For those with haute-couture taste and a bargain-basement budget, finding the right places to shop — and carrying a notebook instead of a checkbook — may solve the chic versus paycheck dilemma.

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Robert Abboud indicated Monday that concessions by his investor group and the FDIC might be possible if today's tender deadline passes without 90 percent redemption of First City bonds.

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First RepublicBank will seek bailout

DALLAS (AP) — First RepublicBank Corp., the biggest independent banking company in Texas, said today it will seek federal assistance as it wrestles with billions of dollars in bad real estate and commercial loans.

First RepublicBank officials said they will hold preliminary discussions with the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. to restructure and recapitalize the Dallas-based company.

"The decision to approach the FDIC is, in our judgment, important to providing a stable environment for First RepublicBank's customers," said Gerald W. Fronterhouse, the firm's chairman and chief executive officer.

"Naturally, we had hoped to work our way out of the current difficulties without assistance from the FDIC," he added. "However, we are now announcing this changed course of action to help clear away any concerns our customers may have."

Fronterhouse and the company's board of directors were scheduled to meet this afternoon.

As First RepublicBank struggled with billions of dollars in bad loans, depositors have grown increasingly uneasy about the bank's future. In a five-day period last month, the Dallas bank's deposits shrank by $600 million.

First RepublicBank, formed last year in the merger of RepublicBank Corp. and InterFirst Corp., lost $656 million in 1987, primarily because about 17 percent of its $15 billion loan portfolio was either past due or renegotiated.

The bank stands to lose another $450 million this year, reports indicate.

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County may start drug testing

By JULIE HILLRICHS
Staff Writer

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New county employees may have to submit to drug testing should the commissioners approve a related policy at their next meeting on March 28.

Commissioners Monday voiced support for the procedure by a 4-1 vote, but later rescinded the motion because it did not appear as a discussion item on the day's agenda.

County Attorney Mark Dettman said the policy would be placed on the agenda for the following meeting, at which time commissioners are expected to make it legal.

Commissioner Scott Welch, who voted against the drug-screening procedure, recommended after Monday's vote that the county delay action on the policy until prior testing rules make their way through the court system.

"It's in the court of appeals system right now. So I don't see why we can't wait and see what happens," Welch said.

Sheriff Gary Painter, who already requires drug screening for each of his new hires, said the county has talked with Primary Medical Clinic Midland as a possible overseer of the drug-screening plan. He added that each test averages about $60.

"We want to shop around for the best price and for someone who has the best testing," Painter said. "We're looking for somebody who has quality testing, who can provide accurate tests with backup tests."

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AP Laserphoto

Panamanian public workers — one fifth of the work force — burn barricades in the streets of Panama City's central business district as they learn the government can not meet its payroll.

Panama sets partial payments, ousts envoy

PANAMA CITY, Panama (AP) — Riot police using tear gas, shotguns and a water cannon today broke up a demonstration by unpaid public employees as Panama's military government announced it would begin partial salary payments to thousands of government workers.

More than 500 employees of the Social Security Administration's main hospital in Panama City blocked a divided highway this morning before three units of riot police dispersed them.

"Fewer guns, more medicine," the workers chanted.

A nurse, who declined to give her name for fear of reprisals, said the hospital's 9,000 employees had been given no explanation by supervisors of when or how they would be paid.

One person was reported injured by birdshot fired by police during the melee, which tied up traffic for more than two hours. The facility was offering only emergency services.

The presidential press office said the partial payments would be made on a sliding scale that would give full wages to more than half of the public servants, with others receiving a percentage of their salaries.

The action came a day after sporadic violence broke out in the capital and the Caribbean port city of Colon, the nation's second largest, after word spread that public employees would not be paid this week.

Directors of the National Federation of Public Servants, which represents nearly all government employees, said they would reject the government plan and demand full wages.

In another development, the Panamanian government asked Terrence Kneebone, director of the U.S. Information Service here, to leave the country within 48 hours, a U.S. Embassy source said.

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Speller wins over odds that include coma

SUMNER, Wash. (AP) — Shane Nicolich's watch stopped at 2:53 p.m. on the day he tumbled 40 feet from a tree behind his home. And for more than a year, so did his life. Doctors and family feared he would never recover from a coma.

Last month, the 12-year-old won the Sumner School District spelling bee — by spelling the word "hypodermic."

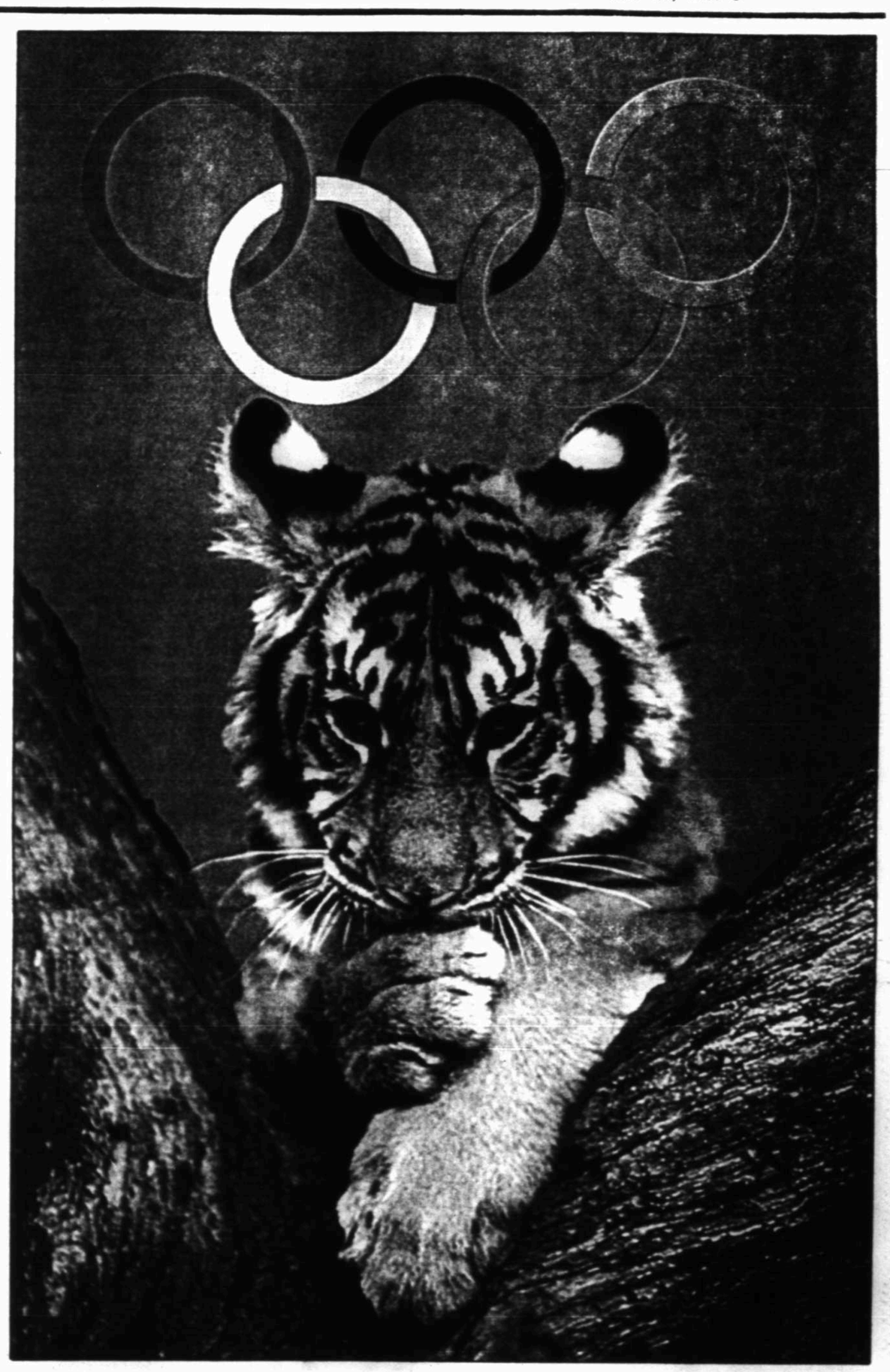
"I knew I had that one," Shane said, grinning.

Shane, the older of two sons of Mike and Donna Nicolich, is now a lanky seventh-grader with only traces of the injury doctors said would leave him comatose the rest of his life.

His walk is almost back to normal and he only occasionally responds slowly to questions. His brain stem has healed and he has regained use of the left side of his body.

In February, he completed a cross-country skiing course and was readmitted to his junior high school's gifted program.

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Colorful Olympics

In an effort to maintain highest possible quality in color photography reproduction, The Reporter-Telegram each year enters the annual Kodak Newspaper Color Reproduction Contest. The photo above, commemorating the 1988 Olympics, was submitted to the newspaper by the contest sponsors as this year's entry. Judging is based on clarity of detail and exactness of color, among other factors.

Baby pageant canceled after arrests

By PATRICK CRIMMINS
Staff Writer

A baby pageant scheduled for this weekend — and approved as a fund-raiser for Odessa's Ronald McDonald House — will be canceled following the Monday arrests of three persons on gambling charges, Midland and Odessa police announced today.

A representative of the Ronald McDonald House said today members of the non-profit organization are not sure what impact the arrests will have.

"I am very confused right now," house manager Becky Cagle said. "My question is, 'Why is this happening'?"

"There was nothing at this point taken from the Ronald McDonald House. It was being conducted properly, as far as we know," Ms. Cagle added.

According to Ms. Cagle, a Lubbock promoter named Stephen Davis attended the January board meeting of the house and impressed board members with his presentation. The organization decided to accept his offer to promote a baby pageant in lieu of a contribution, she said.

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Jackson predicts prominence in Illinois primary

By DONALD M. ROTHBERG
AP Political Writer

CHICAGO — Democrat Jesse Jackson predicted victory and a "significant breakthrough" in today's Illinois presidential primary, which began with a light turnout in cold weather, while Vice President George Bush wondered aloud what was keeping Republican rival Bob Dole in the race.

"I'm not sure I understand what he's doing," said Bush during a final campaign swing in the state where polls were forecasting a landslide victory over his GOP rivals.

But both Dole and Pat Robertson were insisting they were staying in the race, though the former television evangelist said he would re-evaluate his status if he gets less than 5 percent of the vote.

Between 2.5 million and 3 million voters were expected to turn out for the primary on a wintry day.

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Baker denies reports he's returning to Texas to seek governorship

By STEVE LEVINE
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — U.S. Treasury Secretary James Baker, a Houston native, Monday denied rumors that he plans to return home next year to seek the 1990 Republican nomination for governor.

"I suppose they're not true, since I'm here saying I'm going to stay through the end certainly of the Reagan administration and I have no plans beyond that, none," Baker told reporters before delivering an economics speech here. "I really don't have any future plans except to do the best job I can for Ronald Reagan as secretary of the treasury."

Baker was the GOP candidate for Texas attorney general in 1978, losing to Democrat Mark White in the November election. A confidant of Vice President George Bush, Baker refused to comment on whether he would stay in Washington to serve in the Bush cabinet should the vice president win the election this fall.

On economic issues, Baker repeated the Reagan administration's opposition to a fee on imported petroleum products and its support for deregulating the natural gas industry and repealing the windfall profits tax. An oil import fee, he said, would need a "large bureaucracy" to administer and would hurt America's attempts to regain its competitive margin in world markets.

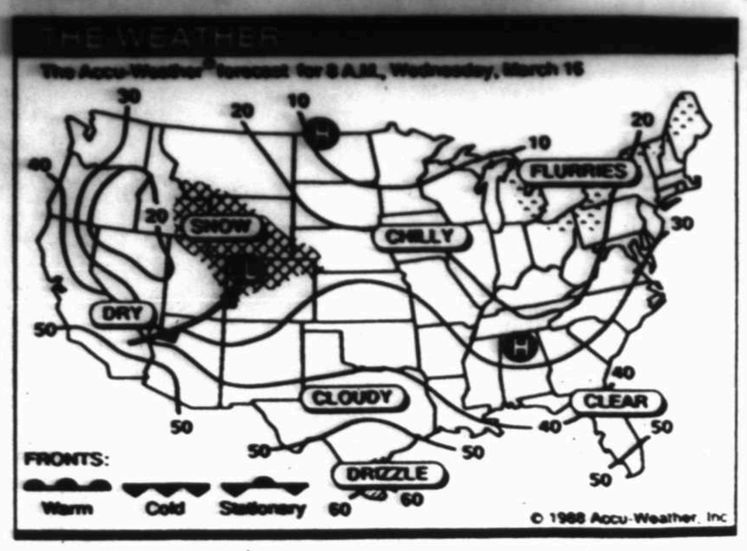
"It would be very difficult for us to enhance our competitiveness if U.S. industries relying on oil or the derivatives thereoff had to pay a substantially larger price for their oil than others did," he said.

He expressed disappointment in Texas' failure to share in the national economic expansion but predicted the Southwest would recover soon without help such as an oil import fee. Chances are "excellent to superlative," Baker added, that Reagan would veto pending trade legislation if it contains what he called protectionist measures.

Without going into specifics, Baker said some of the proposals that have come out of the 15 congressional committees working on the trade package "would be very, very bad for the United States and they would be very, very bad for the world economy."

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WEATHER SUMMARY



Mild temperatures likely

From Staff and Wire Reports

Highs and lows will be mild tonight and Wednesday, forecasters at the National Weather Service at Midland Regional Airport said today.

Tonight will be partly cloudy with a low in the lower 40s. Winds should be from the south at 10-15 mph.

Wednesday will also be partly cloudy with a high near 70. Winds will be from the south at 10-20 mph.

The record high for Monday was set in 1939 when it reached 86. The low for today was set in 1962 when it dipped to 22.

STATE

Showers, thundershowers or thunderstorms are forecast over most of Texas tonight and Wednesday.

Increasing cloudiness across the state tonight will also bring warmer temperatures to the state.

Forecasts are calling some isolated showers in the Panhandle, a slight chance of thunderstorms over western portions of North Texas and a chance of showers in central and eastern portions of North Texas Wednesday, a chance of showers and thunderstorms in the Panhandle and South Plains and a chance of scattered showers or thundershowers in South Texas tonight and Wednesday.

A developing storm system in the Rocky Mountains was causing pressure to fall across West Texas early today although high pressure still continued across the eastern half of the state.

Lows tonight will be mostly in the 30s and 40s, ranging from the mid 20s in the mountains of West Texas to near 60 along the lower Texas coast and in the Lower Rio Grande Valley.

Highs Wednesday will be mostly in the 60s across West Texas, ranging form the 50s in the Panhandle to the 70s in the Big Bend area, in the 50s and 60s in North Texas and in the 60s and 70s in South Texas.

Skies were clear over most of the state early today and temperatures were on the chilly side. There were some clouds over the coastal bend and in extreme South Texas.

Early morning temperatures were mostly in the 30s and 40s, ranging from the 20s in the Panhandle, the Red River Valley and the Big Bend mountains to the 50s in the Lower Rio Grande Valley. Extremes ranged from 20 at Marfa in the Davis Mountains of Southwest Texas to 57 at Brownsville.

Other early morning temperatures around the state included27 at Amarillo, 28 at Wichita Falls, 31 at Fort Worth, 36 at Waco, 35 at Austin, 31 at San Antonio, 49 at Corpus Christi, 28 at San Angelo, 34 at Lubbock, 27 at Midland and 40 at El Paso.

NATION

Unseasonably cold air sent thermometers plunging across the South, producing record lows in some areas and bringing freezing temperatures early today as far south as Midland, Texas, Shreveport, La., and Atlanta.

Meanwhile, snow showers sprinkled the Northeast, and reached from the upper Mississippi Valley across the Great Lakes region to the Appalachians. Snow also was scattered from southern New England into New Jersey. The heaviest snow continued to fall along the shores of the Great Lakes.

More than 14 inches of snow fell in the Conneaut area of northeast Ohio, with 8 to 10 inches reported in Ashtabula, Ohio, and 4 to 6 inches in Geneva, Ohio.

More than 2 feet of snow has buried portions of the Snow Belt in northern Wisconsin and upper Michigan since Saturday.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Tonight: Partly cloudy with a low in the lower 40s. Winds from the south at 10-15 mph. Wednesday: Partly cloudy with a high near 70. Winds from the south at 10-20 mph.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS

Yesterday's High	56 degrees
Overnight Low	27 degrees
Sunset today	6:57 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	6:58 a.m.
Precipitation	
Last 24 hours	0.00 inches
This month to date	0.19 inches
Year to date	0.64 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES

6 a.m.	21	6 p.m.	54
7 a.m.	17	7 p.m.	48
8 a.m.	23	8 p.m.	40
9 a.m.	33	9 p.m.	38
10 a.m.	37	10 p.m.	34
11 a.m.	41	11 p.m.	32
noon	45	midnight	30
1 p.m.	50	1 a.m.	29
2 p.m.	51	2 a.m.	28
3 p.m.	53	3 a.m.	29
4 p.m.	54	4 a.m.	29
5 p.m.	55	5 a.m.	27
		6 a.m.	28

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Abilene	58	30	
Alice	86	38	
Amarillo	50	28	
Austin	58	34	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	58	33	
Beeville	62	38	
Brownsville	61	56	
Bryan-College Station	58	33	
Childress	56	28	
Corpus Christi	62	38	
Corpus Christi NAS	60	49	
Cotulla	62	43	
Dalhart	55	21	
Dallas	55	36	
Dallas NAS	57	36	
Del Rio	60	38	
El Paso	61	37	
Fort Worth	58	31	
Fort Worth Meacham	56	35	
Galveston	58	50	
Hondo	57	30	
Houston Hobby	58	38	
Houston Intcntl	58	32	
Junction	57	25	
Kingsville	61	41	
Laredo	65	44	
Longview	51	28	
Lubbock	54	29	
Lufkin	58	28	
Marfa	61	18	
McAllen	61	52	
Midland-Odessa	56	27	
Mineral Wells	57	30	
Palacios	58	38	
San Angelo	57	28	
San Antonio	58	31	
Shreveport, La	53	28	
Stephenville	56	27	
Texarkana	48	25	
Victoria	60	37	
Waco	57	38	
Wichita Falls	54	27	
Wink	57	34	

Texas area forecasts

West Texas: Partly cloudy through Wednesday. Isolated showers Panhandle tonight with showers and a few thunderstorms Panhandle and South Plains Wednesday. Highs Wednesday 50s Panhandle to 70s Big Bend. Lows tonight mid 20s mountains, 30s north to mid 40s southeast.

North Texas: Increasing cloudiness and not as cold tonight. Mostly cloudy and windy Wednesday with a slight chance of thunderstorms west and a chance of showers central and east. Highs Wednesday in the upper 50s to lower 60s. Lows tonight in the upper 30s north to mid 40s south.

South Texas: Increasing clouds tonight becoming mostly cloudy Wednesday. Warmer temperatures tonight. Scattered showers or thundershowers tonight and Wednesday. Lows tonight 40s and 50s to near 60 lower coast and Lower rio Grande Valley. Highs Wednesday 60s and 70s.

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albany N Y	42	27	03	cdy
Albuquerque	53	28		cdy
Anchorage	35	24	20	cdy
Atlanta	45	21		clr
Atlantic City	46	30		cdy
Baltimore	40	25		clr
Boise	57	30		clr
Boston	37	31	15	cdy
Buffalo	31	15	23	sn
Casper	32	18		sn
Charleston S C	61	34		clr
Chicago	28	17	02	cdy
Cincinnati	28	20	03	cdy
Dayton	29	21		cdy
Denver	46	22		sn
Detroit	26	18	05	cdy
Flagstaff	53	22		cdy
Grand Rapids	26	17	04	cdy
Great Falls	39	24	15	sn
Honolulu	79	68		clr
Indianapolis	28	20	04	cdy
Jackson Miss	48	22		cdy
Kansas City	34	12		cdy
Las Vegas	67	41		clr
Little Rock	43	23		cdy
Los Angeles	75	50		cdy
Louisville	32	24		cdy
Memphis	42	25		clr
Milwaukee	26	15	01	cdy
Mpls St Paul	25	15		cdy
Nashville	37	22		clr
New Orleans	54	40		clr
New York City	47	32	17	cdy
Oklahoma City	47	28		clr
Omaha	32	12		cdy
Philadelphia	45	29		cdy
Phoenix	78	48		clr
Pittsburgh	31	20	04	sn
Reno	63	36		cdy
Richmond	43	28	02	clr
St Louis	30	21		cdy
Salt Lake City	47	38		sn
San Diego	72	52		cdy
San Francisco	70	50		clr
Sioux Falls	28	13		cdy
Spokane	44	28		clr
Syracuse	36	22	02	sn
Topeka	38	15		cdy
Tucson	80	39		clr
Tulsa	43	22		clr
Washington D C	41	28		clr
Wichita	41	20		rn

Extended forecast

Thursday Through Saturday

West Texas: Mostly cloudy east of the mountains with a slight chance of rain or snow showers mainly Panhandle and South Plains. Partly cloudy far west. Turning cooler by Friday and Saturday, mainly east of the mountains. Permian Basin: highs upper 60s Thursday cooling to mid 60s by Saturday. Lows in the 30s Panhandle. Highs near 50 Thursday cooling to upper 30s by Saturday. lows in the 20s South Plains. Highs upper 50s Thursday cooling to mid 40s by Saturday. Lows near 30 to mid 20s. Concho Valley: highs near 70 Thursday cooling to near 60 by Saturday. Lows near 40 to mid 30s. Far West: highs near 70 Thursday cooling to lower 60s by Saturday. Lows near 40 to mid 30s. Big Bend: highs mid 60s mountains to mid 80s lowlands Thursday cooling about 10 degrees by Saturday. Lows mid 20s to mid 30s mountains with mid 30s to mid 40s lowlands.

North Texas: Mostly cloudy Thursday and Friday with a slight chance of showers, mainly east. variable cloudiness with little or no precipitation Saturday. continued cool Thursday, with a further cooling trend late Friday and Saturday. Low temperatures in the 40s Thursday and Friday falling into the 30s Saturday. Highs in the 60s Thursday falling into the 50s Friday and the upper 40s and lower 50s Saturday.

South Texas: Partly cloudy Thursday with a chance of showers southeast texas mostly cloudy Friday and Saturday with a chance of thundershowers south central and southeast texas. turning cooler on Saturday. Lows Thursday and Friday from the 50s north to the 60s south, cooling into the 40s north to the 50s south on Saturday. Highs Thursday and Friday in the 70s, 80s extreme south. Highs Saturday from the 60s north to the 70s south.

County forecasts

Midland, Ector, Glasscock, Upton, Reagan, Crane, Gaines, Andrews, Dawson, Borden, Martin and Howard counties: Tonight, partly cloudy, low in lower 40s and wind south 10 to 15 mph. Wednesday, partly cloudy, high near 70 with wind south 10 to 20 mph, but gusty afternoon.

Sterling, Coke, Irion and Tom Green counties: Tonight, partly cloudy, low mid 40s with wind south 10 to 15 mph. Wednesday, partly cloudy, high mid 60s and wind south 10 to 20 mph and gusty afternoon.

Palestinian travel banned after riots

EREZ CHECKPOINT, Occupied Gaza Strip (AP) — Israeli authorities today banned Palestinians from traveling between the occupied territories, and hundreds of people rioted after a nightly curfew on the 650,000 Arabs in the Gaza Strip.

Hospital officials said troops shot to death one Arab and wounded five today during clashes on the West Bank. No injuries were reported in the rioting in the Gaza Strip.

In Jerusalem, police spokesman Rafi Levy said seven of 90 Arab police officers had quit. They were the first such resignations in the disputed Israeli capital.

Their action came after 500 Arab police in the West Bank and Gaza Strip heeded a call by underground Palestinian activists to turn in their badges.

On the West Bank, a general strike called for by the Palestine Liberation Organization got under way with transportation halted and Arab-owned stores closed.

The travel ban between the Gaza Strip and the West Bank represented an effort by the Israeli army to stem the growing campaign against Israeli occupation inspired by PLO.

An official of the military's Civil Administration said the measure applied to traffic in both directions. He said exemptions would be issued for hardship cases.

"They are allowed to work in Israel, but they can't continue into Judea and Samaria or vice versa. They would be turned back at a checkpoint," said the official, using the biblical terms for the West Bank.

"The policy is not to separate (the Palestinians), but to make it more difficult for agitators to move and to help stop distribution of anti-Israeli pamphlets that cause incitement," said the official, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

The ban was the most comprehensive travel restriction imposed since Israel seized the areas in the 1967 Middle East War. Under Israeli law, Palestinians are allowed into Israel to work but must have police authorization to spend the night.

The Israeli military also said it would to take punitive actions against foreign and local journalists it believed had filed false reports about incidents in the occupied territories. Army officers declined to elaborate, saying a statement would be released later.

Officials at Jerusalem's Mukassad Hospital said a 22-year-old Palestinian from the West Bank village of Ain Yabrud was dead on arrival with a bullet wound to the jaw. The Arab-owned Palestine Press Service identified the dead man as Arafat Hweih and said he was shot during a demonstration in Deir Jarir, 9 miles northeast of Ramallah.

Troops also shot and wounded four Palestinians in Qalqilya, 16 miles west of Nablus on the West Bank, officials at Qalqilya Hospital said. The Press Service put the wounded at six and said two were women shot in the head.

The army said it imposed a curfew on Qalqilya.

In Ramallah, thick black smoke from burning tires rose above several neighborhoods. At least three handcuffed Palestinians were detained by troops and sitting on the ground in the Ramallah police station.

In the Gaza Strip, the army imposed a 10 p.m. to 3 a.m. curfew over the entire coastal territory following the resignation of 300 Arab policemen.

Soldiers at the Erez checkpoint, the main entrance leading into the Gaza Strip, turned back Arab residents during the curfew, which was imposed without advance notice. Journalists saw 15 to 20 cars turned back in the first hour.

After the curfew was lifted for the day, soldiers fired tear gas at hundreds of Arabs who threw stones at an army administrative office in the Jabaliya refugee camp in the Gaza Strip. No injuries were reported.

Army officers said the nightly curfew, which forces Arabs to stay in their homes, would keep Arab agitators from entering the Gaza Strip and provoking demonstrations.

Israel radio today said 300 Arab police in Gaza City had also resigned. They joined 450 officers in the occupied lands who turned in their badges earlier following orders of PLO-inspired underground leaflets. The radio said that 40 officers who had handed in their resignations in the West Bank city of Hebron continued working after local Arab leaders asked them to stay on.

About 850 Arab policemen work in the occupied territories.

In response to months of PLO-backed unrest in the occupied lands, Israel stepped up economic sanctions. Shipment of gasoline and other fuel to service stations in the West Bank was banned as of Sunday.

According to United Nations figures, at least 91 Palestinians have been killed since anti-Israeli rioting began Dec. 8.

PANAMA

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The government did not explain the expulsion, but Kneebone, a leading embassy spokesman, has formally responded to several government accusations in the past week, including a formal charge that the United States was preparing to invade Panama.

His response to that allegation was that it was "ridiculous."

Some teachers, telephone and dock workers struck Monday to demand their wages and police put down a demonstration in Panama City with tear gas and rubber truncheons.

Protesters lit fires in the streets of the capital and chanted "Noriega must go" — a reference to Panama's military strongman, Gen. Manuel Antonio Noriega.

The government provided no other details about its partial payment plan, but sources said the plan would provide full wages to employees making less than $30 every two weeks, while others would get a percent of their salaries.

On Monday, the government began selling sacks of food, called "dignity bags," to unpaid workers.

And the United States sent an additional 100 military personnel to beef up security around the Panama Canal. The United States already has 10,000 troops based along the waterway.

More than 1,000 dockworkers walked off their jobs at ports in Colon and in Panama City, the entrances to the the 50-mile-long Panama Canal that links the Pacific and Atlantic oceans.

Alberto Soto, administrator of the Balboa Port in Panama City, said the action would not slow down shipping through the vital waterway, which normally handles about 30 ships a day.

About 130,000 people, nearly one in every five working Panamanians, are employed by the government. Until now, they have supported Noriega whose ouster as head of the Panama Defense Forces has been demanded by the opposition.

The nation's deposed president, Eric Arturo Delvalle, told CBS Television in a videotaped message that "Noriega will not be able to trick" the government workers. "He cannot pay them," said Delvalle from the hiding place where he has been holed up since Noriega engineered his ouster in a coup on Feb. 26, the day after Delvalle tried to fire the general.

The Reagan administration hopes the government's inability to pay its workers will bring down Noriega, who is under indictment in the United States on federal narcotics smuggling charges.

The United States imposed several new economic sanctions on Panama last Friday, including the withholding of $6.5 million in Panama Canal fees due this week. It earlier cut off all economic and military aid to the country.

COMA

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"My verbal IQ is back up to 124," he said in a recent interview. "That's 24 points away from Einstein. Write that down."

He doesn't remember much, however, about the July 14, 1986, accident at his home in Sumner, about 10 miles east of Tacoma.

"I was in this humongous tree playing with a bunch of friends. It seems I either got dizzy or a branch broke," he said.

For the next two months, the comatose boy was treated at Good Samaritan Hospital in Puyallup, the trauma unit at St. Joseph Hospital in Tacoma and finally Orchard Park Health Care Center in Tacoma.

He remembers nothing about the coma except for one thought days before he woke up. "I was dreaming about stuff like being home and eating spaghetti and French bread."

He came home the day before Halloween, and immediately began therapy at Good Samaritan. He still attends sessions three times a week, and doctors expect the sessions to continue for two or three more years.

"Given the severity of his injuries he's a real miracle," said Dr. Tom Wyckoff of Puyallup. "He has tremendous spirit and he'll go far. We're looking beyond high school to college."

Wyckoff, who specializes in rehabilitation medicine, said Monday Shane's success is due to his youth, his family and his intelligence.

His rapid recovery was used as an example at a recent National Head Injury Foundation conference in Seattle.

BABY

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Tickets, which included the name of Ronald McDonald House on them, were sold for the pageant at a dollar each. Each ticket would sponsor the name of an infant, who would be awarded 100 votes for every ticket sold, Ms. Cagle said.

The "king" and "queen" of the pageant were to be crowned on Sunday, and a door prize — a trip to Walt Disney World in Orlando, Fla. — was scheduled to be given away, Ms. Cagle said.

Ms. Cagle said she did not know how much money had been raised by the ticket sales, but $6,700 cash was confiscated at the Odessa location.

William Clyde Burris, 26, of Lubbock, was arrested about 5:30 p.m. at an office at the Midland Plaza shopping center, according to Midland police Cpl. Jim White. The office was being used as a base to sell tickets to the pageant, White said.

Davis was arrested late Monday in Lubbock, White said.

Donna Burris, also known as Donna Deering, 38, was arrested by Odessa police at the Odessa headquarters of the pageant, where cash and ticket stubs were confiscated, according to Odessa Police Lt. Barbara Gillis.

Sealed indictments against the three for gambling promotion were handed down late Monday by an Ector County grand jury, White said.

Cpl. John McAhon, spokesman for the Odessa Police Department, said he was not aware of the relationship with the Ronald McDonald House.

Ms. Cagle — who said she personally checked references on Davis' company, Crown Promotions — was baffled by the indictments.

"He (Davis) has been doing this for four years," Ms. Cagle said. "He comes with references ... from the Childrens' Medical Network, from a Lubbock hospital."

Use of the Ronald McDonald House name boosted ticket sales to the baby pageant, Ms. Cagle said.

The organization, which relies on private donations to house family members of seriously ill children, will rebound from the arrangement, she said.

"We will work it out," she said. "We really still are deciding what to do. I don't even know how much of a problem there is for the group."

The money collected so far may be forfeited to the state, may be returned to purchasers, or may go to the Ronald McDonald House, Ms. Gillis said.

"That will be up to a judge," the detective added.

BAKER

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Baker also echoed Reagan's weekend comments in interpreting the Super Tuesday primary election results. "It seems to me that the cause of protectionism took a pretty good hit over Super Tuesday," Baker said without naming candidates such as Democratic U.S. Rep. Richard Gephardt, who won only his home state of Missouri.

"Those candidates that supported protectionism went down the tubes pretty convincingly."

Baker also said the administration hopes to avoid a "taxpayer bailout" of troubled banks and savings and loan institutions in Texas. Baker said last year's $10 billion recapitalization of the Federal Savings & Loan Insurance Corp. by the savings and loan industry is working and that financial regulators "are on top of" the troubles the slumping real estate and energy industries have created in Texas.

"We really don't think that the taxpayer ought to be called upon to pay for situations where we've had, in some cases, mismanagement and the like," he said. "We think the situation is certainly under control."

BANK

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Fronterhouse said the company will try to solve its loan problems, particulary real estate loans.

"We are taking every possible measure to serve the best interests of our customers while furthering our efforts to revitalize this financial institution, which is important to Texas," he said.

Generally, the FDIC grants assistance if it determines that keeping the bank open would be less costly to the government than letting the bank fail.

FirstRepublic Bank officials attempted last month to combat rumors that the bank was considering merging with another financial institution. The bank purchased full-page advertisements in the local media to assure customers that their deposits were safe.

PRIMARY

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Illinois does not have party registration so voters could choose a Democratic or Republican ballot at their polling place.

Initial reports from Chicago precincts were of a light turnout.

Precinct captain William Smar said that during the first hour and a half his polling place was open, only 15 of the 498 registered voters had cast ballots, nearly all of them Democrats.

"It's more quiet than normal for this type of election," said Thomas Leach, spokesman for the city election commission.

Illinois voters express their presidential preference in a non-binding beauty contest and also elect convention delegates. It was possible a candidate would do well in the popular vote, but lose out in the contest for delegates to a contender who had stronger slates filed in the state's 22 congressional districts.

As if to emphasize his determination to fight on, Dole flew to Wisconsin and Connecticut to campaign in two of the states that follow Illinois.

Sen. Paul Simon said, "I will win" his home state's Democratic primary, and conceded second place in either the popular vote or the delegate contest would not be good enough.

Massachusetts Gov. Michael Dukakis said he has made "significant gains" in his effort to finish ahead of at least one of the state's two favorite-son candidates.

An ABC News-Washington Post poll done Saturday and Sunday suggested Simon had the support of 39 percent of 328 likely Democratic voters, with Jackson at 34 percent. Simon's lead was within the poll's 6-point margin of error. Dukakis trailed with 17 percent.

Simon was casting his ballot today in Makanda, his hometown in southern Illinois. Jackson was voting at a South Side church in Chicago.

At stake in today's voting were 82 Republican and 113 Democratic delegates. Another 10 GOP delegates will be chosen at the party state convention in June. Sixty additional Democratic delegates will be allocated to candidates in the same proportion as they won delegates in the primary and 15 more elected and party officials will become super delegates to the Democratic convention.

The latest Associated Press delegate count gave Bush 705, Dole 165 and Robertson 17 GOP convention delegates, out of the 1,139 needed for the nomination. On the Democratic side, Dukakis had 462.5, Jackson 423.55, Gore 352.8, Gephardt 145 and Simon 35.5. There are 275.65 uncommitted Democratic delegates.

Democratic Chairman Paul Kirk suggested Monday he would try to rally uncommitted delegates behind whichever candidate leads the field when the primaries have ended, if none has yet secured a numerical lock on the nomination.

Kirk said Monday that the party leaders and other officials who automatically hold seats as national convention delegates have a "special responsibility" to help ensure that the nominating process does not turn into a political fight that damages the nominee.

Bush, in the aftermath of his Super Tuesday sweep of 16 primaries, saw Illinois as a chance to take another giant step toward clinching the GOP nomination. Dole hoped the return to the Midwest would blunt the vice president's momentum.

Jackson saw his home state primary as an opportunity to challenge Dukakis for the leadership of the Democratic field. For Simon, Illinois was a fight for survival, while Sen. Albert Gore Jr. of Tennessee was looking for "an opportunity to punch through" with a victory in a Northern industrial state.

Rep. Richard Gephardt of Missouri did little campaigning in Illinois, concentrating instead on Michigan, which holds Democratic caucuses on March 26.

DRUG

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In other action Monday, the court voted to charge jail inmates for health care they receive while in the county's custody.

The policy, passed in accordance with the Texas Code of Criminal Procedures, requires prisoners in the county jail to pay for medical services rendered, including doctor's visits, prescription and nonprescription medicines and emergency room and dental care.

Elective medical procedures, routine eye testing and prescription glasses are not proved for unless the inmate is prepared to pay at the time the service is rendered.

Painter said prisoners who qualify for indigent health care services will be assisted in applying for reimbursement through the Indigent Health Care and Treatment Act or the Midland County Hospital District.

Correction

A headline on Page 1B of the March 10 edition stated that Midland Police Chief Richard Czech "says baby pageant 'legitimate'." That was incorrect. The quote should have been attributed to Becky Cagle, manager of the Ronald McDonald House in Odessa.

The Reporter Telegram regrets the error.

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Otto Pat Malone, left, and Robert Flye, members of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, pay tribute to black members of the 10th Cavalry who died in a skirmish with Indians near Electra and Burkburnett.

Story incomplete of what happened to 10th Calvary

By ROBERT MEDLEY

PUNKIN CENTER (AP) — Only half the story's been told about 10th Cavalry troops and their fight in 1872 that is memorialized by a Texas Historical Marker on 10th Cavalry Creek.

One half — the half that's documented — has to do with the Buffalo Soldiers who made up the black Army unit. But the other half is filled with conflicts.

History says that the soldiers of the cavalry unit engaged in a creek bed skirmish with Indians.

The creek is between Electra and Burkburnett on Texas 240 and honors the efforts of troops who helped open the American West to white settlement. The black troops, called "Buffalo Soldiers" by the Indians, were stationed during the Indian Wars at Camp Augur near what is now Frederick, Okla.

The "Handbook of Texas" says a unit from the 10th Cavalry was ambushed by Indian warriors in 1872 after they crossed the Red River into Texas.

Astride horses that had been rejected by the 7th Cavalry, the troops got the worst of it as they were hit from all sides. The handbook cites legends that hold that bones of horses, soldiers and officers were later buried in a common grave.

Arrowhead hunters found bones and a piece of a rifle near the historical marker in 1983.

But who were the Indians the troops fought? That's the question history hasn't answered.

"I've never heard of such a thing. It is not marked on the Kiowa Calendar," says Robert Rowell, a Kiowa artist from Elgin, Okla.

Rowell said the Kiowa Calendar covers all dates between 1833 and 1895 with important days marked in accordance to an annual Sun Dance. Symbols explain events of common knowledge, including all battles and their dates.

"There are no accounts of a battle on that creek. It could not have been Kiowa or Comanche, it must have been a different tribe, maybe the Navajo," Rowell said.

No records of a 10th Cavalry battle are found in the works of 19th century ethnologist James Mooney, who wrote "Calendar history of Kiowa Indians" and "Sun Dance of the Sioux."

One possibility is that the tribe was Apaches. Bobby Jay, Apache tribal director in Anadarko, Okla., confirmed that the Apache were in the area at about the same time.

The 10th Cavalry erected frontier posts from Montana to Mexico along with the 9th Cavalry and paved the way toward the future city of Lawton, Okla., and nearby Fort Sill.

The 10h Cavalry unit that engaged in battle with Indians in 1872 was wiped out on an outlet of China Creek, according to the most common accounts. The lack of black military history records leaves patches unfilled.

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— Robert Rowell, Kiowa artist

"The Army has one version that the cavalry in the battle wiped out the Indians and bodies were buried by troops from Gainesville, Texas, but the records don't mention which tribe fought," says Anita McMurtrie of Electra, who has researched the incident.

Ms. McMurtrie found a captain's report in Washington D.C., that claims the 10th Cavalry unit was not obliterated in the conflict. Instead the captain's report says the Indians were wiped out.

"There were a number of little skirmishes all the way to the Palo Duro Canyon that year," said Towana Spivey, curator of the Fort Sill Museum at Lawton, Okla.

Spivey said the Fort Sill Archives contain a picture of 10th Cavalry soldiers standing near barracks, unusual because pictures were not generally taken of the black troops.

"Apache, they were Apaches," said Franky Durkee, a Wichita Falls woman who says she knew the son of a man who had fought in the 10th Cavalry unit.

