, Mamar location priced right at $145,000 call Alice Howard 694-3040.
KNIGHTS PLACE-Prestigious Polo Park, 4 BR, 2 LA one owner home in tip top condition $167,900 call 686-7000.
RIDGEBORO-Greentree North New construction by Mike McPherson, 2 story 4BR, study must see $199,900 call Alice Howard 694-3040.
COUNTRY CLUB-Old Midland 4 BR w/seq, mother-in-law, 3 LA, pool, spa, gameroom $249,878 call 686-7000.
BAYBROOK-Mockingbird Heights - another outstanding James Morris home, 4 BR, 2 LA, wood floors, a must see, $265,000 call Norma Pine 682-0662.
BENT TREE TRAIL-New construction in Greentree North by James Morris, custom plan 4 BR + study, sprawling lot, outstanding view of course $289,500 call Norma Pine.

SUBURBAN

FM 1213-3 BR on 6 acres, upstairs gameroom w/wet bar, basement, low utilities $81,000 call 686-7000.
FM 307-3 or 4 BR, Greenwood, hot tub, barn w/living quarters, stalls, fenced, and more $199,000 call Ruth Shields 563-3680.
CO. RD. 1265-Mediterranean style villa on 19+ acres, barn, windmill, pond & more $350,000 call 686-7000.
CO. RD. 60-4 BR home + 2 BR caretaker house, barns, tennis courts, pool, workshop on 17 acres $695,000 call 686-7000.

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CALL TODAY

REDUCED
3806 MICHIGAN-Lots of space for the money. Quick walk to school. Beautiful yard with storage. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths. $69,900.
2814 METZ-Lovely 4 bedroom with 3 living areas. updated and clean. $112,000.
2104 WARD-New paint with lots of space, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths - move-in shape. $65,000.

NEW LISTINGS
4413 ST. ANDREW-Home Sweet Home! 3 bedrooms, 2 baths with lots of neutral colors. Ready to move in. $81,000.
2502 SINCLAIR-Lovely, completely remodeled in old Midland. 4 bedrooms, 2 baths with lots of space. $140,000.

LISTINGS U/C
2609 HUGHES $95,000
3303 TRINITY MEADOWS

1909 BRUNSON-Great home with lots of charm. Remodeled and up to date bathrooms, 3 bedrooms, 3.5 baths with a pool, $157,000.
5111 GREENTREE BLVD-Low maintenance, living with a beautiful view - 3 bedrooms, 3.5 baths with one large living area. $145,000
1704 COVENTRY-Large and lovely! 4 bedrooms, 3 baths in Polo. Backyard large enough for a pool. Corner lot. $115,900.

AMY JOHNSON
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IMMACULATE
3 bedroom, 2 bath, wonderful condition. Great open kitchen, nice floor plan, great landscaping. $89,900
WORKSHOP WITH HOME ATTACHED!
Must see this home with lots of workshops. Great location. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, office, formal living or dining. $73,500
CORNER LOT
3 bedroom, 2 bath, formal living, den. Well maintained. Owner will install central A/C with right contract. $47,900
For Showing Call
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BY OWNER 4005 Godfrey. Spacious 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, living & dining area, ample closet space, atrium. Parker Elementary area. New Roof, new carpet, and many extras. Day 687-1868, night 697-3833.

BY OWNER- Meadow Park Townhouse; Immaculate 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 baths, living, dining, ceramic tile kitchen, utility. Approximately 2,200 sq. ft. livable. Rear entry double garage. $115,000. Serious inquiries only, after 6:30 weekdays, all day weekends, 682-4025 leave message.

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GREAT REDUCTION - GREENTREE NORTH
New home on Ridgefield built by Mike McPherson. Lots of room for growing family - great price! Cul-de-sac location, 4 bedrooms, 3 full baths, formal living and dining rooms, large and open family room/kitchen and breakfast room. 3 car rear-entry garage. Established yard and landscaping, plantation shutters across the front, mini-blinds elsewhere. $169,900

NEW LISTINGS

TAMMY COVE $74,900
Private cul-de-sac in Wydewood Addition. Huge sequestered master. 3 BR's, 2 baths.
TEJAS $49,500
Darling home in Ranch Estates. 3/4 Acre, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, fireplace.

LARGE FAMILY HOMES

SADDLE CLUB SOUTH $159,000
POOL! 5 bedrooms! 3 baths, 3 LA's. Private master suite, quiet cul-de-sac location.
GREENTREE $129,900
Fantastic price! On the course, golf cart space garage. Newer Berber carpet.
CASTLEFORD $129,900
Sequestered master and private guest room. 3 full baths, formal dining, great kitchen.
NORWOOD $126,900
Tons of custom amentities. 7 yrs. old. 3 baths, above ground pool, formal dining room.
GOLF COURSE RD. $79,900
Unique rock home with lots of up-dating. 2 bedrooms up & 2 down, water well for lawn.
ERIE $49,900
4 bedrooms & 3 baths! Very professional garage conversion. Fresh paint-bright colors.

INCOME PRODUCING

OLD MIDLAND $29,000
4-plex in "Museum Area" great investment.

MAGICAL "OLD MIDLAND"

HARVARD $1,000,000
Magnificent mansion. Unbelievable luxury and space. Indoor shooting range, sparkling pool, professional greenhouse, 7 bedrooms, 8 baths, maid's quarters & more!
CUTHBERT $49,900
Lots of space! Super clean! Freshly painted. New A/C. 3 BR's, 2 baths, 2 LA's.
LOUSIANA $79,500
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BY OWNER: 2100 Ward; 3 bedroom, 2 bath, recently updated and remodeled with decorator touches. Beautiful yard and nice neighborhood. $78,000, call 689-2279 for appointment.

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725 Condos Townhouses

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725 Condos Townhouses

LAFAYETTE PLACE: Gorgeous, top of the market townhouse. 2 story New Orleans style charmer featuring wood floors, soaring ceilings, private patio w/ pool, exceptional master suite w/ screened balcony. One of the larger Lafayettes, custom built for original owner. We will trade, lease/purchase, or owner finance. Price reduced, $159,500. Call Wayne Robinson, Penny Willhite & Associates, office 683-0883 or after hours 570-7508.

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GREENWOOD- Price Reduced on this lovely suburban home. Behind the school. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage, on .42 acres, many extras. Only $83,500. Jean Farris 694-5911, Century 21 Midtex 689-0021.

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730 Suburban Property

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PLEASANT- 3 bedroom, 2 full bath is in super shape and is ready for immediate occupancy $47,500
LINDORA WAY Absolutely spotless, family home. 3 bed/2 bath, move-in condition. Across the street from a lovely park. New roof and exterior paint! $75,500
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LOCKHEED Stunning executive home, 3 bed/3 bath, study, 2 living & dining areas, glistening pool, low maintenance landscaping, alarm system UNDER CONTRACT
METZ PLACE Spacious 4 bed/3 bath home with a sparkling pool and beautiful yard. Quality througout! UNDER CONTACT
CRESTGATE Need more space? This grand 4 bed/3 bath home is for you! 2 living and dining areas. UNDER CONTRACT
GULF Totally remodeled 3 bed/2 bath, 2 dining & possibly 3 living areas, numerous built-ins, new carpet, slate floors. $99,900
COLLEGE Quaint tri-plex, museum district, excellent condition. Investor's dream! $44,000
W. OHIO Charming 2 bed/1 bath cottage, central air and heat, large brick front porch with swing, big utility room/breakfast room that could be used as an office. UNDER CONTRACT
W. OHIO Need a place for your mother-in-law? This darling 2 bed/1 bath home has a guest house out back! Many unique features found only in older homes. $38,000

★★★★★★★★★★ ***CONDOS & DUPLEXES*** ★★★★★★★★★★

GOLDEN PARK 2 bed/1 bath duplex $24,750
SAGEWOOD 1 bed/1 bath units $17,000
WEST CASTLE 1 bed/1 bath units $12,000
SANDSTONE 1 bed/1 bath units $10,900

★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★ ***LAND*** ★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★★

TREVINO Choice lot in Fairway Park $12,000

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Don't touch a thing on this Resnick 3/2/2 featuring formal dining, SUPER living with fireplace and wetbar, sequestered master with TEXAS walk-thru his/her bath. Recent improvements include carpet, paint, roof, and MORE! Large lot on auto sprinklers. Big home for $81,900!
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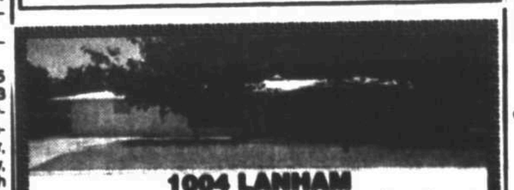

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KEY
To Abbreviations

Bdrm	Bedroom
Ba	Bath
Kit	Kitchen
Dbl	Double
A/C	Air Conditioning
Mst. Bdrm	Master Bdrm.
Gar	Garage
Bldg	Building
Cond	Condition
N-QA	Non-Qualifying Assumable
QA	Qualifying Assumable
Ac	Acre
3/2/2	Bdrm./Ba. Gar.

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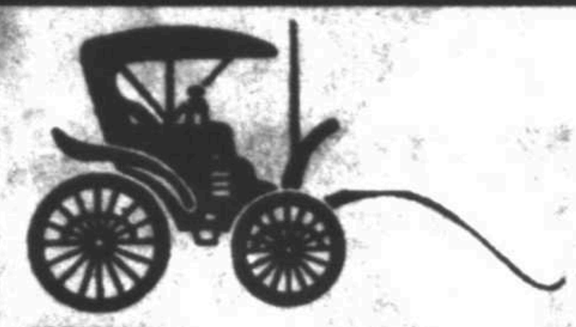

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CUTHBERT - Heart of Old Midland - updated & beautifully decorated, pool, 5 bdrms, 2 liv. areas. $495,000

SEQUOIA - Green Tree's [redacted] course. 4 bdrms, 3 baths, 3 car garage. [redacted] Plus! Hot tub, all extras! $198,000

SHADY OAK - New roof on this 2 story with lush yard on the golf course and a great view. Quiet cul-de-sac. Don't miss the bonus room & playroom downstairs + 5 bdrms. $168,000

SENTINEL - Quality Galore! This 4 bdrms, 3 full baths, recent roof, pretty landscaping is located in Old Midland. Corner lot, circle drive. $159,500

BELFIELD - Just reduced with your own pool - this 4 bdrms with sequestered master, lots of updating & located on a quiet-cul-de-sac is this 2 story with a 2 car garage, 2 car carports, & water well. $139,900

#2 RIDGMAR - Updated beauty, 4 bdrms, 3 baths, 2 car garage, 2 living areas, 2 dining. All rooms are huge. Rear entry garage, new A/C & heater, plus new hot water heater. Gorgeous $139,900

CRESTLINE - Super Buy! 4 bdrms, 3 baths in Abell, Hightower, Lee High area. Under 3000 sq. ft. Clean, neat and ready for occupancy. $3000 Decor allowance. $109,000

PRESTON - Great 4 bdrms, 3 baths, 2 master suites, 1 up, 1 down. Pretty paneling. Bush, Abell schools. Small yard, make offer. $92,000

WINFIELD - This 4 bdrms, 2 baths, 2 car garage is a wonderful family home, priced right! Neat, clean inside & great curb appeal. $84,500

LIVE OAK - Elegant estate in prestigious area with 3 bdrms, 4 baths, formal living & dining. Palatial master bedroom suite with his & her baths. Wonderful kitchen & breakfast area. Amenities Galore! $269,900

DRIFTWOOD - Gorgeous Green Tree prize. Formal living & dining. Spacious paneled den. Elegant kitchen with textured woodgrain cabinets & desk. Fabulous master suite with fireplace, desk & beautiful bath. Covered patio, deck & hot tub. $152,250

W. DORMARD - Custom 1 owner, 3 bdrms, 3 baths, wonderful workshop, large atrium with beautiful plants, a patio home style with amenities plus with large work shop. $138,500

HAYNES - Duplex. Extra large 3 bdrms, 2 baths, 2 car carport in convenient locale. Live in 1 side, rent the other. Priced below replacement cost. Especially nice. $110,000

CINDY - Two story dream home, 3 bdrms, 2 baths, clean and light. Large closets - quiet cul-de-sac in Wydewood. $92,000

WHITTLEWAY - Comfort & style. This 3 bdrms, 2 1/2 bath home is a great place to relax. This large sequestered bedroom, features an oversized walk-in closet. $89,000

STOREY - Very large old Midland Estate with lots of potential. Needs TLC. Main house 3 bdrms, 3 baths, 2 car garage, guest house, has pool! $84,900

BEDFORD - Charming 3 bdrms, 2 baths on lovely corner lot in Old Midland. Lots of recent decorating, sprinkler system. $79,500

HAYNES - 3bdrms, 2 baths, 2 car garage & 2 carports. Swimming pool, cabana and a steal at $74,500

NO." D" - Mrs. Clean lives here! 3 bdrms, 2 baths, 2 car garage with lovely yard & tile fence. Hobby room/office. Owner anxious to move $66,500

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ANDREWS HWY - 3 Great Townhouses, tall ceilings, bright and light. Easy care living for only $52,500

WILSHIRE - Nice 3 bdrms, 2 baths that has extra insulation, new heat pump & A/C. Reduced to $43,900

ESTES - Charming 3 bdrms, 1 bath on large tree shaded lot. Lots of new! Hardwood floors. $39,900

THORNRIDGE - Cute 3 [redacted] bath in excellent condition plus stove & [redacted] warranty. Reduced! $39,900

MONTY - "As-is", lots of new, 3 bdrm, 2 baths, 2 car garage, refr. air $39,750

BROOKDALE - Be a proud owner of this very nice 3 bdrms, garage, work shop, storage, kitchen appliances, ceiling fans. Move in condition. $38,000

MICHIGAN - Close to shopping. 3 bdrms, 1 1/2 baths, great for first time buyer. Nice condition & ready to move into. $36,000

E. DENGAR - Ready for occupancy. Nice 3 bedroom with 2 living areas. $35,000

PLEASANT - Delux [redacted]e. This 3 bdrm home has a very large [redacted] the rear of the house. Priced in the low 30's.

BECKLEY - PRICE REDUCED! GET MORE FOR YOUR MONEY: This 3 bdrms, 2 full bath home is a great fixer- upper. Bring you hammer, nails & paint. $29,000

OHIO - 3 bdrms, 1 bath, 2 living areas. Handy man special. Good location. Lots of room, for the money. $19,950

PLEASANT - Non qualifying loan. Low equity. Needs owner to decorate & love. Pmt. $550.

2 BEDROOMS

WHITTLEWAY - 2 great townhouses, 2 bdrms, 3 baths. Atrium & special decor. Make this a must for couples or singlesBush, Abell area. $57,900

SEMINOLE - 2 bdrms, 2 baths, 1 car garage in super location great for 1st time buyers. $34,500

E. CHESTNUT - Pretty 2 bdrms, neat, clean & lots of trees, large back yard. $33,000

LIDDON - Super townhouse in convenient location, 2 bedrooms, use of pool. $17,000

BOULDER - 2 condos - 2 bdrms, 2 baths, close to shopping. REDUCED. Great investment property. Financing available. EA. $14,000

BOULDER - 2 bdrms, 2 baths, nearly 1000 sq. ft. All downstairs. Reduced to $14,000

COUNTRY SPACES

S. FM 715 - Fabulous home, all fenced, country living at its best! 10 Acres, 5 water wells, pecan & fruit trees, workshop, 2 barns. $168,500

I-20 - Horse lovers dream, 11 Acres, 3 bdrms, 2 baths, 2 car garage with pool, add. acre can be purchased. 40x40 horsebarn - 4 stalls, small arena, new carpet & vinyl. $124,500

SCR 1185 - Lovely country home with 3 bdrms, 2 baths, 2 living areas, 2 fireplaces, on 18.75 acres. Contains horse barn, storage buildings and 4 water wells. $121,500

10 ACRES - 10 miles North of Stanton on State Hwy 137- 3 bdrms, 2 bath house, pond stocked with fish, pipe fence, horse barns. $119,000

LENORAH - 3.5 Acres with lovely 2-3 bdrms, 2 bath home, fruit trees & pecan, workshop, storm cellar, large country kitchen, small basement. $60,000

E. HIGHWAY 80 - (3.5 Acres) - $14,200

CR 1208 EAST - 13 Acres North of Loop 250 and NW Stanton. $13,500

E. HIGHWAY 80 - (3.0 Acres) - $12,300

LOTS

CALIFORNIA - $19,900

LOT - 1 huge suburban lot in lovely Ponderosa Estates, Odessa. $19,900

RICHMOND - Townhouse lot in exclusive PoloPark. $9,500

CALDERA - 2 Lots, Owner/finance $7,500 & $9,500

W. SHANDON - $3,250

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LOTS - Several lots near Big Spring St. from $995-$2,950 call for info.

E. HUDSON - $995

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VERSATILE BLDG - Almost 2 acres with buildings, Loop 250 & Midkif - owner cary (Company Store). Convenient location. $275,000

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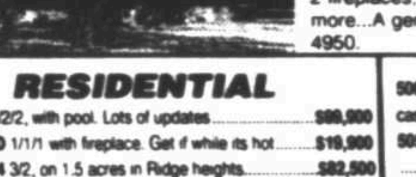

1608 COUNTRY CLUB $186,00
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SINCLAIR 3/2/2, with pool. Lots of updates $89,900
SAGEWOOD 1/1/1 with fireplace. Get if while its hot $19,900
CO. RD 1184 3/2, on 1.5 acres in Ridge heights $82,500
W. MICHIGAN Three bedrooms, two baths, 1 living $47,000
STUTZ-4 br, 2 1/2 ba, 2 living with swimming pool $135,500
JUNIPER 3 BR, 3 full baths, 2 half baths, 1 living, lush landscape $157,900
CR 130 4/2, inground, pool, country privacy $89,950
DURANT - 4/3, Deck with hot tub $89,900
DENGAR 3/2, New lennox, heat and air (Feb.'95) ....U/C
EDGEMONT-3/2, new carpet!!! ....PENDING
HARVARD-4/3, lots of updates ....PENDING
HARVARD-3/2, located in Old Midland $65,900
NEELY-3BR, 2 1/2 BA, child proof pool area ....U/C
HUMBLE-4/5, Self contained guest house $192,000
NORMANDY-4/2, looks like new, ...$127,500
FAIRHAVEN-3/2, 2 car garage, 2 story ....PENDING
SCHARBAUER-2/1, townhome $18,000
WOODHAVEN-4/3 PRICE REDUCTION $157,900
SCR 1160-3/2, 2.93 acres $45,900
COUNTRY CLUB-Delightful Old Midland Property $186,000
HAMBY-3/2, new construction $44,000
HAYNES duplexes 2/2, low maint. yard $103,800
HAYNES A & B-2/2, low maint. yard $97,300
COUNTRY CLUB-Old Midland addition $105,000
SPRUCE-3/2, 2 living areas, 2 car garage $57,500
SHIRLEY-3 bedroom, 2/1 bath ....SOLD
BELLECHASE-3/2, Updated tile and carpet $89,750
CAMARIE-Great location ....SOLD
CUTHBERT-3/2, 1 living, new roof (1 year) ....U/C
#8 SCHARBAUR-2 bedrooms, 1 bath, 1 living $20,000

OPEN HOUSES

710 W. SPRUCE 2-4
5620 DREXEL COURT 2-4
3207 SINCLAIR 2-4

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY

HWY. 158-2500 2500 SQ. FT. building sitting on approx. 3 acres $72,500
712 W. MICHIGAN-16 units & office, owner finance or discount for cash $115,000
1409 N. MARIENFELD-Triplex, owner finance or discount for cash $25,000
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505 COWDEN-4 units, owner finance or discount for cash $25,000
508 COWDEN-4 units, owner finance or discount for cash $25,000
504 W. GEORGE-1 unit 4 br, 3 ba, owner finance or discount for cash $13,950
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505 NOBLES-4 units, owner finance or discount for cash $25,000
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1401 W. INDUSTRIAL $40,000
211-213 E. TEXAS $229,750
BIG SPRING-Large Building, 11,040 sq. ft. $198,000

LOTS AND ACREAGE

"A" & MISSOURI vacant lot behind old Exxon service station $12,000
BRIARWOOD & HOLIDAY HILL ROAD $250,000
RANGER ESTATES-1 acre $3,500
RANGER ESTATES-11.85 acres $20,000
RANGER ESTATES-7.45 ....$15,000
3410 N. BIG SPRING $80,000
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1 1/2 ACRES EAST OF 801 CRD 121 ....$7,500
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COUNTY RD 119 ....$24,000
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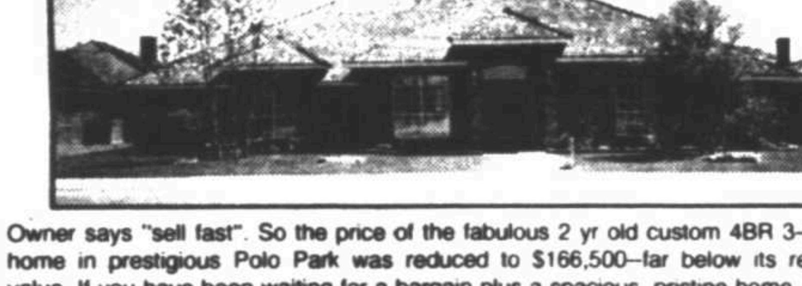

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LAND FOR SALE

NORTH of Angeles Stadium. 67+ acres. $105,000.

GREENWOOD- 74+ acres, restricted addition. $185,000.

60 ACRES- CO. RD. 1210. $65,000.

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In The ClassifiedS

730 Suburban Property

GREENWOOD 2 Bdrm., 1 1/2 bath, 2 living areas on 3.29 acres 4 miles east of school. Could be converted to 3 Bdrm. Large pines and fruit trees, 2 wells, well house, workshop. $42,500 owner will finance! Lisa Bueschér, Dene Kelly Realtors, 687-0595, 687-4419.

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735 Real Estate For Trade

WANT TO Buy a house to move. Must be in city limits. 683-5919.

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740 Out of Town Property

HOUSE for sale by owner. 3 bedroom, 1 bath frame. 2.5 acres, pecans, cellar, good water well, storage, 2- car metal carport. 7 miles southwest of De-Leon Texas on pavement. 10 minutes to Lake Proctor, 15 minutes to golf course. Shown by appointment only, phone (817) 893-2916 after 6 pm.

750 Lots and Acreage

MIDWAY Country Estates. 1788 to 40, between Midland/ Odessa. Acre lots, $3,500. 1/2 acre lots, $2,000. Owner finance. 689-2429.

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750 Lots and Acreage

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770 Resort Property

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770 Resort Property

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730 Suburban Property

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2.5 acres with a three bedroom, 2 bath home that is over 2800 square feet large and a barn and RV parking area that is 2400 square feet large! 70 pecan trees and everything is on sprinklers! Tis one beauty to behold!

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Saddle Club North townhouse. Simply put...elegant! Needs nothing but a new owner! No pool or atrium, 2 bedrooms, and three baths down, 1 bedroom and 1 bath upstairs! REDUCED!

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Williamsburg type traditional nestled under big shade trees! Sip your lemonade in the elegance of this home that has 4 bedrooms, a study a new kitchen and a huge master wing!

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JUST LISTED-doll house, 3 BR, 2 full baths, lots new. Won't last long, Non-qualifying, workshop $43,900
PRICE HAS BEEN REDUCED-Best buy in town on this stunning 3 BR, 2 B, perfect for entertaining $86,500
LOTS OF UPDATES-Seller is anxious to sell this like - new 3 BR, 2 B with workshop $59,900
BETTER THAN NEW-Mint condition, great curb appeal, plantation shutters, 4 BR, formal dining $119,900

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1-3 P.M.
2409 Stutz $129,900
4203 Greenbriar $119,900

2-4 P.M.
5511 Hillcrest $215,000
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2703 Purple Sage $105,000
1311 Pueblo $59,900
416 Idlewile $55,900
4801 Rick Drive $53,900

3-5 P.M.
1903 McDonald $59,900

NEW LISTINGS

4501 Bent Tree Trail $259,900
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4707 Teakwood $122,500
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2703 Purple Sage $105,000
4508 Green Tree Blvd $104,900
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2204 Culver $74,900
5017 Pleasant $66,000
1311 Pueblo $59,900
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1618 VENTURA-Lovely 3 bdrm, 2 bath, large living area $93,000
2310 CAMARIE-Lge. 3 bdrm, 2 bath, 2 liv. areas, sell or lease for $900 month $77,000
3209 CIMMARON-3 bdrm, 2 bath, sunroom, great area $99,000
3003 WHITTLE WAY-3 bdrm, 2 bath, sunken den, only $95,000
4319 PRINCETON-Great starter home, 3 bdrm, 1 bath, ref. air $59,000
5007 PLEASANT-3 bdrm, 2 bath, 2 car garage, LARGE BACKYARD $59,000

I HAVE SEVERAL LOTS AND ACREAGE FOR SALE.

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TRULY BEAUTIFUL!!! Sooooo Much Space for the money...Very Open Plan. Very light & airy. What everybody has been asking for w/small price tag. The largest master suite you will find in this price range + the other 2 BRs are large as well...Pretty carpet. Hurry on this one $70,500

This 4 BR-3 1/2 BA is so lovely. You won't want to miss it! The prettiest hardwood floors, very formal areas, and the warmest family room...This one is loaded with luxuries...call for appointment...ask for joyce brickey $179,900

POLO PARK ESTATES...4 BR, 2 1/2 BA, 2 fireplaces (one in Den & one in living rm., 3 car garage, formal dining, spacious & pretty kitchen and breakfast room. Sequestered master suite $154,000

2 Story Doll Home...3+ BRs. Pretty Fireplace, spacious dining, the greatest kitchen and a gorgeous yard. Please call fast $55,900

THE GREATEST COUNTRY BUY IN GREENWOOD-3BR stone house, Ref. Air, central heat, storm windows, lg. master BR + 2 more BRs...you will also get 10 acres with this price $89,900

82.7437 Acres unimporved land in GREENWOOD-Must be sold in total. Seller will not sell part at this price $82,745

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Lots of Old Midland Style...REDUCED...*Community Lane*. Move-in to this wonderfully decorated home. 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, Hardwood floors, 2 living areas, lots of decorator style...Don't miss this dream home $98,900

Enjoy The Summer...Beside YOUR Pool...3 bedrooms, 3 baths...Lots of space for entertaining, Seq. Master, Beautiful low maintenance yard, lots of extras, 2 liv. areas ..... $119,900.

E. Co. Rd. 124 (Cody Ln)...1.29 acres, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, country living at its best...Beautiful home with lots of charm $93,000

New On The Market

NEW ON THE MARKET...*Haynes*..4BR/2BA-2 living areas, seq. master, space, space, space $82,500

Douglas..3/2 high ceilings, decorating allowance $89,900
NQA...*Pylant*..4BR/2LA, R 15 yrs. Remaining...Mid $40's.

Country Club...3/2 New Carpet and paint, Ref. A/C $43,000

Wilshire..3/2 formal dining, lrg. kitchen $35,900

NEW ON THE MARKET...*College*..2/1, Cute, cute $29,900

Land...*Co. Rd. 116 W*...4 acres $16,000

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NEW LISTING-Greentree Estates - Lovely 4 bedroom, 3 1/2 bath with 3 car garage in great neighborhood. Huge eat-in island kitchen with loads of cabinets, and breakfast bar. Enclosed sun porch, many built-ins, and lots of living space $170,000.
FRESH OR MARKET-Kimberlea - Fantastic low maintenance 5 bedroom, 3 1/2 bath home with gigantic living/dining areas. Built in shelves and stereo system. Lovely custom accents with over 3100 square feet! Much updating, no need for more! $129,000. Open Sunday 2-4 pm.
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LOVELAND PARK-Reduced Low maintenance Wolfcamp townhome offer 3 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, and large living/dining combo. Beautiful master suite, heated workshop and eat-in kitchen. Windows everywhere around landscaped courtyard. $125,000. Open Sunday 2-4.
WYDEWOOD ESTATES - Reduced Beautiful low maintenance home with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, and two large living areas. Many built-ins, custom woodwork, skylights, double back gate to alley, plus heated skylights, double back gate to alley, plus heated workshop. New dishwasher, roof and fresh paint. $87,000.
SOUTH MIDKIFF HIGHWAY-Great investment - 35 acres with 750 feet of hwy. frontage, exterior pipe fence as well as 5 acres with chain link, partial metal bldg. 72x90, 2 water wells, outside city limits, can be split into 3 parcels. Call for information!

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NEW LISTINGS GREENTREE 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 4 living areas, hot tub. Gorgeous contemporary, $104,900. Hurry!
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MCDONALD-Total redo on corner lot with 3 BR, 2 BA, formal dining plus great kitchen with water softener and more $98,500
FRONTIER-Four bedroom, 2 bath in great location on corner lot with side entry garage, formal dining, better than new! $82,500
GREENTREE-SPACIOUS 3 BR, 2 BA, den plus upstairs gameroom with outside loft overlooking golf course. Must see! $105,000
WESTERN-Family estate with over 8000 sq. ft. home, pool, spa, tennis courts, cabana, sauna, and guest house $995,000

TOWNHOMES

PRESTON-Front 3 BR, 2 1/2 BA, den plus formal dining, eat-in-kitchen and 2 car garage. So much new! REDUCED TO SELL!! $84,900
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NEW LISTINGS

SINCERE SERENITY
#24 HILEAH-Capture the place of 5/4 1/2/2 in Saddle Club North, 2 story, energy efficient, private gated entry, sequestered master, Italian tile, dog kennels, tennis courts, basketball goal, poolhouse, pool, owner financing with 15% down, will consider all offers.

NEW CONSTRUCTION
4009 BAYBROOK - with all the perks 4/3 1/2/3 in Mockingbird Heights by Bill Brown. Fine craftsmanship, beautiful cabinetry, 2 fireplaces, call today and choose your own finishing touches.

HELLO SWEET SUCCESS
5007 HEATHER 3/3 1/2/2 in Saddle Club South, corporate ownership, ready to deal, Spanish style, circle drive, wet bar, dog kennel, jacuzzio, pool.

UNBELIEVABLE LAYOUT
2409 STUTZ- 5/3 1/2/2 nestled in cul-de-sac with circle drive, designer door, closed in patio, private entry and bath to sequestered office, pool.

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1806 CASTLEFORD - 4/3/2 in Polo Park. Large den, formal living and dining, prize winning yard, walk to club facilities.

EXQUISITE CHARM
5009 MELVILLE - 4/2 1/2/2 in Plantation Hills, newer home, new decorum, plantation shutters, wood trim, baseboards, doors, auto sprinklers.

MOTIVATED SELLERS
#10 AUBURN COURT 4/2 1/2/2 home, cul-de-sac location, new paint, game room, recently reduced.

COUNTRY KITCHEN
4111 GODFREY 4/3/2 in Skyline Terrace, 2 sequestered masters, circle drive, fireplace.

JUST ADD WATER
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4602 LEISURE-4/2/2 sellers found a house, ready to deal! Great investment property or starter home affordable, sunroom.

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LOCATION-3/2/2, central A/C & heat $51,900
GUEST HOUSE-3/2/2, fireplace, 2 liv. areas, workshop $59,900
WORKSHOP-3/2/2, fireplace, great workshop, below appraisal $53,900

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RANKIN HWY. BEAUTY...4 bedrooms, 3 baths on 5 acres (more available separately if needed) and it's so clean you can eat off the floors! Call for more $169,000
5 BEDROOMS in this Polo Beauty! Gorgeous parquet floors. 4 skylights, lots of closets (walk-ins in every bedroom). Has 2 living areas, 2 fireplaces, and a 3 car garage! REDUCED! $165,000

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QUALITY THROUGHOUT-Stunning 5 bedroom, formal living, formal dining, large kitchen overlooking family room, walk-in closets, ready to move in. Ask for Larry or Debbie $215,000

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BETTER THAN NEW!... 1 year old Kahler plan in Plantation Hills. 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, sequestered master bedroom, w/beautiful bath tile and brite island kitchen and open formal dining, 3 car garage. Call Anita! $139,900

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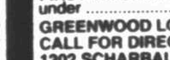

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5923 CHAPEL HILL DRIVE 114,000
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1923 COMMUNITY LANE 219,000
Prettiest yard & patio in town. Fabulous family neighborhood w/lots of children, exceptional master suite, lots of updating.
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4921 AMIGO 49,900
Country living in the City in this 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath home. Don't miss the park-like view from the wood deck. Much new since 1982!
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309 WILLOWOOD 54,000
Freshly painted 3 BR in nice family neighborhood. Pretty yard, good plan, updated kitchen.
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3110 TODD DRIVE 67,000
4 bedrooms in the country! Some hardwood floors. 1.04 acres.
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3507 WOODHAVEN 148,750
$2,000 BUYERS INCENTIVE! Great floor plan, 4 bedrooms, wonderful condition, much new in last two years.
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Exquisite in every detail! Don't miss this 4/3/2/2 fabulous home for under $150,000 and in Greentree! EXTRAS GALORE!!
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4905 BENT TREE TRAIL 359,000
Reduced! Beautiful new construction by Johnny Whitley. Large 4 bedroom, 3 1/2 bath, 2 living area, gameroom and 3-car garage.
Kathy Phillips 699-6307

4905 RUSTIC TRAIL 307,000
Beautiful MR Lary home 5,5,2,3 ready for a pool, 717' of dust free storage. WW has been added for lush big yard, decorating now. Please come back.
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1909 SEABOARD 189,500
4 bedrooms in Fannin. Wonderfully maintained, remodeled kitchen and den, priced to sell quickly in great location.
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4905 VERSAILLES 39,000
Immaculate 3BR with almost new carpet and paint, great stone fireplace, large yard, extra storage houses, covered patio.
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5213 SEQUOIA 108,000
Priced to sell! A charming home in Green Tree. Won't last!
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OPEN 4:30-5:30

1010 W. KANSAS 119,000
Price reduced again on this large, 5 bedroom, 3 LA home. Recent redo. Lovely!
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WHAT'S NEW? WHAT'S REDUCED?

STANOLIND-Open & airy Warwick beauty, huge rooms & closets, great kitchen, brick & parquet floors, wonderful floor plan 299,900

BENT TREE TRAIL-Gorgeous Whitley home. Superior quality with so many luxury features 259,000

WEDGEWOOD-Great 4BR/3BA in "Trinity Estates. Possible lease or lease purchase 197,500

CO. RD. 105-New home development directly West & East 185,000

TEAKWOOD TRACE-Quality throughout, gameroom, spa room, 4BR/3BA 173,500

SHANKS-Corner lot, large shop + CP for boat or tractor. 2 bonus rooms could be 5th BR or study 154,000

STUTZ-Great remodel! Every bedroom has own bath, Seq. 4th BR great mother-in-law or teen room 145,000

METZ-Great family plan. 4BR/2BA with a 3rd living area. Sequestered master. Won't last long 112,000

LOOP 250 EAST-You'll feel hundreds of miles away, but only 8-10 minutes from downtown & mall 109,500

ST. ANDREWS-Great for first time homebuyers. 3/2 in Fairmont 81,000

SINCLAIR-Huge room, corner lot, water well for yard, front courtyard and side patios 79,750

WHITTLE WAY-Great 4BR buy!! Cathedral ceilings in master & den, large eating area w/bay window 75,000

MICHIGAN-Lots of square footage for the money! 3BR/2BA in nice neighborhood. Completely updated 69,500

RIDGLEA-Showplace inside! Lots of updating, guest house has bath & kitchen 67,500

GODFREY-Neat 3 bedroom, 2 living and brick home. New roof in '94 66,500

CIMMARON-Great neighborhood, new carpet and lots of shade trees 65,000

LOUISIANA-Great 3BR/2BA with lots of space & FP 59,900

AMIGO-Park-like view from wooden deck! Much new since 1982 49,500

TERRELL-Workshop/garage in rear 25x25, screened-in patio, water well 47,500

LANHAM-Well kept 3BR/1BA on large lot 47,700

PLEASANT-3BR/2BA with great floor plan and large backyard 47,500

VERSAILLES-Darling 3BR in immaculate condition, fresh paint, covered patio, workshop 39,000

S. TERRELL-3BR/1BA, 1LA, large kitchen/dining, large backyard 26,000

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SADDLE CLUB ESTATES-If ever there was a perfect home for a family, this is it! Private master wing with study, children's wing designed around a playroom, lovely formals; large family room, gorgeously spacious BR 575,000

COUNTRY CLUB-A rare offering with all the amenities of newer construction - high ceilings, great style, luxuriously large baths, dramatic style - yet lovely "Old Midland" location! 3 or 4BR/6 baths, study, gameroom 499,000

WILLOW CT-Fabulous Owen Ingram. Saltillo tile, master suite like no other. Lots of decorative tile, Jacuzzi tub, skylights, fountain, each bedroom has private bath. Sparkling pool with cabana 480,000

COMMUNITY LANE-One of "Old Midland's finest. Impressive style, decor and elegance with high ceilings, fabulous colors, flowing space 419,000

RUSTIC TRAIL-Beautiful MR Lary home - new floor plan. Great flexibility, choose floor covering & wallpaper. Call for details 367,500

TEAKWOOD-Spacious, beautiful, dramatic, incredible view, gorgeous decks, 3BR in house + guest apartment 359,000

STERLEY-Very special family home in the "heart" of Old Midland. Spacious, over-sized lot, custom quality throughout 389,000

COUNTRY CLUB-Absolutely stunning customized home in Old Midland. Gorgeous great room, beautiful tile floors, Santa Fe designed and executed - Unbelievable! 369,000

RUSTIC TRAIL-Lake & golf course view! Super master w/sitting area & fireplace. Huge master bath w/king size steam shower & jacuzzi. Brick patio overlooks sparkling pool 368,500

HIALEAH-The most gorgeous pool/cabana offered plus loads of charm in a 4BR, study, gameroom, 2 story! You'll love it! Now only 349,000

CUTHBERT-Spe to believe - gorgeous and spacious family home. Everything you've dreamed of owning at an unbelievable price 349,500

WINFIELD-Gorgeous! Beautifully decorated, wonderfully planned for large or growing family 349,500

GREENTREE-Architect designed showplace with super family livability! Formals, study, hobby room plus huge playroom, workshop or office 345,000

SADDLE CLUB NORTH-Stunning two story with pool, tennis court, formals + study + den + sunroom, great family or entertaining home. Lets see! 337,500

N L-Flexible floor plan, 3 BR + study or 4th BR. Warwick beautiful remodeled, architect designed 335,000

LAKES DR-Featured in 1995 Parade of Homes! Custom all throughout 330,000

LAKES DR-Fabulous custom home, beautifully decorated, carefully designed w/first class amenities 312,000

ISLAND DR-Fabulous Home - Fabulous Price. Custom one-owner dream home, great location on the course at Greentree. 4BR/2LA, study, playroom, gourmet kitchen 310,000

STANOLIND-Open & airy Warwick beauty, huge rooms & closets, great kitchen, brick & parquet floors, wonderful floor plan 299,900

NEW AND LOVELY-Impressibely elegant 2-story, incredible Bill Brown quality, magnificent space with 4 bedrooms, 3 1/2 baths, beautiful formals, warm study, fabulous kitchen, breakfast, den! 2 patios 299,000

SADDLE CLUB ESTATES-This is the space you need with 6 bedrooms, formals, study, den, gameroom! Plus tons of charm in brick floors, beautiful decor! Plus poll 298,000

SADDLE CLUB-Great family home, pool, gameroom, fantastic master with 2 baths. Must see! 289,900

CITATION-Move up to this fabulous TH area! 4BR with elegant space! Luxurious seq master, formals + playroom+den! 262,500

DOUGLAS-JJ Black contemporary w/huge mstr w/fireplace, seq his/her baths, lovely courtyard w/putting green. 259,900

SADDLE CLUB-Country serenity with city amenities. Lovely updating in this gracious family home, Beautiful patio & pool 259,500

BENT TREE TRAIL-Gorgeous Whitley home. Superior quality with so many luxury features 259,000

STUNNING PRIVATE RETREAT-Gorgeous atrium, pool, terraces, decor, 4 BR in Old Midland 257,500

SPRINGMEADOW-Exquisite custom home in perfect condition. No detail forgotten every amenity imaginable 249,500

GULF-Spacious, charming, perfect! Formal + study + sunroom + playroom. 4 or 5 BR 239,500

PRINCETON-Spacious, 2-story, trad. hme - Newly redecorated, gourmet kitchen, 3LA, 5BR 232,500

COMMUNITY LANE-Fabulous home in great condition. Beautiful landscaping, his & her master baths wonderfully maintained, cozy study w/FP 219,000

HUMBLE-Family home extraordinaire! Quality throughout! Fabulous space! 5BR, 4LA 210,000

$100,000 TO $200,000-A WONDERFUL GROUP OF BEAUTIFUL HOMES, YOU'LL WANT TO SEE!

