Race controversy

O.J. Simpson defense lawyers attack credibility of the detective who found a bloody glove on Simpson's estate./**4A**

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U.S. Open results

Gigi Fernandez, of Aspen, Colo., upsets Germany's 12th-seeded Sabine Hack in first-round U.S. Open action./**1C**

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Lockheed, Marietta

NEW YORK — Lockheed Corp. and Martin Marietta Corp. announced today they have agreed to merge in a deal worth more than $10 billion, continuing a trend of large-scale consolidation in the defense industry.

Alzheimer's risk

Elderly people can learn if they're at high risk of getting Alzheimer's or a similar disease in the next few years by taking a series of standard psychological tests, scientists say./**4A**

Historian's heaven

LUBBOCK — Researchers at Texas Tech University exuded giddy anticipation Monday unloading their latest acquisition: 533 boxes of documents on Vietnam. The donated collection includes radio monitoring reports, Asian newspaper clippings and files on missing soldiers./**1B**

Friendly fire

WASHINGTON — A senior military board has recommended that up to five AWACS crew members be court-martialed for their part in the accidental downing of two U.S. Army helicopters over Iraq last April, Pentagon sources said Monday./**4A**

'Blended' families

WASHINGTON — Nearly 10 million American children live in families in which there is a stepparent or siblings who are less than full brothers and sisters, the Census Bureau reports. On the other hand, 33.4 million children live in "nuclear families" — that is, with both biological parents and any full brothers or sisters./**1D**

The human tide

DHI GHI, Bangladesh — A sweet smile crinkled Khuki Bibi's golden face as she wished away half her children. "I should have had just two," the 70-year-old midwife announced. "Living is better for a small family." Family planning came too late for Khuki Bibi. But perhaps not for Bangladesh. To the surprise of experts, this poor and backward land's family-planning offensive has won significant ground./**1D**

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Poll: Richards leads Bush by a hair

Important issues are crime, violence, gangs, survey shows

By Tyrone Meighan
Texas Poll Syndicate

Texans would re-elect Democrat Gov. Ann Richards by a slim margin over Republican George W. Bush if the election were held today, according to The Harte-Hanks Texas Poll.

The statewide survey also shows that the most important issues in the race are crime, violence and gangs.

■ **Texas Poll**

To gauge support for the two candidates, the poll asked 757 likely voters, "If the election for Texas governor were held today, would you vote for Democrat Ann Richards or for Republican George W. Bush?"

Forty-seven percent support Richards, and 43 percent would vote for Bush, according to the poll conducted Aug. 18-27. Ten percent were undecided.

With the poll's 3 percentage point margin of error, the race could be a dead heat or a 7 percent margin for Richards.

"The Texas Poll we see now is

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File photo

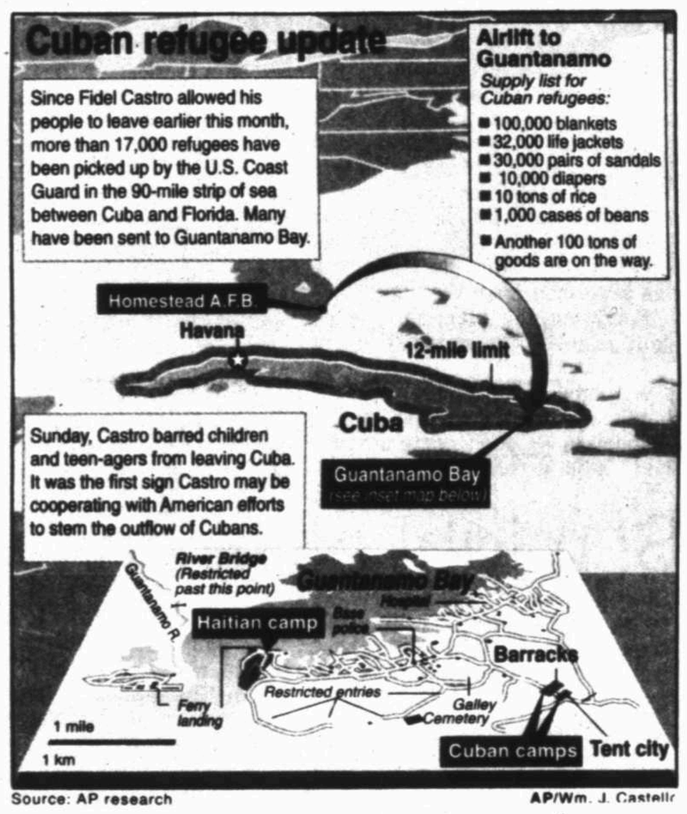
Among Texans, Gov. Richards has a favorable rating of 62 percent.

File photo

George W. Bush says he is pleased with the recent poll results.

U.S. may relax visa rules

Plan would boost Cuban immigration to end crisis



Source: AP research — AP/Wm. J. Castelli

A Cuban holds documents she needs to present to get a visa Monday outside the Mexican Embassy in Havana, Cuba. Besides the many refugees leaving by boats, hundreds line up at embassies in hopes of obtaining permission to leave the country. Last week, Fidel Castro asserted that the U.S. failure to grant more visas to Cubans has helped cause the mass exodus of refugees.

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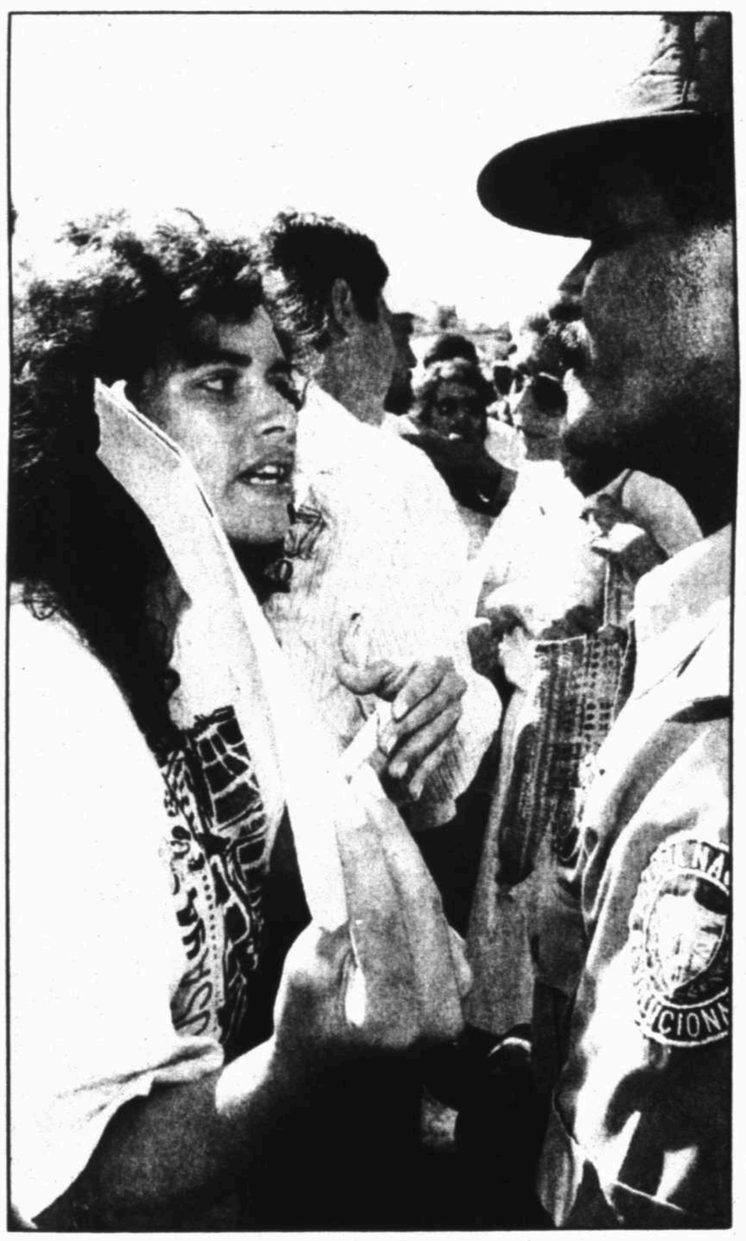

■ Exodus of refugees resumes as weather clears in Florida Straits.

By Steven Greenhouse
N.Y. Times News Service

WASHINGTON — The Clinton administration plans to ask the Cuban government to halt the exodus of boat people in return for an offer by the United States to relax its immigration rules and grant residency visas to more than 20,000 Cubans a year.

Over the last year, the United States granted residence visas to only 2,700 Cubans. The low number has caused Castro to complain that this is far below the legal ceiling of 27,845 Cubans that the administration is authorized to admit.

Last week, Castro asserted that the failure to grant more visas to Cubans has helped cause the mass exodus of Cubans aboard rickety rafts and boats.

Monday, as the weather cleared in the Florida Straits, the flow of refugees increased again, and scores of Cubans took to their boats in the hope of being rescued by the U.S. Coast Guard.

The new administration offer was being prepared in advance of talks scheduled for Thursday with Cuban diplomats in New York aimed at resolving immigration issues and easing tensions over the refugee crisis created when the latest exodus of Cubans began early this month.

The administration's plan represents another twist in its immigration policy toward Cuba, this

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Rumors rife as slayings, suspect's arrest stir up city's racial tensions

By Katherine Poteet
Staff Writer

The deaths of two Hispanic teen-agers during a late-night altercation Thursday have caused racial tensions to flare in Midland, according to police officials.

And, the arrest of a suspect Saturday in connection with the incident and burial of the two teens Monday have not eased the situation.

"We have had rumors of retaliation and have received calls here at the department from concerned citizens about teen-agers planning to hurt each other over this," said Sgt. David Garcia. "We will be very lucky if we get through this week and this holiday weekend without an incident of some sort."

Thursday's fatal shooting reportedly started as words were being exchanged between a group of Hispanic men and a

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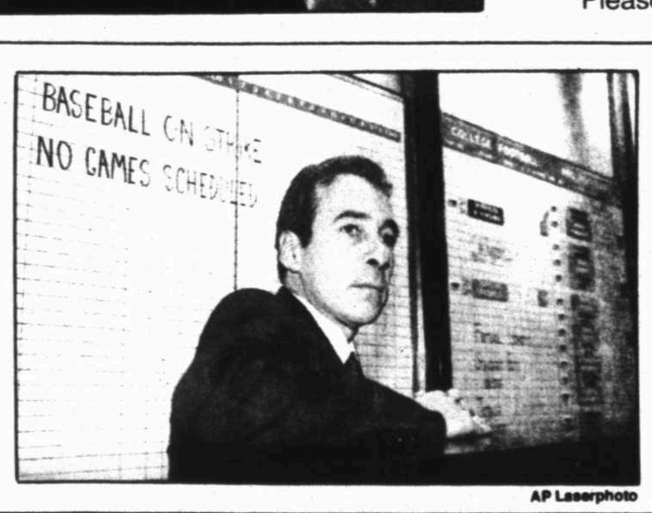

AP Laserphoto

Crunch time

It's finally crunch time in the 2-week-old baseball strike. Without significant progress by Labor Day, almost all experts agree that the 1994 season will be history. Story/8C

FDA approves first blood test for prostate-cancer detection

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Food and Drug Administration has approved the first blood test for prostate cancer, the second most common cancer killer of American men. Studies showed the test combined with the traditional exam can sharpen early detection of the disease.

The FDA announced Monday that the prostate-specific antigen, or PSA, blood test is approved for men over 50 when used along with the digital rectal exam, the clinical examination for enlarged prostate that has been used for decades.

Dr. Susan Alpert of the FDA said studies have shown that using the blood test along with the digital rectal exam was at least 25 percent more accurate in detecting early prostate cancer than either test alone.

"The combination predictive value of the two tests together is about 50 percent," Alpert said.

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File photo

Action brings the wildlife refuge center operated by Midge and Woody Erskine one step closer to legal status.

Planning, zoning board votes to allow wildlife rehab centers

By Tonie Miller-Uzzel
Staff Writer

The Planning and Zoning Commission voted 6-2 with one abstention Monday to recommend the City Council approve a "specific use permit" allowing wildlife rehabilitation centers in the city limits.

This action brings the Eos Wildlife Refuge Center, operated by Midge and Woody Erskine at their 3306 W. Golf Course Road residence, one step closer to getting back to caring for animals and not worrying about legal issues.

In March — after the city received a complaint about the property from owners of the adjacent lot — the City Council held a hearing to determine the fate of the wildlife rehabilitation center. The council prohibited the rehabilitation operation but gave the Erskines six months to make sub-

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POLL: Richards holds slim lead over Bush in gubernatorial race

(From 1A)

going to mirror the election . . . unless something dramatic happens," said Allan Saxe, associate professor of political science at the University of Texas at Arlington.

Richards' margin over Bush has narrowed since The Texas Poll in April, which showed the governor with a lead of 47 percent to 40 percent. Twelve percent were undecided in that poll.

Bush, who was campaigning in Corpus Christi Monday, said he was pleased with the most recent poll results.

"I attribute it to hard work. I've been all over the state of Texas, and my message of change is beginning to sink in," said Bush, managing general partner of the Texas Rangers baseball team and son of the former U.S. president.

The two main factors boosting Bush's campaign are his name recognition and President Clinton's unpopularity in Texas, Saxe said.

"George Bush has enormous name recognition. Regardless of what he says, he has a million-dollar name," Saxe said. "And George Bush has been able to capitalize on that name."

Both campaigns acknowledge that the race for governor is close.

"Certainly Ann Richards knew that, and I think everybody expected that," said Chuck McDonald, campaign spokesman for the governor.

McDonald said the Richards campaign is encouraged by a four-point margin over Bush, especially since Bush has been "running attack TV ads" in the past few weeks.

Meanwhile, Richards' favorable rating of opinions people have of her has dropped slightly since The Texas Poll in April.

Among all Texans, Richards has a favorable rating of 62 percent and an unfavorable rating of 32 percent, according to the most recent Texas Poll.

In April, Richards had a favorable rating of 67 percent and an unfavorable rating of 30 percent.

Despite the sag in her favorable rating since April, Richards is the most popular Texas governor in years.

"Her popularity is very high," Saxe said. "She should be running more than this in the polls. Her popularity is there, but it just doesn't translate as strong when she's up against Bush in the political polls."

At the same time, Bush's favorable and unfavorable ratings have increased since April.

Among all Texans, Bush's favorable rating rose from 52 percent in April to 58 percent in the most recent poll. His unfavorable rating has increased from 22 percent to 31 percent.

In addition, the poll shows that Texans are learning more about Bush. Eleven percent said they didn't know enough about Bush compared with 26 percent in the spring.

"He's been out campaigning and that generates media coverage," said Maxwell McCombs, professor of mass communication at the University of Texas in Austin. "Perhaps the most significant factor is the advertising campaign that is up and running now."

Both candidates have been running political commercial on television. And both candidates claim they are the best one to fight crime in the state.

Meanwhile, political commercials have already generated intense heat in the campaign.

Last week, one of Bush's commercials prompted McDonald to fired off a letter to a television station WFAA-TV in Dallas. In the commercial, Bush claims that there is a serious crime problem because the state doesn't keep violent criminals behind bars.

"It is a disservice to your viewers to allow a blatantly inaccurate political advertisement to misrepresent what is happening in Texas," McDonald wrote in the Aug. 22 letter.

McDonald called the ad "negative campaigning at its very worst."

"In Texas today, there are more violent offenders behind bars today than at any time in this state's history," McDonald wrote. "Since Ann Richards has been governor, Texas has taken several dramatic steps which have mandated more prison time for violent criminals."

Of likely voters, 26 percent say they see crime, violence and gang activity as the single most important issue in the race. Meanwhile, both Richards and Bush have made crime a central issue in their campaigns. "Everybody acknowledges that that is a top concern, not just in Texas but nationwide," said McDonald, Richards' campaign spokesman.

Bush said "nothing has been done" about crime, violence and gangs in Texas.

"There has been no leadership on the issue," Bush said.

Saxe said crime and education are big issues in the campaign despite statewide improvements in those areas.

"It's easy for George Bust to say these are big problems and make Governor Richards go on the defensive," said Saxe, associate professor of political science at University of Texas at Arlington. "Crime is down in many categories . . . but we don't feel it."

What Texans see is the intense media coverage of crime and political commercials that have focused on the issue, McCombs said. Maxwell McCombs, professor of mass communication at the University of Texas in Austin. "It (crime) has been an issue that's been highly salient in the state for a year," McCombs said. "There's an irony there because the basic statistics show that the crime rates are actually down in the state. What we may have is a classic case of mass media agenda-setting."

Twenty-one percent say they don't know what the most important issue is, according to the poll. Another 19 percent say education or the schools is the most important and 7 percent say the economy and jobs.

In April, 26 percent said they didn't know what they considered the most important issue in the race; 22 percent said education or schools; 12 percent said crime, violence and gangs; 11 percent said the economy and jobs; 6 percent taxes; 4 percent prisons and the judicial system; and 4 percent health care.