"Black military history information has not been fully classified," Ms. Durkee said. She says the man she knew was a deacon in her church, Antioch Baptist.

Ms. Durkee said plots exist in Lakeview Cemetery of the 10th Cavalry members. The unit at 10th Cavalry Creek met with a band of Geronimo's Apache warriors, she said. "I heard there was almost a massacre."

Black soldiers were sent to the West after the Civil War and white troops remained in the South, yet blacks did not settle in the areas they helped tame. Members of the 9th Cavalry returned to homes in Louisiana after service.

Angus Thompson, executive director of Community Action Corp. in Wichita Falls, said he had difficulty locating a descendant of the 10th Cavalry in Wichita Falls.

"Black soldiers came out west but did not settle. It is strange. In most cases troops will settle in with the populace," Thompson said.

Commandos take girl out of Jordan

DALLAS (AP) — A Dallas woman paid a team of retired U.S. commandos $200,000 to rescue her daughter in an incident that caused the U.S. State Department to express regret to Jordan, the Dallas Times Herald reported today.

Holly Planells of Albany, N.Y., head of American Children Held Hostage, told the newspaper Monday the amount the woman paid.

Ms. Plannells, told the Dallas Morning News that the woman and her 7-year-old daughter were "well and very happy" and back in Texas.

The woman had been identified at Cathy Mahoon, but Holly Planells, head of American Children Held Hostage, said her name is Cathy Phelps Mahone, The Dallas Morning News and the Dallas Times Herald reported today.

Ms. Mahone and the commandos reportedly entered Jordan and seized the 7-year-old girl who had been the object of a custody fight.

The Texas woman claims her former husband, Jordanian-born Mohammed Ali Bayan, kidnapped the child and took her to Jordan although she was granted custody of the child following a divorce.

Dallas County court records confirm that a judge granted the woman custody of the child, but Dallas Police say they have no record of the reported kidnaping last September.

"She (Ms. Mahone) called me from Texas and said they're alive and well and very happy," Ms. Planells told the Dallas Morning News Monday.

"She's really getting assimilated back to American Life," Ms. Plannels said of Lauren Bayan. "It was a traumatic experience to be away from her mother like that. Jordan is a strange place."

Ms. Plannels declined to say where Ms. Mahone is living, saying the woman fears her husband "will try this again."

U.S. State Department spokesman Charles Redman said Monday an American Embassy officer in Amman has been recalled to Washington for questioning by department officials about his knowledge of the incident.

The officer, who was not named, had some knowledge prior to the Jan. 28 incident that the group had arrived in Jordan but that he had been misled as to its intentions, Redman said.

"We have expressed regret to the government of Jordan for any role that an embassy officer might have played in this violation of Jordanian law," Redman said.

The Dallas woman, unable to get her daughter back through legal channnels, hired former Army commandos to take the girl away from her father, who claimed legal custody of the child under Jordanian law.

Corporate Training Unlimited, a company in Fayetteville, N.C., that specializes in "hostage rescue training," plotted and carried out the seizure for expenses and a hefty, undisclosed fee, the Philadelphia Inquirer said.

Company president Donald Feeney denied the story, but other well-placed sources described the company's role, the Inquirer said.

The rescue attempt began at 8:30 a.m. Jan. 28 in Jerash, north of Amman, sources close to the participants told the newspaper. J.D. Roberts, a one-time Army Delta Force hostage rescue specialist, hailed and stopped a school bus by waving a note in Arabic.

Roberts pinned the shocked driver to his seat while Mrs. Mahone took the child off the bus, smacking a teacher who tried to block their escape. They fled in a white Datsun and switched cars before crossing the border into Israeli-controlled territory, the Inquirer said.

Bayan reported his daughter had been abducted by three Americans and he published newspaper advertisements seeking information.

Sameer Salem, a Jordanian friend of Bayan's, told The Associated Press that Bayan had returned to Jordan in the fall of 1987 after selling a Dallas restaurant called The Country Skillet.

Experts don't think freeze hurt peach crop

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Experts are confident that Hill Country peach growers will have a bumper crop this year despite two nights of sub-freezing temperatures.

John Lipe, a Texas Agricultural Extension Service horticulturist, said Monday that the freezing weather has killed off 25 percent to 30 percent of the buds on peach trees in the area.

"Probably 25 to 30 percent were killed, but that is not a loss," Lipe said. "We're still looking to have a bumper crop this year."

The damage from the cold to the embryos has not affected the flowering of the trees, he said. Only the tiny embryos, which would have developed into peaches, were killed by the biting temperatures.

"As far as the crops are concerned, there is no damage," Lipe said.

Another freeze expected this weekend had some growers worried.

A cold front expected to push into the Hill Country this weekend may bring freezing temperatures.

Experts say that the trees are so full of blossoms, they can withstand even further damage without endangering the crop. "Most trees already have 10,000 peach blossoms each, while an average tree can only produce 700 to 800 pieces of fruit, Lipe explained.

Before the tree produces, farmers need to thin them out anyway.

Socialists want to be on Texas ballot

AUSTIN (AP) — The Socialist Party USA, encouraged by what it says is greater-than-expected support in Texas, will try to get on the November presidential ballot here, party presidential candidate Willa Kenoyer says.

"When we were here in October, I had no expectation of even trying in Texas, because the campaign looked so small, but we found far more support than we expected," Ms. Kenoyer told a Monday news conference.

To get on the general election ballot, the party must gather 34,415 petition signatures, 1 percent of the vote in the last gubernatorial election.

The petition drive began last weekend, said Ms. Kenoyer, a 53-year-old newspaper reporter from Michigan. She said she does not know how many signatures have been gathered so far.

Ms. Kenoyer and the Socialist vice-presidential candidate, Ron Ehrenreich, expect to be on the ballot in 26 states. Ehrenreich, 37, is a New York sociology teacher.

"We're running on a platform of human rights, human needs, a clean-up of the environment, economic democracy and an end of the warfare state," Ms. Kenoyer said.

"We are there to talk to those who are not bothering to vote now," she said.

Ms. Kenoyer said the campaign is succeeding "beyond our wildest expectations."

"Capitalism is not working. It's not working for an enormous part of our population. Socialism is no longer a naughty word in this country," she said.

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Good dance DJs know they have to keep music going

By CARL HOOVER

WACO (AP) — When students from Wiley Middle School took the floor for a recent dance, one man kept them on their feet by spinning heat with a beat and no repeats.

For scores of Waco soul dancers, the man they know as "DJ Bat," short for "DJ Batman," is the man who keeps the music going.

James Lewis, 24, is one of half a dozen dance disc jockeys who earn money by providing music and sound systems for everything from birthday parties to dance nights at local clubs and recreation centers.

Armed with a wall of speakers, two turntables and boxes of albums, they spend their weekend nights rappin' and scratchin' (playing records backwards on turntables for a distinctive sound effect) for hours on end, all to keep those dancers moving.

"It's the person who can move the crowd who's a good DJ," says "Rappin' Reggie" Reed, who at age 22 has about nine years' experience at playing dance music.

Reed set a marathon record for non-stop dance disc jockeying last spring and is a regular at Waco's Nite Owl Club.

The dance DJ is studying for a career as a radio broadcaster, but for now he's content with entertaining dancers at weekend parties.

"It's hard to play records from 11:30 p.m. to 5 a.m.," he says of his regular shift. "The crowd has to keep you motivated or nine times out of 10 you'll go to sleep."

Another DJ, R.K. Mayes, whose R.K. Mayes Productions provides music for many Waco-area dances, says part of a DJ's skill comes in matching the rhythm beats of different albums.

By phasing in one song while another is finishing, a good DJ can keep the music going without causing a dancer to miss a beat, he says. Dancers who have to stop when the music changes likely will remember a DJ, Mayes says, and not fondly.

And like their radio counterparts, dance DJs have to provide their audiences with what they want.

"It depends on the crowd," says Lewis. "A college crowd, they want a little rap and some contemporary (soul) music. At the kids' party, it's nothing but rap. They don't want to get mellow. It's all rap and don't slow it down.

"But if you try all rap with a college crowd, the college guys will come up there breathin' hard and say, 'Play one of them slow songs so we can catch our breath,'" Lewis says with a laugh.

Robert Drake III, whose House Party Productions grew out of his BoneShakers Mobile Sound operation, sees dance DJs as providing a wholesome atmosphere for young dancers.

Part of his success, and that of other DJs, is the creation of youth fan groups that promote their dances and set up the sound equipment, as well as attend the dances with names and uniforms.

Like other DJs, Reed sees himself as a role model and plans to use his turntable-banked pulpit to preach the message of staying away from drugs.

Reed has recorded an anti-drug rap titled, "Get Busy, No Dizzy."

"It's easy to talk about keeping drugs out of school, but few are doing anything about it. I hope that kids listening to this song will get it locked in their minds so when they think about doing drugs, they'll remember that they can say no to it," Reed said.

Drake and Mayes have been active in sponsoring citywide talent shows where kids can show off their dance moves and DJ display their groovin' talents.

Mayes, for instance, will sponsor a talent show Friday at Paul Quinn College, with trophies awarded top acts in singing, dancing and rapping.



AP Laserphoto

Go that way!

Su-su the Clown, Carolyn Jordan of Corpus Christi, tells her rattlesnake to move along down the lane during the 16th annual World Championship Rattlesnake Races held in Old San Patricio, near Corpus Christi, last weekend. The racers wear plastic covers over their lower legs and are accompanied by professional snake handlers to make sure the snakes don't slither away.

Lawyer vows to fight extradition of Texas prisoner

SPOKANE, Wash. (AP) — The lawyer for a Texas prison escapee has vowed to fight his client's return to Texas until he exhausts the appeals process in Washington state.

Lawyer Mark Vovos said an order signed Monday by Spokane County Superior Court Judge Michael Donohue cleared the way for Charles Romaine's extradition.

However, the order was delayed a week to allow time for an appeal to be filed, he said.

Romaine, who insists he will be killed if returned to prison in Texas, will remain in custody in Washington during the appeal, Vovos said.

Clint Francis, Spokane County deputy prosecutor, said Washington state has no legal authority to refuse Romaine's extradition, despite contentions by the defense that Romaine is protected against cruel and unusual punishment under the Eighth Amendment of the U.S. Constitution.

"The constitution says when one state makes a demand for a prisoner, the other state has to return him," Francis said. "He has to duke it out there with the Texans."

Romaine was convicted of shooting another man at a party. He claimed the shooting was in defense of a pregnant woman who had been raped earlier.

He served 10 years of his 5- to 99-year first-degree murder sentence in the Texas prison system's Ramsey Unit before escaping in August 1985. He and his wife, Anita, lived in the small northern Washington town of Chesaw until the FBI arrested them in July 1986.

Mrs. Romaine has said her husband will be killed if returned to Texas because of what he knows about abuses in the Texas prison system.

"It's a bad situation down there," Vovos said, characterizing the Texas prison system as one run by inmates.

Connally: Texas will be alone to deal with its problems until after election

HOUSTON (AP) — Former Gov. John Connally says the nation will drift along this year while voters decide on a new president, leaving Texas to grapple alone with continuing economic problems.

Connally told members of the Texas Daily Newspaper Association on Monday night that he sees no real national leadership materializing until after the fall election.

Meanwhile, Texans will have to continue coping with the fallout from declining oil prices.

Connally, 70, is among those Texans hit hard by the depressed economy. He started a real estate and development business with former Texas Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes at the peak of the oil boom.

But the boom went bust, taking Connally, Barnes and others in tow. Connally filed personal and business bankruptcy petitions last July and he auctioned off most of his personal belongings in January to help pay his debts.



John Connally

"I suppose I am in the shape I'm in today because I'm always an optimist," he told about 100 people attending the TDNA's Monday night dinner.

But his optimism fades when it comes to the world oil scenario.

Connally said he expects the U.S. will import even more foreign oil in the future and he forsees another major oil crisis in the next few years with the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries substantially increasing the price of crude oil.

"They'll (OPEC) have us back right where they want us in another two to three years," he said.

Connally, who was a Democrat as governor but later switched parties, also said he didn't see much good coming out of Super Tuesday for Texas.

"I don't think Super Tuesday did what it was supposed to do (for Texas)," he said, adding that the presidential campaigns ended up in a maze of airport stops and media opportunities.

BEE SMART

The Reporter-Telegram will sponsor the 1988 Regional Spelling Bee March 26 at Midland College.

School spelling champions from Midland, Martin, Glasscock and Upton counties will compete for the top prize of an all-expenses-paid trip to the National Spelling Bee in Washington, D.C.

This daily column on words, their spellings, meanings and origins will be published through March 25. These words are typical of those used in bees but may not necessarily be used in competition.

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carcinogenic — (adjective) Certain chemicals have been shown to be "carcinogenic." Something that is "carcinogenic" is cancer-producing or tending to produce cancer. "Carcinogenic" is derived from the word "carcin" derived from the Greek word "karkinos" meaning cancer. The suffix "-genic" means "producing" or "forming." According to medical research, burning tobacco, found in cigarettes and cigars, and saccharin, a sugar substitute, are thought to be "carcinogenic" substances. Can you name any other such substances?

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STATE IN BRIEF

Woman allegedly sold baby's birth certificate

AUSTIN (AP) — Officers are seeking the mother of an infant who reportedly sold the baby's birth certificate to an Austin man who was jailed on charges accusing him of buying the infant.

Authorities said Monday the woman reportedly sold the birth certificate for $20.

Mark Walker, 22, remained in City Jail on $1,500 bond. He is accused of buying a child, a third-degree felony. If convicted, he could be sentenced for up to 10 years in jail and fined $5,000.

The baby was placed in the custody of the Texas Department of Human Services.

Police said the transaction took place earlier this year, and the man had the baby in his care for about two months before he was arrested last week.

Police said a man offered in January to buy a child from a woman who said she was unable to care for hers. The man offered the woman an undetermined amount of money for the baby, police said. The woman refused the money, but gave the man custody of the child.

A day after the man was given the baby, he paid the woman $20 for the birth certificate, police said.

Man held in wife's death

SPRING (AP) — Authorities say a North Zulch man has been charged in the beating death of his estranged, pregnant wife with whom he was upset because she had not gotten an abortion.

David Ray Earnest, 36, was being held Monday in the Montgomery County Jail in lieu of $250,000 bond. He was charged with murder in the Saturday death of his common-law wife, Lucinda Shepherd Giles, 27.

Montgomery County sheriff's Detective H.B. Norris said Earnest gave a statement denying the killing. Earnest, who called officers to Giles' residence at the Briarcrest Apartments at 3:10 a.m. Saturday, told detectives that he moved Giles from the living room to the bedroom after finding her dead.

Friends told officers that Earnest was upset that Giles had not gotten an abortion, Norris said. The couple has an 18-month-old daughter, who is now staying with relatives.

Group backs zoo fee plan

HOUSTON (AP) — A city plan to charge a fee to the Herman Park Zoo, which ranked fifth in the country last year in attendance, has been endorsed by the Zoological Society of Houston.

But the society said Monday their support of the plan is subject to two conditions that the city Parks and Recreation Department's budget isn't reduced for fiscal 1989 and all money generated from the fee remains with the department and isn't used to offset reductions in the city's general fund, Eddy S. Blanton, president of the society's board, said.

A $108,000 cut in the budget for fiscal 1988 forced the zoo to close on Mondays, offer fewer animal exhibitions and reduce staff, officials said.

City Parks and Recreation Director Donald Olson offered the fee plan for a third time when he submitted new budget cuts to the mayor's office last week.

The proposal would impose a $2.50 charge for adults and 50 cents for children, provide for 10 to 12 free days annually, which occur on designated city holidays, and admit area children free when they attend as a school group.

The budget cuts would close the Discovery Zoo, cut zoo staff and informal educational programs, relocate more animals and put less emphasis on breeding and conservation.

TDC seeking office space

AUSTIN (AP) — The state prison board has authorized negotiations to acquire additional administrative office and warehouse space near Huntsville in Walker County.

"This acquisition should resolve once and for all the speculation of moving the administrative offices to Austin," said Director James Lynaugh of the Texas Department of Corrections after the Monday board action.

"With this acquisition, TDC should have adequate office and warehouse space for the foreseeable future," he said. Huntsville and Walker County have been the home of the TDC since 1849.

The State Board of Corrections authorized TDC officials to begin negotiations for the acquisition of the 75-acre Baker Hughes complex, formerly world headquarters for the Hughes Tool Co.

Pair held in homicide

FORT WORTH (AP) — A man and an elderly woman, both from Fort Worth, have been arrested in connection with the death last month of an Arizona man, officials said.

Brent Henry Sun, believed to be in his late 20s, and Paula Hassenflug, who is believed to be around 70, were arrested over the weekend.

Both are being held in the Tarrant County Jail in Fort Worth pending formal charges by the Yavapai County, Ariz., officials.

The pair was arrested in connection with the homicide of Richard Johnson, 42, whose body was found on Arizona 179 about four miles north of Interstate 17 near Sedona on Feb. 29, officials said.

The weapon believed to have been used in the homicide was recovered in Fort Worth, officials said.

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Report reveals urban schools troubled, calls for 'crusade'

NATION

WASHINGTON (AP) — America's urban schools are in deep trouble, beset by problems ranging from low morale and high dropout rates to dilapidated facilities and crippling bureaucratic regulations, the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching said today.

The foundation called for a "crusade on behalf of urban education" including greater financial support for inner-city schools and more freedom and accountability for teachers and principals.

In a 38-page report called, "An Imperiled Generation: Saving Urban Schools," the Carnegie trustees said: "Many people have simply written off city schools as little more than human storehouses to keep young people off the streets."

"We call upon America to commit itself to a crusade on behalf of urban education," they said.

Principals and teachers "should be given more authority to run the schools," but if urban schools do not shape up, "there must be outside intervention," the report said.

"It is our deep conviction that when schools fail, swift changes must be made. No other crisis — a flood, a health epidemic, a garbage strike or even snow removal — would be as calmly accepted without full-scale emergency intervention," the report said.

The trustees suggested that an evaluation team of educators, parents and others be dispatched to a troubled school, where it could recommend sweeping changes including removing the principal and, as a last resort, closing the school.

Ernest Boyer, president of the Carnegie Foundation and former U.S. commissioner of education, said urban schools need "a radical new strategy,...a program of intervention that confronts the bureaucracy outside the schools and the anonymity within."

"School reform is failing in the inner city because the diagnosis is wrong. Formulas for renewal — more homework, more testing, more requirements for graduation — work best for schools that already are succeeding and for students who are college bound," said Boyer.

"But to require a troubled student in an urban ghetto to take another unit in math or foreign language, without more guidance and support, is like raising a hurdle in the high jump without giving more coaching to someone who has stumbled."

Secretary of Education William J. Bennett issued a statement saying: "I am generally encouraged by this report. It's good to have major figures from the education establishment strongly endorse the principle of accountability. Now let's see if agreement on this idea can be followed by the political courage required to put it into practice."

The report said: "We are deeply troubled that a reform movement launched to upgrade the education of all students is irrelevant to many children — largely black and Hispanic — in our urban schools. In almost every big city, dropout rates are high, morale is low, facilities often are old and unattractive and school leadership is crippled by a web of regulations.

"Excellence in education ultimately must be judged by what happens to the least advantaged students. And thus far, the harsh truth is that the reform movement has largely bypassed our most deeply troubled schools."

Carnegie surveyed teachers and visited schools in six cities: Chicago, Cleveland, Houston, Los Angeles, New Orleans and New York.

It cited these examples of problems:

— Cleveland's public schools recently produced only one National Merit semifinalist. At one high school, "lavatories for students have no light bulbs, the stalls have no doors and there is no toilet paper in the dispensers."

— At a Chicago high school, only 10 percent of the entering 10th graders could read effectively.

— In a Los Angeles high school, only 229 of 1,918 students scored at their grade level in reading.

"Each year almost 700,000 students call it quits, forming a group that exceeds the populations of all but the nation's largest cities," it said.

The Carnegie board proposed fighting the problem on several fronts, including:

— Setting high expectations for all students. It decried the 28 percent of urban teachers surveyed by Carnegie who thought a 25 percent dropout rate was tolerable.

— Freeing principals and teachers "from a system of red tape that causes them to scrounge for chalk and paper clips while bombarding them with a steady flow of procedural directives."

— A National Urban Schools Program that would feature expanded federal funds for Head Start, child nutrition, and the Chapter 1 remedial program, as well as loans to refurbish buildings and other new aid targeted at the nation's 100 biggest cities, from Worcester, Mass. (population 160,000) to Los Angeles and New York.

Convicted murderer executed in Florida

STARKE, Fla. (AP) — Convicted murderer Willie Jasper Darden, who maintained his innocence through 14 years on death row and became the focus of an international debate on capital punishment, was executed today in Florida's electric chair.

Darden, 54, was convicted of fatally shooting Lakeland businessman James C. Turman while robbing his wife of $15 in September 1973.

"I was not guilty for the charge for which I was arrested and this morning I tell you I am not guilty of the charge for which I am about to be executed," Darden said in a final statement to 30 witnesses in the death chamber.

"I go this morning with a clear conscience. I bear no guilt. I'm at peace with myself, with the world, with each of you. God bless you."

Darden winked and nodded at one of his attorneys just before the hood was put over his head, and was declared dead at 7:12 a.m. after 2,000 volts of electricity flowed through his body for two minutes. Two puffs of smoke rose from his right leg where one of the electrodes was attached.

"I think it's long overdue. He did it to himself. I'm just thinking right now I want some peace of mind. It's been a long time and I'm glad it's finally over," said Turman's widow, Helen Turman Baum, minutes after the execution. Mrs. Baum has remarried since the shooting.

Darden went into Turman's furniture store on September 8, 1973, and had just robbed Turman's wife of $15 when Turman came on the scene.

Court records say that after shooting Turman between the eyes, Darden unbuckled his belt and unzipped his pants and ordered his wife to get on the floor, remove her false teeth and perform oral sex on him while Turman lay dying just a few feet away.

A neighbor, Philip Arnold, also identified Darden during the trial. Arnold, then 16, entered the store after apparently hearing the shooting and the woman's cries. He was shot three times but survived.

Earlier today, Wayne Robert Felde was executed in Louisiana's electric chair for the 1978 murder of a policeman.

It was the first time two inmates were executed the same day in the United States since Aug. 28, when three murderers were put to death, in Florida, Alabama and Utah.

Darden spent 14 years on death row, one month less than Howard V. Douglas, who has been on death row in Florida since December 1973.

On Monday, the U.S. Supreme Court, the 11th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals, a federal judge and the state Supreme Court rejected Darden's appeals.

His last hope was a reprieve from Gov. Bob Martinez, who signed Darden's seventh black-bordered death warrant last week and said Monday he had no plans to issue a stay.

"I think of the victim at a moment like this and the family which was destroyed," Martinez said. "A hideous murder took place and that's what I keep in mind. Just because it's 15 years later, that doesn't reduce a crime that was committed at the time."

"The governor's hands are now stained with the blood of a man from whom justice was withheld," Amnesty International said in a statement from John G. Healey, executive director of Amnesty International USA in New York.

Early today, about 40 people gathered in a cow pasture across from the Florida State Prison to protest the execution.

"It's obvious to the world. It's obvious to the pope, to the people of the world, that something is wrong if we execute Willie Darden," said Magdeleno Rose-Avila, director of Amnesty International's project to abolish the death penalty.



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Protesters from the Gainesville Citizens Against The Death Penalty hold a candlelight vigil late Monday on behalf of Willie Darden in Gainesville, Florida. Darden was executed today.

Witness testifies Mecham aide lied

PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP) — A Cabinet member and confidant of Evan Mecham testified that a key prosecution witness at the governor's impeachment trial lied about an alleged death threat.

Max Hawkins, who was fired as state Department of Administration director by acting Gov. Rose Mofford, told the Senate that state official Peggy Griffith's public statements and testimony about the alleged threat were "substantially different" from what she told him in November.

"I think she did lie on that," Hawkins testified Monday.

Today, the Senate was expected to consider a defense motion to declare a mistrial or dismiss the first of three main charges against Mecham. Defense lawyers accused Department of Public Safety Director Ralph Milstead of denying Mecham a fair trial by attempting to intimidate defense witnesses.

Mecham, a first-term Republican, is accused of trying to thwart an investigation of an alleged death threat by then-state prison construction chief Lee Watkins against a former state official, Donna Carlson.

Mrs. Griffith testified last week that Watkins, a Mecham confidant, told her that if Ms. Carlson did not keep her mouth shut about an unreported Mecham campaign loan she might "go on a long boat ride" and come to harm.

"I think Peggy really detested Lee Watkins," Hawkins, a onetime Mecham campaign chairman, testified. "I think she really had it in for Lee Watkins," possibly because he had said bad things about her friend Ms. Carlson before.

Hawkins repeatedly told the Senate that he did not consider the alleged threat to be a serious matter.

Army creates new uranium armor for tanks

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Army has secretly devised a new armor plating for its main battle tank that combines uranium with steel to produce an almost impenetrable skin, military officials say.

"We're talking about something so good the experts think it will take the Russians almost a decade to catch up," said one official who spoke only on condition of anonymity.

The Pentagon sources agreed to discuss the matter Monday after the Army released a brief statement announcing plans to produce "a new model of the M-1A1 Abrams Main Battle Tank with significantly better armor."

"The armor design modification to the M-1A1 incorporates steel-encased depleted uranium," the service said.

The development of the new armor has been under way for several years as part of a highly classified "black" program, the sources said. The Army relaxed the classification somewhat on Monday only because it had to provide information to production line workers and wanted to allay health concerns about using a radioactive material in a manned vehicle, they added.

In Monday's announcement, the service insisted that the depleted uranium would pose no threat to either the soldiers who operated the tanks or to the production workers who built them because of the manner in which the tanks would be fabricated.

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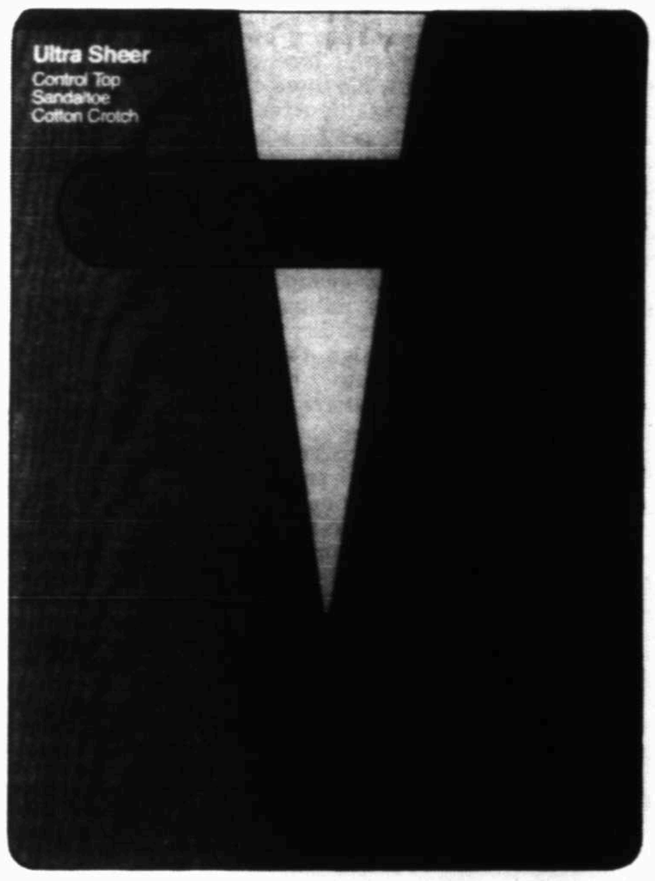
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Springlike weather can be tricky!

Spring is almost here, right? With temperatures climbing into the 80s some days and trees and shrubs beginning to put on a layer of green, it's only logical to assume that consistently warm weather is just around the corner, meteorologically-speaking.

But Midland gardeners who already have planted their bedding plants and vegetables got a chilly surprise Monday morning when the temperature in the Tall City dropped to a brisk 17 degrees. That was a graphic reminder that despite all the warm days Midlanders have been able to enjoy recently, Old Man Winter hasn't released his grip on the Permian Basin yet and very probably won't for several more weeks.

That fact was also in evidence in the Texas Panhandle over the weekend as snow flurries were reported at some locations and chilly temperatures prevailed. It was the kind of weather to put thoughts of fishing, gardening and other warm-weather activities to rest and to cause residents to throw another log on the fire they recently had extinguished.

Easter, the Christian religious holiday long associated with the beginning of spring, is "early" this year, falling on April 3, and the adage reminds us that March typically comes "in like a lion" and goes "out like a lamb."

And in the Midland area Mother Nature seems prepared to put winter away. With lawns beginning to green up and leaves sprouting on the trees, it's likely that old saying about March's temperament will be proven accurate once again this year.

But it might be a little presumptious to say that spring has definitely arrived in Texas. That's just the type of cocky spirit that Old Man Winter delights in putting to the test — with 17-degree temperatures and snowfall!

Another View:

Merchants of fear

In publishing the alarmist report on AIDS and heterosexuals by sex doctors William Masters and Virginia Johnson, Newsweek makes the same contribution to science as its publication of the hoax Hitler diaries made to history. The medical study on which the article is based is poorly designed, lacks peer review and draws large conclusions totally at odds with the best science in this field. As such, it serves only to sow confusion and fear.

In their article and book, Masters and Johnson charge that public health officials have vastly understated the AIDS threat to heterosexuals, suggest that infection with the AIDS virus is possible through casual contact, estimate that twice as many Americans are infected as the federal government says and warn that acquired immune deficiency syndrome is about to surge through the heterosexual population.

What's missing from their report is any scientifically credible evidence to substantiate their conclusions. Nor are they willing to provide any of the information about their methods, testing procedures or funding that would make it possible for scientists to judge the validity of their study.

To back up their claims, Masters and Johnson, who have no expertise in this field, cite a study of AIDS infection they carried out among young adults who had more than six sex partners a year. The results show 5 percent of 400 participants infected with AIDS. Because the study was not of a random sample, it tells nothing about the rate of infection in the heterosexual population at large, or even among the sexually active. Yet Masters and Johnson go on to extrapolate from this data and say that AIDS is running rampant among heterosexuals.

All other evidence suggests that currently is not true. Although the AIDS virus can be — and is being — spread through heterosexual intercourse, the rate of AIDS among heterosexuals has remained relatively stable at low levels. Most people infected with the disease through heterosexual contact are sex partners of people who got the virus through intravenous drug use. There are few cases of people having acquired AIDS through heterosexual intercourse with people who are not in any risk group. Antibody screening of millions of blood donors and military recruits has shown no sign that AIDS is "breaking out" of high-risk groups, as Masters and Johnson contend.

That is no reason for complacency. Without preventive measures and caution in sexual behavior, AIDS has the potential to spread widely among heterosexuals. That is why public health officials advise heterosexuals to practice monogamy or, barring monogamy, to use condoms. But neither is there reason for alarmism based on bad science. Fear may sell magazines and books, but it diminishes the chances of making a rational and effective policy to stop the AIDS epidemic.

— The Sacramento Bee

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Tuesday, March 15, the 75th day of 1988. There are 291 days left in the year. This is "Buzzard Day" in Hinckley, Ohio.

Today's Highlight in History:

On the Ides of March, 44 B.C., Roman Emperor Julius Caesar was assassinated by a group of nobles that included Brutus and Cassius.

On this date:

In 1493, Christopher Columbus returned to Spain following his first voyage to the New World.

In 1767, the seventh President of the United States, Andrew Johnson, was born in Waxhaw, South Carolina.

In 1820, Maine became the 23rd state.

In 1875, the Roman Catholic Archbishop of New York, John McCloskey, was named the first American cardinal, by Pope Pius IX.

In 1913, President Woodrow Wilson held the first open presidential news conference.

In 1919, the American Legion was founded, in Paris.

In 1944, during World War II, the Italian town of Cassino was devastated by Allied bombs.

In 1956 the musical play "My Fair Lady," starring Rex Harrison and Julie Andrews, opened on Broadway.

In 1964, Elizabeth Taylor married Richard Burton in Montreal. It was her fifth marriage; his second.

In 1965, before a joint session of Congress, President Lyndon B. Johnson called for new legislation to guarantee every person's right to vote.

In 1966, rioting broke out in the Watts section of Los Angeles.

In 1975, Greek shipping magnate Aristotle Onassis died near Paris at the age of 69.

In 1977, the House of Representatives began a 90-day test to determine the feasibility of showing its sessions on television.

Ten years ago: Israel routed Palestinian guerrillas from at least seven strongholds in southern Lebanon. And Israel said it would keep its troops in a "security belt" it seized along its northern border until an agreement was reached to ensure that the area could no longer be used for attacks against Israel.

Five years ago: Israeli Foreign Minister Yitzhak Shamir said he was leaving Washington more optimistic about prospects of an agreement on withdrawing Israeli troops from Lebanon.

Today's Birthdays: Actor Macdonald Carey is 75. Former astronaut Alan L. Bean is 56. Actor Judd Hirsch is 53. Beach Boy Mike Love is 47. Rhythm 'n' blues star Sylvester "Sly Stone" Stewart is 44. Rock guitarist Ry Cooder is 41.

JACK ANDERSON

NRC disputes claim TVA official lied

WASHINGTON — Congress is investigating an apparent attempt by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission to protect a Tennessee Valley Authority official accused of lying to the NRC about a nuclear power plant in Tennessee.



Jack Anderson

As we reported yesterday, NRC investigators have concluded that Steven White, the head of the TVA's nuclear program, deliberately twisted the facts when he said the TVA nuclear plant in Watts Bar, Tenn., met certain federal regulations.

But other officials higher up at the NRC who did not participate in the year-long inquiry, and who have far less investigative experience, have concluded that White didn't mean to lie. It is extraordinary for the NRC to assemble a group of officials to draw conclusions independent of the agency's investigators.

The attempt by the NRC to deep-six the findings of its own investigators is just the latest in a pattern of partiality to the nuclear industry, which the NRC is supposed to regulate.

The widely publicized investigation of White was completed the first week in March, but the NRC has not released its findings. Our associate Stewart Harris obtained a draft of the closely held investigative report, which concludes that White deliberately misled the NRC about construction problems at the Watts Bar plant.

But in January, even before the NRC investigators had written their report, a committee of eight NRC officials met during a week-long retreat in Hunt Valley, Md., and made their own, more generous assessment of White — that he didn't mean to lie. Before reaching their conclusion, the committee was briefed by the NRC investigators handling the inquiry. The group had access to raw data compiled by NRC investigators during the probe.

The agency has reluctantly turned over the investigative report on White and an account of the Hunt Valley retreat to a congressional committee.

The New York Times reported last week that the NRC passed on the more favorable interpretation to the Justice Department in February. If any charges were to be lodged against White based on the NRC investigation, they would be filed by the Justice Department. Sources close to the investigation worry that the conclusions of the Hunt Valley committee significantly reduce the chances that the Justice Department will proceed with this matter. Even if Justice goes forward, the case may be weakened by the conclusions of the Hunt Valley committee.

Our sources who are familiar with the situation confirmed the New York Times account of the Hunt Valley retreat. And, they added that it appears the officials who attended the retreat have since received at least tacit approval from the five NRC commissioners. Indeed, the officials at the retreat informed the commission about their conclusions during a closed-door meeting.

The retreat was organized by James M. Taylor, deputy executive director of the NRC. Taylor reports to Executive Director Victor Stello, who answers directly to the commissioners. It is not known whether Taylor organized the Hunt Valley retreat on his own initiative or whether he was under orders from Stello or the commission. When asked, an NRC spokesman said the agency had no comment because it involved an ongoing investigation. Taylor could not be reached.

White's disputed statements to the NRC came in two letters last year. The TVA had been asked by the NRC to verify that the Watts Bar plant met quality assurance standards in its construction. TVA staffers and outside consultants drafted a response to the NRC saying that the plant had problems. But the final letter that White signed and sent to the NRC said everything was under control. The Watts Bar plant has not been given an operating license even though it was completed in 1985. All of the TVA's operating nuclear power plants were shut down in August because of safety problems.

Sources close to the situation have confirmed that Rep. Sam Gejdenson, D-Conn., is investigating the NRC handling of the White case. Gejdenson's Oversight and Investigation Subcommittee has a copy of the Hunt Valley conclusions and the NRC investigators' draft report.

Two sources close to the probe told us that after the NRC balked at providing the material, NRC Commission Chairman Lando Zech Jr. met with Rep. Morris Udall, D-Ariz., chairman of the Interior and Insular Affairs Committee, and the documents were turned over. Udall reportedly became testy with Zech when Zech expressed reservations about turning over information on the White investigation to Gejdenson.

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SELLING THE BEST — The Reagan Administration, in its haste to turn over many government functions to private industry, may be selling off the wrong things. On the auction block is the National Technical Information Service, one of the few government agencies that breaks even. The NTIS is a clearinghouse for government reports. For a small fee, the agency will send you copies of government documents. Republicans and Democrats in Congress fear that if a private contractor takes over the business, citizens will end up paying more for the documents because the contractor will want to make a profit. Taxpayers have already paid once to produce the government reports, and opponents of the move say the taxpayers shouldn't be overcharged just to get a copy. A study by the Commerce Department says the privatization will create more problems than it solves, but the White House is rushing to sell the NTIS before Congress passes a law to stop it.

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MINI-EDITORIAL — In Japan, women have been known to be barred from some places because the Japanese don't want to offend the local goddesses. For years, women weren't allowed on Mount Fuji as a courtesy to the jealous goddess of the mountain. Recently, women journalists were asked not to attend an opening ceremony for a new highway near Tokyo. The construction crew didn't want to be jinxed by an angry goddess. The Japanese may have something here. Maybe its time for American women to defer to the goddesses of the kitchen and the laundry room.

Jack Anderson, Joseph Spear and Dale van Atta are columnists for United Feature Syndicate.



CHARLEY REESE

English-only crusade won't change anything

MIAMI — It is not true, as some think, that you have to speak Spanish to enjoy this city. About the only people here who are not bilingual are the Anglos, and they speak English, though many with an accent.



Charley Reese

It is true that Florida's largest city has become an international city. There are about 700,000 Cuban-Americans here as well as 70,000 or so Nicaraguans and a smattering of other Latins. Miami has always been the natural gateway to Latin America, and it has the potential, in terms of trade and finance, to become an American Hong Kong, so to speak.

As one who used to deride Miami as New York City with palm trees let me tell you it is decidedly much the better for its Latin flavor. I've just spent three days in the Hispanic areas of the city and for the first time really enjoyed being in the city. I don't speak two words of Spanish.

Some Americans seem to flinch when they hear a foreign tongue spoken. They imagine, since they can't understand the words, the people speaking them must be different.

Only in little and often pleasant ways are they different. For example, I asked Rene Silva, director of the University of Miami's Koubek Center, to define Cuban values.

He named two: a great love of the family, including the extended family on out to cousins, and the entrepreneurial spirit.

You certainly see evidence of both. In a Hispanic restaurant you see many families, but what is striking to me is to see what a good time everyone is having. There is usually music, now and then a customer will decide to sing along. Children are hugged or kissed, obviously included in the family conversation. You find friendly, courteous waiters. You find good food even if you can't pronounce it. And you find you're having such a good time you don't want to leave.

The "Miami Vice" image of vicious Latin drug dealers doesn't hold up. There are vicious Latin drug dealers and occasional shootouts, but you might have to spend a couple of decades in Miami before you see either.

Simon Ferro, a Cuban-American attorney, shrugs off the "Miami Vice" image.

"I've lived here 19 years and never seen a crime committed. The closest I've come to crime is that my car was vandalized one time. It's a great place to live and a great place to raise children," he said.

I drove out to Los Ranchos, a Nicaraguan restaurant in the Sweetwater area, and got lost coming back at night. Never once did I see an unfriendly face or, when I asked for directions, did I not get them in friendly English.

I don't think there is a language problem here per se. There is no trouble communicating if communication is your real goal. It became a political problem not because Hispanics can't speak English — nearly all of them do — but because most native Americans can't speak Spanish and thus are at a disadvantage competing with a bilingual person for a job.

