Crew puts in road work

A state construction crew is repairing a stretch of Interstate 20 near Midland

LOCAL/1B

Energy tax decision near

Clinton appears to be heading toward an energy tax based on how much heat a fuel produces

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Jarrett wins Daytona 500

Dale Jarett wins Daytona 500 in car owned by Washington Redskins coach Joe Gibbs

SPORTS/1C

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Clinton may not kill SSC

Krueger: President to seek project funding

■ Clinton to ask Congress for $640 million allocation for atom smasher, according to Texas senator.

Associated Press

DALLAS (AP) — President Clinton, who reportedly has considered canceling the $8.25 billion super collider, will ask Congress to allocate $640 million for the project, according to interim Sen. Bob Krueger.

The amount is less than the $710 million called for in the atom smasher's master plan and well below the $859 million the Bush administration had planned to seek, but Kreuger said the news was good.

"I'm very pleased," Krueger told The Dallas Morning News in Sunday's editions. "This is a very important project not only for the Dallas area, but for all of Texas.

"I'm convinced that this level of funding, while it may stretch out the construction phase a year or two, is a very good one."

The Democrat said "an absolutely reliable" White House source gave him the figure Saturday afternoon. White House deputy press secretary Lorraine Voles on Saturday said she couldn't confirm either the report or the figure.

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MONDAY NEWS WATCH

AP Laserphoto

His daily bread

A Bosnian child buys bread at a U.N. distribution center in Sarajevo on Saturday. Serbs have stopped accepting aid and the only food available is a limited stock of bread./3A

No school today

Midland Independent School District students have a school holiday today for President's Day. Local banks and federal and county offices are also closed.

Death sentence

LONDON — On the fourth anniversary of a death edict against "The Satanic Verses" author Salman Rushdie, Iran's spiritual leader reiterated that the order was irrevocable and called on Muslims to kill him. The late Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini ordered Rushdie's execution for what many Muslims considered insults to Islam./3A

Saddam appeals

BAGHDAD, Iraq — In his first personal appeal to President Clinton, President Saddam Hussein has urged him to open a new chapter in American relations with Iraq. "I believe that the president of the biggest country in the world, with the most destructive potential, needs to try wisdom and not weapons," the official Iraqi news agency quoted Saddam as saying./3A

Winning ways

AUSTIN — A Central Texas retailer has sold the winning Lotto Texas ticket for the second month in a row, lottery director Nora Linares said Sunday./2B

TOMORROW . . .

CAF to donate $1,000 to MC for the college's aviation program.

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An echo from a distant era

Siblings' hopes are dashed that brother survived the war in Korea

By George Esper
Associated Press writer

SCOTTDALE, Pa. — In the summer of 1950, an old man from Allison's News Store interrupted the play of 8-year-old Buck Skero.

"Hey, do you know where the Skeros live?"

"Yes, I'm a Skero. I only live right up there."

"I have a telegram for them."

The boy led the Western Union man into the house.

"Mom, there's somebody here to see you."

The messenger handed her the telegram.

"Oh, my God, why Chuckie?" cried Mary Skero, collapsing on the couch.

Her eldest son was missing in the Korean War. She would never see him again; though others gave up hope in the decades that followed, she did not.

"Mary, why don't you have a funeral Mass for him?" friends asked her.

Please see **HOPES**/2A

AP Laserphoto

Bernard "Buc" Skero of Sharon, Pa., poses with pictures of his brother, Chuckie, an MIA from the Korean War who was later declared dead.

Officials renew inquiries into fate of Korean War MIAs

By George Esper
Associated Press writer

The search for unaccounted U.S. servicemen from the Vietnam War has broadened into renewed inquiries and talks with North Korea on the fate of the 8,200 Americans missing in that war.

The families of those missing in the Korean War from 1950 to 1953 have pressed for information over the past 40 years.

But their efforts have been overshadowed by the 2,264 unaccounted for Americans in Vietnam. Families of MIAs from both conflicts say that their own government lied to them and the Washington bureacracy rebuffed them when they sought answers.

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OPEC fails to reach agreement

■ Kuwait resists pressure to trim production.

Associated Press

VIENNA, Austria — OPEC nations were deadlocked Sunday over an agreement to cut production to keep crude prices from plunging this spring.

Ministers of the dozen nations of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries shuttled between their suites at a luxury hotel trying to wrap up an accord. But a pact remained elusive.

Kuwait, bouncing back from Persian Gulf War damage to its oil fields, was resisting pressure from Saudi Arabia, Iran and others to slash its spring output.

At present output levels, the organization has flooded the market, creating a glut and driving prices sharply lower. The average price of an OPEC marker is more than $3 a barrel below its benchmark of $21 a 42-gallon barrel.

OPEC delegates said the ministers agreed on the need to reduce output by more than 1 million barrels of oil a day to hold prices steady.

One delegate, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said all favored reducing production from about 25 million barrels a day to between 23.5 million and 23.6 million.

But while Kuwait has agreed to the cut, it claims it is producing more oil than it had reported earlier and wants to pare its output. But some analysts believed Kuwait is inflating its output figures.

By inflating the numbers, a nation would have to snip less from its actual output under an agreement. Others would have to fill the gap.

Kuwait recently claimed its output has shot up by several hundred thou-

Please see **OPEC**/6A

Cold front to head out of Midland area

Staff report

A cool front from the west turned Sunday into a dismal day of mist and low temperatures for the Midland-Odessa area.

The front, an upper level disturbance mixed with moisture, arrived in the area after midnight and dropped .07 inches of rain by 6 p.m. Sunday, according to the National Weather Service. The high for the day was 46, which was reached around midnight.

Although parts of the Panhandle were under winter storm advisories for most of the day, the Midland-Odessa area escaped any severe weather and no advisories were posted during the day.

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AP Laserphoto

A fan seeks former President Bush's autograph at a recent Houston Rockets game.

Bush sticks to desire to keep a low profile

HOUSTON (AP) — George Bush appears to be settling easily into private life and so far is sticking to his promise to maintain a low profile.

But that hasn't stopped tourists from cruising through his neighborhood to get a glimpse of his house. And he still can cause a stir by showing up unannounced for lunch.

"He didn't give us a warning," said Fannie Coleman, who works at Otto's Barbecue. "We'd been looking for him to come by soon. We're always glad to see him when he comes."

Otto's was decked out in yellow ribbons on Jan. 20 for the former president's return. But when Bush showed up earlier this month to pick up a "half order of links, half beef, beans and a diet Coke," he came

Please see **BUSH**/6A

President's plan may test relationship with American public

By John King
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — All through the presidential campaign, the voters kept this little secret: No matter how much Bill Clinton insisted otherwise, they were convinced he would raise taxes on just about everyone.

But don't expect them to like it when President Clinton unveils his economic plan Wednesday and proves them right, testing his relationship with the American public at an early crossroads of his presidency.

"The next few weeks will be a test of Clinton's leadership and his powers of persuasion," said Democratic pollster Geoffrey Garin. "I don't think there is any question that people will grumble and groan all the way through this. The bet Bill Clinton is making is that the steps he takes now will pay off in a better economy and a better America by the time voters have to decide whether to have him back for four more years."

Clinton's challenge in the coming weeks goes beyond convincing Americans to accept higher taxes and other unpopular results of the collision between his lofty campaign promises and sobering budget realities.

He must also juggle his intense desire to be liked, and to expand his support beyond the 43 percent that voted for him, with the unpopular medicine needed to make his package a long-term success. And the president who as a candidate rarely discussed pain and

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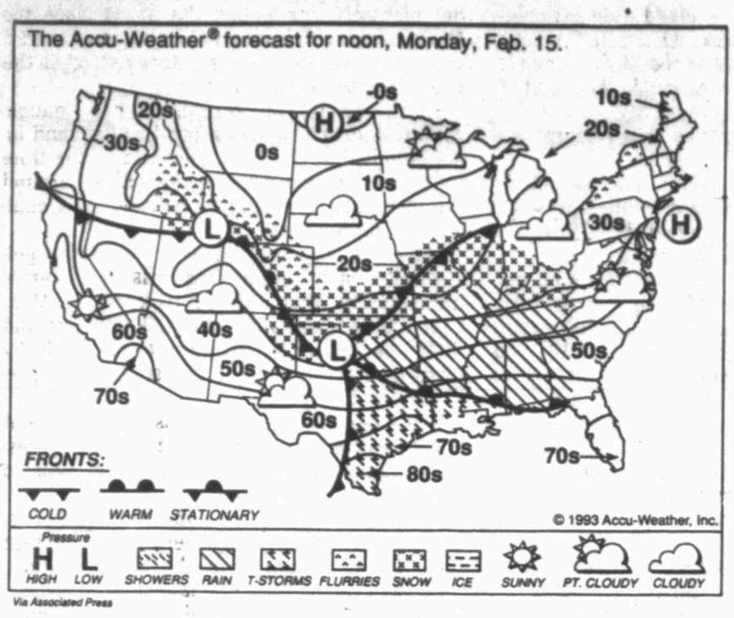
WEATHER SUMMARY



Via Associated Press

COLD: High to be in mid-60s

(From 1A)

The front will be headed out of the area today as National Weather Service forecasters predict a 20 percent chance of rain in the morning with clearing skies in the afternoon.

Today's high will be in the mid-60s and winds will be west at 20-30. Tonight should be partly cloudy with a low in the mid-30s.

Tuesday should be clear with a high near 50.

After an overnight low of 40, Sunday's high reached 46, compared to the record high for that date of 86 set in 1979. The record low was 11 set in 1951.

STATE

Winterlike conditions returned to parts of West Texas on Sunday as dreary skies and light rain dominated weather in North and South Texas.

A winter storm warning was in effect through Monday for parts of the Texas Panhandle. A snow advisory was in effect through Monday for the western third of the northwestern Texas Panhandle.

Snow fell over the Panhandle and light to moderate rain fell on the South Plains and low rolling plains across the Permian Basin.

Meanwhile, scattered rain fell as upper-level disturbance moved over North Texas. Similarly, light rain fell over parts of south Central Texas during the afternoon.

The North Texas forecast calls for rain and thunderstorms today. Some thunderstorms may be severe in the east. Highs are expected in the mid 50s northeast to mid 40s southwest and lows in the mid 30s northwest to mid 40s southeast.

In West Texas, expect snow and sleet through today with a few flurries still possible Monday night. The rest of the region will have cloudy skies with a chance of rain through early today. Highs today will be in the 30s in the Panhandles with generally 50s and 60s elsewhere. Lows tonight will be from the teens north to the 40s and 50s south.

Cloudy skies should prevail in South Texas through today, with showers developing over much of the region. Highs today will be in the 70s and 80s.

NATION

A winter storm dumped heavy snow throughout the Rockies and parts of the Plains on Sunday. Snow also was scattered across the Appalachians, the central Mississippi Valley, the Great Lakes region and northern New England.

The Western storm was expected to move out of the Rockies and into the Plains by Monday.

Meanwhile, a blast of winter cold from Canada was expected to move through Washington state and northern Idaho early Monday.

At 1 p.m. EST, snow showers covered eastern Maine, parts of the Midwest, southern Michigan, the Appalachians and middle Mississippi Valley. Snow from the storm extended across much of Missouri, the Rockies and northern Texas.

Heavier snowfall during the six hours ending at 1 p.m. EST included 2 inches at Bradford, Pa., and several cities in Montana, including Great Falls and Billings.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Today: cloudy, 20 percent chance of rain in morning, then decreasing cloudiness, high in the mid-60s, west winds at 20-30 mph.

Tonight: partly cloudy, low in the mid-30s.

Tuesday: cloudy, high near 50.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	46 degrees
Overnight Low	40 degrees
Sunset today	6:35 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:30 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	00.07 inches
This month to date	00.41 inches
Year to date	01.69 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 p.m.	65	6 a.m.	43
7 p.m.	58	7 a.m.	43
8 p.m.	55	8 a.m.	44
9 p.m.	55	9 a.m.	44
10 p.m.	50	10 a.m.	44
11 p.m.	47	11 a.m.	43
midnight	46	noon	43
1 a.m.	45	1 p.m.	43
2 a.m.	44	2 p.m.	42
3 a.m.	43	3 p.m.	42
4 a.m.	41	4 p.m.	42
5 a.m.	42	5 p.m.	43
		6 p.m.	41

Area forecast

West Texas: Panhandle, Winter weather advisories or winter storm warnings in effect most of the panhandles Monday, today, snow becoming generally light or flurries by afternoon. Highs mainly in the 30s. Tonight, a slight chance of snow and cold. Lows in the teens. Tuesday, mostly cloudy and cold with a few flurries possible. Highs around 30. Tuesday night, decreasing clouds and continued cold. Lows in the teens. Wednesday, partly cloudy and continued cold. Highs in the 30s. Thursday, mostly cloudy with a chance of rain or snow. Lows in the 20s. Highs mid 40s to the mid 50s. Friday, mostly cloudy and warmer, slight chance of rain. Lows around 30. Highs in the 50s. South Plains, today, cloudy with a slight chance of rain early. Highs in the 50s. Tonight, mostly cloudy. Lows in the 20s. Tuesday, mostly cloudy and cold. Highs mainly in the 30s. Tuesday night, decreasing cloudiness. Lows in the 20s. Wednesday, partly cloudy. Highs in the upper 40s lower 50s. Thursday and Friday, partly cloudy with a slight chance of rain. Lows around 30. Highs mainly in the 50s. Permian Basin, today, cloudy with a slight chance of showers early. Highs mainly in the 50s. Tonight, partly cloudy. Lows in the lower 30s. Tuesday, mostly cloudy and cold. Highs mainly in the 40s. Tuesday night, decreasing cloudiness. Lows in the lower 30s. Wednesday, partly cloudy. Highs around 50. Thursday, partly cloudy. Lows in the lower 30s. Highs in the 50s. Friday, mostly cloudy with a slight chance of rain. Lows in the mid 30s. Highs in the 50s. Concho Valley/Edwards Plateau, today, cloudy with a slight chance of showers. Highs mainly in the 60s. Tonight, partly cloudy. Lows in the lower 40s. Tuesday, mostly cloudy. Highs mainly in the 50s. Tuesday night, decreasing cloudiness. Lows in the 30s. Wednesday, partly cloudy. Highs in the lower 50s. Thursday, partly cloudy. Lows in the upper 30s. Highs in the mid 50s. Friday, mostly cloudy with a chance of rain. Lows near 40. Highs around 60.

County forecasts

Midland, Ector, Crane, Upton, Glasscock and Reagan: Today, cloudy with a 20 percent chance of showers early, then decreasing cloudiness. High in the mid 60s. West wind 20-30 mph and gusty. Caution will be required on area lakes. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low in the mid 30s. Tuesday, mostly cloudy. High near 50.

Sterling, Tom Green, Irion and Coke: Today, mostly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of showers early, then decreasing cloudiness. High near 70. Southwest to west wind 20-30 mph and gusty. Caution will be required on area lakes. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low in the upper 30s. Tuesday, mostly cloudy. High in the upper 50s.

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albuquerque	44	36	.04	cdy
Atlanta	53	36		rn
Atlantic City	42	32		sn
Boston	40	31		sn
Chicago	32	23		sn
Denver	35	16		cdy
Great Falls	24	08	.11	clr
Las Vegas	59	40		clr
Los Angeles	67	51		cdy
Louisville	35	31	.01	rn
Memphis	48	30		cdy
Nashville	39	34		rn
New Orleans	63	45		cdy
New York City	39	30		sn
Oklahoma City	47	28		cdy
Reno	43	27		cdy
St Louis	32	24		clr
San Francisco	65	44		clr
Shreveport	58	46	.02	cdy
Tulsa	46	27		cdy
Wichita	45	26		cdy

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Alpine	55	36	
Amarillo	37	28	
Austin	57	51	.03
Brownsville	76	64	
Corpus Christi	76	63	
Dalhart	36	26	.08
Dallas	50	45	.01
Del Rio	65	59	.03
El Paso	65	46	
Fort Worth	50	45	.03
Houston	67	56	
Junction	59	52	
Lajitas	77	44	
Laredo	73	63	
Lubbock	40	33	.11
Marfa	61	38	
Presidio	77	50	
San Angelo	49	44	
San Antonio	63	54	
Waco	54	48	
Wichita Falls	44	35	.14
Wink	45	41	

Border forecasts

New Mexico: Winter storm watch today for the northeast highlands and the northeast plains. Today, snow showers continuing northeast with rain and snow showers tapering off over the west and south during the day. Highs in the mid 20s and 30s northern mountains and northeast to mostly the 40s and 50s elsewhere. Monday night, mostly cloudy east with a slight chance for light snow. Partly cloudy west & few evening snow showers mainly northwest and northcentral. Lows zero to 20 mountains and northeast with 20s to mid 30s elsewhere. Tuesday and Tuesday night, partly cloudy with a slight chance of snow showers mainly northern mountains and northeast. Highs Tuesday in the 30s mountains and northeast to the 40s and 50s elsewhere. Lows Tuesday night zero to 20 mountains and northeast to the 20s and 30s elsewhere.

Oklahoma: Winter storm warning today northwestern Oklahoma, Winter storm watch Monday north-central Oklahoma, today, snow, heavy at times in northern Oklahoma with snow accumulations of 4 to 6 inches possible. Rain gradually changing to snow elsewhere. A chance of thunderstorms in southeastern Oklahoma. Turning windy and colder. Highs from the lower 30s in northwestern Oklahoma to around 50 in the southeast. Monday night, precipitation gradually ending. Much colder with lows from the teens in northern Oklahoma to the upper 20s in the southeast. Tuesday, mostly cloudy with highs in the 30s. Tuesday night, decreasing clouds with lows in the teens and 20s.

HOPES: Pair learns brother's dead

(From 1A)

"No," she said, "because he's not dead."

Forty-two years later, at 9:30 p.m. last June 24, as 50-year-old Buck Skero stepped from the shower and was getting ready for bed, the telephone rang in his Sharon, Pa., home. His niece, Ellen Skero, was on the line from her home in Newton Falls, Ohio.

"Uncle Buck, Uncle Chuck's name is in the USA Today paper."

Buck Skero quickly dressed, got into his car and drove two blocks to the minimart, his heart pounding. He got a paper and looked at it even before leaving the store.

"There it was," he said.

Charles M. Skero.

His name was on an official list — released by the vice chairman of the Senate's POW-MIA Affairs Committee — of 125 Korean War soldiers who were reportedly interrogated by the Soviet Union in North Korea and possibly transferred to China.

After Buck Skero showed the newspaper to his wife, he went off alone.

"I just sat there dumbfounded. I started bawling. It overwhelmed me to see that. I was overwhelmed with emotion about it."

He called his sister Doss that night.

"Are you sitting down?"

"No."

"Well then, sit down. Our brother might still be alive."

Together, they cried.

"What else would you do?" said Buck. "You had no words. You can't say anything, it's so overwhelming."

It was, in fact, an echo from a distant era, from a war that has been overshadowed by another Asian conflict. In their obsession with prisoners of war and missing in action from the Vietnam War, many have forgotten that American soldiers also disappeared in the morass of Korea.

But not the Skero family.

They, like other families of Korean War MIAs, are to some extent locked in the world of the late 1940s and early '50s; the rest of the country has moved on, but they cannot let go of a time when their families were whole.

In those days, the coke ovens lit up the night skies, the railroad ran by your home and the engineers waved at you.

The Skeros had no car. They didn't even have a telephone. No need to lock your doors when you went away for a weekend or a week. Walk into a neighbor's home and it was like your own. Everyone grew up together, the Poles and Slavs in this mostly Catholic coal mining community.

Chuck had white hair, and everyone called him Towhead. Doss, or Dolores, was a year younger. Then came Kenneth and Bernard, known to all as Buck.

Mary Skero signed for Chuck to enlist — he was only 16 when he dropped out of his sophomore year of high school. He re-enlisted in 1948 because he liked the Army and wanted to return to Japan.

In the spring of 1948, Chuckie Skero hitchhiked from his Army post in Indiantown Gap to Standard Shaft, the coal mining town where the family lived. From there, he walked six miles to his sister's high school to bring her the $17 he had saved in bus fare for her class ring.

The next year, Chuck brought 8-year-old Buck a brown dog they called Brownie. Buck remembers sleeping in the same bed with Chuckie, his older brother tickling him and laughing with him.

That same summer, Doss awakened at 4 a.m. one morning to Chuckie's footsteps running down the sidewalk to catch a ride to the train station. She heard the car door slam and he was gone.

The last letter the family received from Chuckie was dated July 5, 1950, and its words are imprinted in Doss' memory. "I can remember it as plain as ever because I was to get married in September and I can remember him writing my name saying, 'Mom, do you allow her to get married?'"

Their mother kept torturing herself by reading the letter over and over, crying each time. It was the last link to her son, along with a few personal things the Army shipped her in a carton on Nov. 15, 1951:

A name plate, a brass buckle, three sweatshirts, a T-shirt, three towels, a bath mat, a razor, a hairbrush, a comb and two shoe brushes. Chuckie always kept a glow on his shoes. "How do you like the shoeshine?" he wrote on the back of a snapshot with some Army buddies in 1948.

"Our mother was sick for months over this," says Buck. "She ended up in the hospital right after it. She just totally fell apart."

Doss burned the last letter; her mother was dwelling on it too much. "I threw it in the furnace. I figured out of sight, out of mind."

Chuckie was officially declared dead in June 1954, but the family received no immediate death benefits from the Army. His father had been laid off from the mines, and his mother went to work in the kitchen of a Holiday Inn.

Only years later did the Skeros begin receiving Army benefits, and at that, only $40 a month. Eventually, it increased to $75 a month.

"I remember one time a lady had said to Mother, 'You're taking blood money,'" said Doss. "That bothered me. I never forgot it."

Her mother died of cancer in 1975. Two years ago, the government cut her father off with no explanation. "My dad didn't want me to question it," said Doss. "He said, 'Leave it alone.'"

Last October, Buck asked the Army for medals to replace the ones his brother had received. The Army told him it would cost $9.80, but later sent them at no cost after his congressman protested on his behalf.

"We've never had an officer come to the house," said Buck, angrily. "We've never received a flag. We've never had anybody officially come up and say, 'Mr. Skero,' like to my dad, or our family, 'Your son is dead.'"

And then, in 1992, Chuckie Skero's name surfaced on the MIA list.

Sen. Bob Smith, R-N.H., the vice chairman of the Senate's POW-MIA Affairs Committee, said the list was handed to him by a very prominent Russian official during a visit to the Soviet Union. He would not identify the official.

"Why was it put in the paper before the families were officially notified?" said Buck.

"We had no way of contacting the families," Smith said. "There were no up-to-date records on any of these people. They had not been followed. It was so long ago. . . .

"Even though we knew it would be painful, we felt it was worth the chance to have the families give us some feedback so we could check and verify the credibility of the information we have."

Smith traveled to North Korea in December. He said he was told by North Korean officials that the Communist Chinese army ran U.S. prisoner of war camps in both North Korea and Manchuria in northern China during the war.

"North Korean officials confirmed that some war propaganda photos showing hundreds of American POWs were actually taken in China, not North Korea," Smith said. "We were told that the Chinese know what happened to those American POWs held in Manchuria during the war who were never returned."

Smith said he expects the State Department to press China for the answers that the Skeros and scores of other families seek.

Chinese officials called Smith's statements groundless; they said China never received any of the 125 soldiers on Smith's list.

The Skeros were notified by letter in 1954 that Chuckie died of malnutrition, based on interrogations of other POWs who were released. Now Buck Skero pressed the Army for more information. For the first time, the Army sent him what it said was his brother's entire file.

In an official letter July 1, the Army said there is nothing in Chuckie Skero's file to substantiate the report that he was interrogated by the Soviets and possibly transferred to China.

The Army said he had died on June 22, 1951, while in a North Korean prison camp, nearly a year after he was captured, and that it was unable to recover his body because of lack of access to the area.

And so the hope that briefly flared last year — the hope that this much-loved son and brother had survived — was extinguished. And not just by the government's words, but by the words of men who knew Chuckie Skero.

There was Delbert Chance, 62, of Newfield, N.J., who said he was held in North Korea with Chuckie Skero for 10 months in a "death shack" for POWs expected to die. He said the North Koreans beat them with clubs.

The POWs were fed only a bowl of rice a day. Chance and Skero shared the same brass spoon. In remembrance, Chance brought out that spoon and gave it to Buck Skero last year after Skero contacted him.

"We were so thin, Chuck and I used to have to help each other to get up," said Chance. "He weighed about 80 pounds. If somebody died, we would get the body and prop it up in sitting position, hoping the guards would figure the guy is still alive and send in a portion of rice. That's how we used to get extra rice."

And there was Christopher McAndrews, 62, of Jackson, N.J. Sadly, he recalls slipping through the dusk past North Korean farmhouses into the hills, escorted by a Korean guard.

And there, on a hillside, he dug a shallow grave and buried Chuckie Skero.

FATE: Lawmaker expects remains to be returned

(From 1A)

"One must review the past wars to understand that the U.S. government handled the Vietnam POW-MIA issue in the same manner as it did after World War II and the Korean War," says Dolores Apodaca Alfond, a spokeswoman for families of missing from World War II, Korea and Vietnam.

"It was just a continuance of how the U.S. government would manipulate the POW-MIA issue for Vietnam," says Mrs. Alfond, of Bellevue, Wash., national chairwoman for the National Alliance for the Return of America's Missing Servicemen. "There have been organizations concerned about their loved ones from past wars such as the Korean War 'Home Folk.'"

Mrs. Alfond says that had it not been for the Vietnam veterans and families of the MIAs pursuing the issue, the U.S. Senate never would have created a select committee to look into it last year.

The Select Committee on POW-MIA Affairs conducted a yearlong inquiry into Americans unaccounted for in Vietnam and broadened it to Korea and World War II before its term expired at the end of 1992. There are 78,750 Americans listed as missing in World War II.

Sen. Bob Smith, R-N.H., vice chairman of the committee, met with North Korean leaders in Pyongyang in mid-December. He said afterward he hoped more Americans would be accounted for as a result of the talks.

Smith said North Korean officials pledged to search the country for additional records and personal artifacts. He said they reaffirmed commitments made to him in September 1991 to continue to recover and return the remains of U.S. servicemen from cemeteries in former POW camps and on battlefields in North Korea.

"I expect that in the coming weeks North Korea and the United States will be able to formalize joint working level efforts at Panmunjom, Korea, which will lead to the repatriation of the remains of these brave servicemen," said Smith.

"They have not been forgotten."

TEST: Clinton needs to cultivate public's trust

(From 1A)

sacrifice must now convince the public that to get what it wants from him, it will have to give first.

Clinton prefers to call it change, not sacrifice. "Change means asking everyone to pull his or her own weight for the common good," he said Saturday.

In theory, the public embraces that concept: poll after poll shows a majority of Americans say they would pay more if it meant better schools, affordable health care and a dwindling deficit.

But tell them Social Security will be cut or the price of gasoline raised and the underlying contradictions emerge.

"We have to run the country like a business and no business gets away with such debt," says retiree Earl Brown of Bangor, Maine. He says he's willing to pitch in, "but he better not touch Social Security."

Brown's view is hardly unique, complicating Clinton's sales pitch.

"People want a lot — as long as it doesn't cost them anything," said Republican pollster Glen Bolger. "And they are beyond thinking Washington can be fair to them. You're talking about a fairly cynical electorate when it comes to trusting a politician's words on pocketbook issues."

Clinton needs that trust to succeed. To win it, he has tried to lead by example, announcing plans to cut the White House staff, lop 100,000 from the federal payroll and eliminate many perks of power.

"These things may turn out to be just symbolism, but it's pretty important symbolism," said Republican pollster Fred Steeper.

It is just a first step in lobbying a public that collectively isn't quite sure what it wants, or expects, from the new president.

"They want very much for him to succeed," said Clinton pollster Stanley Greenberg. "Beyond that, it can get confusing. They are hopeful, but skeptical."

Some confusion is of Clinton's making, the product of shifts since the campaign, including his emphasis on deficit reduction and acknowledgement that his middle-class tax cut is on hold at best.