Meanwhile, among women Democrats likely to vote Richards leads Bush 90 percent to 3 percent. She also leads 81 percent to 13 percent with Democrat men.

Independent women voters support Richards by 56 percent to 34 percent, but the governor trails independent men 39 percent to 54 percent. Saxe pointed out that President Clinton, a Democrat, could have helped Richards but he is too unpopular in Texas.

"If there was a popular Democratic president in office, they (Richards' campaign) would bring him down to campaign in this race," Saxe said. "You're not going to see that this time. Even though that has not been a big issue yet, it can't help but depress the Richards campaign."

Among Republicans, Richards trails Bush 19 percent to 79 percent with Republican women and 17 percent to 82 percent with Republican men.

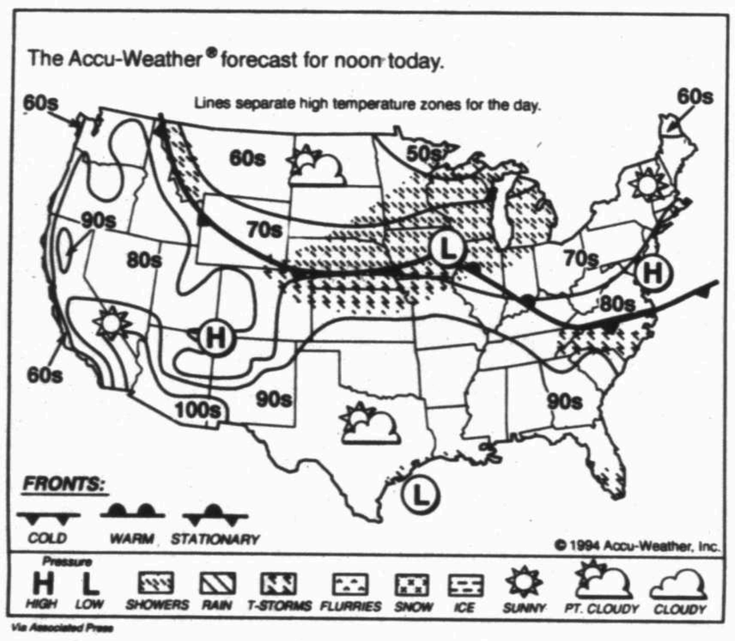
The survey sample includes 49 percent men and 51 percent women A the same as the state's overall population. Women traditionally vote more in Texas elections than men. But 52 percent of the men A compared with 48 percent of women A said they were "very likely" to vote in the November election, according to the poll.

"The real question in terms of election outcome is whether that pattern holds true on election day," said Candace Windel, managing director of The Texas Poll.

Saxe said Richards should stay away from personal attacks on Bush. During a recent stop in Texarkana, Richards reportedly referred to Bush as "some jerk." The comments were reported widely in the state media and provided fodder for talk show hosts and disc jockeys. "I don't think the public is going to go for that (name calling) much," Saxe said. "I don't think calling him a jerk was fatal. I think it's a minor thing but the press really picked up on it."

The Harte-Hanks Texas Poll is conducted for Harte-Hanks Communications Inc. by the Office of Survey Research of the University of Texas. The poll includes a statewide systematic random sample of 1,005 adult Texans, including 757 people deemed as likely voters in the fall election, who were surveyed by telephone. Margin of error for the whole sample is plus or minus 3 percentage points. The margin of error for likely voters is plus or minus 4 percentage points.

Weather Watch



Via Associated Press

Mercury to hang out at 100

Staff Report

Today's forecast calls for mostly sunny skies with a high between 95-100 and southeast winds at 10-20 mph. Tonight should be fair with a low in the lower 70s, according to the National Weather Service in Midland.

Wednesday should be partly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of rain and a high between 90-95.

After an overnight low of 68, Monday's high reached 96 compared to the record high for that date of 104 set in 1964. The record low was 61 set in 1987.

STATE

Temperatures were in the 90s across Texas, where mostly sunny skies prevailed Monday.

The relative humidity made apparent temperatures reach 100 across South Texas. Winds were southerly at 10 to 15 mph. A few showers were noted over southeast Texas.

Today's forecast for South Texas calls for bands of showers to move onshore, bringing near half-inch rainfall amounts. Partly cloudy skies will prevail with temperatures in the upper 90s.

Skies were generally mostly sunny in West Texas Monday. Highs ranged from 85 degrees at Guadalupe Pass to 98 degrees at Childress. Winds were mostly east to south at 5 to 15 mph.

NATION

Heavy rain fell Monday from the Plains to the East Coast along the leading edge of a mass of cold air pushing southward from Canada. Temperatures in northern Minnesota dropped into the 20s.

Showers extended from eastern Kansas across Missouri and the Tennessee Valley to the middle Atlantic region of Virginia and Maryland.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

Midland statistics

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NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	96 degrees
Overnight Low	68 degrees
Sunset today	8:15 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:23 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	00.00 inches
This month to date	00.33 inches
Year to date	06.68 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 p.m.	92	6 a.m.	70
7 p.m.	91	7 a.m.	69
8 p.m.	85	8 a.m.	75
9 p.m.	83	9 a.m.	80
10 p.m.	80	10 a.m.	85
11 p.m.	78	11 a.m.	89
midnight	76	noon	91
1 a.m.	76	1 p.m.	92
2 a.m.	75	2 p.m.	94
3 a.m.	72	3 p.m.	92
4 a.m.	70	4 p.m.	95
5 a.m.	69	5 p.m.	93
		6 p.m.	92

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Alpine	92	62	
Amarillo	95	60	
Austin	95	74	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	93	75	
Bryan-College Station	93	73	
Corpus Christi	93	75	
Dallas	98	75	
El Paso	101	72	
Fort Worth	98	75	
Galveston	89	81	
Houston	95	74	
Laredo	105	74	
Lubbock	97	71	
Marfa	89	56	
San Angelo	98	71	
San Antonio	99	78	
Victoria	93	72	
Waco	98	75	
Wink	96	70	

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albuquerque	92	69		cdy
Atlanta	93	74		cdy
Atlantic City	83	57	.10	rn
Baltimore	83	73	.14	cdy
Boston	81	65	.01	cdy
Chicago	79	53		cdy
Cleveland	75	63		rn
Denver	92	54		cdy
Detroit	76	54		rn
Flagstaff	80	50		clr
Indianapolis	79	56	.05	rn
Kansas City	85	56	1.39	cdy
Las Vegas	105	80		clr
Los Angeles	88	68		cdy
Louisville	80	65	.22	cdy
Memphis	93	73		cdy
Milwaukee	82	58		rn
Nashville	83	71		cdy
New Orleans	93	72		cdy
New York City	75	58	.07	rn
Oklahoma City	99	67		cdy
Orlando	90	70		cdy
Philadelphia	79	60	.10	rn
Phoenix	106	85		clr
Portland,Ore.	80	60	.01	cdy
Reno	89	49		clr
Sacramento	92	55		clr

Area forecast

West Texas: Permian Basin, Upper trans pecos — Today, mostly sunny. Highs 95-100. Tonight, fair. Lows in the lower 70s. Wednesday, partly cloudy with a slight chance of showers or thunderstorms. Highs 90-95. Wednesday night, partly cloudy with a slight chance of showers or thunderstorms. Lows in the mid-60s. Thursday through Saturday, a slight chance of thunderstorms Thursday and Friday, otherwise partly cloudy. Lows in the mid- to upper 60s. Highs in the mid-90s to near 90. Concho Valley, Edwards Plateau — Today, partly cloudy. Highs in the mid-90s. Tonight, fair. Lows in the lower 70s. Wednesday, partly cloudy. Highs in the mid-90s. Wednesday night, partly cloudy with a slight chance of showers or thunderstorms. Lows around 70. Thursday through Saturday, a slight chance of thunderstorms Thursday and Friday, otherwise partly cloudy. Lows in the mid- to upper 70s. Highs in the mid- to upper 90s.

P&Z: Vote approves wildlife rehab centers

(From 1A)

stantial relocation efforts or seek proper zoning.

In June, the Erskines filed an application for the city to determine the proper zoning classification for a wildlife rehabilitation center, according to city officials. The Erskines maintain the application was merely to "recognize and confirm wildlife rehabilitation activities" on their property.

Earlier this month, the City Council extended the six-month deadline for proper rezoning until Jan. 11.

The issue of the zoning classification was then turned over to the Planning and Zoning Commission who held a public hearing two weeks ago and met again Monday to make a recommendation.

The city's planning and zoning staff presented a recommendation that would permit a wildlife rehabilitation center on a minimum of two acres, in certain zoned areas, with a specific use permit for a term of typically two years.

The staff also suggested a wildlife rehabilitation center be defined as a facility recognized as such by state and federal government.

The commission approved a recommendation for a specific use permit with a term, with no size constraints, in agricultural estates, single family dwellings and in the least restrictive commercial district as long as it meets federal and state guidelines.

Commissioners John Nobles and Douglas Heck voted against the recommendation while Mark Wellen abstained from the vote.

Following the meeting, Nobles said none of the commissioners are against the wildlife rehabilitation center, however they wanted to place restrictions on the recommendation so such centers won't be located in residential areas.

The commission debated over whether to create regulations or set standards for wildlife rehabilitation centers or to allow them as long as they meet federal and state regulations.

Most of the commissioners expressed their wishes to avoid over-regulation.

Commissioner Evelyn Gould made a motion for the recommendation that was seconded by James Devenport, however discussion ensued on if particular provisions should be made to prevent debates in the future over similar rehabilitation centers.

Commissioner Bo Zertuche related a correlation between alcohol regulations and the wildlife rehabilitation center issue. He said the state regulates businesses that sell alcohol and the Planning and Zoning Commission has a say in where these establishments can be located through the use of a specific use permit without any special standards.

Mayor Bobby Burns said the City Council must ultimately decide whether the recommendation will be approved or scrapped.

Burns said the issue will be on the agenda for the next City Council meeting.

City officials said the Erskines must, after a zoning determination has been made, seek the appropriate zoning for a wildlife rehabilitation center on their property or elsewhere.

The Erskines' have operated the rehabilitation facility — state and federally licensed — for more than 20 years.

Gregg Owens, attorney for the Erskines, said he was encouraged by the commission's vote and is ready to resolve the situation. The issue of the Eos rehabilitation center was raised when adjacent neighbors filed a complaint with the city earlier this year.

RELAX: U.S. might ease immigration rules

(From 1A)

time in the form of bending immigration laws to make it easier for Cubans to enter the country legally.

For instance, it plans to grant entry to cousins and grandparents of Cuban-Americans and grant refugee status to some Cubans even if they do not meet the strict standards for asylum.

Under existing immigration rules, the parents, children, spouses and siblings of naturalized Americans can qualify for visas, but cousins do not.

According to several officials, Attorney General Janet Reno plans to use her emergency powers under the immigration laws to raise the number of Cubans admitted each year to the legal ceiling.

To help reach the ceiling, she is also expected to allow some or all of the 19,700 Cubans who are on a waiting list for visas to jump the line and receive visas this year. Some of those Cubans, many of them brothers and sisters of Cuban-Americans, have been waiting for visas for 10 years.

Several administration officials said they hoped that this new offer would win Castro's approval and put an end to the refugee crisis, in which the Coast Guard has picked up more than 18,000 Cubans in the Straits of Florida since Aug. 1.

"We think the Cubans need to control illegal departures and we need to facilitate legal departures," said a White House official.

Castro has long pushed Washington to expand legal immigration from Cuba, partly because it would help serve as a safety valve for discontented Cubans to leave the island.

In 1984, the Reagan administration agreed to grant visas to up to 20,000 Cubans a year.

TEST: FDA approves early detection tool

(From 1A)

The FDA action will permit Hybritech Corp. of San Diego to market its Tandem PSA Assay kit as a diagnostic aid.

PSA tests were first approved in 1986 and are being used now for monitoring patients already diagnosed with prostate cancer. Alpert said the blood test is used to determine if prostate cancer had spread or if tumors had recurred in patients who had had prostate surgery.

With the new FDA action, the PSA test formally becomes a clinical diagnostic tool.

Some doctors already were relying on PSA tests for prostate cancer detection, a technique recommended by the American Urological Association last January.

In a policy statement, the association said the digital rectal exam and the PSA measurement "substantially increase the early detection of prostate cancer" and said the combination tests were most appropriate for men aged 50 or older and for those 40 and older who have added risk factors. These risk factors would include blacks and men who have a family history of prostate cancer.

The FDA made no recommendation on how often the tests should be performed.

RIFE: Police Department appeals for calm

(From 1A)

group of black men at 938 N. Dallas St. Police officials said the altercation quickly became physical and several shots were fired by one of the black men.

Police responded to the scene at about 11:45 p.m. and found Augustine Vidal and Romaldo Gonzalez Jr., both 18, dead in front of the residence. Both were pronounced dead by Justice of the Peace Keith Jobe at 12:52 a.m. Friday.

Officials also found Isa Romero, 29, who had suffered gunshot wounds to the chest and neck, but was conscious. Romero was transported to Memorial Hospital and Medical Center, where he was listed in stable condition Monday.

Officials released 18-year-old Brandon Deshon Richardson's picture to the media Friday in connection with the shooting. Richardson turned himself into Odessa officials Saturday at 9:47 a.m. and he is charged with two counts of murder and one count of attempted murder.

Garcia said Richardson will not give the names of anyone who might have been with him the night of the shooting.

"So, we have two other black men out on the streets," he said. "It's going to get around pretty soon as to who they are and there are a lot of people who will want to get at them."

Garcia said the police are urging citizens not to take the law into their own hands.

"The police need to handle this," he said. "People taking matters into their own hands will only end up with more problems. To answer violence with more violence will only end up with innocent people being hurt or killed."

The Police Department is looking at increasing the number of officers out on the street and Garcia said the department is making it clear that anyone who engages in any kind of violent activity will face the consequences.

"We are not tolerating any forms of retaliation," Garcia said. "Anyone who thinks they can get away with it is wrong. And, we are urging citizens who hear of any such plans to contact us. They can do it anonymously if they want. Maybe we can prevent any kind of violence before it gets started."

Pick 3 Texas

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

5-4-4

Correction

Incorrect waiver days — which are staff development days for teachers and school holidays for students — were announced in Sunday's education section. The correct October waiver day for Bush, Lamar, DeZavala and Washington elementary schools is Oct. 10.

Information provided from the Midland Independent School District was incorrect. The Reporter-Telegram regrets the error.

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The World in brief

■ U.S. visit sparks dissident crackdown

BEIJING — The arrival of a U.S. Cabinet member kicked into gear China's security apparatus with the usual round of dissident detentions and surveillance that accompany any sensitive Western visit.

Dissidents have felt abandoned since U.S. authorities disconnected the issue of human rights from trade. Human rights groups say the move freed Chinese authorities to crack down harder.

Over the weekend, police started taking up positions outside the homes of political activists in Beijing. Some dissidents reported being followed to work and at least one dissident's phone line appears to have been cut.

■ Saudis pull out of population conference

CAIRO, Egypt — Saudi Arabia will not take part in the U.N. population conference next month in Cairo, U.N. officials here said on Monday, giving rise to fears that other Islamic nations will follow the lead of the influential Saudis.

The Saudis' withdrawal supplies political ammunition to both moderate and militant Islamic groups that have condemned the conference as a plot to dominate the Muslim world by spreading Western "immorality."

The agenda for the conference, which has also drawn fire from the Vatican, addresses the impact that population pressures have on development. As one part of this study, the conference members are to discuss family planning, contraception, abortion, and other issues that many Muslims, Roman Catholics, Orthodox Jews, and others oppose on moral grounds.

■ Searchers find bodies of DEA agents

LIMA, Peru — The U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration said on Monday that searchers had found the bodies of five agents who were aboard an anti-drug plane that crashed on Saturday in the Upper Huallaga Valley, where most of the world's cocaine is produced.

The twin-engined jet, which was carrying two pilots and three enforcement agents, was on a routine reconnaissance mission when it went down.

The Peruvian air force located the wreckage of the plane in the thick jungle of the Andean foothills on Sunday afternoon, but rescue crews did not reach the site until Monday afternoon because of rugged terrain and poor weather, American officials here said.

There was wide speculation here that the plane had been shot down by drug traffickers or leftist guerrillas who operate in the region and have attacked an air base in Santa Lucia where the DEA maintains its planes.

■ U.N. takes part in Zaire-Rwanda talks

GOMA, Zaire — Zaire and Rwanda's Tutsi-led government held U.N.-sponsored talks Monday to find ways to persuade more than 1 million Hutu refugees to return to Rwanda.

Filippo Grandi of the U.N. High Commissioner for Refugees met with Zairian officials and the Rwandan Patriotic Front, but the meeting ended without a resolution. They are to resume talks Tuesday.