Some take the attitude of why should they learn to speak Spanish in America. The answer is for the same reason you learn shorthand or typing. In some areas of the country, it helps you be a more productive worker.

It is not the case, as some claim, that Hispanics refuse to speak English. There may be a few cranks, but the overwhelming majority do learn English. In fact, virtually the whole world is bi- or multi-lingual except for us and possibly the Australians and New Zealanders. We just have to recognize that we are no longer isolated between two oceans.

I am opposed to the movement to encode English as the official language because it won't change a single fact on the ground. Also, it is viewed by many very good and patriotic Americans as an insult to their heritage, which happens to be Hispanic as opposed to German or British or something else.

After three days among the Cuban Americans and Nicaraguans here, I can tell you the threat of Balkanization — a main argument of the English-onlies — is hogwash.

Little Havana is not a foreign enclave in an American city — it is part of an American city in which its people are as wired in and tuned in to America as those of Peru, Ind., or McDuffie County, Georgia.

Charley Reese is a columnist for King Features Syndicate.

LEWIS GRIZZARD

'Catfish' won't be munching diet dogfood!

I've done a lot of nice things for my dog Catfish, the black Lab. I allow him to sleep in my house on a dog bed I ordered out of the L. L. Bean catalog.

I buy him dog biscuits and chew toys and he often gets leftovers from the table. I gave him a banana once. He ate it.



Grizzard

When Catfish wants out of the house, he goes to the door and barks. I leave whatever I'm doing and open the door for him.

When he wants back in, he scratches on the door from the outside and I open it for him.

Then, I read an advertisement in a magazine for "Alpo Lite." You've read that correctly.

The Alpo dogfood people have come out with a new product, "Alpo Lite," which according to the ads gives the dog "100 percent nutrition and 25 percent less calories than regular canned dog food."

Diet dogfood is what we're talking about here. We've got diet soft drinks, diet beer, diet everything, and now we've got a dog food for dogs who want to watch their figures.

I'm drawing the line here. I'm not going to buy Catfish diet dog food.

In the first place, he doesn't have a weight problem. That's because he spends each day chasing squirrels.

He's never caught a squirrel and apparently never will, but he keeps trying and is in good shape for all that exercise.

Also, I can't see buying a special blend of dog food for a dog that has a gastronomical system that can handle anything.

Catfish is 4. During his lifetime he has eaten the following:

- Four pairs of my eyeglasses.
- Two television remote control devices.
- Numerous pairs of shoes.
- Various sticks.
- An Andy Rooney hardback book.
- A cassette of Nat King Cole not available in stores I bought off television.
- A wicker chair.
- A golf ball.
- An entire bag of miniature Snicker bars, bag and wrapper included.

And the Alpo people think I'm going to go out and buy Alpo Lite because I'm concerned about my dog getting 25 percent less calories than he gets in his regular canned dog food?

Dog food advertising gets on my nerves anyway. They put down a bowl of dog food on television and the dog dives right in. That's probably because they haven't fed the dog in three days.

Otherwise, if the dog is like mine, he has to smell the dog food for 30 minutes in order to stall for something better off the table.

If nothing comes as a result of his waiting, whining, drooling and looking at you with those eyes, he might eat his dog food. But not while you're looking.

As for Catfish, how can I worry about his figure when there is an even greater concern? Ever since he ate my Nat King Cole tape he barks to the tune of "Ramblin' Rose."

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Party leader heads off nominee battle

WASHINGTON (AP) — Democratic Chairman Paul Kirk wants to head off a bruising battle for the party's presidential nomination and would mediate efforts to close ranks behind a probable nominee if nobody finishes the primaries with enough delegates to win.

"When you get to a point when there is someone who is somewhat shy of a mathematical majority, I think the opportunity exists to try to strengthen that person and not weaken him as you come into the convention," Kirk said Monday.

The delegates who could tip the balance for such a candidate are the 645 so-called "super delegates," the party leaders, members of Congress and governors of states and territories who automatically will be convention delegates because of the offices they hold. Four years ago, 568 convention seats were used for this purpose.

"When we increased those numbers, it was not tokenism," Kirk said. "Their status is that they have to run with and govern with the ticket in the end."

Kirk, in a telephone interview from New York, said the super delegates have a "special responsibility" to help ensure that the Democratic presidential nomination does not wind up in a political fight that damages the nominee.

By the time the primaries and caucuses end in June, Kirk said he believed that one candidate will be considered a clear front-runner and the eventual nominee. That candidate will have developed a consistent record of winning primaries and caucuses, even if he does not have the delegates needed for a first-ballot victory at the national convention, Kirk said.

At that point, Kirk said he would meet with the candidates and "say, 'OK, here's where we are and here's where we have to be in November. Now, what do we have to do to maximize those opportunities?'"

"I don't want to leave the impression that Kirk's going to be the broker," the party chairman said in a telephone interview from New York. "I'm not going to dictate to anyone because it doesn't work that way."

However, he said he would be "in the middle" of efforts to avoid harm that could be done to a probable nominee if a political battle erupted just before or during the convention.

The Democrats conclude their delegate selection on June 7 with primaries in California and New Jersey, which combined account for more than 400 national convention delegates.

"The whole thing is to avoid that brokering process taking place in Atlanta," said Julie Anbender, a spokeswoman for Kirk. "I think that he's been floating this idea with elected officials and party officials for some time."

The Democratic National Convention is July 18-21 in Atlanta.

The suggestion that the Democratic presidential nomination would have to be brokered came after a clear front-runner failed to emerge in contests to date. The party has already picked more than 40 percent of its national convention delegates.

"I don't discount the possibility that there will be a first-ballot mathematical majority after you get through with California," Kirk said. "I think that is still likely."

Winning the presidential nomination takes at least 2,082 delegates, and so far no candidate has even one-fourth of that number.

The super delegates, some of whom cast just fractions of votes under party rules, are not required to pledge their allegiance to any presidential candidate before the convention, although some of them have.

Of the super delegates, 240.65 say they remain uncommitted, while another 115.35 have come out in support of one candidate or another. The remainder either have not responded to inquiries or have not yet been selected.

In the latter category are 253 members of Congress, who are to be picked at party caucuses April 19-20, when Missouri Rep. Richard Gephardt hopes to get a significant boost for his sagging presidential prospects.

U.S. trade deficit widens, report says

WASHINGTON (AP) — The deficit, the broadest measure of U.S. foreign trade, surged to a record $160.7 billion in 1987 with the additional red ink pushing the country further into the hole as the world's largest debtor nation, the government reported today.

The Commerce Department said that the current account deficit last year was 13.7 percent higher than the previous record of $141.4 billion set in 1986 despite the fact that the deficit for the final three months of the year narrowed slightly.

The current account covers not only the flow of merchandise across the U.S. border but also the flow of services, primarily investment earnings between countries.

While the United States has run deficits in merchandise trade for 16 of the past 17 years, the current account was in surplus as recently as 1981 as Americans' earnings on overseas investments were enough to offset the merchandise deficits.

But since that time Americans have handed over billions of dollars to foreigners in exchange for imported goods. With all of that wealth now in foreign hands, the perennial advantage the United States has had in investments has shifted and America has become the world's largest debtor country.

Being a net debtor means that foreigners now own more in U.S. investments than Americans hold in foreign investments. America was last a net debtor in 1914. It regained that status in 1985 with a foreign debt of $111.9 billion.

That debt grew to $263.6 billion at the end of 1986 and economists said with today's new figures the total debt has probably surpassed $400 billion although the government's official accounting will not be made until June.

Today's report showed that the bulk of the 1987 trade deficit came from a $159.2 billion imbalance in merchandise trade, a figure which was first reported last month. Adding to that deficit were payments of $13.5 billion in foreign aid and other government transfer payments such as Social Security paid to retirees living overseas.

That figure was reduced slightly by a surplus of $12 billion in the services category. While foreigners now own more in U.S. investments, the surplus payments still showed a slight positive because many of the older U.S. investments are earning a higher rate of return.

However, the services surplus was down from $18.6 billion in 1986 and has been dwindling steadily.

Economists expect the services surplus to be wiped out altogether in future years as more and more American dollars are paid to foreigners to meet interest payments on the U.S. debt.

For the fourth quarter, the current account deficit shrank slightly to $39 billion, down from $43.4 billion in the third quarter. This improvement reflected a slightly smaller merchandise trade deficit and a resumption of surpluses in the services category. In the third quarter, the United States had run a deficit with the rest of the world in investment earnings for the first time in 29 years.

Democratic presidential candidates have been attacking the administration, charging that the country's new status as the world's biggest debtor was directly attributable to the failure of the administration to come to grips with huge federal budget deficits.

Civil rights leader steps aside for black successor

WASHINGTON (AP) — The changing face of his home district finally caught up with Rep. Peter Rodino, an Italian-American who spent 20 terms crusading for civil rights but who is now reluctantly giving up his House seat to make way for a black successor.

The New Jersey Democrat, who gained national prominence when he chaired the impeachment hearings of former President Richard Nixon, yielded Monday to calls from minority constituents who want one of their own to represent them.

Rodino, 78, one of the most senior members of the House and chairman of its powerful Judiciary Committee, issued a statement saying he would step aside in January.

"It is not without a sense of sadness that I am announcing my decision to retire from the Congress at the end of this term," Rodino said.

Although he did not mention the demands of blacks and other minorities, who now comprise the majority in his district, Rodino had been under increasing pressure to step aside. A host of black leaders — most notably Democratic presidential candidate Jesse Jackson — lauded his record but urged him to make way for what would be New Jersey's first black member of Congress.

In his statement, Rodino said, "I believe that my part of the journey in this great American experiment is at its end. I feel I have served my time and a purpose."



Rep. Peter Rodino

Rodino arrived in Washington in 1948, a 38-year-old lawyer from an Italian neighborhood in Newark, N.J., eager to represent the bustling city in Congress.

He became an institution in the intervening 40 years: fighting for liberal legislation, controlling one of Congress' most powerful committees and helping write into history the downfall of a president.

But in those same years, Newark decayed from the heart of the Garden State into the brunt of jokes. Rodino's political base eroded, and three black Democrats, including two Newark city councilmen, announced plans this year to seek his 10th Congressional District seat.

Rodino, respected even by those calling on him to retire, had survived earlier challenges. In 1984 and 1986, he won re-election even though Jackson went to Newark to lead the retirement calls himself.

Backers, both black and white, noted Rodino served as House floor manager for the landmark Civil Rights Act of 1966 and wrote the 1982 Voting Rights Act. He is an honorary member of the congressional Black Caucus and has been honored by the NAACP.

"Rodino is a good man," Jackson told the New York Times in 1986. "That's not the issue. We can have a good man and black man from New Jersey at the same time."

During his fight two years ago, Rodino hinted strongly he would retire after another two-year term. He said said he wanted to stay in Congress to counter the Reagan presidency.

But, as Rodino began last year to raise campaign funds and plan for re-election, black and white leaders in his party accused him of breaking a promise.

Aides said he wrote the resignation statement in his Capitol Hill office on Monday, then left for his home. The announcement brought immediate accolades for Rodino.

"I will miss his knowledge and his friendship. He sets an extraordinarily high standard for whomever will succeed him," said Sen. Bill Bradley, D-N.J.

Rodino served nearly 20 years as a representative before being thrust into the national spotlight.

In 1974, barely a year after a predecessor's death gave Rodino the Judiciary Committee gavel, the panel was charged with reviewing Nixon's role in the Watergate affair.

The televised proceedings won Rodino respect for his evenhanded handling of an emerging national crisis. In an interview last year, Rodino recalled weeping after he and a majority of committee members voted to deliver articles of impeachment to the full House.

Nixon resigned before the House voted.

Rodino also served on the House Iran-Contra committee, which investigated the Reagan administration's handling of the sale of arms to Iran and the funneling of profits to the Nicaraguan Contra rebels. He has been harshly critical of the Reagan administration's handling of the arms-for-hostages debacle.

NATION IN BRIEF

Meese, police groups battle over plastic guns

WASHINGTON (NYT) — Attorney General Edwin Meese 3d has found himself at odds with some traditional allies, groups representing law-enforcement officers, over legislation designed to curb the manufacture of plastic guns.

Earlier this month, Meese stated his support for a Senate bill that, according to police groups, does too little to limit the distribution of plastic or ceramic guns.

The guns are of concern because they are often difficult to detect by electronic equipment used at airport security checkpoints and other locations where terrorism is a threat. Gun enthusiasts consider them a major advance because they are lighter, easier to use and do not rust.

Representatives of 12 police groups met last week with the attorney general on the issue and they say they hope Meese will eventually support compromise legislation that would outlaw the plastic guns that are most difficult to detect.

"We've conveyed our concerns to the attorney general, and he's indicated his willingness to work toward meeting the concerns of law enforcement," said Jerald R. Vaughn, executive director of the International Association of Chiefs of Police.

After the meeting with Meese, several of the groups decided against sending Meese a strongly worded letter protesting his support for the McClure bill. A draft of the letter accused the attorney general of "apparent capitulation to gun interests."

Contra aid to be renewed

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Reagan administration says it will renew an appeal for aid to the Nicaraguan rebels because "time is running out" on their survival.

President Reagan invited congressional leaders to the White House today to tell them "they cannot afford to wait any longer or they are going to see a dying resistance," spokesman Marlin Fitzwater said.

Speaking two weeks after the expiration of a U.S. aid program, Fitzwater said the rebels "are running out of food, they are having problems with their medical supplies, they are having to move back to their supply lines in many cases."

House Speaker Jim Wright, D-Texas, said he would like to see further progress toward a cease-fire in Nicaragua before coming up with new aid for the rebels.

But Fitzwater insisted that "the Congress has made a commitment" because of past aid packages approved for the Contras, and must live up to it.

Describing the message he expected Reagan to give Democratic and Republican leaders, the spokesman said, "We will say that we need a package immediately, and we need a vote immediately."

Deaf president cheered



Jordan

WASHINGTON (AP) — Students at the nation's only liberal arts college for the deaf greeted the week with jubilation, as they were formally introduced to the first deaf president and first deaf board chairman in Gallaudet University's history.

Irving King Jordan Jr. and Philip W. Bravin received standing ovations Monday from the same students who effectively shut down the 124-year-old institution over appointment of a woman with normal hearing to be president.

"People will look at us and study what we are doing," said Jordan, a 44-year-old professor and dean of the college of arts and sciences at Gallaudet. "We will prove to them, not only can they choose a deaf president and chairman, but that these two will succeed."

The two officials were joined at a news conference by student body president Greg Hlibok, one of the campus leaders in the week of protest over the hiring of Elisabeth Ann Zinser as president.

Medicaid costs increase

WASHINGTON (AP) — Up to 50 percent of the low-income elderly people would have to pay an extra $50 to $75 a month for their Medicaid-funded nursing home care under new regulations that take effect next month.

The new regulations are meant to enable states to "shift more of the financial responsibility for the cost of nursing home care to the recipient," the Department of Health and Human Services said in a notice published Feb. 8 in the Federal Register. The regulations are scheduled to take effect April 8.

From 20 percent to 50 percent of institutionalized Medicaid recipients would be affected, the department said. Savings to the state and federal government would total $160 million to $615 million from 1987 to 1989.

Medicaid recipients pay a certain percentage of their income for nursing home care after deducting medical costs not covered by their state Medicaid plan — for example, eyeglasses or hearing aids.

Father pleads guilty

LEWISTOWN, Pa. (AP) — A 24-year-old man has pleaded guilty to involuntary manslaughter in the death of his two children, who died last summer hours after he locked them inside his car.

John Shields of White Township entered the plea Monday, and faces a maximum 10-year prison term and $20,000 fine.

Judge Francis Searer deferred sentencing pending an investigation by probation officials.

Shields testified at his wife's trial two weeks ago that he agreed to watch their children, Kristie, 3, and Calvin, 1, on the morning of Aug. 22, but instead locked them in the car and closed the windows.

The children were discovered in the afternoon, when the temperature reached the mid-80s, authorities said.

Meese offered bribe

NEW YORK (AP) — Four men expected to be key prosecution witnesses at the racketeering trial of Rep. Mario Biaggi tried to offer a $200,000 bribe to Attorney General Edwin Meese III through a middleman, Biaggi's lawyer claims.

The four ex-Wedtech Corp. officials "corrupted an entire administration — this administration," Biaggi lawyer James LaRossa said in his opening statement to the jury Monday.

A Justice Department official denied the bribe allegation as "preposterous."

Attorneys for Biaggi, D-N.Y., and his six co-defendants completed their opening remarks, paving the way for the first witness to take the stand today in U.S. District Court.

The four — Wedtech co-founder Fred Neuberger, former vice chairman Mario Moreno, ex-president Anthony Guariglia and former executive vice president Lawrence Shorten — have pleaded guilty to state and federal charges and agreed to cooperate with prosecutors in return for leniency. They have yet to be sentenced.

Boy kills two burglars

SWITZER, S.C. (AP) — An 11-year-old boy who had been left alone after school shot and killed two men as they tried to steal a videocassette recorder from his family's home, police said.

Danny Ray Abernathy, 35, and Broadus Petty, 39, both of Spartanburg, were found dead at the house Monday afternoon. Officers were searching for a third person they suspect may have been involved.

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WORLD

First black named as U.S. archbishop

ATLANTA (AP) — Monsignor Eugene A. Marino was named Roman Catholic archbishop of Atlanta today and became the first black archbishop in the United States.



Marino

Marino called his appointment "a great sign of hope to all of our people."

Blacks have a rich religious tradition, but "not a rich tradition that enriches the Catholic church," Marino said today at a news conference in Atlanta.

Marino said he was "not one to dodge issues; at the same time I am not one to go out and look for issues for issues' sake."

He said he would try to follow the example of Jesus Christ, who "never quite went out of his way, either to address needs or to avoid addressing needs."

The appointment was announced by the Vatican and in Washington by Archbishop Pio Laghi, the Apostolic Pro-Nuncio in the United States.

Marino, 53 and a member of the Josephite order, succeeds Archbishop Thomas A. Donnellan, who died Oct. 15. Marino has been an auxiliary bishop in Washington, D.C., since 1974.

He now will be titular head of the Roman Catholic church in Georgia, North Carolina and South Carolina, although his responsibilities beyond the archdiocese in north Georgia are limited.

Marino said he hopes to expand the number of black Catholics in this country. There are about 1.3 million blacks among the 52 million U.S. Catholics.

Marino is the first black Catholic archbishop in the United States, said William Ryan, spokesman for the United States Catholic Conference in Washington.

In 1971, Marino became the first black priest to hold the major office of vicar general of a religious community — the Josephite Fathers, who are headquartered in Washington.

He is also the first auxiliary bishop to be elected to high office in the National Conference of Catholic Bishops and the United States Catholic Conference. His three-year term as secretary of the groups ends in November.

Marino was born in Biloxi, Miss., on May 29, 1934.



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A lone piper leads the coffin of Irish Republican Army terrorist Mairead Farrell from the mortuary at the Dublin airport Monday.

Protestants jeer IRA funeral procession

BELFAST, Northern Ireland (AP) — Hearses carrying the bodies of three Irish Republican Army guerrillas home to Roman Catholic west Belfast ran a gauntlet of jeering, rock-throwing Protestants early today.

Thousands of IRA sympathizers waved black flags of mourning along the 100-mile Dublin-Belfast highway, mourning the three guerrillas who were shot by British troops while allegedly preparing a car-bomb attack in Gibraltar.

The March 6 killing of the unarmed guerrillas in the British colony sparked riots in Belfast for much of the following week.

In another development, an IRA gunman and a Catholic civilian were reportedly shot and killed in Belfast on Monday night and early today.

The nine-hour procession for the slain IRA guerrillas was marked by a confrontation at the border over Irish flags on the coffins and accusations by the IRA's political wing, Sinn Fein, that police tried to break up the cortege and twice crashed a vehicle into one of the hearses.

Crowds of Protestants waving British flags threw rocks and other objects at the procession on at least six occasions as it traveled by road the 40 miles from the border town of Carrickaron in the Irish Republic to Belfast.

Sinn Fein leader Gerry Adams said police deliberately slowed the cortege where Protestants had gathered "to allow them to throw stones and jeer." Police denied the accusation, saying their concern was to ensure security.

A few hours before the cortege arrived in Belfast, police said British soldiers shot a gunman who fired on an army patrol near the home of one of the dead guerrillas. The man, identified by police as Kevin McCracken, 33, died shortly afterward in the hospital.

A police statement said McCracken was jailed in 1978 for membership in the outlawed Irish Republican Army, illegal possession of guns and criminal damage and was released on parole in 1985.

An unidentified Catholic was shot today at point-blank range from a motorcycle as he arrived for work at a south Belfast store, police said. No group claimed responsibility.

In Dublin, police said they were investigating a suspected letter bomb blast overnight at the city's central mail sorting office which blew a hole in the wooden floor and slightly injured two postal workers.

News reports that the package was addressed to the British Embassy in Dublin were dismissed as speculation by detectives.

The IRA said its members fired a volley over a makeshift shrine in Belfast as a farewell salute to Mairead Farrell, 31; Sean Savage, 24; and Daniel McCann, 30, who died in Gibraltar.

The traditional paramilitary salute, which is banned in Northern Ireland as an illegal display of firearms, was fired Monday afternoon as the bodies landed in Dublin, the IRA said in a statement issued through Sinn Fein.

The Royal Ulster Constabulary, Northern Ireland's police force, promised in newspaper advertisements not to interfere with the funerals if the IRA did not mount a gunfire salute over the coffins.

Despite deadline, Afghanistan talks still lack breakthrough

GENEVA (AP) — The Afghanistan peace talks today reached a Soviet-set target date for their conclusion, with officials apparently still short of a final breakthrough despite nearly six years at the negotiating table.

Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev named March 15 as the date a peace package should be signed by Soviet-backed Afghanistan and Pakistan, which represents Afghan guerrilla groups, if Moscow was to start bringing home its troops in mid-May.

Both sides have hinted they do not consider the date a binding deadline after which Moscow would reconsider its offer, but Gorbachev's statement is seen as having put psychological pressure on the talks.

The negotiations were to resume today.

The current round of talks, now three weeks old, has completed all main elements of the settlement aimed at ending nine years of fighting.

Those elements include the timetable and basic logistics of the pullout of the estimated 115,000 Soviet troops, an issue that has eluded a solution for several years. Pakistan, however, wants the settlement coupled with formation of a transitional government to oversee the Soviet pullout and ensure the safe return of more than 5 million refugees from Pakistan and Iran.

Sources close to the talks, who declined to be identified, said Monday the Pakistanis also have reservations about some minor points in the complex package of four agreements.

Moscow and Kabul have accused Pakistan of sabotaging the peace process by introducing an extraneous issue not covered by the Geneva talks. They say the makeup of the future government was up to Afghanistan to decide at some unspecified time after the settlement was signed.

Sources close to the talks said Pakistan has received a new Kremlin message during the weekend, urging it to sign the settlement without delay.

Unconfirmed reports quoted Pakistan's Prime Minister Mohammad Khan Junejo as saying that a decision on whether it would sign would be announced Monday. But there was no official word by nightfall. Pakistan's Cabinet held three meetings since Sunday, apparently to weigh its next step.

Meanwhile, the fragile seven-party Alliance of Moslem guerrillas failed to send new signals whether it might drop its demand to dominate a future Afghan government.

A guerrilla leader said on Monday in Pakistan that Moscow again rejected direct talks with the Moslem rebels on the Afghan issue. The resistance is represented by Pakistan in the Geneva talks but its position has not always been identical with Pakistan's.

Gorbachev shows PR flair in Yugoslavia

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia (AP) — Mikhail Gorbachev stood at the grave of Josip Broz Tito today, paying tribute to the man who broke ties wth Moscow and led his country on a path similar to the one the Soviet leader seeks to follow.

Gorbachev also agreed to a new declaration with Yugoslav Communist Party chief Bosko Kruni that is expected to chart a new course for relations between Moscow and this nation, which broke with the Soviet bloc in 1948.

The declaration incorporates previous documents from the 1950s, when Nikita S. Khrushchev mended relations with Tito. Gorbachev is the first Soviet leader to visit since Leonid Brezhnev attended Tito's funeral in 1980.

Gorbachev and his wife, Raisa, also planted a tree in Belgrade's Park of Friendship, established in 1961 after the first conference of the non-aligned movement. The Gorbachevs joked and chatted with a group of children who gathered around the larch tree before posing for photographs.

"I think some of the things we are doing during this visit will be of great significance for our mutual relations," the Soviet Communist Party general secretary told reporters, describing the atmosphere as "businesslike."

Monday's talks with Yugoslav leaders produced "deep understanding" between the two sides and "we felt that there is a need for joint action in the future," he said. "We got off to a good start," he added.

Monday, Gorbachev said ethnic minorities that rioted in his country are raising long-standing grievances, not challenging the Communist government.

At least 32 people were killed in the Azerbaijan city of Sumgait in fighting two weeks ago between Azeris and their Armenian neighbors, who have staged mass street protests in recent weeks.

"Show me the country in which there are no such problems. If you show me, I will travel there right away, without stopping in Moscow on return from Yugoslavia," Gorbachev told reporters on Monday.

In talks Monday with Yugoslav leaders, the Soviets stressed that no Communist nation has an absolute model for building socialism, Soviet deputy foreign minister Vadim Loginov said.

Gorbachev showed the Western politician's touch he has exhibited on previous trips abroad, stopping his motorcade Monday to shake hands with Belgrade residents and chatting at a photo session.

Yugoslavia, a federation of six republics and two autonomous regions, has wide ethnic, linguistic and cultural differences among its own bickering minorities. Yugoslavia's assistant foreign minister, Ilija Djukic, said the nationalities problems was raised only briefly during Monday's talks.

He quoted Gorbachev as saying in a discussion of social problems that "there are no problems that would be solved once and for all, that conditions change, that everything requires improvement...including the question of nationalities."

Djukic and Loginov told a news conference Monday that the first round of talks was frank but very cordial, and that the two sides agreed Soviet premier Nikolai I. Ryzhkov will visit Yugoslavia at a future date.

That visit is likely to focus on the problems plaguing the extensive trade between the two nations.

Since the 1950s, when Khrushchev lifted an economic blockade imposed on Yugoslavia by Josef Stalin, the Soviet Union has become Yugoslavia's biggest trading partner. Moscow delivers crude oil and other materials to Yugoslavia in exchange for manufactured goods, including shoes, clothes and technology.

South African prime minister rejects appeals to spare 'Sharpeville Six'

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — The government today confirmed President P.W. Botha rejected the latest appeals to spare "the Sharpeville Six" — a group of blacks whose scheduled hanging Friday has provoked widespread protest.

The Justice Ministry said any further petitions for mercy would be given "careful consideration."

The disclosure Monday that an execution date had been set for the six prompted an outcry in South Africa and abroad. The condemned prisoners include five men and 26-year-old Theresa Ramashamola, the only woman on death row in South Africa for what activists consider a politically motivated offense.

The six were convicted in connection with the killing of black township councilor Jacob Diamini in Sharpeville, about 40 miles south of Johannesburg, on Sept. 3, 1984.

No evidence was produced that the six were among those who hacked and burned Diamini to death. They were convicted under the doctrine of "common purpose," which holds they were responsible for the killing by being part of the mob that gathered outside Diamini's home with the intent to kill him.

Edwin Cameron, a lawyer affiliated with Johannesburg's University of the Witwatersrand, said that "no people in South African history have been hanged for mere cursory participation in a crime."

Helen Suzman, veteran Parliament member from the anti-apartheid Progressive Federal Party, said the executions would have a devastating effect on international opinion.

The Rev. Frank Chikane, general secretary of the South African Council of Churches, said clemency was warranted "not as a public issue but purely on the facts of the case."

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Bidders to be sought for jail project bonds

By JULIE HILLRICHS
Staff Writer

County commissioners Monday formally embarked on an 18-month-long jail construction project by voting to solicit prospective buyers for $3.8 million worth of bonds and to seek an expert to oversee the operation.

The five-member court authorized First RepublicBank of Midland to advertise the county's intent to sell the voter-approved bonds and to acquire a list of prospective bidders.

Commissioner Guy McCrary announced the bids would be opened at the court's March 28 meeting and the bonds would be sold by mid-April.

In other action, the court agreed to advertise for a coordinator to oversee design and construction phases of the project. Commissioners also submitted a job description for that employee and set the application deadline for March 24.

McCrary said the court's intent is to hire a local expert — an individual or a firm — who has experience in all phases of construction, including architecture, engineering and contracting.

He added that the project coordinator would supervise specifications for the new jail, coordinate communications with organizations offering proposals, review and analyze the proposals, assist with the selection of the designing and building team and monitor the construction process.

McCrary said the coordinator would be paid according to an hourly fee that will be negotiated at a later date.

During the Monday morning session, Commissioners saw a demonstration of a road stabilization product presented by a representative of CSS Technology and opened automobile bids for the constable's office and Narcotics Task Force.

The court also extended its contract with Malone Business Systems of Midland to service the county's IBM typewriters.

After an hour-and-a-half break, the court reconvened to amend its contract with Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. and upgrade the county's telephone system. In doing so, the county will save $36,000 over the next four years, Southwestern Bell representative Betty Winder said.

Commissioners also approved final payment for the expansion of Culver Youth Home and gave the green light to the Midland County Library Advisory Board's efforts to seek private contributions for the construction of a new multi-million dollar facility.

Commissioner Durward Wright said the library board's attempt at "testing the waters for private contributions" will be a monumental step and a tremendous challenge for the entire community.

County Librarian John Deats pointed out that the county has grown out of the existing 30-year-old library and that the time has come to address the issue of expansion.

Deats asked the commissioners to appoint a support committee, but the court denied his request, saying their involvement could jeopardize the group's nonprofit status under Internal Revenue Service regulations.





Night at the circus

A Gatti Circus clown, right, seems mighty steamed during a Monday night performance at Chaparral Center. The event proved to be a night of magic for Midland 4-H members, left to right, Jennifer Turner, 12, Michelle Turner, 11, and Amber Hanson, 9, who clowned around with the pros. Gatti Circus animal trainer Eric Braum, above, delighted children young and old by balancing a poodle on the palm of his hand.

George Wolf Reporter Telegram

Final flight planned over burned land

ALBANY (AP) — Officials planned a final flight over Shackelford County today before calling an end to a four-day battle against the wildfires that burned an estimated 350,000 acres of West Texas rangeland.

"Most all of the fire at this time is completely out, but we're going to keep working through the rest of the night," Texas Forest Service dispatcher Ronnie Rea said late Monday.

"We plan to have an aircraft up around 8 o'clock in the morning to give it one last check. After that we hope to have everybody on the road by about noon," Rea said.

Officials said the stubborn fire was declared under control Monday afternoon. But as firefighters stamped out the last of the flames, others were organizing a hay donation program for the hundreds of cattle that could face starvation on the blackened terrain.

"There's been a tremendous amount of forage lost right now," said Murry Fly, the state forest service's head of operations for fire control.

Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby issued a disaster proclamation for the region Monday, said Don Couch of the governor's Emergency Management Division in Austin.

Texas Gov. Bill Clements was out of the state Monday when Hobby went ahead with the decision to "activate the recovery and rehabilitation programs within the state government," said the governor's press secretary, Reggie Bashur.

Bashur said the state Department of Emergency Services has representatives in the area who plan to meet with local officials today and instruct them in how to apply for grants from various federal agencies.

Clements plans to fly over the area Thursday and meet with area leaders in Abilene, Bashur said.

Albany oilman A.V. Jones Jr. said the fire's toll weighed heavy on an already imperiled local oil industry.

"It cut right through the heart of our most recent (drilling) activity," Jones said, estimating that some 2,000 wells sustained more than $1 million in damage.

Further damage from what was perhaps Texas' largest wildfire on record was so widespread that crews were still trying to assess a monetary estimate five days after flames from burning trash went out of control near Abilene Thursday.

The range fire that began Thursday had burned about 300,000 acres in Shackelford County, nearly 73 percent of its area, by midday Sunday. Another 49,000 acres were burned in adjoining counties, officials said.

Hundreds of firefighters, National Guardsmen and state and federal workers contained the blaze after three days, although some hot spots still smoldered Monday. The burned swath covered parts of an area 56 miles long and 24 miles wide in Shackelford, Jones, Haskell, Throckmorton and Callahan counties.

The National Weather Service warned Monday that grass fire danger will be very high today due to dry, windy conditions. The humidity level will drop rapidly after sunrise to a low of 15 percent to 20 percent by late afternoon, forecasters said.

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Ector commissioner questions use of animal shelter fees

By FRANK TROMBLEY
Staff Writer

ODESSA — Questions about the handling of animal shelter generated revenues Monday nearly threw the latest proposed contract to transfer control of the program from Ector County to the City of Odessa into limbo again

Ector commissioners did not quibble at great length about the 36/64 percent operating cost, putting up $50,000 for the county's part of remodeling and construction costs or hiring at least two people to continue collecting animals in unincorporated areas

But, a motion to accept the contract by Precinct 1 Commissioner Bill Tolbert failed primarily because of a single paragraph in the six-page contract that appeared to exempt an estimated $8,000 in fees from calculation of operating costs that would determine annual county costs.

Jack Crider, who defeated Tolbert in the March 8 Republican primary election, told commissioners he questioned the advisability of relinquishing control of the animal control program, or any other service, to the city.

Crider said, while he hadn't had an opportunity to study the proposed contract in detail, he felt a better solution could be developed with more study.

Crider said he resented, what appeared to be, the city's "take-it-or-leave-it attitude."

Toby Cross, county health department administrator, questioned if two employees would be enough to handle animal collection in all unincorporated areas of the county on the same 24-hour basis without incurring unacceptable overtime salary costs.

Following a suggestion from Judge Jan Fisher, Tolbert amended his initial motion to include a change in the paragraph relating to the handling of shelter-generated revenues. The contract, due to take effect April 1, must now be approved by the Odessa City Council.

The change in the wording of the contract simply stipulates that all shelter-generated revenues, from shots and neutering procedures, will be used to determine overall operating costs before city-county percentage shares are figured.

In addition to the county's $50,000 contribution toward remodeling costs, estimates indicate it will cost the county as much as $46,000 annually in salaries for two animal control people, as well as about $24,000 to purchase vehicles.

Mattox says Ector commissioners must meet in courthouse

AUSTIN (AP) — The Ector County Commissioners Court is legally required to meet in the county courthouse under the law, Attorney General Jim Mattox has ruled.

But whether that Monday ruling also applies in other Texas counties remains uncertain, said a spokeswoman for the attorney general's office.

The question was raised by Ector County Attorney Gary Garrison, who asked Mattox for a legal opinion on whether the commissioners court could meet in a recently purchased administration building in Odessa.

That building is located six blocks from the courthouse and includes facilities for commissioners court meetings.

Responding, Mattox said the state's Local Government Code "is clear and unambiguous, and requires the Ector County Commissioners Court to meet in the courthouse."

Earlier, the Odessa American reported in a copyright story that the law could invalidate hundreds of decisions on local bond issues and tax levies made by commissioners' courts throughout the state meeting in annexes.

The law says commissioners court terms "shall be held at the county seat at the courthouse."

Meetings are held outside the courthouse in Tarrant, Harris and Dallas counties, and officials there have said they did not expect to be affected by the Ector County opinion.

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Bryant chosen to head local branch of TSPB

From Staff Reports



Bryant

The Texas Society to Prevent Blindness has announced plans to open a branch in Midland and is naming Jeannette Bryant to head its local operations.

TSPB is the only non-profit organization devoted exclusively to the prevention of blindness and the preservation of sight for all Texans.

Mrs. Bryant is a graduate of Sweetwater High School and holds a BBA from Baylor University. She also attended the University of Hawaii and Hardin-Simmons University.

During her business career, she has been associated with Marlin High School, several insurance and healthcare programs, and the Texas-Oklahoma District of Kiwanis International.

Her not-for-profit activities include membership on the Executive Committee of the Board of Directors of the Junior League of Midland and co-chairman for the Hearthstone Advisory board.

Mrs. Bryant, who resides at 4203 Greenbriar, is married and has two children.

TSPB initially developed an interest in opening a Midland branch after receiving a number of calls for its programs and services. These programs include free vision screenings for preschool children; free glaucoma screenings for adults; eye safety programs for industry, schools, farms, homes and sports; support materials for older adults and the aging eye; and eye-preservation education through literature, workshops, seminars and audio-visual aids.

Last hear, TSPB screened 48,840 preschoolers with 2,833 referred for professional eye care and 25,385 adults for glaucoma with 279 referred for professional eye care.

TSPB held its first annual People in Vision dinner in Midland last fall honoring Ernest Angelo and Bob Monaghan serving as chairman.

In addition to Midland, TSPB has branches in Amarillo, Austin, El Paso, Houston, Galveston, Dallas, Fort Worth, San Antonio, and Tyler.

Clerk feeds popcorn to Houston's pigeons

By LESLIE SOWERS

HOUSTON (AP) — Every night of the work week, the smell of corn popping drifts from Marilyn Butler's kitchen into the living room where her boyfriend is watching television. But the tempting aroma is all he experiences because the popcorn is not for Late Show consumption.

Every morning of the work week, Marilyn Butler packs the corn she popped the night before into a shopping bag, scoops out a pound or two of birdseed from the 40-pound plastic tub in the pantry and heads for the bus stop near her southwest Houston home.

While she waits for her bus, she tosses out some popcorn and birdseed and watches as a flock of pigeons swoop down from the freeway overpass for an early morning handout. They won't leave the roost, though, until after the sun rises. So some mornings she misses them.

Then Ms. Butler's on to work at Baker & Botts law firm where she has worked as an accounting clerk for nearly five years. Ms. Butler says she likes her job, but like lots of downtown offices, hers has no windows.

So on her lunch break she likes to walk across the Hermann Square in front of City Hall for the second feeding of the day. She's been feeding the City Hall pigeons every day for the past three years.

Do you think the pigeons recognize her when she arrrives?

Not only do they recognize Ms. Butler, they assemble at the regular time in front of the reflection pool and wait for her. The minute she walks up, a freeloading crowd of 50 or 60 very plump birds starts rustling and whirring and fluttering in reaction.

Mmm. Popcorn. Bird seed. Brownies. Potato chips. Bread crusts. (The Baker & Botts lunch bunch leftovers are passed on to Ms. Butler for the birds.)

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Lobbyist says tax bill won't be necessary

Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — With modest economic growth and no major changes in spending policies, the Texas Legislature could balance the 1988-1989 budget without a tax bill next year, the Texas Association of Taxpayers predicted Monday.

If those predictions hold up, lawmakers could write a budget that neither curtails services nor raises taxes for the first time since the early '80s. William Allaway, executive vice president of the business lobby group, said his analysis calls for a 2-percent-per year growth in the state economy to make the budget balance.

A spokesman for Comptroller Bob Bullock said he hadn't seen Allaway's calculations but added that his figures are consistent with the comptroller's projections for a 3.9-percent growth in the state economy next year and a 2.5-percent increase in 1990. "Bullock's been saying this all along, that the Legislature won't be facing that horrendous $5.7 billion shortfall," Tony Proffitt said.

Allaway based his calculations on the Legislative Budget Board's projection that state general revenue spending would have to increase 7.1 percent to $26.3 billion in 1990-1991 to maintain current services. Those figures include funds for 11,150 new prison beds, to cover growth in public school and university enrollment and to cover a larger welfare caseload.

On the tax side, Allaway counts on the $24 billion, 1988-1989 revenue base, the projected $197 million state surplus and about $1.4 billion in growth in existing taxes. That leaves a $940 million shortfall the Legislature could cover if the economy grows by 3.9 percent.

"It would appear that our current revenue base is closer to keeping up with past spending decisions than it has been for some time and that simply 'catching up' with what we've already committed to may not provide the pressure to increase taxes in the way it has in the last three sessions," Allaway said.

DEATHS

Cecil Mason

Services for Cecil W. Mason of Midland will be Wednesday at 3 p.m. in the Primitive Baptist Church with Elder J.S. Kirkpatrick officiating.

Burial will follow in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Mason died at a Midland hospital Monday afternoon.

He was born Sept. 17, 1905, in Hamilton County where he was reared. While growing up he met Alma Gregg of Vista Mountain and they married June 12, 1928 there.

