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Fire up the grill

Grilling supplies make great Father's Day gifts, especially with new convenience items out on the market./**10C**

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In what's become almost an annual event, the Bulls and their fans gather for a citywide celebration of another championship./**1C**

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AP photo

Ismil Elmsan, 8, a refugee from Decane in Yugoslavia's Kosovo province, rests against his father's knee near Pastech, Albania, after a 12-hour walk over the mountains that separate the Albanian and Yugoslav frontiers. A group of about 50 refugees crossed the border after being attacked, they claim, by Serbian helicopters with Red Cross symbols.

Kosovo talks

MOSCOW — Russia leaned on longtime ally Yugoslavia on Tuesday, extracting a promise from President Slobodan Milosevic to resume peace talks with the moderate leader of Kosovo's ethnic Albanians. But while NATO — which sent warplanes over the Balkans in a show of force Monday — may be grateful for any apparent progress, such talks are unlikely to quell the volatile conflict in the independence-seeking Yugoslav province.

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Jasper KKK rally

JASPER — Two Ku Klux Klan factions who have denounced the suspected hate-slaying of a black man plan to rally here later this month, city officials said Tuesday. Dubbing it a "White Pride Rally," one of the factions announced plans for the June 27 gathering on its Internet site, saying it condemns the slaying of James Byrd Jr., who was dragged to death.

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Sandy Wiegand:

Joey was a great best friend — until he started stealing from my house.

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Greenspan says mergers pose no threat

By Marcy Gordon
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Federal Reserve Chairman Alan Greenspan warned Tuesday against overreaction to a national wave of megamergers, saying there is no sign of economic danger. He suggested the government should respect the "dynamism of modern free markets."

It's the fifth burst of business mergers this century, Greenspan told senators, and there is little reason to think it will have any more effect than the previous one in the 1980s.

But Sen. Edward Kennedy, D-Mass., voiced worry about the thousands of employees losing their jobs because of mergers while some company executives get big benefit packages known as "golden parachutes."

"What happens to the people in these mergers?" Kennedy asked at the hearing by the Senate Judiciary Committee.

And Sen. Charles Grassley, R-Iowa, wondered whether the recent string of big bank mergers could reduce the credit available in rural areas.

Committee Chairman Orrin Hatch, R-Utah, said policy makers must "start thinking about the broader, long-term consequences of the consolidation wave that is rippling through our economy."

Greenspan acknowledged there would be job losses from mergers, but said a growing economy should be able to handle the displaced workers. He noted that 300,000 U.S. workers lose their jobs each week but with the creation of new jobs the unemployment rate stands at a 28-year low of 4.3 percent.

Merger activity has intensified in recent months, especially in banking and telecommunications. Some examples: the proposed $70.4 billion union between banking giant Citicorp and brokerage-insurer Trav-

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AP photo

Au pair ruling

Hailey Nixon puts up yellow ribbons alongside a posted copy of a local newspaper outside the Rigger public house, which has served as a headquarters for Woodward supporters, in Elton, England, after Massachusetts' highest court in Boston upheld the reduced conviction and sentence of British au pair Louise Woodward on Tuesday. Story/9A

Bird's-eye view

A bird perches on a plant in west Midland.

Curt Wilcott Reporter-Telegram

Texas facing $1.7 billion in drought costs

By Juan B. Elizondo Jr.
Associated Press

THRALL — The drought of 1998 has dried up $517 million in crops so far, a cost of $1.7 billion to the overall state economy, according to ag economists at the Texas A&M extension program.

The economists on Tuesday released their report on the current drought, saying if conditions remain as dry as they are now, the drought of 1998 could be more costly than the one two years ago. That drought, which cost the state some $5 billion, was recorded as one of the worst natural disasters to hit Texas.

"We're looking at August conditions in May and June," said economist Joe Outlaw.

Travis Miller, a Texas A&M professor and agronomist, said rain in some parts of the state would help some crops, like late cotton. But he added that other parts of the state are beyond help.

"In South Texas, there's little hope for recovery," he said. "Four inches of rain around here would turn everything around. But that won't help that corn that's already toast."

According to the National Weather Service, all 10 climate regions of the state have received less rain than normal this year. The Lower Rio Grande Valley, for example, got no measurable rain in May and was 17 percent below its average annual rainfall at the end of May, the A&M officials said.

Ronnie Leps, the Williamson County extension agent, helps farmers plan and monitor their crops. He said parts of Williamson County, north of Austin, need rain in the next two weeks to salvage crops.

"We have approximately 180,000 acres of production," Leps said. "We're looking at a 30 percent drop in corn and a 15 percent drop in sorghum. It's too early to tell about cotton."

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Cotton farmers at crucial point

■ Without rain in the next week to 10 days, this year's cotton crop is likely to be a bust for dryland farmers.

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

It's deadline time. The drought is really putting pressure on cotton farmers, especially dryland farmers.

If it doesn't rain within a week or so now, this year's cotton crop will be a bust for the dryland farmers — those who farm without benefit of deep-well irrigation water.

"Right now, it looks like a total failure," said Herb Sorley, executive director of the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Farm Service Agency for Midland County. "It does not look good. We're looking at being at or close to the final planting days of cotton."

Most area dryland cotton is "covered in the hot, dry sand" and is begging for rain, said veteran Midland County farmer Vernon Chandler.

The dryland cotton crop is awaiting a good soaking rain — a "planting rain" — which usually comes in May. Normally, May is the year's second highest rainfall month at an average 1.98 inches and is second only to September's 2.62 inches.

The May 1998 rainfall was just beyond a trace, at 0.02 inch.

"Most farmers have a little hope that it will come a little rain, a shower, and wet (the soil) deep enough for the seed to come up if you already have it planted," Chandler said.

Chandler, who was farming during the seven-year drought of the 1950s,

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Joan Baskin

Baskin honored with Jefferson Award for public service

By Chuck Lewis
Hearst News Service

WASHINGTON — Joan Baskin, the driving force behind after-school care for Midland elementary school students, was honored Tuesday night as a 1998 Jefferson Award winner for her public service achievements.

Mrs. Baskin was presented with the award by Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison (R-Texas) at a reception in the stately Russell Caucus Room in the U.S. Senate. Later, she was recognized at a gala dinner at a museum near the White House.

Mrs. Baskin was sponsored for the award by the Midland Reporter-Telegram.

The Jefferson Award presentation was part of ceremonies that began Tuesday at the National Press Club with a panel discussion on youth service and included the Tuesday night steak-and-salmon banquet at the National Museum of Women in the Arts. The winners were to have lunch today at the U.S. Supreme Court with Justice Sandra Day O'Connor.

The Jefferson awards, dubbed "America's Nobel prizes for public service," are presented by the American Institute for Public Service. The institute was created in 1972 by Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis, Sen. Robert Taft Jr., and Sam Beard to honor individuals for public service.

Ms. Hutchison praised the Jefferson Award as a "wonderful incentive to do good things."

The honorees started their good work "without any expectation of being rewarded," Ms. Hutchison said. But the Jefferson Award is a wonderful way to recognize their community service, she said.

Mrs. Baskin, a 1952 graduate of the University of Texas, and Ms. Hutchison, class of 1962, greeted each other like the long-lost sorority sisters they are. Both were members of Pi Beta Pi.

Mrs. Baskin was accompanied by her husband, retired district Judge Pat M. Baskin.

The Jefferson Award hailed Mrs. Baskin as "a champion for the cause of affordable child care" because of her work for the Midland Introspective Child-care Task Force.

Under her direction, the group raised funds from local charitable foundations and other sources to set up a child-care program for working parents.

Caregivers were trained through the Campfire Girls and Boys and the YMCA. Working with the Midland Independent

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WEATHER

Midland forecast

3-day forecast

Today	Thursday	Friday
Mostly sunny	Mostly sunny	Sunny
High 103	High 100	High 96
Low 72	Low 68	Low 67

Today's forecast calls for mostly sunny skies with a high near 103. Winds will be from the south at 15 to 25 mph, according to the National Weather Service in Midland.

Tonight will be clear with a low in the lower 70s.

Thursday calls for mostly sunny skies with a high near 100.

After an overnight low of 70, Tuesday's high was 103, compared with a record high of 106 set in 1977. The all-time low was 49 set in 1981.

Yesterday's precipitation

Rainfall Tuesday	0.00 in.
Rainfall Monday	0.00 in.
Total for month	0.30 in.
Total for year	1.48 in.

Yesterday's temperatures

High	103
low	70
Normal high	94
Normal low	66

Pollen count

Trees: low Weeds: absent
Grass: high Molds: moderate
Dust: moderate
Courtesy: Allergy Alliance of the Permian Basin

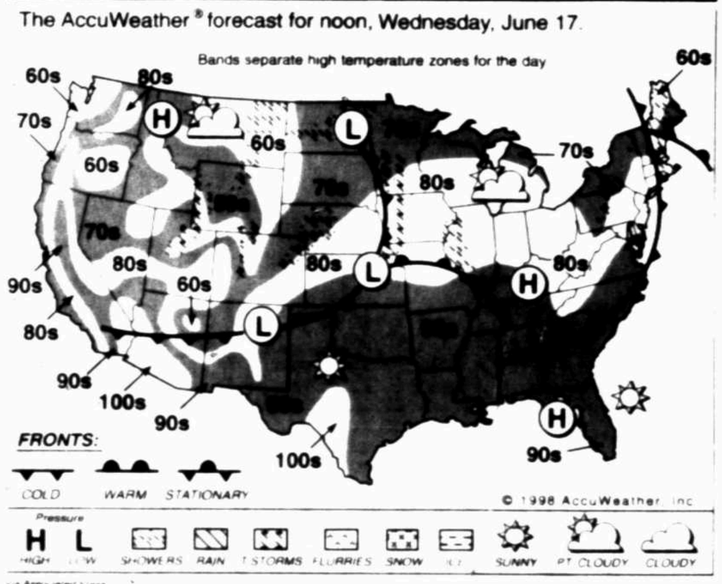
UV reading

M.D. Anderson Cancer Center Skin Cancer Prevention Project
UV readings for June 16:
11 a.m. - 6, moderate risk
1 p.m. - 7, high risk
3 p.m. - 7, high risk

Sunrise ... 6:43 a.m.
Sunset ... 8:57 p.m.

National forecast

The AccuWeather® forecast for noon, Wednesday, June 17.



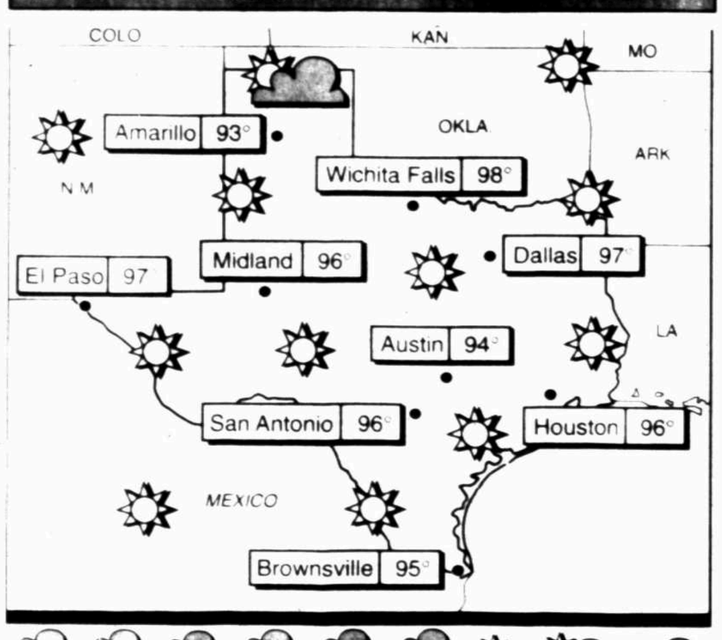
Via Associated Press

United States temperatures

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

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albany N.Y.	78	65	m	
Albuquerque	92	57	cdy	
Anchorage	67	56	rns	
Asheville	84	66	07	clr
Atlanta	83	67	72	clr
Atlantic City	86	67	01	cdy
Baltimore	88	64	10	cdy
Billings	74	44	50	rn
Birmingham	87	68	1.54	cdy
Bismarck	71	47	02	rn
Boise	92	44	clr	
Boston	81	56	17	rn
Buffalo	79	58	01	cdy
Burlington Vt	75	54	16	rn
Casper	86	50	rn	
Charleston S.C.	93	76	rn	
Charleston W.Va.	82	66	59	cdy
Charlotte N.C.	92	70	rn	
Cheyenne	86	44	rn	rn
Chicago	90	69	rn	cdy
Cincinnati	94	65	rn	clr
Cleveland	78	61	rn	cdy
Columbia S.C.	91	70	rn	
Columbus Ohio	90	67	rn	clr
Concord N.H.	80	50	01	rn
Dayton	94	65	04	clr
Denver	98	62	rn	
Des Moines	97	69	cdy	
Detroit	82	61	14	cdy
Duluth	73	44	03	cdy
Evansville	79	67	03	cdy
Fairbanks	66	44	cdy	
Fargo	77	54	cdy	
Flagstaff	81	44	clr	
Grand Rapids	84	64	29	cdy
Great Falls	79	44	19	rn
Greensboro N.C.	89	66	12	rn
Hartford Sprgfld	81	55	rn	
Helena	53	41	34	rn
Honolulu	87	75	tr	
Indianapolis	74	65	19	cdy
Jackson Miss	91	69	87	clr
Jacksonville	100	76	cdy	
Juneau	66	47	rn	
Kansas City	83	56	11	clr
Las Vegas	98	77	clr	
Little Rock	92	64	clr	
Los Angeles	68	62	01	clr
Louisville	78	64	clr	
Memphis	90	68	clr	
Miami Beach	92	80	cdy	
Milwaukee	73	61	cdy	
Mpls-St Paul	82	61	20	cdy
Nashville	82	66	clr	
New Orleans	95	78	clr	
New York City	86	64	01	cdy
Norfolk Va	93	72	16	cdy
North Platte	84	48	cdy	
Oklahoma City	97	58	cdy	
Omaha	80	55	rn	
Orlando	98	72	cdy	
Philadelphia	85	68	05	cdy
Phoenix	102	76	clr	
Pittsburgh	79	65	19	cdy
Portland Maine	59	54	1.55	rn
Portland Ore	66	52	02	cdy
Providence	80	62	26	rn
Raleigh-Durham	93	75	clr	
Rapid City	74	49	01	
Reno	85	55	clr	
Richmond	89	65	cdy	
Sacramento	83	62	clr	
St Louis	80	63	46	clr
Salt Lake City	81	52	05	clr
San Diego	66	63	cdy	
San Francisco	78	56	clr	
San Juan P.R.	90	75	rn	
Santa Fe	87	44	clr	
St Ste Marie	76	63	07	cdy

State forecast



Via Associated Press GraphicsNet

Texas temperatures

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

	Hi	Lo	Prcp
Abilene	98	68	
Alice	97	72	
Amarillo	99	57	
Arlington	99	62	
Austin Bergstrom	102	64	
Austin Mueller	100	73	
Beaumont	93	75	
Brownsville	95	80	
Burnet	98	72	
Childress	105	62	
College Station	101	73	
Conroe	97	72	
Corpus Christi	93	78	0.25
Corsicana	100	65	
Cotulla	107	73	
Dalhart	95	56	
Dallas	99	70	
Del Rio	104	74	
Denton	97	60	
Dfw Airport	99	68	
El Paso	97	72	
Fort Stockton	106	73	
Fort Worth	99	66	
Galveston	89	79	0.08
Harlingen	99	80	
Hondo	102	72	
Houston Hobby	98	78	
Houston Intrctnl	98	73	0.22
Huntsville	99	73	
Junction	99	63	
Kingsville	96	79	0.15
Laredo	111	78	
Longview	98	65	
Lubbock	100	65	
Lufkin	100	71	
Marfa	97	52	
McAllen	101	81	
Mckinney	96	61	

MERGERS: Current boom dwarfs those of previous years

(From 1A)

elers Group, to form the world's biggest financial services firm; Daimler-Benz of Germany's acquisition of U.S. automaker Chrysler Corp. for $34.8 billion, and the $56.6 billion merger between SBC Communications Inc. and Ameritech Corp., combining two Baby Bells into a local-telephone colossus controlling nearly one-third of the nation's phone lines in 13 states.

A factor driving the deals has been Wall Street's bull market, which gives companies greater purchasing power.

Greenspan was testifying a day after anxiety over the Asian economic crisis pushed the Dow Jones industrial average down 207 points — the biggest drop in six months. The stock market stabilized Tuesday.

He said there was no doubt that some of the recent mergers were "awesomely huge," but he said that was a result of economic growth and the potent forces of globalization, which are pushing banks and other financial institutions to consolidate to compete better worldwide.

The central bank chief said the government should be cautious in considering whether to intervene.

"The United States is currently experiencing its fifth major corporate consolidation of this century," Greenspan said. "When trying to understand and deciding how to react to this development, I would hope that we appropriately account for the complexity and dynamism of modern free markets."

Economists generally agree that the first merger wave occurred at the turn of the century, followed by others in the 1920s, the 1960s and the 1980s.

The current boom, however, dwarfs its forerunners. This year, which has already produced seven of the 10 richest deals ever, is on pace to become the first $1 trillion year for U.S. corporate mergers.

"The effects of the present merger wave on concentration have yet to be determined, but there is little reason to expect their influence will differ substantially from the merger wave of the early 1980s, which produced at most a slight increase in manufacturing concentration," Greenspan said.

Both Joel Klein, head of the Justice Department's antitrust division, and Robert Pitofsky, chairman of the Federal Trade Commission, assured the committee that their agencies were carefully considering the impact of various mergers on competition and consumers.

"We believe that many of these mergers are the result of fundamental economic changes in both our economy and world markets and that they are, for the most part, beneficial to the economy and to consumers," Pitofsky said.

As companies enter into increasingly huge mergers, they may be challenging regulators and lawmakers by pushing the limits of what combinations the government will allow, some consumer activists and others believe.

In addition, some lawmakers have expressed concern that the spate of big bank mergers is forcing consumers to pay higher bank fees because of reduced competition.

AWARD: Mrs. Baskin credited Midlanders for philanthropy

(From 1A)

School District, these trained personnel now care for young students at 13 elementary school campuses until their parents pick them up after work.

Mrs. Baskin, in an interview, quoted philanthropist John D. Rockefeller Jr. as saying, "Every right implies a responsibility, every opportunity on obligation, every possession a duty."

"That's the way people in Midland, Texas, approach things," she declared.

Last month, Mrs. Baskin was one of five Midlanders who received the first Permian Basin Jefferson Award, sponsored by the Reporter-Telegram. She later was chosen to represent West Texas at the National Jefferson Awards Celebration of Public Service.

The other Midlanders honored earlier were Bill Collyns, James "Doc" Dodson, Shirley Howard and Robert "Bob" Irelan.

Mrs. Baskin has been involved in community service for many years. Her other activities include implementing the Midland Alliance and serving as past chairman of the Midland Chamber of Commerce.

At the time she was chosen to represent West Texas in Washington, Mrs. Baskin said, "I consider that I represent this area; I'm the product of following in the path of a number of people's footsteps."

Award winners are selected by a board composed of leaders in education, business and the public sector. Over the 26-year history of the institute, 100 Americans have received national awards and more than 7,000 have received "grassroots" awards.

In addition to the 42 winners of the local awards, the institute also presented four national awards. The winners were:

- Treasury Secretary Robert Rubin, "for providing the political leadership and entrepreneurial spirit which has led to one of the strongest economies in U.S. history."
- TV personality Oprah Winfrey, "for her philanthropist spirit and commitment to promoting decency in daytime television programming."
- Thaddeus S. Lott of Houston, "for being a pioneer in education reform, creating an innovative charter school district, the first-of-its kind in the country, in inner-city Houston."
- Bobby Jindal for "his vibrant leadership on behalf of all generations — young and old — in the national struggle to strengthen and preserve Medicare in time for the retirement of the baby boomers." He is executive director of the National Bipartisan Commission on the Future of Medicare.

Super painkillers top list of upcoming wonder drugs

NEW YORK (AP) — Drug makers, eyeing Viagra's runaway success with profit envy, expect the drive for arthritis relief will yield the next wonder drug.

Some industry experts believe Celebra, a painkiller that cuts inflammation but avoids the stomach-damaging effects of aspirin, ibuprofen and acetaminophen, could outsell the impotency drug by millions of dollars a year.

Drug makers' ceaseless efforts to stock America's medicine chest have long plowed research money into trying to ease such ills as cancer, obesity and chronic pain. But the road to a cancer cure is littered with promising treatments that fizzled. And last year's recall of two diet pills left many dieters wary of weight-loss drugs.

Now comes a new class of super painkillers with a singular advantage: They could be on pharmacy shelves within months. And industry watchers believe millions of Americans will gladly toss their bottles of common painkillers for an alternative that saves their stomachs.

Kathryn Howe already has.

Rheumatoid arthritis left the 51-year-old executive secretary's joints so swollen she couldn't type or take long walks. Rolling over in bed hurt.

She kept the swelling under control with prescription-strength versions of drugs such as Tylenol and Advil. But 15 years of them left her with an inflamed stomach and rectal bleeding. Last year, her doctor asked her to test an unapproved drug called Celebra. Now she walks, swims, does low-impact aerobics and even lifts weights comfortably with no apparent side effects.

"A person can shake my hand and I'm not in pain," the Eastlake, Ohio, resident said. "I can hold a pencil."

Some analysts predict Celebra will outsell Viagra, the lucrative Pfizer Inc. impotency treatment that became the fastest-selling drug in history its first month.

"That's what I would put my finger on as the next blockbuster drug, not only in terms of medicinal value but in terms of cult following," said Stephen Tang, a drug industry specialist with A.T. Kearney, a management consulting firm in New York.

Typical estimates call for annual Viagra sales to reach $3 billion by 2002. Celebra sales could eventually top $4 billion, said Salomon Smith Barney analyst Christina Heuer.

With the global market for prescription painkillers, not including over-the-counter sales, at $5 billion, Ms. Heuer predicts Celebra could be "the most significant new drug introduction of 1999."

Celebra is expected to be the first out of the blocks from a new class of drugs called cox-2 inhibitors, so named because they block the inflammatory enzyme cyclooxygenase. Aspirin and similar anti-inflammatory drugs do that too, but they go too far, also blocking the cox-1 enzyme that protects the stomach lining.

Doctors believe the new class of painkillers may also provide a significant side benefit. Patients are more likely to get better faster, or improve more profoundly, if they're willing to take their medicine and stay on it.

When Mrs. Howe was prescribed standard anti-inflammatory drugs that hurt her stomach, she conceded, "I wasn't a very compliant patient."

Celebra's manufacturer, Monsanto Corp.'s Searle unit, is expected to ask the Food and Drug Administration for an expedited six-month review by September. If that happens, the drug could be on the market by early next year in the United States and late 1999 abroad.

Having tested Celebra's effects on rheumatoid arthritis, osteoarthritis and dental pain, scientists are now researching signs that Celebra might help prevent colon cancer and Alzheimer's disease, in which cox-2 is believed to play a role.

COTTON: Farmers must plant for insurance

(From 1A)

recalled that "every year we got enough (planting) rain to get the cotton to come up." But after that, the plants would wilt from the lack of moisture and die "because it didn't rain anymore.

"But this year and the year before last, '96, we didn't even get enough to plant."

If no adequate June rains come, most dryland farmers will have to resort to their crop insurance for bill-paying survival.

"But it doesn't pay very much ... nearly all (farmers) buy the minimum. If you buy a lot of insurance, it gets expensive," he said.

To qualify for crop insurance, farmers must have planted cottonseed even if prospects of rain are nil and a crop failure is assured.

"Insurance companies are really in a bind ... nearly all the state of Texas is dry," Chandler said. "Even though they don't pay the farmers very much, it will all add up to a lot of money. If it stays (dry) like this a few more days, then the payout ought to be a whole lot more than the premiums."

Cotton varieties planted after mid-June will be without benefit of a long, hot growing season, which cotton requires, unless there is an inordinately late first killing freeze and a hot fall.

'It's just about the give-up point now. But if it were to rain in next week to 10 days, a lot of people would plant quick-maturing varieties of cotton.'

— Midland County farmer Vernon Chandler

By late October or early November, the season's first killing freeze comes in to kill cotton on the stalk and stop its maturing out.

However, Chandler said that there are quick-maturing cotton varieties that require a shorter growing season than regular cotton but produce less cotton. That cotton's success would depend not just on a June planting rain but rainfall for the rest of the year.

"We're sitting on the deadline," Chandler said. "If it were to come a good, big rain, most of us would still plant some (quick-maturing) cotton and hope for a late freeze" to add a few days to the growing season.

"It is just about the give-up point now," Chandler said. "But if it were to rain in next week to 10 days, a lot of people would plant quick-maturing varieties of cotton."

Sorley, who keeps tabs on Midland County farmland, said that most Midland farmers dry-planted.

"And I'd say that probably 80 to 90 percent of it (the cotton) didn't even come up. And that 10 percent that did come up might have lived a little bit. But as dry as it is," the young cotton plant will wilt and dry up even though cotton is a drought-resistant crop.

Sorley figured that the dryland cotton crops in bordering Martin and Glasscock counties are suffering, too.

"Even the irrigation (cotton) is going to be tough to make it this year because there's no underground moisture," said Sorley, who thinks that the dryland country is probably dry "a long ways toward Lubbock."

Like this year, the 1983 season was a dry one, too, Sorley recalled, and cotton didn't come up that year until way too late, with the October rains. "That's how dry it was."

Charlie Green, retired Texas Agricultural Extension Service agent who has lived in Midland since 1949, said that "Farming is a pretty risky occupation.

"It has been throughout history, especially in this country," Green said. "This dry thing is not new."

DROUGHT: Conditions bad news for farmers

(From 1A)

A&M professor Roland Smith said it's too early to know if the current drought will become a worse disaster than the 1996 dry season. But he said it could become worse if conditions don't change quickly.

Outlaw said that will spell bad news for farmers and ranchers still recovering from the 1996 drought.

Leps said ag lenders had expected many farmers and ranchers to carry drought-related debts from 1996 for up to five years. A devastating drought this year could push that even further, he said.

"Who knows if everyone will be able to hang on," Leps added.

Clarification

The 1998 Leadership Midland class included: Jennifer Reck, Cotton, Bledsoe, Tighe & Dawson; Donnie Romine, Westwood Medical Center; Tina Sanders-Jauz, city of Midland; Debbie Siegmund, Arco Permian; Liz Sloan, sponsored by Junior League; Kelly Smith, UTPB; John Stevenson, Memorial Hospital and Medical Center; and Kathye Taylor, MARC.

These names were inadvertently omitted from the list provided by the Chamber of Commerce.

Pick 3 Texas

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

6-1-7

Cash Five

AUSTIN (AP) — The Cash Five winning numbers drawn Tuesday by the Texas Lottery:

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Milosevic agrees to talks with Kosovo, but settlement distant

MOSCOW (AP) — Russia leaned on longtime ally Yugoslavia on Tuesday, extracting a promise from President Slobodan Milosevic to resume peace talks with the moderate leader of Kosovo's ethnic Albanians.

But while NATO — which sent warplanes over the Balkans in a show of force Monday — may be grateful for any apparent progress, such talks are unlikely to quell the volatile conflict in the independence-seeking Yugoslav province.

Both Milosevic and Ibrahim Rugova are losing support among their peoples. And the ethnic Albanian militants — who do not answer to Rugova but do hold the guns — are airing their own demands for talks, including foreign mediation.

More than 300 people have died in Kosovo since March, when Milosevic's army and police started a crackdown on separatist militants in the southern province.

Under international pressure, Milosevic has already agreed to stop military actions against civilians and permit the return of about 65,000 refugees. However, such pledges in the past have changed little on the ground, where clashes continue daily.

While Milosevic's pledges Tuesday are important — he agreed to resume negotiations and grant access to international monitors and aid groups — a number of obstacles remain. Rugova may refuse to meet with the Serbian leader, whom he accuses of reneging on earlier commitments.

Assuming the talks do take place, Rugova doesn't speak for the Albanian militants who are leading the uprising and thus his ability to broker peace is limited. At the same time, Milosevic's own standing in Yugoslavia has eroded to the point that he may not be able to command support at home.

Even the Russians were equivocal about the success of their diplomacy. Foreign Minister Yevgeny Primakov called the pledge only a "real opportunity to regulate the conflict."

With fighting in Kosovo intensifying, world leaders fear Kosovo will see war on the scale of Bosnia's and Croatia's. Diplomats, keenly aware of slow international reaction to those two conflicts, are trying to move more quickly in Kosovo's case.

On Tuesday, two Yugoslav army helicopters allegedly strafed refugee camps with machine guns and grenades, killing two people on a mountain near the border with Kosovo.

The alleged attack, described by an ethnic Albanian refugee claiming to have been a witness, could not be independently verified.

Milosevic and Rugova have met once already, in May. But the Albanians canceled further talks until Serb government troops halted an offensive in western Kosovo. And Rugova's spokesman said Tuesday that more talks were unlikely unless that condition was met.

Rugova has clung to principles of nonviolence even as the crackdown has radicalized Kosovo's Albanians, swelling support for the province's more militant separatists, the Kosovo Liberation Army.

Milosevic insisted Tuesday that he would never agree to talk to the KLA. "I see no reason to conduct negotiations with terrorists," he said.

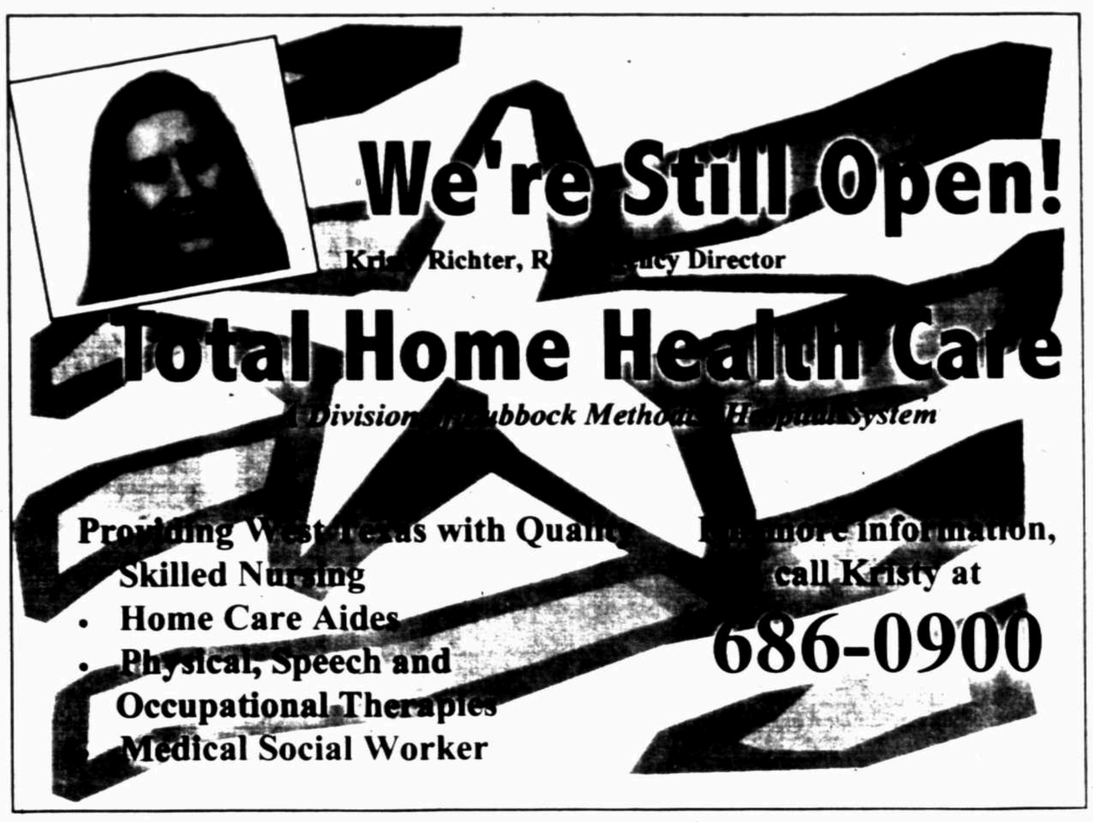
For his part, Milosevic is no longer revered at home. This weekend, the Serbian Orthodox Church condemned his regime as incapable of reaching a peaceful solution and urged the formation of a "council of national salvation" to rule in his stead.

The church's withdrawal of support is telling, considering that the main reason Serbs want to retain control of Kosovo — home to the Serb's holiest religious and cultural sites.

Russians and Milosevic's Serbs have many historical and religious ties. But Yeltsin has found it impossible to support Milosevic's extreme nationalism and violent campaigns, and disagrees with NATO only about how — not whether — he should be stopped.

NATO countries reacted cautiously to the outcome of the Russian meetings.

White House spokesman Mike McCurry said, "We want to learn more."



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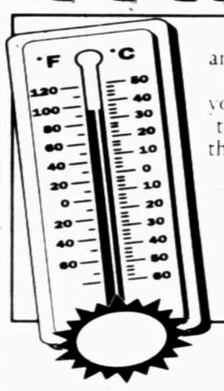

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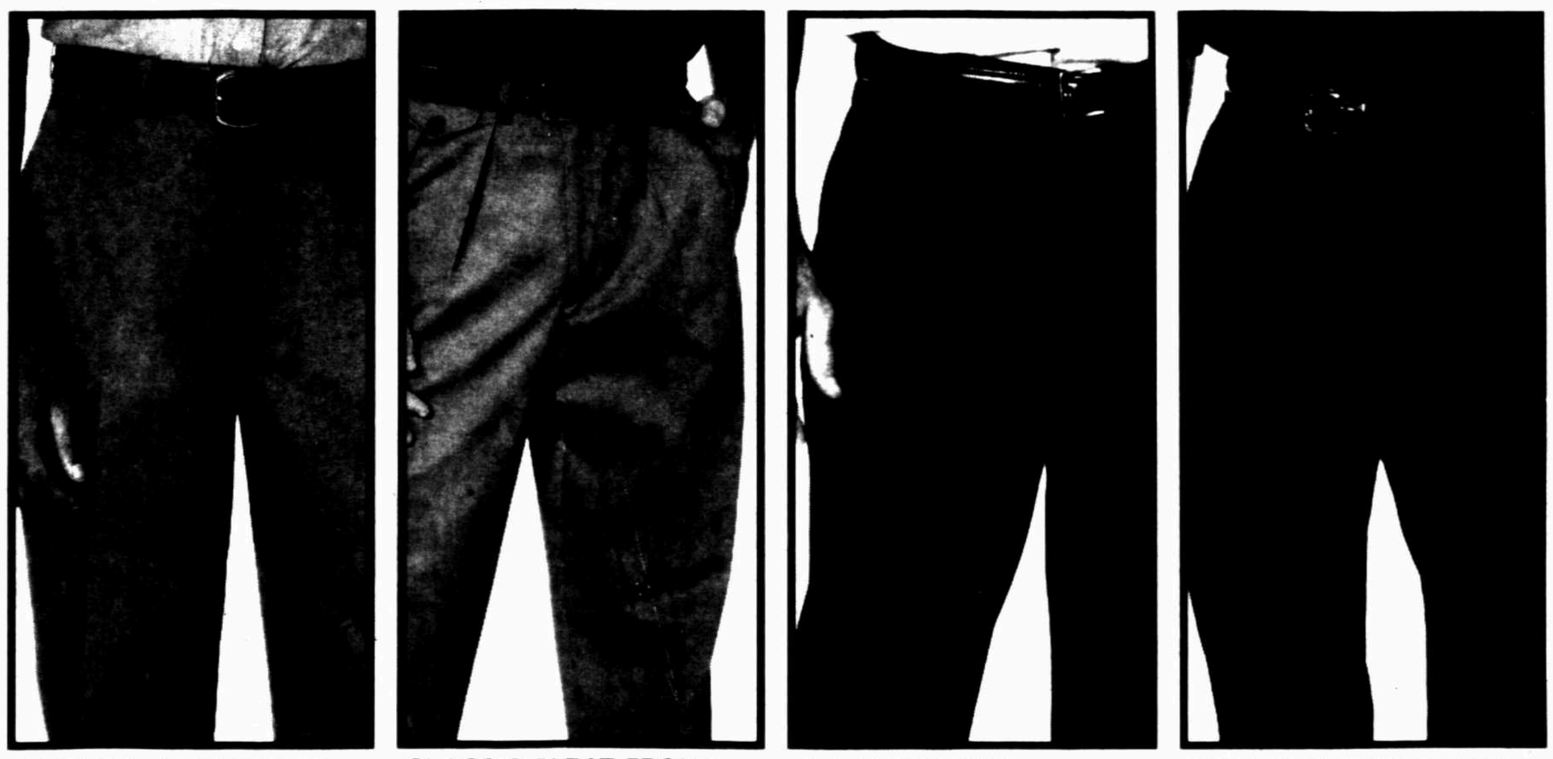

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Musicians, survivors debate boycott of Wagner's music

JERUSALEM (AP) — Conductors and musicians told parliament Tuesday the time has come to end Israel's 50-year de facto ban on the music of Richard Wagner, a virulent anti-Semite and Adolf Hitler's favorite composer.

Holocaust survivors pleaded for keeping the ban, arguing that the operas so closely associated with the Nazi horrors should remain off Israel's airwaves and out of its concert halls.

"Please do it later, in the next generation," said lawmaker Shevah Weiss, who spent part of his childhood in a cramped basement hiding from storm troopers in Nazi-occupied Poland.

The new debate over Wagner's music reflects the conflicting realities of Israeli-German relations.

On the one hand, Germany is a key trading partner and ally of an increasingly isolated Israel. Israelis drive Volkswagen cars, vacation in German resorts and stage joint military maneuvers with the German army on Israeli soil. Hitler's "Mein Kampf" is now treated as just another historical document, studied by students at Hebrew University.

At the same time, aging Holocaust survivors are becoming increasingly insistent on speaking out about their experiences in the camps, breaking a silence forced on them after World War II by a young Israel unwilling to hear about Jews as victims.

The hundreds of thousands of survivors living in Israel carry a great moral weight, and there is a broad consensus in the country that they should be spared further pain and suffering.

Wagner's music still evokes strong feelings among survivors. The 19th-century composer's works were often played during Nazi rallies — and later in Nazi death camps. Wagner was part of the repertoire Jewish inmates were forced to play in orchestras set up by their tormentors.

An informal boycott of Wagner's works has been observed in Israel since its founding in 1948. The state-run classical music station plays the occasional passage from a Wagner opera, but never a complete work. Wagner's compositions are not performed by the renowned Israel Philharmonic Orchestra or the New Israeli Opera, both subsidized by public funds.

Asher Fisch, the music director of the New Israeli Opera, said playing Wagner was a symbol of Jewish survival rather than of acquiescence to the composer's beliefs.

Yaacov Mishori, the lead violinist for the Israeli Philharmonic, told parliament's Education Committee that while no one should be forced to hear Wagner's works, there was room for special concerts for those who wanted the freedom to hear the music.

The hearing was intended only as a forum for public debate; legislators plan no official action on the ban.

Musicians have tried from time to time to break it. In 1981, conductor Zubin Mehta announced as an encore to an Israel Philharmonic concert the prelude to the Wagner opera "Tristan and Isolde." The audience cried "Shame!" and an usher rushed to the stage, pulling up his shirt to show Nazi-inflicted scars.

Last week, Fisch tried to gauge sentiments with a symposium on "Wagner, Artist or Symbol." The debate turned emotional, with audience members shouting down a singer and pianist who tried to perform a sample Wagner piece.

Hope found in rubble of disintegrating Nigerian city

LAGOS, Nigeria (AP) — Every morning, battered tankers rumble into quiet walled compounds in the wealthy neighborhoods of this seaside city, dispensing thousands of gallons of water for rich businessmen, diplomats and members of the ruling junta.

In a city where the water supply can be even less predictable than the haphazard electricity, it's the only way to ensure a bath.

Lagos is beyond breakdown. Electricity stays off in some neighborhoods for weeks at a time, universities are besieged by violent, well-armed student groups. Small mountains of garbage bury entire street corners and gasoline is desperately scarce — even though Nigeria is one of the world's top oil producers. The police are better known for demanding bribes than for stopping the city's rampant crime.

But suddenly, there's reason to hope. The five-year dictatorship of Gen. Sani Abacha ended last week with his death and the new military leader has ordered some of Nigeria's most prominent political prisoners freed. It may not mean the power will be switched on any time soon, but at least there are signs of change.

"I'm on the moon without riding on Sputnik," raved Gani Fawehinmi, a Lagos attorney and activist, after the nine prisoners were ordered released Monday.

Fawehinmi — normally given to scathing criticism of the new junta leader, Gen. Abdulsalam Abubakar — quickly backed off from his exaltation. He noted that dozens of political prisoners remain in jail, including Moshood Abiola, the presumed winner of 1993's annulled presidential elections.

Still, many people across this city of 10 million are hoping Abubakar will bring change. He has a reputation for honesty, for wanting to bring honor back to Nigeria's military.

"We are expecting (Abubakar) to do well," said Ahmed Hakeem. He makes a living hand-pushing a rusting, six-seat ferris wheel at Lagos' Lekki Beach, where a rusting shipwreck hulks above people playing in polluted surf.

Lagos is a crowded, tumbledown city full of modern office buildings and rancid slums, but a place where even in the worst of times people know how to enjoy themselves.

"Lagos is everything — positive and negative," laughed Taiwo Adedaji, a law student standing under a shade tree at Lagos State University.

The only people who manage to live easily are those who can afford generators, black-market gasoline and guards. They live behind walls, shop at stores packed with imported goods and eat at fine restaurants.

Nigeria, which once swam to prosperity on a sea of oil profits, has been drowning for years, pulled down by corruption and mismanagement.

Abubakar has sent contradictory signals so far. Authorities quashed pro-democracy demonstrations last week and he has vowed to forge ahead with the highly flawed democratic transition program begun under Abacha.

Some also fear the prisoner releases may be a smokescreen.

"I'm obviously very happy," said Nike Ransome-Kuti, whose father, activist Beko Ransome-Kuti, was among those ordered released. "But I'm taking the news with caution because I'd hate to see something where he only releases a few people as a publicity gimmick."

Such skepticism is understandable in Lagos, a city often so unlivable its residents quickly run out of adjectives trying to describe it.

"It's really bad," said Tokumbo Ogonlesi, a 46-year-old caterer who is most terrified of the city's crime. "It's really bad."

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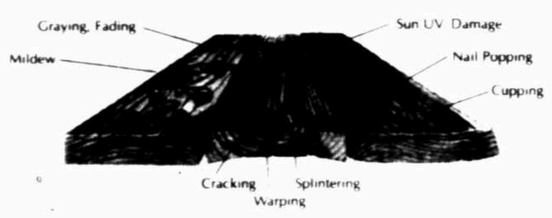

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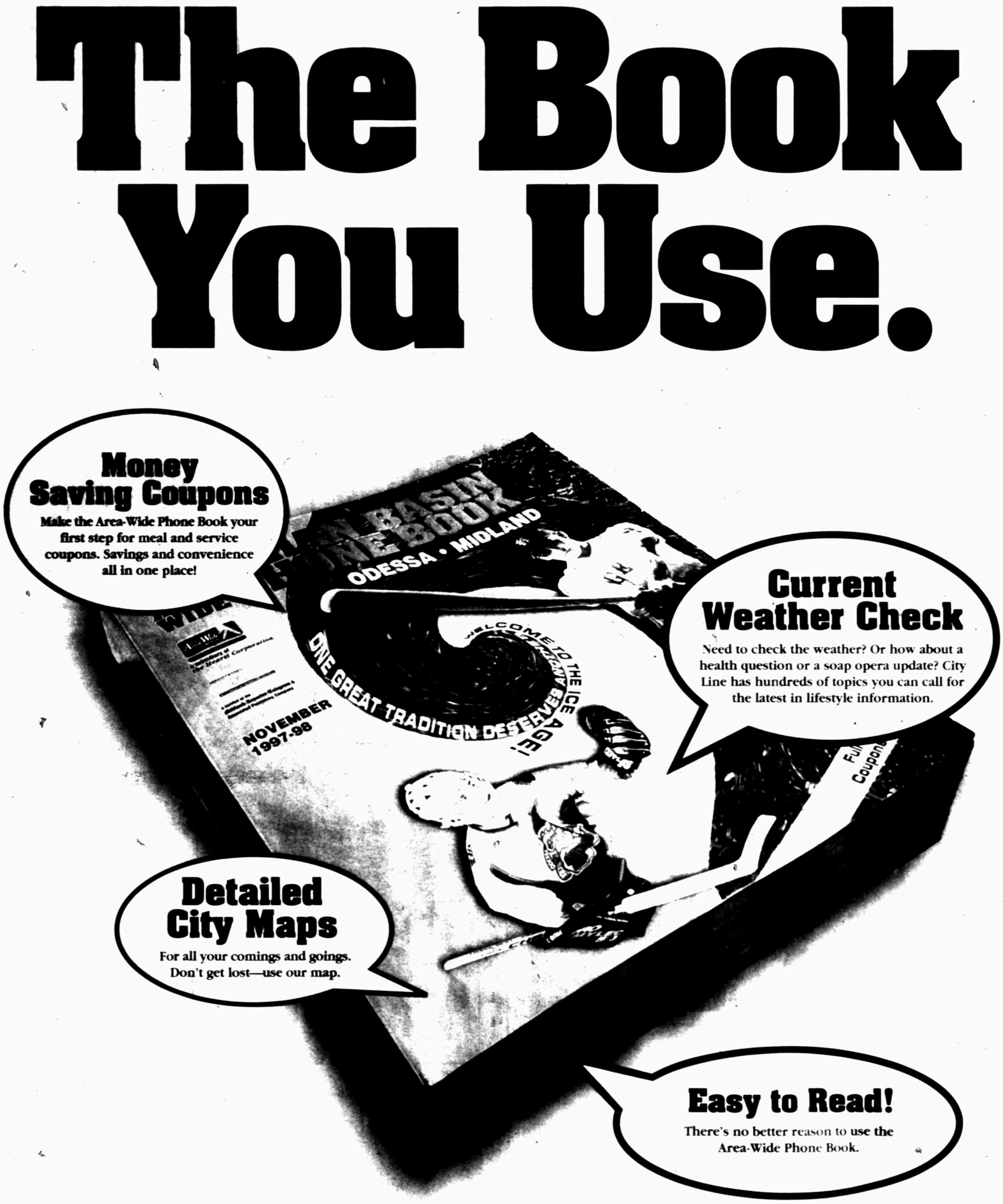

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War crimes tribunal envoys listen to voice of Nuremberg experience

ROME (AP) — The memory is still vivid: The judgment at Nuremberg; a tense young prosecutor listening to the verdicts ring out.

"Death by hanging. Death by hanging. Death by hanging," recalled Benjamin Ferencz, who tried 22 Nazi war criminals half a century ago. "I felt no excitement, no jubilation. It was a somber moment."

Envoys haggling over the world's first international court to try war crimes, genocide and crimes against humanity heard a powerful sound Tuesday: The voice of experience.

The most venerable was that of 78-year-old Ferencz, a retired law professor and tireless campaigner for an international criminal court.

"I have come to Rome to speak for those who cannot speak: the silent victims of monstrous deeds," he told the delegates.

Ferencz as well as judges from the ad hoc tribunals on Rwanda and the former Yugoslavia all spoke at the second day of the five-week U.N. treaty conference.

The Nuremberg tribunal gave birth to the idea of a world criminal court; the horrors of Rwanda and the former Yugoslavia revived it. Now delegates from 153 countries are trying to surmount huge differences and give it life.