The success of the talks, however, depends on support from Rwanda's former Hutu-led government, which was overthrown in July by the Tutsis. Exiled Hutu leaders in Zaire say they will ask refugees to return only after the Tutsis agree to share power and U.N. peacekeepers ensure the refugees' safety.

Hutu zealots, meanwhile, kept up a campaign of intimidation in the teeming refugee camps just over the border in Zaire, killing another Hutu refugee who advocated returning to Rwanda.

■ Middle East embarks on slow change

JERUSALEM — Three Palestinians, their travel permit expired, approached the checkpoint. Israeli soldiers at first were gruff, but then offered the Palestinians a deal: Beat them at arm wrestling and they could go.

Three lively bouts later the Palestinians were on their way, allowed to head back to Hebron.

The encounter would have been unthinkable before the Israel-PLO negotiations that became public a year ago Tuesday with the electrifying announcement that secret talks in Oslo, Norway, had produced a rough deal.

The results of those talks have so far altered the dynamics of the Middle East, its senior architects front-runners for this year's Nobel Peace Prize.

But the gradual accommodation between Israel and its neighbors has yet to involve any painful sacrifices in land or principles.

■ Yeltsin to arrive in Germany for pullout

WUENSDORF, Germany — Until the fall of the Berlin Wall, the Wuensdorf base served as the command center for Europe's largest occupation force. It was a thriving city of 70,000, a plum posting for Russian officers.

Now it's such a sad sight that even Russian President Boris Yeltsin plans to avoid it.

Yeltsin arrives tonight on a state visit to deactivate the Russian army's West Group. He will preside Wednesday as departing Russian troops bid a final ceremonial farewell in Berlin, an hour away.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

Gunmen slay priest who saved Aristide's life

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti (AP) — The Rev. Jean-Marie Vincent once threw his body on Jean-Bertrand Aristide to save the future president from assassins with machetes.

Vincent survived that attack — but not an ambush outside his home Sunday night.

The death shocked the beleaguered pro-Aristide community and shattered an apparent taboo against killing priests that had protected the clergy after the military seized power in a September 1991 coup.

"It is outrageous to learn that one more Haitian pro-democracy activist ... has been shot dead," the Rev. Gerald Jean-Juste, a former senior Aristide government official, said Monday.

The assassination of the gentle Roman Catholic priest was denounced as a new low in Haiti's climate of terror.

"The Haitian people are tired of counting corpses," said the Rev. Jean-Yves Urfie, coordinator of the pro-Aristide Creole-language weekly Libete, reading a statement signed by 53 priests and nuns from the Haitian Conference of Religion. "Too much blood has been shed in front of our own eyes."

In a statement from his government-in-exile headquarters in Washington, Aristide called Vincent "a champion of democracy, self-determination and empowerment."

"The nation's commitment to democracy and justice is part of the legacy that he ... and other fallen leaders leave behind. Their tragic deaths will not undo this important work. Nor will it impede the march of the nation toward a peaceful end to the crisis."

Secretary of State Warren Christopher, in a statement released in Washington, called Vincent's death "a tragic and sad reflection of the state of brutal repression and violence that characterizes life in Haiti today."

AP Laserphoto

Women weep during a prayer vigil outside the church in Port-au-Prince, where the Rev. Jean-Marie Vincent was killed Sunday night.

Clergymen have been beaten, imprisoned and expelled from Haiti, but Vincent was the first killed since the military took power.

Vincent was wounded in the head April 23, 1987, when he dived between Aristide and attacking thugs during an election campaign.

The November 1987 elections were canceled after months of army-orchestrated terror. Later, Aristide was elected by a landslide in December 1990, but overthrown in a September 1991 coup.

After the coup, Vincent continued to work with the poor. He raised money for grass-roots groups, helped peasants find better markets for their crops and channeled money from Europe, Canada and the United States to small neighborhood businesses.

"It's not as if they killed just one man," said Claudette Werleigh, who worked with Vincent at Catholic Relief Services. "Maybe tens of thousands of people were benefiting from his personal work, in literacy, in development.

"He was a nation-builder," she said from Washington. "Those people who killed him — I'm not sure they even realize what they have done."

Bosnian Serbs say 'no,' but Russian presses diplomacy

Associated Press

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina — Bosnian Serbs overwhelmingly rejected what was billed as a last-chance peace plan, but the Russian foreign minister on Monday urged them to reconsider.

The world powers now face a variety of unappealing options. Washington has to decide whether to lift an arms embargo against the Bosnian Muslims. Bosnian Serb leader Radovan Karadzic has threatened to attack foreigners in retaliation, which could force Britain and France to withdraw their peacekeeping troops.

In addition, Russia is under pressure from nationalists at home to lift sanctions on Serbia. And Serbia could send the Yugoslav army into the war if Bosnian Muslim troops begin to recapture territory from the Serbs.

The results of the Serb referendum were no surprise in Sarajevo, the capital of the Muslim-led government. Sarajevans expressed resignation and despair at the prospect of another winter of fighting that could threaten food aid to hundreds of thousands of Bosnians.

"Of course they won't accept the plan," said 60-year-old Ivica Marjanovic. "They want more war."

Officials at Bosnian Serb headquarters in Pale, east of Sarajevo, said about 90 percent of those voting in the weekend referendum rejected the plan crafted by the United States, Russia, France, Britain and Germany. Final results were to be announced Wednesday.

But the answer was clear, and it deepened prospects that the 28-month-old Bosnian war, which has already left 200,000 dead or missing, would spiral out of control.

The 'no' vote also put the onus of ending the Bosnian war back on the international community. But all options threatened to open a rift between the United States and Russia, as well as between Washington and its European allies.

Thousands swell refugee camps; U.S. base throbs with discontent

N.Y. Times News Service

GUANTANAMO BAY NAVAL STATION, Cuba — Swelling with thousands of Cuban and Haitian refugees, this sprawling training base has been transformed in the last week from a tranquil pocket of Americana in the Caribbean to a place of throbbing discontent.

Almost everyone here is unhappy, especially the Cubans and Haitians who fled their countries in flimsy rafts and rickety boats and who hoped or expected that they would end up in the United States.

"We are in jail," shouted Daniel Jardin, 32, a teacher from Havana, from behind one of the wire fences. "We were in jail in Cuba and now we are in another jail. We want to go to Miami."

Standing in the broiling sun, sweating, and caked with the fine powdery topsoil churned loose by the bulldozers clearing land for the encampments, hundreds of bare-chested Cuban men chanted to a group of visiting journalists: "It's bad! It's bad!"

"We have no clean clothes, no shoes, no freedom," said Rolando Garcia Rodriguez, 31.

Many of the Cubans said they had heard of the change in U.S. policy that barred them from receiving the automatic political asylum that had been theirs for nearly three decades, and that they knew that a picket of Navy and Coast Guard vessels stretched like a great barrier reef just beyond Cuban waters.

But they decided to set out anyway, thinking, many said, that it just couldn't be true. Somehow or other the United States would take them.

Drinker spends night inside chimney pipe

STOCKHOLM, Sweden (AP) — When Gerda Langer got to work at a hotel in southern Sweden, she heard a voice calling for help — from inside a wall.

After a search Sunday, firemen broke open a chimney pipe and found a 22-year-old man who had been drinking at the Vaxjo City Hotel bar the previous night, the newspaper Expressen reported.

After one drink too many Saturday night, he took a walk on the hotel roof and fell 45 feet down the chimney. He landed close to the bar, but behind the wall.

The man spent nine hours in the chimney before Ms. Langer heard his calls. When he was pulled out, he was scratched and black with soot, but quite sober, the report said.

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Military board recommends 5 court martials over 'friendly fire'

WASHINGTON (AP) — A senior military board has recommended that up to five AWACS crew members be court-martialed for their part in the accidental downing of two U.S. Army helicopters over Iraq last April, Pentagon sources said Monday.

Twenty-six people, including 15 Americans, were killed in the April 14 "friendly fire" incident, one of the worst self-inflicted losses in U.S. military history.

"This is a very preliminary recommendation to the senior convening authority," said one senior Pentagon source, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

That authority, a three-star Air Force general, must review the recommendation and decide whether to refer the cases for further action by the military's judicial system.

The board suggested that dereliction of duty charges be brought against those involved in controlling air operations over northern Iraq, a second source said.

The two F-15 pilots are also expected to face some type of disciplinary action. Whether they also will face a court-martial is still being looked at, the second official said.

A Pentagon study of the incident released last month showed that the controllers on board the AWACS aircraft knew the two Black Hawk choppers were in the area, but failed to warn two F-15 pilots when the fliers reported that they had sighted the helicopters.

The two F-15 pilots, believing the Black Hawks were Iraqis, shot them down one after another.

The recommendations about the AWACS crew members will go to Lt. Gen. Steve Croker, the commander of the 8th Air Force in Barksdale, La. Croker has command of all the Air Force's Airborne Warning and Control Systems aircraft.

Croker will decide whether the recommendation should be accepted, and whether the cases against the crew members should move forward.

Tapes reveal flight's crew never got wind-shear warning before fatal crash

CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP) — The pilots of USAir Flight 1016 missed a wind shear warning for all of Charlotte-Douglas International airport just seconds before the DC-9 crashed and killed 37 passengers, tapes revealed Monday.

While approaching the airport in a driving rainstorm, the crew had switched from one tower radio frequency to another shortly before the all-points warning was issued, said Phil Loftin, manager of the air traffic control tower at the airport.

Wind shear, a sudden, dangerous shift in wind speed and direction caused by a downward rush of cooled air, is one of the suspected causes of the July 2 crash.

The Federal Aviation Administration played portions of the recorded conversations between the flight crew and air traffic controllers at a media briefing Monday. The agency also distributed written transcripts of the radio transmissions.

Twenty people survived the crash, including Capt. Michael Greenlee and First Officer James Hayes.

Greenlee and Hayes could be called to testify at National Transportation Safety Board hearings set to begin Sept. 19. The NTSB isn't expected to issue its findings on the cause until next year.

During Flight 1016's approach, the crew was in radio contact with several different airport controllers. Pilots routinely switch to different radio frequencies as they approach the airport, Loftin said.

Loftin did not offer an explanation why the all-points wind-shear alert was not mentioned on the frequency that Flight 1016 was using.

"During that two or three seconds, the radio frequency may not have been clear," he said. "If you look closely, we're talking about a matter of seconds."

Race emerges as issue in Simpson case

■ More national news/1D

LOS ANGELES (AP) — A racial undercurrent in the O.J. Simpson case surfaced in court Monday as defense lawyers attacked the credibility of the detective who found a bloody glove on Simpson's estate by suggesting he is racist.

The officer's lawyer accused "desperate, snooping defense attorneys" of character assassination.

"The lives of two innocent human beings have been tragically taken in this matter. Now a third life is being destroyed day by day," said Detective Mark Fuhrman's attorney, Robert H. Tourtelot. "What Mark is experiencing is a result of having been falsely accused of being a racist and a bad cop."

Allegations flew during the heated hearing on what rights the defense has to police and military files on Fuhrman. The detective says he found a bloody glove outside Simpson's house the day after the killings of Simpson's ex-wife and a friend. The glove, Fuhrman said, appeared to be the mate of one found at the murder scene.

Superior Court Judge Lance Ito said he would rule on whether to make any Fuhrman records available after reading written arguments.

Ito also revived the tantalizing subject of the mystery sealed envelope turned over to the court earlier by the defense. He said attorneys on Wednesday would discuss the issue of disclosing the contents.

Defense attorneys argued they needed Fuhrman's records to see if the white officer is a racist and a liar whose credibility can be challenged when he testifies at trial against Simpson, who is black.

"This is an officer, according to his own records, who couldn't stand it anymore, who couldn't stand dealing with those minorities," said defense lawyer Johnnie Cochran Jr.

He said the issue was especially important because Nicole Simpson was white.

"If in fact . . . this officer harbors racial animosity toward African-Americans, and more specifically African-Americans who are married to Caucasians, that becomes very relevant," said Cochran.

Tourtelot lashed back, accusing the defense of trying to shift attention from Simpson and the murders by destroying Fuhrman's name.

"The only people calling Mark a racist are these attorneys for the defense," he said. "We're going to fight back. By the time of the trial in this case, the entire world will know that Mark is not a racist."

Jury selection is set to begin Sept. 19 for Simpson's trial on murder charges in the June 12 slashing deaths of Nicole Brown Simpson, 35, and Ronald Goldman, 25. He has pleaded innocent.

Fuhrman, whose testimony could be among the most damaging against Simpson, said at a preliminary hearing that he found the bloody glove behind the guest house used by Brian "Kato" Kaelin at the Simpson estate on the morning after the murders.

Prosecutors have alleged Simpson dropped the glove in the darkness at his estate after committing the murders.

Published reports have quoted anonymous sources saying the defense may try to argue at trial that Fuhrman planted the glove.

The defense said nothing at the hearing about a possible frame-up.

Study: Tests identify people at risk of Alzheimer's

NEW YORK (AP) — Elderly people can learn if they're at high risk of getting Alzheimer's or a similar disease within a few years by taking a series of standard psychological tests, scientists say.

The tests, given to outwardly healthy people, identified one group with an 85 percent rate of developing intellect-robbing dementia within four years, and another group who went on to get dementia at only a 5 percent rate over that time.

That means the tests can distinguish between those who should get a more detailed evaluation and make plans for their future care, and those who can be reassured they have little short-term risk, said the study's lead author, Dr. David Masur.

"If you score well on these tests, we can confidently say that over the next four years you probably won't be getting dementia," he said.

Dementia basically refers to significant declines in intellectual abilities such as memory and reasoning. Alzheimer's disease is the most common kind of dementia.

Masur is an associate clinical professor of neurology at the Albert Einstein College of Medicine and the Montefiore Medical Center in New York. He and colleagues present the study in the August issue of the journal Neurology.

While other scientists are doing similar work, Masur's result "is probably the best in terms of predictive value so far," said Dr. Leonard Berg, chairman of the Alzheimer's Association Medical and Scientific Advisory Board.

"It's good work and it's important work," said Berg, a neurologist who directs the Alzheimer's Disease Research Center at the Washington University School of Medicine in St. Louis.

Masur and Berg called the tests useful for people in their 70s and 80s who are generally healthy and free of multiple medications that could impair their performance on the tests.

The tests are given by neuropsychologists and should not be taken at home, Masur said. He said people who want to take the tests should discuss a referral to a neuropsychologist with their physician.

Most dementia is not curable, but early warning that it may be coming allows a person to plan for future care, get financial matters in order and prepare relatives for what may come, Masur said. A study published earlier this month found that caring for an Alzheimer's patient cost an average of $213,732 over the patient's remaining life, mainly for round-the-clock care.

The study involved 317 healthy people with an average age of 79 who initially showed no sign of dementia. Researchers gave them a battery of psychological tests and then followed them for four years. Then they went back and identified four tests that best predicted dementia.

In an interview, Masur noted that the tests did better at identifying people who would remain free of dementia than pointing out those who would develop it.

LABOR DAY WEEKEND DEADLINES

The business and advertising offices of the Midland Reporter-Telegram will be closed Monday, September 5 in observance of Labor Day.