They made their home in Vista Mountain until 1947 when they moved to Midland. He was employed with J.S. Kirkpatrick House Movers. In 1961 they moved to Ridgecrest, Calif. In 1960, he retired and moved to Hamilton.

He was a member of the Baptist church.

Survivors include his wife, Alma Mason of Midland; two daughters, Gertrude Webb of Perris, Calif., and Eula Erickson, of Matagorda; one brother, R.V. Mason of Hamilton; four sisters, Minnie Bryan of Arlington, Mary Fulcher of McKinney, Gwen Powers of Fort Worth and Dorothy Rodgers of Waco; five grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

T.E. Rudd

ODESSA — T.E. (Elliott) Rudd, 80, died Monday at an Odessa hospital

Services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Hubbard-Kelly Funeral Home Chapel in Odessa with the Rev. Bruce Troy officiating.

Burial will be at Sunset Memorial Gardens.

He was born July 9, 1907, in Tarrant County and married Gladys Howell July 9, 1932 in Sweetwater.

Rudd was an oil field driller and had come to Odessa in 1950 from Crane.

Survivors include his wife, Gladys Rudd, of Odessa; two sons, Jack E. Rudd and Eddie H. Rudd, both of Odessa; one daughter, Trixie McCarty of Odessa; one sister, Lyda Lee Wise, of Austin; 12 grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

The family requests memorials sent to Hospice of Odessa.

Ishmael King

Ishmael King, 67, of Midland died Saturday at a Big Spring hospital.

Services are scheduled for 3 p.m. today at the Ocker Funeral Home Chapel in Van Buren, Ark. Burial will follow in the Gracelawn Cemetery in Van Buren.

Local arrangements are being handled by Sizemore Funeral Home.

He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II and a member of the Disabled American Veterans. He was a native of Van Buren, Ark. He had been living in Midland for several months.

He is survived by his wife, Bernice King of Midland; his son, Jerry King of Midland; a sister, Helen Peck of Pea Ridge, Ark.; and two grandchildren.

Harold Pyeatt

Services for Harold (Donk) Pyeatt of Midland will be Wednesday at 1 p.m. in the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with Don Mitchell of West Side Church of Christ officiating.

Burial will follow in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Pallbearers are to be Britt Pyeatt, Tryon Pyeatt, Garth Pyeatt, Bill Pyeatt, C.W. Pyeatt and Jess Pyeatt.

Honorary pallbearers are to be Derald Ledow, Floyd Wood, O.J. Kniffen and V.J. Pridgon.

Joe Wolpman

Services for Joe Wolpman are pending with Lamprecht-Janssen Funeral Home in Yorktown. Local arrangements are being handled through Ellis Funeral Home.

Wolpman died at a Midland hospital Tuesday morning.

NRC can't find reason to delay license

WASHINGTON (AP) — A special review team from the Nuclear Regulatory Commission said Monday it could find no safety reason to delay a full-power license for the South Texas Nuclear Project Unit One plant near Bay City, Texas, because of allegations of shoddy construction.

But the utility will have to beef up procedures to assure that all re-inspections called for actually are done, the team said.

The 15-member "Safety Significance Assessment Team" from commission headquarters said overall assessment of allegations by "whistleblowers" at the plant "will not be complete until the NRC Office of Investigations completes its review" of other allegations of wrongdoing, bad management, harassment and intimidation of employees.

The review team was looking into about 700 allegations of one kind or another made by 56 construction employees through the Government Accountability Project, a Washington-based organization that encourages "whistleblower" reports of wrongdoing.

Richard Condit, staff attorney for the Government Accountability Project, said the group would provide written comments later, but, "We're pretty disappointed...We feel, at an initial glance, that very weak factual foundations are used for very broad and general findings."

The first of two 1,250-megawatt units of the $5.5 billion nuclear power plant being built by Houston Lighting and Power Co. has been operating under a license granted last August for testing at low power, not to exceed 5 percent. The second unit is more than 80 percent complete.

The commission is scheduled to discuss the full-power license on March 21.

In its report to the commission released Monday, the reviewers said the 700 allegations contained about 120 duplications, about 240 accusations of wrongdoing or harassment and intimidation referred to the Office of Investigations and about 120 that did not deal with safety issues.

This left 213 allegations that formed the subject of a four-day inspection of the plant in January by the review team.

The team looked into 10 areas identified by the most specific serious allegations, and also examined 61 related allegations. The rest were either duplicates, related to one of the 71 being investigated or not specific enough to go further, the team said.

Twenty-one items were substantiated. No deficiencies were found for another 21 and in 29 areas of concern in non-specific allegations, the reviewers could not find a problem.

Of the 21 substantianted allegations, five were declared not safety-related, two were acceptable "as is," 11 were corrected by the utility and three were uncovered during the review itself.

The report gave an example of one of the more serious allegations, that a steam generator had been installed further out of plumb than specifications allowed. Though true, "this condition was analyzed and evaluated to be acceptable, documented properly in a nonconformance report, and satisfactorily dispositioned."

The team found that 91 out of 2,000 specially protected splices of electrical cable had not been checked, because of "human errors," in an earlier reinspection of the work by the utility. Three of the 91 were redone and three replaced.

The reviewers said "The failure to include all splices in the previous reinspection program indicates the need to revise the existing procedures," and Houston Lighting and Power will have to show this has been done before it can get a full-power license.

"In many instances, the allegers' concerns did exist at one time during construction activities at the South Texas Project. However, it appears that many of these allegers were not aware of the procedures for assuring quality that were in place during construction and that continue today.

"In conclusion, the...review of all of GAP's allegations has identified no substantive safety issue which would warrant delay in the NRC's consideration of a full-power license for South Texas Project Unit One."

Lawyer says Railey won't contest suit

DALLAS (AP) — Costly legal fees were the reason Walker Railey decided not to contest a civil lawsuit filed by his mother-in-law that accuses him of the near-fatal choking attack on his wife, his attorney says.

"He told me that he had decided his assets would be best used in the support and maintenance of his children," said Doug Mulder, a defense attorney who represented Railey before a Dallas County grand jury investigating the attack.

Mulder said the former Methodist minister decided not to contest the lawsuit because of estimates it would cost nearly $100,000 in legal fees.

The suit was filed by Billie Jo Nicolai, seeking an undetermined amount of damages in the April attack on her daughter, Peggy Railey. Mrs. Railey remains in a coma in a Tyler nursing home.

Mrs. Nicolai's attorney, Bill Arnold, said Monday he will seek a default judgment.

"The question now is, when do I want to go to court..." Arnold said. "It could be tomorrow or it could be a couple of months. It depends on Peggy's best interests. I'm not going to run my schedule according to Walker's schedule."

Arnold said when he formally seeks a default judgment he will ask for a jury trial to determine damages.

Railey's father-in-law said he was disappointed there was no response to the lawsuit.

"We were hopeful, but nothing came of it," Bill Nicolai said.

"We thought he might come through and answer some of our questions. It sure would help, but it didn't turn out that way," he said in a Monday night telephone interview from his rural Smith County home. "It really is disappointing. I guess we're just going to have to keep waiting."

Without a response, a judge could rule against the former senior minister of the First United Methodist Church of Dallas and award damages in his absence.

Railey, 40, was not charged in the April 21, 1987, attack, although both his attorney and Dallas County Assistant District Attorney Norm Kinne identified him the prime suspect.

But Railey refused to cooperate with police, denying his involvement and then invoking his Fifth Amendment right against self-incrimination 43 times when questioned by a grand jury.

Dallas psychologist Lucy Papillon told the same grand jury that she and Railey were romantically involved and had discussed marriage before the attack.

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If the opinion is held to affect all of Texas, attorneys representing those counties said they expect the problem could be resolved with legislation.

Elna Christopher, a spokeswoman for Mattox, said that the ruling doesn't necessarily apply to other counties.

The attorney general expects to get requests for interpretations of the law from other counties where the commissioners courts meet in locations outside the courthouse, Ms. Christopher said, but Mattox's legal staff hasn't researched that broader issue yet.

FIRE

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In about 87,000 acres surveyed so far for damage, 106 cattle were killed or had to be destroyed following the wildfire, said Shackelford County agriculture extension agent Lawrence Winkler. Another 175 head were injured.

Winkler said wildlife also suffered, including a heard of 20 antelop that ranchers said perished in the flames.

Area ranchers also told Winkler they need 123,000 pounds of hay and 14,000 pounds of a grain or protein supplement each day for their herds. Currently on hand through donations is a two-day supply for the survey area, he said.

"The situation's already worse than I anticipated," he said. "Normally, in other range fires we've had, there's been no loss of livestock or wildlife."

He said ranchers reported 131 miles of nonrepairable fence in the area and another 83 miles of fence that will probably need new posts but is partially salvageable.

State officials were working with the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service and Soil Conservation Service to determine range damage and set up a hay donation program, said Fly.

Over the weekend, ranchers from across Texas began donating hay. By Sunday, tractor-trailer rigs stacked high with large rolls of hay were parked on the courthouse square in Albany.

About 70 state forest service workers continued to fight the hot spots Monday, along with two bulldozer strike teams from Arkansas and the U.S. Forest Service, and a National Guard helicopter.

"We had some fires burning this afternoon, but we don't have any more burning now, at least not along the perimeter," Rea said Monday night.

"We've gotten quite a few 'thank yous' from the folks here," he said. "We were very proud to have the assistance they gave us, and proud to help them too."

A 65-foot trailer house near Albany was damaged in the fires, along with a barn, several ranch outbuildings and oilfield equipment, Fly said. The Leuders Fire Department lost two trucks in the blaze.

At least seven firefighters were treated for minor injuries, but all continued to work Monday, said Fly. No deaths were reported in the wildfire, which at one point threatened the towns of Albany, Moran and Baird.

The Federal Emergency Management Agency will assist the state in covering the costs of fighting the fires, Bashur said.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR VOLUNTEERS

"The hand," said the philosopher Aristotle, "is the ultimate tool."

Strange words, it would seem, by a seminal figure in a philosophical tradition counted by historians as contemptuous of the works of thinkers, artisans and mechanics. In ancient Greece, it was the haplass captive enemies of the city states, the slaves, who toiled with the machinery, who did the work, in the burgeoning city-states, so the minds of the aristocracy would be free to pursue high wisdom and virtue.

But, wait a minute. The crux of Aristotle's method lay in denial of the forms of the ideal of virtue. Rather, he contended, not only do particular things participate in the forms, but they contribute to them in a developmental way. Dobbin is the fastest horse yet to be found, so Dobbins augments the form HORSE by virtue of being faster than any horse so far. The same holds for humans: each participates in the ideal form HUMAN, but is potentially capable of contributing to and expanding the realm of human virtue by his/her acts.

At the Volunteer Center, we invite you to come and help us to expand and augment the form HUMAN. Our list this week is long:

- Volunteer Coordinator with good management skills who likes to organize and administrate.
- People to help with educational seminars for medical foundations (heart, diabetes, epilepsy, etc).
- Individuals to care for dogs and cats at a shelter facility. Duties include feeding, cleaning, socialization of animals and assisting with adoption procedures.
- Literacy tutors.
- Volunteers interested in working in parenting classes for parents at risk of child abuse and neglect.
- Reviewers, monitors and/or narrators for a recording library for the blind. People with singing experience are a plus.
- Court monitors and individuals to lend support to victims' families regarding DWI trials.
- Individuals to install and service lifeline units in the homes of the elderly and disabled.

If you are interested in volunteering, call the Volunteer Center at 684-5866.

The weekly column is contributed by Nick Johnson, a community volunteer.

Man charged in death of child

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — An unemployed handyman has been charged with the shooting death of a sleeping child and a second man was being sought for questioning in the case, police said.

An "illegal business deal" was at the root of the slaying, said homicide Lt. Albert Ortiz, but he declined to specify the nature of the transaction.

It appears the child's mother was originally the intended target, investigators said Monday.

Omar Resendez, 19, of San Antonio, remained in the Bexar County Jail today in lieu of posting bonds totaling $75,000.

Resendez, said by police officers to be an unemployed handyman originally from Laredo, has been charged with one count of murder and one count of attempted murder.

Detectives said the man wanted for questioning is believed to be a teen-ager.

Police officers said that Andrew Moreno, 9, a third-grader, was shot as he slept on the floor of his mother's bedroom about 1:20 a.m. Monday.

PIGEONS

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If Ms. Butler wants to move to the other end of the pool to catch a patch of noon sunshine, they fly along behind her in formation until she stops. Such is the power of positive reinforcement. If only David Letterman could see this.

When Ms. Butler opens her shopping bag and scatters the feed, the flock scatters, an explosion of grays and whites and tans. They eat like there is no tomorrow. Since Ms. Butler has missed only one day in three years, there is absolutely no foundation for this behavior. Evidently they aren't too future-oriented.

"They don't quit when they're full," Ms. Butler said. Ms. Butler recognizes only one of the birds by name. That's Hercules, a huge, noble specimen that's almost pure white. She says he's there nearly every day, head and shoulders above the crowd. She wonders where he goes on the days he doesn't show up.

She got started feeding the birds because the winter weather that year was especially cold and she felt sorry for them. She's kept it up because she enjoys getting out at lunch. She admits she has gone beyond the stereotype of the pigeon feeder who shares an occasional bag of bread crumbs. She buys the popcorn in five-pound bags from a discount grocer and goes to the feed store for bird seed.

Because, you see, she's expanded her pastime to weekends. She now feeds the birds at her apartment complex. And then there's a duck pond in a business park near her home.

"There's the neatest goose there. He's the leader of the pack, and he's very tame. He'll let you pet him," Ms. Butler says.

Her boyfriend has started to hate the smell of popcorn.

Information sought about burlgary of hardware store

Crime Stoppers is asking the public for information about the burglary of the Midland True Value hardware store, 3205 North Midkiff Road.

On the night of Jan. 31, at least one suspect climbed to the roof of the building. An air conditioning duct was removed, and a hole was torn in the ceiling to gain access to the store. Tools from a display rack were used to break open a safe near the front of the store. Several white bank bags were removed from the safe, and the office was ransacked.

Crime Stoppers is offering a $1,000 cash reward, this week only, for information that leads to the arrest and indictment of those responsible for the burglary.



Crime Stoppers in Midland can be reached at 694-TIPS, and in Odessa at 333-TIPS. Callers can remain anonymous.

Two residences destroyed in fires

From Staff Reports

No injuries were reported in separate fires which destroyed two residences in Midland Monday evening, according to reports.

Four units and 11 firefighters were dispatched to a mobile home in the 500 block of East Longview about 8:50 p.m., reports said. When they arrived the home was blazing, reports said.

The fire was reported by the Midland County Sheriff's Department. The cause of the blaze is not known, officials said.

Shortly after 11 p.m., four units were called to a vacant residence at 403 Taylor Ave. The blaze apparently started in the living room, but the cause of the fire was not listed, reports said.

Both homes were declared a total loss, according to reports.

'South Pacific' to be held over

From Staff Reports

Due to popular demand, the musical "South Pacific" will be held over until March 26, and "House of Blue Leaves" will have an extra performance Wednesday.

Both Midland Community Theatre productions are playing at Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave. "South Pacific" is onstage in the Davis Theatre I and "The House of Blue Leaves" is onstage in Mabee Theatre II.

El Chico is furnishing refreshments during both productions' intermissions, and a drawing will be held during intermission for "South Pacific" on March 26 for round-trip tickets for two to London on American Airlines.

For reservations to either production call Theatre Midland's box office, 682-4111.

Works by Betty Lynch are on display in the theater's gallery.

Richard III's reputation hurt by plays

Richard III was crowned King of England in 1483. A brother of Edward IV, Richard was accused of involvement in the deaths of his two nephews in order to gain the throne.

His reputation has not been enhanced by theatrical portrayals of the king. The death of Richard, the last Yorkist king, at Bosworth Field in 1485, ended the Wars of the Roses.

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Chic bargains found in sales, thrift shops

By GLENDA WINDERS
Copley News Service

Do you have Bill Blass taste and a bargain-basement budget? Do you wonder how the other people in your office can dress the way they do on the same paycheck you take home?

The chances are they didn't just inherit a fortune or win the lottery. Their designer look probably comes from a little careful planning and a lot of shopping know-how.

In the beginning you'll have to spend some time figuring out the look you want. Once you've organized your resources and sifted through the sale racks, the investment will pay off for several chic years to come.

To begin with, plan to do some serious browsing and window-shopping. Leave your checkbook and credit cards at home, but bring a notebook so you can jot down lists and make sketches.

Decide what your requirements are. Do you need a professional look for day, elegance for evenings out, casual wear for at-home relaxation?

Adopt a signature look that is distinctly your own. Do you prefer classic, tailored suits and dresses; bulky sweaters with corduroy or tweed pants and skirts; or soft, romantic lines, dresses and blouses with ruffles and bows?

Figure out a color scheme that is good for you. Whether or not you believe in a color palette, be sure you know your best colors. Build a wardrobe around a few good suits, dresses and coats in basic neutrals,adding dashes of color with blouses, scarfs and jewelry.

Knowing which colors work for you can save time during shopping. If purple washes you out, don't consider the racks of lilac, mauve and magenta blouses.

Armed with what you've discovered during your "just looking" trip, tackle your closet. Get rid of colors and styles that don't work for you. If there are dresses and skirts that you dread wearing or that make you feel less than 100 percent when you have them on, pass them on to a friend or donate them to a thrift store.

But don't overlook possibilities. What about letting out a hem or taking it up to create a more appropriate length? Could a package of dye change a boring color into a brilliant one? Would an inexpensive package of big wooden buttons add interest to an otherwise ho-hum jacket?

HAVE A serious look at what's left and start making a list. Consider one garment at a time and decide what you need to change its look from average to stunning — earrings? Scarfs? Shoes? Could several sets of accessories transform one suit into several?

The list will be long and depressing, but that's where the real secret of smart shopping comes in. Don't go back to the same boutiques to make your purchases. Instead, take advantage of department store sales, discount houses, designer outlets and thrift shops.

"It's not about being rich or poor," said one thrift shop patron. "It's about wanting more value from your money."

Granted, it takes a little more legwork and imagination, but the look you create and the money you save will be well worth the investment of time you will have to make.

Rule No. 1 is to shop alone. Of course it's more fun to go with a friend, but this is serious business. You don't want to be distracted by conversation or misled by her opinion of what looks good; ditto the salesperson.

Be absolutely steadfast in sticking to your list unless something literally calls your name from the dress rack. Be flexible, but remember that you're here to consolidate, not to make impulse purchases that will wind up in the back of the closet.

Shop early in the day. If possible, avoid lunch hours and weekends when stores are more crowded.

Bring a swatch of fabric cut from a seam of the garment you want to match. A blue scarf that you think looks like a perfect match for a blue plaid jacket may be just a shade off and therefore useless.

Wear comfortable shoes and clothes that are easy to get on and off in a fitting room. If you're shopping for dressy clothes, carry heels in an oversize handbag so you can double-check the total effect.

Schedule some breaks for a cup of tea or soft drink. This breather gives you a chance to check your list and relax. Don't buy something just because you're tired and want to get home.

DISCOUNT AND thrift stores require some special shopping savvy. Call ahead to find out which days new merchandise is put on the racks. Arrive early since the best bargains go first.

Save your big splurge for well-made shoes or sexy lingerie.

Expand your horizons. Explore the men's department for boxy, oversize jackets that lend a cosmopolitan flavor. Look there, too, for ties, belts and big shirts to wear with casual pants.

Some purchases will have to be made at department stores, but do some comparison shopping before you buy.

Study washing instructions carefully, or you may wind up spending the money you save on dry-cleaning bills. Look for easy-care fabrics. Polyester blends now have the look of slinky silk or crisp linen, but they can be laundered at home and are ready to go again the next day.

Faux is in. Look for all kinds of fake jewelry, fur, leather and reptile skins. The look is trendy but affordable.

Patterns now offer high-fashion styles

By LISA LEBOWITZ
Copley News Service

The financial benefits of sewing have long been clear. You can make a dress, blouse or coat in any fabric you choose for a fraction of its ready-to-wear cost.

But the equation isn't always that simple. Too often, sewing means saving money but losing time to make a complicated garment, or cutting costs at the expense of wearing less-than-high fashion.

To lure women to sewing (compare 28 million sewers today to 40 million a decade ago), pattern companies are offering designs that are both easy and fashionable.

For the beginning sewer or the experienced sewer with limited time to spare, many companies rate their patterns speed and simplicity. Time-conscious patterns — eight-hour jackets, for example — are big sellers.

But you don't have to sacrifice style for speed. Today, many well-known designers offer their clothes in over-the-counter patterns.

Best of all, sewing allows you to remake your wardrobe into this season's fashion. Hem a skirt short. Add large, colored buttons to a blouse.

Fabric and pattern companies generally encourage women to "sew easy, buy hard." Make a silk T-shirt with two seams, they recommend, but buy a suit that's difficult to make.

Even sewing machines have gone upscale. Singer's Ultra Unlimited model aids the aspiring seamstress with state-of-the-art microchip design. Its computer software can even be programmed to adjust to a particular fabric.

THE RIGHT fabric can make a first-time sewer's work look more professional. If you're a novice sewer, choose a workable fabric that won't run away from you. Fabrics that are slippery to cut or sew, like silks, aren't a good early choice.

Instead, first-time sewers should opt for firmly woven cottons or cotton blends. There are also some easy-to-handle rayon gabardines that look very rich.

Fabric price often intimidates inexperienced sewers, but it shouldn't. Linens aren't that difficult to sew, even if the cost per yard is scary.

If you love prints, and there are great prints in fabric stores now, choose small prints that don't need matching. Large prints and geometrics are more complicated because you have to match the pattern and place the motif on the body.

To ensure best results no matter which fabric you choose, follow the directions for laying out the pattern so the nap of the fabric goes in the same direction throughout your finished garment.

To start, find out what's big for the season. Then, look over the patterns and fabrics and plunge in.

One high-fashion pattern lets you create fitted high-waisted pants, capri pants or a swingy, short skirt from two-way cotton stretch fabrics.

Another features pull-on pants, a culotte look or a short, straight skirt — all three with an easy elastic waist — to sew in breezy, woven fabrics.

Patterns abound for off-the-shoulder tops. Choose a cropped or full-length top with long, short or capped sleeves. One pattern even includes a tubular minidress with a bare, shoulder-revealing neckline.

There are patterns in high-fashions, such as Donna Karan and Anne Klein.

VOGUE OFFERS a sophisticated Karan suit with a draped skirt and jacket, as well as a tops package with three Karan off-the-shoulder looks.

Look for British designer Patrick Kelly's sexy flounced dress under Vogue Individualist patterns, a section in the Vogue pattern books for innovative designers. It has a fitted bodice with an off-the-shoulder neckline and two-tier skirt.

And from Butterick, there's a David Warren suit with a trapeze jacket. The triangular jacket shape is loose and flowing, but belted, it turns into a flattering peplum look that tops a wrapped, draped skirt.

Double the impact of high-style patterns with up-to-the-minute fabrics in the latest hues.

Prints are a strong fabric trend, but they're smaller and more delicate with bows or feminine florals. Bicolor combinations such as navy/ecru, brown/ecru or black/ecru are big, with ecru replacing pure white. Neutrals are important, and brights, used alone or toned to other brights, up the voltage on fashions this season.

AT WIT'S END

Clyde is familar fixture on popular running path

By ERMA BOMBECK



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Occasionally, I take a walk along a popular running path in my neighborhood where I have always been impressed with Clyde. Clyde is a nondescript dog and a familiar fixture to everyone who uses the path. He sprawls under a tree every morning while his owner pursues leg cramps. Clyde's tongue is about three feet long and hangs limp. His sad eyes reflect a look that says it all. "Who ARE all these people?" He moves only when he hears the motor of the car turn over for home.

I have always envied Clyde. He doesn't cave in to guilt because his owner is "into sweat." There's no pressure to join the parade of dogs who leave him in the dust and who kill themselves trying to keep up with their masters. He has no illusions about his soft, lumpy body.

My husband brought home a form last week that I feared might change Clyde's life. It was an entry blank for a two-mile walk run for dogs.

I couldn't believe it. But there it was. All dogs who entered had to have rabies inoculations, be licensed, be kept on a leash at all times, be accompanied by an adult, and if their behavior was unruly or might prove hazardous, they could be asked to leave the race. Female dogs in any stage of heat would not be allowed to compete. Entrants were urged to send in their $12 entry fee and get a free red bandanna.

It sounded so innocent, but you don't have to be a genius to figure out what is coming. Cute doggie designer shorts and shirts. Paw shoes (four of them) that cost $80, special watches to record times, sweatbands to keep their ears out of their eyes, ankle weights to build muscles, a monthly magazine showing top canine runners, five pages in the phone book of vets who specialize in runner's injuries. Meals planned around the dog's running schedule so he doesn't run on a full stomach ... driving 70 miles Sunday morning so your dog can run in a 10K and get a loaf of bread, a six-pack and a T-shirt when he crosses the finish line. A psychiatrist for the dog who, because of injuries for some reason, can't run and no longer wants to go on living.

I wanted to find Clyde and say, "Hang tough! Don't let the pooch-jocks intimidate you. I know what I'm talking about. They tried to do it to me. 'Eat like a bird ... get exercise.' Have you ever looked at a bird, Clyde? Good legs, but no waistline. They're all built like avocados. Speed skaters exercise and look at those thighs. I'm telling you, don't cave in."

I looked for Clyde the day of the race and found him sprawled out in his usual spot, lying on his back with four feet suspended in midair. His mouth was open and flies were buzzing around his eyes. Some dogs can't be bought ... not even for a red bandanna. That's comforting.

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Keep wrinkles away

New York Times News Service

Keeping spring clothes looking fresh is sometimes a problem. Here are a few tips that could help.

An electric steam presser is a big boon. Just fill it with water. Hammacher Schlemmer's model from Rowenta is $42.50.

Magic Sizing is good for sprucing up cottons and linens. Spray it on and iron away wrinkles. In supermarkets it's about $2.

Gadget keeps dry cleaning in top shape

New York Times News Service

NEW YORK — Keeping fashionable clothes in tiptop shape is a nuisance. Nobody has much time for the upkeep needed between stops at the dry cleaner and the shoe-repair shop. Here are some gadgets that make maintenance fairly easy.

Almost every designer has a lint remover — a roll of masking tape with a plastic handle — to give a last-minute whisk to models before they walk onto a runway. The removers cost around $2; some fit in a handbag.

Five-and-dime stores carry an instant shoeshine kit without the do-it-yourself mess. The Kiwi version is a sponge, impregnated with polish, that pops out of a plastic container. It's around $2.

A superbly designed black plastic sewing kit, about the size of a business card and almost as thin, is made by Level Enterprises for $11.

Cashmere-Cashmere on Madison Avenue suggests a comb called D-Fuzz-It. Brushed over woven or knitted goods, it removes pills without harming the fabric. It's $3.

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Expert beauty books, videos available

By MONICA PEREZ
Copley News Service

Most of us don't want to look different. We just want to like the way we look.

Beauty care products can help.

"Cosmetics are mood-altering substances that can change the way you feel about your face, your body and your abilities," psychology Professor Thomas Cash told Glamour magazine.

According to Cash, the old stereotype that women wear makeup to mask their true features is false. He says women use it because they are pleased with their looks and want to play them up. In the process, they come to like themselves better.

Put makeup to work for you. If you've never had a make-over, treat yourself to one. You'll discover which colors and cosmetics flatter your features. Next, learn how to apply beauty care products yourself. Becoming a more beautiful you is a matter of the right tools — and a little expert advice.

Few things are more fascinating than "before and after" photos — particularly if the individual has had a beauty make-over.

THE BEST part is that there's nothing special about the people in the pictures. They're not models. In fact, they're ordinary.

A green-eyed redhead goes from pasty to peachy. A sallow-skinned brunette emerges sleek and sophisticated. A blowsy, overblown blonde becomes fresh and beaming.

It's no wonder Glamour receives 600 make-over requests each year.

According to the magazine, "The basic premise of any make-over is that a change in appearance will affect the way others treat us and will affect the way we feel and think about ourselves."

And it's not a slow, painstaking process like dieting — a make-over can happen in a matter of minutes.

Chances are you won't be chosen by a national magazine for a make-over. But don't let that discourage you. The staff of a personal care salon can revamp your hair, makeup and nails.

Ask about promotional clinics at your local department store. Large cosmetic companies often sponsor visiting specialists. You'll receive personalized makeup lessons free — or for a nominal amount that's redeemable in products.

If you'd rather "do it yourself," books can help.

In "The Successful Face" (Summit Books) author Amy Greene covers step-by-step regimens for makeup and hair care.

"Making Up by Rex" by Diana Lewis Jewell (Clarkson N. Potter) illustrates ideas for all face shapes, colorings and features.

Invite model Christie Brinkley into your living room to demonstrate cosmetic application and techniques. "The Cover Girl Video Guide to Basic Make-Up With Christie Brinkley" is available in video outlets.

IF YOU'RE in your late 30s, you probably remember white lipstick. It went with the "mod" look inspired by the Beatles. If you once wore a certain color lipstick to be in style, you may worry that the very color that best suits you is "out."

It isn't.

"Makeup that makes you look beautiful is always in style," says one colorist. "The trend in makeup is not toward sameness but toward discovering the best look for each individual."

If you looked awful with last season's heavy rouge and pencil-lined lips, beauty specialist Kathryn Klinger has good news.

"Severe makeup isn't compatible with this season's rounded, flowing clothes. Choose medium-tone colors, well-blended. Rouge is a hint of color, not obvious."

For fun makeup, Klinger says colored mascaras will be around "for at least one more season. But instead of blatant bright blues, shades will be more subtle — like navy and teal."

Leila Haile, a beauty consultant, says that this season's palette features strong, vibrantly colored lips and demure, soft and easy eyes.

"We're seeing a combination of cool and warm colors for lips and cheeks," says Haile. "Corals and reds are big, but so are subtle nude shades."

"What men don't like is makeup that shows or looks garish — which often happens when we wear the wrong color," says Carol Jackson in her book, "Color Me Beautiful Makeup Book" (Ballantine).

JACKSON'S BOOK can help you determine which colors are right for you. Or you may want to consult a professional colorist. Why not arrange a session with a specialist at a personal care salon? You may love the results and learn from the process. And if you don't, there's no harm done.

One of the best ways to preserve your skin's beauty is to take care of it when you're in the sun. After all, Scarlett O'Hara never went anywhere without her parasol. You can be a smooth-skinned Southern belle, too — just remember to wear a good sunscreen; apply a moisturizer.

You are the artist. Your face is the canvas. Be sure you use the right tools when you apply your own personal palette.

Your best investment is a good set of natural hair brushes. Use them to apply pressed powder, blush, eyeliner, eye shadow, concealers — even lipstick. These special brushes outperform the tiny applicators that come in makeup containers like a professional outshines an amateur.

Complete your collection of beauty tools with cosmetic sponges, cotton balls or pads, cotton swabs, tissues, tweezers and an eyelash curler.

Don't forget the importance of lighting. The best makeup mirror has adjustable settings: fluorescent, daytime and evening. These let you see how you'll look in the office, tennis court or nightclub — before you leave home.

You'll get the most out of your makeup if you keep it convenient and organized.

DRUGSTORES, BEAUTY supply shops and department stores carry colorful plastic trays for makeup. Put lipsticks in one compartment, blushes in another. Most organizers have holes for mascara wands and for lip and eye pencils.

"I can put on all my makeup — foundation, concealer, powder, blush, eyeliner, eye shadow, mascara and lipstick — in six minutes if I have everything assembled where I need it," says author Carole Jackson. "An organized makeup wardrobe starts the day off smoothly."

Spring/summer colognes and perfumes are whimsical and fun — light, fancy florals and citrusy scents. For evening, be daring and emphasize your personal style. According to the Fragrance Foundation, heavy florals (with an emphasis on roses) are "in," as are more assertive — yet subtly seductive — variations of daytime blends.



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Gray hair drains color from skin

By CARRIE DONOVAN
New York Times News Service

NEW YORK — Some women actually enjoy watching their hair silver as they age. But gray has a way of draining color from the skin.

According to Thomas Morrissey and Louis Licari, hair colorists who own Manhattan salons that bear their names, brunettes can have a few chestnut or subtle golden highlights added to their tresses. But dyeing the gray to match what was originally raven will produce a hair color that usually looks phony.

Black women, Morrissey said, can acquire a face-flattering look by covering the gray areas with a subtly lighter shade, one that verges on chestnut but is not as harsh as henna.

Blondes have an easier time of it. Their gray hair tends to blend into the blond. For them, keeping up their sunny front may just be a matter of a few added highlights or golden streaks.

As the years roll by, though, most women feel that they look younger and more attractive the blonder they are. What everyone wants is a flattering glow to frame the face.

Morrissey often gives a gray head of hair an overall blond tone, and then mixes in some stronger strains of gold. Licari, however, cautioned that "progressively blond is becoming, but excessively blond can be as draining to the face as gray."

He recommended that a woman stay no more than three or four shades lighter than what she once was. Then, for an added boost, a few blond highlights might be added, he suggested.

Protect, moisturize for a beautiful finish

By LISA LEBOWITZ
Copley News Service

Whether your skin is oily, dry, mature, young, black or fair, warm weather introduces environmental factors that affect skin and skin care.

From moisturizing to cleansing to skin protection, no matter what your skin type, here's how to best care for your face when the temperature climbs outside.

According to skin care expert Diane Young, when the weather is warm, more oil generally rises to the skin's surface. The oil contains a high water content, because when the body heats up, it releases water to lower the body temperature. This water mixes with the facial oil to make the skin's surface feel more slick.

"With that as a given," says Young, "it's important to step up proper care."

For oily skin or combination normal/oily skin: To start, you will need a more thorough cleanser when the weather is warm.

If you use a milky cleanser ordinarily, it's now time to switch to a foaming cleanser, or use a super-fatted soap or soap substitute.

It's time for a new moisturizer, too, preferably one that has a high water content, and little oil. Look for oil-free, gel, or lotion types. Use a clay-base mask to absorb excess oil.

If your skin is a combination, use mask only where necessary to avoid overdrying. And as part of your oil-control care regimen, you may need to exfoliate your face once or twice each week.

Dry skin may act more "normal" in warm weather, in that it may be less dry. But it still requires gentle care via a water-soluble, creamy cleanser, a non-alcoholic toner (alcohol is drying), and a moisturizer with a cream base. It's particularly important to protect skin from environmental bad guys such as the sun, wind, salt and chlorine.

BLACK SKIN functions very efficiently in warm weather because it has, as a rule, more water glands for cooling per square centimeter of skin. Black skin releases so much water that the facial skin surface has a sheen that's often misdiagnosed as extra-oily.

Young explains that there may actually be a lot of extra water, or a mix of extra oil and water.

"In either case, in warm weather it's important to keep black skin dry," she advises.

Linen blotting papers, available at fine drugstores and skin care centers, are a good way to remove excess moisture and oil. Check out oil control makeups that hold moisture and oil in a suspension just beneath the skin's surface — without blocking pores. They also minimize the chance of oil shining through your makeup.

Young stresses the importance of protecting black skin from the sun. A moisturizer or foundation with UV blockers shields skin from damaging rays and eliminates the need for a separate sunblock.

Older skin needs special attention too.

Because skin thins with age, it becomes less capable of protecting itself from sun damage.

"From the 40's upward," says Young, "the same amount of sun does significantly more damage."

The natural water and oil supply diminishes with age, as well, so mature skin must be nourished and protected. Treat mature skin delicately. Cleanse it with a water-soluble, milky cleanser, followed by a good, alcohol-free toner, and a rich moisturizer.

Mature skin also needs gentle and frequent exfoliation (it speeds cell renewal and brings fresh skin to the surface), and use an effective moisturizing mask once or twice each week.

Young also emphasizes the importance of having your entire body checked for skin cancer on a regular basis by a dermatologist or medical professional.

"This is a vital, but often-overlooked part of mature skin care. Skin cancers frequently occur in hard-to-spot places, so have your physician, or even your gynecologist, examine your body carefully on your next visit."

DERMATOLOGISTS AND skin-care experts now suggest that you incorporate cosmetics containing low-level sun protection into daily beauty routines. Skin damage and premature aging occur as a result of cumulative sun exposure whenever we're outside. If your moisturizer or foundation contains a sunblock, you may be minimizing cumulative damage.

Air conditioning creates comfortable warm-weather temperatures, but has a drying effect on skin. To restore moisture, use a mineral water spray to penetrate the top layer of skin. Spray it on after cleansing and before toning and moisturizing, or use it during the day over makeup to refresh skin.

Look into alcohol-free moisturizing toners for dry skin, oil-free moisturizers for oily skin, and moisturizers with collagen and sunscreen for dry skin.

DEAR ABBY

'Freshman Frolic' too formal for principal

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN



Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I am a freshman in high school. Coming up in June is our Freshman Frolic, a formal dance for ninth-graders. Our principal just announced that she is banning the use of limousines to and from the Frolic. She has also banned the rental of tuxedos and full-length gowns. This has been allowed in all previous years.

The majority of our class does not believe that this is a fair decision. We feel that if the students' parents are willing to foot the bill for gown, tuxedo and limo, they should have the right to do so. We would rather not be driven by our parents, and we want to wear whatever we consider formal and nice.

Our principal has received calls for and against her decision. She explained that by allowing limousines, gowns and tuxedos, the students who can't afford them will stay home because they'll be embarrassed to arrive in an ordinary car and not dressed as fancy as others.

She also says that we will have the chance to do these expensive things in the upper grades. We feel that since it has been allowed before, and our parents are willing to pay for it, we should be entitled to enjoy such privileges. How do you feel about this? — FLUSTERED FRESHMAN, WEST NEWBURY, MASS.

DEAR FLUSTERED: I hate to rain on your parade, but I can't believe that the parents of every ninth-grader can afford to hire a limo and rent a tuxedo. I agree with the principal. Too many children are rushing to grow up too fast these days. Thank heavens for one principal who is willing to say, "Whoa!"

DEAR ABBY: I understand that it is considered rude to talk to someone who is reading a newspaper or watching TV, and my husband says it's rude to talk at mealtimes.

When we're in the car, he always has the radio on, so we can't talk then. When he's in the garden, there is either the mower or the weed-wacker making noise, so it's useless to talk. At bedtime, it's "time to go to sleep," and other times he's at home, he's showering or shaving.

I have asked him to go for a walk with me, but he doesn't like to walk.

So when are we supposed to discuss important matters — or unimportant ones? — SHUT OUT IN VICTORIA, B.C.

DEAR SHUT OUT: Good question. Why don't you schedule an "appointment" with your non-verbal man? I'm serious. Ask HIM. Perhaps counseling would bring to the surface the reason your husband consistently dodges conversing with you.

Wedding bells? Wedding bills! Who pays for what and everything else you need to know if you're planning a wedding can be found in Abby's booklet, "How to Have a Lovely Wedding." Send your name and address, clearly printed, plus check or money order for $2.89 ($3.39 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, Wedding Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054 (postage and handling included).