"I don't think they are convinced yet that he has a plan yet to really get the economy going," said Steeper, who monitored reactions of 43 middle-class voters last week during Clinton's televised town hall. "He has a lot more selling to do."

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The World

■ Report: Israeli soldiers kill teen-ager

JERUSALEM — Soldiers fatally shot a 16-year-old Palestinian and wounded another eight Arabs while responding Sunday to stone-throwing protesters, the army and Arab reports said.

Two Israelis were lightly wounded by gunfire from a passing car as they drove near the West Bank city of Hebron, the army said. Soldiers imposed a curfew on the predominantly Arab area and searched for the attackers, it said.

Israeli radios said those wounded were a couple from the Jewish settlement Kiryat Arba next to Hebron, one of the more militant Israeli settlements in the territories captured in the 1967 Middle East War.

The Palestinian victim, Amjad Masoud Hassan Mashaki, was shot in the head when troops opened fire after their jeep was stoned in Talousa village near Nablus, in the West Bank, the army said. It said another youth was wounded.

■ Thousands protest prejudice, violence

BERLIN — Thousands of Germans and Poles lit candles Sunday along at least eight sites on their nations' border in a protest against prejudice and violence.

At a new border-crossing point at Hohenwutzen in Germany — Osinow Dolny on the Polish side — several thousand people formed a chain of lights across the Oder River bridge, police said.

The slogan of the border demonstrations was "One step across the border — and we are foreigners." It aimed to reduce prejudice in the area, which experienced vast destruction and loss of life in World War II.

■ Panel focuses on human rights abuses

AMMAN, Jordan — King Hussein on Sunday launched a study center on human rights abuses, freedom and democracy "to dispel the darkness pervading the Arab scene."

The center, one of very few involving human rights in the Arab world, underlined Hussein's commitment to democratic reforms launched in 1989.

Hussein called for an end to human rights abuses in a speech before a committee he created last week. The panel includes lawyers, doctors, human rights activists and government officials.

In the past four years, Hussein lifted martial laws in place since the 1948 Arab-Israeli war, relaxed media censorship, freed political prisoners and revived political parties banned since a 1957 leftist coup attempt.

■ Officials offer rebates on Suez Canal

ISMAILIA, Egypt — The Suez Canal, one of Egypt's main foreign currency earners, is widening and deepening the waterway and using marketing tactics like rebates to increase its income.

Canal Chairman Adel Ezzat said Sunday that the enlarged canal, which links the Mediterranean and Red seas, will be able to accommodate fully loaded tankers of 170,000 tons, instead of the present 130,000 tons.

Ezzat said the canal's gross revenue in 1992 was $1.86 billion. He said the authorities hoped for a $50 million to $60 million increase in 1993 profits. He said tankers are given rebates of as much as 55 percent if a ship can prove it would be cheaper for it to sail around the Cape of Good Hope. The rebate policy has been in effect for several months, he said.

■ Mayor to prevent McDonald's at tower

PARIS — The chief deputy mayor of Paris said he will use all legal means to prevent the opening of a McDonald's hamburger restaurant at the foot of the Eiffel Tower, a newspaper reported Sunday.

"It is time that the protection of certain sites in Paris is reinforced," First Deputy Mayor Jean Tiberi told the Journal du Dimanche.

Tiberi was responding to comments by McDonald's officials Saturday that they had plans to set up a McDonald's restaurant at a boarding pier on the Seine River, from which tourist cruise boats are launched.

McDonald's is widely popular in France, but many French consider it an American cultural invasion that is spoiling the culinary taste of French youth.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram *wire services.*

Saddam makes peace appeal to Clinton

BAGHDAD, Iraq (NYT) — In his first personal appeal to President Clinton, President Saddam Hussein has urged him to open a new chapter in American relations with Iraq.

"I believe that the president of the biggest country in the world, with the most destructive potential, needs to try wisdom and not weapons," the official Iraqi news agency quoted the Iraqi leader as saying, in a reference to Iraq's crushing defeat in the Persian Gulf war. In a good-will gesture on Jan. 19, Saddam said his forces would respect the ban on flights over northern and southern Iraq that the United States and its allies have imposed to enforce the cease-fire terms that followed the gulf war.

"I simply believe that we can pave the way for building new relations," Saddam added, "based on mutual respect and the exchange of legitimate interests regardless to what has happened."

The remarks were made Saturday during a "political dialogue" with Ramsey Clark, a former U.S. attorney general who was an outspoken critic of the gulf war. Clark, now a lawyer in New York, told reporters that he had come here as a private citizen to meet Iraqi officials and evaluate the effects of U.N. sanctions.

Saddam's comments received wide coverage in the government-controlled media. A transcript of the discussion was read by an anchorman on state television news for 70 minutes. Official newspapers displayed the report and accompanying photographs of Saddam and Clark across their front pages.

It was the first time Saddam had personally called on Clinton to open a dialogue; previous overtures were made by high-ranking Iraqi officials and the government media.

Saddam also praised Clinton for his opposition to the Vietnam war. "There are some trying to make the anti-war past of Clinton a matter of personal weakness." he said. "We and the entire humanity consider this aspect of Clinton's personality a mark of strength."

Relieved by the arrival of a new man in the White House, Iraq has apparently embarked on a fresh strategy of avoiding confrontation or radical oratory and making peace gestures aimed at a rapprochement.

"He doesn't want to give too much," an Arab ambassador in Baghdad said, "but he wants to break the ice and the hostility."

The Iraqi leader, who provoked President Bush in his final days in the White House, has not blatantly challenged the allies since the Revolutionary Command Council announced a cease-fire over the flight-exclusion zones on the eve of Clinton's inauguration.

There were two allied raids after the inauguration, intended to knock out Iraqi ground installations, but the Pentagon said at the time that it was unclear whether the activity around the installations should be considered a challenge from Saddam.

Diplomats say Iraq switched off the targeting radar on its anti-aircraft missile batteries immediately after Clinton took office. Most United States and allied air strikes before and after the inauguration were touched off by fears that activating the targeting radar presaged Iraqi attacks.

While the official Iraqi press still lashes out at the Bush administration for its past "aggression" against Iraq, it is calling on Clinton to seek a new relationship.

"Peace, Mr. Clinton, is the language of Islam and Christianity together," a writer said recently in Al Qadissiya, the Defense Ministry's newspaper. "It is the language of justice, humanity and constructive dialogue. I repeat it once again: Peace, peace, Mr. Clinton."

Woman battles to enter all-male Swiss cabinet

GENEVA (AP) — Christiane Brunner is out to break the the male monopoly in Switzerland's governing body, and she won't let allegations that she had an illegal abortion stand in her way.

Many politicians are wary of Brunner, 46, a straight-talking leader of Swiss watchmakers and critic of Switzerland's army, a cherished symbol of national unity.

But Brunner says she wants to "free women from the rigid division of roles" in this long-standing democracy where women couldn't vote before 1971.

Her style clashes with that of the typical staid aspirant to the Federal Council, the seven-member body governing Switzerland. Her politics also may be a bit too far left for many Swiss.

"This candidate unsettles political foes and can apparently trigger irrational fears in some men's heads," the Zurich daily Tages-Anzeiger said.

"I would not be so brash and cheeky if I were her," said Lisbeth Fehr, a conservative lawmaker, referring to Brunner's relatively short experience in national government.

Brunner, one of 38 women in Parliament, has represented Geneva since 1991 after being involved in the canton's politics for 10 years. A self-declared feminist, she has promised to bring "creativity" to government and cites First Lady Hillary Rodham Clinton as a role model.

She grew up poor, divorced her first husband, raised her first son alone and recently remarried after living for 10 years with another man. In 1991 she became the first woman to head the Swiss watchmaking and metal industry union.

On March 3, a joint session of Parliament names a replacement for ailing Foreign Minister Rene Felber, who holds a council seat traditionally filled by the Social Democrats, the most left-of-center of the four main Swiss parties.

Opinion polls last month indicated most Swiss want a female government minister. The Social Democrats back Brunner partly to respond to that sentiment and because party leaders say she has the best qualifications.

The Social Democrats meet on Friday to formally proclaim her candidacy.

To win the seat, Brunner must get a majority of votes in the 246-seat Parliament, which is dominated by center-right lawmakers. Her chances of getting enough conservative supporters are unclear.

That is not the only hurdle she faces.

An anonymous "Committee for the Preservation of the Morality of Our Institutions" sent letters to news media last month threatening to reveal details of an abortion Brunner allegedly had and release a nude photograph of her.

Brunner vowed last week to stay in the race and branded the smear campaign "not only an attack on our country's political culture but also a slap in the face to all women."

Bosnian Serbs block convoy, protest eastern aid efforts

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina (AP) — Bosnian Serbs turned back a U.N. convoy carrying food and medicine on Sunday to a Muslim town in eastern Bosnia that has been surrounded by Serbs for 10 months.

It was another setback for relief agencies facing mounting hostility from leaders and citizens of Bosnia's Muslim community who say not enough is being done to stop the republic's civil war, or to help 200,000 people trapped in pockets in the east.

Officials in Sarajevo, Bosnia's capital, and Tuzla are blocking further aid to their residents to protest the failure to get supplies to the east. U.N. officials have criticized that move for intensifying public anger aimed at U.N. operations and warned that stored food could spoil.

For the second day, heavy fighting around Sarajevo prevented aid flights from landing at the airport outside the besieged capital.

Fighting also raged in southwestern Croatia, and Serb and Croat leaders in that former Yugoslav republic repeated competing claims to territory as they prepared for talks at the United Nations this week.

The Croatian army began an offensive on Jan. 22 to regain control of at least some of the Serb-held Krajina region in the southwest, one of the areas seized by Serb forces in fighting in 1991 after Croatia seceded from Yugoslavia. The latest combat was the first since a truce took effect early last year.

The 10 trucks in the U.N. convoy to eastern Bosnia tried to reach Cerska, which reportedly is a refuge for up to 40,000 Slavic Muslims. The convoy left Belgrade, capital of Yugoslavia and Serbia, on Sunday morning and got only as far as Serb-held Zvornik on Bosnia's border with Serbia.

Bosnian Serbs refused to let the convoy pass, saying they had insufficient advance notice, said a spokesman for U.N. aid operations in Belgrade. The convoy was to stay overnight in Loznica in Serbia and make a new attempt to reach Cerska on Monday, the spokesman said on condition of anonymity.

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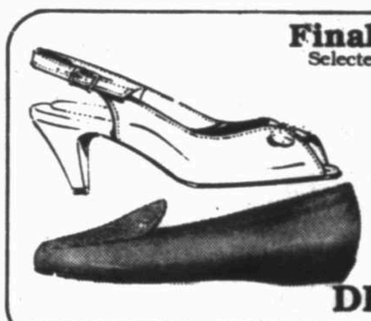
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Foundation aid helps Midland

Since 1986 the Abell-Hanger Foundation has been investing in the future of Midland students who choose to attend Midland College by offering to pay their tuition and fees. In that way, it has helped a lot of students. Now, the foundation is taking its educational incentive a step further in an innovative way and it will help the community in the process.

Midland College President David E. Daniel revealed last week that the foundation has agreed to provide $1 million spread over four years at $250,000 per year with the bulk of the funds offered to students who earned at least a 2.75 grade point average during their high school careers. Scholarship recipients also must volunteer for at least 10 hours a semester at non-profit agencies.

Abell-Hanger Foundation is to be commended for this forward-thinking scholarship program. Not only does it "reward" students who go the extra mile to make better grades in high school, but it also serves as an incentive for them to return a portion of their talents to the community. Foundation executive director David Smith noted that the philosophical approach of returning something to the community was embraced by the late George T. Abell.

Abell, said Smith, believed, "Sure people like to be successful. But they like to be successful for what they can do for their community."

It's a philosophy most Midlanders can embrace, and one which we share. Abell-Hanger Foundation's efforts on behalf of Midland students are most commendable.

With their new scholarship plans, the foundation is making education not only good for Midland students but good for the community as well.

LETTERS

Tulsa Ballet Theatre appreciates Midland

On behalf of the dancers and staff of Tulsa Ballet Theatre, thank you for the genuinely warm reception given us by the people of Midland.

"The Nutcracker" is an integral part of the holidays all across the country, and it is a joyous vehicle for sharing the arts. "The Nutcracker" is often a child's or young person's first exposure to the arts — it can open the door to a lifetime of enriching experiences.

The company is grateful to Ballet Midland for sponsoring Tulsa Ballet Theatre's performance. We appreciate all the hard work and long volunteer hours that went on behind the scenes. These individuals have a strong commitment to the arts that enhances the quality of life in your community.

Thank you for your gracious hospitality. We hope you will invite Tulsa Ballet Theatre to dance for you again.

Connie Cronley
General Manager
Tulsa Ballet Theatre

Festival performances inspire area resident

A belated "thank you" to the participants in the 2nd Annual M.I.S.D. Choral Festival, held at the Chaparal Center on Jan.28. What lovely inspiring performances.

Many thanks must go to the teachers, directors and arrangers and all who worked so hard to make it such a successful evening.

Vera B. Duffy
Midland

Firefighter endangers lives to save another

On Sunday afternoon, Feb. 7, my father and I were traveling south on Fairgrounds Road about 4 p.m. We were passing the intersection of Golf Course Road with Fairgrounds Road, which is controlled by a stop sign for Golf Course Road motorists. I did not see the huge firetruck coming at full-speed from the west, headed toward a grassfire east of town.

Though I am quite aware of laws concerning giving the right-of-way to emergency vehicles, in this particular instance there was no way for me to pull over, stop, nor anything else as I was directly in his path and could do absolutely nothing except floorboard my accelerator and pray!

The truck missed broadsiding my car by inches and I do mean inches.

That driver knew he was approaching a four-lane thoroughfare, heavily traveled, with a possibility of encountering numerous cars who had not seen nor heard his approach. Yet he chose to throw caution to the wind and prove he had the decided advantage.

He did not so much as slow up one iota and in so doing, narrowly missed killing two innocent people!

The irony of this situation is had this fireman slowed up enough to observe the traffic flow at this busy intersection, it would possibly have delayed his arrival at the fire scene by a half-minute. The outcome of the fire would have been no different.

My question to this fireman and to other drivers of emergency vehicles is this: Do you feel justified in taking chances which may lead to the death of one person or persons, who were caught innocently in your path just to arrive sooner at the site of another emergency where you'll try to "save" another person's life? It doesn't make a lot of sense does it?

Remember that a half-minute delay will change absolutely nothing (except to perhaps spare the lives of others along the way.

G.L. Lewis
Midland

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Monday, Feb. 15, the 46th day of 1993. There are 319 days left in the year. This is Presidents' Day.

Today's highlight in history:

Sixty years ago, on Feb. 15, 1933, President-elect Franklin D. Roosevelt escaped an attempt on his life in Miami, when shots fired at him by an assailant missed. However, Chicago Mayor Anton J. Cermak was killed.

JACK ANDERSON

Human rights come before diplomacy

WASHINGTON — When President George Bush hosted a state dinner for Morocco's King Hassan II, the menu featured medallions of salmon in champagne jelly and caviar sauce. One thing that wasn't on the menu was human rights.

Anderson

While Bush was praising Morocco for its help in the Gulf War and its "commitment to shared ideals," more than 700 Moroccans languished in prison. Several hundred "disappeared" Moroccans remain unaccounted for in a country where torture is reportedly common.

Morocco, which will receive more than $40 million in U.S. taxpayer-financed military education and training in the current fiscal year, is merely one of 18 countries which violate human rights with impunity, yet still receive slices of the $7 billion security-assistance pie. Every time a check is cut for Morocco, a U.S. law is being violated — since laws forbid the disbursement of security assistance to any country that shows a "consistent pattern of gross violations of internationally recognized human rights."

Veteran foreign-policy hands blame this time-honored hypocrisy of American foreign policy on two major factors: Cold-war politics and "clientitis" — the practice of some foreign service officers to put the needs of their host country above the U.S. national interest.

Secretary of State Warren Christopher chided adherents of clientitis during his Senate confirmation hearings, calling it a "malady characterized by undue deference to potential reactions of other countries," while promising a new era of diplomacy that will place a "much greater emphasis on problem prevention rather than crisis management."

President Clinton campaigned on a platform of human rights and pilloried President Bush for pandering to China after the Tiananmen Square massacre. Regarding China, Clinton has distanced himself from these promises faster than he ran from the middle-class tax cut.

With more than 4,000 career foreign-service officers below him, Christopher may not be totally in charge. But he understands that "clientitis" is to blame for some of the biggest foreign policy fiascoes, including the failed courtship of Saddam Hussein.

Strategic imperatives make it likely that the Clinton administration will continue channeling security assistance to countries like Turkey, which gets more than $500 million each year for military education and training.

Jack Anderson's and Michael Binstein's column is distributed by United Feature Syndicate.

CHARLEY REESE

Americans exchange freedom for security

There are, as anyone knows who has studied the American Revolution, two pillars of liberty — private property and private ownership of firearms. Today, both of those rights — without which the rest become meaningless — are under heavy attack.

Reese

The ownership of firearms is attacked under the pretense of fighting crime, though, the empirical evidence is overwhelming that gun control merely disarms victims of crime, not the criminals.

Private property rights are under attack under the twin-guises of growth management and environmentalism. Ownership of property is rendered meaningless when the government controls the use of the property. This is, in fact, the fascist style of government. You keep the title. We'll control the use. Sometimes the only use the government allows is to stand on the property and look at it, which effectively amounts to confiscation.

Americans were long ago disarmed intellectually. Virtually nothing about the history of freedom is taught American children. Patriotism was equated with jingoism and support for foreign wars and, most of all, with unquestioning obedience to the poltroons in power.

That regime has more in common with Nazi Germany than with the America of the Revolution and the young Republic that the revolution created. Americans of that day were vigorously opposed to a standing army. Unlike today's uneducated dolts, they knew the danger of standing armies posed to human liberty. They were likewise firmly isolationist in the sense of wishing to remain aloof from other countries' quarrels and feuds while enjoying trade and commerce with all.

Today, of course, we are 180 degrees from that position. For decades we have maintained a huge standing army and both political parties consider intervention in foreign nations' affairs to be an undebatable plank in their platforms. The only debate, if you can call it that, is when and where we will intervene. The big money interests or well-financed lobbies always settle that question.

A third pillar of freedom is sound money. That, too, has been abandoned in favor of fiat currency controlled by a European-style central bank. The most industrious and frugal of people cannot accumulate any wealth if they are forced by law to conduct business with money that can be rendered worthless by the central bank, using the mechanism of inflation.

So, from a republic of stout individuals, armed, owners of their own property, possessed of sound money, we have in this century been rendered a proletariat of largely propertyless people, dependent on others for income, at the mercy of a central bank, heavily taxed, heavily regulated, heavily in debt, and largely disarmed.

That is the condition elites always like to put people in, since people in such a condition pose little threat to the elite's privileges. There is nothing uniquely American about our present condition. Human nature cuts across national, racial and ethnic boundaries and as Tom Jefferson noted long ago, humans — no matter in what era or time or place — always naturally divide themselves into elitist and populist factions.

Jefferson also noted that the common characteristic of the elitist is a fear of the people. What one fears one wants to control. Hence, the sophisticated elitist always wants to control communications, government, politics, the economy and education. To paraphrase a cruder saying, control their minds and their bodies will follow.

But I see few Americans concerned about their liberty and a lot of Americans eager to exchange freedom for security, a con job that, as someone once noted, results in the loss of both.

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LEWIS GRIZZARD

Being left home alone is a child's nightmare

Newspapers have asked parents who have ever left a child at home alone by mistake to send in their stories.

This, of course, was prompted by the movie "Home Alone II," which is a huge box office success on the heels of just plain "Home Alone," about a kid left alone fending off a couple of burglars.

Grizzard

I've never left a child alone at home because I've never had one. But as a mere boy I did get lost once. It was a horrid experience.

The reason I got lost was a case of mistaken identity. I thought I was somebody else.

I was 4. We were housed in the married officers' barracks in Fort Myers, Va.

All married officers' barracks look alike.

I was in front of our place, peddling along in my toy car. An older kid walked up and said, "Get out. I want to get in your car."

I refused to budge, so he hit me over the head with a cap pistol.

"Well, if you put it that way," I said, and promptly got out of my car.

The older kid climbed in and peddled away. I followed him. He finally gave me back my car, but I didn't know which way was home.

I surveyed the situation and did what most other 4-year-olds would have done.

I began to cry.

A lady came out of one of the apartments and asked me why I was crying. I told her I wanted my mother.

She asked me what my name was.

I answered, "Roy Rogers."

That's who I thought I was. I was wearing a Roy Rogers cowboy shirt and cowboy hat at the time.

I absolutely loved Roy Rogers, King of the Cowboys, so I assumed his name.

The lady said, "OK, Roy, come inside and I'll try to find your mother."

The lady went to her telephone and tried to locate the Rogers family. I don't recall if she contacted anybody with that name, but I do recall that she failed to contact my mother.

"And you're sure your name is Roy Rogers?" the lady asked me.

I assured her it was.

As my mother told it later, the lady, who had a directory of names and numbers of families in the complex, went down the list and asked whoever answered, "Do you have a little boy named Roy Rogers or thinks he's Roy Rogers?"

When she reached my mother, who was frantic since I'd disappeared when she took eye off me for an instant, the lady asked the question.

My mother answered, "He's mine. He's got this crazy notion he's Roy Rogers."

Mother came and took me home. What a relief.

I did have to go through the same drill over and over for months afterwards, however.

"Now, what is your name, son?"

"Ro--"

"No, it's not. It's Lewis. Now let me hear you say it."

"Lew-us."

"Good. Don't ever again tell anybody your name is Roy Rogers.'"

I haven't. Lost is one helluva empty feeling for a child. And being left home alone despite the two movies that glamorize it, is a child's nightmare as well.

You might want to tell your kids, Hollywood is just pulling their legs.

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The Nation in brief

■ Gunman identifies alleged 'employers'

SAN FRANCISCO — A would-be hitman's change of heart led to the arrest of two people who allegedly hired him to murder a gambling parlor manager, authorities said.

Police on Friday arrested Hiroshi Hirashami, 68, of San Bruno, when he allegedly gave the hired gunman two weapons to be used in the murders. Tom Liu, 46, also known as Chen-Hsang Liu, was arrested later.

Police refused to reveal the identity of the 30-year-old gunman, who they said came forward after getting cold feet about the alleged plot to kidnap and kill King Midas Club manager Wei Teng and his wife.

Liu was a one-time partner in the Emeryville gambling parlor who apparently felt he had been cheated by Teng, said city police Officer Richard Moses.

The gunman was wearing a hidden tape recorder when Hirashami allegedly handed him a .38-caliber revolver and a .22-caliber semiautomatic pistol equipped with a silencer, police said.

■ Curfew causes concert's cancellation

LOS ANGELES — The historic Hollywood Palladium canceled a Valentine's Day concert by Marky Mark and will soon shut down permanently because of a curfew imposed by the city to curb late-night violence.

"I'm going out of business," manager Mark Midgley said Saturday. "The promoters are taking their shows to Orange County or Pasadena, and we're going to have to cancel most of the (scheduled events) we have left."

The new curfew requires that the Palladium close at 11 p.m. on Sunday and the Marky Mark rap concert was scheduled to run later than that, Midgley said. The curfew is 1 a.m. on Friday and Saturdays and midnight the rest of the week.

Midgley said 33 of the 40 shows scheduled during the next three months fail to meet the new city rules. Most will be canceled, he said.

The City Council decided Tuesday to impose the curfew after several outbreaks of violence, including a Christmas Day melee in which two teens were wounded by gunfire and another was stabbed.

In its 53 years of operation, the Palladium has hosted five U.S. presidents and legendary musicians including Tommy Dorsey, Frank Sinatra and Lawrence Welk.

■ Jet airliner skids off slippery runway

PORTLAND, Maine — A airliner carrying 94 passengers went off the runway after landing at Portland International Airport in freezing drizzle and fog. No one was hurt.

Continental Airlines Flight 5696, a Boeing 737 jet arriving from Newark, N.J. on Saturday, came to rest in snow about 15 feet from the end of the runway, said Federal Aviation Administration spokesman Michael Ciccarelli.

There was no apparent damage to the aircraft, he said. The tarmac was wet from drizzle and the temperature was about 32 degrees.

"It appears preliminarily to be a cause of a slippery runway due to the weather conditions," said David Messing, a spokesman for Continental Airlines in Houston, Texas.

Passengers said the plane landed smoothly and then skidded as the pilot applied the brakes. They left the plane on a stairway and were taken to the terminal by bus.

■ WWII captive dedicates courthouse

TACOMA, Wash. — A Japanese-American held in an internment camp during World War II helped dedicate a new federal courthouse that was created out of the railroad station where his family began their trip into captivity.

"Left on the marble floor of this once infamous structure were shattered dreams, tearful hopes and interrupted careers and ambitions," Robert Takasugi, now a federal judge in Los Angeles said Friday.

"Thus it becomes obvious why the resurrection of the structure of justice at a location that once embodied and symbolized a grave injustice represents a unique paradox," he said.

Fifty years before, Takasugi was 11 when his family and others in the area were ordered to report to Union Station for a one-way trip to internment camps in California.

Over the years the station became increasingly dilapidated. Amtrak passenger trains now stop at a smaller depot nearby.

It underwent a $42 million overhaul that produced a 200,000-square-foot complex with 10 courtrooms.

■ Truck-driving team assists rape victim

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. — A husband-wife truck driving team won a tire company's Highway Hero award Sunday for helping a rape victim they found lying on an Oregon roadway.

The award and a $20,000 savings bond will be shared by Connie Cooper and Patrick Fee of Cottonwood, Calif.

Goodyear tire officials announced the award during ceremonies at the Daytona 500 stock car race.

Goodyear said the couple, employed by Stidham Trucking, Inc., of Yreka, Calif., came upon a woman sprawled in the middle of Interstate 5 in Portland, Ore., on a rainy morning in November 1991.

Stopping in time was no easy task. They were hauling a 50,000 pound construction crane at the time. Cooper was driving.

"She hit the brakes and turned the wheel so hard I was sure I'd see crane pieces flying all over the place," Fee said. "But somehow, she made it."

Police said the woman had been thrown there from an overpass in an attempt to kill her after the rape.

Cooper dragged the woman to safety while Fee set warning flares, brought blankets and jackets to the injured woman and radioed for help.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram *wire services.*

President presents plan in televised address

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Clinton will give his first televised address to the nation tonight, promoting an economic program that top administration officials said Sunday would ask for sacrifices from all Americans.

The administration said the president's plan would propose close to 150 specific spending cuts to save money, while a top Democrat in Congress said that the middle class would be most affected by a new broadbased tax on energy.

The White House confirmed that in its effort to control the deficit, it was considering further limits on the payments received by doctors and hospitals under Medicare, the giant government program that supplies health care for 35 million elderly and disabled Americans.

Officials said that Clinton was still making final decisions on the outlines of the huge package. But based on a variety of comments, the economic plan was shaping up to be the largest deficit-cutting package in history, proposing about $250 billion in spending cuts over five years and what one Republican said would be $250 billion in tax increases over that same time period.

White House officials conceded Sunday that virtually every American would be asked to contribute to the plan, either through benefit cuts or higher taxes.

"I am not going to tell you that this package is going to exclude anybody," White House budget director Leon Panetta said on CBS's "Face the Nation."

As part of a stepped-up sales effort, the administration announced that Clinton would address the nation from the Oval Office at 9 p.m. EST Monday. Officials said Clinton would speak for only 10 minutes and would not reveal any specifics of the package that he will unveil Wednesday night in a joint address to Congress.

George Stephanopoulos, Clinton's chief spokesman, said the president would tell the American people, "We're all in this together. Everybody is going to be asked to do their fair share."

Several Republicans said Sunday that they believed the administration was going overboard on tax increases and promised stiff opposition to the program unless more was done to cut spending.

Clinton campaigned on a pledge to cut income taxes for the middle class while raising taxes on the wealthy. In addition, he promised to cut the budget deficit in half by 1997 while significantly increasing government investment in highway construction, worker retraining and education.

However, administration officials now concede that the middle class tax cut will be sacrificed because of soaring deficit estimates and instead the middle class will be asked to pay higher taxes in the form of a new energy tax.