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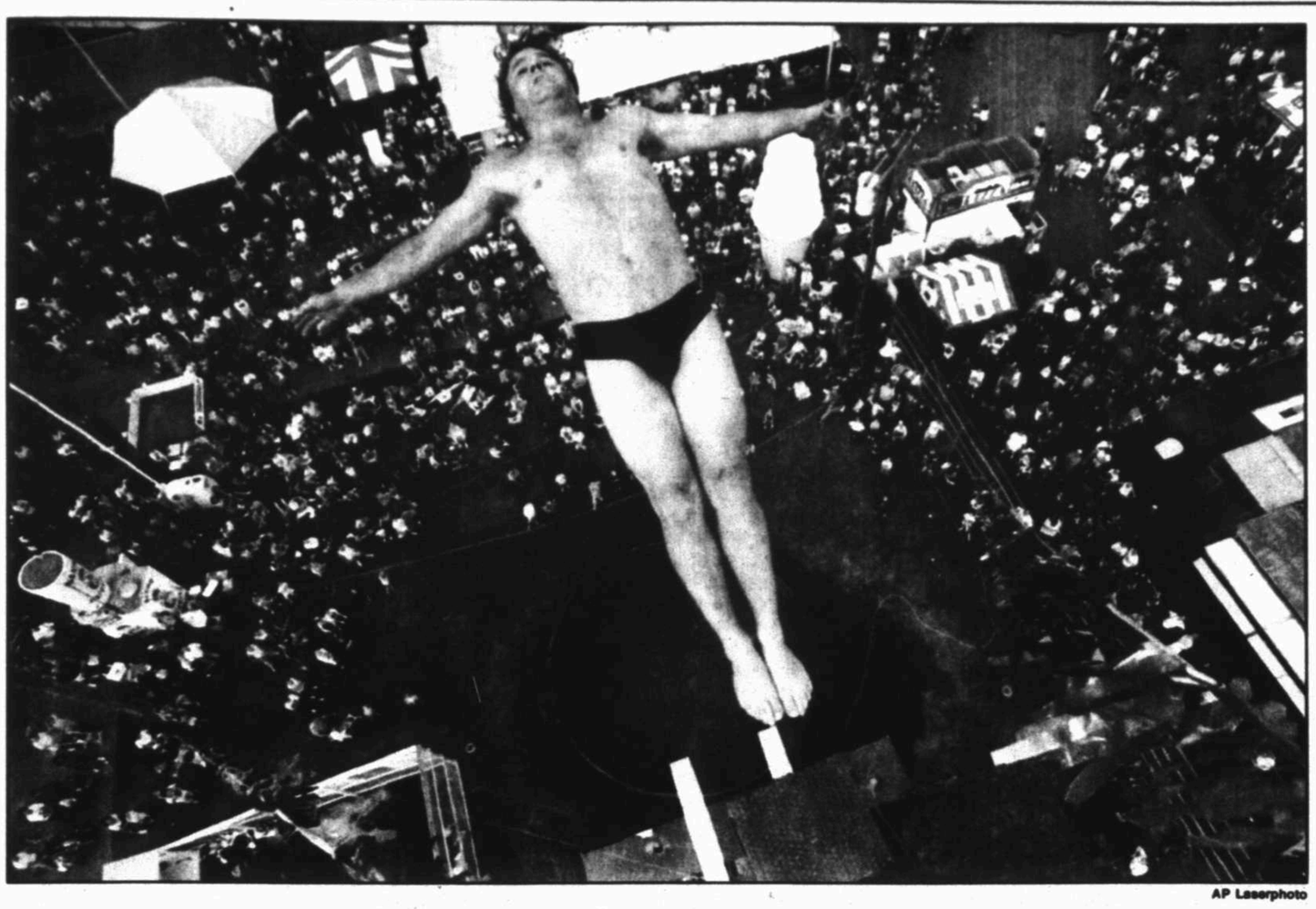

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Fair fall

Diver Dana Kunze falls backward 80 feet towards the pool below to the thrill of visitors at the New York State Fair in Geddes, N.Y. over the weekend. The All-American High Dive Team performance includes former Olympians and World High Dive champions. The fair runs through Labor Day.

Mom loses 2 sons who 'do the right thing'

By Pat Milton
Associated Press

NEW YORK — Christina Vaccarino always taught her children to be kind and help people in need. They learned the lesson, perhaps too well.

Attempts to help others have cost two of her sons their lives.

Mrs. Vaccarino buried one son, Edward, 11 years ago after he was knifed to death trying to stop a street robbery. She relived the tragedy last week, when another son, Glenn Iscoe, was shot to death trying to break up a bagel store holdup.

"I blame myself for my son's death," Mrs. Vaccarino said Thursday at her home in Queens borough. "In our family, whether you know a person or not, you help them out when they're in need. That's a lesson I've taught my children."

"I know he was listening to my words when he went to help those people," she said, her voice choked with sorrow. "Maybe he'd be alive today if I hadn't taught him that."

Iscoe, 35, was taking a break from driving his livery cab and stopped for coffee at the bagel shop. As he waited in line, a skinny, nervous man in front of him pulled out a .40-caliber gun and announced a robbery, pointing the gun at the two employees behind the counter, police said.

"Hurry up! Hurry up or somebody's going to get killed!" the robber shouted as the employees began putting cash in a paper bag.

Videotape from a store surveillance camera, released by police, graphically captured Iscoe lunging at the robber and trying to knock the gun from his hand.

He missed, and when he lunged a second time, the suspect fired once into Iscoe's left temple. The robber then coolly collected his booty — $178 in cash and Iscoe's wallet — and left. The robber is still at large.

"I can't help but think he'd be alive today if he didn't try to help," said John DePalo, manager of the bagel shop. "He made the ultimate sacrifice to save someone." The employees were not injured.

Police have long warned citizens about the dangers of trying to stop a crime.

"People get robbed every day," said Lt. Louis Pagnotta, who is heading the investigation. "Ninety-nine percent of them give it (property) over. Here's a guy who took it upon himself to try and stop a crime. He tried to do the right thing but it didn't turn out right."

Iscoe's younger brother also died trying to be a good Samaritan. The off-duty, 23-year-old correction officer interceded in a street robbery outside a Queens movie theater in 1983 and was stabbed to death.

"You have no choice but to keep going," Mrs. Vaccarino said of losing two sons so violently. She has two other children, Gary, 32, an attorney from West Palm Beach, Fla., and Kelly, 24, also of Queens.

Einstein's adopted town debates statue theories

■ Some folks in Princeton believe famous physicist wouldn't want statue, others think town should honor its genius.

N.Y. Times News Service

PRINCETON, N.J. — For decades, scientists have interpreted the theories of Albert Einstein. Now the borough of Princeton, where the prominent physicist spent his final years, is trying to interpret his wishes — specifically what he would think about a proposal to erect a statue to him here.

It's an idea that started this year when two French tourists asked Dr. Melvin A. Benarde for directions to Einstein's house.

"Princeton and Einstein are like one," said Benarde, a longtime Princeton resident and doctor of public health at Temple University in Philadelphia. "People come here because of that, but we don't have an Einstein street, a park, a plaza, a statue. Nothing."

There is, however, an Einstein Drive on the campus of the nearby Institute for Advanced Study, whose faculty Einstein joined in 1933 after the rise of Nazism in Germany, his native country.

And so Benarde commissioned a small figure of Einstein, wearing a baggy sweater and carrying pipe and papers, and began raising the $60,000 needed for a life-sized version in bronze.

But at a Borough Council meeting on Aug. 2, only one member voted in favor of providing a site for the statue. The other five abstained, sending the idea into a limbo that may be as inescapable as the gravitational field of a black hole.

"I was absolutely taken aback," said Benarde, who plans to reintroduce his proposal.

Mildred Trotman, a Council member still undecided about the statue, said many residents had voiced strong disapproval of it. "They felt this is not what Einstein would have wanted," she said.

Indeed, there is widespread agreement among those who knew Einstein that he was as humble as he was brilliant.

Lyman Spitzer Jr., an emeritus professor of astronomy at Princeton University who knew Einstein during his last years, recalled his giving an hour's lecture on a mistake he had made in a paper on gravitational waves. "Not many people would do that," Spitzer said.

James R. Blackwood, a former Princeton resident now retired in Sarasota, Fla., was a teen-ager when his family befriended the newly arrived Einstein and his wife Elsa. "I remember more than once hearing Einstein say, 'Whatever I have is a gift and anything I have discovered others would have discovered after me,' " Blackwood said.

Einstein, whose ashes were scattered after his death in Princeton in 1955, requested that his home at 112 Mercer Street not become a museum. The Institute for Advanced Study, which acquired the house for faculty use, honored this request and has taken no position on the statue, said a spokesman, Norman McNatt.

Interest in the physicist was heightened this spring by local filming of the romantic comedy "I.Q." featuring Walter Matthau as Einstein.

During the filming, a local businessman, Robert Landau, installed Einstein memorabilia, including rare photos, letters and Einstein's pipe, in the window of his downtown clothing store.

The display still attracts hundreds of people each week and the items will be used next year by the Historical Society of Princeton in an exhibition on Einstein as scientist and cultural icon.

As Princeton wrestles with its desires to honor Einstein but not offend his image, Landau has collected about $600 in donations for the proposed statue.

Princeton would hardly be an exception if it built a monument, Landau points out: the apartment in Berne, Switzerland, where Einstein developed his early theories of relativity is a museum, and a giant Einstein figure at the National Academy of Sciences in Washington is a popular attraction.

Included in Landau's display are items from the international cottage industry in Einstein posters, calendars and T-shirts.

Roger Richman, whose Beverly Hills, Calif., agency handles the Einstein image, said that under the physicist's will any royalties now benefit Hebrew University in Jerusalem. The statue, as a nonprofit endeavor, will not require royalties.

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Curfew decision needs your input

Does Midland really need a curfew for juveniles?

That's the question Midland city officials have been posing to residents in recent weeks at public hearings attended by council members, Police Chief Richard Czech, City Attorney Keith Stretcher, other officials and a smattering of Midland residents.

Opinions vary widely on both the need for a curfew and whether such a move would do any good at controlling juvenile crime. One fact should not be overlooked, though. One more public hearing will be held before action is taken on the question of a curfew, and if you want to have a part in shaping the decision, you need to attend the final hearing at 7 p.m. Sept. 13 at Midland Center.

A proposed Midland curfew, the result of a February 1993 grand jury recommendation, would call for anyone under the age of 17 to be home between 11 p.m. and 6 a.m. Sundays through Thursdays and from midnight until 6 a.m. on Fridays and Saturdays. There also would be several exceptions included in the curfew.

We do not favor establishment of a curfew since it would, in effect, punish or limit the freedom of all juveniles because of the actions of a few. Rather, we would like to see more aggressive enforcement of existing laws against the juveniles who break them. The longtime, nighttime practice of knocking over brick mail box stands and rashes of spray paintings and shooting out of car windows are just a few of the more prevalent antics of vandals that demand a crackdown by authorities in whatever way possible.

We believe society should punish juvenile lawbreakers, not all juveniles in general.

There is no question Midland is experiencing a juvenile problem to an extent, as is much of Texas, but establishment of a curfew is a big step that will affect the lives of both the good young people and the bad. It simply doesn't make sense to punish the good youths for no reason.

Be certain to attend the final curfew hearing on Sept. 13 and make your wishes known to city officials. A curfew is a major step, and you should have a part in deciding what Midland does in regard to it.

OTHER VIEWS

Don't let 'TAAS mania' control our education

The Texas State Teachers Association has made a serious accusation that deserves a follow-up.

It has asserted that teachers in Texas are spending as much as a third of their time in the classroom drilling students for the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills.

"Higher-order thinking skills and enrichment activities are becoming the first casualties of TAAS," TSTA alleged.

The comments were based on a survey of teachers in 100 school districts that asked about instructional time spent on TAAS in the district. The survey came up with an incredible 11 hours per week, or about one-third of students' time in class.

It's possible that time spent on TAAS is inflated in the minds of teachers, who increasingly are under the gun to improve test scores. But even if they spent half that amount of time teaching for a single test it would be too much. . . .

We want our children to learn how to use the language creatively, not spend their time learning to fill in the blank with blank phrasing.

Once again, there are students who need the most basic of remediation in dealing with the basic skills of TAAS, but their struggles should not translate into dead time for students who have the basics and deserve enrichment.

TAAS is a useful instrument to gauge the state of education in Texas. It can help spot weak areas in school districts or identify students who need remediation. But "TAAS mania" — as the teachers' association calls it — is not good for anyone, not remedial students, not honor-roll students.

Let's stop letting the test dictate the teaching. Let's return that role to the teachers.

— Waco Tribune-Herald

Senate's bill better for controlling spending, gifts

In the dark cloud of divisive federal crime and health-care legislation is a silver lining for members of Congress: It is a Klondike for campaign contributions.

A plethora of special interests, from the National Rifle Association to medical political action committees, are trying to buy support for their cause. Texas Sens. Phil Gramm ($1.2 million) and Kay Bailey Hutchison ($600,000) are two major beneficiaries of health-care PACs.

Thus, it isn't surprising that efforts to limit campaign spending and lobbyist gifts is on the Capitol Hill back lot. . . .

We urge Texas Democrat John Bryant, who sponsored the House (lobby reform) bill, to accede to the tougher Senate version. Americans want Congress to scrape the special-interest barnacles from its hull. . . .

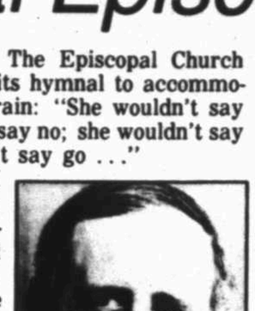
. . . House Democrats can't call themselves reformers and not support Senate limits on gift-giving and campaign finance. Break the logjam; pass the Senate's bills.

— San Antonio Express-News

WILLIAM MURCHISON

Liberal Episcopals inch back to tradition

INDIANAPOLIS — The Episcopal Church may have to expand its hymnal to accommodate the familiar refrain: "She wouldn't say yes, and she wouldn't say no; she wouldn't say stop, and she wouldn't say go . . ."



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Episcopalians — I am one, by the way — distrust excessive clarity, lest it be confused with moral certainty. Thus, when the church's archbishops met here at General Convention, the church's triennial legislative session, they debated at length a document that, without exactly recommending the legitimization of extramarital sex and homosexuality, didn't exactly discourage them.

In fact, the bishops adopted not one but two statements about sexual morality. The first, crafted over the past three years by a special task force, says, "In long-term, committed relationships — in which love is freely given and freely accepted — gays and lesbians can and do experience the identification of their love with Jesus Christ and of their relationships with his life."

The second, drawn up by Southwestern bishops under the leadership of Dallas' James M. Stanton, calls true marriage "the union of husband and wife, one man and one woman created in God's image . . . lifelong intention, sacred in character."

The two statements together now constitute the bishops' teaching — which, I nearly forgot, isn't really a teaching — it's been downgraded to a "study document."

And yet . . . and yet . . . you take your victories where you find them. When the Episcopal Church — America's most liberal mainline denomination — finds reasons not to affirm modern sexual mores in a resounding way, maybe something is up.

What could it be? Hard to tell in the early stages of a convention scheduled to drag on through the end of August. Here is one thing, maybe, that is up: The '60s are ending.

Oh? They didn't end in 1969? Not in mainline American religion. The '60s didn't start actually until the '70s, but they went from there — each distinct body of Christians affirming sweetly its approval of the individualist approach to morality.

Abortion, homosexuality, easy divorce, premarital and extramarital affairs — all have found their clerical apostles. The happiest hunting ground for such has been the Episcopal Church, with its affluent, well-educated constituency — just the demographics most appealing to the '60s set.

The '60s Episcopalians had hoped the General Convention would further extend their domain by adopting a pastoral teaching that raises all manner of questions about traditional morality, suggesting at the same time that new ways of considering these questions may be appropriate now.

The Southwestern bishops thought otherwise. The letter, they declared, "is incapable of providing the clear guidance wanted and needed by Christian people for faithful living." Thus, the affirmative words about "the discipline of self-control called chastity," the theological deficiency of "sexual relationships outside of marriage" and "sexual relationships between members of the same sex," which both are "a denial of God's plan and cannot be condoned by the Church." Of 283 bishops, not all in attendance, 109 had signed the affirmation by the second business day.

A revolution? Not yet. Not in a church likely to remain, for some space, under the domination of the theological left. But the same church wiggles with no small anxiety at finding itself amid the greatest moral crisis of the last 200 years, unable to speak clearly the words it would have spoken in earlier times. Words of rebuke, words of forgiveness in answer to repentance.

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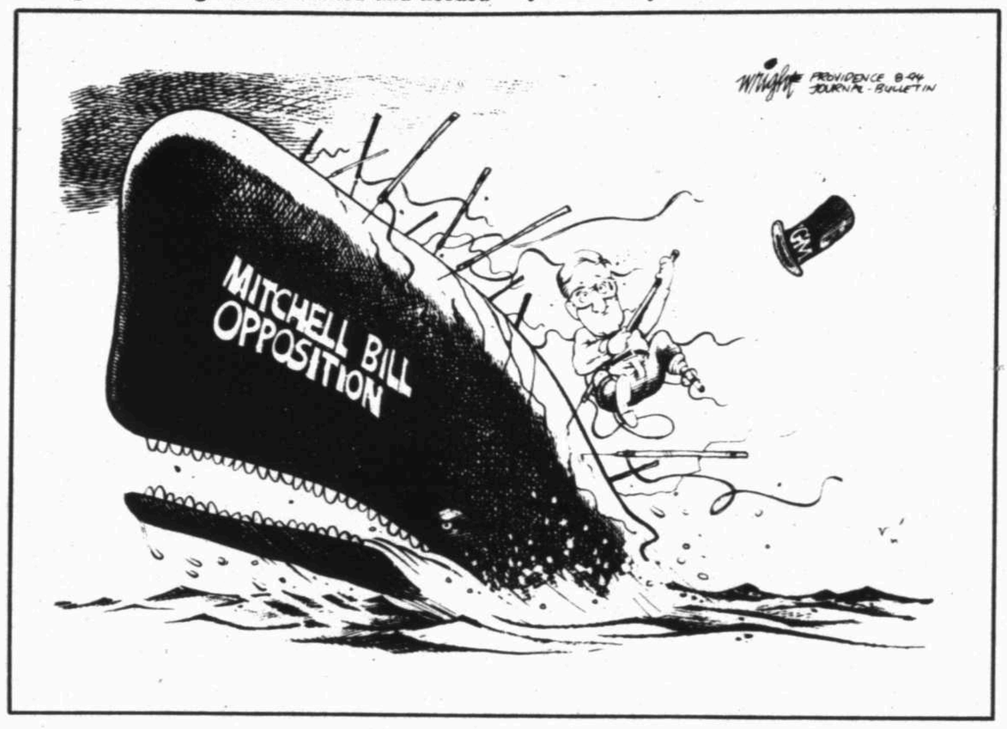

CHARLEY REESE

With freedom comes equal amount of crime

Safe streets you could find in Berlin and Moscow in the late 1930s. Streets in the United States have never been completely safe no matter how much our memories of the "good old days" trick us into thinking they were.