CUTHBERT-Stunning! Spacious rooms for entertaining. Guest house has full bath 185,000

GARFIELD-Exceptional townhome. Many xtra amenities, beautiful pool plus encl.hot tub 176,000

SEQUOIA-Lovely custom built in Greentree. 5BR or 4BR + study. Hot tub & decking 175,000

TEAKWOOD-4BR/3BA, security system, low maintenance yard, wonderful condition 172,500

SADDLE CLUB TOWNHOME-A great price for this area! 2 liv areas, high ceilings, gracious space 169,000

COLEMAN-Family neighborhood, traditional charm, hardwood floors, new tile in kitchen, pretty decor 165,000

HAVENHURST-New Troy Hunt construction, plantation shtrs, mini-blinds, 4BR/2LA w/study 165,000

COVENTRY-New, new, new carpet, tile and paint. Wonderful 4BR/3BA w/large pool sized yard 159,900

SEABOARD-Lovely 4BR in great location. Customized kitchen, remodeled family room, xtra skylights 159,500

BURGUNDY-Wonderfully restored home in Old Midland. Charm & personality deluxe! 157,000

GREENTREE-Pretty contemporary style, all BR's down, nice formal dining room, sequestered master 154,500

NORTHFIELD DR-Custom Graham built home in Trinity Meadows. Extra large kitchen, family room w/FP 152,000

AINSLEE-Great space in this terrific townhome. Two large LAs, lots of extras, storage storage, storage 150,000

DRIFTWOOD-Lovely and well-cared for! Lots of new, beautiful trackless carpet everywhere 149,900

WOODHAVEN-Wonderful floor plan, 3 living area, great condition, much new in last 2 years 146,750

WINCHESTER-Contemporary TH, large rooms, Mexican tile floors, flexible plan, 2LA 146,500

GREENTREE BLVD.-Lovely, low maintenance living, large with fresh paint 145,000

WOOD DR.-Spacious ranch style home in the city 142,500

KNIGHTS PLACE-Lovely Jim Leonard custom w/many amenities. Low maintenance backyard, rose garden 142,500

HUMBLE-Contemporary two-story, four large bedrooms, fresh painted interior, floor covering allowance spacious yard and pool. Make an offer 139,950

GREENTREE BLVD.-Elegant townhome living w/view of course. Storage everywhere! Quiet living 139,900

LEXINGTON-Beautiful Hickey patio home, excellent condition, tastefully decorated in neutral colors 139,500

CASTLEFORD-Stunning 2-story w/plantation shutters, wood floors and circle drive 137,500

HEATHER-Spacious patio home, 2FP, great country kitchen, extra bonus room or studio 134,750

KANSAS-Fabulous all redone and added onto. Pretty tiles, carpet and moldings 124,900

WARD-Lovely custom townhome w/many extras, plantation shttrs, parquet & tile floor & pool 120,000

MARMON-Fabulous updating less than 1 yr. ago in this beautifully maintained home. Spacious rooms 116,000

REO-Room to grow and more! Lovely 4BR/3 1/2BA w/large yard. Quiet, pretty street, large trees. Shuttered windows, new paint, wallpaper & more 114,900

PRINCETON-Beautiful 4BR in Old Midland. Hardwood floors, 2LAs, gorgeous landscaping 112,500

METZ-Great family plan. 4BR/2BA with a 3rd living area. Sequestered master. Won't last long. 112,000

AIMHURST-Space! Great gameroom w/1/2 bath, darkroom & more. Cul-de-sac location 110,000

SEQUOIA-This lovely traditional home in Greentree is waiting for you 109,000

DURANT-Terrific plan for growing family! Bright & cheery w/big rooms. 10x10 cinder blk storage 108,000

WHITBURN ESTATE GARDEN HOMES-Exciting new townhomes are nearly completed on Lanham. 2 to 2 1/2 baths, 1 to 2 living areas, vaulted ceilings, light and bright, lovely master suite. Call now to choose your decor! 101,750-104,500

UNDER $100,000-SMART BUYS, LOVELY PROPERTIES, PERFECT FOR YOU!

GULF-Spacious, updated 3 bedroom home in Fannin area w/3 living areas! New carpet, fresh paint thruout 99,900

TIMBER LANE-Great new construction, patio home, spacious rooms, lots of built-ins, high ceilings 99,000

TIMBER CT-Immaculate 4BR w/excellent floor plan. Large country kitchen, pretty yard 97,500

ROEL-Townhouse w/pool! Saltillo tile in family area & kitchen, pitched roof 95,000

MAXWELL-Wonderful pool/cabana & hot tub. Close to Midland College 94,900

MISSOURI-Large, quality home in convenient museum area. All rooms spacious & storage is abundant 89,900

HARVARD-Charming Old Midland. Hardwood floors, molding, French windows, large backyard 88,500

ST ANDREWS-REDUCED! Spotless 4BR/3BA, walk to Cuanah Parker. Lots of new 87,500

CIMMARON-Well-kept 3BR/2BA, large kitchen 85,000

CRESTWOOD-Open floor plan, MBA has 2 vanities and closets, sunrm, large wkshop 82,500

LANHAM-Special! Lovely condition, beautiful landscaping, large rooms 79,000

LINDORA WAY-Immaculate home in Wydewood Estates. Fresh paint outside, superb decorating inside! 77,500

WARD-Lots of new in this neat house w/large bedroom and a great workshop 75,000

PINE-Beautiful home, super clean, updated with charm & quality, nice landscaping 73,900

MILLE GROVE-Nice patio home, neat, spacious master 72,500

LOUISIANA-One-owner home in Oxford Heights. Immaculate yard, spanish decor 72,000

FALCON-3 BR in Northgate, squeaky clean, beautifully maintained, charming decor, fabulous patio 71,000

GOLF COURSE-Wonderful location! Zoned residential house is to be sold with property as is 70,000

MICHIGAN-Lots of sq. ft. for the money! 3 BR/2BA in nice, quiet neighborhood. Completely updated 69,500

BAUMANN-Great 3/2 with fantastic landscaping and storage bldg 69,500

N I-This 3 bedroom, 2 bath home in Fannin won't last long 69,000

CHANDELLE COMBO-Incredible style, space, storage! 3/2, fireplace, new hardwood floors, fabulous location for only 69,750

PERMIAN CT-Lovely, updated carpet, vinyl. Decorator touches throughout 69,500

DENTCREST-2 story, master down, 2BRs upstairs, neat as a pin! Formal dining + breakfast room 69,500

OAKLAWN-HUGE workshop for mechanic, 3BRs, 3 LAs, 2 BAs, so much space 67,500

GODFREY-Neat 3 bedroom, 2 living area brick home. New roof in '94 66,000

WARD-Nice family home in Fannin. This could be the one! 65,000

AMISTAD-Darling cottage w/seq. master, new carpet, paint, vinyl and wallpaper. Won't last 63,500

AINSLEE-Spacious living area with newer carpet, large remodeled kitchen, covered patio 59,900

COUNTRY CLUB-Cute, cute, cute. Lots of updating. This won't last 59,500

PERMIAN CT-Super clean home on curve. Brand new roof, large front yard 58,900

AINSLEE-Personality, great floorplan, nice location, new HWH 57,500

GOLF COURSE-Good price for a spacious home w/3LAs, close to schools & shopping 57,000

WILLOWOOD-Darling 3 bedroom. Well kept with great floor plan 54,000

EDGEWOOD-Really cute & roomy! Large den + bonus room. Great closet space in all BRs 52,000

PARKDALE-Available for HIP program lots of updating, new carpet and paint, huge MBR 49,500

BEDFORD-Spotless 3 bedroom home. New roof & AC. Superb condition 48,500

DEWBERRY-Loads of extras!! Low maintenance yard, extra parking in front 47,500

SHANNON-Good investment property 45,000

THOMASON-3BR/2BA, 2LAs, large lot, large storage in back 40,784

THOMAS-Lovely! Excellent condition, 2 large living areas, 3BRs, 2 BA 39,900

ERIE-New carpet, vinyl, updated bathrooms! Wonderful buy for area 39,900

OHIO-Quaint home w/super new carpet, paint & all new electrical work. Guest house in back 38,000

MONTY DR-Great space in this darling first home. Move right into this 3 BR dollhouse 36,000

CUTHBERT-Nice starter in good condition, 1 or 2BRs, much new 29,900

HOLLOWAY-3BR + double car garage 29,000

KANSAS-Great cash flow for an individual 24,750

SUBURBAN PROPERTIES

E. CO. RD. 1148-This has it all! Huge 4BR/3 BA, in-ground pool, stocked fish pond, sprinkler 299,900

E. CO. RD. 1050-Barn, tack room, wash rack & many + shop, 2 water wells, 3 septic tanks 249,900

5 ACRETES NORTH OF THE LOOP-Enjoy sunsets and the city skyline from this wonderful "country" gentlemen's ranch or fabulous building site. Charming 2/2 home, bunkhouse, barns, pool, garage with shop area. 5 acres 185,000

SHANKS-Corner lot, large shop + CP for boat or tractor. 2 bonus rooms could be 5th BR or study 154,000

E. CO. RD. 149 #11000-Get away to it all. Everything you want nestled in a lovely suburban setting. 4 SPACIOUS bedrooms, 2 living areas, POOL, workshop & more. Selling at appraised value 153,000

E. CO. RD. 163 Wonderfully kept home, open living and kitchen. Ripping ceans, catch pans, 2 wells 144,500

MAIER RD-Pretty stucco home on 10.5 acre 3 wells, 68 pecan trees, 83 cypress trees 98,000

E. CO. RD. 1157-Large 3BR/2BA country property, spacious kitchen/dining, 3 acres 79,500

E. CO. RD. 149-New plush carpet in living & hall, rock FP, beamed ceiling, country kitchen 67,000

YUCCA RD-Much updating! Fruit trees, storage/workshop 67,000

E. CO. RD. 1000-Young bachelor dream! Nice room suites. Wood shutters in kitchen and dining room 64,000

FM 307-SERVIDA with 3 wells (2 irrigation) and 5 acres fenced 63,000

E. CO. RD. 66-Nice 4 acres. Good water well. Great country property 39,000

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GREENTREE-Select from 6 spacious lots to custom build your home 35,000-47,500

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LAKES DR-Five building lots. Established builder will custom. Plans available. Also for sale 39,000-42,000

SADDLE CLUB LANES-Large lot in desirable area 37,000

SADDLE CLUB-Great location on the lake! A beautiful sight 37,000

UPLAND-Quiet street near The on Route. Possibly rezoned to TH lots 15,000

GOLF COURSE, WEST-Build in the heart of the city! Super lots 7,500-10,000

VARIOUS OTHER HOME SITES-Call for more details 2,500-35,000

LAND

40 ACRES-JUST MINUTES NORTH OF MALL-Super improvements including home, barns, water $40,000

80 ACRES-on Co. Rd. 1210, great for grapes, cotton, investment 80,000

FARMGROUND-5 lots East of city, owner may carry the financing 39,000

E. CO. RD. 66-10 acres 39,000

CO. RD. 1261-NORTHWEST of City, new construction in area 24,000

GREENWOOD-Excellent 4 acre building site on Co. Rd. 1110 13,000

GREENWOOD-5 acres on Co. Rd. 75, great buy! 10,000

CO. RD. 66-Several 4-5 acre sites, call for details 10,000-12,000

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CONDOS-Great investments and/or great living in several fine condo developments, call today for those nice properties on Boulder, Calders, Neely, Midland Drive, Eastridge Road 10,900-21,000

INDUSTRIAL PARK -45000' sq. ft. shop & warehouse 4+ acres - on Loop 250 - in enterprise/investment zone 395,000

COTTON FLAT RD-20 acres, 14 mobile homes leased. Good income, 5WW, utilities & septic each 189,000

ILLINOIS-Office possibilities near hospital, garage apartment too 95,000

COFUS-Trailer park w/26 spaces, 19 ac w/metal horse barn and stocked pond, 3 large/wide homes included, 2 pump auto system & electric windmill 95,000

MICHIGAN-Lovely updated property near hospital, great for dr or atty 79,500

FRONT-Building for showroom, office, shop or convert all to office 55,000

MISSOURI-Great business opportunity. Nicely maintained, good location, ready for small business 40,000

MISSOURI-Good close to downtown location for small business or office 40,000

TERRELL-Suitable for retail or restaurant, new paint & carpet 38,000

WHITBURN (Behind Red Lobster) - Small potentially commercial lot 100'x140' 12,000

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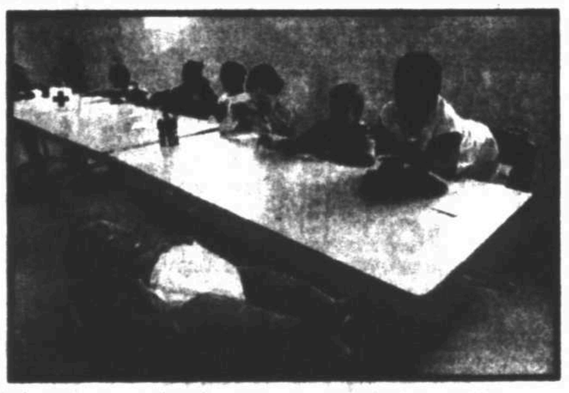
Candice Carney practices her CPR techniques with her fingers on a baby doll as Ryan Overton and Shannon Sims look on.

Renee Maxwell (above) practices listening to her CPR doll for breathing.

Shannon Sims, far right, and his classmates (left photo) are introduced to the CPR doll they will use during class.

Melvin Morrison, instructor, (below) explains to his class of preteens the proceedures of administering CPR.



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the breath of Life

What you don't know *can* hurt you — and others as well — if what you don't know is CPR.

Cardiopulmonary resuscitation, better known as CPR, is an emergency technique designed to help keep people alive until medical help is available. Thousands of victims of heart attacks, accidents or other traumas owe their lives to the quick thinking of someone who knew CPR.

And knowledge of CPR isn't just for adults only — nor is it used exclusively on adults. Infants and children often need CPR too. That's why, on a recent Friday morning, Melvin Morrison, executive director of Northeast YMCA in Midland, led a class of about 10 preteens in how to properly administer CPR to younger children. The students, along with Morrison and Laura Sisson, a child care counselor, gathered at the Midland office of the American Red Cross.

Several of these students, who ranged in age from 9 to 13, had younger brothers and sisters who they babysit occasionally. Others just wanted to learn the technique in case they were ever involved in an emergency life-and-death situation.

"I want to show you what the Red Cross is and give you some information on CPR," Morrison said. The children watched wide-eyed as he brought out the mannequins used to demonstrate CPR. One, Resusi-Junior, was about the size of a 5-year-old. The others were the size of babies.

"Anybody can do CPR and first aid," Morrison said. "You don't have to be an adult. You could save your friend's life just by the information I'm going to give you here."

He gave an example of how children can save their friends' lives by describing how one friend saved another a couple of years ago at one of the schools, when they were making bets on who could eat a whole hot dog.

Dafhny Smith gives her CPR doll a big hug during a recent class teaching infanct and child CPR at the Red Cross.

And like that friend who kept his friend alive, "you could keep someone alive until help arrives," Morrison said.

He asked the students to give some examples where CPR might be needed.

"If a person gets unconscious and can't breathe, you can do mouth-to-mouth recusitation," said Rene Maxwell.

"You're supposed to do *something!*" added Chris Carney.

For these students, Morrison outlined the steps in the administration CPR:

If you come across someone who might be unconscious:

1. Try to wake him or her up.

"What if they are just asleep?" he asked.

2. If the person cannot be awaked, call 911 or have someone else call 911.

3. Check to see if the victim is breathing by placing your ear close to his mouth and nose while watching to see if his chest is rising and falling. Do this for five seconds.

4. If the victim is not breathing, pinch his

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AVE YOU HEARD?

relands face changes f moving to Ecuador

Marilyn McKnight-Harrison

hirley Ireland and her grand-ghter, University of Okla-a student Lisa Ireland, took early June flight to Quito, uador, re they e met by 's parents, d and y Ire-, and her younger thers, hary and .

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he Irelands e been res-ts of "the in the ds," which is 9,000 feet above level, since last January, n Floyd became service nager for Baker Hughes Cen-ft.

or flatlander Shirley, adjust-t not only involved acclima-g to the high altitude but e traumatically to the ups down and turns and curves ountain maneuvering in the es. More appealing was the rvelous spring-like weather the abundance of flowers and r plant life, which experience ntinuous growing season.

hirley and Lisa had the oppor-ty to interact in the social mmunity experienced by the r Irelands. Bilingual neigh-s were generous with cultur-s, Spanish tutoring and with len grown fruits and vegeta-. The family also enjoyed ring time the "Pora Sus s," a nondenominational fornian-Ecuadorian orphan-that helps with placement adoption of children.

ghtseeing included a visit to Mitad del Mundo, a monu-t built on the equator; Lagu-e Cuicochoa, a crater lake, strolling through the fabu-open air market in the nt city of Otavalo.

e most festive occasion h the Ireland family and ds participated in was a cookoff sponsored by a p representing the foreign oleum industry. About 20 hs, all colorfully and unique-ecorated, formed a quad-gale on the lawn of the local try club, which is located to the international airport the only flat area in or nd the city. The platform in middle was a continuous ce of entertainment includ-folk musicians, playing ruments typical of the Andes, folk dancers costumed in onal dress.

UR FOND FAREWELLS go Heather and Chris Kirk, returned to their native Eng-in June after a 10-month in Midland. Chris served as ntern minister at First Unit-ethodist Church during that od. Among the farewells giv-n their honor was a party ed by Aida Dunlap at her e.

e Kirks enjoyed more of the hwestern hospitality they experienced in our city the past year. A brisket din-with all the trimmings was ved in a western setting. boy paraphernalia decorat-ed the entrance to the home, and guests were seated at tables, which were decorated with cow-boy hats and books on the West.

Entertainment included music featuring old favorites from a player piano and a Texas vocab-ulary game, where the honorees had to come up with definitions to words unfamiliar to non-Tex-ans.

Among other gifts, the Kirks received a silver-sprayed tum-bleweed in a red pot to prove they had indeed been to Texas. And as a final gesture of hospitality, Aida provided the Kirks with cups of delicious hot tea sent over from London. Aida, a native of Peru, and the Kirks have never become accustomed to our south-ern tradition of iced tea served year-round.

THE JUNE 24 WEDDING of **Kristie Adams** and **Randy Wade** at First Baptist Church was fol-lowed by a reception at the Petroleum Club of Midland. It was hosted by the bride's par-ents, **Barbara and David Adams.**

Numerous parties and showers preceded the wedding. A mis-cellaneous display shower in the home of **Cindy (Mrs. Heasley) Rook** also was hosted by **Nancy (Mrs. Bill) Milner, Mrs. Shari Laidley, Christa (Mrs. Gary) Pruitt, Barbara (Mrs. Jake) Young, Kay (Mrs. Ronnie) Sow-ders, Bonnie (Mrs. Jerry) Jor-dan** and **Jill (Mrs. Stan) Williams.**

A seasonal decorations show-er was given in the home of **Mrs. Cathie Miller.** The other host-esses were **Loyce (Mrs. Bill) Martin, Mrs. Joann Nolen, Mrs. Pat Adams, Sue (Mrs. Jim) Elli-son, Stephanie Goodwin, Karen (Mrs. James) White** and **Mary Lou (Mrs. Cody) Brown.**

An around the house shower was held in the parlor of First Baptist Church. The hostesses were **Sherrilyn (Mrs. Tom) Blase, Carolyn (Mrs. Ben) Cason, Pat (Mrs. Joe) Hender-son, Mary Jo (Mrs. Tom) Sawyer, Evelyn (Mrs. Don) Byerly, Nancy (Mrs. Charles) Danley, Mrs. Glenda Pearce** and **Mrs. Judy Thorton.**

A Sip and See party was given by the bride's maternal grand-mother, **Letha (Mrs. Gene) Han-cock,** in the home of the bride's parents.

The groom's parents, **Shirley and Jim Wade** of Duncanville, hosted the rehearsal dinner, fea-turing a Mexican fiesta theme, at Ranchland Hills Country Club.

On the wedding day, **Della (Mrs. Joe) Neal,** entertained with a bridesmaids' luncheon at Midland Country Club. A mani-cure party followed at the home of **Patty (Mrs. Joe) Smith.** Also hosting were **Mrs. Smith's daughter-in-law, Brenda (Mrs. Chris) Brown,** and her grand-daughters, **Kristen** and **April Brown.**

Pe-nuptial festivities for the couple also were given in Dun-canville and Austin.

After a honeymoon cruise to Alaska, the newlyweds are now at home in Houston.

Marilyn McKnight-Harrison is social columnist for the Reporter-Telegram.

ere's no blaming milk anymore

niel Q. Haney

TON (AP) — A study pub-recently concludes that lac-tolerance is probably not sible for bouts of intestinal m people often blame on bout one-quarter of people United States, and three-rs worldwide, are lactose ant. They lack an enzyme ows them to digest lactose, ar in milk.

ing large amounts of milk, a liter at one sitting, will certainly cause problems e people. But many claim annot even put cream in ffee without suffering gas, and cramps. For these the results of the study in England Journal of Med-will probably be hard to .

final result is, there is vir-obody out there who cannot a glass of milk a day," r. Michael D. Levitt, the senior author.

archers based at the Vet-Affairs Medical Center in polis posted ads to recruit who thought they were lactose intolerant. They med of abdominal pain, flatulence or diarrhea nking milk.

the researchers tested 30 ers to see if they were tru-se intolerant. A simple st revealed that 21 actu-e. The nine others could ose, despite their beliefs ntrary.

all 30 were assigned to 8-ounce glass of milk with t.

e week, they got milk that ed with the enzyme lac-reak down the milk sugar. her week, they got ordi-nary milk that was slightly sweet-ened to taste like the treated milk. Neither the researchers nor the volunteers knew which they were drinking.

The volunteers rated their intestinal discomfort each week on a scale of 0 to 5. When the experi-ment was over, there was no dif-ference. On both kinds of milk, the scores averaged less than one.

Lactase manufacturers were also skeptical. At Schwarz Phar-ma, which makes Lactrase cap-sules for the lactose-intolerant, chemist Mary Anne Krupski ques-tioned whether other foods the volunteers ate could have helped minimize their symptoms.

"It does prove there are a lot of people who think they are lactose intolerance and aren't, but it does-n't prove anything about whether lactase products work," she said.

Why do people blame their cramps and gas on milk? Levitt said one reason may be the per-vasiveness of news stories about lactose intolerance and advertising for products to counteract the problem. If someone feels bloated after dinner and then reads that milk can do this, Levitt said, it is easy to make the assumption he or she has found the cause.

A built-in backup system helps the body deal with modest amounts of milk sugar, even when there is no enzyme to help out.

When lactose is not broken down during digestion, it passes into the large intestine. There, bacteria ferment the sugar, producing fat-ty acids and hydrogen gas.

The gas is quickly consumed by bacteria or absorbed into the bloodstream. Bloating and flatu-lence result only when people drink so much milk that they over-whelm this disposal mechanism.

Damage reports still don't deter some folk from catching rays

By Peter Marks
N.Y. Times News Service

JONES BEACH, N.Y. — Kelly Mercein knew what she was get-ting into. She had heard the horror stories, read the warnings, learned of the possible side effects. .

But if Ms. Mercein, 20, a college student from East Meadow, N.Y., grasped the risks, she was not about to begin living her life in the shadows. So on a clear day last week, she turned her face to the sun in pursuit of her guilty little summer pleasure: A tan.

Once a suntan was just a day at the beach, a natural tattoo acquired in the most non-threat-ening of circumstances, a univer-sal mark of health. Now a tan has a much cloudier reputation, the result of medical research that has demonstrated the dangers of over-exposure to ultraviolet light, and thereby turned the sun into the celestial equivalent of red meat.

Yet like cigarette smoking and alcohol consumption before it, tan-ning is now an activity with a warning label many are choosing to ignore. Outdoors during this long July Fourth weekend, the evi-dence was abundant: People who weren't about to change long-standing habits, determined to soak up rays no matter what the dermatologists say.

Dr. Mark Leary, a professor of psychology at Wake Forest Uni-versity, says that for some people, the cosmetic benefits simply out-weigh the health risks.

Four years ago, he surveyed 300 Wake Forest students and found that more than 90 percent went into the sun at least occasionally to "enhance their tan." In a follow-up survey, his researchers questioned 200 sunbathers in parks in central North Carolina and found about 12 percent were so obsessed with being tan they felt they could nev-er get tan enough — a group Leary dubbed the "tan-insatiables."

"I've found it has to do with peo-ple's concerns about the impres-sions that other people form of them, and that people who are more concerned about others' impression of them are more like-ly to work on their tans."

Dangerous sunbathing may also persist because, unlike smoking and alcohol abuse, it is a vice seemingly without secondary vic-tims; people don't show up at the beach wearing buttons that say, "Thank you for not tanning."

If there is a societal impact, it is the costs of medical care associ-ated with the growing incidence of skin cancer that are borne by all.

Still, America's tanning culture has clearly changed. The evidence can be seen not only on the beach, but in fashion magazines, where editors have stopped using models with deep tropical tans, and on television, where the weather report now includes a briefing on the sun's burn potential.

Even the purveyors of that quin-tessential summer product, suntan lotion, have felt the heat: the Cop-pertone baby, the ubiquitous sym-bol of sunburn, used to have a tan line under her skimpy suit.

Now, in ads, she wears a T-shirt, hat and sunglasses. And indeed the lotions themselves are now more commonly called sunscreens.

"It is no longer chic to have a dark tan," observed Russ Elliot, vice president of advertising for Schering-Plough Health Care Products, which owns Coppertone. In fact, he said, views on sun wor-ship have changed so radically in the last decade that the sun lotion market has shifted from an almost total emphasis on perfecting the tan to one of protecting the skin from the sun's harmful effects.

LIFE: Youngster learn lessons in saving lives though CPR classes

(From 1E)

nose and breathe (blow) twice into his mouth. "Just try to get air to the victim," Morrison said.

5. Check the victim's pulse, making sure you aren't feeling your own. (For adult or child victims, check for the pulse on the side of the neck closest to you. If the victim is a baby, check the upper arm for the pulse.) If you can't find his pulse, do chest compressions to help keep the blood pumping. To do this, find the inverted V of the breastbone in the middle of the chest (where the ribs join together) and press in sharply five times.

(For adult victims, the person administering CPR may need to use both hands, pressing down with the heal of one; for child victims, using one hand might be more appropriate; and for infants, the rescuer should only use two fingers to do chest compressions. "A child's body is a whole lot more fragile than an adults," Morrison said. And as for babies, "If you put too much pressure on babies, you will cave their chest in.")

6. After doing five chest compressions, breathe into the victim's mouth once, then do five more chest compressions, followed by another breath. Keep up this cycle for one minute, then check the victim's pulse again. "Keep your thumb away from it because (if you don't) you'll be checking your own pulse," Morrison warned.

THE STUDENTS then took turns "administering" CPR to the mannequins while Morrison watched and gave instructions.

Administering CPR doesn't come with a time limit, he told his students. "When do you stop CPR? When they start breathing or when the paramedics show up.

"You keep trying. The only time you stop is when somebody comes, they start breathing on their own or you are just exhausted.

"You are trying to save this person."

One of the students asked what happens if you get nervous while giving CPR? "You don't stop, you keep trying," Morrison answered, "because you are still trying to help that person. You will do most of the work because if you don't do anything, that per-son is going to die. You will be the one who saved that person's life."

Bill Morrison said CPR was a way to "jump-start" a person who has had a cardiac arrest or a personal trauma.

Morrison said that in addition to serving as exec-utive director for the Northeast YMCA, he also is a volunteer for the Red Cross. He told the children CPR is important to his life too because "I have a wife and two kids and I babysit all the time." Besides, he added, "I enjoy what I do."

The young students in the class impressed him with their ability to pick up the information he was giving them in a short period of time. "This is a nine-hour course, to cover CPR and first aid," Mor-rison said. Adult students tend to be more shy about asking questions and participating in the hands-on portion of the class, so in that sense the children make better students, he said.

He also believes CPR and first aid are very important skills for children of all ages to know. "I would go into the schools and do classes if they want me to," he said. "You saw today how fast they catch on."

CPR classes for adult students will be offered 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday at the Midland office of the American Red Cross, 2306 Elizabeth St. For more information or to register call 684-6161.

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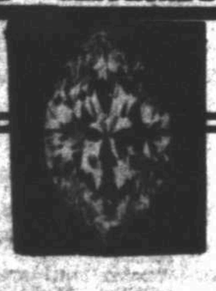

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AROUND TOWN

Summer Sundays Lawn Concert, presented by Museum of the Southwest, will feature the Zachery Brothers 7:45 p.m. today on the grounds of the museum.

The brothers — Sam, Carlos and Eddie — all sing church music and each has another speciality. Sam sings country, Carlos sings contemporary gospel and Eddie sings soul.

The brothers played sports and were in choir at Midland High School. Sam studied voice and played football at Eastern New Mexico University. He also performed in operas and musicals and on weekends traveled with bands.

The Zacherys travel throughout the country, appearing at church meetings.

Summer Sundays Lawn Concerts are free family entertainment. Persons attending are invited to bring picnics and seating. For more information call 683-2882.

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Speakers at the seminar will be Jean Price, owner and agent of the Kirkland Literary Agency; DeWanna Pace, published author and creative writing teacher; Kim Shreffler, an internationally published author who writes under the name of Denise Richards, and Vanessa Reeves, historical and true crime author.

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...**MIDLAND-LEE** Youth Centers Inc. will host Super Summer Day Camp 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Monday through Friday at Lee Youth Center, 3500 Neely.

Youth who have completed the first grade but not yet entered the seventh are invited to attend. For more information call 689-1675...

SEEDS FOR THOUGHT

Insect pests cause problems for tomato growers

By Deborah A. Benge-Frost

Fresh-from-the-vine tomatoes — when they are good, they are really good. When they are bad, they are really frustrating. Last week we took a look at what's ailing tomatoes in the disease department. Today we will look at insect pests:

Benge-Frost

TOMATO HORN WORM

Probably one of the most well-known tomato pests is the gigantic, or seemingly so, tomato horn worm. These are the big four- to six-inch long, green with white striped worms with a CB antennae on the backside. You can't miss them — well, you can. They are warfare savvy, and equipped with camouflage that can trick the best of eyes. The damage is usually the first sign of the horn worms' presence. It takes a lot of tomato leaves to feed one of these babies, so you'll often see tomato stems sticking out with no leaves. If you look on the ground, drippings are very evident.

These worms are easy to control, and best to control with the squish method. The hard part is finding them. There's nothing like coming eyeball-to-eyeball with an elusive horn worm. Early morning searches are a little more successful because horn worms tend to be on top of the plants in the cool of the day. Once you locate the sneaky plant-stripper, you can pull them off (those 16-or-so feet hang on pretty tightly) and squish them in any manner you prefer.

By the way, the adult form of this pest is a large evening- and night-flying moth commonly called the sphinx, hawk or hummingbird moth.

If you should need to rely on a pesticide, *Bacillus thuringiensis*, sevin and a couple of other insecticides can be used on your tomato plants. But do it the easy way — find them and squish them.

TOMATO PIN WORM

This worm is tiny in comparison to the horn worm, but more difficult to control. This is the pest that leaves a little hole just beneath the tomato stem and sometimes on the side of the fruit. It first shows itself as trails in the leaves. As it progresses, leaves will have large areas with no green stuff, only the skin of the leaf left. Leaf edges are often pulled over one another. If these folds are pulled apart, you can see the worm or evidence of the worm in these temporary little homes.

The difficulty in controlling this pest is the multiple generations per summer. As the season progresses, more and more of the leaves are destroyed. Lower leaves seem to deteriorate, and this deterioration continues up the plant as the season goes by.

This pest can be held at bay with insecticides, but frequent sprays are necessary. Again *Bt* can be used to suppress this worm. Keeping plants as healthy as possible with water, fertilizer and mulch might be the better bet. Infested leaves could be pulled and placed in a plastic bag to help reduce pest numbers. Another approach would be to simply share the goods — accept a certain amount of damage and perhaps a shorter period of harvest.

The adult form of this pest is a small grey-brown moth that can sometimes be seen when vines are disturbed.

SPIDER MITES

These are the smallest, most subtle pest you'll encounter with your tomatoes and many other plants. It is an actual plant-feeding mite that feeds on the underneath of the leaves, slowly but surely drawing the life out of the leaves. Symptoms include dry, dusty-looking leaves, leaves with stippled color, and gritty feeling leaves. The symptoms appear on the lowest leaves first and progress up the plant. Even the fruit can take on this stippled appearance as populations get higher. Mites thrive in heat and low humidity. Plants growing in front of a south- or west-facing cinder block or brick fence are especially prone to mites. Spraying with sevin insecticide can cause the populations of this pest to skyrocket.

Sizes and mistaken identity cause this pest to go on right under the bewildered gardener's eyes. It is commonly mistakes for a disease. Diagnose this problem by tapping a suspect stem over a white piece of paper and waiting patiently to see any movement. Grains of dust that move around could be mites.

Strong sprays of water directed at the backside of leaves, insecticidal soaps or malathion will help. Recent rain showers help as well.

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Stink bugs, large true bugs, feed on fruit by sticking their straw-like mouth part into the fruit. This can cause a hard, white spot to develop in the fruit that refuses to ripen.

Handpicking and tolerating a certain amount of damage is best with these insects.

Fruitworms are another kind of worm that can be encountered. They feed primarily on the tomato fruit, usually destroying it. A mature green worm is about one inch long and the adult form is a night-flying moth. They don't normally destroy that much fruit, but if it's a problem, *Bacillus thuringiensis* will do a good job of control without the risk of insecticidal residual or "endangering" anything else.

These are some of the most common tomato pests you'll encounter. To keep pests in check, it is very important to do the following:

- Check tomato plants daily for potential problems. Even a quick check will help head off problems before they get to a destructive, difficult stage.
- Pick fruit before it gets to the dead ripe stage. It will finish ripening on your kitchen counter and won't be in the reach of birds, stink bugs, fruitworms or other fruit damaging pests.
- If a problem is encountered, treat early before populations or damage become unmanageable.
- Identify the pest correctly by relying on the Extension service, master gardeners, knowledgeable nurserymen or gardeners or gardening references.
- Take the least destructive control measures. It's best to try to control with hand picking, infested leaf and fruit picking, and good growing practices. If a pesticide is warranted, use the best one for the plant and pest. Read the directions and follow them. Spray or treat only infested plants. Make sure the product is labeled for use on tomatoes.
- Good cultural practices help. Plant only recommended varieties, keep soils uniformly moist, use four to five inches of mulch, and fertilize on a regular basis after fruit is set.

You can have beautiful vine-ripe tomatoes without mucking the neighborhood, but it may require frequent visits to the garden and proper decision making. Get answers about your tomato problems by calling or coming by your county Extension office.

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The Permian Basin Farmers Market invites all interested gardeners to become members. People who have gardens that are producing a large yield may want to market their fresh garden items at Farmers Market. For more information call 694-0571.

Deborah Benge-Frost is the extension horticulture agent for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Midland and Ector Counties.

Bats' scary reputation is not deserved, experts say

By Don Carter
N.Y. Times News Service

TACOMA, Wash. — Be nice to bats.

Those cute little flying mice, who actually aren't related to the small-eared rodents with the long, thin tail, may save you from being bitten by a mosquito.

Margaret Gaspari, a staff biologist at Tacoma's Point Defiance Zoo, is a crusader who annually preaches bat appreciation to thousands of schoolchildren and zoo visitors.

Bats have been suffering from "a couple of centuries of bad press," and Gaspari's mission is to overcome the images of "bats in your belfry" and blood-sucking, horror-movie vampires.

Bats also have a reputation for carrying rabies. But the rabies risk is minimal, and bats do a lot more good than bad, Gaspari said. A single bat can eat up to 600 mosquitoes an hour. Bats also love moths and a number of other garden pests.

Vampire bats exist only in Central and South America, and humans aren't their first choice, Gaspari said. Vampires prefer cattle and don't actually suck blood; they bite and lick.

While bats are among the mammals that can carry rabies, Gaspari as well as health officials say the chances of catching rabies from a bat are extremely remote.

Health officials recommend avoiding contact with bats or any other wild animal, especially one that approaches you.

"The basic nature (of bats and other wild animals) is to avoid humans," so when they approach humans, it likely is a sign of sickness, said Kathleen South, a spokeswoman for the Washington state Department of Health.

She advises pet owners to make certain that dogs and cats have rabies vaccinations, to prevent domesticated animals from conveying the virus.

Gaspari said she thinks public education about the low rabies risk compared with the good that bats do is having an effect.

A few years ago, most of the bat-related calls she got were from people wanting to know how to kill them. "Now, most of the calls are from people who want to know how to attract bats to their garden," she said.

The first step is to create a suitable habitat, a bat house. Put it at least 9 feet off the ground, and in a place where it will catch the warm morning sun.

Books on building bat houses are available in bookstores, Gaspari said.

She and other bat conservationists worry that the species' global population is decreasing because humans are destroying or disturbing habitats. Certain species, for example, like old-growth forests — which are becoming rarer. And cave-dwelling species are often disturbed by recreational explorers.

Gaspari, who spent a recent week conducting a bat census at various places around Washington state, said there still is much to be learned about bats and the threats to their survival.

For one thing, while nature-lovers watch and count birds, deer and other daytime creatures, few watch the drama of nature after dark.

A good place to begin bat-watching is at dusk, near still water such as a pond.

"They come out and drink by skimming across the water," Gaspari said. "It's like breakfast. They've been fasting for 12 hours and are thirsty." Ponds, which provide a good environment for insects, consequently are popular with hungry bats.

A great aid to watching is a bat detector, a device that translates to human hearing range the sonarlike sounds that bats use to navigate.

"There's no way to describe it, hearing a bat go into feeding mode," Gaspari said, imitating the tick-tick-tick of a bat searching for food.

As the bat gets closer to its prey, it needs more data, so the ticks become more frequent. Just before the attack, "it sounds like a zipper," said Gaspari, her hand swooping down dramatically to imitate a bat catching an insect.

Gaspari concedes that some homeowners may not enjoy playing host to bats, because a large colony can "leave you with 6 inches of bat poop in your attic." She urges people not to kill them, but to wait until July 15 to take action.

By then, baby bats born in May and June will be able to fly, and sealing the attic won't leave the babies to die inside. Then, Gaspari recommends locating the attic entrances and sealing all but one. Hang plastic netting with a half-inch mesh over the opening, with the bottom of it loose.

Bats will climb down and out, but they aren't smart enough to figure out how to push up the netting and climb back in, Gaspari said.

Bat detectors can be purchased from Bat Conservation International, 512-327-9721.

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Ski New Zealand and escape summer heat

By Jennifer Morin

QUEENSTOWN, New Zealand (AP) — It's mid-June, and several feet of powdery snow fell during the night, blanketing the slopes of the Southern Alps and delighting skiers from northern climes escaping the summer season.

The Southern Alps are soaring, snow-capped peaks that form a ridge down the middle of New Zealand's South Island, an otherwise temperate and verdant paradise. Eleven of New Zealand's 13 commercial ski areas are nestled in these mountains where snow and ice are far deeper than in the European Alps.

Queenstown, New Zealand's premier Alpine resort, is at the southern end of the range, about a 30-minute drive from Coronet Peak and The Remarkables, two of New Zealand's prime ski areas.

Coronet Peak, chic and upscale, offers terrain for beginners through advanced skiers, with some 25 trails. The area is famous for night skiing and extensive back bowls for challenging off-piste (ungroomed) skiing. Overall, there is a 1,424-foot vertical drop to a base altitude of 3,937 feet. The six ski lifts can carry about 4,880 skiers per hour.

THE REMARKABLES, a sister area with about 23 trails for skiers of various abilities, is celebrating its 10th season. There's a vertical drop of 1,053 feet to a base altitude of 5,314 feet. Lift capacity is 6,620 skiers per hour. Daredevils are drawn to the deep gorges above a scenic mountain lake, and the famous Homeward Runs provide the perfect powder and pure exhilaration.

Lift tickets, about $30 each, and ski rentals at Coronet Peak and The Remarkables are interchangeable, and both have ski schools with special programs for youngsters.