Stephanopoulos said that the administration planned to take the fight to the special interests, saying at one point the administration was "going after the doctors and hospitals" because they were to blame for health care costs spiraling out of control.

While insisting that Clinton was still making final decisions, he and Panetta indicated that the administration was considering limiting payments to doctors and hospitals in the Medicare program. Neither would address a New York Times report that such a plan would save $35 billion or more over four years.

"We've got to confront the issue of health care costs in the budget," said Panetta, noting that Medicare and Medicaid, which provides health care for poor people, represent half of the projected growth in the government's deficit in coming years.

Latest legislature attempts to curb drunken driving

Associated Press

Many state lawmakers are pondering social arithmetic in the latest round of legislative assaults on an old menace, the drunken driver.

Bills introduced this year in 31 states reflect a push for more deterrents and stricter punishment for intoxicated drivers.

The most common proposal is lowering the intoxication level from 0.10 percent blood-alcohol to 0.08 percent — about a one-drink difference.

"It's reached a point where most of the states have sanctions they consider reasonable and effective," said Jeanne Mejeur, a policy analyst at the National Conference of State Legislatures in Denver.

"They're saying 'We've done what we can without impinging on people's rights. Now what can we do to get the problem drinker off the road?' " she said.

The years of new legislation, combined with education programs, have changed attitudes and driving behavior to help cut the carnage blamed on alcohol.

In 1982, alcohol accounted for 57.2 percent of the 43,945 traffic fatalities. Last year, drinking played a part in 46 percent of the 39,500 road deaths, according to National Highway Traffic Safety Administration estimates.

Washington state Sen. Adam Smith has proposed a bill to let drivers who drink know that drunken driving doesn't merit any second chances.

"We want to tell them: If you get arrested you'll lose your license. If you're convicted, you'll lose your license plates," he said. "And if you're convicted again, you'll lose your car."

The standard for legal intoxication in 45 states, 0.10 blood-alcohol, translates for a 160-pound man into five drinks within an hour on an empty stomach.

More than a dozen states may lower the legal definition of drunkenness — Pennsylvania from 0.10 blood-alcohol to 0.07, and 13 others from 0.10 to 0.08. Among the five states already set at 0.08 is Oregon, where a bill proposes lowering it to 0.04.

While body size, metabolism and alcohol tolerance make it misleading to say how many drinks produce a 0.08 blood-alcohol level, research shows that level impairs anyone's judgment and reflexes, said Jim Fell, a science advisor at the federal highway safety agency in Washington.

Taking another tack, bills in six states target drinking drivers under 21, threatening yearlong license suspension and community service if their blood-alcohol is 0.02 — which results from about one drink — or, in Indiana, 0.01.

Ignition interlock devices, which keep a car from starting if drivers have alcohol on their breath, are proposed as part of punishment plans in seven states.

Washington's image on dollar bill probably inaccurate

WASHINGTON (AP) — The image of George Washington on the dollar bill in your pocket may be the most familiar likeness of America's first president, but it's probably not the most accurate.

Researchers at Mount Vernon, Washington's colonial home, say that among the numerous likenesses of the first president, the 1796 portrait by Gilbert Stuart, which is the basis for the dollar bill portrait, is one of the least flattering and may be the least similar to the founding father.

"People have this one image burned into their brains, and this is the image they see being made fun of in February, chopping prices with his hatchet," said Ann Rauscher, a spokeswoman at Mount Vernon, now a museum.

In Washington's day, artists clamored to do his portrait, eager to make money by reproducing it, either by hand from the original or on engravings, Rauscher said.

Through the years, painters had Washington standing at his bucolic Mount Vernon estate; at the Battle of Princeton; majestically leading his troops across the Delaware River; or staring intently from Stuart's unfinished canvas.

Charles Willson Peale is credited with the first authentic rendering of the general. He painted seven versions, starting with a 1772 portrait of Washington at 40. His most famous likeness has Washington at the Battle of Princeton in 1779, one hand on his hip, the other on a cannon.

For the most definitive version of Washington, experts suggest the 1784 bust by French sculptor Jean Antoine Houdon. It was commissioned by the General Assembly of Virginia and was based on a life mask made from a plaster mold of Washington's face.

Chances are, that version's in your pocket, too. It's on the U.S. quarter.

Fire injures nine Nashville students

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Nine Vanderbilt University students, including a woman from Houston, were injured Sunday morning in a fire that erupted while they were removing paint from statues outside a fraternity house, university officials said.

One of the students, Robert Tidwell, 19, Atlanta, was in critical but stable condition at Vanderbilt University Medical Center suffering from burns, hospital spokesman Lee Poston said Sunday.

Four other students were listed in fair condition with burns at Vanderbilt, Poston said. They were identified as Mark Burgett, 19, Buffalo Grove, Ill.; Curt "Chip" Lemkau, 20, Short Hills, N.J.; Molly Moore, 18, Houston; and Eric Johnson, 20, Milwaukee.

The remaining four students were treated for burns and released from Vanderbilt, Poston said. Authorities identified the four as Andrew Joiner and Nancy Dorough of Atlanta, David Romanelli of Encino, Calif., and Chris Elston of Fort Wayne, Ind.

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BUSH: Motorists cruise by ex-president's home

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with only two other men, Ms. Coleman said.

Bush has made a few semi-public appearances, joining son Neil at a Houston Rockets-Chicago Bulls basketball game. And his staff scheduled a brief photo opportunity outside his office when Turkish President Turgut Ozal showed up for a visit.

His spokesman Andrew Maner fends off calls from reporters and those seeking luncheon speakers, saying Bush wants his privacy. But Maner reports the former president still receives about 1,500 pieces of mail each day, mostly from well-wishers.

"He has basically been just going over the mounds of mail that we've received," Maner said. "We've just received so many speaking requests, appearances at promotional things, charity things — I think more than any of us expected — hundreds and hundreds. He's trying to attend to as much of that as we can.

Bush also has been "meeting with lots of people," formulating ideas for his and Barbara's future, and spending time on his presidential library to be built at Texas A&M University, about 100 miles northwest of Houston.

Maner said Bush normally is at his office by 8 a.m. and stays until 6 p.m., about the same hours he kept at the White House.

But he has declined to comment on political moves by the Clinton administration or his former cabinet members, emphasizing he wants to remain a private citizen.

"I'm not giving interviews," Bush reminded reporters who showed up for his photo session with Ozal.

Secret Service agents accompany Bush in his silver Cadillac to his office at the Park Laureate, a nine-story building where he occupies the penthouse. The building is a few blocks from the two-story colonial home the couple is renting.

At home, the Bushes are staying next door to longtime friend Jack Fitch on the quiet, horseshoe drive of about 30 homes in west Houston. On a late afternoon, the Bushes' dogs can be heard barking just over the din of construction noises a few doors away.

Robert Koster, owner of Truss Plumbing, was supervising a crew earlier this month as they laid plumbing for the Bushes' new home, now going up on the other side of Fitch's house on a lot the former first family has owned for several years.

"They're super people," Koster said, saying the couple came out to greet him and his crew. "I was so impressed by them, I couldn't even tell you what they said. I was kind of in awe of talking to them. But they were very nice."

The neighbors are getting used to the additional attention, as well.

"It's been a little busier than it used to be, but things have slowed down since they put a stop sign up down the street," said one neighbor who lives a few doors away from the Bushes.

"They just are so quiet, you really don't know they're here," she said, asking that her name not be used. "Well, my girls see them sometimes when they ride their bikes up there and they wave."

Emily Young, 11, said she and her friends have become entrepreneurs since the Bushes joined the neighborhood.

"My friend and I set up a lemonade stand," she said. "But a lot of them (customers) didn't drink the lemonade; they just asked directions (to the Bush house) and they'd pay us for that. One person gave us $2 for a glass of lemonade and directions.

"We made $12," she said proudly.

In the weeks since the Bushes arrived home to yellow ribbons, flags and banners on West Oak South, the bumper-to-bumper drive of curious onlookers has dwindled.

Jim and Shirley Baylan of Katy were only too happy to drive the 20-odd miles to show off the former president's new home when Dallas friends Archer and Fran Dyer visited.

"He was the president of the United States!" Dyer said. "We thought we should come see it. We've asked everybody in town how to get here."

Another woman drove her grandmother from Alabama around the block three times so the older woman could get a good look at the home. Others simply stop and take pictures.

"I think most people think, 'Gosh, the president lives in our city' and they really just want to see where he lives," a neighbor said.

Street construction clogs the main thoroughfare, South Post Oak Lane, that runs alongside West Oak South. Two police officers help guide the flow of traffic through the area.

"Everyone back in the little enclave here thinks this has been delightful," said another neighbor who also requested anonymity. "I think everybody's delighted to have them, but I just hope it hasn't been too much of a hassle for them."

Still, she admits "lots of our friends want to see it, too."

A few doors away, another neighbor who also didn't want to give his name, admitted there has been "too much" traffic since the Bushes arrived. But he quickly added, "It's not his fault.

"And everybody's nice and friendly. Hopefully, the novelty will wear off with the public."

SSC: Report is encouraging, spokesman says

(From 1A)

Russ Wylie, spokesman for the project being built about 30 miles south of Dallas in Ellis County, said he was encouraged by the report.

"If we can get an appropriation at that mark, we will be able to continue to make progress next year," Wylie said. "It reflects a welcome decision by the Clinton administration to not only maintain the super collider but to increase funding for it — signs of real commitment to the project."

Last week, Republican Sen. Phil Gramm suggested that inadequate funding for the collider could force delays that would erode the project's tenuous support in Washington.

"If we go much below $700 million this year, we're probably planting the seeds that in two or three years will kill the super collider," Gramm said during a news conference at the project site.

Krueger was appointed by Gov. Ann Richards to fill the U.S. Senate seat vacated when Lloyd Bentsen accepted a post as Clinton's treasury secretary.

OPEC: Pact remains elusive

(From 1A)

sand barrels a day to 2 million barrels a day.

That would be back to its production level before the seven-month Iraqi occupation. Such a dramatic recovery in a relatively short period of time would be remarkable. Many analysts predict the emirate is producing, at most, about 1.8 million barrels a day.

If a cap were placed on Kuwait's output, it would be the first since the Iraqi invasion. Kuwaiti officials have said the nation needs to pump as much as possible to pay the $50 billion it spent on the war and reconstruction.

Experts: Bees aren't found in New Mexico

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP) — Contrary to news reports, officials have no confirmed cases of any African "killer" bees in New Mexico, a researcher said.

Elba Quintero of the U.S. Department of Agriculture in Harlingen, Texas, said the closest the bees have been found to New Mexico is Crane County, Texas, south of Odessa.

Speakers at an Albuquerque symposium last week said more must be done to educate an anxious public about the bees.

Despite a fierce reputation, the bees have yet to kill anyone in Texas since migrating there from Mexico in October 1990.

Experts agreed the African bees aren't likely to make it far into New Mexico because they would have a hard time adapting to the state's cold winters and high elevations.

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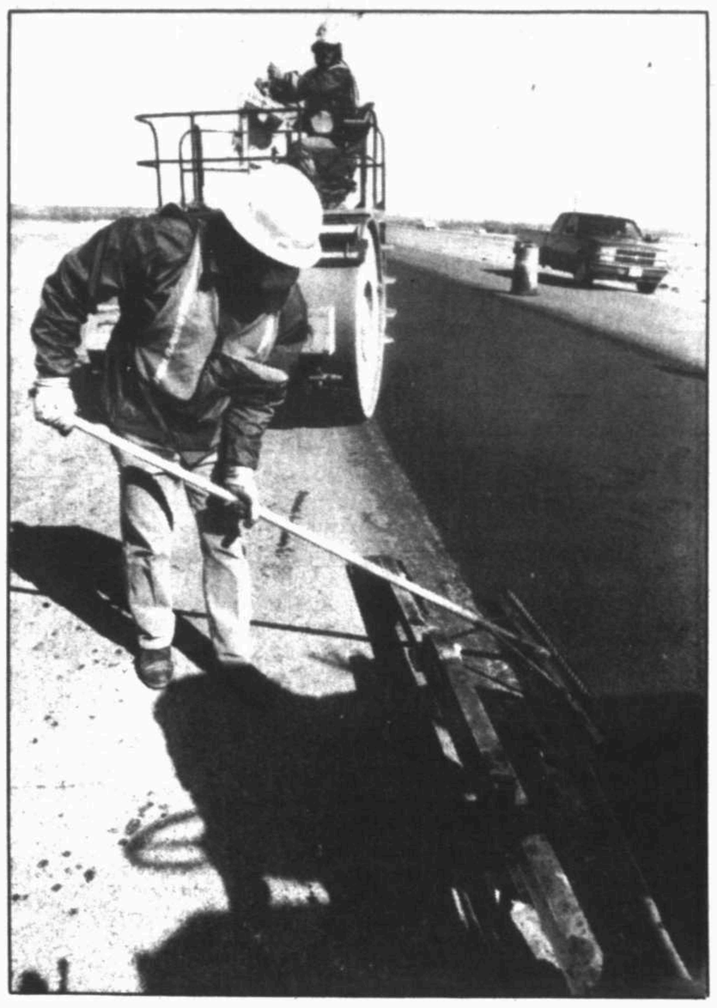

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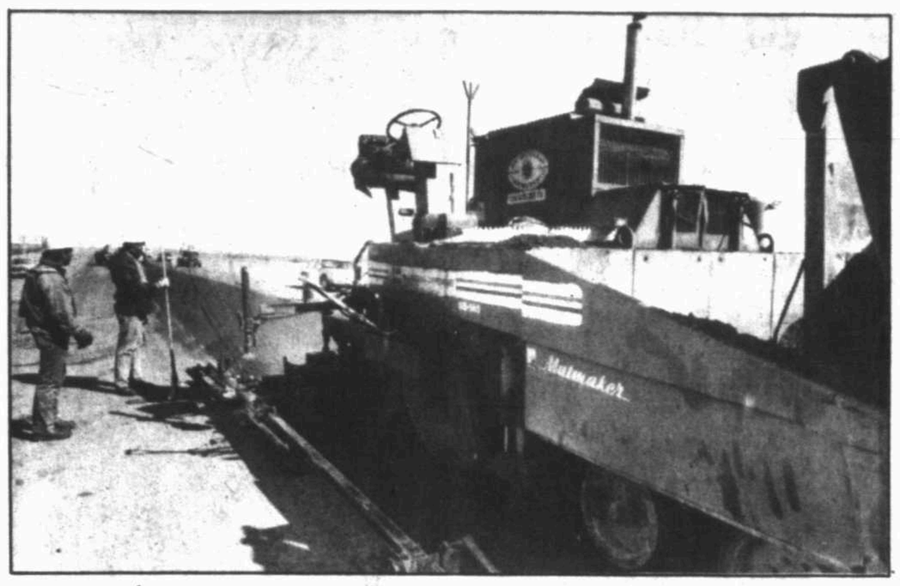

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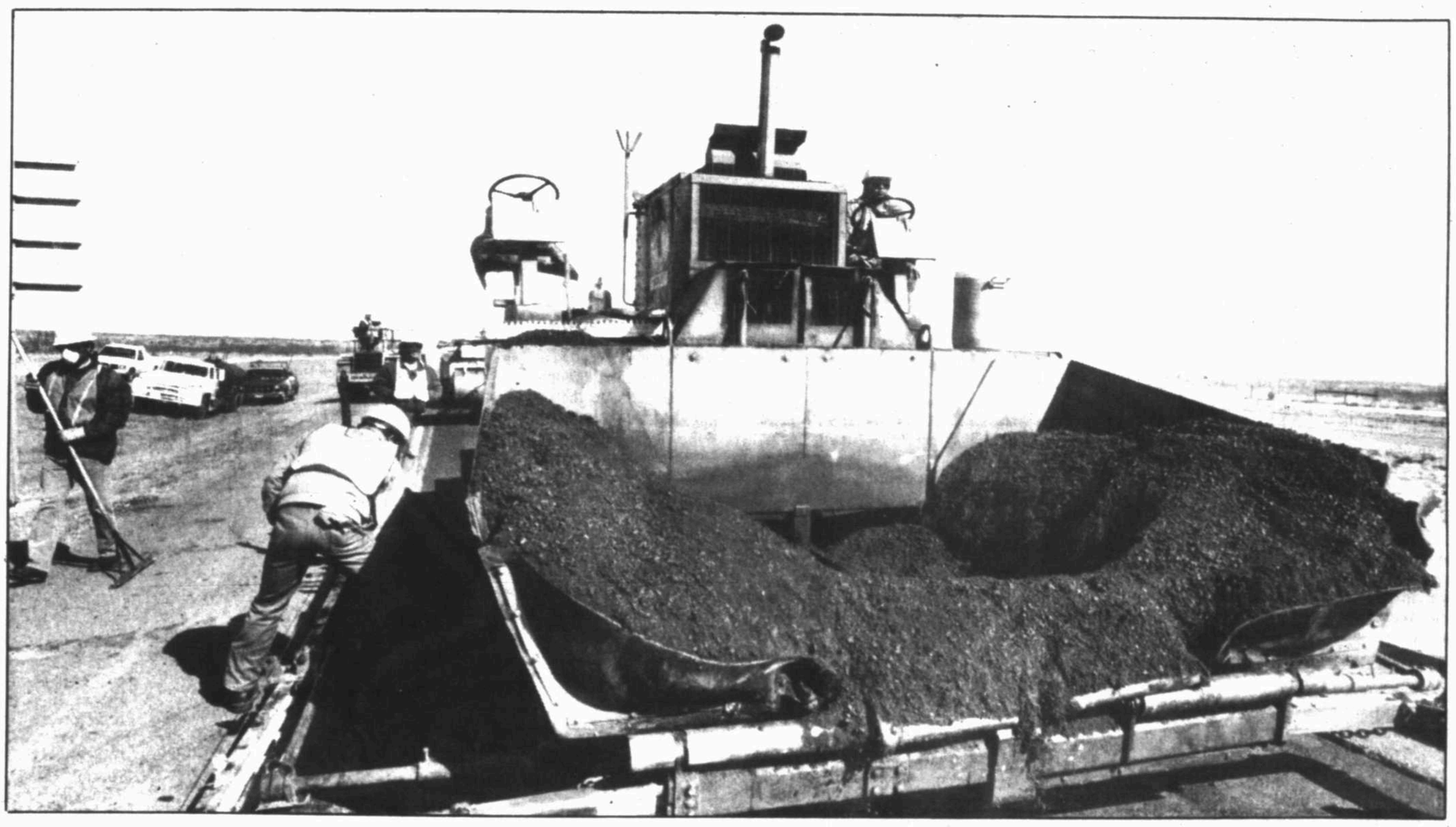

A lay-down machine inches along Interstate 20 during a resurfacing project. The device spreads heated asphalt into place.

Discarded teeth from a rotormill litter the ground. The machine tears up old roadway by pulverizing the asphalt.

Story by Darren J. Waggoner
Photos by Brian Adamcik

Members of the road crew spend each work day tearing up the highway before building a new one.

But the Midland County Interstate 20 repair project will be worth the hassle and inconvenience to drivers, workers say.

Although traffic along stretches of the highway has been relegated to one lane for several weeks, motorists who frequently travel on the road should be patient.

"I would guess by about mid-summer we should be through out here. I don't think it's that much of a pain to drivers. Traffic isn't detoured, it's just slowed for awhile," said Michael Chetty, Midland Area Engineer for the Texas Department of Transportation. "It'll be worth it."

Indeed, the elaborate yet efficient method of modern-day road repair should create an "ever-so smooth" ride for motorists, highway officials said.

Currently about a dozen highway workers work on the highway, slowly dumping hot asphalt onto the road, minutes after hired contractors grind through seven inches of the highway.

After the imposing 25-foot long rotor mill crumbles and sweeps away the asphalt, the "lay down" machine spreads a coarse hot-mix material five inches deep. That overlay is followed with about two inches of a finer hot-mix material to help smooth the surface. Finally, workers will top that off with a "powdery fine" mix.

"We started at Rankin Highway and are about

Please see **CREW**/2B

Ernest Amaya steers a roller over newly-placed asphalt.

State utility bills get longer, more detailed, confusing

By Bob Mahlburg
N. Y. Times News Service

Does your phone bill seem to grow longer every month? Are you baffled by the list of mysterious charges on your electric bill?

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Texas utility bills really are getting longer, with more detailed charges.

Some of the new charges cost you more money. Other items are just a more detailed breakdown of costs you've always paid.

The idea is to let consumers know where their money goes. While some folks probably don't notice or question the charges, others feel confused and ripped off.

What is that "Relay Texas Access Charge" on phone bills? Or the "Universal Service Fund Surcharge?" Those are just a couple of the new charges that have begun arriving in mailboxes in the past year.

Customers such as Roberta Hartman of Sansom Park, get a vague feeling they're getting taken for a ride when they see something like the $6 "customer charge" on their TU Electric bill.

"You cannot just sit back and accept the bill as it comes in," Hartman said angrily. "I'm a single woman. I don't make the kind of money to pay a tack-on bill every time I turn around."

Hartman was still upset about her electric bill, even after learning that the "customer charge" is simply a new way of listing the $6 fee TU Electric has always charged for providing an electric meter.

"That should be their cost of doing business," Hartman fired back. "It should not be reflected in my bill."

Hartman is not alone in her indignation.

"We've gotten complaints here where people say, 'What the hell is this customer charge?'" said Guillermo Garcia of the Texas Public Utility Commission in Austin, which required the customer charge to be listed separately on TU bills.

The TU customer charge doesn't increase customers' costs, Garcia said. But it reflects a growing trend by government regulators to force utilities to spell out charges and "show the customers what they're getting as bang for their bucks," he said.

"The utilities just want to build it all in," Garcia said. "We want people to know there are lots of costs beyond getting juice through the wire."

Garcia conceded that attempts to clarify bills have caused confusion. Charges such as the "Universal Service Fund Surcharge" on phone bills need to be easier to understand, he said, adding that such language is often the result of negotiations between state and utility attorneys.

In simple words, the "Universal Service Fund" helps provide phone service to low-income people who otherwise couldn't afford it. The fee, required by state and federal law, was part of one big charge on phone bills until a year ago, when the PUC ordered all phone companies to show it separately.

Last summer, the commission also began requiring utilities to list franchise taxes that they pay local governments, then pass on to customers. They appear on bills as a "municipal charge." Showing the cost separately lets consumers see when taxes go up, Garcia said. Some critics see the vague wording as hiding the tax and as an unfair way for cities to raise tax money.

Rangerette calls it quits after nearly two decades

By Emily Battle
Associated Press writer

KILGORE — Kilgore College Rangerettes position themselves in Rangerettes Gym. The song "Brand New Day" begins and the young women move swiftly and gracefully displaying their famous predictions.

"They just started that routine this week. Fantastic," director Deana Bolton-Covin, said from her upstairs viewing window as her assistant, Dana Brown, led the group.

"They just learned that today, just today," Mrs. Bolton-Covin said of a portion of the routine. "They are real, real special, very smart and talented. They're the cream of the crop."

Feb. 7, Mrs. Bolton-Covin, 70, retired after about 21 years of work with the 65-member group. Miss Brown, a former Rangerette who has been choreographer and assistant director for 6½ years, becomes director.

The routine to "Brand New Day," an upbeat song from the musical "The Wiz," will be performed during Rangerette Revels, Kilgore College's variety show, to mark the milestone.

Performances, scheduled for April 1-3 on campus, will depict highlights in Mrs. Bolton-Covin's life, from becoming Henderson High School's first drum major to her final year with the Rangerettes.

"The production will be called 'Let Me Entertain You,' because I have been an entertainer since I was born," said Mrs. Bolton-Covin.

"I'm happy because it (retirement) will be the beginning of a new phase in my life but I'm real sad about leaving my friends and associates and all the students at Kilgore College," she said. "It has been one of the greatest experiences of my life."

She became the assistant director in 1972 and in 1979 succeeded Rangerettes founder Gussie Nell Davis as director.

"This lady actually put her life's career and her reputation on the line when she (replaced Mrs. Davis)," said Jeanne Hale, former Kilgore College director of public relations. "After all, where can you go when your group is already at the top?

"She took the risk of falling flat on her face if the Rangerettes diminished in any way. But her answer was to raise the ceiling — make the top a little higher and work to reach a greater level of perfection ... each year making the top a little higher ..."

Mrs. Bolton-Covin, a Henderson native, said she has always been outgoing and energetic and that her mother helped channel her energy and enthusiasm into leadership skills and encouraged her to be a high achiever.

When as a child she took dance lessons, her mother taught piano lessons to pay the expenses. She received an athletic scholarship to Stephen F. Austin State University for twirling and earned bachelor's and master's degrees in physical education. In 1956 she created the Dallas Texas-Anns as halftime entertainment for the Dallas Texans, a professional football team that became the Kansas City Chiefs.

She said having worked under Mrs. Davis was a valuable experience. "The way she taught showmanship and professionalism, she was just a ball of fire. She had lots of energy, much energy."

No one is irreplaceable, she said. "There's always somebody who can take over and do your job. It never crossed my mind that I couldn't (lead the Rangerettes). And when I turn it over to this young lady (Miss Brown), I know the Rangerettes will continue to improve and be better. She knows what to do and will carry on the tradition of making it better."

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Prince stop
Prince Charles, left, shakes hands with Houston Mayor Bob Lanier Sunday after arriving in Houston. Also greeting the Prince is Colonel William R. Parr, on Lanier's right.

CREW: Road repairs continue along I-20

(From 1B)

a quarter of the way finished. We're planning to go all the way to the Ector County line," Chetty said. "Then we're turning around and going back. We'll be hitting the driving lanes all the way around, they are in the worst condition. We'll hit the passenger lane when it's needed."

The road work started about one month ago and is expected to be finished by July.

Rotor mill operator Carlos Barrera, who works for Dustrol Inc. in Kansas, said the machine is the latest fad in road repair.

"It batters up the concrete with hundreds of little 'teeth', we stockpile the concrete, mill it up and run it through a cycle of conveyors," he said. "Finally we shoot an emulsion on it and make it new again. Basically we're recycling pavement."

But pavement recycling locally won't be conducted until a road repair project on Loop 250 later this year, highway officials said.

Texas retailer sells second winning lotto ticket

AUSTIN (AP) — A Central Texas retailer has sold the winning Lotto Texas ticket for the second month in a row, lottery director Nora Linares said Sunday.

The Engelmann Quick Stop of Caldwell, which sold a jackpot winning ticket worth an estimated $3 million on Saturday, also sold the ticket that won $17.6 million for Arjustice Morris of Caldwell in the Jan. 27 Lotto drawing, Mrs. Linares said.

"If it's something in the air, we'll sure keep it," said Gladys Engelmann, who owns the store in Caldwell, about 50 miles northeast of Austin, with her husband, Milton.

"We're sure surprised. You wouldn't think you could hit twice in such a short period of time," she said.

No other details about the winner were immediately released by the lottery office.

The winning numbers drawn Saturday were: 6, 20, 29, 38, 41 and 46.

In addition to the top winner, 82 tickets matched five of six numbers for a prize of $1,975; 3,841 matched four of six numbers for a prize of $154; and 78,072 tickets matched three of six numbers for a prize of $3.

Wet conditions blamed for jet overshooting runway

PORTLAND, Maine (AP) — Slippery conditions left by a winter storm may have caused a Continental Airlines jetliner to overshoot the runway at Portland International Jetport, an airline spokesman said Sunday.

None of the 94 passengers and five crew members aboard the Boeing 737 was injured, and federal investigators who inspected the plane following the incident Saturday afternoon were no longer at the scene Sunday.

"We're just considering it an incident," and investigators did not plan to make any public comment before Tuesday, said Troy Barr, operations officer at the regional headquarters of the Federal Aviation Administration in Burlington, Mass.

Continental flight 5696 from Newark, N.J., had just landed at 3:15 p.m., more than an hour behind schedule, when it slid off the runway. It came to rest in snow about 10 to 15 feet from the end of the pavement.

David Messing, a Continental spokesman in Houston, speculated that slippery conditions left by a snowstorm the previous night, and possibly a tail wind that boosted the landing speed, caused the accident.