Reese

The United States could eliminate street crime in 30 days, but it would have to eliminate freedom, due process, and the Bill of Rights at the same time. It would have to create the same kind of totalitarian society that Hitler created in Germany and Stalin created in the Soviet Union.

America's law enforcement officers are intelligent and courageous. Give them the same license Hitler gave the Gestapo and Stalin gave the KGB and they could eliminate crime easily. Their "inefficiency" results from their obedience to our Constitution and from their respect for our concepts of human rights and due process.

Berlin and Moscow in the 1930s were very safe places. Of course, people still lived in fear, only they lived in fear of their government, not of private criminals. And with good reason. The prisons and cemeteries were full of government victims. Against a private criminal, you have a chance. Against a criminal government, almost none at all.

And, fundamentally, that's our choice. If we wish to remain a free people, then we're going to have put up with a certain level of risk from criminals. The same liberties that apply to us make it easier for the criminals to operate. You can see that in Moscow today. Today, Russia is much more free than in Stalin's day — and it has a lot more crime.

Perhaps what it boils down to is courage. In the past, Americans never cried for their government to protect them. They themselves were always ready to fight if attacked. In the rural town I grew up in, nobody would dare attempt to attack a person in the streets because everyone within sight or sound would have come to their aid in an instant. It is unlikely the criminal would have lived long enough to see a jail.

That's the only way we can make our streets safer without surrendering our liberty. We have to have the courage to fight when we are attacked. We have to have the compassion to come swiftly to the aid of our fellow citizens.

Despite Clinton's crime bill, the only new laws we need are laws that would remove the present legal barriers to people defending themselves and others. States ought, for example, to pass laws that say no person or their survivor shall have any standing to sue for damages or injuries that occur during the commission or attempt to commit a crime. States ought to pass laws that give people the explicit right to use lethal force in defense of themselves, other law-abiding people, and property. Finally, rather than banning guns, pass laws that allow honest people to carry firearms.

Right now, the probabilities are that crime will pay. The probability is the victim won't be armed and won't resist. The probability is that by-standers won't intervene. The probability is the criminal won't get caught. The probability is that if he is caught, he won't go to jail. The probability is that if he does go to jail, he won't stay there long.

If you want to reduce crime, then you must lobby your politicians to pass laws that will reverse those probabilities.

Government is not a freebie. Before it can spend, it must tax; to control criminals, it must control everybody. American wisdom has always recognized that and preferred a limited government. Better to be free and at risk than safe in a prison.

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MIKE ROYKO

Baseball strike has important unsung benefits

Millions of weepy words have been written about the alleged pain and suffering of baseball fans since the players sulked away and the games ended.

But there is no evidence of any sharp increase in the number of fans who fling themselves from a roof or are institutionalized because they have been deprived of the sight of a pudgy third-base coach pulling his crotch and spitting toward the cameras.

Royko

There has also been considerable public anguish for the ballpark vendors who sell overpriced hot dogs, peanuts and cheesy nachos, and are being deprived of their income.

They probably deserve some sympathy. On the other hand, their products are loaded with grease and fat and salt that clogs the arteries and raises the blood pressure. Combine these elements with a hot bleacher sun, too many beers, and the frantic excitement of a pennant race, and you have eyes bulging, tongues protruding, death rattles rattling, and stiffs plopping all over the country. A scientific study might show that because of the baseball strike hundreds of people are living useful lives who might otherwise be in the hands of their friendly mortician.

Now my sympathy is being sought by Steve Sarmier, who probably represents many others who consider themselves innocent victims of the greedy players and owners.

Sarmier lives in Las Vegas and describes himself as "a very disgruntled fan and angry professional gambler.

"Mostly poker," he says. "But over the years I have made part of my living by making baseball future bets.

"This year I stand to earn $1,000 if the Cubs win fewer than 84 games, which would have been a cinch.

"I also have the Yanks and Mets over the Phils and Pirates for $440, and I have a big lead in that one.

"But these bets are dependent on the teams playing 160 games or else the money is refunded. Since my bets are virtual locks, I'll be out $1,440 because of the strike. I want justice."

There must be thousands of strike victims like Sarmier: gamblers who had the skill, foresight and boldness to bet a goodly sum in a barroom or workplace, but now see their potential winnings wiped out.

Is there no sympathy for them? No, not from me.

Note that Sarmier boasts of having found a Cubs fan willing to bet $1,000 that the Cubs would win more than half of their games.

I don't doubt that such a dull-witted person exists. For most of my life, I've been around Cubs fans. Their glassy-eyed faith has been both an inspiration and a subject for psychological research.

And there have always been sly people like Sarmier, eager and willing to take advantage of a Cubs fan's giggly belief in a brighter and better tomorrow.

Who knows how many millions of dollars have been lost by Cubs fans over the franchise's long and mostly bleak history? Money that could have been put to a good purpose — buying shoes for the children, coal for the furnace, a sturdy cloth coat for mom, new reading glasses for granny and teeth for gramps.

A nerdy friend who has a computer spreadsheet program once crunched numbers to see how much money I would have today if I had bet my first childhood nickel that the Cubs would not win the World Series that year, and parlayed the bet every season after that.

By now, I would be the wealthiest individual in the world, worth countless billions, so rich I could buy every member of Congress, have them stuffed, and give them away as prizes at a church carnival. Assuming, of course, that I could find enough gullible souls, which I don't doubt.

So instead of moaning about the loss we are suffering because of the baseball strike, we should look at the many benefits. In major cities across the nation, tax dollars aren't being spent on cops directing baseball traffic or hauling drunk fans to the jug. Mountains of hot dogs and other deadly morsels will be uneaten, saving the citizenry a fortune in EKG tests, angiograms, bypasses and other unpleasant experiences. And millions of baseball addicts will not be wasting precious hours of their lives gaping at a highly paid crotch-grabber on their TV.

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American woman helps out in Mexico

By Mary Lee Grant
Associated Press

NUEVO PROGRESO, Mexico — One of the best-known names in this small Mexican border town is that of a white-haired American woman named Mabel.

Mabel goes only by her first name, and refuses to give out her last name or her age.

Years ago, she was a well-known violinist with the symphony orchestra in Rome, Italy, until a broken hand cut her career short.

Today, she drives a van across the Progreso International Bridge every Saturday, to a small building just off the main street. There, she distributes rice, beans, bread and eggs to feed 200 families for the week.

"Don't write about me," she said sharply. "Write about poverty in Nuevo Progreso."

Angel Huerta Garcia, a local musician, energetically plays "Cielito Lindo" on the guitar, as throngs of people surround a van where Mabel sits, giving out food, receiving hugs, accepting a tribute of pale pink paper flowers and listening patiently to a litany of problems.

Some of the people in the crowd are crippled; others have tuberculosis. Many are simply so poor that eating a meal a day and having a roof under which to sleep is a luxury.

She hands out pesos to those who need medicine, doctor visits and operations — money earned at a resale clothing shop she operates in Mercedes.

The residents of Nuevo Progreso sometimes refer to her as an angel or a saint, but Mabel scoffs at such appellations.

She shuns publicity and keeps out of the limelight as much as possible.

But it is almost impossible to talk to the poor of this small border town without hearing Mabel's name. She has assisted in building houses for more than 650 families here, and even has a neighborhood named after her — "Colonia Mabel."

She also has helped put about 1,500 Mexican children through secondary school. About half of those have gone on to complete a university education.

"Her loving care helps so much," said Rufugia Sarmiento, a widow who comes each Saturday to accept Mabel's weekly package of food.

"She is a blessing for all of us," added Olga Zuniga, whose husband is unable to work due to ill health.

Woman distributes rice, beans, bread and eggs to 200 Mexican families each week.

After handing out food, Mabel frequently travels to visit the sick in a van driven by a friend, Judith German, a Mercedes school district counselor. The vehicle bounces along the unpaved back roads of Nuevo Progreso, raising clouds of dust that choke visitors in the heat of the summer sun.

German said Mabel is "very mysterious about her past and doesn't want publicity for what she does. But she does so much good. I think it is like it says in the Bible, that when you do good things, to do them in secret and not look for fanfare."

At any stop they make, Mabel and Judith are met with warm hugs and loud cries of greeting.

At the house of Joaquina Uribe, which Mabel has just built, Uribe expresses her gratitude. Although the plywood house has dirt floors and is only about 12-feet by 20-feet, Uribe said, it is much nicer than the tiny shack she once lived in.

Uribe, who has a painful abdominal tumor she cannot afford to have removed, said Mabel has helped her care for her retarded 5-year-old son.

Uribe's new house is surrounded by bright, blooming flowers and a haphazardly placed fence. But there is no toilet, running water or kitchen, yet. She cooks in a tub in the front yard, with charcoal, butane or firewood. Her three children sleep on the dirt floor. She has a few cans of food in the house, but no can opener.

The clean, strong pine houses Mabel has built have replaced tiny, broken-down shacks along street after street in Nuevo Progreso. Sometimes, the old tent or shack remains in the front yard, in marked contrast to the new dwelling.

Unlike many who do good works, Mabel is not eager to propound any particular religion or philosophy. Asked what motivates her, she answers briskly: "I just like the people."

She is encouraging the building of a church in Colonia Mabel, but when asked what denomination it is, she says she doesn't know.

"What difference does it make? As long as it gives them hope," she says. "Every block was laid with love."

She is even more reticent to speak about her years as a European concert violinist than she is about her current work.

"That was another life," she said.

"People make up stories about me," she said. "They say I had my heart broken by an officer in the Italian army and that is why I came here. I never even knew an officer in the Italian army."

An Ohio native, Mabel loved Italy, lived a cosmopolitan life in Rome for years, and traveled the globe playing the violin until she broke her hand in an accident.

She came to Nuevo Progreso in the 1960s, after it had been devastated by Hurricane Beulah, hoping to offer assistance. She saw the need here, and stayed to help.

Today, she seems oddly at home in this dry land, equally sure-footed on Mexican or U.S. soil.

"This is not the life I would have chosen for myself," she admits. "But I am happy here."

She lives with her sister, a retired opera singer, who refuses to have even her first name published. They share a rambling, white stucco house surrounded by sugar cane, near the Rio Grande.

Mabel frequently assists church groups who work building houses in Mexico.

"These church people love to smuggle things," she said with grin. "A minister smuggled wood across the bridge, and he told me, 'That was the most fun I have ever had in my life.' "

Occasionally, Mabel has trouble at the bridge crossing.

Last spring, she was stopped at Mexican customs with a load of wood, and traffic backed up all the way to Highway 281 in Progreso.

But those people Mabel had helped over the years did not fail her. About 600 women from Nuevo Progreso marched to her aid and stood solemnly on the bridge, some weeping.

She said the mayor of nearby Rio Bravo, the police chief and other government officials were called in to help quell a potential riot. But some of the officials, instead of dispersing the crowd, simply responded, "We're with Mabel," she said.

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Kiss in Sarajevo

British U.N. worker Neil Hamilton kisses his American bride, Patricia Tierney of New York City, as they pose for photographers in front of a bullet-riddled wall at the Sarajevo registery office after their Aug. 25 wedding. Both have worked with the U.N. in Sarajevo and were married by Bosnian civil authorities.

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Scientist: China growth may spur world food crisis

Associated Press

China's impressive economic growth, spurring a demand for more food imports, could trigger a long-feared global food crisis, says environmentalist Lester R. Brown.

Current concern about hunger centers on Africa. But Brown, who heads the independent Worldwatch Institute, said "it will not be in the devastation of poverty-stricken Somalia or Haiti, but in the booming economy of China that we will see the inevitable collision" of supply and demand.

The world simply may not be able to produce enough food to meet the shortfall looming for China, Brown wrote in the September-October issue of World Watch, the magazine of the Washington-based think tank.

"When China turns to world markets on an ongoing basis, its food scarcity will become the world's scarcity," he said. "I've not heard of any country moving down the food chain voluntarily."

Brown elaborated on Worldwatch's report earlier this month that massive food shortages will develop as population outstrips supply.

That was challenged by the U.N. Food and Agriculture Organization and the International Food Policy Research Institute, which project rising crop yields and other improvements in agricultural production.

Brown, however, gave major roles in his crisis scenario to shrinking cropland and irrigation water supplies, flat yields and fewer scientific breakthroughs — plus appetites of China's growing and more affluent population for more meat, eggs and beer.

"The issue now facing Beijing is not starvation, but the prospect of a gap between the market demand for food and its production — a gap that will dwarf anything the world has ever seen," Brown said.

China has become the world's largest grain grower, with 329 million metric tons in 1990. But it had to import 6 million tons to meet that year's needs. Meanwhile, "rapid industrialization is simultaneously driving up demand for food and devouring the cropland needed to produce it," Brown said.

By 2030, China is expected to add 490 million to its current population of more than 1 billion. That would boost its need for grain to at least 479 million tons, creating a 216-million-ton shortfall — more than the current 200-million-ton level of total annual global grain exports, about half from the United States, Brown said.

He said his projection was based on an expected 20 percent drop in domestic grain production brought by "inexorably" shrinking cropland and declining air, water and soil quality.

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Pesticides may affect fertility, biologists warn

■ Man-made substances that destroy reproductive ability in animals eventually may affect humans, scientists say.

By William K. Stevens
N.Y. Times News Service

In a new wave of concern about synthetic chemicals in the environment, some biologists are warning that trace amounts of pesticides and other man-made substances may be interfering with the action of reproductive hormones and thereby damaging the fertility of various animal populations, including humans.

The evidence is far from conclusive. But the economic and political stakes are high; should the new fears prove justified, a large group of important industrial chemicals might have to be curbed.

At least 45 synthetic chemicals, most of them pesticides, have been found to upset the workings of the hormonal, or endocrine system, and for this reason they are known as endocrine disruptors.

There is little doubt, many scientists agree, that when people or animals are exposed to large doses of these chemicals, as has happened in chemical spills or contamination of food, serious derangements of reproductive function sometimes result.

Male alligators born in Florida's Lake Apopka after a large pesticide spill in 1980 were found to be incapable of producing sperm. In Taiwan, reproductive and other defects have been noted in the sons of women who in 1978 and 1979 ingested cooking oil contaminated with PCB's.

The question at issue is whether trace amounts of these chemicals that are now widely distributed in the environment are exerting a less visible but still pernicious effect on the reproductive fitness of many species of wildlife and possibly even humans.

For at least some wildlife populations, "I'd say we are on a fast track to extinction," said Dr. Theodora Colborn, a zoologist with the World Wildlife Fund, a conservation organization in Washington, who is a leading exponent of the view that endocrine disruptors pose a potentially serious threat.

"You would expect the same thing to happen with human populations."

Other experts disagree.

"I don't think it is a huge problem at this point," said Dr. Thomas Goldsworthy, a toxicologist with the Chemical Industry Institute of Technology, a nonprofit research organization at Research Triangle Park, N.C., that is largely supported by industry.

Said Dr. Tom Orme, a Washington-based toxicologist with the American Council on Science and Health in New York, which has long held claims of harm from chemicals in the environment to be exaggerated: "We suspect there is a lot of baloney here. On the other hand, to develop the hard science to refute it is going to be a formidable task."

Still other experts view the issue as possibly serious but say it is too early to call it one way or the other.

"We don't want to argue we've got a massive problem," said Dr. Larry Reiter, the director of the Environmental Protection Agency's Health Effects Research Laboratory at Research Triangle Park. But he also said, "I don't think we want to argue there is no problem."

AP Laserphoto

'Pride of Baltimore' underway

The 173-foot topsail schooner, 'Pride of Baltimore II,' fires her cannons as she sails under the Golden Gate Bridge and into San Francisco Bay recently. The vessel is on a 13-month goodwill tour for the city of Baltimore and the state of Maryland.

Tackle store holds memorial service for celebrity bass

By Jerry Nachtigal
Associated Press

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. — There wasn't a dry eye in the aquarium as Bass Pro Shops bid a fond farewell August 25 to Ethel, one of the world's biggest, most famous and most pampered bass.

Even the angler who pulled Ethel out of Lake Fork in Texas in 1986 got a little choked up recalling the life of what was believed to the largest bass in captivity, an estimated 20 pounds.

"She definitely changed my life," Mark Stevenson, of Plano, said at a tongue-in-cheek memorial service. "I think I changed hers. She wound up with a heck of a home."

Home for Ethel since she was donated to the sprawling sporting goods and outdoor store in 1987 was a 64,000-gallon aquarium, where she grew fat on feedings of goldfish and crayfish.