Queenstown's apres-ski scene includes tasty dining, lively saloons, health clubs and nightclubs, plus the Queenstown Winter Festival, this year July 9-17. There are also year-round day cruises to scenic Milford Sound or Lake Wakatipu, golf, white-water rafting, shopping and wine-tasting at nearby vineyards.

If you want to rub elbows with ski greats, head for Mount Hutt, where many American and European racing teams train during the summer. Mount Hutt is in the middle of South Island, a two-hour drive across Canterbury Plain from Christchurch, South Island's international gateway.

MOUNT HUTT is famous for steep, uncrowded 1¼-mile runs over about 21 trails. The vertical drop is 2,204 feet to a base altitude of 5,200 feet. Lift capacity is 9,200 skiers per hour, and tickets are about $28 per day. Courses in avalanche control, racing and moguls draw advanced skiers from around the world, but instruction for beginners is also available.

In the nearby resort town of Methven, much of the action centers around the Blue Pub, considered by world-class skiers to be one of the ski world's top drinking establishments.

For a real thrill, book daylong or longer excursions to the untamed Tasman or Fox glaciers, where you can ski through ice arches and past ice caves. Ice pinnacles and crevasses are guaranteed to give the advanced skier an adrenalin surge. Steeply sloping bowls coated with powder will appeal to intermediates.

FOR TASMAN Glacier, fly from Queenstown to Mount Cook Airport and transfer to a ski-plane to the Tasman Saddle, an immense snowfield at the head of the glacial flow. Ski through gentle bowls, then down huge open slopes for a 6½-mile morning run. After lunch, ski an equal distance to the pick-up point.

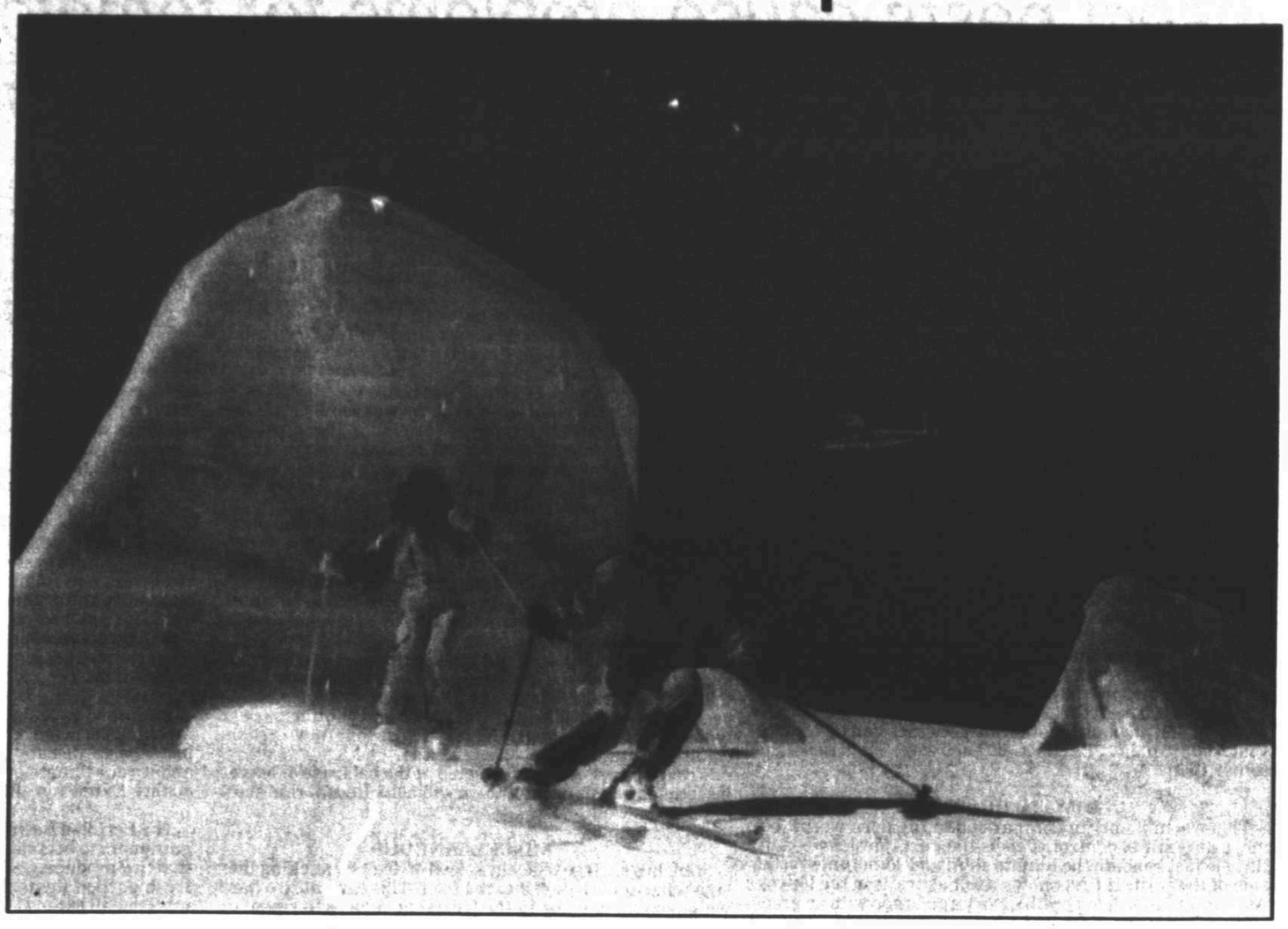
For Fox Glacier, fly 60 minutes from Queenstown over scenic Westland National Park to Franz Josef Airport. Then it's 20 minutes by helicopter over spectacular icefalls to the snowfields. Runs featuring views of the Tasman Sea and Mount Cook range from about 5 to 8 miles.

Guides are required at both glaciers, and skiers must be at least at the intermediate level.

IF YOU GO: For brochures on ski areas and independent travel, contact the New Zealand Tourism Board. Mount Cook Line offers 10-day package ski tours from $1,469 per person, double occupancy. It includes air fare on Air New Zealand from Los Angeles, lodging, transfer services and lift tickets. The rate increases to $1,610 after July 7, the start of peak season. Equipment rental is extra. From Queenstown, take Mount Cook Line's daylong Ski the Tasman packages, $488 per person, $520 per person after July 15.

New Zealand Tourism Board, 501 Santa Monica Blvd., Suite 300, Santa Monica, Calif. 90401. Telephone (800) 888-5494.

Mount Cook Line, 1960 Grand Ave., Suite 910, El Segundo, Calif. 90245. Telephone (800) 345-3504.



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A man and a woman ski through ice caves and sculptures on the Tasman Glacier. The wild and spectacular mountains of New Zealand's South Islands are coated with more snow and ice than the European Alps.

Some car rental companies establish practice of screening drivers

By Betsy Wade
N.Y. Times News Service

In the three years since Hertz started the practice of screening renters' driving records, the situation has changed radically. Alamo, which last year began checking the records of drivers from seven states and the District of Columbia, abandoned that policy on May 23.

Hertz and the other major rental-car companies, moving in the other direction, are screening drivers from an increasing number of states, while fine-tuning their criteria for rejection. Hertz, which began with New York State, for example, is now screening drivers from 10 states and the District of Columbia; Connecticut is the latest addition.

In fine-tuning, some restrictions have been eased, notably ones involving accident records. But rules involving major violations are tougher: Avis and Dollar both want to screen out drivers who in the six previous years were convicted of driving under the influence of alcohol or controlled drugs. Avis will also reject a driver whose record shows a conviction at any time for leaving the scene of an accident or possession of a stolen vehicle.

THE COMPANIES say screening has sharply reduced the cost of liability insurance. A spokesman for Dollar Rent a Car said that in rejecting 5 percent of drivers, the company had cut its liability costs 10 to 20 percent.

The consumer nightmare created by screening, in which a traveler with a reservation may be rejected at the car-rental counter, can now be avoided, at a price. For payment of a fee of $10 or less, drivers from most affected states can learn if their records disqualify them for rentals from six major companies.

Deborah Jaeger, vice president for development of T.M.L. in Queens, N.Y., the major company that processes motor vehicle records for car-rental companies, said that patterns of convictions were proving reliable predictors of unwanted renters. The screening program originated in New York and Florida, where "vicarious liability" laws mean a car-rental company can be liable if a client injures or kills others.

BECAUSE THE rental companies find liability costs reduced, and because the percentages of drivers they reject are also declining, the screening criteria are being focused on convictions.

Hertz, for example, formerly rejected drivers who had two or more accidents in the previous 36 months or had one or more accidents in the same period that involved a fatality or bodily injury. Hertz dropped these restrictions in May along with two involving driving, or permitting someone else to drive, without insurance or a valid license.

Rejections on these bases raised the hackles of drivers who considered themselves safe. For example, people who were injured when inside parked cars that were struck by other cars said they showed up with "bodily injury" records although they were not at fault and were in fact the victims. Ms. Jaeger said that such drivers, when rejected, had to file an appeal to Hertz, which put them through an extra step that she said was not necessary.

Sandy Richards, a spokeswoman for Alamo, said her company left the program after deciding it was not cost-effective. She said Alamo joined late, having begun April 11, 1994, and the company was uneasy that the criteria varied so much. In addition, she noted, driving records of all states are not open to scrutiny; at the moment 15 states and the District of Columbia make records partly or wholly available.

DRIVERS WITH borderline safety records who are licensed in most states that sell their electronic records to T.M.L. can now learn in advance if they are going to be rejected. Records are sold by Alabama, Arizona, California, Connecticut, Florida, Idaho, Kansas, Maryland, Minnesota, New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, South Carolina and Virginia as well as the District of Columbia. California, Connecticut, Pennsylvania and Virginia drivers cannot get access to their records because T.M.L. said a signature was needed and this was impossible on the phone.

The rental companies will not check in advance, the American Automobile Association says, because so many clients never show up, and each screening involves a fee. The T.M.L. program is called Travelcheck; the number is (800) 388-9099, and the charge, to a credit card, is $9.95 plus tax, $2 less for auto club members.

I recently called to learn if an accident I had in the fall of 1991 would disqualify me for a couple of car rentals. The answer was no; that accident was erased from the record 36 months after the event so far as the Avis, National, Enterprise, Dollar and Thrifty companies were concerned, and Hertz is not counting accidents now.

AFTER THE Travelcheck agent took my license number, pulled up my record and read me the good news, she asked if I would like a printout. What arrived by fax was unnerving. The printout gave my name, address, birthdate, eye color and height — information from my license, of course. It also gave the date of my most recent safe-driving course, and, had my accident been more recent, it would have showed that.

This, of course, is what insurance companies want to know. But I felt exposed. What if someone else called for this information? Bonnie Jansen, a spokeswoman for the Federal Trade Commission, said that the issue was under discussion, but said she could not give details. Ms. Jaeger said the company tried to avoid giving information to others, but acknowledged that these efforts could be circumvented.

DATEQ INFORMATION Network of Norcross, Ga., the other major company in the motor-vehicle records field, does not provide information in advance to anyone, citing state restrictions. Ellen Fix, a spokeswoman, said the information was considered confidential and proprietary, and a national program of disclosure had not been authorized under the Fair Credit Reporting Act, a function of the FTC.

Although the situation is in flux, here are the vehicle records that were checked by some car-rental companies as of June 15.

Avis, Budget, Dollar, Hertz and National check drivers from different states and at different locations. Check with each company for its policies.

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Continuing Education

The Midland College Department of Continuing Education will offer several short courses this summer.

"Conversational Spanish I" will be taught by Jan Vernon 6-9 p.m., Mondays - Thursdays, July 17-27. Here's a chance to learn Spanish better and faster than you ever though possible. Course Fee is $62.

"Writing for Publication: Writing for Round-up" will be 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m., Saturday, July 22. Learn to turn your stories and ideas into what's hot from freelance writer Nancy Robinson Masters. Course fee is $25.

"Real Estate MCE" will be taught by Donna Gore 8:30 a.m. - 5 p.m., Saturday and Sunday, July 22-23. This course has been approved by TREC to satisfy mandatory Continuing Education requirements. Course fee is $99.

"Country/Western Dance I" will be taught by Barbara Elliott and Garry Lloyd 7:30-9 p.m., Tuesdays and Thursdays, July 11-27.

Come join the fun and learn the Cotton-Eyed Joe, Two-Step, Waltz, Polka and Schottishe. Course fee is $34.

For more information on Continuing Education courses call 685-4518.

For more information about **Defensive Driving courses**, call 685-4518 or 560-2400, ext. 2606.

Parenting classes offered

Midland College and Centers for Children & Families will present "Siblings Without Rivalry" from 7-9 p.m., Tuesday, July 11.

The seminar will be in room 114 of the MC Allison Fine Arts Building. Cost is $15 per class.

For information, call 561-5508.

Photo exhibit

Educated Exposures: Photography by students of Midland and Odessa Colleges is on display now through July 23 at the Museum of the Southwest.

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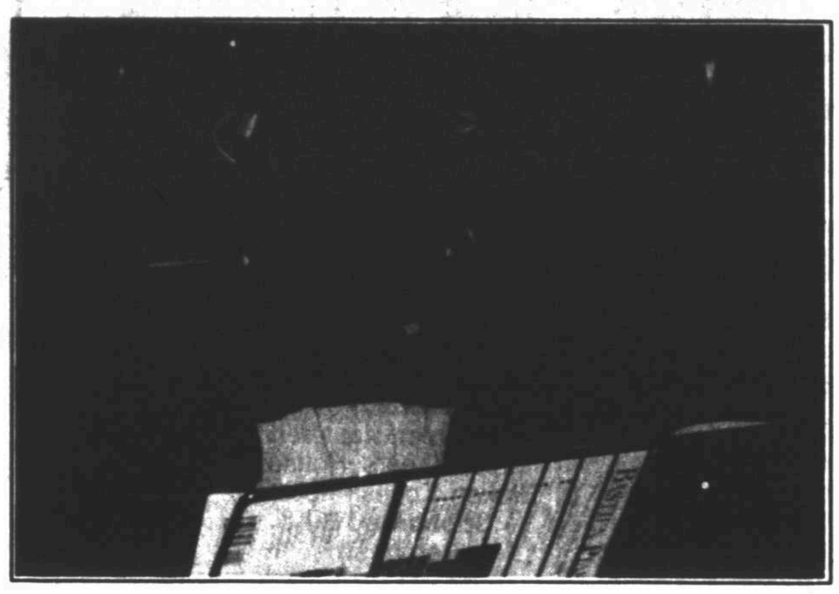

Tuned in

Students from first through sixth grades enjoyed classes such as Beginning Piano (pictured), Clowns R Us, and Rodents and Reptiles during Session I of Kid's College. Registration for Session II is now in progress through July 17. Session II classes begin July 17 and run through July 27.

Kids' College, a summer enrichment program, offers curriculum which has been developed to make learning fun and stimulating.

For more information about Kid's College, call 685-4518.

Community colleges help fuel growth

Midland College seeks partnerships to develop human resources

By Elise Coombes

■ **"Community Colleges provide a critical community and statewide catalyst for developing the current and future work force," says an article from the Texas Community College Association.**

Community colleges are the spark that lights the fuel to power economic growth in Texas, say highly placed business executives and college administrators in an article from the Texas Community College Association.

As Texas and its communities become increasingly more dependent on human resources, the quality of the workforce and the educational infrastructure of the community becomes the most important ingredient in economic development, according to Dr. Nellie Thorogood, vice chancellor for external affairs in the North Harris Montgomery Community College District.

"Community Colleges provide a critical community and statewide catalyst for developing the current and future work force," she said.

One partnership that is helping people turn dreams into solid business proposals they can take to the bank is the Midland College Business and Economic Development Center (BEDC) at the Cogdell South Facility.

The BEDC helps people design a five-year business plan for presentation to a banker in their search for start-up money. The plan includes a narrative, a financial analysis and documentation of business experience.

Investigating the potential for new businesses to realize a profit is the basic idea behind the service that the BEDC provides. Researching the feasibility of a plan is important since loan money for new businesses is limited, and even some good ideas have to be put on the shelf.

Although the basic responsibility of the BEDC is to work with the creation of a business plan, counselors Ralph Smith and Glen Yeary also are involved in the creation of some of the BEDC's business surveys and the tabulation of the surveys when they are completed.

Other services include business management and technical counseling, procurement and export assistance, networking opportunities, international trade leads, training seminars, workshops and business and economic research.

A monthly Networking Breakfast, sponsored by the BEDC at Midland College, is a good way for small business owners to connect with potential customers. The format includes special guests from government agencies, civic organizations and Chambers of Commerce.

Programs like the BEDC are an example of how community colleges perform a variety of other services designed to spur economic development. These services include corporate training customized for business, industry and other community needs.

Another way Midland College is meeting community needs is through the Health Care Continuing Education program.

In its first year the program has worked with many local professionals to meet their continuing education needs. The list includes athletic trainers, nutritionists, nurses and nurses aides, dental hygienists, veterinary technicians and the clerical staff in doctors' offices.

The Abell-Hanger Foundation and Memorial Hospital & Medical Center have contributed financial support to the program.

A local advisory committee made up of health care professionals from doctors to pharmacists has helped identify immediate needs and set long term goals.

Offering seminars and courses locally saves smaller hospitals and other health care entities the expense of sending employees to Dallas or El Paso for retraining.

Program Director Beverly Prichard says her goal for Midland College is to become an accredited provider for different areas of health care so that new courses and seminars can be developed more quickly to satisfy the growing health care education needs in the Permian Basin.

One sure way to enhance the quality of patient care is to provide quality education to health care professionals.

"We hope that by offering these programs we can serve the community that's been so supportive of Midland College," Prichard said.

Community colleges will continue to fulfill a vital role for individuals by providing education for those who don't graduate from college with a four-year degree but want training past high school.

Through the "hands on" Cooperative Work Experience (CWE) program at Midland College, students and companies learn about each other.

The CWE program is a partnership between students, Midland College and businesses, according to Michael LaPlante, program coordinator.

The program provides an educational program that combines classroom learning with work experience in a field related to a student's academic or career goals.

To earn the three hours of co-op credit students must work a minimum of 20 hours per week, attend 16 hours of seminars, complete a three- to five-page report, keep a time card and go through an evaluation process at the end of the semester, LaPlante said.

"This is an educational forum—not just a job hunting experience," he said.

The student and the employer work as a team through the CWE program to achieve a quality, on-the-job learning experience, LaPlante said.

ELISE COOMBES

Midland College 'guarantees' education with success stories

Guarantees—they come on cars, appliances and even some homes. After all, when money is tight, everyone wants to make sure they get what they pay for.

For the last several years, Midland College and community colleges from across the state have been offering an education guarantee.

"One hundred percent of community colleges in Texas have some type of guarantee," Molly Boyd, director of Institutional Effectiveness for the Texas Coordinating Board, said. "And that is causing Texas to get national recognition."

Midland College's guarantee was implemented with the idea that students needed to be assured that MC was providing what they expected: courses that transfer and job skills that meet the needs of the local employers.

The following is Midland College's guarantee policy: "Midland College guarantees to those who graduate with an Associate of Arts (AA) or an Associate of Science (AS) degree, or who have met the requirements of a 60-credit hour transfer plan, that their credits will transfer to those Texas colleges and universities who cooperate in the development of the course selection guides.

If the transfer of an such courses is rejected, the student may take, tuition free, an alternative course at Midland College that is acceptable to the receiving institution. Certain conditions apply.

Midland College guarantees that its Associate of Applied Sciences (AAS) graduates have mastered exit competencies in certain technical jobs skills. If the employer of any such graduate judges those skills to be lacking, Midland College will provide the graduate with up to nine semester hours of additional training tuition free. Certain conditions apply.

Even with guarantees, one of the best ways to prove the value of an education at Midland College is through the success of its students.

A recent success story is Automotive Technology student Craig Tellinghuisen who began the program about one year ago. In this time he has completed seven of the eight exams he needs to pass to become an ASE certified master technician.

Once Tellinghuisen passes the last test, he will receive the highest certification award a technician can receive in the United States for automotive repair.

Tellinghuisen already works in the Cooperative Work Experience program with Jack Sherman Chevrolet. His goal is to someday work as an service manager with an auto repair company.

Elise Coombes is Midland College public relations director

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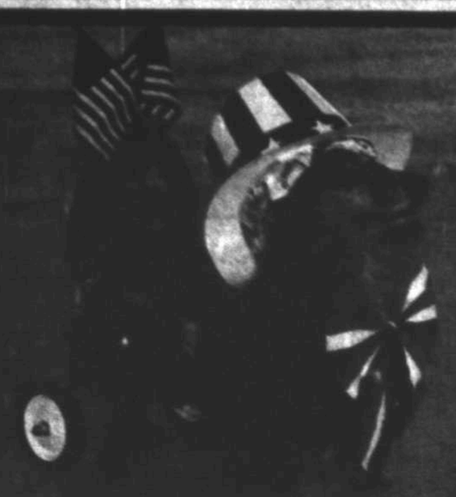

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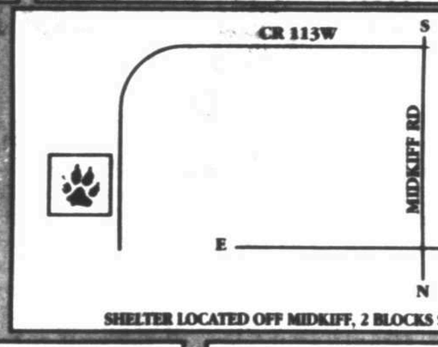

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By Gary Wilkes
N.Y. Times News

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PONTRELLO-ARCENEAUX

Deborah Ruth Pontrello of Midland became the bride of Terry James Arceneaux, also of Midland, 2 p.m. Saturday at St. Ann's Catholic Church. The Rev. Fred Nawarskas officiated.

Parents of the bride are Dorothy Leis Carter of Midland and Joseph Anthony Pontrello of Buffalo, N.Y. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Joseph Arceneaux Sr. of Baton Rouge, La.

Joy Pontrello of Plano was maid of honor for her sister. Bridesmaids were Staci Wofford and Gwen Stowell of Midland. Jaci Pontrello and Jessica Pontrello of Plano, nieces of the bride, were flower girls.

Michael Junot of Houston served as best man. Groomsmen were David Poche of Pineville, La., and Michael Wishofske of Midland. Robert Buck and Donald Price of Midland were ushers.

Mrs. Terry James Arceneaux

After a wedding trip to Hawaii, the couple will live in Covington, La.

VESTAL-THOMAS

Farrah Dawn Vestal of Midland became the bride of Gregory Shane Thomas, also of Midland, 4 p.m. June 24 at Wilshire Park Baptist Church. The Rev. Jim Dillow officiated.

Parents of the bride are Charlie and Louise Vestal of Midland. The bridegroom is the son of Tommy and Vickey Thomas of Midland.

Tana Vestal of Midland was maid of honor for her sister. Bridesmaids were Stacey Nolte, Amanda Logan, Amber Jarnagin and D'Ann Wilkinson, sister of the bride, all of Midland. Heather Wilkinson of Midland, niece of the bride, and Christie Coppage of Crane, niece of the bridegroom, were flower girls.

Tommy Thomas was best man for his son. Groomsmen were Junior Urias; Mickey Thomas, brother of the bridegroom; Troy Wilkinson and Chris Cooper, all of Midland. Ushers were John Baucom and Mack Baucom of Houston, and Wade Wood of Tishomingo, Okla. Michael Coppage of Crane, nephew of the bridegroom, was ring bearer. The couple also was attended by Justin Wilkinson of Midland, nephew of the bride.

After a wedding trip to Dallas, the couple lives in Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Shane Thomas

BRYANT-HAILE

Angela Rae Bryant of Midland became the bride of Jimmy Michael Haile, also of Midland, 2:30 p.m. June 17 at the home of Phyllis A. Williamson of Midland, mother of the bride. The Rev. Robert Frazier and Ray Hunt, grandfather of the bride, officiated.

The bridegroom is the son of Jim Haile and the late Bonnie Haile.

K.C. Miller of Midland was maid of honor. Morgan Brown of Midland served as bridesmaid, and Hailey Childers of Midland, niece of the bridegroom, was flower girl.

Greg Elliott of Midkiff was best man. Noble Haile, son of the bridegroom, was groomsman. Usher was Justin Williamson, brother of the bride.

The couple lives in Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Michael Haile

SANDERS-ATCHISON

Jenetta Yolanda Sanders of Midland became the bride of Terry Lee Atchison, also of Midland, 7 p.m. June 10 at Antioch Baptist Church. The Rev. Curtis Jonier officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Alonzo Sanders Jr. of Midland. The bridegroom is the son of Daisy Mae Atchison of Midland.

Brenda Jones of Midland was matron of honor. Ruby Sanders of Dallas was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Sheila Sanders of Dallas, Michelle Wright, Janet Griffen of Midland, Deyree Alexandra, Gail Griffen, Trisha Sullivan, Rose Young and Glendora Pryor. Bridesmatrons were Keshia Russell and Myka Sanders, nieces of the bride, and Latrisha Atchison. Flower girls were Sharieka and Shakia Dixon of Midland.

Jessy Lee Atchison of Midland was best man. Groomsmen were Milton Sanders, Ricky Sanders, Damion Sanders, Author Stuart, John Young, Tanzy Rice, Tookie Cole, Manzy Ray and Mike Thomas. Ushers were Thomas and Randy Pertile. Jamal and JarVara Sanders of Midland were ring bearers.

After a wedding trip to the Bahamas, the couple will live in Dallas.

As puppy grows, cute can turn to dangerous

By Gary Wilkes
N.Y. Times News Service

In Edgar Allen Poe's short story, The Monkey's Paw, the main theme provides terror, at its best. The title relates to a small talisman that grants the bearer several wishes. The terror begins when each wish is granted exactly — and fully. Inevitably, the wishers cannot predict the ramifications of their wish and ultimately pay for their ignorance. For some pet owners, a more appropriate title would be "The Puppy's Paw."

For instance, several years ago, a beer commercial featured a Golden Retriever who appeared to fetch a can of beer for his owner — from the refrigerator. An acquaintance of mine deicided this would make his dog the life of the party, and set about recreating the behavior.

For several weeks, Rover became the hot topic of his owner's life. A dog who could open a refrigerator and fetch a beer is pretty remarkable. Then Rover decided to expand his education — and his appetite.

One night, Rover decided to raid the fridge, on his own. The next morning, the owner awakened to the remains of a ten-pound ham and a very sick puppy.

Many pet owners who would never consider teaching their dogs to fetch beer or snacks still experience the "Puppy's Paw." Almost everyone thinks it is cute for a puppy to jump up to get affection or attention.

When the puppy grows to be a 90-pound Labrador, the cuteness starts to wear off. Suddenly the animal is a nuisance and must be locked outside when guests arrive.

The logical thread between the cute behavior of the puppy and the obnoxious behavior of the adult is painfully easy to see, in retrospect.

Another common educational error is allowing a puppy to mouth or bite playfully. While many adults derive pleasure from the ferocious growls and jaw snapping of a playful pup, children rarely enjoy the aftereffects.

Puppies that are often allowed to play roughly have trouble distinguishing when the behavior is appropriate — and who is an appropriate target.

Even if the puppy does not intend to do damage, needle-like puppy teeth can easily puncture or rip the tender skin of a child. If the behavior is allowed to strengthen with age, the severity of the bite grows with the animal's size and coordination.

A more innocent, but equally questionable, training practice is allowing a dog to use old shoes as chew toys. While worn, discarded or cheap sneakers are of little use to most pet owners, dogs have a difficult time identifying the criteria that make a shoe worn out, cheap or discarded. When Rover gets bored with the bargain basement variety of footgear, a pair of Air Jordans may look like an intriguing alternative. The owner of the shoes will rarely understand that the blame rests with the teacher and not the student.

Letting an animal behave wildly for the first few minutes of "welcome home" behavior also fits into the category of dubious training. While a few minutes of mindless racing around the house may settle the dog down, the greeting that follows acts as a reinforcement for — you guessed it — racing around like an idiot.

The common thread that connects these behaviors is a common misconception about the dynamics of behavior. Puppies adapt to their environments by repeating behaviors that "pay off." If play biting and growling leads to fun and frolicking, biting and growling will become a normal reaction. If biting and growling pay off in situations other than during play time, they will become regular occurrences.

The key to understanding this problem (a dog's normal reactions) is in realizing that animals respond to reinforcement, regardless of the owner's intentions. If you give a dog a treat in order to get your shoe from the little monster, you have just reinforced shoe-grabbing.

The key to understanding this problem is in realizing that animals respond to reinforcement, regardless of the owner's intentions. If you give a dog a treat in order to get your shoe from the little monster, you have just reinforced shoe-grabbing. If you fend off a dog with your hands to prevent "goosing," you have just petted the dog for rude behavior. The dog soon learns that investigating humans in their private regions "pays-off."

Avoiding these formulas for failure begins with identifying those things that can change your dog's behavior. Physical touch, new sights and sounds, food and praise may act to strengthen any behavior associated with them. Offering these reinforcements for inappropriate behavior creates chaos. Giving the same reinforcements for polite sitting, gentle play or calm behavior can reap long range rewards.

If you find yourself cursed by the "Puppy's Paw," the solution starts with knowing which behaviors to reinforce. When you feel the urge to pet a "goosing" dog or invite your puppy to jump on you, remember the advice of another of Poe's creatures. Quothe the Raven, "Nevermore!"

Gary Wilkes, an animal behaviorist in the Phoenix area, writes for the Mesa Tribune.

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TACKER-ADAMS

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Tacker of Lindale announce the engagement of their daughter, Sheila, to Andy Adams, son of former Midlanders Mr. and Mrs. John Adams of Lufkin. The wedding is planned for 10 a.m. Aug. 5 at the Church of Christ on Rice Road in Tyler.

Miss Tacker is a junior communications major at the University of Texas at Arlington. Her fiance, grandson of Roy Nell Payne and the late Joe Payne, and B.H. and Amma Adams of Midland, is sports editor of the Lewisville News.

Sheila Tacker and Andy Adams

HILL-WETZ

Liv Sarah Hill and Christopher James Wetz, both of Abilene, are planning a 6 p.m. Aug. 12 wedding at the Clusters Apartments in Midland. The bride-elect is the daughter of Tim and Dotti Hill of Midland. Parents of the future bridegroom are Roger and Sharon Wetz of Midland.

Miss Hill is a 1994 graduate of Lee High School. Her fiance graduated from Midland High School in 1992.

Liv Sarah Hill and Christopher James Wetz

ODEN-HOHN

Stephanie Lyn Oden and Jeremy Lee Hohn, both of Midland, are planning to be married 3 p.m. Dec. 16 at First Assembly of God in Midland. Parents of the bride-elect are Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy L. Oden of Midland. The future bridegroom is the son of Mary Ply of Midland and Lloyd Hohn of Bismarck, N.D.

Miss Oden is a 1995 graduate of Midland High School. She is employed with Chevron USA Production Company. Her fiance, a 1990 graduate of Beulah (N.D.) High School, attended Jamestown (N.D.) College and is employed with U.S. Postal Service.

Stephanie Lyn Oden and Jeremy Lee Hohn

FORD-JOHNSON

L. Jamelia Ford of Midland will become the bride of Rodney R. Johnson, also of Midland, 7 p.m. July 22 at Faith Temple in Midland. The bride-to-be is the daughter of Carolyn L. Lott of Midland and the late Booker T. Lott. Parents of the future bridegroom are Marilyn Johnson of Midland and the late Radell Johnson.

Ms. Ford graduated from Lee High School and attended the University of Texas at Arlington. She is a student at Midland College and is employed with Texas Department of Human Services. Her fiance, also an LHS graduate, earned a bachelor of arts degree in economics from Syracuse University. He is employed with Westcorp Financial Services.

L. Jamelia Ford and Rodney R. Johnson

ELLIS-CHRISTENSEN

Shellie Cecilia Ellis of Moore, Okla., will become the bride of Michael Scott Christensen, also of Moore, 7 p.m Sept. 2 at Lord of Life Lutheran Church in Edmond, Okla. Parents of the bride-elect are Bob and Pam King of Boyd. The future bridegroom is the son of Robert H. Christensen of Midland.

Ms. Ellis is a graduate of Boyd High School and a student at Oklahoma City Community College. Her fiance attended Midland High School, USAF Combat Survival School and USAF Airview Instructor Course. He is serving in the U.S. Air Force as an evaluator air surveillance technician assigned to the 963 Airborne Air Control Squadron stationed at Tinker Air Force Base, Okla.

Shellie Cecilia Ellis and Michael Scott Christensen

GILLIS-BROWN

Kimberly Ray Gillis and Benjamin Allen Brown are planning to be married Aug. 5 at Hope Lutheran Church of Midland. The bride-to-be is the daughter of Richard R. Looney of Odessa and Sharon G. Looney of Blackwell. Her fiance is the son of Max T. Brown of Odessa and Caroline A. Brown of Midland.

Ms. Gillis is a 1986 graduate of Odessa High School and a 1994 graduate of Odessa College. She is employed with Odessa Internal Medicine. The future bridegroom graduated from Southwest School of Electronics in Austin in 1991 and is employed with CMC Business System of Midland.

Kimberly Ray Gillis and Benjamin Allen Brown

ANNIVERSARY

Cunninghams mark golden anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. John Cunningham of Midland celebrated their golden wedding anniversary with a reception Saturday in the parlor of Golf Course Road Church of Christ. Hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Dean Soper and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Parrish.

Cunningham and the former Clarice Gregg were married July 10, 1945, in Hobbs, N.M. They are the parents of three children — Cinda Soper of Midland, Linda Parrish of Houston and the late Randy Cunningham. They also have five grandchildren.

The couple lived in Jal, N.M., until 1967, when they moved to Midland for the first time. They lived in El Paso from 1974-79 and moved back to Midland in 1979. Cunningham was employed with El Paso Natural Gas Co. for 38 years before he retired in 1990. They are members of Golf Course Road Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cunningham

McNEILLY-LUCCI

Mr. and Mrs. James F. O'Briant of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Donald J. McNeilly of Nassau, Bahamas, announce the engagement of their daughter, Janet Diane McNeilly of Houston, to James Michael Lucci also of Houston, son of Dr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Lucci Jr. of Houston. The wedding is planned for 7 p.m. Dec. 2 at Annunciation Catholic Church in Houston.

Miss McNeilly earned a bachelor of arts degree from the University of Texas in 1990 and a master of arts degree from the University of Houston this year. She was a member of Chi Omega sorority at UT, and is employed with Ernst and Young, L.L.P. Her fiance is graduate of UT, where he earned a bachelor of arts degree in 1990, and South Texas College of Law, where he earned a doctor of jurisprudence degree this year. He was a member of Sigma Phi Epsilon at UT and Phi Delta Phi at South Texas College of Law. He is an attorney with the U.S. Navy JAG Corps.

Janet Diane McNeilly and James Michael Lucci

STEWART-CORBETT

Tina Rene' Stewart and Matthew Oliver Corbett, both of Midland, are planning a 7 p.m. Sept. 2 wedding at Trinity Presbyterian Church in Midland. Parents of the bride-elect are Arnold and Janice Stewart of Lakewood, Colo. The future bridegroom is the son of former Midlanders Windell and Linda Wright of North Attleboro, Mass.

Miss Stewart is a 1985 graduate of Green Mountain High School in Lakewood and a 1989 graduate of Drake University in Des Moines, Iowa, where she earned a bachelor of arts degree in journalism. She is publication coordinator for the Confederate Air Force. Her fiance graduated from International School of Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, and is a senior at the University of Texas of the Permian Basin in Odessa. He is employed with Volunteers of America in Odessa.

Tina Rene' Stewart and Matthew Oliver Corbett

Tacky weddings are on the attack

By Diane White
N.Y. Times News Service

There was the bride who had her ex-husband give her away.

There was the bride who included a list of stores where she was registered on the wedding invitation.

There was the couple who had their wedding photographer send a printed notice, complete with price list, to all their guests informing them that they could purchase wedding photos as a "gift option."

Just when Martha A. Woodham thinks she's seen and heard it all, somebody surprises her with an outrageous wedding-related question or situation.

Woodham, society columnist for the Atlanta Constitution and Journal and advice columnist for Elegant Bride magazine, has written a cautionary and entertaining collection of wedding worsts, "The Bride Did What?! Etiquette for the Wedding Impaired." Lots of books tell people what to do when planning a wedding, but Woodham's book may be the only one that tells them what not to do. It comes not a minute too soon.

"It's getting worse," Woodham said from her Atlanta office. "People are getting greedier and greedier. And they don't know how to entertain properly. They want to have a cash bar at the wedding. I actually have to tell them: You don't charge your guests at a wedding. Do you charge them when they come to your home?"

Cash bars aren't even the worst of it. The tacky things people do — or want to do — at weddings and wedding-related events beggar belief. A few examples from Woodham's book:

■ The bride who was marrying a man of another race and wanted to note the fact on the wedding invitation so guests who hadn't met him wouldn't be surprised.

■ The bride who wanted to know if it was permissible for her new husband to surprise and entertain guests at their reception by removing her panties instead of the more traditional garter.

■ The many people who ask if it's proper to request a "money tree" on their wedding invitations, or to set up a "wishing well" at the reception. "Why don't you just print an admission price on the invitation and sell tickets at the door?" Woodham responded to one of these queries.

Her response to all of the above is, of course, no, no, a thousand times no. Don't do it. It's not proper. It's just not done. It's tacky. Here are a few more of her wedding-related no-nos:

No tuxedos and long dresses before 6 p.m. No veils for second- (or third-, or fourth-, or whichever) time-around brides. No forcing parents to pay for the bride's "dream wedding." No bridal showers thrown by the bride's family. No bride smashing wedding cake into the bridegroom's face, and vice versa. No clapping congregation. No fighting among parents, or in-laws or anybody else for that matter on the big day. No instructing guests what to give for wedding presents.

'When I give talks at bridal fairs, I talk about the 'G' word. I tell them they don't want to be greedy. They want to be gracious.'
— Martha A. Woodham, society and advice columnist

More and more, Woodham said, brides seem to view a wedding as an opportunity to present people with a list of demands. "It turns into a 'this-is-what-I-want-and-you'd-better-give-it-to-me' situation," she said. The worst story she's heard involved shower guests who received invitations with the notation "No Gifts" only to find when they arrived at the event that the bride had arranged with a store to set up a display of everything she wanted so they could buy her a present on the spot.

"When I give talks at bridal fairs I talk about the 'G' word," Woodham said. "I tell them they don't want to be greedy. They want to be gracious."

She also cautions brides-to-be about turning into Bridezilla, the name wedding consultants bestow on brides who are particularly difficult and obnoxious. "I tell them to keep things in perspective," Woodham said. "I get letters that are heartrending. People treat each other so badly, and over what? They allow the festivities to outweigh everything else. They lose sight of the solemnity of the wedding, of what it means."

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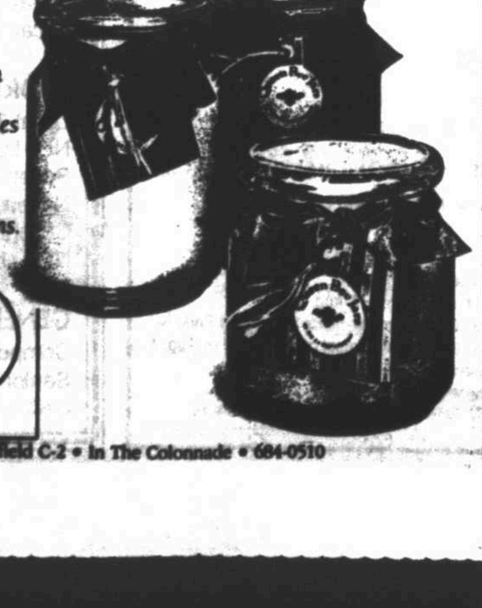

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Some couples believe in cohabitation, not marriage

By Jennifer Steinhauer
N.Y. Times News Service

After a 22-year marriage that ended in divorce, Cynthia Stech says she has finally figured out how to manage love.

She has a new romantic interest, he has moved into her house in Kalamazoo, Mich., and that is probably how things are going to stay.

"I'm not sure that marriage isn't an option," said Ms. Stech, 59, an office manager who began living with Fred Tremdlay, 66, a year and a half ago. "But we haven't figured out why we would do it. Clearly we are not starting a family, and we're not planning a 30-year partnership. We're just grateful for what we have in this stage of our lives."

WHAT WOULD have been considered scandalous 25 years ago has now become an acceptable living arrangement. The number of couples choosing to live together rather than marry climbed 80 percent between 1980 and 1991, according to Census data.