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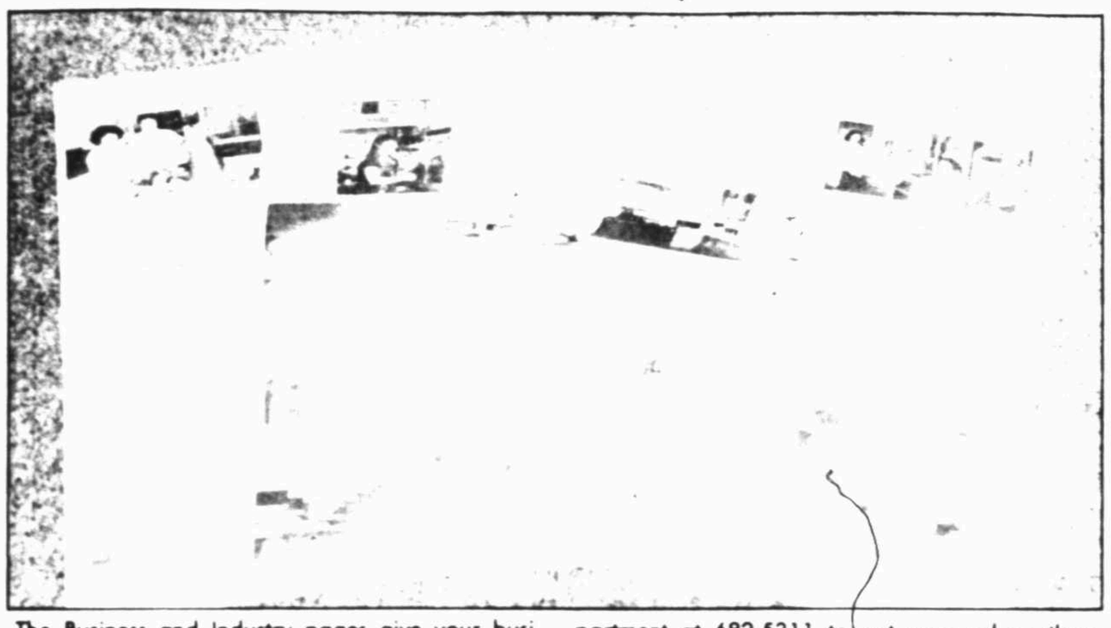
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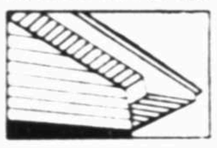
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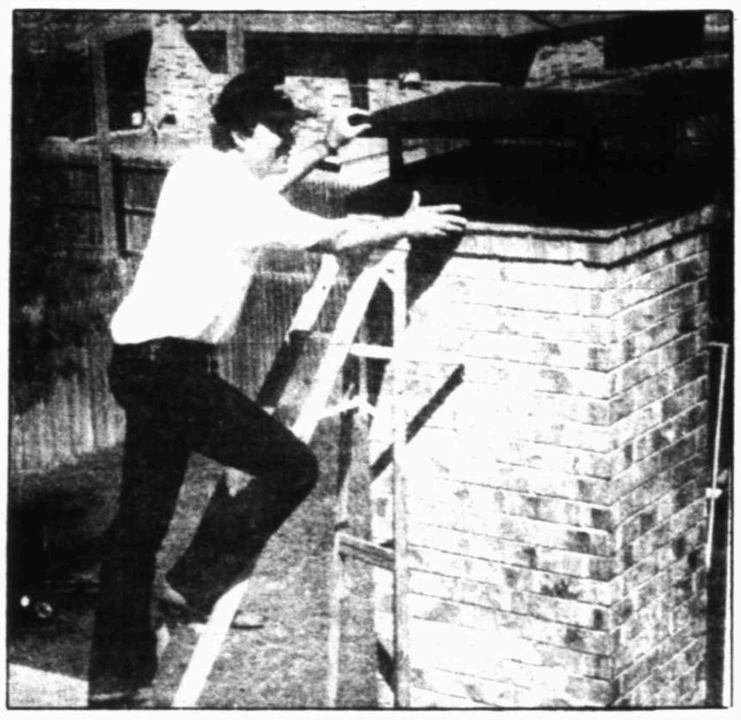
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As Debi should have been.

TV deals in emotion; press deals in 'Ooohs' to 'Arghs'

By ART SPANDER
Hearst News Service

Journalism, we've been told, largely consists of saying "Lord Jones is Dead" to people who never knew Lord Jones was alive.

Sporting journalism, however, largely consists of saying the "Indians are Alive" to people who already know the Indians are dead last.

Surprises are relatively few in sports.

A schedule is made up months in advance. Minds are made up years in advance. Fans never want to be confused with facts.

The intricate framework on which spectator sports is constructed consists entirely of emotion. Try persuading a Giants fan, for example, to root for the Dodgers.

Television feeds on emotions. It shows us what we want to see, tells us what we want to hear.

The home team trails, 6-0, in the eighth? In the press box, the writers are composing obits. But the TV announcers are having a hard time composing themselves. "Never over until the last out," someone pants.

TWO WEEKS ago Debi Thomas, a.k.a America's Sweetheart, went out to win the Olympic gold medal in women's figure skating. She was competing not only for herself, but, according to the guys trying to sell soft drinks and shaving cream on the tube, for the good old U.S.A.

In the fantasyland of Hollywood, Debi would have achieved perfection, and the country would have gone to sleep Saturday night dreaming of how she kept the world safe from communism.

But Debi stumbled early on. Our "oohs" changed to "argh." The gold changed to, no, not even a silver but a bronze. So? So nothing. Third in the world isn't exactly chopped liver.

THE TROUBLE began the next morning. Newspapers throughout the land published a photo of Debi looking something like a cross between Buster Keaton and Goldie Hawn. The appropriate word might be inelegant.

The photo was taken at the exact moment she lost her balance and, in turn, lost her opportunity.

If the average picture is, indeed, worth 1,000 words, this one was worth 10 million. No long explanations were required. You didn't have to know your axel from a hole in the ice. It was the skating equivalent of being caught with your hand in a cookie jar.

Television could dress up the error in sequins and excuses. Print journalism gave it to us bluntly. And the public was outraged.

THE SEMINAL thought was this: "How dare you show us what took place? We want to see what should have taken place. Off with your heads."

It was an old story. If you don't like the message, shoot the messenger. Even sporting columnists working in Calgary were indicted for the choice of a picture that they didn't even see until it was printed.

Sorry, folks, but it's time to grow up. Television executives may feel it is their place in society to make the news, but newspapers, magazines and their ilk are compelled to report it. As it happens.

Please see THOMAS, Page 2C.

Owners hold line on draft of non-seniors

By DAVE GOLDBERG

PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP) — NFL Commissioner Pete Rozelle said Monday that the league's owners seem firmly opposed to loosening league rules to allow underclassmen to be drafted and at least one influential figure said he would be willing to test that stand in court.

"Coaches and general managers and owners that I talk to just think it just doesn't make sense to change for anyone," Rozelle said.

THE NFL is the only professional league that does not regularly draft underclassmen, allowing only those players to be drafted who have used four years of eligibility, have spent five years in school or have graduated.

But the eligibility issue has become increasingly controversial in recent years as underclassmen, declared ineligible for ollege play for reasons stemming from misconduct to illegal contact with agents, have petitioned for either the regular or supplemental draft.

Tex Schramm, president of the Dallas Cowboys and one of the league's most influential figures, said he'd be willing to test the NFL rules in court.

"There are a lot of people who are simply afraid of a suit," he said. "I say 'Let's go to court and see what happens.'"

ONE OF the main items on the agenda, the proposed move of the St. Louis Cardinals to Phoenix, will be discussed Tuesday with a group from St. Louis Civic Progress, making a last-ditch plea to the owners to keep the franchise there.

Longhorns to fire coach

AUSTIN (AP) — The University of Texas will announce today that basketball coach Bob Weltlich has been fired, the Austin American-Statesman reported.

One member of the team and several sources close to the team told the newspaper that Weltlich has been fired after six seasons. KTBC-TV, an Austin station, also reported Monday night that Weltlich had been fired.



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This is Real Bliss

SMU Coach Dave Bliss gets a kiss from Berkeley, his six-year-old daughter, as Mustangs head for NCAA tournament.

DUKE'S ADVANTAGE

Chapel Hill, like home game

By TIM LIOTTA

DURHAM, N.C. (AP) — The idea of calling North Carolina's Dean Smith Center home is a strange twist for the Duke Blue Devils.

"It's never been an advantage before for a Duke team to play at Chapel Hill," Duke Coach Mike Krzyzewski said. "We don't have too great a record there."

The Blue Devils, 24-6, seeded second in the East Region, open their NCAA post-season tournament against Boston University in the Smith Center, located in Chapel Hill, just 10 miles from the Duke campus.

Duke was North Carolina's first opponent in the 21,444-seat Smith Center, and lost a 95-92 decision on Jan. 18, 1986.

COACH MIKE Jarvis, in his third season at Boston University, isn't gettting picky about North Carolina geography when asked about the location of the Terriers' first NCAA post-season appearance since 1983.

"We don't consider it a quasi-home game for Duke. We consider it a home game for them," Jarvis said by telephone from his campus office "... Of course if the game were at Duke it could be worse. It being a home game for them doesn't make it any easier. The mountain just gets higher."

KRZYZEWSKI said the game's location "is an advantage for us. Hopefully, it will outweigh the disadvantage of playing three tough games Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

"We need an advantage the way we feel," said the Blue Devil coach. "... It's an advantage we earned."

Duke earned the privilege of playing in Chapel Hill by defeating North Carolina 65-61 in the final of the Atlantic Coast Conference tournament Sunday. Arnie Ferrin, chairman of the NCAA selection committee, said in a televised interview Sunday that the winner of the ACC tournament was going to be seeded second in Chapel Hill and that the loser would have been sent to Salt Lake City regardless of the game's outcome.

Boston University, 23-7, earned its berth in the NCAA tournament by winning the ECAC North Atlantic tournament. The Terriers use a three-guard offense that is led by Drederick Irving, who averaged 20.1 per game this season.

"THEY PLAY good defensive, man-to-man," Krzyzewski said. "They've got some good New York City players on the team. They can improvise and they play well together as a team."

Krzyzewski said the key to playing in the NCAA tournament is reducing a team's vision to "a four-team tournament."

The winner of the Duke-Boston University will play the winner of the Notre Dame-Southern Methodist first-round game.

"We're just trying to focus on four teams in our little tournament right now," said Duke's Billy King. "That's what Coach K wants us to do."

When asked about the playing in the East region, Krzyzewski couldn't overlook defending national champion Indiana, 1987 runner-up Syracuse and top-ranked Temple.

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Monday's Answer- The 1942-43 Illinois basketball team was called the Whiz Kids.

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Bosox grapple with outfield surplus

By MURRAY CHASS
N.Y. Times News Service

WINTER HAVEN, Fla. — Perhaps the tritest expression in baseball is "you can never have enough pitching." In the Boston Red Sox camp they have a variation on that theme: you can never have enough outfielders.

The Red Sox began spring training with as many as seven players for five positions — three in the outfield, first base and designated hitter. How would they fit everybody into the lineup, Manager John McNamara was asked daily? Who would play where?

McNamara had these possibilities: left field — Jim Rice or Mike Greenwell; center field — Ellis Burks; right field — Dwight Evans, Greenwell, Todd Benzinger or Brady Anderson; first base — Evans or Benzinger; designated hitter — Rice, Greenwell or Sam Horn (whose defensive position is first base, which he does not play with agility and dexterity).

"We'll have a pretty good idea what we want to do 10 days to two weeks before we leave here," McNamara said.

With the start of the season three weeks away, McNamara hasn't closed his mind any, but his possibilities have been reduced by one. Burks, who played so impressively as a rookie last season, had surgery Friday to remove a bone chip from his right ankle and is expected to be out six to eight weeks.

That unclutters the right field crowd by one because Anderson is the only other outfielder the Red Sox have who can play center. He is a 24-year-old left-handed hitter who has played three seasons in the minor leagues, winding up last season at Class AAA Pawtucket, where he batted .380 in 23 games.

The toughest decision remaining may very well involve Rice, the veteran left fielder, who is resisting semiretirement — a move to the designated-hitter spot. He thinks that his veteran status should keep him in front of the Green Monster at Fenway Park. Greenwell, on the other hand, believes that he is too young to be relegated to hitting duty only.

One theory is that McNamara will start with Rice in left and Greenwell as designated hitter but then eventually phase Rice out of the outfield and Greenwell in.

"They have some big decisions, but I think the biggest decision they have is me and Rice," Greenwell said. "He's been in left for 12 years. I'm sure he understands my feeling. Back when he was breaking in, he had Yaz to contend with. Now I have Jimmy to contend with.

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Mets' Terry Leach perfect fill-in

Associated Press

The New York Mets pay Terry Leach to be a fill-in. He fills the bill perfectly.

Leach, who spent 11 years in the minor leagues, was something of a savior for the Mets' starting pitching rotation last year. He was 11-1 after making the team only because reliever Roger McDowell was recovering from hernia surgery.

Monday, Leach again proved his value as an emergency replacement. Sid Fernandez was scratched with back spasms, so the 34-year-old right-hander took his place and pitched four strong innings. Leach struck out four and allowed two hits and a run as the Mets beat Cincinnati 5-4.

That was in keeping with Leach's performances last year. He was 7-1 as a starter with a 3.51 earned run average, despite pitching much of the season with torn cartilage in his right knee.

"I could run late last year but I couldn't pitch," said Leach, who set a team record with 10 straight victories at the start of the season. "My knee has still got a little pain to it, but that's normal recuperation according to my doctor. Gary Carter told me he had one knee operation where it took him two years before it quit hurting. I'm hoping for a year."

Mets 5, Reds 4

The Mets scored three times in the seventh inning, with Bill Almon singling in a run and scoring on John Gibbons' double.

Blue Jays 5, Phillies 3

Toronto Blue Jays took advantage of Joe Cowley's wildness to score three runs in the seventh inning. With the Phillies leading 3-2, Cowley loaded the bases by walking two batters and hitting a third. He then walked Cecil Upshaw to force in the tying run. Rick Leach followed with a two-run single.

Royals 5, Twins 4

Bill Pecota scored the winning run on two Minnesota errors in the 10th inning. Jim Eisenreich, who had homered earlier, tripled and scored the tying run on Pecota's single.

Astros 5, Pirates 0

Bob Knepper, Rob Mallicoat, Charley Kerfeld and Dave Smith combined on a four-hitter and Terry Puhl drove in two runs with a double.

Rangers 4, Braves 3

Steve Kemp knocked in two runs with a pinch-hit single in the 10th inning, handing the Braves their fifth straight loss. Curtis Wilkerson opened the 10th with a single, Ruben Sierra doubled and both men scored on Kemp's single.

Orioles 5, Tigers 4

Mike Young's three-run homer off rookie John Wetteland keyed a four-run Baltimore fifth inning as Detroit lost for the seventh consecutive game.

Padres 9, Giants 4

Both Benito Santiago and rookie Brad Pounders had two-run homers and rookie Roberto Alomar added a bases-loaded triple as the Padres snapped San Francisco's four-game winning streak. Former Giant Mark Grant worked the first five innings for San Diego, yielding two hits and one run.

Mariners 9, Angels 8

A balk by Bryan Harvey scored Donell Nixon with the go-ahead run in the seventh inning. The Mariners rallied for four runs in the seventh off Jack Lazorko and Harvey to overcome an 8-5 deficit.

White Sox 12, Cardinals 11
Yankees 7, White Sox 4

Dave Gallagher, trying to make the team as a non-roster outfielder, hit a two-out, two-run homer in the ninth inning as Chicago edged St. Louis. Gallagher's homer was one of three in the game that included 34 hits, 19 by the White Sox, and three errors by each team.

The rest of the White Sox lost to the Yankees as rookie Roberto Kelly hit a three-run, eighth-inning home run. Kelly, bidding for the center field job, is hitting .333.

Rickey Henderson paced a 13-hit attack, going 3-for-4 with three runs scored for the Yankees. Henderson hit his third homer of the spring.

Dodgers 3, Red Sox 2
Dodgers 6, Expos 1

A portion of the Dodgers stayed home at Vero Beach, Fla., and nipped Boston when Mike Marshall singled with the bases loaded in the 10th inning. Craig Shipley led off the inning with a single and Gilberto Reyes was hit by a pitch. The runners advanced on Dave Anderson's groundout and Darrin Fletcher was walked intentionally before Marshall got his game-winning hit.

Shipley singled four times in four at-bats, and Marshall went 3-for-5, including a double.

Indians 1, Brewers 0
Indians 8, Cubs 6

Charlie Scott, Jack O'Connor and Greg Harris combined on a five-hitter and Carmen Castillo homered for the game's only run against the Brewers, who have lost seven in a row. Castillo homered with two outs in the fourth inning off Bill Wegman. Castillo and Gary Allanson had three hits each in Cleveland's 12-hit attack.



AP Laserphoto

Chris Benedict, son of Atlanta catcher Bruce, lugs bat, resin bag and tar rags back to dugout between innings of exhibition at West Palm Beach.

What did you do with your 1st NBA check?

By STEVE BERKOWITZ
Copley News Service

A READER ASKS: What did you do with your first NBA paycheck?

Darrell Griffith, Guard, Utah Jazz: I had my accountants deposit it. But first I checked out the zeros to make sure they were all there — a whole bunch of doughnuts.

Mychal Thompson, Forward-Center, Los Angeles Lakers: I purchased Mad magazines.

Bill Wennington, Center, Dallas Mavericks: I bought a 29-gallon fish tank and threw in a few fish. I had tropical fish as a kid but gave them up in college because I wasn't around enough to take care of them. But now I have someone to take care of them — I got married.

John Koncak, Center, Atlanta Hawks: I bought a different wedding ring for my wife. It was nice getting a little signing bonus.

Vinnie Johnson, Guard, Detroit Pistons: I'd never had that much money, so I just wanted to look at it for a while before I went out and started spending it.

Roy Tarpley, Forward, Dallas Mavericks: I always dreamed of having a Mercedes, so I bought a Mercedes. And then I got some nice things for my mom.

Cedric Maxwell, Forward, Houston Rockets: I enjoyed it! I enjoyed the first check and I enjoyed the last check. I've liked all of them so far.

Rolando Blackman, Guard, Dallas Mavericks: It was fun splitting my first NBA check with my mom. My wife and I spent the rest of the money in two days.

James Worthy, Forward, Los Angeles Lakers: I tried to invest it wisely to establish a good foundation for the rest of my career. There wasn't a lot of things I really wanted. I'm sort of conservative.

Mark Eaton, Center, Utah Jazz: I paid the gas bill. Gas bills can run pretty high in Utah.

Blair Rasmussen, Center, Denver Nuggets: I got a truck — a GMC Blazer. I struggled for years trying to be comfortable in the little Pontiac Sunbird that my folks gave me when I was in college. Nobody was thinking about tall guys when they made that car.

Jim Petersen, Forward, Houston Rockets: I gave my mother some money and she bought furniture for the house. And I went out and bought a boom box.

Mel Turpin, Center, Utah Jazz: I looked at it and I smiled a lot.

SOX

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Greenwell also has statistics to support his campaign for an outfield job. In 15 games as the designated hitter last season, he batted .263; as an outfielder, playing 64 games in left and 28 in right, he batted .338.

Wherever he plays, though, Greenwell wants to do it more often than last year. "I'm ready to play every day," said the left-handed hitter, whose 89 runs batted in and 19 home runs in 412 times at bat represented remarkable production. "I can be a big part of this team."

Evans is the other veteran, besides Rice, whose position remains uncertain. "I don't know what the story is; nobody does," Evans said. "I'm just getting in a lot of work at first base. I don't know first. I know right field. But I'll do whatever is best for the team. I want to win. That's all I care about."

The man most likely to suffer a lack of playing, or hitting, time is Horn, the 6-foot-5-inch, 240-pound slugger, who just the other day hit another of his monstrous home runs, this one striking the press box at the Citrus Bowl, which is behind the right field wall at Tinker Field in Orlando and nearly 100 feet high. Horn's problem is his defense, which makes him a dubious first baseman. His best chance would be if Rice became the designated hitter and didn't hit enough to warrant playing every day, thus creating a platoon situation.



AP LaserPhoto

Tokyo Dome

Tokyo's first domed stadium is called the Big Egg. It can accommodate 56,000 and it is claimed five per cent of the sunshine comes through the white 0.8 mm thick glass fiber roof, which is 61.7 meters above the ground. This is where Mike Tyson will defend his heavyweight title March 21 against Tony Tubbs.

Keeping trip records can increase catch

By LARRY MORGAN

Outdoors

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas (AP) — The average angler could improve his fishing success considerably with the right equipment. But forget about the $125 linear graphite rod, a trolling motor or even a more shallow running boat. They won't do it.

Instead of dropping hundreds of dollars at the tackle shop or boat dealer, the weekend fishermen would be wiser to plunk down $2 or $3 at Eckerd's for a Bic pen and notebook paper. Then he ought to use those to keep a diary of each day spent fishing.

Logging a day's events isn't easy. It takes persistence to make an entry after every fishing trip. But that persistence will result in more hookups once an angler compiles enough data and can recognize certain patterns.

Although information for this story is slanted toward redfish and speckled-trout fishing along the Gulf Coast area, the same principles apply to freshwater.

DOUG BIRD is the most widely known guide working the Laguna Madre and Baffin Bay. He started keeping a diary 15 years ago, and still does. Virtually every professional fishing and hunting guide does, too.

"I still keep it, every day," Bird said. "I don't have to go back and check it, but if I run into a period that I'm not catching fish, I'll go back back to my diary. I'll look at where I've fished and find I didn't try a spot and then go try that one. Just because I've been fishing for 15 years doesn't mean I can't learn something new. I do, probably once a week."

The pros may not be able to guarantee if they'll catch fish on a particular day, but by collating certain factors from previous successful days, an angler can put himself in a better position to be where fish are. It can make the difference between coming home with a limit of fish or the 100 shrimp you bought at the bait stand.

"When you go back and look at it, it helps you to not be discouraged because it's windy or something else," said Paul Eccleston, another professional who guides on the Laguna Madre.

How long will it take? Quite a while, naturally, to be as confident at the boat ramp as are professional guides. But throughout a season similar patterns will develop and by merely remembering to write down certain factors, a person will be more aware of certain things.

"As a guide, it probably took me eight years before all the pattern started to fit together," Bird said. "Now, when I leave in the morning I have a pretty good idea what kind of day it's going to be."

The experience of Bill Sheka Jr. is a classic example of using a diary. Sheka fished a portion of the Laguna Madre on Jan. 28, 1987, and caught limits of specks and redfish. The tide was very low, the water temperature was about 55 degrees and there had been several warm, sunny days just beforehand. On the same day this year virtually identical conditions existed, although the water was a tad colder. He went to the same location and made another good catch of redfish and specks.

So what are the most important factors to watch? Among three guides interviewed, Eccleston and Rockport-area guide Mike Sydow considered the natural force that moves water — wind or tide, depending on each guide's particular area — the No. 1 indicator. Bird put barometric pressure at the top of his list with tidal action second.

All three agreed wind direction, water temperature and time of year are vital entries in a logbook as well, and Bird said another critical item is the structure where fish are caught.

"You've got to keep structure, things like guts, points, rocks and drop-offs," Bird said.

CORRELATING DATA from those entries then will enable an angler to recognize patterns.

"If you catch fish in one place, you'll catch them in the same place next year at the same time," Bird said.

There is virtually no daily tidal movement on the Laguna Madre and in Baffin Bay. An old adage states there are four tides in the Laguna — high tides in the spring and fall, low tides in the winter and summer. Otherwise, the daily rise and fall of the water level is dictated more by wind.

That's why Eccleston says, "I use the wind probably more than anything" in determining a destination.

Steady improvement pays for defending champs

BLOOMINGTON, Ind. (AP) — Indiana, the defending NCAA basketball champion, earned a spot in this year's tournament with a steady improvement over the past seven weeks, says Coach Bob Knight.

The Hoosiers were effectively out of the Big Ten race with four losses in their first five conference games in January, but they won 10 of the next 13 and will open defense of their NCAA crown against Richmond on Friday at Hartford, Conn.

Indiana, trying to become the first repeat NCAA champion since UCLA in 1973, is seeded fourth in the East Regional.

"We have to be really pleased with these kids coming back and getting into a position to play in the NCAA," says Knight, who also won NCAA titles at Indiana in 1976 and 1981.

"We had a lot of things we had to come back with and replace, and it has taken us a while to do that. But I think, by and large, we're a team that, except for a couple of games in these last 13, has been pretty competitive," he says. "Our basic thought is to be out there and be difficult to beat. I think these kids have reached that point and now we'll see where we can take it from here."

Indiana lost starters Steve Alford and Daryl Thomas from last year's championship team but returned guard Keith Smart, who hit the winning basket in the 74-73 championship victory over Syracuse, and 6-foot-10 center Dean Garrett.

However, it has been the development of 6-4 freshman Jay Edwards, a deadly outside shooter, that has given the Hoosiers their biggest boost. Edwards, a reserve player early in the season, was benched for five games because of grades, then returned as a starter.

Not coincidentally, that's when Indiana's turn-around began.

Over the past 13 games with Edwards in the starting lineup, he has averaged 22.1 points a game, finishing with a team-best 19.2 in Big Ten games and 15.5 for the entire season, second to Garrett's 16.4.

"We were really a team without a rudder and with a big hole in the sail with that 1-4 situation," Knight said of Indiana's start in the Big Ten.

"We start out every year with a goal of winning the Big Ten championship. Obviously, if that happens then you can think about the NCAA and where you're going to be. We eliminated ourselves from that very early. What we had to do was turn it immediately into a 13-game season for us, with an objective that would be second for us — getting in the NCAA tournament. That's what we were playing for.

"We've played our way into the NCAA tournament, and I think deservedly so," Knight said. "We lost to a heck of a good effort from Illinois here a couple of weeks ago and then came back from that to play in three must-game situations for us, the first of which was Ohio State, which was dead-even with us and playing for the same ultimate objective that we were playing for — a shot at the NCAA.

THOMAS

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The editors who selected the photo of Debi Thomas are not the ones who nearly fell down. No more so than the writers who explain why the Cubs will finish last are the ones who throw the pitches.

ashamed of. Neither do the people who made the decision to run the picture of Debi Thomas.

Sports is full of broken plays and broken hearts, of infielders failing to pick up ground balls and linemen failing to pick up a quarterback's signal.

I KNOW the way Debi Thomas sacrificed and worked. I know she's from Northern California and was enrolled at Stanford. I know she wants to be a doctor. But she still missed her triple jump. And until a revisionist history of the XV Winter Games is published, she'll always miss it.

What we're missing is reality. If Debi Thomas or John Elway or any other athlete comes up empty on their biggest day, what's left but consolation and explanations?

The belief here is that before the women's free-skating program, the ultimate performance, Americans were prepared to fault the imperious judges in this most subjective of all contests.

Katarina Witt would beat Debi, we believed, because the system is rotten. Which it very well may be.

But Debi beat Debi, and there was nothing we could do except castigate those who made another judgment, that of printing a photo that left nothing to the imagination.

Lord Jones may be dead, but misconceptions live forever.

Scratchpad

JOHNSON RETURNS— Coach **Jimmy Johnson**, who led the **Miami Hurricanes** to the national championship last season, has agreed to a two-year contract extension taking him through the 1992 season. Johnson has led the Hurricanes to four consecutive New Year's bowl games and his teams have played for the national championship in each of the last three years. Miami has improved its record and ranking each year under Johnson: going 8-5 and ranked 18th in 1984; 10-2 (eighth) in 1985; 11-1 (second) in 1986, and 12-0 (first) in 1987. Johnson's Miami teams are 33-3 over the last three years and 41-8 overall.

BIG EAST— Pitt's **Charles Smith** was named the **Big East** Player of the Year Monday and joined **Sherman Douglas** of **Syracuse** as repeat selections on the all-conference team. **Sean Miller**, **Pitt**, was freshman of the year, while **Villanova's Gary Massey** was defensive player of the year. On the all-conference team were Dana Barros of Boston College, Mark Bryant of Seton Hall and Derrick Coleman of Syracuse.

SUIT SETTLED— A $2.3 million lawsuit against **Cory Snyder**, Cleveland Indians, over a bat he threw into the stands two years ago in a minor league game has been settled out of court. The suit, filed by two women, stemmed from a minor league game in Rochester when Snyder was playing or the **Maine Guides** of the AAA International League.

NHL PICKS LOOB— **Calgary's Hakan Loob**, who had 13 points in four games — including a team-record-tying six points in one game — was named the **NHL Player of the Week**.

DREXLER PICKED— **Portland's Clyde Drexler**, with a 28.7-point average, was named **NBA Player of the Week** after leading the Blazers to three victories last week, also averaging 6.6 rebounds, 5.8 assists and three steals.

Manning A-A repeater

NEW YORK (AP) — Danny Manning of Kansas was named to the AP All-America basketball team for the second straight year and was joined by Hersey Hawkins of Bradley, the highest scoring Division I player in 11 years.

Joining the two seniors on the first team were senior Gary Grant of Michigan, junior Sean Elliott of Arizona and sophomore J.R. Reid of North Carolina.

The team was selected by a 20-member panel of sportswriters representing the AP and member newspapers.

Manning was the only non-senior on the first team last season and the 6-foot-10 forward managed a fine last season despite injury and academic problems that plagued the highly regarded Jayhawks.

"I think he's had a phenomonal year considering we've had so many problems this year and it's added extra responsibility to Danny and he's done a tremendous job," Kansas Coach Larry Brown said Monday. "It's an honor to be a repeat choice and that doesn't happen too often."

Manning, who was named Big Eight player of the year as a sophomore and junior, averaged 22.3 points and 8.9 rebounds this season as Kansas went 21-11 and was seeded sixth in the Midwest Regional.

Hawkins, a 6-3 guard, enters tournament play with a 36.0 scoring average, the highest since Freeman Williams of Portland State averaged 38.8 in 1977. He's also the first player to score 1,000 points in a season since Williams in that season.

"He's the consumate collegiate player because he has an absolute great demeanor for the game and has seen every type of defense thrown at him and he's unflappable yet remarkably consistent inasmuch as he's averaging 36 points," Bradley Coach Stan Albeck said of Hawkins on Monday. "The honor is super and well-deserved as far as we're concerned because he not only elevated himself but our program."

Bradley, 26-4, won the regular-season and postseason Missouri Valley Conference championships and will be the ninth seed in the Southeast Regional.

Grant was known as much for his defense as his impressive 22.0 scoring average. He led the Big Ten in steals three consecutive seasons and averaged 6.9 assists per game this season as the Wolverines went 24-7 and were named third seed in the West Regional.

"I think it's a well-deserved honor not only because he was outstanding this year but he had a tremendous career," Michigan Coach Bill Frieder said Monday.

Pittsburgh's Jerome Lane, who was voted to the third team as a sophomore last season, was named to the second team this year along with Temple freshman Mark Macon, Duke junior Danny Ferry and seniors Steve Kerr of Arizona and Jeff Grayer of Iowa State.

The third team included Sherman Douglas of Syracuse, Fennis Dembo of Wyoming, Bryon Larkin of Xavier, Ohio, Will Perdue of Vanderbilt and Michael Smith of Brigham Young.

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NCAA at a Glance

All Times EST
EAST REGIONAL
First Round
At Chapel Hill, N.C.
Thursday, March 17

Missouri 19-10 vs. Rhode Island 26-6, 11:07 a.m.
Syracuse 25-8 vs. North Carolina A&T 26-2, 1:37 p.m.
Southern Methodist 27-6 vs. Notre Dame 20-8, 6:07 p.m.
Duke 24-6 vs. Boston University 23-7, 8:37 p.m.

At Hartford, Conn.
Friday, March 18

Georgia Tech 21-9 vs. Iowa State 20-11, 11:07 a.m.
Indiana 19-9 vs. Richmond 24-6, 1:37 p.m.
Temple 29-1 vs. Lehigh 21-9, 5:07 p.m.
Georgetown 19-9 vs. Louisiana State 18-13, 8:37 p.m.

Second Round
At Chapel Hill, N.C.
Saturday, March 19

Duke-Boston U. winner vs. SMU-Notre Dame winner.
Missouri-Rhode Island winner vs. Syracuse-N.C. A&T winner.

At Hartford, Conn.
Sunday, March 20

Temple-Lehigh winner vs. Georgetown-LSU winner.
Georgia Tech-Iowa St. winner vs. Indiana-Richmond winner.

Semifinals
At East Rutherford, N.J.
Thursday, March 24

Duke-Boston U.-SMU-Notre Dame winner vs. Missouri-Rhode Island-Syracuse-N.C. A&T winner.
Temple-Lehigh-Georgetown-LSU winner vs. Georgia Tech-Iowa St.-Indiana-Richmond winner.

Championship
At East Rutherford, N.J.
Saturday, March 26

Semifinal winners

SOUTHEAST REGIONAL
First Round
At Atlanta
Thursday, March 17

Auburn 18-10 vs. Bradley 26-4, 11:07 a.m.
Oklahoma 30-3 vs. Tennessee-Chattanooga 20-12, 1:37 p.m.
Brigham Young 25-5 vs. North Carolina-Charlotte 22-8, 6:07 p.m.
Louisville 22-8 vs. Oregon St. 20-10, 8:37 p.m.

At Cincinnati
Friday, March 18

Alabama 22-8 vs. Arkansas-Little Rock 22-8, 11:07 a.m.
Texas 23-8 vs. Texas-San Antonio 22-8, 1:37 p.m.
Maryland 23-7 vs. Oklahoma State 20-11, 6:07 p.m.
Kentucky 25-5 vs. Southern Methodist 24-6, 8:37 p.m.

Second Round
At Atlanta
Saturday, March 19

Oklahoma-Chattanooga winner vs. Auburn-Bradley winner.
Brigham Young-Louisville winner vs. Oregon St.-Alabama-Little Rock winner.

At Cincinnati
Sunday, March 20

Kentucky-Southern Methodist winner vs. Maryland-Oklahoma State winner.
Texas-Arkansas winner vs. Texas-San Antonio winner.

Semifinals
At Birmingham, Ala.
Thursday, March 24

Oklahoma-Chattanooga winner vs. Auburn-Bradley winner.
Louisville-Oregon St. winner vs. Alabama-Little Rock-Brigham Young winner.
Kentucky-Southern Methodist winner vs. Maryland-Oklahoma State winner.
Texas-Arkansas winner vs. Texas-San Antonio winner.

Championship
At Birmingham, Ala.
Saturday, March 26

Semifinal winners

MIDWEST REGIONAL
First Round
At South Bend, Ind.
Thursday, March 17

Purdue-FDU vs. Baylor, 11:07 a.m.
Memphis St. vs. Wichita St., 1:37 p.m.
Kansas St. vs. La Salle, 6:07 p.m.
DePaul vs. Xavier, 8:37 p.m.

At Lincoln, Neb.
Friday, March 18

Pittsburgh vs. Eastern Michigan, 11:07 a.m.
Vanderbilt vs. Utah St., 1:37 p.m.
North Carolina St. vs. Murray St., 6:07 p.m.
Kansas vs. Ohio, 8:37 p.m.

Second Round
At South Bend, Ind.
Saturday, March 19

Purdue-FDU winner vs. Baylor winner.
DePaul-Wichita St. winner vs. Kansas St.-La Salle winner.

At Lincoln, Neb.
Sunday, March 20

Pittsburgh-E. Michigan winner vs. Vanderbilt-Utah St. winner.
Kansas-Xavier winner vs. N. Carolina St.-Murray St. winner.

Semifinals
At Pontiac, Mich.
Friday, March 25

Purdue-FDU-Baylor-Memphis St. winner vs. DePaul-Wichita St.-Kansas St.-La Salle winner.
Pittsburgh-E. Michigan-Vanderbilt-Utah St. winner vs. Kansas-Xavier-N. Carolina St.-Murray St. winner.

Championship
At Pontiac, Mich.
Sunday, March 27

Semifinals winners

WEST REGIONAL
First Round
At Salt Lake City
Thursday, March 17

North Carolina 24-6 vs. North Texas State
Wyoming 26-5 vs. Loyola-Ill.
Michigan 24-7 vs. Boise State, 24-5, 9:07 p.m.
Florida 22-7 vs. St. John's, 11:37 p.m.

At Los Angeles
Friday, March 18

Arizona 31-2 vs. Cornell
Seton Hall vs. Texas-El Paso
Nevada-Las Vegas vs. Southwest Missouri State

Second Round
At Salt Lake City
Saturday, March 19

North Carolina-N. Texas St. winner vs. Wyoming-Loyola winner.
Michigan-Boise St. winner vs. Florida-St. John's winner.

At Los Angeles
Sunday, March 20

Arizona-Seton Hall winner vs. Texas-El Paso winner.
Nevada-Las Vegas winner vs. Southwest Missouri St. winner.

Semifinals
At Seattle
Friday, March 25

North Carolina-N. Texas St. winner vs. Michigan-Boise St. winner.
Arizona-Seton Hall winner vs. Nevada-Las Vegas-Southwest Missouri St. winner.

Championship
At Seattle
Sunday, March 27

Semifinals winners

THE FINAL FOUR
At Kansas City, Mo.
Semifinals
Saturday, April 2

Midwest champion vs. East champion
West champion vs. Southeast champion

Championship
Monday, April 4

Semifinals winners

NBA at a Glance

EASTERN CONFERENCE
Atlantic Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Boston	44	19	.698	
Washington	27	34	.443	16
New York	27	36	.429	17
Philadelphia	26	36	.419	17½
New Jersey	8	48	.158	35½

Central Division

Detroit	42	20	.677	
Atlanta	37	23	.617	4
Chicago	35	26	.574	6½
Milwaukee	34	28	.567	7½
Indiana	30	31	.492	11
Cleveland	30	33	.476	12½

WESTERN CONFERENCE
Midwest Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
x-Dallas	42	9	.morethan	
Houston	38	24	.613	5½
Denver	37	25	.597	6½
Utah	34	28	.548	9½
San Antonio	33	28	.541	10
Sacramento	8	44	.154	34½

Pacific Division

x-L.A. Lakers	50	3	.926
x-Portland	39	15	.722
Seattle	33	29	.532
Phoenix	31	44	.413
Golden State	6	47	.113
L.A. Clippers	21	47	.309

x-clinched playoff berth

Monday's Games

New York 104, Cleveland 102
Washington 112, San Antonio 106
Detroit 109, Sacramento 97
Dallas 121, Golden State 101
Utah 118, Denver 115
Los Angeles Lakers 115, New Jersey 106

Tuesday's Games

Philadelphia at Atlanta, 6:30 p.m.
Boston at Indiana, 6:30 p.m.
Cleveland at Chicago, 7 p.m.
Sacramento at Milwaukee, 7:30 p.m.
Clippers at Houston, 7:30 p.m.
Seattle at Phoenix, 9:30 p.m.
Lakers at Portland, 10:30 p.m.

At Landover, Md.
SAN ANTONIO (106)

Berry 10-17 2-4 22, Anderson 2-6 5-9 9, Gudmundsson 4-8 0-0 8, Dawkins 6-12 0-0 12, Robertson 5-12 2-4 12, Nimphius 4-8 4-4 10, Mitchell 5-11 3-4 13, Nealy 3-5 0-0 6, Sundvold 2-7 0-0 5, Myers 4-5 1-2 9. Totals 45-91 15-27 106.

WASHINGTON (112)

Jones 0-3 1-2 1, Williams 4-15 5-6 13, M.Malone 6-15 20-22 32, Colter 4-7 2-2 10, J.Malone 14-23 8-8 36, Bogues 1-5 0-0 2, Catledge 2-7 2-2 6, Bol 0-0 0-0 0, Johnson 2-7 3-3 7, Alarie 2-6 1-2 5. Totals 35-86 42-47 112.

San Antonio 25 25 23 33—106
Washington 27 28 29 28—112

3-Point goals—Sundvold. Fouled out—Anderson, Jones. Rebounds—San Antonio 45 (Anderson 8), Washington 61 (M.Malone 13). Assists—San Antonio 27 (Robertson 9), Washington 20 (Colter 5). Total fouls—San Antonio 28, Washington 21. Technicals—San Antonio coach Weiss, A—6,236.

At Pontiac, Mich.
SACRAMENTO (97)

D.Smith 9-15 2-4 20, Thorpe 8-18 3-4 19, Kleine 6-16 3-4 15, K.Smith 5-12 6-6 16, Theus 9-20 2-4 20, Thompson 0-3 0-0 0, Jackson 0-2 0-0 0, Pinckney 1-3 0-0 2, Tyler 0-3 0-0 0, Pressley 2-7 0-0 5. Totals 40-99 16-22 97.

DETROIT (109)

Mahorn 5-9 1-2 11, Rodman 6-11 1-4 13, Laimbeer 8-15 0-0 18, Dumars 7-16 2-2 16, Thomas 4-11 2-4 10, Salley 4-7 0-0 8, Johnson 7-13 0-0 14, Dantley 8-11 3-7 19. Totals 49-93 9-19 109.