He stressed, however, that it was impossible to draw conclusions without more detailed information about conditions at the time.

Airport officials said the runway was bare and wet. The National Weather Service reported that the temperature was around freezing, with a light drizzle falling and one mile of visibility at the time of the accident.

The plane was towed to a parking area near the terminal shortly before 6 p.m. One of its two engines was damaged, apparently by debris that was sucked through the engine during the mishap, Messing said.

"They're looking at having to replace the engine now," he said, adding that airline officials expected the plane to be back in the air by Monday.

Several passengers said the plane landed smoothly but that it quickly became apparent that the aircraft was traveling too fast.

Wife stabs husband with flowers on Valentine's Day

AUSTIN (AP) — Police say a 45-year-old man was treated for a steak knife stab wound he received from his wife after he brought her flowers for Valentine's Day.

The Travis County Sheriff's Department says the man was released from an Austin hospital last night, shortly after being airlifted to the facility for treatment.

Travis County Sgt. G. Dye said the man, whose name has not been released, told authorities he and his wife started arguing about the cost of some Valentine's Day flowers he brought her Saturday night.

"It's definitely an aggravated assault with a deadly weapon," Dye said.

Dye says the department was still investigating the matter Sunday and added that the woman denies stabbing her husband. By Valentine's Day, no charges had been filed by the husband.

LOCAL/AREA REPORTS

■ Bust

Staff report

Two Midland men were arrested in connection with delivery of cocaine early Sunday morning.

According to a police report, Officer R. Flores saw several people setting inside a 1982 green Buick LeSabre in the parking lot of 3312 W. Wall at 12:15 a.m. The officer saw 24-year-old Alfonso Guevara place an item on the front floorboard. The officer found a $5 containing cocaine. Guenvara was arrested for delivery of cocaine and 22-year-old Manuel Quezada was arrested for possession of cocaine.

■ Arrest

A Midland man was arrested after cocaine was found in his vehicle late Saturday night.

According to a police report, Officer Charlie Hall made a traffic stop at 3421 W. Wall at 11:59 p.m. When he made contact with one of the vehicle's occupants, he noticed a small amount of cocaine, less than a gram, in the vehicle.

Patrick Morales, 30, was arrested for possession of cocaine. He had not yet been booked into jail Sunday.

DEATHS

Lillian Miller

SAN ANGELO — Graveside services for Lillian Esther (Colchensky) Miller, 91, of San Angelo are top be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Sunset Memorial Park in Odessa under the direction of Johnson's Funeral Home of San Angelo.

Ms. Miller died Sunday at a San Angelo nursing home.

She was born June 1, 1901, in Iola, Kan. She was the retired operator of the Uniform Shop in Midland and San Angelo.

Survivors include two sons, Jeff Miller of San Angelo and Neil Miller of Bellvue, Wash.; a sister, Fritz Heathcot of Los Catos, Calif.; eight grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

R. Wright Hockey

Services for R. Wright Hockey are to be at 11 a.m. today at St. Luke's United Methodist Church with Dr. Jarrell Sharp officiating. Burial will follow in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Hockey died Friday at a local hospital.

Pallbearers are to be Norman Barker, George Degenfelder, John Higgins, Leland Howard, Reginald Keyes, Alvin Kollaja, David Miller and Paul Weissling.

Memorials may be made to St. Luke's United Methodist Church or the American Cancer Society.

Alvin Touchstone

LUBBOCK — Services for Alvin Touchstone, 81, of Lubbock and brother of Jean Shows of Midland are to be at 2 p.m. today at Southcrest Baptist Church, Wayland Edwards Chapel with the Rev. Wilburn Coffman officiating. Burial will follow in the City of Lubbock Cemetery under the direction of Sanders Funeral Home of Lubbock.

Touchstone died Saturday at a Lubbock hospital.

He was born in Taylor County and moved to Lubbock in 1946. He married Mae Stevens on Dec. 13, 1941, in Vernon.

He was a retired floor covering contractor and owned his own business. He was a member of Southcrest Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mae Touchstone of Lubbock; a son, Jimmy Touchstone of Carrollton; a brother, Daryle Touchstone of Las Vegas; two other sisters, Faye Ferguson of Lubbock and Joy Blanks of Garland; and a grandson.

Pallbearers are to be Bill Tims, Robert Brown, Durwood Hearn, Warren Newcome, Truett Feitz and Maurice Stevenson.

Memorials may be made to the Southcrest Baptist Church Building Fund or the American Cancer Society.

G. Van Valkenburgh

Graveside services for Genie Bliss Van Valkenburgh, 81, of Denver and formerly of Midland are to be at 11 a.m. today at Resthaven Memorial Park with the Rev. Marshall Mason, of Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity, officiating.

Mrs. Van Valkenburgh died last Monday at her residence.

She was born March 11, 1911, in Paris, and graduated from the University of Colorado in 1933. She was the women's and fashion editor for the Cincinnati Post.

She married Jack Edward Bliss in 1934 in Dallas. He died in 1955.

She moved to Midland in 1943 and was active in the Girl Scouts. She married Horace B. Van Valkenburgh in 1960. She was a member of the Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Judith Bliss Marsh, in 1986.

Survivors include her husband, Horace Van Valkenburgh; a son, Robert Bliss of Dallas; and four grandchildren.

Les Massey

Services for Les "Leslie" Paul Massey are to be at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Crestview Baptist Church. Burial will follow in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Massey died Sunday at his residence.

Corwin Tumleson

Services for Corwin "Corky" Tumleson are pending at Ellis Funeral Home.

Tumleson died Sunday at his residence.

Roy Hase

Services for Roy Hase are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

Hase died Saturday at a local hospital.

Earl Sturdivant

Graveside services for Earl Sturdivant are to be at 3 p.m. Wednesday at Fairview Cemetery with the Rev. Bob Porterfield, of West Kentucky Street Baptist Church, officiating. Services are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Sturdivant died Saturday at a Big Spring hospital.

John Clenney

Services for John Irven Clenney are to be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. G.A. Magee, of Belview Baptist Church, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Jim Dillow and William Simpson. Burial will follow in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Clenney died Saturday at his residence.

He was born on Nov. 10, 1914, in Dekalb. He married Lydia Corene White on April 6, 1935.

He worked at Lone Star Defense Plant during World War II and later worked as a carpenter. He move to Midland in 1948. He was a business agent for local carpenters Union No. 1428 from 1973 until his retirement in 1981. He was a charter member of Bellview Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Lydia Corene Clenney of Midland; a daughter, Betty Sue Dillow of Midland; four sisters, Verna Sims and Nora Cooley, both of Dallas, Myrtle Addington of DeQueen, Ark., and Era Pendegrass of Horatio, Ark.; four grandchildren; eight grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to Bellview Baptist Church.

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Capital killer tortured her, young son, ex-wife says

DALLAS (AP) — The former wife of George Lott, the Arlington man sentenced to death for killing two people at a Fort Worth courthouse, says he beat and raped her and tortured their young son.

Margo Livesay, in her first public comments since Lott opened fire in an appeals court last July 1, told The Dallas Morning News in a copyright Sunday story she had tried to alert officials to the danger Lott posed.

"No one should've had to die to prove my point," Ms. Livesay, 43, said recently at her home in Peoria, Ill.

Ms. Livesay claims Lott sodomized her son, now five, with a gun and a knife. She said Lott also subjected the boy to cultlike rituals and threatened to kill him.

Lott was awaiting trial in Peoria on sexual assault charges when he went on his rampage.

Ms. Livesay said she was not surprised to hear of the Fort Worth shootings, in which two attorneys died and three other people were injured. Lott on Saturday was sentenced to death for the killings.

The Fort Worth native said Lott often showed tendencies toward violence.

"I knew he was going to kill me, that's all there was to it," Ms. Livesay said. "I didn't know when, but I was sure I would be in a crowd and a lot of other people were going to die."

The couple lived in Arlington after Ms. Livesay graduated from law school at the University of Texas. Their life became increasingly miserable after their son was born in July 1987, she said.

"The day we came home from the hospital, I entered hell," she said, adding that Lott raped her almost daily.

On Thanksgiving 1987, Lott announced he wanted a divorce, saying he wouldn't contest anything as long as visitation rights to the boy weren't limited, Ms. Livesay said.

"He got real quiet, stood right over me and warned that I better not get in his way," she said. "He made it clear he would kill me. I thought it was about to happen right then."

Lott's anger during the divorce and ensuing custody battle frightened Ms. Livesay enought to seek a protective order, but a judge rejected the request. When two years of court fights ended, Ms. Livesay was given custody of the boy.

She said it was a few weeks later that she noticed signs of sexual abuse on the two-year-old boy after visits with his father. Despite repeated pleas, both the courts and child abuse officials failed to help protect the child, she said.

"George made the courts into a weapon," she said. "If he lost a round, he would file dozens of appeals. If he won, it would only lead him to find another fight."

When Ms. Livesay moved to Peoria in May 1991, Lott would drive 900 miles every other weekend to see the boy. The child returned from visits with red marks on his neck and buttocks, Ms. Livesay said.

The boy told of his father making him drink blood, of forcing him onto the floor and sodomizing him, she said. The boy also described in detail how his father "put a gun up my bottom."

Ms. Livesay finally got help from officials in Illinois, who opened a criminal investigation and arrested Lott on child abuse charges last March. In April, a juvenile court ordered him never to have contact with the boy and to pay for all counseling.

Lott referred to the custody battle and assault allegations when he confessed to the shootings at a Dallas television station.

He said the courts had been unfair and unjust in his custody battle for the boy.

"And if I had to kill somebody else to protect my son, I would do it," he said.

Ms. Livesay is convinced that Lott intended to start his rampage in Peoria rather than Fort Worth. Just minutes before the Tarrant County shootings, Lott had called the clerk in Peoria seeking a new hearing on the custody matter.

Candidate plans anti-abortion campaign ads

DALLAS (AP) — A candidate for Lloyd Bentsen's U.S. Senate seat plans to launch a statewide television campaign this week featuring graphic anti-abortion footage, including dead fetuses.

Businessman Stephen Hopkins of Burnet said he will sue any television station that will not air his ads, which he claims are protected political speech.

"We're going to have a sue-the-media kit ready to go," Hopkins told The Dallas Morning News in Sunday's editions.

Hopkins broadcast similar ads last fall, when he unsuccessfully challenged Democratic Congressman Jake Pickle. An Austin television station initially refused to broadcast the ads but relented under threat of legal action.

The Federal Communications Commission is evaluating its rule regarding such commercials, but a decision is not expected before the May 1 special election. Stations' only current recourse is to run disclaimers advising viewers of footage that may be objectionable.

Hopkins refused to provide financial details, but he said he has enough money to purchase television time across the state starting Monday. He declined to say which markets he would target.

"Until you educate the people about what is going on, nothing is going to change," Hopkins said. "What I'm doing is defining the word 'abortion.'"

Twenty-three abortion opponents in 19 other states have broadcast similar commericials. Development of the technique is credited to Indiana advertising executive Michael Bailey, who won the Republican nomination for a congressional seat last year but lost to Democratic incumbent Lee Hamilton.

Hopkins' commercials, like Bailey's, will include footage of dead fetuses from the video "The Hard Truth," but Hopkins said he has no connection with Bailey or other candidates who have used such ads.

"I've had no contact with any of the other people who have done this same thing," Hopkins said. "When I got the idea, it just fell from heaven."

Even some anti-abortion activists doubt the effectiveness of the ads.

Bill Price, president of Texans United For Life, said the spots may alienate too many people.

"My personal opinion is I don't think these ads are going to move a whole lot of people in our direction," Price said.

Hopkins is one of about a dozen people who say they will challenge interim Sen. Bob Krueger for the seat, which Bentsen vacated to work as President Clinton's treasury secretary.

Report: Texas schools lose to tax exemption

HOUSTON (AP) — Texas schools are losing millions of tax dollars every year because of loophole in a tax law intended to protect family farmers, a newspaper reported Sunday.

More than $64 billion in land has been removed from school property tax rolls because of a provision, commonly called the agriculture exemption, that gives special benefits to farm and ranch land, the Houston Chronicle reported in a copyright story.

And last year, Texas schools lost more than $800 million as a result of the exemption.

A Chronicle investigation showed that the exemption allows many developers and land speculators to pay far less property tax than the average homeowner simply by meeting minimal land-use requirements.

"The joke is all you need to get an ag exemption is one cow and two blades of grass," said Harris County chief appraiser Jim Robinson. "It's a little harder than that, but not much."

For example, Exxon Corp., pays $22.68 for $65,300 worth of property it owns in the Tomball Independent School District. By comparison, a Tomball homeowner with a $65,300 house pays $987.34 in school taxes.

In another case, billionaire Ross Perot's Dallas-based Perot Group owns 15,420 acres to be developed near the Alliance Airport in Fort Worth. If valued at market rates, the Perot Group would pay Northwest Independent School District near Denton more than $750,000. But the company pays $21,300.

But defenders of the provision said they believe any abuse is minimal.

"I don't think it's a loophole," said Texas Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry, who noted that landowners who develop agriculture property must pay five years of back taxes as a penalty. "I think the law the way it is written today is quite adequate."

Mobile dairy classroom brings country to children

By John Churchill
Associated Press writer

SULPHUR SPRINGS — Serendipity is 4 years old. She has short brown hair, and, like most girls her age, loves to be the center of attention. Most of the time, she spends her days hanging around with her many friends near her home.

Serendipity, however, also likes to eat. In fact, she has already shot up to about 850 pounds on a daily diet of 20 pounds of grain, mixed with 20 pounds of grass or hay. Plus, on average, she'll suck down enough water to fill half of a normal-sized bathtub.

Those who know her, though, aren't concerned. Because as far as 4-year-old Jersey milk cows go, Serendipity is about average.

Owned by a local dairyman, she spends most of her time out in the pasture with her many "friends." On other days, however, she climbs into a custom-made trailer, settles into her bed of straw, and waits until she is called upon to "perform."

And as one of the stars of the Southwest Dairy Center's Mobile Dairy Classroom, she is asked to do so several times each week.

With partners Tommy Tucker and Robbie Watson of the Hopkins County dairy museum, Serendipity and company are actually one of the four "classrooms on wheels" from the center that circulate throughout Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, and even parts of Tennessee and Missouri, spreading lessons about milk's source and benefits.

Complete with pick-up trucks, cows and customized trailers containing portable generators and milking machines, the mobile classrooms and their crews put on actual milking demonstrations — including basic bovine anatomy lessons — for wide-eyed school children and their teachers.

"Our goal with the Mobile Dairy Classrooms, is to — hopefully — teach kids about the importance of milk and dairy products in our daily diets," Watson, the program's coordinator said after helping conduct one of three milking demonstrations recently at Cooper Elementary School in Cooper.

"Basically, we're peddling milk," Tucker, the team's narrator and cow handler, added.

And in doing so, they are also providing a real service, Watson says. "Nowadays, it's becoming harder and harder for schools to take field trips. Whether it's money, or insurance, or even a lack of nearby dairy farms, our visits to schools are very important.

"A lot of times, the teachers will plan the whole day around our visit," she said. "They'll have a 'farm day' or a program that will make it special for the kids. Both the children and the teachers seem really excited when we come."

And, aside from fun, they actually seem to learn something, too, Watson said.

"It's amazing to me that the kids really seem to like learning this way," she said. "Some of the questions that they come up with really show that they are thinking and learning."

The best part of her job, Watson says, is taking the classroom to an area where many of the kids have never even seen a cow in person before.

"I just love to do that. To see their faces when they learn where milk really comes from is great."

Suprisingly, she said, most young children — regardless of where they live — have never seen a cow being milked before. "My first year doing this in the Sulphur Springs schools, I took a survey," Watson said. "I found that about 80 percent of local children had never seen a cow being milked. Now, a lot of them had been around cows before and had seen dairies and barns, but they had never actually seen the milk coming out.

"To actually see it in person makes a big difference," she added.

Currently, Watson says, the four Mobile Dairy Classrooms are booked solid until October or November. "It's really gaining in popularity," she said. "Almost all of the schools contact us now. As a result, we've got about a one-year waiting list."

Any schools or organizations wishing to host one of the four Mobile Dairy Classrooms, she said, should contact the Southwest Dairy Center and Museum in Sulphur Springs.

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DEAR ABBY

It's hard to be humble in a pinch

DEAR ABBY: I nearly choked on my breakfast when I read the letter from a Louisiana woman who thinks it's "immoral" for medical personnel to treat the private parts of patients of the opposite sex.

Van Buren

If, as she claims, it is immoral, then all those people who have chosen to be doctors, nurses and medical technicians are immoral and should burn in hell for having healed all those sick people. Right?

To put it another way, if a man had a serious accident and his injuries were between his navel and his knees, and a medically trained woman was the first to arrive at the scene, she should just walk away and let him die?

Or, let us say that if your writer was the accident victim and her injuries were in the pelvic region and there was no female medical practitioner available, would she choose death in order to uphold her moral standards?

I have never read anything as ludicrous as that woman's letter. I hope before she passes away, she will leave instructions with her loved ones to find an all-female mortuary to handle her remains.

If the signature "Shaking my head in disbelief in Nevada" is too long, you may sign me ... SHOCKED IN RENO

DEAR SHOCKED: If you had sat in my chair since 1956, you, too, would be shockproof. I am.

DEAR ABBY: The column you wrote about the importance of writing letters stirred up memories of all those lonely days and nights my husband and I were separated during World War II.

I'm glad you emphasized the importance of writing letters to each other every day. It not only helped to keep us out of trouble, it also paid off with a bonus more precious than you can imagine, because when we finally met again after a long separation, both of us were more at ease because of the daily communication we had during our separation.

My husband was away from me and our three children during the war for 3 1/2 years, with only one short leave at home. When he came home for good, it was as though he had never been away. He knew just what to expect of the children and me, and we also knew what to expect of him.

It was hard for me to understand why so many families had serious problems communicating when their men came home. Then it dawned on me what the difference was: There had been very little communication during the soldier's long absence. Maybe just a few hurried postcards with a few sentences — "Love you ... miss you ... kiss the kids" (from him) — and from her, longer letters, filled with all the problems, sacrifices, hard times and loneliness she was feeling.

The daily letters were the cement that held our family together. — EMILY, TAYLORSVILLE, KY.

DEAR READERS: Who said this? "I stopped believing in Santa Claus when I was 6 years old."

None other than Shirley Temple, who is now Mrs. Charles A. Black and will celebrate her 65th birthday in April.

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

Where's the beef? McDonald's opens franchises in New Delhi

By Arthur Max
Associated Press writer

NEW DELHI, India — McDonald's has been invited to India — but told not to bring its Big Mac.

To sell beef in the land of the sacred cow requires a special license that is granted only to luxury-class hotels catering to foreign tourists.

Beef is taboo to Hindus, who are 82 percent of India's 875 million people. Muslims, who are 12 percent and the country's largest minority, don't eat pork.

So if McDonald's goes ahead with its planned $20 million investment deal, it probably will do what the British-based Wimpy's does.

"Chickenburgers are our hottest item," said the duty manager of the 1½-year-old restaurant on Connaught Place, heart of New Delhi's tourist district.

Wimpy's advertizes its hamburgers as 100 percent lamb. The lentilburger is popular with the vegetarian crowd.

"Most of the flavor is in the ketchup and the sauce anyway," said David Ginsberg, 33, from Huntington, N.Y., a American who has eaten in enough fast food joints to know during a 2½-year bicycle trek around the globe. "So what if there's no beef?"

"These lentilburgers would really sell in the States," said Ginsberg's biking buddy, Donald Mead, 29, of Atlanta, who doesn't eat meat. "This could be the greening of McDonald's."

On Tuesday, the government approved a seven-year investment plan by the multinational, based in Oak Brook, Ill, which would be a joint venture.

The proposal called for a McDonald's subsidiary to directly operate some restaurants while others in the chain would be operated by an unidentified Indian partner or licensee.

Some reports said the firm may put its India project on hold because of the Hindu-Muslim riots that swept the country in December and erupted again last month in Bombay, the nation's cosmopolitan financial capital.

Skeptics complain the reforms are bringing the wrong kind of investments and too many imports of Western-style consumer goods.

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MC's do or die day arrives

■ Tonight's game at Chaparral Center against South Plains will go a long way in determining who advances to the Region V tournament in March.

By Jimmy Patterson
Assistant sports editor

It's an old line, but an applicable one. The Midland College Chaparrals have no one to blame for their current situation except for themselves.

The Chaps have shot themselves into a corner, blowing several opportunities this season because of 32-35 percent field goal shooting.

Now, MC stands on the virtual edge of losing all hope of appearing in the Region V tournament, March 6-10 in Waco.

Lose tonight, and MC is all but out of it. Although mathematically they'd still have a shot, the percentages are heavily against them.

"We've got to win out," MC head coach Steve Green said. "That's the only way. If South Plains would've lost against New Mexico JC, a lot of things could've happened for us to get in. At least now it makes it all easier to figure

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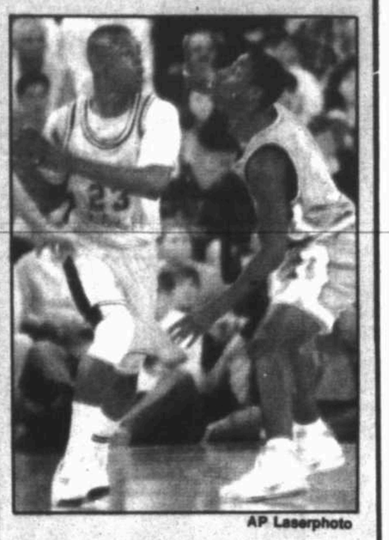

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Georgia Tech guard Matrice Moore, left, and UNC forward George Lynch.

UNC wins 20th

North Carolina's Tar Heel's kept intact a string of 20-victory seasons Sunday afternoon with a 77-66 win over Atlantic Coast Conference rival Georgia Tech. UNC has crossed the 20 win barrier for 23 consecutive seasons. Across the country, Nevada-Las Vegas had its home court winning streak stopped at 59 games with a 90-86 loss to Lousville. Stories/2C; Boxes, scores/3C.

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Sports Today

HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL — Seminole vs. Midland High girls (practice game), 6 p.m., Chaparral Center.

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Top 25

The Top Twenty Five teams in The Associated Press' college basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through Feb. 14, total points based on 25 points for a first-place vote through one point for a 25th-place vote and previous ranking:

	Record	Pts	Pvs
1. Indiana (59)	22-2	1521	1
2. Kentucky	18-2	1351	2
3. North Carolina (1)	20-3	1348	6
4. Arizona (1)	17-2	1305	5
5. Michigan	19-4	1281	4
6. Kansas	20-3	1275	7
7. Duke	19-4	1132	3
8. Cincinnati	19-2	1114	8
9. Florida St.	19-6	1064	10
10. Wake Forest	16-4	1029	9
11. Vanderbilt	19-4	929	11
12. Utah	19-3	724	16
13. Arkansas	16-5	695	14
14. Purdue	15-5	565	18
15. UNLV	16-3	558	12
16. Seton Hall	18-6	538	19
17. Pittsburgh	15-5	529	17
18. Tulane	17-4	467	20
19. Massachusetts	17-4	455	22
20. Iowa	14-6	396	13
21. New Orleans	17-2	278	25
22. Louisville	14-6	226	—
23. Virginia	15-5	197	24
24. Marquette	17-4	178	15
25. St. John's	14-6	172	—

Other receiving votes: Brigham Young 86, Oklahoma 64, Xavier, Ohio 52, Illinois 47, Memphis St. 47, Oklahoma St. 29, Nebraska 25, Boston College 22, Georgia Tech 20, New Mexico St. 19, Michigan St. 17, Minnesota 10, New Mexico 9, Syracuse 9, Southern Meth. 8, George Washington 7, LSU 6, W. Kentucky 6, Miami, Ohio 3, Rice 3, Wisconsin 3, Kansas St. 2, Alabama 1, Manhattan 1, NE Louisiana 1, Washington St. 1.

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TOMORROW . . .

■ A preview of the District 4-5A championship deciding game between the Midland Lee Rebels and Abilene Cooper Cougars, as well as a look at tuesday's MHS-Abilene High game.

■ Results of tonight's game between Midland College and South Plains College.

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

JIMMY PATTERSON

No more fun and games

Patterson

Last month when Midland College visited Levelland, as South Plains College supporters paid to enter the Texan Dome, they were given homemade fans with a blown up picture of MC head coach Steve Green's head glued to a popsicle stick.

The brainchild of SPC sports information director Charlie Ehrenfield, this was done after Green made what Levellanders considered derogatory statements about the West Texas town in an article last year. (Something like "Living in Levelland is like living in 'death warmed over.'" You know, your typical Greenism, no harm intended.)

Anyway, these fans were a great idea. Only problem was after they were

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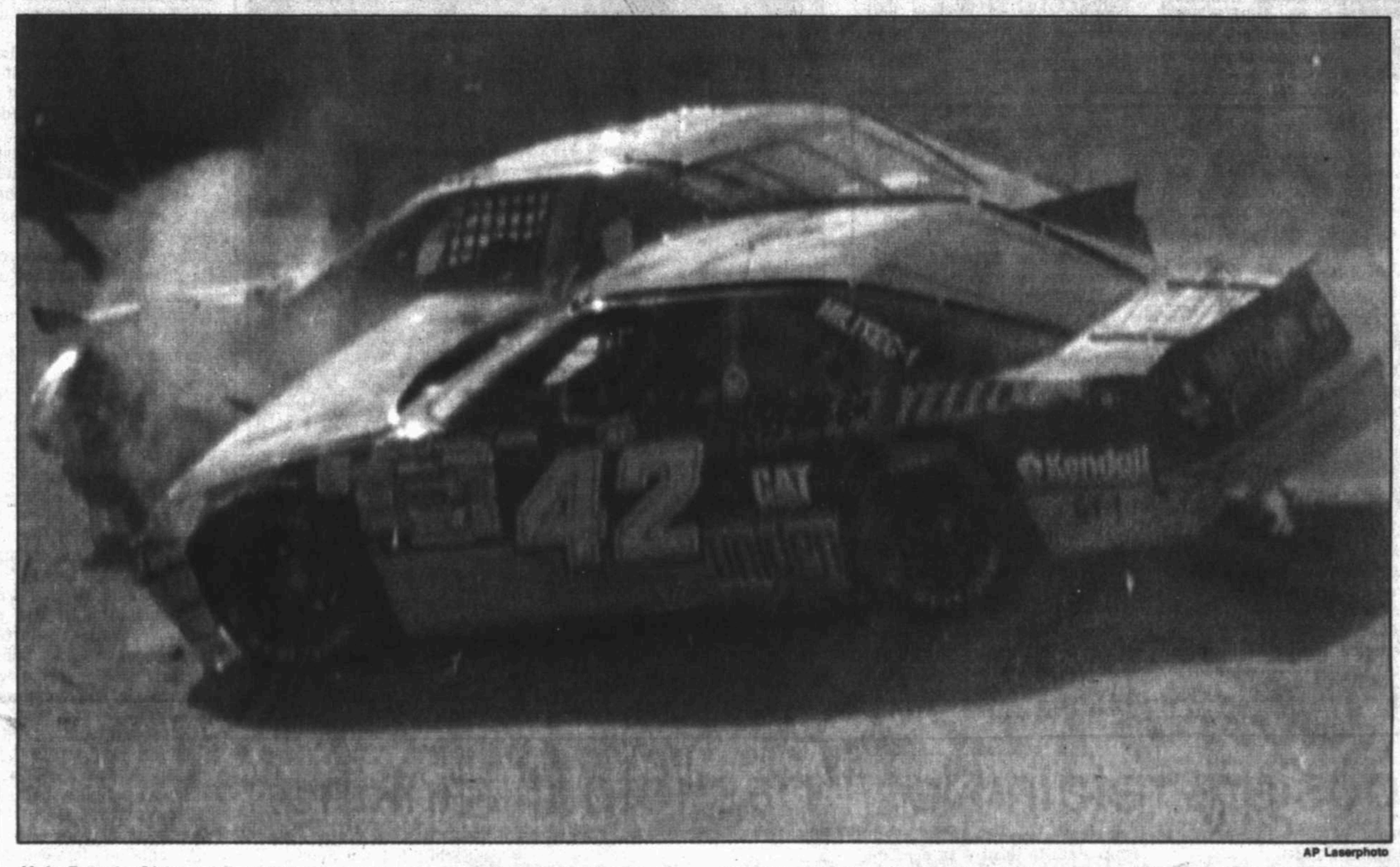
DAYTONA 500



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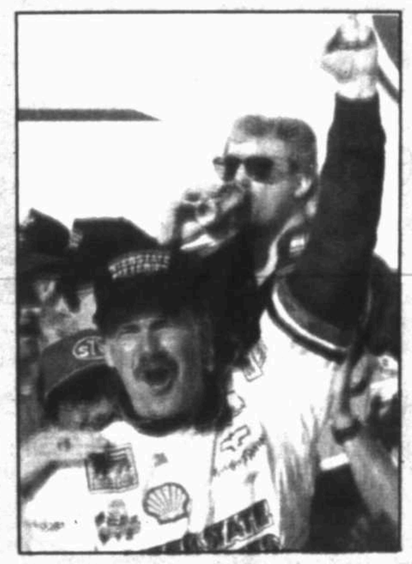
Kyle Petty's Oldsmobile (42) is bumped by a Ford Thunderbird driven by Midland's Bobby Hillin, Jr., during the late stages of Sunday's Daytona 500. The crashed forced Petty, Hillin and NASCAR rookie Al Unser, Jr., out of the race. All three were in contention before the crash.