"If we care enough and dare enough, an international criminal court — the missing link in the world legal order — is within our grasp," Ferencz said in his speech. "The place to act is here and the time to act is now."

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> — Benjamin Ferencz, former Nuremberg prosecutor

Later, in an interview, he recalled his days as a war crimes prosecutor.

Ferencz said he "peered into Hell" as a soldier witnessing the liberation of Nazi death camps. As a young lawyer, he jumped at the chance to become a Nuremberg prosecutor.

He prosecuted 22 Gestapo officers accused of murdering more than 1 million people. They were the commanding officers of special "elimination" units: The infamous massacre at Babi Yar was their handiwork.

"There was no doubt in my mind that they were mass murderers on a grand scale," Ferencz said.

All were convicted; 13 were sentenced to hang.

Fifty years later, the country they served, Germany, is one of the most forceful advocates of an international world court. And Ferecz has persuaded other Nuremberg prosecutors to attend the conference as well.

"We're trying to be a presence, to say: Look here. We're watching you. Don't say you can't do it," he said with a smile. "We did."

Hopes are that at the end of the Rome conference, the delegates will agree on a treaty setting up a court to try individuals for war crimes, genocide and crimes against humanity. The treaty would then have to be ratified by participating nations.

Wide differences exist on how the court would function, especially on who or what would trigger prosecutions and what the role of the U.N. Security Council would be.

Representatives of the ad hoc tribunals for Rwanda and the former Yugoslavia also spoke to delegates Tuesday, giving advice based on hard-won experience.

They said there has to be a mechanism to allow investigators and prosecutors to gather evidence unhindered and a way to protect witnesses.

The United States finds itself relatively isolated at the conference by its insistence that the Security Council have what amounts to ultimate control. Others want a court independent of the council with a prosecutor who has the power to initiate cases on his or her own.

N. Korea admits for first time to overseas missile sales

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) — North Korea admitted for the first time Tuesday that it has sold missiles abroad and plans to keep doing so, openly challenging international efforts to curb global missile proliferation.

U.S. officials have said for years they have evidence that North Korea was selling Scud missiles to Iran and Syria. But the Clinton administration's efforts to persuade North Korea to curb or stop such sales have made no progress.

"We will continue developing, testing and deploying missiles," said a statement carried by the North's official Korean Central News Agency. "Our missile export is aimed at obtaining foreign money we need at present."

North Korea defended its missile development and export program by accusing Washington of maintaining stifling economic embargoes.

In 1996, the United States began talks with North Korea aimed at persuading it to freeze its missile program and join an international agreement designed to restrict missile proliferation.

The talks soon stalled. The latest round of negotiations was abruptly canceled last August in New York, and no new discussions are scheduled.

"By declaring for the first time that it is actually exporting missiles, North Korea is upping the ante in its talks with Washington," said Kim Koo-sup, a senior researcher at Seoul's government-funded Korea Institute for Defense Analysis.

North Korea, gripped by severe food shortages and international isolation, sees a way out in striking major diplomatic deals with the United States.

It agreed in 1994 to freeze its suspected nuclear weapons program in return for fuel, replacement nuclear power plants and other economic and diplomatic benefits.

It now wants to sign a peace treaty with the United States, excluding rival South Korea. But Washington, which is technically still at war with North Korea after leading U.N. forces on the South's side during the 1950-53 Korean War, insists that a treaty must be signed between the two Koreas. The war ended with an armistice but no formal peace.

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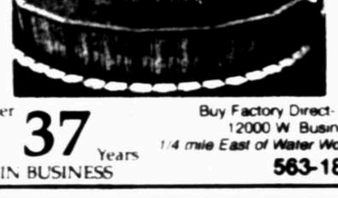
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Taliban shuts down privately run school for girls

KABUL, Afghanistan (AP) — Afghanistan's Taliban religious army abruptly ordered the closing Tuesday of more than 100 private schools that have been educating girls in defiance of bans aimed at keeping women — and girls — at home.

Included in the closure edict are scores of small home-based vocational training programs, many of them run by international aid groups, that teach girls and young women to weave carpets and sew. Supporters say the classes are vital to rebuilding the country after years of civil war.

Under the new rules, the Taliban will issue licenses to schools, but only after scrutinizing their objectives. Schools will not be allowed to teach girls older than 8 and will be limited to lessons about the Koran, the Muslim holy book.

The schools on the closure list, the government said Tuesday, violated those rules.

"These schools weren't just for children. They also included 14- and 15-year-old girls," Religious Affairs Minister Haji Khulimuddin said at a news conference.

The home-based schools have been run by thousands of women teachers who were forced out of work by the Taliban after it took control of Kabul in 1996 and imposed a harsh brand of Islamic law. Without officially recognizing the schools, the Taliban has until now allowed them to operate.

"Right now, we have no control over these schools," Khulimuddin said. "If they get permission then we can control them."

There was no immediate word on how the closing order would be enforced.

Tuesday's announcement is sure to fan fears that the Taliban's desire for a strict Muslim government means a repressive and closed society for Afghanistan.

The Taliban's proscriptions on women have raised international concern. Secretary of State Madeleine Albright visited the country earlier this year and called the edicts on women "despicable." U.N. aid officials have made similar comments.

In meetings with Western officials, Taliban leaders have expressed a willingness to discuss the restrictions, but say the push to keep women out of public life is driven primarily by entrenched Afghan tribal traditions.

The Taliban itself consists of former tribesmen who until the takeover in 1996 had been students in rural religious schools.

A survey conducted by aid groups in January found at least 107 "home schools" in the capital, teaching about 6,500 children, half of them girls. The schools teach religion, language, math and other basic subjects.

Many consist of a single room with a cement floor where children sit cross-legged while a teacher draws pictures and words on a piece of paper. Many of the schools have no blackboards, notebooks or other supplies.

The aid groups have tried to help, providing basic materials to some of the schools — discreetly so as not to antagonize Taliban rulers.

It wasn't immediately clear why the Taliban chose to announce the crackdown now. At his press conference Tuesday, Khulimuddin accused foreign aid workers associated with these home schools of propagating anti-Taliban propaganda.

Aside from its prohibitions on women, the Taliban bans music and most forms of light entertainment and requires men to grow beards, wear a head covering and attend a mosque.

While the Afghan capital has been relatively peaceful in recent days, the Taliban is waging fierce battles on three fronts, all in northern Afghanistan, to consolidate its rule. It now controls about 85 percent of the country.

Its opponents, led by former president Burhanuddin Rabbani and his military chief Ahmed Shah Massood, say the Taliban's brand of Islamic interpretation is rooted more in tribal tradition than the Koran.

Mexico negotiators try to contact Zapatistas

TUXTLA GUTIERREZ, Mexico (AP) — Seeking to restart stalled peace talks, a group of legislators visited a Chiapas jungle village Tuesday, hoping to persuade Zapatista rebels to "break the silence."

The legislators, members of a multi-party mediation commission known by the Spanish acronym Cocopa, arrived in La Realidad, a village that commanders of the Zapatista National Liberation Front often use for public appearances.

"We came to La Realidad ... because we know that violence isn't the way to resolve the controversies," German Martinez Caceres, a deputy from the opposition National Action Party, told the government news agency Notimex.

"We believe the government should be prudent and the (Zapatistas) should break the silence," said Caceres, who holds the commission's rotating presidency.

The Zapatista rebels, who staged a brief uprising in January 1994 in the name of Indian rights and greater democracy, broke off peace talks with the government two years ago, claiming it had failed to abide by a preliminary agreement.

The government has repeatedly called on the Zapatistas to resume negotiations, even as it has stepped up pressure on the rebels. A clash last week between Zapatistas and government forces killed 10 people.

The 13 commission members planned to spend 24 hours in La Realidad, 85 miles southeast of San Cristobal de las Casas, and another village, Guadalupe Tepeyac.

On Wednesday, it will meet with Archbishop Samuel Ruiz, who was the main negotiator in the conflict before resigning this month under government pressure.

On Thursday, the commission will visit El Bosque, where eight villagers and two police officers died when hundreds of police and soldiers tried to dissolve a pro-Zapatista town council and arrest 15 suspects.

In an interview with The Associated Press, the governor of Chiapas said the raid averted an even deadlier clash between rival communities.

Gov. Roberto Albores Guillen said Monday that the government was trying to reestablish "the rule of law" and that the huge number of security forces were needed because ambushes and killings are common in the region.

"The last straw" prompting the operation was the shooting of five farmers from another village in which one man died. The governor said the government feared retaliation if it didn't act.

It was the third time recently that hundreds of troops and police have raided areas in Chiapas to arrest Zapatista supporters who have set up shadow governments that challenge state authority.

Critics claim that state officials have failed to act against pro-government vigilante groups.

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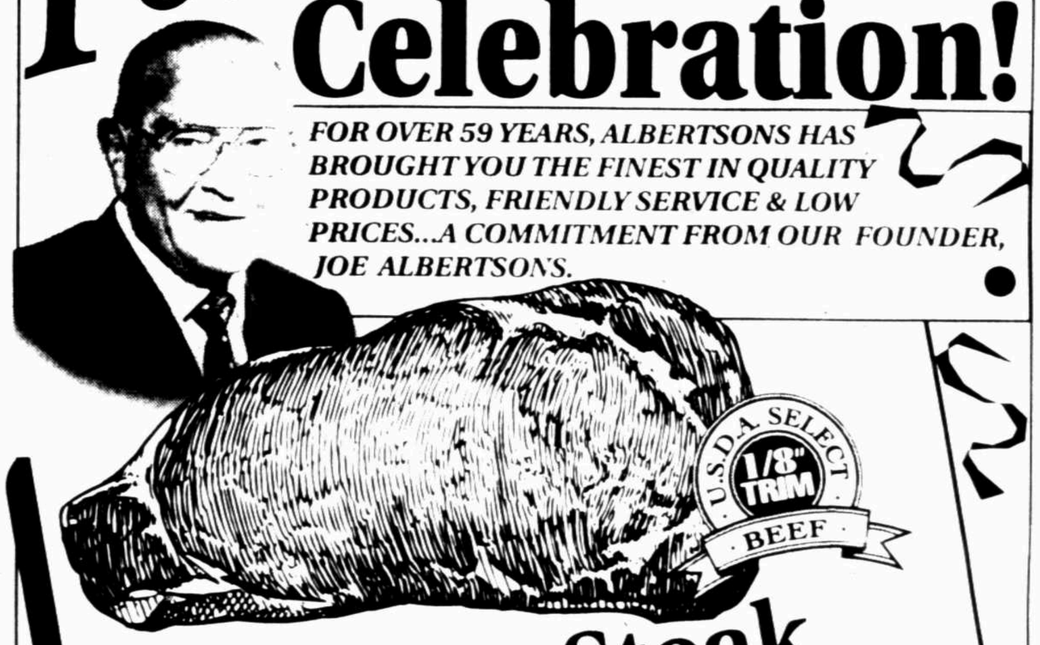

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Greathouse gifts have benefited Midlanders

Through the years Helen Lee Greathouse has given more than $1.5 million to various Midland institutions to make life in Midland more fulfilling and enjoyable for residents.

Literally all Midlanders are beneficiaries of her generosity.

She continued that outstanding record of charitable giving Monday with a gift of $100,000 to the American Airpower Heritage Museum's education endowment fund.

That is a marvelous gesture by an outstanding philanthropist who, like her late husband, Barney Greathouse, believes in giving back to her adopted community.

Over the years, Mrs. Greathouse has contributed hundreds of thousands of dollars to various institutions including:

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- $750,000 to Midland College's Chaparral Circle Endowment Fund.
- An unspecified amount to build part of the main building at Manor Park.
- A donation of most of the land where Greathouse Elementary School is now stands.
- Funds to build MARC's "Greathouse," the organization's first off-site house.
- An unspecified amount to fund the Barney Greathouse Riding Ring at the Cerebral Palsy Center.
- Funds for the Mabee Aquatic Center.

It must be recognized that Mrs. Greathouse's generosity has helped to make life better for thousands of Midland residents, many of whom likely will never know that she was their benefactor.

But she — and her late husband, Barney — embraced the entire community of Midland and their caring and giving will continue to make life better for decades into the future.

That is a wonderful legacy.

Another View

Too few Goldwaters present in politics

Barry Goldwater was an American original — of the Southwest variety.

He had a lot of the Arizona cowboy in him; few of his U.S. Senate colleagues were his match either in the saddle or in the cockpit of a jet fighter. His face was as craggy as the red rock country north of his hometown of Phoenix, and his tongue was often as sharp as cactus needles. His convictions were as clear and constant as the blue desert sky.

His themes — downsized government, reduced taxes and regulations, expanded individual freedoms — resonated louder and more appealingly as the years passed. Goldwater earned a place in history for giving modern conservative thought its first public voice and also shifting the traditional political axis of presidential politics away from the industrialized Northeast.

Upon his passing, it is sad to reflect the cause to which he devoted his life has too few Barry Goldwaters.

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Today in History

Today is Wednesday, June 17, the 168th day of 1998. There are 197 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On June 17, 1775, the Revolutionary War Battle of Bunker Hill took place near Boston.

On this date:

In 1789, the Third Estate in France declared itself a national assembly, and undertook to frame a constitution.

In 1856, in Philadelphia, the Republican Party opened its first convention.

One year ago: Mir Aimal Kasi, suspected in the shooting deaths of two CIA employees outside agency headquarters in January 1993, was brought to Fairfax, Va., to face trial after being arrested in Pakistan. He was later convicted and sentenced to death.

Harry Rosenfeld

Unidentified sources encourage dishonest journalism

ALBANY, N.Y. — The perils of the unidentified source made a splash again last week to the embarrassment of afflicted publications. Those news media not directly affected should nevertheless bathe themselves in self-examination.

Stephen Glass, a writer for The New Republic, stood publicly revealed as one who not only made up salient quotes, but entire persons and even organizations. Fired last month because one of his articles was run down as fiction by the magazine after an interested reader probed and complained, Mr. Glass now is said to have faked wholly or partially more than half of the articles he wrote for The New Republic.

At the same time, he free-lanced for other magazines, all of which have now severed their connection with him, some having also found fictive handiwork in what he wrote.

Even a news organization, so perfect it could only exist hypothetically, one where stringent standards were rigidly enforced without exception, would not be able to protect itself entirely against a determined fabricator who also has some writing talent. However, news organizations in real life are not paragons of ideal thoroughness. Practically speaking, no journalism is error-free because the system of checking is flawless.

In many places, editing or fact-checking is done on the run and the result is that a myriad of errors creep into the pages of the newspapers and magazines, most of them careless, unintentional and without malice. These don't necessarily wreak lasting harm, unless sloppiness becomes so pervasive in an organization that consumers of the work it produces come to doubt its reliability.

Then there is the matter of trust. In the real life of a newspaper, trust frequently hangs in the air, implicitly part of the dialogue as reporters discuss their reporting with their supervising editors. So, for example, you would not hire an applicant for a newspaper job who was not apparently trustworthy.

Trust is important in getting you in the door. But while trust is base of the relationship between reporter and editor, it cannot be permitted to stand in the way of confirming the validity of an article-in-the-making. It is through this system of check and balances, that reporters tell their editors and most desirably their readers, how they came to learn what they write, who their sources are, and what their sources' self-interest in the information provided by them might be.

It is at this juncture that journalistic standards most often don't measure up to the principles that editors fondly offer in their own defense when enduring public criticism. If editors can't totally protect their publications against an ambitious liar, we should do a much better job upholding the rules that are self-evidently desirable and enforceable.

However, such attention to detail is complicated when the sources of information are anonymous, as they were in Stephen Glass's work. Confidentiality of sources is utterly essential to good journalism. Without it, much of the most serious revelations that impinge on the public welfare would never see the light of day. Whistleblowers can suffer great punishment from wrongdoers they expose.

But sources who are not identified for readers in articles need to be known by the editors, so that a system of checking can exist at the point where it is most needed: to determine the plausibility of assertions made by people, who for apparently good reasons, decline to have their names associated with the information they are supplying.

The essentiality of confidential sources does not argue for their wide use.

For reasons just argued, they should be restricted to those situations when the issue is serious and there is no other way to proceed.

What is happening now in more and more news media, unnamed sources are taking an ever larger role in articles that, on their face, should not require them.

Thus we confront the real problem facing journalism. Even men and women who are spokesmen for a personage or organization now appear unnamed in the public prints because they seek to guard their privacy, an incongruous consideration for a person paid to take public positions.

Others are permitted to comment on people or their motives without risking their identity with the public in political and financial articles especially. Editors should bear down hard on limiting unnamed sources and on insisting that their reporters strive to get on-the-record information.

Such insistence would have immediate payback. On-the-record information, of course, is another important way to check on information. A named person could attract a response contradicting an assertion, which may be why some people insist on anonymity. It is much harder to challenge an account when who said what is not precisely known.

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Art Buchwald

Best advice to client is 'Don't die'

A day doesn't go by that Ken Starr doesn't scare the heck out of me. The latest fright came when I read that he had gone to the Supreme Court to demand access to the notes Vincent Foster's lawyer, James Hamilton, had made when talking confidentially to his client.

Buchwald

Starr claimed the lawyer-client privilege does not hold up when the client is dead.

As soon as I read the story I went to see my lawyer, Robert Brownley.

"Can we talk in confidence?" I asked him.

"I'm not too sure. Suppose you die and Starr demands to know what we talked about?"

"He wouldn't do that."

"Starr will do anything he has to to get a conviction. Frankly, this is the first time the question of dead clients has come up, except possibly for Murder Incorporated. Do you know sign language?"

"Why?"

"Let's resort to sign language. That way when the special prosecutor wants to know what we said to each other I can honestly say, 'Nothing.'"

"If Starr wins, does this mean when someone dies conversations he had with his lawyer will wind up in front of a grand jury?"

"Something like that. When Starr is on a rampage there is no telling where he will go. As your lawyer I can no longer guarantee that this conversation will be off the record. I can't even guarantee it won't appear in the National Enquirer."

"Then what should I do?"

"Don't say anything. Keep your thoughts to yourself. Pretend that Linda Tripp is bugging you with a tape recorder. That's the best advice I can give you until the Supreme Court decides if Starr slipped on a banana peel."

"It makes sense," I said. "At the same time I do need your help on a small matter that may or may not get me in trouble with the IRS."

"Stop. I don't want to hear any more. If you are admitting you did something wrong, this could be the end of my career as a lawyer."

"I'm sorry I bothered you."

"No problem. That will be $450 for the best part of an hour."

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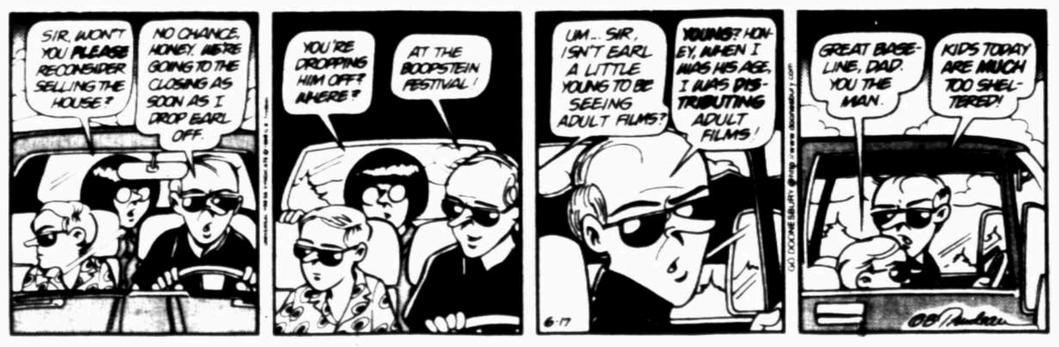

William Safire

Brrrrrr! Threats of litigation have chilling effect

WASHINGTON — Brrrrrr! Time was, journalists dealt directly with sources or, after publication, irate subjects. Now we get icy letters from lawyers out to inflict a "chilling effect."

Safire

Here's one from William J. Murphy of Baltimore, counsel for Bruce Lindsey, the White House lawyer desperately pleading special privilege to avoid answering a grand jury's questions.

After reading my recent description of the tight-lipped Lindsey as President Clinton's "notorious consigliere," Murphy consulted his Random House Unabridged Dictionary: "As I expected, notorious is defined as 'widely and unfavorably known' and consigliere as 'a member of a criminal organization or syndicate who serves as an adviser to the leader.'" Thus lexicographically armed, he calls my characterization of his client "insulting, baseless and defamatory."

But political lexicography is my shtick. Ever since the coterie of John F. Kennedy was named "the Irish Mafia," the term consigliere has had wide usage meaning "intimate political confidant." Ask Ted Sorensen. It may be that investigation of Lindsey will revive the term's gangland connotation, but that is as yet unknown.

Such word-maven expertise stills my quaking at his mout'piece's legally loaded word, "defamatory." (As the spelling indicates, I use mout'piece jocularly. However, Philip Weiss of The New York Observer, who last week wrote a brilliant exegesis of the "talking points" speculating that Lindsey may be the suborn-again author, can expect a missive paralyzing in its forensic frigidity.)

Another knee-knocker was zinged in by fax from William Alden McDaniel Jr., lawyer for Sidney Blumenthal (and for James Carville, a more forthright Clinton advocate), much of which The New York Times properly published. I had opined that the actions of Blumenthal, a Clinton official, may be comparable to that of Charles Colson, a Nixon official who served jail time for leaking disparaging information about Daniel Ellsberg.

After denouncing this as "a crude attempt to smear Blumenthal," the lawyer noted that "Colson pleaded guilty to that charge, so it was never tested in the courts. It is difficult to believe any American court would have sustained such a conviction." Gee. At long last, Clinton defenders are holding up Chuck Colson as an example of a man wrongly charged by a zealous special prosecutor.

Larry Klayman, an attorney whose Judicial Watch flushed out John Huang of the China Connection, has also used the civil courts to direct the spotlight of pitiless publicity on the perpetrators of Filegate — the abuse of FBI power against hundreds of people whose offense was to be Republican. (Ken Starr has been a real flop on this case.)

But Klayman's legal harassment of Carville, George Stephanopoulos and others is offensive because it inhibits robust, wide-open and uninhibited debate. A federal judge wisely quashed the lawyer's subpoena of a reporter's notes as "overly broad," an opinion New Yorker magazine editors applauded even as they must have winced at its sexism.

What can be done to counter the icebox strategy of lawyers? Report retort; complain back; demand clients speak for themselves.

Praise lawyers who return calls. William Ginsburg did, and does not deserve the derision being heaped on an outsider by snobbish Washington insiders. One day we may learn how he was whipsawed by Monica's conflicted parents.

Zap lawyers who duck calls, like Hugh Rodham Esq., of Ferrel & Fertel in Miami. How many millions will his firm get from the tobacco settlement? What's his cut? What did he do for it? Who steered him into the Fertel field? (Hoo-boy, will I get a chiller-diller from Hillary's brother's lawyer.)

So here we cringe, all a-tremble in civil liability's new ice age, teeth chattering, foreheads clammy in cold fear, pointing fingers frozen. But take heart, ye mucked-up muckrakers — after the Chilling Effect comes the Feverish Finish.

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High court upholds au pair's reduced sentence

The Supreme Judicial Court of Massachusetts upheld a judge's ruling that would allow Louise Woodward, the au pair convicted of killing a baby, to return home to England.

BOSTON (AP) — The state's highest court cleared the way Tuesday for Louise Woodward to go home to England, upholding a judge's ruling that freed the au pair convicted of killing a baby.

The parents of Matthew Eappen immediately slapped Ms. Woodward with a wrongful-death lawsuit aimed at keeping the 20-year-old woman from profiting from the story.

But prosecutors said they plan no further appeals in the 16-month-old case that divided public opinion on both sides of the Atlantic and stirred debate over working moms and affordable child care.

"She killed that little boy," said District Attorney Tom Reilly. "I want her out of this country."

In November, Superior Court Judge Hiller B. Zobel reduced a jury's second-degree murder conviction to manslaughter and sentenced Ms. Woodward to the 279 days she had served since her arrest.

Prosecutors asked the high court to reinstate the verdict and its mandatory 15-year prison sentence. Defense lawyers asked the court to either overturn the conviction or uphold Zobel's ruling. In the meantime, Ms. Woodward was ordered to remain in Massachusetts.

In a 4-3 ruling Tuesday, the Supreme Judicial Court said Zobel exercised a commonly invoked right to reduce a jury verdict and sentence a defendant to time served.

The ruling allows Ms. Woodward to return home, but as a convicted felon with a record for manslaughter.

Ms. Woodward's attorneys, family and friends were happy she could go home, but distressed she was not cleared.

"Absolutely fantastic," said Ms. Woodward's mother, Susan, from her home in Elton, England.

Ms. Woodward's lawyers said she would return home as soon as possible and probably attend college. Under normal circumstances, it takes 28 days for the courts to issue the necessary paperwork, but lawyers for both sides asked that the process be expedited.

A court spokeswoman said Ms. Woodward wouldn't be able to go home until Thursday at the earliest. Courts are closed Wednesday in Boston for Bunker Hill Day, a local holiday.

A grandmother of Matthew said she was saddened.

"I'm not angry but it's kind of, you lose faith in the justice system, you really do," Achamma Eappen said from her suburban Chicago home.

The baby's parents, Sunil and Deborah Eappen, did not comment. Their lawsuit seeks $75,000 in actual damages and unspecified punitive damages but would not prevent her from returning home.

"The purpose of this lawsuit is to ensure that Louise Woodward does not become a millionaire because she killed an 8-month-old baby," said their lawyer, Fredric L. Ellis.

Matthew died at a hospital in February 1997 five days after Ms. Woodward called an emergency number and said he had stopped breathing. Ms. Woodward, then 18, was arrested after allegedly telling police she might have been "a little rough" with the boy because he was fussy.

Prosecutors said she shook the baby and slammed his head out of frustration. The defense said the injuries were inflicted weeks earlier.

Critics of the Eappens, both doctors, said the Newton couple were asking too much of someone who was not a trained professional but an au pair, a low-paid young woman who came to this country expecting to see America.

In Tuesday's ruling, the dissenting justices wanted another judge to sentence Ms. Woodward for her manslaughter conviction, which carries a maximum penalty of 20 years in prison. Justice John Greaney wanted Ms. Woodward to be barred from caring for other children.

Over the past year and a half, supporters of Ms. Woodward gathered in pubs in England, rallied outside Massachusetts courthouses and raised over $400,000 in her support.

Matthew's parents spoke less often but with passion about their belief that Ms. Woodward murdered their son. Their family and friends defended them on the Internet and TV talk shows as the case stirred debate over whether they must share responsibility for the baby's death for hiring a stranger to take care of their child.

Ms. Woodward recently fired one of her lawyers, Elaine Whitfield Sharp, after the woman was arrested for driving drunk and allegedly told a state trooper that she now believes Ms. Woodward is guilty.

Kinkel arraigned on dozens of charges in Oregon school shooting

EUGENE, Ore. (AP) — Standing before a judge and some of those he's accused of shooting, 15-year-old Kip Kinkel listened Tuesday to dozens of charges against him in a rampage that left his parents and two classmates dead.

"He's going to pay for what he did," said Nichole Buckholtz, a 17-year-old who suffered a gunshot wound to the leg. "Seeing him in handcuffs showed he wasn't so powerful. On May 21, he held the lives of everyone in the cafeteria in his hands. Now he's helpless. He's not so big and bad."

Kinkel, wearing a white polo shirt over a bulletproof vest, answered softly "yes" when asked if his name and birthdate were correct on the indictment. His attorneys were granted more time before entering a plea.

When the three-minute arraignment was over, the freckle-faced defendant was turned toward the packed courtroom gallery to be handcuffed.

He glanced up and gave a wide-eyed look at the 60 spectators, including several of the Thurston High School students injured in the shooting.

Most of the hearing was taken up with Judge Jack Mattison reading the list of charges, stemming from the day before the shooting when Kinkel was arrested with a gun at school.

Hours after he was released to his schoolteacher parents, he allegedly shot them to death, went to Springfield's Thurston High cafeteria and fired his rifle from the hip, killing two classmates and wounding 22 others.

Kinkel faces four counts of aggravated murder, 26 counts of attempted aggravated murder, six counts of first-degree assault, 18 counts of second-degree assault, unlawful possession of a firearm, unlawful manufacture of a destructive device, possession of a destructive device and first-degree theft.

If convicted of the adult charges, he could face life behind bars. Under Oregon law, juveniles cannot get the death penalty.

No date was immediately set for the next hearing, but Mattison did set a tentative trial date — April 6, 1999.

Kinkel was taken back to a juvenile detention center where he is being held without bond under a suicide watch.

The Oregon shooting was one of several fatal rampages at schools around the country.

Fake fat useful in obesity control, experts say

RESTON, Va. (AP) — Potato chips made with phony fat are useful in treating obesity and diabetes, a group of doctors, researchers and patients told a federal advisory panel.

But several consumers told the Food and Drug Administration advisory committee Tuesday that the fake fat chips caused bloating, diarrhea and nausea.

The committee of experts who evaluate food safety for the FDA heard testimony related to a potato chip, sold under the name Wow, made with an artificial fat called olestra. It tastes like normal fat, but is not absorbed by the body and, thus, contributes no fat calories to the diet.

The FDA approved olestra in 1996 on the condition that Procter & Gamble, which makes the fat, and Frito-Lay, which manufacturers and sells the chips, report on any adverse health effects. The potato chip packages also were required to carry a label warning of possible gastrointestinal effects from eating the product.

The advisory board will conclude its work Wednesday after considering possible changes in the warning label.

An advocacy group called the Center for Science in the Public Interest contends there have been many cases of people suffering from diarrhea, excess gas, bloating and nausea after eating the chips. The organization has opposed olestra from the start.

CSPI experts also have said that olestra in the diet tends to rid the body of some nutrients, such as carotenoids. CSPI experts were allowed to participate in the discussion.

A parade of witnesses, including two former secretaries of the Department of Health and Human Services, said olestra offers a way for obese people and patients with diabetes to help control weight.

Former HHS Secretary Dr. Otis Bowen said he surveyed emergency rooms and physicians in Indiana and found no evidence of olestra causing medical problems.

"The product causes no significant health risks," said Bowen. "I eat the chips and so do my grandchildren."

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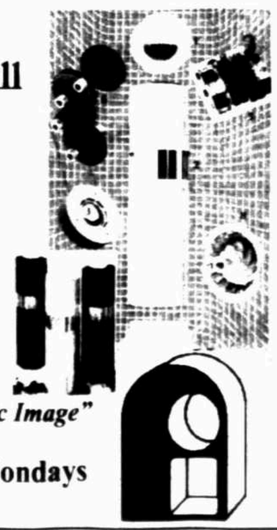
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Starr says magazine article about his office 'borders on libelous'

WASHINGTON (AP) — Defending himself for a third day, Whitewater prosecutor Kenneth Starr declared Tuesday that a magazine article about his office "borders on the libelous" and suggested many investigative leaks may have come from President Clinton's supporters.

Starr sent an extraordinary 19-page letter to Brill's Content magazine disputing, point-by-point, examples cited by editor Steven Brill of possible illegal leaks from prosecutors.

"You challenge this Office at a fundamental level — alleging that we would commit crimes to uncover crime," Starr wrote. "I categorically and unequivocally reject the charge."

Clinton's lawyer, David Kendall, fired off a letter of his own to Starr, saying that "the actions of your office are in violation of the law" and "the media leaks by your office ... violate the ethics rules for federal prosecutors."

Amid the war of letters, Starr's office pressed ahead with its investigation. At the U.S. courthouse, prosecutors questioned two key White House aides before the grand jury.

John Podesta, Clinton's deputy chief of staff, was questioned for two hours. Podesta originally was among a group of presidential aides whose testimony raised concerns about possible claims of executive privilege that have since been dropped. He played a role in trying to help Monica Lewinsky find a job.

Two months before Ms. Lewinsky, in an affidavit in Paula Jones' sexual harassment case, denied an affair with Clinton, Podesta asked U.N. Ambassador Bill Richardson to consider offering her a job interview.

The White House has said Podesta didn't know the intern and couldn't even remember her name when he suggested the interview to Richardson.

Richardson granted the interview and offered the former White House intern a job in New York that she later turned down.

Nancy Hernreich, chief of Oval Office operations, appeared before the grand jury for four hours before Podesta. Ms. Hernreich has been before the grand jury four other times, and is of interest to prosecutors in part because she is in a position to see who visits with the president and when.

In his letter, Starr quoted extensively from a newspaper editorial in the Arkansas Democrat Gazette which says that "sometimes one side will leak information damaging to itself," hoping to blunt its effect. The editorial adds that the Clinton White House "perfected this technique" in the campaign finance investigation.

Leaking information could be used to maximum advantage in the Lewinsky probe, Starr wrote, "particularly if the leaks were blamed falsely on the" prosecutors "as part of an orchestrated public attack."

"There are abundant sources of information outside" the prosecutor's office "available to the media," Starr wrote.

Starr detailed what he said were 14 factual errors in the Brill's Content article. "Your reckless and irresponsible attack borders on the libelous," Starr wrote the magazine editor.

In several instances, Starr noted reporters quoted in the magazine deny information attributed to them.

■ More national news/4B

Senator presses for vote on gay nominee for diplomatic post

WASHINGTON (AP) — In a battle of spokesmen, the White House and Senate Majority Leader Trent Lott traded barbs Tuesday as Lott's comments on homosexuality continued to stir strong words.

Lott's statement on Monday that homosexuality was like an addiction shows "how difficult it is to do rational work in Washington," White House spokesman Mike McCurry said.

Lott's communications director, Susan Irby, fired back, saying that working in Clinton's White House hardly qualified someone "to tell the American people what is right and what is wrong."

Meanwhile, several senators used the controversy to push for a Senate vote on the stalled ambassadorial nomination of a gay philanthropist.

The Senate should hold an "honest discussion" on James Hormel's nomination to be ambassador to Luxembourg, Sen. Paul Wellstone, D-Minn., said in a floor speech. "Otherwise, I worry about a climate that will become increasingly polarized, increasingly poisoned, and we don't want that to happen."

Clinton nominated Hormel to the post last year, but his confirmation has been delayed by a small group of conservatives. They say the problem is not his homosexuality but his active support of gay causes.

Supporters of the 64-year-old businessman and Democratic Party contributor say they have the 60 votes needed to break the hold on the nomination.

McCurry had a comment on the Hormel issue, too, questioning what reason opponents would have for blocking him "other than the prejudice that exists in their minds against people who are gay and lesbian."

Lott, R-Miss., who controls the Senate agenda and opposes the Hormel nomination, began his own controversy Monday when he told a conservative television host that homosexuality should be treated "just like alcohol ... or sex addiction ... or kleptomania."

"There are all kinds of problems, addictions, difficulties, experiences of things that are wrong, but you should try to work with that person to learn to control that problem," he told "The Armstrong Williams Show" on the America's Voice television network.

Congress approves tougher penalties for telemarketing fraud

WASHINGTON (AP) — Congress passed a measure Tuesday calling for harsher criminal penalties for telephone marketers who swindle people through phony sales pitches. The measure now goes to President Clinton for his signature.

The legislation, passed by the House 411-1, would direct the U.S. Sentencing Commission to substantially increase sentencing guidelines for general telemarketing schemes and to make those guidelines even tougher for those who defraud people who are 55 years or older. The one vote against the measure was cast by Rep. Ron Paul, R-Texas.

The measure originally passed the House last July. The Senate approved an amended version last November and the House accepted the Senate version Tuesday.

The bill would require that people convicted of a fraudulent telemarketing scheme must forfeit any money they get through their operations and would expand current law by allowing organizers of fraudulent acts to be punished under a conspiracy charge.

It is aimed at people who call victims at home and claim to be soliciting contributions for charitable or religious groups or who offer gifts and prizes such as free weekend resort packages. Often they persuade victims to send considerable sums of money to offset shipping costs or pay taxes to collect their prize.

The bill is H.R.1847.

Ku Klux Klan plans rally in Jasper

By Terri Langford
Associated Press

JASPER, Texas — Two Ku Klux Klan factions who have denounced the suspected hate-slaying of a black man plan to rally here later this month, city officials said Tuesday.

Dubbing it a "White Pride Rally," one of the factions announced plans for the June 27 gathering on its Internet site, saying it condemns the slaying of James Byrd Jr., who was dragged to death.

"The truth is neither the Klan nor any other white organization would have anything to gain by such a senseless act of unnecessary violence," the Knights of the White Kamellia stated in the announcement.

The Vidor, Texas-based group plans to join the Texas realm of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan for a two-hour rally at the Jasper County courthouse. The two groups informed Jasper officials of their plans late Monday.

At least 20 Klan members, dressed in their traditional white hoods, are expected to attend the noon gathering, Jasper City Attorney Gary Gatlin said.

"It's part of the fallout," Gatlin said, shaking his head.

Darrell Flinn, imperial wizard of the Knights of the White Kamellia, said his group planned a peaceful rally.

"(The killing is) a senseless act. An unnecessary act. A tragedy," Flinn said Tuesday. He promised the 10-12 KKK members he expects in attendance do not intend to stir up any trouble.

The group held a peaceful rally in Fort Payne, Ala., last weekend and wants to do the same in Jasper, Flinn added.

"I just hope the citizens of Jasper understand why we're coming," Flinn said.

Julie Cannon, 34, who works in Jasper, said the Klan's presence would only "start something."

"I wish they wouldn't come here," she said.

Some outsiders were wary about the Klan's intentions.

"If they are sincere, they must atone for the sins of the Klan in the past and help the black man and woman toward freedom, justice and equality," said Robert Muhammad, Southwest regional director of the Nation of Islam.

"Just condemning what happened to Mr. Byrd is not good enough, because the history of the Klan since its founding has been one that rivaled and exceeded what happened to Mr. Byrd."

Michael Lowe of Waco, who heads the Texas chapter of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, did not return a telephone message from The Associated Press Tuesday.

In the Web site message, the Knights of the White Kamellia described itself as a "legal, law-abiding, white rights organization that does not condone violence in any form."

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BASIN BRIEFING

Talent show

Terrace Gardens Nursing Center is planning a talent show 2 p.m. June 27. The age divisions are infant through 5, 6-13, 14-19 and 35 and over. There is a $8 entry fee. Deadline to enter is today. To obtain an entry form or for more information call 694-8831 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Workshop

Author Nancy Johnson is to present a workshop, "Turning 2000," 10 a.m.-noon Saturday at Creative Schoolhouse. The focus of the workshop is how to incorporate the millenium into the classroom. For more information call 697-9804.

Nature walk

BIG SPRING — Nature Walk and Sunset Tales is set for 8 p.m. Saturday and June 27 at Big Spring State Park. Park manager Ron Alton is to lead the walk through the park beginning at the pavilion; Angie Way, curator of the Heritage Museum, is to tell stories afterward. Park admission is $2 for adults, $1 for senior citizens and free for children 12 and under and TCP members. For more information call 915-263-4931.

Serial killer

GEORGETOWN — Her neighbors forever are a woman who died eight days after her 99th birthday and an infant who died on the day of his birth.

In the archives of Texas crime, she is known as "Orange Socks" — so named because the pair of socks was the only clothing she was wearing when a motorist driving along the frontage road bordering busy Interstate 35 spotted her body in a concrete culvert in Williamson County on Halloween afternoon 1979.

Almost five years later, a jury in San Angelo believed infamous self-described serial killer Henry Lee Lucas, who said he strangled her, and sentenced him to death. It is for her murder that Lucas, who now denies any role in her killing, faces execution June 30.

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Toddler death

TULIA — Despite friends' pleas to get on with his life after the death of his 14-month-old son, Norman Ballard held firm in his belief that the toddler did not die of pneumonia as a medical examiner had ruled.

For nearly nine years, Ballard had little more than a nagging hunch to go on. Then, in February, new witnesses went to police with tips that the baby had been slain.

The case was turned over to Texas Ranger DeWayne Williams, who was skeptical — until he saw the signature at the bottom of the autopsy report: Ralph Erdmann.

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TODAY'S AGENDA

Permian Basin Small Business Association, 7 a.m., 405 N. Marienfeld, third floor conference room.

Midland Articulators Chapter of International Training in Communication, 4400 N. Big Spring St., 689-7875 or 682-8820.

Al-Anon, Wednesday night Step Study, 8 p.m., 2103 W. Louisiana.

Singles Group, First United Methodist Church, 6:30 p.m., parlor.

Arco Articulators, 11:30 a.m. ARCO Building, 688-5760.

Uptown Chapter of Business and Professional Women luncheon program, Petroleum Club, Lynn Clark, 682-0291.

Tall City Toastmasters Club, 11:30 a.m., Permian Basin Graduate Center, 688-3193 (Bob Clohessey).

Company D, 403rd MP BN, Company D, Texas State Guard 7:30 p.m., Texas National Guard Armory.

Midland Apartment Association, board of directors, noon, Clusters Club room.

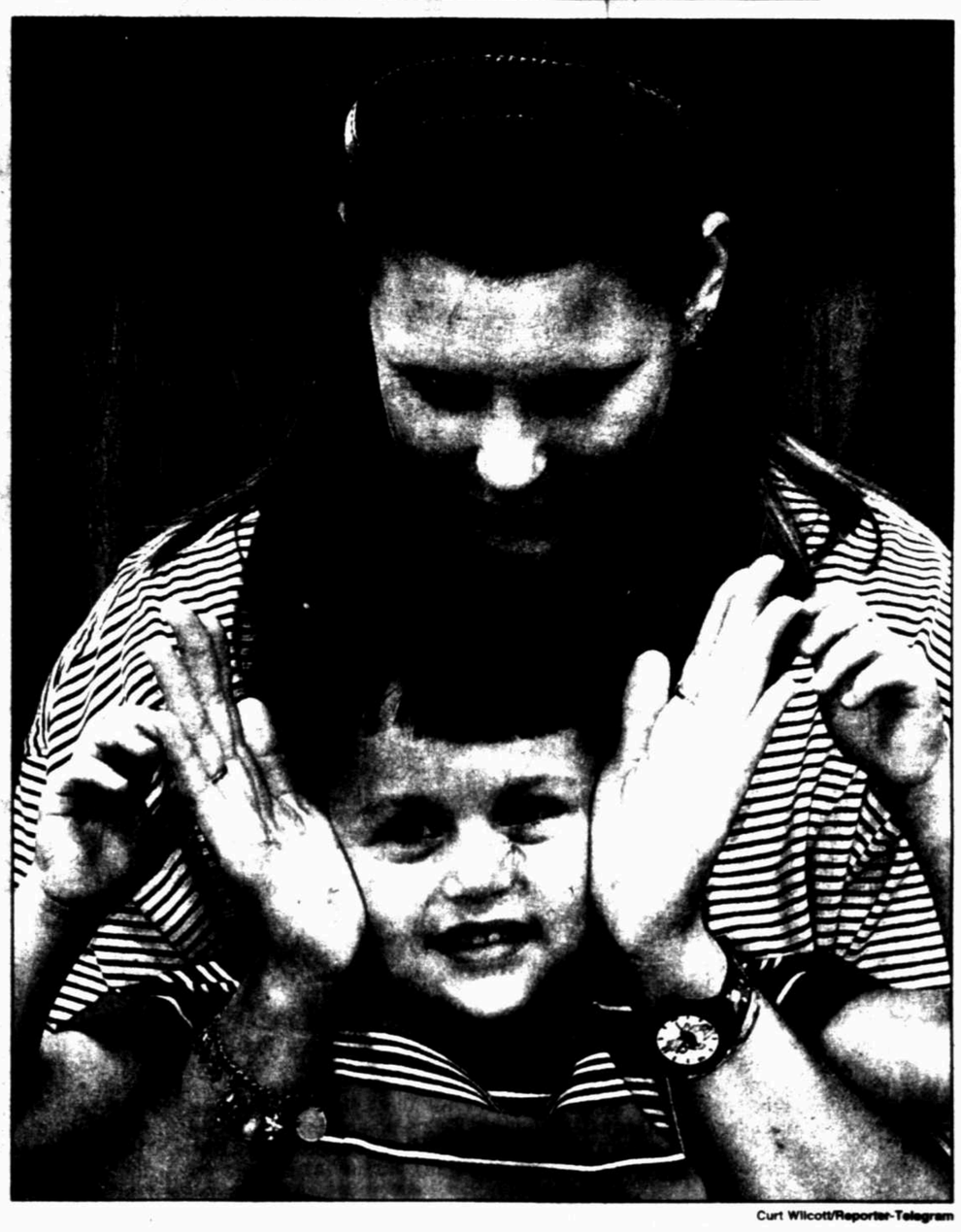
Seniors Over 50 Dance, 8 p.m. American Legion, 501 Air Park Road, 682-5511.

Midland County Child Welfare Board, noon, Department of Human Services, 901 W. Wall St.

Blacksheep A.A. group, 7 p.m., Glenwood Hospital, 3300 S. FM 1788, Info. 563-1200.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 7 p.m., West Texas Behavioral Health System, 563-1200.

Peekaboo



Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

Sandra Malone plays peekaboo with her 3-year-old son, Mason Malone. They were listening to teddy bear stories at the Children's Department at Midland County Public Library last week. For more information about the library's summer reading programs call 688-8991.

Testimony begins in sexual assault trial of local man

By Alice Ashmore
Staff Writer

Testimony got under way Tuesday in the trial of a Midland man charged with two counts of aggravated sexual assault of a child.

Jimmy Richard Stephenson pleaded not guilty to the charges before 238th District Judge John Hyde.

The alleged incidents are said to have occurred between May 1992 and September of 1994, when the girl was about 10 years old. The child is related to Stephenson.

In her opening statement to the jury, prosecutor Teresa Clingman told the nine-man, three-woman jury that the incidents were not reported until two years later. "She did not tell her mother because she was afraid," Ms. Clingman said. "You also have to consider what she has to gain by this prosecution." The girl eventually told her brother, Ms. Clingman said.

The allegations were reported to the Midland Police Department in July 1996. Ms. Clingman said there was medical evidence to support that the young girl was sexually abused.

Defense attorney Sylvia Chavez implored jurors to "please keep your minds open." She said that because of the small size of the house where the alleged abuse took place and the close proximity of other relatives, it would

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Rollover accident

Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram

Department of Public Safety Trooper Marcellous Anderson walks past two vehicles that were involved in an accident Tuesday at the intersection of La Force Boulevard and Business Highway 80 near Midland International Airport. The driver of a mini-van, driven by Sergio V. Castillo, was headed west on the off-ramp and was hit by a taxi driven by Joe Kelly. Castillo, who was cited for failure to yield right of way, was transported to the hospital with minor injuries. Kelly, operator of Kelly's Airport Taxi, said that was his only car and it would be out of service for a few weeks. "That's OK; I needed a rest," he said

MC board approves staff pay raises

By Richard Enos
Staff Writer

The Midland College board of trustees on Tuesday approved a tentative 1998-99 budget that includes staff raises and new women's athletic programs.

In an 8-0 vote, the board approved the $18.3 million budget. A final vote on the budget and setting the property tax rate will not come until August.

Midland College President David Daniel said the budget includes, on average, a 3 percent raise for MC staff and improves on the college's fund balance, or "savings" account.

"It also includes a return of $100,000 to the fund balance," Daniel said. "It also includes the addition of golf and softball for women. Otherwise, this is pretty much a hold-the-line budget."

E.G. Hickman, vice president for administrative services, gave a presentation on the budget.

The major changes in the budget are $112,000 for the two women's athletics programs and $268,000 more for the raises. There's other restructuring in the budget, for a total of $786,000 in changes and new funding.

Hickman noted in his presentation that of the $18.3 million about $6.5 million will come from state aid, $2.8 million from student tuition and fees, $2.2 million from other fees and sources, and $6.8 million from local property taxes.