And a professor at the University of Wisconsin in Madison has found another surprising shift: the greatest increase in couples who share a home but not a legal document is among people over 35.

"This once widely disapproved of behavior is now half the population under the age 40, and in 10 years, it will be half the population under 50," said the professor, Larry Bumpass. He has been following 10,000 people since the late 1980s for an ongoing survey of families and households.

Bumpass has found that 49 percent of the people between 35 and 39 in his study are now living with someone, up from 34 percent in the late 1980's. Among people 50 to 54, cohabitation has nearly doubled in the same period. His has not examined the living arrangements of gay couples, but other experts say there has been an increase in their cohabitation rates as well.

'I am very cautious about marriage, having grown up around a not very pretty one. I am a tad cynical and a tad rebellious. I am not sure what I am rebelling against, but I really don't see a need for marriage. That isn't a statement about my feelings about the relationship, because there is no less strength of commitment.'

— David Bergman, architect who believes in cohabitation

"The very dramatic thing is the difference in attitudes in nontraditional family behavior," Bumpass said, citing data from his survey that showed only a small segment of people disapproved of premarital sex and cohabitation. "It is clear to me that the trends we have been observing are very likely to continue with a declining emphasis on marriage."

IN FACT, living together has replaced marriage for many people — 1 in 4 Americans over 18 has never married, according to the Census data, as against 1 in 6 in 1970.

For many couples, cohabitation provides a chance for a shared life without a shared bank account. People who receive Social Security benefits, for example, can enjoy companionship later in life without paying the tax penalty that marriage brings. And for those who are skittish about marriage, living together offers what they say is the same level of commitment.

"I am very cautious about marriage, having grown up around a not very pretty one," said David Bergman, 39, an architect who lives with Lori Greenberg, a 32-year-old graphic designer, in Manhattan. "I am a tad cynical and a tad rebellious. I am not sure what I am rebelling against, but I really don't see a need for marriage. That isn't a statement about my feelings about the relationship, because there is no less strength of commitment."

Ms. Greenberg doesn't think marriage implies a strong commitment either. "I get pretty angry about the rules that society places on us," she said. "I think that if things are going really well, why do you have to prove things?"

RESEARCH SHOWS that among older couples, cohabitation often follows divorce. "Once you've been divorced, you're more cautious about things," Ms. Stech said.

"I am much more independent than when I was married," she added. "I didn't have my own money when I was married. Because he was the breadwinner, I felt like it was his money. I never want that to happen again."

While some people see little difference between marriage and cohabitation, others say they are intentionally keeping distance from their partners.

That seems to be the case for Ruth, 83, who asked that her last name not be used to protect her privacy. She lives with an 85-year-old male companion in Point Lookout, N.Y., and in West Palm Beach, Fla. She says that they have been together more than four years and that they have no intention of marrying. Both are widowed.

"I'm a free spirit," Ruth said. "I need my space. Sometimes we think of marriage, but then I think that I don't want to be tied down."

Ms. Stech said she thought her relationship with Tremdlay, who is retired, was more equal than her former marriage. "The roles are so different than they were in marriage," she said. "He's home more than I am, whereas in my marriage, I was mostly not working."

PEOPLE OVER 35 also grew up in an era of rapidly-changing social mores. "We are leftovers from the 60s," said Mark Seiden, 44, a computer consultant in Belmont, Calif. He lives with Nancy Frishberg, 46, a software engineer, and their daughter, Janet, who is 7.

"We feel we are not primarily a couple but rather primarily individuals who happen to be in a couple," he said. "It allows me to be a little more at arm's length. Men don't like committing, so maybe this is just some sort of excuse."

Ms. Frishberg and Seiden call each other partners, deputies or spouse equivalents. Once in a while, Ms. Frishberg just calls him her "something."

"I don't know that there is any particular advantage to living together," she said. "I'm not against the institution of marriage. We just never got around to it."

For all the advantages living together may provide, there is no guarantee that it will translate into a good marriage. Researchers have found that about 50 percent of marriages that begin in cohabitation break up. Many of them are uncertain whether this is because people who live together first are also more tolerant of divorce or because there is a direct relationship between cohabitation and divorce.

Some researchers have discovered that people who live together are often less committed to each other than married couples. For example, Renata Forste, an assistant professor of sociology at Western Washington University in Bellingham, Wa., found in recent research that there is often less sexual fidelity between cohabitating partners.

Drawing on data from a national survey of women, which consisted of interviews with 1,235 women who were in relationships in 1991, she found that 20 percent of the cohabitating women had cheated on their mates, as opposed to 4 percent of the married women.

Dr. Linda Waite, a professor of sociology at the University of Chicago, has found that cohabitating couples tend to make less financial investment together, which seems to underscore their independence from each other.

Her research also showed that sexual satisfaction was stronger among married men than among single or cohabitating men.

BUT OTHERS who are looking at cohabitation, a relatively new area for demographers, warn that most of the data are preliminary.

"It is a little hard to know the cause and effect of cohabitation on divorce," said David Popenoe, the associate dean for social and behavioral sciences at Rutgers University in New Brunwick, N.J., and a chairman of the Council on Families in America, a research organization. "I hope that as the trend continues, divorce rates will soften."

"We can't go back to a society where people don't have sex or live together at all before marriage," he added, "nor do I want to go back to one where people are matched up at 20 for life."

Even while on vacation, there's no place like home

By Sheila Taylor Wells
N.Y. Times News Service

OURAY, Colo. — Newspaper writers grow accustomed to immediate response. Unlike builders, say, or artists or carpenters or lawyers or teachers or almost any other workers, we do our job, then boom, there it is for all to see, in indelible ink, and frequently, the very next day. For good or ill, one's labors are quickly evident.

I had just been telling our visitors, two magazine editors, that the hardest part about writing a column away from home is the lack of that instant response and the subsequent recognition of effort.

"I really miss it," I said, scarcely finishing my sentence, when a man entered the cafe, approached our table, introduced himself, said he is from Grand Prairie, Texas, and that he reads my column.

I cannot tell you how happy that made me.

"Oh, thank you, thank you, thank you," I cried, and then I jumped upon the table top, belted out the entire score of "Oh, What a Beautiful Morning," which I then followed with a perky soft shoe before presenting the nice man with all the cash in my billfold, plus my Visa card and my whole collection of frequent flier miles, all in appreciation of his kind recognition.

What a coincidence. That he was here, in this small town, that I was here, in this small town, that both of us were there, in that small coffee house, and that I had just been expressing my frustration at working so anonymously.

Naturally, that led to a discussion of the marvel of coincidence. One of the magazine editors said that last week, some friends attended the annual Shakespeare Festival in Ashland, Ore.

One of the children, apparently oblivious to the actual name of the festival, asked who wrote the Shakespeare play they had just seen at the Shakespeare Festival, to which his 17-year-old sibling, with all the sarcasm appropriate for a smart-aleck teen-ager, answered with a snicker: "August Wilson."

At that, a man in front of the family turned and said, "Did someone just say my name?"

"Oh, no," said Mom. "We were discussing playwrights."

"Well, I'm August Wilson," said Pulitzer Prize-winning playwright August Wilson.

At the height of the Indiana Jones mania, a friend's mother and an acquaintance sat in a Washington, D.C., beauty salon, chatting about famous people they almost knew.

"My daughter went to high school with Karen Allen," said my friend's mother.

Up popped the next dryer, as its occupant leaned forward to announce, "My daughter is Karen Allen."

A few years ago, my son and I, driving from California to Texas, made an unplanned detour off Interstate 40 at Albuquerque, N.M., a city to which we had never been, and after wandering around for an hour or two, decided to eat at a restaurant of which we had never heard.

As we walked in, my mother walked out.

"How in the world did you find me?" she asked, explaining she was en route from Fort Worth to Flagstaff, Ariz., with friends.

Ah. We weren't even looking; it was pure coincidence.

If you have one to share, send me a FAX at (970) 325-0555 or write me at Box 778, Ouray, Colo., 81427. This is a trick, of course; as I said, I really miss that response.

Sheila Taylor Wells is a columnist for the Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

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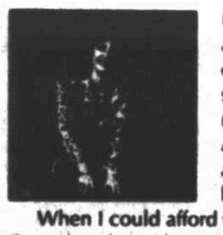

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3. Mary Hammond, Vangie Lindsey

WEDNESDAY
1. Gloria Crites, Jean Pistole
2. Ginna Potts, Betty Reeves
3. Sue Gardiner, Leonora Slusher

THURSDAY
1. Carol and Hal Keller
2. Mary Anne Ochs, Marian Sims
3. Glenda Simmons, Corrinne Recer
4. Dot Pennebaker, Jean Banks

INTERMEDIATE:
1. Betty and Charles Warnock
2. Mary Renton, Ken Hill
3. Sue Conner, Billie Ruppe

FRIDAY
1. Carol and Al Keller
2. Beulah Prichard, Janet Stoltz
3. France Levin, Laura Williams
4. Sally Reeder, Fern McGuigan

SATURDAY
1. Kathryn Gesell, Joe Salman
2. Gloria Crites, Betty Reeves
3. Sue Gardiner, Leonora Slusher
4. Babe Griffin, Joe Brittain

SUNDAY
NORTH-SOUTH:
1. Betty and Jerry Crooker
2. Laura Williams, Ann Servatius
3. Joan La Fond, Helen Wise
4. Carol and Al Keller

EAST-WEST:
1. Marty Cloy, Ken Wolf
2. Frances Levin, Betty Reeves
3. Linda Jerman, Bill Fahrig
4. James McAllister, Lena Burleson

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3. Mary Hammond, Betty Reeves
4. Ann Servatius, Leonora Slusher

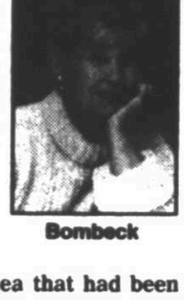
At Wit's End

Tired of that same old monument? Cover it!

By Erma Bombeck

Talk about jaded.

On the news the other night, a network reporter interviewed the artist Christo and his wife, who were in the process of slip-covering the Reichstag in Berlin with 120,000 square yards of fabric and 10 miles of blue rope.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The interviewer nodded with boredom and listened as if it were an idea that had been done to death.

None of this was real. If the male reporter was really reacting to this project, he would have shouted, "So what's wrong with the old cover?" and, "How much is this going to cost?"

I was sitting there overcome with numbness as I thought of the thousands of women in America with threadbare sofas, sagging draperies and a house exterior down to the bare wood. And this guy was springing for $11 million to gift-wrap the future home of Germany's parliament.

One can only wonder how these ideas get off the ground. Is the artist sitting around a bar one night and someone asks, "Have you seen the Grand Canyon lately?"

"No, why?"

"It's looking a little tired."

"Tired?"

"You know — old."

"It's supposed to look old. It's billions of years old in some places."

"I wonder how much it would take to drape it in something fluid."

"That's boring. Now, the Golden Gate Bridge could use a little black dress."

Personally, I don't care if someone puts the four presidents on Mount Rushmore in sweats; it's just that we seem to have passed bizarre and are on our way to totally weird. Nearly every major city in this country has a piece of art as its centerpiece. If you were to poll the people living there, none of them would have a clue as to what it is or what it stands for. It's just something that alters the travel pattern.

Christo and his wife told the reporter that once the Reichstag is covered with 70 rolls of silver fabric, it will be a tourist attraction. It will make a political statement to tell the world Germany has learned its lesson and come to its senses.

At this point, the correspondent should have withdrawn the microphone, thrown back his head and said, "You're joking!" He didn't.

After the broadcast, I turned to my husband and said, "I'm going to drape our garbage cans with an amusing Laura Ashley print. I think aesthetically it will not only make a fashion statement, but it will create a fluid feeling of hope."

I didn't have to wait long for the laugh.

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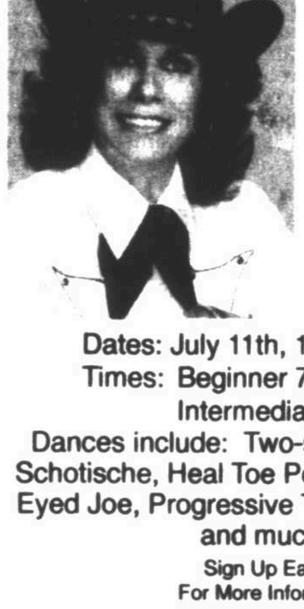

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Some believe, some don't, in medium's psychic gift

By Elaine Louie
N.Y. Times News Service

NEW YORK — There is nothing about Rosemary Altea that would suggest she speaks to people "on the other side" — people who have, in earthly parlance, died.

Ms. Altea (pronounced al-TEE-ah), a 49-year-old English spiritualist, doesn't look like a fortuneteller or a seer. She doesn't wrap silk scarves around her head, drape herself in robes or finger crystal amulets strung around her neck.

But she has a waiting list of 500 people in Britain who want to communicate, through her, with loved ones who have died (at $200 a consultation). In the United States, where she is on a 12-city book tour for her autobiography, "The Eagle and the Rose" (Warner Books, $19.95), she gets 100 requests a week from people who want to see her.

In May, she went on the ABC program "Prime Time Live," where she tried to get in touch with deceased relatives of four guests. Ms. Altea's editor at Warner, Joann Davis, and her agent, Joni Evans of William Morris, vouch for her, which is no surprise. And they swear they have communicated with deceased relatives.

"Sure," I thought.

At a recent dinner with the author, Ms. Evans and spirits — which were seen by Ms. Altea but not by others — I asked her to speak to my late husband, Gerry Sussman. Proof, of course, would be in the details — place of death, cause of death and other facts. Was she or was she not possessed of a sixth sense?

I walked through the front door of Ms. Evans's Manhattan town house, where Ms. Altea has been staying, as a skeptic, my purse empty of handkerchiefs and tissues. I walked out two and a half hours later, leaving dozens of sopping wet tissues behind. "Our house is full of people crying," Ms. Altea's 25-year-old daughter, Samantha, said calmly from her vantage point on a sofa. "She makes you want to go and use tissues."

We sat around a coffee table, Ms. Altea and I on a sofa, Ms. Evans on a chair across from us. I asked Ms. Altea the standard interviewer's questions for about 20 minutes, and then she gazed beyond my right shoulder and said: "I see a man biding his time. His problem was in his lungs and in breathing, and you and he talked of illness. But the illness was short. There was no time to say goodbye — the end was so swift."

She was speaking of Gerry. She knew.

More than five years ago, at 10 on what would be the last night of his life, Gerry had a severe asthma attack, which he fended off with inhalators. Later, at 1 a.m., he said, "I nearly died tonight." We chatted briefly about it and at 3 we went to sleep. At 5, two hours later, he was dead. An autopsy revealed he had died of a heart attack.

Where were those tissues? Ms. Evans jumped from the chair and brought a box and put them on the coffee table.

Ms. Altea, speaking for Gerry, talked about our daughter, whom he said had just asked to change schools.

She had, at 11 that morning.

He also said it wasn't a good idea at this moment.

"It's out of the question," I had said a mere 10 hours earlier.

"He's showing me a photograph," Ms. Altea said. "Is her hair in braids? It's long enough to pull back."

When Gerry was alive, Anna, now 13, had never worn her hair braided. But a couple of weeks before this dinner, she had started making a braid that wound around the back, to keep the rest of her hair off her face.

More tissues, please.

Then he analyzed my relationship with our daughter. He said that she was very bright, very strong willed and had temper tantrums. She is. And does.

And that I give in to her. I do.

As Ms. Altea spoke to me, and as she does with others, she interspersed the comments with descriptions of what the spirit was doing. He was planting a kiss on my cheek. More tissues. He was stroking my arm as he said that he loved us. (She knows what people want.) Yet more tissues.

Some time later, Ms. Evans and I asked, "What is he was doing now?"

"Drawing cartoons — and there's something about a big nose," she said. "Does that mean anything to you?"

Yes. Lots. Gerry thought he looked like a cross between Harvey Keitel and Walter Matthau. And like the two actors, he was endowed with a funny, fleshy nose.

And although Gerry wrote humor, he couldn't draw humorously, much as he wanted to (he was a fan of R. Crumb). So one year I gave him a book on how to draw cartoons, a pad of drawing paper and a packet of pencils. A year or two passed and the book remained unread, the drawing paper still wrapped. He always said that someday he would find the time to learn. Maybe he had finally found the time.

Maybe I had become a believer.

Two years ago, Ms. Evans, until then a skeptic on all things psychic, became a believer. At their first meeting, as Ms. Altea was leaving, she told Ms. Evans that she saw a robust man who had died of a heart attack and who was talking about the water. And that Ms. Evans had just moved his widow into a new home.

"I flushed," Ms. Evans recalled. "I had just put my aunt, Shirley Sale, in the Trump Tower, and it was my uncle, Nat Sale, who was fat, who died of a heart attack and who took us fishing at Montauk every summer." With Ms. Altea's help, Ms. Evans says, she has been able to get in touch with a son, a child who died 25 years ago and was named David.

Not all believe in Ms. Altea. In May, on "Prime Time Live," the host, Diane Sawyer, introduced Ms. Altea to four guests, all strangers to the psychic. Two of the guests left convinced of Ms. Altea's powers. Two did not.

Ms. Sawyer is still suspicious. On the show, Ms. Altea said she saw a man named Mark or Mike (Ms. Sawyer's husband is Mike Nichols, the film and theater director), who was disorganized.

Ms. Sawyer was not impressed. "There were no lightning bolts for me," she said on the show.

But for many, there have been.

Ms. Altea sees three people a day and also consults over the telephone. She also has five "healing centers" in Britain, where she and a staff of 30 unpaid healers perform a laying-on-of-hands ritual, for spiritual healing.

She writes in her book that since she was a little girl, she has heard voices, had visions and seen people who have died. She has a spirit guide, an Apache named Grey Eagle, who has enabled her to work professionally as a medium for the last 15 years.

She said it was Grey Eagle who told her to have the book published in the United States first and England second. "Americans are very open and more enthusiastic," Ms. Altea said. Warner Books gave a $150,000 advance for the book and, since publication in May, has 112,000 copies in print. (Grey Eagle knows his marketing.) Together, Ms. Altea and Grey Eagle have a message — that there is life after death, that people are spiritual beings passing through the earthly plane.

The message is not new. But this messenger is, at least in the United States. And she seems so, well, normal. "I never tell anything terrible," she said. If she thinks it will be helpful, she tells people to beware of certain illnesses or accidents, but she does not tell people of impending catastrophe. "It's not to put the fear of God, but to give hope and comfort."

Mary Barton Robinson

Meeting planned

Staff Reports

En Amie Review Club will have a luncheon meeting 11:30 a.m. Wednesday at Ranchland Hills Country Club. Mary Barton Robinson of Eldorado will review "The Delany Sisters' Book of Everyday Wisdom" by Sarah and A. Elizabeth Delany with Amy Hill Hearth.

Mrs. Robinson is a native of Marfa and a graduate of Marfa High School. She earned a degree from Baylor University and has lived in Eldorado since 1950. She is the mother of two and the grandmother of three.

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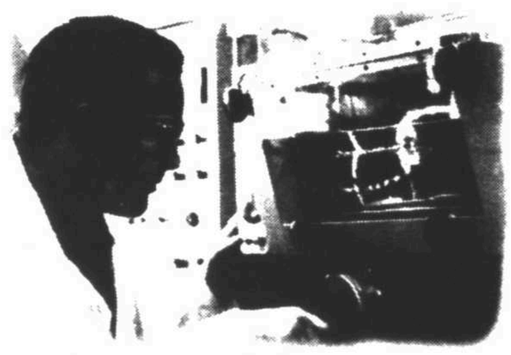

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DEAR ABBY

Advice to assaulted umpire causes readers to cry foul

by Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I have never written to you before, but I have to comment that you made a major mistake in your answer to "Retired Ump in Atlanta" in your column. By saying, "Never remove your mask during an altercation," you implied that an umpire should stay ready to be struck, and then you joked that the guilty party should be traded to the Giants.

Van Buren

No umpire, referee or other sports official should ever be struck or even touched in anger by anyone.

Any player who attacks an official should be ejected from the game, the team, and maybe even all organized sports for life.

An umpire is hired, or volunteers, to keep order and make decisions. Players and fans who threaten the safety of officials threaten all organized sports and cannot be tolerated! — DUSTEN GALBRAITH, SILVIS, ILL.

DEAR DUSTEN: Thank you for speaking out. The volume of letters I received criticizing my cavalier response to "Retired Ump in Atlanta" while decrying violence in (and out of) sports was noteworthy. Read on:

DEAR ABBY: If only half the stories I have heard are true, violence and intimidation against officials at amateur sporting events is a serious problem.

If I were "Retired Ump in Atlanta," I would have had ANY player who broke my nose with a punch arrested for assault and battery.

From your answer, I must assume that you have never been in a serious fight with someone hitting your face hard enough to break bones.

It is not funny — and gender has nothing to do with it.

It is sad and strange when somebody who does the right thing is ridiculed as a wimp while the jerk of a ballplayer who attacked him is probably still on the team.

"Retired Ump's" fellow officials should have walked off the field, taken their comrade to the emergency room, and left two teams wondering how to finish the game with no officiating crew.

Tell "Retired Ump" that any idiot can get in a fight. It takes a real man to walk away from one. (And if his friend thought that fighting was such a good idea, why didn't he jump into the fray?) — A.T.D. in SEATTLE

DEAR ABBY: The amazon who struck "Retired Ump in Atlanta" shouldn't be traded to the Giants; she should be sitting in jail for assault and battery!

Can you imagine the hue and cry that would have gone up if a MALE player had struck a female umpire, even if the man were smaller than the woman? What makes it different in "Retired Ump's" case?

The argument that men are more physically powerful than women can't be used because, in this case, the woman was stronger physically.

No matter how many civilized societies teach gentlemen from childhood that they should not hit women, being female is not a license to beat and abuse others. Violence is wrong no matter who's doing it. — A PEACEFUL WOMAN NEAR ATLANTA

DEAR PEACEFUL WOMAN AND A.T.D.: Of course you are right. Violence is violence regardless of which sex commits it. I should not have made a joke of it. No act of violence should be overlooked or made light of. My sincere apologies.

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The experience that capped them all was the time I was asked to tell about my trip to Europe. Immediately after my introduction, one member jumped up and said, "I went there in 1948, and it was just wonderful ..."; then she went on and on. The chairperson made no effort to interrupt her, although she kept glancing apologetically at me. I never did get to deliver my talk.

Abby, why can't the speaker be told how much time is allotted, and then be put on the program first, as a matter of simple courtesy? — BUGGED

DEAR BUGGED: The speaker is traditionally the last on the program – "the icing on the cake."

If I were a guest speaker at a dinner where the business meeting went on and on, I would pass a note to the program chairman letting him (or her) know that I would hate to reduce my speech by half its length, but if I were not introduced within five minutes, I would have no other choice.

DEAR ABBY: Is it possible for a man and his wife who both have brown eyes and black hair to have a blue-eyed baby with blond hair? I must know, because we did. Thanks. — WONDERING IN MIDLAND, TEXAS

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Cheaper by the Dozen

Joe Don Baker as Father, center, explains washing to his brood in this scene from the Globe Theatre's production of "Cheaper by the Dozen." From left are Chris Leckbee as Mother and the children, portrayed by Hannah Wallace, Lita Lopez, Heather Francell, Kaci Gober, Melissa Myers, Chris Borgman, Noel Lopez, Cody Francell, Steven Baker, Amanda Lopez and John Ed Baker.

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ODESSA — The Globe of the Great Southwest offers area residents two nights of comedy this month in its "Rolling Rep." "The idea was to bring back a good variety of shows in the summertime," said Mike Doggett, drama teacher at Odessa High School who is directing the Globe's production of "Cheaper by the Dozen."

"In the past, they used to perform Shakespeare plays, and they had several things going on in the summer. That has not been happening. They wanted to kind of bolster the summer season and get a lot of people involved."

To accomplish its mission, the Globe is presenting, on alternate nights, Ernestine Gilbreth Carey and Frank Gilbreth's "Cheaper by the Dozen" and Joseph Kesslering's "Arsenic and Old Lace," directed by former Odessa High School drama teacher, Ronnie Watson, who will be teaching drama at Sonora in the fall.

"This year, the idea was to do some good American theater chestnuts," Doggett said. "They're great, wholesome American comedy classics."

The number of people who came out for auditions surprised Doggett, who said he didn't know what to expect in the summer.

"We had a tremendous turnout of people," he said. "For 16 roles, I had 70 people audition, which is a lot. And I had 40 to 50 in the ranges of from 6 to 19 years old. That's a lot of young people.

"Fortunately, I was able to cast most; I even added two extra characters to the play to get more people involved."

In the script, "Cheaper by the Dozen," two of the babies remain upstairs and are not included in the action but are spoken of by other family members, Doggett said.

"We had the cutest little kids you've ever seen, and I wanted to get as many involved as I could, so we did a little rewriting —

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At right, Mother (Ms. Leckbee) and Father (Baker), from left, look on as Miss Brill (Brenda Myers) scolds Anne (Miss Francell) in this scene from "Cheaper by the Dozen." Below, Abby (Nancy Lovett), center, and Martha (Ruth Rawley), right, send their cousin and cohort in crime, Jonathan (Mark Jeter), on his way in this scene from the Globe Theatre's production of "Arsenic and Old Lace."

Arsenic and old Lace

Young Lovers in Chains

At left, Officer Dumas (Bruce Bogert) slaps the cuffs on fugitive A. John Doe (John Gilmore) and soon-to-be-married Beulah Goldbottm (Ms. Partridge) in this scene from "Young Lovers in Chains." At right, Officer Dumas chases A. John Doe and girlfriend Angel Amore (not shown), who get tangled up with soon-to-be-married Dick Wiles (Marvin LeMaster), left, and Beulah Goldbottom (Krissy Partridge).

ODESSA — "Young Lovers in Chains" handcuffs the wrong people for the right reasons in a romantic comedy written by Texas playwright Tom McNeely. This relatively unknown play was selected as the opening production for Odessa's newest theater — Center Stage Theatre, 1617 E. Eighth St.

"It just seemed incredibly hilarious," said director Jack Harding. "It is also written by a man (from) Wichita Falls. I thought it was a plus to perform a show written by somebody in Texas.

"And it personified the type of show or the type of message I wanted to get across about the type of theater we would be doing, which is fun, maybe off-center a little bit, a little wacky maybe, and just basically a refreshing spark in theater in the area."

The plays opens with Dick Wiles (Marvin LeMaster

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of Midland) and Beulah Goldbottom (Kristy Partridge of Odessa), who have escaped to a lakeside cabin to finalize wedding plans. Their efforts are interrupted when Officer Dumas (Bruce Bogart of Midland) comes to the cabin to warn the couple that there are two escaped convicts on the loose.

After Beulah goes to bed, one of the convicts, Angel Amore (Carla Griffith of Odessa), bursts into the cabin. She has been on the run from the police since her wedding was raided. To keep Dick from telling Beulah about her, Angel handcuffs herself to him. Dick tries to hide Angel from his fiance, all the while handcuffed to her.

"The play is unique in that, during rehearsals not only does the cast have to learn their lines and learn their blocking, but the author has thrown in some very humorous complications," Harding said. "Several of the characters get handcuffed to each other, so we've been working with handcuffs for weeks. It's one thing to hold your script and walk around where you're supposed to, and it's another thing to have your arm stuck to someone else while they are trying to do that."

Then, A. John Doe (Brian Gilmore of Odessa) makes his way to the cabin, and with the help of Officer Dumas, finds himself handcuffed to Beulah.

"The cast has been wonderful to work with," Harding said. "Everything I have suggested, everything we try, they have just jumped right into it. We've just a had a really fun time."

Performances are Thursday through Saturday and July 20-22. Curtain is at 8 p.m. Tickets are $6 for Wednesday and Thursday performances and $8 for Friday and Saturday shows.

Center Stage Theatre seats 75. Reservations may be made by calling 1-915-335-8881. Next up is "Ruthless," which opens Aug. 9.

Harding has enjoyed the physicalness called for in "Young Lovers in Chains."

"Hiding people in trunks, behind doors, falling out the window, while handcuffed to somebody. Running into walls. It's very physical and very humorous."

He calls the play "just plain old comedy. So much of stuff nowadays, people try to project some kind of deep meaning into, and I think certain things are just for fun."

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took a line from here and there," Doggett said. "The character names are in the novel, so I just created them on stage, and gave them a name, and gave them some of the other kids' lines. But, we still held true to the script. Still 12 kids — 11 on stage and one not seen instead of nine on stage and three not seen."

Auditions for both plays were held together.

"Ronnie and I sat in the same auditions and looked at the same people, and then we talked about who we wanted , and bargained, and made compromises," Doggett said. "We've done this before. It always works out."

The main difference Doggett has found in directing productions at OHS and the Globe is the age of the cast.

"In high school, we've got kids who are 15, 16, 17 and 18, who have to play a variety of roles from 6 to 100. Here, at the Globe, we can actually cast people that are the ages the script calls for. We go from 6 years old in our cast to 45 or 50 — however old the daddy is."

"Cheaper by the Dozen" is on stage at 8 p.m. Saturday and July 21 and at 2:30 p.m. today.

Cast members include Joe Don Baker, Chris Leckbee, Heather Francell, Adelita Lopez, Kaci Cober, Chris Bergman, John Ed Baker, Melissa Myers, Noel Lopez, Cody Francell, Amanda Lopez, Hannah Wallace, Steven Baker, Terri Francell, David Hinson, Brenda Myers and Greg Lord.

"Arsenic and Old Lace" is on stage at 8 p.m. Friday and July 22 and at 2:30 p.m. July 16.

Cast members include Nancy Lovett, Victor Lopez, Annal Jeter, David Hinson, James Vanlandingham, Ruth Rowley, Sally Allen, Peter Hale, Mark Jeter, Aaron Cox, Christopher White, Victor Lopez and Tim Baker.

Admission is $8 for adults and $6 for students or senior citizens. Group discounts are available. For more information or to make reservations call, 1-915-332-1586.

Both productions are sponsored in part by Shell Oil Co.

The hardest aspect of staging either play, Doggett said, is achieving authenticity in all areas of the production, including the set and costumes.

"We have to find a telephone that rings like a 1920s telephone. Victrolas. Great old '20s songs that you have to dig up like 'Love's Old Sweet Songs,' which is played in 'Cheaper by the Dozen' several times — kind of a theme song."

Doggett said each play has its own special charm.

"I think what they are going to enjoy about 'Cheaper by the Dozen,' is, it's humorous for us to see how times have changed and how we were however many years a g o .

"Arsenic and Old Lace" offers audiences the chance to spend time with a "wacky family" that has buried in its cellar members who died by "mercy killing."

"We all see what's happening, and we see them working their way out of these conflicts," Doggett said.

ENTERTAINMENT IN BRIEF

Volunteers needed

ODESSA — The Art Institute for the Permian Basin is looking for more volunteers. A total of 25 positions are available.

Those positions include gallery attendants, museum shop attendants, exhibit preparation crew and docents.

Volunteers give a half day a month or more. The facility depends upon volunteer help. For more information call Letha Hooper, 1-915-368-7222.

Show scheduled

BIG SPRING — The first Big Spring Antiques and Collectibles Show is set for Aug. 5 and 6 in the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

Vendors and exhibitors from throughout the Southwest will be on hand with antiques, collectibles and collectible crafts.

Hours for the show are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Aug. 5 and noon to 5 p.m. Aug. 6. No admission will be charged.

Ely to perform

Joe Ely and his band will perform at a "Street Dance" at 8 p.m. Saturday at Centennial Plaza.

Ely, a Lubbock native now residing in Austin, is beginning a worldwide tour in support of his new album on MCA Records titled "Letter to Laredo."

Also scheduled to perform is "Storyville." The members include Tommy Shannon and "Whipper" Layton, known as "Double Trouble" in the late Stevie Ray Vaughn's band, David Grissom from The John Mellencamp Band, David Holt of Carlene Carter, The Mavericks. The lead singer is Malford Milligen. "Storyville" was recently named "Best New Band" and "Best Rock Band" at The Austin Music Awards.

Gates open at 6 p.m. Advance tickets are $12.50 each and are available at Midland Sound in Midland and Endless Horizons in Odessa. Tickets at the gate are $15 each. Reserved tables of 10 are available by calling 915-570-6307.

Brothers entertain

The Zachery Brothers will provided the entertainment for the Museum of the Southwest's Lawn Concerts performance today beginning at 7:45 p.m.

While the brothers, Sam, Carlos and Eddie, all sing church music, each has a speciality. Sam, who enjoys country, recently performed in Nashville; Carlos, a minister, sings contemporary gospel; and Eddie sings soul.

The Lawn Concerts are family entertainment held on the grounds of the Museum, 1705 W. Missouri Ave.

This eighth season of Museum Lawn Concerts is sponsored in part by the Reporter-Telegram.

Painting hangs

"Cliff Dweller," an oil painting by Kasren Y. Raymond, is hanging in the lobby of Bank One Midland, 2301 W. Wall Ave., this month.

Ms. Raymond is taking oil and watercolor classes from Judy Morrison Griffin. Several of her works have been accepted in the Midland Art Association's spring and fall shows held at the Museum of the Southwest and Midland College.

She is a member of the Midland Art Association, the Odessa Art Association and the Palette Club. She is publicity chairman for MAA.

Each month Bank One Midland offers a member of the Palette Club the opportunity to display a painting in the lobby.

Director hired

The Museum of the Southwest has hired Thomas W. Jones as director of the facility effective Sept. 4.

Jones has a bachelor of science in art history from Radford University and a master of fine arts in visual studies from Clemson University. He has served as the executive director of the Danville Museum of Fine Arts and History, Danville, Va., since October of 1987.

Before that he held positions with The Albany Museum of Art, Albany, Ga., where he was acting director and curator of collections and exhibitions, and the Greenville County Museum of art, Greenville, S.C.

Jones, who was stationed in San Antonio with the military, and his wife, Sally, have two children ages 2 and 2 months.

Singer to perform

ODESSA — W. C. Clark plays Riley's Roadhouse, 2117 8th St., at 9:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Of Clark, Jimmie Vaughan is quoted as having said, "W.C. is one of the most gifted and soulful musician/singer/songwriters I've ever heard. Since the beginning, he's been a big influence on me, a true cornerstone of Austin's music scene."

Clark will perform with special guests Chris Layton, Tommy Shannon, Fran Christina and Derek O'Brien.

Showing planned

A showing of bronze sculptures by Midland artist Betty Sue Rose is on display in the lobby of Midland American bank, 401 W. Texas Ave., through July 31.

The daughter of a ranch foreman, Ms. Rose gained a perspective of the working cowboy and his heritage from her childhood. An accomplished oil painter and watercolorist, she studied with

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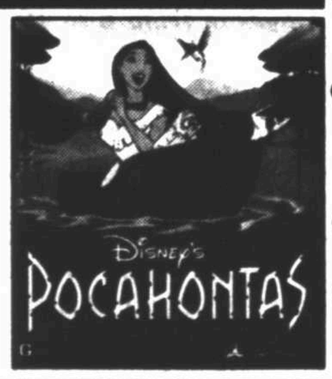

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4 Slurp
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18 Understanding words
19 Divert
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22 Musical side dish?
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27 Early video-game giant
29 Damp
30 To be, in Toulon
31 Seasonal Santa
32 Inge's "— Stop"
33 One who sets the tone
36 Counts calories
37 Nipped by Jack?
42 Actress-model Williams
43 Supported
46 Unending, poetically
48 "Wheel of Fortune" request
49 CD- —
50 Clement Clarke — Moore
51 Facility
52 Aldrich's "The Story of — Boy"
53 Wanes
55 Wood sizes?
59 "Funny Girl" composer Jule
60 Enthusiasm
62 Artist Max
63 Fogs
64 "A — imagination is very rapid...": Austen
65 Prepare parmesan
66 "Three Coins" fountain
68 Basil-based concoction
70 Historic Havana hero
71 Shared redacting duties
74 More like Reynard
75 Dagger signs?
77 Chastity's mom
78 Droning sounds
79 Pickle pick
81 Barracudas
83 "— tu...": Verdi aria
84 Fuss
85 Muhammed follower: Var.
87 Pena's post: Abbr.
88 Er —: Morocco region
89 Left
91 Devoid of color
93 Black ink item
95 Seagull
96 Grant—: subsidy
97 Certain
99 Embrace
101 Birch's kin
102 Sensational headline
106 Certain revolver?
108 Diamond position?
110 Ballet bend
111 Make one
112 Figure of speech
113 Latin lesson word
114 In the center of
115 Going-price assessment
116 Director of "Breaking Away"
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6 Door directive
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10 Unique people
11 King of the Huns
12 French seasoning
13 Member of the brass
14 One with "I" trouble
15 Animation frames
16 Sentry's command
17 Rossini's "Le Comte —"
18 Possibilities
23 Physiological heat
25 Dunk
28 Make lace
31 "Adriana Lecouvreur" composer
33 — de Cuellar: Peruvian diplomat
34 Sun-dried brick
35 Nursery rhyme character?
36 Fancy topper
37 Famine's flip side
38 They stop at stas.
39 Grandmas, at times?
40 Foolish
41 "The Prince of —"
44 Tipsy
45 Ponchielli's "Dance of the —"
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52 Of remote ancestors
54 Political lineups
56 Iron: Comb. form
57 Declaim
58 Up to the time of
59 Lean-to
61 Repute
65 "The King" of Hollywood
66 Subway fare
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68 Drat!
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73 Go with the flow
76 "...fair weather: for the sky —"
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96 "— Song Go Out..."
97 Spy glass
98 Places for fleurs
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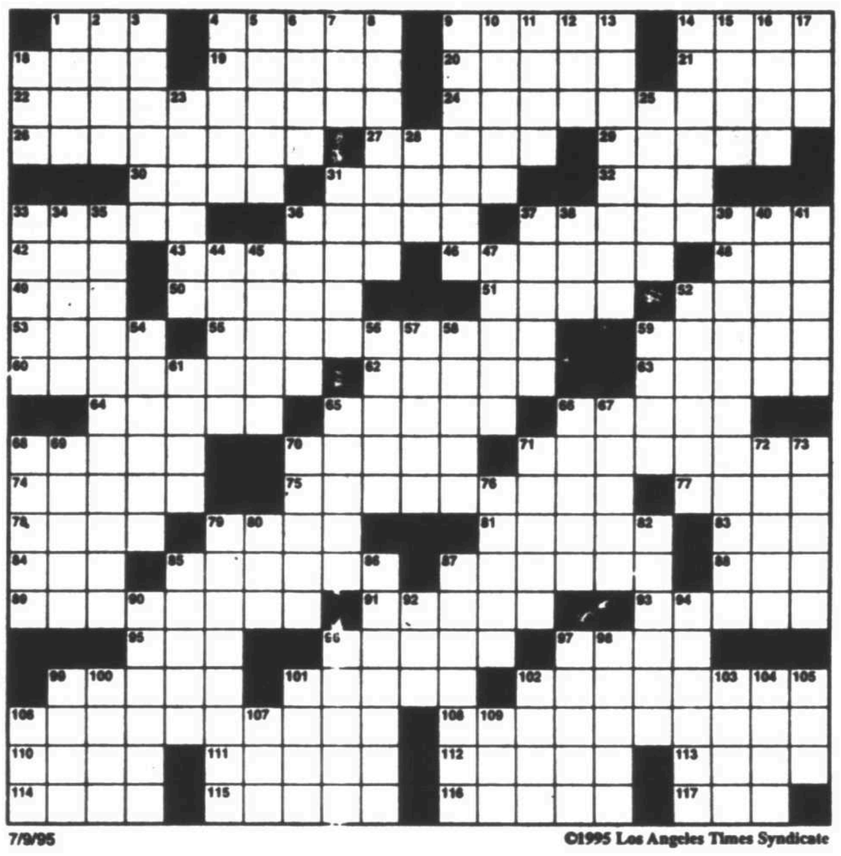

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SUNDAY, JULY 9, 1995

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Traditional methods will serve you surprisingly well. An economic shift favors your efforts to get ahead. Make sure your image is a professional one. Scattering your energies too widely will lead others to think that you are disorganized. A change of lifestyle early in 1996 means improved health. Romance should be lyrical next May.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: actor Tom Hanks, novelist Barbara Cartland, actress Kelly McGillis, actor Jimmy Smits.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Treat yourself to a special outdoor excursion or dinner in a favorite restaurant. A gardening project gives your spirits a lift. Share a hobby with an interested family member, joint ventures lead to new rapport.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): You could find yourself on the road again. Avoid discussing religion or politics with people you do not know well. Following a loved one's advice will have unexpected benefits. Let others know your intentions.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): You could be a bit irritable or impatient this morning. Avoid starting a fight you cannot finish. Pleasant recreational activities will lighten your mood. Do something to help an older person in need of reassurance.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Be prepared to rearrange your schedule at a moment's notice. Last-minute announcements are not as effective as carefully-planned ones. Study psychology or philosophy for inspiration. Something you thought lost will be found.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): A sense of proportion is one of your strong points. Do not allow a temporary separation to upset you unduly. A reunion is highly likely. Talk openly with loved ones about your hopes and fears.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): You thrive on new challenges. Grab a tennis racquet and spend a day on the court. A romance that develops slowly will prove long-lasting. Abandon worn-out thought patterns for a fresh new look.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): The best is still to come! Surround yourself with people who share your high ideals and long-term goals. Water sports offer relaxation. Welcome a last-minute invitation if it includes your whole family.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): A spur-of-the-moment trip will be good for your soul. Seek the company of people who are thoughtful and serene. Someone is eager to repay a favor. Be gracious. Express your appreciation.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): You can keep a member of your team on board if you are open to suggestions. Glitz and glitter are unnecessary when dealing with conservative people. Show good taste when planning a special event.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Sudden developments may call for rapid decisions or changes. Do not lose sight of your long-range aims. A family member may contradict you in public. Emphasize that you know what is best for you.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Family life has a lot to offer now. You feel more content than in the past. A change of residence deserves further thought. Encourage communication between estranged relatives. An effervescent attitude helps reduce stress.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): A change of scene is advised today. You can enjoy something with an international flavor and impress a love interest at the same time. Shopping bargains abound for those in need of summer clothes.