Dale edges past Dale



Dale Jarrett

Midland's Hillin close until crash

■ Dale Earnhardt comes up short at Daytona once again as Dale Jarrett moves from third to first in the final two laps.

By Joseph Siano
N.Y. Times News Service

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. — On a day when Redskins Coach Joe Gibbs credited a man named Jimmy Johnson with helping his team win the biggest event of the year and a 21-year-old rookie kept his head better than a lot of veterans, there was at least one constant in the Daytona 500 on Sunday.

Dale Earnhardt came into the race strong and went out a loser.

Gibbs, in only his second year as a car owner, saw his driver, Dale Jarrett, win stock-car racing's biggest event with some moves in the last few laps that Gibbs might recommend to his halfbacks.

Jarrett, in third place entering turns three and four of Daytona International Speedway on the 198th of 200 laps, became Mr. Outside. He went high in the banked turns of this two-and-a-half-mile oval, a move he had been feinting for several laps, and passed second-place Jeff Gordon, 21, the rookie who continued his mature driving in Daytona Beach on Sunday.

"My car worked awfully good from the middle of the race track up," Jarrett said later.

Once in second, he turned into Mr. Inside in the 3rd and 4th turns of lap 199. When he got below Earnhardt's Lumina, it upset the aerodynamics on Earnhardt's car, forcing him up high on the banked turn.

Jarrett snuck into the lead going into turns one and two of the last lap and held on to beat Earnhardt by 19-hundredths

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Magic stops Ewing, Knicks in triple OT

Associated Press

ORLANDO, Fla. — Shaquille O'Neal vs. Patrick Ewing was an even match on scoreboard, if not statistically. The

■ **NBA Roundup**

Shaq vs. Anthony Mason and Herb Williams meant victory for the Orlando Magic.

O'Neal took over offensively and defensively after Ewing fouled out Sunday, finishing with 21 points, 19 rebounds and a team-record nine blocked shots as the Magic outlasted New York 102-100 in triple overtime.

The loss ended the Knicks' seven-game winning streak.

Both O'Neal and Ewing were suffering from effects of the flu prior to and during the game.

Ewing dominated the first 48 minutes of the game, but O'Neal, who sat out 16 minutes of the first half because of foul trouble, blocked his potential game-winning shot at the end of regulation. The last time the teams played in Orlando on Jan. 8, O'Neal blocked a last-second shot by Ewing to preserve a one-point victory.

"I had a horrible offensive game," said O'Neal, who hit only 3 of 17 shots in regulation and finished 8 of 25.

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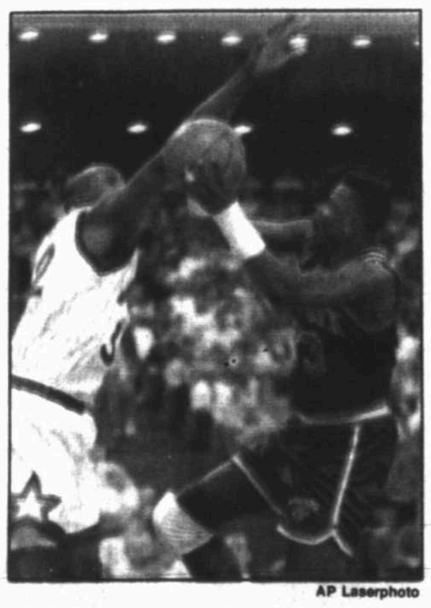

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Orlando's Shaquille O'Neal, left, and New York's Patrick Ewing.

No. 1 Indiana nips Michigan

Associated Press

BLOOMINGTON, Ind. — There was no controversial referee's call needed for Indiana to win this one.

■ **Top 25 Roundup**

All it took was some solid defense and a freshman stepping up to keep the scoring balanced.

Brian Evans scored a season-high 17 points and No. 1 Indiana remained unbeaten in the Big Ten with a 93-92 victory over fourth-ranked Michigan on Sunday, the Hoosiers' 11th consecutive win.

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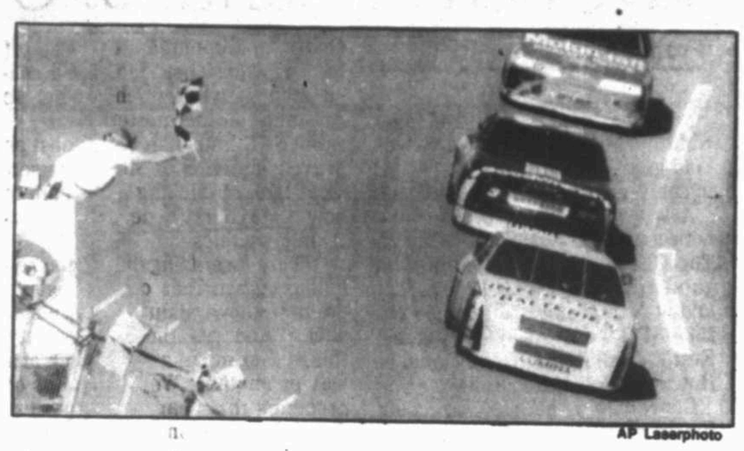
Earnhardt comes up on short end — again



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Dale Jarrett, in lead car, edges by 15-time Daytona 500 also-ran Dale Earnhardt, in second, and Geoff Bodine, in third, at the checkered flag Sunday.

By Steven Wine
AP Sports Writer

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. — The last laps of the Daytona 500 continue to be all uphill for Dale Earnhardt.

With victory near in his sport's biggest race, bad luck again made the man known as "the Intimidator" just another Sunday driver.

This time, Earnhardt's car handled poorly at the finish, and Dale Jarrett passed him on the final lap.

A five-time champion and the all-time leading money winner on the Winston Cup circuit, Earnhardt is now 0-for-15 in the Daytona 500. The 41-year-old driver acknowledged Sunday's setback through clenched teeth.

"I didn't think I had it won," he said. "And I didn't win again, so that's my 15th year. So what the hell? Big deal."

If the race was the Daytona 497, Earnhardt would have two victories. In 1990, a flat tire one mile from the finish cost him a victory.

In two other races, he led in the final 10 laps. He has eight top-five finishes.

This time, his black Chevrolet looked as dominant as ever through most of the race. Earnhardt led for 107 of the 200 laps, including 29 of the final 32. He even survived a brush 100 miles from the finish with the Chevy driven by Al Unser Jr., who was knocked out of the race by the collision.

Jarrett began to make his move with less than 10 miles to go. He passed rookie Jeff Gordon, then started to slip under Earnhardt on the banked track in Turn 3 on the next-to-last lap. Going into Turn 1 the final time around, Jarrett pulled ahead for good.

"He was the strongest engine out there," Earnhardt said. "I was hoping he didn't get by Gordon, but that didn't work. He got under me and got me a little loose in Turns 3 and 4, and there was nothing I could do with it."

At Daytona, when you're loose, you lose. And Jarrett passed the man many drivers supposedly are afraid to pass.

"When you beat Dale Earnhardt at anything, anywhere, any time, you know you've had a good day's work," Jarrett said. "He is without question the best driver that has hit this circuit in a long, long, long time. He just hasn't been able to win this race.

"You almost feel a little sorry for him."

Earnhardt's 500 failures are magnified by his success in other races, including at Daytona International Speedway. During the 1990s, he has won 11 of the 12 non-Winston Cup races he has entered at Daytona. He won three Daytona races this month — the Pole Clash, a 125-mile qualifying race and the Goody's 300 Saturday.

Last year was Earnhardt's poorest in a decade. He won one Winston Cup race and finished 12th in the standings.

TOP 25: Heels compile another 20-win season

(From 1C)

The last win for Indiana (22-2, 11-0 Big Ten) came in double overtime at Penn State on Tuesday night when an admitted blown call by an official allowed the Hoosiers a chance to win it.

Things looked bleak at home against the Wolverines (19-4, 8-3) early as the Hoosiers trailed by 13 in the first half. But Indiana's trademark defense came through as Michigan went without a field goal for 6½ minutes until a last-minute 3-point barrage, including a shot at the buzzer that made the game seem closer than it was.

Two free throws by Jalen Rose with 6:01 to play gave the Wolverines their last lead, 78-76.

Evans, a 6-foot-8 freshman, hit a 3-pointer 10 seconds later to give Indiana the lead for good. Michigan turned the ball over on its next three possessions and Indiana was able to convert on two of them, the last on another 3-pointer by Evans, who had made eight all season.

As Indiana struggled from the foul line in the final minutes making 8 of 12 in the last 1:40, Michigan made four 3-pointers, three by Chris Webber, to keep it close.

Indiana's starting five are all averaging in double figures and four matched that number against Michigan, but Damon Bailey didn't score until the final 1:08 when he made four free throws. Evans stepped up, however, and it was his two free throws with two seconds left that made it 93-89 and made Webber's last 3-pointer at the buzzer for naught.

Calbert Cheaney and Matt Nover each had 20 points for Indiana, while Webber finished with 23.

No. 6 N. Carolina 77, Georgia Tech 66

ATLANTA — Reserve Donald Williams scored 14 of his 21 points in the final 10:38 and No. 6 North Carolina extended its record streak of consecutive 20-victory seasons to 23 by beating Georgia Tech.

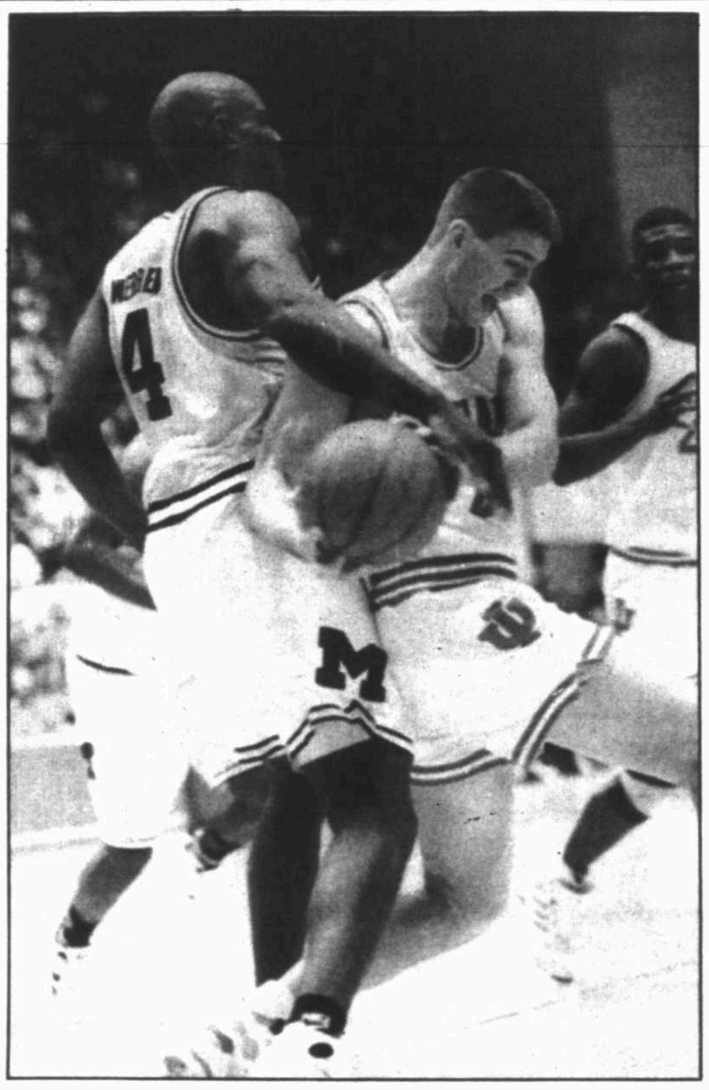
The Tar Heels, who trailed by nine late in the first half, broke away from a tie at 59 with 8:43 left by going on an 18-4 run.

The victory enabled the Tar Heels to tie Florida State for first place in the Atlantic Coast Conference.

Louisville 90, No. 12 UNLV 86

LAS VEGAS — It took Louisville's big men to put an end to UNLV's big home court winning streak.

Dwayne Morton scored 27 points and Clifford Rozier added 19 as the Cardinals dominated inside to take a win and snap the nation's longest home winning streak at 59 games.



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Michigan's Chris Webber, left, reaches in for a steal against Indiana's Matt Nover.

CRASH: Mishap takes out Petty, Hillin, Unser

(From 1C)

of a second. Geoff Bodine was third and Hut Stricklin fourth, both in Ford Thunderbirds, and Gordon held on for fifth in a Chevy. The top five all finished within a few car lengths of each other.

"I noticed that Earnhardt was starting to get a little bit loose off of four," Jarrett said of his decision to go by Earnhardt on the turn's low side.

"We touched a little bit coming off of four," Jarrett said. "Then Geoff Bodine got in behind me and gave me the push I needed going into one."

Jarrett's Chevrolet Lumina had the power to make those moves because Gibbs' team buys engines from Hendrick Motorsports, whose general manager, Jimmy Johnson (no, not the one in Dallas), advised Gibbs when he decided to start a racing team.

"When I called him up and told him who I was, he said, 'Is this really Joe Gibbs?' " Gibbs said. "And I said, 'I can't believe I'm talking to Jimmy Johnson.' "

Jarrett, 36, who lives in Hickory, N.C., is the son of Ned Jarrett, a two-time NASCAR champion who never won this race.

The winner's father was one of the announcers on CBS' race telecast. Ned Jarrett said that when his son took the lead, Bob Stenner, the producer of the telecast, told him to show his emotions. "He said, 'Root him on, root him on,' " Jarrett said. And he did.

Jarrett won $238,200. His average speed was 154.972 mph.

It was a tightly contested race all day, with 38 lead changes among 13 drivers. But Jarrett's car came into its own, crew chief Jimmy Makar said, after four tires were changed and a small chassis adjustment was made on lap 130.

"The change made the car too loose," Makar said, meaning the back end wanted to come up on the banking, "but it was awful fast, too. So Dale just changed his driving style."

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Despite Petty's anger, Hillin, wearing helmet, said of the crash's aftermath, "He was upset ... we'll just let it slide."

On lap 157, Al Unser Jr. lost control when, he said, Earnhardt clipped him in a traffic jam coming out of turn 4. Unser collided with Bobby Hillin Jr., who slid across the vast grassy area separating the frontstretch from the pit lane.

Hillin said his brakes were useless as he slid on the damp grass and back onto the track, into Petty's path. But Petty didn't seem to buy that. He climbed out of his car and waved a finger in Hillin's face, in full view of the packed grandstands. Hillin tried to defend himself, but Petty at one point flipped Hillin's helmet visor back down disdainfully.

The two shoved briefly on the pit lane, after which Petty hopped aboard a police motorcycle and took refuge inside his team's transporter.

"I had no control over where I was sliding," Hillin said. "He was upset. We'll just let it slide."

Hoosiers retain No. 1 basketball ranking

Associated Press

Indiana, which took a commanding lead in the Big Ten, was two votes short of being the unanimous No. 1 team on Sunday night.

The Hoosiers (22-2) won both their games last week, a controversial road win at Penn State and an impressive home win over Michigan. They got 59 of the 61 first-place votes cast by a nationwide panel of writers and broadcasters.

Kentucky (18-2) held second despite splitting its games this week while North Carolina (20-3) moved from sixth to third with a pair of wins. North Carolina also got a first-place vote.

Arizona (17-2), which has the nation's second longest current winning streak at 15, moved up one spot to fourth and was the other team to receive a No. 1 vote.

Michigan (19-4) dropped one spot to fifth with the loss to Indiana and Kansas moved up one to sixth after beating Oklahoma State and Missouri. Duke (19-4), which lost at home to Wake Forest, fell from third to seventh and was followed in the Top Ten by Cincinnati, Florida State and Wake Forest.

While the Top Ten teams remained the same from last week, there were two new members in the bottom.

Louisville (14-6), which ended UNLV's 59-game home winning streak on Sunday, jumped in at No. 22. The Cardinals were ranked early in the season but dropped out with a 2-4 start.

St. John's (14-6), the preseason No. 9 pick in the Big East that is currently leading that conference, comes at No. 25 after beating Providence and Boston College last week.

Vanderbilt led the Second Ten and was followed by Utah, Arkansas, Purdue, UNLV, Seton Hall, Pittsburgh, Tulane, Massachusetts and Iowa, which dropped seven spots from last week.

New Orleans was up to 21st and was followed by Louisville, Virginia, Marquette and St. John's.

Boston College (13-7) dropped from the rankings after dropping road games to Miami and St. John's. The Eagles, who were 21st, have to play at Pittsburgh on Tuesday.

Kansas State (15-5) was in at No. 23 for just one week.

NBA: Gill helps Hornets' hot streak continue

(From 1C)

"But I think I did the other things pretty good, blocked some shots and rebounded, and we won. That's what it's all about."

Six of O'Neal's blocks came in the overtimes, including the rejection of John Starks' jumper at the end of the second five-minute overtime period.

O'Neal also drew the sixth foul on Ewing and sank two free throws, making it 90-90 with 13.7 seconds left in the first overtime. The game went into the second overtime when Greg Anthony missed a jumper and Mason traveled after grabbing the rebound.

"I didn't think I fouled him. He turned into me," said Ewing, whose Knicks have the best record in the Eastern Conference, but have lost two of three games to O'Neal's Magic.

Charlotte 117, Detroit 107

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — Kendall Gill scored a season-high 27 points and had 10 rebounds as the Charlotte Hornets defeated the Detroit Pistons for their third straight victory.

The Hornets, winners of seven of their last eight games, also got 24 points, 13 rebounds and six blocks from Alonzo Mourning, 22 points from Larry Johnson and 13 points, 10 assists and eight rebounds from Muggsy Bogues. They improved to 26-21, the first time the club has ever been five games over .500.

After trailing by as many as 23 in the first half and 21 in the third quarter, Detroit cut Charlotte's lead to 94-86 with 6:30 left on Mark Aguirre's jmup shot.

Nets 117, Heat 111, OT

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. — Drazen Petrovic scored eight of his 34 points in overtime as the New Jersey Nets rallied for an overtime victory over the Miami Heat.

The win was the Nets' fifth straight at home and their fourth overtime victory of the season. Miami is winless in six OT decisions.

Clippers 96, Trail Blazers 86

PORTLAND, Ore. — Danny Manning scored 22 points and Ron Harper had 21 as the Los Angeles Clippers beat Portland, extending the Trail Blazers' longest home losing streak since 1989 to four games.

The Blazers, who had beaten the Clippers in Los Angeles 111-104 two nights earlier, shot just 37 percent from the field Sunday and were 1 for 8 from 3-point range.

Warriors 114, Bullets 94

OAKLAND, Calif. — Jud Buechler scored 17 points and Sarunas Marciulionis and Tyrone Hill added 15 each to lead Golden State to over Washington.

It was Golden State's second straight win after eight straight losses. The Bullets have lost three in a row.

Lakers 135, Hawks 96

INGLEWOOD, Calif. — Byron Scott scored 17 of his 24 points in the first half as the Lakers took a 31-point halftime lead and went on to rout Atlanta 135-96 Sunday night for their most lopsided victory of the season.

Kite win at Hope Classic record-setting

Associated Press

LA QUINTA, Calif. — Tom Kite played 90 holes better than anyone ever did before and scored a six-stroke victory Sunday in a record-setting performance in the Bob Hope Classic.

The 43-year-old U.S. Open champion had 37 birdies and two eagles in the five-day tournament and set a PGA Tour record for 90 holes at 325.

That's a dizzying 35-under-par and four better than the old 90-hole record of 329 set by Andrew Magee and D.A. Weibring in the 1991 Las Vegas Invitational.

Saving his best for the last, Kite closed the greatest scoring binge of his 22-year PGA Tour career with a course record, 10-under-par 62 on the Arnold Palmer course at PGA West. It included a decisive 29 on the back nine.

"I don't think there's any question about it," Kite responded when asked if this was the best he'd ever played.

He closed it out with birdies on the last four holes, marching up the 18th fairway to a standing ovation from the gallery that included the 89-year-old host comedian.

Hope, a life-long golfer, wore a dazed expression and pursed his lips in amazement at Kite's front-running exploits that left the rest of the field strung out far, far back.

Rick Fehr, with Kite among the playoff losers for this title a year ago, shot 67 and matched the old tournament scoring record of 331.

"It doesn't matter what you do when you run into a buzz saw," Fehr said. "My hat's off to him. I just wish he'd picked another week to do it."

Kite held a one-stroke advantage when the day's play started.

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SPORTS SCOREBOARD

TABC Poll

WACO, Texas (AP) — The Texas high school basketball poll, as compiled by the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches:

BOYS

Class 5A
1. Temple (30-0)
2. Sugarland Willowridge (31-2)
3. Fort Worth Dunbar (27-4)
4. Converse Judson (28-3)
5. Beaumont West Brook (28-3)
6. Galena Park North Shore (28-5)
7. Houston Milby (26-5)
8. Lufkin (25-3)
9. Killeen Ellison (27-4)
10. Midland Lee (27-4)

Class 4A
1. Lancaster (27-2)
2. Austin Anderson (29-2)
3. Port Arthur Lincoln (25-4)
4. Wilmer-Hutchins (31-3)
5. Dallas Lincoln (26-3)
6. Pampa (22-5)
7. Wichita Falls (27-1)
8. Cleveland (24-4)
9. Waco University (24-7)
10. Corpus Christi Flour Bluff (27-3)

Class 3A
1. Brownfield (29-1)
2. Decatur (27-2)
3. Perryton (26-3)
4. Waco LaVega (21-5)
5. Hearne (28-3)
6. Fairfield (22-6)
7. Hardin-Jefferson (24-5)
8. Ferris (22-5)
9. Madisonville (22-8)
10. Rockport-Fulton (24-5)

Class 2A
1. Krum (30-1)
2. Edgewood (28-1)
3. Troup (26-5)
4. Holliday (26-2)
5. Amarillo Highland Park (24-2)
6. Liberty Hill (24-6)
7. Memphis (23-3)
8. Hale Center (23-5)
9. Nevada Community (26-2)
10. San Saba (23-6)

Class A
1. Laneville (26-2)
2. Anderson-Shiro (25-2)
3. Avinger (25-3)
4. Brock (27-3)
5. Ponder (24-2)
6. Trenton (25-4)
7. Moulton (26-5)
8. Lipan (26-4)
9. Eula (26-1)
10. Petersburg (22-8)

GIRLS

Class 5A
1. Duncanville (32-0)
2. Conroe (29-1)
3. Amarillo High (28-1)
4. Pflugerville (28-0)
5. Converse Judson (29-2)
6. Houston Cypress Creek (28-3)
7. Irving (29-3)
8. San Marcos (27-1)
9. Rosenburg Terry (25-0))
10. Del Rio (26-3)

Class 4A
1. Levelland (25-5)
2. Canyon Randall (23-4)
3. Mesquite Poteet (24-6)
4. Dallas Highland Park (24-2)
5. Austin LBJ (26-4)
6. Corpus Christi Calallen (27-5)
7. A&M Consolidated (28-3)
8. Austin Westlake (22-8)
9. Paris North Lamar (26-3)
10. Waco Midway (28-6)

Class 3A
1. Canyon (24-4)
2. Barbers Hill (30-4)
3. Fredericksburg (27-2)
4. Dripping Springs (28-3)
5. Dimmitt (27-3)
6. Brownsboro (28-3)
7. Slaton (27-4)
8. Abilene Wylie (26-3)
9. Southlake Carroll (23-4)
10. Winnsboro (22-6)

Class 2A
1. Hamilton (24-3)
2. Abernathy (24-6)
3. Cross Roads (28-3)
4. Lovelady (28-3)
5. Wall (26-4)
6. Panhandle (21-5)
7. Marion (27-4)
8. Spearman (24-3)
9. McGregor (22-6)
10. Jacksboro (25-5)

Class A
1. Celeste (28-1)
2. Brock (26-2)
3. Moulton (27-4)
4. Sudan (25-4)
5. Nazareth (20-7)
6. Happy (23-7)
7. La Poynor (28-2)
8. Guthrie (31-1)
9. Muenster (28-1)
10. Karnack (25-4)

Top 25 Boxes

Indiana 83, Michigan 92

MICHIGAN (19-4)
Webber 8-14 4-11 22, Jackson 6-10 1-3 13, Howard 5-8 5-5 15, Rose 4-9 4-4 14, King 6-9 0-0 16, Pelinka 2-3 0-0 6, Voskuil 1-1 0-0 3, Riley 1-2 0-0 2, Talley 0-1 0-0 0, Fife 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 33-57 14-23 92.
INDIANA (22-2)
Cheaney 7-17 5-7 20, Henderson 4-11 4-7 12, Nover 8-11 4-5 20, Graham 6-9 2-2 16, Bailey 0-2 4-6 4, Reynolds 0-0 0-1 0, Evans 4-11 6-10 17, Leary 2-3 0-0 4, Knight 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 31-64 25-38 93.

Halftime—Michigan 46, Indiana 44. 3-Point goals—Michigan 12-22 (King 4-6, Webber 3-5, Pelinka 2-3, Voskuil 1-1, Jackson 0-1, Howard 0-1, Talley 0-1), Indiana 6-12 (Evans 3-6, Graham 2-3, Cheaney 1-2, Henderson 0-1). Fouled out—Jackson, Rose. Rebounds—Michigan 30 (Webber 11), Indiana 38 (Cheaney 9). Assists—Michigan 21 (Webber, King 6), Indiana 13 (Cheaney 4). Total fouls—Michigan 29, Indiana 17. A—17,269.

Louisville 90, UNLV 86

LOUISVILLE (14-6)
Smith 7-10 0-0 14, Rozier 7-13 3-7 17, Morton 9-17 8-11 29, LeGree 2-4 0-2 4, Minor 3-10 2-2 9, Rodgers 0-0 0-0 0, Brewer 3-7 2-2 10, Webb 0-1 1-2 1, Hopgood 3-7 0-1 6. Totals 34-69 16-27 90.
UNLV (16-3)
Gray 7-16 1-2 16, Boney 4-15 4-4 13, Rider 13-24 3-3 31, Manuel 4-5 3-3 11, D.Thomas 3-7 0-2 6, L.Thomas 0-0 0-0 0, Gibson 3-5 0-2 9, Haygood 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 34-72 11-16 86.

Halftime—Louisville 49, UNLV 37. 3-Point goals—Louisville 6-15 (Morton 3-6, Brewer 2-5, Minor 1-4), UNLV 7-26 (Gibson 3-5, Rider 2-7, Gray 1-3, Boney 1-9, Manuel 0-1, Thomas 0-1). Fouled out—Gray. Rebounds—Louisville 44 (Smith, Rozier, Morton 8), UNLV 38 (Rider 11). Assists—Louisville 20 (LeGree 8), UNLV 19 (Boney 6). Total fouls—Louisville 18, UNLV 21. A—17,207.