Daniel said administrators spent time cutting their recommendations.

"It's a tribute to the people who recognize we must be frugal," he said. "I am comfortable with the budget. I recommend that you approve it."

In other business:

■ The board approved the purchase of three portable classrooms for $22,000. Hickman said that this is apparently the first time in MC's history that the col-

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SANDY WIEGAND

Childhood truths lead to later moral convictions

"Joey!" a woman bellows from her front porch as I take an afternoon walk. There is no movement down the street. She calls again. And again. But Joey, it seems, is too wrapped up in a backyard basketball match or game of Nintendo to respond.

Wiegand

The scene brings back memories of my old neighborhood, and my childhood best friend Joey, who lived two doors down. Our parents often used this method of communication/location. Joey was a great best friend — until he started stealing from my house when I was in about fifth grade.

I don't remember when I first met the brash, curly-haired, freckle-faced boy. But I guess my earliest memory of our friendship is from when I was 4, and he 5. He knocked on our back door and asked me if I wanted to go to Burger's, a penny candy store some five blocks away, with him. He was walking. "OK," I must have shrugged. The next thing I remember we were riding home in the back seat of a police car, the officer was asking, "What's your name?" and my street-smart 5-year-old mentor was whispering frantically to me, "Make something up!" But it was too late; I'd already blurted out the truth.

When we got home, my mom was calmly working in the front garden. I don't remember any particular fanfare — positive or negative — about the incident. But Joey later asked me, incredulous, "You didn't get a whipping?" The word wasn't in my vocabulary.

Through the years, Joey and I spent many a summer day and after-school evening together. We'd cart all of my and my younger sister's stuffed animals — maybe 50 of them — into the backyard, and pose them in the trees. Then Joey's mom would call him home and I'd have to put all of the toys away myself — usually over the course of a couple of days. We'd pick all of the cherries from my parents' tree, throw them in buckets of water to make "cherry soup," then end up throwing them at each other, or across the lawn, or just letting them rot. Then we'd marvel that my parents were irate. We picked rose bugs off the birch trees, threw them in buckets of water, and watched them maul each other trying to climb to safety before they all finally succumbed to a horrible drowning death.

We played basketball one-on-one on the dirt court in my backyard, and Joey taught me that it was funny when a person had missed three shots while playing "HORSE," though I wasn't sure just why.

Joey challenged my assertion that my parents (literally) knew everything, arguing forcefully enough that I ended up asking my mom outright whether she did. (She resisted temptation, and said, "No, only God does." I was crushed, but, of course, I was certain she came in second.)

By the time I was in fourth or fifth grade, though, Joey and I were spending less time together. I joined the YMCA swim team and was busy after school. He'd grown bigger than I, and his punches now actually hurt. I believed him when he bragged he was in seventh grade (he was in sixth), thinking I must have been mistaken about his age all those years. And one day the woman next door caught Joey up at the playground, smoking a cigarette. My older brother started telling me I shouldn't hang around Joey anymore.

Still, things didn't truly fall apart until that day my

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POLICE REPORTS

Midland Police Department
Monday

Criminal mischief: A rock was thrown at a window at 1701 N. A St. Cindy Abernathy reported at 2:20 p.m.

Assault: An assault occurred at 4000 W. Illinois Ave. Steven Stancell reported it at 4:22 a.m.

Midland County Sheriff's Office
Monday

Burglary of habitation: A gun was taken from a residence at 2324 Farm-to-Market Road 715. Ida Friday reported it at 4:14 p.m.

Tuesday

Theft: At 2:58 p.m., a theft was reported from Runaway 7 Grocery, 7720 W. Highway 80.

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

TRUTH: Betrayed trusts can be the greatest teachers in life

(From 1A)

parents were at work when Joey, who seldom came inside my house, suggested we go on a "money hunt" there. I felt a bit uneasy about it, but deep down I was still the same naive little kid who couldn't understand why anyone would lie to a cop. Joey assured me he would put the money back, so I took him on a tour of my parents' hiding places (under the doily on their dresser) and my brother's (under his trophies).

Later, after Joey had gone home, I sheepishly admitted the story to my older brother, who had only scorn for my innocence. But I staunchly defended Joey until later that day, when I saw my friend riding his bike, casually munching on the type of candy bar my school was selling — the kind we had a case of in my house.

That's when I told Joey I didn't want to play with him anymore, and he stopped coming over. I heard about him a couple of years later when a school friend had a crush on him. By this time, he was going by "Joe," and he'd already been branded a "troublemaker."

I guess it's better that I stopped playing with Joey, and I have to admire my conviction after I learned the truth. And it's normal for people to change, and make and lose friends as they grow up. Still, as grateful as I was for the fun, harmless mischief Joey taught me, I regret that last lesson, when I learned that trust sometimes is betrayed.

Sandy Wiegand is a copy editor at the Reporter-Telegram.

KLAN: White rights group claims that planned rally will be peaceful

(From 1B)

The group also claimed to have a chapter in Jasper County since 1996. Vidor is 55 miles south of Jasper in East Texas.

Because the courthouse square is a public area, the groups did not need permission for the rally, Gatlin said. They informed the city of their plans as a "courtesy call" of sorts, he said.

Gatlin said he expected the Texas Department of Public Safety to provide security during the event, although the DPS would not confirm that.

News of the rally surfaced as Jasper residents recover from the gruesome June 7 slaying of Byrd, a 49-year-old black man who was dragged to death over nearly three miles of bumpy back roads, apparently because of his skin color.

Monday night, about 700 residents in this piney woods town of 8,000 gathered for a prayer vigil on the courthouse square.

Three white suspects, John William King and Shawn Allen Berry, both 23, and Lawrence Russell Brewer, 31, have been charged with Byrd's killing. Authorities have linked King and Brewer to a racist prison gang.

TRIAL: Testimony in sexual assault proceedings to continue today

(From 1B)

be unlikely that an assault would go unnoticed.

Another incident is alleged to have occurred while the defendant and the victim were playing in a small backyard pool and other children were present. "At no time did Mr. Stephenson play alone in that swimming pool with her — not once," said Ms. Chavez.

The victim, now 14 years-old, told the court that after the first time Stephenson allegedly molested her, "It was like I was shocked or something." She testified she was afraid to tell about the abuse. "I was scared," she said.

Testimony in the case continues today.

WEST TEXAS IN BRIEF

From Staff Reports

SNYDER — The legends of Western Swing Music Festival is today through Saturday at Scurry County Coliseum, Highway 180 and East Coliseum Drive.

Performers include The Light Crust Doughboy, today; Alvin Crow and the Pleasant Valley Boys, Tommy Morrell and the Timewarp Tophands, Hal Rugg and Herb Wallace and Tommy Morrell, Thursday; Fiddlers Two and Bob Wills' Texas Playboys, Friday; Clyde Brewer and the River Road Boys, Dave Alexander and the Legends of Western Swing, Saturday.

RV spaces are available by calling 1-915-573-3558. Tickets are $20 a day for Wednesday through Friday, $25 for Saturday or $15 either half of the day. No alcohol is allowed on the premises.

For show information call 1-405-376-4939. For information about Snyder call 1-915-573-3558.

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Artist Art Cole, director emeritus of Midland Community Theatre, will be here for the "Jubilee Weekend" celebration of the Summer Mummers 50th season and his work will be on display and for sale at J-Mar Gallery, 1215 N. Midkiff Road Thursday.

Cole will be at the showing. The public is invited to attend.

His work will be moved to the lobby of Midland American Bank for a week.

Cole is returning to again play the hero in the annual Summer Mummers, a production he was in large part responsible for beginning 50 years ago. The "Jubilee Weekend" begins June 25 at the Yucca Theatre, 208 N. Colorado Ave. A number of former participants will be returning for the event.

The Mummers will run through Labor Day weekend.

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ODESSA — "No Uncertain Honor," a drama based on the life of San Houston, is to be presented at at the Globe of the Great Southwest 8 p.m. Thursday through Saturday.

The play, written by Agnes Holland and Larry Routh of Huntsville — where Houston lived with his family — traces the Texas hero's life through the influence of four major persons: Houston's mother; his final wife, Margaret; the Cherokee Indiana chief, Oo-loo-te-ka; and Andrew Jackson. Midlander Jim Blischke is featured as San Houston.

For ticket information and reservations call the Globe, 580-3177.

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ODESSA — Neil Simon's "The Sunshine Boys" is to close Saturday at the Permian Playhouse.

Simon is the award-winning author of "The Odd Couple," "Barefoot in the Park," "Biloxi Blues" and many more.

Tickets are $10 for adults and $8 for seniors and students.

For more information or for reservations call 1-915-362-2329 or 550-5456.

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OBITUARIES

Virginia Sterling

Virginia Stewart Sterling, born in Philadelphia, Pa., on March 24, 1916, raised in New York City and in Larchmont, N.Y., passed away in the Twelve Oaks Hospital at 6:02 p.m. June 14, 1998.

Virginia was the daughter of Ruth Kenneth and James Monroe Stewart. Virginia graduated from Mamaroneck High School and was a member of the Junior Section of the Larchmont Woman's Club. She married Albert Sterling, her husband of 55 years, in Key West Florida on June 9, 1943. After completing Albert's duty with the Navy they moved to Houston in 1945. Virginia was an active member of St. Martin's Episcopal Church where she served as a teacher, worked in the gift shop and served with the Alter Guild for many years. She was the past president of the current Study Club of Houston and also past president of the Dance Club.

Her survivors are her husband, Albert. A. Sterling; her daughter, Anne Sterling Johnson and her husband, Bert G. Johnson; two grandchildren, Sterling Holt Johnson and Katherine Anne Johnson; her son, Clay A. Sterling; sister-in-law, Frances Sterling Thurow and her husband, Harold F. Thurow; niece and nephew and many other relatives.

Virginia donated her body to the University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston Medical School to further research.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations to the Living Bank, P.O. Box 6725, Houston, Texas 77265, The University of Texas, M.D. Anderson Cancer Center, P.O. Box 29767, Houston, Texas 77297-0269 or the charity of your choice. The memorial service was held at St. Martin's Episcopal Church, 717 Sage Road, Houston, Texas 77056 at 4 p.m. Wednesday, June 17, 1998.

Obituary & Death Notice policy

There is no charge for death notices of residents or former residents of Midland or for those who have Midland relatives. We also publish death notices for residents of the surrounding West Texas area.

Free death notices include date and place of death, service and burial information, funeral home handling arrangements, date and place of birth, brief biography, survivors and memorials. A longer, more detailed obituary is available for a charge. It may include tributes, expanded biography, organizational associations, notes of appreciation, pallbearers, honorary pallbearers and a photo.

Deadline for both free death notices and paid obituaries is 4:30 p.m. and information must be either received from or verified by a funeral home.

DEATH NOTICES

Denver Harris

BIG SPRING — Denver G. Harris, 78, of Big Spring, died Tuesday, June 16, 1998 at his residence.

Graveside services will be at 10 a.m. Thursday, June 18, at Lamesa Memorial Park with the Rev. Dennis Teeters officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home in Big Spring.

He was born Nov. 24, 1919 in Wister, Okla.

He worked for the railroad for 40 years and retired in 1983. He owned and operated Harris Cabinet Shop. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife, Lottie Harris of Big Spring; a son, Grady Harris of Midland; a daughter, Debbie Harris of Arlington; a stepdaughter, Wanda Brock of McCamey; two sisters, Bea Murray of Blackwell and Ruby Gray of Odessa; a brother, Paul Harris of Anaheim, Calif.; and two grandchildren.

Duke Richburg

Duke Alton Richburg died Tuesday, June 16, in Crane.

Services are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

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lege will use portables, which are necessary because of enrollment growth. The three portables will accommodate 30 to 40 students each. Administrators have not decided what classes will meet in the portables.

■ The board approved a bid for building a divided boulevard entrance on the east side of campus near the Chaparral Center. The current entrance passes through a gully and is vulnerable to flooding.

The cost of $235,000 will be paid by the Midland College Foundation's private funds, although arrangements have not been made.

■ The board voted to give administrators a chance to rebid or re-examine their options on biology equipment for MC's first biology classes for Fort Stockton.

Hickman said only a few vendors bid for a few items on the college's 100-item list of lab equipment. He wants to look at a state of Texas approved list of vendors.

■ The board also formally approved the hiring of Gregory Williams, as MC's new vice president of student services and Gayleen Ienatsch as the new division chair for the college's Health Sciences Division.

Autopsy reveals more mistakes by ex-pathologist

By Chris Newton
Associated Press

TULIA — Despite friends' pleas to get on with his life after the death of his 14-month-old son, Norman Ballard held firm in his belief that the toddler did not die of pneumonia as a medical examiner had ruled.

For nearly nine years, Ballard had little more than a nagging hunch to go on. Then, in February, new witnesses went to police with tips that the baby had been slain.

The case was turned over to Texas Ranger DeWayne Williams, who was skeptical — until he saw the signature at the bottom of the autopsy report: Ralph Erdmann.

Swisher County officials cringed at the memories evoked by Erdmann's name — the dozens of falsified autopsies, seemingly botched at random; the murder mysteries solved years later because Erdmann initially dismissed the cases as natural deaths; and Erdmann's inability or unwillingness to explain why he did it.

Williams said the rest of the pieces soon fell into place. The body of Anthony Lynn Culifer was exhumed and a second autopsy revealed Ballard's worst fear: His baby was killed. Investigators say they now believe a bone fracture may have been the cause of the baby's death.

On Wednesday, a Swisher County grand jury will be told how authorities believe it happened and who they think did it. Officials won't identify their prime suspect before then, other than to say the person is already in custody on other charges.

Erdmann, 72, was West Texas' main forensic pathologist in the 1980s, handling bodies for 48 counties. A 1992 investigation by other medical examiners found that about 100 of 300 cases he handled had serious omissions.

Among the more gruesome errors later discovered were a misplaced head and parts from two different bodies placed in the same container. A woman he ruled had died of choking on her own vomit later was found to have been smothered by her former lover. The man received a life sentence for the slaying; Erdmann was ordered to pay the victim's family $250,000.

Erdmann pleaded no contest in 1994 to six felonies tied to falsified evidence and botched autopsies in three counties. He surrendered his medical license and was sentenced to 10 years' probation, 200 hours of community service and repayment of nearly $17,000 in autopsy fees.

He was imprisoned in 1995 when police in Washington state found guns in his home. Two years later he was released and now lives in San Antonio.

Despite all the publicity surrounding Erdmann and Ballard's suspicions about his son's death, Ballard did not pursue investigation until others brought out the new information.

"Why Ballard didn't come forward sooner ... I don't know," Swisher County District Attorney Terry McEachern said. "But as for the other witnesses, maybe their conscience has been working on them all this time."

McEachern, who remained tight-lipped about the case because of the pending grand jury hearing, said some information suggests Erdmann might have performed the baby's autopsy at the funeral home without any instruments.

"The baby did not have pneumonia and any tests would have revealed that," he said.

Anthony was suffering severe breathing problems when he was taken to Swisher Memorial Hospital on March 20, 1989, less than 24 hours after Ballard had visited him and his mother, Rhonda Culifer.

Shortly after he arrived, the baby was pronounced dead. Erdmann ruled that the cause of death was pneumonia.

Rhonda Culifer, who no longer associates with Ballard, refused Tuesday to comment on the case to The Associated Press.

Ballard, who lives in this town of 5,000 about 90 miles north of Lubbock, says his friends didn't want to hear his persistent questioning of Erdmann's ruling. They thought he was just obsessing over his child's death.

Now, he says, he feels vindicated.

"I've been griping about it for nine years now. I'm just glad to see justice is being done," Ballard told the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal. He did not return calls Tuesday from The Associated Press.

Erdmann refused to comment on the case, but his wife told the AP her husband did not keep any records of the autopsies and that he doesn't remember the Culifer case.

"The media has never been fair to my husband so we really aren't interested in talking," she said, adding that police used Erdmann as a scapegoat to cover their own "shoddy work."

For law enforcement officers, Ballard's case is just another frustrating reminder that the truth, like many of Erdmann's subjects, might remain buried.

Anthony's case revives the question that's haunted the region for nearly a decade: How many other families were told the wrong cause of death for a loved one because of Erdmann's bizarre behavior?

"Perhaps dozens," said Williams, the Texas Ranger.

Lubbock police Chief Ken Walker is among those who believe there could be more mistakes, but he said it would be impossible to try to review all of the records from Erdmann's tenure.

"He handled so many cases that we can only investigate the ones that present themselves," Walker said.

Perhaps what taunts authorities most is that they still don't know why Erdmann did what he did.

"Unless he tells us," McEachern said, "we'll never know."

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Death row numbers

By The Associated Press

Some numbers associated with Henry Lee Lucas, the confessed and then un-confessed serial killer who faces execution on June 30:

600 — Murders Lucas says he confessed to

360 — Murders officials say he confessed to

150 — Murders in which he was considered a suspect by Texas Rangers

62 — Age, as defined by Lucas

61 — Age, as defined by prison records

26 — States Lucas listed in confession as places where he committed murders

17 — Number of attorneys he figures he's had since 1983 arrest

17 — Age when he first went to prison

13 — Years on death row

11 — Murder convictions

4 — Times he confessed to Orange Socks slaying

4 — Last grade he attended school

3 — Execution dates he has had

1 — Death sentences

0 — His estimate of chances he will avoid execution

Serial killer sentenced to die for 'orange socks' murder

By Michael Graczyk
Associated Press

GEORGETOWN — Her neighbors forever are a woman who died eight days after her 99th birthday and an infant who died on the day of his birth.

In the archives of Texas crime, she is known as "Orange Socks" — so named because the pair of socks was the only clothing she was wearing when a motorist driving along the frontage road bordering busy Interstate 35 spotted her body in a concrete culvert in Williamson County on Halloween afternoon 1979.

Almost five years later, a jury in San Angelo believed infamous self-described serial killer Henry Lee Lucas, who said he strangled her, and sentenced him to death. It is for her murder that Lucas, who now denies any role in her killing, faces execution June 30.

Her notoriety, like her identity, is unknown to visitors to Georgetown's IOOF Cemetery, where people born when Texas became a republic in 1836 are buried side-by-side with Confederate soldiers from the Civil War and Spanish-American War veterans.

The gray granite tombstone simply says: "Unidentified Woman. 1979." A single stemmed rose is carved along the left side of the marker.

The cemetery, still in use today, borders a golf course and a horse corral within sight of Southwestern University. Depending on the time of day, her gravesite at the bottom of a slope is screened by a large shade tree.

What is known is she was white, 5-feet-9, 158 pounds. She had hazel eyes, 10-inch-long brown hair with a reddish tint and probably was between 20 and 25 years of age.

An autopsy determined she had a hairline scar under her chin, she was wearing a silver abalone ring on the middle finger of her right hand and she had pierced ears.

According to Dr. Roberto Bayardo, the Travis County medical examiner in 1979, she was unshaven and, in his judgment, appeared to have been an unkempt person.

She had no cavities in her teeth and no indication of any dental work. X-rays showed she never suffered any broken bones.

Her fingernails were covered with red polish. Her toenails were long.

Detectives initially believed a piece of wood chip was in an eye. The pathologist concluded it was a larvae egg.

Bayardo determined she died of manual strangulation. Her neck was extensively bruised. There were scratches and bruises on her left lower back, indicating she had been dragged over a freeway guardrail and through the Johnson grass before she was dumped in the culvert 9.4 miles south of the Williamson-Bell county line.

She landed face down in the ditch where a slight trickle of water pooled, sprawled on her right side. Her legs, bearing evidence of insect bites, were crossed. One arm was folded beneath her, the other was extended.

The pathologist's examination showed she suffered from an infection known as chronic salpingitis, the result of gonorrhea.

Two matchbooks were found at the scene: one with a Motel 6 logo, the other indicating it came from a Holiday Inn in Henryetta, Okla. The only other evidence was determined to be a makeshift sanitary napkin, which was labelled among the evidence as a bloody towel.

In his confession, given beginning at 9:07 a.m. on June 22, 1983, Lucas said he had picked her up as she hitchhiked in Oklahoma City, "the second exit off a turnpike."

"I think her name was Joanie or Judy — I don't remember exactly," he wrote.

He told of eating at a truck stop with her, of having sex with her at a roadside park or picnic area and of failing to be satisfied.

"I was drinking beer," Lucas scrawled. "I don't know if something was wrong with her or something was wrong with me. I killed her not long after that by strangling her with my hands."

He said he later undressed her and had unsatisfying sex with her after she was dead.

"I drug her out of my car somewhere on IH35 southbound toward San Antonio, and dropped her into a culvert," Lucas wrote. "I remember an iron guard rail with carved iron, because I skinned my knee on it."

At 10:47 a.m. he signed the statement.

"Henry Lee Lucas."

Judge waxes eloquent; keeps historic pool open

AUSTIN (AP) — Cleaning the pool is cool.

So says a federal judge, who issued a rhyming ruling Tuesday rejecting a motion that could have closed Austin's landmark swimming hole, Barton Springs Pool.

Putting his decision down in poetry, U.S. District Judge Sam Sparks said the city's careful cleaning of the famed spring-fed pool doesn't hurt the federally protected Barton Springs salamander, which lives there.

"Both salamander and swimmer enjoy the springs that are cool, and cleaning is necessary for both species in the pool," Sparks wrote.

"The city is doing its best with full federal support, so no temporary injunction shall issue from this court."

Sparks' 16-line poem — and other eloquent descriptions of the pool — came in a lawsuit filed by two scientists.

Alan Hamilton and Robert Barnhart contended that the city lacks the proper federal OK to perform the cleaning, which requires the water level of the pool to be lowered.

They argued that lowering the water is harmful to the salamander, which is protected by the federal Endangered Species Act, and asked Sparks to keep the city from continuing to clean the pool without proper permitting.

But city officials said that without cleaning, algae and soot levels could rise to a point requiring the historic pool to be closed.

In frequently humorous terms, Sparks said the city is working closely with federal wildlife officials and that the cleaning appears to benefit "the community of salamanders."

"The uncontroverted scientific evidence made it clear there is an abundance of algae and other food sources in the salamanders' habitat. In other words, it is obvious that the salamanders never missed a meal because of the city's algae removal during pool cleaning," he wrote.

The judge even took note of the special relationship of city and pool:

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Brigid Shea, executive director of the Save Our Springs Alliance, said the pool cleaning isn't a threat to the salamander and that pollution is being caused by excessive development in the watershed that feeds the spring.

"It (cleaning) definitely needs to be done carefully," she said. "But the absolute threat is the long-term pollution in the watershed."

Robert Kleeman, an attorney for Hamilton and Barnhart, did not immediately return a call seeking comment.

The judge said everyone — including the salamanders — gains from the city's heavily monitored cleaning.

"The court believes the continuing scientific operations are a benefit to the salamander as well as to the many thousands of swimmers who have, and hopefully will continue, to enjoy Barton Springs Pool, that wonderful creation of God's handiwork."

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Year of campus violence has schools on edge, brings on summer of soul searching

WASHINGTON (AP) — As the school administrator in Springfield, Ore., Jamon Kent understands the issues in the frightening wave of school shootings all too well.

But he admits his own district's nightmare — in which a 15-year-old is accused of shooting two classmates to death and injuring 22 others on May 21 after killing his parents — hasn't given him the answers on how to balance tougher security, closer monitoring of problem children and timely intervention without running schools with a "terrorist mentality."

"We may soon see kids being locked in, fences placed around school, razor wire and metal detectors," Kent said. "I'm not sure our communities, parents or our kids want that to occur."

The highly charged debate will be taking place among parents, teachers and administrators across the country this summer.

When President Clinton visited Springfield's Thurston High School on Saturday, he told an assembly: "We want something constructive to come out of this." Clinton has asked Education Secretary Richard Riley and Attorney General Janet Reno to develop an "early warning guide" that might help prevent the kind of youth rage that erupted in deadly school gunfire in Arkansas, Mississippi, Kentucky, Pennsylvania and Oregon.

The dilemma facing school administrators in such a tense atmosphere is already becoming clear.

"The tough issue is: 'How do they react without overreacting?'" said Ron Stephens, executive director of the National School Safety Center. "You don't want to ignore a ticking time bomb and you don't want to be too Draconian in what you do."

'We may soon see kids being locked in, fences placed around school, razor wire and metal detectors.'
— Jamon Kent, Springfield, Ore. school administrator

Recently, three students in Fairfax County, Va., were removed from school after making threats. A student in Saginaw, Mich., was suspended after threatening in a yearbook message to "shoot you all."

Two students in Lead, S.D., were kicked out for threatening to kill other students. A high school student in Naperville, Ill., a Chicago suburb, was suspended for threatening to kill a teacher, then adding: "I'm just messing with your minds."

While some criticize such punishments as overreactions, a school administrator in Naperville defended his school's quick action.

"You can't mess around with it," said Ross Truemper, an assistant principal at Naperville Central High School. "Even if they're joking, you can't make that call. You can't see what's in a person's mind. It's either a cry for help or a cry for action."

In northern Virginia, Fairfax County schools have a firm policy of removing a student who makes a threat while the seriousness of the threat is determined, said school spokeswoman Kitty Porterfield.

The American Civil Liberties Union, which has intervened in cases involving metal detectors and students' free speech, has not monitored the latest round of suspensions and expulsions, said spokeswoman Emily Whitfield.

Organizations on school safety, too busy dealing with the crises themselves, have not yet gathered statistics on this side effect of the school shootings.

While some suspensions may be severe punishment, given the nature of the offense, "the reality is that there is concern in the community and principals can't afford not to deal with the issue as sternly as possible. The big issue is fairness," said John Lammel, associate executive director of the National Association of Secondary School Principals.

"It's a tough call for school administrators," said Stephens of the National School Safety Center. "With the changing landscape of more threats of violence, school administrators certainly need to follow up on any perceived threat."

The school term's end allows districts to devise a more organized response to the nightmare year. The national PTA and those touched personally by the shootings recommend town meetings involving all segments of the community.

"If they're not planning on it, they better look at it, because this is a problem that is nationwide with our children," said Jimmy Foster, mayor of Pearl, Miss., where a 17-year-old boy shot and killed two teen-age girls at a high school after killing his mother Oct. 1. Seven others were wounded.

"We were in that group who thought, 'It can't happen here,'" he said. "But this tore our community apart."

It's a boy! Mom gives birth over the Internet

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — A groaning, 40-year-old woman gave birth to a boy Tuesday in front of thousands of people who saw it not by elbowing their way into the delivery room but by logging onto their computers.

It was billed as the first Internet birth, although in the fast-moving world of high-tech, that claim was disputed.

Viewers over the Internet didn't see anything more graphic than an episode of "ER." The cameras were discreetly held at the woman's side and in front of her hospital bed, but nurses' backs blocked any view of the actual delivery.

"After a certain point, you're not aware of all the commotion that is going on," said the mother, who wanted herself identified only by her first name, Elizabeth.

While the birth of the black-haired boy went smoothly, the same couldn't be said for the Internet broadcast over the Web site of America's Health Network, a cable TV channel.

A computer traffic jam limited the number of viewers to about 5,000 at any one time, only half of what the cable network had expected. At least 50,000 people at one time logged on to the site in an attempt to download the video footage.

Sean was born at 10:40 a.m., more than 4 1/2 hours after the broadcast began. Elizabeth groaned several times before the 7 pound, 8 ounce baby emerged in front of the two cameras.

"Here comes Sean's head. He has a lot of hair on his head," said Dr. Walter Larimore, who narrated for the Internet audience from the delivery room.

Larimore, host of "Ask the Family Doctor" on America's Health Network, gave a play-by-play description as Elizabeth, already a mother of three, was injected with a hormone to induce labor and sat on a large plastic ball to help speed delivery.

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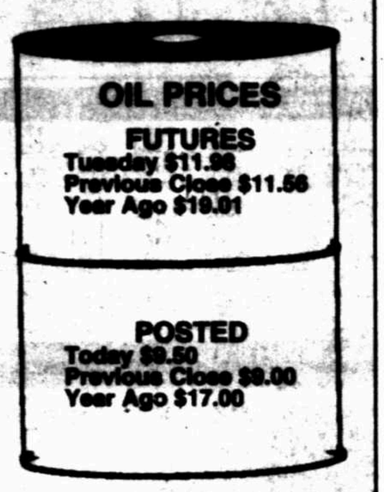

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Dollar retreats

NEW YORK — The dollar fell from its near eight-year highs against the yen Tuesday as a report surfaced that a top U.S. Treasury official was traveling to Japan for emergency discussions with top finance officials.

The dollar also dropped 1 1/3 German marks, although Tuesday's action was centered on the yen.

The dollar declined to 143.47 yen in late New York trading, down from 146.15 yen Monday.

The dollar also was changing hands at 1.7970 marks in New York, up from 1.8105.

Other late dollar rates in New York, compared with late Monday: 1.5065 Swiss francs, up from 1.5065; 6.0725 French francs, up from 6.0725; 1,786.98 Italian lire, up from 1,786.98; and 1.4700 Canadian dollars, down from 1.4728.

The British pound rose to $1.6526, up from $1.6324.

Markets climb

NEW YORK — Technology stocks surged Tuesday, leading a half-hearted market rebound, as the steep discounts created by Monday's tumble provided some distraction from all the worries about Asia and corporate profits.

The Dow Jones industrial average, which plunged 207 points on Monday, rose 37.36 to 8,665.29 after bouncing back from two dips below 8,600.

Broader indexes also recovered some of Monday's losses, with the technology-heavy Nasdaq composite posting the sharpest gain.

The Nasdaq composite rose 37.37, or 2.2 percent, to 1,753.12. It was the fourth biggest point gain in history for the Nasdaq composite.

Advancing issues outnumbered decliners by an 8-to-5 margin on the New York Stock Exchange, where composite volume totaled 787.32 million shares.

The Standard & Poor's 500 rose 10.58 to 1,087.59, the NYSE composite index rose 4.03 to 558.92, and the American Stock Exchange composite index rose 4.78 to 688.66.

The Russell 2000 index of smaller companies rose 4.51 to 438.37.

Affordable housing

WASHINGTON — There are nearly two low-income families competing for every affordable apartment in what has become an unprecedented shortage, a private advocacy group says.

The Center on Budget and Policy Priorities said in a report that needy families outnumbered low-rent apartments by 4.4 million in 1995, according to the latest available figures from the Census Bureau.

The Clinton administration used the opportunity to promote a 1999 budget request for 100,000 new government vouchers to help low-income families pay for private housing. Congress froze the number of vouchers in 1995, and Republicans are resisting lifting the freeze.

Aetna vs Viagra

HARTFORD, Conn. — Aetna U.S. Healthcare will not pay for the impotency drug Viagra unless employers buy special coverage because company managers don't consider having sex medically necessary, the company has told New York regulators.

In a 14-page letter sent Monday to the New York Department of Insurance, Aetna said Viagra could cost it more than $50 million a year and cited "the primarily recreational/lifestyle use and abuse of this drug." The decision comes as many insurers remain undecided about whether to fund what they consider lifestyle drugs.

Aetna spokeswoman Jill Griffiths said that while the policy will apply in New York she did not know whether the decision would apply nationwide.

Oil prices rebound from 12-year lows

■ Several producing countries announce further output cuts.

N.Y. Times News Service

NEW YORK — Crude oil rose more than 3 percent, rebounding from a 12-year low, as producers announced further output cuts of 170,000 barrels a day to ease a world oil glut.

The cuts by Kuwait, the United Arab Emirates and Oman were announced during a meeting of the Gulf Cooperation Council in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia, newswires reported. That raised the cuts announced this month to 740,000 barrels a day.

"The market took the talk of cuts as positive," said Jerry Samuels, managing director of Arb Oil Inc., the largest independent brokerage on the New York Mercantile Exchange. The price gain was limited, though, by the perception that the cuts were "cosmetic. They are constructive but they're not enough."

Crude oil for July delivery rose 42 cents, or 3.6 percent, to $11.98 a barrel on the New York Mercantile Exchange, the biggest one-day gain since May 1. Crude fell 8.2 percent yesterday to its lowest price since August 1986.

Crude had dropped 24 percent in the previous seven sessions amid skepticism that producers would be able to cut output enough to eliminate an oversupply that's left prices 32 percent lower than a year ago. Some traders said cuts of a million barrels a day are needed.

Kuwait and the United Arab Emirates each pledged production cuts of 75,000 barrels a day, news services reported, citing a statement from the GCC, with Oman promising a cutback of 20,000 barrels a day. The issue of overproduction is expected to be taken up by the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries at its meeting June 24 in Vienna.

Refined products followed crude higher, even as the Department of Energy forecast that U.S. demand for gasoline this summer will be weaker than previously expected.

Third-quarter demand will average 8.42 million barrels a day, according to the department's June Short-Term Energy Outlook, 30,000 barrels a day less than last month's forecast. Still, when adjusted for inflation, average U.S. gasoline prices this year are expected to be lower than ever before, the department said.

July gasoline rose 0.99 cent, or 2.2 percent, to 45.93 cents a gallon on the Nymex; while July heating oil rose 0.27 cent, or 0.7 percent, to 36.97 cents a gallon.

GCC members Saudi Arabia and Qatar announced production cuts earlier, with Saudi Arabia pledging to reduce output by 225,000 barrels a day and Qatar by 20,000 barrels a day. Bahrain, the sixth member of the GCC, hasn't promised any cuts, newswires reported.

In March, 17 oil producers pledged output cuts of 1.72 million barrels a day after crude dropped to a 9 1/2-year low, though the reduction wasn't enough to revive the market. Western oil companies battered by low prices are looking to OPEC for further reductions.

OPEC producers "can't sustain themselves at prices like this. The key is in their hands," said Pierre Jungels, chief executive of Enterprise Oil Plc, the U.K.'s biggest independent oil company. "I think they will cut back production in a meaningful way, but if it has an impact on the market is another matter."

Strike hurts GM at its bottom line

■ Two UAW strikes halt over 70 percent of production of GM's most popular products.

Associated Press

DETROIT — Two United Auto Workers strikes cut deeply into General Motors' bottom line Tuesday, having halted more than 70 percent of the automaker's production of pickups and sport utility vehicles.

Light trucks generate the fattest profits for the No. 1 automaker. By Friday, GM's North American production of the popular vehicles will be reduced to a trickle.

Negotiations recessed Tuesday afternoon at the two parts plants in Flint, Mich., where about 9,200 workers are on strike to protest GM's cost-cutting efforts. The factories supply GM assembly plants throughout North America. Talks were to resume Wednesday.

The company shut down its Shreveport, La., assembly plant that makes compact Chevrolet, GMC and Isuzu pickups Tuesday, laying off 2,337 workers. That brought to 17 the number of assembly plants affected by the strikes.

In all, more than 71,700 GM workers have been idled at those assembly plants and 78 parts plants in the United States, Mexico and Canada.

Among GM's light truck plants, only the Oshawa, Ontario, factory that recently began limited production of GM's redesigned full-size pickup is expected to remain in business into next week.

The company apparently stockpiled needed parts there in anticipation of labor problems in Flint.

The production launch of the 1999 Chevrolet Silverado and GMC Sierra, which are to begin arriving at dealerships in the fall, is critical for GM; the big pickup is the company's top-selling vehicle.

"I don't think the strikes are going to affect it anytime soon," said analyst Michael Robinet of CSM Forecasting Inc.

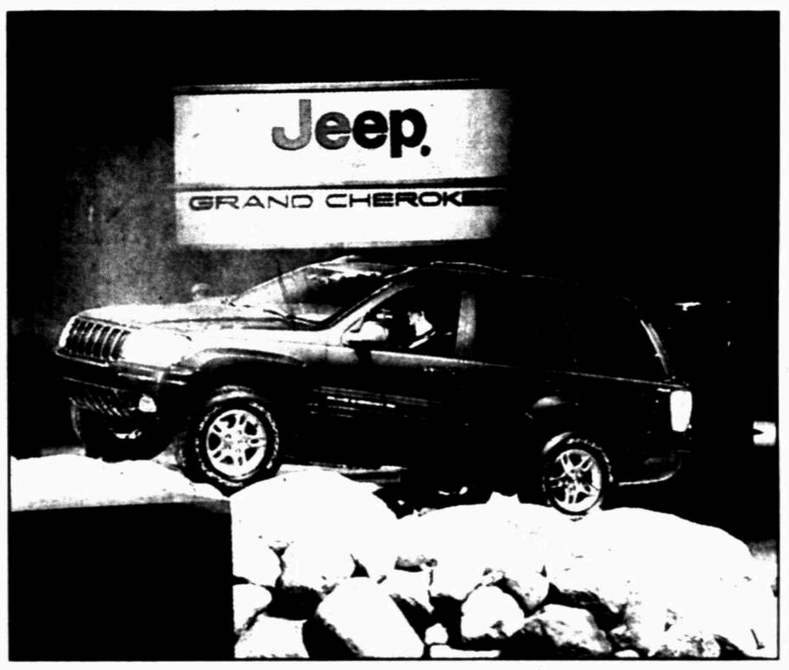
Once the remaining car and truck plants the depend on parts from Flint are idled, by this weekend or early next week, GM's production will be cut by about 106,000 vehicles a week — nearly the company's entire average production load, according to Standard & Poor's.

Analysts there estimate that every 100,000 vehicles that GM does not produce reduces the gross domestic product by $2 billion.

However analysts say any effects on the economy are likely to be temporary.

"The U.S. economy is doing so well right now that it won't be too noticeable," analyst Sam Fiorani of Standard & Poor's said.

The prospect of heavy strike-related losses at GM, combined with the recent downturn in the stock market, has sent the company's stock price down nearly 10 percent since its close the day before the first strike began. It rose 50 cents Tuesday to $68.87 1/2 a share on the New York Stock Exchange.



Jeep revamps Grand Cherokee

The 1999 Jeep Grand Cherokee makes its debut during a news conference in Detroit, Tuesday. This is the first complete redesign of the jeep since it was introduced in 1992.

AP Photo

Prices post highest rise in 18 months

■ Though highest in 18 months, increase moderate by recent standards.

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Jumps in the cost of tobacco, gasoline and lettuce helped boost inflation in May to the highest level in nearly a year and a half. Wall Street shrugged off what could have been a worrisome report, with stocks recovering modestly after Monday's plunge.

Though a moderate increase by all but very recent standards, the seasonally adjusted 0.3 percent rise in the Labor Department's Consumer Price Index reported Tuesday was the largest in 17 months.

But, with economic weakness threatening to spill into the United States from Japan and the rest of East Asia, stock traders weren't overly concerned about the prospect of inflationary overheating.

That's because the devaluation of the Japanese yen and other Asian currencies means cheaper imports for Americans. That's good news for consumers, but bad news for U.S. manufacturers forced to cut their own prices or lose sales.

Asia's impact was evident in a 4.5 percent drop in personal computer prices and a 0.3 percent decline in new cars last month, as well as decreases for sporting goods, home furnishings and video and audio equipment.

Such price drops are contributing to worries that U.S. corporate profits will decline. A day after tumbling more than 200 points on Asian spillover fears, the Dow Jones industrial average rebounded 37 points, to close at 8,665 Tuesday.

Other reports registered Asia effects in May, too. Manufacturing production advanced a lackluster seasonally adjusted 0.2 percent, the Federal Reserve said.

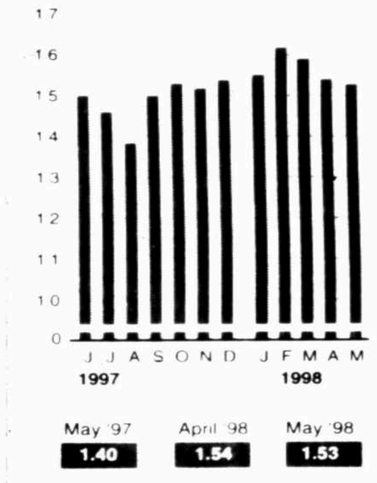
Industrial production overall — which includes mine and utility output in addition to manufacturing — increased a more robust 0.5 percent, but primarily because of a weather-related surge in electricity use and a pickup in coal production.

Industry operated at 82.2 percent of capacity in May, up slightly from 82.1 percent in April and well below levels likely to generate inflationary production bottlenecks.

Meanwhile, housing construction slid slightly for the third consecutive month, the Commerce Department said. Even so, it remained strong. Builders started work on new units at a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 1.53 million units in May. Though down 0.7 percent from April, it was the ninth consecutive month above the 1.5 million rate, the longest such stretch in more than a decade.

The starts rate hit a nine-year high of 1.62 million units in February. Analysts expect continued strong construction because a drop in long-term bond rates over the past week should bring mortgage rates under 7 percent. That's a byproduct of investors fleeing domestic and foreign stock markets for the relative safety of U.S. government securities.

"It's a second chance for buyers who did not take advantage of low mortgage rates in January," said economist Paul Taylor of America's Community Bankers, a trade group for savings institutions. "I expect this to last for a couple months, at a minimum. It's the silver lining from Asia's difficulties."



For the first five months of the year, inflation ran at a 1.5 percent annual rate, compared with an 11-year low of 1.7 percent for all of last year.

Minus the volatile food and energy sectors, the "core rate" of inflation advanced at a 2.7 percent annual rate, compared with a 2.2 percent increase for all of last year.

Energy costs increased 0.3 percent, the most since September. Most of that came from an 0.8 percent increase in gasoline. But, with crude oil prices again declining, analysts expect gasoline prices to fall, too.

BUSINESS SCENE

Construction underway on new Cheddars restaurant

By Mella McEwen

McEwen

Work has begun on a new **CHEDDARS** restaurant, to be located on Midland Drive and Loop 250 near Der Weinerschnitzel.

Barry Jones, director of operations for H&H Foods Management of Lubbock, the Cheddars franchise owner, said the restaurant is expected to open in late October.

He describes the restaurant, formally named Cheddars Casual Cafe, as offering a casual dining atmosphere for the family. The menu varies, he said, but top-sellers include its chicken tender platter, chicken fried steak, ribs, steaks, stir fry, hamburgers, chicken sandwiches and salads.

"The restaurant is upbeat, uptempo, casual, with a patio and waterfall," he said. There is also a full-service bar, separate from the main dining room.

Cheddars was founded in Arlington in 1978.

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Just opened at 2203 W. Florida is **L&B UPHOLSTERY**.

Ben Morales, who owns the business with wife Lisa, said he does all kinds of upholstery, from furniture to automobiles to boat tarps. Pick up and delivery service is available.

Morales said he has been working in the industry since he was age 10 and has helped his father, who has had his own upholstery shop in Lamesa for 40 years, off and on for seven years.

Hours are 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Saturday.

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Two Midland couples have purchased the Midland Livestock Auction facility and reopened it as **WEST TEXAS LIVESTOCK MARKET**. The business is located at 2203 E. County Road 90 off Fairgrounds Road.

Livestock is sold every Tuesday beginning at 11 a.m. and Betty Swinney, who owns the business with husband Brent and Jim and Paula Hopper, said special sales may be added later on.

The cafe is being operated by Becky Taylor, who serves breakfast and lunch and has daily lunch specials.

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THE PRESS BOX has just opened in San Miguel Square, 3303 N. Midkiff Road.

Owned by Shawn Jauz, The Press Box is a full-service sports bar that features 18 televisions, all tuned to different sports and races, dart boards and pool tables.

Currently the bar is open from 4 p.m. to 2 a.m. seven days a week, with happy hour from 4 to 7 p.m. In the near future, the bar will open at 11 a.m. to serve lunch. Plans are to feature live music four days a week and sponsor karaoke night once a week.

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On the move is **ESCENTS**, now located at 2400 W. Indiana Ave., across from its old location.

The now air conditioned candle shop now has five showrooms instead of three and a factory area three times the size of the old location.

Owner Marsha Merrell said she and her helpers make all the candles sold in the shop; all are hand-poured and triple-tinted. The shop also sells various candle holders and gift basket. A re-grand opening and end-of-quarter sale is scheduled for June 27.

Hours are 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday and 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday.

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THE MARKET IN REVIEW

MARKET SUMMARY

NYSE

MOST ACTIVE ($1 or more)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
Compaq s	114900	28 5/16	+1 3/16
IBM	88141	110	-2 1/4
Sunbeam	83782	13 7/8	-1 7/8
BayNtwk	78516	30 5/16	-1/8
NorTel s	71718	53 1/2	-1/2

GAINERS ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
CML Gp	2 1/8	+5/16	+17.2
TmpRuss	22 1/4	+2 3/4	+14.1
Neff Cp n	11 1/4	+1 3/8	+13.9
MicrnT	22 1/2	+2 3/8	+11.8
US Rentl	33 1/2	+3 5/16	+11.0

LOSERS ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Manpwr	27 11/16	-10 1/2	-27.5
PremFarn	10 1/16	-2 3/8	-19.1
HntgLfSci	2	-5/16	-13.5
Springs	48 3/4	-7 1/2	-13.3
GoldcpB g	4 1/2	-5/8	-12.2

DIARY

Advanced	1,880
Declined	1,158
Unchanged	510
Total issues	3,548
New Highs	44
New Lows	169
Volume	787,329,879

AMEX

MOST ACTIVE ($1 or more)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
SPDR	74715109	3/16	+1 21/32
ViacB	13924	55 11/16	+1 11/16
Nabors	11094	21 3/16	+1 1/16
DJIA Diam	7965	86 5/16	+5 1/64
Crystlbx gn	6666	1	+3/16

GAINERS ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
HanovC wt	2 1/8	+1/2	+26.7
Aerocnty n	5	+3/8	+17.6
Ribogne n	6 1/4	+3/8	+13.6
GulfLb	3 5/8	+3/8	+11.5
Globlink	3 7/16	+5/16	+10.0

LOSERS ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Oncormd	3 11/16	-1 7/16	-28.0
ColLb	5 15/16	-1 3/16	-12.0
BrillDig	2 1/2	-5/16	-11.1
Tippery	2 3/8	-5/16	-10.2
ThrSpect	9 1/16	-7/8	-8.3

DIARY

Advanced	332
Declined	261
Unchanged	168
Total issues	761
New Highs	13
New Lows	42
Volume	33,866,670

NASDAQ

MOST ACTIVE ($1 or more)

Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg
Intel s	170640	89 13/16	+2 15/16
DellCptr s	167646	84 31/32	+4 23/32
Microsft s	152646	89 7/8	+3 15/16
3Com	125127	25 9/16	+1 3/8
Novell	105925	13	+1

GAINERS ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
NyerMd	4 3/4	+7/8	+22.6
CasinoAm	3 3/4	+11/16	+22.4
HbrnF wtC	2 5/16	+7/16	+20.0
GuardTc		+1/2	+20.0
NetSpk	12	+2	+19.8

LOSERS ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
CyPh wtD	4 3/16	-1 7/8	-30.9
XATAn	2 5/16	-15/16	-26.0
SprtGde n	4 13/16	-1 11/16	-26.0
CyPh wtC	10 3/16	-3 7/16	-25.2
Emergnt	3 7/8	-1 1/16	-22.5

DIARY

Advanced	2,465
Declined	1,671
Unchanged	1,456
Total issues	5,592
New Highs	33
New Lows	215
Volume	680,420,400

HOW TO READ THE MARKET IN REVIEW

Here are the 1,675 most active stocks on the New York Stock Exchange, 925 most active on the Nasdaq National Market and 405 most active on the American Stock Exchange. Stocks in bold are worth at least $5 and changed 5 percent or more in price. Underlining for 50 most active on NYSE and Nasdaq and 25 most active on Amex. Tables show name, price and net change, and one to two additional fields rotated through the week, as follows:

Name: Stocks appear alphabetically by the company's full name (not its abbreviation). Names consisting of initials appear at the beginning of each letter's list.
Last: Price stock was trading at when exchange closed for the day.
Chg: Loss or gain for the day. No change indicated by ....
PE: Price-earnings ratio. Derived by dividing closing price by company's earnings per share for the most recent four quarters.
PPE: Projected price-earnings ratio. Derived by dividing closing price by company's projected earnings per share for upcoming 12 months. PPE supplied by I/B/E/S, Institutional Brokers' Estimate System. Is a consensus forecast of all analysts following the company. Only companies with three or more analysts following them have a PPE.
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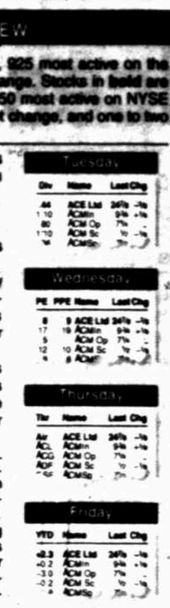
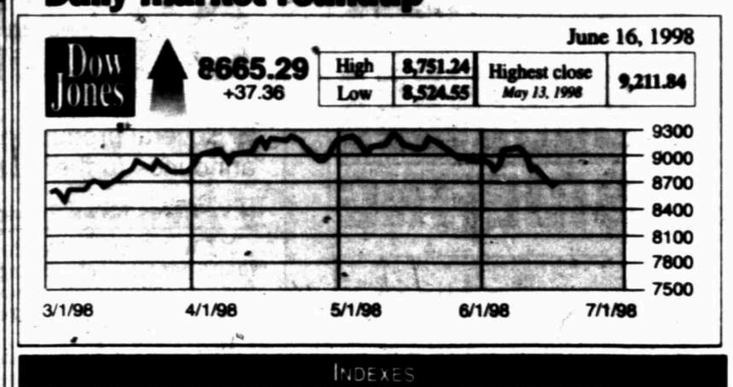


Stock Footnotes: cc – PE exceeds 99. dd – Loss in last 12 months. d – New 52-wk low during trading day. g – Dividend in Canadian $. Stock price in U.S. $. n – New issue in past 52 weeks. q – Closed end mutual fund; no PE calculated. s – Split or stock dividend of 25 percent or more in last 52 weeks. Dividend begins with date of split or stock dividend. u – New 52-wk high during trading day. v – Trading halted on primary market. Unless noted, dividend rates are annual disbursements based on last declaration. pf – Preferred. pp – Holder owes installment(s) of purchase price. rt – Rights. un – Units. wd – When distributed. wi – When issued. wt – Warrants. ww – With warrants. xw – Without warrants.