An estimated 20 million people, including former President Bush, had seen Ethel, who was thought to be 19 years old — twice the normal life expectancy for a bass — when she died of natural causes Aug. 5.

The world record bass, caught in 1932, weighed 22 pounds, 4 ounces.

Store spokesman Larry Whitely said he fielded inquiries about Ethel this week from anglers and media from New York to California and even England and Switzerland. She was a must-see for visitors to the store, which attracts about 4 million visitors annually, and was featured in brochures and the 30 million retail catalogs the company mails each year.

"I think every fisherman out there always dreams of catching an Ethel," Whitely said. "She was a symbol. I think Ethel got a lot of people hooked on fishing."

The memorial service included floral arrangements, blow-up pictures of the deceased and a four-minute video tribute (Ethel swimming left, Ethel swimming right).

"If there's a heaven on earth for a fish, that's where Ethel's been," said Bass Pro Shops owner Johnny Morris. Behind him, dozens of bass, catfish and other finned friends of Ethel swam silently past.

Ethel weighed 17.67 pounds when she was caught, a Texas state record at the time and one of the biggest bass ever taken nationally. Stevenson received a life-size, open-mouthed ceramic replica of Ethel, whose corpse lies unceremoniously in a freezer in the store's taxidermy department.

Store officials haven't decided what to do with the old gal. The frying pan is out of the question, Whitely said.

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by Leslie Fay

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TUESDAY

DAY WATCH

Veterans seminar

The Texas Veterans Land Board will sponsor a seminar and exhibit at 7 p.m. today at the Holiday Inn Centre, 6201 E. Highway 80, in Odessa. Registration begins at 6:30 p.m. Loans are available through the Texas Veterans Land Program, the Texas Veterans Housing Program and the Texas Veterans Home Improvement Program.

AISD meeting

ANDREWS — Andrews Independent School District's Board of Education will meet in special session 7 a.m. on Thursday at Schulies Restaurant in Energy Park Square on Odessa Highway. Agenda items include studying a proposal on facilities for golf and other sports and discussing the possibility of purchasing videotaping equipment.

Agency funds

AUSTIN — Texas Racing Commission Chairman A.L. Mangham Jr. has announced that $2 million was transferred to the state's general revenue fund to repay money expended for the agency's start-up. Mangham said the agency was only required to repay $675,000 this year. But he said that increased revenues and cost-saving efforts made the additional payment possible. David Freeman, the commission's executive secretary, said, "The revenues used to make the payment were a result of fees charged to racing associations and the balances of uncashed tickets." Texas has three greyhound tracks and five horse racetracks currently operating.

Bulletin board

AUSTIN — School district administrators and other local government officials can use a new computer bulletin board to help acquire surplus state and federal property, according to State Comptroller John Sharp. "In the past, school district, city and county officials had to hunt for available surplus property by slogging through a monthly 300-page computer printout," said Sharp, adding that the items available range from heavy road equipment to computers and drafting tables. Sharp said Monday that the computerized bulletin board — Window on State Government — is accessible 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Information about the bulletin board is available by calling 1-800-531-5441, according to the comptroller's office.

TODAY'S AGENDA

Listings for meetings of Alcoholics Anonymous, Alanon, Palmer Drug Abuse Program, Codependents Anonymous, Narcotics Anonymous and Adult Children of Alcoholics can now be heard on **CITYLINE.** Call **560-2400** and enter category **1860** for complete information.

Sack Lunch/Parent Education Mtg, for answers and information, Alamo library, 12:00-1:00 p.m.

Overcomers Christian Recovery Support Group, Christ-centered 12-step support group, 7 p.m., 4405 Princeton, 697-3101.

Midland Chess Club, 7 p.m., Memorial Rehabilitation Hospital.

Batterers Anonymous Support Group, 6:30-8 p.m., 689-8428.

Optimist Club of Midland, noon, Hilton Hotel.

Battered Women's support group, 6:45 p.m., 683-1300 or 1-800-967-8928.

Tx TOPS Morning Chapter, 8:30 a.m., Grace Presbyterian Church.

Morning Lions Club, 6:45 a.m., Carrows Restaurant, 2201 W. Wall St.

Pop-Up Toastmasters, 6:30 a.m., Best Western Hotel, 694-1447.

55-Plus Dance Club, 8 p.m., Eagles Club, 697-3131.

Midland West Rotary Club, noon, Furrs Cafeteria.

Midland Chapter No. 253, OES, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple.

Fraternal Order of Eagles Auxiliary, 8 p.m., at the Aerie Home, behind Rogers Ford, 697-3131.

Licensed Vocational Nurses Assoc 7:30 a.m., Trinity Towers.

Ranchland Hills Ladies Association, 7 p.m., Couples Bridge, RHCC.

Toastmistress Club 7:30 p.m., Memorial Christian Church.

National Association of Retired Federeal Employees 2 p.m., Midland Senior Center.

Golden Park Independent Retirement Community, 3100 W. Kansas Ave.699-0914 Senior Citizens Brunch, 10:30 a.m.

Sales of assault weapons vary

Area gun stores report varying sales of soon-to-be-banned assault weapons.
Curt Wilcott/ Reporter-Telegram

■ Midland gun stores report sales of assault-type firearms range from normal to brisk after passage of crime bill.

By Katherine Poteet
Staff Writer

An informal poll of gun stores in Midland Monday concerning the sales of weapons banned under the recently passed crime bill brought a variety of answers.

While some stores were selling the soon-to-be-banned weapons at a brisk rate, one store had completely stopped selling the weapons.

"We are not buying or selling any of the firearms that are going to be banned," said Jim Abney, manager at Village Pawn. "We don't want to get involved in that kind of thing."

The anti-crime bill approved by Congress places a ban on several assault-type firearms, leading to fears by some gun advocates that this bill was the first step in an attempt to pass even stronger gun-control measures in the future. The bill was passed by a vote of 61-39 in the Senate on Thursday. The House of Representatives passed the bill just a few days prior to the Senate's vote.

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MISD revamps Project Think, includes pupils in kindergarten

By Myra Lee Salcedo
Staff Writer

Engaging children in critical thinking activities needs to begin in kindergarten. That is the assertion of the Texas Education Agency, which asked Midland Independent School District to revise its Project Think program to include the young pupils.

Project Think, the district's program for gifted elementary school students, has served a talent pool of 20 percent of the children in first through third grades. In grades four through six, 10 percent of the district's gifted-and-talented youngsters may participate in the Gifted Education Midland (GEM) program. In grades seven through 12, the district offers the honors/gifted program.

"Previously, our kindergarten activities have been limited to assessment activities, not direct instruction. So, we have been out of compliance under the strictest TEA interpretation," said Patricia Maurer, Carver Center principal and coordinator of gifted-and-talented programs for MISD. "We haven't been offering direct services in kindergarten," she said.

MISD's board of trustees recently voted 6-1 (with Dianne Anderson opposing) to begin offering the gifted instruction to kindergarteners.

In order to offer direct instructional service to kindergarteners on the same budget, Ms. Maurer recommended the

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Texas Tech inherits Vietnam collection

By Jean Pagel
Associated Press

LUBBOCK (AP) — Researchers at Texas Tech University exuded giddy anticipation Monday unloading their latest acquisition: 533 boxes of documents on Vietnam.

The donation includes radio monitoring reports, Asian newspaper clippings and files on missing soldiers and prisoners of war.

"It's hard for me to come to grips with what we've got here," said James R. Reckner, director of Texas Tech's Center for the Study of the Vietnam Conflict. "It's sort of mind-boggling."

The collection — thought to be the world's biggest private assortment of Vietnam documents — was a gift from an Indochina historian at the University of California-Berkeley.

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INTRODUCING

Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

Midland photographer **Vicky Welch** views photography as an art form to preserve history on film and to instill in people a sense of family and heritage.

Photographer views work as mirror of life

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

Vicky Welch, the person and the photographer, has been inspired and influenced by the positive forces from her birth and marriage families.

Mrs. Welch, the oldest of three daughters from the Rayford and Dolly Calhoun union, said she and her sisters "were never told we couldn't do anything because we were girls.

"I think it helped us in life. We all went ahead and did the things we wanted to do," Mrs. Welch, 35, said. "There were no limits imposed on what we could do and what we could become."

Her father had expected sons but was not disappointed.

"Dad thought we were all going to be boys, but we ended up being girls. It may have been a blessing," Mrs. Welch said. "We had to do things. There was no big brother," although Mrs. Welch admits to playing "the big-brother (role) pretty much" among the sisters. "Being raised out in the country, there was (livestock) feeding to be done, steers to be walked (as 4-H Club projects). Dad worked (in the oilfield)."

Mrs. Welch, an award-winning pho-

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Fort Worth schools to use metal detectors at games

FORT WORTH (AP) — Citing an increase of weapons on campus, the Fort Worth school district says it will use metal detectors at football games this fall.

"There are some crazy people out there, and you don't know what to expect anymore," Ronny White, athletics director of the Fort Worth school system, told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram in Monday's editions. "We have to protect our children and fans."

White said at least two walk-through detectors will be placed at the gates at each of the district's three stadiums — Handley, Farrington and Clark fields.

Each detector will be manned by an attendant with a hand-held scanner and security officer. Four detectors are available to handle larger crowds.

During the 1992-93 school year, the last available yearly reporting date, 246 weapons were confiscated at Fort Worth schools. Thirty-nine were guns.

Last fall, 145 weapons were confiscated — including 30 guns. Officials said they don't know how many were seized at games.

The school district used metal detectors at basketball games last year.

Fans won't be the only ones screened. District policy requires players, coaches, trainers, managers, game officials and concession workers to pass the screening process.

Using scanners may mean fans have to arrive at games earlier, but Bobby Whiteside, security officer for Fort Worth schools, said their safety is worth the wait.

Coach Ronnie Gage of defending Class 5A Division II state champ Lewisville remembers complaints from fans attending last year's title game against Aldine MacArthur at the Astrodome.

"Our fans weren't real crazy about having to wait, but they understood the reason," Gage said.

GARY OTT

There are some moments that rekindle faith in mankind

More rambling thoughts . . .

— It is difficult to gauge real public sentiment on any major issue because the people who express their views are the extremists, and not those who quietly remain in the middle . . . who, by the way, probably comprise some 80 percent of America.

Ott

— I know the 20 mph school zone is a smart and proper way to protect our children, but when I see those high schoolers intentionally walking as slowly as they can when crossing the street after the light has turned green, it takes all the self-discipline I can muster not to zip right through the whole gang of them.

— I still haven't seen "Forrest Gump."

— Don't you know those Midlanders who so staunchly supported President Reagan — "because he was a friend of the oil industry" — are having a difficult time dealing with the allegations that his administration's foreign policy deliberately damaged the domestic oil industry?

— Still, even if everything that has been alleged is true, anyone who thinks Congress is going to investigate the charges and then come to the aid of the oil industry is living in a dream world.

— The rest of the country still considers oil people to be a bunch of fat cats rolling in dough.

— It's an unfair characterization, of course, but one that persists, nonetheless.

— I often wonder if anyone really exercises along with those "health geeks" on TV, the ones who are always saying, "OK, everyone together now, a one, and a two, and a three. Pick up the pace, gang. This will tighten the buttocks."

— If it's all the same to you, my buttocks is just fine right now, thank you very much.

— Overheard: "I live on the edge so a nasty fall is always possible."

— Through no fault of their own, some people are just not very interesting.

— What is going through a person's mind that makes him, or her, decide to have a sex-change operation?

— You think *you've* experienced inner turmoil — pity these poor souls.

— I don't know about you, but I've already grown weary of the O.J. Simpson case.

— I particularly wish they could squabble over technicalities a little more.

— Every once in awhile, a touching scene takes place in the world of sports that sort of rekindles your faith in mankind, such as this past weekend when senior golfer Tom Weiskopf won a tournament two days after his best friend and fellow golfer Bert Yancey had died of a heart attack while preparing to tee off in the same event. After winning the championship, Weiskopf, who has always been considered an explosive man with a hot temper, looked to the skies and said, "Wherever you are, guy, thank you. I love you."

— You don't hear grown men, especially macho sports stars, express their true feelings like that very often.

— In fact, I don't think I ever have, not that I'm a macho sports star or anything. It's just hard for some of us to say what we really feel, which is kind of silly when you stop and think about it.

— And, today's final quote comes from former President Truman, who once said, "The only thing new in the world is the history you don't know."

Gary Ott is managing editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

DEATHS

Mary Ann Spannaus

Services for Mary Ann Spannaus of Midland will be at 3 p.m. Thursday at First Presbyterian Church with Jerry M. Hilton officiating. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Spannaus

Mrs. Spannaus died Monday at her residence.

She was born May 6, 1930, in Hutchinson, Minn., where she graduated from Hutchinson High School in 1948. She attended the Abbott Hospital School of Nursing and the University of Minnesota, receiving her Registered Nursing Certificate in 1952. She married Harry Spannaus on April 4, 1953. She moved to Midland in 1981. She worked for Midland Women's Clinic for several years and was a temporary nurse for Dr. Garland Lang before retiring. She was awarded the Big Spring Veteran's Hospital Volunteer of the Year award in 1976. She served as a volunteer at Manor Park Auxiliary and did campaign work for the American Cancer Society.

Survivors include her husband, Col. Harry A. Spannaus of Midland; a son, Mark Spannaus of Big Spring; two daughters, Terri L. Dunn and Kathryn A. Posey, both of Midland; a brother, Donald McKee of Glencoe, Minn.; two sisters, Janet Pedersen of Fountain Hills, Ariz., and Dorothy Korngiebel of Minnetrista, Minn.; and 10 grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Midland, P.O. Box 2621, Midland, 79702, or Look Good/Feel Good Shop, Allison Cancer Center, 2200 W. Illinois, Midland, 79701.

Rubye Davis

RICHARDSON — Services for Rubye Haley Davis, a former resident of Stanton, were held Monday at the Restland Wildwood Chapel in Dallas. Burial followed at Restland Memorial Park.

Mrs. Davis died Friday in Richardson.

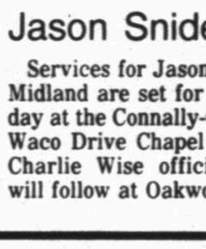
She was born Feb. 15, 1913, in Selma, La. She was an accounting supervisor for an electric company.

Mrs. Davis had been a member of Eastern Star, Stanton Chapter, for 48 years.

Survivors include her husband, John Davis; one daughter, Betty Fenton; two sons, Tom Davis and Bill Davis; one brother, Lee Haley; six grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Rufus Hodges

Graveside services for Rufus Clyde Hodges, 69, of San Angelo and formerly of Midland, will be at 1 p.m. Wednesday at Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.


Hodges

Hodges died Sunday in Ruidoso, N.M.

He was born May 9, 1925, in Norton. He married Loreta Park on Dec. 22, 1946, in Ballinger. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II. He had lived in Waco and Midland before moving to San Angelo six years ago. He was a member of the Baptist Church in Axtell.

Survivors include his wife, Loreta Hodges of San Angelo; three sons, Ken Hodges of Fort Worth, Blaine Hodges of El Paso and Terry Hodges of San Angelo; two daughters, Ann Wilton of Midland and Delores Beralek of Waco; a brother, Robert Hodges of Kerrville; four sisters, Thelma Overman of Whitharral, Kathryn Patterson of Stephenville, Jay Wilson of Odessa and Virginia Tomlin of Roanoke; 16 grandchildren; and two great-grandsons.

Memorials may be made to the charity of one's choice.

Jason Snider

Services for Jason Snider, 13, of Midland are set for 11:30 a.m. today at the Connally-Compton West Waco Drive Chapel in Waco with Charlie Wise officiating. Burial will follow at Oakwood Cemetery.

Jason was born Oct. 25, 1980, in Waco. He moved to Gatesville in 1985, and then back to Waco in 1992. He came to Midland in 1993. He had attended Crockett Elementary in Midland.

He was preceded in death by one grandfather, Don Sumerour; his grandmother, Nancy Sumerour; and a great-grandmother, Laura Brooks.

Survivors include his mother, Nancy Snider of Midland; his father, Harold Snider of Waco; one sister, Christy Snider of Waco; his grandparents, Ruby Sumerour and Bonnie Snider, both of Waco; one great-grandmother, Gladys Beane of Waco; and two uncles.

Paul Crain

Services for Paul W. Crain, 81, father of Paula Miller of Midland, died Saturday in Portland, Ore.

There will be no services.

Survivors include his wife, Reta W. Crain; and two children, Mrs. Miller of Midland and Shayne Wymore of Portland.

Calvin Graham

Services for Calvin Dwight Graham, 33, are pending with Midland Funeral Home.

Graham died Sunday in Ada, Okla.

Melton McMorries

STANTON — Services for Melton Harvell McMorries of Tarzan will be at 11 a.m. today at First Baptist Church in Stanton. Burial will be in Evergreen Cemetery under the direction of Gilbreath Funeral Home.