GOREN BRIDGE

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♡ A J 9
◇ 8 7 3
♣ 9 7 3

WEST
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♡ 2
◇ A J 5
♣ J 10 4 2

EAST
♠ A 8 3
♡ 8 7 6
◇ Q 10 6 4
♣ 8 6 5

SOUTH
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◇ K 9 2
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The bidding:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
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3♡	Pass	4♡	Pass
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Opening lead: King of ♠

In *The Importance of Being Earnest*, Oscar Wilde remarked that to lose one parent is unfortunate; to lose two sounds like downright carelessness. At the bridge table you seldom are offered the chance to atone for an error. When you get one and don't take advantage of it, carelessness is an understatement.

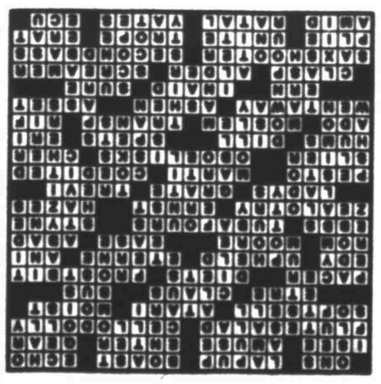
South bid the hand carefully, first doubling for takeout when West's overcall was passed back, then making an invitational raise to three hearts to protect against the possibility of North being broke. North had a clear raise to game.

East signalled enouragement with the eight on the lead of the king of spades, then played the ace on the second round as declarer ruffed. The simple line for the contract was to lead a low diamond to the king, but chances of East holding the ace were nil — with two aces, one the ace of spades, East would have raised partner's overcall. An endplay was a better proposition.

Declarer crossed to the nine of hearts to ruff another spade, then cleared the clubs from both the dummy and the closed hand, breathing a sigh of relief when both defenders followed. Next came a trump to the jack and, with the groundwork laid, dummy's last spade was led. East and South both discarded a diamond and West was on lead. A diamond would present declarer with the king of diamonds as the tenth trick, while a black card would have the same result when declarer ruffed on the table and discarded a diamond from hand.

East had two chances to beat the hand. The first was at trick one, when correct defense was to overtake partner's king of spades and shift to a diamond honor. The second opportunity was when declarer led dummy's last spade. East should have ruffed with the useless eight of hearts to take partner off the endplay, and the defense would have prevailed.

PUZZLE ANSWER



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American Airpower Heritage Museum: EXHIBIT: "Wars and Rumors of Wars," ongoing, And: "A Sleeping Giant Awakens," on going, "Troops, Tanks, Food and Supplies," ongoing, And: "Seven Authentic Pieces of Nose Art," ongoing, And "WASP," special exhibit honoring women pilots, ongoing, And: "Airborne: Gliders and Paratroops," ongoing, And: "Bush Mission Exhibit," ongoing, And: "Simulator: An experience much like of a F-14 Tomcat taking off and landing on an aircraft carrier," ongoing, Midland International Airport, Mon.-Sat. 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Sun. noon-5 p.m., call 563-1000.

Art Institute for the Permian Basin: EXHIBITIONS: "The Soviets," Soviet Photography from 1974-1990 through Aug. 26, And: "Watercolor Horizons Group Annual Juried Show," through July 31, And: SUMMER ART CAMP: Weekly until August 4, Classes for ages 6 through high school, 9-10: 15 a.m. and 10: 45-12: 00 p.m., 909 University, Odessa, Hours: Tues.- Sat. 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sun. 2-5 p.m., call 550-3811.

Fredda Turner Durham Children's Museum: Hours are Tues.-Sat., 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sun. 2-5 p.m., 1705 W. Missouri Ave., Free to view exhibitions, for more information call 683-2882.

Gallery 1114: EXHIBITION: Invited Artists Show, "Photography Times Four," contemporary photography by Charles Evans, Dianne Greene, Kate Sartor Hilburn and Jeanne Johannes-Tempelton, through July 20, free. 1114 N. Big Spring St., hours Thurs.-Sun. 1-5 p.m., for more information call 685-9944.

Globe Theatre: COMEDY: "Cheaper by the Dozen" or "Arsenic and Old Lace," 8 p.m., 2308 Shakespeare Road, Odessa, call 1-915-332-1586, Admission charged.

Midland College McCormick Gallery: EXHIBITION: Allison Fine Arts Center, McCormick Gallery, Mon.-Thurs. 8 a.m.-10 p.m., Fri. 8 a.m.-5 p.m., Sat. 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Sun. 1-5 p.m., call 685-4556, Free.

Midland Community Theatre: MUSICAL: "Pinocchio," by Pickwick Players, 1: 30 p.m., Davis Theatre I, Cole Theatre, 2000 W. Wadley Ave., call 682-4111 for reservations, Admission charged.

Museum of the Southwest: CONCERT: Summer Sundays Lawn Concert featuring The Zachery Brothers, '90s gospel and country, 7: 45 p.m., Free, And: EXHIBITION: "Under Starry Skies," permanent collection, And: "The Search for Ancient Plainsmen," ongoing, And: "Quiet Pride", through July 23, 1705 W. Missouri Ave., Tues.-Sat. 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sun. 2-5 p.m., No admission.

Odessa College: EXHIBITION: LRC, 201 W. University, Mon.-Thurs. 7: 30 a.m.- 10 p.m., Fri. 7: 30 a.m.-5 p.m., Sat. and Sun. 2-5 p.m., call 335-6646, Free.

Permian Basin Petroleum Museum: EXHIBITION: "Alternate Fuels for Texans," ongoing, And: "I Like to Visit the Petroleum Museum," ongoing, 1500 W. I-20 West, Mon.-Sat. 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Sun. 2-5 p.m., call 683-4403, Admission charged.

University of Texas of the Permian Basin: Mon. -Thurs., 10 a. m. -10 p.m., Fri., 4-7 p.m., Sat. and Sun. 2-5 p.m., 3rd Floor Gallery, 4901 E. University, Odessa, call 1-367-2136, Free.

White Pool House: EXHIBITION: Hours noon-3 p.m. Tuesday, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Wed.-Friday, 2-5 p.m. Sun., 112 E. Murphy St., call 1-915-333-4072, Free.

MONDAY, JULY 10

Fredda Turner Durham Children's Museum: EDUCATION: Kids' Kourses, Family Sculpture, four-day class, ages 6-9, 1-3 p.m., And: Art Ventures, Watercolors, four-day class, ages 10 and older, 1-3 p.m., 705 W. Missouri Ave., call 683-2882, Admission charged.

Nita Stewart Haley Memorial Library: 1805 W. Indiana Ave., Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m. to noon and 1 to 5 p.m. , call 682-5785.

TUESDAY, JULY 11

Fredda Turner Durham Children's Museum: EDUCATION: Short Takes, Definitely Decoupage, ages 3-5, 9-11 a.m., 1705 W. Missouri Ave., call 683-2882, Admission charged.

Presidential Museum: EXHIBITION: Tues.-Sat. 10 a.m.-5 p.m., 622 N. Lee, Odessa, call 1-915-332-7123.

WEDNESDAY JULY 12

Fredda Turner Durham Children's Museum: EDUCATION: Short Takes, Stained Glass, ages 3-5, 9-11 a.m., 1705 W. Missouri Ave., call 683-2882, Admission charged.

THURSDAY, JULY 13

Fredda Turner Durham Children's Museum: EDUCATION: Short Takes, Marbled Mail Outs, ages 3-5, 9-11 a.m., 1705 W. Missouri Ave., call 683-2882, Admission charged.

Midland Community Theatre: MUSICAL: "Pinocchio," by Pickwick Players, 1: 30 p.m., Davis Theatre I, Cole Theatre, 2000 W. Wadley Ave., call 682-4111 for reservations, Admission charged.

Summer in the City: PERFORMANCE: Fiddlin' in Midland, children's area, artist, Centennial Plaza, Downtown Midland, 7: 30-9 p.m., Free, call 685-5050.

Summer Mummers: MELODRAMA: "Catawomped Among the Cacti," 8 p.m., Yucca Theatre, 208 N. Colorado Ave., call 682-4111, Admission charged.

FRIDAY, JULY 14

Globe Theatre: COMEDY: "Cheaper By The Dozen" or "Arsenic and Old Lace", 2308 Shakespeare Road, Odessa, 8 p.m. call 332-1586, Admission Charged.

Midland Community Theatre: MUSICAL: "Pinocchio," by Pickwick Players, 1: 30 p.m., Davis Theatre I, Cole Theatre, 2000 W. Wadley Ave., call 682-4111 for reservations, Admission charged.

Midland Hispanic Chamber of Commerce: EVENT: Ninth annual Mex-Tex Menudo Cook Off, Twin Cities Speedway, 7 p.m.-midnight.

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SATURDAY, JULY 15

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Texas Best to sponsor drama camp for children

A drama camp for young people is set for July 24-Aug. 4 at Midland First Presbyterian Church, 800 W. Texas Ave.

Sponsored by Texas Best, the camp will end with the children performing a musical play in Centennial Plaza.

Children who have completed grades kindergarten through second grade will attend sessions from 9 a.m. to noon. Children who had completed third through sixth grades will be in drama camp from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and will need to bring a brown bag lunch each day. Drinks will be provided.

Tuition is $65 for the K-2 morning session and $130 for 3-6 graders in the full-day session.

Camp director is Rene Chambers, who has nine years professional experience directing young actors and seven years experience teaching acting and creative drama to young people. Elizabeth Cleveland, assistant camp director, assisted with a teen theater education program for the past four summers.

Registration is from 4 to 7 p.m. July 17 at First Presbytertian Church.

Enrollment is limited to 10 students in each grade level. After registration day, applicants can inquire about remaining openings by calling Ms. Chambers, 520-3312.

Texas Best, sponsor of the drama camp, is a non-profit organization which arranges entertainment and recreation in downtown Midland.

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ENTERTAINMENT IN BRIEF

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artist sculptor Roland Thomason. The works may be viewed between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Students enroll

ODESSA — The Permian Playhouse is currently enrolling students in Summer Theatre Academy '95 which will be held Monday through July 21. Theatre Academy is open to any student who will be in the second grade through those who will be in the sixth grade for the 1995-96 school year.

These summer classes for children will be held weekdays from 10 until noon each day in the Permian Playhouse lobby.

The cost for the summer Theatre Academy is $50 for Permian Playhouse members and $65 for non-members. Class size is limited.

For more information contact the instructor for the classes, Christopher Olsen, the Educational Director of the Permian Playhouse at 362-2329, Monday-Friday, 12-6 p.m.

Program set

"Fiddlin' in Midland!" blasts Centennial Plaza Thursday during this week's Summer in the City.

The 7:30 to 9 p.m. free program focuses on bluegrass music supplied by local musicians. Mark Barhhardt, volunteer coordinator for the evening, has scheduled two bands — "Mostly Bluegrass," his own group, and "String Fever." Fiddlers, guitarists, mandolin, fiddle and banjo players will provide music from America's heritage.

Artist for the evening will be Bill Hagerman, an oil painter who recently won the Texas Fine Arts Association New American talent Award, which included exhibition of his work at the Austin Museum of art at Laguna Gloria.

The Singing Turtle's Daughter, Annalon Gilbreath, will tell stories based on American folktales. In the children's area, local artist Gloria Munson will teach young people how to do airbrush art. There also will be "low tech" toys made by local boy scouts.

Loraine Street and Texas Avenue will be closed for skaters. People may bring skates or rent them from Ski Skeller for $1 an hour.

Food is available at Sonny's in the Park. The event is sponsored by Bill Williams tire Center, Lynch, Chappell & Alsup and Permian Basin Waste Management.

For more information call Texas Best, 685-5050.

Midland Community Theatre's

PICKWICK PLAYERS present

Pinocchio

A FAMILY MUSICAL

The children's musical PINOCCHIO, the classic tale of a puppet who turns into a real boy, will be showing at Midland Community Theatre.

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SUMMER IN THE CITY

Fiddlin' in Midland

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Bluegrass music guaranteed to set your toes tapping. Members of the "Mostly Bluegrass" group have rounded up guitarists, mandolin, fiddle and banjo players for an evening of music from America's heritage. Ron Jeffries of KCRS will emcee.

Artist
Bill Hagerman, an oil painter who has been called a new American talent, will put brush to canvas right before our eyes.

Children's Area
Low-tech toys, just like Grampa used to play with. Or was that Great-grampa?

Something Else
Storytime Theatre with Mother Goose (Rita Williford) and The Singing Turtle's Daughter (Annalon Gilbreath).

Photos from Parties Pictured Are left: Julie Gable, Kim Moore and Mark Barnhardt

Thursday July 13, 1995
7:30 - 9 pm Centennial Plaza
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BRIEFING

Roughnecks lift the kelly on a Patterson rig.

Drilling slows

Drilling activity decreased in the final week of June, according to Baker Hughes Inc.

For the week ended June 30, the Permian Basin rig count fell five rigs to 105 and is below the year-ago count of 108.

The national rig count dropped 18 rigs to 866 for the week. A year ago the count was 766.

Among major producing states, the largest drop was in Louisiana, which lost 14 rigs. Texas posted an 11-rig drop.

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Top Hand Award

Midland oilman John L. Cox has been selected as the 16th recipient of the Permian Basin Petroleum Association's Top Hand Award. A graduate of Rice University, Cox began his oil career for Stanolind Oil & Gas in Wink, Texas. He left Stanolind in 1950 to work for Midland independent Ted Weiner, and after a few years in the oil business went on his own as an independent in 1952. Since then, he has drilled over 2,500 wells in Texas and seaveral states, and has been a major developer of the Spraberry Trend. He recalls that in 1952 over 600 rigs were running in the Spraberry Trend alone.

Life goes on in the West Texas oil patch

Prices yo-yo

Oil traders played follow-the-leader with London traders during a Fourth of July-shortened week, sending crude futures to near the $17 level at mid-week, despite little news to move the market in a definitive direction. London traders had sent prices lower earlier in the week.

On the New York Mercantile Exchange, West Texas Intermediate for August delivery rebounded to $17.37 a barrel late in the week. The posted price rose to $15.75 a barrel.

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Enserch acquires

ENSERCH Corp. has reached a definitive agreement to acquire 100 percent of the outstanding shares of DGS Holdings Corp. which, through its subsidiary Direct Gas Supply, is a major marketer of natural gas and natural-gas services. Closing of the stock-for-stock transaction is subject to review under the Hart-Scott-Rodino Act. The value of the transaction is approximately $20 million.

Separately, ENSERCH has closed its cash acquisition for approximately $9.5 million of the principal operating assets of Sunrise Energy Services, Inc. and subsidiaries, also non-regulated marketers of natural gas.

DGS, Sunrise and Enserch Gas Co., a wholly-owned subsidiary of ENSERCH Corp., will be joined to form Enserch Energy Services, Inc.

API report charts growth in demand

Staff Reports

WASHINGTON, D.C. - The modest growth in petroleum products supplied to the domestic market this year continued in May with an increase of 1.3 percent compared to the same month a year ago, the American Petroleum Institute reported.

According to the API "Monthly Statistical Report," gasoline deliveries averaged 7,983,000 barrels a day, up 5.2 percent or 390,000 barrels a day compared to May a year ago. The API noted that growth in gasoline deliveries continues to be stronger than can be easily explained by consumption indicators.

Of the 5.2 percent increase, the API noted, "Year-to-year increases of this size are rare but not unheard of for a single month. However, for the year to date, the data show a surprising jump in deliveries of 4 percent, a rate not experienced for any five-month period in over eight years.,

"This increase is difficult to explain from known demand indicators. Gasoline deliveries last year rose about 1.5 percent. Marshaling all the possible reasons it may have been higher so far this year - an improved economy versus a year ago, better winter driving conditions early in the year, and a small boost from lost fuel efficiency due to the introduction of RFG in a quarter of U.S. gasoline markets around the beginning of the year - might push it up to 2.5 percent, or perhaps even 3 percent for the incurable optimist. Yet this still leaves at least 1 to 1.5 percent of this year's deliveries growth unexplained."

With the introduction in January of reformulated gasoline as a Clean Air Act measure, the number of grades of gasoline has multiplied, adding new complexity to product distribution. RFG regular now accounts for 16 percent of the market, RFG midgrade for 4 percent and RFG premium for 78 percent. Conventional regular accounts for 45 percent of the market, conventional mid-grade 7 percent and conventional premium 12 percent. Regular oxygenated gasoline makes up 6 percent of the market.

In a separate commentary, on domestic gasoline supply capability for this summer, the API said supplies appear adequate based on what U.S. refiners are capable of producing, inventories and availability of imports. Inventories of finished gasoline and gasoline blending components amounted to 209 million barrels at the end of May.

Overall, crude oil production fell slightly in Alaska and the lower 48 states. May production averaged 6,590,000 barrels a day, down 0.6 percent or 40,000 barrels a day compared to the year before.

In Alaska, production was 1.52 million barrels a day, down 56,000 barrels a day from a year ago. For the year to date, Alaskan production has fallen by 40,000 barrels a day or 2.5 percent.

In the lower 48, May production was 5.07 million barrels a day, up from 5.05 million during May 1994 and the sec-

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COMPANY PROFILE

A change of profiles

By John Paul Pitts
Oil Editor

When one compiles a list of leading Permian Basin drilling contractors, a lot of names come to mind but Patterson Energy is not one of them.

Since it was founded in 1978, the company has maintained a very low profile and seldom tooted its own horn, but now that is changing. Since going public in November 1993, the performance and rankings of the former low-profile company has gotten the attention of energy analysts around the country who have begun to hail the company's solid performance. In the past year alone, the company has moved up from 10th to sixth place in the Land Rig Newsletter's leading industry publication, the quiet, but respected company is the sixth leading drilling company in the U.S. in terms of footage drilled and the second-ranked horizontal driller in the nation.

"Who would have thought that the number two horizontal drilling company in the nation would be a relatively unknown from Snyder, Texas."

— Peter Hoffman
Oklahoma City energy analyst

"We've been doing this for a long time, but we've been pretty much under the radar screen," said Cloyce Talbott, chairman of the board. The other half of the management team is Glenn Patterson, president and chief operating officer.

According to the Land Rig Newsletter, a leading industry publication, the quiet, but respected company is the sixth leading drilling company in the U.S. in terms of footage drilled and the second-ranked horizontal driller in the nation.

Overall, Nabors is the perennial leader of the pck with 840 wells and over 9 million feet of hole, followed by Exeter with 406 wells and 6.7 million feet of hole. Abilene-based Wes-Tex Drilling is third with 332 wells and over 3.3 million feet. Keating Apollo with 3 million and FWA with 2.7 million occupy fourth and fifth place, with Patterson coming in at sixth place with 270 wells and 2.7 million feet of hole. Others making up the top ten list include UTI Energy Corp., Helmerich & Payne, Tucker Drilling and Drillers Inc.

When it comes to horizontal drilling, Patterson moves up the list to a comfortable second place. The well-stocked and well-financed Nabors is again in first place with 241 wells and approximately 3.2 million feet of hole. Patterson Energy ranks second with 133 wells and 1.3 million feet of hole. Helmerich & Payne takes third place with 1.04 million feet of horizontal hole, followed by Nicklos/ Hinton, Gray Wolf, Noble Drilling, DI Industries, Big E, Mesa and S&T Energy.

"Who would have thought that the number two horizontal drilling company in

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Top a Patterson Energy drilling crew makes a connection on a rig near Midland. The company now operates 27 rigs in the Austin Chalk and the Permian Basin and is the second ranked horizontal driller in the U.S. Above the company logo continues to grow in stature among energy analysts.

EARNINGS OUTLOOK

Second quarter seen as energy industry's best

■ Analysts say oil company earnings for 1995 may peak with second quarter.

By N.Y. Times News Service

The second quarter may be the year's best for major U.S. oil companies, with earnings growth driven by continuing strength in the chemicals business.

The six largest oil companies are expected to post earnings about 60 percent higher than a year ago, according to information from Zacks Investment Research. Wider profit margins in the petroleum refining business, higher oil prices and steady chemical profits will make glimmering comparisons with the first quarter, too.

Strong as the results may be, analysts debate whether they can continue because galloping growth in the chemical business has slowed with the U.S. economy.

Oil prices are headed lower, and some say refining margins have peaked for the year.

"If refining margins have peaked, we're in trouble," said Mary Quinn, an analyst at S.G. Warburg & Co. in New York. "I do not think they have hit peak. In chemicals, we're looking for margins at best to stay a bit flattish."

The state of the chemical industry, the main driver to oil earnings for the past three quarters, is a major concern. Prices for many of the most widely used chemicals, used in making plastics and textiles, peaked in the second quarter.

Propylene prices have fallen 21 percent to 27 cents a pound since peaking at 34 cents a pound at the end of May. Styrene fell 16 percent to 53 cents a pound from a high of 63 cents a pound in April, according to ICIS-LOR, which tracks chemical prices.

Refining margins, which depend on sturdy gasoline demand, slackened recently and probably hit a peak for the year in the second quarter, Sheldon Thompson, a Sun Co. senior vice president, said earlier this month.

Therefore, the second quarter is likely to be the best of the year. The refining business finally put behind huge costs to adapt to making cleaner-burning fuel, and gasoline demand is up 4 percent from a year ago.

"It's going to be a real good quarter," said Ron Londe, an analyst at A.G. Edwards in St. Louis. "Oil prices are up. (Natural) gas prices are better, but not so much from last year. Refining margins are stronger than in the first quarter, and the chemical business remains at fairly healthy levels."

Compared with a year ago, when the U.S. economy was just starting to hum after struggling to recover from the 1991 recession, chemical earnings have boomed. Prices for just about all chemicals have risen since June 1994, and margins have widened with rising demand.

Amoco Corp., Exxon Corp. and Atlantic Richfield Co. could benefit most from the expansion.

For Exxon, 17 analysts expect second-quarter earnings to rise to $1.12 a share from 70 cents a year ago, according to a Zacks Investment Research poll.

Arco also will benefit from its interests in Lyondell Petrochemical Co. Los Angeles-based Arco is perhaps the most sensitive of U.S. companies to oil prices. Unlike Mobil Corp. and Exxon, it sells more oil than it needs for its refineries. Arco's profit is expected to almost double to $2.03 a share, according to Zacks.

Average prices for West Texas Intermediate crude futures during the quarter were up 10 percent from a year ago, or by roughly $1.60 a barrel to more than $19.40.

Normally, higher oil prices would hurt companies most sensitive to refining, since they buy most of their oil and would suffer higher raw materials costs. This quarter, though, refiners benefited as gasoline demand boosted prices at the pump to their highest levels since 1985.

A gallon of regular self-serve gasoline averaged $1.16 during the quarter, up from $1.05 a year ago. The margin widened 45 percent to $4.82 for every barrel processed, according to the New York Mercantile Exchange's 3-2-1 crack spread, a theoretical measure of refinery profitability.

Chevron Corp., the nation's biggest petroleum refiner, is expected to double its net income to 80 cents a share, according to a poll by Zacks.

"People are driving more," said Arthur Tower, an analyst at Howard, Weil, Labouisse, Friedrichs in New Orleans. "There's a trend toward bigger cars" such as sport-utility vehicles.

Most of the biggest oil companies also will benefit from cost cutting and restructuring moves begun last year. Amoco last July said it would cut 3,800 jobs to save $600 million within the year. Mobil Corp. said in May it would cut 4,700 from its support staff to save $1 billion a year, then announced another 500 cuts at refining operations in Europe.

Looking ahead, analysts wonder if cuts like those can keep the industry's profits soaring as better technology and rising global production put downward pressure on the price of oil.

Oil and gasoline inventories rose during the past few weeks —evidence the slowing economy could be cutting demand.

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QUARTER: Oil company stocks lose their shine

(From 1G)

West Texas crude peaked in April at $20.52 a barrel and has fallen nearly $3 since. In Vienna, an OPEC minister from Venezuela suggested the cartel might consider abandoning self-imposed export quotas that have propped up prices for two decades.

This quarter's decline in oil prices comes against a backdrop of quickly improving technology in the oil industry that's driving down the costs of finding and producing crude.

"I think there's nervousness in the market about what OPEC said, and that's not going to go away," Londe said. "In fact, it's probably going to get stronger as the next meeting gets closer."

Already, the nervousness has taken the shine off shares of oil companies, a handful of which hit all-time highs in the quarter. Third-quarter results could be more sobering if the trend continues.

Lomak signs deal with Parker & Parsley unit

FORT WORTH, Texas — LOMAK PETROLEUM INC. has executed a purchase and sale agreement with a subsidiary of Parker & Parsley Petroleum Company to acquire properties in Pennsylvania and West Virginia for $20.2 million.

The acquisition includes approximately 825 producing gas wells, 300 miles of gas gathering lines, 16,400 net acres of undeveloped leases and associated real estate and equipment. Over 90 percent of the reserves are located in proximity to Lomak's existing Pennsylvania operations. The properties are also estimated to contain over 50 drilling locations. With the addition of these properties, Lomak's gas production will increase by 30 percent to over 34 million cubic feet per day.

The acquisition compliments Lomak's ongoing strategy of building concentrated long lived reserves in its existing core operating areas. Upon completion, Lomak will own nearly 100 Bcf of gas in its Pennsylvania operating area close to attractive northeastern gas markets. John H. Pinkerton, Lomak's president, said, "Lomak is fortunate these properties not only fit so well into our property base, but that they will be immediately additive to cash flow and earnings per share."

The acquisition is scheduled to close in 45 days and Lomak will fund the transaction from working capital and borrowings under its existing credit facility.

LOMAK PETROLEUM INC. is engaged in the acquisition, production and development of oil and gas properties in Texas, Oklahoma, and Appalachia.

DEMAND: Product imports, domestic production decline

(From 1G)

ond year-to-year increase in a row.

Reliance on domestic stocks kept total imports of both crude oil and petroleum products down in May. Total imports fell 3.9 percent to an average of 8,796,000 barrels a day.

Crude oil imports rose slightly to 7.3 million barrels a day, but product imports continued their large year-to-year declines. IN May, product imports fell over 520,000 barrels a day or 26 percent and are down 500,000 barrels a day for the year to date.

In other highlights:

Distillate fuel oil deliveries averaged 2,965,000 barrels a day, up 1.7 percent.

Kerosine jet fuel deliveries averaged 1,402,000 barrels a day, up 0.1 percent.

Residual fuel oil deliveries averaged 790,000 barrels a day, down 22.2 percent.

Refineries operated at 93.6 percent of operable capacity.

Total stocks at the end of May stood at 993,700,000 barrels, an increase of 1,100,000 barrels from April.

Geophysical Society officers

The Permian Basin Geophysical Society inducted its officers for 1995-96 at its recent symposium. James Robertson, president of the Society of Exploration Geophysicists, was present. From left, new officers are Debra Lackey, Western Geophysical, secretary; Brad Berkelo, Phillips Petroleum, treasurer; Ray Tobias, Dawson Geophysical, president-elect; James Robertson, Arco International, SEG President; Sam Dobbs, Western Geophysical, past president; Jash Cultreri, consultant, vice president; and James Fils, Chevron U.S.A., president.

CHANGE: Snyder drillers attract analysts' attention

(From 1G)

the nation would be a relatively unknown from Snyder, Texas," said Peter Hoffman, an energy analyst from Oklahoma City. Hoffman notes that together Nabors and Patterson drilled 40 percent of all the horizontal wells in the U.S.

The two principal areas of operations for the drilling company are the Permian Basin and the Austin Chalk, with 12 rigs running in the Basin and 11 in the Chalk. But the company is expected to increase its horizontal base in the Permian Basin as new horizontal applications are developed.

"The horizontal drilling industry has been conceived in the Permian Basin, but it hasn't been born yet," said Talbott, who once operated the third largest well service company in the nation. "We think horizontal drilling is about to take off in the Basin and we are ready."

The company consistently runs between 75-80 percent utilization and according to Talbott when the utilization rate approaches 82 percent the company is running wide open. "That's about all we can do."

Talbott says the lack of drill pipe is one factor impacting the entire industry and one that is bound to affect profitability in the months to come. "The surplus is gone. Once you could buy all the used drill pipe you wanted for $3 - $10 a foot, but now you have to buy new pipe at $22.50 to $27 a foot and you have to wait 90 days for an order."

He calculates that a new string costs about $250,000 and will last 3-4 years if cared for. "That's about $60,000 a year depreciation for drill pipe, and we have 27 rigs."

According to George K. Baum & Co., Patterson earnings are expected to grow 90 percent between 1994 and 1996, with cash flow increasing 58 percent. Earnings for 1995 are predicted to be 7 percent in 1995, increasing to 10 percent in 1996 as the result of the acquisition of Questor Drilling. That acquisition increased the number of rigs from 13 to 22.

The stock, which was issued at $6.75 with a 25 cent warrant, is now selling at 9 5/8. Patterson announced Wednesday that it intended to redeem all its outstanding warrants for .05 cents.

Helping the balance sheet is Patterson's small but growing oil and gas exploration company which accounts for about 10 percent of company revenues, and was successful in replacing 117 percent of reserves in 1994. The company sold most of its production to Snyder Oil Co. in 1985-86 and has since been building it back.

Leviathan buys offshore properties

HOUSTON —Leviathan Gas Pipeline Partners , L.P. has completed a transaction with Tatham Offshore, Inc. for the purchase and development of three of Tatham Offshore's properties in the Gulf of Mexico.

Flextrend Development Company, L.L.C. ("Flextrend Development"), a newly formed subsidiary of Leviathan, received 100 percent of the working interest owned by Tatham Offshore in its Phar Lap Shallow (Viosca Knoll Block 817), Spectacular Bid (Garden Banks Block 72) and Spend A Buck (Garden Banks Block 117) properties.

Under the terms of the development plan, Tatham Offshore received $15 million at closing and will receive another $15 million on Aug. 15, 1995 from Flextrend Development.

The terms of the transaction also allow Tatham Offshore to continue to pursue and negotiate offers it has received from other companies as well as any new proposals received prior to the spudding of the initial well, which is currently estimated to take place in mid-September.

Tatham Offshore has the option at any time prior to the spudding of the first well to repay the initial amounts advanced, with interest, and receive a reassignment of 100 percent of its working interest.

After having an opportunity to review the initial production history from the properties, Flextrend Development will have the option to retain up to 50 percent of the working interest in each of the properties by forgiving its right to recover an equal percentage of the investment and development costs.

If Flextrend Development does not elect to retain a working interest, Tatham Offshore will receive a reassignment of 100 percent of its working interest in the properties upon receipt by Flextrend Development of net revenues from the sale of oil and gas equal to the sum of $30 million and any development costs that are funded by Flextrend Development plus interest at a rate of 15 percent per annum plus the satisfaction of all applicable platform access and processing fees or a prepayment by Tatham Offshore of such amounts.

"The completion of the development transaction will allow the Partnership to control the timing of the development of three key projects. The development transaction strengthens the Partnership's position in the Flextrend and Deepwater areas and allows us to proceed in a timely manner with our expansion plans," stated Grant E. Sims, president of Leviathan.

Leviathan is a publicly owned limited partnership (NYSE: LEV) which was formed to acquire, own and manage offshore pipelines and related assets. Leviathan operates or has interests in nine pipeline systems located offshore Louisiana and Texas which currently gather approximately 2.5 billion cubic feet of natural gas per day.

Excel Resources appoints three senior executives

HOUSTON — Excel Resources, Inc. announced the appointment of three senior executives in the financial and gas marketing areas. The announcement was made by Francis H. "Fritz" Brinkman, chairman and chief executive officer. The new executives are:

- David J. Brenza, 53, executive vice president and chief financial officer, a new position;
- Robert S. Copeland, 42, executive vice president for gas marketing and supply, a new position;
- Carolyn K. Higgs, 34, CPA, controller.

Mr. Brinkman said, "The experience and talent of these three officers establishes the infrastructure that will permit the company to take advantage of our abundant marketing and expansion opportunities."

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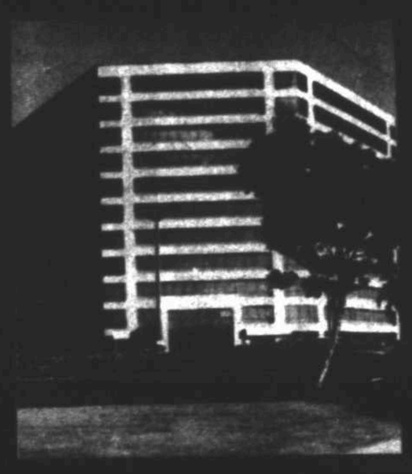

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sw, 660 fsl 1980 fwl EL: 350
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fsl).
POGO PRODUCING CO
MITCHELL - 21 FEDERA
CEDAR CANYON DEL. 24S-
fsl, 5 mi ESE of Malaga. EL:

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FALCON UNIT #1
TRISTE DRAW MORROW
fnl 1650 fwl EL: 3858 GR.

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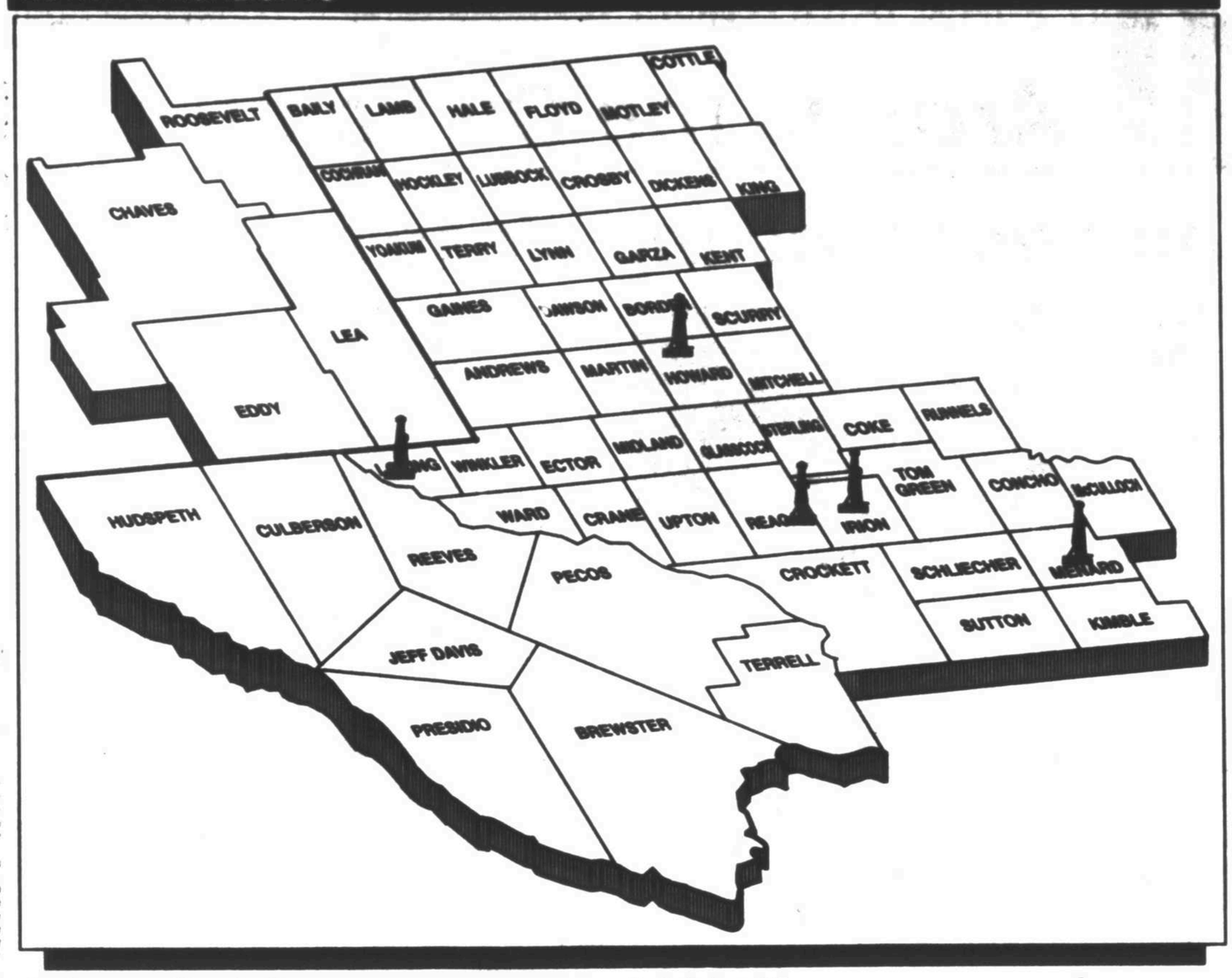

Irion field gets second Wolfcamp producer

Staff Reports

The Lonesome Reef (Wolfcamp) field of Irion County has gained its second producer and southeast extension, 12 miles northwest of Mertzon.

IP PETROLEUM CO. INC. completed the No. 3 Ball to flow 147 barrels of 45.8 gravity crude and 200 Mcfd on a 20/64 inch choke with flowing tubing pressure of 130 psi. The well flowed from perforations 6,017 to 6,036 ft., which had been acidized with 2,000 gallons of 20 percent HCL acid.

Permitted as a 7,500 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to 7,440 ft., where 4 1/2 inch casing was set, and plugged back to 7,392 ft.

Formation tops, on ground elevation of 2,185 ft., include the Dean at 5,104 ft., Wolfcamp at 5,316, Canyon A at 6,552, Canyon B at 6,826 and Canyon C at 7,155 ft.

Location is 1,980 ft. from north and west lines of Section 3062, Block 28, H&TC survey, Abst. 1216.

The field was opened in September 1994 with completion of IP Petroleum's No. 3 Sugg "6" to flow 219 barrels of 36 gravity crude and 137 Mcfd from perforations 6,420 to 6,630 ft.

Clearfork extended in Reagan County field

HALLWOOD PETROLEUM INC. has completed a new pool discovery in the new SRH (Clearfork) field of Reagan County, eight miles north of Big Lake.

The No. 5 Rocker "B", to be downhole commingled with Spraberry (Trend Area) production, was potentialed to pump 46 barrels of 39 gravity crude, 54 Mcfd and four barrels of water from perforations 4,482 to 4,814 ft. The interval was acidized with 500 gallons of 15 percent NeFeHCL acid.

Scheduled as a 7,584 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to 7,584 ft., where 5 1/2 inch casing was set, and plugged back to 5,000 ft.

On ground elevation of 2,495 ft., formation tops include the Upper Spraberry at 5,374 ft., Lower Spraberry at 5,941, Jo Mill at 6,251, Dean at 6,776 and Wolfcamp at 7,045 ft.

Location is 1,320 ft. from north and east lines of Section 123, Block 1, T&P survey.

The SRH (Clearfork) field was opened in May with completion of Hallwood's No. 1 Rocker b "76" to pump 10 barrels of 39 gravity crude, 31 Mcfd and 70 barrels of water from perforations 4,380 to 7,042 ft.

Costilla opens pool in Howard County field

An undesignated new pool has apparently been opened in the Talbot field of Howard County, nine miles north of Big Spring.