Source: The Associated Press. Sales figures are unofficial.

Daily market roundup



INDEXES

52-Week High	52-Week Low	Name	Last	Net Chg	% Chg	YTD % Chg	52-wk % Chg
9,261.91	6,983.11	Dow Jones Industrials	8,665.29	+37.36	+.43	+9.57	+11.65
3,701.42	2,696.98	Dow Jones Transportation	3,360.16	+23.54	+.71	+3.18	+23.19
294.39	222.94	Dow Jones Utilities	290.99	-1.02	-.35	+6.58	+29.27
587.91	450.91	NYSE Composite	558.92	+4.03	+.73	+9.34	+20.17
753.75	615.89	Amex Index	688.66	+4.78	+.70	+6.9	+10.03
1,931.83	1,421.74	Nasdaq Composite	1,753.12	+37.37	+2.18	+11.64	+21.48
1,132.98	855.27	S&P 500	1,087.59	+10.56	+.98	+12.07	+21.60
492.28	248.65	Russell 2000	438.37	+4.51	+1.04	+.31	+11.67
10,782.75	8,329.99	Wilshire 5000	10,214.09	+108.84	+1.08	+9.85	+21.10

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

PE	PPE	Name	Last	Chg
		A-H		
10	15	ACE Ltd s	36 1/16	+7/8
		ACM Sc	9 7/8	+1/8
		ACM Sp	6 1/2	-1/16
		ACMMD	12 3/16	-1/16
36	25	ACNielsn	25 3/16	-1/2
24	12	ACX Tech	21 1/16	+1/4
38	24	AES Cp s	46 3/4	-1/8
		AES pfT	71	-3
19	18	AFLAC s	29 5/16	+3/16
8	7	AGCO	23 1/4	+1/16
		AJL	dd	
7	8	AK Steel s	16 11/16	-1/16
		AMF n	23	
16		AMLI Rs	21 1/4	+1/16
13	11	AMR s	80 1/16	+9/16
44	16	ARCOCh	50 5/8	+5/8
20	11	ARM Fncl	21 1/4	+1/8
		ASA Ltd	19 1/16	+7/8
21	17	AT&T	61 5/8	+1 5/8
11	12	AVX Cp	16 5/8	+1/16
26	9	Aames	13 5/8	
28	24	AbtLab s	39	+7/16
53	25	AberFitch	40 1/16	
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37	19	Airgas	14 1/16	+1/16
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		AlaP pfC	25 1/4	-1/8
		AlaP adj pf	24 1/4	
		AlaPC pfQ	25	+1/16
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+1 1/16				
	19	AlbCulA	26	-1/8
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		Alcatel	38 1/16	
13	12	AlgEnrgy	29 7/16	+1/16
13	11	AlleqTcdy	21	
+1/16				
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		Allen Tel		
13	14	Allen Tel		
	22	Allergn	44 9/16	+1/16
30	15	AllCap s	24	
		AllWrld	12 1/16	
23	21	AlldGrp s	46	
19	16	AlldSignl s	40	
14	15	Allmrfin	63	+1/4
24	15	Allstate	91 1/16	+1/16
17	18	Alltel	41 7/16	+1/16
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	28	Alza	44 1/4	+1/16
	14	AmbacF	54 1/4	+1/16
	14	Amresco	31 1/16	
14	14	Amerco	39 7/16	
	100	AmOnline	89	+3 7/8
15	11	AmWest	26 1/16	
15	21	AmBanc	59 5/8	+1/16
14		AmEP	47 1/8	+1/16
24	20	AmExp	101 1/4	+1/16
13		AmGenCp	65 1/16	
13		AmHosp	20 5/8	
14		AmGreet	46 7/8	+1/16
28	28	AHomeP s	51 1/16	+1 1/16
21	23	AmHmPt	31 3/16	
		AResdSvcs		
32	13	AmStd	43 1/4	
	24	AmStor	24 1/16	
		AmTower	21 1/16	
52	19	AmWste	44 3/16	
18	13	Amerind	10 5/8	
17	14	AmeriSt	26	
22				
	18	Ameritch	54 3/4	
19	18	Amoco s	41 7/8	+1
18	18	AMP	37 15/16	
		AmSouth s	37 7/16	
10	15	AmwyAs	11 1/16	
9		Amway	35 1/4	
47	34	Anadrk	61 1/4	+1 1/8
21	17	Analog	31 1/16	
20	18	Anheus	47 1/16	
45	22	AnnTay	25 1/16	
25	18	Aon Cp	81 1/16	
24	22	Apache	31	+1/8
		AppMag	34	-1/16
20		Apple	30 1/16	
		Apria	6	
		Aptar	39 1/4	
14	14	Aquila	23 3/4	
		AracruzZ	19 1/16	
		ArcadeA	15 1/16	
26		ArchCoal	25 1/16	
14		ArchDan	19 7/16	
15		ArdenRlt	25 5/16	
9		Armco	5 1/16	
9		ArmW	9 1/16	
11		ArrowEl s	23 1/16	
15		Asarco	22 1/4	
6		Ashanti	8 1/16	
15		Ashland	49 1/16	
		AsiaPc	35 1/16	
		AsiaPlp	1 3/16	
		AsiaTgt	5 1/16	
25	20	AscFCap	14 1/16	
		AstraA	14 1/16	
16	19	AtlRich	94 1/16	
24	15	AtlasAir	30 1/16	
24	15	ATMOS	29 1/16	-1/4
16		AtwdSau	34 1/16	+1/16
		Audiov	22 1/16	
		AudVisn	21 1/16	+1/16
39		AutoBond	6 1/16	
		AutoB pfA	10 1/16	+1/16
		Autotote	27 1/16	+3/16
13	12	Avnet	55 13/16	+1 3/16
38	24	Avon	78 1/2	-2
24	19	BA Mrch	19 1/4	
24	18	BB&T Cp	64 7/16	
		BCE g	42 3/16	-7/16
14	11	BJS s	25 7/8	+7/8
20	17	BJs Wh n	38	-1/4
7	10	BMC	8 1/16	
8	12	BP Pru	10 1/16	+3/16
12		BRE	24 15/16	+3/16
16	15	BakrHu	34 11/16	+7/16
13	17	Ball	38 15/16	-1/16
	13	Ballntyn s	7 15/16	+1/16
20	15	BallardM	20	-1
	41	BallyTotF	36	+1/4
17	13	BaltGE	31 5/16	+1/16
28	15	BancOne	56 7/16	-7/16
	9	BncoFrn	d20	-1
		BcoRioP	n10 7/16	+1/16
		BcoSantCh	12 3/16	
36		BcoSant	48 5/16	
+2 3/16				
12	10	Banctec	22	-1/16
8	13	Bandag	d42 1/2	-1/16
		BkTokyo	8 7/8	+1/16
21	18	BkNY	58 5/16	-9/16
19	16	BankAm	83	-1
1 5/16				
17	14	BkAtlA s	11 1/16	+1/16
18	16	BkBost	105 1/16	+1/16
14	12	BankTr	110	
2 1/16				
27	16	Bard	33 1/16	+1/2
35	27	BarnNbl	s 33 3/16	-1/16
36	18	BarrLab	37 15/16	-5/16
40	34	BarrettRs	31 1/16	+1/16
		BarnicksG	17 1/16	+1/16
		BatlMt	5 1/16	-1/16
	19	BauschL	48 13/16	+1/16
22		Baxter	52 1/16	+1/16
	32	BayNtwk	30 5/16	
12	11	BearSt	53 5/16	+1/16
		BearS pfE	s 54 1/4	
		BearS pfF	s 53	+1/16
11	8	Beazr rnn	23 1/16	+1/16
19	20	BeckCoulB	53 1/16	+1/16
30	24	BectDk	73 7/16	
+1 1/16				
14	12	Belden	32 1/4	
14	14	BellAtle	25 1/16	+1/16
28	17	BellAt	94 1/16	
22	20	BellSo	66 1/16	+1/16
39	26	BelcA s	24 1/4	+1/16
23	17	Bemis	41 7/16	
23	24	BenefCp	137 1/16	+9/16
		BentonOG	8 7/16	+1/16
		Bik1998	9 1/16	
		Bik2001	8 1/4	
		BikT	10 1/16	
		BikMTar	10 7/8	
		BikStr	8 5/16	
		BikTr	9 1/16	
50	20	BlckHR	43 1/16	
16		Bluegreen	8 1/16	
30	21	Blyth	35 3/16	
		Boeing	42 7/16	
	29	Boise	33 1/16	
20	14	BoisCsc	11 7/16	
26	11	Bombay	3 7/16	
		BordCh	5 7/16	
33	25	Borders	34 1/16	
13	10	BorgWA	44 3/4	
		BostProp	32 7/16	
	28	BostSc	62 3/4	+1/4
18	12	Bowatr	48 1/16	+1/16
		Brahma	11 7/16	+1/16
		Brandyw	21 1/16	
		Braz	17 1/16	
		BrazEl	56 1/16	
		BriedTch	18 1/16	
19	12	BrigStrat	40 1/4	
25		Brinker	19 1/4	
20		BristHyd	25 1/4	
35	30	BrMySq	113 1/4	+1/16
	21	BrstPart	86	
	4	BrstSt	23 1/16	
		BrwnSh	12	
	21	BrwnFA55	9 1/16	
	22	BrwnFB	59 9/16	
21		BrwnF	14	
		BrnFAC	35	
16		Brunswck	17	
13	13	Brylane	46	
21	12	Budgetgrp	16	
		Buenavs	11	
15	12	BurlCstF	31 1/16	
15	11	Burlnds	31 1/16	
17	13	BurlNSnt	41	
33	23	BrlRs	39 1/16	
9		AnC	26 1/16	
			23 1/16	
			9 1/16	
			25 1/16	
			6 7/16	
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PE PPE Name Last Chg

37 29 ASR Inf 21⅛ +⅛
29 28 ADC Tel 28⅛ +1⅛
10 23 ADECp 13⅛ +⅛
9 8 ADFlex 10⅝ +1⅛
ADM Tr 15⅝ –
23 17 AGA Hold 44 +1½
AGM Intl d8⅛ –⅛
AGM Lth s30 7⅞
+2 ⅞
24 15 AlexdTh 23⅛ +1⅜
– 31 AlldaTel 16⅛ –1½
– – Abrasax 9⅝ –
– – AccentS 9⅝ +⅛
32 18 AccesHlt 26⅜ +⅝
15 Acclaim 4⅜ +⅛
Accugrph 4⅝ –⅛
16 13 Actel 11⅞ +⅛
38 17 ActPerf 30⅝ +3⅛
37 27 Acxiom 22⅛ +⅝
9 9 Adaptec 13⅞ +⅜
20 17 AdobeSy 41⅜ +2⅛
– – AdrianR 4⅝ +⅛
21 16 Adtran 21½ +⅜
67 40 AdvFCm 37⅝ +⅝
13 10 AdvHtnC 12 +⅛
AdvRadio 11½ +⅜
AdvTiss 3⅝ – ⅜
Afymet 22⅞ +1⅜
25 Agouron s 33⅜ +⅞
65 74 AgriBio u25⅝ +1
16 AirTran 7⅞ +⅛
Alza 106⅝ +⅜
21 22 Abank u68⅛ +3⅜
16 15 AlantCm 23⅛ –1⅛
Alterra 19⅜ +⅞
AlzAFG s 7⅝ +⅛
13 AlzASem 2⅜ +⅛
12 AlzGam 4 +⅛
AlanPh 4⅝ +⅛
AlnSem d3⅝ –
14 14 AlcCap 22⅛ –⅜
39 24 AldWste 25⅛ +⅝
AlphaBta 2⅜ +⅛
21 18 Altera 32⅜
+2 ⅜
22 15 AltResc d19⅛ –
12 9 Altron 10⅜ –⅛
4 Aydaar n 12⅞ –⅜
Amazon su73⅝ +7⅞
17 – AmCOL s12⅜ +⅛
10 9 AmrLink 12
23 AEagleO s37⅞ +⅝
26 AmrInPt 17⅞
23 16 AOneol 11½ +⅜
27 17 APwrCnv 28⅜ +1⅛
11 – AmSafRz 12⅛ +⅛
17 13 Amerin 26⅛ +⅜
21 14 Ameripath 12⅜ +⅜
17 16 AmesDS u28⅛ +1⅜
26 20 Amgen 62⅛ +1⅛
10 AmkorT n 8⅝ +⅞
17 35 Amadigc 12½ +⅛
AncorCm 3¾ –⅛
20 14 Andrew 19⅝ +⅛
Anergen 2⅛ +⅛
Angeion 2⅛ +1/32
Anglogold 4⅛ +⅜
AnntyUle n 22⅜ +1⅛
64 45 ApolloG s31⅞ +⅛
+1 ⅜
17 ApploC 28 +½
46 18 AppISou 13⅝ +⅜
15 12 Applebee 21⅜ +⅜
ApdDgtl d4⅝ –⅛
15 18 AptoMat s 29⅝ +⅛
+1 ⅝
26 26 AMCC n 19⅜ +1
Arakis 1⅜ +⅛
33 14 ArtVasc s 30¾ +⅛
20 12 Artesyn 14⅛ +⅜
– 38 Asciand 48⅝ –⅞
32 18 Ashwth 14⅜ –⅜
33 16 AspectTel 23⅜ –⅜
41 12 Asdtinc s 37⅜ +⅛
17 16 AstraF 52⅝ +1⅛
– – AsymtrL n d8⅝ –⅜
10 10 AsyncTch s13⅞ +⅛
AtcHdwr n 12⅜ –⅜
Athrome n 37 +2⅝
30 16 AtCasAir s 27⅞ –⅜
– 11 Atmel 13⅛ +⅜
– – AuraSy 2⅛ –1/32
– – AuroraBio 7⅝ –
21 17 Autodesk 42 +½
17 Avanti 25⅛ +1⅛
27 20 AvtdTch 35⅞ –1⅜
13 11 Avndle 26 –⅜
30 AxentT 26⅛
+1 ⅛
AztecTc nd8 ⅞ –⅜
29 11 BE Aero 26⅛ +1⅛
41 BEASys 19⅜ +1⅛
66 34 BMC Sft s 49⅞ +1⅜
Baan s 39¾ +1⅝
BalBar n 11¾ –⅛
Ballardp s 28 +1⅜
BncGalic 16⅛ –⅝
21 11 BankPlus 12⅜ +⅜
41 BanynSy 6⅞ +1/32
37 BayNw 30⅞ +1⅜
53 39 BedBath 54⅜ +1⅛
13 9 Bchmarq 9 +⅛
18 14 Berkley s44 ½ +⅜
74 14 BillConc s 14 +3⅜
BioPharm24 ½ +⅝
Biogrtl ⅛
35 23 Biogen 45⅝ +1⅝
Bioject 1⅛
23 23 Biomet 29⅞ –⅛
14 Biopool 1⅝ –1/32
27 18 BioTcG 7½ +⅛
Biotime s 5⅞ –⅛
20 16 BlackBx 35⅛ +⅜
17 17 BonTon 16⅞ –⅛
24 19 BooleB s 24⅜ –⅞
BostChk 17½ –1/32
BstLISci 3¾ +⅛
22 14 BradPhm 2⅝ +1/32
26 17 Brightpt s 15⅛ +⅜
60 BroadVis 16⅝ +⅜
17 BrodSft 17⅞ +1⅛
63 21 Brooktrt 15½ +⅜
– 82 BrownTom 15½ +⅜
BrushCrkd 1½ –1/32
22 17 BurrBrn s 21⅛ +1⅛
86 BusnObj 16⅛ +1⅛
18 14 C–CUBE 18⅛ +¼
C–Phone 5⅝ +3⅛
85 CBT Gp s 52¼ +2⅞
18 CCC Info 16½ +3⅛
13 10 CHS El s 18⅜ +⅛
CMG Inf s 45⅝ +1¾
15 CMP Me n 16⅝ +⅜
CNET 45½ +1¾
11 10 CNS 3⅝ +⅛
27 CSGSys 37⅜ –1⅞
CSL Lgt ⅛ –⅛
25 20 CUNO 21⅛ +½
20 15 CACI 18⅜ –⅛
Cadiz 12⅝ +⅝
Caledon 9/32
81 44 CambTch 51½ +⅝
21 11 Candies 6 1/32 +3/32
9 CapAuto n d14 –21/32
24 19 Caseys s 14½ +1⅛
13 CasinoAm 3¾ +1⅛
CasMagic 2½ +1/32
44 Catalyst 16⅞ +⅞
CayenneSt 1½ –⅛
71 15 Cearnic 17½
CellNet 10⅜ +⅝
– – CellularB d 9/32 –3/32
14 11 Celstar 27⅞ +⅛
– 67 Centocor 37½ +1⅛
– CEurMda 22⅜ +1⅜
– Cephln 9⅝
– ChanoMd s47½ +1⅛
25 ChrmSh 5 +⅛
26 15 ChtDnsF s 32½ +1⅛
21 EhaPet n 27⅜ +⅛
77 ChkFree 23⅛ +⅞
18 ChiRex 16⅛ +1⅞
29 17 Chicos u14⅛ +⅜
29 30 Chiron 17⅞ +⅜
75 26 Cholest 12⅜ +⅛
ChromCS 6⅝ +⅜
32 51 Cidco 7⅛ –1/32
62 39 CienaCn 61⅝ –⅜
21 23 CinnFin s 37⅝ +1⅛
15 13 Ciprico 10 ½ +⅛
18 32 Cirrus 9⅝ +⅜
84 38 Cisco s 79⅝ –
+1 ⅛
– CiPh wtCu 10⅜ –
– Cytogn ⅝ +1/32
18 10 CredSys 19⅛ +⅝
12 CrdAcp 8¾ +⅛
CybrCsh 14½ +⅜
12 CyberGrd 8⅜ –⅛
18 Cylink 9 –⅛
19 24 Cymer s 15⅜ +½
CytoPh u11⅝ –2⅛
CytPh wtCu 10⅜ –
3 ⅞
CytPh wtD 4⅜ –1⅞
CytogN ⅝ +1/32
10 DH Grp s 14⅞ –⅛
71 DSC 27⅛ +1⅜
15 12 DSP Gp 17⅛ –⅜
19 Danka 17⅛
20 DaouSys 15½ +⅛
13 DtBdcst 5⅝ +⅛
15 DtaDmn 13½ –⅛
Datamrk 6 9/32 –1/32
2 DataRce d⅝ –⅛
15 12 Dawson 17½ +⅝
16 16 DawsnP 10⅞ +⅜
9 DBeer 19⅜ +⅜
– DeepTech13 ⅜
+ ⅜
58 38 DellCptr s84 ⅞
+2 ⅝
18 16 Dentsply s 24⅝ +⅛
DiaSys 9⅜ +⅛
14 14 Dialogic 26⅜ +½
Diametrc 7⅞ +⅝
8 DiamM d8 ⅜ +⅛
14 DigiInt 20½ –⅝
12 DigMic s 7⅜
8 22 DimeCBcs 27⅞ –1⅛
Discreet 11⅜ +1⅛
DrSolom 32½ –⅛
49 Documnt 48⅞ +1⅜
48 35 DlfrTree s 57½ +1⅜
14 DresB 26 9/32 +19/32
15 13 DuPontP 33 +2⅜
16 12 DuraAto 32⅜ +⅜
24 DuraPh 24 –2⅛
DurbanRo 2 ⅞ +⅛
Dynagn ½ –3/32
6 DynMtn ⅝ –1/32
35 DyntrCp u3⅛ –⅛
41 25 ETrade 20 9/32 +2½32
e–Net 14⅞
e spire 16⅜ +½
19 ECI Tel 35 +17⅜
25 16 EFTC Cp 11½ –½
ESCMed 30⅜ –¼
19 17 EgilHrd 19 3/32 +1/32
30 21 EgleUSA 30¼ +⅜
Erthlink n 58
88 27 EstnEn 30 1/16 +⅛
EchoStar 24⅝ +⅞
EdmdCm s 38⅛ –⅜
42 IntFbcm 7 9/32 +⅛
86 52 IntlNtwk 35⅛ –⅞
Interneur d4 ⅜ –⅛
56 14 Intersiv 14 +⅞
Intvoice 15 +⅜
41 14 Intuit 50 3/16 +1
48 10 InVision 7 1/16 –⅛
IonaTch 34⅛ +2⅛
IndmWr 5⅛ –⅛
Irvine 2 3/32 +7/32
Isis 12⅛ +⅛
76 51 JD Edwr n 36⅜ +3⅝
43 27 JDASoft 45 +1⅞
JacorCm 54½ –⅛
11 10 JevicTrn nd10 ¼ –1½
33 27 JonesPhm 36⅛ –⅛
35 21 JstFeet 24 29/32 +2 9/32
80 K–tel s 14¼ +1
19 16 KLATenc 28½ +2 ⅜
25 15 Keistrm n 26⅛ +¼
11 16 Komet 14 +⅛
11 KenseyN 9⅞ +⅜
KeraVis 8⅛ +⅜
Komag 6⅜ +1/16
8 11 Kulcke 15⅝ +1/2
LHS Grp s55 ⅝
+4 ⅝ 6
34 LTX 3¾ +1/16
– LaTeko ⅝– 1/32
34 LabrRdy s 24 +⅛
25 15 LaddFurn 25½ –⅝
41 LamRsch d21⅛ +⅞
LamarA s 33⅞ +⅞
14 Landrys 21 +⅛
LarSght 4 19/32 +13/32
18 Lasrscp d2½ –1/32
Ion CMT n16 ⅜ +⅝
IlexOnco 9½
Imagynmd 1 –⅛
Imatrn 3 ⅝ +1⅜
Imcino 10⅝ +⅜
38 Imucor 9 +⅛
ImunRsp 13
19 Imnet 14¼ +⅛
38 22 Impath 26½ +⅜
9 10 ImpCrd 20⅛ +⅝
13 17 InFocus 7⅛ +⅜
Incomnt ⅝ –⅛
63 39 Incyte s 33½ +1¼
23 IndpCm n 15⅜ +⅝
19 16 IndBkMA 18⅝ +⅜
15 IndusIntl n 10⅛ +⅞
43 25 IndusMate 12 ⅝ +⅜
Inference 3½ –⅛
26 13 Infinium 11¼ +1⅜
4 33 InfoAdv n 7⅝ +⅛
74 34 InfMgeR s25 ⅝
83 21 InfoRes 16¼ +½
42 Informx 7 3/32 +⅜
Infoseek 33¼ +½
InhalTh 27⅛ +1
Inktomi n 38½ –⅞
7 Innova n d5– 11/16
InnoDev ⅝ +⅛
9 InnoVtve n 7⅝ +½
7 7 Innovex 13⅜ –⅛
21 Inprise 7 9/32 –⅛
67 10 IntgDv 6 11/16 +⅛
45 25 ItgPrc 10¼
23 ItgSys 18⅜
20 20 Intel s 69 ⅝
+2 ⅝
20 Inteliect 8¼ +⅜
37 22 Intelligrp 16 1/16 +11/16
20 Intrface s 17 9/32 +1/32
Interiors 1 9/32 +1/32
Inter wtB 9/32 –1/32
Intrnd Cm s 38¼ –⅛
42 IntFbcm 7 9/32 +9/32
86 52 IntlNtwk 35⅛ –⅞
Interneur d4 ⅜ –⅛
56 14 Intersiv 14 +⅞
17 Intvoice 15 +⅜
41 14 Intuit 50 3/16 +1
48 10 InVision 7 1/16 –⅛
IonaTch 34⅛ +2⅛
IndmWr 5⅛ –⅛
Irvine 2 3/32 +7/32
Isis 12⅛ +⅛
41 MCI 51⅜ +⅝
61 MMC Nt n 24¼ +1 1/16
14 MRV Cm 20 9/16 +1 7/16
13 10 MTI Tch 8 9/32 –⅛
MacroCh 8¼ +⅛
45 Macrmdia 17 +⅜
MadgeNt 4¾ +⅜
MagPhr 5 9/16 +1/16
50 Manugst 22⅞ +⅞
13 8 MarDri 16½ +⅝
34 12 MarinerH 14¼ –⅜
MarkSol n 1 3/32 +3/32
12 Markeri d2 9/16 –1/32
26 20 MktDat 20¾ +1
MktGde 8 9/16 +⅜
21 18 MarshIs 52⅜ –⅝
48 30 Mastech s 20¾ +½
9 Mathsft 3 9/16 +5/32
6 MatriaH n 3⅞
16 MatrCap n 26¼ –⅜
MatrixPh 4 1/16 +⅛
9 6 MavTube sd11¼
+1 1/16
27 20 Maxim s 30 1/16 +⅜
40 25 MaySpeh 17 +½
25 McCor 33+1 9/32
McMoRn 4¾ +⅛
46 MedImun 50¾ +3
Medaph 6 –⅜
Medarex 8⅞ +⅛
22 16 MedsAnt 20 1/16 +⅝
MedResc 2⅝ +⅛
29 MedcIs d36⅛ –3½
27 MedCst s 25⅞ +½
62 MemWks 29⅛ +⅛
MemorSt 20 11/16 +1⅛
34 MenWre 4 3/16 +⅛
21 MentGr 10 ⅝ +⅝
21 MentBk s 34 +⅛
18 MercIBk 34⅞ +1⅛
81 30 MercIntac 34⅞ +1⅛
11 Merisel 23½ +⅛
59 MerlMd 8¼ +1/2
13 MerlCp s 20¾ –⅜
Metrocall 5⅞ +⅛
MtrmdFn 38 +1
51 31 Metzler s 29⅛ +1⅜
28 20 MichStr 31 1/16 –⅝
34 23 Micrel s 31
+1 1/16
13 MicroWre 14 7/8 +5/16
19 17 Microchp 22 +1¼
17 17 MicronEl 10½ –⅞
57 43 Microsft s 89⅞
+3 1/16
MicroStr n 20¼ +⅝
Micrvsn 9⅛
Micrvsn wt 3½ –⅛
MidPhar 15½ +⅛
18 15 MillrHer s 23½ –⅛
Milcmin 43¾ +1⅞
47 MindSpr 59¾ –⅛
21 18 Molex 24 7/32 +9/32
21 MolexA 22½ +⅛
20 16 Movado s 26¼ –⅛
N2K Inc n 14¾ –⅛
NAM Corp 2¼ +⅛
13 16 Lattice 29⅝ +1⅝
73 44 Legato s 34 +2 1/32
LmHaus s49 ⅝
+1 ⅝
LeveG n 53¼ –⅜
30 21 LevelOne s21 7/16
+⅝
Lidak d1 ⅜ –1/16
Ligand B 13½ +1
29 26 Lincare s 38½ –1⅛
31 23 LinearT 64⅛ –⅜
9 10 LneSStk 14½ +⅜
11 8 LngBchF 10⅞ –⅛
Lycos 58¼ +3¼
41 MCI 51⅜ +⅝
61 MMC Nt n 24¼ +1 1/16
14 MRV Cm 20 9/16 +1 7/16
13 10 MTI Tch 8 9/32 –⅛
MacroCh 8¼ +⅛
45 Macrmdia 17 +⅜
MadgeNt 4¾ +⅜
MagPhr 5 9/16 +1/16
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13 8 MarDri 16½ +⅝
34 12 MarinerH 14¼ –⅜
MarkSol n 1 3/32 +3/32
12 Markeri d2 9/16 –1/32
26 20 MktDat 20¾ +1
MktGde 8 9/16 +⅜
21 18 MarshIs 52⅜ –⅝
48 30 Mastech s 20¾ +½
9 Mathsft 3 9/16 +5/32
6 MatriaH n 3⅞
16 MatrCap n 26¼ –⅜
MatrixPh 4 1/16 +⅛
9 6 MavTube sd11¼
+1 1/16
27 20 Maxim s 30 1/16 +⅜
40 25 MaySpeh 17 +½
25 McCor 33+1 9/32
McMoRn 4¾ +⅛
46 MedImun 50¾ +3
Medaph 6 –⅜
Medarex 8⅞ +⅛
22 16 MedsAnt 20 1/16 +⅝
MedResc 2⅝ +⅛
29 MedcIs d36⅛ –3½
27 MedCst s 25⅞ +½
62 MemWks 29⅛ +⅛
MemorSt 20 11/16 +1⅛
34 MenWre 4 3/16 +⅛
21 MentGr 10 ⅝ +⅝
21 MentBk s 34 +⅛
18 MercIBk 34⅞ +1⅛
81 30 MercIntac 34⅞ +1⅛
11 Merisel 23½ +⅛
59 MerlMd 8¼ +1/2
13 MerlCp s 20¾ –⅜
Metrocall 5⅞ +⅛
MtrmdFn 38 +1
51 31 Metzler s 29⅛ +1⅜
28 20 MichStr 31 1/16 –⅝
34 23 Micrel s 31
+1 1/16
13 MicroWre 14 7/8 +5/16
19 17 Microchp 22 +1¼
17 17 MicronEl 10½ –⅞
57 43 Microsft s 89⅞
+3 1/16
MicroStr n 20¼ +⅝
Micrvsn 9⅛
Micrvsn wt 3½ –⅛
MidPhar 15½ +⅛
18 15 MillrHer s 23½ –⅛
Milcmin 43¾ +1⅞
47 MindSpr 59¾ –⅛
21 18 Molex 24 7/32 +9/32
21 MolexA 22½ +⅛
20 16 Movado s 26¼ –⅛
N2K Inc n 14¾ –⅛
NAM Corp 2¼ +⅛
45 22 NBTY s 16⅝ +⅜
15 11 NCI Bldg 52 –⅜
NICESys s 35⅛
+1 ⅝
NTL Inc 43 +1 1/16
26 23 NCmcBc 41 9/16 +2 3/16
27 22 NittCptr s 22⅜ –⅛
NittEng 17⅞ –3/32
39 29 NatlSurg s 28½ +⅜
NtlWire 17 –⅜
20 16 Nautica 27⅛ –⅜
Navarre 4⅛
Navigant n d6¼ –1/2
14 12 NeoMgic 13⅞ –⅛
NeoPath d9 ½ –9/32
Neoware 3⅜ –⅛
Neowre wt 2½ –⅛
29 NetSpk 12⅛ +2
NetGrav n 9⅞ –⅛
Netmng 3 +⅛
Netscpe 24 9/32 +9/32
22 NetwkAs s 40⅞ +⅞
NwkCmp 7¾ –⅛
NtwkCn d3 ⅞ –⅛
93 50 NetwSol n 37 +1¼
Neurex 26⅜ +⅞
Neumed g9 3/32 –⅛
5 4 NwCntF n 8¾ –⅜
NexaTch 15⅜ +1⅛
NextelCm 23 1/16 +⅝
NoiseCT 25 9/32 –⅛
29 24 Norast 69½ +1
38 NoAmSci s26⅜ –1⅛
24 18 NrthFce 24 –⅜
25 21 NorTrst 68 9/32 +2 1/32
7 8 NwstAri 39 +⅜
8 NortonDril 11 1/32 –1/32
36 Novell u13 +1
14 Novlus s 35⅛
+2 1/16
Novoste 25½ +2⅜
OIS d1
Osrap d7 +⅛
42 ObjSys 7⅛ +⅝
Offland 3⅛ –⅜
11 14 OhioCas 45 –½
20 18 OldKent s 38½ +⅜
Oicom 27⅞ +⅜
Omnipoint 19 +⅜
23 1–800Cont n13 ⅜
+⅜
Onsale 22 1/16 +⅝
OpenMkt 15⅛ +½
49 Optimag 2 7/16 –1/16
7 OptnCr 3 1/16 +⅛
21 Oracle s 24⅛ –⅝
48 29 OrbSci 34⅞ +2⅛
12 Orbotch 31½ +⅝
OrckltCom 17 13/16 –⅛
5 Osicom 2⅞ –⅛
OxfordHlt 16 +⅛
OzEmail 17½ +⅜
P Q R
14 P–Com s 11⅞ –⅛
PC DOCS 6⅝ +⅛
34 PMC Sra 43½
+1 1/16
42 25 PMT Svc 19 1/32 +27/32
61 24 PRI Auto 16½ +1½
27 10 PSINet 10⅜ –⅛
Pairgain 5⅝ +⅛
48 15 PSS Wrld 13½ –⅛
16 11 Paccar 53⅝ +⅛
18 14 PacAsE 5⅞ –⅛
59 32 PacGate n43⅛
+2 ⅛
34 25 PacSun s44⅛ +⅛
PacifCB 82⅛ +1⅛
PagingN 14 +⅞
22 16 PairgTch 13⅞ +⅛
17 13 PalmEx 9½ –⅛
PalmMd 1 3/32 –1/16
42 30 PapaJohn 41½ +⅞
55 – PerPet 4⅞ +⅛
51 26 ParmTc s 31⅝ +⅞
44 22 PartyCity s26½ –2⅛
32 PathoG 28⅞ +1⅞
28 23 PattDntl s34½ +⅝
12 11 PattEng s9⅝ +⅛
68 49 Paychex s 38½ +1⅛
7 Peakint n 11⅝
Peapod d4 ⅞ –⅛
34 Pegasys 28½ +1⅝
15 13 PennAm 17 +1
26 22 PenskeM 30⅞ +½
9 PpleBncp 10⅛ +⅛
15 PeopHrt s23 1/16 –⅛
77 56 Peoplsft s44 17/32 +1 9/32
23 PerfuisS 4 5/32 +1/32
17 15 Perrigo 10¾ +1/32
16 PetcoAn 20½ +⅜
Petes 5¾
31 PetsMart 8⅞ +⅛
22 17 PhagM 11¾ –⅛
74 Pharcop 15⅝ +⅛
Phmcyc 24 +½
46 Pharmos 2 5/32 +9/32
9 Samsnte d23½ –1 1/16
45 25 SanchezC 14¾ –1 1/16
18 Sandisk 16¼ +1⅛
19 16 SanDisx n 16¼ +1⅛
48 Sangstat 30 +⅛
31 21 Sanmina s 37⅜ +3½
82 50 Sapient s 43¼ +17⅛
58 Saville s 42 1/16 –1/16
12 10 Sawtek 13½ –⅜
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SchoolSp nd15⅛ –⅛
11 9 SeattleF d6⅝ –⅛
58 22 SecDyn 19 +⅜
SecFstNetl 9 1/16 +1/16
SeitrPol d3 9/32 –1/32
SemiLas 1⅛ +⅛
11 11 Semitool d8¾ –⅜
16 12 Semtch s 16⅜ –⅜
Senetek 3⅞ +⅛
Sepracr 38¾ +⅜
11 Sequnt 16 +⅜
Sequus 10 +⅛
7th Level 4 3/32 –⅛
Sheidl d7⅛ –⅛
21 15 SmithF s 28⅝ +⅛
49 16 SoftSpc 20⅞ +1⅛
21 17 SonicCp s 21 –⅛
28 Srceinf 6⅞ +⅛
19 17 SouthTrst s40 ⅜ +⅝
28 SovBcp s 16⅜ –⅛
Spatizr d5½ –⅛
17 40 Spectrian 14⅜ +⅛
11 18 SpdFam n 18⅜ +⅛
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SportsLn n 30⅝ +2⅜
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34 63 Stac 5
34 23 StaffMark 37⅜ +1⅛
45 32 Staples s 27⅛ +⅝
49 StarTree s 23¾ –2 1/16
Starbase 1⅜ –9/32
61 43 Starbcksu50 ¾ +⅜
RschFrnk d6½ +9/32
20 14 RescAm s 23
15 Respirn 17⅜ +⅝
49 26 RextlSun s 33 –⅝
18 13 RichE 12 1/16 +1/16
RickCab n2 ⅝ –⅝
19 20 RiggNt 26 1/16 –⅞
35 10 RobotVs 5 3/16 –⅛
58 35 Romac s 28 +⅜
19 17 RoslynB 21½ +⅜
18 14 RossStrs 40¾ –1⅜
10 6 RuralMet 12 9/16 +⅜
RuthMoran 15 7/8 +⅞
12 11 RyanF 10 +1/16
S3 Inc 5 9/16 +1/32
48 29 SCBCmp s 12⅛ –⅛
78 67 SCM Mic n 53½ +⅛
20 SDL Inc 21 +1⅛
SFX Ent n 39⅞ –⅛
36 25 Sabratex 23⅞ +1/32
SafTLok 3 1/32 –3/32
14 13 Safeco d44 ¼ –⅜
47 35 Safeskin s36 1/16 +2⅜
9 Samsnte d23½ –1 1/16
45 25 SanchezC 14¾ –1 1/16
17 SandFm 12⅞ –⅛
19 18 SanDisx n 16¼ +1⅜
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SeitrPol d3 9/32 –1/32
SemiLas 1⅛ +⅛
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16 12 Semtch s 16⅜ –⅜
Senetek 3⅞ +⅛
Sepracr 38¾ +⅜
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Sequus 10 +⅛
7th Level 4 3/32 –⅛
Sheidl d7⅛ –⅛
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28 SovBcp s 16⅜ –⅛
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61 43 Starbcksu50 ¾ +⅜
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78 21 Stncycle 14¾ +⅛
27 SMyers n 20 1/16 +⅜
74 24 StewEnt s26 3/16 –⅜
4 StoltNielB 17¼ +⅜
16 14 StrucD 22 ⅜
+1 1/16
24 16 SunMic 43 11/16 +2 5/16
34 Sunglss 12⅝ –⅛
76 23 SunrAssist d26
15 11 SupEnrgy 7 9/16 +1/16
34 23 SupServ 26 3/16 –1 1/16
19 16 SwftTrn s19 9/16 +1 1/16
Swissray 37/64
SyQstTc 1 15/16 +1 1/16
Sybase 8⅞ +1/32
18 SykesEn 18 +¼
43 31 SylvnLrn s31 1/16
+1 ⅜
17 13 Symntc 24 9/32
+1 9/32
38 18 Synopsy 42¾ +⅜
22 SystSft 6⅞ +⅛
SystmSft 1⅜ –3/32
13 TAVATch 9¼ +1/16
13 12 THQ 27 1/16 +⅛
68 39 TMP Wr 28 +1⅞
10 Tadiran n12 1/16 +⅛
19 15 TechData 37¾ +3½
Techclone 1½
86 Tecnmtx 20¾ +2 1/16
15 TelSave 16¾ +1⅜
10 8 TelCSm d4½ –1/32
TeleComA 33 ⅞ +1⅛
31 TCALM s33⅛ –⅜
TelTCIA s16 1/16 +3/32
TeleSpec 8 1/32 +1/32
14 Teledta 11⅜
Tlepd wtD 1/16
TelepntC 57 7/16 +1 5/16
38 28 TeleTech 12
Telewest u22 +⅜
44 32 Teligbs 63 25/32 –25/32
Telular 21⅛ +3/32
32 22 Telxon 29 17/32 –9/32
23 Teva d35 1/16 –⅜
65 43 Thrgen s 25¾ +⅛
ThrmTch 31/32 –
35 ThinkNw 2 2 +1/16
62 17 3Com 25 9/16 +1⅜
45 11 3Dfxint n 21 3/16 –1 1/16
56 TitanEx 7⅞ +⅛
9 7 TitanMet d22 –½
TokioF 48¼ +1½
Topps 25⅝ +⅛
11 5 TrnsMar nd6 25/32 –9/32
25 UtdVideo 36 9/32 +1/32
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33 23 VetClAm 18⅝ +½
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48 35 Vitesse s 25 1/16 +1½
9 8 Vivus s 6⅜
VocalTec 10⅞ +11/16
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Wavetech 29½ +1/16
WCrpt 18 57 +29/32 0
Wellfl 31 43 +03/16 7
Windsr 18 15 +20/11 4
Windsu 31 77 +08/25 1
TIFF Inv Pro
MultiAst 12 17 +04 +3 5
Templeton Class I
DvMkt p 10 43 +01/30 7
Forgn p 10 00 +07/25 5
GlbOpp p 15 33 +08/24 4
GlSCo p 8 45 +05/10 1
Growth p 19 86 +09/24 5
World p 17 50 +09/27 2
Templeton Class II
DevMkt 10 30 +01/38 1
Forgn2 p 9 66 +06/32 2
Growth2 p 19 56 +10/33 9
World2 17 19 +09/26 3
Templeton Instit
EmMkS p 8 29 +01/40 1
ForEqS 19 20 +18/11 9
Third Avenue Fds:
Value n31 91 +29/10 7
Thornburg Fds:
IntlMuA 13 61 –01 +8 6
LtMuA p 13 53 –01 +5 1
Torray n 36 24 +11/27 8
Trust For Cred Un:
GSP 9 80 –01 +5 6
MSP 9 83 –02 +7 3
Tweedy Browne:
AmerVal n22 80 +03
+27 0
GlobVal n18 80 –03/20 0
UAM Funds:
CM SC n27 21 +21/21 3
USAA Group:
AgvGr n31 35 +53/13 2
CABal n 11 26 +9 8
CrnstStr n29 10 +13/10 0
GNMA n 10 37 –02/10 0
Growth n 19 50 +2 +3 7
GrInc n 19 40 +10/14 3
IncStk n 20 02 +02/18 5
Income n12 97 –02/12 4
Intrm 20 87 +24 +3 8
S&P Idx n 7 04 +18/23 3
TxExIt n 13 44 –01 +8 7
TxELT n 14 07 –02 +9 5
TxESh n 10 74 +5 5
VABal n 11 56 +01 +8 4
WldGr n 17 64 +18 +7 6
United Funds:
Accm 8 65 +09/22 2
Bond 6 37 –02/10 3
Cornlnc 24 49 +15/12 8
Hlncll 4 46 +12 7
Hlnc 9 95 –02/12 8
Incom A 43 10 +39/20 6
Incom Y 43 10 +38/20 7
IntGth 11 42 +12/31 6
Muni 7 50 –01 +8 4
MuniHi 5 65 +11 2
NCcpt 18 57 +29/32 0
Retire 9 06 +05/11 7
SciTech 23 99 +53/28 6
Vang 7 91 +06/15 1
Value Line Fd:
Fund n20 53 +29/15 6
LevGtn 41 02 +57/27 9
VanKamp AmCap A:
CrnstAp 16 79 +16/23 7
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Wellfl 31 43 +03/16 7
Windsr 18 15 +20/11 4
Windsu 31 77 +08/25 1
Vanguard Idx Fds:
500 n101 22 +99/23 5
Balanced n17 43 +08
+1 ⅞
EMkt n 8 09 +06/38 4
Europe n24 88 +33/33 7
Extend n31 79 +34/20 0
Extnd n 31 80 +34 NA
Growth n26 17 +33/26 8
Instidx n100 59 +98/23 6
InsPlus n100 61 +99 NS
TBond n 1 30 –04/10 3
MidCap n 9 57 –10 NA
Pacific n 6 48 +02/–41 4
SmCap n23 80 +26/15 0
SmGrth n 9 31 +13 NA
STBond n10 02 –01 +7 3
SmValn 9 44 +10 NA
TotBnd n10 18 –03/10 1
TBlst n 10 18 –03/10 2
Totlntl n10 53 +11 –4 3
TotStk n 24 91 +25/22 6
TStInstr n 24 92 +25 NS
Value n 22 30 +14/19 9
Victory
BalanceA 14 49 +04/15 9
DvsStA 18 25 +21/19 6
SplValA 16 03 +11/11 0
StkInx 20 96 +22/22 8
Value 18 46 +11/21 7
WM Grp of Fds A:
GrIncA p 20 52 +14/14 8
Wachovia Funds:
VAMuY 10 43 NA
Waddell &Reed:
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FBI files — on Hitler, Amelia Earhart and UFOs — on Internet

WASHINGTON (AP) — Dear FBI: You'll want to know that I just saw Adolf Hitler and a woman in Seat 40, Car 10 of the Illinois Central Railroad. ...

Dear FBI: I saw an unidentified aerial object. It moved due north, it was three times the size of the evening star, it was stationary for five to 10 seconds, it was blue but turned white and then "went out like a light. ..."

Dear FBI: About the disappearance of Amelia Earhart: I believe there were stowaways. After takeoff, the plane was taken over by people from some other country. ...

Anyone with computer access to the Internet now can browse through FBI files on some of the cases that have intrigued millions of Americans.

So far, the FBI has made 16,000 pages from 37 investigations accessible. It intends ultimately to post all 1.3 million pages of files already opened to the public and available for perusal in FBI headquarters. Names of informants and correspondents are blacked out for privacy.

The FBI's Internet motive is simple: When people request copies of files under the Freedom of Information Act, it is cheaper to refer them to the Web than to make photocopies, says spokesman John Collingwood. Since last July, 1.4 million visits to the FBI site have been recorded. Four hundred people work full time handling freedom-of-information requests.

The bureau started with historic cases that once were matters of intense interest.

Among them: the explosion of the German zeppelin Hindenburg in 1937; the 1940 pickax murder in Mexico of exiled Russian revolutionary Leon Trotsky; the 1962 escape of three Alcatraz inmates who fashioned a raft from rubber raincoats.

Or the 1934 shooting by FBI agents of John Dillinger; the disappearance of flying pioneer Earhart in 1937 over the Pacific Ocean; the St. Valentine's Day killing of seven members of the Bugs Moran gang in Chicago in 1929; the crime spree of Bonnie Parker and Clyde Barrow that ended with their roadside killing by police in 1934.