UNC 77, Ga. Tech 66

NORTH CAROLINA (20-3)
Rodl 1-2 0-0 3, Lynch 3-8 1-2 7, Montross 4-8 4-5 12, Phelps 5-8 2-2 13, Reese 4-9 0-0 9, Sullivan 0-4 4-6 4, Williams 8-15 2-4 21, Salvadori 4-7 0-0 8, Wenstrom 0-0 0-0 0, Calabria 0-0 0-0 0, Cherry 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 29-61 13-19 77.
GEORGIA TECH (12-6)
Moore 2-9 0-0 4, Forrest 7-12 4-5 18, Mackey 2-7 3-3 7, Best 6-12 3-3 17, Barry 4-7 2-2 13, Hill 1-4 3-4 5, Newbill 1-2 0-0 2, Balanis 0-0 0-0 0, Harlicka 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 23-53 15-17 66.

Halftime—Georgia Tech 38, North Carolina 31. 3-Point goals—North Carolina 6-13 (Williams 3-7, Phelps 1-1, Rodl 1-2, Reese 1-2, Sullivan 0-1). Georgia Tech 5-13 (Barry 3-4, Best 2-3, Newbill 0-1, Hill 0-2, Moore 0-3). Fouled out— Lynch. Rebounds—North Carolina 34 (Montross 9), Georgia Tech 33 (Forrest 17). Assists—North Carolina 18 (Phelps 7), Georgia Tech 13 (Barry 6). Total fouls—North Carolina 19, Georgia Tech 18. Technical—Georgia Tech coach Cremins. A—9,922.

Milan Tennis

MILAN, Italy (AP) — Results Sunday in the $800,000 Muratti Time indoor tennis tournament at the Milan Forum (seeds between parentheses):

Boris Becker (2), Germany, def. Sergi Bruguera, Spain, 6-3, 6-3.

NBA Roundup

Standings

All Times CST

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	32	16	.667	—
New Jersey	29	21	.580	4
Boston	26	22	.543	6
Orlando	23	22	.511	7½
Philadelphia	18	29	.383	13½
Miami	16	31	.340	15½
Washington	15	34	.306	17½
Central Division				
Chicago	33	17	.660	—
Cleveland	32	19	.627	1½
Charlotte	26	21	.553	5½
Atlanta	24	25	.490	8½
Indiana	22	27	.449	10½
Detroit	20	28	.417	12
Milwaukee	19	29	.396	13
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
San Antonio	32	14	.696	—
Utah	31	17	.646	2
Houston	28	21	.571	5½
Denver	20	28	.417	13
Minnesota	11	34	.244	20½
Dallas	4	43	.085	28½
Pacific Division				
Phoenix	36	10	.783	—
Seattle	31	17	.646	6
Portland	29	16	.644	6½
LA Lakers	26	22	.542	11
LA Clippers	25	24	.510	12½
Golden State	22	29	.431	16½
Sacramento	17	31	.354	20

Sunday's Games
Orlando 102, New York 100, 3OT
Charlotte 117, Detroit 107
New Jersey 117, Miami 111, OT
LA Clippers 96, Portland 86
LA Lakers 135, Atlanta 96
Golden State 114, Washington 94

Monday's Games
Sacramento at Chicago, 2:30 p.m.
Indiana at Cleveland, 5 p.m.
Denver at Miami, 6:30 p.m.
Utah at Minnesota, 7 p.m.
Charlotte at Milwaukee, 7:30 p.m.
San Antonio at LA Clippers, 9:30 p.m.

Boxes

Hornets 117, Pistons 107

DETROIT (107)
Woolridge 3-10 1-1 7, Mills 10-24 2-3 22, Polynice 5-7 1-2 11, Dumars 3-9 3-4 10, Thomas 4-8 0-0 8, Newbern 7-11 1-2 15, Laimbeer 3-5 1-2 7, Young 2-5 0-0 4, Aguirre 8-12 4-6 23, Randall 0-2 0-0 0. Totals 45-93 13-20 107.
CHARLOTTE (117)
Johnson 10-16 2-4 22, Wingate 1-3 0-0 2, Mourning 9-15 6-7 24, Bogues 5-10 3-4 13, Gill 9-17 8-9 27, Curry 6-15 5-5 19, Gattison 1-3 0-0 2, Newman 1-5 2-2 4, Gminski 1-1 0-0 2, Bennett 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 44-86 26-31 117.

Detroit	**26**	**23**	**21**	**37—107**
Charlotte	**33**	**35**	**18**	**31—117**

3-Point goals—Detroit 4-12 (Aguirre 3-4, Dumars 1-4, Newbern 0-1, Young 0-1, Thomas 0-2), Charlotte 3-5 (Curry 2-4, Gill 1-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Detroit 45 (Mills 11), Charlotte 57 (Mourning 13). Assists—Detroit 26 (Woolridge 5), Charlotte 28 (Bogues 10). Total fouls—Detroit 22, Charlotte 23. Technicals—Laimbeer, Detroit coach Rothstein, Charlotte illegal defense. Ejection—Laimbeer. A—23,698.

Nets 117, Heat 111

MIAMI (111)
Rice 4-18 2-2 11, Long 12-20 7-8 31, Salley 5-9 5-6 15, Smith 3-10 0-0 6, Shaw 5-7 2-5 12, Miner 9-15 6-8 24, Coles 3-6 2-2 8, Geiger 0-1 0-0 0, Askins 0-1 0-0 0, Kessler 2-2 0-0 4. Totals 43-89 24-31 111.
NEW JERSEY (117)
Morris 1-6 2-2 4, Coleman 3-13 6-6 12, Bowie 6-8 4-4 16, Petrovic 12-18 10-10 34, Anderson 7-17 8-10 22, Dudley 0-3 0-0 0, King 6-12 1-1 13, Robinson 2-4 2-6 6, Mahorn 0-1 6-6 6, Brown 2-3 0-0 4.Totals 39-85 39-45 117.

Miami	**27**	**30**	**27**	**19 — 111**
New Jersey	**20**	**27**	**31**	**25 — 117**

3-Point goals—Miami 1-9 (Rice 1-5, Long 0-1, Shaw 0-1, Smith 0-2), New Jersey 0-4 (Coleman 0-1, Anderson 0-1, Petrovic 0-2). Fouled out—Petrovic. Rebounds—Miami 47 (Long 9), New Jersey 58 (Coleman 10). Assists—Miami 15 (Smith 9), New Jersey 22 (Anderson 10). Total fouls—Miami 33, New Jersey 27. A—16,299.

Magic 102, Knicks 100

NEW YORK (100)
Oakley 2-6 2-4 6, Smith 2-8 0-2 4, Ewing 14-29 6-8 34, Starks 10-36 4-5 26, Anthony 4-10 2-6 10, Mason 1-6 8-12 10, H.Williams 1-6 0-0 2, Rivers 1-2 0-0 2, Campbell 3-9 0-0 6, Davis 0-2 0-0 0. Totals 38-116 22-37 100.
ORLANDO (102)
Bowie 5-11 0-0 11, Tolbert 5-13 1-2 11, O'Neal 8-25 5-10 21, Skiles 4-12 5-5 14, Anderson 8-26 6-12 24, Kite 0-0 0-0 0, Royal 2-6 11-14 15, Catledge 0-0 0-0 0, Kerr 2-3 2-2 6, B.Williams 0-1 0-0 0, Turner 0-2 0-0 0.Totals 34-99 30-45 102.

NY	**15**	**19**	**20**	**25 — 100**
Orl	**21**	**18**	**19**	**21 — 102**

3-Point goals—New York 2-11 (Starks 2-9, Anthony 0-1, Oakley 0-1), Orlando 4-10 (Anderson 2-5, Bowie 1-2, Skiles 1-2, Tolbert 0-1). Fouled out—Ewing, Smith, Oakley, Tolbert. Rebounds—New York 103 (Oakley 18), Orlando 70 (O'Neal 19). Assists—New York 26 (Starks, Anthony 8), Orlando 21 (Anderson 7). Total fouls—New York 33, Orlando 30. Technicals—O'Neal, Starks. A—15,151.

Clippers 96, Blazers 86

LA CLIPPERS (96)
Manning 7-18 8-11 22, J.Williams 5-8 0-1 10, Roberts 9-18 2-4 20, Harper 8-13 3-3 21, M.Jackson 7-12 0-0 14, Grant 1-4 1-2 3, Vaught 1-8 0-0 2, Vandeweghe 1-4 2-2 4, Conner 0-1 0-0 0, Woods 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 39-86 16-23 96.
PORTLAND (86)
Kersey 4-12 0-0 8, B.Williams 1-4 0-0 2, Duckworth 4-11 2-4 10, Drexler 6-16 2-4 14, Porter 3-11 2-4 8, Robinson 5-12 3-4 13, Bryant 2-6 1-2 5, Strickland 3-8 10-10 16, Elie 4-6 1-1 10, Rudd 0-1 0-0 0, Smith 0-0 0-0 0.Totals 32-87 21-29 86.

LA Clippers	**29**	**19**	**28**	**20—96**
Portland	**27**	**20**	**21**	**18—86**

3-Point goals—Los Angeles 2-7 (Harper 2-5, M.Jackson 0-1, Grant 0-1), Portland 1-8 (Elie 1-1, Robinson 0-1, Strickland 0-1, Drexler 0-2, Porter 0-3). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Los Angeles 57 (Manning 10), Portland 60 (Drexler 11).

Lakers 135, Hawks 96

ATLANTA (96)
Wilkins 6-13 3-3 17, Willis 6-13 2-2 14, Koncak 6-8 0-2 12, Augmon 4-9 3-4 11, Blaylock 1-8 0-0 2, Ferrell 4-8 2-3 10, Graham 1-4 1-2 3, Foster 2-5 1-2 5, Henson 0-4 1-2 1, Keefe 3-4 6-7 12, Rasmussen 0-2 0-0 0, Mays 4-10 0-0 9. Totals 37-88 19-27 96.
LA LAKERS (135)
Green 7-11 0-0 15, Worthy 5-10 0-0 10, Perkins 4-6 1-2 9, Scott 10-17 3-3 24, Threatt 7-12 2-2 16, Divac 5-7 4-4 14, Campbell 7-12 3-4 17, Smith 8-12 0-0 16, Cooper 3-5 0-2 6, Blackwell 3-4 2-2 8.Totals 59-96 15-19 135.

Atlanta	**22**	**16**	**31**	**27— 96**
LA Lakers	**36**	**33**	**34**	**32—135**

3-Point goals—Atlanta 3-11 (Wilkins 2-4, Mays 1-3, Blaylock 0-1, Ferrell 0-1, Henson 0-2), Los Angeles 2-7 (Green 1-1, Scott 1-3, Worthy 0-1, Perkins 0-1, Divac 0-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Atlanta 47 (Willis 8), Los Angeles 53 (Divac 13). Assists—Atlanta 25 (Henson 8), Los Angeles 40 (Cooper 11). Total fouls—Atlanta 20, Los Angeles 19. Technical—Graham. A—16,219.

Warriors 114, Bullets 94

WASHINGTON (94)
Gugliotta 7-11 2-2 16, Johnson 1-4 2-2 4, Ellison 7-12 4-8 18, Adams 2-11 0-0 4, Grant 2-6 0-0 4, Jones 0-0 2-2 2, Smith 3-5 0-0 6, Price 1-5 0-0 2, Stewart 8-10 1-2 17, MacLean 4-10 7-8 15, Chapman 1-2 0-0 2, Burtt 1-4 2-2 4. Totals 37-80 20-26 94.
GOLDEN STATE (114)
Gatling 6-14 2-2 14, Hill 6-11 3-3 15, Alexander 6-14 1-2 13, Hardaway 6-13 0-2 12, Marciulionis 5-12 5-5 15, Houston 1-6 6-6 8, Sprewell 4-11 4-4 12, Buechler 7-11 3-4 17, Higgins 4-9 0-0 8.Totals 45-101 24-28 114.

Washington	**18**	**29**	**23**	**24— 94**
Golden State	**28**	**32**	**31**	**23—114**

3-Point goals—Washington 0-4 (Price 0-1, Burtt 0-1, Adams 0-2), Golden State 0-10 (Gatling 0-1, Buechler 0-1, Hardaway 0-2, Houston 0-2, Sprewell 0-2, Higgins 0-2). Fouled out—Smith. Rebounds—Washington 50 (Gugliotta 8), Golden State 59 (Gatling 12). Assists—Washington 32 (Gugliotta 7), Golden State 25 (Hardaway 9). Total fouls—Washington 22, Golden State 25. Flagrant fouls—Marciulionis, 7:14 third. A—15,025.

College Basketball

Men's Scores

EAST
Carnegie-Mellon 78, Brandeis 72
Kings Point 86, Yeshiva 65
Rutgers 90, St. Joseph's 81
Scranton 104, Delaware Val. 56
SOUTH
E. Tennessee St. 76, Citadel 54
Georgia Southern 92, Appalachian St. 84
Memphis St. 79, DePaul 57
North Carolina 77, Georgia Tech 66
Pembroke St. 82, Columbus 68
Randolph-Macon 78, Emory & Henry 63
Tn.-Chattanooga 83, Marshall 69
W. Carolina 84, VMI 51
MIDWEST
Indiana 93, Michigan 92
Miami, Ohio 59, Ohio U. 54
FAR WEST
California 86, Stanford 61
Louisville 90, UNLV 86
UCLA 97, Oregon 90

Women's Scores

EAST
Buffalo 80, Cent. Connecticut St. 62
Carnegie-Mellon 59, Brandeis 51
Hartford 76, Drexel 72
Miami 69, Connecticut 51
Penn St. 94, Indiana 69
Vermont 77, Delaware 55
Wilkes 80, Juniata 48
SOUTH
Georgia Southern 76, W. Carolina 72
James Madison 78, N.C.-Wilmington 63
North Carolina 80, Canisius 51
Pembroke St. 77, Columbus 69
Richmond 61, East Carolina 60
Tennessee 71, Georgia 68
VMI 8, N. Carolina A&T 4
MIDWEST
Cleveland St. 78, W. Illinois 69
Iowa 77, Illinois 58
Kansas St. 67, Iowa St. 43
Michigan St. 81, Wisconsin 67
Nebraska 66, Kansas 52
Ohio St. 72, Purdue 61
SOUTHWEST
Oklahoma 64, Oklahoma St. 55
Trinity 62, Hendrix 52
TOURNAMENT
Marymount Invitational Championship
Marymount 97, Frostburg 67
Third Place
Emmanuel 89, Keane 78

College Baseball

SOUTHWEST
Lamar 7, Nicholls St. 2
St. Edwards 9, Trinity 7
Texas 5, Cal-State Fullerton 1
Texas A&M 6, Washington 5
SOUTH
New Orleans 7, Air Force 2
Nova 12, Tampa 8
Rollins 3, Florida Atlantic 0
South Florida 9, Stetson 8
VMI 8, N. Carolina A&T 4
Valdosta St. 9, St. Leo 4
W. Carolina 10, N.C. Charlotte 6

Ski Report

New Mexico

Angel Fire—0 new, powder-packed powder, 62-66 base, 62 trails.

Pajarito Mt—0 new, packed powder, 55-70 base, 34 trails.

Red River—0 new, powder-packed powder, 84-84 base, 51 trails, 30k cross country.

Sandia Peak—0 new, powder-packed powder, 55-55 base, 25 trails.

Santa Fe—0 new, packed powder-powder, 110-110 base, 37 trails.

Sipapu—0 new, powder-packed powder, 37-37 base, 19 trails.

Ski Apache—1 new, powder-packed powder, 57-57 base, 750 acres, snowing

Snow Canyon—0 new, powder-packed powder, 10-20 base, 20 trails.

Taos—0 new, packed powder-powder, '87-87 base, 72 trails, groomed.

Colorado

Arapahoe Basin—1 new, powder-packed powder, 58-56 base, 490 acres, 61 trails.

Arrowhead—0 new, powder-packed powder, 39-39 base, 13 trails.

Aspen—2 new, powder-packed powder, 56-63 base, 631 acres.

Aspen Highlnds—3 new, powder, 58-70 base, 546 acres.

Beaver Creek— new, powder-packed powder, 57-75 base, 1050 acres.

Breckenridge—2 new, powder-packed powder, 51-59 base, 1600 acres.

Buttermilk—4 new, powder-packed powder, 45-50 base, 410 acres.

Copper Mt—1 new, packed powder-powder , 49-52 base, 1360 acres, 25k cross country.

Crested Butte—0 new, packed powder, 58-87 base, 1250 acres.

Cuchara Vly—0 new, packed powder, 33-33 base, 175 acres.

Eldora Mt—0 new, powder-packed powder, 35-35 base, 275 acres.

Keystone—1 new, powder-packed powder, 49-56 base, 1767 acres, 88 trails.

Loveland—0 new, powder-packed powder, 60-60 base, 836 acres.

Monarch—1 new, powder-packed powder, 65-71 base, 650 acres.

Mountain Cliffe—0 new, packed powder, 32-32 base, 40 percent.

Powderhorn—0 new, powder-packed powder, 60-67 base, 210 acres.

Purgatory—0 new, packed powder, 72-72 base, 692 acres, 18k cross country.

Silvercreek—0 new, powder-packed powder, 45-45 base, 208 acres.

Ski Cooper—0 new, powder-packed powder, 36-46 base, 360 acres.

Ski Sunlight—0 new, powder-packed powder, 54-59 base, 360 acres, 30k cross country.

Snowmass—2 new, powder-packed powder, 57-70 base, 2500 acres.

Steamboat—0 new, powder-packed powder, 66-84 base, 2526 acres.

NHL Standings

All Times EST

WALES CONFERENCE

Patrick Division	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Pittsburgh	37	15	5	79	241	184
Washington	28	22	6	62	230	204
New Jersey	27	24	4	58	198	195
NY Rangers	24	24	9	57	222	220
NY Islanders	25	25	6	56	230	205
Philadelphia	19	28	9	47	214	228
Adams Division						
Montreal	35	18	6	76	240	191
Quebec	30	18	9	69	230	205
Boston	31	22	5	67	231	206
Buffalo	29	22	6	64	246	200
Hartford	15	37	4	34	180	256
Ottawa	7	48	4	18	134	277
CAMPBELL CONFERENCE						
Norris Division						
Chicago	32	20	8	72	205	166
Detroit	31	21	7	69	254	201
Minnesota	29	21	8	66	202	190
Toronto	27	22	8	62	191	174
St. Louis	25	25	8	58	199	205
Tampa Bay	19	35	4	42	180	216
Smythe Division						
Vancouver	32	16	8	72	246	173
Calgary	31	19	7	69	227	191
Winnipeg	25	26	6	56	207	219
Los Angeles	24	25	7	55	221	239
Edmonton	21	29	8	50	166	215
San Jose	7	48	2	16	152	286

Sunday's Games
New Jersey 5, Philadelphia 2
San Jose 3, Winnipeg 2
Quebec 3, Edmonton 2, OT
Buffalo 7, Pittsburgh 4
Boston 3, Tampa Bay 3, tie
Toronto 6, Minnesota 5
Detroit 5, Chicago 3

Monday's Games
St. Louis at New York Rangers, 12:10 p.m.
Vancouver at Los Angeles, 3:10 p.m.

Tuesday's Games
Edmonton at New York Islanders, 6:40 p.m.
Philadelphia vs. Calgary at Cincinnati, 6:40 p.m.
Washington at San Jose, 9:40 p.m.

NHL Summaries

Devils 5, Flyers 2

New Jersey	**4**	**0**	**1—5**
Philadelphia	**1**	**0**	**1—2**

First Period—1, New Jersey, MacLean 14 (Richer, Driver), 1:05 (pp). 2, New Jersey, Richer 21 (Nicholls, Driver), 2:35 (pp). 3, New Jersey, Lemieux 20 (Semak, Stevens), 4:08 (pp). 4, Philadelphia, Beranek 7 (Evans), 10:20. 5, New Jersey, Nicholls 12 (Niedermayer), 11:32.
Second Period—None.
Third Period—6, New Jersey, Richer 22 (MacLean), 1:58. 7, Philadelphia, Recchi 34 (Brind'Amour, Lindros), 8:53 (pp).
Shots on goal—New Jersey 12-5-9—26. Philadelphia 12-13-8—33.
Goalies—New Jersey, Terreri, 11-14-2 (12 shots-11 saves). Billington (0:00 second, 21-20). Philadelphia, Soderstrom, 9-10-5 (26-21).

Nordiques 3, Oilers 2

Quebec	**0**	**1**	**1—3**
Edmonton	**0**	**2**	**0—2**

First Period—None.
Second Period—1, Quebec, Ricci 18 (Sundin, Nolan), 1:27 (pp). 2, Edmonton, Klima 22 (Benning, Corson), 6:56 (pp). 3, Edmonton, Tikkanen 9, 8:15.
Third Period—4, Quebec, Sakic 35 (Ricci, Duchesne), 11:07 (pp).
Overtime—5, Quebec, Sundin 28, 2:28.
Shots on goal—Quebec 5-15-10-1—31. Edmonton 7-12-14-0—33.
Goalies—Quebec, Fiset, 6-6-3 (33 shots-31 saves). Edmonton, Ranford, 12-24-6 (31-28).

Sharks 3, Jets 2

San Jose	**2**	**1**	**0—3**
Winnipeg	**0**	**1**	**1—2**

First Period—1, San Jose, Kisio 15 (Garpenlov, T.Pederson), 18:56 (pp). 2, San Jose, Garpenlov 12 (Gaudreau, Kisio), 19:13 (pp).
Second Period—3, Winnipeg, Selanne 45 (Barnes), 16:05. 4, San Jose, Kisio 16 (Gaudreau), 19:24.
Third Period—5, Winnipeg, Bautin 4 (Borsato, King), 15:56.
Shots on goal—San Jose 8-14-5—27. Winnipeg 16-9-12—37.
Goalies—San Jose, Irbe, 3-9-0 (37 shots-35 saves). Winnipeg, Tabaracci, 4-8-0 (27-24).

Bruins 3, Lightning 3

Boston	**0**	**2**	**1**	**0—3**
Tampa Bay	**1**	**2**	**0**	**0—3**

First Period—1, Tampa Bay, Tucker 13 (Beers, Hamrlik), 7:33 (pp).
Second Period—2, Boston, Featherstone 5 (Reid, Leach), 1:59. 3, Tampa Bay, Andersson 7 (Tagliaretti, Cole), 13:20. 4, Boston, Juneau 24 (Oates, Bourque), 15:49; 5, Tampa Bay, Kontos 27 (Tucker, Bergland), 18:54.
Third Period—6, Boston, Leach 19 (Roberts, Poulin), 14:22.
Overtime—None.
Shots on goal—Boston 10-11-10-1—32. Tampa Bay 13-8-9-1—31.
Goalies—Boston, Blue, 6-5-2 (31 shots-28 saves). Tampa Bay, Young, 5-12-1 (32-29).

Sabres 7, Pens 4

Pittsburgh	**3**	**0**	**1—4**
Buffalo	**1**	**3**	**3—7**

First Period—1, Pittsburgh, Jagr 22 (McEachern, Wreggett), 1:31. 2, Pittsburgh, Francis 15 (Jennings, Mullen), 6:32. 3, Pittsburgh, Francis 16 (Stevens, Mullen), 11:13. 4, Buffalo, Ledyard 2 (Bodger, LaFontaine), 15:23 (pp).
Second Period—5, Buffalo, Mogilny 55 (LaFontaine), 3:02. 6, Buffalo, Khmylev 12 (Wood, Smehlik), 6:46. 7, Buffalo, LaFontaine 36 (Ledyard), 17:58 (pp).
Third Period—8, Buffalo, Presley 11 (Sweeney, Sutton), 2:54. 9, Buffalo, Presley 12 (Bodger, Sweeney), 11:58. 10, Pittsburgh, Mullen 17 (Stevens, Francis), 14:20. 11, Buffalo, Mogilny 56 (Bodger), 18:27 (en).
Shots on goal—Pittsburgh 22-5-19—46. Buffalo 9-17-11—37.
Goalies—Pittsburgh, Wregget, 10-7-2 (36 shots-30 saves). Buffalo, Fuhr, 16-11-4 (46-42).

Leafs 6, Stars 5

Toronto	**1**	**2**	**3—6**
Minnesota	**3**	**2**	**0—5**

First Period—1, Minnesota, Modano 24 (Courtnall, Casey), 3:08 (pp). 2, Toronto, Osborne 9, 3:53 (sh). 3, Minnesota, Courtnall 25 (Sjodin, Modano), 5:00 (pp). 4, Minnesota, Modano 25 (Berry), 9:38.
Second Period—5, Minnesota, Dahlen 24, 7:07. 6, Toronto, Berg 12 (Gilmour), 9:49. 7, Minnesota, Gagner 21 (Craig, Tinordi), 11:23 (pp). 8, Toronto, Gill 8 (Ellett, Gilmour), 12:32 (pp).
Third Period—9, Toronto, Osborne 10 (Borschevsky, McLlwain), 5:24. 10, Toronto, Gilmour 22 (Gill, Ellett), 15:02 (pp). 11, Toronto, Gill 9 (Zezel, Osborne), 19:20.
Shots on goal—Toronto 13-14-13—40. Minnesota 12-10-3—25.
Goalies—Toronto, Puppa, 12-5-4 (25 shots-20 saves). Minnesota, Casey, 19-14-4 (40-34).

Wings 5, Hawks 3

Detroit	**2**	**2**	**1—5**
Chicago	**1**	**2**	**0—3**

First Period—1, Detroit, Lidstrom 2 (Yzerman), 6:12. 2, Chicago, Noonan 11 (Chelios, Ruuttu), 11:36 (pp). 3, Detroit, Yzerman 42 (Burr, Cheveldae), 16:34 (sh).
Second Period—4, Detroit, Racine 7 (Yzerman, Ciccarelli), :58; 5, Chicago, Larmer 32 (Roenick, Kravchuk), 11:14. 6, Chicago, Matteau 11 (K.Brown, Roenick), 11:47. 7, Detroit, Yzerman 43 (Racine, Gallant), 15:39.
Third Period—8, Detroit, Yzerman 44 (Sillinger, Racine), 15:07.
Shots on goal—Detroit 13-11-4—00. Chicago 12-8-9—29.

Daytona 500

Finish

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Results of Sunday's Daytona 500, with starting position in parentheses, residence, type of car, laps completed, reason out, if any, prize money and winner's average speed in miles per hour:

1. (2) Dale Jarrett, Conover, N.C., Chevrolet Lumina, 200, $238,200, 154.972 mph.
2. (4) Dale Earnhardt, Doolie N.C., Chevrolet Lumina,200, $181,825.
3. (6) Geoff Bodine, Julian, N.C., Ford Thunderbird, 200, $141,450.
4. (18) Hut Stricklin, Calera, Ala., Ford Thunderbird, 200, $95,950.
5. (3) Jeff Gordon, Charlotte, N.C., Chevrolet Lumina, 200, $111,150.
6. (23) Mark Martin, Jamestown, N.C., Ford Thunderbird, 200, $74,625.
7. (32) Morgan Shepherd, Conover, N.C., Ford Thunderbird, 200, $62,350.
8. (7) Ken Schrader, Concord, N.C., Chevrolet Lumina, 200, $64,025.
9. (14) Sterling Marlin, Columbia, Tenn., Ford Thunderbird, 200, $54,225.
10. (22) Wally Dallenbach Jr., Greensboro, N.C., Ford Thunderbird, 200, $49,125.
11. (19) Terry Labonte, Archdale, N.C., Chevrolet Lumina, 200, $47,750.
12. (31) Rick Mast, Rockbridge Baths, Va., Ford Thunderbird, 200, $43,375.
13. (30) Jimmy Spencer, Mooresville, N.C., Ford Thunderbird, 200, $42,130.
14. (13) Lake Speed, Kannapolis, N.C., Ford Thunderbird, 200, $36,930.
15. (33) Ted Musgrave, Troutman, N.C., Ford Thunderbird, 200, $38,975.
16. (28) Michael Waltrip, Davidson, N.C., Pontiac Grand Prix, 200, $37,305.
17. (20) Brett Bodine, Harrisburg, N.C., Ford Thunderbird, 200, $36,585.
18. (26) Darrell Waltrip, Franklin, Tenn., Chevrolet Lumina, 200, $40,415.
19. (39) Jim Sauter, Necedah, Wis., Ford Thunderbird, 199, $28,645.
20. (25) Bobby Labonte, Trinity, N.C., Ford Thunderbird, 199, $29,685.
21. (37) Harry Gant, Taylorsville, N.C., Chevrolet Lumina, 199, $36,780.
22. (16) Phil Parsons, Lake Norman, N.C., Chevrolet Lumina, 199, $30,525.
23. (24) Kenny Wallace, Concord, N.C., Pontiac Grand Prix, 199, $27,820.
24. (17) Chad Little, Charlotte, N.C., Ford Thunderbird, 198, $27,965.
25. (29) Jimmy Horton, Conc

CALVIN AND HOBBES

HAGAR THE HORRIBLE

FUNKY WINKERBEAN

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YOUR HOROSCOPE

By Jeane Dixon

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1993

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: You can expect to make giant strides forward in career or business. A strong sense of purpose enables you to triumph over any temporary setbacks. In midsummer, you may be tempted to take on too many projects at one time. Do not let your commendable desire to lend a helping hand lead you to overextend yourself. By November, a longtime romantic relationship could be in turbulent waters. Remain calm and it will soon be smooth sailing again!