COSTILLA PETROLEUM CORP. potentialed the No. 1 Christian "47" to pump 55 barrels of crude and 204 Mcfd from perforations 8,658 to 8,666 ft. No treatment was reported.

Permitted as a 9,000 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to 8,815 ft. with 5 1/2 inch casing set at 8,800 ft.

Location is 789 ft. from south and 832 ft. from west lines of Section 47, Block 32, T-2-N, T&P survey, Abst. 286.

Loving reentry nets Cherry Canyon strike

A reentry operation in Loving County has resulted in the apparent discovery of a new Cherry Canyon pool in the Wheat field, three miles north of Mentone.

MARALO INC. reentered the No. 1 Barnett, testing it to pump 32 barrels of crude, 71 Mcfd and 350 barrels of water from perforations 5,919 to 5,937 ft. No treatment was reported.

Original depth is 6,123 ft.

Location is 1,980 ft. from southwest and northwest lines of Section 4, Block 2, W&NW survey.

The well was originally drilled by Stone Petroleum Corp.

Rank wildcat set for Menard County

HYDRO GEOLOGY DRILLING will drill a 1,500 ft. wildcat in a virtually undrilled area of Menard County, 2.5 miles southeast of production in the Bar F (Cross Cut) gas field, nine miles east of Menard.

The No. 1 Johanna Wilhelm is staked 2,000 ft. from south and 2,150 ft. from west lines of Section 108, Johanna Wilhelm survey, Abst. 1731. It is located on a 620-acre lease, two miles east-northeast of a 1,725 ft. dry hole.

Louis Dreyfus signs contract to supply Howard County facility

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla. - Louis Dreyfus Natural Gas announced the closing of a gas supply contract with Falcon Seaboard Gas Company, a wholly owned subsidiary of Falcon Resources, Inc., a Houston based integrated energy company.

The gas will power the existing C.R. Wing cogeneration facility located in Howard County, Texas. During the eight-year term of the contract, Louis Dreyfus Natural Gas will supply 75 Bcf of baseload gas at escalating fixed prices and an additional 9 Bcf of gas at market sensitive prices.

The electricity from this cogeneration facility is sold under a long-term contract to Texas Utilities Electric Company, the largest utility in the State of Texas. The gas supply contract allows for the purchase of a baseload quantity at fixed prices and incremental volumes priced at market sensitive levels.

Simon Rich, president and CEO, noted, "This sale further illustrates the benefit to both our company and our customer, of managing natural gas price risk. Falcon Seaboard has achieved predictable fuel costs for its facility. Louis Dreyfus Natural Gas has removed the price risk from a portion of its natural gas reserves, at prices which provide an attractive return to the company."

Louis Dreyfus Natural Gas is an independent energy company engaged in the acquisition, development and production of natural gas and oil and the marketing of its reserves under long-term contracts designed to significantly reduce exposure to commodity price risk.

Enterra to buy Energy Industries

HOUSTON — Enterra Corp. announced that Enterra and Zapata Corporation have entered into an agreement whereby Enterra will purchase from Zapata the assets of its Energy Industries compression division for $130 million in cash. The transaction is subject to the execution of a definitive assets purchase agreement and certain regulatory approvals. Both parties anticipate closing within 90 days.

Energy Industries, Inc. is a Corpus Christi, Texas company involved in the design, manufacture, packaging and rental of compressors. The company's revenues for the fiscal year ended Sept. 30, 1994 were approximately $72 million and pro forma cash flow after anticipated combination savings would have been approximatley $22 million.

The company's assets will be merged with those of Enterra's subsidiary, Enterra Compression Company. Numerous combination savings are expected to result from the transaction. Energy Industries' rental fleet currently includes approximately 766 units and 127,000 horsepower. When added to Enterra's 1,948 units in the United States and 187,710 horsepower, the combination will result in Enterra fielding the second largest fleet in the United States in terms of units and third in terms of horsepower.

In commenting on the transaction, D. Dale Wood, Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer of Enterra, noted that "the combination of the two companies is a classic example of two plus two equaling five. Their product lines are very complementary to Enterra's with their sales and rentals generally being in the higher horsepower end of the spectrum while Enterra's are generally in the lower end. The considerable overlap of field locations and the numerous manufacturing synergies enable the blending of the two companies into a more competitive and profitable enterprise. The combination will result in Enterra's expanded compression operations being the largest in the industry in terms of revenues and operating cash flow when both rentals and sales are included."

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LEA COUNTY

YATES PETROLEUM CORP
■ SAN SIMON UNIT #1
WILDCAT; 23S-35E-18; c sw se, 660 fsl 1980 fel EL: 3351 GR. Obj: 8500 test.

ROOSEVELT COUNTY

STRATA PRODUCTION CO
■ CHOCHA FEDERAL #1
WILDCAT; 7S-34E-20; nw nw nw, 330 fnl 550 fwl, 9 mi W of Milnesand. EL: 4317 GR. Obj: 9600 (Siluro Devonian).

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MENARD COUNTY

HYDRO GEOLOGY DRLG
■ WILHELM JOHANNA #1
WILDCAT; JOHANNA WILHELM sur sec 108, A-1731, 2000 fsl 2150 fwl of sec. (lse ftg not available) 620 acre lse. 9 mi ELY of Menard. EL: 2150 GR. Obj: 1500 test.

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ANDREWS COUNTY

AMOCO PRODUCTION CO
■ LOGSDON C W - A #92
WILDCAT; C W LOGSDON sur blk A-26 sec 25, A-1970, 1468 fnl 2105 fsl of sec, 1468 fnl 556 fwl of lse. 1776.67 acre lse. (C W Logdson sur also known as Public School Land) 7 mi SW of Frankel City. Obj: 9700 test.

MITCHELL COUNTY

BAYTECH INC
■ BRENNAND RANCH #3
WILDCAT- RE-ENTRY; H & T C RY CO sur blk 26 sec 19, A-10, 2507 fsl 933 fel of sec, 1187 fsl 387 fwl of lse. 80 acre lse. (Rule 37 exception applied for) 5 mi WLY of Cuthbert. PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 2207 GR. Obj: 8000 test.

PECOS COUNTY

GLOSSOP ROBERT L
■ MCDONALD #1
WILDCAT; H & G N RY CO sur blk 11 sec 53, A-554, 660 fnl 660 fel of sec, and lse. 640 acre lse. 5 mi S of Girvin. EL: 2581 GR. Obj: 4600 test.

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BORDEN COUNTY

UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ HIGGINGBOTHAM #1
WILDCAT; T & P RY CO sur blk 31 twp 3N sec 16, 2517 fsl 1794 fel of sec, 1193 fsl 839 fwl of lse. 160 acre lse. 13.9 mi S of Gail. EL: 2374 GR. Obj: 8500 test.

DICKENS COUNTY

MEDDERS OIL CO
■ PITCHFORK L & C C - KK #1
WILDCAT; B S & F RY CO sur blk 203, A-28, 2079 fsl 1130 fel of blk, and lse. 671.5 acre lse. 16 mi E of Dickens. EL: 2007 GR. Obj: 4300 test.

DEVELOPMENT WELLS

Southeast New Mexico

EDDY COUNTY

YATES PETROLEUM CORP
■ BOYD BN #2
DAGGER DRAW NORTH UPR PENN; 19S-25E-15; c nw se, 1980 fsl 1980 fel EL: 3456 GR. Obj: 8400 (Canyon).

YATES PETROLEUM CORP
■ BOYD - X STATE COM #11
DAGGER DRAW NORTH UPR PENN; -; 19S-25E-16; nw se se, 810 fsl 730 fel EL: 3485 GR. Obj: 8300 (Canyon).

YATES PETROLEUM CORP
■ AMOLE - AMM STATE COM #3
DAGGER DRAW NORTH UPR PENN; -; 19S-25E-16; c se sw, 660 fsl 1980 fwl EL: 3500 GR. Obj: 8300 (Canyon).

ORYX ENERGY CO
■ BRIGHT FEDERAL GAS COM #2
INDIAN BASIN UPR PENN; 21S-23E-21; nw se nw, 1650 fnl 1650 fwl, 35 mi NW of Carlsbad. EL: 3932 GR. Obj: 7700 (Pennsylvanian).

DREYFUS LOUIS NATRL GAS
■ AOUDAD FEDERAL #1
HAPPY VALLEY DEL; 22S-26E-33; nw ne ne, 560 fnl 990 fel, 5 mi SW of Carlsbad. EL: 3289 GR. Obj: 5100 (Delaware).

DREYFUS LOUIS NATRL GAS
■ AOUDAD FEDERAL #2
HAPPY VALLEY DEL; 22S-26E-33; w/2 se ne, 1980 fnl 990 fel, 5 mi SW of Carlsbad. EL: 3290 GR. Obj: 5100 (Delaware).

SANTA FE ENERGY RES INC
■ H F - 12 FEDERAL COM #1
CULEBRA BLUFF SOUTH; -; 23S-28E-12; w/2 se ne, 1980 fnl 990 fel, 4 mi E of Loving. EL: 3019 GR. Obj: 12200 (Atoka).

POGO PRODUCING CO
■ MITCHELL - 21 FEDERAL #1
CEDAR CANYON DEL; 24S-29E-21; ne sw ne, 1650 fnl 1650 fel, 5 mi ESE of Malaga. EL: 2948 GR. Obj: 6800 (Delaware).

LEA COUNTY

SANTA FE ENERGY RES INC
■ FALCON UNIT #1
TRISTE DRAW MORROW; 23S-32E-32; sw se nw, 2080 fnl 1650 fwl EL: 3658 GR. Obj: 15850 (Morrow).

ROOSEVELT COUNTY

LAYTON ENTERPRISES INC
■ EL ZORRO - B FEDERAL #2
ALLISON PENN; 6S-36E-24; c sw se, 660 fsl 1980 fel, 8 mi ESE of Milnesand. EL: 4081 GR. Obj: 9900 (Bough C).

UNION OIL CO OF CAL
■ MCGRAIL #1
BLUITT SA - PLUG BACK; 28S-38E-18; 2a/2 se ne, 2130 fnl 660 fel Summary Original Drlt: TD: 4778. PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 3987 GR. Obj: 4725 (San Andres).

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CROCKETT COUNTY

MATHIS BILL
■ RAINMAKER #1
WYATT; G C & S F RY CO sur blk WX sec 32, A-4981, 2328 fnl 1787 fel of sec, 330 fsl 467 fel of lse. 40 acre lse. 15 mi NW of Ozona. EL: 2436 GR. Obj: 1400 test.

UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ HATTON ELMER HOOVER EST 13 #16
OZONA (CANYON SS); T & S T L RY CO sur blk MM sec 13, A-4171, 2300 fnl 2400 fwl of sec, and lse. 480 acre lse. 29.5 mi SW of Ozona. EL: 2341 GR. Obj: 7900 (Canyon ss).

UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ HATTON ELMER HOOVER EST 14C #6
OZONA (CANYON SS); T & S T L RY CO sur blk MM sec 14, A-4856, 2300 fsl 743 fel of sec, 343 fnl 743 fel of lse. 160 acre lse. 30.3 mi SW of Ozona. EL: 2203 GR. Obj: 7900 (Canyon ss).

UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ HOOVER ELMER HATTON EST 8D #7
OZONA (CANYON SS); T & S T L RY CO sur blk MM sec 8, A-5267, 1980 fsl 1450 fwl of sec, 664 fnl 1201 fel of lse. 160 acre lse. 28.7 mi SW of Ozona. EL: 2231 GR. Obj: 7900 (Canyon ss).

UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ HOOVER LAURA EST 6B #4
OZONA (CANYON SS); T & S T L RY CO sur blk MM sec 6, A-4851, 660 fnl 780 fel of sec, and lse. 160 acre lse. (Rule 38 exception applied for) 29.7 mi SW of Ozona. EL: 2434 GR. Obj: 7900 (Canyon ss).

UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ HOOVER LAURA EST 6B #5
OZONA (CANYON SS); T & S T L RY CO sur blk MM sec 6, A-4851, 1980 fnl 1980 fel of sec, 664 fsl 687 fwl of lse. 160 acre lse. (Rule 38 exception applied for) 29.9 mi SW of Ozona. EL: 2439 GR. Obj: 7900 (Canyon ss).

UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ HOOVER LAURA EST 7A #6
OZONA (CANYON SS); T & S T L RY CO sur blk MM sec 7, A-4168, 660 fnl 660 fwl of sec, and lse. 160 acre lse. (Rule 38 exception applied for) 29.5 mi SW of Ozona. EL: 2447 GR. Obj: 7900 (Canyon ss).

UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ HOOVER LAURA EST 7A #9
OZONA (CANYON SS); T & S T L RY CO sur blk MM sec 7, A-4168, 2300 fnl 2100 fel of sec, 344 fsl 539 fel of lse. 160 acre lse. (Rule 38 exception applied for) 29.6 mi SW of Ozona. EL: 2414 GR. Obj: 7900 (Canyon ss).

UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ HOOVER LAURA EST 7B #7
OZONA (CANYON SS); T & S T L RY CO sur blk MM sec 7, A-4168, 660 fnl 2060 fel of sec, 660 fnl 559 fel of lse. 160 acre lse. 29.2 mi SW of Ozona. EL: 2421 GR. Obj: 7900 (Canyon ss).

UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ HOOVER LAURA EST 7B #8
OZONA (CANYON SS); T & S T L RY CO sur blk MM sec 7, A-4168, 1600 fnl 300 fel of sec, 1044 fsl 300 fel of lse. 160 acre lse. 29.2 mi SW of Ozona. EL: 2386 GR. Obj: 7900 (Canyon ss).

UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ HOOVER LAURA EST 7C #6
OZONA (CANYON SS); T & S T L RY CO sur blk MM sec 7, A-4168, 660 fsl 1980 fel of sec, 660 fsl 659 fwl of lse. 160 acre lse. 29.7 mi SW of Ozona. EL: 2397 GR. Obj: 7900 (Canyon ss).

UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ HOOVER LAURA EST 7C #7
OZONA (CANYON SS); T & S T L RY CO sur blk MM sec 7, A-4168, 430 fsl 330 fel of sec, and lse. 160 acre lse. 29.5 mi SW of Ozona. EL: 2409 GR. Obj: 7900 (Canyon ss).

UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ HOOVER LAURA EST 7D #3
OZONA (CANYON SS); T & S T L RY CO sur blk MM sec 7, A-4168, 1980 fsl 660 fwl of sec, 663 fnl 660 fwl of lse. 160 acre lse. 29.9 mi SW of Ozona. EL: 2419 GR. Obj: 7900 (Canyon ss).

UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ HOOVER LAURA EST 7D #4
OZONA (CANYON SS); T & S T L RY CO sur blk MM sec 7, A-4168, 467 fsl 467 fwl of sec, and lse. 160 acre lse. 29.9 mi SW of Ozona. EL: 2316 GR. Obj: 7900 (Canyon ss).

UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ UNION PACIFIC - C #32
HUNT BAGGETT WEST (STRAWN); G C & S F RY CO sur blk J sec 4, A-5576, 660 fsl 660 fel of sec, and lse. 675 acre lse. 10.1 mi SW of Ozona. EL: 2495 GR. Obj: 9900 (Strawn).

UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ UNION PACIFIC - C #33
HUNT BAGGETT WEST (STRAWN); G C & S F RY CO sur blk J sec 4, A-5576, 660 fsl 2640 fel of sec, and lse. 675 acre lse. 10.4 mi SW of Ozona. EL: 2496 GR. Obj: 9900 (Strawn).

UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ UNION PACIFIC - C #34
HUNT BAGGETT WEST (STRAWN); G C & S F RY CO sur blk J sec 4, A-5576, 2640 fnl 660 fwl of sec, and lse. 675 acre lse. 10.3 mi SW of Ozona. EL: 2496 GR. Obj: 9900 (Strawn).

IRION COUNTY

ANADARKO PETROLEUM CORP
■ SCOTT - 12 #1203
KETCHUM MOUNTAIN (CLEAR FORK); H & T C RY CO sur blk 14 sec 12, A-699, 560 fnl 1980 fel of sec, and lse. 640 acre lse. 17.2 mi W of Mertzon. EL: 2462 GR. Obj: 4200 (Clear Fork).

CONSOLIDATED O&G INC
■ SUGG - A A 3088 #3
ANDREW (WOLFCAMP)- PLUG BACK; H & T C RY CO sur blk 29 sec 3088, 1135 fsl 660 fel of sec, and lse. 303 acre lse. 15 mi NW of Mertzon. Geomap: 8-12N-6W Summary Original Drlt: Oper: KANEB ENERGY CO Well: SUGG A A 3088 #3. Field: ANDREW A (CANYON). TD: 6850 in Canyon. Compl: on 01/15/88 OIL. PZone: 6341-6441 (Canyon A) PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 2181 DF. Obj: 6850 (Wolfcamp).

PETRODATA RESOURCES INC
■ WILLIAMS #7 - BUTTES (STRAWN) - RE-ENTRY; H E & W T RY CO #23 sur, A-174, 699 fnl 621 fwl of sur, and lse. 160 acre lse. 11 mi S of Mertzon. Summary Original Drlt: Oper: PARKER & PARSLEY DEV LTD Well: WILLIAMS #1. P&A on 12/19/70. PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 2278 GR. Obj: 6000 (Strawn).

REAGAN COUNTY

HALLWOOD PETROLEUM INC
■ ROCKER - B - S R H #13
SPRABERRY (TREND AREA); T & P RY CO sur blk 1 sec 148, A-686, 660 fsl 2440 fwl of sec, and lse. 1938 acre lse. 8 mi N'LY of Big Lake. EL: 2568 GR. Obj: 7500 test.

HALLWOOD PETROLEUM INC
■ ROCKER - B - S R H #14
SPRABERRY (TREND AREA); T & P RY CO sur blk 1 sec 148, A-686, 2440 fnl 2440 fwl of sec, 2853 fsl 2440 fwl of lse. 1938 acre lse. 8 mi N'LY of Big Lake. EL: 2545 GR. Obj: 7500 test.

HALLWOOD PETROLEUM INC
■ ROCKER - B - S R H #23
SPRABERRY (TREND AREA); T & P RY CO sur blk 1 sec 148, A-686, 2440 fnl 660 fel of sec, 2851 fsl 660 fel of lse. 1938 acre lse. 8 mi N'LY of Big Lake. EL: 2538 GR. Obj: 7500 test.

HALLWOOD PETROLEUM INC
■ ROCKER - B - S R H #24
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Around the Oil Patch

Environmental Lab brings testing close to home

An Odessa firm is helping oil and gas producers save time and reduce costly delays by performing environmental testing and crude oil testing locally.

Before the 1992 founding of Environmental Lab of Texas, many of these samples had to be sent as far away as Dallas, San Antonio or farther. The delay was often costly and always inconvenient.

In order to fill this important market niche, Environmental Lab specializes in environmental analytical services, but is equipped to perform a wide variety of analyses. The lab is equipped with state of the art instrumentation and extended computer capabilities which provide many options for clients.

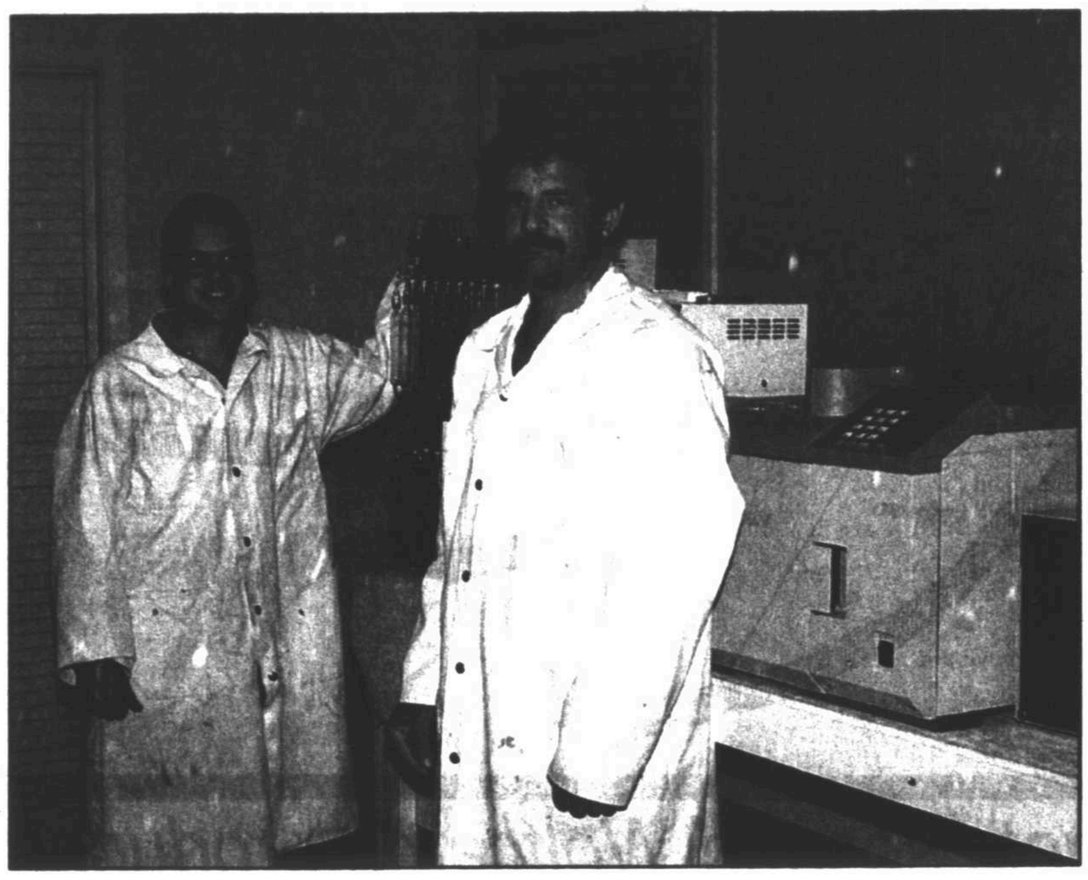
This has enabled the company to fill analytical needs of major oil companies, consulting environmental engineers and the Federal Government.

Environmental Lab, an employee-owned company, operates as an unbiased and accurate source for laboratory analysis, in accordance with all industry and regulatory standards. They follow stringent quality assurance/quality control (QA/QC) standards. All analyses are performed in strict accordance with all applicable regulatory agency procedures.

As part of their ongoing quality control procedures, twice a year Environmental Lab of Texas participates in EPA evaluation studies. Simply put, this allows the EPA to verify that Environmental Lab's results meet with EPA standards for procedures and accuracy.

Office Manager Raland Tuttle said, "We're glad to show people our lab facilities and answer any questions, or we can come to their office and explain more about our services and procedures."

Environmental Lab of Texas was founded in 1992, and is completely locally-owned and operated. For more information, call office manager Raland K. Tuttle or Lab Director Mike Fowler at 563-1800. Their address is 12600 West I-20East, just east of Odessa.



Office Manager Raland K. Tuttle (left) and Lab Director Mike Fowler stand by the Gas Chromatograph's purge and trap. Fowler, a recent addition to the Environmental Lab of Texas staff, brings 15 years experience to the company.

Environmental offers variety of testing locally

Environmental Lab of Texas specializes in environmental analyses, but is equipped to provide a wide variety of lab services locally. The following tests can be performed locally.

Chemical Analyses:
Major ion analyses are performed colorimetrically, titrimetrically and potentiometrically. The laboratory has an assortment of top loading and analytical balances, filtration apparatus, forced air drying ovens and a complete supply of common laboratory glassware.

Organic Analyses:
Environmental Lab analyzes individual volatile organics using a Perkin Elmer Autosystem GC (Gas Chromatograph) with Tekmar auto sampler and purge and trap, a Hewlett Packard 5890 GC and a Perkin Elmer 710B Infrared Spectrophotometer.

The lab recently added a Hewlett Packard Gas Chromatograph Mass Spec, the only one of its kind in the Permian Basin for environmental analysis.

The GCs are equipped with temperature programmable ovens and PID, ECD, ELCD, NPD or FID detectors. Environmental Lab can do complete oilfield waters, millipores, coupons and scale residuals as well. They can provide a report showing carbon chains from C16 to C73 (see chart).

Trace Metal Analyses:
Trace metal analyses are performed using a Perkin Elmer 3100 atomic absorption spectrophotometer.

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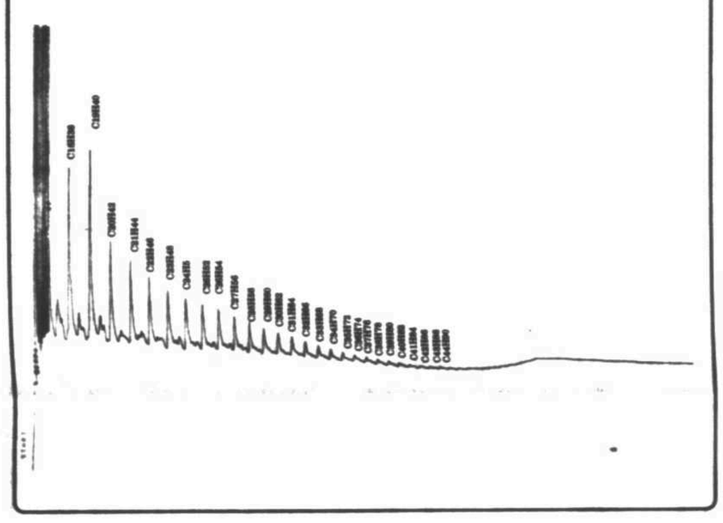
Sample Gas Chromatagraph Carbon Chain Report



This sample report from Environmental Lab of Texas reveals the outcome of a GC Carbon Chain analysis from C16 to C73. Since 1992, the company has been providing this and other environmental and oil field analyses locally.

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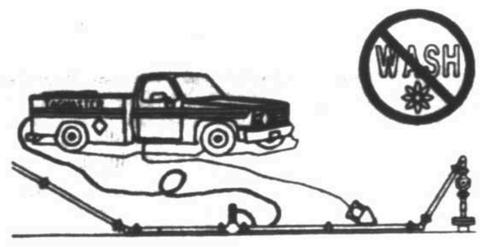

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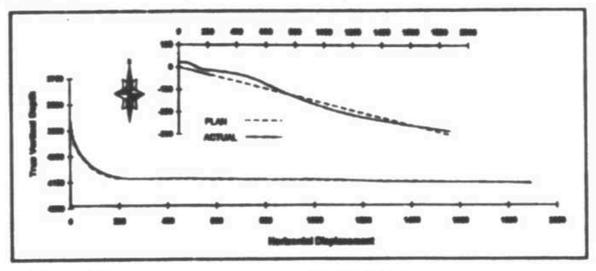

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STEPHEN C. JUMPER of Midland has been named a candidate for Secretary-Treasurer of the Society of Exploration Geophysicists. Balloting began in June.

Jumper serves as technical services manager at Dawson Geophysical Co., responsible for 3-D processing and other special projects.

Jumper

Barton

BRYON W. BARTON has been named vice president of a new business unit formed by M-I Drilling Fluids L.L.C.

The new business unit specializes in wholesale and industrial products which will be marketed and distributed under the Federal label. The operation will direct its worldwide marketing efforts at large international chemical tender purchases, wholesale and specialty drilling products, industrial minerals and chemicals for non-oilfield applications, and water well and mining fluids.

EUGENE C. CELENTANO has been elected a Vice President of Texaco Inc. Celentano currently is President of the company's Latin America/West Africa (LA/WA) Division, based in Coral Gables, Fla.

As President of LA/WA, Celentano is responsible for overseeing all petroleum exploration, producing, refining, marketing and related activities in more than 40 countries throughout Central America, the Caribbean, South America and West Africa, as well as petroleum activities in Canada. He was appointed to this position in October 1994.

Edisto Resources Corp. has promoted two of its management members.

DAVID J. TUDOR has been named to senior vice president of Edisto and is now responsible for coordinating the operations of the company's three gas marketing subsidiaries, Vesta Energy Co., which services the Mid-continent region; Energy Source, Inc., which services the Gulf Coast region and the Southern United States; and Enex Gas Ltd., which services the Canadian market. Tudor has worked at Vesta Energy since 1986 and will continue to serve as the president of Vesta Energy Company and Energy Source.

Edisto has also named **J. STEPHEN HILL** as a senior vice president of Edisto. Hill is also the president and head trader of the company's financial trading subsidiary, Energy Trading, Inc. Energy Trading engages in the trading of energy related financial instruments for profit and for price risk management purposes. Energy Trading also provides derivative products to third parties.

Horizontal wells boost production for Unocal

LOS ANGELES — Unocal Corp. said that its first horizontal wells drilled in the Gulf of Mexico have more than doubled oil production from the South Timbalier Block 53 field offshore Louisiana to an all-time high rate of 9,000 barrels of oil per day and added 3.8 million cubic feet of gas production per day.

The South Timbalier 53 field was discovered in 1979. Prior to the horizontal drilling program, the field was producing 3,400 bopd.

"Horizontal drilling has become an important tool for exploiting thin sands and increasing both production and recovery rates from older fields in the Gulf of Mexico," said Jack W. Schanck, Unocal group vice president for Oil and Gas Operations.

The first of the horizontal wells drilled in the field, OCS-G 4000 No. 6, was brought on production Dec. 2, 1994. The well was drilled to a total depth of 8,624 feet with a 1,244-foot-long horizontal section in a 25-foot-thick oil reservoir in the 6500-foot-deep Sand formation. The well is currently producing 4,700 bopd and 2.6 million cubic feet (mmcf) of natural gas through a 64/64-inch choke with a flowing tubing pressure of 680 pounds per square inch (psi).

Following the No. 6 well, Unocal drilled two sidetrack wells from existing wells in the field. The No. 4 sidetrack well is currently producing 1,350 bopd and 600,000 cubic feet of gas through a 21/64-inch choke with a flowing tubing pressure of 1,040 psi. The well has a 1,500-foot horizontal section at a total depth between 8,100 feet and 9,600 feet.

Another sidetrack well, the No. A-17, is producing 650 bopd and 300,000 cubic feet of gas through a 23/64-inch choke with a flowing tubing pressure of 265 psi. The A-17 well has a 400-foot horizontal section at a total depth between 6,150 feet and 6,550 feet.

Unocal is the operator of the South Timbalier 53 field and holds a 50 percent working interest.

Noble Drilling signs long-term deals in Venezuela, Nigeria

HOUSTON — Noble Drilling Corp. announced that long-term drilling contracts have been signed for five of its offshore jackup drilling rigs in Venezuela and Nigeria.

Two of Noble Drilling's four jackup rigs on Lake Maracaibo in Venezuela received five-year contracts from Lagoven, an affiliate of Petroleos de Venezuela, the state oil company. The Dick Favor and Carl Norberg jackups began their new contracts in May and June 1995, respectively, and will be under contract until 2000. Both rigs previously were contracted with Lagoven.

Also in Venezuela, a contract has been secured for the Charles Copeland jackup with Shell Venezuela S.A. Commencement of the new contract is scheduled to occur around August 1 and the unit will be under contract until August 1997.

In Nigeria, the jackup Don Walker began a three-year contract with Mobil Producing Nigeria Unlimited. The contract runs until May 1998. The rig previously was working in Nigeria for another operator.

Additionally, the jackup Percy Johns, presently in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico, received a three-year contract from Mobil Producing Nigeria Unlimited to commence in August. The rig, scheduled to be contracted until August 1998, will be mobilized to Nigeria in mid-July 1995.

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Arco appoints new chairman of board

LOS ANGELES — ARCO Chief Executive Officer Mike R. Bowlin has succeeded the retired Lodwrick M. Cook as chairman of the Los Angeles-based energy company.

Cook, 67, ended 39 years of service with ARCO on June 30. He will remain a member of the board of directors. Bowlin, 52, was elected chairman in March, effective July 1. He will continue to serve as chief executive officer.

A native of Amarillo, Texas, and a graduate of the University of North Texas, Bowlin joined ARCO as a Human Resources representative in 1969.

During his 26-year career with the company, Bowlin progressed through a number of key positions including vice president of Human Resources and vice president of Finance, Planning and Control for ARCO Oil and Gas Co., senior vice president of International Oil and Gas Acquisitions, president of two ARCO operating companies (Coal and International Oil and Gas) and executive vice president.

He became president and chief operating officer on June 1, 1993 and chief executive officer on July 1, 1994 following Cook's retirement as CEO.

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By Norman Johnson

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Cross Timbers plans common stock offering

FORT WORTH - Cross Timbers Oil Co. has filed a registration statement with the Securities and Exchange Commission for the offering of 4,197,803 shares of its common stock, two million of which will be offered by the company and 2,197,803 of which will be offered by the company's original shareholders.

The proceeds of the offering will initially be used to reduce bank debt. Subsequently, proceeds will be used to partially fund the company's previously announced $130 million acquisition of natural gas producing properties and related facilities in the Hugoton field of Kansas and Oklahoma from Santa Fe Minerals Inc. This acquisition is scheduled to close around Aug. 1, 1995.

Geco-Prakla gets contract for 4-D survey

HOUSTON - Geco-Prakla announced the awarding of a long-term contract by British Petroleum Co. Ltd. and partner Shell for the world's first permanently embedded 4-D deepwater seismic survey.

The contact covers the Foinaven field located in about 1,500 feet of water in the new UKAtlantic frontier exploration province west of Shetland.

The Foinaven Active Reservoir Monitoring project will implement 4-D seismic or time-lapse 3-D from hydrophone cables permanently buried in the seabed above a portion of the field.

The FARM system will be used to monitor changes in Foinaven reservoir fluid characteristics during the life of the field, giving engineers additional data with which to plan and implement maximum oil recovery.

According to British Petroleum, the project will mark the first time hydrophone cables will be buried permanently in a deepwater environment. Geco-Prakla will conduct a series of follow-up surveys at intervals of about one year to measure fluid movement over time.

Texaco, Keystone Shipping form alliance

WHITE PLAINS, N.Y. – Texaco and Keystone Shipping Co., an independent tanker owner and operator, announced today that they have signed an agreement to create a marine alliance to coordinate Texaco's U.S. marine transportation requirements.

Through a series of transportation and management agreements, Keystone will administer Texaco's coastwise domestic crude and product movement requirements, which approximates five million barrels annually. As part of the alliance, Keystone also will purchase two U.S. ocean-going tankers from Texaco.

Texaco Inc. Senior Vice President James L. Dunlap noted, "Formation of a domestic marine alliance with Keystone, combined with the recently completed alliance with Stena AB for our international marine requirements, will further reduce Texaco's marine transportation costs. Keystone's experience in shipping and tanker chartering ensures Texaco a reliable, safe and environmentally sound method of moving our crude and products to key markets nationwide."

Keystone Shipping, based in Bala Cynwyd, Penn., operates and manages a substantial fleet of ocean-going crude and product vessels.

SIPES Foundation awards five scholarships

DALLAS - The SIPES Foundation, which performs the scientific, educational and charitable programs of the Society of Independent Professional Earth Scientists, has recently awarded five $1,000 scholarships to outstanding earth science honor students. Applications were accepted from upper-division or graduate students in any field of the earth sciences.

SIPES Foundation 1995 scholarship recipients are Richard A. Ashmore, an undergraduate student in geology at Lamar University; Gokay Bozkurt, seeking a doctorate in geophysics at the University of Tulsa; Trina C. Burling, pursuing a master's degree in geochemistry at Texas Tech University; Angela T. Daniels, a doctoral candidate in geology at the University of Texas at Dallas; and Patricia F. DuBois, seeking a masters degree in geosciences at the University of Texas at Dallas.

Benton, John Hancock final note financing

CARPINTERIA, Calif.–Benton Oil and Gas Co. announced that it has issued $20,000,000 in 13 percent Senior Unsecured Notes due June 30, 2007, to John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Co.

Interest is payable semi-annually on June 30 and Dec. 30, beginning Dec. 30, 1995. Annual principal repayments of $4,000,000 shall commence June 2003. In addition, the company issued warrants entitling John Hancock to purchase 125,000 shares of the company's common stock at $17.09 per share. This is the second note financing that Benton Oil and Gas has completed with John Hancock. In September 1994, the company issued $15,000,000 in 13 percent Senior Unsecured Notes due Sept. 30, 2002.

Benton Oil and Gas anticipates that the proceeds from the latest note offering will be used primarily for the continued development of its Venezuelan project and for working capital purposes. The company's Venezuelan project is the South Monagas Unit, a 158,000-acre block which consists of the Uracoa, Bombal and Tucupita oil fields. The company is currently focusing on the development of the Uracoa oil field and is implementing an accelerated two-rig drilling program beginning in the second half of 1995. Presently, Benton Oil and Gas is conducting a 3-D seismic survey over the Uracoa field. This survey is being processed and interpreted on a real-time basis and is assisting in determining drilling locations for the current series of development wells.

Mitchell, pipeline terminate gas contract

THE WOODLANDS, Texas -- Mitchell Energy & Development Corp. and Natural Gas Pipeline Company of America have signed a letter of intent to terminate as of July 1, 1995, an existing contract under which MND sells most of its North Texas natural gas production to Natural. Natural discontinued gas sales to customers in December, 1993, in compliance with Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Order 636, and no longer needs these supplies.

The agreement calls for periodic, fixed cash payments totaling $241.5 million to Mitchell over the next two-and one-half years, the remaining term of the contract. This payment schedule replaces the current arrangement under which Natural is paying Mitchell the fixed contract price, auctioning the gas on the spot market each month, and collecting the difference between the monthly spot market auction price and the fixed contract price from its customers. With this agreement, Natural will no longer be obligated to purchase this gas and auction it each month at fluctuating spot market prices. Nor will Mitchell have the obligation to continue selling to Natural.

Natural is now collecting a substantial portion of its above-market gas costs from its customers under mechanisms provided for in Order 636, and will recover these fixed payments from its customers under the same arrangements.

PowerGen buys Oryx's North Sea assets

DALLAS (AP) — Oryx Energy Co. has sold a package of North Sea natural gas assets to PowerGen PLC for $120 million.

Dallas-based Oryx said it will recognize a net gain of $8 million from the sale, which it called "another major step in our program to reduce debt."

"Upon completion, this will bring our year-end debt to the $1.2 billion range, a full $100 million lower than previously announced and 30 percent less than year-end," chairman and chief executive officer Robert Keiser said.

In late January, Oryx, an independent oil and gas company, said it wanted to cut its debt by $400 million.

The purchase is subject to approval by British regulators, and the deal was expected to close in the fourth quarter.

Oryx said its sale proceeds and interest will be used for debt reduction. The sale will create a "modest reduction" in 1996 production levels, the company said. Production from the assets had pre-tax cash flow of $22 million in 1994.

PowerGen is a British power generator.

Pool Energy finals Golden Pacific purchase

HOUSTON – Pool Energy Services Co. has completed the previously announced acquisition of Golden Pacific Corp.

The company's wholly-owned subsidiary, Pool Company, purchased all of the outstanding capital stock of Golden Pacific for approximately $18.0 million, including $11.5 million of long-term notes, $4.2 million of Pool Energy Services common stock and $2.3 million of cash.

Golden Pacific, which has annual revenues of approximately $50 million, operates principally through a wholly-owned subsidiary, California Production Service, Inc. ("CPS"). CPS has a fleet of 155 land rigs in California and ranks in size as one of the top five well-servicing contractors in the United States.