Some don't involve criminal investigations at all: the 1972 gift of $75,000 by John Lennon to the Allamuchy Tribe, headed by New Left activist Rennie Davis with plans to disrupt the Republican Convention later that year; the 1953 congressional investigation into why actress Lucille Ball registered to vote as a communist in 1936. (It was at her grandfather's insistence.)

As for Hitler, reports that he was alive kept coming for years after World War II, possibly because no body was ever recovered after he committed suicide in his bunker in Berlin as allied forces closed in. Historians now generally agree that that the body was burned to ashes.

In the bureau's mail about Hitler was a letter from someone who had registered in a hotel in Quebec, Canada, and was dumbfounded to look around the lobby and see a man who "appeared identical in every respect with Adolf Hitler."

Another correspondent claimed to have seen Hitler jump out of a railroad boxcar. Another saw him in a New York boarding house. Another reported that Hitler had written him recently from Argentina. Another said Hitler — minus mustache — had arrived by submarine in Argentina with a group of henchmen and headed for the Andes.

The most popular file concerns unidentified flying objects, even though these sightings chiefly fell into the purview of the Air Force. UFO observations became so common five decades ago that the bureau devised a 28-question form for use in questioning eyewitnesses. People were asked about the "apparent size," "color of object," "shape," "sound and odor," "maneuvers," "manner of disappearance." Then there is a line for "comments of interrogator relative to intelligence and character of observer."

The FBI Web site is: http://www.fbi.gov

Magazine takes politicians and media by storm

NEW YORK (AP) — Steven Brill — the brash, call-it-like-you-see-it founder of Court TV and American Lawyer magazine — immediately established his new media-scrutinizing magazine, Brill's Content, as a player with his interview with independent counsel Kenneth Starr.

The Whitewater prosecutor is drawing flak for the interview, in which he admitted leaking information to reporters. And Brill's objectivity is being questioned in light of his own donations to Democrats — $7,000 since 1993, including $1,000 to Clinton's 1996 campaign.

All of which makes Brill's Content, which hits newsstands Wednesday, the most talked-about new magazine since John F. Kennedy Jr.'s George.

"I think most of the media is focusing on one aspect of the story," said Brill, whose magazine devoted 30 pages to the Clinton investigation. "What I was hoping was people would pay more attention to what I say about ... the press coverage of the whole thing."

Media critics and magazine consultants say the Starr interview was needed to put the magazine on the map. But they aren't betting it will stay there.

"How many people outside the media are interested in reading about the media on a regular basis?" said industry expert Samir Husni. "The only reason the magazine is receiving all this hype is because it's feeding our own egos."

Brill, 48, bills the magazine as a consumer guide for people interested in the industry's behind-the-scenes workings.

Martin Walker, a magazine consultant in New York City, also doubted enough people would buy a magazine about the media. But if anyone can pull it off, he said, it's Brill.

At 28, Brill founded the monthly American Lawyer magazine and parlayed his success into a television spinoff, Court TV. Last year he sold his shares to Time Warner for about $20 million.

Brill's Content aims for a circulation of 450,000 after five years. The Columbia Journalism Review — a media watchdog publication — has a paid circulation of only 26,000.

Other than the Starr interview, the first issue contains two critical articles about CBS' "60 Minutes," a story about ABC's falling ratings, the lecture fees for media luminaries such as William Safire and Nina Totenberg, and an article penned by actor and sometimes media-basher George Clooney.

Progress mixed for teen-age girls, new report says

WASHINGTON (AP) — Life has gotten better in some ways for adolescent girls, who are doing better in school and having fewer babies, a report concludes.

But many problems remain. Girls are smoking more, are often depressed and are playing sports less often than they used to.

"There have been great strides but there remains tremendous work to do," said Linda Basch, executive director of the National Council for Research on Women, which released its report Tuesday.

The report examined some 200 studies done on adolescent girls over the past decade. It did not include any original research.

Some findings:

■ Girls now do nearly as well as boys in math in elementary school, while continuing to do well in reading and language, though boys tend to outperform girls in math and science by high school.

■ The teen birth rate has dropped steadily since 1992, thanks in part to an increase in use of birth control.

■ The percentage of eighth-grade girls who smoke increased from 13 percent in 1991 to 21 percent in 1996.

■ Girls are twice as likely as boys to be depressed during adolescence and more likely to consider and attempt suicide. Boys, however, are more likely to die from suicide.

■ The proportion of high school sophomore girls playing on sports teams dropped from 46 percent in 1970 to 41 percent in 1990.

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N.Y. Yankees at Baltimore Orioles, 6:30 p.m., ESPN.
Oakland A's vs. Texas Rangers, 7:30 p.m., FSN.
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Texas Scores

TEXAS LEAGUE — Midland Angels 3, El Paso Diablos 2.
BASEBALL — Oakland A's 9, Texas Rangers 7.
St. Louis Cardinals 9, Houston Astros 4.

Sports Today

TEXAS LEAGUE — Midland Angels at El Paso Diablos, 8 p.m. (CDT). RADIO: KCRS (AM 550).

Tolbert released

IRVING — Bad knees and a big contract have cost defensive end Tony Tolbert his job with the Dallas Cowboys.

Tolbert, who played in all 159 regular-season and playoff games of his nine-year career, was released Tuesday in a move that had been discussed for months. He had arthroscopic surgery on both knees in April and would've counted nearly $3.5 million against the salary cap this season.

Team owner Jerry Jones said Tolbert could be back this season if his knees can handle it and if he's willing to play for less money.

"Tony has not made a decision to retire and he is still under consideration for a roster spot with the Dallas Cowboys for 1998," Jones said.

Dallas began making plans for life without Tolbert in April by choosing North Carolina's Greg Ellis with the eighth overall pick in the draft. He's the third defensive end Dallas has selected with its first pick in five years.

Tolbert, 30, is the Cowboys' second high-salary, bad-health casualty of the offseason. Offensive lineman Mark Tuinei was cut in April and was also told he'd be welcomed back if he's in good enough shape and willing to take a paycut.

Bullish NBA ratings

NEW YORK — The lure of what might have been Michael Jordan's farewell turned the last game of the NBA Finals into a ratings bonanza for NBC.

The game Sunday night, in which Chicago beat 67-86 for the Bulls' sixth championship, earned a 22.3 rating and 38 share. It was the highest rated game in history, according to Nielsen Media Research.

Those numbers broke the record of a 21.2 rating and 37 share for Game 7 of the 1988 NBA Finals between the Los Angeles Lakers and Detroit Pistons.

NBC estimates a record 72 million viewers watched all or part of the last game between Utah and Chicago, surpassing the 61.4 million who had made Game 7 of the Eastern Conference finals between Indiana and Chicago the most watched NBA telecast ever.

NBC's six-game average was a record 18.7 rating, 4 percent more than the previous mark of 17.9 set in the 1993 NBA Finals between Phoenix and Chicago.

Sonics eye Westphal

SEATTLE — Paul Westphal reportedly is close to returning to the NBA as coach of the Seattle SuperSonics, but the team on Tuesday would not confirm a hiring is imminent.

Westphal

The former Phoenix Suns coach would succeed George Karl, who was fired last month after a season in which Seattle was ousted in the second round of the playoffs.

Westphal met with Gary Payton on Monday at a restaurant near the star guard's hometown of Oakland, Calif., the Seattle Post-Intelligencer reported Tuesday. The move would underline Westphal's status as the front-runner for the job.

The Seattle Times said the gathering also included Sonics president Wally Walker and Payton's agent, Aaron Goodwin. Both papers cited unidentified sources.

Westphal and Walker are friends and played together in Seattle during the 1980-81 season.

The Daily News in New York said Westphal would be hired Tuesday or Wednesday, beating out Bob Hill, Paul Silas and Bob Weiss.

Sweep and Destroy

Red Wings skate by Washington, capture 2nd-straight Stanley Cup

By Tom Canavan
AP Sports Writer

WASHINGTON — This Stanley Cup wasn't for players or fans. This one was for friends — Vlady and Sergei.

The Detroit Red Wings became the first team to win consecutive Stanley Cups since 1992, completing a sweep of the Washington Capitals with a 4-1 victory Tuesday night behind a two-goal performance by Doug Brown.

The Red Wings' second straight sweep also gave Scotty Bowman a record-tying eighth Stanley Cup as a coach and capped an emotional and tumultuous season that followed the team's first championship in 42 years.

Six days after the 1997 celebration started, it tragically ended in a automobile accident that left defenseman Vladimir Konstantinov and team masseur Sergei Mnatsakanov with severe head injuries.

"Vlady's spirit was present in us all season long," winger Igor Larionov said.

"Victory No. 16 for No. 16," added Vyacheslav Fetisov, referring to Konstantinov's jersey number and the number of games necessary to win the NHL title.

"This is for this man, who will run and walk again," Fetisov said, his hand on the shoulder of Konstantinov, who was wheeled onto the ice wearing a Red Wings jersey.

After the teams exchanged hand-

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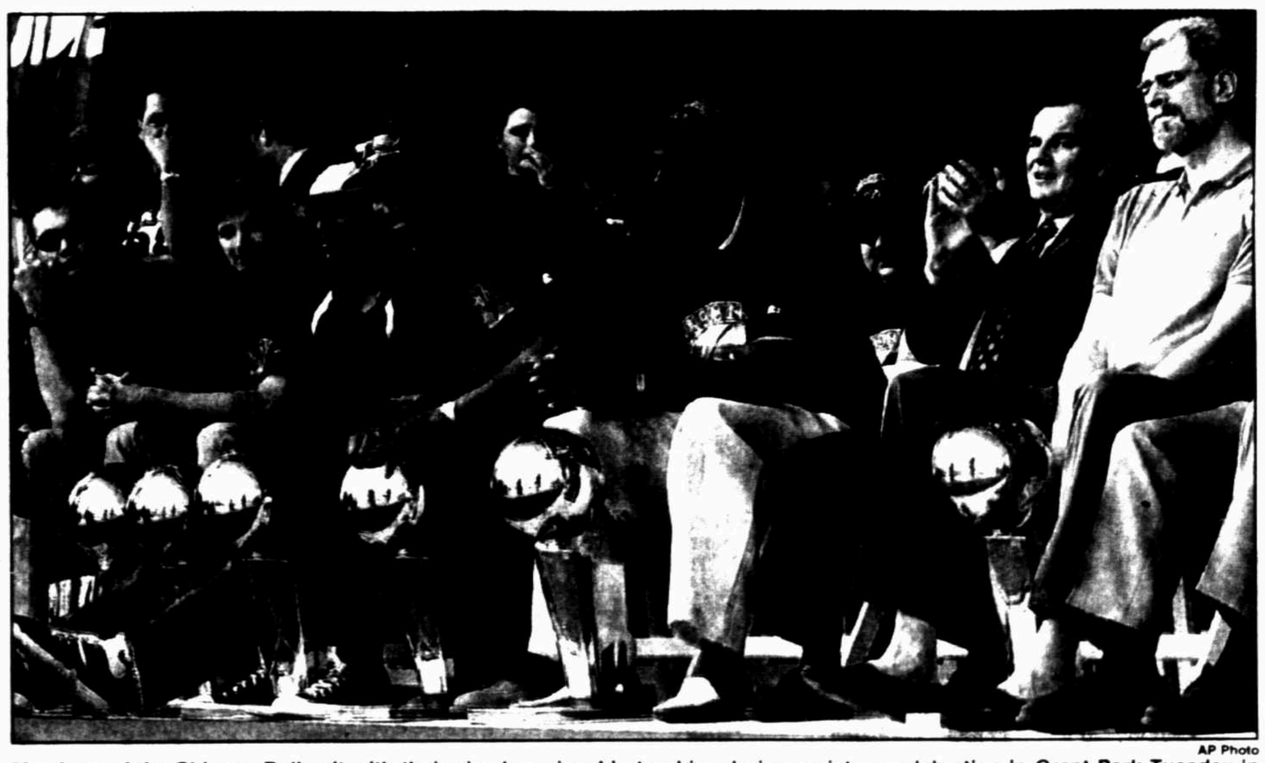
AP Photo

Washington Capitals goalie Olaf Kolzig gets a face full of ice while defending a shot from Detroit Red Wings left wing Kirk Maltby during second period action of Game 4 of the Stanley Cup Finals on Tuesday at the MCI Center in Washington. The Red Wings won their second straight title with a 4-0 sweep of the Capitals.



AP Photo

Members of the Chicago Bulls sit with their six championship trophies during a victory celebration in Grant Park Tuesday in Chicago. The Bulls are, from left, Luc Longley, Toni Kukoc, Ron Harper, Scottie Pippen, Michael Jordan, Chicago Mayor Richard Daley, and Head Coach Phil Jackson.

A 'Windy City' Sixer

Bulls, Chicago celebrate championship No. 6

By Nancy Armour
AP Sports Writer

CHICAGO — Michael Jordan sure knows how to make a party.

With tens of thousands of Chicago Bulls fans chanting "One More Year, One More Year," Jordan leaned into the microphones, flashed that famous grin and said the words an entire city was hoping to hear.

"My heart, my soul and my love has always gone to the city of Chicago, and no matter what happens, my heart, my soul and my love will still be in the city of Chicago," he said as the crowd roared.

"I just hope and pray that we can have the opportunity once again to share this type of enjoyment in the city of Chicago."

In what's become practically an annual event, the Bulls and their fans gathered Tuesday at Grant Park for a citywide celebration of another NBA championship. The six gold trophies were there, with Toni Kukoc carrying the newest one. Fans camped out overnight just to make sure they'd get up close to the NBA champs, who beat the Utah Jazz on Sunday for their sixth title. The park was filled with a sea of red and black T-shirts and jerseys.

But this was no ordinary lovefest.

Coach Phil Jackson and Scottie Pippen have said repeatedly that this championship run was their "Last Dance," and Jordan has yet to make up his mind about his future. Dennis Rodman wants to come back, but only if Jackson, Pippen and Jordan do. Six others on Chicago's 12-man playoff roster also are free agents.

"This was our last dance, and it was a wonderful waltz," Jackson said. "Thank you all."

"It's been a great run. Thank you for our last dance," Pippen said, drawing a few boos from the crowd.

'I just hope and pray that we can have the opportunity once again to share this type of excitement in the city of Chicago.'
— Michael Jordan, who has won six titles with the Bulls.

Boos usually are reserved for Bulls chairman Jerry Reinsdorf and general manager Jerry Krause, whom most fans blame for a breakup that's been in the making for three years. But neither Reinsdorf nor Krause was introduced.

In fact, they stayed out of the crowd's sight for the half-hour rally. If Jackson hadn't acknowledged the two, no one would have even known they were there.

"About a year ago this last month, Jerry Reinsdorf called me and asked me did I think we could do it again. I said yes. ... I thank him for that opportunity. Thank you, Jerry. And I want to thank Jerry Krause for giving us the opportunity to

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Ronaldo gets 1st Cup goal, sparks Brazil

By Frank Dell'Apa
The Boston Globe

NANTES, France — Ronaldo took a step toward fulfilling his ambition Tuesday, a week after the start of the World Cup finals and more than two months after his previous goal for Brazil.

The planet's most famous 21-year-old finally converted his first World Cup goal to spark the Brazilians to a 3-0 victory over Morocco, clinching a berth in the second round as the top team in Group A. They will meet the second-place team in Group B in Paris June 27.

Tuesday's Scores
Group A
Scotland 1, Norway 1, tie
Brazil 3, Morocco 0

Today's Games
Group B
Chile vs. Austria, 10:30 a.m.
Italy vs. Cameroon, 2 p.m.

Before the World Cup started, Ronaldo had talked of challenging the tournament record of 13 goals set by France's Just Fontaine in 1958. But he was seldom involved in the action during Brazil's opening 2-1 victory over Scotland.

Things changed suddenly in this match. Possibly Ronaldo was inspired by the arrival at Stade de la Beaujoire of his girlfriend Susana Werner, an aspiring model/soccer player known as Ronaldinha. More likely, Ronaldo's success is attributable to the improved understanding among his teammates, the ineffective defending and inexperienced goalkeeping of Morocco, plus his dynamic bursts of speed.

"Brazil entered the field with a different attitude," Brazil coach Mario Zagallo said. "We played a more joyful game. I was glad to see a smaller team like Morocco play an interesting, joyful game also. We are especially satisfied to be in first place in our group — that was the first objective."

The Brazilians were able to penetrate early with quick combinations. They dislodged the defense with enterprising runs and adventurous, unpredictable passes. Leonardo had an offside goal in the opening minutes. The Moroccan defenders became spread. And Rivaldo, nearly caught goalkeeper Driss Ben Zekri out of the goal with a 45-yard blast from the left side.

Rivaldo had possession in a similar position less than a minute later. This time, Ben Zekri held his line, instead of taking the necessary risk of cutting the attacking angle. That allowed Ronaldo room to speed past the offside trap and take a perfect, angled through ball from Rivaldo to score.

Morocco continued to battle, though

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Like old times: Watson returns to Olympic as Open contender

By Tim Dahlberg
AP Sports Writer

SAN FRANCISCO — The yips are gone, at least for the time being. At age 48, Tom Watson surprised even himself by figuring out a way to win a golf tournament again.

So Watson had reason to smile Tuesday when it was suggested that he has a chance to win the U.S. Open on a course where he came agonizingly close to winning his last major 11 years ago.

"To possible winner from not a chance is a big upgrade for me," Watson said.

Not a chance would have been the appropriate description before Watson managed to overcome his putting woes and resurrect his career over the past few years. He won only once since he last contended here before capping a streak of good play to win the Colonial last month.

He returns to the Olympic Club this week as much a contender as he is a curiosity, eager to play his 27th U.S. Open on a course where a putt that fell a fraction of an inch short on the last hole gave Scott Simpson the win in 1987.

Watson's putting nerves seem calm and the swing that helped him win eight majors is still intact. More importantly, he believes he can win again.

That confidence was built at Colonial, where he shed tears after his first victory in two years and only his second since the 1987 Nabisco Championship.

"I was honestly thinking maybe this was my last tournament I'll ever win on tour," Watson said. "It was great to be there again. That's one reason a tear or two came out."

The win at Colonial was unexpected, but per-

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AP Photo

Tom Watson, right, and his caddy Bruce Edwards talk on the 8th tee during a practice day of the 1998 U.S. Open Championship on the Lake Course of the Olympic Club in San Francisco, Calif. Watson, a former champion of the Open, is in the field, which starts Thursday.

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Grieve homers twice in Texas return; A's win

Associated Press

ARLINGTON — Rookie Ben Grieve homered twice in his hometown debut and the Oakland Athletics hung on after blowing most of a nine-run lead to beat the Texas Rangers 9-7 Tuesday night.

Grieve, who grew up watching the Rangers, hit two-run shots in the first and second innings in his first game at The Ballpark in Arlington to help the A's take a 6-0 lead.

His first career multi-homer game led the A's to their fourth victory in their last five games. Texas has lost five of its last six.

Buddy Groom (3-1) pitched two hitless innings of relief for the win, and Billy Taylor pitched a perfect ninth for his 12th save.

Mike Oquist started for the A's in place of former Ranger Kenny Rogers, who was scratched due to pain in his lower back. Oquist was staked to a 9-0 lead in the fourth, but he couldn't get out of the fifth.

The Rangers loaded the bases on two walks and a single in the fourth and Lee Stevens' two-run single made it 9-2.

Texas added five runs in the fifth. RBI singles by Rusty Greer, Will Clark and Stevens knocked out Oquist, and Fernando Tatis added a two-run single off Aaron Small to make it 9-7.

Oquist allowed seven hits and eight hits over 4 1-3 innings.

Rangers starter Matt Perisho (0-1) got in early trouble in his first start for Texas. He walked leadoff man Rickey Henderson and one out later Grieve lined a shot into the lower deck in right field for a 2-0 lead.

■ AL Roundup

Oakland added four more in the second against Perisho as Henderson drove in two with a double, and Grieve hit a towering drive into the upper deck for his 10th homer of the season.

Perisho lasted only 2 1-3 innings and was battered for seven runs and five hits.

Bournigal's sacrifice fly in the third stretched Oakland's lead to 7-0, and Miguel Tajada added a two-run homer in the fourth to make it 9-0.

Indians 9, Royals 1

CLEVELAND — Manny Ramirez homered and drove in six runs, and Bartolo Colon pitched his AL-leading fifth complete game as the Cleveland Indians ended a four-game losing streak Tuesday night with a victorys.

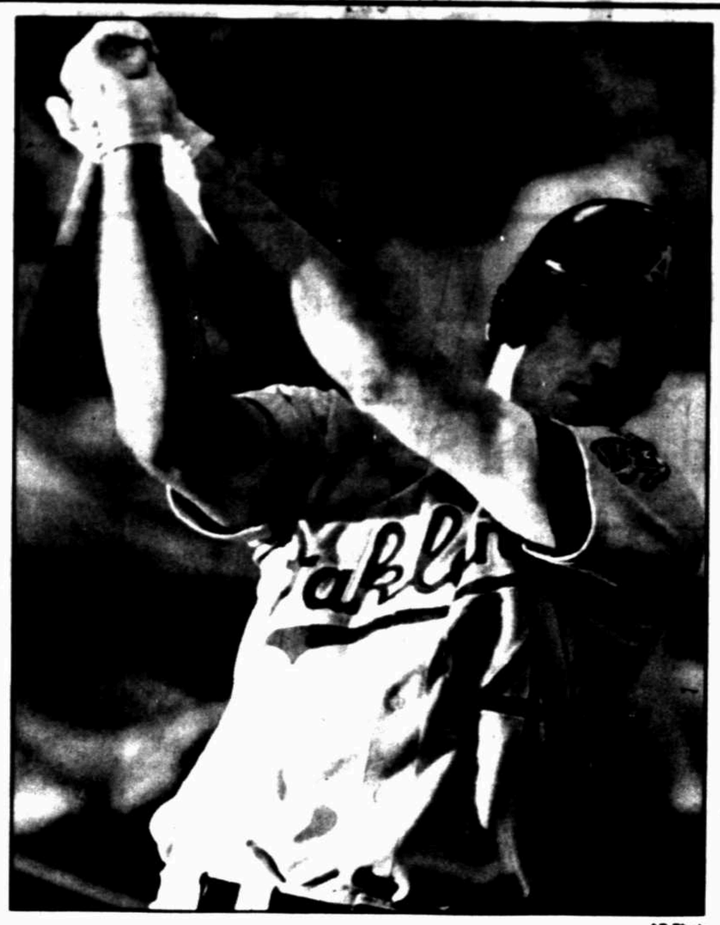
Ramirez had a two-run double in the first, a solo homer in the fifth off Kansas City starter Hipolito Pichardo (2-6) and a three-run double in Cleveland's five-run sixth.

Devil Rays 4, Blue Jays 3

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. — Toronto's bullpen blew it for the second straight night as Miguel Cairo's RBI double capped Tampa Bay's three-run ninth-inning rally off Randy Myers.

Myers (2-2) was brought in to hold a 3-1 lead for starter Pat Hentgen. With one out, pinch-hitter Aaron Ledesma doubled and scored on Mike DiFelice's single. Bobby Smith's base hit sent pinch-runner Randy Winn to third.

Jim Mecir (3-0) pitched two scoreless innings for the win.



AP Photo

Oakland Athletics batter Ben Grieve warms up before hitting a two-run home run against the Texas Rangers during the first inning in Arlington. Grieve, who grew up around the Rangers when his father Tom Grieve was general manager of the Rangers, was making his first at-bat in Arlington.

Orioles 2, Yankees 0

BALTIMORE — Rookie Sidney Ponson and Arthur Rhodes combined on a two-hitter to end New York's major league record streak of non-losing series at 24.

By winning the first two games of the three-game series, Baltimore assured the Yankees of not splitting or winning a series for the first time since opening the year with two straight losses at Anaheim.

Red Sox 6, White Sox 1

CHICAGO — Pedro Martinez struck out 11 in seven innings to take over the AL lead and Reggie Jefferson hit a two-run homer to lead Boston.

Martinez (8-2) gave up four hits and walked a season-high five. He raised his strikeout total to 124, passing Seattle's Randy Johnson (122) for the league lead.

Twins 9, Tigers 5

DETROIT — Pat Meares' two-run single put Minnesota ahead to stay in the sixth inning and Ron Coomer hit a three-run homer in the seventh as the Twins won for the sixth time in nine games.

Kimera Bartee hit a two-run homer and had a career-high four RBIs for the Tigers, who have lost 12 of 16.

UIL to examine need for possible changes in football playoffs

By Chip Brown
AP Sports Writer

AUSTIN (AP) — The University Interscholastic League and coaches seem to agree that the football playoff system could be improved.

Now, it's a matter of figuring out how.

The UIL's Standing Committee on Athletics on Tuesday acted on several new rule proposals involving all sports and voted to study possible changes to the football playoffs.

All proposals must receive final approval by the UIL Legislative Council in October.

Ross Rogers, athletic director at A&M Consolidated High School, proposed changing the format for the current 96-team football playoff field in 5A, 4A, 3A and 2A.

The current format dictates that the schools with the largest enrollment play in the "big school" division, which has 32 teams, while schools with smaller enrollment play in the "small school" division, which has 64 teams.

Rogers proposed having the small schools play in the 32-team field and have the larger schools in the 64-team field — at least every other year.

Rogers said it's a competitive advantage to play in a smaller playoff field and play one less game in the playoffs — five instead of six.

"Why would you give the big schools the advantage?" Rogers asked. "They are more equipped to play a sixth game because they have the larger number of players."

Rather than act on that proposal, the UIL staff voted to form a committee and study a number of changes to the football playoff system.

UIL athletic director Charles Breithaupt said everything will be looked at, including the creation of a Class 6A and the possibility of adding a fourth team from each district into the playoffs. Currently, the top three teams from each district qualify.

Home field advantage for the district champions in the first round of the playoffs also will be considered, Breithaupt said.

"As far as the playoff structure, there is a lot of dissatisfaction with the three-team structure," Breithaupt said. "We will look at everything and try to decide what's fair."

The committee meeting was dampened by news that UIL Director Bill Farney was rushed to the intensive care unit of Georgetown Hospital with chest pains early Tuesday morning. He was to undergo tests Thursday at an Austin hospital but was conscious and alert as of Tuesday afternoon, Breithaupt said.

Farney is 58 and has been with the UIL for nearly 20 years, 16 of which he was athletic director. He is in his fourth year as UIL director.

In other action taken by the athletics committee, proposals that were approved and referred to the full Legislative Council for adoption include:

— Adding a mixed doubles match in Class 5A and 4A team tennis. This would create 19 matches in the team tennis format, serving as a possible tiebreaker for matches that end 9-9.

— Allowing baseball teams to play one of the games in a two-out-of-three series on Monday through Thursday if there is no loss of school time.

— Surveying school superintendents to see if the girls' softball season should be lengthened by two weeks to ensure enough playing dates for the growing number of teams per district.

— Surveying superintendents to see if state swimming competition should be divided into two divisions — 5A and a class including 4A and under. Currently, all classes compete together at the state swim meet.

— Having the UIL staff study the possibility of moving the girls' state volleyball tournament to the Erwin Center because of a lack of locker room space at its current site, Burger Center in Austin.

— Having the UIL staff study the creation of a celebration next year in honor of 100 years of high school football in Texas.

Proposals that were rejected include:

— Rotating the state golf tournament, which is currently played in Austin, to various sites across the state to keep Austin golfers from having a home course advantage.

— Requiring all football playoff games to be played on natural grass instead of artificial turf.

— Expanding events in the state track meet and moving the event out of Austin.

— Having girls' volleyball, played in the fall, swap seasons with girls' softball, played in the spring, to make better use of facilities.

McGwire shut down; Cardinals still bomb Astros

Associated Press

HOUSTON — A big crowd showed up at the Astrodome to see Mark McGwire hit a home run Tuesday night.

While the 34,822 fans didn't see McGwire go deep, they watched Gary Gaetti hit a three-run homer and Brian Jordan a two-run shot as the St. Louis Cardinals beat the Houston Astros 9-4.

Gaetti homered in a four-run first for the Cardinals, but the Astros rallied to tie it with four runs in the bottom of the inning.

Pete Schourek (3-5) walked home the go-ahead run in the third. Jordan homered off Trever Miller in the fourth and Delino DeShields hit a solo shot in the eighth.

McGwire, making his first pro appearance in the Astrodome, put on his usual batting practice show with nine homers in 24 swings before about 15,000 fans who showed up early to see the display.

But McGwire, who leads the majors with 31 homers, didn't hit any during the game before the Astros' largest weekday crowd of the season. He walked twice, hit into a double play, flew out to right field and struck out in his final at-bat in the eighth.

The Astrodome and Atlanta's Turner Field are the only major league sites where McGwire hasn't hit a homer. McGwire has played two games at Turner.

Phillies 8, Pirates 7

■ NL Roundup

PHILADELPHIA — Mike Lieberthal's three-run, pinch-hit homer capped a seven-run ninth inning for Philadelphia.

The Phillies trailed 7-1 heading into the ninth but rallied against relievers Ricardo Rincon and Rich Loiselle (1-5).

Brewers 11, Cubs 2

CHICAGO — Jeromy Burnitz, John Jaha and Jose Valentin homered to lead Milwaukee's 16-hit attack as the Brewers snapped Chicago's 10-game home winning streak.

Brad Woodall (3-2) held the Cubs scoreless into the seventh inning, allowing four hits with four strikeouts and one walk. He also had three hits, walked once and scored twice.

Diamondbacks 5, Reds 1

CINCINNATI — Omar Daal set an Arizona record with nine strikeouts and the Diamondbacks got another franchise first — victory No. 1 on artificial turf.

Travis Lee and David Dellucci had three hits apiece for the Diamondbacks, who had four doubles and a triple among their 10 hits.

Mets 2, Expos 0

MONTREAL — Al Leiter pitched a five-hitter for his fifth career shutout and lowered his ERA to an NL-best 1.53.

Leiter (8-3), who won his fifth straight start, struck out seven and walked one as New York won for the 18th time in 26 games. Montreal has lost six of eight.

Braves 7, Marlins 0

ATLANTA — Atlanta scored six runs in the first inning and went on to beat Florida in their first meeting since last year's NL championship series.

Ryan Klesko hit the sixth grand slam of his career, Denny Neagle broke a personal three-game losing streak with a four-hitter and Bobby Cox became the winningest manager in Braves history.

Cox has won 1,005 games in two stints as Atlanta manager, breaking the record set by Frank Selee from 1890-1901, when the franchise was in Boston.

TITLE: City enjoys 6th title

(From 1C)

do it," Jackson said, prompting a loud chorus of boos from the crowd and laughter from Jordan and Pippen.

His Airness and his sidekick found plenty more to giggle at, too. There was Bill Wennington and his video camera, which he had in tow throughout the NBA Finals. There was Steve Kerr, who replayed Jordan's game-winning shot — and his pass that set it up.

And then there was Rodman.

"I've always said I'm never, ever getting married again. I'll never have another wife," he said, grinning and then pausing as if the NBA's bad boy was about to make some big announcement.

"If I had to marry anybody, it'd be these 12 guys right here!"

Despite all the talk about this being it for the Bulls, most fans were optimistic. "Six was just for kicks, 'cuz ... seven is going to be heaven!" one sign read.

"This dynasty isn't over, there's still one dance left," said Gina Philip of Skokie, who was carrying a sign that had a picture of Jordan and the words "Seventh Heaven."

"The Jerrys better let them come back," she said. "Otherwise they're going to have a whole city mad at them."

But some fans weren't taking any chances. Bunnie Johnson of Chicago said he thinks all of the Bulls will be back, but just in case, he skipped work to bring his son, James, 7, and daughter, Jasmine, 6, to the rally.

"I just wanted them to see Michael in what might be his final hurrah," he said. "So my kids can know that they've been part of something big."

Assistant resigns

CHICAGO (AP) — In another signal that this could be the end for the Chicago Bulls, assistant coach Jimmy Rodgers resigned Tuesday, saying it was time to step back and evaluate his future.

The announcement came only a few hours after coach Phil Jackson told a championship celebration rally at Chicago's Grant Park that this was his last season.

Rodgers, 55, was one of four assistants under Jackson this season.

CUP: Wings honor Konstantinov with win

(From 1C)

shakes the Stanley Cup was presented to Konstantinov, who beamed as it teetered on his lap. His teammates formed a circle around him, and at their urging he feebly raised two fingers to signify the second title.

"I said 'Vlady,' put two fingers in the air. We did this for you," said Vyacheslav Kozlov.

With the Cup still on his wheelchair, his teammates pushed him around the ice in a victory lap. At one point, he raised an unlit cigar to his lips.

Konstantinov, considered one of the NHL's top defensemen, watched the game from the stands at the MCI Center. When the Red Wings opened a 4-1 lead early in the third period, chants of "Vlady! Vlady! Vlady!" cascaded through the arena from the thousands of Detroit fans who somehow got tickets.

When the chants reached a peak, Konstantinov's wife, Irina, helped her husband to his feet. He waved his fist and the cheers grew louder.

Even Washington fans seemed to join in as their team's first trip to the NHL finals ended quickly. It was the fourth straight sweep, the first time that has happened in major pro sports history.

Martin Lapointe and Larry Murphy also scored for the Red Wings, while goalie Chris Osgood completed a spectacular series by making 30 saves. He allow but seven goals in 99 shots in the series.

Osgood, who had been maligned for giving up three long goals earlier in the playoffs, was every bit the equal of Washington's Olaf Kolzig, who was outstanding in defeat.

Brian Bellows, whose wife gave birth to a son between the first two games of the series, got his second goal in as many games for Washington. The Caps had the fourth-best record in the Eastern Conference under new coach Ron Wilson and came into the finals as a heavy underdog after New Jersey, Pittsburgh and Philadelphia were eliminated in the first round.

"Guys have different reasons why they want to win," Detroit associate coach Dave Lewis said prior to Game 4. "The biggest reason now is for Sergei and Vlady. Not much has been said about it, but that has been the driving force for this team since Day 1 of training camp."

The Red Wings wore patches all season on their right shoulders with their friends' initials and the word "believe" in English and Russian.

The accident wasn't the only obstacle in the way of the team's bid to become the first repeat champion since the Pittsburgh Penguins in 1991-92.

During the offseason, the Red Wings traded goaltender Mike Vernon, the MVP of last year's playoffs, and decided to go with Osgood, a younger goaltender. Osgood was just as dominant and the Wings retained the MVP award as well. It went to Steve Yzerman.

There was further adversity with a contract holdout that caused dynamic center Sergie Fedorov to miss the first 59 games of the season. He didn't return until the Red Wings matched a six-year, $38 million offer sheet from Carolina, that included a $14 million signing bonus and a $12 million incentive clause if Fedorov's team made the conference final this year.

As the final seconds ticked off, Osgood held his hands high above his head while Murphy handled the puck in front of his own net.

With about three seconds to go, Osgood threw off his glove, tossed his stick away and reached out to accept hugs from teammates.

As they have done each game of the series, the Red Wings scored the first goal. Brown got it on a power play at 10:30 following a great play by Fedorov, who had the game winner late in Game 3.

This time the $38 million man took the puck from Murphy just inside the Washington blue line, carried it to the faceoff circle, turned completely around and finished at the top of the circle. He made a cross-ice pass that found Brown in full stride and he beat Kolzig with a wrist shot from the dot in the left faceoff circle.

Lapointe stretched the lead to two goals early in the second period with a shot from just inside the blue line that beat Kolzig to the right corner at 2:26.

Yzerman MVP

WASHINGTON — Steve Yzerman won his second Stanley Cup and his first Conn Smythe Trophy on Tuesday night.

Once called a player who could not lead his team to victory in the big games, Yzerman was finally officially recognized as the most valuable player of the playoffs with his strong all-around contribution.

Yzerman was the Red Wings' best player in the postseason, and it had to do with more than just his playoff-leading statistics of 24 points on six goals and 18 assists.

Not only did Yzerman score, but also worked on the power play and penalty killing unit and was a force on defense against whatever Capitals line was on the ice.

Coming into the Cup-clinching fourth game of the finals, Yzerman had posted the top face-off percentage of 68.2, winning 15 of 22.

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SPORTS SCOREBOARD

Major League Baseball

NL Boxes

CARDINALS 9, ASTROS 4

ST. LOUIS	ab	r	hbi	HOUSTON	ab	r	hbi
Clayton ss	4	1	1	0 Biggio 2b	5	0	0
DeShds 2b	4	2	2	1 Spiers 3b	4	1	1
McGwr 1b	3	2	0	0 DeBell rf	4	1	2
BJrdan cf	4	2	2	2 Bgwell 1b	4	1	1
Pgnozzi c	4	0	1	1 Alou cf	4	0	1
Gaetti 3b	5	2	3	3 DClark lf	2	1	0
DHwrd 3b	0	0	0	0 Gtrrez ss	2	0	1
Gant lf	3	0	0	0 TMiller p	0	0	0
Crshore p	0	0	0	0 RMtgm ph	1	0	0
McGee lf	1	0	0	0 RHrris p	0	0	0
BRHntr rf	4	0	2	2 Phillips ph	1	0	0
Frscbre p	0	0	0	0 Scanlan p	0	0	0
Acvedo p	2	0	1	0 Asmus c	4	0	2
Mabry rf	1	0	0	0 Schrek p	1	0	0
				Bogar ss	2	0	0
Totals	**35**	**9**	**12**	**9 Totals**	**34**	**4**	**8**

St. Louis	401	210	010 — 9
Houston	400	000	000 — 4

DP—Houston 1. LOB—St. Louis 8, Houston 6. 2B—Clayton (15), Pagnozzi (4), Gaetti (13), BRHunter (5), Bagwell (11). HR—DeShields (3), BJordan (12), Gaetti (7). SB—BJordan (5). CS—Clayton (6). S—Acevedo. SF—Pagnozzi.

St. Louis	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Acevedo W,2-1	6	7	4	4	1	2
Croushore	2	1	0	0	2	2
Frascatore	1	0	0	0	0	0
Houston						
Schourek L,3-5	3	5	6	6	7	2
TMiller	3	5	2	2	0	4
RHarris	2	1	1	1	0	1
Scanlan	1	1	0	0	0	1

Schourek pitched to 2 batters in the 4th. T—3:10. A—34,822 (54,370).

BREWERS 11, CUBS 2

MILWAUKEE	ab	r	hbi	CHICAGO	ab	r	hbi
Vina 2b	5	2	2	1 Alxndr 3b	4	0	0
Cirilio 3b	5	0	1	1 BPtrsn p	0	0	0
Hmelin 1b	0	0	0	0 Pscotta p	0	0	0
Burnitz rf	5	2	2	1 Mrndri 2b	4	0	1
BBnks c	1	0	0	0 Sosa rf	3	0	0
Jaha 1b	3	2	2	2 Lowery cf	1	0	0
Loretta 1b	1	0	1	0 MaGce 1b	4	0	0
Nilsson lf	3	0	1	2 Hrdtke 3b	0	0	0
Jenkins lf	0	0	0	1 Blauser ss	4	1	1
Grssom cf	5	1	1	0 Mieske lf	4	1	1
DrJksn cf	0	0	0	0 JHrndz cf	4	0	1
JsVntin ss	4	1	1	2 Servais c	2	0	0
Hughes c	5	1	1	0 Trchsel p	1	0	0
Wodall p	3	2	3	0 White ph	1	0	0
AReyes p	0	0	0	0 Foster p	0	0	0
Nwfield ph	1	0	1	0 MIhlind p	0	0	0
Wckmn p	0	0	0	0 BBrwn lf	1	0	1
Totals	**41**	**11**	**11**	**6 Totals**	**33**	**2**	**5**

Milwaukee	102	016	010 — 11
Chicago	000	000	200 — 2

E—Cirilio (6), Nilsson (3). DP—Chicago 1. LOB—Milwaukee 10, Chicago 5. 2B—Burnitz (12), Grissom (14), Woodall (1), Morandini (12), Blauser (8). HR—Burnitz (15), Jaha (4), JsValentin (10). SF—Jenkins.

Milwaukee	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Woodall W,3-2	6	1-3	4	2	0	1
AReyes	1	2-3	1	0	0	0
Wickman	1	0	0	0	0	0
Chicago						
Trachsel L,6-3	5	6	4	4	2	5
Foster	0	4	4	4	0	0
Mulholland	2	3	2	2	2	0
BPatterson	1	2	1	1	0	1
Piscotta	1	1	0	0	2	2

Foster pitched to 4 batters in the 6th. WP—Woodall, Mulholland. T—2:58. A—25,409 (38,884).

METS 2, EXPOS 0

NEW YORK	ab	r	hbi	MONTREAL	ab	r	hbi
LLopez lf	4	0	0	0 Sntnglo 2b	3	0	1
Alfonzo 3b	5	0	0	0 RPerez lf	4	0	1
Piazza c	5	1	2	0 VGrero rf	4	0	0
Olerud 1b	4	1	1	0 RWhite cf	4	0	1
Baerga 2b	4	0	1	0 Widger c	3	0	0
Huskey rf	3	0	1	1 GrdzIn ss	3	0	1
Kirby rf	0	0	0	0 Fllmer 1b	3	0	0
McRae cf	4	0	0	0 Andrws 3b	3	0	1
ROrdz ss	3	0	1	1 Hrmns p	1	0	0
ALeiter p	2	0	0	0 Mrdcai ph	1	0	0
				Telford p	0	0	0
				Kline p	0	0	0
				Vidro ph	1	0	0
				MVldes p	0	0	0
Totals	**34**	**2**	**6**	**2 Totals**	**30**	**0**	**5**

New York	000	001	010 — 2
Montreal	000	000	000 — 0

E—ROrdonez (5), Andrews (11). DP—New York 2. LOB—New York 12, Montreal 4. 2B—Piazza (9), Olerud (14), Andrews (8). CS—RWhite (6).

New York	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
ALeiter W,8-3	9	5	0	0	1	7
Montreal						
Hrmns L,4-6	6	3	1	1	3	5
Telford	1	0	0	0	1	1
Kline	1	2	1	1	1	1
MValdes	1	1	0	0	1	1

HBP—by Hermanson (LLopez). T—2:26. A—12,662 (46,500).

BRAVES 7, MARLINS 0

FLORIDA	ab	r	hbi	ATLANTA	ab	r	hbi
Dnwdy cf	4	0	0	0 Weiss ss	2	1	0
Rntena ss	4	0	1	0 Lckhrt 2b	4	1	1
Kotsay rf	4	0	0	0 ChJnes 3b	4	1	1
Zeile 3b	3	0	0	0 Glrrga 1b	3	1	1
Floyd lf	3	0	0	0 Klesko lf	4	1	2
DLee 1b	3	0	0	0 JLopez c	4	2	1
Berg 2b	3	0	0	0 Tucker rf	3	0	0
Rdmnd c	3	0	0	0 AJones cf	2	0	0
Fntenot p	1	0	0	0 Neagle p	4	0	1
Wehner ph	1	0	0	0			
Ojala p	0	0	0	0			
Cngliosi ph	1	0	0	0			
Alfnsca p	0	0	0	0			
Totals	**30**	**0**	**4**	**0 Totals**	**30**	**7**	**9**

Florida	000	000	000 — 0
Atlanta	600	000	01x — 7

DP—Florida 2, Atlanta 1. LOB—Florida 3, Atlanta 6. 2B—Redmond (1), ChJones (12), JLopez (10). HR—Klesko (12). SF—AJones.

Florida	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Fontenot L,0-4	4	6	6	6	4	1
Ojala	3	1	0	0	1	1
Alfonseca	1	2	1	1	1	1
Atlanta						
Neagle W,8-4	9	4	0	0	0	9

T—2:07. A—39,331 (50,528).

DIAMONDBACKS 5, REDS 1

ARIZONA	ab	r	hbi	CINCINNATI	ab	r	hbi
AFox 2b	5	0	1	0 RSndrs rf	1	0	0
DWhite cf	5	1	0	0 EduPrz 1b	2	0	1
TLee 1b	5	1	3	0 WGrne 3b	4	0	2
MWlms 3b	2	0	1	1 BLrkin ss	4	0	0
TBtsta 2b	2	2	0	0 DYng 1b	4	0	1
DMucci lf	5	1	3	2 BBone 2b	4	1	0
JBell ss	3	0	1	0 Stynes lf	4	0	1
KGrcia rf	3	0	1	0 Wtkins cf	4	0	2
Stinnett c	3	0	0	0 Frdyce c	4	0	0
Daal p	4	0	0	0 Hrnisch p	2	0	1
				Nieves ph	1	0	0
				Graves p	0	0	0
				GWhite p	0	0	0
				LHrns ph	1	0	0
Totals	**37**	**5**	**10**	**3 Totals**	**35**	**1**	**9**

Arizona	100	001	021 — 5
Cincinnati	000	000	001 — 1

E—DYoung (5), Graves (1). DP—Cincinnati 1. LOB—Arizona 9, Cincinnati 8. 2B—TLee (11), MWilliams (14), Dellucci 2 (15), EduPerez (1), BBoone (24). 3B—Dellucci (3). SB—KGarcia (1), WGreene (5). CS—Watkins (2).

Arizona	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Daal W,3-4	9	9	1	1	1	9
Cincinnati						
Harnisch L,6-2	7	6	2	2	3	6
Graves	1	3	2	2	1	0
GWhite	1	1	1	0	0	1

T—2:19. A—15,975 (52,953).

PHILLIES 8, PIRATES 7

PITTSBURGH	ab	r	hbi	PHILA	ab	r	hbi
Wmack 2b	5	1	0	0 Glnville cf	4	0	1
AMrtin lf	5	1	1	3 Jfferies lf	3	1	1
Kendall c	5	2	4	0 Setcik lf	2	1	0
KYng 1b	5	0	2	1 SRolen 3b	2	0	0
TWard cf	5	0	2	0 KJrdan 3b	2	1	1
MaMtz cf	0	0	0	0 Brogna 1b	3	0	1
JGillen rf	5	1	1	0 Brland p	0	0	0
ARmrz 3b	3	1	1	3 Amaro ph	1	0	0
Strange 3b	0	0	0	0 Dodd p	0	0	0
Collier ss	3	1	1	0 Lbrthal ph	1	1	3
Silva p	0	0	0	0 MLewis 2b	3	1	1
Loaiza p	1	0	1	0 Abreu rf	4	1	1
Dssens p	1	0	0	0 Parent c	2	1	0
Rincon p	0	0	0	0 Rlaford ss	2	1	1
Loiselle p	0	0	0	0 TGreen p	1	0	0
				Hudler ph	1	0	0
				Wnston p	0	0	0
				AArias 3b	1	0	0
Totals	**38**	**7**	**13**	**7 Totals**	**32**	**8**	**8**

Pittsburgh	130	030	000 — 7
Philadelphia	000	001	007 — 8

Two outs when winning run scored. E—Collier (6). DP—Pittsburgh 2, Philadelphia 1. LOB—Pittsburgh 8, Philadelphia 6. 2B—Kendall (13), JGuillen (20), Collier (8), Relaford (11). 3B—Abreu (3). HR—AMartin (6), ARamirez (3), Jefferies (5), Lieberthal (7). S—Loaiza. SF—Glanville.

Pittsburgh	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Silva	1	1	0	0	0	1
Loaiza	5	3	1	1	3	2
Dessens	2	1	0	0	1	2
Rincon	0	2	4	3	2	0
Loiselle L,1-5	2-3	1	3	0	1	0
Philadelphia						
TGreen	5	9	7	7	1	1
Winston	1	1-3	3	0	0	1
Borland	1	2-3	0	0	0	2
Dodd W,1-0	1	1	0	0	0	1

Rincon pitched to 4 batters in the 9th. HBP—by TGreen (Silva). WP—TGreen. T—3:00. A—24,615 (62,363).