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: feminist Susan B. Anthony, actresses Jane Seymour and Claire Bloom, singer Melissa Manchester.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): A positive attitude and renewed sense of purpose help you achieve a long-sought goal. Financial hurdles will be lifted soon. Consult your mate or business partner.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Handle paperwork and bookkeeping today. Your intuition is excellent. Follow a hunch and you will benefit financially. Avoid aggravating situations if you can.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): An unusual financial scheme may be a success. Your mate or partner provides valuable support. A friendship could be in jeopardy. Move quickly to mend any broken fences.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Be certain to fulfill your obligations to an older person. Someone who has been out of touch recently may suddenly reappear. Entertaining at home proves more relaxing and less expensive than going out.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Your skill at dealing with authority figures and cutting through red tape is impressive. Do not let an associate's financial problems become your own.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): A speculative venture or new romance could drain funds you should preserve. Practical thinking saves money and impresses VIPs. Draw the line between showing compassion and becoming a door mat.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Guard against pointless arguments and careless financial mistakes. Your intuition has told you that there is a better way — meditation now reveals it.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Financial moves and pacts could fall short. New undertakings are best postponed. To protect you and yours from loss, weigh every detail and proposed expenditure.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Projects that are important to you can be done in a private space where there is little interference. Your thinking is sharp. Romance could turn sticky.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): You may feel upset about a recent decision. Calm yourself and you will soon be back on the inside track. Higher profits, interesting purchases and friendly talks are featured.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Concern for your reputation drives you to turn in the performance of a lifetime. People are drawn to you. Day trips could be more productive than week-long business travel.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Doing your work in a hurry is fine if you focus on one thing at a time and complete each task. A former employer could make you a very attractive offer.

(For your personalized daily Jeane Dixon horoscope, based on your own date of birth, call 1-900-988-7788. Your phone company will bill you 95 cents a minute.)

GOREN BRIDGE

With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

ANSWERS TO WEEKLY BRIDGE QUIZ

Q.1—East-West vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠K1065 ♡6 ◇85 ♣J76432
The bidding has proceeded:

North	East	South	West
3 ♠	Dbl	?	

What action do you take?
A.—It's dollars to donuts that the opponents can make a slam in hearts or diamonds, so it is simply a matter of what you can do to deter them from bidding it. A jump to five spades is a red cape that surely will spur them to such heights. The choice lies between pass, in the hope they don't get there under their own steam, and four spades to make them think you have some cards. We prefer the latter.

Q.2—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠K7652 ♡8 ◇98643 ♣72
Partner opens the bidding with one heart. What do you respond?
A.—When partner opens with a minor suit, we strive to keep the bidding alive when we hold a five-card major. That is not necessary when partner has opened in a major, especially when we are short in that suit. Pass.

Q.3—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠Q95 ♡AK6 ◇74 ♣Q10954
The bidding has proceeded:

North	East	South	West
1 ♡	Pass	2 ♣	Pass
2 ◇	Pass	?	

What do you bid now?
A.—You have excellent support for partner's first suit, but that doesn't mean that you should drive to game by jumping to three hearts. The ace and king of hearts have already been taken into account for your two-over-one response, so all you can do now is take a preference to two hearts.

Q.4—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠AKJ65 ♡AKJ5 ◇7 ♣K92
The bidding has proceeded:

South	West	North	East
1 ♠	Pass	2 NT	Pass
?			

What do you bid now?
A.—Probability of slam is high—if a fit can be located. Otherwise, game might be all that's in the cards. The first step should be a bid of three hearts. That will uncover a four-card heart fit or three-card spade support with partner.

Q.5—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠Q76 ♡AK8 ◇A5 ♣AQ984
The bidding has proceeded:

South	West	North	East
1 ♠	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
2 NT	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
?			

What action do you take?
A.—Partner's bid is not an attempt to play in a partscore—it's forcing and North could have quite a good hand for this sequence. In support of spades you could hardly have a better hand—three good trumps, prime cards and a ruffing value. Show that with an advance cue-bid of four diamonds.

Q.6—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠64 ♡QJ73 ◇Q854 ♣J92
The bidding has proceeded:

North	East	South	West
1 ♠	Pass	1 ♡	Pass
2 ♠	Pass	?	

What action do you take?
A.—Partner's jump shift is a game force, so you must do something. However, you don't want to encourage partner in any way and a preference to three clubs is much too forward-going. Slam on the brakes by bidding two no trump.

THE FAR SIDE

"Hey, Ruby! The circus is back in town! Remember when we went last year and that clown asked you to smell his boutonniere?"

DOONESBURY

GARFIELD

FAMILY CIRCUS

"I'm president of our club and this is Presidents' Day! So where are my presents?"

DENNIS THE MENACE

"MR. WILSON MAY LOOK LIKE A GRANDPA, BUT HE DOESN'T QUITE UNDERSTAND THE SPOILING PART YET."

TODAY'S TV SCHEDULE

MONDAY PRIME TIME — February 15, 1993 — *For complete information check movie listings.*

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PEOPLE

Former aid sues Bill Cosby; Carter may sell movie rights

PHILADELPHIA — **Bill Cosby's** former assistant is suing him, claiming he told writers to base an empty-headed character on her.

Delliah Bond says Cosby slandered her by suggesting to writers at an October meeting that the character for the NBC sitcom, "Here and Now," wear a tight dress and fluffy hair, "you know like Delliah Bond," according to the lawsuit filed Friday in federal court.

Cosby

"Here and Now" stars **Malcolm-Jamal Warner,** formerly of "The Cosby Show," as a youth counselor.

Cosby would not comment on the lawsuit, said spokesman David Brokaw.

Bond, who now lives in New York City, was hired by Cosby in December 1989 to work on his syndicated game show, "You Bet Your Life," the lawsuit said.

She said she was fired in October 1992 in a letter that said "her position has gradually exceeded her skills level." However, she contends she received positive evaluations from Cosby and other superiors.

The lawsuit asks for an unspecified amount of money and Bond's reinstatement.

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COLUMBUS, Ga. — Former President **Jimmy Carter** says his book "Turning Point," probably will turn into a movie.

He said two producers contacted his agent about buying rights to the book, which chronicles Carter's 1962 campaign for state Senate.

Carter

It describes how he ran afoul of state Rep. Joe Hurst, the political boss of Quitman County in south Georgia.

Hurst wouldn't allow private voting booths, requiring constituents in his precinct to vote in front of him.

Carter appealed his loss and a judge threw out the results of that precinct, giving Carter the victory.

"It's like a drama, with heroes and villains and lawsuits and lawyers," Carter said.

Carter was in Columbus to sign copies of his book.

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LOS ANGELES — **Carol Lawrence** shouldn't join a star-studded celebration Sunday at the 50th annual convention of television and radio preachers because of her role on the soap opera "General Hospital," critics charged.

Angela Lansbury, Jimmy Stewart and **Pat Boone** were among the others scheduled to perform for the National Religious Broadcasters conference.

But many Christian fundamentalists accuse the television and film industry of promoting immorality.

One opponent, Ingrid Guzman, wrote the broadcasters' board, saying Ms. Lawrence shouldn't appear because of her role on the ABC soap opera.

"'General Hospital' is one of the most debauched soap operas ever to hit American television," Guzman said.

"Adultery, mate-swapping, homosexuality and promiscuity not only fail to offend Christians anymore, the leadership at NRB apparently feels this sort of 'artistry' should be rewarded by providing its platform to Ms. Lawrence at the convention," she said.

Scott Barton, a spokesman for the show, said Lawrence appeared only occasionally. He had no additional comment.

The 58-year-old Ms. Lawrence, who starred as Maria in "West Side Story" on Broadway nearly four decades ago, is a familiar face on TV variety shows and commercials.

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NASHVILLE, Tenn. — Gospel singer **Sandi Patti,** saying "It's time for me to tell the story," revealed that she was sexually abused as a child.

Patti made her revelation to a gathering of Christian magazine editors. She had been expected to promote her new album, "Le Voyage."

"It's with a little bit of fear and trembling that I face a 6-year-old girl," the 36-year-old Patti said Friday. "It's time for me to tell the story."

Patti said she was abused while staying with a family friend while her gospel-singing parents were on tour for a week.

"Every night of the week, I woke up and she was touching me in a very inappropriate way," the five-time Grammy winner said. "She humiliated me in front of the other children (at school) the next day by making me stand in a corner.

"I was made to feel I'd done something wrong. Only if you've been victimized can you understand this feeling of knowing something is wrong and feeling I was at fault."

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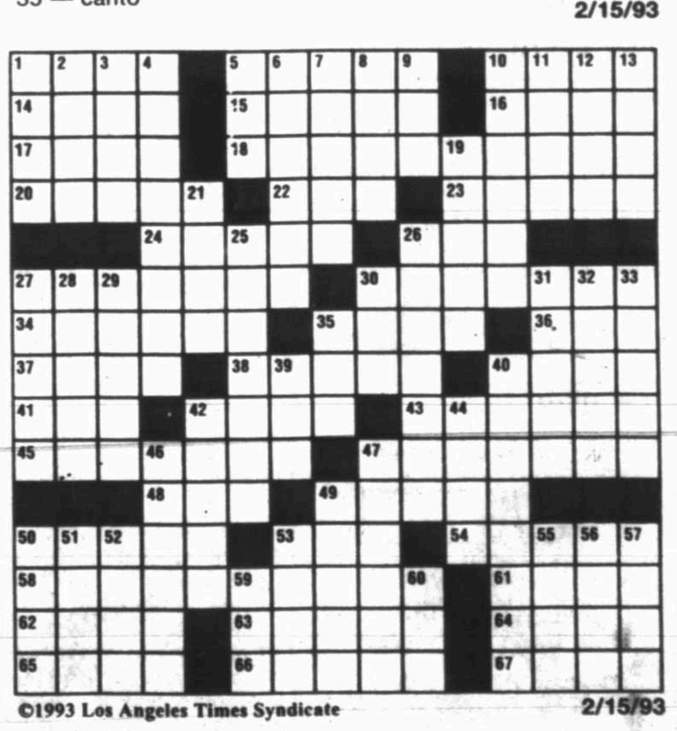

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MONDAY

BUSINESS WATCH

SPOT MARKET

W.T. INTERMEDIATE

- Friday $19.98
- Previous Close $20.26
- One Year Ago $19.27

POSTED PRICE

- Today $18.75
- Previous Week $19.00
- One Year Ago $18.00

Prices sink

Crude oil and other energy futures fell on the New York Mercantile Exchange Friday.

West Texas Intermediate for March delivery sank 28 cents to $19.98 a barrel.

Local crude purchasers lowered their posted price 25 cents to $18.75 per barrel.

March contracts for natural gas fell 3.5 cents to $1.71 per 1,000 cubic feet.

SPE meeting

Jose-Luis Suarez, Mexican Consul to the United States, will be the guest speaker at Tuesday's meeting of the Society of Petroleum Engineers, Permian Basin section. The meeting will be at Ranchland Hills Country Club beginning at 11:30 a.m.

Suarez will speak on "NAFTA and Oil and Gas Business Opportunities."

Cost is $12 per person.

Houston bonds

HOUSTON — A major bond rating agency has raised questions about Houston's AA bond rating, saying it is in a "declining" trend.

Fitch Investors Services Inc. cited concerns about Mayor Bob Lanier's debt management program.

Amy Doppelt, a senior vice president with Fitch, said the rating agency is worried that Lanier is using too many one-time gimmicks, such as bond refinancings, to balance the city budget.

"We've been concerned about the financing in Houston for a while now," Ms. Doppelt said.

Since taking office more than a year ago, Mayor Bob Lanier has pushed through more than $1 billion in debt restructuring, generally stretching out payments and freeing up cash to pay for ambitious police and street programs.

Dollar mixed

NEW YORK — The dollar was mixed in trading against major currencies Friday, rising against the German mark and Japanese yen amid positive economic news.

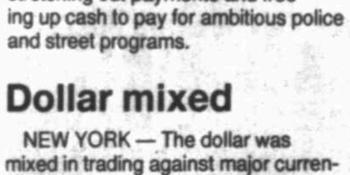
In New York, the dollar traded at 120.65 yen, down from 121.175 yen late Thursday.

In New York, it cost $1.4205 to buy one British pound, more expensive than the $1.4180 it cost late Thursday.

Stocks retreat

NEW YORK — Stock prices fell Friday as traders studied the latest data on inflation and waited cautiously for Presidsnt Clinton's economic proposals.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials dropped 30.26 points to 3,392.43, extending its loss for the week to 49.71 points.



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Clinton nears tax decision

■ President appears to be heading toward energy tax based on how much heat a fuel produces.

By H. Josef Hebert
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — President Clinton appeared Sunday to be moving toward a broad energy tax based on how much heat a particular fuel produces, a levy that will increase the cost of electricity, heating oil and gasoline.

The tax would be calculated according to how much heat is produced by a particular type of fuel. The tax would have the biggest impact on the cost of coal, heating oil and natural gas.

Virtually all Americans would be affected in some way by additional costs.

Some Republican lawmakers called the proposal an across-the-board tax on middle class Americans and of businesses trying to emerge from the recession. They predicted it would not easily be accepted by Congress.

A direct gasoline tax has been ruled out in favor of a much broader and less visible tax on all energy sources in order to spread the impact, said an administration official, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

■ Analysis

It was unclear how much of a tax levy is being envisioned, or whether some specific environmentally friendly fuels — such as solar or wind power — might be exempted or given compensating tax credits as environmentalists have urged.

Analysts have estimated that a 12-cent tax per million British thermal units (Btu), across the board could generate about $10 billion in tax revenue. A Btu is a measure of the amount of energy needed to raise the temperature of one pound of water by 1 degree Fahreheit.

Such a tax would fall most heavily on coal as well as natural gas and to a lesser extent oil, nuclear and hydroelectric power, according to Adam Sieminski, an energy analyst for NatWest Securities Corp.

The energy tax proposal will be announced this week as part of Clinton's overall economic package. Clinton was expected immediately to launch a national effort to sell the package, including the new energy taxes.

House Speaker Tom Foley, D-Wash., said that while he personally favors a direct gasoline tax, he is optimistic that a broad-based tax pegged to energy content, or Btu, could win congressional approval.

But while the "Btu tax" does not have the same kinds of regional opposition as a direct gasoline tax or a fee on oil imports, it has a wide range of detractors, including both business leaders and environmentalists.

Because such a tax would have more of an impact on the price of coal and natural gas, compared to oil, critics fear it could heighten the country's dependence on foreign oil.

Environmentalists have been cool toward a Btu tax because it would cover renewable energy sources such as wind power and perhaps inhibit their development.

They favor a so-called "carbon tax" which would be an excise tax of fossil fuels based on carbon content.

Various business groups including the electric power industry, which relies heavily on coal and nuclear, said any broad-based energy tax would energy tax, including one based on energy content.

"Economic . . . growth will be lowered, jobs will be lost, and productivity dampened. All manufacturing industries and agriculture in the U.S. will suffer," a group of energy and manufacturing executives said in a recent letter to Clinton.

Kodak creates new marketing opportunities

N.Y. Times News Service

With the idea that photography should be simpler, easier and more enjoyable for picture takers of all ages and experience levels, the Eastman Kodak Co. recently unveiled 20 products, most of them cameras and film.

In a sharp strategy shift, Kodak designed the products to appeal to specific age groups and photography professionals, rather than using a mass-market approach — a tactic that has produced only modest growth for the company in recent years. After sales increases of 15.2 percent in 1987 and 28 percent in 1988, Kodak's sales rose 8 percent in 1989, 2.8 percent in 1990, 2.7 percent in 1991 and 4 percent last year.

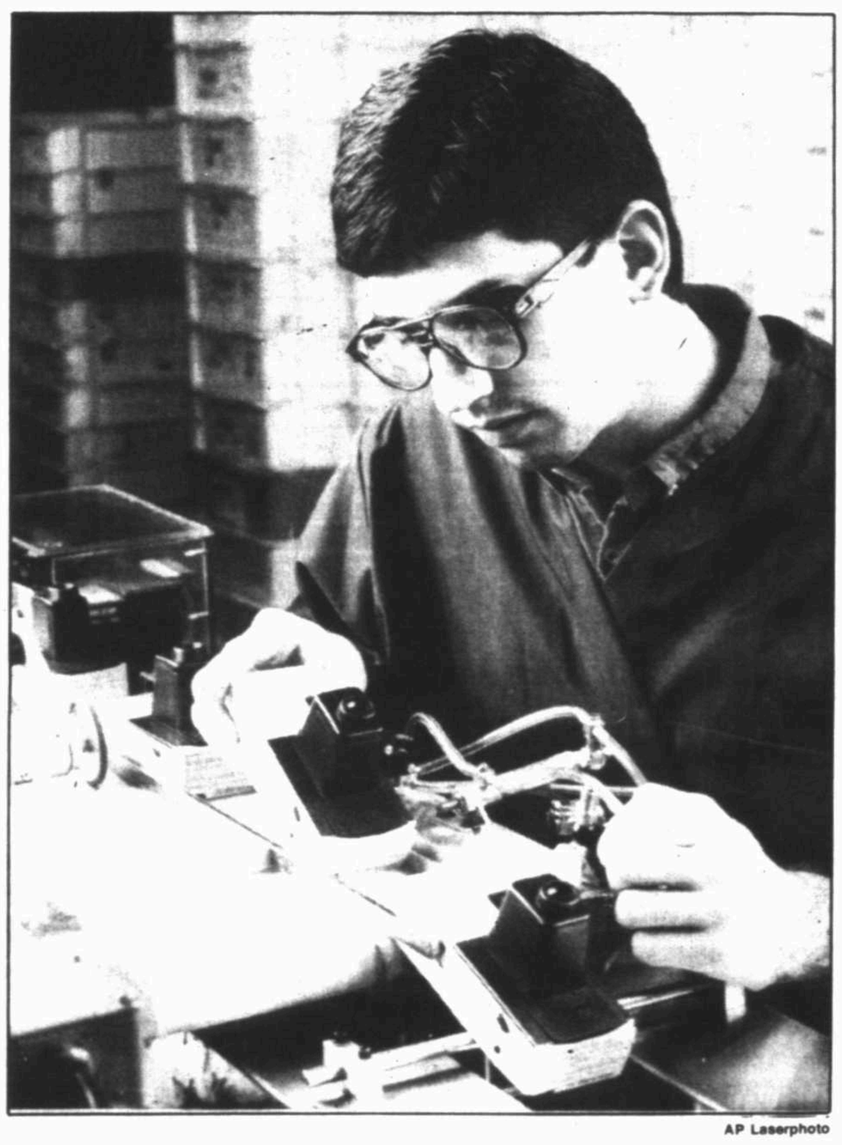
The new products include a camera kit and project books for children, several pocket-size cameras that are intended for older people, higher-quality film for professional photographers and an underwater slide film that is designed to produce truer colors.

Some analysts said a strategic shift was necessary for Kodak to expand the market, noting that the largest group of picture-takers, those 25 to 40 years of age, already have photography products.

B. Alex Henderson, an analyst with Prudential Securities, said that Kodak could bolster its sales by appealing to groups not yet exposed to photography or those intimidated by its increasing sophistication. "The market has been stable for a long time," he said.

Company officials said the new products were necessitated by competitive pressures from film manufacturers like Agfa, Fuji and 3M, and the need to invigorate a market that might be softening.

"We are expanding usefulness and versatility," said Michael P. Morley, a Kodak vice president.



AP Laserphoto

Shawn G. Smith inspects Kodak's new recyclable, single-use portrait camera at the company's Elmgrove, N.Y., plant.

"There is also a need for all of us in the industry to define the market. It is not fading away, but the way to change the mindset is to introduce new products."

As an example of new marketing opportunities, he cited a recent promotion by Kodak and the Holland America Line for four photographic cruises to Alaska. He said that the cruises sold out faster than anything Holland had ever promoted and that the companies were considering other promotions.

"Generally," Morley said, "a lot of people in the 50 and older category take cruises."

Among the offerings designed to appeal to children, Kodak introduced story albums, which children fill with photographs they have taken, to illustrate a story.

Labor unions back Clinton

Associated Press

BAL HARBOUR, Fla. — Organized labor thinks it has a friend in the Oval Office after 12 years of Republican rule, but the new relationship has yet to be tested on issues such as health care reform and trade, which mean the most to labor.

"We're going to have our disagreements," said George J. Kourpias, president of the International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers. "But we had disagreements before. At least now we know somebody is going to be listening."

Kourpias and other labor officials said in interviews that although they foresee friction with the Clinton administration on some important issues, the Democrats' return to the White House can only be welcome news.

"He's going to be a friend of labor — 100 or 1,000 times the friend that the previous two presidents were," said Robert Carson, executive secretary of the Hawkeye Labor Council, an AFL-CIO body representing about 100 local unions in seven Iowa counties.

"We want somebody who is going to have sympathy for our concerns. I think we have that here," said Albert Shanker, president of the American Federation of Teachers.

Labor unions figure they need some sympathy after the Reagan and Bush years. The Republican administrations generally sided with those who argued that unions had too much power in the workplace and that the federal government should try to reduce unions' ability to limit hiring to union members.

Relations with the Clinton administration will be a principal topic of discussion at AFL-CIO's executive council meeting this week in Bal Harbour. Today, the council hears from Democratic congressional leaders. On Tuesday, Labor Secretary Robert Reich addresses the 35-member ruling council.

Meeting participants are expected to consider ideas for paying for a system of universal health care. One plan that the executive council may weigh is a broad-based consumption tax on goods and services.

INVESTORS' GUIDE

IRA distributions can come from low interest CD

By Bill Doyle

Q: I will be age 70½ in August and plan to take the first distribution from my individual retirement accounts in December of this year. I have four IRA certificates of deposit at one savings and loan association and two IRA CDs at another S&L.

Doyle

My problem is I want to start the distributions from the CD with the lowest interest rate — 5.6 percent. I will not touch any of the other CDs, on which interest ranges from 7 to 9.75 percent, until all the money in the 5.6 percent CD is distributed.

How do I go about taking distributions from my IRA at one S&L without being penalized by the Internal Revenue Service for not taking distributions from my IRA at the second S&L?

A: That's not a problem.

Simply add up the value of all your IRA CDs as of Dec. 31, 1992 — the end of the year prior to the year in which you turn 70½. Divide that number by the years remaining in your life expectancy or the joint life expectancy of you and your IRA beneficiary, from the tables in IRS Publication 590.

The resulting number will be the amount of IRA distribution you should take by Dec. 31, 1993, to meet the required minimum distribution rule. True, you could delay taking that first required distribution (for what the IRS calls your "70½ year") until April 1, 1994. But, then, you would be required to take two distributions in 1994. That could kick you into a higher income tax bracket.

Withdraw from the 5.6 percent CD the amount of your required distribution. The rules allow you to take that distribution from any IRA investment you hold. You won't be subject to an IRS penalty for leaving the other CDs untouched.

To avoid IRS queries, include a note with the 1993 income tax return you file by April 15, 1994, explaining exactly how you handled things. And, if you hear from the second S&L at which you have CDs, provide the same explanation.

Q: You often refer to taking money from IRAs as "withdrawals." Elsewhere, especially in IRS literature, this process is called "distributions." What's the difference?

A: Nothing, really. The words are interchangeable. IRAs and other retirement plans distribute money to plan participants. You, as a retirement plan participant, make withdrawals by taking distributions.

Q: My wife is the beneficiary of my $200,000 IRA, from which I started making the required withdrawals at age 70½. She has $40,000 in her IRA. She is younger than I am.

Assuming I die before she does, will the remaining money in my IRA simply be added to her IRA? If so, what kind of IRA withdrawals will be required of her until she reaches 70½?

A: As your surviving spouse, your wife will be able either to treat your IRA as a separate IRA she owns or to roll over the money in your IRA into her IRA. Because you have already started making required withdrawals, she will have to continue withdrawals at the same pace.

She could cash in your IRA in one shot and pay income tax on the entire amount. That tactic is available to any IRA beneficiary. And, as your spouse and beneficiary, she will have the choice of cashing out your IRA over five years and paying income tax each year.

For most families, the sensible move is to treat the dead spouse's IRA as the surviving spouse's IRA, thus spreading out the tax on that account.

Q: I notice you answering letters from people with $100,000 and more in IRAs. How can that be, when the most that can go into an IRA is $2,000 annually?

A: Most such letters come from people who put large lump-sum distributions from retirement plans into rollover IRAs.

IRAs originated back in 1974, when the annual contribution limit was $1,500. It was raised to $2,000 — $2,250 for spousal IRAs — in 1982. IRA participants who invested exceptionally well have sizable nest eggs.

Bill Doyle is a syndicated columnist for King Features. He welcomes written questions, but is able to provide answers only through the column.

Address your question to Investor's Guide, King Features Syndicate, c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, Box 1650, Midland 79702.

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Sealed Bid(s) will be received until 3:00 P.M., February 25, 1993 to be opened at 3:00 P.M., February 25, 1993 in the office of the City Secretary, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas for the following Bid(s):

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Sun Sparc Computer Hardware for the CIS Department.

Information for Bidders, Proposal Forms, Specifications and General conditions for bidding may be obtained from the office of the Purchasing Agent, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas.

Purchasing Division
City of Midland, Texas

110 Lodge Notices

Acacia Masonic Lodge #1414
Regular stated meetings second and fourth Tuesdays 7:30 pm. Floor school 7:00 pm each Monday night.
Ron Moore W.M
Al Talbot Sec.

Midland Shrine Club, 2019 Trade Dr. 682-5509.
Reg stated mtng 3rd Thurs. each mo. Hosp.,6:30 pm. Catered dinner 7pm. Bus. mtng 8pm. All nobles & their ladies invited. Glenn Flippin, Pres, Bill Strickland, Sec.

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Calvin Wood, W.M.
Bob Ellwood, Secy.

Midland Masonic Lodge
682-3292
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Wayne D. Groce, W.M.
Robert G. Kiker, Sec.

115 Announcements

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If your pet is lost, please check with MIDLAND ANIMAL CONTROL (on Fairground Road) every three days.

LOST WHITE Miniature American Eskimo, no tags or collar. Missing approximately 3 weeks. Call 689-0203.

LOST: near Bonham elementary, small Calico cat, no collar, female. 697-2591.

LOST BLACK Lab mix, white chest and feet, wearing a blue collar. In the area of Quannah Parker Elementary. Please call 683-5203 days, 699-7930 nights.

Lost in the vacinity of 1200 block of Pratt - medium size male Lhasa Apso, brown collar with tags. Brown/ black answers to Barry. 684-5414, 688-1174 - Lily.