Pallbearers will be Charlie Smith, Mark Quinney, Kevin Shoemaker, Bob Cox, Morgan Cox, Bruce Hatfield, Jerry Welch and Charles McKaskle.

Honorary pallbearers will be Lynn Henson, Frank Serwatka, L.V. Welch, Jimmy Daylong, Ray Whirley, Houston Woody, Pete Woody and Wayne Basden.

Anne Williamson

ODESSA — Graveside services for Anne Williamson, infant daughter of Don and Brenda Williamson of Odessa, were Monday at Sunset Memorial Gardens under the direction of Frank W. Wilson Funeral Directors.

Anne died Saturday at an Odessa hospital.

Survivors include her parents, Don and Brenda Williamson of Odessa; a sister, Dominque Williamson of Odessa; two brothers, Matthew Williamson and Jamie Williamson of Odessa; and three grandparents, JoAnne Reeves, Shirley Williamson and Jim Price, all of Odessa.

W. Darrell Douglas

ODESSA — Services for W. Darrell Douglas, 60, of Odessa will be at 2 p.m. today at St. Andrews Cumberland Presbyterian Church with the Revs. Robert Weston and Greg Moss officiating. Burial will be in Sunset Memorial Gardens under the direction of Hubbard-Kelly Funeral Home.

Douglas died Saturday at an Odessa hospital.

He was born Feb. 25, 1934, in Ralston, Okla. He married Marilyn Griffin on July 6, 1963, in Borger. He served in the U.S. Army. He moved to Odessa from Pampa in 1978 and was senior vice president of sales and marketing for Ref-Chem Corp. He was a member of St. Andrews Cumberland Presbyterian Church and the Gas Processors Association.

Survivors include his wife, Marilyn Douglas of Odessa; a son, Darrell Wayne Douglas of Odessa; two daughters, Deborah Hart of Dallas and Sylvia Basher of Amarillo; a brother, Ted Douglas of Nacogdoches; five grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

L.C. Thompson

SNYDER — Services for L.C. Thompson, 57, of Snyder will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will be in Hillside Memorial Gardens in Snyder. Local arrangements are under the direction of Midland Funeral Home.

Thompson died Saturday at a local hospital.

Thompson was born Aug. 26, 1937, in Georgetown and lived in Snyder most his life. He worked for several years at Sam's Fishing Tools in Snyder and G & L Tools.

Survivors include three daughters, Sharnette Thompson, Christie Thompson and Amber Thompson, all of Midland; a son, Justin Thompson of Midland; two sisters, Mary Jane Powell and Ophelia Braziel, both of Snyder; three brothers, A.C. Thompson, Willie Thompson and Autris Thompson, all of Snyder; and one granddaughter.

Zelda Casbeer

Services for Zelda Casbeer will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Alan Williams officiating. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Casbeer died Saturday in Midland.

She was born June 9, 1919, in Coolidge and moved to Midland in the early 1920s. She married Daniel R. Casbeer on Dec. 21, 1934. She lived in Fort Davis for 12 years before moving to Kermit in 1953. She worked at Schlumberger while in Kermit. She returned to Midland in 1964.

Survivors include her husband, Dan Casbeer of Midland; a daughter, Nadine Turner of Kermit; three sisters, Joyce Smith and Pat Brown, both of Fort Worth, and Barbara Scott of Weatherford; three grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Midland, P.O. Box 2621, Midland, 79702.

Polly Ruckman

Graveside services for Polly Ruckman of Midland will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Resthaven Memorial Park with the Rev. Marshall Mason officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Ruckman died Monday at a local hospital.

She was born June 3, 1901, in Prescott, Ark. She married Pat Ruckman in September 1926 in Arkansas. She was a member of Midland Duplicate Bridge Club and Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Pat Ruckman, in 1969, and a grandson in 1968.

Survivors include a son, Charles Ruckman of Midland; a daughter, Patricia Jacobs of Denver, Colo.; a brother, Harold Lavender of Albuquerque, N.M.; a sister, Lorraine Wadman of Aztec, N.M.; five grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to the charity of one's choice.

Trella Mitchell

Graveside services for Trella Mitchell will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Kingsland Cemetery in Kingsland, Ark., with the Rev. Jimmy Watson officiating. Local arrangements are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Ms. Mitchell died Sunday in Stanton.

She was born May 23, 1906, in Dobson, La., and was raised in Kingsland, Ark. She later moved to Grady, Ark., and then to Pine Bluff, Ark. She moved to Midland in 1988.

Survivors include a niece, Mary Olive of Greenwood; three nephews, Hugh Brown of Fort Worth, Dewey Brown of Tulsa, Okla., and Don Brown of Irving; nine great-nieces and great-nephews; and one great-great-niece.

Paula Greene

Services for Paula Greene will be at 9:30 a.m. today at First Baptist Church Sanctuary with the Revs. Bob Hopkins and Bob Gardner officiating. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Ms. Greene died Sunday at a local hospital.

Pallbearers will be Prentis Burkhart, Homer Nance, Herman Jones, Ken Osborn, Myron Dickson and Steve Becker.

Paul Becker will be the honorary pallbearer.

POLICE REPORTS

Near drowning

A 2-year-old Midland boy was recovering Monday after nearly drowning while in his uncle's care.

According to a police report, police responded to Ranchland Apartments, 1212 E. Wadley Ave., at about 1:30 p.m. Monday in reference to a child drowning. Upon arrival, officials found that the child had been taken from the complex's pool and was alive. The child was transported to Memorial Hospital and Medical Center, where he was treated and released.

The boy's uncle, 47-year-old Charles E. Haley, was arrested and charged with public intoxication.

An investigation into the incident continues.

Shooting

ODESSA — An Odessa man was in serious condition Monday at Medical Center Hospital after being shot in the head Saturday.

According to a police report, officials found Joseph Aleman, 17, shot once in the head at Winwood Apartments, 3843 Penbrook St., at about 10:45 p.m. He was transported to the hospital.

Officials found a small caliber semi-automatic pistol at the scene, and no suspects have been found.

An investigation into the incident continues.

Sunday

Theft: Bill Howard reported golf clubs taken from the garage at 2827 Stutz Drive at 7:11 p.m.

Burglary of a Residence: John Barker reported a power saw, electric drill, tool box and various tools taken from 3224 Mariana Ave. at 8:39 p.m. Entry was gained by kicking in the back door.

Monday

Burglary of a Vehicle: Margie Livingston reported a vehicle burglary at 2817 Delano Ave. at 12:51 a.m.

Burglary of a Vehicle: Nadine Murry reported a vehicle burglary at 12:58 a.m. No address was given.

Burglary of a Residence: Luis Hernandez reported a VCR and microwave taken from 9191 N. Fort Worth St. at 9:22 a.m. Entry was gained by kicking in the back door.

Vandalism: Damage to a vehicle at 2900 W. Illinois Ave. was reported at 9:27 a.m.

Vandalism: Leonard Skaggs reported vandalism at 1008 N. A St. at 10:51 a.m.

Burglary of a Residence: Dwayne King reported three guns taken from 4400 Harlowe Drive at 1:14 p.m. Entry was gained through a bedroom window.

Burglary of a Vehicle: Kevin Blonkvist reported a vehicle burglary at 2009 Winfield Road at 11:57 a.m.

Burglary of a Residence: Tracy Brown reported a bicycle taken from the garage at 300 Oxford St. at 12:07 a.m.

MISD: Project Think includes kindergarten students

(From 1B)

20 percent talent pool in the first grade be scaled back. So, with the same number of teachers, Project Think will serve 10 percent of the youngsters in kindergarten and 10 percent in the first grade.

The TEA only requires that kindergarteners be served in the spring semester. So, all screening, testing and identification will take place during the first semester.

In schools where the kindergarten enrollment is so small that 10 percent of the population might only amount to a few students, Ms. Maurer said at least 10 students per grade level will be selected for Project Think.

Currently, 15 Project Think teachers serve on 24 campuses. Some work with up to 120 students each week.

Midlander Jeanette Dragisic expressed concern at a recent school board meeting that serving 10 percent of kindergarteners is too few.

"There is always an alternative to making a reduction. All children are potentially gifted," Ms. Dragisic said. "Instead of decreasing to 10 percent in grade one, let's give some of this education to all kids."

Ms. Maurer said, "All kids need hands-on creative thinking activities. But stretching the Project Think teachers any thinner would be abuse."

She said to answer the need to intellectually challenge students not in the gifted program, the district has offered IMPACT training for teachers.

"We have offered IMPACT, to train regular classroom teachers to teach critical thinking skills with open invitation sessions for three years," Ms. Maurer said. She said more than 200 classroom teachers participated in the IMPACT training sessions this past summer.

WEAPONS: Sales of firearms vary, gun stores report

(From 1B)

The bill was the subject of bitter partisan debate for months, with the most emotional arguments between Democrats and Republicans being the firearms ban.

Craig Armstrong, manager at Doc Holliday's Pawnbrokers and Jewelers said the firearms are selling briskly, but not at a record pace.

"It's about what it has always been," he said. "I don't know what kind of effect the ban is going to have on it, especially with a bill that no one really understands. So far, our prices have not gone up."

Barry Brooks, a salesman at Between the Walls, said he was surprised that more people were not buying the firearms.

"We have been pretty slow in them," he said. "I would have thought sales would have gone up a lot. When Clinton first announced the Brady Bill, handgun sales skyrocketed, especially just before the bill went into effect. But, it hasn't happened this time."

INHERITS: University gets 533 boxes

(From 1B)

Douglas Pike said he wanted his collection to become part of a research unit that includes teaching, publishing and conferences.

"Cal does nothing on Vietnam at all and doesn't have any plans" to, said Pike, a retired U.S. Foreign Service officer. "Texas Tech is staking out a claim in effect to become the leading institution in the United States on the Vietnam war."

Use of Pike's documents had dwindled at Berkeley, he said.

"I wanted to find somebody who's going to do something with this," Pike said Monday. "I didn't want it to just sit there."

The collection contains more than 1 million documents Pike collected from May 1959 to April 1975.

Pike's inventory of the collection features:

- 31 boxes on general assessments of the war, including reports by U.S. Ambassador Ellsworth Bunker to President Lyndon Johnson, transcripts of communist speeches, newspaper clippings and radio monitoring reports from China and the Soviet Union;
- 44 boxes of documents on specific battles, naval warfare and strategies;
- five transfer cases on POW-/MIA, including about 20,000 pages of declassified documents from the U.S. Defense Department.

Other topics vary from the use of helicopters and chemical warfare, to congressional debates and the war's effect on the U.S. stock market.

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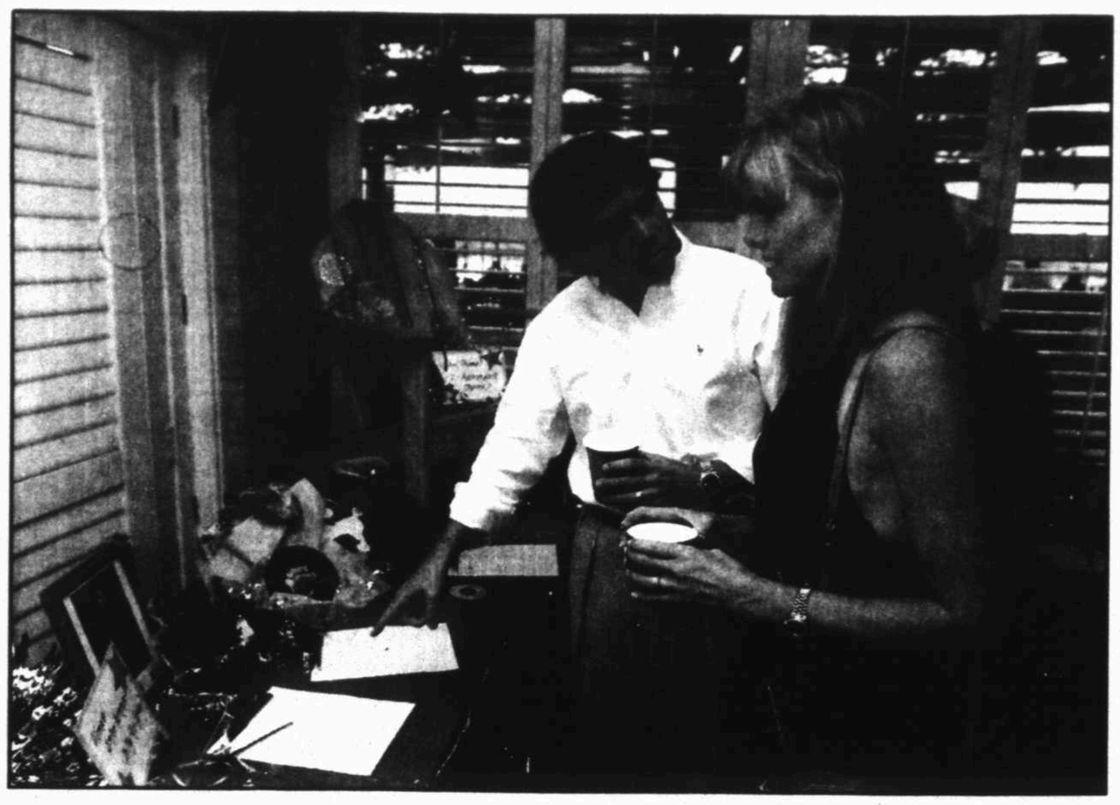
Kim Nearburg, right, and Sandy Sledge help themselves to some of the fixin's in the Mexican buffet at Smash Fiesta.



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Glen and Clare Ellis take a look at the Silent Auction items displayed for bidding during Smash Fiesta Saturday at Midland Country Club.

Smash Fiesta marks Bynum's 10th year

Special Children's League raises $550,000 since 1984

By Elizabeth Edwin
Lifestyle Editor

When you think of a "fiesta," you think of fun, and Smash Fiesta '94 Saturday at Midland Country Club certainly provided plenty of that.

It was the 10th year for this annual benefit for the Bynum School, presented by the Special Children's League (SCL), and it held up to its reputation of people having a good time while helping a good cause.

The fund-rasier — as is its tradition — was a casual double affair, beginning with a tennis tournament Saturday morning for those who wish to play, and ending with the Mexican-buffet dinner and dancing that evening.

The tennis tournament featured 60 teams. Coupled with the approximate 650 people who attended the dinner and dance, these events helped raise $70,000 for the school, according to Paula Morrison of the SCL. Since 1984, the SCL has raised over $550,000 for the school.

The evening began at 7 p.m. with drinks, hors d'oeuvres and people mingling. Some sponsor tables were set up inside the club, along with a display featuring 30 Silent Auction items, which ranged in value from $25 to $600, for guests to peruse and place their bids.

However, most sponsor and guest tables were set up outside under a big tent decorated with twinkle lights. A pleasant breeze added the perfect touch to the evening's atmosphere, making the summer evening a perfect one to be outside enjoying.

By 7:30 p.m., the Mexican buffet had opened and plates were filled with stuffed jalapenos, enchiladas, Spanish rice, beans, chili con queso and fajitas with all the fixings. Tostadas and salsa were served at the tables, and a dessert buffet was available for those who had any room left to eat it.

The music of Lindy and the Look, an 11-member band based in Dallas produced by Wemus Entertainment, got guests on their feet dancing. Lead singer Lindy Wilson even presented a good imitation of "the King of Rock and Roll" singing "Can't Help Falling in Love" from the movie Blue Hawaii, as well as "Don't Be Cruel" and "Burnin' Love."

"This is at least the fifth year I've been affiliated with the Bynum School and I'm really proud to be a part of it," said Dennis Grubb, owner of Wemus Entertainment. "This benefit has given us a showcase for a lot of new talent, as well as to help a lot of children."

During the band's breaks, Jeff Hogan and Crystal Kaysen were master and mistress of ceremonies for the live auction.

Live auction items included a ski vacation for six in Purgatory, Colo., compliments of Joseph and Jan O'Neill; a framed 22x30-inch watercolor original titled "Enter the Toad" from the Light Play Series — Act 9, compliments of Mary Lou King; a weekend in the Heirsten Haus Bed and Breakfast in Fredricksburg, and a seven-day Caribbean holiday for two on the exclusive "Gold Coast" of Barbados at the DIVI Beach Resort compliments of Rufe and Kay Bynum, with air travel compliments of American Airlines.

There also was a plaque and three dozen roses presented to Kay Bynum, the school's director since it opened in 1984. Beginning this fall, Bynum School — which teaches educationally challenged children — will be under the direction of Karen Wentworth. Ms. Bynum will remain as president of the Bynum Board of Directors and will continue to serve as a consultant for the school.

In addition to its programs in place, Bynum School is starting a new program this year designed for all school-age children who are at risk of dropping out of conventional school settings.

Special contributors to Smash Fiesta '94 were KGEE-FM 99.9, American Airlines/American Eagle, News Center 7 — KOSA-TV and the *Reporter-Telegram*.