Standings

All Times CDT

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Str	Home	Away	Intr
New York	47	16	746	—	z-7-3	L-2	26-5	21-11	5-1
Boston	40	27	597	9	6-4	W-1	23-13	17-14	3-3
Baltimore	34	36	486	16 1/2	5-5	W-2	17-17	17-19	3-3
Toronto	34	36	486	16 1/2	4-6	L-2	18-19	16-17	2-4
Tampa Bay	29	39	426	20 1/2	4-6	W-2	13-18	16-21	2-4

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Str	Home	Away	Intr
Cleveland	39	28	582	—	z-5-5	W-1	18-13	21-15	3-3
Minnesota	32	36	471	7 1/2	6-4	W-1	16-21	16-15	3-3
Chicago	28	40	412	11 1/2	4-6	L-1	13-16	15-24	2-4
Kansas City	25	42	382	13 1/2	4-6	L-1	11-26	15-16	2-4
Detroit	25	41	379	13 1/2	z-4-6	L-1	12-17	13-24	2-4

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Str	Home	Away	Intr
Anaheim	39	28	582	—	z-8-2	W-1	19-16	20-12	5-1
Texas	40	29	580	—	z-4-6	L-2	23-15	17-14	4-2
Oakland	31	37	456	8 1/2	z-6-4	W-3	17-19	14-18	3-3
Seattle	29	40	420	11	z-3-7	L-2	15-18	14-22	2-4

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Str	Home	Away	Intr
Atlanta	48	22	686	—	6-4	W-3	29-11	19-11	3-3
New York	38	27	585	7 1/2	z-6-4	W-1	21-11	17-16	1-2
Philadelphia	33	34	493	13 1/2	z-6-4	W-3	21-17	12-17	3-3
Montreal	26	42	382	21	z-4-6	L-3	15-20	11-22	3-3
Florida	21	48	304	26 1/2	4-6	L-1	16-23	5-25	2-4

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Str	Home	Away	Intr
Houston	42	27	609	—	z-7-3	L-1	18-12	24-15	5-1
Chicago	40	29	580	2	z-5-5	L-1	26-12	14-17	4-2
Milwaukee	34	33	507	7	5-5	W-1	17-17	17-16	3-3
Pittsburgh	34	36	486	8 1/2	z-4-6	L-1	24-16	10-20	4-2
St. Louis	33	35	485	8 1/2	4-6	W-2	18-12	15-23	1-2
Cincinnati	30	41	423	13	2-8	L-3	15-20	15-21	1-2

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Str	Home	Away	Intr
San Diego	44	25	638	—	z-8-2	W-7	25-7	19-18	1-2
San Francisco	41	29	586	3 1/2	z-5-5	L-5	22-10	19-19	2-1
Los Angeles	34	34	500	9 1/2	z-6-4	L-2	18-14	16-20	4-2
Colorado	30	40	429	14 1/2	4-6	W-3	11-20	19-20	1-5
Arizona	23	47	329	21 1/2	4-6	W-1	12-20	11-27	2-4

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

Tuesday's Games

Late Game Not Included

Minnesota 8, Detroit 5
Cleveland 9, Kansas City 1
Tampa Bay 4, Toronto 3
Baltimore 2, N.Y. Yankees 0
Boston 6, Chicago White Sox 1
Oakland 9, Texas 7
Seattle at Anaheim, (n)

Wednesday's Games

Boston (Wakefield 7-3) at Chicago White Sox (Eyre 1-6), 1:05 p.m.
Minnesota (Milton 3-5) at Detroit (Fione 4-2), 6:05 p.m.
Kansas City (Rosado 2-5) at Cleveland (Gooden 1-2), 6:05 p.m.
Toronto (Guzman 3-8) at Tampa Bay (Arrojo 8-4), 6:05 p.m.
N.Y. Yankees (Pettitte 7-5) at Baltimore (Mussina 5-3), 6:35 p.m.
Oakland (Oquist 4-3) at Texas (Burkett 4-6), 7:35 p.m.
Seattle (Fassero 5-3) at Anaheim (Olivares 4-2), 9:35 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Tuesday's Games

Late Games Not Included

Milwaukee 11, Chicago Cubs 2
Arizona 5, Cincinnati 1
N.Y. Mets 2, Montreal 0
Philadelphia 8, Pittsburgh 7
Atlanta 7, Florida 0
St. Louis 9, Houston 4
Los Angeles at San Diego, (n)
Colorado at San Francisco, (n)

Wednesday's Games

Pittsburgh (Cordova 6-4) at Philadelphia (Schilling 6-7), 12:05 p.m.
Milwaukee (Karl 6-3) at Chicago Cubs (Tapani 8-4), 1:20 p.m.
Colorado (Kile 6-9) at San Francisco (Rueter 7-3), 2:35 p.m.
Arizona (Benes 4-7) at Cincinnati (Remlinger 4-7), 6:05 p.m.
N.Y. Mets (Jones 6-3) at Montreal (Pavano 1-0), 6:05 p.m.
Florida (Sanchez 3-3) at Atlanta (Maddux 9-2), 6:40 p.m.
St. Louis (Stottlemyre 7-5) at Houston (Lima 7-3), 7:05 p.m.
Los Angeles (Valdes 5-7) at San Diego (Hitchcock 3-1), 9:35 p.m.

AL Boxes

ATHLETICS 9, RANGERS 7

OAKLAND	ab	r	hbi	TEXAS	ab	r	hbi
Hndrsn cf	3	3	1	2 TGdwin cf	4	1	0
Tejada ss	5	1	1	2 Alicea 2b	5	1	1
Grieve rf	4	2	2	4 Greer lf	4	2	2
Mitchll dh	4	0	1	0 JuGnlz rf	5	1	1
Stairs lf	3	0	0	0 WClark 1b	3	1	1
Chrstns cf	0	0	0	0 Stevns dh	4	1	2
Blwers 3b	4	0	0	0 Hslman c	4	0	1
Giambi 1b	3	1	0	0 Cedeno ss	3	0	0
Voigt 1b	0	0	0	0 FTatis 3b	4	0	1
Brnigal 2b	2	1	1	1			
Hinch c	4	1	1	0			
Totals	**32**	**9**	**7**	**9 Totals**	**36**	**7**	**9**

Oakland	241	200	000 — 9
Texas	000	250	000 — 7

E—Haselman (1). DP—Texas 1. LOB—Oakland 3, Texas 6. 2B—Henderson (10), Mitchell (3), Bournigal (7), Haselman (5). HR—Tejada (1), Grieve 2 (10). SB—Henderson 2 (28), Giambi (1). SF—Bournigal.

Oakland	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Oquist	4	1-3	8	7	3	5
Small	1	-3	1	0	1	0
Groom W,3-1	2		0	0	0	2
TJMathews	1	1-3	0	0	0	2
Taylor S,12	1		0	0	0	0
Texas						
Pensho L,0-1	2	1-3	5	7	6	3
Levine	4	2-3	2	2	2	2
DPatterson	2		0	0	0	1

HBP—by Pensho (Stairs). T—2:51. A—34,066 (49,166).

INDIANS 9, ROYALS 1

KANSAS CITY	ab	r	hbi	CLEVELAND	ab	r	hbi
Damon cf	4	0	2	0 Lofton cf	4	2	1
Offrmn 2b	3	0	1	1 Vizquel ss	3	2	1
HMrns dh	4	0	1	0 MRmrz rf	4	3	3
JKing 1b	4	0	0	0 Thome 1b	4	0	2
Palmer 3b	4	0	1	0 Frymn 3b	4	0	0
Sutton lf	3	0	0	0 Justice lf	2	0	0
Dye rf	3	0	0	0 Whiten lf	0	0	0
Halter ss	3	1	1	0 Berroa dh	4	1	2
Fasano c	3	0	0	0 Brders c	4	0	1
				DaBell 2b	4	1	0
Totals	**31**	**1**	**6**	**1 Totals**	**33**	**9**	**10**

Kansas City	001	000	000 — 1
Cleveland	300	015	00x — 9

E—Offerman (9), Fasano (1), MRamirez (5). DP—Cleveland 1. LOB—Kansas City 5, Cleveland 4. 2B—MRamirez 2 (17), Thome 2 (28). HR—MRamirez (11). SB—Lofton (22), Justice (3). S—Offerman.

Kansas City	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Pichardo L,2-6	5	5	4	4	3	5
Pittsley	2	5	5	5	1	0
Evans	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cleveland						
Colon W,6-4	9	6	1	1	1	2

T—2:08. A—43,184 (43,863).

DEVIL RAYS 4, BLUE JAYS 3

TORONTO	ab	r	hbi	TAMPA BAY	ab	r	hbi
Crespo rf	5	0	1	2 McCkn cf	3	0	1
SGreen cf	4	0	3	0 Boggs 3b	4	0	1
Samuel lf	3	0	0	0 RsBtlr lf	3	0	0
Stewart lf	0	0	0	0 MKelly lf	1	0	0
CDlgdo 1b	4	1	1	0 McGrff 1b	3	0	0
Stanley dh	4	0	1	0 Srrento dh	3	1	1
TFrndz 2b	3	1	0	0 Ldsma ph	1	1	1
Sprgue 3b	4	0	0	0 DrFice c	4	0	2
Fltcher c	4	1	3	1 Winn pr	0	1	0
AGnzlz ss	3	0	1	0 DaMrtz rf	1	0	0
				BSmith ph	1	1	0
				Stocker ss	4	0	1
				Cairo 2b	4	0	1
Totals	**34**	**3**	**10**	**3 Totals**	**32**	**4**	**7**

Toronto	010	200	000 — 3
Tampa Bay	000	100	003 — 4

One out when winning run scored. E—AGonzalez (6). DP—Toronto 1, Tampa Bay 1. LOB—Toronto 7, Tampa Bay 7. 2B—Crespo (4), Fletcher (11), Ledesma (4), DiFelice (5), Cairo (7). HR—Sorrento (7). SB—McGriff (2). CS—SGreen (6), Samuel (4), McCracken (4).

Toronto	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Hentgen	7	1-3	4	1	1	4
Plesac	2	-3	0	0	0	1
RaMyers L,2-2	1	-3	3	3	2	0
Tampa Bay						
JJohnson	3	2-3	7	3	3	2
White	3	1-3	2	0	0	1
Mecir W,3-0	2		1	0	0	0

HBP—by JJohnson (TFernandez). T—3:03. A—24,278 (45,200).

RED SOX 6, WHITE SOX 1

BOSTON	ab	r	hbi	CHICAGO	ab	r	hbi
DLewis cf	4	1	0	0 Drham 2b	5	0	0
Jffrson dh	4	1	3	2 Caruso ss	5	0	1
Grcprr ss	5	1	3	1 FThms dh	4	1	2
MVghn 1b	5	0	0	0 Belle lf	3	0	0
O'Lry lf	5	1	2	1 Vntura 3b	3	0	1
JnVntin 3b	4	0	0	0 Crdero 1b	1	0	0
Httlberg c	3	1	1	0 Norton 1b	2	0	0
Merloni 2b	4	1	3	2 MOrdz rf	3	0	1
Bragg rf	4	0	0	0 Cmeron cf	4	0	2
				O'Brien c	4	0	0
Totals	**38**	**6**	**12**	**6 Totals**	**34**	**1**	**7**

Boston	200	012	100 — 6
Chicago	000	010	000 — 1

E—Cameron (2). DP—Chicago 1. LOB—Boston 8, Chicago 12. 2B—Merloni (5), Ventura (14). 3B—Garciaparra (5). HR—Jefferson (7), FThomas (11). SB—Caruso 2 (8), MOrdonez (4). Cameron (12).

Boston	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
PMartinez W,8-2	7	4	1	1	5	11
Corsi	2	3	0	0	0	2
Chicago						
Bere L,3-6	5	1-3	7	5	5	2
CCastillo	2	-3	1	0	0	0
Loiselle L,1-5	2	-3	1	3	0	1
Philadelphia						
TGreen	5	9	7	7	1	1
Winston	1	1-3	3	0	0	1
Borland	1	2-3	0	0	0	2
Dodd W,1-0	1		1	0	0	0

Rincon pitched to 4 batters in the 9th. HBP—by TGreen (Silva). WP—TGreen. T—3:00. A—24,615 (62,363).

TWINS 8, TIGERS 5

MINNESOTA	ab	r	hbi	DETROIT	ab	r	hbi
Nixon cf	4	2	1	0 BLHntr cf	3	1	2
Gates 3b	4	0	1	1 Roberts dh	1	0	1
Molitor dh	5	2	2	0 Bartee dh	3	1	2
MCdvai lf	5	0	2	0 Tmbrlin ph	0	0	0
TWlker 2b	4	2	2	1 JOlver dh	1	0	0
RCmer 1b	5	2	2	3 Hggnsn rf	5	0	2
Lawton rf	2	0	1	0 ToClrk 1b	5	0	0
Stnbch c	4	0	0	0 LGnzlz lf	4	0	1
Meares ss	4	0	1	2 Easley 2b	5	0	0
				Randa 3b	3	1	1
				Bako c	3	1	1
				DCruz ss	4	1	1
Totals	**37**	**8**	**12**	**7 Totals**	**37**	**5**	**11**

Minnesota	200	002	310 — 8
Detroit	030	000	200 — 5

E—Bako (3), DCruz (3). DP—Detroit 2. LOB—Minnesota 7, Detroit 10. 2B—Molitor (12), BLHunter (12), 3B—Lawton (2). HR—RCoomer (11), Bartee (3). SB—Nixon (11), Lawton (6).

Minnesota	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Morgan	4	7	3	3	2	2
Serafini W,3-0	2	2-3	3	2	2	0
Trombley	1		0	0	0	2
Swindell	1	-3	0	0	0	0
Aguilera S,14	1		1	0	0	0
Detroit						
Harriger L,0-1	5	1-3	6	4	4	3
Runyan	1		0	0	0	1
Worrell	1	2-3	4	3	3	1
Crow	2		2	1	1	0

Runyan pitched to 1 batter in the 6th. HBP—by Serafini (LGonzalez). WP—Morgan, Trombley. T—3:07. A—8,493 (46,945).

ORIOLES 2, YANKEES 0

NEW YORK	ab	r	hbi	BALTIMORE	ab	r	hbi
Knblch 2b	4	0	0	0 ByAdsn cf	3	0	1
Raines dh	4	0	0	0 Carter rf	4	0	0

AP Photo

Former Stanford teammates Casey Martin, right, and Tiger Woods, left, watch Martin's shot on the 11th hole during a practice day of the 1998 U.S. Open Championship on the Lake Course of the Olympic Club in San Francisco, Calif. The first round begins Thursday.

Woods, Martin lead Stanford connection at the U.S. Open

By Ron Sirak
AP Golf Writer

SAN FRANCISCO — They looked like three college kids playing a fun round of golf. The laughter and words flowed easily. Poor shots were greeted by put-down lines.

In many ways, it was just like all those rounds Tiger Woods, Casey Martin and Joel Kribel played at The Olympic Club when they were students at Stanford.

The only difference was that this was a practice round for the U.S. Open.

Kribel, at 21 the youngest of the three, tried a chip from the back of the three-tier seventh green Tuesday morning, and no sooner had the ball landed than Woods said "bye," laughing as the ball rolled off the green.

When Woods tried a chip from the thick greenside rough at No. 9 and went completely under the ball without moving it, all three made eye contact then dissolved in laughter.

On the ninth fairway, the bushy mustache of Woods' caddie, Mike "Fluff" Cowan," was likened to the rear end of a yak. Woods and his coach, Butch Harmon, were laughing so hard Kribel had to back away from his shot.

"Is this how he wins all those tournaments?" Kribel shouted, referring to the distraction.

Kribel, who was using his red Stanford Cardinal golf bag, then hacked his ball out of the wet, 6-inch rough and applauded in genuine admiration when Martin hit his approach shot within 3 feet of the hole.

It was as if this were homecoming day, except they were coming home to play in one of the game's most important tournaments.

"I played here nearly every Monday when I was at Stanford," said Woods, who would have graduated this year if he had not quit school before his junior year to turn pro. "It was either here or at San Francisco Country Club."

There was one other reminder that this was different from one of those rounds in college. The most famous fragile right leg in golf has been further weakened by circulatory problem, and Martin's reliance on a golf cart is now constant.

As the threesome moved down No. 6, about 20 people — including coaches, family members, tournament officials and security personnel — milled in the middle of the fairway.

Emerging from the small crowd was a green single-person cart carrying Martin. The company that makes the cart was quite appropriate.

There, emblazoned on the front and again on the rear of the battery operated vehicle were the words "PRIDE Cars."

If there is one thing Martin is all about it is pride — pride not in beating the PGA Tour in court to win the right to use a cart, but pride in making it to the tournament he fantasized playing in while hitting Whiffle balls in his back yard as a kid.

It was a dream that almost became a nightmare.

Martin nearly didn't get to the U.S. Open, making a double bogey on the final hole of his 36-hole sectional qualifier.

"He thought he had let his dream tournament slip away," Cameron Martin, 28, said about his 26-year-old brother. "It showed what he is all about that he could do what he did."

What he did was sit for more than an hour thinking he had blown his chance at the U.S. Open and then go back out and win a five-way playoff for the final qualifying spot with a 25-foot birdie putt on the second extra hole.

In a way, Martin has faced many of the obstacles that Woods had to hurdle last year in his rollicking first full year on the PGA Tour. Everywhere Martin has gone there were interviews, requests from disability rights groups and obligations to corporate sponsors.

"We haven't built as many barriers as maybe we should have," King Martin said about the demands on his son's time. "There has been so much more to this than just playing golf."

But on Tuesday it all came back to golf.

On one green, Kribel shared a private thought with Woods and then slapped him in the chest with the back of his hand, with Woods knocking the hand away. Just two guys sharing a guy thing.

Three talented young men whose lives crossed paths because of golf and Stanford University were playing The Olympic Club once again. Only this time they were getting ready for the U.S. Open.

Norway has to settle for second tie

Associated Press

BORDEAUX, France — Maybe Norway peaked too soon.

After outclassing three other World Cup-bound teams by a combined 13-2 in six weeks before the tournament, the Norwegians now have a meager two points after yet another draw, 1-1 against Scotland on Tuesday.

"I'm disappointed by our performance," said coach Egil Olsen, whose Norwegians were fourth in the world in FIFA's computer rankings going into the tournament. "We lost our concentration and we were in fact lucky that we didn't lose. But we can still decide things ourselves in our group, and it's a good feeling."

Scotland snatched the draw when midfielder Craig Burley chased down a perfect 25-yard lofted pass from substitute David Weir and volleyed it on one hop over advancing goalkeeper Frode Grodas in the 66th minute.

The goal answered Havard Flo's header in the 46th, and kept the Scots' hopes alive of making the second round for the first time in eight World Cup appearances.

"The Norwegians were getting a little bit tired and a few players were going down with cramps," Burley said. "There was a little more space. The ball was delivered by David Weir over the left centerback's head. It fell nicely. The keeper came out and I mind my mind up: to lob him.

"For a minute I thought it had dropped over the bar. Fortunately it went into the net and I was delighted."

It was the biggest goal ever for Burley, a midfielder from Glasgow Celtic who scored once in 25 previous appearances for the Scots. It came only minutes after coach Craig Brown made two substitutions, bringing on Weir for Colin Calderwood and Jackie McNamara for Darren Jackson, allowing Burley to assume a more central role in midfield.

Olsen kept Flo on the team for his strength in the air. And it paid for Norway's only goal when the striker got past Christian Dailly at to head in Riseth's left-wing cross just 30 seconds after the break.

The draw left two disappointed coaches, but Brown moreso because his team outshot Norway 13-6.

CUP: Brazil clinches second round berth

(From 1C)

Ronaldo retreated quickly into defense Abdeliha Saber seconds after the goal. Said Chiba then left an 8-inch cleat gash on Ronaldo's left thigh with a reckless challenge.

Morocco had few chances as Brazil's defense concentrated on stopping Mustafa Hadji, and Ronaldo helped set the tone by retreating into defending positions. But in the final minutes of the first half, Youssef Chippo broke through the midfield and fell while attempting to shoot from the edge of the penalty arc. Russian referee Nikolai Levnikov issued a caution to Cesar Sampaio for a foul, prompting a strong protest from Dunga. With Dunga gesticulating wildly, Bebeto entered the conflict, leading Leonardo to step between his teammates like a boxing referee.

Levnikov added two minutes of injury time, and allowed the Brazilians a final possession, which they converted as Bebeto and Cafu set up Rivaldo for a 2-0 edge.

The next score came five minutes into the second half as defender Abdeliha Saber slipped under token pressure from Ronaldo, who then went past a defender and Ben Zekri and centered for Bebeto.

Zagallo avoided debating with Egil Olsen, the Norway coach who guided his team to a 4-2 win over Brazil in Oslo last year and recently said that if he coached the Brazilians they would never lose.

"I don't want to say anything about the other team," Zagallo said. "I don't want to know about the other team, only about my team. For me, it was not a surprise that we improved. In my experience, Brazil is capable of doing this.

"We haven't won anything, yet. We've only finished first in the group. Until we win the championship, we haven't done anything."

World Cup ratings can't beat 'General Hospital'

NEW YORK (AP) — The Americans' first World Cup game in France drew the biggest U.S. television audience since this tournament began but fewer viewers than the ABC soap opera it preempted.

The 40-market overnight rating for the U.S.-Germany game Monday was 4.4, the network said Tuesday.

When the World Cup was held in the United States in 1994 and generated more excitement and U.S. media coverage, the three ABC games featuring the Americans averaged a 7.0 rating. ABC averaged a 5.3 rating overall in 1994.

The game Monday, which Germany won 2-0, pre-empted "General Hospital," one of the top-rated daytime soap operas. The show averaged a 5.4 rating last week.

By comparison, Game 1 of the Stanley Cup finals between the Detroit Red Wings and Washington Capitals drew a 3.3 rating in prime time for Fox.

In other soccer games on ABC, the Belgium-Netherlands game on Saturday had a 2.3 rating and the game Sunday between Jamaica and Croatia had a 2.7.

Through Sunday, ESPN averaged an 0.8 rating for four games, down from 1.9 in 1994. ESPN2 averaged 0.6, down from a 1.1 in '94.

A rating point represents 980,000 households for ABC, 730,000 for ESPN and 580,000 for ESPN2.

The United States' next game, Sunday against Iran, will be shown live on ABC at 3 p.m. EDT.

GOLF: Watson runner-up at Olympic in '87

(From 1C)

haps not so shocking after Watson started the 1998 season with two ties for second and a tie for first in the still-to-be-completed AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am.

He missed the cut in the Masters after shooting 78 the first day and was in the middle of a string of mediocre finishes when he shot four straight rounds in the 60s to beat Jim Furyk by two shots in the Colonial.

"I still believe that I can still swing the golf club and hit the ball straight," Watson said.

Hitting the ball straight is the key at Olympic, where some of the most severe rough in U.S. Open history awaits those who stray from the tight, manicured fairways.

Those who miss the fairways and greens will find themselves in wet deep grass that grabs clubheads and will force most players to simply try to get the ball somewhere back in play again.

"It's clingy rough," Watson said. "You just don't know what it's going to do. When you hit a shot out of it around the green 15 feet from the hole with just a simple shot is your average."

The big test for Watson, though, figures to come on the greens, where he will have to demonstrate the yips are not there under major tournament pressure. He succeeded at Colonial by quickly hitting his short putts, but the greens of the Olympic may be another matter.

Just watching Watson frozen over a 2-footer during his period of yips was excruciating enough. Just imagine what it was like for Watson, who prides himself on keeping his composure on a golf course.

Simpson, who birdied three holes on the back nine during the 1987 Open to overcome Watson's lead and beat him by a stroke, recalled a time a few years later when he and Watson were paired together in a PGA Tour event.

By then, Watson had the yips bad, and his frustration and anger boiled over as he walked off a green after three-putting yet another hole. Still, always wanting to seem under control, he waited until he reached the woods and was out of the gallery's view before taking his golf ball and flinging it through the trees.

"I had never seen Watson do anything like that before," Simpson said. "Now it seems like he's conquered it. He's putting the ball well and hitting it great."

Does that mean he should be considered a contender to become the oldest U.S. Open champion ever?

"Who's to say Watson couldn't win?" Simpson said. Who indeed.

Sampras gets tough Wimbledon draw

By Stephen Wade
AP Sports Writer

WIMBLEDON — Defending champion Pete Sampras will play Dominic Hrbaty in the first round of what shapes up as a difficult path to a fifth Wimbledon title in six years.

Today's draw placed the top-seeded Sampras in the top half, with dangerous players such as Yevegeny Kafelnikov, Petr Korda, Patrick Rafter and Andre Agassi.

Sampras has had a disappointing year and is coming off a second-round loss to Mark Woodforde at last week's tournament at Queen's Club.

He opens against Hrbaty, a Slovakian ranked No. 47 in the world. Hrbaty is no pushover, having led Sampras 4-2 in the fifth set before losing at the 1997 Australian Open.

Sampras could meet MaliVai Washington, the Wimbledon runner-up in 1996, in the second round. Talented Swede Thomas Enqvist could loom in the third round and Australia's Scott Draper, winner at Queen's, in the fourth.

If the seedings hold, Sampras would meet No. 7 Kafelnikov, winner at Halle, Germany, last week and considered among the title favorites, in the quarterfinals.

Korda, the Australian Open champion and No. 3 seed, or Rafter, the 1997 U.S. Open champion and No. 4 seed, could face Sampras in the semis.

The top half also includes Agassi, the 1992 champion who is in the midst of a comeback and is seeded No. 13. Agassi opens against 77th-ranked Spaniard Alex Calatrava, but could meet rising German star Tommy Haas next and Korda in the fourth round.

The bottom half of the draw is much weaker, with No. 2 Marcelo Rios of Chile and No. 4 Greg Rusedski of Britain the highest seeds.

Rios is not considered a grass-court expert, while Rusedski is questionable for Wimbledon with a sprained left ankle.

Rios opens against Francisco Clavet and Rusedski faces a qualifier.

The prospective quarterfinals in the bottom half have Rios vs. France's Cedric Pioline, the 1997 Wimbledon runner-up and No. 8 seed, and Rusedski vs. Carlos Moya of Spain, the French Open champion and No. 5 seed.

The most enticing first round match pits Kafelnikov vs. Australia's Mark Philippoussis, one of the hardest servers in the game. The Australian, however, has played poorly in recent months and even considered withdrawing from Wimbledon.

On the women's side, defending champion and top seed Martina Hingis drew a tricky first rounder against American Lisa Raymond. No. 2 Lindsay Davenport will play Florencia Labat.

Hingis could face No. 3 Jana Novotna, the woman she beat in last year's final, in the semis. Davenport would meet No. 4 Steffi Graf in the other semifinal.

Seven-time champion Graf, continuing her comeback after a long injury layoff, opens against Gala Leon Garcia. No. 6 Monica Seles, in Graf's half of the draw, plays Maria Antonia Sanchez Lorenzo.

But the most interesting section of the draw has the Williams sisters, Venus and Serena, grouped together with fellow teen-age stars Anna Kournikova and Mirjana Lucic.

Venus opens against Jana Nejedly of Canada.

The Williams sisters could meet in the fourth round, but Serena would first have to get past Lucic in the second round and Kournikova in the third.

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Top-seeded Pete Sampras is slumping and looks nothing like a sure thing to win his fifth title in six years. Sampras was paired Tuesday in the first round against Dominic Hrbary, a Slovakian ranked 47th.

Rios falls at Nottingham

Associated Press

NOTTINGHAM, England — Marcelo Rios, looking anything like the second-ranked player in the world, lost to Italy's Gianluca Pozzi 3-6, 6-4, 6-0 on Tuesday in the first round of the Nottingham Open.

Rios, the Chilean seeded second at Wimbledon behind Pete Sampras, appeared disinterested in dropping the final set at love in the Wimbledon warmup event.

Rios won the first set and was coasting in the second before conceding a service break to Pozzi in the ninth game. After Pozzi held serve to take the second set, Rios barely ran after some shots in the final set.

Rios denied that he "tanked" the match, complaining that he had only had 25 minutes of practice on grass and was not mentally prepared.

Rios said he could not remember the last time he lost a set 6-0.

Pozzi, ranked No. 59, said he was not surprised with the win.

In other matches, second-seeded Jonas Bjorkman defeated Marc Kevin Goellner of Germany 6-4, 6-4, and No. 4 Cedric Pioline of France had a 6-4, 6-4 win over Sweden's Tomas Nydahl. Fifth-seeded Todd Woodbridge of Australia was ousted 7-6 (7-2), 7-6 (7-3) by Wayne Black.

Krajicek advances between the showers

ROSMALEN, Netherlands — Fourth-seeded Richard Krajicek of the Netherlands overcame intermittent rain and beat Australian Richard Fromberg 7-6 (7-0), 4-6, 7-6 (7-5) in the Heineken Trophy grass court tournament Tuesday.

Also winning first-round matches were John van Lottum, who upset No. 5 seed Nicolas Kiefer of Germany 7-5, 6-4, and Czech Martin Damm, who downed American Vincent Spadeau 6-4, 7-5.

Rain held up play for hours and began with completion of two first-round women's singles held over from Monday's rain-interrupted program.

Little Williams wins 1st match on grass court

EASTBOURNE, England (AP) — Serena Williams tuned up for her Wimbledon debut by winning her first grass-court match, beating Naoko Sawamatsu 6-4, 7-5 Tuesday in the Eastbourne Championships.

Watched by sister Venus and mother Oracene, Williams struggled with her footing on the unfamiliar surface and overcame unforced errors and missed shots in the opening-round match.

"It was kind of slippery out there, and I really don't like falling at all," she said. "I don't like that sensation. It was a little awkward for me today. After I slipped the first time I wasn't moving well at all. ... But I came to the net more in the first set than I have this whole year."

Despite coming to the net at every opportunity, Williams failed to serve and volley as much as she'd planned.

Venus Williams is to face Natasha Zvereva on Wednesday. Top-seeded Jana Novotna plays Wednesday against Nathalie Dechy, while Steffi Graf opens against Samantha Smith.

Also advancing Tuesday was No. 6 seed Anna Kournikova.

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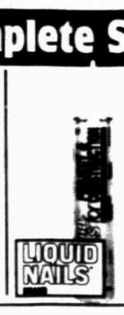

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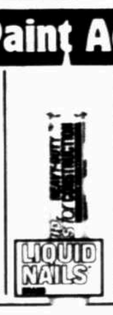

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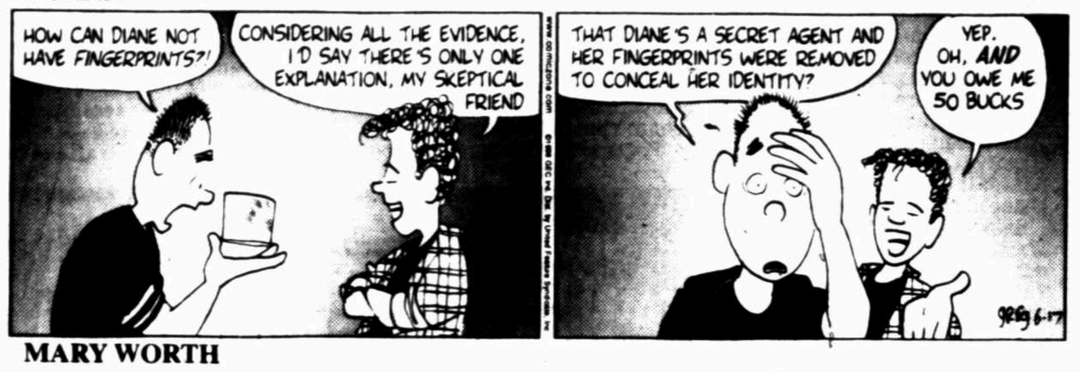

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Just when you think nothing else can boost your career, another great offer appears. But you might need to eliminate something else to accommodate that offer. You might feel uncomfortable at times, but in the long run, this move serves you well. Popularity is high and allows you many new experiences. Be willing to travel and open doors that might be foreign to you. If you are single, romance is exotic. You get what you want in a relationship. Reach out for others, and build your circle of friends. Get into better living. If attached, your life becomes more romantic and exciting together. ARIES targets your needs.

BORN TODAY

Actor Mark-Linn Baker (1953), singer Barry Manilow (1946), comedian Joe Piscopo (1951)

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ARIES (March 21-April 19)

★★★★ Call on Lady Luck now, to enhance an opportunity. New beginnings are possible, as you intuitively read between the lines. You feel energized. Make calls, trigger events and make sure others are willing to do their part. Confirm meetings. Tonight: Curb heavy spending.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

★★★ Aim for what you want. Be optimistic about a project or friendship. Creative brainstorming is important. Opportunities strike in many different ways. Use your intuition; it is right on target. Carefully check out a business proposition. Tonight: Vanish while you can.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

★★★★ Handle work early, as distraction occurs easily. By midday, an important business meeting could turn into a social occasion. Pressure is high to perform, and you come through in a big way. Money matters need strong management. Tonight: Where your friends are.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

★★★★ Reach out for others. Good news comes through the back door. The problem is that you might have to stay mum longer than you want. Confusion surrounds plans, and you're in the hot seat! Take responsibility, stay in control and run with the moment. Tonight: Step into the limelight.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

★★★★★ No matter which way you turn, events will empower you. Deal with a close partnership first. Great potential lies between you. Be direct about your feelings, be it a business or personal tie. Seek out experts. Creativity helps you find answers. Tonight: Get online.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

★★★★★ Defer to others; you'll gain a new perspective that works in the long run. Others offer you many possibilities. A bit of cynicism goes a long way. Check in with a family member about an investment; he won't lead you astray. Tonight: Spend time with that important person.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

★★★★ Plunge into work. Your diligence and long-term endurance make a considerable difference. You need to adopt a new outlook. A boss or other authority figure challenges you. Take feedback to heart. A business meeting becomes far more social. Tonight: Don't be alone!

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

★★★★ Allow your imagination to wander; ideas spring from mental roaming. Be sure about what you want from a flirtation. Much more could be developing. Work is demanding and requires focus. Screen calls, if you want to get anything done! Tonight: Work late.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

★★★★ Handle personal, investment and family matters early. Unusual ideas come from a partner. You aren't in this alone. Trust that. You have a sense of what is going to happen ahead of time. Heed your premonition. Later, let fun happen. Tonight: If you want amour, you can have it.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

★★★★ Keep plugging away and asking questions. You find that a lot becomes more clear when you explore various options. Take a lucky guess with money, as long as you don't put yourself at risk. You are rapidly changing your point of view. Talks are still confused. Tonight: Happy at home.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

★★★★ Finances need attention. You might need to spend more to get the quality you seek; it's OK to do that. Indulgence makes you feel good and perks up a loved one. Now, you need to zero in on what you want. Stay direct, and aim for your goals. Tonight: If you're tired, go home.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

★★★★★ You do the right thing naturally, so don't worry so much. A boss is impressed with your idea. Don't sell yourself short. Confusion surrounds a creative enterprise. Build financial security through good planning and few risks. Tonight: Treat yourself to something special.

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HOLDING PLAY

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	NORTH ♠ A Q 8 ♡ A J 7 6 5 ♢ K 8 4 ♣ 8 2	
WEST ♠ 7 4 3 2 ♡ 9 8 ♢ Q 9 7 3 ♣ 9 7 6		EAST ♠ K J 10 6 ♡ Q 10 3 2 ♢ J 5 2 ♣ 4 3
	SOUTH ♠ 9 5 ♡ K 4 ♢ A 10 6 ♣ A K Q J 10 5	

The bidding:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
1♣	Pass	1♡	Pass
3♣	Pass	3♠	Pass
3NT	Pass	4♣	Pass
6♣	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: Seven of ♠

Think about your line of play before committing to playing to the first trick. Then review your campaign to see if something better might have been overlooked. This applies whether you are declarer or defending.

The interesting point in the auction is North's bid of four clubs. Since North-South had already settled in game at three no trump, four clubs was a slam try. The key to South's accepting was the king of hearts, a key filler for partner's suit.

West led the top-of-nothing seven of spades, and declarer's problem was sidestepping possible losers in spades and diamonds. Declarer's first thought was to try both the spade and heart finesses — if either succeeded, 12 tricks were there. Further thought produced a better option — setting up a long heart if the suit broke no worse than 4-2. Since that would require two side entries to dummy, it was vital to protect both the ace of spades and king of diamonds from being removed prematurely.

Taking the spade finesse immediately would be futile should the finesse lose — a spade continuation would force out the ace. The way to keep all options open was to cover the seven of spades with the eight. East won cheaply, and started the attack on diamonds by shifting to that suit. Declarer rose with the ace, drew trumps in three rounds, discarding a diamond from the table, then cashed the king and ace of hearts. When both defenders followed, the slam was home.

Declarer ruffed, crossed to the king of diamonds to ruff another heart, then used the ace of spades as the entry to discard the diamond loser on the long heart. Note that, had hearts been 5-1, declarer still would have been able to fall back on the spade finesse for the 12th trick.

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CLOSE TO HOME

Bill's co-workers slowly began to suspect that he had lied about having a master's degree in computer science.

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He always gets me a good seat at the parade.

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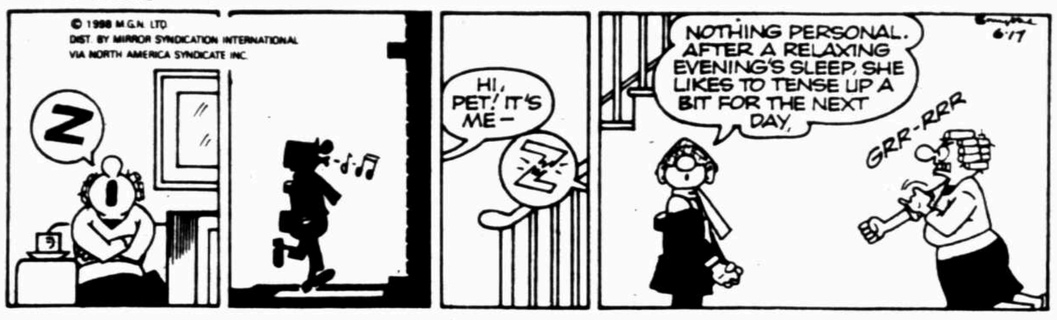

DENNIS THE MENACE

"DID YOU GUYS KNOW THERE'S STUFF ON TV ALL NIGHT LONG?"

PEOPLE TODAY

Elton John wants to do Versace tribute

MILAN, Italy — **Elton John** wants to record a tribute to fashion designer **Gianni Versace**, much like he did for **Princess Diana**.

The pop star told reporters about his latest musical inspiration during a party Monday to inaugurate an exhibition of Versace's designs.

Versace was shot to death outside his Miami Beach home on July 15 by serial killer Andrew Cunanan, who later committed suicide.

John, who has long been close to the Versace clan, sang at the memorial service held in Milan for Versace a week after the slaying.

The tribute to Versace is still unwritten, but the composer said he already has a title — "Bitch."

"That's how we used to greet each other on the phone," John joked.

Elton John says he will title his tribute to Gianni Versace "Bitch."

SANTA ANA, Calif. — **Yoko Ono** says she's simply paying a karmic debt by promoting the artwork of **John Lennon**.

Ono has created a touring exhibition of her late husband's drawings.

"He used to promote my work like crazy, and now I can do the same for him," she said. "I think this is cosmically right in a way, that it's my turn now to be there for him."

The exhibit consists of more than 100 pieces, including self-portraits.

Some critics describe the work as mere doodling. But Lennon's work has remained popular with his fans. Paul Jillson, director of the tour, said he expects 12,000 people to see the show this week at Laguna Hills Mall.

"I think John would be surprised, in a way, by this sort of popularity," Ono said. "He wasn't the kind of person to get caught up in what people thought of his art."

VATICAN CITY — **Pope John Paul** blessed **U.N. Secretary-General Kofi Annan**, who came to the Vatican on Tuesday to brief the pontiff on efforts to start a permanent tribunal to deal with crimes against humanity.

"God bless you!" declared the pope at the end of their private meeting.

The men also discussed current events in Europe, Africa and the Middle East, said Vatican spokesman Joaquin Navarro-Valls.

NEW YORK — **Warner Wolf**'s favorite cry is "Let's go to the videotape!" But the sportscaster was probably going to the dentist after his dentures popped out on camera.

"I've been on the air for 38 years, and that's the worst thing that's ever happened to me," Wolf said.

His bridge slipped out while he was announcing horseracing results on WCBS-TV.

Wolf said his dentist had glued the new bridge in on Thursday, but it began to slip before the 11 p.m. news Friday.

"I could feel it was loose, and while I was talking on the air I'm thinking to myself, 'Is it going to fall out?'" he said.

Just three days earlier, Wolf had an uncontrollable coughing fit while reading a story.

"Two of the worst things that could happen within days of each other," he said. "Boy, I've got to say it was quite a week! I hope that's it for a while."

LONDON — **Andrew Lloyd Webber** has canceled four preview performances of his latest musical, "Whistle Down the Wind," because of concerns about the safety of the stage set.

Andrew Lloyd Webber has canceled previews of his musical because of safety concerns.

"After an accident in rigging on the set last week, I was told that there was a one-in-a-million chance that it could be repeated," the composer said Monday. "These odds were not good enough for me. Therefore I decided that over the past weekend additional safety work should take place."

Details of the accident were not disclosed.

Previews were supposed to begin June 17. They will be postponed until June 22.

Opening night will still be July 1 at the Aldwych Theatre.

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla. — Although they're less spicy than before, they gave their fans what they really, really want.

The Spice Girls opened their 40-city North American tour Monday night without Ginger Spice — Geri Halliwell — who quit the group two weeks ago. There was still plenty of enthusiasm for the remaining four Spice Girls from the hundreds of pony-tailed, glittered pre-teen and teen-age girls who waited in nearly 100-degree heat.

"We love the Spice Girls and their music is so cool, and how they dress," said 15-year-old Kathy Garcia, wearing a halter top and black athletic pants to look like her favorite Spice, Sporty.

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(3) KMID	2	3	News 524	Wheel of Fortune	Spin City 4746	Dharma & Greg	Drew Carey Show	Ellen 2901 (TV14)	PrimeTime Live 4104		News 50494	Nightline 36814	Politically Incorrect	Access Hollywood
(5) KPEJ	24	5	The Simpsons	Home Improvement	Blink (R, '94) ** (Madeleine Stowe, Aidan Quinn) 78982				Star Trek: Voyager 71104 (TVPG)		Home Improvement	Mad About You	Vibe 99974	
(7) KOSA	7	7	News 1814	Grace Under Fire	The Nanny 7982	The Simple Life	Public Eye With Bryant Gumbel 84123		Chicago Hope: Waging Bull 51659 (TV14-S)		News 2712291	Late Show With David Letterman (10:35)		Married ... Children
(9) KWES	9	9	News 6388	Seinfeld 3140	3rd Rock From Sun	Working 6524	NBA Basketball: Chicago Bulls at Utah Jazz 895659					News 9724388	The Tonight Show With Jay Leno (11:05)	
(12) KMLM	42	12	Bless Your Heart	John Hagee 15938	The Light of the Southwest 68814				Tommie's Corner	Joyce Meyer 26765	Richard Roberts 56833		The Kendalls	Glenn Smith 38185
(13) KOCV	36	13	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer 120663		The World of National Geographic 891475		Alexander Calder: 'American Masters' Special		The Face of Russia (Part 1 of 3) 897659 (TVG)		Telecourse 152098			
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(8) CNBC		8	Business Center	Equal Time W/Bay	Hardball With Chris Matthews 4684123		Rivera Live 4660543		The News With Brian Williams 4680307		Charles Grodin 4683494		Rivera Live 6727017	
(10) WGN		10	Family Matters	Coach 943123	Smart Guy 285611	Smart Guy 949307	The Wayans Bros.	Steve Harvey Show	News 198746		Beverly Hills, 90210: Flying 191833 (TVPG)		In the Heat of the Night 790253 (TV14-V)	
(11) WTBS		11	Andy Griffith	Andy Griffith	Ghost (PG-13, '90) *** (Patrick Swayze, Demi Moore) 41278123							Malice (9:50) (R, '93) ** (Alec Baldwin, Nicole Kidman) 75142785		
(14) FAM		14	Lonesome Dove (S)		Rescue 911 415104		Diagnosis Murder		Hawaii Five-0 411388		The 700 Club 414475		Bonanza 576433 (TVG)	
(20) DISC		20	Gimme Shelter 698475 (TVG)		Wild Discovery 448307 (TVG)		Discover Magazine: Bones 424727		Shipwreck!: Fatal Collision 437291 (TVG)		Justice Files: On the Outside 447678		Wild Discovery 848543 (TVG)	
(21) AMC		21	Sergei Brigada (5:30)		The Benny Goodman Story (G, '55) ** 220123				WENN	Drums Along the Mohawk ('39) *** 835104				Movie
(22) TNN		22	The Waltons 922765		City of Hope Softball		Prime Time Country		Fan Fair Phenomenon		Dallas 731340		Dukes of Hazzard	
(23) TNT		23	Babylon 5 915475		Babylon 5 765307		Maximum Overdrive (R, '86) + 1686433				Cannonball Run II (10:05) (PG, '84) + 6982098			
(24) BRAV		24	Bravo Profiles 560949		Life is Sweet ('90) *** (Alison Steadman) 797543				Naked Hollywood		Silence of the North (PG, '81) ** 499899			
(26) BET		26	Planet Groove 739017				Hit List 730746		Comicview 710982		BET Tonight 720369		227	Mid: Love
(27) DISN		27	Movie Surfers	Pocahontas (G, '95) *** 3489745			Movie Surfers	Alice in Wonderland (8:25) (G, '51) 89975712	Mickey & Beanstalk		Walt Disney Presents 106765 (TVG)		Zorro 449982	Mickey Mouse Club
(28) CNN		28	Moneyline	Crossfire	The World Today		Larry King Live 974271		NewsStand: Fortune		Sports	Moneyline	Larry King Live 486727	
(29) ESPN		29	SportsCenter (5:30)	Baseball 133185						Baseball 882949				
(30) USA		30	Highlander (Part 2 of 2) 238017 (TVPG)		Walker, Texas Ranger 174479 (TVPG)		Terminator 2: Judgment Day (R, '91) *** (Arnold Schwarzenegger, Linda Hamilton) 982776						Silk Stalkings 404123 (TV14-S)	
(31) FX		31	Miami Vice 9806123		The X-Files 8817611		NYPD Blue 8833659		In Color	Bobcat's	The X-Files 8816982		NYPD Blue 4148901	
(32) A&E		32	Law & Order 683543 (TVPG)		Biography 433475 (TVPG)		The Unreal Story of Professional Wrestling 413611 (TVG)				Law & Order: Wannabe 432746 (TVPG)		Biography 833611 (TVPG)	
(33) TLC		33	Vila's Home Again	Vila's Home Again	Wonders/Weather	Without Warning	Mysteries of the Millennium 743185 (TVG)		Trauma Center 763949 (TVPG)		Wonders/Weather	Without Warning	Mysteries of the Millennium 150611 (TVG)	
(34) NICK		34	Doug 266630	Rugrats 257962	Hey Arnold!	Brady Bunch	Brady Bunch	The Wonder Years	Happy Days	Bewitched 691562	I Love Lucy	Mary Tyler Moore	Taxi 711765 (TVG)	Newhart 110272
(36) LIFE		36	Intimate Portrait: Celine Dion 876291 (TVG)		Unsolved Mysteries 428678 (TVPG)		Sin and Redemption (PG-13, '94) ** (Richard Grieco, Cynthia Gibb) 488914				New Attitudes	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Unsolved Mysteries
(39) OUTDR		39	Great Outdoorsman	Trailside	Adventure Quest 9234456		To the Edge	High Country Climb	Return to the Jade Sea 9223340		Adventure Quest 9233727		To the Edge	High Country Climb
(42) UNI		42	Sin Ti 27194 (TVPG)		Esmeralda 60036		Infierno Grande	Primer Impacto	Fuera de Serie	Lente Loco 99611	Impacto Extra	Noticiero Univision	Al Ritmo de la Noche 145746 (TV14)	
(43) FSN		43	Fox Sports News	In the Zone 77291	Sports Tonight		Baseball: Oakland A's at Texas Rangers 746291					Fox Sports News	Fox Sports News 57659	
(44) COM		44	The Daily Show	Ben Stein's Money	National Lampoon's Vacation (R, '83) *** (Chevy Chase, Beverly D'Angelo) 7287748				South Park	Dr. Katz: Therapist	The Daily Show	Ben Stein's Money	Saturday Night Live 7885630 (TVPG)	
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(46) HBO 2		45	Out of Bounds (R, '86) + (Jeremy Miller, Jason Priestley) 2116746			Doolittle: 1st Look	Hope and Glory (PG-13, '87) *** (Sebastian Rice-Edwards, Sarah Miles) 2400021				Lost Highway (R, '97) ** (Bill Pullman, Patricia Arquette) 11209999			
(46) HBO		46	Buddy (5:30) (PG, '97) ** 4013585		Don King: Only in America (R, '97) ** (Ving Rhames, Vondie Curtis-Hall) 2917727				Oz: A Game of Checkers 904949 (TVMA)		Sex and the City		Men in Black (PG-13, '97) *** (Tommy Lee Jones, Will Smith) 23499194	
(47) MAX		47	Wayne's World 2 (5:30) (PG-13, '93) 4019014		Adventures in Babysitting (PG-13, '87) ** (Elisabeth Shue, Anna Maria Horsford) 2750888				Alien (R, '79) *** (Tom Skerritt, Sigourney Weaver) 468643				Late Bloomers ('96) ** 9853494	
(48) SHOW		48	The Winter Men Two Feats (5:45) 2000078		Quest for Love (R, '88) ** (Gregory Hines, Vincent D'Onofrio) 2488868				Shipwreck!: Fatal Collision 437291 (TVG)			Dead Man's Gun	Ringer (11:15) (R, '98) 2000473	
(49) TMC		49	Honeymoon in Vegas (5:15) (PG-13, '92) *** (James Caan, Nicolas Cage) 2116272				Diamond Girl ('98) (Jody Collins, Jonathan Cohen) 8736906				The Glass Cage (R, '96) (Eric Roberts, Charlotte Lewis) 7777297		Hollywood Graves (11:05) (R, '98) 9998543	
(51) HBO 3		51	Ferris Bueller's Day Off (5:15) 2000199		Hard Above Water (PG-13, '96) ** (Harvey Keitel) 2990984				Chasers (R, '94) + (Tom Berenger, Erika Eleniak) 2000199				Addicted to Love (10:15) (R, '97) ** (Meg Ryan, Matthew Broderick) 2998417	
(52) MAX 2		52	Movie (5:15)		Stephen King's Thinner (R, '96) ** (Robert John Burke) 8799128				Breakaway (R, '96) + (Tori Thompson, Joe Estevez) 6833040				Losin' It (9:45) (R, '83) ** (Tom Cruise, Shelley Long) 61209999	Good Luck

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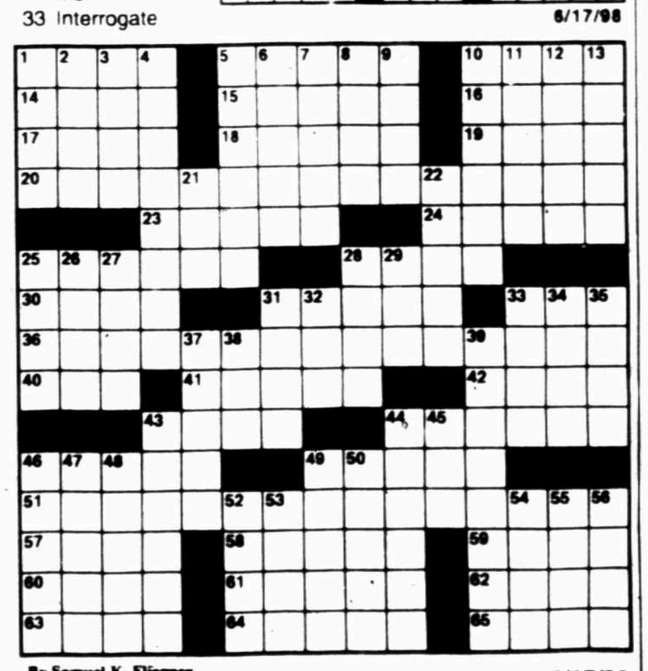

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GRILL: Steak Santa Fe marinade made with frozen margarita mix

(From 10C)

marinade — frozen margarita drink mix concentrate, cilantro and cumin.