LOST: CHIHUAHUA. Please help in finding my little dog. Brown/ tan markings (marked like Doberman), brown flea collar. Will not let anyone catch him. IF SPOTTED PLEASE CALL 694-1115.

FOUND: tan and white Lhasa type dog. Tuesday evening. San Miguel Square. Call 699-5088 or 683-7351.

FOUND: Small Dachshund mix, female, honey colored, brown flea collar near corner of Kent & Michigan. 687-5921.

LOST little boys chocolate Lab puppy, February 12th. Call 685-3469.

FOUND: Collie near Alamo Junior High, must identify. Call 520-7625.

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1981 VET, glass T-top, 350, automatic, good condition, $6,000. Call 1-949-7156 after 5 pm.

EXTRA SHARP- 1983 Hearst Olds 442- 15th Anniversary, all the options. Only 56,000 miles, $5,500. 563-3004.

1990 CADILLAC SEDAN DEVILLE, blue w/ blue leather interior, all power, below book, mint condition, 69,000 highway miles, $13,500. 550-9208, 694-7600.

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1990 CHRYSLER LEBARON convertible, low mileage, nice car. $8,900. 685-3915.

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1985 FORD Mustang V-6, white exterior, red interior, Good condition. $1,500. Call 520-9012.

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1977 EL CAMINO, maroon, 350, $1600. See at 2301 N. Main. 684-0026.

1985 Buick Skylark, $2,400. Good condition, 86,000 miles. 267-4117 - Big Spring.

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1981 PORSCHE 911SC TARGA- 71,000 miles, full leather, P7s, new clutch and top. Sandalwood, all records- $20,000. 699-1471.

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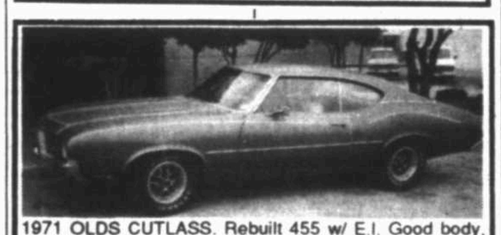
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220 Trucks & Vans

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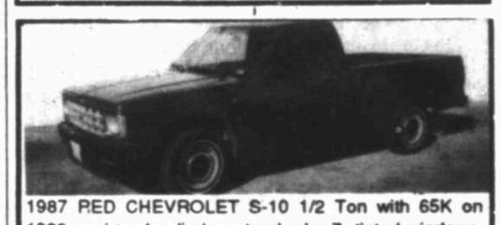
1987 RED CHEVROLET S-10 1/2 Ton with 65K on 1988 engine. 4 cylinder, standard, air, tinted windows, good tires. 78K on truck. Excellent condition. $3,600. 684-6568.

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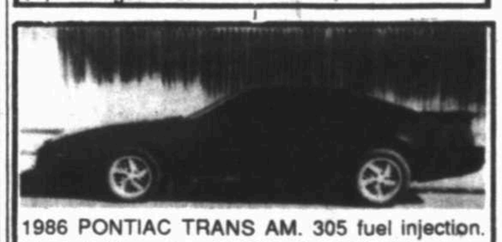
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M-F, 9-5
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DRIVERS

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-Must be 25 years old, have CDL with Haz-Mat endorsement
-Clean MVR, DOT qualified
-No beard. Take physical and drug test.

Contact Ricky Kinsey/Pro Source
915-354-2604 after 8:00 AM

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HOUSEWIVES and STUDENTS would you like to earn from $5 to $7 a hour in your spare time and have fun doing it?
Come join our company at
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Call 686-5098 for appointment.
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Individual needed to collect grocery store data. Hours vary 20 to 40 hours a week. Must have dependable transportation. Mileage reimbursement. Send resume BOX J-12 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

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KINDER CARE LEARNING CENTER is now accepting applications for qualified people to work with pre-school age children. Applications accepted between 9 - 11, Monday thru Friday. 4303 W. Illinois.

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SONIC DRIVE-IN- Midkiff Road is now hiring for day shift or night shift. Car Hops, Counter Help, and experienced Fast Food Cooks. We work around school schedules. Please apply between 9 and 5.

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ALSO
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311 Medical Help Wanted

TERRACE WEST now seeking Certified Nurse Aides, all shifts. Apply in person, 2800 N. Midland Drive.

COMPETITIVE SALARY OFFERED to an RN needed to work in a fast growing out patient surgery center. Offering good benefits, flexible hours, no call and holidays off. Minimum 2 years operating room experience required. Contact The Surgery Center of Texas - Ann Wilson, 367-3906.

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312 Professional Help Wanted

FINE JEWELRY SALES

10 years minimum experience required. Long term position with benefits available. Must be well groomed and professional. Send resume to BOX J-08, c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

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Reporting to the president, the successful candidate must be a CPA with a background in manufacturing, a five years experience to include three years of management; supervision experience, as well as a Bachelor's Degree in accounting. A thorough knowledge of but not limited to, the following is required, general ledger, AP/ AR, payroll, budgeting, forecasting, financial reporting, planning and analysis, tax reporting and compliance, cash management and computerizon systems and applications.

For confidential consideration, please forward your resume and salary history requirements to:

BOX K-10
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P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

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Growing oil and gas company has a position for a degreed accountant with three years work experience. Responsibilities include financial accounting, reconciliations of accounts, analytical review, and SEC reporting. Competitive salary, advancement opportunities, and full benefits offered. Please send your resume to:

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Applications taken until qualified applicant chosen.
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316 Clerical Help Wanted

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TEMP TIME 687-1545

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2 POSITIONS AVAILABLE: 1 full time, 1 part time, small growing business, requires hardworking individuals needing little supervision. Oil and Gas/ Real Estate knowledge helpful. Entry level wages during trial period. Evaluation after 6 weeks. Send resume with salary history/ requirements and references to Box K-51, C/O, Midland Reporter Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas, 79702.

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Drilling/ Production secretary. Minimum of 3 years oil and gas experience required. Computer expertise, regulartory filings and reporting, and secretarial skills a must.

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Midland, Texas 79701
No walk-ins
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LAW OFFICE

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Midland, Tx 79705
Attn: Valerie Coss

320 Sales Help Wanted

IMMEDIATE OPENING for Sales Representative for regional Fuel Distributor. Excellent salary and benefits. Well established company. Need good communication skills and general knowledge of fuels and oils. Send resume to P.O. Drawer 1160, Hobbs NM, 88241 or come by 1400 W. Broadway, Hobbs, NM.

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230 4-Wheel Drive Vehicles

1990 MITSUBISHI Montero RS, 4 wheel drive, automatic, 4 door, 61,000 miles. $11,500. 685-1916.

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1982 CHEVROLET SILVERADO 4 X 4, 305 V-8, 125K miles, cruise, air condition, fiberglass camper, one-owner. $3,500. Serious inquiries only 682-0727.

240 Motorcycles

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1990 KAWASAKI KDX 200- 1990 Honda XR250 and XR200, 1992 XR100, 1992 Suzuki 50, all in mint condition. 694-7796.

240 Motorcycles

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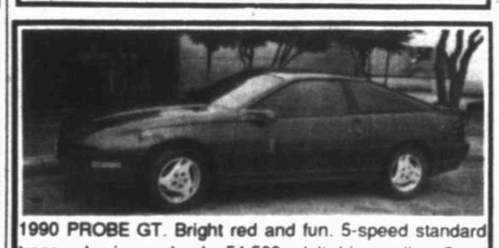

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ESTABLISHED Gift Basket and Balloon Bouquet business for sale. Good clental following, in business 12 years (my 2 year old needs full time mom). Will train. Call 694-0983.

VENDING - Best routes for sale cheap. Newest machines on market. No competition. $3K - $4K weekly cash income possible. $0 down if qualified. Call Jed 1-800-827-7429.

400 Auctions

SKEEN'S AUCTION COMPANY- accepting consignments for March 7th Auction at Midland Center. Call Brenda 687-6228.

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FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICE on your next estate or benefit auction, call Auction Action Midland II, TX - 6250. 915-682-1004, 915-550-9710.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

BUYING PECANS! Gardendale Pecan Processing, FM 554 Gardendale, Monday thru Saturday 9 to 12, 1 to 6. 366-9793.

LOSE WEIGHT THE THERMO WAY. Call Ann for products and opportunity. Independent Herbalife Distributor. 550-5612.

LOSE WEIGHT, INCHES!! Gain energy control appetite with fast acting "Thermo" Product. 685-1423.

LOSERS WANTED!!! Lose up to 30 pounds in 30 days for $30. Guaranteed! Debbie 699-0824.

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Dog Houses, NEW $30 - $40, Bookcases - $30, Porch Swing $35. Glider Swing $65. Delivery. 563-0452.

10' x 20' LIGHTED SIGN with twin 40' I- Beams located in Midland $3,000. Call Jerome 397-2226 after 8 pm.

WEDDING GOWN with veil. Size 13/ 14, excellent condition $75. Call 694-6065.

RESTHAVEN MEMORIAL PARK, section A, block 65, 4 lots, $3200. 682-1806.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

JACUZZI HOT TUB fiberglass, wood exterior, tile inside, very good condition, $800. 570-0250.

280' HEAVY IRON fence made about 1885, 215' good, 65' fair, 3' high needs sandblasting. $5 per foot- all or none. 686-0444.

LOSE WEIGHT WITH THERMO! Natural, safe, guaranteed, herbal tablets. Increase metabolism. Curb appetite. Beverly 520-8222 (Midland).

LOSE WEIGHT WITH THERMO. Herb tablets. Curbs appetite, gives energy. 683-9705 Maria- Se Habla Espanol!

415 Miscellaneous Wanted

SOUTHWEST AIRLINES COMPANY CLUB tickets wanted. Will pay top dollar. Call 687-5039.

WANTED OLD STYLE erector sets and HO trains. Call 683-2808 leave message.

WANTED USED dorm size refrigerator. Good condition. Call 689-7665.

420 Good Things To Eat

GARDENDALE PECAN Processing, wants to buy your pecans, also custom shelling, pecan shells, holiday shipping, pecan pickers, electric crackers, honey butter, burlap bags and more. Monday thru Saturday, 9 - 12 and 1 - 6. FM 554, Gardendale, 366-9793.

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430 Household Goods

NEW: 12 different bedroom sets; 3, 5, 7 piece dinette sets (10 to choose from); 2 & 3 piece living room sets; bedding (all sizes).
USED: Electric range, deep freeze, bunk bed, twin beds, kid's chairs, book shelves, file cabinets.
BUY - SELL - TRADE
JOHN'S SWAP SHOP
600 E. FLORIDA 683-7872

GOOD USED refrigerators, washer and dryers reasonably priced with warranty. Will pickup nonworking appliances. Also Washer and dryer repair. 1900 West Front. 685-1433.

KINGSIZE WATERBED with headboard and heater. $225 firm. 520-7714.

★ I BUY & SELL and repair washers- dryers. $125- up. Delivery and warranty. Perry at Perry's Appliances 580-6405.

NEED GOOD USED FURNITURE. Buy, sell, trade. Rowe's New & Used. 1211 S. Big Spring. 687-5966.

QUEEN SLEEPER SOFA $200. Call 697-3902.

A. BRANT RANCH Oak furniture for sale, 2 full size beds with cactus carvings, 1 full size bookcase bed, 1 vanity dresser, 2 chest, 1 desk, 1 desk chair with cactus carvings, solid oak collectors items, no longer made. Shown by appointment only. Call F.E. Jones 694-2259.

Couch and love seat,very good condition $250 694-5283, leave message.

For sale girls full size bed with comforters, 2 dressers with hutches, night stand and corner desk. $600. 685-6040

KING SIZE WATERBED with bookcase headboard with 6 drawers asking $200. 520-4400.

WHITE BREAKFAST TABLE with blue trim, cash only. 682-3046 after 6 pm weekdays, anytime weekends.

Kirby Vacuum cleaner, rebuilt, excellent condition $75. 699-1245

LIGHT YELLOW multi-floral sofa, excellent condition, $250 OBO. 689-9491.

Two twin size wrought iron, Victorian style beds. Creamy white head and foot boards, with solid brass accents, in excellent condition. Bedding by Simmons included. $975 for all pieces or will sell separately. 697-2027.

LACROSSE L-SHAPED sectional sofa with queensize sleeper, off-white/ natural, excellent condition. $400. 685-0727.

13" MAGNAVOX TV, color with remote, $100 firm. 689-7238, leave message.

FULL SIZE canopy bed (complete) double dresser mirror, night stand. Excellent condition. $350 686-1990.

KENMORE FROST FREE refrigerator $100, Hotpoint dryer $100, 570-6239.

MOVING SALE! Everything goes! Dining table, hutch, VCR, boat - motor, chairs, desks, refrigerator, dressers, pictures, pool table, skis, ski clothes, guitars, sofa, coffee/ end tables. Too many items to mention. Call 686-1933.

440 Firewood

DENNIS FIREWOOD- oak and mesquite. Call 699-4719.

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450 Sporting Goods

JUMBO DRIVERS, Game Improvement Clubs, Grips & Repairs. Free computer swing analysis. Dick's Clubs- 2605 W. Kentucky, Midland, 683-2614.

JIM'S GOLF CLUB REPAIRS. Custom clubs. PING - ZING clones; jumbo drivers. Best quality - low prices. 3115 Haynes. 694-1334.

10 SPEED SCHWINN LeTourmens bicycle/ $75, DP Magnum 970 weight bench with leg extension- weights- bars- weight rack- $150. 699-0969.

460 Antiques & Art

!!NEW LOAD-Beautiful Furniture!! French-- American-- European. Oldies-But- Goodies- Antiques. "A Touch Of The Past At Affordable prices" 2305 W. Michigan. !Hurry!

THE Cats Meow antique mall. 408 Andrews Highway, Monday - Saturday, 10 - 6. We buy and sell antiques. 687-2004.

460 Antiques & Art

SWORDS For Sale: 1862 USN Cutlass, CSA Sword, WWII RAF Sabre, 1862 US Staff. 694-6301

ANTIQUES, upright piano refinished and tuned $500. Antique china cabinet $350. Antique office cabinet $150. Call 685-3230.

SUZANNE'S ANTIQUES will be in Midland Park Mall's Antique Show Feb. 25th thru 28th. See us to se your old garnet jewelry, cameos, Roseville pottery, etc.

470 Musical Instruments

FIDDLE OR MANDOLIN player wanted for local Blue grass band. David. 686-0707, Jimmy 368-5558.

SIMMONS 5 piece electric drum set. Call 570-8938.

FULL SIZE Violin/ case, bought new, used 2 months. Great for student. $250. 686-1990.

485 Radios Stereos and TV

Stereo Speakers $50. 699-6841

490 Computers & Accessories

WE BUY OF HAUL AWAY: computer frames, disk drives and other computer parts. Call 683-1520.

MACINTOSH POWER BOOK 170 8/ 40, internal 9600/ 2400 Fax/ Data modem- $2,100. Days 561-8349, evenings 686-9382 ask for Brad.

COMPUTER: 80386DX, 3MB RAM, 90MB Hard Disk, Monochrome Monitor, $650. Printer: HP Deskjet, $250. Together they make an excellent word processing system. 699-4844.

COMPUTERS FOR SALE - dirt cheap. 689-6000.

495 For Free

OFF WHITE medium size female dog, extremely friendly and loving to a good home. 699-5815.

FREE: LOP EARED rabbits. 697-2579.

500 Pets & Supplies

AFFORDABLE Vet clinic, reasonable price - spay - neuter - vaccinations - House calls available. Arlis Baze DVM 682-3524, for appointment.

AKC REGISTERED PUPS. Yorkshire Terrier, Pomeranian, Poodles, Maltese and Shih Tzus. Shots. Vet checked.
J & L Kennels. 334-8946.

AKC CHOCOLATE Lab puppies, male or female, $100. 563-0321 if no answer please leave message.

UPRIGHT PIANO, AUTO brand, good condition, $175. Call 686-8921.

AKC Rottweiler puppies for sale. Mother and Father on premises. 689-2405, leave message.

DOG TRAINING in your home. Obedience/ problem correction. Local references available. 23 years experience. 699-0039.

Basic & Advanced obedience, house breaking/training. Proven non-abusive method. Guaranteed results. LU K9 Services. 520-6306.By Appointment Only.

WELSH CORGI PUPPIES, 2 male, red and white, $200. Call 689-0906.

GROOMER needed for Persian cats, part time, flexible hours. 697-0542 after 6.

Pit BULL Dogs, Grand Champion Boomarang, Davis Chivo bloodlines. 3 Males, $250, 1 female $300. 210-775-9637.

2 AKC REGISTERED, party colored, Cocker Spaniels, male puppies, 18 months old, 1 black and white, 1 red and white, excellent family pet, spayed, $75. Message recorded. 683-2629.

PIT BULL DOG- UKC registered, top blood line, born January 29. Now taking picks. Only serious inquires. 697-1335.

POMERANIAN PUPPIES for sale. Two females, one male, ready for good homes. Reasonably priced. First shots. Both parents on premises. AKC Registered. 687-2322.

CUPID.. Liver/ white, pure bred, Springer spaniel, female.
TEX.....Small Sheltie mix, sable/ white, neutedred male.
POTEET..... Pure bred, Shih Tzu, black/ white, neutered male.
LITTLE BIT Very small Chihuahua mix, 5 yr. old male.
TINA.... British cream calico cat, female.
These and many more animals are up for adoption at the Big Spring Humane Society. $35.00 dogs and puppies, $25.00 cats and kittens, includes spaying and neutering. 267-7832.

AKC REGISTERED Golden Retriever puppy, eight weeks old, only one male left, 683-7375.

Adoptable pets for $25 from Midland Aminal Control. 1200 No. Fairgrounds Rd. 685-7420. #46 Border Colllie mix, male 5 mos. old. #23 Calico, long haired female cat, 2 yrs. old. #25 German Shepard male, 2 yr. old.

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FOR SALE AKC Registered Miniature Schnauzer puppy, black and silver male. Available February 15th. $225. 699-0746.

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AKC REGISTERED PUPS. Yorkshire Terrier, Pomeranian, Poodles, Maltese, Bichon Frise, Chihuahuas, and Shih Tzus. Shots. Vet checked.
J & L Kennels. 334-8946.

AKC BOSTON TERRIERS, ready for adoption March 1st, $150. 563-9543.

LOW cost neutering available. Call 689-0999, leave message. Midland Animal Control and Midland S.P.C.A. have many dogs & cats ready for adoption.

505 Livestock / Poultry

BARBADOS FOR SALE. Whit's Grocery, 5011 S. 349 (Rankin Hwy), 687-6106.

9 MINIATURE HORSES, $25,000, package deal. Serious inquiries only. 683-7185 or 683-6924, leave message.

EMU YEARLINGS large quantity to choose from, some Ostrich chicks. Call 817-386-8397.

ARABIAN MARE, 2 years-old, chestnut, Tuhutmos line, 697-3967.

505 Livestock / Poultry

10 HEAVY BRED, mixed breed heifers for sale, raised on local ranch, very gentle $650 per head. 684-6035.

FOR RENT - 8 stall horse barn, 3 acres. Possible mobile home space. 682-6739, 683-7283.

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510 Office Supplies

$100 YOUR CHOICE: Walnut executive desk, Wood drafting table, Flat map file, 5 Drawer lateral file, Metal map case, Secretary typing desk, Metal desks. The Paper Clip- 1201 S. Big Spring. 682-5251, Monday- Friday 8- 5.

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AT&T WORD PROCESSER WP 7700, for sale, excellent condition, $400. 563-4756.

525 Business, Shop Equipment

10' x 20' LIGHTED SIGN with twin 40' I- Beams located in Midland $3,000. Call Jerome 397-2226 after 8 pm.

540 Building Materials

TWELVE 6 X 8' sections of fence, cedar, excellent condition. $25 per section. 697-4712.

550 Portable Buildings

Portable storage buildings. Used priced - must sell. Will move. 563-0022

We Move, buy, sell, and rent portable buildings. MORGAN 563-1860

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570 Oilfield Supplies

WELL SERVICE RIG for sale- 1981 LTO- 350 Cooper. New 1100 Hour 8V92 Detroit, New Lines, New Brakes, 5 Axle carrier, 5860 transmission, Parmac Hyd. Brake, 97' 200,000 lbs Derrick, 4212 x 3808 Drawworks, Foster 58 Tongs, A tooled out working rig.$125,000.00, Tracy Wylie, (915) 698-1191.

2⅛ YELLOW BAND TUBING, 4557' 2⅛ lined tubing, 300 bbl tank battery. Call 683-3033 or 694-2047.

For Sale: oilfield electric motors. Rebuilt/guarantee from 5 horsepower 1,200-1,800 RPM. 685-0636, 559-4167, 682-1546

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TUBING, PUMPING UNITS AND RODS - 2⅛, 2⅞ tubing, ⅝, ¾ and ⅞ rods, units all sizes. Call (915) 682-3131.

WANT TO BUY- fluid level machine. Gas or shell operated. Call 684-3751.

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580 Farm Equipment

FOR SALE MINNEAPOLIS Molina Tractor $1,500 or best offer. 687-5628 if not in leave message.

JOHN DEERE TRACTOR 4630, quad range. Call Bill at 550-0156 days; 570-8033 evenings, weekends.

600 Rooms for Rent

MOTEL ROOM $60 a week. Skyway Motel 563-0123.

604 Want to Rent

RENTAL WANTED. Mature, professional seeks unfurnished 1 or 2 bedroom duplex or house, garage/ covered parking, yard for dog. Suburban area South of city acceptable. Leave message at 1-389-5647.

605 Apartments Furnished

ALL UTILITIES PAID!
Studios- 1 & 2 bedrooms
Deposit Required.
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Hotel Suites
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REDUCED RATES, spacious 1 or 2 bedrooms now available, all utilities paid, refrigerated air, swimming pool, laundry, carports. Imperial Apartments, 405 Sunset. 694-9978

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610 Apartments Unfurnished

RENT REBATE: Efficiency one, two bedroom apartment homes. Select units. Utilities included. Colonial Court. 694-2361.

ALL BILLS PAID. One, two, three bedroom apartment homes. Large closets, excellent location. Abbey Court. 694-2549.

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LOW/ LOW RENT, All BILLS PAID. Near downtown, Efficiency, $219. 2 Bedrooms, $325. Call Gil, 8 am- noon. 687-0053.

LARGE 1, 2 & 3 BEDROOM. Starting at $210. Westpark Apartments, 2928 W. Louisiana. 687-4514.

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Midland Apartments At A Glance!

	EFFICIENCY	1 BEDROOM	2 BEDROOM	3 BEDROOM	TOWNHOUSE	FURNISHED	CLUBHOUSE	EXTRA STORAGE	PATIO/BALCONY	COVERED PARKING	SWIMMING	TENNIS	SAUNA	SPA/WHIRLPOOL	FITNESS FACILITY	PLAYGROUND	CABLE TV READY	FREE BASIC CABLE	LAUNDRY	W/D/FURNISHED	W/D/CONNECTIONS	MINI BLINDS/VERTICALS	CEILING FANS	FIREPLACE	PETS	R.O. WATER	WATER VOLLEYBALL
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LOOK WHO'S GETTING A FACE LIFT? West Castle Condominiums. New management. 1 bedroom starting $225 - 2 bedrooms starting $275. 3101 N. Midland Drive. 520-2084.

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Convenient Location. Quiet & Affordable. Rents starting at $225.
Senior Citizens discount.
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NOW LEASING- Thornwood Apartments. - 2601 North A. New lower rates. 682-5381.

1 BEDROOM, utilities furnished, deposit. One person $250. Two person $275. 1210 W. Texas. 682-3578.

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath; 2 bedroom, 2 bath; 1 bedroom,
1 bath. All single story convenience, total electric, washer/ dryer connections, covered parking, private duck and fishing pond. Senior Citizen Discount, 2433 Whitmire Blvd., 683-9726.

AUTUMNCHASE CONDOS now leasing. Spacious floor plans. Microwaves, washer/ dryer connections, fireplaces, basic cable, covered parking. 3814 Holiday Hill Rd. 520-0722.

ONE and Two bedroom, $200 - $225, water paid. Crestlawn Apartments 601 Watson. Call 683-2535.

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615 Apartments Furn & Unfurnished

2110½ W. MISSOURI recently remodeled 1 bedroom, upstairs garage apartment (new carpet, paint). Off street parking. Water paid. Small private entry/ yard. No Pets. 694-0124

625 Houses Unfurnished

SEVERAL NICE HOMES and townhomes, $150 - $1,100 monthly. Small office $100. Jeannie Printz, Agent 699-5636.

1408 Sparks (near Golf Course and Garfield) 3-2-2; fireplace; fenced yard; $650 monthly. 687-5856

615 Apartments Furn & Unfurnished

A DIFFERENT
la casita
694-2466
2900 W. Illinois
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625 Houses Unfurnished

Westside 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 garage. No pets allowed. Henderson School area. $585, $250 deposit. 550-6412

BRICK 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 1 car garage, loaded with amenities, Westside. Underwood Real Estate 682-9378.

$750 - EXCEPTIONALLY NICE, large, 3 bedrooms, 2 bath, extra large living, 2301 Neely. Agent 694-9853.

2 BEDROOM, 2 living area, 1 bath, references required. $350 month, $200 deposit. 604 Devonian. 687-1012.

LUXURIOUS Townhomes, large 2 bedroom/ 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage, fenced yard, microwave, fireplace, $650 monthly and up. Call Janette 520-7912, 694-2957 or 697-9977.

3 BEDROOMS, 1 bath, 1 car garage, large fenced yard, Old Midland. $500/ monthly. 683-3549.

3 BEDROOMS 2 BATH 2 CAR- Westside, dishwasher, garbage disposal, stove, garage door opener, pet welcome with deposit. $550/ month, $250/ deposit.

Call collect (806) 798-1592

4311 MERCEDES. 3 Bedrooms, 1¾ bath, garage with opener. Large fenced yard. References and lease. Rent $550, deposit $350. 699-6258.

Ainslee- 2 BR, 1¾ BA, 2 LA, $550; 2206 Neely- 6 BR, 5½ Ba, 2 garage, $1600; #12 Chatham- 4 Br, 2 BA, 2 garage, $1300; 1406 Pine- 2 Br, 2½ BA, townhome, $850 furnished; 3205 Preston- 3 BR, 2 BA, 2 garage, $700
Carriage Company Realtors
684-5881

1902 WARD, 3 bedroom, 1¾ bath, double garage, pool, sunroom, low utilities, $900. March 1st. References. 682-9554.

COUNTRY HOME for sale, trade or lease, 3 bedrooms, 2 bath, 2 acres. 694-4251.

DUPLEX 4808 W. Cuthbert, large 1 bedroom, 1 bath, stove, refrigerator, dishwasher, disposal, ceiling fans, storage, covered parking, washer and dryer, private backyard, refrigerated air and central heat. $295 plus $150 deposit. 686-7932.

3 BEDROOM, 1 bath, stove, fenced, central air, new carpet. 4309 Monty. $450/ monthly. 684-5386.

3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage, fireplace, newly painted. $650 monthly, deposit and references required. 684-0551 days, 687-2648 evenings.

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3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, 2 car garage, storage shed, $650/ monthly, $325/ deposit. Call 683-7263.

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625 Houses Unfurnished

Brick, 3 bedroom, 1¾ bath, garage, fenced, central refrigerated air, 4613 Erie, $550. 686-0734

2 BEDROOMS with appliances, newly painted, $275/ monthly. 502 W. Parker. Call 694-1508 after 5.

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, central heat and air, den, fireplace 3111 W. Illinois. 561-9090.

VERY CLEAN, 2 bedroom, close to downtown, drive by 601 W. Cowden. Owner/ agent. 689-0776.

CUTE 2 bedroom, stove, refrigerator, fenced, washer, dryer connections, no inside pets. $275/ $100. 686-8156.

EXECUTIVE DUPLEX in Wydewood Estate. 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, double garage, updated color scheme. $595. 550-5609, 520-7719.

SMALL- 1 BEDROOM, living area, stove and refrigerator, carport. No pets in house. No bills paid. $175/ monthly, $75/ deposit. 505 Baldwin. 682-7802.

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FOR LEASE
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