Sacramento 22 22 24 29— 97
Detroit 24 36 26 23—109

3-Point goals—Pressley, Laimbeer 2. Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Sacramento 59 (Kleine 13), Detroit 60 (Laimbeer 14). Assists—Sacramento 25 (Theus 7), Detroit 26 (Thomas 6). Total fouls—Sacramento 18, Detroit 13. Technicals—Mahorn, Rodman. A—16,909.

At New York
CLEVELAND (102)

Hubbard 1-3 2-2 4, Nance 10-14 4-4 24, Daugherty 5-7 1-2 11, Harper 4-12 1-4 9, Price 6-12 4-4 16, Ehlo 0-0 2-2 2, Sanders 0-1 0-0 0, Dudley 2-2 0-4 4, Williams 1-... 2-2 4. Totals ... 26-32 102.

NEW YORK (104)

Upper 6-9 0-0 12, Walker 4-6 4-4 12, Ewing 8-13 4-4 20, Jackson 6-21 5-6 17, Wilkins 10-19 4-4 24, Tucker 4-10 0-0 8, Newman ... Donaghy ... Totals ... 26-28 104.

Cleveland 26 30 27 19—102
New York 18 23 34 29—104

3-Point goals—Wilkins, Tucker 3. Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Cleveland 71 (Nance 16), New York 53 (Ewing, Jackson 8). Assists—Cleveland 29 (Price 6), New York 23 (Jackson 7). Total fouls—Cleveland 25, New York 26. Technicals—Hubbard, A—17,123.

At Dallas
GOLDEN STATE (101)

Higgins 2-6 0-1 5, Floyd 3-4 2-4 8, Fernandez 3-7 2-2 8, Mullin 3-7 2-3 8, Whitehead 4-7 2-2 10, Smith 8-15 1-1 17, Hopper 6-11 1-2 13, Teagle 5-13 3-3 13, McCormick 5-8 4-6 14, Hall 3-7 1-2 7. Totals 42-94 19-28 101.

DALLAS (121)

Aguirre 8-14 4-4 20, Perkins 7-13 4-4 18, Donaldson 4-4 3-4 11, Harper 7-12 4-6 18, Blackman 5-8 4-4 14, Tarpley 6-9 0-0 12, Davis 2-3 0-0 4, Schrempf 4-7 0-0 8, Blab 0-0 0-0 0, Farmer 5-12 2-4 12, Worthington 0-2 2-2 2. Totals 43-91 34-40 121.

Golden State 21 23 25 32—101
Dallas 32 35 28 26—121

3-Point goal—Harper. Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Golden State 49 (Floyd 8), Dallas 66 (Tarpley 8). Assists—Golden State 26 (Garland 9), Dallas 26 (Blackman 7). Total fouls—Golden State 26, Dallas 21. A—17,307.

At Denver
UTAH (118)

Malone 2-3 0-0 4, Newlin 1-4 0-0 2, Eaton 1-6 2-2 4, Stockton 10-14 3-4 24, Hansen 8-10 4-6 17, Bailey 1-1 2-2 4, Turpin 1-5 1-2 3, Kitted 0-0 0-0 0, Green 4-9 3-3 11, Roth 5-8 0-2 10. Totals 47-86 20-27 118.

DENVER (115)

English 12-24 3-5 27, Rasmussen 6-17 2-2 18, Schayes 6-9 10-16 22, Lever 7-17 6-6 20, Adams 7-20 1-2 20, Dunn 0-0 0-0 0, Vincent 1-6 2-4 4, Hanzlik 2-2 0-1 4, Evans 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 43-96 24-36 115.

Utah 33 37 23 23—116
Denver 30 23 34 28—115

3-Point goals—Adams 5, Stockton, Hansen. Fouled out—Hansen. Rebounds—Utah 54 (Eaton 12), Denver 58 (Lever 17). Assists—Utah 30 (Stockton 20), Denver 24 (English 8). Total fouls—Utah 266, Denver 22. Technicals—Malone 2 (ejected), Utah coach Layden 2 (ejected), Utah illegal defense 2, Denver illegal defense 2. A—10,172.

At Los Angeles
NEW JERSEY (106)

Hinson 6-9 1-2 13, Williams 4-11 5-6 13, McCormick 9-16 1-1 19, Bagley 8-15 0-0 18, Birdsong 12-15 1-2 25, Washington 1-7 1-2 3, Bradley 2-4 0-0 5, Engler 1-1 0-0 2, Wilson 2-3 1-3 5, Comegys 0-2 2-2 2. Totals 45-83 12-18 106.

L.A. LAKERS (115)

Green 3-4 3-4 9, Worthy 7-11 4-6 18, Abdul-Jabbar 7-14 4-5 18, Matthews 4-8 1-1 9, Scott 8-15 4-4 21, Cooper 1-4 2-2 4, M.Thompson 8-12 0-0 16, Rambis 5-6 1-1 11, Wagner 3-6 1-1 7, Smrek 0-0 0-0 0, B.Thompson 0-0 2-2 2. Totals 46-80 22-26 115.

New Jersey 31 28 16 30—106
L.A. Lakers 28 30 29 28—115

3-Point goals—Bagley 2 (Bradley, Scott). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—New Jersey 37 (Hinson 12), Los Angeles 45 (Rambis 6). Assists—New Jersey 33 (McCormick 6), Los Angeles 39 (Matthews 11). Total fouls—New Jersey 25, Los Angeles 18. A—17,505.

Ski Report

DENVER — Conditions at major Colorado ski areas on March 14.

Arapahoe Basin — T new, 68 depth, powder, packed powder.
Aspen Mountain — 1 new, 61 depth, powder, packed powder.
Snowmass — 1 new, 56 depth, powder, packed powder.
Breckenridge — 1 new, 62 depth, powder, packed powder.
Copper Mountain — T new, 63 depth, powder, packed powder.
Crested Butte — T new, 49 depth, packed powder.
Eldora — ½ new, 51 depth, packed powder.
Keystone — 0 new, 60 depth, packed powder, groomed.
Loveland — T new, 75 depth, powder, packed powder.
Monarch — T new, 73 depth, powder, packed powder.
Winter Park — T new, 60 depth, packed powder.
Mary Jane — ½ new, 77 depth, packed powder.
Wolf Creek — 0 new, 81 depth, powder, packed powder.

Snow depth in inches refers to unpacked natural snow at midpoint. Snowmaking means artificial snowmaking equipment in use. New snow refers to snow within last 24 hours. T means trace. Open means percentage of terrain open. Snow depth in inches refers to unpacked natural snow at midpoint.

Figures are supplied to Colorado Ski Country USA, a ski industry organization, by individual areas. For updates, call (303) 837-1669.

Conditions reflect an average depth of both natural and man-made snow and have not been sanctioned by Colorado Ski Country USA.

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ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. — Conditions at major New Mexico ski areas Monday, March 14:

Angel Fire — 21 inches snow at midway, 5 inches new natural snow, surface conditions powder packed powder, trails clear, 85 percent open.

Cloudcroft — No report.

Red River — 32 inches snow at midway, 4 inches new natural snow, surface conditions spring skiing, trails clear, 85 percent open.

Ski Rio — 26 inches snow at midway, 3 inches new natural snow, surface conditions spring skiing, trails clear, 85 percent open.

Sandia Peak — Closed.

Santa Fe — 48 inches snow at midway, 7 inches new natural snow, surface conditions powder packed powder, trails clear, 85 percent open.

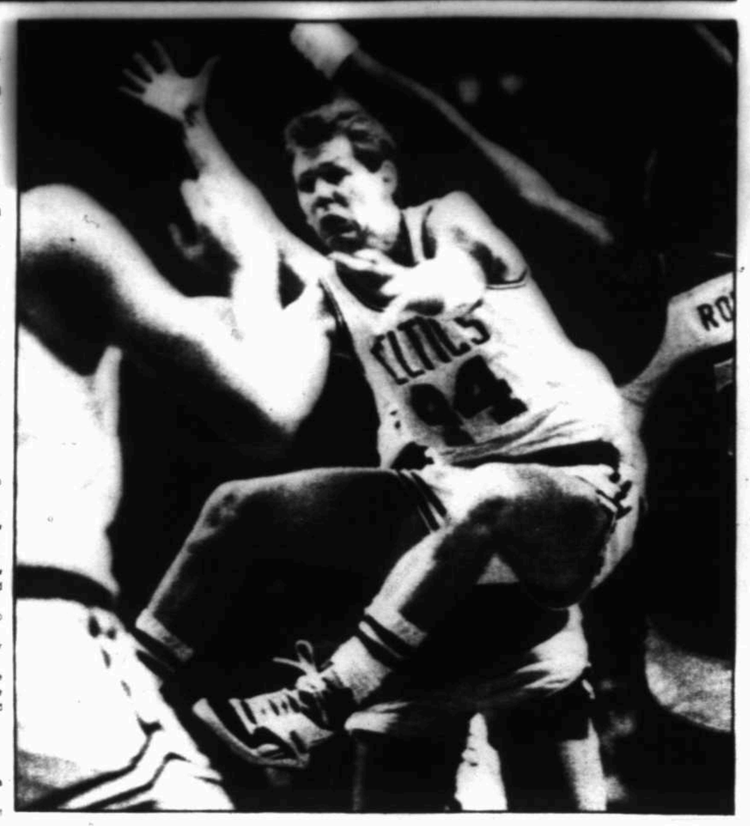
Sipapu — 26 inches snow at midway, 6 inches new natural snow, surface conditions powder packed powder, trails clear, 85 percent open.

Ski Apache — 41 inches snow at midway, 4 inches new natural snow, surface conditions hard packed, trails groomed, trails clear.

Sugarite — 30 inches snow at midway, 4 inches new natural snow, surface conditions powder packed powder, trails clear.

Taos — 36 inches snow at midway, 4 inches new natural snow, surface conditions powder packed powder, trails clear.

Open Saturday and Sunday.



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High Wire Act

Danny Ainge of the Boston Celtics dumps a pass off to teammate Kevin McHale in NBA action.

NCAA Selections

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The 64 teams chosen for the 1988 National Collegiate Athletic Association tournament with their records, coaches and (in parentheses) number of appearances in the tournament and last year the team appeared in the tournament. Number of consecutive years the team has appeared in the tournament.

Team	App	Last	Con
Arizona (26)		'88	4
Arkansas		'88	
Auburn		'88	
Bradley		'88	
Brigham Young		'88	
Butler		'88	
Cleveland St.		'88	
Creighton		'88	
Duke		'88	
Eastern Michigan		'88	
Florida		'88	
Georgetown		'88	
Georgia Tech		'88	
Illinois		'88	
Indiana		'88	
Iowa		'88	
Iowa St.		'88	
Kansas		'88	
Kansas St.		'88	
Kentucky		'88	
La Salle		'88	
Lehigh		'88	
Louisiana St.		'88	
Louisville		'88	
Loyola-Ill.		'88	
Maryland		'88	
Memphis St.		'88	
Michigan		'88	
Michigan St.		'88	
Missouri		'88	
Murray St.		'88	
New Mexico St.		'88	
North Carolina		'88	
North Carolina A&T		'88	
North Carolina St.		'88	
Northeastern		'88	
Notre Dame		'88	
Ohio		'88	
Oklahoma		'88	
Oklahoma St.		'88	
Oregon St.		'88	
Pittsburgh		'88	
Purdue		'88	
Rhode Island		'88	
Richmond		'88	
Rutgers		'88	
Santa Clara		'88	
Seton Hall		'88	
Southern Methodist		'88	
Southwest Missouri St.		'88	
Syracuse		'88	
Temple		'88	
Tennessee		'88	
Texas		'88	
Texas A&M		'88	
Texas-El Paso		'88	
Texas-San Antonio		'88	
Tulsa		'88	
UCLA		'88	
Utah		'88	
Utah St.		'88	
Vanderbilt		'88	
Villanova		'88	
Virginia		'88	
Wichita St.		'88	
Wyoming		'88	
Xavier		'88	

College All-America

NEW YORK (AP) — The Associated Press All-America college basketball team:

First Team

Steve Alford, 6-0, junior, New Mexico
Danny Manning, 6-11, junior, Kansas

Second Team

Mark Macon, 6-5, senior, Temple

Third Team

Fennis Dembo, 6-7, senior, Wichita State
Derrick Chievous, 6-7, junior, Missouri
Tucker, 6-7, junior, Notre Dame

Honorable Mention

Kenny Battle, Illinois
Rickey Brown, Kansas St.
Mark Macon, Temple
Mike Mitchell, Virginia
Jeff Moe, Washington St.
Jeff Moore, Southwest Missouri St.
Jeff Nordgaard, Wisconsin
Jeff Oldham, Texas Tech
Jeff Sanders, Kansas St.
Mike Smrek, Boston College
Mike Sylvester, Texas A&M
Mike Thibeault, Northeastern
Mike Wennington, Arkansas
Mark Wade, UNLV
Mike Williams, Arkansas
Dale Wood, Ball St.

MTC Results

Results in the Midland Tennis Club Spring Doubles Tournament.

Open Division
Semifinals
Ken Cates and Jim Pyle def. Mike Mitchell and Mike Pyle, 6-4, 6-4.

A Division
Finals
Cates and Pyle def. Mitchell and Pyle, 6-4, 6-4.

B Division
Finals
Palmer Pigg def. ...

Baseball Poll

DURHAM, N.C. — Determined by the Baseball America poll of major college baseball coaches, with first-place votes and records through March 6 in parentheses, total points based on 20-19-18-17-16-15-14-13-12-11-10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1, records through March 13 and last week's ranking:

	Record	Pts	Pvs
1 Temple (511)	29-1	1187	1
2 Arizona (8)	31-2	1123	3
3 Purdue (1)	27-3	1059	2
4 Oklahoma	30-3	1053	4
5 Duke	25-6	919	8
6 Kentucky	25-5	915	6
7 No. Carolina	24-6	734	9
8 Pittsburgh	23-6	721	5
9 Syracuse	25-8	686	13
10 Michigan	24-7	605	10
11 Bradley	26-4	549	12
12 UNLV	27-5	533	7
13 Wyoming	26-5	446	14
14 NCState	24-7	418	11
15 Loyola	27-3	335	16
16 Illinois	22-9	302	19
17 Iowa	22-9	198	15
18 Xavier	26-3	166	20
19 BYU	25-5	142	17
20 Kansas St.	22-8	122	—

Others receiving votes: Indiana 66, Southern Methodist 60, DePaul 44, Louisville 36, Georgia Tech 35, Texas-El Paso 31, Missouri 25, Villanova 24, Seton Hall 21, Baylor 8, Georgetown 8, Rhode Island 7, Kansas 6, Arkansas 4, Utah State 3, Boise State 2, Florida 2, La Salle 1, New Mexico 1, North Carolina A&T 1, Southwest Missouri State 1, Vanderbilt 1.

AP Top 20

The Top Twenty teams in the Associated Press college basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, total points based on 20-19-18-17-16-15-14-13-12-11-10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1, records through March 13 and last week's ranking:

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Super All-State

Texas Schoolboy Super A State Basketball team as selected by the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches:

First Team

Jeff Bell, Mesquite Horn
Mike Harris, Sherman
Mark Hughes, Plano
Bo Outlaw, Aransas Pass

Second Team

Jeff Fuller, Waco
Jeff Hodge, Lake Dallas
Mike Mitchell, Houston Madison
Jason Sasser, Waco
Jeff Webb, Mesquite Horn

Third Team

Jeff Bruce, Wylie
Jason Buchanan, Lubbock Coronado
Jeff Hamilton, Mesquite
Jeff Hodge, Lake Dallas
Mike Mitchell, Houston Madison
Jason Sasser, Waco
Jeff Webb, Mesquite Horn

Honorable Mention

Wes Hickox, LaMarque
Jason Lee, Lake Dallas
Mike Mullins, San Angelo Central
Jason Sasser, Waco
Antonio Terry, Fort Worth Dunbar
Jeff Tolbert, Arlington Lamar
Jeff Webb, Mesquite Horn
Mike Wilson, Fort Worth Paschal
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Mike Wilson, Houston Madison
Jeff Wood, Duncanville
Jason Wood, Duncanville

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Jason Wood, Duncanville

Top 10 Sleepers

Bobby Kennedy, Stewart's Melrose
Paul Bolton, Hallsville Hallsville Pattonville
Williams Lake at Plano, Plano
Senior Setter Tim Rakes, Plano
A&M ... Sabine Pass at Fairfield
Desoto ... Hallsville Pattonville
Mesquite Horn ... Lake Dallas at Pasadena Dobie
Haltom ...

Exhibition Baseball

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct
Oakland		4	.636
Toronto		4	.636
Seattle	6	4	.600
Kansas City		5	.583
Cleveland	6	5	.545
New York	6	5	.545
Texas	6	5	.545
California	5	5	.500
Boston	4	6	.400
Chicago	4	6	.400
Minnesota	4	6	.400
Baltimore	3	7	.300
Detroit	2	8	.200
Milwaukee	2	9	.182

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct
Los Angeles	11	1	.917
Chicago		4	.636
Montreal		4	.636
Pittsburgh		5	.583
Houston	6	5	.545
New York	6	5	.545
Cincinnati	5	5	.500
St. Louis	5	5	.500
San Diego	5	6	.455
San Francisco	5	6	.455
Philadelphia	4	7	.364
Atlanta	3	8	.273

NOTE: Split squad games count in standings; ties do not.

Monday's Games

Toronto 5, Philadelphia 3
Houston 5, Pittsburgh 0
New York (NL) 5, Cincinnati 4
Texas 4, Atlanta 3, 10 innings
Baltimore 5, Detroit 4
Chicago White Sox (ss) 12, St. Louis 11
Los Angeles (ss) 3, Boston 2, 10 innings
Cleveland (ss) 1, Milwaukee 0
Cleveland (ss) 8, Chicago Cubs 6
San Diego 9, San Francisco 4
Seattle 9, California 8
New York Yankees 7, Chicago White Sox (ss) 4
Kansas City 4, Minnesota 3, 10 innings
Los Angeles (ss) 6, Montreal 1

Monday's Exhibition Linescores

At Plant City, Fla.

NYork (N) 010 001 300—5 12 2
Cincinnati 010 020 010—4 6 1

Leach, Walter (5), Myers (6), McDowell (8) and Lyons; Gibbons (6), Soto, Sorensen (5), Landrum (7), Roester (9) and Diaz, McGriff (7). W—Myers, 1-0. L—Landrum, 0-1. Sv—McDowell (1). HRs—Cincinnati, Milner (1), Sabo (1).

At Clearwater, Fla.

Toronto 000 002 300—5 7 2
Philadelphia 000 201 000—3 6 2

Stieb, Wells (6), Henke (8) and Whitt; K.Gross, Dawley (6), Cowley (7), Frohwirth (8) and Parrish, Russell (8). W—Wells, 2-0. L—Cowley, 0-1. Sv—Henke (2). HR—Toronto, McGriff (2).

At Kissimmee, Fla.

Pittsburgh 000 000 000—0 4 1
Houston 000 001 04x—6 11 0

Drabek, Kipper (5), Wilmet (8), Garcia (8) and Rodriguez; Knepper, Mallicoat (6), Kerfeld (7), Smith (9) and Biggio. W—Mallicoat, 1-0. L—Kipper, 0-1.

At Lakeland, Fla.

Baltimore 100 040 000—5 11 3
Detroit 010 000 102—4 8 1

Morgan, Scherrer (7), Niedenfuer (9) and Nichols; Kennedy (7), Tanana, Wetteland (5), Beard (8) and Nokes. W—Morgan, 2-1. L—Wetteland, 0-1. Sv—Niedenfuer (1). HR—Baltimore, Young (1).

At West Palm Beach, Fla.

Texas 100 010 000 2—4 11 0
Atlanta 001 001 000 1—3 10 1
(10 innings)

Guzman, Cortes (5), Russell (8), Williams (10) and Stanley; Sax (6), Glavine, Assenmacher (5), Ohlms (7), Boever (9) and Benedict; Espino (10). W—Russell, 2-0. L—Boever, 0-1. Sv—Williams (2). HR—Atlanta, Evans (1).

At Sarasota, Fla.

St. Louis 105 100 103—11 15 3
Chi (A) (ss) 501 200 013—12 19 3

Mathews, Conroy (4), Worrell (6), Perez (8) and Pagnozzi; Stephens (9), Peterson, Pawlowski (4), Blaucci (6), Searage (9) and Lyons; Karkovice (6). W—Searage, 1-0. L—Perez, 0-1. HRs—St. Louis, Fitzgerald (1), Chicago, Baines (1), Gallagher (1).

At Vero Beach, Fla.

Boston 000 000 200 0—2 11 1
LA (ss) 000 100 100 1—3 11 0
(10 innings)

Lynch, Crouch (5), Gardner (7), Bolton (8), Araujo (10) and Sheaffer; Marzano (6), Leary, Hartley (6), R.Davis (8), Tapia (9) and Dempsey. Reyes (8). W—Tapia, 1-0. L—Araujo, 0-1.

At Scottsdale, Ariz.

San Diego 021 000 231—9 10 0
SFrancisco 100 001 011—4 8 2

Grant, Hawkins (6) and Santiago; Parent (6), Krukow, Wilson (6), Price (8), McCament (9) and Brenly. Manwaring (9). W—Grant, 1-0. L—Krukow, 1-1. Sv—Hawkins (1). HRs—San Diego, Santiago (1), Mitchell (3).

At Chandler, Ariz.

Cleve(ss) 000 100 000—1 12 0
Milwaukee 000 000 000—0 5 1

Scott, O'Connor (6), Harris (7) and Allanson; Wegman, Birkbeck (6), Aldrich (8), Plesac (9) and Surhoff, Reynolds (8). W—Scott, 1-0. L—Wegman, 0-2. Sv—Harris (1). HR—Cleveland, C.Castillo (1).

At Tempe, Ariz.

Calif 110 060 100—8 9 2
Seattle 300 200 40x—9 11 2

Fraser, Lazorko (5), Harvey (7), DiMichele (8) and Boone; Fimple (8), Moore, Zaveras (5), Reed (6), Solano (9) and Valle. McGuire (7). Bradley (8). W—Reed, 2-0. L—Lazorko, 0-1. Sv—Solano (1).

At Mesa, Ariz.

Cleve(ss) 202 101 002—8 13 1
Chicago (N) 011 110 200—6 12 4

Poohl, Wickander (4), Schatzeder (6), Wills (8) and Bando, Tingley (7), Nipper, Pico (5), Gossage (7), Baller (9) and Davis, Berryhill (8). W—Wills, 1-0. L—Baller, 2-1.

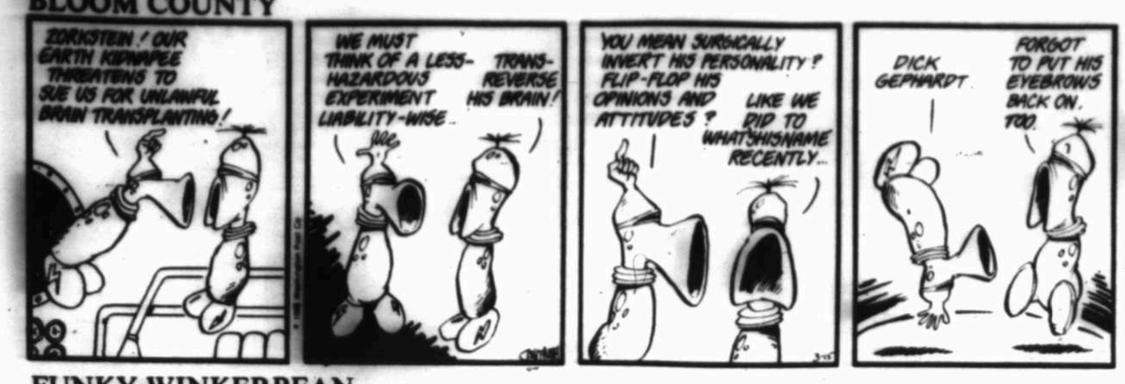
Baseball Poll

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	Record	Pts	Pvs
1 Texas (5)	6-0	100	1
2 Arizona (8)	6-0	99	2
3 Stanford (7)	6-0	98	3
4 Miami (Fla.)	6-0	97	4
5 Florida St.	6-0	96	5
6 Cal St. Fullerton	6-0	95	6
7 Arizona St.	6-0	94	7
8 Texas A&M	6-0	93	8
9 Fresno St.	6-0	92	9
10 Clemson	6-0	91	10
11 Wichita St.	6-0	90	11
12 Oklahoma St.	6-0	89	12
13 Pepperdine	6-0	88	13
14 Georgia	6-0	87	14
15 Oklahoma	6-0	86	15
16 Alabama	6-0	85	16
17 Auburn	6-0	84	17
18 Southern Cal	6-0	83	18
19 Mississippi St.	6-0	82	19
20 Rice	6-0	81	20

Others receiving votes: Nebraska 80, Tulane 79, Georgia

BLOOM COUNTY



HAGAR THE HORRIBLE



FUNKY WINKERBEAN



STEVE CANYON



BLONDIE



MARY WORTH



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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 1988

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: It your relationships are not everything you want them to be, take action. Now is the time to risk or quit that. Have the good sense to end unproductive affiliations and move in new directions. Your good, decisive approach will bring you what you most desire. Travel and education are under your star, and your career will rise again with this. Hard work is the key to success, however, so don't expect anything to fall into your lap.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: Sir Francis Drake, explorer; Eric Estrada, actor; Jerry Lewis, singer; Eva Gabor, actress; Madison Square Garden opened its doors.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Be introspective. Loved ones are supportive.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Be tactful.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): A [illegible] partnership as part and parcel [illegible] Be receptive to [illegible] Don't [illegible]

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Make [illegible] professionals and [illegible] this is the time to [illegible] Avoid [illegible] Stay [illegible]

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): [illegible]

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): [illegible]

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): [illegible]

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): [illegible]

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): [illegible]

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): [illegible]

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): [illegible]

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): [illegible]

PEANUTS



GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

ONE TRUMP TOO MANY

North-South vulnerable. East deals.

NORTH
♠ 5 2
7 5 4
Q J 10 3
♣ A Q 8 2

WEST
♠ A Q 10 9 6
9 8 3 2
A 6 4
♣ K

EAST
♠ Void
10 6
K 9 8 7 5 2
♣ 10 9 7 4 3

SOUTH
♠ K J 8 7 4 3
A K Q J
Void
♣ J 6 5

The bidding:

East	South	West	North
3	3 ♠	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

Opening lead: Ace of

When you play in a matchpoint event, you don't have to worry about how much it costs if you go down 1,100 points—you can't do worse than zero. As a result, players preempt and sacrifice a lot more freely in the competitive game than at rubber bridge, especially if the vulnerability is in their favor.

East's opening diamond preempt is typical of pairs' tactics. Understandably, South was reluctant to pass three no trump, a contract which would have done well with a diamond lead. West made no bones about the fact that the double was for penalties.

West led the ace of diamonds and declarer ruffed. When a low club lead fetched the king, marking East with 11 or 12 cards in the minor suits, declarer saw that there was only one combination of cards that would permit the contract to be made—West's shape would have to be 5-4-3-1.

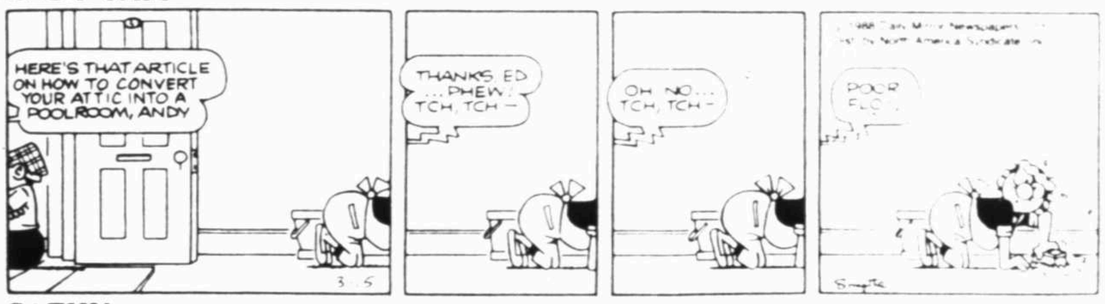
Declarer ruffed a diamond, cashed three high hearts and then entered dummy by ruffing his heart winner. Another diamond ruff bought declarer's trick total to eight and at the same time reduced his trump holding to two fewer than West's. It also set the stage for two amusing end plays.

Declarer exited with a club and West was forced to ruff and lead away from his spade honors. Declarer won the jack and exited with a club, and again West could do no more than ruff and endplay himself. Down to only the ace queen of trumps, he was forced to surrender the game-going trick to declarer's king. West could score only three trump tricks.

SHOE



ANDY CAPP



CATHY



THE WIZARD OF ID



STEVE ROPER



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DENNIS THE MENACE



THAT DAILY PUZZLER **SCRAM-LETS®** WORD GAME

Edited by CLAY R. POLLAN

1 Rearrange letters of the four scrambled words below to form four simple words

TURMET

BLEER

SGARS

CENFIT



It's not the bears and bulls involved with the stock market that make people lose money, it's the ---- -----!

4 Complete the chuckle quoted by filling in the missing words you develop from step No. 3 below.

2 _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ (ARRIED) 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

3 _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ (WAVER)

SCRAM-LETS ANSWERS

Mutter — Rebel — Grass — Infect — BUM STEERS
It's not the bears and bulls involved with the stock market that make people lose money, it's the BUM STEERS!

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FAMILY CIRCUS



"Show us the page you met Daddy on."

DOONESBURY



PEOPLE

Jim Bakker preaches at Lutheran service in California trailer park



Bakker

CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP) — A year after he stepped down from his PTL television ministry because of a sex scandal, **Jim Bakker** returned to the pulpit at a trailer park in California.

Tammy Faye Bakker introduced her husband to 225 suntanned retirees at a service Sunday in Niland, Calif., according to a report in Monday's Charlotte Observer.

"This has been a long, hard year for us," Mrs. Bakker said. "I am very happy to introduce to you my husband. I would like to welcome him back to the place where he belongs, in the pulpit, ministering the Gospel of Jesus Christ."

Bakker, who resigned after admitting having a sexual encounter with church secretary **Jessica Hahn**, preached about friendship for 30 minutes, then grinned and hugged members of the congregation.

Bakker's uncle Charles "Lonnie" Irwin is pastor of the park's Lutheran congregation during the winter.

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Hepburn

NEW YORK (AP) — **Katharine Hepburn**, whose outspoken support of women's reproductive rights is a family tradition, made a rare public appearance Monday night when Planned Parenthood honored her and her late mother at a gala affair.

The 79-year-old Miss Hepburn received a standing ovation from 1,100 guests at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel for the black-tie event, titled "Celebrating Two Generations of Individual Courage."

"It's a frightfully important subject," the actress said of women's rights to abortion and birth control. "And I'm damn lucky to have had a mother who waked me up at an early age" to the importance of "doing things for other people."

Attired in a black pantsuit, Miss Hepburn said, "When a girl becomes pregnant should she be forced by law to have this baby? She's 13. She doesn't want it. She can't support it. Her family doesn't want it. It would seem to me that she should be allowed to have an abortion."

Miss Hepburn was "enthusiastic" about the party, said **Winston Forrest**, vice president of Planned Parenthood Federation of America.

"She felt her mother deserved the honoring," he said.

The black-tie event is to benefit a Planned Parenthood fund to honor Miss Hepburn's mother, **Katharine Houghton Hepburn**.

Proceeds from the dinner, priced at $500 to $1,000 a ticket, will be dedicated to Miss Hepburn's three priorities: keeping abortion safe and legal, preventing teen-age pregnancies and preserving family planning for the poor.

Her mother, an early supporter of birth control, worked alongside Planned Parenthood founder **Margaret Sanger** more than 70 years ago.

Mrs. Hepburn, a member of the Houghton family that founded Corning Glass, testified before the U.S. Senate in the 1930s on the need for birth control, particularly for poor women, Forrest said.

She maintained that "a rich woman could get the information and access to birth control but the poor woman could not," he said.

She died in 1951 at the age of 73.



Boesak

Miss Hepburn became involved in Planned Parenthood in 1981. The group's president, **Faye Wattleton**, recruited the actress "to take on the legacy her mother had established by volunteering to write letters and be spokesperson for reproductive rights and abortion rights for women," Forrest said.

He said her involvement has brought the organization an additonal 200,000 donors and supporters.

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NEW YORK (AP) — The **Rev. Allan Boesak**, an anti-apartheid leader, says productions such as the movie "Cry Freedom" and the musical "Sarafina" play important roles in publicizing the struggle of blacks in his native South Africa.

"You cannot reach everybody by making a speech, or even by saying something on television," Boesak said in an interview in April's Essence magazine.

"Some other people are more convinced by reading a book, by meeting someone face to face, by seeing a play, by seeing a movie. I believe that if you get all these different audiences, and you speak to them in a medium that they can understand, then so much the better."

Boesak, 41, is a minister in the Dutch Reformed Church and president of the World Alliance of Reformed Churches. Under South Africa's racially restrictive laws, which reserve most power for the white minority, he is considered of mixed race.

The magazine said writer and former Black Panther leader **Elaine Brown** interviewed Boesak when he and his wife, **Dorothy**, and four children were in Los Angeles recently.

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MOUNTAINAIR, N.M. (AP) — **Federico Sisneros**, the National Park Service's oldest ranger, will be buried today at the 17th-century Spanish mission he cared for most of his life.

Sisneros died Saturday of heart failure at age 93.

Sisneros spent his life tending the San Gregorio de Abo Mission near Mountainair.

His family owned the land on which the mission stands and donated the property to the state in the late 1930s. It was a state monument for many years and became part of the Salinas National Monument in 1981.

Sisneros was the mission's caretaker while Abo was a state monument. He was named a ranger when it became part of the national park system.

"It'll always be Abo on paper, but to the ones who worked with him, it'll always be 'Fred's Place,'" said Salinas chief ranger **Glenn Fulfer**. "His father had told him to take care of the mission. It was more or less a legacy given down to Fred to take care of Abo."

Fulfer said Sisneros worked for many years "for hardly any wages at all."

"Fred was the type of fellow that the love of the site outweighed the importance of money," he said.

Sisneros was born in 1894 in a house near the Indian ruins at the Abo mission. He and his wife, **Guadalupe**, lived in a house a few yards from the ruins.

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SANTA MONICA, Calif. (AP) — Doctors removed singer **Dennis Day** from the critical list after he responded to treatment for a head injury he suffered last week in a fall at home.

His condition was upgraded to serious Monday after surgery Saturday relieved swelling of the brain, said Armen Markarian, spokesman for St. John's Hospital.

Evening TV Schedule

TUESDAY MARCH 15, 1988

		AMC	KCSS	KTPI	KPEJ 24	CBN	KTBS	SIN 63	WGN	ESPN	KOCV 36 ABLE 10	HSE ABLE 11
4	00	Facts Life	Hour	Maga	Sup Court	Jetsons	Big Valley	Munsters	Grecia	G.I. Joe	70 Final 4	Contact	Fla. Wres
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5	00	Family Ties	Divorce	News	Jeannie	Crazy Like	Alice	Chispita	Facts Life	SportsLook	Sesame		Nolan R.
	30	ABC News	CBS News	NBC News	H. Billies	a Fox	C. Burnett	Noticiero	WKRP	PGA Tour	Street		Abate
6	00	News	News	Jeopardy	Star Trek	Remington	A. Griffith	Rosa Sal	Cheers	SportsCtr	Mr. Rogers		College
	30	Fortune	M*A*S*H	Win, Lose		Steele	Sanford	vaje	B. Miller	NHL	MacNeil		Baseball
7	00	Boss	T. & Error	Matlock	Black	Crossbow	NBA Bas-	Quince	Movie	Hockey	Lehrer		Lamar at
	30	Wonder	Dictator		Sheep	Frontier	ketball	anera	Claudine	Flyers at	Bodywatch		Florida
8	00	Moonlight-	Of Age	Heat of	Movie	700 Club	Cavaliers	Tal Como		Rangers	Nova		State
	30	ing	Frank's P.	Night	The It		at Bulls	Somos			Whales		
9	00	thirtysome-	Cagney &	Crime	alan Job	Talk		Noticiero	News		Nova		Outdoors
	30	thing	Lacey	Story		Chefs	Movie	Hollywood		Truck			Golf Jrnl
10	00	News	News	News	A. Griffith	Remington	Bullitt	Movie: Pa-	Soap	Sports	Great Per-		College
	30	Entertain	WKRP	News Spc.	Hawaii	Steele		sajeros en	Magnum	SportsCtr	formances		Baseball
11	00	Nightline	Diamonds	Best of Car-	Five-O	B. & Allen		Transito	P.I.	PGA Tour	Govt.		Lamar at
	30	Love Con		son	Mission Im.	Jack Benny	The Im		Movie	Winter	Wild Am.		Florida
12	00	News		David Let-	possible	Groucho	possible	Rina	FM	Sports			State
	30	News	Cowboy &Bairina	terman		Laurel	Spy			Trivia			

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	30	Know Why	Movie	"Smoky	"Harry and	"Like	VideoCtry		Dennis	Police Sq.		Lord
6	00	the Caged	Apoca-	Mouse	Son	Mom, Like	Be a Star	Airwolf	Can't TV	Travel	June Cain	James Ken-
	30	Bird Sings	lypse Now			Me"	Fandango		Dbl. Dare	Survival	Miller	nedy
7	00	Movie:		Palmers-	Movie:	Movie:	Nashville	Riptide	Mk. Room	Iacocca	Adv./Wild	Scenes
	30	"The Good		town	"Heart	"The Morn-	Now		Mister Ed		Magazine	Robinson
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	30	Super Dave	lia	Passage to	Ridge"		New Ctry	"Blood	D. Reed	"Phaedra"	Out. Trail	Schaefer
9	00	Movie:		India	Movie:	Tanner '88	Crook	Feud"	Laugh In		Outdoors	Praise the
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10	00	Arizona	Movie: "A		Park"	"Hot Re-	Be a Star	Airwolf	Monkees		Sportstyle	Praise the
	30	Movie:	Man and a			sort"	Nashville		Susie	Rotten	Basketball	Lord
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DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Edited by Trude Michel Jaffe

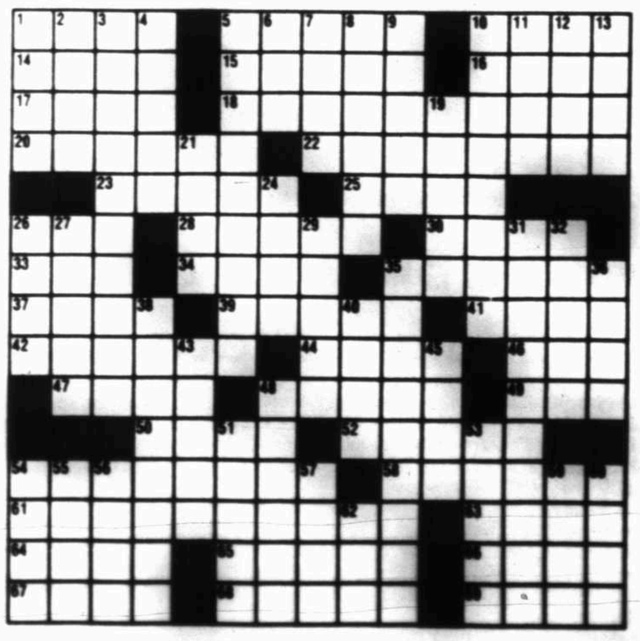
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1 Weeps
5 "The Planets" composer
10 Brownish purple
14 Suit —
15 Like stadiums at touchdown time
16 One of a Kipling trio
17 "This one's —"
18 Enigmatical
20 River of song
22 Recap
23 Spanish stews
25 Unheeding
26 SHAEF sector
28 Gram and dram
30 Bribes
33 Actress Russell, to friends
34 Taro corm
35 NBA's Bol
37 Nazimova
39 Picture or Roman follower
41 Pound or Stone
42 Oozed
44 UN member
46 Last letter, in London
47 To think, of yore
48 Reagan Attorney General
49 Some records, for short
50 That, in Tours
52 A bit thick
54 Winding on a bobbin
58 As usual
61 Enigmatic
63 Shoe size
64 "Rule Britannia" composer
65 Jelly, to Jacques
66 Squared off
67 Twosomes
68 Chemical compound
69 Trick ending

DOWN
1 Put away
2 Lady Chaplin
3 Stumper
4 Big bargain
5 Graceless
6 Fact finish
7 Forfeiture
8 Woodland deities
9 Lace, in Italy
10 Hotel lobby transmitter
11 "Trinity" author
12 "Who — Turn To?"
13 Omelet starts
19 Small hollow
21 Pivot
24 Namesakes of a Caesar
26 Lively times
27 Realty sign
29 Chapeau
31 Bewildered state
32 — throat
35 Go-between
36 19th cen. American engineer James Buchanan —
38 Verbal truncations
40 Exploited
43 "The Seven Year Itch" star
45 City on the Truckee
48 Tailless cats
51 Belgium city on the Meuse
53 Mex. misses
54 Fokker foe
55 Land of the Incas
56 Whether —
57 Blue-chip edging
59 Pay to play
60 Retreat
62 Wedding write-up word

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE:

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First City concessions possible

Abboud urges tender by deadline

From Wire Reports

NEW YORK — A. Robert Abboud indicated on Monday that the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. and the investor group that he heads might make concessions to creditors of the First City Bancorporation of Houston to save a $1.47 billion rescue plan for the deeply troubled banking company.