DEVELOPMENT WELLS

(From 3G)

Obj: 7200 test.
NEWBOURNE OIL CO
■ WELCH #1
SPRABERRY (TREND AREA)- PLUG BACK; D & W RY CO sur blk D sec 8, 1320 fsl 1320 fel of sec, and lse. 320 acre lse. 10 mi NW of Stiles. Summary Original Drill: EL: 2667 GR. TD: 8483. PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 2681 KB. Obj: 8483 (Clear Fork).
PARKER & PARSLEY DEV LP
■ SPRABERRY DRIVER UNIT #1811A
SPRABERRY (TREND AREA); A C WALKER sur blk 37 twp 5S sec 40, A-862, 1980 fsl 1980 fel of sec, 4647 fsl 3384 fwl of unit. 61256 acre unit. (Located in tract 181) (A C Walker sur also known as T & P Ry Co) 17 mi NW of Stiles. EL: 2702 GR. Obj: 8700 test. Notes: (Railroad Commission District 8 has jurisdiction over Spraberry Driver Unit)
PARKER & PARSLEY DEV LP
■ SPRABERRY DRIVER UNIT #1812A
SPRABERRY (TREND AREA); A C WALKER sur blk 37 twp 5S sec 40, A-862, 660 fsl 660 fel of sec, 3326 fsl 4707 fwl of unit. 61256 acre unit. (Located in tract 181) (A C Walker sur also known as T & P Ry Co) 17 mi NW of Stiles. EL: 2695 GR. Obj: 8700 test. Notes: (Railroad Commission District 8 has jurisdiction over Spraberry Driver Unit)
PARKER & PARSLEY DEV LP
■ SPRABERRY DRIVER UNIT #1941A
SPRABERRY (TREND AREA); T & P RY CO sur blk 37 twp 5S sec 37, A-689, 1980 fnl 1980 fel of sec, 13980 fsl 7470 fel of lse. 61256 acre lse. (Located in tract 194) 16 mi NW of Stiles. EL: 2658 GR. Obj: 8300 test. Notes: (Railroad Commission District 8 has jurisdiction over Spraberry Driver Unit)

RUNNELS COUNTY
GEOTRAC ENERGY CORP
■ LONON #2
LOVE (SERRATT SS); WILLIAM F WILSON #1 sur, A-678, 1600 fsl 2600 fel of sur, and lse. 698 acre lse. 12 mi SE of Ballinger. EL: 1740 GR. Obj: 4000 (Serratt ss).
SHAMROCK MINERALS CORP
■ MAJORS J A #1
LUCKY PIERRE- RE-ENTRY; A J ROPER #52 sur, A-1267, 3305 fnl 2451 fwl of sur, 865 fnl 2451 fwl of lse. 285 acre lse. 3 mi SW of Winters. Summary Original Drill: EL: 1823 KB. TD: 2675. P&A on 07/28/94. Casing: 8 5/8 @ 159 PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 1818 GR. Obj: 3000 test.

TERRELL COUNTY
CHEVRON U S A INC
■ MITCHELL 6 #5
PAKENHAM (WOLFCAMP); C C S D & R G N G RY CO sur blk 1 sec 6, 710 fnl 2300 fel of sec, and lse. 714 acre lse. 25 mi SW of Sheffield. EL: 2618 GR. Obj: 9000 (Wolfcamp).

TOM GREEN COUNTY
B & R OPERATING LLC
■ RATHBONE #1609
MCINTIRE (SAN ANGELO); H & T C RY CO #9 sur blk 20, 1030 fsl 1240 fel of sur, 1030 fsl 4869 fel of lse. 1080 acre lse. 4.8 mi SW of Knickerbocker. EL: 2340 GR. Obj: 1200 (San Angelo).

UPTON COUNTY
STEPHENS AUTRY C
■ GREATHOUSE - A #7
SPRABERRY (TREND AREA)- DEEPEN; E L RY CO sur blk D sec 13, A-132, 1980 fnl 660 fel of sec, 1980 fnl 1980 fwl of lse. 320 acre lse. 18 mi S of Midkiff. PRESENT OPERATIONS: Obj: 9200 test.
STEPHENS AUTRY C
■ MASSIE - A #2
SPRABERRY (TREND AREA)- DEEPEN; D & W RY CO sur blk D sec 7, A-124, 660 fsl 660 fwl of sec, and lse. 640 acre lse. 19 mi NW of Texon. PRESENT OPERATIONS: Obj: 9200 test.

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ANDREWS COUNTY
DAVCRO INC
■ SUN UNIVERSITY #38-3
COWDEN NORTH; UNIVERSITY LANDS sur blk 9 sec 38, 467 fsl 1600 fel of sec, and lse. 160 acre lse. 12 mi S of Andrews. EL: 3099 GR. Obj: 4775 test.
MAYNARD OIL CORP
■ LOWE BITLER UNIT #31
FULLERTON (SAN ANDRES); ODESSA RANCH CO sur blk A-32 sec 2, A-2024, 177 fsl 1784 fwl of sec, 2817 fsl 872 fwl of lse. 480 acre lse. 20 mi NW of Andrews. Obj: 5000 (San Andres).
SHELL WESTERN E&P INC
■ RATLIFF & BEDFORD #43
BEDFORD (ELLENBURGER)- HORIZONTAL; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk A-54 sec 15, A-2100, 980 fsl 760 fel of sec, 8880 fsl 3400 fel of lse. 4820 acre lse. 22.5 mi SW of Andrews. BHLoc: PROPOSED: 1100 fsl 900 fel of sec. 15 – 9020 fsl 3540 fel of lse. EL: 3189 GR. Obj: 11600 (Ellenburger). Notes: (Operator plans two horizontal drainholes, HZ DH #1 reference ID #469206)
SHELL WESTERN E&P INC
■ RATLIFF & BEDFORD #43
BEDFORD (ELLENBURGER)- HORIZONTAL; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk A-54 sec 15, A-2100, 980 fsl 760 fel of sec, 8880 fsl 3400 fel of lse. 4820 acre lse. 22.5 mi SW of Andrews. BHLoc: PROPOSED: 2000 fsl 1700 fel of sec. 15 – 9920 fsl 4340 fel of lse. EL: 3189 GR. Obj: 11600 (Ellenburger). Notes: (Operator plans two horizontal drainholes, HZ DH #2 reference ID #469207)
TEXLAND JMC JOINT VENTUR
■ LOGSDON - D #21
FULLERTON; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk A-26 sec 25, 1320 fnl 1400 fwl of sec, and lse. 320 acre lse. 20 mi NW of Andrews. EL: 3376 GR. Obj: 7500 test. Notes: (Operator plans to downhole commingle with Fullerton (San Andres) field)
TEXLAND JMC JOINT VENTUR
■ LOGSDON - D #22
FULLERTON; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk A-26 sec 25, 2540 fnl 1450 fwl of sec, 2540 fnl 1215 fwl of lse. 320 acre lse. 20 mi NW of Andrews. EL: 3367 GR. Obj: 7500 test. Notes: (Operator plans to downhole commingle with Fullerton (San Andres) field)
TEXLAND JMC JOINT VENTUR
■ SCARBOROUGH - C #9
FULLERTON; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk A-26 sec 24, 1215 fnl 2037 fwl of sec, and lse. 160 acre lse. 19 mi NW of Andrews. EL: 3352 GR. Obj: 7500 test. Notes: (Operator plans to downhole commingle with Fullerton (San Andres) field)
THOMPSON J CLEO
■ RALPH RANCH #1
RALPH RANCH- PLUG BACK; HEBER SKINNER sur blk A-40 sec 21, A-2159, 1329 fnl 1634 fel of sec, 1988 fnl 973 fel of lse. 360 acre lse. (Heber Skinner sur also known as Public School Land) 21 mi SW of Frankel City. Summary Original Drill: Field: RALPH RANCH (ELLENBURGER). EL: 3310 KB. TD: 11230. Compl: on 02/06/95 OIL PZone: 11138-11230 (Ellenburger) PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 3296 GR. Obj: 12000 test.

CRANE COUNTY
COSTILLA PETROLEUM CORP
■ GLASS 32 #1
CONCHO; T & P RY CO sur blk 43 sec 32, 620 fnl 2159 fel of sec, and lse. 324.35 acre lse. 12 mi N of Crane. Obj: 5000 test.
EXXON CO USA
■ TUBB J B - B #5
SAND HILLS (TUBB)- PLUG BACK; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk 32 sec 19, 2012 fsl 672 fel of sec, and lse. 640 acre lse. 15 mi NW of Crane. PRESENT OPERATIONS: Obj: 4546 (Tubb). Notes: (Operator plans to downhole commingle with Sand Hills (McKnight) & Sand Hills (Judkins) per permit application)
PENNZOIL EXPL & PROD CO
■ HENDERSON M F #87
WADDELL- DEEPEN; M F HENDERSON sur blk B-23 sec 5, A-1078, 1650 fsl 1650 fel of sec, 3602 fnl 1650 fel of lse. 637 acre lse. 8.5 mi SE of Penwell. PRESENT OPERATIONS: Obj: 3731 test.

ECTOR COUNTY
AMOCO PRODUCTION CO
■ COWDEN R B - A #3
GOLDSMITH NORTH (SILURIAN)- DEEPEN; T & P RY CO sur blk 45 twp 2N sec 10, A-1259, 1985 fsl 510 fwl of sec, and lse. 573.16 acre lse. 15 mi NW of Goldsmith. Summary Original Drill: Well: GOLDSMITH NORTH DEVONIAN UNIT #9. PRESENT OPERATIONS: Obj: 8350 (Silurian).
BURNS OPERATING
■ BARROW #1
ELLU; T & P RY CO sur blk 42 twp 1S sec 29, A-98, 1773 fsl 2146 fwl of sec, 900 fnl 467 fel of lse. 160 acre lse. (Rule 37 exception granted) 2 mi N of Odessa. Obj: 5800 test.
CITATION OIL & GAS CORP
■ CONNELL - C #1
JORDAN (FUSSELMAN)- PLUG BACK; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk B-16 sec 13, 1989 fsl 663 fel of sec, 656 fnl 663 fel of lse. 80 acre lse. 3 mi S of Penwell. PRESENT OPERATIONS: Obj: 7420 (Fusselman). Notes: (Operator plans to downhole commingle per permit application)
PHILLIPS PETROLEUM CO
■ NORTH PENWELL UNIT #173
PENWELL- DEEPEN; T & P RY CO sur blk 45 twp 2S sec 28, 1787 fsl 1920 fel of sec, 853 fnl 3240 fel of lse.4674.18 acre lse. 1 mi W of Penwell. PRESENT OPERATIONS: Obj: 4050 test.
PHILLIPS PETROLEUM CO
■ NORTH PENWELL UNIT #77
PENWELL- DEEPEN; T & P RY CO sur blk 45 twp 2S sec 28, 990 fsl 440 fel of sec, 1650 fnl 3080 fel of lse. 4674.18 acre lse. 1 mi W of Penwell. PRESENT OPERATIONS: Obj: 4050 test.
RUST OIL CORP
■ MOSS PAUL EST #3
HARPER; T & P RY CO sur blk 44 twp 2S sec 42, 467 fsl 467 fwl of sec, and lse. 320 acre lse. 3 mi N of Penwell. Obj: 4500 test.

GLASSCOCK COUNTY
B T A OIL PRODUCERS
■ WHIT - C 9204 JV-P #3
COBRA (WOLFCAMP); T & P RY CO sur blk 35 twp 2S sec 29, A-307, 1131 fnl 1975 fel of sec, and lse. 428.866 acre lse. (Located in tract 7) 13.6 mi NW of Garden City. EL: 2596 GR. Obj: 8400 (Wolfcamp).
COLLINS & WARE INC
■ GARDEN CITY #1
GARDEN CITY NW; W E CHANEY sur blk 34 twp 4S sec 12, 1366 fsl 1357 fel of sec, and lse. 160 acre lse. (W E Chaney sur also known as T & P Ry Co) .4 mi S of Garden City. EL: 2610 GR. Obj: 11000 test.

HOWARD COUNTY
BAYTECH INC
■ CALLIE - 42A #1
SILVER QUEEN; T & P RY CO sur blk 32 twp 2N sec 42, 1553 fsl 117 fwl of sec, 1975 fnl 467 fel of lse. 80 acre lse. 1.5 mi NE'LY of Fairview. EL: 2682 GR. Obj: 9100 test.
COBRA OIL & GAS CORP
■ TXL 5 #1
SPANKY; T & P RY CO sur blk 34 twp 1S sec 5, A-408, 2107 fsl 284 fel of sec, and lse. 640 acre lse. (Rule 37 exception applied for) 1 mi NW of Moms. EL: 2470 GR. Obj: 11000 test.

LOVING COUNTY
GOTHIC ENERGY CORP
■ JOHNSON - 2 #13
PINAL DOME CENTRAL (DELAWARE)- PLUG BACK; T & P RY CO sur blk 53 twp 2 sec 2, A-1089, 1980 fnl 660 fel of sec, and lse. 580 acre lse. 13 mi NE of Mentone. Geomap: 7-16N-29W Summary Original Drill: Oper: RICHMOND PETROLEUM INC Well: JOHNSON 2 #13. Field: PINAL DOME (CHERRY CANYON). EL: 3115 GR. TD: 6755. Compl: on 12/20/90 OIL PZone: 6533-6730 (Cherry Canyon) PRESENT OPERATIONS: Obj: 6400 (Delaware).

MIDLAND COUNTY
MOBIL PRODUCING TX & NM
■ HALEY C B - A #4
PARKS (SPRABERRY)- PLUG BACK; T & P RY CO sur

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Southeast New Mexico

EDDY COUNTY
DEVON ENERGY OPERG CORP
■ WEST H E - B #61
GRAYBURG JACKSON SR QU GB SA; 17S-31E-10; sw sw nw, 2625 fnl 15 fwl, Located 6.75 air miles NE of Loco Hills. EL: 3902 GR. Obj: 4800 (Grayburg). NL: 04/19/93. API# 30-015-27401. ID# T-453460. Contr: Artesia Fishing Tool #2. Spud: 11/05/94. TD: 4350 on 11/12/94 in San Andres. PB: 4298. Compl: on 03/09/95 OIL (Last Info: 06/28/95) PZone: 3227-4120 (Grayburg/San Andres) gross interval IP: (Grayburg/San Andres 3227-4120) P 36 BOPD grav 37; no gas; 450 BWPD Casing: 8 5/8 @ 606 w/365 – 5 1/2 @ 4341 w/1055
NEWBOURNE OIL CO
■ SANTO NINO 29 FEDERAL #3
SANTO NINO BONE SPR; 18S-30E-29; w/2 nw sw, 1980 fsl 580 fwl, 6.75 mi S of Loco Hills. EL: 3423 GR. Obj: 8400 (Bone Spring). NL: 10/05/94. API# 30-015-28135. ID# T-463849. Contr: Peterson #3. Spud: 02/20/95. TD: 8400 on 03/12/95. Compl: on 04/02/95 OIL (Last Info: 06/27/95) PZone: 8076-8239 (Bone Spring) IP: (Bone Spring 8076-8239) P 46 BOPD; 17 MCFGPD; 110 BWPD Casing: 13 3/8 @ 405 – 8 5/8 @ 2485 w/1200 – 5 1/2
YATES PETROLEUM CORP
■ APAREJO - APA STATE COM #3
DAGGER DRAW NORTH UPR PENN; 19S-25E-16; c nw ne, 660 fnl 1980 fel EL: 3475 GR. Obj: 8300 (Canyon). NL: 03/29/95. API# 30-015-28413. ID# T-467335. Contr: Patterson #7. Spud: 03/31/95. TD: 8286 on 05/01/95. PB: 8240. Compl: on 05/07/95 OIL (Last Info: 06/28/95) PZone: 7753-7842 (Canyon) gross interval IP: (Canyon 7753-7842) P 607 BOPD grav 43.4; 648 MCFGPD; 711 BWPD Casing: 9 5/8 @ 1159 w/1250 – 7 @ 8286 w/1400
WESTALL RAY
■ FEDERAL Z COM #2
AVALON MORROW - RE-ENTRY; 22S-27E-29; 2c nw sw, 1980 fsl 660 fwl Summary Original Drill: TD: 10804. PRESENT OPERATIONS: NL: 10/31/94. API# 30-015-21524. ID# T-464313. TD: 8000. Recomp: on 05/20/95 OIL (Last Info: 06/28/95) PZone: 6224-6348 (2nd Bone Spring) IP: (2nd Bone Spring 6224-6348) P 10 BOPD; 75 MCFGPD
MARATHON OIL CO
■ INDIAN BASIN NORTH UNIT #10
INDIAN BASIN UPR PENN; -; 21S-23E-11; ne ne nw, 330 fnl 2310 fwl. 25 mi NW of Carlsbad. EL: 3774 GR. Obj: 8000 (upr Pennsylvanian). NL: 05/08/94. API# 30-015-27930. ID# T-460876. Contr: Exeter #84. Spud: 03/08/95. TD: 8050 on 03/28/95. PB: 7947. Compl: on 04/23/95 OIL (Last Info: 06/28/95) PZone: 7654-7830 (upr Pennsylvanian) gross interval IP: (upr Pennsylvanian 7654-7830) P 300 BOPD grav 42.6; 2415 MCFGPD; 716 BWPD Casing: 9 5/8 @ 1227 w/975 – 7 @ 8042 w/1080
YATES PETROLEUM CORP
■ LILY - ALY FEDERAL #7
INGLE WELLS DEL; 24S-31E-3; nw sw se, 990 fsl 2310 fel, 24 mi NE of Loving. EL: 3458 GR. Obj: 8300 (Delaware). NL: 01/21/93. API# 30-015-27277. ID# T-452010. Contr: Nabors #303. Spud: 04/12/95. TD: 8322 on 05/01/95 in Bone Spring. PB: 8260. Compl: on 05/16/95 OIL (Last Info: 06/28/95) PZone: 8014-8161 (Delaware) gross interval IP: (Delaware 8014-8161) P 180 BOPD grav 41.2; 180 MCFGPD; 240 BWPD Notes: (Reamed, originally permitted Jan 5, 1993) Casing: 13 3/8 @ 709 w/575 – 8 5/8 @ 4225 w/1200 – 5 1/2 @ 8322

LEA COUNTY
FASKEN BARBARA
■ WINGERD #14
GLADIOLA DEV; 12S-37E-24; [illegible] 1650 fsl 1930 fel EL: 3863 GR. Obj: 13000 (Devonian). NL: 02/01/95. API# 30-025-32847. ID# T-466132. Contr: Gene Stange #8. Spud: 02/23/95 Misf dlg. TD: 12800 on 04/22/95. Compl: on 06/11/95 OIL (Last Info: 06/28/95) PZone: 11648-11680 (Devonian) gross interval IP: (Devonian 11648-11680) P 75 BOPD grav 47; 17 MCFGPD; 141 BWPD Casing: 13 3/8 @ 390 w/500 – 9 5/8 @ 4486 w/1500 – 5 1/2 @ 12,184 w/820
ARMSTRONG ENERGY CORP
■ MOBIL LEA STATE #7
LEA NE DEL; -; 20S-34E-2; w/2 sw nw, 1980 fnl 330 fwl EL: 3677 GR. Obj: 8400 (Delaware). NL: 04/05/95. API# 30-025-32914. ID# T-467514. Spud: 04/15/95. TD: 8320 on 05/05/95 in Delaware. PB: 7800. Compl: on 06/09/95 OIL (Last Info: 06/27/95) PZone: 6158-7338 (Delaware) gross interval IP: (Delaware 6158-7338) P 35 BOPD grav 38; 50 MCFGPD; 130 BLWPD Casing: 9 5/8 @ 1703 w/650 – 5 1/2 @ 7800 w/3600
CONOCO INC
■ HARDY 36 STATE #2
HARDY NORTH TUBB DRKD; 20S-37E-36; se ne sw, 1876 fsl 2230 fwl EL: 3465 GR. Obj: 6975 (Drinkard). NL: 03/31/94. API# 30-025-32473. ID# T-460250. Contr: CapStar #8. Spud: 03/18/95. TD: 7027 on 04/09/95. PB: 6950. Compl: on 05/10/95 OIL (Last Info: 06/28/95) PZone: 6302-6810 (Tubb/Drinkard) gross interval IP: (Tubb/Drinkard 6302-6810) F 78 BOPD grav 38.2; 1565 MCFGPD on open ck; 2 BWPD; FTP 180, SICP 380 Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1525 w/920 – 5 1/2 @ 7027 w/1300
CHEVRON U S A INC
■ RAMSEY W A - NCT-B #7
EUMONT YATES SEV RIV QU - PLUG BACK; 21S-36E-25; 2se sw ne, 2310 fnl 1900 fel PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 3535 GR. Obj: 3880 (Queen). NL: 03/03/95. API# 30-025-25439. ID# T-466908. TD: 3858. PB: 3830. Recomp: on 05/05/95 GAS (Last Info: 06/27/95) PZone: 2738-3279 (Yates/Seven Rivers/Queen) IP: (Yates/Seven Rivers/Queen 2738-3279) F 686 MCFGPD; no oil; no wtr; FTP 72
MARALO INC
■ PROHIBITION FEDERAL #6
RED TANK DEL WEST; 22S-32E-14; sw se ne, 2310 fnl 990 fel, 27 mi W of Eunice. EL: 3733 GR. Obj: 10150 (Bone Spring). NL: 12/08/94. API# 30-025-32760. ID# T-464047. Contr: W E K #1. Spud: 04/21/95. TD: 9000 on 06/09/95. PB: 8945. Compl: on 06/14/95 OIL (Last Info: 06/28/95) PZone: 8491-8496 (Delaware) IP: (Delaware 8491-8496) F 265 BOPD; 242 MCFGPD on 38/64 ck; 172 BWPD; FTP 125 Casing: 13 3/8 @ 1154 w/1000 – 8 5/8 @ 4710 w/1000 – 5 1/2 @ 9000 w/1025
MERIDIAN OIL INC
■ DIAMONDTAIL 34 FEDERAL #1
TRISTE DRAW DEL; 23S-32E-34; w/2 nw se, 1980 fsl 2310 fel, 31.83 mi NW of Jal. EL: 3636 GR. Obj: 10200 (Delaware). NL: 03/14/95. API# 30-025-32879. ID# T-467024. Contr: Exeter #73. Spud: 03/18/95. TD: 10215 on 04/05/95. PB: 10171. Compl: on 06/07/95 OIL (Last Info: 06/28/95) PZone: 8564-8637 (Delaware) IP: (Delaware 8564-8637) F 135 BOPD grav 42; 55 MCFGPD on 48/64 ck; 161 BWPD; FTP 180, SICP 55 Casing: 13 3/8 @ 645 w/600 – 8 5/8 @ 4893 w/1750 – 5 1/2 @ 10,215 w/1470
ARCO PERMIAN
■ STATE - Y #11
LANGLIE MATTIX SEV RIV QU GB; 25S-37E-25; nw nw ne, 495 fnl 2225 fel EL: 3066 GR. Obj: 3350 (Grayburg). NL: 04/19/95. API# 30-025-32934. ID# T-467794. Spud: 05/09/95. TD: 3350 on 05/12/95. PB: 3292. Compl: on 06/08/95 GAS (Last Info: 06/28/95) PZone: 3027-3257 (Yates/Seven Rivers/Queen) IP: (Yates/Seven Rivers/Queen 3027-3257) F 177 MCFGPD; no oil; no wtr Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1070 w/500 – 5 1/2 @ 3350 w/1000

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CROCKETT COUNTY
SONAT EXPL INC MIDLAND
■ BAGGETT E G #2402
BAGGETT (CLEAR FORK)- PLUG BACK; E B BAGGETT sur blk F sec 24, A-4617, 1000 fnl 1200 fwl of sec, and lse. 325.8 acre lse. (E B Baggett sur also known as G C & S F Ry Co) 10 mi S of Ozona. Summary Original Drill: Field: HUNT-BAGGETT (STRAWN). TD: 9484 in Strawn ss. Compl: on 03/23/85 GAS PZone: 9044-9423 (Strawn ss) PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 2242 GR. Obj: 2700 (Clear Fork). NL: 03/02/95. Permit# 436169. API# 42-105-36809. ID# T-466148. Contr: Tucker. Reasms: 06/15/95. TD: 9484. PB: 3012. Recomp: on 06/09/95 OIL (Last Info: 06/22/95) PZone: 2593-2616 (Clear Fork) IP: (Clear Fork 2593-2616) F 21 BOPD grav 39; 387 MCFGPD on 14/64 ck; 1 BWPD; FTP 550 Notes: (Operator plans to dually complete w/previous Strawn production)
UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ CARSON IRA 1D #2
OZONA (CANYON SS); I & G N RY CO sur blk 2 sec 1, A-616, 1980 fnl 660 fwl of sec, 671 fnl 660 fwl of lse. 160 acre lse. 24.1 mi SW of Ozona. EL: 2037 KB. Obj: 7500 (Canyon ss). NL: 03/09/95. Permit# 433624. API# 42-105-36861. ID# T-466680. Contr: Wes Tex. Spud: 04/21/95. TD: 7200 on 04/25/95. PB: 7167. Compl: on 05/28/95 GAS (Last Info: 06/23/95) PZone: 6407-6945 (Canyon ss) gross interval IP: (Canyon ss 6407-6945) CAOF 183 MCFGPD – F 2.46 BCPD grav 60.4; 175 MCFGPD grav .720 on 13/64 ck; 1.31 BWPD; FCP 453, SICP 2155, BHSIP 2703, BHT 161 F @ 6676, SLOPE 1.000 Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1216 w/300 – 2 7/8 @ 7198
UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ CLEGG #5306
OZONA (CANYON SS); D & S E RY CO sur blk Q2 sec 53, A-2017, 1980 fnl 760 fwl of sec, 1980 fnl 1432 feal of lse. 947.5 acre lse. 30.3 mi SW of Ozona. EL: 1953 KB. Obj: 7400 (Canyon ss). NL: 03/13/95. Permit# 433672. API# 42-105-36885. ID# T-466954. Contr: Wes Tex. Spud: 05/02/95. TD: 7000 on 05/07/95. PB: 6956. Compl: on 06/07/95 GAS (Last Info: 06/28/95) PZone: 5863-6581 (Canyon ss) gross interval IP: (Canyon ss 5863-6581) CAOF 613 MCFGPD - F 3.02 BCPD grav 61.2; 585 MCFGPD grav .654 on 14/64 ck; 8.27 BWPD; FCP 535, SICP 1865, BHSIP 2219, BHT 156 F @ 6272, SLOPE 1.000 Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1010 w/300 – 2 7/8 @ 6989 w/600
UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ COUCH - D #2D
OZONA SW (STRAWN); G SANDOVAL sur blk ST sec 100, A-4703, 400 fsl 3000 fel of sec, and lse. 640 acre lse. (G Sandoval sur also known as W Brewer) 10 mi SW of Ozona. EL: 2470 KB. Obj: 9400 (Strawn). NL: 01/13/95. Permit# 431780. API# 42-105-36783. ID# T-465673. Contr: Well Tech. Spud: 03/20/95. TD: 9025 on 04/16/95. PB: 8972. Compl: on 05/24/95 GAS (Last Info: 06/28/95) PZone: 8688-8714 (Strawn) gross interval IP: (Strawn 8688-8714) CAOF 389 MCFGPD – F 350 MCFGPD grav .589 on 7/64 ck; no oil; no wtr; FCP 889, SICP 3035, BHSIP 3651, BHT 187 F @ 8691, SLOPE 1.000 Notes: (Plan dual completion with well #2F in Ozona (Canyon ss) field) Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1315 w/380 – 2 7/8 @ 7205 w/650 (F String) – 2 7/8 @ 9004 w/500
UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ DAVIDSON 17 #6
DAVIDSON RANCH (CANYON 6200)- RECOMPLETION; G C & S F RY CO sur blk KL sec 17, 2135 fnl 1012 fel of sec, and lse. 647.7 acre lse. 7 mi SE of Ozona. Summary Original Drill: Well: DAVIDSON C E 17 #6. Field: DAVIDSON RANCH (PENNSYLVANIAN 7880). Compl: on 04/27/94 GAS PZone: 7702-7865 (Pennsylvanian 7880) PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 2305 GR. NL: 04/07/94. API# 42-105-36465. ID# T-460355. Contr: Wes Tex. TD: 8075. PB: 8025. Recomp: on 05/18/95 (Last Info: 06/23/95) PZone: 6052-6166 (Canyon 6200) gross interval IP: (Pennsylvanian 6052-7885) CAOF 1038 MCFGPD – F 3.45 BCPD grav 61.1; 516 MCFGPD grav .687 on 17/64 ck; 3.60 BWPD; FCP 843, SICP 1175, BHSIP 1434, BHT 164 F @ 6859, SLOPE 1.000 Notes: (Commingled w/previous Davidson Ranch (Pennsylvanian 7880) field production)
UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ DAVIDSON 17 #8
DAVIDSON RANCH (CANYON 6200)- COMMINGLED - RECOMPLETION; G C & S F RY CO sur blk KL sec 17, A-3124, 2828 fsl 2240 fel of sec, and lse. 647.7 acre lse. 8 mi SE of Ozona. Summary Original Drill: Field: DAVIDSON RANCH (PENNSYLVANIAN 7880). Compl: on 11/27/94 GAS PZone: 7717-7872 (Pennsylvanian 7880) PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 2332 KB. NL: 09/08/94. API# 42-105-36682. ID# T-463521. Contr: Wes Tex. TD: 8100. PB: 8030. Recomp: on 05/18/95 (Last Info: 06/22/95) PZone: 6057-6166 (Canyon 6200) gross interval IP: (Pennsylvanian 6057-7872) CAOF 635 MCFGPD – F 2.38 BCPD grav 64.1; 547 MCFGPD grav .684 on 11/64 ck; 8.17 BWPD; FCP 738, SICP 1925, BHSIP 2361, BHT 165 F @ 6965, SLOPE 1.000 Notes: (Commingled w/previous Davidson Ranch (Pennsylvanian 7880) field production)
UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ FRIEND - E #2
OZONA (CANYON SS) COMMINGLED; J R BROOKS sur blk GH sec 90, A-4450, 660 fnl 860 fwl of sec, and lse. 328.65 acre lse. (Rule 37 exception granted) (J R Brooks sur also known as G C & S F Ry Co) 2.53 mi SE of Ozona. EL: 2496 KB. Obj: 7000 (Canyon ss). NL: 01/24/95. Permit# 432125. API# 42-105-36792. ID# T-465927. Contr: Wes Tex. Spud: 03/29/95. TD: 6600 on 04/08/95. PB: 6540. Compl: on 05/16/95 GAS (Last Info: 06/23/95) PZone: 6209-6365 (Canyon ss) gross interval IP: (Canyon ss 6209-6365) CAOF 171 MCFGPD – F 1.74 BCPD grav 59.2; 154 MCFGPD grav .759 on 14/64 ck; 5.51 BWPD; FCP 627, SICP 1905, BHSIP 2410, BHT 156 F @ 6267, SLOPE 1.000 Casing: 5 1/2 @ 1469
UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ HENDERSON - A #3
OZONA (CANYON SS); O L NATIONS sur blk M sec 20, A-4545, 2350 fsl 1980 fel of sec, 2350 fsl 660 fwl of lse. 320 acre lse. 16.1 mi SW of Ozona. EL: 2480 KB. Obj: 9500 (Canyon ss). NL: 09/23/94. Permit# 428002. API# 42-105-36646. ID# T-463592. Contr: Wes Tex #19. Spud: 12/05/94 Air dlg. TD: 9100 on 01/27/95. PB: 9068. Compl: on 05/31/95 GAS (Last Info: 06/28/95) PZone: 8690-8889 (Canyon ss) gross interval IP: (Canyon ss 8690-8889) CAOF 107 MCFGPD – F 106 MCFGPD grav .607 on 16/64 ck; no oil; no wtr; FCP 319, SICP 3415, BHSIP 4129, BHT 188 F @ 8790, SLOPE 1.000 Casing: 8 5/8 @ 865 w/215 – 2 7/8 @ 9100 w/870
UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ HOOVER LAURA EST 41B #2D
OZONA (CANYON SS); T & S T L RY CO sur blk MM sec 41, A-4183, 1980 fnl 876 fwl of sec, 660 fnl 876 fwl of lse. 160 acre lse. 31.7 mi SW of ozona. EL: 2420 KB. Obj: 7900 (Canyon ss). NL: 10/20/94. Permit# 429239. API# 42-105-36694. ID# T-464101. Contr: Wes Tex #10. Spud: 12/22/94. TD: 7300 on 12/29/94. PB: 7254. Compl: on 05/28/95 GAS (Last Info: 06/23/95) PZone: 6819-7232 (Canyon ss) gross interval IP: (Canyon ss 6819-7232) CAOF 721 MCFGPD - F 20 BCPD grav 74.0; 663 MCFGPD grav .695 on 10/64 ck; no wtr; FCP 925, SICP 2333, BHSIP 2959, BHT 164 F @ 6926, SLOPE 0.500 Notes: (Operator plans to dually completed with well #2F in Ozona (Clear Fork) field) Casing: 8 5/8 @ 904 w/225 – 2 7/8 @ 2736 F String (cmt sqzd w/D String) – 2 7/8 @ 7285 w/675 D String
UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ MONTGOMERY W C GAS UNIT - D #4
OZONA (CANYON SS); CHARLES SCHAVER sur blk J sec 8, A-5422, 750 fsl 600 fwl of sec, 750 fsl 1881 fel of unit. 320 acre unit. (Charles Schaver sur also known as G C & S F Ry Co & H J Friend sur also known as C T & M C) 12 mi SW of Ozona. EL: 2448 KB. Obj: 7400 (Canyon ss). NL: 12/10/94. Permit# 431039. API# 42-105-36748. ID# T-465198. Contr: Wes Tex. Spud: 04/09/95. TD: 7000 on 04/14/95. PB: 6958. Compl: on 06/08/95 GAS (Last Info: 06/28/95) PZone: 6218-6830 (Canyon ss) IP: (Canyon ss 6218-6830) CAOF 91 MCFGPD – F .36 BCPD grav 61.4; 88 MCFGPD grav .721 on 24/64 ck; .71 BWPD; FCP 209, SICP 1615, BHSIP 1982, BHT 159 F @ 6427, SLOPE 1.000 Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1010 w/280 – 2 7/8 @ 6980 w/450
UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ UNION PACIFIC #43
OZONA (CANYON SS); G C & S F RY CO sur blk 1 sec 5, A-2414, 2880 fnl 1880 fwl of sec, 6312 fnl 3807 fel of unit. 4304.3 acre lse. 11.7 mi SW of Ozona. EL: 2472 KB. Obj: 7500 (Canyon ss). NL: 02/17/95. Permit# 432905. API# 42-105-36822. ID# T-466521. Contr: Wes Tex. Spud: 03/24/95. TD: 7000 on 03/30/95. PB: 6941. Compl: on 06/01/95 GAS (Last Info: 06/23/95) PZone: 6640-6702 (Canyon ss) gross interval IP: (Canyon ss 6640-6702) F 8 MCFGPD grav .766 on 12/64 ck; no oil; no wtr; FCP 229, SICP 1765, BHSIP 2225, BHT 161 F @ 6675, SLOPE 1.000 Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1032 w/280 – 2 7/8 @ 6974 w/280

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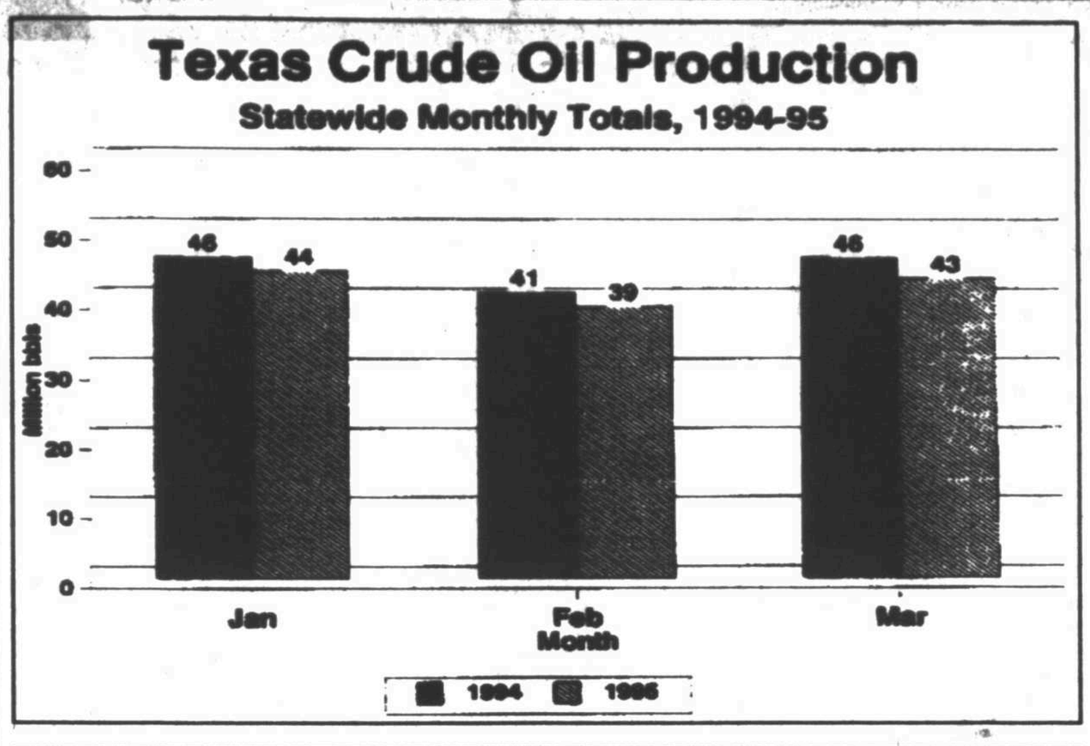

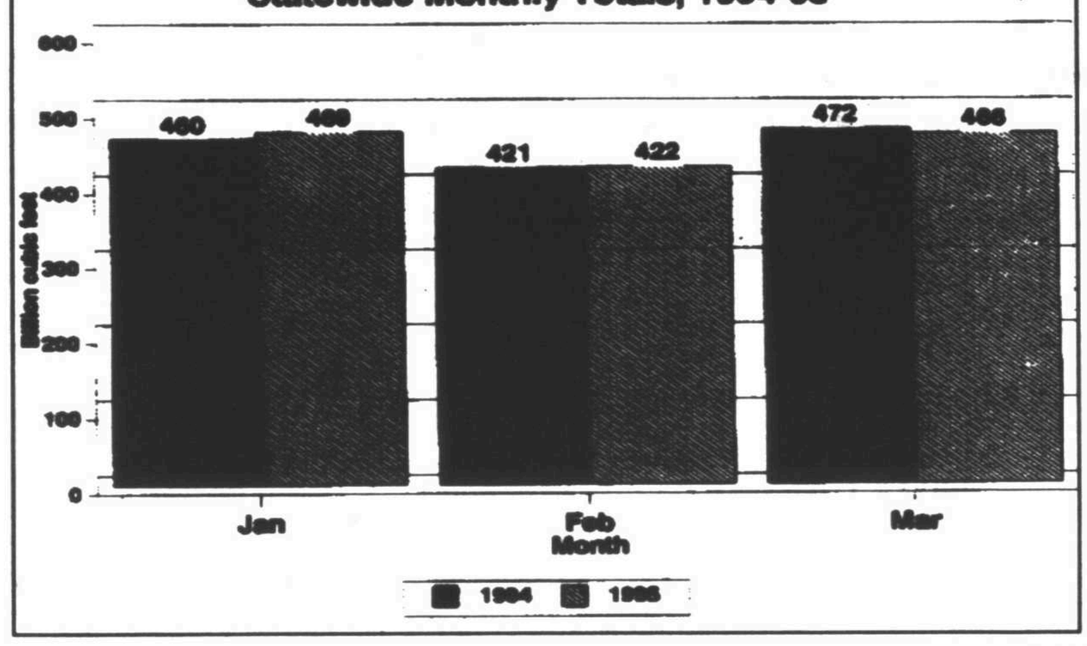

Texas Production

Texas preliminary March crude oil production averaged 1,397,896 barrels daily, down from the 1,501,108 barrels daily averaged in March 1994. The preliminary Texas oil production figure for March is 43,334,847 barrels, down from 46,534,356 barrels reported a year ago. Texas oil and gas wells produced 466,750,758 Mcf of gas in March, down 1.3 percent compared to March 1994's gas production total of 472,957,915 Mcf. Gaines County was the top crude producing county in the state in March with 3,203,229 barrels. Ector County was fourth with 2,341,019 barrels. The top gas producing county was Webb with 27,225,713 Mcf.

Harken plans to continue exploration in Colombia

DALLAS —Harken Energy Corp. is continuing exploration activities on all three of its Association Contracts in Colombia.

In the Llanos Basin, Harken has submitted requests for permits to the Colombian authorities to acquire new seismic on acreage covered by both its Playero and Alcaravan Association Contracts. This planned 40 kilometer seismic acquisition program will be supplemented by reprocessing existing seismic and is expected to commence at the beginning of the dry season in the Llanos Basin (November, 1995). This seismic program is designed to further analyze previously-identified prospects and is intended to aid in the selection of a specific well site for drilling during the dry season.

A site-specific well permit has been requested by Harken from the Colombian authorities on the Rio Negro prospect, located on the company's Bocachico Association Contract in the Middle Magdalena Basin. The company expects timely approval of this permit and will begin construction of the drill site in September, 1995. Simultaneously, the company will conduct a 35 kilometer seismic acquisition program on the acreage designed to identify a second drilling location on the Bocachico prospect. This seismic program is expected to be completed in the fall of 1995.

Harken's Chairman, Mikel D. Faulkner, commented, "Our ongoing activity over the next nine months in Colombia will result in Harken drilling high potential prospects in two premier hydrocarbon-producing Basins."