One thing that never changes is that red meats and barbecue sauces are favorites of grill meisters.

For those watching fat content, all is not lost. Summer cooking — combined with grilling and the abundance of garden-fresh vegetables — makes healthy eating more possible. Grilling is more than hunks of red meat slathered in red sauces.

An award-winning low-fat grilled recipe is Grilled Garden Pizzas. They start with a nutty-tasting oatmeal pizza crust that's easy to make and virtually foolproof. Piled high with sweet bell peppers, onions, mushrooms, fresh basil, and reduced-fat Italian cheese blend, the two-step grilling process assures a crisp crust and perfectly cooked vegetables.

The recipe won a national award from Quaker Oats for taste, convenience and creativity.

GRILLED STEAK SANTA FE

1-1/4 pounds high-quality beef top round steak, cut 1-inch thick
1 large avocado, diced
1/2 cup chopped red onion
MARINADE:
6 tablespoons frozen margarita drink mix concentrate, defrosted
2 tablespoons chopped fresh cilantro
2 tablespoons vegetable oil
4 cloves garlic, minced
2 teaspoons ground cumin
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon pepper

In small bowl, combine marinade ingredients. Set aside two tablespoons of marinade; cover and refrigerate. Place beef steak and remaining marinade in food-safe plastic bag, turning to coat. Close bag securely and marinate in refrigerator six to eight hours or overnight, turning occasionally. Remove steak, keep warm.

Just before serving, in medium bowl, combine avocado, onion and reserved two tablespoons of marinade; toss gently to coat.

Carve steak crosswise into thin slices. Serve immediately with avocado mixture.

BARBECUE RIBS

1 aluminum foil grilling bag, large size
2-1/2 to 3 pounds pork spareribs, cut in half
Seasoned salt and pepper
1-1/2 cups barbecue sauce
1 tablespoon flour

Preheat grill to medium or oven to 450 degrees. Open foil bag. Sprinkle spareribs with seasoned salt and pepper, turning to coat evenly. Arrange spareribs in foil bag in even layer. Combine barbecue sauce and flour; spread evenly over spareribs in bag.

Double fold open end of foil bag. Place foil bag in 1-inch deep pan. To cook, slide foil bag onto grill or leave foil bag in supporting pan and place in oven. Grill one hour on medium in covered grill or bake one hour and 15 minutes in oven.

Use oven mitts to cut open foil bag with a sharp knife. Carefully fold back top of foil bag, allowing steam to escape. Continue grilling or baking 15 minutes to brown spareribs.

Makes six servings.

Recipe from the Reynolds Kitchens.

GRILLED GARDEN PIZZAS

(Makes four individual pizzas)
3/4 cup plus two tablespoons warm water (80-90 degrees)
One (1/4-ounce) package (about 2-1/4 teaspoons) quick rising yeast
1 tablespoon olive oil
2 teaspoons sugar
1-1/2 cups all-purpose flour
1 cup quick-cooking oats, uncooked
1/4 teaspoon salt
TOPPING:
2 cups (8 ounces) shredded reduced-fat Italian cheese blend, divided
1/2 cup thinly sliced bell peppers
1/4 cup fresh basil or 4 teaspoons dried basil leaves
2 cloves garlic, minced
4 plum tomatoes, thinly sliced (about 2 cups)

In small bowl, combine water, yeast, oil and sugar; let stand 10 minutes or until foamy.

In large bowl, combine flour, oats and salt. Add yeast mixture and blend on low speed of electric mixer until moistened. Beat two minutes at medium speed. (Do not use a hand-held mixer.) Turn dough out onto lightly floured surface. Knead one minute. Shape dough into ball; place into greased bowl, turning once. Cover; let rise in warm place 20 minutes or until nearly doubled in size.

Punch dough down; divide into four portions. Press each portion of dough into a seven-inch circle. Grill over medium-hot coals two to four minutes or until bottom is golden brown. Remove from grill. On browned side of each pizza, sprinkle 1/2 cup of cheese. Top pizzas with bell pepper, onion, basil, garlic and tomatoes, dividing evenly. Return to grill.

Cover; grill four to six minutes or until bottoms of crusts are golden brown and cheese begins to melt. Sprinkle with remaining 2/3 cup cheese. Remove from grill once cheese has melted.

Nutrition information: 1 pizza (1/4 of recipe) Calories 460, Calories from fat 110, Total fat 12g, Saturated Fat 5g, Cholesterol 15 mg, Sodium 440 mg, Total Carbohydrates 61g, Dietary Fiber 5g, Protein 27g.

Recipe from Quaker Oats.

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DEAR ABBY

Computer greeting cards leave mom feeling cold

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I'm 51 years old, married, and have a grown son who's 30. I'll call him Butch. I'm writing to express my displeasure with computer greeting cards. I'm not knocking all computers, only the ones that print out greeting cards. If Butch doesn't care enough about me to go to a store and pick out a card — even if it costs only a dollar — for my birthday, etc., then he can just keep his computer cards.

Van Buren

Abby, please spread the word that it's the warm thoughts in picking out a card that really count. A card printed by a computer is cold, with no heart, no feelings. It's not what a mother deserves. — HURT MOMMA IN GREENWOOD, MISS.

DEAR HURT: Please reconsider your stance on this. Many mothers never receive any cards from their children. Bear in mind that many of the software programs for creating greeting cards on computers are complicated. Even the simple ones take some time and practice to master. Rather than drive to a store, your son sat down at his computer and created a one-of-a-kind card for you. In my opinion, that's at least as much effort as going to a store and selecting one, and shows heart and feeling.

Remember when, as a child, Butch came running home from school with a picture he drew especially for you? That came from the heart, and this is no different.

DEAR ABBY: This letter is far too late for Mother's Day, but it still may do some good.

My family attends a small church in the southern United States. Mother's Day is one service I refuse to attend any more. The atmosphere for this service is funereal. The service starts out with songs like "If I Could Only Hear My Mother Pray Again" and "Mother's Marker." From there, they call mothers who are the "youngest," "oldest" and "has most children" to the front for a gift.

I lost my mom to cancer in 1991, and Mother's Day is the saddest day of the year for me. Even before my mom died, I would go to church and cry along with others who were hurting.

Parents should be honored every day, not just one day. Please, let us all be more considerate to those who no longer have a mom. — STILL HURTING IN LUTTRELL, TENN.

DEAR STILL HURTING: Amen! And let us not forget the moms who have lost children to death. Be assured that they will never forget.

DEAR ABBY: So many people rely on what you write that I am writing to you to ask you to please print a correction in your inclusion of Georgia in the list of states allowing common-law marriage.

Common-law marriages created prior to Jan. 1, 1997, may be upheld, but those after that date will not. We do not want anyone to begin living with another under the assumption that their union will become legal. — KIPLING LOUISE MC VAY, JUDGE, CHEROKEE COUNTY PROBATE COURT, CANTON, GA.

DEAR JUDGE MC VAY: I was unaware that Georgia changed its requirements for common-law marriage last year — as were my library researchers. Thank you for pointing this out.

DEAR ABBY: I'm a 35-year-old divorced male who has read your column since I was a kid. After reading your response to "Turkeyless in Arkansas," I felt compelled to write.

I believe two "turkeys" have already been bagged. Gwen, for dating someone who apparently has zero comprehension of who she is, and "Turkeyless" for insisting his girlfriend like all the same activities he does.

Mutual interests are important in a relationship, but I'll take mutual respect and open, honest communication first and every time.

I have several friends who are avid hunters, married to women who despise the idea. But they have strong relationships based on love for who each other is — not what activities they each participate in.

If "Turkeyless" really wants to bag a record-size bird — tell him to shoot a mirror. — MICHAEL CURRY, DALLAS

DEAR MICHAEL: You are obviously a man with solid values and an excellent sense of humor. (And eligible, too!) I have a hunch that when this letter is printed, it'll be open season in Dallas.

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Do you really need to take vitamins?

Larry Satterfield at Natural Foods Market checks part of his huge supply of dietary supplements.

In these days of canned and frozen food, where even "fresh" foods may be picked long before they are ripe, then shipped hundreds of miles, can we really be sure our diet alone can provide the vitamins and minerals our bodies need to function at top efficiency? Dr. Myles Bader, in his book "To Supplement or Not to Supplement"* (available at Natural Foods Market), raises some important questions about the nutrient content of our food.

"Every week on television there seems to be another show telling of another problem with our food supply," declares Dr. Bader. "We are not inspecting our foods properly due to the lack of inspectors. Our fruits and vegetables are grown in soils that are nutrient-deficient due to the depletion of trace minerals from over-production." He goes on to say that lengthy storage and over processing robs many foods of their nutrients, while additives such as preservatives, colorings, flavorings, stabilizers, thickeners, and taste enhancers may not be healthy.

Exposure to heat in processes such as frying or canning involve high temperatures which destroy vitamin and mineral potency. Even dairy products are exposed to heat during pasteurization (which does also kill harmful bacteria). Dr. Bader adds that homogenization may contribute to problems in the coronary arteries.

The refining process, such as in breads, removes many vitamins and minerals. Very few are replaced in the "enrichment" process. "These breads could more accurately be labeled as 'depleted' rather than enriched," declares Natural Foods Market owner Larry Satterfield.

Long storage times can reduce vitamin potency. Dr. Bader quotes a study which showed some supermarket oranges which had lost all of their vitamin C due to excess storage time.

Some foods don't start out with many nutrients. Many farmers only replace soil minerals that are necessary to growth, such as phosphorus, potassium and the nitrates, warns Dr. Bader. While many processors add nutrients back in (most notably, the vitamin D added to milk) he indicates this may not be a good substitute for the real thing.

Now, before you rush out and buy any old dietary supplement, listen to what the Doctor says about synthetic versus natural supplements.

Synthetics are laboratory-created copies of the molecular structure of a vitamin. "It contains no enzymes, co-enzymes, minerals, mineral activators or other related elements that work synergistically with that vitamin," says Dr. Bader. He adds that natural vitamins work better than synthetics and are less likely to cause an allergic reaction.

For more information on supplements, talk to Larry Satterfield at Natural Foods Market. He carries a wide selection of natural dietary supplements, and can help point you in the right direction. 3211 W. Wadley in the Imperial Shopping Center. Open 10am-6pm Monday through Saturday, 699-4048.

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AROUND TOWN

Permian Basin chapter of National Society of Fund Raising Executives will meet for luncheon and program 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. June 24 at Confederate Air Force Museum, 9800 Wright Drive at Midland International Airport.

Cindi Wiehle, community volunteer and fund raiser, will present a program on "The ABCs of Special Events." Ms. Wiehle serves on several nonprofit boards of directors and has been involved in many special events, including Junior Achievement, Girl Scouts and Junior League of Odessa.

Cost will be $8 for members, $15 for non-members. Registration is required. Call 685-4572 by noon June 22...

...UNITED OSTOMY Association, Midland-Odessa chapter #590, will meet for "Fun Day" 2:30 p.m. June 21 at Memorial Hospital and Medical Center's auditorium...

...SUMMER SUNDAY Lawn Concerts, presented on the grounds of Museum of the Southwest, will feature Victor Ochoa and *Expresiones* playing salsa music beginning 7:45 p.m. June 21. Persons attending are invited to bring lawn chairs. The museum is located at 1705 W. Missouri St. in Midland. The series of summer concerts is sponsored in part by the Kent Companies and the *Reporter-Telegram*...

...PERMIAN BASIN Petroleum Museum and Mobil Foundation Inc. will sponsor "Explore Energy Earth" 6:30-8:30 p.m. June 23 at the museum, as first in a seris of Mobil Family Nights.

Admission will be free. More than 20 experimenting and discovery stations and videos will be available. Refreshments will be served. For more information call 683-4403...

...COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS, a support group for parents who have lost children of any age, will meet 7 p.m. July 6 at Hospice of Midland, 911 W. Texas. For more information call 682-2975...

...SUMMER IN the City will feature "Kids Night" with the Oops Alley Clowns, the third annual Midland's Largest Ice Cream Sundae, TU Electric Magician Bo Girard and an inline skating demonstration 7:30-9 p.m. June 25 at Centennial Plaza in downtown Midland...

...MIDLAND COUNTY Public Library's Brown Bag Luncheon Series will present a program on the "50th Anniversary of the Summer Mummers" at 11:30 a.m. June 23 in the meeting room of the downtown library. Co-sponsor is the *Reporter-Telegram*...

...VAN, Serving the Visually Impaired, will meet 10:30 a.m. June 24 at the VAN House, 2908 W. Ohio, for a craft day. Doris Kinser will be instructor. Lunch will follow. For more information call 694-2648...

...MANOR PARK'S fourth annual golf tournament is scheduled for July 10 at Hogan Park Golf Course. Shotgun start will be 8 a.m. with format a four-person scramble.

Entry fee of $50 per person includes golf cart, green fee, lunch, rules and small bucket of balls. All interested golfers are invited to participate. Entry deadline is July 3.

Prizes will be awarded for first and second place, and closest to the pin. Proceeds will benefit Manor Park's Endowment Fund. For more information call 689-9898...

...BIG BROTHERS/Big Sisters of Midland will host its fourth annual Daylight and Dark Golf Tournament June 29 at The Club at Mission Dorado. The tournament is a fund-raiser for Big Brothers/Big Sisters.

The event, a traditional 18-hole, four-person handicapped scramble, will begin with a shot-gun start at 3 p.m. Dinner for golfers and their guests (compliments of Outback Steakhouse) will be served at 8 p.m., with the awards presentation scheduled for 9 p.m. The nighttime three-hold mini-tournament will begin at 10 p.m. Team sign-in will be 1-2:45 p.m., with putting and chipping contests offered 1:30-2:30 p.m.

Registration deadline is June 22. Cost to play is $100 per person; interested teams may pre-register at a cost of $15 per player for a three-hole night mini-tournament. Sponsorship opportunities also are available. For more information call 687-0195...

Scotland fine setting for 'bravehearts' to sample scotch

By Michael Lonsford
Hearst News Service

The North Sea roared and spit its cold, gray fury as I stood at water's edge. The wind rocked me back on my heels, stinging my face. My teeth chattered like shuffled dominoes despite the overcoat, wool suit and cashmere sweater.

But I didn't care; I was happy as a clam (albeit a stone-cold one).

I was standing on the beach, if you can call it that, in the Orkney Islands, north of Scotland. It was November, and mister, it was raw. In a moment I would join my group for a "ceiligh," a "musical evening," in the salon of the hotel in the seaport town of Kirkwall. A small group of U.S. visitors was being entertained by the Orkney Strathspey and Reel Society. This was a local group, and the toe-tapping music was the real MacCoy.

To my dying day I'll never forget that night: icy winds outside, warm camaraderie inside.

Did I mention we were drinking some of the finest whisky in the world?

SINGLE-MALT SCOTCH

Single-malt scotch, of course. Several brands were on the sideboard, and they were free-flowing. I sampled the ones from Orkney first, and the Highland Park, especially, was memorable. But my favorite scotches continue to be from the western Scottish islands, specifically those from Islay.

Nothing wrong with blended scotches, mind you, but the single malts offer more complexity if less finesse. When you talk single-malt scotches, you talk about their regions.

Single-malt scotches come in varying styles, usually dictated by their geography. In my tasting experience, going from Islay in the west to the Highlands in the east, single-malt whiskies get smoother, lighter, less peaty — more ... civilized.

ISLAY MALTS

Maybe that's why I like the Islay (EYE-lah) malts so. At their best, they're untamed, unforgiving, unrepentant — and magnificent. It's true that some of the Islays have been compromised to tame that wild, peaty, smoky iodine streak, but others play that pungency to the kilt — er, hilt. If Mel Gibson had tippled a wee dram in "Braveheart" before he went off to fight the British, you know it would've been an Islay malt ...

It's been awhile since I stood on that wind-scored shore and had what was left of my hair blown south to the Azores. But one day — soon — I'm going back to Scotland.

And I'll head west next time, west to Islay and maybe the isle of Jura, and visit my favorite distilleries, such as Lagavulin and Laphroaig.

And I'll be stopping at Bowmore, too, which has just released a couple of new single malts, one of which is sensational. It's a "Cask Strength" Islay malt — 112 proof, can you believe? — that has power and complexity and enough iodine, heather, seaweed and peat in a single sip to carve its initials on your taste buds for-life.

There's no age for the Bowmore "Cask Strength" Single Malt listed on the label, but it's roughly 15 years old. And the whisky was aged in bourbon hogsheads, so there's no sherry-cask nuances to butt in on the cornucopia of flavors already there.

This is a serious whisky. And at a suggested price of $50 or so, it's expensive.

CASK STRENGTH

But Father's Day is coming up, and since this Bowmore "Cask Strength" Single Malt is obviously a special-occasion potable — well, the connection seems obvious.

There are other Bowmore scotches already in the market, however, including the Bowmore "Legend" (eight years old), plus Bowmore 12-, 17-and 21-Year-Old. And there is a "Cask Strength" Bowmore bottled by Cadenhead available, too, but it's pushing the $100-a-bottle mark.

So: If you happen to be in western Scotland ere long, and you see a solitary fellow walking along the beach, stop and ask him what's in that sterling flask in his hip pocket. If it's Bowmore "Cask Strength" Single Malt, well, I'll be happy to share.

And that's the truth — straight, no chaser ...

Speaking of Father's Day, here are a few more ideas for Dad on his special day. There are several companies that specialize in wine-related paraphernalia; Riedel makes wine glasses for every conceivable kind of wine, and they come in three price categories, ranging from $8 or so a stem to $70 a stem.

If Dad is serious about his wine but has no practical place to store it, consider a self-contained cooling unit such as EuroCave. These start in the three-figure range and go up quickly, but they do store your wine in a cooled, humidity-controlled unit, away from light and vibration.

If Dad likes an occasional postprandial brandy, a crystal decanter looks great and will keep his best cognac or armagnac available at arm's length.

Toss out that cheesy corkscrew and buy Dad a Screwpull, probably the best cork-puller ever. The basic models (which work just fine, thank you), start around $15, although there's a super-deluxe model for about $130.

Just starting out learning about wine? One of the best primers is "The Windows on the World Complete Wine Course" (Sterling, $24.99). It's that publishing rarity: informative AND fun.

Other gift ideas: wine racks, wine-logo aprons for the dad who likes to barbecue, small wine-cork bulletin boards and trivets and wine coasters.

To get a Wine Enthusiast catalog, call 800-356-8466 or write to Box 39, Pleasantville, N.Y. 10570; the Web site is www.wineenthusiast.com.

But hey, make it easy on yourself: Just get Dad a bottle of his favorite wine or maybe even two or three. It's his day, and the old boy's worth it.

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'Nuevo Tex-Mex' describes haute cuisine of Southwest

By Beverly Bundy
N.Y. Times News Service

Tex-Mex, contrary to what legions of UT coeds may think, is not Ro-Tel and Velveeta melted in a popcorn popper.

Tex-Mex, once a collection of cumin-laced brown food, has morphed into haute cuisine of the first order. As grocery accessibility to ingredients such as tomatillos, cilantro and chiles has ballooned, so has the creativity of the state's chefs in serving up more than your mother's enchiladas.

"Nuevo Tex-Mex" by David Garrido and Robb Walsh (Chronicle, $19.95) takes Texas stalwarts like fajitas and margaritas and injects them with snap via new ingredients.

The fajitas wrap swordfish, the margaritas ice up mango as well as Key lime.

The two Austin writers haven't forgotten their roots; they've simply added a few skyward branches. You know Tex-Mex hasn't lost its way when the authors include a recipe for eggs in hell, sunny-side-ups poached in a jalapeno/picante tomato puree.

SHRIMP COCKTAIL HUATULCO
(Serves 4)

16 large shrimp, peeled and deveined with tail fin segment intact
Salt and freshly ground black pepper
6 small tomatillos, husked and finely diced
1/4 onion, minced
1 ancho chile, stemmed, seeded and cut into fine threads
2 tablespoons fresh lime juice
1 cup pureed mango or mango nectar
1/4 cup finely chopped fresh cilantro
1 cup diced tomato

Heat the grill. Season shrimp with salt and pepper. Quickly grill shrimp over fairly hot fire, turning once, for about 2 minutes on each side, or until just done.

Transfer to a dish, let cool, cover and refrigerate until ready to eat.

In bowl, combine tomatillos, onion, ancho chile, lime juice, mango puree or nectar, cilantro and tomato. Toss well and season to taste with salt. Let stand for 2 hours in refrigerator.

Divide mango mixture among 4 small martini glasses.

Partially submerge 4 shrimp, heads first, in each glass with the tails over the rim.

Serve at once.

Nutritional analysis per serving: 225 calories, 3 grams fat, 25 grams carbohydrates, 25 grams protein, 172 milligrams cholesterol, 176 milligrams sodium, 14 percent of calories from fat.

CRISPY PORK GUACAMOLE AND CHILE-PECAN TACOS
(Yields 8)

1/4 cup olive oil
1-1/2 pounds boneless pork loin, see Note
Salt
1 tablespoon butter
1 cup chopped pecans
1/4 cup finely chopped ancho chile
2 cups nuevo guacamole, recipe follows
8 flour tortillas, warmed

Note: Leftover pork roast can also be used in this recipe, just call it twice-cooked pork.

In medium skillet, heat oil over high heat. Meanwhile, season pork with salt. When oil is hot, add pork in batches and sear on both sides for 5-7 minutes, or until very crisp. Transfer pork to cutting board, cut into narrow strips and keep warm.

In small skillet, melt butter over low heat. Add pecans and ancho chile and cook for 3-5 minutes, or until butter starts turning reddish brown. Season with salt. Transfer to serving dish.

Spoon 1/4 cup guacamole onto each tortilla, divide pork among tortillas and top each with some of the chili pecans. Fold into taco and serve.

NUEVO GUACAMOLE:

2 teaspoons unsalted butter
2 teaspoons vegetable oil
3 serrano chiles, stemmed and cut in half lengthwise
1 onion, diced
1-1/2 tablespoons fresh lemon juice
Salt
3 ripe avocados, pitted and peeled
1/2 cup chopped fresh cilantro, optional

In medium skillet, melt butter with vegetable oil over high heat. Add serrano chiles and onion, and saute for 3-5 minutes, or until lightly browned. Add lemon juice, season to taste with salt and remove from heat.

Carefully transfer chiles to a cutting board and chop finely. (Rubber gloves are a good idea.) Transfer serrano mixture to a mixing bowl. Add avocados and mash until well-mixed. Season to taste with salt. Top with cilantro if desired. Serve immediately as a salad, a dip for tortilla chips or a garnish.

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CONSUMING INTERESTS

Linda Anderson

Ultra fruity frozen bar underwhelms

By Linda Anderson

Quick quiz: In hot weather, what are your favorite ways to cool off? You probably included something like lemonade or frozen ices in your answer, didn't you.

Dreyer's thinks you did anyway. That's why the company has introduced a line of Fruit Bars ("Naturally Fat Free," the box says). The idea is to have something like a cold fruit drink on a stick.

Doesn't that sound cool and refreshing? Did to me, which is why, on one of these recent 100-plus degree days, I bought a box of Dreyer's Fruit Bars (in lime flavor — the product also is available in strawberry and raspberry-kiwi, both of which sound yummy but neither of which did I see on the supermarket's frozen foods shelves that day).

An 18-ounce box containing six individual-serving fruit bars cost $3.39, which, let's face it, isn't cheap. Especially when you consider a whole half-gallon of ice cream in various flavors costs about the same — and that's expensive enough — and has more servings that six. (Well, it's supposed to have more servings than six anyway. In my house, a half-gallon of ice cream has about three servings and lasts maybe 24 hours.)

Label advertising claims the bars, which were "Rated Best Tasting Lime Fruit Bar," are part of a line that couldn't be better. "What could be better? If you like fruit, you'll love Dreyer's Fruit Bars. The combination of real fruits and juices makes the taste unbeatable! In fact, Dreyer's Strawberry and Lime Fruit Bars are rated 'best tasting'! Lots of refreshing fruit flavors and chunks of fruit, like juicy strawberries, are packed into our fruit bars. Our Strawberry, Lime and Raspberry-Kiwi fruit bars are wonderfully delicious and naturally fat free. So, go ahead, indulge. With Dreyer's Fruit Bars, you don't need an excuse to eat one everyday!" (The label also lists the company's website — www.dreyers.com — and makes sure we know the "best tasting" rating was done through a poll of "fruit bar consumers.")

Sure enough, nutrition information lists one bar as containing 80 calories with none of them from fat. That's about as low fat as any food can be.

The taste test was very, shall we say, interesting. My kids are always ready to sample frozen desserts. And they came to the same conclusion — the Dreyer's Fruit Bars in lime were "too much." They were too green (I thought), too sweet, too large — just too much. One tester took a couple of bites, said, "they're OK," and put the rest of his fruit bar back in the freezer (where it still is). One said the fruit bars were OK, but needed to be smaller. They tasted to me like very sweet, very frozen, *very* green limeade on a stick.

The six bars in the box I bought *are* disappearing out of my freezer. But very slowly. I don't think the testers are impressed all that much.

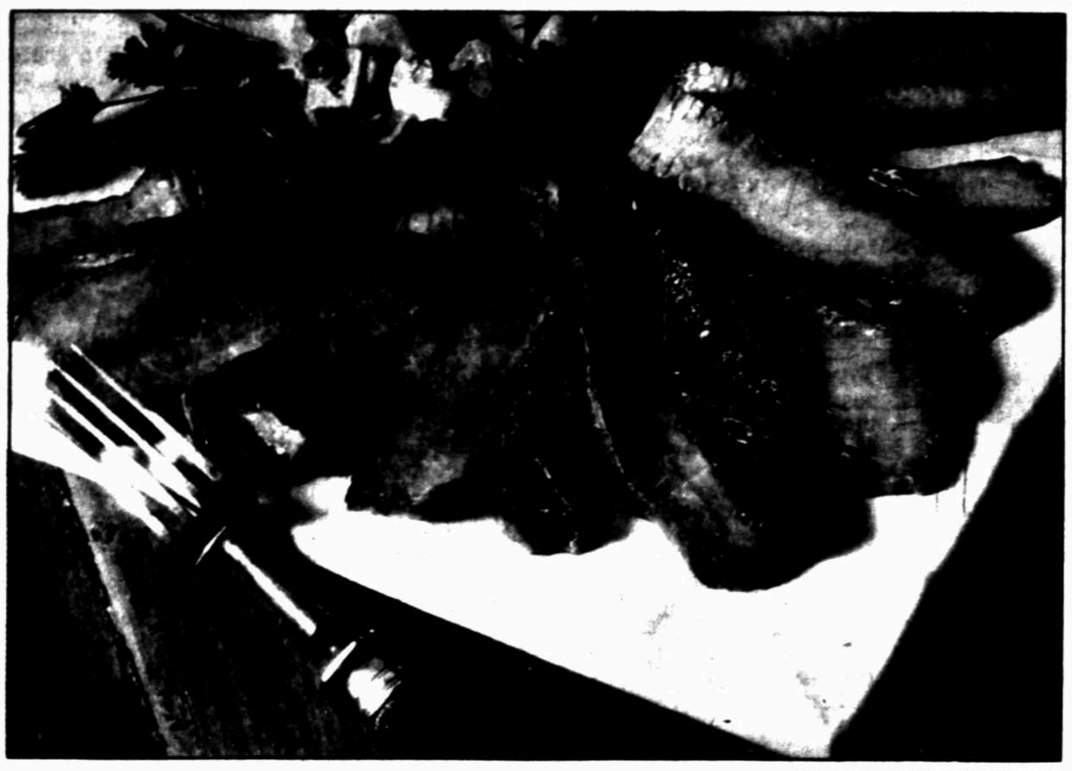
Price listed is from a local supermarket. Prices at other locations may vary.

Linda Anderson is a Reporter-Telegram *staff writer.*

Cherries for Dad

Staff Reports

HIGH ROLLS — Cherry lovers are invited to celebrate Father's Day weekend (June 20-21 in High Rolls, the Sacramento Mountain community eight miles west of Cloudcroft in New Mexico. High Rolls will conduct its annual cherry festival with public cherry picking, music, food, and arts and crafts in the town's community center, one mile off of U.S. 82 in High Rolls. For more information call (505) 682-3286.



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Calling all Grill Meisters

Crazy for Tex-Mex? Grilled Steak Santa Fe, far left, starts with lean beef and is marinated in margarita mix from frozen concentrate. Tools of the trade, left, make great gifts for Father's Day, especially for moms who want dads to cook more often. The latest item out on the market is the extra-strength aluminum foil grilling bag, below. This one holds barbecued ribs (recipe in story).

Photo courtesy of Reynolds Kitchens

By Myra Lee Salcedo
Lifestyle Editor

Father's Day is Sunday, June 21, and you know what that means — gifts of barbecue aprons, oven mitts and grilling supplies. Those are the best gifts from anyone who wants more grilled food, and a real hint that the barbecue king should cook them. With new convenience items out on the market, however, there is no need for a lot of trappings to get the job done.

Some chicken producers are offering marinated chicken parts (with or without the bones) in several flavors including barbecue and teriyaki. New aluminum foil grilling bags are making clean-up easier. For those ready to try the bags, a simple recipe for barbecue ribs follows. Tex-Mex lovers won't want to miss the Grilled Steak Santa Fe recipe that stars beef top round soaked in a unique

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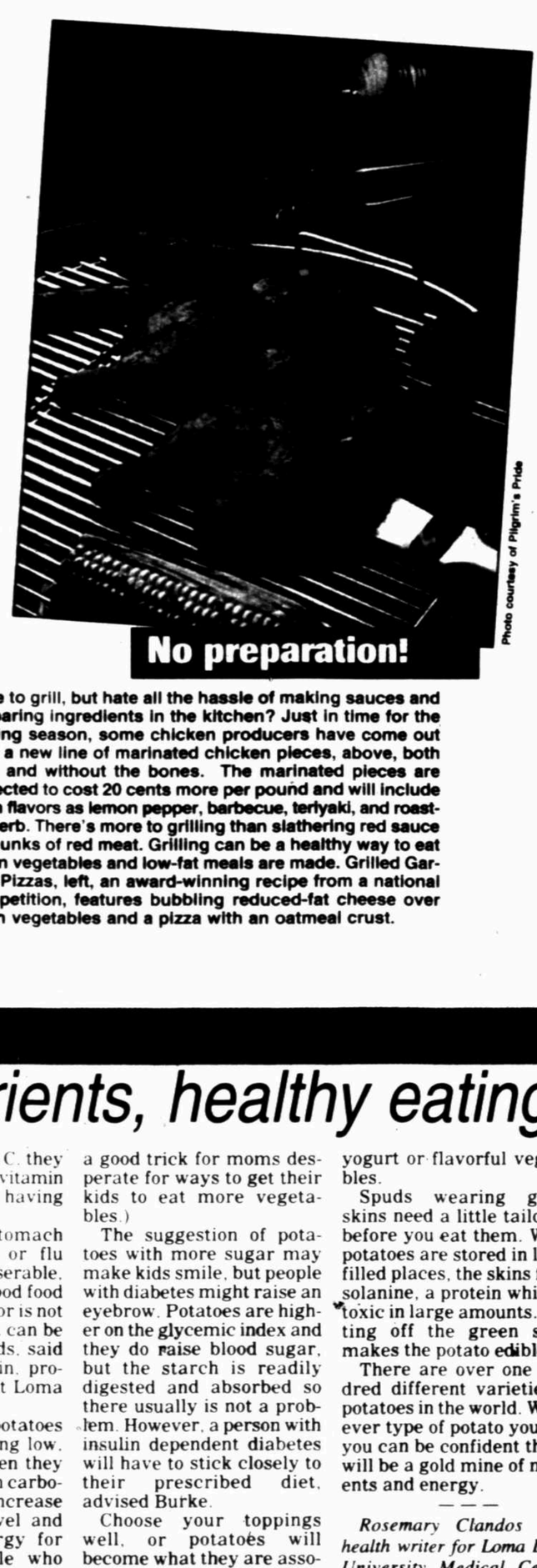

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Love to grill, but hate all the hassle of making sauces and preparing ingredients in the kitchen? Just in time for the grilling season, some chicken producers have come out with a new line of marinated chicken pieces, above, both with and without the bones. The marinated pieces are expected to cost 20 cents more per pound and will include such flavors as lemon pepper, barbecue, teriyaki, and roasted herb. There's more to grilling than slathering red sauce on hunks of red meat. Grilling can be a healthy way to eat when vegetables and low-fat meals are made. Grilled Garden Pizzas, left, an award-winning recipe from a national competition, features bubbling reduced-fat cheese over fresh vegetables and a pizza with an oatmeal crust.

GOOD FOOD, GOOD HEALTH

Potatoes little prize packets of nutrients, healthy eating

By Rosemary Clandos

Like precious diamonds concealed in plain-looking rocks, potatoes are rich mines of nutrients. In the past, potatoes were considered food for the poor, but today they are known as valuable sources of life-saving nutrients.

"Potatoes are one of two foods that have the best well-rounded nutrition; the other is breadfruit," said Dr. Kenneth Burke, professor of nutrition at Loma Linda University. "With the exception of vitamin B-12, potatoes have almost all the nutrients that you need. If a person had to subsist on just one food, potatoes would be a good candidate."

But where is the protein? "Potatoes contain five grams of protein, an ample amount of good quality protein," said Burke who

Rosemary Clandos

believes that protein intake among American is generally too high. In fact, ten percent of the calories in potatoes comes from protein. If someone is weaning themselves from hamburgers, potatoes could be a good substitute.

Researchers say that red potatoes and Yukon gold potatoes have a little more protein than that found in Idaho potatoes, 1.5 percent. And the European Bintje potato comes in with the highest protein content of three percent.

People with high blood pressure can benefit from the high potassium content in potatoes. 800 milligrams in one baked potato, said Burke. Potassium-rich food decreases the negative effect of high-salt consumption. As it lowers blood pressure, it reduces risk of heart disease and stroke, experts report.

Potatoes contain a good amount of copper, magnesium, phosphorous, iron, fiber, vitamin B-6, and vitamin C. "Before potatoes were introduced in Ireland, many people suffered from scurvy," said Burke. "Although potatoes are not loaded with vitamin C, they supply enough of the vitamin to keep people from having scurvy.

If an upset stomach caused by a cold or flu makes mealtime miserable, a potato may be a good food choice. Its mild flavor is not overpowering and it can be used with other foods, said Dr. Georgia Hodgkin, professor of nutrition at Loma Linda University.

Some people eat potatoes when they are feeling low, others eat them when they want a boost. High in carbohydrates, potatoes increase the blood sugar level and provide more energy for athletes and people who work out. Storing them in the refrigerator breaks down starch, converts it to sugar and further elevates the blood sugar level, said Hodgkin. (Since potatoes taste sweeter, this might be a good trick for moms desperate for ways to get their kids to eat more vegetables.)

The suggestion of potatoes with more sugar may make kids smile, but people with diabetes might raise an eyebrow. Potatoes are higher on the glycemic index and they do raise blood sugar, but the starch is readily digested and absorbed so there usually is not a problem. However, a person with insulin dependent diabetes will have to stick closely to their prescribed diet, advised Burke.

Choose your toppings well, or potatoes will become what they are associated with: high-fat. High-fat toppings may be delicious but they skyrocket the calorie content of potatoes. This diet-right vegetable is best crowned with low-fat dressings; salsa, seasoned yogurt or flavorful vegetables.

Spuds wearing green skins need a little tailoring before you eat them. When potatoes are stored in light-filled places, the skins form solanine, a protein which is toxic in large amounts. Cutting off the green skins makes the potato edible.

There are over one hundred different varieties of potatoes in the world. Whatever type of potato you eat, you can be confident that it will be a gold mine of nutrients and energy.

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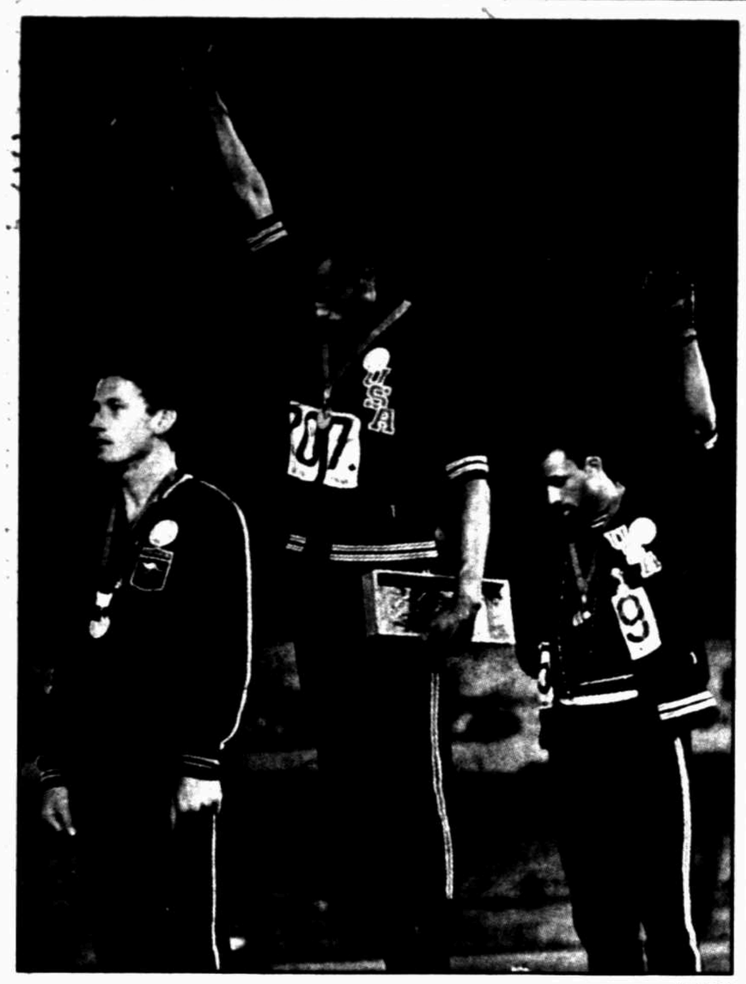

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Extending gloved hands skyward in racial protest, U.S. athletes Tommie Smith, center, and John Carlos, right, stare downward during the playing of the "Star Spangled Banner" after Smith received the gold and Carlos the bronze for the 200 meter run at the Olympics in Mexico City.

Controversy, talent trademarks of 1968 Olympic track team

By Bert Rosenthal
AP Track Writer

NEW ORLEANS — The 1968 U.S. men's Olympic track and field team had a certain magic. It was also immensely talented and controversial.

"It was a very special team," long jumper Bob Beamon said. "This team was so great. We could do so many things. Anyone running the mile on down could run the 100 meters and win."

That year, the United States was rocked by the assassinations of Martin Luther King Jr. and Robert Kennedy, civil rights demonstrations and anti-war protests.

Into the mix came the Olympics in Mexico City. Black Americans and Africans threatened to boycott the games, and shortly before the opening ceremony, 30 students were killed during a student rally in the host city.

But the games began on schedule, and the United States brought its greatest track and field team ever.

On Thursday night, 23 medalists from the team will attend USA Track and Field's 30th Anniversary of America's Champions, sponsored by Xerox, in New Orleans, site of this weekend's national championships.

There, they will be able to relive their memories — good or bad.

The men would win 12 of 24 gold medals in Mexico City and the overall team would set eight world records, including Beamon's remarkable 29-foot-2 1/2-inch long jump, Lee Evans' 43.86-second clocking in the 400 meters, Jim Hines' 9.95 in the men's 100 and Wyomia Tyus' 11.08 in the women's 100.

Winning performances also included Dick Fosbury in the men's high jump with his unique "Fosbury Flop," a style that revolutionized the event, and Al Oerter, the men's discus gold medalist for the fourth consecutive time.

This was a close-knit group, having trained for two months in Spartan conditions in South Lake Tahoe, Calif. And it was caught in the social upheaval of the day.

Most prominent was the black-gloved demonstration on the medals podium by Tommie Smith and John Carlos, the first and third finishers in the 200 meters.

Their gesture was interpreted as too political, and Smith and Carlos were expelled from the Olympic Village by the U.S. Olympic Committee, following pressure from the International Olympic Committee.

"It was so unfortunate that we took a nonviolent activity that devastated two fine athletes," Beamon said.

"The same thing could happen today and it could have a different meaning. It's unfortunate how it was interpreted. It was not planned."

Vince Matthews, a member of the 1,600-meter relay team that set a world record of 2:56.16 and who won the Olympic 400 gold medal in 1972, differs with Beamon.

Matthews knew it was going to happen. The men's team had met about possible protests and it was left to each person to determine what he would do if on the medals stand.

"Tommie and John were very strong about their feelings," Matthews said.

Smith said the raised fists were not a a "malignant gesture."

"It was meant to get a respectful response," he said.

Instead, the gesture backfired. Smith and Carlos were denounced as "ugly Americans," and their lives were tainted for years.

The demonstration was first proposed before the games by Harry Edwards, a sociologist and sports activist at San Jose State, where Smith, Evans and sprinter Ronnie Ray Smith were students.

"We hoped the boycott would not occur because we needed to send our best athletes to the games," Fosbury said. "Even Jesse Owens encouraged them not to boycott. When Smith and Carlos did their demonstration, all hell broke loose. After that, we were inundated by journalists and photographers ... and there was much debate over the severity of the penalty."

Stan Wright, a men's assistant coach, contends the athletes were manipulated by Edwards.

Wright did not speak up for 30 years because he did not want to bring "undue pain and suffering to my wife, Hazel, and to my marriage." With his wife's death last October, Wright says he now feels free to speak.

He called Edwards' proposed boycott a "hoax" and "fraud," and said it was forced upon the team. He said the "fear and hostility that the athletes and I had to operate under through the Los Angeles trials was unbearable."

Wright added that Evans, whom he had coached in 1966, wrote to him before the trials, asking him not to go to Los Angeles because "my name had been put on a hit list to be shot there."

He also contends that neither Smith nor Carlos received a hearing before being sent home from Mexico City, and "even several athletes who did not carry out protests of any kind have been unfairly treated" over the years.

Smith and Carlos were both invited to the reunion and Smith is expected to attend.

Former UT football coach dies

Associated Press

AUSTIN — Mike Campbell, an assistant coach for Darrell Royal at the University of Texas, died early Tuesday from complications of lymphoma. He was 76.

A native of Knox County, Tenn., Campbell spent half his life with the UT athletics department. As an assistant to Royal, he spent 20 years as the chief architect of one of the hallmark defenses in college football.

Campbell tutored seven all-Americans and 43 all-Southwest Conference players.

After growing up in Memphis, Tenn., Campbell served as a B-24 pilot during World War II, flying 50 bombing missions. After the war, he returned to the University of Mississippi, where he played two years before graduating in 1947.

He was a successful high school coach in Mississippi when he caught the eye of Royal, who was an assistant and then head coach at Mississippi State. When Royal moved to Washington for the 1956 season, Campbell joined his staff. He moved to Texas when Royal became head coach in 1957.