But Abboud, who spoke at a news conference at the banking company's headquarters in Houston, stressed that any changes in the proposal would have to be very minor. Both Abboud and the FDIC said they were devising other ways to safeguard depositors if the rescue plan fell through.

Under the plan, the FDIC would inject $970 million into First City and Abboud's group would invest $500 million more to save the bank holding company from failure. With $12 billion in assets and about 60 subsidiary banks across Texas, First City is the fourth-largest bank holding company in the state.

The rescue plan depends on at least 90 percent of the holders of First City bonds tendering their securities at steep discounts from their face value, which totals about $225 million. Holders of senior debt would receive 45 cents on the dollar, and holders of junior debt would receive 35 cents.

Bond holders would fare better if they surrendered the notes, Abboud said.

"I would ask the other debt holders who have not yet tendered to cooperate with us and submit their securities. We're prepared to close if conditions are fully satisfied," he said.

The deadline for the tender offer is 4 p.m. today. The offer was extended once before, a week ago, when only 41 percent of the bonds were tendered. The deadline could be extended once again, but it would have to be done before the current one expires or, because of Securities and Exchange Commission rules, the group would have to wait 20 days before making a new tender offer.

It appears that many of the recalcitrant holders of First City debt are sophisticated arbitragers who are exerting pressure on the FDIC and the investor group to ante up more money or risk having the complex deal fall through and causing the bank to fail.

L. William Seidman, FDIC chairman, said Sunday night that no matter what happened no First City depositor would lose any money.

According to financial industry sources, the holdouts include Neuberger & Berman, an investment advisory firm; Goldman, Sachs & Co., and Drexel Burnham Lambert Inc.

"We have no intention of changing the debt tender offer in a major monetary fashion," Abboud said. The news conference was carried by telephone. In answer to a question, he indicated that his group and the FDIC might consider lowering the 90 percent threshold, but only in a minor way.

The bonds that are not tendered, a maximum of 10 percent under the current guidelines, would continue to be the obligations of First City, which if the deal goes through would be owned by Abboud's group.

Despite the depth of First City's problems, it has been paying interest on the bonds on time. The danger to investors in the bonds is if the banking company were allowed to go into outright failure, which could render the bonds worthless. But the investors are apparently gambling that both the FDIC and the Abboud group would rather pay out more money to the bondholders than to allow the complex transaction to fall apart. It is feared that a failure of First City would further rattle the confidence of nervous depositors in banks across the state.



AP LaserPhoto

Despite his expression, Robert Abboud was upbeat about the chances of his group's plans for First City at Monday's press conference.

BUSINESS GLANCE

MARKETS

Oil prices continue downward

From Staff and Wire Reports

Oil prices continue their downward trend, with contracts for April delivery of West Texas Intermediate opening at $15.50, down 9 cents from Monday's close.

Monday, oil prices fell sharply Monday in response to reports that Saudi Arabia, OPEC's largest producer, had rejected calls for new restrictions on production.

On the New York Mercantile Exchange Monday, West Texas Intermediate lost 70 cents to settle at $15.59 per 42-gallon barrel.

The contract had moved above $16 late last week after members of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries called for a meeting of the cartel's pricing committee to stabilize market prices. In addition, officials of non-OPEC producers met last week to discuss similar concerns.

"The Saudis believe that if current quotas are maintained, inventories are going to come down gradually," said Bob Baker, an analyst with Prudential-Bache Securities Inc.

The Saudis' apparent rejection of new quotas, attributed to officials attending an Arab Energy Conference in Baghdad, also dimmed hopes that key members of the 13-nation OPEC cartel would convene an emergency pricing meeting any time soon.

"Action is going to be taken, but not necessarily the kind that's going to right the world in a week," said Baker.

Analysts said the slide in prices was accelerated by technical factors as traders dumped contracts purchased in the midst of the rally late last week.

"Everyone remains very, very nervous and unsure of the (market's) direction," said Richard Redoglio of Merrill Lynch Energy Futures.

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SPOT MARKET

W.T. INTERMEDIATE

- Mid-morning Quote $15.50
- Monday's Close $15.60
- Previous Close $16.30
- One Year Ago $18.65

W.T. SOUR

- Monday's Close $14.45-14.50
- Previous Close $15.13
- One Year Ago $18.10

SOURCE: NYMEX

POSTED PRICE

- Last Week $15.50
- Previous Week $15.50
- One Year Ago $17.50

Dollar gains in early trading

LONDON (AP) — The dollar gained against most major currencies in early European trading today. Gold prices firmed.

The British pound, which soared 10 cents against the dollar in a month, slipped back ahead of the presentation to Parliament this afternoon of the Conservative government's annual spring budget.

In Tokyo, the dollar rose 0.02 yen to a closing 127.25. Later in London, the dollar was quoted at 127.10 yen.

Other dollar rates at mid-morning, compared with late Monday:

—1.6660 West German marks, up from 1.6645.

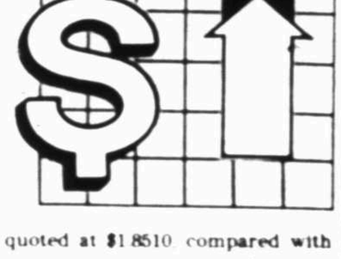
—1.3760 Swiss francs, up from 1.3693.

—5.6585 French francs, up from 5.6375.

—1.8717 Dutch guilders, up from 1.8645.

—1,232.70 Italian lire, up from 1,227.87.

—1.2570 Canadian dollars, down from 1.2577.



In London, the British pound was quoted at $1.8510, compared with $1.8575 Monday.

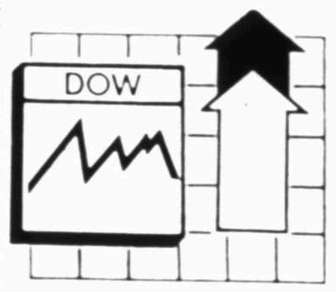
Gold opened in London at a bid price of $440.80 a troy ounce, compared with late Monday's $441.00. At mid-morning today, the city's five major bullion dealers fixed a recommended price of $442.15.

In Zurich, the bid price was $442.25, up from $441.50 late Monday. Earlier, in Hong Kong, gold fell $1.54 to close at a bid $443.27.

Silver was quoted in London today at a bid price of $6.21 a troy ounce, down from Monday's $6.22.

Stocks gain in uninspired session

NEW YORK (AP) — Stock prices showed no clear trend Monday in the quietest trading of the year as traders looked ahead to a potentially volatile week.



Takeover news and speculation and a late flurry of buying in blue chips provided the highlights of an otherwise uninspired session.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials gained 15.09 to 2,060.07.

But declining issues slightly outnumbered advances on the New York Stock Exchange, with 737 up, 794 down and 445 unchanged.

Big Board volume came to 131.89 million shares, down from 200.02 million in the previous session, and the lightest total since a 111.58 million-share day Dec. 29.

As measured by Wilshire Associates' index of more than 5,000 actively traded stocks, the market increased $8.26 billion, or 0.31 percent, in value.

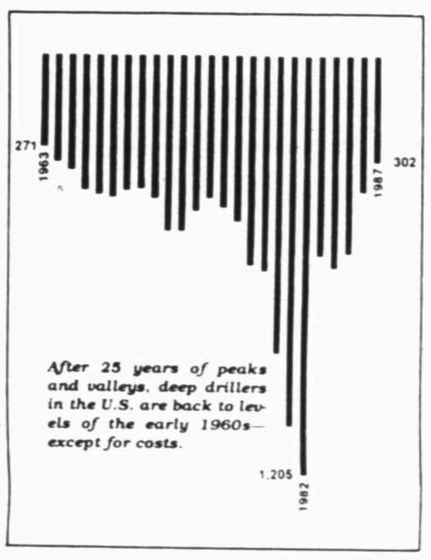
The NYSE's composite index of all its listed common stocks added .61 to 150.06.

Nationwide turnover in NYSE-listed issues, including trades in those stocks on regional exchanges and in the over-the-counter market, totaled 154.76 million shares.

Standard & Poor's index of 400 industrials rose 1.82 to 309.21, and S&P's 500-stock composite index was up 1.43 at 266.37.

Least deep drilling since '63

From Staff Reports



After 25 years of peaks and valleys, deep drillers in the U.S. are back to levels of the early 1960s — except for costs.

Deep drilling in the U.S. reached a 25-year low last year with the drilling of only 302 wells below 15,000 feet, according to *Petroleum Engineer International's* annual deep well report. The previous low point for deep drilling was in 1963 when only 271 deep wells were drilled.

While the number of wells returned to 1960s levels costs did not, reports the Dallas publication. Companies in 1987 spent almost $1 billion in deep drilling compared to only $189 million in 1963. Deep drilling expenditures which averaged $196 per foot, were considerably higher than $43 per foot in 1963, but not near as costly as the $319 per foot in 1986.

Out of the 302 wells, 149 or 49 percent were successful with Louisiana being the top state with 64 deep wells and a 44 percent success ratio. Oklahoma with 59 deep wells was the second most active for deep drilling, but had the highest success ratio with 68 percent of the wells becoming producers.

In the Gulf of Mexico, $400 million was spent to drill 65 deep wells only 12 of which were successful.

Midland ranked last as entrepreneurial hot spot

By JOHN PAUL PITTS
Business/Oil Editor

In the March issue of *Inc.* magazine the annual ranking of metropolitan new business "hot spots" placed Midland-Odessa at No. 156 — or dead last — in the lineup, suggesting the cities did not have the right entrepreneurial stuff.

Austin was ranked No. 1 on the list which saw Midland-Odessa slip from 119 to 156. The report said Midland-Odessa had a job growth rate of -31.1 percent, a business birthrate of 2.3 percent, and only 1.8 percent of fast-growing companies.

"I would be very interested to know how they arrive at these numbers and rankings," said Charles Spence, chairman of the Midland Chamber of Commerce. "To the contrary, I think new business has flourished since the downturn as new ventures were formed by individuals who wanted to stay in the area."

Austin topped the survey despite a downturn in real estate and a shakeout in both the oil and high-tech industries. Austin — which recently captured Sematech, the prestigious computer chip consortium — had a 42.9 percent growth in jobs, a 6.8 percent business birthrate, and 4 percent of the fastest-growing companies.

In a companion article to the report, writer David L. Birch said adversity can sometimes bring out the best entrepreneurial traits in a community, but hinted that Midland was not one of those communities.

"What do you do when you've been laid off by your company or forced into early retirement, and every other company like yours is also cutting back? You can stay unemployed. You can can take a job you really don't want simply to stay alive. You can leave. Or you can start a company."

He added that American penchant for entrepreneurship is one of the great strengths of our economy, building the groundwork for a speedier and more lasting recovery. "Many of the seeds for the enormous growth and prosperity of the past five years were sowed during the 1981-1982 recession, when new corporate formations hit all-time highs," he stated.

The hardest knock in the magazine came when Birch hinted that Midland might not have an entrepreneurial culture, but rather might belong to that category of stodgy, backward company towns controlled by a handful of wealthy people.

Said Birch: "This counter-cyclical explanation doesn't happen in every city — as evidenced by Midland, Oklahoma City and Shreveport, La. — because some cities have a stronger entrepreneurial culture than others, more open economies not controlled by a small number of families or large companies. These cities tend to have a large university or corporate research facility that generates new ideas and technology and attracts new people, and the banking and business environment is competitive.

Cities without an entrepreneurial culture tend to be in the "company town" mold — newcomers are not so welcome, and growing companies that bid up wage rates aren't always viewed with enthusiasm. Models for success in these companies are "corporate."

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Pickens: Oil recovery can't cure all state's ills

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — Despite the petroleum industry's recovery, the state still needs economic diversification to survive, oilman T. Boone Pickens says.

"To believe that the oil industry is going to lead the state out of the doldrum we're in — I don't believe it will be the case," Pickens said. "I do believe the industry will get better over a period of time, but it will never be the leader that we had been in the past."

Pickens, chairman of Amarillo-based Mesa Limited Partnership, said that oil should reach at least $18 a barrel by the end of 1988, far below its peak of $40 a barrel in 1982.

The state needs to continue its trend of economic diversification, Pickens told delegates to the 111th Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers convention Monday.

"Sometime, oil production in Texas won't be too important. Taxes from the oil industry are consistently going down," he said.

Pickens said the oil and gas rig count would never reach its peak of nearly 5,000 in 1981 and that natural gas would have to reach $5 per 1000 Btu before drillers go farther than 15,000 feet.

But consumers should not fear a repeat of long lines at the pumps such as those in 1973 and 1974 during the Arab oil embargo, he said.

Saudia Arabia, the leading Mideast oil-producing country, has too many oil reserves and an embargo or high prices would cause more harm than good, Pickens said.

"OPEC is going to provide the floor price for you. Just give them a little time and they'll get their act in order and they'll give you an $18 floor."

Pickens said he opposed an oil-import fee because it would spark government control.

TRC to review oil industry

From Staff Reports

More than 25 senior officers of oil and gas companies and associations will speak at the Railroad Commission's annual "State of the Industry" hearing Thursday at the Lubbock Plaza Hotel and Conference Center.

Among the Permian Basin representatives speaking at the hearing will be Clayton W. Williams Jr. of The Williams Co., Charles Perry of the Permian Basin Petroleum Association, and Alan R. McDaniel, division vice president for producing operations with Texaco Inc.

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PBPA's Perry honored by gas processors group

From Staff Reports



Perry

Charles Perry, president of the Permian Basin Petroleum Association, has been named the recipient of the Hanlon Award at the Gas Processors Association annual convention in Dallas.

The award is the most prestigious in the gas processing industry, and one of the ranking awards in the petroleum industry. It is conferred annually on an individual whose career includes prominent achievement and outstanding contributions to the gas processing industry.

Perry, currently president of Perry Management, received his chemical engineering degree from the University of Oklahoma in 1951 and worked for Union Carbide and Sivalls Inc. before he founded Perry Gas Cos. Inc. — now Parker Gas.

Started with only Perry and his wife, Jo, the company grew to over 500 employees located from Mississippi to Texas to Montana and annual revenues exceeding $250 million when it merged with Parker Drilling in 1980.

Perry began by offering contract treating and oil processing services, later expanding to include gas gathering, major gas processing plants, gas transmission lines and equipment manufacturing.

He is a former president of the United Way of Odessa and the Council for a Secure America, and currently is a member of the Odessa College board of regents, the Planned Parenthood Association of Ector County, and vice president of the Gas Processors Association.

He also serves on the boards of the Texas Utilities Co., Compressor Systems Inc., Colorado River Municipal Water District, UTPB Development Board, and Odessa's United Way.

His awards include the Top Hand award from the Permian Basin Petroleum Association, and 1986 Distinguished Service citation from the University of Oklahoma.

Husky to press for control of Canadian Texaco firm

TORONTO (NYT) — In a proposal that would make Li Ka-shing, the Hong Kong real estate investor, a major player in Canada's oil and gas industry, Husky Oil Ltd. of Calgary, Alberta, said Monday that it would press forward with proposals for a takeover of Texaco Canada Ltd., the Canadian unit of financially troubled Texaco Inc.

Two companies controlled by Li own 43 percent of Husky.

Husky executives could make a formal bid for Texaco Canada later this week, when they will be in New York, Husky's president, Art Price, said in a telephone interview. To make the deal more attractive to Texaco, which is emerging from bankruptcy, Husky is prepared to offer a "cash infusion" of $1 billion, he said.

Price declined to say how much Husky was prepared to pay, but he said the price at which Texaco Canada shares had been trading in recent weeks — from $27 to $34 (Canadian), or $21 and $26 in United States currency — would represent "fair value."

At the higher figure, Texaco Canada's 120.8 million outstanding common shares would give the company a value of $4.1 billion (Canadian), or $3.2 billion (United States).

BUSINESS IN BRIEF

Wagner, Brown soliciting USG proxies

New York Times News Service

CHICAGO — The partnership led by Midland oilmen Cyril Wagner Jr. and Jack E. Brown has begun soliciting proxies to elect six nominees to the USG Corp.'s 15-member board.

The move is part of an effort by Desert Partners L.P. to gain control of the nation's largest gypsum producer. The election of USG directors will occur at the Chicago-based company's annual meeting May 11. A spokesman for Desert Partners said it was premature to comment on whether the partnership would consider sweetening its $42-a-share offer for 21.5 million shares, or about 41 percent, of the company. The offer expires March 28.

Mesa Limited drops Homestake offer

AMARILLO, Texas (AP) — Mesa Limited Partnership's second foray into the gold industry fell short when the group, controlled by oilman T. Boone Pickens, withdrew its $1.88 billion cash offer for Homestake Mining Co.

Mesa said Monday it retracted its offer to acquire Homestake, a leading gold producer, in a negotiated transaction for a price of $20 a share in cash.

Homestake previously had rejected Mesa's offer.

Texas bid to block Florida citrus denied

BROWNSVILLE, Texas (AP) — Texas has lost another round in its battle to keep Florida citrus out of the state, with a federal judge's refusal to block those shipments.

U.S. District Judge Filemon Vela said Monday he needed more time to study the state's request for a stay of a U.S. Department of Agriculture decision lifting a ban on Florida citrus to other producing states.

Texas sought the stay until its suit against U.S. Secretary of Agriculture Richard E. Lyng could be heard.

EXPLORATION HIGHLIGHTS

Union Texas records discovery

From Staff Reports

An Atoka discovery has been recorded in Midland County, surrounded by production in the Spraberry (Trend Area) and east of the Kelly Stephens (Strawn) field.

UNION TEXAS PETROLEUM CORP., Midland, completed the No. 1 Page Billington "32" to flow 124 barrels of 44.7 gravity crude, 396 Mcfd and no water on a 14/64 inch choke with a flowing tubing pressure of 580 psi. The well flowed from perforations 10,606 to 10,630 ft., which had been acidized with 2,000 gallons of 15 percent NeFe acid. Gas-oil ratio is 3,194:1.

Permitted as a 12,000 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to 11,729 ft. and plugged back to 11,600 ft. A seven inch liner was hung from 5,032 to 9,463 ft.

The well topped the Strawn at 10,180 ft., Base Wolfcamp at 11,020, and the Fusselman at 10,180 ft. on ground elevation of 2,659 ft. Pay was topped at 10,606 ft.

Location is 1,200 ft. from east and 1,650 ft. from north lines of Section 32, Block 36, T-1-S, T&P survey, 15 miles northeast of Midland.



Atoka discovery

Union Texas Petroleum has completed a 124 barrel Atoka discovery in Midland County, surrounded by production in the Spraberry (Trend Area).

Ellenburger discovery flows 125 barrels oil

ROYAL OIL & GAS CORP., Corpus Christi, has completed an Ellenburger discovery in Borden County. Proposed field name is Seven J East (Ellenburger).

On potential test, the No. 1 Miller Trust flowed 125 barrels of 40 gravity crude and no water on a 6/64 inch choke with a flowing tubing pressure of 475 psi. Production is from open hole 8,346 to 8,352 ft., no treatment recorded.

Permitted as an 8,800 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to 8,352 ft. with 5 1/2 inch casing set at 8,348 ft.

The well topped the Strawn at 7,830 ft., Mississippian at 8,192, and the Ellenburger at 8,344 ft. on ground elevation of 2,626 ft. Pay was topped at 8,346 ft.

Location is 2,310 ft. from south and 1,650 ft. from east lines of Section 522, Block 97, H&TC survey, eight miles northeast of Gail.

Midland operator finals Pecos project

The Indian Mesa (Ellenburger) field of Pecos County gained a new producer and eastern extension as **WILLIAM B. WILSON EXPLORATION, INC.** completed activity in the area.

Wilson tested the No. 1 Wilson Ranch "44-A" to flow 229 barrels of 41.2 gravity crude, 680 Mcfd and no water on a 14/64 inch choke with a flowing tubing pressure of 1,500 psi. Production is from perforations 7,680 to 7,720 ft., no treatment reported.

Permitted as an 8,500 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to 7,795 ft., where 5 1/2 inch casing was set, and plugged back to 7,783 ft.

Formation tops, on ground elevation of 2,441 ft., include the Queen at 1,402 ft., Grayburg at 1,500, San Andres at 2,322, Leonard at 3,454, Wolfcamp at 4,900, Simpson at 6,810, and Ellenburger at 7,643 ft. Pay was topped at 7,643 ft.

Location is 660 ft. from south and 467 ft. from east lines of Section 44, Block 194, GC&SF, nine miles northwest of Iraan.

Cottle County well flows 160 barrels oil

GUNN OIL CO., Wichita Falls, added Canyon producer in the Prothro field of Cottle County with completion of the No. 1-28 Swenson.

On potential test, the well flowed 160 barrels of 35 gravity crude and 24 barrels of water on an 18/64 inch choke with a flowing tubing pressure of 110 psi. The well flowed from perforations 4,385 to 4,399 ft., no treatment reported. Gas-oil ratio is 300:1.

Permitted as a 6,000 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to 4,700 ft., with 5 1/2 inch casing set at 4,482 ft.

Location is 467 ft. from north and east lines of Section 28, Block B, J.H. Stephens, 10 miles southwest of Paducah.

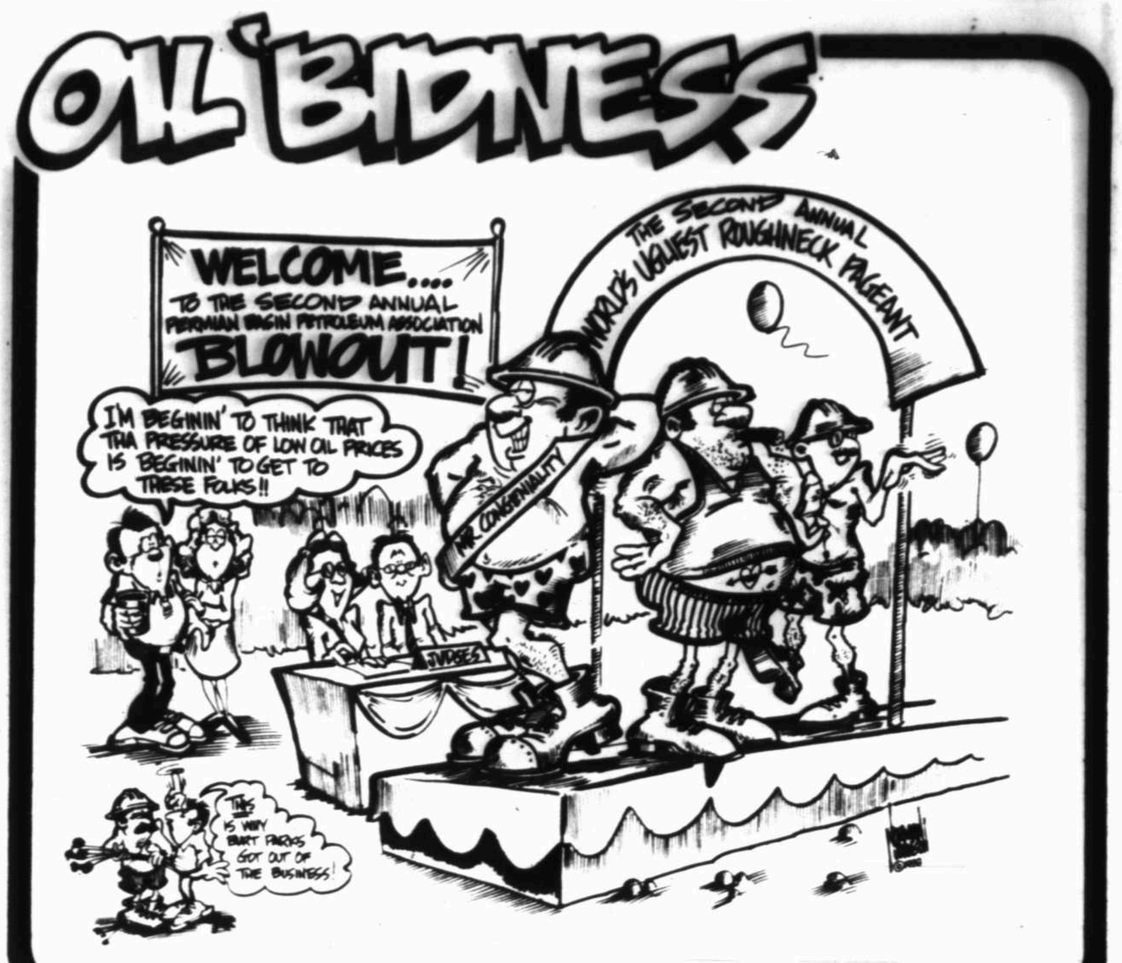
Runnels field gains Palo Pinto producer

GEOTRAC ENERGY CORP., Abilene, added the third Palo Pinto producer and a northeast extension to the pay in the Norton North field of Runnels County.

The No. 1 E.B. Hope "A" was finaled to pump 10 barrels of 42 gravity crude and 60 barrels of water from perforations 3,853 to 3,877 ft. The interval was acidized with 1,000 gallons of acid. Gas-oil ratio is 42:1.

Drilled to 5,066 ft., the well was plugged back to 3,920 ft. with 4 1/2 inch casing set at 4,750 ft.

Location is 650 ft. from south and 340 ft. from east lines of Section 7, Thomas M. Fowler survey 440, Abst. 177, nine miles southwest of Winters.



BY NORMAN JOHNSON

PLUGGED WELLS

TRC DISTRICT 8

CRANE COUNTY

Sand Hills (McKnight)
Chevron U S A Inc No 689 W N Waddell et al, 1380 fnl, 15,840 fel, sec 18, blk B-26, PSL, 17 nw Royalty, TD 3615, Completed 8 12 61, Plugged 2 16 88, Oil well.

Waddell
Chevron U S A Inc No 670 W N Waddell, 2310 fsl, 10,230 fwl, sec 1, blk B-23, PSL, 20 n Crane, TD 3525, Completd 9 29 59, Plugged 2 17 88, Oil well.

MARTIN COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)
Alta Energy Corp No 1 P & B G Lewis et al, 660 fsl, 660 fnl, sec 36, blk 36, T&P, 2 se Stanton, TD 9400, Completed 11 26 80, Plugged 2 22 88.

DEVELOPMENT

■ **DRILLING PROGRAM SET IN YATES FIELD.** Marathon Oil Co., Iraan, has applied to drill six new producers in the Yates field of Pecos County. All six are in the Yates Field Unit, with proposed depths ranging from 1,282 ft. to 1,804 ft.

■ **EXXON TO DRILL IN SPRABERRY TREND.** Three producers are planned for the Upton County portion of the Spraberry Trend by Exxon Corp., Midland. All three are in the Giddings Estate Fee, Section 1, Throckmorton CSL, 20 miles north of Rankin. Proposed depth for the three is 8,500 ft.

■ **GAINES FIELD TO GET NEW PRODUCERS.** Tenneco Oil Co., San Antonio, will drill 11 new producers in the Robertson North (Clearfork) field of Gaines County. All 11 are in the North Robertson Unit, Sec. 325, Block G, CCSD&RGNG, six miles southwest of Seminole. Proposed depth for all 11 is 7,400 ft.

■ **MOBIL PLANS DEVELOPMENT IN KENT COUNTY.** Mobil Producing TX & NM, Inc., Midland, plans three new producers in the Salt Creek field of Kent County. The three are in the Salt Creek Field Unit, and have proposed depth of 6,370 ft.

COMPLETIONS

TRC DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY

Block 11 (Wichita)
Wagner and Brown No 1 Atlantic University, 660 fsl, 1980 fwl, sec 11, blk 11, ULS, 16 sw Andrews, Elev 3303, TD 9319, PB 7437, Completed 1 21 88, Potentialed 2 22 88, pumping 119 bopd, 449 Mcfd, 162 bwpd, 39.6 API, GOR 3773:1, Casing 4 1/2 inches at 9319, Perforations 6333 to 6905, Acid 3000 gals 15 percent, Formation tops Wichita 7398, McKee 7684, Fusselman 8112, Connell 9082, Top of pay 6333, Plugback from Fusselman formation.

Fullerton
Exxon Corp No 6824 Fullerton Clearfork Unit, 19,680 fnl, 12,400 fel, sec 14, blk A-32, PSL, 16.5 nw Andrews, Elev 3334.6, TD 7406, Completed 2 1 88, Potentialed 2 7 88, pumping 92 bopd, 95.7 Mcfd, 410 bwpd, 41.8 API, GOR 1040:1, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 7396, Perforations 6640 to 7274, Acid 20,500 gals 15 percent HCL, Formation tops Tubb 6552, Lower Clearfork 6810, Upper Staining 6638, Wichita 7008, Top of pay 6640.

Exxon Corp No 2919 Fullerton Clearfork Unit, 17,880 fsl, 13,120 fwl, sec 16, blk A-32, PSL, 17 nw Andrews, Elev 3339.7, TD 7450, PB 7415, Completed 11 20 87, Potentialed 2 22 88, pumping 32 bopd, 10.5 Mcfd, 737 bwpd, 41.8 API, GOR 328:1, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 7450, Perforations 6823 to 7055, Acid 28,100 gals 15 percent HCL, Formation tops Tubb 6469, Lower Clearfork 6624, Upper Staining 6599, Wichita 6970, Top of pay 6823.

Martin (Clearfork)
Arco Oil & Gas Co No 9 A University 11 Sec 1, 1829 fnl, 1874 fel, sec 1, blk 11, ULS, 16 sw Andrews, Elev 3276, TD 7550, PB 7505, Completed 2 12 88, Potentialed 3 1 88, flowing 30 bopd, 950 Mcfd, 16 bwpd, 11/64 inch choke, FTP 1300 psi, API 40.3, GOR 31,667:1, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 7550, Perforations 5847 to 5822, Acid 3000 gals, Frac 21,800 gals gel, 86,000 lbs sand, Formation tops Clearfork 5522, Lower Clearfork 6193, Wichita 6620, Top of pay 5547.

Triple N (Grayburg)
Chevron U S A Inc No A 16 M Triple N Grayburg Cons, 1190 fnl, 2320 fel, sec 16, blk 9, ULS, 9 sw Andrews, Elev 3182.8, TD 4440, PB 4436, Completed 2 22 88, Potentialed 3 4 88, pumping 34 bopd, 12 Mcfd, 96 bwpd, 32.5 API, GOR 352:1, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4440, Perforations 4348 to 4366, Acid 2500 gals 15 percent NeFeHCL, Formation tops Rustler 1882, Yates 3022, Grayburg 4175, San Andres 4426, Top of pay 4348.

ECTOR COUNTY

Cowden North
Cities Service Oil & Gas Corp No 314 Rhodes Cowden Unit, 565 fnl, 2755 fwl, sec 23, blk 43, T-1-S, T&P, 12 se Odessa, Elev 3040, TD 4350, Completed 2 24 88, Potentialed 3 1 88, pumping 51 bopd, 14.2 Mcfd, 48 bwpd, 36 API, GOR 278:1, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4380, Perforations 4114 to 4161, Acid 3568 gals 15 percent NeFe, Formation top San Andres 4114, Top of pay 4114.

Cities Service Oil & Gas Corp 463 Rhodes Cowden Unit, 1980 fnl, 2672 fel, sec 24, blk 43, T-1-S, T&P, 12 se Odessa, Elev 3040, TD 4360, PB 4263, Completed 2 20 88, Potentialed 3 1 88, pumping 44 bopd, 115 Mcfd, 631 bwpd, 34 API, GOR 2501:1, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4313, Perforations 4067 to 4174, Acid 4500 gals 15 percent NeFe, Formation top San Andres 4067, Top of pay 4168.

Foster
Amoco Production Co No 188 South Foster Unit, 3480 fnl, 1640 fwl, sec 19, blk 42, T-2-S, T&P, 6 n Odessa, Elev 2928.4, TD 4309, PB 4300, Completed 2 25 88, Potentialed 3 4 88, pumping 124 bopd, 42 Mcfd, 61 bwpd, 351 API, GOR 338:1, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4309, Perforations 3940 to 4284, Acid 5000 gals 15 percent NeFeHCL, Frac 40,382 gals gel, 140,000 lbs 12/20 sand, Formation tops Zone 2 3940, Zone 3 4039, Zone 4 4145, Top of pay 3940.

Johnson
Cities Service Oil & Gas Corp No 2805 Johnson Grayburg San Andres Unit, 4220 fsl, 4164 fel, sec 46, blk 43, T-1-S, T&P, 10 se Odessa, Elev 2989, TD 4300, PB 4254, Completed 2 24 88, Potentialed 3 1 88, pumping 22 bopd, 10 Mcfd, 74 bwpd, 35.9 API, GOR 455:1, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4298, Perforations 4098 to 4114, Acid 2500 gals 15 percent NeFeHCL, Formation top San Andres 4098, Top of pay 4098.

TXL (Tubb)
Shell Western Exploration & Production Inc No 266 TXL North Unit, 5014 fwl, 1130 fnl, sec 5, blk 45, T-1-S, T&P, 15 ne Notrees, Elev 3312.2, TD 6900, PB 6824, Completed 2 10 88, Potentialed 2 17 88, pumping 89 bopd, 110 Mcfd, 191 bwpd, 36.8 API, GOR 1236:1, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 6890, Perforations 5560 to 6711, Acid 7450 gals 15 percent NeFeHCL, Frac 26,500 gals gel, 163,200 lbs sand, Formation tops Rustler 1468, Yates 2741, Seven Rivers 2929, Queen 3388, San Andres 4072, Upper Clearfork (5600) 5419, Tubb 6046, Lower Clearfork 6102, Wichita 6548, Base Unit 6789, Top of pay 5560.

LOVING COUNTY

Dimmitt (Cherry Canyon)
Texaco Inc No 4 Loving "BC" Fee, 719 fsl, 467 fwl, J B Walling, SF, 15470, 10 ne Mentone, Elev 3011 kb, TD 6735, PB 6725, Completed 2 22 88, Potentialed 2 28 88, pumping 56 bopd, 60 Mcfd, 117 bwpd, 39.8 API, GOR 1091:1, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 6735, Perforations 6634 to 6652, Acid 2000 gals 15 percent NeFe, Frac 26,000 gals gel, 47,000 lbs 20/40 sand, Top of pay 6634.

Texaco Inc No 4 Loving "BB" Fee, 467 fsl, 950 fel, sec 25, blk 53, T-2-S, T&P, 8 ne Mentone, Elev 2961 kb, TD 6625, PB 6615, Completed 2 28 88, Potentialed 3 1 88, flowing 91 bopd, 96 Mcfd, 423 bwpd, 32/64 inch choke, FTP 135 psi, API 39.6, GOR 1055:1, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 6625, Perforations 6526 to 6542, Acid 2000 gals 15 percent NeFe, Frac 26,500 gals gel, 47,000 lbs 20/40 sand, Top of pay 6526.

MARTIN COUNTY

Mabee
Texaco Inc No 546 J E Mabee A NCT-1, 665 fsl, 1376 fel, sec 18, blk 39, T-2-N, G&MMB&A, 23 nw Stanton, Elev 2892, TD 4760, PB 4759, Completed 2 28 88, Potentialed 3 2 88, pumping 266 bopd, 21 Mcfd, 50 bwpd, 32 API, GOR 79:1, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4760, Perforations 4689 to 4755, Acid 5000 gals 28 percent HCL, Formation top San Andres 4649, Top of pay 4689.

Sale Ranch (Fusselman)
Adobe Resources Corp No 1 Sale Ranch 21, 660 fnl, 1980 fel, sec 21, blk 37, T-1-N, T&P, 10 nw Stanton, Elev 2778, TD 11,719, PB 11,718, Completed 2 10 88, Potentialed 3 9 88, pumping 38 bopd, 37 Mcfd, 60 bwpd, 48 API, GOR 974:1, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 11,719, Perforations 11,705 to 11,719, Acid 1250 gals, Formation tops Glorieta 5122, Clearfork 6390, Spraberry 7534, Dean 8820, Strawn 10,448, Devonian 11,417, Silurian 11,710, Top of pay 11,694.

MIDLAND COUNTY

Moose (Queen)
Texaco Inc No 3 Midland "AA-N" Fee, 660 fnl, 1521 fwl, sec 41, blk 41, T-3-S, T&P, 18 sw Midland, Elev 2888 kb, TD 4500, PB 4490, Completed 2 23 88, Potentialed 2 28 88, pumping 94 bopd, 7 Mcfd, 27 bwpd, 33.1 API, GOR 74:1, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 4500, Perforations 4378 to 4476, Acid 500 gals 15 percent NeFe, Frac 55,000 gals gel, 70,000 lbs 20/40 sand, Top of pay 4378.

Spraberry (Trend Area)
Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co No 1 Cathey, 660 fnl, 660 fwl, sec 16, blk 39, T-2-S, T&P, 15 s Midland, Elev 2774.5, TD 9550, PB 9504, Completed 2 26 88, Potentialed 3 2 88, pumping 53 bopd, 29 Mcfd, 175 bwpd, 39 API, GOR 547:1, Casing 4 1/2 inches at 9550, Perforations 7834 to 9478, Acid 5000 gals 15 percent HCL, Frac 180,000 gals gel, 432,400 lbs 20/40 sand, Formation tops Upper Spraberry 7815, Lower Spraberry 8495, Dean 9350, Base Dean 9369, Top of pay 7834.

Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co No 1 McAlister "P", 660 fsl, 779 fwl, sec 29, blk 37, T-1-S, T&P, 8 e Midland, Elev 2742, TD 9125, PB 9070, Completed 3 1 88, Potentialed 3 7 88, pumping 29 bopd, 28 Mcfd, 108 bwpd, 38.9 API, GOR 966:1, Casing 4 1/2 inches at 9125, Perforations 7428 to 9014, Acid 5000 gals 15 percent HCL, Frac 180,000 gals gel, 432,400 lbs 20/40 sand, Formation tops Upper Spraberry 7407, Lower Spraberry 8038, Dean 8696, Base Dean 8927, Top of pay 7428.

Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co No 2 McAlister "P", 467 fsl, 1127 fel, sec 28, blk 37, T-1-S, T&P, 8 ne Midland, Elev 2747 kb, TD 9125, PB 9091, Completed 3 2 88, Potentialed 3 7 88, pumping 32 bopd, 26 Mcfd, 110 bwpd, 39 API, GOR 813:1, Casing 4 1/2 inches at 9125, Perforations 7412 to 8999, Acid 5000 gals 15 percent Frac, 180,000 gals gel, 432,400 lbs 20/40 sand, Formation tops Upper Spraberry 7394, Lower Spraberry 8010, Dean 8710, Base Dean 8902, Top of pay 7412.

Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co No 1 Teinert "B", 330 fwl, 580 fnl, sec 23, blk 38, T-2-S, T&P, 5 se Midland, Elev 2730, TD 9350, PB 9327, Completed 2 18 88, Potentialed 2 26 88, pumping 30 bopd, 26 Mcfd, 115 bwpd, 39 API, GOR 933:1, Casing 4 1/2 inches at 9350, Perforations 7659 to 9288, Acid 5000 gals 15 percent HCL, Frac 180,000 gals gel, 432,500 lbs 20/40 sand, Formation tops Upper Spraberry 7643, Lower Spraberry 8337, Dean 9036, Base Dean 9235, Top of pay 7659.

Parker & Parsley Petroleum Co No 1 Yater "B", 660 fnl, 660 fwl, sec 27, blk 39, T-2-S, T&P, 4.5 s Midland, Elev 2766, TD 9525, PB 9505, Completed 2 23 88, Potentialed 2 26 88, pumping 42 bopd, 27 Mcfd, 168 bwpd, 38.9 API, GOR 643:1, Casing 4 1/2 inches at 9525, Perforations 7810 to 9382, Acid 5000 gals 15 percent HCL, Frac 180,000 gals gel, 432,400 lbs 20/40 sand, Formation tops Upper Spraberry 7792, Lower Spraberry 8482, Dean 9084, Base Dean 9348, Top of pay 7810.

STERLING COUNTY

Credo (Wolfcamp)
David H Arrington Oil & Gas, Inc No 1 Stewart "A", 3191 fsl, 794 fel, sec 21, blk 30, W&NW, 20 nw Sterling City, Elev 2564, TD 7750, PB 7725, Completed 1 16 88, Potentialed 3 4 88, pumping 53 bopd, 80 Mcfd, 3 bwpd, 32 API, GOR 1509:1, Casing 4 1/2 inches at 7750, Perforations 7546 to 7643, Acid 6000 gals, Top of pay 7460.

TRC DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY

Deep Rock (Penn)
Union Oil Co of California No 3 Crosby State, 1980 fel, 2310 fsl, sec 17, blk A-43, PSL, 7 sw Andrews, PD 9700.

Union Oil Co of California No 1 Ford, 1950 fsl, 660 fwl, sec 18, blk A-43, PSL, 5 sw Andrews, PD 9700.

Wellen (San Andres)
Maralo, Inc No 2 Southland Royalty "C", 190 fsl, 1980 fel, sec 21, blk A-46, PSL, 5 w Andrews, PD 9360. Plugback from Deep Rock (Penn) field.

CRANE COUNTY

McElroy North (Silurian)
Chevron U S A, Inc No 8 McElroy Ranch Co "G", 1980 fsl, 1980 fwl, sec 18, blk 42, T-5-S, T&P, 8 n Crane, PD 12,300. Deepen from McElroy North (Devonian and Ellenburger) fields.

ECTOR COUNTY

Goldsmith West
Mariah Energy Corp No 1 Cummins "A", 660 fnl, 660 fwl, sec 20, blk 45, T-1-N, T&P, 20 nw Odessa, PD 5800.

Mariah Energy Corp No 1 Cummins "B", 1980 fnl, 1980 fwl, sec 20, blk 45, T-1-N, T&P, 20 nw Odessa, PD 5800.

Wheeler (Waddell)
Amoco Production Co No 2 R.H. Blue, 657 fnl, 665 fel, sec 15, blk 46, T-1-S, T&P, 5 sw Notrees, PD 10,591. Deepen from Silurian formation.

MARTIN COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)
MacOil, Inc. No. 1 Stanton Prospect; 660 fsl, 1980 fwl, sec 11, blk 38, T-1-S, T&P, 1 nw Stanton, PD 9300.

MIDLAND COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)
Hanley Petroleum Inc. No. 2 Texaco "11"; 1980 fnl, 1980 fel, sec 11, blk 37, T-4-S, T&P, 22 se Midland, PD 8700.

MITCHELL COUNTY

Dixon
D.O.E. Energy No. 1 Silver Ranch; 500 fwl, 530 fsl, sec 1, blk 12, H&TC, Abst. 169, 20 s Colorado City, PD 7500.

PECOS COUNTY

Apco-Warner West (Wichita Albany)
National Coop Refinery Assoc. No. 2 Myron A. Smith "D"; 660 fswl, 1980 fsel, sec 59, blk 10, H&GN, 12 sw Imperial, PD 5200. Plugback from Ellenburger formation.

WINKLER COUNTY

Apollo (Atoka)
Enron Oil & Gas Co. No. 151 University Block 21 GU; 2000 fnl, 1000 fel, sec 15, blk 21, ULS, 4 w Wink, PD 16,973. Plugback from Fusselman formation.

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INVESTORS' GUIDE

T-notes good choice for annuity investment

By BILL DOYLE

Q. I am a blue collar worker in my early 50s and in the process of losing my job. I would like to invest $75,000 to $100,000 in something safe for life that is backed by the federal government from which I would receive interest every month.

Although I am not knowledgeable about investments, Series HH, U.S. Savings Bonds, and U.S. Treasury notes come to mind. Which would you suggest?


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A. HH bonds no longer can be purchased for cash. HHs have been available only in exchange for Series E and EE bonds and U.S. Savings Notes since November 1982.

Treasury notes would be a good choice. They meet your criterion of safety. Because they are backed by the full faith and credit of our federal government, you know you will receive the interest payments and that the notes will be paid off at face value when they mature. Treasury notes come with maturities of two to 10 years and pay interest semiannually.

You could buy $15,000 of Treasury notes every month for six months. Then, you could keep reinvesting your money by rolling over each note as it comes due and buy a new note.

Try two-year Treasury notes. That way, your money won't be tied up for a long time and, if you need $15,000, you can get it out when a note matures.

Two-year Treasury notes have been yielding approximately 7.1 percent recently. By following the staggered schedule of note purchases suggested above, you'll get about $532.50 interest monthly.

Q. Can I buy U.S. Treasury securities directly from the government, thereby avoiding the commissions, service fees and/or other charges levied by brokers, banks and other agents?

A. Sure. The Treasury Department sells Treasury bills, notes and bonds through auctions. You can buy by submitting a "tender" (bid) to the Treasury or your district Federal Reserve Bank or branch. There are 12 Federal Reserve Banks and 25 branches. Your local bank can give you the address of the Fed bank or branch serving your area.

Write the appropriate Fed bank or branch and you will receive tender forms, literature explaining Treasury securities and a package detailing the "Treasury Direct" system for buying and owning Treasury securities.

Certificates no longer are issued for Treasury bills, notes and bonds. Instead, after you make a purchase, you receive a statement. Interest payments from Treasury notes or bonds, "discounts" on the purchase of Treasury bills and proceeds from redemption of those securities are sent electronically to your account at a bank you specify.

Q. As an investor in U.S. Treasury bills I am concerned about the Treasury Direct system. I currently have $115,000 in T bills. What happens if I buy a 26-week T bill in that amount and the local bank to which I have directed the money be sent fails between the time of my purchase and the T bill's maturity? Am I fully protected?

A. Absolutely. Your account in the Treasury Direct system is with the federal government. Your local bank does not receive your money until the T bill matures. Even then, your local bank won't get all that money — if you roll over the T bill to buy a new T bill. In that case, only the discount — the difference between the face amount of the new T bill and the lower price at which you buy it — will go to your bank.

Q. I buy Treasury bills amounting to more than $100,000 through my local bank — not through the Treasury Direct system. When a T bill matures, the money is credited to my account. Several days later, when the bank buys a new T bill for me, my account is debited.

Suppose the bank goes belly up in between. Could I lose the amount above $100,000?

A. You might, because Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. coverage stops at $100,000 per depositor. You can avoid that worry by switching to the Treasury Direct system.

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A—A

AMR 13 6417 42¼ + 1¼
ARX 9 387 9
ABA 3 223 47 — ¼
AbtLab 1.20 18 4011 48⅝ + ⅛
AetnLf 2.76 6 1179 48⅝ + ⅛
AirPrd 1 14 543 46¼ + ⅛
AlskAir .16 24 1246 17⅝ + ⅛
Alcan s.72 11 631 28⅝ — ⅛
AlcoS s.68 13 357 26⅝ + ⅛
Algint 48 2⅝ + ⅛
AlgPw 3 9 658 37⅝
Allegis 13 9084 79⅝ + 1⅝
AldSgnl 1.80 9 864 32¼ — ⅛
AlliC 192 1⅛ + ⅛
Alcoa 1.20 18 789 45 — ¼
Amax 22 366 18⅜ — ⅛
AmHes .60 11 463 29⅝
AmBrnd 2.20 10 218 45¼ — ¼
ACyan s1.05 17 1395 50½ — ⅝
AEIPw 2.20s 11 1466 27⅜ + ⅛
AExp s.76 22 3310 26¼ — ⅛
AFamly .24 12 1217 15¼ + ⅛
AHome 3.60 14 446 60
Amrtch 5.40 11 516 91¼ + ⅝
AintGr .30 9 580 57⅛ + ⅛
AmBrd 1.80 19 1804 u74⅝ + ⅛
AmStor .84 13 96 54⅝ — ⅛
AT&T 1.20 15 2880 29⅝ + ⅛
Ametk s.60 16 184 16⅛
Amoco 3.80 14 697 74⅝ — ⅛
AMP 1 22 679 51⅛ + ⅛
Anacmp 14 291 8⅛
Anadrk .30 133 436 24 — ⅛
Anheus .80 16 4483 32⅛ + ⅛
ArchDn .10b 11 1699 20⅝ + ⅛
Armco 9 1471 11⅝ + ⅛
ArmWl .80 11 500 36¼ — ⅛
Asarco .20e 5 785 24⅛
AshOil 1.80 11 422 64⅝ — ⅝
AtlRich 4 12 1088 78 — ⅛
AtlasCp 24 109 37¼ — ⅝
Augat .40 23 42 14⅝
AVMC s.28 12 19 24⅝ + ⅛
Avery .42 29 357 23⅝
Avnet .80 25 99 25⅛ — ⅛
Avon 2 10 492 23⅝
Aydin 6 50 22⅝

B—B

BakrHu .48 3124 17⅛ — ⅛
BallyMf .20 11 261 17⅛ — ⅛
BaltGE 1.90 9 391 30 + ⅛
BncOne .92b 11 165 24⅝ — ⅛
BkNY 1.80 10 468 29¼ + ⅛
BnkAm .2450 9⅝ + ⅛
Bausch 1 15 1224 43 — ⅛
Baxter .60 22 1384 24⅝ — ⅛
BeltHel .82 11 184 62¼ + ⅛
BellAtl 3.84 11 661 69⅝ + ⅛
BellSo 2.20 11 1143 39½ + ⅛
BenfCp 2 6 161 43½ — ⅛
BengtB .05e 24 3⅝ + ⅛
BestPd 11 5329 10¼ + ⅛
BethSt 14 512 21⅛
Bevrly .05j 3188 7⅛
BlackD .40 16 683 18 — ⅛
BlkHR s.88 22 102 31⅛ + ⅛
Boeing 1.40 16 3890 48⅝ + 1
BoiseC s1.20 13 117 47½ — ⅛
Borden 1.20 15 140 54⅝ — ⅛
BostEd 1.92 7 129 17 — ⅛
BristM s1.68 18 1479 43⅜ + ⅛
BrlnPt 3.05e 13 1788 60 + ⅛
BrwnF s.48 21 1550 26⅝
Brnwk s.36 11 1324 21 — ⅛
BrlNth 2.20 14 478 68⅝ — ⅛

C—C

CBS 3 18 618 164¼
CIGNA 2.96 9 491 49⅜ + ⅛
CMS En 8 239 17⅝ — ⅛
CNW 16 296 22⅜ — ⅛
CPC 1.44 11 524 47⅛ + ⅛
CRSS s.24 14 48 15⅝ — ⅛
CSX 1.24 34 1800 29⅝ + ⅛
Caesar 13 1372 24⅝ + ⅛
CamSp s.84 14 175 28 + ⅛
CapCits .20 21 64 343⅛ — 2
CarPw 2.76 9 96 34⅜ + ⅛
CarlH s10 65 10⅛
CastlCk 13 41 22⅛ + ⅛
Caterp .75 20 484 64⅛ — ⅛
Centel s1.72 13 410 45⅝ — ⅛
CentEn 2.56 8 737 16 + ⅛
CentrCp 60 40 2⅛ + ⅛
Crt-teed 1 16 3947 u47⅛ + 1⅛
Champin .80 9 644 36 — ⅛
ChamSp .10e 24 83 12⅛ + ⅛
ChartC .02e 5 194 4⅝
Chase 2.16 1346 29⅝ + ⅛
ChmNY 2.72 632 24⅝ + ⅛
Chevrn 2.40 16 924 46 — ⅛
ChrisCr 471 40 65 18⅛ + 4⅝
Chrys s1 4 3828 24⅛ — ⅛
CircleK .28 13 426 12⅜
CirCty .08 14 71 27⅛ — ⅛
Citicrp s1.36 3864 19⅜ — ⅛
ClarkE 38 25 — ⅛
Cleanx s.88 14 138 31⅝ — ⅛
Coastal .40 14 752 29⅝
CocaCl 1.20 16 2116 38½ — ⅛
Coleco 806 2⅜
ColgPal 1.48 56 71 43⅜ — ⅛
Colt n 9 2663 18⅜
ColGas 3.16 14 824 31¼ + ⅛
CmbEn 1 22 76 34¼
Comdre 9 215 8⅜ — ⅛
CmwE 3 6 845 26¾ — ⅛
Comsat 1.20 202 26¾ + ⅛
ConsEd 3.20 10 1149 43¾ — ⅛
ConsNG 1.84 16 146 36⅝
Consil s.75e 14 476 32 — ⅛
CnStor 18 980 4⅝ + ⅛
Contel 2 60 237 33 — ⅛
CntlCp 2.60 11 233 38⅝
CtlData 47 371 27⅛ — ⅛
Cooper 1.80 17 827 68⅜ — ⅛
CornGl 1.48 13 285 54¾ — ⅛
CrayRs 17 189 81⅛ — ⅝
CrwnCk 12 11 102¼
CumEn 2.20 105 65 56 —1
CurtW 1.60 9 46 51¼ — ⅛

D—D

DPL 2.16 10 449 25¼ — ⅛
DaneCp 1.52 12 329 38¼ — ⅛
DataGn 293 24⅜ — ⅛
DaytHd 1.02 16 594 39⅝ — ⅛
Deere .80 18 1580 43¾ — ⅛
DelteAr 1.20 10 2150 47⅝ + 1⅛
DetEd 1.68 4 683 13⅜ + ⅛
Digital 12 5460 116⅛ — 2⅜
Disney .40 19 1091 62¾ — ⅛
DomRs 3.06 9 254 42¼
Doer 1.12 19 244 61¼ + 1¼
DowCh 2.40 13 5843 64⅜ — ⅛
DowJns .68 16 214 33⅝ + ⅛
Dreor .60 26 680 31 — ¼
duPont 3.40 12 1133 66⅝ — ⅛
DukeP 2.80 10 1104 46 + ⅛
DuqLt 1.20 8 303 14⅛

E—E

ERC 9 2 10 — ⅛
EastGF 1.20 12 60 24⅛
EKodk s1.80 12 2668 43 — ⅛
Eaton 2 11 484 79¼ + ⅛
Echlin .56 17 174 15⅝ —
EmrsE s1 17 695 34⅝ — ⅛
Enron 2.48 686 36⅝ + ⅛
Enarch .80 62 220 18 + ⅛
Ethyl .44 14 388 21⅜
Exxon s2 12 5210 42⅝ + ⅛

F—F

FMC 7 386 29⅝ + ⅛
FPL Gp 2.12 10 811 29¼ + ⅛
Fairchd .20 31 8¼ — ⅛
Fairfd 21 5⅛ — ⅛
Fedders .28 18 111 6⅜
FedNM .48 7 1248 34⅛ + ⅛
FedDS s1.48 20 5189 65⅝ — ⅛
FinCpA 309 1⅝ + ⅛
FnSBar .10 16 38 6⅛
Firestn 1.20 20 4680 62⅝ + 1⅛
FstBkSy 1.84 30 1049 21⅛ — ⅛
FCapHd .3 514 6⅝ + ⅛
FstChic 1.60 51 23¾ + ⅛
FtInstr 2.80 417 44 — ⅛
FstPa 152 9⅝
FtWach 1.36 11 20 39⅝ — ⅛
FlastEn .60 11 36 21⅛
FlghtSf .20 22 321 41⅛ + 1⅛
FlaPrg 2.48 9 2417 34 + ⅛
FlaGas 18 39 5⅝ — ⅛
Fluor 24 4529 18⅝
FthillG .20 9 5 6
FordM s2 5 5406 43⅜ — ⅝
FrptMc 2.48e 7 418 28⅛

G—G

GAF .10 18 247 63¼ + ⅛
GTE 2.52 12 714 36⅛
Gannett s1 19 610 37⅝ + ⅛
GnCrp s.60 68 424 22⅜ — ⅝
Genetch 86 840 42¼ + ⅛
GnDyn 1 5 692 54¼ + ⅛
GenEl s1.40 19 451 6443⅝
GnHous .24 16 4 8⅝ + ⅛
Gninst .25 1686 33⅜ + 1⅝
GnMills 1.60 16 662 50⅝ + 1
GMot 5e 7 1402 71⅛ — ⅛
GM E .68 16 403 42 + ⅛
GPU 1.20 8 203 31¼ + ⅛
GnSignl 1.60 20 62 49⅜ + ⅛
Genesco 12 61 4⅛
GaPac 1.20 9 803 37⅛ + ⅛
GerbPd 1.32 23 203 42⅜ + ⅛
GibrFn 174 3⅛ — ⅛
Gillete s.88 19 1880 38⅝ — ⅝
Glaxo n.30e 21 10948 20¼ + ⅝
GldNug 3 293 10
Gdrich 1.72 17 3486 49¼ + ⅛
Goodyr 1.60 5 3147 62⅝ + 2⅝
Gould 140 12⅝ + ⅛
Grace s1.40 14 223 26⅝ — ⅛
GtAtPc .80 15 67 37⅛ — ⅛
GtNNk s.92 12 452 44⅛ + ⅛
GtWFn s.72 6 1613 14
Greyh 1.32 39 269 30⅝ — ⅛
Grumn 1 21 748 19⅜ — ⅛
GtWat 1.40 14 363 81⅛ + ⅛
GtrStUt 3 721 5⅝

H—H

Halbtn 1 71 1340 31⅝ + ⅛
Harind .88 19 720 23⅝ + ⅛
Harley 7 34 18⅝
Harris .88 13 61 29⅝
Hecks 34 1⅝
HeclaM .06e 36 300 13⅝ + ⅛
Heinz 1.24 15 s860 43⅝ + ⅛
Hercule 1.92 3 383 49⅝
Hrshey .62 16 583 26⅝ — ⅛
HewlPk .26 23 1376 63⅜ — ⅛
Holidy n 6 213 26⅝ — ⅛
Hmstk s.20 10 2193 15⅝
Honwell 2.10 12 143 66⅝ — ⅛
HCA 72 10 1890 29⅝
Hotlinv 2 8 16⅛ — ⅛
Housint 2 9 493 51⅛ + ⅛
Houlnd 2.88 8 748 30⅝ + ⅛
Human 80 12 227 23⅝ — ⅛

I—I

IC Ind .88 16 1266 35 + ⅛
IRT 1.32 19 17 16 — ⅛
ITT Cp 1.25 9 4803 47⅜ + ⅛
IU Int 61 3731 21⅝
IdahoP 1.80 15 319 24⅛
IdealB 76 3 + ⅛
IllPowr 2.64 6 1040 23 + ⅛
ITW s.40 17 40 38 — ⅛
ImpCh 3.83e 9 399 78⅝ + ⅛
INCA 80b 3 141 10⅜ + ⅛
INCO .40 21 576 22⅝ — ⅛
IngerRd s1.04 20 1097 39⅝ + ⅛
InldStl 12e 11 117 32⅝ — ⅛
Intgrs s1.40 9 26 44⅝ + ⅛
IBM 4.40 13 5486 114⅝ — 1⅛
IntFlav 1.60 18 93 49⅝ — ⅛
IntMin 1 16 466 46 + ⅛
IntPap s1.20 12 2072 43⅝ —
Ipalco 1.64 9 106 22⅝

J—J

JRiver 40 11 1384 25⅝ + ⅛
JohnJn 1.68 18 920 64⅝ + ⅛
Johnind 7 3 19⅛
Joslen 56 8 337 18⅝ + ⅛

K—K

K mrt s1.16 11 2666 36⅝
Kaisrtc 15⅛ 547 11⅝
Kaneb 130 2⅝ — ⅛
KCSou 1.08 24 136 46⅝ — ⅛
KanGE 1.48 11 124 20 + ⅛
KanPL s1.72 10 47 24⅝ + ⅛
Katyln 21 44 15 — ⅛
KaufB s.32 8 145 14
Kellogg 1.52 18 1043 50⅝ — ⅛
KerrMc 1.10 21 2141 36⅝ — ⅛
KimbC s1.80 15 296 57⅛ — ⅛
KnghtRd 1.12 18 141 42⅝ — ⅛
Kopers 1.20 147 3233 52⅝ + 1
Kraft 1.88 17 382 56⅛
Kroger 1.08 10 350 29⅛ + ⅛

Additional listings

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New York

	LS	PC
Adobe Resrce ADB	8⅜	8⅜
ADBA	18⅛	18⅛
ADBB	20⅛	20⅛
Baker International		
Cameron Iron Works	17⅝	18⅛
Coastal States	28⅛	28⅝
Datapoint Corp	4⅛	4⅜
Elcor	7⅛	7⅜
First City Bank Corp	50	50
First Mississippi	15⅝	15⅝
Fluor Corp	18⅝	18⅝
Helmrich & Payne	25⅝	25⅞
Baker Hughes Tool	17⅝	17⅝
Lear Petroleum	2⅜	2⅞
Lubys	24	23⅝
Mesa Royalty Trust	36⅛	36⅜
Murphy Oil Corp	26	27⅛
Noble Affiliates	14	13⅝
Parker Drilling	3⅜	3⅝
Pennzoil	75	74⅜
PepsiCo	35⅛	36⅛
Pogo Producing	4⅝	4⅝
RepublicBank	1⅜	1⅝
Rowan Co	7⅛	7⅜
Sabine Royalty	12⅜	12⅜
Schlumberger Ltd	36⅛	36⅝
Smith International	8⅝	8⅝
Tandy Corp	41⅛	40⅝
Texaco	45⅛	45⅛
TexAmer Bancshares	3⅛	3⅜
Tidewater	6⅜	6⅝
Toeco	2⅜	2⅝
Western Co	⅞	81
Zapata Corp	3⅜	3⅝
American		
Adobe Coal		2⅝
Houston Oil&Mineral	⅛	1 0
Sage Energy		5⅛
USENCO		4 1
Permian Corp	8⅝	8⅝
Ohio Edison	18⅛	18⅝
Battle Mt Gold	16⅝	16⅝
Regal International	56	56
Parker & Parsley Dev	16	15⅝
Intelogic Trace	3⅛	3⅜

LS-Last Sale
PC-Previous Closing

Over the counter

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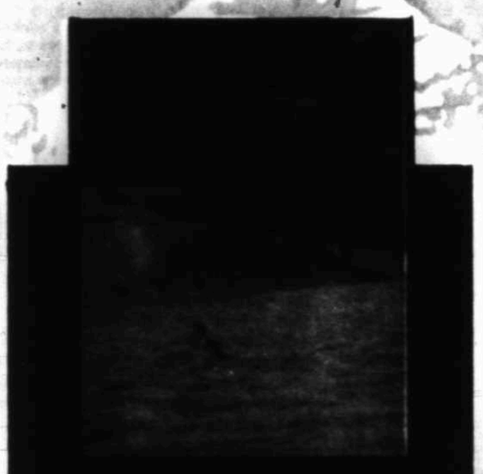
	B	A
Alta Energy	⅛	⅜
Blyvoors	5⅛	5⅜
Coors	20⅛	20⅜
Cyprus Minerals	24⅝	24⅞
Cyprus Semiconductr	12	12⅛
Dawson Geophysical	5⅛	6⅜
Delta Drilling	1⅜	1⅝
Flare, Inc	⅛	⅜
Forest Oil Corp	15⅜	15⅝
Oceaneering Intl	3⅛	3⅜
Parallel Petroleum	⅛	⅜
Service Mdse	6⅜	7
Tom Brown, Inc	⅛	⅜
Tucker Drilling	5⅜	6⅛
Texas Van Guard	⅛	⅜
Union Texas	11⅛	—
Vaal Reefs	9⅛	9⅜
Wolhom Gold	7⅛	7⅜
Western Deep Levels	40	41
Exploration Co	⅛	⅜

B-Bid
A-Asked

MUTUAL FUNDS

NAL 0020000031 4
AAL Cap 8.80 9.03
AAL Inc 9.86 10.35
AARP Invst:
CapGr 22.33 NL
GlnIM 15.38 NL
GenBd 15.10 NL
Gthinc 21.19 NL
TxFBd 15.79 NL
TxFSh 15.54 NL
ABT Midwest:
Emrg 8.02 8.42
Fl Govt 10.33 10.76
Fl Gth 13.17 13.83
Gthinc 10.07 10.57
IntGv 10.37 10.58
SecInc 8.85 9.29
TFLtd 10.24 10.45
Utilinc 13.72 14.40
AdamCa 14.03 14.46
ADTEK 9.71 NL
AdvntGv 9.70 10.13
AIM Funds:
Chart 5.25 5.51
Constl 7.08 7.41
CvYld 9.37 9.84
Grnwy 8.85 9.29
HiYld 8.94 9.39
LimMT 9.99 10.17
Sumit 6.42
Weing 9.06 9.50
A M A Funds:
ClasGt 8.90 NL
ClasIn 8.89 NL
EMT 12.73 13.36
GlbGt 19.26 NL
GlobIn 20.52 NL
GlbST 10.19 NL
GrwPl 18.06 NL
MedT 10.50 NL
AMEV Funds:
Capitl 12.03 13.15
Fiducr 18.40 19.17
Grwth 15.00 16.39
Specl 18.84 NL
US Gvt 9.99 10.46
AcornF r 36.82 NL
Afuture 9.58 NL
Adveat Advant:
Govt r 9.03 NL
Gwth r 11.35 NL
Inco r 9.81 NL
Spcl r 8.59 NL
AlgerGr r 10.16 NL
Alliance Cap:
Alianc 5.89 6.23
Balan 12.78 13.52
Canad 6.59 6.97
Conv 9.13 9.66
Count 14.02 14.84
Divid 2.88 3.06
Govt 8.68 9.19
HB TF 9.06 9.43
HiTxF 9.21 9.59
HiYld 8.68 9.19
Intl 15.51 16.41
ICalTx
Monin 12.12 12.83
Mortg 9.35 9.89
Quasr 16.67 17.64
Survey 10.56 11.16
Tech 22.31 23.61
Amer Capital:
Cmstk 12.74 13.92
Corp 7.18 7.54
Entrp 10.21 11.16
Exch 83.77
FedMt 13.18 13.84
Fd Am 10.72 11.72
GvSec 10.54 11.30
Grow 15.68
Harbr 12.44 13.60
Hi Yld 9.21 9.88
Mun B 18.09 18.99
OTC 6.45 7.05
Pace 21.74 23.76
Provid 4.22 4.55
TxE HY 11.01 11.56
TxE In 10.70 11.23
Ventr 12.03 13.15
American Funds:
A Bal 10.70 11.69
Amcp 10.47 11.44
A Mutl 18.30 20.00
Bond 13.66 14.34
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This IS THE PLACE!



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Brigham Young first made the observation back in the mid-1800s as he surveyed the Great Salt Lake and the vast valley floor below from the heights of the Wasatch Mountains.

And when the snow is hip-deep powder, it's a statement skiers, standing high in the Wasatch range and looking down slopes of virgin snow, have echoed many times since.

It's also a place where a father can be led down the Primrose Path by the younger generation. Even worse is the trail that leads to the Primrose Path.

The mission's intent was to discover if Utah skiing lived up to the rave notices. Were those 500-inch lighter-than-air powder, made that way by the proximity of the Great Salt Lake, reports really "honest Injun"?

Mark Twain never met a man he didn't like; here was someone who never met a ski area he didn't like and, frankly, didn't expect to find one in the Beehive state.

The lone negative was that the only time the group of eight, congregating from Maryland to Flagstaff, could meet for a week on the slopes fell during one of those peak holiday periods.

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The plan was to ski as many of the cluster of popular areas, located no more than 30 minutes out of SLC, as possible. There aren't a million of 'em, but there are enough....Park City, Park West, Snowbird, Sundance, Brighton, Solitude, Alta and Deer Valley.

All, apparently, are just over the mountain and within skiable distance of one another. When it comes to vehicle access, however, they aren't that close. But through an Inter-Connect tour geared to physically fit advanced intermediates and experts, around $85 a day, an adventurous skier can sample all of the above as well as back country avalanche terrain on a guided tour.

Solitude and Brighton are up Little Cottonwood Canyon and not far beyond are Snowbird and Alta, a mile apart, located in Cottonwood Canyon.

Despite the smorgasbord intentions, snow conditions dictated and limited the choices. Then, too, those rave notices over the years on Snowbird had to be checked out first and it resulted in two more visits.

Solitude, twice, and Alta, the second oldest ski area in the nation, were also checked out.

Curiosity over the old mining-town-resurrected locale prompted a non-skiing visit to Park City and Park West, located east of SLC in rolling hills just beyond the steeps of the Cottonwoods.

Park City attracts huge peak-period crowds. "For one reason," explained one native, "All the boulders have been cleared and the slopes receive daily grooming, so it really doesn't take as much snow for good skiing as it does in other places."

Both Park City and Park West, virtually adjacent, present wide, gentle cruising slopes from below, but the only way to judge difficulty is looking down from above. Then, too, most of Park City and Park West's vertical plunges are hidden from view.

Lines reportedly were long at Park City, "But Park West doesn't get as many skiers because it looks pretty easy from the road. What they can't see is what is beyond," said one guide.

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BEST ABLE to handle crowds is Snowbird, thanks to the tram, which can carry 125 skiers at a time to the top.

Lift ticket with tram is $30. Lift ticket for chairs only is $24. Even on a busy day, lift lines for the chairs are brief. That's because many prefer the tram, where lift lines can be 45 minutes.

Solitude's purpose ($10 weekdays, $14 weekends and holiday periods) was to test what was feared to be a broken leg with a half day pass while everyone else went to Snowbird. It turned out that the injured knee hurt less on skis than it did walking.

A lot like an oversized Wolf Creek or Ski Apache, Solitude was worth talking everybody into a visit the next day, which turned out to be a mistake.

School may be out during the so called break weeks in Salt Lake City, but a visiting skier is convinced that attendance on the slopes is required. When you see people taking attendance at the lifts.....

Nine inches of powder prompted the visit to Alta, another mistake. Great skiing, but overrun with people ($14 lift ticket) who love to stand in line.

John and Becky Hildebrand, from Flagstaff, had the right idea. Rather than buck the crowds, they went cross-country skiing, packing overnight necessities, into a friend's cabin in the Brighton canyon.

EVEN THOUGH Utah was apologizing for the fact that its snow wasn't up to usual standards, Snowbird lived up to its raves and even without a tram ticket, one can still hike, after riding to the crest on Little Cloud chair, to the tram for a descent on the Peruvian side of the mountain.

The hike is only about four miles, uphill at more than 11,000 feet, exposed to winds howling from out of the North Pole....the four miles is accurate in terms of energy expended.

One of the questionable lures was the story told by Matt Holton, MRT graphics artist, who assured that they had to hose down the tram after each trip to the top because of the havoc created by the winds. His brother, who spent a winter at Snowbird, was cited as the source.

THE CLIMB was attacked with the usual gusto. "Do I really have to go?" "Come one, dad, you can do it. Let's go.".

"Hey, wait a minute. I've got to carry my own skis plus climbing uphill in these 50-pound boots? This is worse than herring-boning to Hunziker's Bowl."

"Come on, it's not four miles. Can't be much over a quarter of a mile. You can do it."

"I'm tired. Let's go back. I'm not 39 any more. You know I turned 40."

"How many times? Now stop whining, we haven't even started yet."

"Kid, you know you're vicious."

Then, came the echos from the past as an offspring repeatedly encouraged. "We'll go to the third post and stop and rest. You can make that, can't you? We'll take it in easy stages."

"That sounds like the line I used to feed you," it was protested. "I'll never make it."

At the sixth post rest stop, "I may make it to the top, but I won't have any legs left to get down. What if my pacemaker battery goes dead? Who's going to come up and get the body?" Then the realization, "This piano wire and these skinny crowbars...that's all that keeps us from going off the side of the mountain and falling into avalanche country."

We panted and wheezed on with increased haste.

ADMITTEDLY, the view from the top was enough to leave a breathless climber speechless....to the west, through the mouth of Big Cottonwood, Salt Lake City spread across the valley, somewhere under a low smog covering, to the Oquirrah mountains and the world's largest open pit copper diggings wearing a mantle of snow. A tiny corner of the Great Salt Lake was visible. In all other directions, a Sahara of snow-capped peaks stretched without end.

Matt, it turned out was wrong. They don't hose down the tram after the passengers alight and upon investigation, only one small boy had succumbed to motion sickness all day.

Moments later, a father, led to the brink by his sons, looked down between his skis at the Primrose Path. A road wound through the valley directly below. "It's 3,000 feet to the bottom and this is a black diamond. You tricked me. I'll never get down," a statement of fact.

"If they don't find me until the thaw, tell your mother I loved her."

SLC area offers multiple choice

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SALT LAKE CITY- It seems like a long way to go, but when the Wasatch Mountains have a full complement of snow, it's worth it.

And last Friday 47 inches fell on Alta and another 39 just down the canyon at Snowbird..

No other winter sport area has as wide a range of choices within such convenient reach.

Brighton, Solitude and Alta are for the no frills skier at 1960s lift prices. Snowbird is luxury plus for the serious skier. Park City, Park City West are tremendously popular areas manicured to perfection whose setting is enhanced by its old west mining town setting.

Nearby is Deer Valley, the Robin Leach resort for the rich and famous and its $36 lift tickets and $350-per dorma. Want to see a Hollywood star or a world celebrity? That's the place to go.

Of course, if it's celebrities you want at a more palatable price, Sundance down the Heeber Valley from Park City is the place. This is Robert Redford's pet project, launched in the late 1960s, a development that has been carefully monitored. It was a spot targeted for inspection, but it lacked the snow of the areas just to the north.

Slopeside stays offer bargains in the off-peak period and holiday-weekend tariffs are in line with other first rate ski areas.

AS AN option, there is Salt Lake City for the skier who may be staying a week or more. It's a big city oriented to cater to the winter tourist. It's also a big city in which one can't get lost.

City busses operate a regular schedule to the slopes ($3 one way, $6 round trip); car rental agencies often offer discounts through the motel and the same goes for the ski rental equipment. At a Trolley Square ski shop, with motel discount, one first-time skiier saved $60 for a week's use of skis.

For Apres Ski, for those who still have the energy, there's Temple Square and Thursday night choir rehearsal at the Tabernacle; concerts, theater and sports.

The University of Utah is a WAC member while the Jazz play in the NBA. The Eagles are a member of the International Hockey League.

The Jazz and Eagles play in the Salt Palace. While watching the Eagles play Denver one night, a radio talkshow host sitting nearby informed that the Jazz do not play in the same 12,000 seat arena. "They play in the arena below this one, in the basement." Presumably, an NBA viewer would refer to the Eagles' home ice as "in the attic."

IN ANY case, get your tickets in advance. The Jazz are usually sold out and you can never tell about the Eagles. Arriving one night 15 minutes before face off, the line was so long that 15 minutes into the game it became apparent it would be the second period before the ticket window would be reached.

Among the eating places checked out were Diamond Lil's, The Market Place, and Sophie Garcia's, just the tip of the iceberg.

For family tree shakers, a day at the Geneological library, west side of Temple Square, offers one of the most complete information sources in existence.

An introductory talk and film familiarizes the searcher with the what and how and later there's always someone close by and willing to answer questions, and supply directions.

A vending snack bar is available for lunch, which proves handy, since once the search begins, a full day is hardly adequate, especially if an encouraging clue or two is uncovered.

From Midland, American West to Phoenix and then north to SLC, proved to be the best and most economical way to go, if you make reservations well in advance.

Just one thing, from Phoenix to Salt Lake, or vice versa, try to get a window seat and take a map. The air views of the Grand Canyon, Bryce, Zion, Canyonlands, Glen Canyon make this flight a rare treat.

Lehigh a million-to-1 shot to win NCAA tourney

BETHLEHEM, Pa. (AP) — Oddsmakers call them the longest shot to win the NCAA tournament, but the Lehigh Engineers don't mind opening against the top-ranked Temple Owls.

"They're very good, but they've lost once," said Lehigh's Mike Polaha. "They're not unbeatable."

The Engineers, 21-9, have some convincing to do. Glantz & Culver listed them at 500-1 odds of claiming the title in Kansas City on April 4. USA Today oddsmaker Danny Sheridan put their chances at a million-to-1.

In the Eastern Regional on Friday night at Hartford, Conn., Lehigh is the 28-point underdog.

"I think we're worried more about that first game than any of them," Ron Ticho, Lehigh's sports information director, said Monday.

But he pooh-poohed the notion that they had the smallest chance of winning.

"If we're a million-to-one this year, we must have been 6 million-to-one last time," he said.

The last time Lehigh appeared in post-season play was 1985, when the Engineers lost to Georgetown 68-43 in the opening round. The game was decided in the first half, when Lehigh fell 28 points behind. The Engineers outscored the Hoyas 32-29 in the second half, and Polaha wound up outscoring even 7-foot Patrick Ewing.

Three other members of that 1985 team will be in Hartford again for Friday's game: 6-foot-5 Daren Queenan, the nation's No. 2 scorer with 28.7 points a game and 2,682 career points, 6-7 Bill Cheslock and 6-6 Tim Russell.

"We'll be ready to go, I'm sure of that," said Polaha, who averages 20.2 points and has 49.6 percent accuracy from 3-point range. "I'll probably be matched up with Mark Macon, who might be the best freshman guard in the country, but I'll just play my game and see what happens."

Temple, 29-1, has a streaky shooting record, "but they can shoot 30 percent and still beat you with defense and rebounding," said Frank McCaffery, the youngest Division I head coach at 28, and Tom Schneider's top assistant at Lehigh in 1985.

"They have the premier zone defense in the country and their guards, Macon and Howard Evans, put the pressure on," Polaha said. "We have to hope they have a bad shooting night."

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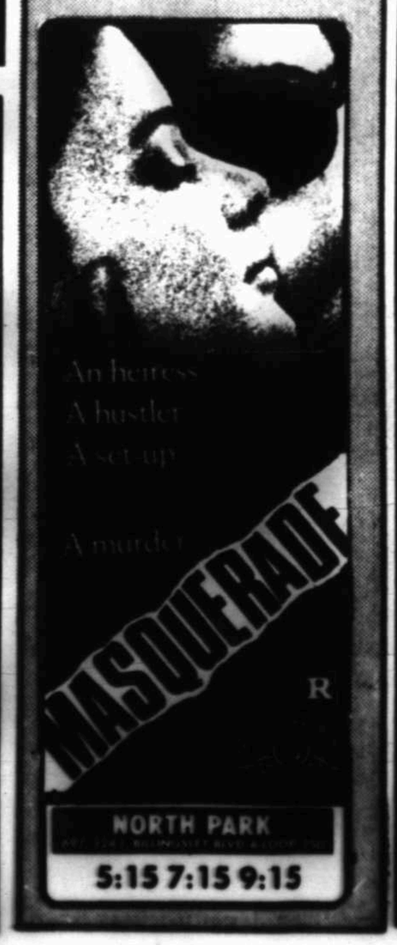
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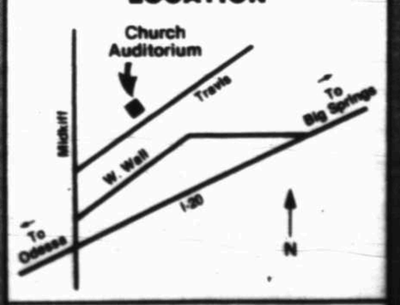
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