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DEVELOPMENT WELLS

(From 6G)

blk 40 twp 2S sec 40, A-776, 2380 fswl 1680 fsel of sec, and lse. 395.75 acre lse. (Rule 37 exception applied for) 9 mi S of Midland. Summary Original Drill: Summary Plug Back: Field: BRYANT G (STRAWN). TD: 11975. Recomp: on 07/27/94 OIL PZone: 10194-10204 (Strawn) PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 2804 GR. Obj: 10180 (Spraberry).

PARKER & PARSLEY DEV LP
■ SHACKELFORD SPRABERRY UNIT #154A
SPRABERRY (TREND AREA); C ROE sur blk 37 twp 3S sec 28, A-980, 1980 fnl 1980 fel of sec, 1980 fnl 7255 fel of unit. 28731 acre unit. (Located in tract 1) (C Roe sur also known as T & P Ry Co) 5 mi SW of Spraberry. EL: 2655 GR. Obj: 8825 test.

PARKER & PARSLEY DEV LP
■ SHACKELFORD SPRABERRY UNIT #2509A
SPRABERRY (TREND AREA); T & P RY CO sur blk 38 twp 3S sec 30, 660 fnl 1980 fwl of sec, 3305 fnl 7528 fwl of unit. 28731 acre unit. (Located in tract 25) 9 mi SW of Spraberry. EL: 2654 GR. Obj: 9000 test.

PARKER & PARSLEY DEV LP
■ SHACKELFORD SPRABERRY UNIT #4206A
SPRABERRY (TREND AREA); T & P RY CO sur blk 37 twp 4S sec 3, 660 fnl 660 fel of sec, 9099 fsl 660 fwl of unit. 28731 acre unit. (Located in tract 42) 8 mi SW of Spraberry. EL: 2686 GR. Obj: 8850 test.

STEPHENS AUTRY C
■ T X L 1 #2
R A B (LWR WOLFCAMP); T & P RY CO sur blk 40 sec 1, A-293, 2600 fsl 660 fel of sec, and lse. 320 acre lse. 18 mi S of Midland. EL: 2779 GR. Obj: 10200 (lwr Wolfcamp).

MITCHELL COUNTY

MERIDIAN OIL INC
■ WESTBROOK SOUTHWEST UNIT #1108
WESTBROOK; H WRIGHT sur blk 28 twp 1N sec 42, A-1490, 267 fnl 1731 fwl of sec, 2907 fnl 1731 fwl of lse. 3768 acre lse. (H Wright sur also known as T & P Ry Co) 4 mi N of Westbrook. EL: 2161 GR. Obj: 4005 test.

PECOS COUNTY

ATAPCO
■ TROPORO DEVONIAN UNIT #111
TROPORO (DEVONIAN); H & G N RY CO sur blk 9 sec 11, A-258, 4821 fsl 884 fel of sec, 4821 fsl 1826 fwl of lse. 1116 acre lse. 14 mi NE of Grand Falls. Obj: 5800 (Devonian).

WILBANKS BRUCE A CO
■ TEXACO #3
TOBORG; T C RY CO sur blk 194 sec 103, 300 fnl 1635 fel of sec, and lse. 406 acre lse. 3 mi W of Iraan. Obj: 650 test.

WILBANKS BRUCE A CO
■ TEXACO #4
TOBORG; T C RY CO sur blk 194 sec 103, 300 fnl 975 fel of sec, and lse. 406 acre lse. 3 mi W of Iraan. Obj: 650 test.

WILBANKS BRUCE A CO
■ TEXACO #5
TOBORG; T C RY CO sur blk 194 sec 103, 300 fnl 315 fel of sec, and lse. 406 acre lse. 3 mi W of Iraan. Obj: 650 test.

WINKLER COUNTY

HALLWOOD PETROLEUM INC
■ MOSS-WALTON UNIT #2
KEYSTONE (HOLT); PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk B-2 sec 8, 79 fnl 1367 fwl of sec, 252 fsl 660 fwl of lse. 40 acre lse. (Rule 37 exception applied for) 8 mi NE'LY of Kermit. EL: 2966 GR. Obj: 5500 (Holt).

HALLWOOD PETROLEUM INC
■ MOSS-WALTON UNIT #2X
KEYSTONE (HOLT); PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk B-2 sec 8, 119 fnl 1482 fwl of sec, 212 fsl 775 fwl of lse. 40 acre lse. 8 mi NE'LY of Kermit. EL: 2968 GR. Obj: 5500 (Holt).

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GAINES COUNTY

AMERADA HESS CORP
■ SEMINOLE SAN ANDRES UNIT #2922
SEMINOLE (SAN ANDRES)-HORIZONTAL; W T RY CO sur blk G sec 217, 1381 fnl 2640 fwl of sec, 6661 fnl 2642 fel of lse. 17220.599 acre lse. 4.5 mi NW of Seminole. BHLoc: PROPOSED: 1884 fsl 2640 fwl of sec. 217 -- 8700 fnl 2645 fel of lse -- Top of PZone: 920 fnl 2640 fwl of sur. EL: 3400 GR. Obj: 5375 (San Andres).

HOCKLEY COUNTY

MOBIL PRODUCING TX & NM
■ MALLET EAST UNIT #158H
SLAUGHTER- HORIZONTAL; EDWARDS COUNTY SCHOOL LAND lge, A-166, 450 fnl 220 fel of lab 8 lge 49, 3350 fnl 5133 fwl of lse. 2494.8 acre lse. 4 mi NW of Sundown. BHLoc: PROPOSED: of SCURRY COUNTY SCHOOL LAND -- 971 fnl 217 fwl of lab 9 lge 49, 3870 fnl 5138 fel of lse -- S 36 deg 10'25" E 650 ft from surf loc.EL: 3581 GR. Obj: 5560 test.

KENT COUNTY

MURCHISON OIL & GAS INC
■ WALLACE #2
ROJO CANYON (STRAWN); J L ELKINS sur blk 5 sec 34, A-1151, 2170 fsl 1530 fel of sec, 470 fnl 1530 fel of lse. 320 acre lse. (J L Elkins sur also known as H & G N Ry Co) 3.5 mi N of Polar. EL: 2283 GR. Obj: 7800 (Strawn).

KING COUNTY

HUNT OIL CO
■ BURNETT S B EST - RRR #32
BIG RRR (MISSISSIPPIAN)- RECOMPLETION; B S & F sur blk 3 sec 57, A-49, 1370 fsl 1825 fwl of sec, and lse. 4913 acre lse. 10 mi SE of Guthrie. Geomap: 7-29N-2W Summary Original Drill: Oper: TERRA RESOURCES INC TD: 6020. Compl: on 04/10/89 OIL PZone: 5926-5939 (Mississippian) Summary Plug Back: Oper: PACIFIC ENT OIL CO USA Field: BIG RRR (TWIN PEAKS SOUTH). TD: 6020. Recomp: on 04/04/90 OIL PZone: 5380-5388 (Twin Peaks) PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 1857 GR. Obj: 5902 (Mississippian). Notes: (Operator plans to downhole commingle per permit application)

HUNT OIL CO
■ BURNETT S B EST - YA #77
ANNE TANDY (CONGLOMERATE)- PLUG BACK; H & T C RY CO sur blk 13 sec 93, A-122, 77 fnl 1371 fnel of sec, 1960 fwl 1371 fnal of lse. 3584 acre lse. 18 mi SE of Guthrie. Geomap: 5-28N-1W Summary Original Drill: Oper: PACIFIC ENT OIL CO USA Field: ANNE TANDY (STRAWN 5400). PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 1746 GR. Obj: 6600 (Conglomerate).

POLK PETROLEUM INC
■ NIBLO - 48 #2
CROTON BREAKS (TANNEHILL); H & T C RY CO sur blk F sec 48, 1859 fsl 1635 fel of sec, 781 fnl 480 fr most E'ly wl of lse. 248 acre lse. 11 mi SE of Guthrie. Obj: 3400 (Tannehill).

PRIMROSE OPERATING CO
■ BATEMAN TRUST EST #21
BATEMAN RANCH (A ZONE)- PLUG BACK; J B RECTOR sur blk D sec 117, 4475 fnl 2449 fel of sec, 7600 fnl 2900 fwl of lse. 2436 acre lse. 11 mi E of Guthrie. PRESENT OPERATIONS: Obj: 3700 (A Zone).

TERRY COUNTY

BAYTECH INC
■ MCINTYRE 17-G #1
ADAIR NE (WOLFCAMP)- RE-ENTRY; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk C-37 sec 17, A-612, 2300 fnl 2600 fel of sec, 340 fsl 40 fwl of lse. 40 acre lse. (Rule 37 exception granted) 11 mi S'LY of Brownfield. Summary Original Drill: Oper: C N G PRODUCING CO Well: MCINTYRE 17 - G #1. Field: ADAIR NE. EL: 3234 KB. TD: 12425. P&A on 05/19/94. PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 3214 GR. Obj: 9000 (Wolfcamp).

YOAKUM COUNTY

SHELL WESTERN E&P INC
■ WASSON NORTH CLEARFORK UNIT #120
WASSON NE (CLEAR FORK); JOHN H GIBSON sur blk D sec 696, 1894 fsl 1573 fwl of sec, 574 fsl 253 fwl of lse. 4320 acre lse. 7 mi NE of Denver City. EL: 3553 GR. Obj: 9300 (Clear Fork).

COMPLETIONS

(From 6G)

IRION COUNTY

I P PETROLEUM CO INC
■ BALL #3
LONESOME REEF (WOLFCAMP); J W EVANS sur blk 28 sec 3062, A-1216, 1980 fnl 1980 fwl of sec, and lse. 320 acre lse. (J W Evans sur also known as H & T C Ry Co sur) 12 mi NW of Mertzon. EL: 2185 GR. Obj: 7500 test. NL: 05/15/95. Permit# 435733. API# 42-235-33379. ID# T-468300. Contr: FWA #9. Spud: 05/25/95. TD: 7440 on 06/04/95 in Canyon C. PB: 7392. Compl: on 06/12/95 OIL (Last Info: 06/26/95) PZone: 6017-6036 (Wolfcamp) IP: (Wolfcamp 6017-6036) F 147 BOPD grav 45.8; 200 MCFGPD on 20/64 ck; no wtr; FTP 130 Casing: 8 5/8 @ 845 w/610 -- 4 1/2 @ 7440 w/1760

MCCULLOCH COUNTY

GEOSURVEYS INC
■ SPENCER #5
NEEDLE CREEK (CANYON); J A A RILEY #37 sur, A-1910, 2604 fnl 1602 fel of sur, 163 fsl 1073 fwl of lse. 169.6 acre lse. 7 mi SE of Melvin. EL: 1892 GR. Obj: 1400 test. NL: 05/05/95. Permit# 435536. API# 42-307-30935. ID# T-468128. Contr: Deen. Spud: 05/10/95. TD: 1250 on 05/16/95 in Canyon. PB: 1225.C ompt: on 06/10/95 OIL (Last Info: 06/22/95) PZone: 1133-1138 (Canyon) IP: (Canyon 1133-1138) F 46 BOPD grav 34.5 on 3/4 ck; no gas; no wtr Casing: 8 5/8 @ 152 w/95 -- 5 1/2 @ 1225 w/175

REAGAN COUNTY

COX JOHN L
■ BIRD CHARLES - D #2
SPRABERRY (TREND AREA); L & S V RY CO sur blk C sec 41, A-322, 1980 fnl 660 fel of sec, and lse. 240 acre lse. 11 mi NW of Stiles. EL: 2675 KB. Obj: 8500 test. NL: 03/01/95. Permit# 433284. API# 42-383-34357. ID# T-466746. Contr: FWA #40. Spud: 03/23/95. TD: 8400 on 04/02/95 in Dean. PB: 8390. Compl: on 06/18/95 OIL (Last Info: 06/26/95) PZone: 6745-8354 (Spraberry/Dean) gross interval IP: (Spraberry/Dean 6745-8354) P 30 BOPD grav 38; 39 MCFGPD; 45 BWPD Casing: 8 5/8 @ 485 w/350 -- 4 1/2 @ 8400 w/1600

HALLWOOD PETROLEUM INC
■ ROCKER B #5
SPRABERRY (TREND AREA); T & P RY CO sur blk 1 sec 123, 1320 fnl 1320 fel of sec, and lse. 1294 acre lse. 8 mi N'LY of Big Lake. EL: 2495 GR. Obj: 7584 test. NL: 08/21/95. Permit# 436992. API# 42-383-10644. ID# T-469081. Spud: 04/09/95. TD: 7584 on 04/10/95. PB: 5000. Compl: on 05/16/95 OIL (Last Info: 08/23/95) PZone: 4482-4814 (Clear Fork) IP: (Clear Fork 4482-4814) P 46 BOPD grav 39; 54 MCFGPD; 4 BWPD Notes: (Possible new pool discovery; operator plans to commingle at a later date) Casing: 8 5/8 @ 640 w/250 -- 5 1/2 @ 7584 w/800

MEWBOURNE OIL CO
■ WELCH #1
SPRABERRY (TREND AREA)- PLUG BACK; D & W RY CO sur blk D sec 8, 1320 fsl 1320 fel of sec, and lse. 320 acre lse. 10 mi NW of Stiles. Summary Original Drill: EL: 2667 GR. TD: 8483. Casing: 8 5/8 @ 425 w/150 -- 5 1/2 @ 8483 w/750 PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 2681 KB. Obj: 8483 (Clear Fork). NL: 08/23/95. API# 42-383-31925. ID# T-469128. Contr: Cactus. Resume: 05/19/95. TD: 8483 in Dean. PB: 6857. Recomp: on 08/07/95 OIL (Last Info: 08/28/95) PZone: 6142-6374 (Clear Fork) IP: (Clear Fork 6142-6374) P 13 BOPD grav 38.5; 17 MCFGPD; 1 BWPD

RUNNELS COUNTY

PIONEER ENERGY CORP
■ SCHWERTNER C J #3
BALLINGER WEST (PALO PINTO); J J EAKIN #526 sur, A-141, 1767 fsl 467 fwl of sur, 1767 fsl 2100 fwl of lse. 258.87 acre lse. 9 mi S of Winters. EL: 1708 GR. Obj: 4500 test. NL: 10/27/94. Permit# 429430. API# 42-399-34353. ID# T-464249. Contr: Win Tex #4. Spud: 12/02/94 Mud drlg. TD: 4220 on 12/11/94. PB: 4050. Compl: on 06/23/95 OIL (Last Info: 06/26/95) PZone: 3440-3459 (Palo Pinto) IP: (Palo Pinto 3440-3459) P 40 BOPD; 33 MCFGPD; 1.6 BWPD Casing: 13 3/8 @ 175 w/160 -- 8 5/8 @ 1860 w/250 -- 4 1/2 @ 4215 w/600

SCHLEICHER COUNTY

UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ ROUSSELOT DORIS M #3
SAWYER (CANYON); P H LEE sur blk 5 sec 6, A-1559, 1980 fsl 660 fwl of sec, and lse. 1277.52 acre lse. (P H Lee sur also known as G C & S F Ry Co) 18.8 mi SW of El Dorado. EL: 2349 KB. Obj: 8200 (Canyon). NL: 03/31/95. Permit# 434362. API# 42-413-31926. ID# T-467401. Contr: Wes Tex. Spud: 04/16/95. TD: 7700 on 04/24/95. PB: 7620. Compl: on 05/30/95 GAS (Last Info: 06/22/95) PZone: 7146-7450 (Canyon) gross interval IP: (Canyon 7146-7450) CAOF 72 MCFGPD -- F 63 MCFGPD grav .746 on 24/64 ck; no oil; 3 BWPD; FCP 505, SICP 1360, BHSIP 1710, BHT 169 F @ 7298, SLOPE1.000 Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1539 w/475 -- 2 7/8 @ 7650 w/400

UNION PACIFIC RESOURCES
■ ROUSSELOT DORIS M - B #3
SAWYER (CANYON); M LEE sur blk 5 sec 99, A-58, 1980 fsl 1980 fel of sec, and lse. 638.29 acre lse. (M Lee sur also known as G C & S F Ry Co) 19.4 mi SW of El Dorado. EL: 2346 KB. Obj: 8200 (Canyon). NL: 03/27/95. Permit# 434142. API# 42-413-31924. ID# T-467243. Contr: Wes Tex. Spud: 04/08/95. TD: 7700 on 04/14/95. PB: 7666. Compl: on 05/30/95 GAS (Last Info: 06/22/95) PZone: 7184-7473 (Canyon) gross interval IP: (Canyon 7184-7473) CAOF 687 MCFGPD -- F 1.67 BCPD grav 59.4; 488 MCFGPD grav .738 on 15/64 ck; 2.35 BWPD; FCP 875, SICP 1580, BHSIP 2002, BHT 169 F @ 7329,
SLOPE 1.000 Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1535 w/375 -- 2 7/8 @ 7698 w/935

SUTTON COUNTY

DREYFUS LOUIS NATRL GAS
■ MORRIS BROS - E #103
WHITEHEAD (STRAWN); J A SCHWALBE sur blk CC sec 10, A-1533, 660 fnl 2300 fel of sec, 660 fnl 371 fel of lse. 343.6 acre lse. (J A Schwalbe also known as E L & RR Ry Co) (Rule 37 & 38 exception granted) 15.9 mi SW of Sonora. EL: 2153 GR. Obj: 9265 (Strawn). NL: 02/02/95. Permit# 429245. API# 42-435-34375. ID# T-466178. Contr: Wes Tex. Spud: 03/30/95. TD: 9265 on 04/07/95. PB: 8876. Compl: on 05/11/95 GAS (Last Info: 06/23/95) PZone: 8600-8847 (Strawn) IP: (Strawn 8600-8847) CAOF 653 MCFGPD -- F 411 MCFGPD grav .593 on 24/64 ck; no oil; no wtr; FTP 135, SITP 620, SICP 265, BHSIP 753, BHT 228 F @8886, SLOPE 1.000 Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1360 w/450 -- 4 1/2

TERRELL COUNTY

CHEVRON U S A INC
■ MITCHELL 9 #3
BRANCH SOUTH (STRAWN); C C S D & R G N G RY CO sur blk 1 sec 9, A-69, 490 fnl 2292 fel of sec, and lse. 713.5 acre lse. 25 mi SW of Sheffield. EL: 2712 KB. Obj: 13000 test. NL: 02/08/95. Permit# 432675. API# 42-443-30546. ID# T-466302. Contr: Nabors #723. Spud: 02/15/95. TD: 11522 on 04/24/95. PB: 11513. Compl: on 05/24/95 GAS (Last Info: 06/28/95) PZone: 11042-11206 (Strawn) IP: (Strawn 11042-11206) CAOF 5954 MCFGPD -- F 125 BCPD grav 57.8; 4787 MCFGPD grav .664 on 26/64 ck; no wtr; FTP 1122, SITP 2515, SICP 1005, BHSIP 4258, BHT 207 F @ 11124, SLOPE 1.000 Casing: 13 3/8 @ 1300 w/1000 -- 9 5/8 @ 5180 w/700 -- 5 1/2 @ 11,522 w/1050

RIATA ENERGY INC
■ SAPP WEAVER 33 #1
BROWN BASSETT (STRAWN); G C & S F RY CO sur blk 161 sec 33, A-540, 1320 fnl 1670 fr E'ly el of sec, and lse. 640 acre lse. 28 mi NE of Dryden. EL: 2022 GR. Obj: 16000 (Ellenburger). NL: 11/28/94. Permit# 430327. API# 42-443-30517. ID# T-464778. Contr: Quartes. Spud: 12/31/94. TD: 15000 on 04/18/95 in Ellenburger. PB: 14620. Compl: on 05/24/95 GAS (Last Info: 06/22/95) PZone: 12030-12208 (Strawn) IP: (Strawn 12030-12208) CAOF 16770 MCFGPD -- F 8666 MCFGPD grav .638 on 20/64 ck; no oil; no wtr; FTP 3477, SITP 4521, SICP 1995, BHSIP 5755, BHT 219 F @ 12096, SLOPE 0.500 Casing: 13 3/8 @ 910 w/1050 -- 9 5/8 @ 6630 w/575 -- 7 @ 14,620 w/500

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ANDREWS COUNTY

SANTA FE ENERGY RES INC
■ MABEE RANCH #1\
WILDCAT; G & M M B & A RY CO sur blk 40 twp 2N sec 40, A-102, 1739 fnl 365 fel of sec, 901 fsl 2275 fwl of lse. 1600 acre lse. 22 mi SE of Andrews. EL: 2940 GR. Obj: 13550 test .NL: 04/12/95. Permit# 434502. API# 42-003-37626. ID# T-467643. Contr: Gene Sledge #9. Spud: 04/11/95. TD: 13600. Compl: on 06/23/95 OIL (Last Info: 06/23/95) PZone: 12952-12962 (Fusselman) IP: (Fusselman 12952-12962) F 577 BOPD grav 49 on 14/64 ck; FTP 375 Notes: (Possible new pool discovery)

ECTOR COUNTY

AMADARKO PETROLEUM CORP
■ T X L SOUTH UNIT #2403
T X L (5800); T & P RY CO sur blk 45 twp 1S sec 45, A-379, 1293 fsl 1356 fwl of sec, 9357 fnl 9308 fel of lse. (Located in tract 23) 10560 acre lse. 6 mi S of Notrees. EL: 3155 GR. Obj: 6400 (5800 Sand). NL: 03/29/95. Permit# 434010. API# 42-135-37048. ID# T-467344. Contr: Rod Ric #9. Spud: 04/18/95. TD: 6409. Compl: on 08/26/95 OIL (Last Info: 08/26/95) PZone: 5777-6380 grss interval IP: (5777-6380) P 20 BOPD; 25 MCFGPD; 30 BWPD Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1316 w/700 -- 5 1/2 @ 6399

HOWARD COUNTY

COSTILLA PETROLEUM CORP
■ CHRISTIAN 47 #1
TALBOT; T & P RY CO sur blk 32 twp 2N sec 47, A-286, 769 fsl 832 fwl of sec, and lse. 160 acre lse. 9 mi N of Big Spring. EL: 2681 GR. Obj: 9000 test. NL: 03/13/95. Permit# 433359. API# 42-227-34905. ID# T-466984. Contr: J S M #7. Spud: 04/11/95. TD: 8815 on 05/15/95. Compl: on 06/10/95 OIL (Last Info: 06/28/95) PZone: 8658-8666 IP: (8658-8666) 55 BOPD; 204 MCFGPD; no wtr Casing: 13 3/8 @ 330 -- 9 5/8 @ 3325 -- 5 1/2 @ 8800 w/400

LOVING COUNTY

MARALO INC
■ BARNETT #1
WHEAT- RE-ENTRY; W & N W RY CO sur blk 2 sec 4, 1980 fswl 1980 fnwl of sec, and lse. 320 acre lse. 3 mi N of Mentone. Summary Original Drill: Oper: STONE PETROLEUM CORP PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 2738 GR. Obj: 6250 test. NL: 02/27/95. Permit# 433188. API# 42-301-30614. ID# T-466671. TD: 6123. Recomp: on 06/01/95 OIL (Last Info: 06/22/95) PZone: 5919-5937
(Cherry Canyon) IP: (Cherry Canyon 5919-5937) P 32 BOPD; 71 MCFGPD; 350 BWPD Notes: (Possible new pool discovery) Casing: 5 1/2 @ 6123

WESTERN RESERVES OIL CO
■ UNIVERSITY FRED #1
TWOFREDS EAST (DELAWARE); UNIVERSITY LAND sur blk 19 sec 8, 2173 fsl 1787 fwl of sec, 467 fnl 467 fwl of lse. 80 acre lse. 8 mi E of Mentone. EL: 2746 KB. Obj: 5200 (Delaware). NL: 12/22/94. Permit# 431257. API# 42-301-31028. ID# T-465313. Contr: Rod Ric #3. Spud: 04/28/95 Wtr drlg. TD: 5040 in Olds ss. Compl: on 06/09/95 OIL (Last Info: 06/22/95) PZone: 4930-4940 (Ramsey ss) IP: (Ramsey ss 4930-4940) P 18 BOPD grav 41; 7 MCFGPD; 200 BWPD Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1085 -- 5 1/2 @ 5039

MIDLAND COUNTY

PARKER & PARSLEY DEV LTD
■ SHACKELFORD SPRABERRY UNIT #2803A
SPRABERRY (TREND AREA); J HASELDEN sur blk 37 twp 3S sec 46, A-926, 660 fnl 1980 fel of sec, 15210 fsl 3283 fel of lse. (Located in tract 28) 28731 acre lse. 8 mi SW of Spraberry. EL: 2678 KB. Obj: 8825 test. NL: 04/14/95. Permit# 434610. API# 42-329-33268. ID# T-467728. Contr: FWA #30. Spud: 04/15/95 Mud drlg. TD: 8825 on 04/30/95. PB: 8789. Compl: on 06/20/95 OIL (Last Info: 06/27/95) PZone: 7103-8704 (Spraberry/Dean) gross interval IP: (Spraberry/Dean 7103-8704) P 50 BOPD grav 39.9; 60 MCFGPD; 200 BWPD Casing: 12 3/4 @ 369 w/400 -- 4 1/2 @ 8825

PECOS COUNTY

SHENANDOAH PETR CORP
■ UNIVERSITY 4A #1
VIEJOS (DEVONIAN); UNIVERSITY LAND sur blk 16 sec 4, 2194 fnl 1980 fel of sec, 2194 fnl 467 fsl of lse. 247.418 acre lse. 5 mi NE of Bakersfield. EL: 2357 GR. Obj: 6500 (Devonian). NL: 05/03/95. Permit# 435413. API# 42-371-36529. ID# T-468065. Contr: Rod Ric #10. Spud: 05/13/95 Mud drlg. TD: 6350 on 05/30/95 in Wolfcamp. PB: 6307. Compl: on 06/19/95 OIL (Last Info: 06/23/95) PZone: 6130-6212 (Devonian) gross interval IP: (Devonian 6130-6212) F 116 BOPD; 2600 MCFGPD on 16/64 ck; 25 BLWPD; FTP 2125 Notes: (Unable to core due to Devonian unloading gas) Casing: 13 3/8 @ 560 w/450 -- 8 5/8 @ 2311 w/690 -- 5 1/2 @ 6350 w/750

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SCURRY COUNTY

LAKEWOOD OPERATING LTD
■ ACCIPITER #1
DIAMOND M (CANYON LS); J H HENDERSON sur blk 97 sec 140, A-1742, 1431 fsl 1950 fel of sec, 1237 fnl 1950 fel of lse. 320 acre lse. (J H Henderson sur also known as H & T C Ry Co) 2.5 mi NW of Ira. EL: 2226 GR. Obj: 7000 (Canyon ls). NL: 04/21/95. Permit# 435082. API# 42-415-33341. ID# T-467836. Contr: Wes-Tex #22. Spud: 05/02/95. TD: 7000 on 05/16/95. Compl: on 06/15/95 OIL (Last Info: 06/28/95) PZone: 6875-6893 (Canyon) IP: (Canyon 6875-6893) F 143 BOPD grav 40.6; 111 MCFGPD on 10/64 ck; FTP 210 Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1705 w/950 -- 5 1/2 @ 6895 w/950

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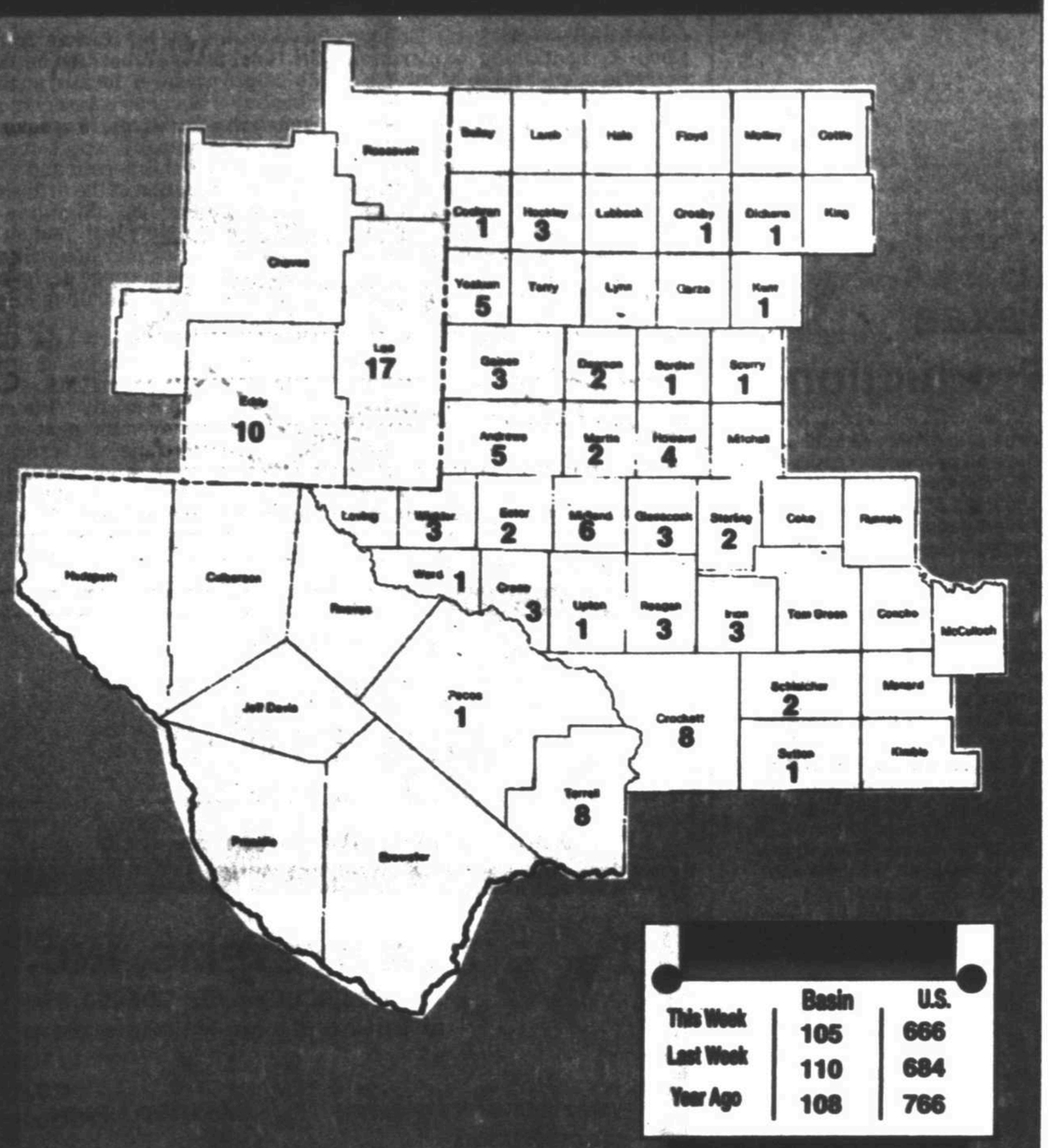

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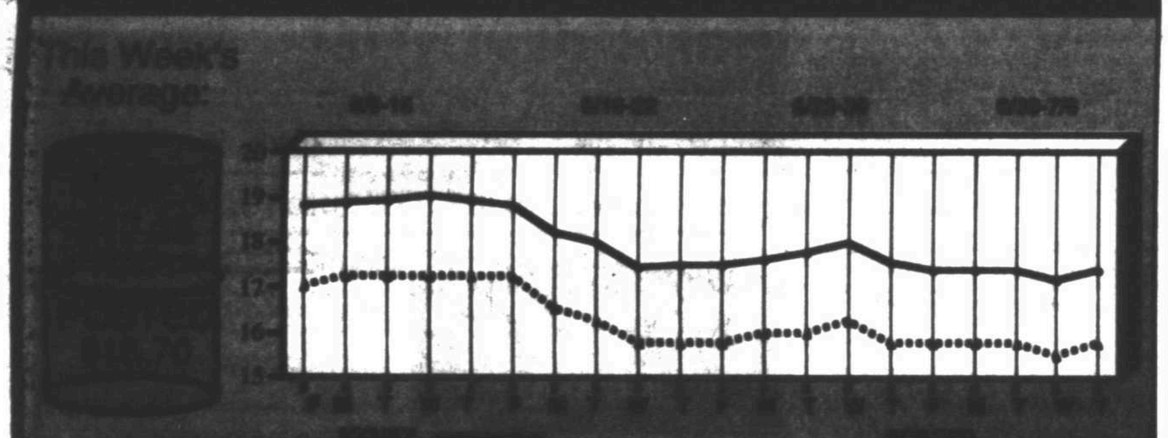

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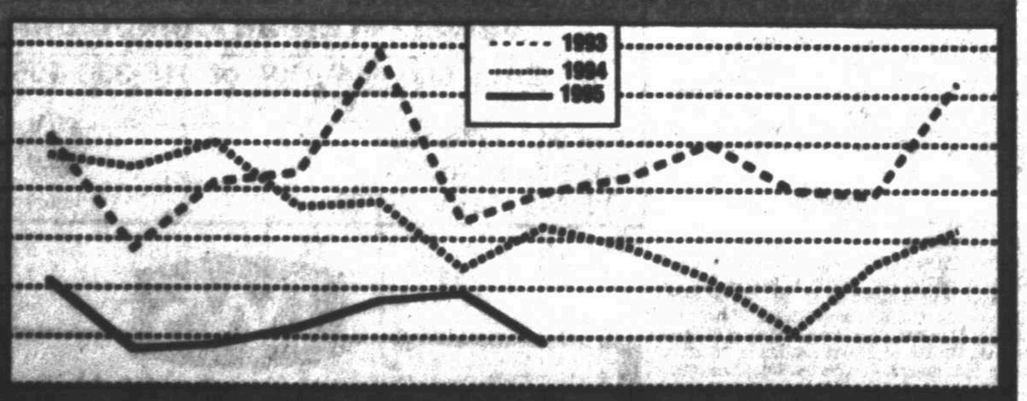

Pipeline Safety Act boon for industry

LAS VEGAS – The recent version of the Pipeline Safety Act, now up for reauthorization in Congress, is a major breakthrough for the natural gas industry, according to Robert B. Catell, chairman of the American Gas Association and president and CEO of Brooklyn Union.

"In the past, we had no choice but to react to regulatory initiatives, shaping them as best we could to ensure that they weren't overly burdensome and unnecessarily costly," Catell said in a presentation at A.G.A.'s 1995 Operations Conference here. "But the focus of the industry has changed, because the regulatory climate has changed. Now we are able to think in terms of the free market and serving the needs of our customers, so we can anticipate problems rather than react to them."

Catell said that today's gas industry is moving into an era in which individual companies will have more latitude and flexibility to determine how best to meet federal safety standards.

"Rather than have the Department of Transportation tell us that we have to do so many inspections each year or run so many smart pigs through our pipes annually, increasingly we will determine where our safety measures should be focused," he said. "In sum, we are taking over the responsibility for risk management. For example, under the old theory, the federal government requires companies to inspect relief valves every year. The rule was written when relief valves weren't anywhere near as reliable as they are today. Under risk management, however, a company could prove its relief valve malfunction rate is so ridiculously low that valves only need to be inspected every second or third year. This saves the company thousands of dollars, which it can then use to increase safety programs in other areas where it determines the money would be better spent."

Catell said that it's hard to argue with the concept of saving money and increasing safety at the same time, and gave credit to the Gas Research Institute for providing documentation and research figures were instrumental in supporting the industry's case for less prescriptive regulation.

He also praised the work of the industry's operating professionals and their spirit of cooperation, which allows them to share real-time operations and engineering information and intelligence. This is best exemplified by the A.G.A. Operating Section's Best Practices program, he said, in which participating companies compare costs for construction and maintenance procedures to determine who does the best job of managing costs, while maintaining a safe system. They then host seminars in which other companies determine whether they can adopt these time- and money-saving practices to their own operations. This exchange of expertise, Catell said, is a better way to serve the public and the customer than a tangle of regulation from Washington.

Seagull announces natural gas discovery off coast of Texas

HOUSTON — Seagull Energy Corp. announced a natural gas discovery off the coast of Texas in the Gulf of Mexico.

In its OCS-G-14841 No. 1 well at Galveston Block 362, Seagull encountered 60 feet of net productive sand in one zone. The discovery well is located in federal waters 74 feet deep approximately 16 miles southeast of Freeport, Texas.

The productive zone tested at a daily rate of 8.2 million cubic feet of natural gas and 96 barrels of condensate with a flowing tubing pressure of 2,131 pounds per square inch through a 26/64-inch choke. Seagull has a 100 percent working interest in the offshore tract.

The company expects first production from the new discovery to be flowing to markets before the end of 1995.

In addition to its exploration and production operations, Houston-based Seagull is engaged in the transportation, distribution and marketing of natural gas, liquids products and petrochemicals, and natural gas processing. 0

MEETINGS

Desk, Derrick Club schedules monthly meeting

The Desk and Derrick Club of Midland will meet Thursday at the Petroleum Club. The meeting will begin with social hour at 6 p.m., followed by dinner at 6:30 p.m.

Guest speaker will be Bob Dutton, CPA. His topic will be "Basics of Estate Planning with Particular Problems Relating to the Oil and Gas Industry."

Reservations can be made by calling 682-5600.

Oilmen organizing summer fishing tournament

The Permian Basin Oilman's Bass Invitational is planning a summer fishing tournament for 10 to 20 Make-A-Wish kids on August 5 at Lake Ivie in Ballinger.

The organization is asking Midland, Odessa, Abilene, El Paso, San Angelo and other area media to come fish with the kids and is seeking help in gathering hats, T-shirts, trophies, rods and reels and other items for the children. The group is also asking that fishermen from the first tournament in February donate their boats; a jackpot tournament for the boat donors could be held August 6.

The first annual Bass Invitational was held February 24-25 and allowd the group to present a $12,000 check to the West Texas chapter, Make-A-Wish Foundation, which has been adopted by the PBOBI. The chapter, headquartered in Odessa,works with children in a 42-county area, from El Paso to Abilene, from Lubbock to Del Rio, who have life-threatening or terminal diseases to make their special wish come true.

Donations can be made by calling 682-7611 or 580-9474.

Dallas to host SPE's technical conference

The Society of Petroleum Engineers' 70th Annual Technical Conference and Exhibition is scheduled for October 22-25 at the Dallas Convention Center.

Themed "Technology Management in a Commodity Business," the conference will draw some 10,000 SPE members and oil and gas professionals from around the world to share strategies on how to best manage and utilize both new and existing technology. The conference will feature a 355-paper, 59-session technical program, two education and professional sessions and an international exhibition featuring over 400 companies from at least six countries.

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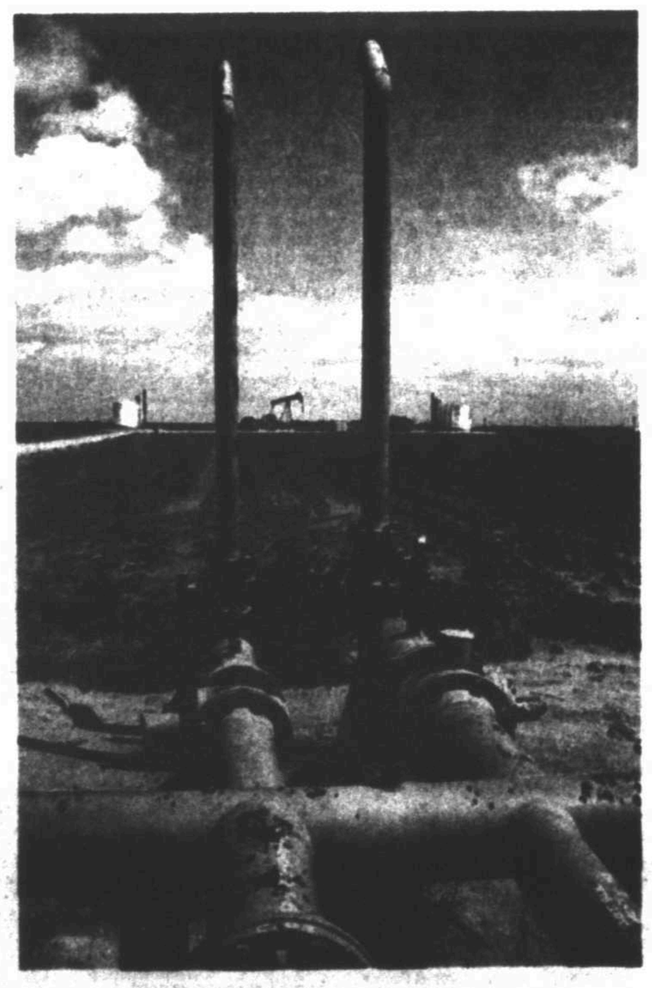

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