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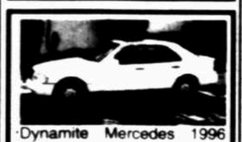

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- Ability to read and write
- Able to policies and procedures related to students and school administration
- Demonstrate punctuality in job performance
- Assumes responsibility for the care of the bus and related equipment
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- MISD is an equal opportunity employer
- MISD requires Criminal History and Reference checks be run for all potential employees.
- *Complete job description available upon request.*

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SCHOOL BUS DRIVER

Other things being equal, preference will be given to applicants possessing the following qualifications:

- Ability to pass a physical exam to determine fitness to drive a bus as required by state law
- Have a commercial Drivers License, Class B or higher, with air brakes and passenger endorsement
- Ability to read and write English
- Able to work effectively with people
- Demonstrate punctuality in job performance
- Willingness to assume responsibility for the care of bus and related equipment
- Reliable work history

- MISD is an equal opportunity employer
- MISD requires Criminal History and Reference checks be run for all potential employees.
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DRIVERS Needed. Local freight lines. Must have Class A CDL with all endorsements. Two years driving experience. Must have DOT physical. Heavy lifting required. Call 522-2282. Drug test required. M-F.

DRIVERS: Start Work Today! Domino's Pizza needs drivers immediately! Highest pay of any national chain! See Mary at 3302 W. Illinois.

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MANAGEMENT. E.F. Hensley & Son Inc. is now accepting applications for convenience store manager. Six months experience required. Pre-employment drug test. Salary depending on experience. EOE. Contact Barbara at 563-2374.

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RESTAURANT

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With Experience and Willingness to Work
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RESTAURANT: The Bar is currently accepting applications for Cooks. Apply in person between 8- 10 am or 2- 4 pm. Monday through Thursday. 606 W. Missouri.

RESTAURANT: The Press Box Sports Cafe is accepting applications for Waitstaff & Kitchen Help. Apply in person between 2 & 4 pm. Monday- Friday. 3303 N. Midkiff. (In the Atrium at San Miguel Shopping Center).

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RESTAURANT Looking for a few good Servers, Waitstaff and Banquet Staff. Good hours and Good Pay. Taking applications 9 am- 11 am or 2 pm- 5 pm Tuesday- Friday. No phone calls. Green Tree Country Club.

RESTAURANT: Luby's now accepting applications. Apply 8:00 am only. Equal Opportunity Employer.

RETAIL Part time help needed. Experienced in retail and culinary skills required. Apply Ruby Madison, 2200 W. Wadley #10.

SAV-ON Office Supplies is seeking an experienced Cashier for part time position with flexible hours. We offer competitive wages, benefits and a pleasant working environment. Please apply in person at 3208 W. Cuthbert.

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SUMMER WORK for College Students & 1998 High School Grads. Others Up to $9.15. Flexible part time/ full time openings. No experience necessary. Scholarships available. Conditions apply. 689-0045.

311 Medical Help Wanted

CERTIFIED NURSE AIDE. Terrace West Nursing Center has current openings for Certified Nurse Aides. If interested, please apply in person at 2800 N. Midland Drive, Midland, Texas 79707.

CLINIC NURSE. LVN needed for busy physician's office. Must be energetic, organized & team player. Clinical experience preferred, some early/ late hours. Please fax resume with references to 520-5890 or mail to: PO Box 9520, Midland, Texas 79708.

DENTAL ASSISTANT needed. Bring resume by 3300 Haynes Street. Monday thru Thursday 8:30 to 3.

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312 Professional Help Wanted

*LEGAL

Assistant. Clerical experience helpful, not necessary. WordPerfect. Salary DOE. Send resume to: Box T05111, c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702.

*OFFICE MANAGER

Lamesa Cotton Oil Mill, a division of Chickasha Cotton Oil Company, and producer of cottonseed products in Lamesa, Texas is seeking a high quality professional for the position of Office Manager. Reporting to the Mill Manager, this position is responsible for all administrative functions and general accounting of the division. BA in Accounting is preferred. Strong computer and supervisory skills are required. Please send resume with salary requirements to: Manager-AH, Lamesa Cotton Oil Mill, P.O. Box 421, Lamesa, TX 79331-0421. No phone calls please.

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CUSTOMER SERVICE Representative for insurance agency. Must be knowledgeable on computers and at/ or to be licensed. Send resume to: 3525 Andrews Hwy. Suite 101, Midland, TX 79703.

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SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE Fortune 500 Company seeking highly motivated individual. Duties will include: Interviewing applicants. Extensive customer contact by phone and in person. Evaluation and Assignment of applicants. Position requires Organizational skills, pleasant personality, decision making ability. Experience dealing with a variety of software packages. Professional background is a plus. We offer great pay and benefits. Please send resume to: Box N- 3026, c/o Midland Reporter- Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702.

TELEPHONE TECHNICIAN. Minimum 1 year experience. Call 915-366-4001 Ext 310 between 3- 5 pm for appointment.

WESTERN GEOPHYSICAL is currently looking for a Seismic Field Crew Clerk. High school diploma required. Computer experience with Windows 95, Excel and Word desired. Must be willing to travel. Bilingual ability and prior work experience a plus. Contact Crew Office at 915-699-7727, Room 118 for application.

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To apply, please contact:

Sandy Bufler
Director of Human Resources
Permian General Hospital
720 Hospital Drive
Andrews, Texas 79714
915-523-2200 Ext 203

312 Professional Help Wanted

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MANAGEMENT & TRAINING CORPORATION (MCT) is seeking applicants for the position of Superintendent at the Garza County Regional Juvenile Center in Post, Texas.

Bachelor's degree in behavioral science or related field and juvenile probation certification is required. Six years related experience, four of which must be in a managerial capacity is preferred.

Interested applicants should contact J. Terry Bartlett, at (806)495-2175. Qualified applicants may submit a resume via FAX to (806)495-3157; via E-Mail to tbartlet@gte.net; or via mail to P.O. Box 9000, Post, Texas 79356. Deadline for receiving resumes is June 26, 1998.

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311 Medical Help Wanted

314 Clerical Help Wanted

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RECEPTIONIST needed for busy physician's office. Must be friendly, well organized and good with people. Medical Manager knowledge a must. Some early/ late hours. Fax resume and references to 520-5890 or mail to: PO Box 9520, Midland, Texas 79708.

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Temp & Permanent Positions
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SALES SECRETARY RECEPTIONIST needed for non smoking Midland office. Light phone duties. Typing includes Sales contracts, quotes and monthly newsletter. Must be computer proficient with extensive skills on Excel and Word. Experience with Goldmine and Publisher is a plus. Please send RESUME, REFERENCES and SALARY HISTORY to: SALES SECRETARY ATTN: MARY, P.O. BOX 3309, ODESSA, TEXAS 79760.

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WANTED IMMEDIATELY: Christian Secretary to work part time, Monday- Friday, 8:30- 12:30. Must be responsible, have computer skills and Wordprocessing, spreadsheets, database knowledge. Please send resume to: Our Savior's Lutheran Church, Attention: Jim Dammann, 3309 Neely Avenue, Midland, Texas 79705.

316 Sales Help Wanted

*INSIDE SALES POSITION

Manufacturer's Rep/ Manufacturer of measurement equipment. Promotion to outside sales when available to right individual. Degreed position. Submit resume to: Box T-05110, c/o Midland Reporter- Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702.

RETAIL Part Time sales person wanted. Experience necessary. References helpful. Call Burt at 699-0604.

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Pumping unit outside salesperson needed immediately for the Permian Basin and other oil producing areas. Need to have established contacts and self motivated. Pumping unit or artificial lift experience preferred. Extensive travel required. We are part of a large fast- growing company with many opportunities, competitive salary, benefits and company vehicle. Fax resume and cover letter to: 915- 563-2375.

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Personnel Dept.
P.O. Box 308
Ft. Gibson, OK 74434

318 Management Help Wanted

BABY BIZ

A locally owned retail business seeks qualified assistant manager to help owner manage growing business. Ideal applicants will be organized, detail-oriented and enjoy personal customer interaction. Send resume to
4703 N. Midkiff
Midland, Texas 79705
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➔NEW TODAY←

ASSISTANT MANAGER. Immediate opening for full time assistant manager with computer experience. Apply at The Courtyard Apartments, 2300 North "A" Street or fax resume to 682-5758.

MANAGEMENT POSITION applications are now being accepted. Flexible schedules, good working conditions, good pay, apply at either Little Caesars Pizza store or call 520-8016.

319 Oil Industry Help Wanted

MUDLOGGERS NEEDED. Taking applications. Experienced inquiries only. Call (830)460-8471.

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319 Oil Industry Help Wanted

COMPRESSOR OPERATOR. A division of a leading world wide oil field equipment and service company, seeks experienced Compressor Operators. To be located in the Denver City, Ft. Stockton and Odessa, Texas areas. The successful candidate will have experience with all types of high speed reciprocating gas compressors (Waukesha, Worthington, Caterpillar and Ariel). And their associated material gas drives. A satisfactory driving record is required. This employer offers competitive salary and an excellent benefits package. Please send resume with employment and salary history to: Human Resource Manager, P.O. Box 50158, Midland, TX 79710. An equal opportunity employer.

OIL FIELD Fleet Cementers Inc. is looking for Truck Drivers, Cementers, Acid and Frac Treaters. Excellent benefits including 401K, uniforms, paid vacation and insurance. Call 563-8025.

320 Skilled Trades

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Local manufacturing company is seeking labors general work, no experience required will train. Come by 2501 E. 120, Midland, between 9 and 5 Monday thru Friday.

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CONSTRUCTION Superintendent. Commercial project in Coahoma. Start approximately 7/1/98. Duration 4 months. Fax resumes to: Speed Fab-Crete, (817)561-2544.

336 Adult Care Providers

EVENING SHIFT available for private sitter, call Mrs. Williams at 683-4323. If no answer leave message.

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ELDERLY CARE in your home. 24 hours/ day. Live- in rates available. Kelly at 689-2884.

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24 HOUR Personal care in private home. CNA and EMT-I on staff. Have openings for 3 starting July 1st. 684-4909.

340 Child Care Needed

BABYSITTER 8- 5 Monday- Friday for 2 children in my home. References required, salary negotiable. 689-2378 after 5.

341 Child Care Providers

REGISTERED QUALITY child care. 18 months to 4 years only please. Lunch and snacks provided. References upon request, non smoking environment. Please call 697-5226.

HAVE OPENINGS in Christian home. Reasonable rates. References provided on request. Call 687-6414 or 683-6322.

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Attention Readers
Occasionally ads found in this section come from distant points and the Midland Reporter-Telegram cannot always know the merits of the offers. We suggest when you are in doubt that you call the Better Business Bureau before signing any contract/ or giving out your credit card number or bank information.
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MARKETING/ SALES-14 year old pharmaceutical company expanding our business in the Midland-Odessa area and seeks 5 top-level managers. If you have a background in management, sales, teaching or training, we will train you for top earnings. Call (888)661-5475.

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400 Auctions

PUBLIC AUCTION! Saturday, June 20, 1998, 10 am, Sharp! Going out of Business! 2900 W. Front (Flea Market), Midland, Texas. Absolutely No Minimums, No Reserves! All oral announcements supersede any printed material. 10% Buyers premium. Vehicles subject to sellers confirmation. Auction to include: Craftsman 10" radial arm saw, clothing, household appliances, desks, various chairs, baby beds, TV's, VCR's, stereos & speakers, jewelry, vehicles, camping tents. Preview, Friday, June 19, 1998, 10:00 am- 3:00 pm. Auction Conducted by: Auction Action Midland Supercenter, 201 W. Washington, Midland, Texas 79701. 915-682-1004. Fred F. Munoz, TX License #6250.

410 Misc. Sales

WEDDING GOWN, size 9, white satin, detachable train, hoop slip, $950 new, will sacrifice $400. 689-7304.

WHY PAY RENT- storage buildings/ shops from $39 a month. Delivery and installation available. 583-3108.

FREE CONCERT Jerry Dugan and Westwind, June 24th at Computer City in the Midland Park Mall. Please Come!

BRAND NEW Basketball Court- still in box. Cement required. $60. Call 683-6333.

CABINET MODEL Sewing Machine in good condition. Lots of decorative stitches. $100. 682-9804 after 6.

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2X LARGE SHORTS, baby blue with embroidered sheils, very nice, new $8. Call 683-9478.

FOR SALE: couch and matching recliner, desk, 2 bicycles. Call for more information, 694-5955.

BABY BED and changing table, good condition, $100 for both. Call 686-7199 after 6 pm.

WOODEN ROCKER- $85; toy chest- $75; child's electric keyboard- $45; students antique desk- $90. Brother Sewing machine and Cabinet- $100. 697-7375.

♣ 135 YARDS of used green carpet in good condition- $100. Staionary exercise bike $35. 694-2770.

RESTHAVEN mausoleum crypts, 2 in Sanctuary of Love. $5,400/ or best offer- Call Lalla (817)294-1316, (817)294-8931.

★ BIBLE TALK: The Parable of the Vineyard, what does it Teach? 520-0381. Free recorded message.

EVAPORATIVE COOLERS, Lawnmowers, Cook Stoves, Refrigerators, Washers, Dryers, Couches, Dining Furniture, Antique Furniture/ Other. 570-4851.

QUAKE II Tournament June 24th. Please preregister at Computer City in the Midland Park Mall.

RESTHAVEN: Garden of Devotion, Lot 389, Spaces 3 & 4. $1,700/ both. (505)382-7267.

2 8' X 7' Garage doors with windows, $200 for both. Please call 694-4815.

ANTIQUE PIANO, 2 electric stoves, 1 gas dryer, 1 antique dresser, washer, dryer. Call 620-0210.

2 TICKETS TO Musical in Dallas, July 11th, Peter Pan, $47 each. Please call 683-7979.

RESTHAVEN- Garden of Last Supper. (3 plots) & (2 plots). Will sell separately. Very reasonable. (254)725-7651.

RESTHAVEN MEMORIAL Park, 2 spaces in Garden of Tranquility, lot #37, $1,500. 520-6563.

413 Jewelry & Furs

BUYING ROLEX Watches. Vintage to New. Cash paid. Call John, 685-1037 or Cellular 559-1785.

NATURAL RANCH Mink Stole with appraisal. 550-3907.

415 Misc. Wanted

BUYING Cherry Masters and Fruit Bonuses. Please call (214)696-2176.

SOUTHWEST Company Club tickets or other airline mileage awards wanted. Will pay top dollar. 687-5039.

WANTED: Oak desk, light or medium colored, 5' to 6', good condition, reasonably priced. 520-4348.

420 Good Things To Eat

FRESH APRICOTS & Plums, $8.00 plastic grocery bag, $4.00 half bag. No insecticides used. 684-7839.

430 Household Goods

ELECTRIC QUEEN size bed with vibrator. Bought new $1,200, will sell for $500. Call 689-6720, caller ID. I will call you back.!

ABOVE GROUND pools with the heaviest walls in the industry- as low as $39 a month. Delivery and installation available. 563-3108.

TREADMILL. $450. Patio furniture, $450. Desk, chair & computer, $600. 2 Dressers, $100. 2 Shelf Bookcase, $25. 687-1421.

FIRE PLACE Front, new in box. Glass front, brass trim. Beautiful $50.00. 687-4619.

432 Household Furniture

ITALIAN LEATHER Olive Sofa and love seat. Just like new. Must sell. Call 520-3731.

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FOR SALE: Used Couch. Southwest print. $500. Please call 699-7710 after 5:00 or leave message.

SOUTHWEST Design- gray, cream, tan- 2 piece sofa. Excellent condition. $350. 697-2812.

WHITE WASHED Trestle table, $75. Please call 694-6826 for more information.

LOVE SEAT and sofa, 2 arm chairs, like new. Lacquer and marble king or queen bedroom set, headboard, dresser, nightstand and mirror. Must sell, everything reasonably priced. 520-8589.

EXECUTIVE DESK/ credenza, secretarial desk/ credenza, couch, end tables, chairs, miscellaneous furniture. Sold separately or as a lot. Call 683-5261.

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MATCHING BRASS & Glass coffee and 2 end tables. $145 for the set. Call 694-3908.

KINGSIZE BED complete, triple dressor, mirror, nightstand, $595. Expensive wicker and wood round table with 2 leafs and 4 arm chairs, $425. Complete red metal bunk beds with attached desk and chair $235. Antique oak full bed and small dresser, $450. Expensive, newly recovered mauve and teal couch, $425. Two executive desks with chairs $250 each. Decorative Type steel patio furniture- 3 cushion couch and chair $135. 915-362-2746.

435 Household Appliances

MAGNASOFT WATER Taste Great. No more scale, salt, filters, guaranteed. Best there is! $340. 522-2440.

KENMORE DRYER, great condition $65, white, for more information call 684-8547.

WHITE GAS range, $75. Please call 682-7545 for more information.

MOVING. Kenmore heavy duty washer. $40. 697-3656.

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450 Sporting Goods

MUST SELL this week- trade in 3 person spa/ hot tub. Good condition. Delivery and financing available. 563-3108.

MIDLAND Gun & Knife Show. Midland Center. June 27th & 28th. For tables, call Don or Kim, (830)257-5844.

GOLDS GYM weight machine, $300 or best offer. Cardio Glide exerciser, $50. 694-6826.

460 Antiques & Arts

OAK DROP Front Desk, china cabinets, buffets, tables, chests, music boxes, Beanie Babies, kitchen cabinets, all quilts, dolls, Tiffany lamps, Star War toys, 50% off. AM & FM Antiques and Gifts. 1025 N. Dixie. 332-7490.

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Matteucci's Antiques is having a sale. Take 25% off entire stock, 2101 W. Wadley- within Antiques Etc.

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ANTIQUE Shop now open at 1603 W. Industrial Ave. Great gift ideas for Father's Day. Open noon to 6 pm Monday thru Saturday. 570-5400. Finder's Keeper's.

465 Collectibles

PUFFKINS Coming Soon! Teddy Angels, Stone Critters, Beanies, Angels, more! Anna Marie Gifts, 1705 N. Big Spring.

BEANIE BABIES for sale. Current and retired. For more information please call 687-6400.

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ANTIQUE DOUBLE Trigger Muzzle Loader Shotgun. Good condition. $450 cash. 685-0911.

BEANIE BABY Collection for sale. Call after 5 pm at 520-8578 or 522-7243.

MEME's COLLECTION, 3205 W. Cuthbert, 520-0055. Collectibles and New for Fathers Day! Lard Elgin vintage time piece, hand carved items, canoe sheves, mechanical drawing set, bird houses, games, framed prints, western, golf, fishing, Elvis and Ty Beanie Babies. Many unique items storewide- and don't forget- July 4th! Open Tuesday through Saturday 10- 6.

470 Musical Instruments

BLACK PEARL Export Drum Set, crash, ride, hi- hat cymbals, Ludwig snare with carrying case. $600. 682-5142.

FOR SALE: Hamilton Spinet Piano. Good condition. Call Rocky Ford Moving & Storage at 683-6341 or view at 3411 W. Industrial.

485 Electronics

STEREO WITH Dual cassettes, AM- FM radio, phono, 2 speakers, remote control. $50. Call 684-0585.

SONY 3/4" Editing System. 5800-440-5850. Only needs some tuning up. 694-5262.

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INTERNET ACCESS. Call 620-0839 for details.
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SERVICE AFTER THE SALE. Computers- New and used, upgrade and repair. Night Owl Computers, 10am- 8pm, 1015-B N. Midkiff. 520-5917. 686-8835.

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233 INTEL PENTIUM PC package. Easy financing. 90% Approval Rate. Apply over the phone. 570-6275.

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HEELER mix male, with shots, neutered. Great loves attention. 570-1599. betweenm 8- 5.

LARGE BLACK/ Tan Female Collie type dog. Please call 682-0619.

FREE KITTENS- 8 weeks old, black & white. Call 684-9013 after 6 pm.

FREE Adorable mixed breed puppies. Please call 687-0961 for more information.

PITT/ LAB- male, 4 months old. Black/ white markings. Need very loving home. Great with other dogs. 697-9810.

GORGEOUS MALE German Shepherd, gentle- sweet dog. See at Animal Control. Free to you; I'll pay fees. Please, please! 682-6637 or 685-7420.

2 1/2 YEAR Old Brindle Pitt Bull to very loving home with big yard. Very calm/ gentle/ spoiled. 697-9810.

BLACK LAB, 6 year old male, very good with kids. 699-2421.

MOVING! Male German Shepherd and male neutered cat need homes this week. 689-6704.

THE BEST 3 kittens in TX- 2 orange, 1 gray. 8- 10 weeks old. 520-7720.

KITTENS, 6 weeks old. Free to good home. Litter box trained. 694-0187.

1/2 ROTTWEILER/ 1/2 Doberman, 2 years old, needs good home. 686-0349.

NEED A good loving home for Brittany Spaniel, male, 6 months, indoor/ fenced yard. 683-3662.

500 Pets and Supplies

BEAGLES for pets or breeding. Registered male 9 months, female 1 year, female 5 years. Call 570-1865.

1 1/2 YEAR OLD Labrador litter mates. Adorable Male & Female, $100 Pair. Evenings, 684-5079.

BORDER COLLIE, good livestock dog, 2 years old, $150 o. b. o. Call 570-7657 or 683-7621.

SEEKING- AKC Registered male Yorkshire Terrier for stud. Also offering- English Bulldog or Miniature Schnauzer stud service. Please call 561-5755.

FULL BLOOD Female Shitzu, 1 year old, $200. House broke, good with kids. 520-3757.

505 Livestock & Poultry

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Breaking horses
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915-263-1324 or 915-263-0494

10 YEAR OLD Sorrel Mare. Leo Bloodline. Good roping horse. Started on barrels. $2,500. Negotiable. 689-3365.

➔ NEW TODAY ←
(2) SADDLE MULES, with horse trailer, excellent for hunting and packing. Very gentle! 686-9955.

PRICE REDUCED- 14' x 32' Red Barn- heavy duty floor, double doors, delivery and financing available. 563-3108.

QUARTER HORSE- Mare, 9 years old, sorrel. Easy Jet Dream of Kings Beautiful good disposition. Rides English/ Western. $3,000. 524-2503. Leave message.

THREE YEAR old female Mustang. Good disposition. Price negotiable. Call 694-4489.

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510 Office Furniture & Misc.

SAVIN- MODEL #7015Z with lots of paper, toner and supplies, works perfect. $395. 915-362-2746.

OFFICE Furniture- 6 desks, padded folding chairs, mirrored shelving & other miscellaneous items. All must go by the end of the month. 915-697-4093 leave message.

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MEXICAN BRICK: High temperature fired, golden buff color. Enough for large repairs or additions. Regular size. Excellent bricks. 684-9060 or 684-6458.

550 Portable Buildings

We move, buy, sell and rent portable buildings.
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8 X 10 PORTABLE Building, on skids. $1,500 or best offer. 520-4484.

570 Oil Field Equip & Supplies

FOR SALE: 1981 Moeller Well Service Rig. D/ D, block, tongs and tools. Work ready! $110,000. 1-800-329-0583.

FOR SALE: Structural rods and pipe of all sizes at bargain prices. Call 682-1546.

FOR SALE: Late Model Well Service Rigs with or without tools. Work ready! 1-800-329-0583.

580 Farm Equipment

FOR SALE: (5)- 1988 Freightliner Tractors with sleepers and 350 Cummins Engines. (1)- 1992 & (3)- 1993 Flowboy Trailers. All tractors and trailers are in good condition, good rubber, and equipment loaded. Please call Shirley L. Stephens c/o Stepcon, Inc. (915)685-0621.

MODEL 1500 Small Ford Tractor with 770 front loader, diesel, 4 wheel drive, 1,700 hours. $7,800. 1605 W. Industrial. Days 686-9090, evenings 694-4702.

590 Legal Notices

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION

Notice is given that Seed Oil & Gas, a Texas general partnership, whose principal place of business is at 415 W. Wall, Suite 530, Midland, Midland County, Texas, has on May 1, 1998, become incorporated under the name of Seed Oil & Gas Inc.

Dated 6-1-98

Robert G. Elliott, Incorporator

595 Public Notices

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Northwest Midland Water Supply Corporation has scheduled a general membership meeting for Tuesday, June 23rd at 7:00 pm at the Scharbauer Elementary School cafeteria. Discussion will include system design progress, preliminary cost estimate, status of negotiations with the City of Midland and future activity. There will also be a vote to continue moving forward on the project and a vote to adopt by-laws.

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Divorced black mom, 30, 5', full-figured, black hair, brown eyes, enjoys horror movies, reading, writing and spending time with her kids, seeks a single male, 20-45, race unimportant. Ad# 8333

MUST LIKE DOGS
I am a fun-loving single white Christian female, age 50, with red hair and green eyes. I love my dogs and I'm seeking a nice, polite, honest, fun-loving single white Christian male, 45-55, with a great sense of humor. Call if you're out there. Ad# 7982

YOUR HEART
Fun-loving single white female, 5'1, 5'5", 130lbs., brown hair/eyes, attractive, educated, enjoys painting, gardening, reading and more seeking a flexible single white male 48-58 non-smoker. Ad# 8097

WORTH A CALL
Expecting single white female, 18, 5'5", 118lbs., blue-eyed brunette student loves country music, seeks single white male, 18-21, to share time with. Ad# 7783

ON THE RIGHT TRACK
Single white mom, 37, 5'5", 110lbs., brown hair/eyes, enjoys sports and animals, seeking honest, sincere single white male, 35-45. Ad# 8665

FRIENDS TO START
Single white mom, 19, 5'6", 125lbs., enjoys football, gardening and music, looking for single male, to spend time with. Ad# 8066

HAS A NICE SMILE
Single Hispanic female, 50, 5'1", short hair, enjoys sewing, pottery and dancing, seeking single male 45-55. Ad# 8344

LOVES IT ALL
Single white female, 50, 5'4", 120lbs., brown hair/eyes, enjoys gardening, biking and music, seeking intelligent, family-oriented single white male, 48-60, non-smoker. Ad# 7739

INTRODUCE YOURSELF
Petite divorced white female, 59, 5, auburn hair, green eyes, a professional animal lover enjoys reading, walking, gardening, sewing and antiques, seeks a humorous, active single white male, 55-66, who is spiritual, for possible relationship. Ad# 9636

EASY TO TALK TO
Single white female, 41, 5'5", brown hair, hazel eyes, likes movies, rodeos, arts and crafts, reading and drag racing, seeking single white male, 41-48, non-drinker. Ad# 7871

END MY SEARCH
Single, black female, 18, 5'3", 115lbs., copper hair, dark eyes, likes her dogs, enjoys conversations, music, all kinds of movies, reading, watching videos, dining out, reading and more, seeks single black male, 19-25. Ad# 8027

SHARE MY WORLD
Single white mom, 51, black hair, green eyes, non-smoker, non-drinker, employed, loves sports, enjoys movies, kick boxing, biking, roller blading, hiking and more, seeks happy go-lucky single white male, 45-65, who likes to laugh. Ad# 8496

COUNTRY LIFE
Single white female, 33, 5', medium build, red hair, brown eyes, animal lover, enjoys romance, novels, rodeos, and action movies, looking to meet a personable single white male, 27-35, who likes to country line dance. Ad# 8908

WHAT A WOMAN
Single, Hispanic mom, 26, 5', 180lbs., enjoys swimming, sports, travel, going out on the town, meeting new people and good times, seeks a single Hispanic male, 23-38. Ad# 8166

MAKE IT POSSIBLE
Single Hispanic mom, 22, 110lbs., brown hair, brown eyes, educated, enjoys playing sports, exercising and reading, looking for marriage minded, nice single Hispanic male, 24-30. Ad# 7509

MADE FOR YOU
Single white female, 44, 5'6", 150lbs., red hair, green eyes, enjoys music and good times, seeks a single male, 35-60. Ad# 8503

SHARE MY WORLD!
Single Hispanic female, 19, 5'1", 115lbs., curly black hair, hazel eyes, a college student, enjoys working out, watching movies, spending time with friends and family, seeks a single male, 18-24, with similar interests. Ad# 9614

SET UP A TIME & DAY
Single white female, 59, 5'1", 148lbs., brown hair, blue eyes, enjoys dining out, traveling, reading and listening to country music, seeking a single white male, 58-68, for companionship. Ad# 9313

COUNTRY ROMANCE
I'm a professional single white mother of three, 45, 5'7", light brown hair, green eyes, who enjoys reading mystery novels, shooting pool, traveling, country music and dancing. I'm searching for a single white male, 38-55, to spend time with. Ad# 7134

I'M JUST ME
Single white female, 29, medium build, brown hair, hazel eyes, enjoys traveling, the outdoors and quality time with her children, seeks a single male, 25-50, to share interests and their time with, a single male, 25-50. Ad# 7844

HAPPY AND PLEASANT
Single white female, 48, 5'7", slender, blonde hair, hazel green eyes, enjoys springtime, beautiful sunsets and dining out, seeks a single white male, 45-52, with similar interests. Ad# 9678

THE 'ULTIMATE'
Honest, sincere, single Hispanic female, 5'2", 135lbs., light brown hair, brown eyes, enjoys most music, movies, going to church, camping, fishing, relaxing and more, seeks a single white male, 47-48. Ad# 4763

TRUE LOVE TAKES TIME
Single white mom, 27, 5'4", light brown hair, green eyes, enjoys the summertime and camping, seeks a single white male, 27-40. Ad# 9022

THE KEY TO MY HEART
Single white mom, 28, 5'6", 123lbs., long brown hair, brown eyes, employed, enjoys yard work and playing with her son, seeks a romantic, levelheaded, responsible single white male, 24-30. Ad# 7720

WHAT MAKES YOU HAPPY?
Widowed white grandmother, 49, 5'7", 200lbs., reddish-brown hair, blue eyes, employed, likes to read on stormy nights, seeks a single white male, 45-55, who likes children. Ad# 7525

SUPER
Secure, goal-oriented, single Hispanic female, 28, 5'4", long black hair, brown eyes, enjoys softball, dining out and good company, seeks a single male, 33-45. Ad# 9845

I'M A PEOPLE PERSON
Divorced white female, 64, 5'10", brown hair and eyes, enjoys music, the outdoors, travel, bowling, computers, sports, family time and painting, seeks an honest, trustworthy single white male, 60-70, for fun and friendship. Ad# 7311

PURE OF HEART
Single white female, 26, 5'7", brown hair, hazel eyes, enjoys movies, country-western dancing, the outdoors and more, seeking a good natured single white male, 26-34, ready for a long-term relationship. Ad# 7522

DON'T DELAY
Hispanic single female, 30, 5'3", 135lbs., reddish-brown hair/eyes mom to 3, enjoys movies, going to the park, music and dancing, looking to share friendship with a Hispanic single male, 28-45, who likes children. Ad# 8072

SPECIAL WOMAN
Baptist single white female, 26, 5'4", brown hair/eyes, enjoys football, action movies, auto racing, rodeos, dancing and quality time with her children, seeks single white male, 26-33. Ad# 9479

TAKE ME AWAY
Nice single black mom of one, 32, 5'6", brown eyes, has a nice smile, loves traveling, cuddling by a fire, watching softball games and taking long walks, seeking a single male, 22-50, race unimportant. Ad# 9990

NOT IN A RUSH
Happy single Hispanic mother, 38, 5'5", 160lbs., black hair, brown eyes, loves a good laugh, likes scary and romantic movies, country music and dancing, sports, seeks an up-front single Hispanic male, 30-40, for friendship first, maybe more later. Ad# 7354

DO YOU KNOW THE FEELING?
Single white mom, 20, 5'10", 150lbs., brown hair, blue eyes, enjoys alternative music, stimulating conversation and spending time with friends, looking to meet a single white male, 20-24. Ad# 8372

A TOUCH OF CLASS
A loving, single white female, 45, 5'7", 155lbs., with brown hair and blue eyes, who likes movies, dining out, long walks and drives, camping and traveling, is searching for an open, honest and down-to-earth single white male, 29-54. Ad# 9935

SINCERELY
Single white female, 55, 5'6", 125lbs., auburn hair, blue eyes, enjoys hockey, baseball, ice skating, swimming and traveling, looking for a pleasant, congenial single white male, 56-60, to share mutual interests and friendship. Ad# 7911

NO GAMES
Sincere single white mom, 33, 5'11", 140lbs., auburn hair, brown eyes, enjoys country music, looking to meet an honest, stable single white male, 28-47, who knows what he wants out of life, must like children. Ad# 9236

THIS BIG BROWN EYED
Single white female, 39, 5', 95lbs., shoulder length light brown hair, a mother of two, who enjoys the theater, movies, sports and traveling, is seeking a single white male, 35-40. Ad# 9134

MUST LOVE CHILDREN
Hispanic single mom of two, 23, 5'4", 150lbs., black hair, dark brown eyes, enjoys playing sports, dancing and country music, seeks nice, good-looking, active Hispanic single male, 21-35. Ad# 9174

LIKES TO LAUGH
Hispanic, single female, 21, 5'6", brown hair/eyes, enjoys traveling, meeting people, reading, dancing and movies, seeks single white male, 20-30, with good personality, who likes going out. Ad# 8137

MUTUAL TRUST & RESPECT
Professional, full-figured single white female, 33, 5'2", brown hair, blue eyes, enjoys country music, amusement parks, cooking and more, seeks dependable single white male, 28-35. Ad# 8468

CONTACT THIS
Hispanic, single female, 22, 5'2", brown hair/eyes, who enjoys working out, traveling and the outdoors, is looking forward to meeting a positive, strong, single, black male, 20-38. Ad# 8127

MUST LIKE CHILDREN
Hispanic single mom of one, 21, 5'6", dark brown hair/eyes, enjoys traveling, going out to have fun, dining out, reading, the outdoors and movies, seeks humorous, Hispanic single male, 21-32. Ad# 7535

WALKING HAND IN HAND
Single Native American mom of one, 18, 5'5", dark hair/eyes, enjoys spending time with her son, movies, sports, walks in the park, dining out, socializing and more, seeks a single male, 18-22. Ad# 7926

WHAT A WOMAN!
Single white mom, 31, 5'6", 115lbs., blonde hair, blue eyes, enjoys country music, training horses, seeks single white male, 30-40, who likes children. Ad# 8606

LEARN AND GROW
Single black mom, 19, 5'1", black hair, brown eyes, enjoys going to church, dining out, dancing, quiet movies and more, seeks a single black male, 14-26, with similar interests. Ad# 8468

HEAVEN SENT
Cheerful single white mom, 32, 5'8", red hair, brown eyes, employed, loves romantic movies, picnics, flea markets, horses, dancing and outdoor activities, seeks single white male, 25-50. Ad# 8641

FUN AND OUTGOING
Professional, divorced white female, 28, 5'4", 170lbs., brown hair, eyes, likes animals, enjoys movies, country music, bowling and dancing, seeks single white male, 28-35, non-smoker. Ad# 9871

MEET ME HALF WAY
Professional single white mom, 43, 5'5", brown hair, eyes, enjoys meditation, country music, phone chats, seeks single male, 38-60. Ad# 9376

FRESH OUTLOOK
Single white female, 57, 5'8", dark auburn hair, blue eyes, employed, likes dancing, long walks, fishing, sports and movies, seeks a single white male, 50-65, to share quality time. Ad# 7277

LOOKING FOR MY COWBOY
Single white female, 19, 5'9", 125lbs., blonde hair, blue eyes, enjoys animals, the beach, traveling, relaxing, horseback riding and more, seeks a single white male, 20-23. Ad# 8160

PETITE & PLEASANT
Single Hispanic mother, 20, 4'10", brown/soft black hair, brown eyes, enjoys dancing, fishing, going to movies, horseback riding and romance, seeks a single male, 23-40, who likes children. Ad# 8797

HOW NICE
Single white mom, 30, dark brown hair, blue eyes, loves her two sons, seeking a single white male, 31-40, for a possible relationship. Ad# [illegible]

WHAT A WOMAN!
Personable, sociable, single Hispanic mom, 49, 5'8", full-figured, black/brown eyes, enjoys going to, singing, dancing, fishing, Bingo, writing, dining out, movies, family gatherings, in search of, sincere, single, black male. Ad# 8261

CHRIST FIRST
Baptist single white female, 4[illegible], medium build, reddish b[illegible] hair, brown eyes, enjoys movies, music, cooking and traveling, hoping to meet a single white male, 35-50, Christian first. Ad# 8118

GREAT PERSONALITY?
Single white female, 42, 5'[illegible], 145lbs., blue-eyed brunette, enjoys a wide variety of interests, seeks an outgoing single white male, 45-55, 6'+, who likes country dancing and movies. Ad# 9754

LISTEN CLOSELY
Professional single black female, 44, 5'6", medium build, black hair, brown eyes, enjoys football, basketball, movies, bowling and good conversation, looking for a drug-free single black male, 38-50. Ad# 8375

A BREATH OF FRESH AIR
Single white Christian female, 44, medium height and weight, enjoys comedies, camping, fishing, traveling and dining out, seeks an intelligent, understanding single white male, 39-49. Ad# 9650

LASTING LOVE
A sweet single white female, 42, 5'6", medium build, with dark hair and green eyes, who likes sports, dancing, reading and meeting new people, is searching for a compatible single white male, 35-50. Ad# 9272

TRUST ME
Single Hispanic mom, 20, 5'5", brown hair/hazel eyes, enjoys dancing, traveling, cooking, reading and poetry, seeking a single Hispanic male, 18-35, for friendship first, possible relationship. Ad# 7506

LOTS IN COMMON?
Bi-racial single female, 27, 5'5", brown hair, brown eyes, enjoys music, the movies, travel, reading and dining out, seeks a single white male, 27-38, who enjoys life. Ad# 9656

A RELIGIOUS
Divorced Hispanic Christian mom of three, 32, 5'3", 107lbs., dark brown hair/eyes, who enjoys the outdoors, romantic movies and more, is seeking a compatible, responsible, honest divorced/single white male, 30-38. Ad# 9915

SERIOUS REPLIES ONLY...
Very friendly single Hispanic female, 29, 5'4", 135lbs., auburn hair, brown eyes, enjoys music, dancing, movies and more, wishes to share companionship with a single Hispanic male, 28-43, who likes children. Ad# 9338

CHEMISTRY
Loving single black Christian female, 31, 5'8", full-figured, black hair, brown eyes, a professional, enjoys music, basketball, football, traveling, moonlit walks, exercising, movies and billiards, seeking a single, black Christian male, 30-45. Ad# 8470

CAN YOU KEEP UP
Single black female, 25, 5'6", 155lbs., brown hair, enjoys working out, seeking outgoing, active single white male, 25-33. Ad# 8705

YOU BRING ME JOY
Single black mom, 29, 5'7", 165lbs., brown eyes, enjoys snow skiing, building snowman, spending time with her children, long walks, movies and light jazz music, seeks an honest, single, black male, 30-35. Ad# 7698

ENJOYS LIFE
Single black female, 29, 5'5", 130lbs., brown hair/eyes, enjoys movies and music, reading and outdoor activities, seeks a single male, 26-36, race unimportant. Ad# 9498

WELL-EDUCATED
Divorced white mom of three, 48, 5'7", 117lbs., blonde hair, green eyes, enjoys boating, fishing, relaxing at the lake and meeting new people, seeks a secure, single white male, 44-54. Ad# 9007

AGE IS JUST A NUMBER
Single white female, 63, 5'6", 148lbs., frosted brown hair, brown eyes, enjoys movies, dancing, dining out, traveling and more, seeks a single white male, 63-71. Ad# 7435

UPBEAT PERSONALITY
Single Hispanic mom, 5'2", brown hair/eyes, enjoys martial arts, swimming, movies, quality time, looking for single male, 27-35. Ad# [illegible]

MAKE ME LAUGH
Single white female, [illegible], long brown hair, green eyes, enjoys reading, mystery books, watching hockey and basketball, seeks single white male, 18-25. Ad# 7360

FRIENDS FIRST
Professional divorced white mom, [illegible], 5'10", black hair, blue eyes, enjoys camping, fishing, sports and more, would like to meet a single, white Christian male, 25-40, who likes kids. Ad# 8363

FILL MY HOME WITH LOVE
Single Hispanic mom, 34, 5', full-figured, enjoys church, snuggling, quiet evenings, seeks marriage minded single white or Hispanic male, 26-36, non-smoker, non-drinker. Ad# 9130

QUEEN OF HEARTS
Single white mom, 47, 5'5", 125lbs., dark brown hair/eyes, enjoys crafts, walking, swimming and playing on computers, seeks a tall, intelligent single male, 35-50, with dark hair/eyes. Ad# 9[illegible]

WAITING TO HEAR FROM YOU
Quiet single white female, 60, 5'4", 120lbs., loves chips and 3¢ envys, adventure movies, seeks single male, 55-65. Ad# 7[illegible]

I BELIEVE IN LOVE
Religious single white female, 34, 5'3", blonde hair, green eyes, employed, likes country music, reading, playing the piano and singing, seeks single white male, 32-38. Ad# 7324

OLD-FASHIONED RELATIONSHIP
Single Hispanic female, 35, 5'4", 165lbs., brown hair/eyes, enjoys dining out, all kinds of sports, music and concerts, seeks sincere, honest, faithful, single white male, 35-46. Ad# 7308

FULL OF JOY
Single white female, [illegible], brown hair/eyes, enjoys relaxing by the lake, the seasonal colors, going to the beach and socializing, seeks an honest, caring single white male, [illegible]. Ad# 9371

QUIET SIDE OF LIFE
Laid back single white [illegible], 5'4", 116, blonde hair, green eyes, enjoys action movies and quiet time with her children, seeks a [illegible], single white male, [illegible], with a loving heart. Ad# 832[illegible]

IN GENERAL
Family-oriented single [illegible] female, 5'5", 5'6", 210lbs., seeks [illegible] interest, single [illegible], 45+. Ad# 8848

UP FOR ANYTHING
Single white female, [illegible], full figured, enjoys reading, going for walks and nature, seeks a single white male, 40-50. Ad# [illegible]

WIN ME OVER
Single white [illegible], brown hair, green [illegible], enjoys sports, movies, dining, seeking a single white male, [illegible], who isn't into games. Ad# [illegible]

MOVE QUICKLY
Single white female, [illegible], employed, excellent, enjoys sports, seeking, single white male, 19-26. Ad# [illegible]

AN AMERICAN GIRL
Fun-loving single white female, 18, 5'4", brown/hazel eyes, enjoys movies, at skiing, swimming, partying, socializing with friends and more, seeks single white male, [illegible]. Ad# 8894

CARING LADY
Attractive single white female, 5'[illegible], brown eyes, enjoys dancing and candlelit dinners, good conversation, the outdoors and watching sports, seeks an educated, enthusiastic, single white male, 60-80. Ad# 7584

PRETTY WOMAN
Meet this gracious single white female, 53, 5'8", with blonde hair, blue eyes and an excellent outlook on life and you will embrace her with open arms. She's interested in meeting a gentleman, who may like Christian music and dogs. Ad# 7778

JUST BE YOURSELF
Single Hispanic mom, 30, 5'7", black hair, brown eyes, hardworking, enjoys the summer, looking forward to hearing from a single male, 27-47, race unimportant. Ad# 8881

HONESTY REQUIRED
Widowed Hispanic mom, 38, 5'3", 130lbs., dark brown hair/eyes, social drinker, sports fan, enjoys dancing and family time, seeks honest, loyal single male, 30-45, race unimportant, who likes children. Ad# 8905

FOR COMPANIONSHIP
Attractive, single white female, 37, long brown hair, blue green eyes, 5'6", 120lbs., enjoys the fall, reading, traveling and camping, seeks honest, professional single white male, 27-65. Ad# 7724

HONEST AND TRUTHFUL
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Divorced Hispanic female, 5'[illegible], brown hair, eyes, outgoing, enjoys her work, movies, good company and more, seeking a sweet, understanding, single white Christian male, 50-60, for a great relationship. Ad# 8442

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Single, enthusiastic, [illegible] white female, [illegible], brown hair, blue eyes, enjoys healthy, active lifestyle, enjoys singing, sports, dancing, singing, dining out and more, seeks [illegible] single white male, [illegible]. Ad# 8128

HAPPY GO-LUCKY
Divorced white mom, [illegible], employed, [illegible], brown hair, blue eyes, fit, fun-loving, enjoys movies, relaxing, boating, spending time with friends, swimming, the outdoors and more, seeking a single white male, 28-42. Ad# [illegible]

TRY ME
Free spirited, single Hispanic mom, [illegible], full figured, dark hair, brown eyes, enjoys dancing, movies, barbecues, the outdoors, long drives and summertime, looking for single Hispanic male, [illegible], who likes children. Ad# [illegible]

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Single white female, 45, 5'5", 130lbs., dark brown hair/eyes, social drinker, sports fan, enjoys dancing and family time, seeks honest, loyal single male, 30-45, race unimportant, who likes children. Ad# 8905

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CUDDLE UP TO ME
[illegible], single, black female, 41, [illegible], hair, eyes, likes, dancing, basketball, [illegible], seeking, educated, [illegible], single male, [illegible], who, [illegible]. Ad# [illegible]

LET'S GET ACQUAINTED
[illegible], white female, 41, [illegible], hair, blue eyes, enjoys, [illegible], events, [illegible], dancing, seeks, single, white, male, [illegible]. Ad# [illegible]

GOING BACK TO SCHOOL
Single white female, 41, 5'4", hair, eyes, enjoys music, movies, seeks single, white male, 39-48, for lasting, relationship. Ad# [illegible]

LIKES THE QUIET LIFE
Romantic, single Hispanic female, [illegible], medium, average, brown, [illegible], likes, children, seeks, [illegible], male, [illegible]. Ad# [illegible]

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Attractive, single white female, 4[illegible], likes, dining, green eyed, blonde, enjoys, [illegible], sewing, and, enjoys, a variety, of, sports, going, to, the, beach, [illegible], seeks, single, white, male, [illegible], with, similar, interests. Ad# [illegible]

WIN MY TRUST
Single white female, 4[illegible], blue eyed, [illegible], green eyes, a, real, [illegible], seeks, a, [illegible], Ad# [illegible]

CHRISTIAN VALUES
Pretty, single white female, 4[illegible], blonde, hair, blue, eyes, [illegible], theatre, biking, walking, well-educated, single white, male, [illegible]. Ad# [illegible]

HONESTY & PATIENCE
[illegible], single, white, female, 4[illegible], hair, blue eyes, [illegible], gardening, camping, the, arts, seeks, communicative, honest, single white male, [illegible]. Ad# [illegible]

LIFE AND THE LORD
[illegible], white, female, [illegible], 45, hair, eyes, enjoys, camping, the, outdoors, seeks, [illegible], single, white, male, [illegible]. Ad# [illegible]

KEEP ME WARM
Single white female, [illegible], inquisitive, witness, seeking, [illegible], employed, and, single, white male, [illegible], Christian, first, seeks, [illegible], who, likes, children. Ad# [illegible]

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WHAT'S YOUR NAME
Single Hispanic mom, [illegible], figured, brown hair/eyes, enjoys, outdoors, children, happiness, sports and life, seeking a, companion, for, single Hispanic male, 32-41, for possible relationship. Ad# [illegible]

LOADS OF FUN
Lively, single white female, 19, 5'2", brown hair, green eyes, likes poetry, music, [illegible], the, movies, karaoke and dancing, seeks a, romantic, single, white male, 19-22. Ad# 8279

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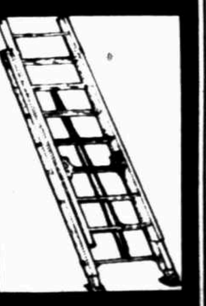

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