Silent Auction items were from Lisa Frosch Photography, Prickly Pair Creations (Paula Morrison and Pam Kirby), Machelle's, Midland Angels, Midland Park Lanes, Midland College Chaparrals, General Cinema Midland Park Mall, Vickie Lathram, Randy and Phyllis Clark, Dianne Williams and Kim Hatchett, Curry's, NFL Man, Julian Gold, Folger Ranch Gallery, Classical Greenery and Wemus Entertainment.

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There also were almost 50 Tie Breaker sponsors. Hotel accommodations for the band were provided by Victor Hardy and The Plaza Inn.

Tennis sponsors were extended a "Muchas Gracias" as well. Sponsors were Allega Travel Inc., Bill Wood Pharmacy, Black Warrior Wireline, Conoco Inc., Denny Snelson's Pumping Unit Service, Julian Gold Inc., Kent Oil/Avis Lube, Lanier & Co., M Magazine, Swartz Framing Studio, and Stubbeman, McRae, Sealy, Laughlin & Browder Inc.

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Jan and Joe O'Neill dance to the sounds of Lindy and the Look during Smash Fiesta at Midland Country Club Saturday.

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Lindy Wilson, lead singer for Lindy and the Look, belted out one song after another during Smash Fiesta '94 at Midland Country Club Saturday evening to benefit Bynum School. The band performed at last year's benefit and was brought back for this encore performance by request.

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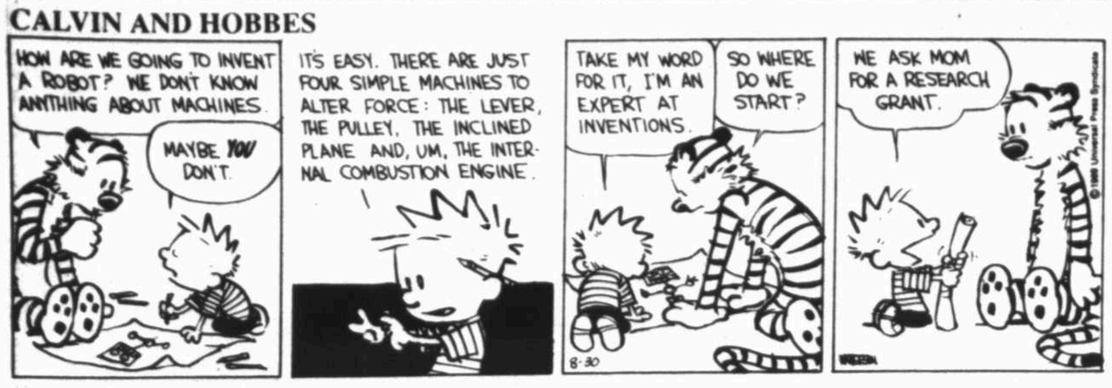

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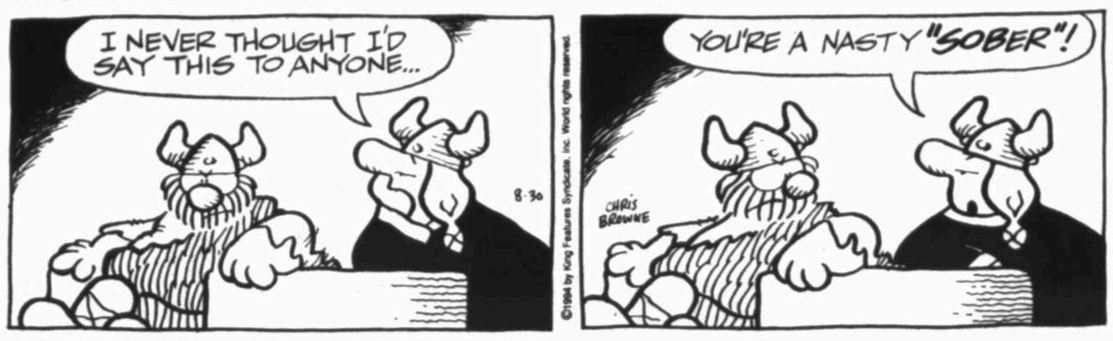

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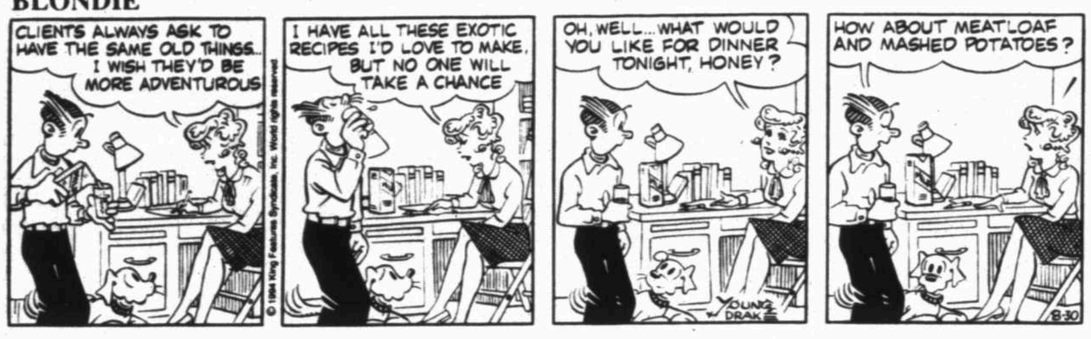

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By Jeane Dixon

TUESDAY, AUGUST 30, 1994

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Lots of big decisions lie just ahead! Trust your instincts when presented with two attractive choices. Original ideas will send your career in a new direction in November. Give your work top priority from late December through early 1995. Higher-ups will applaud your efforts; expect a raise by spring. A fitness program is favored if you follow doctor's orders. A temporary separation could enhance a romantic relationship.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: Baseball Hall-of-Famer Ted Williams, actress Shirley Booth, civil rights leader Roy Wilkins, country singer Kitty Wells.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Business matters progress nicely now. A difference of opinion could lead to an important change of attitude. Weigh your financial choices with great care.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Taking a greater interest in your community will bring you new social contacts. Harness your vivid imagination to practical endeavors. At work, strive for cooperation over confrontation.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Your ability to turn a mistake into a financial plus will impress prominent associates. A change in job status is a distinct possibility. Complete routine work assignments on time.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Work at a steady pace today. A difficult co-worker may interfere with your attempts to concentrate. Be firm where a question of privacy or confidentiality is involved. You are right to maintain high standards!

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Good timing is a vital part of your formula for success. Congenial contacts will help advance your career aims. Prove that your romantic partner's trust in you is well-placed by keeping a promise.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Longer work hours will result in a fatter paycheck. Discuss ways to improve a close relationship. A child's suggestion gives you fresh insights. Getting better organized on the home front will prevent lots of aggravation.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Work conditions improve and so do profits. Be certain to meet any financial deadlines. Your efforts to pave the way for change would benefit from a new approach. Reach out to someone who can help.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Smarten up! Allow others to set the pace for joint activities. A willingness to compromise will be richly rewarded. Old friends show a new loyalty. Voice your appreciation, then show it in tangible ways.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 12-Dec. 21): Information regarding the past helps you solve a current puzzle. The announcement of a change in a relationship is well-timed. Count on family members to be supportive but inquisitive. Tell them just enough!

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Stick to projects already underway. A surprise bonus can be a cause for celebration. Check with loved ones before saying "yes" to an unusual invitation. Reading and research keep your mind in high gear.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Expansion in conjunction with your business dealings is favored. Re-evaluate a partnership. Spending your free time with a different crowd broadens your horizons. Meet others halfway. Issuing invitations will spice up your social life.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Romance could play a prominent role in the day's plan. Do those extra little things that endear you to family members. Mend any emotional fences that may have been knocked down in recent months.

GOREN BRIDGE

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PLAY OR DEFEND?

Both vulnerable, North-South have 60 on score. East deals.

NORTH
♠ 6 5 3
♡ K 7 2
◇ A Q
♣ A 9 8 5 2

WEST
♠ A 4
♡ 8 6 4
◇ J 9 8 4 3
♣ 10 7 4

EAST
♠ K Q J 10 9 7
♡ A
◇ 6 5 2
♣ K 6 3

SOUTH
♠ 8 2
♡ Q J 10 9 5 3
◇ K 10 7
♣ Q J

The bidding:

EAST	SOUTH	WEST	NORTH
1 ♠	Pass	Pass	Dbl
2 ♠	3 ♡	Pass	Pass
3 ♠	4 ♡	Pass	Pass
Pass			

Opening lead: Ace of ♠

Study the diagram and then decide whether you would rather play or defend a contract of four hearts by South after the defense starts with the ace of spades and another.

West surely owed partner a raise to three spades when East rebid the suit freely over North's balancing double. The final contract, quite likely, would have been the same.

Once West led the ace of spades, the king of clubs becomes marked with East, so it would seem that the contract must be defeated -— declarer has two spade losers, one heart and one club. After banking two spade tricks, East continued with a third spade, ruffed high by declarer. Only an endplay could save the contract and, for that to succeed, East had to hold a singleton ace of trumps. Therefore, declarer cashed the ace and queen of diamonds before exiting with a low heart. In with the ace, East was able to exit with a diamond and eventually score the king of clubs for a one-trick set.

Declarer was on the right track. After cashing the ace of diamonds, however, declarer should overtake the queen with the king and ruff the third diamond. Now a trump lead does endplay East, who must either yield a ruff-sluff, allowing declarer to discard a club from hand, or lead a club from the king into declarer's combined tenace.

Despite that, the contract should be defeated. All East has to do after winning the second spade is cash the ace of hearts before leading a third spade. With any chance of an endplay eliminated, the king of clubs will take the setting trick.

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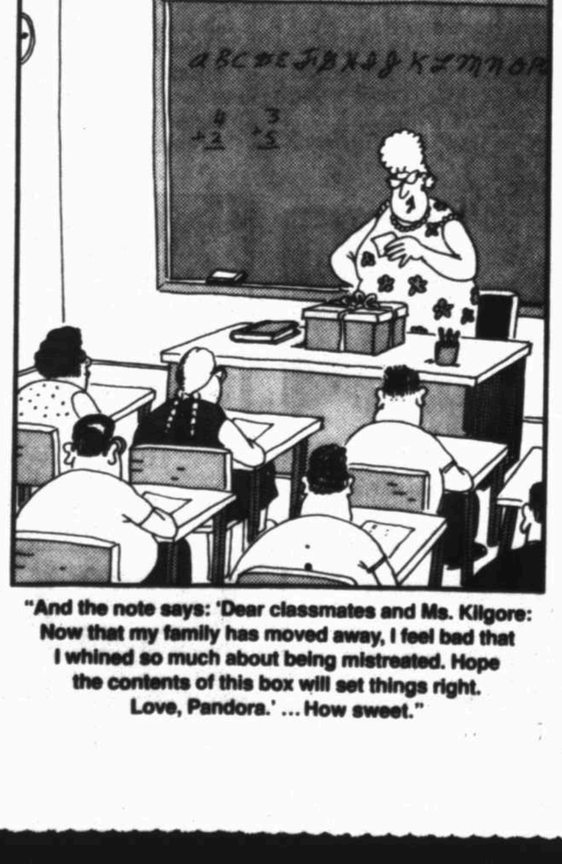

"And the note says: 'Dear classmates and Ms. Kilgore: Now that my family has moved away, I feel bad that I whined so much about being mistreated. Hope the contents of this box will set things right. Love, Pandora.' ... How sweet."

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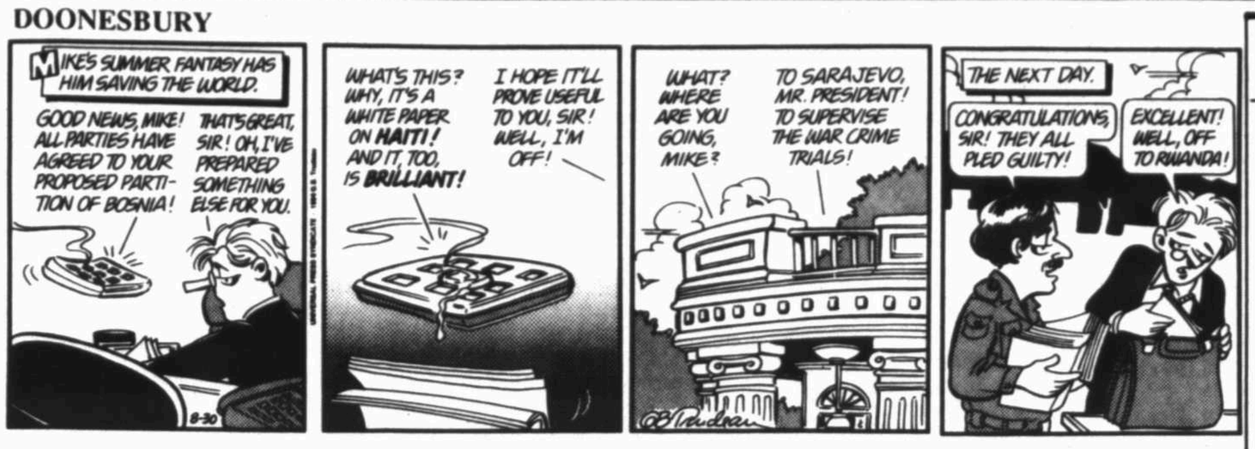

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"OKAY, CUT OUT THE BALONEY. I'LL BUY YOU SOME ICE CREAM."

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PEOPLE

Willie performs prison concert while fans wait for autographs

LEWIS RUN, Pa. — **Willie Nelson** performed a free concert for prisoners Monday and signed autographs for fans waiting outside a chain-link fence.

Nelson sang "On the Road Again," "To All The Girls I've Loved Before," "Crazy" and other numbers to 500 inmates at the medium-security Federal Correctional Institution at McKean, about 80 miles south of Buffalo, N.Y.

"Let's get this jail moving," Nelson told prisoners. Prisoners shouted back, "We love you, Willie!" He wore an "FCI-McKean" baseball hat for the show.

Nelson later visited non-prisoners who caught the show from beyond a fence and told them he had performed for "a couple of buddies in there."

Nancy Benninger, a prison neighbor, plans to frame the autograph Nelson gave her, one of a dozen he signed on small scraps of paper. **Phyllis Walter,** who has seen Nelson perform 10 times, felt the prisoners were being coddled.

"I pay $20 to $30 for a concert — and am glad to do it — but these people are here to be punished and get to see him for free," said Ms. Walter of nearby Kane.

The concert was peaceful, associate warden **Craig Apker** said. Nelson visited the prison on a detour from a Scranton performance to one in New Hampshire.

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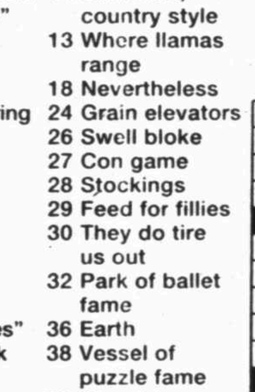
NORRIS, Tenn. — **LeVar Burton** knows time travel.

After seven seasons exploring the final frontier as **Lt. Geordi La Forge** on "Star Trek: The Next Generation," Burton has turned back the clock a few centuries for his latest role.



LeVar Burton has turned back the clock a few centuries.

He plays a minister's son and doctor's apprentice in the fact-based CBS series "Christy," about a young teacher who comes to the mountains of Tennessee in 1912.

Filming now at the Museum of Appalachia, Burton recalled his own past, first winning acclaim as the young slave **Kunte Kinte** in the miniseries "Roots." The late "Roots" author **Alex Haley** once lived nearby.

"A day does not go by that someone doesn't talk about Alex, usually relating a personal experience with him," Burton said. "It gives me an opportunity to feel close to him."

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NEW YORK — Singer **Amy Grant** is happy she's broken out of her gospel-music she's not about to abandon it, either.

Amy Grant is happy she's broken out of gospel-music.

"I'll always sing gospel songs in my concerts," Grant told the Daily News in an interview published Monday. "They're too important to leave out."

Grant's transition to pop is nearly complete. Her new album, "House of Love," has several songs with religious references, but when she sings about "him," she doesn't necessarily mean "Him."

Grant, 34, started singing gospel at 15. Her hit "Baby, Baby" three years ago helped her new image.

"I'm enjoying the gradual process, and right now, I'm about where I want to be," Grant told the News.

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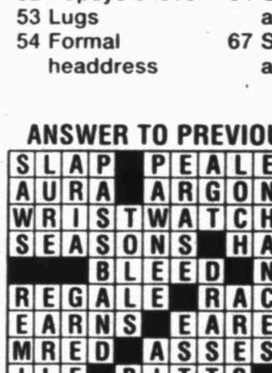
CAMARILLO, Calif. — Country music's **Randy Travis** cradled his guitar and tapped but instead of singing about heartbreak, the theme was home loans.



Randy Travis sang about home loans, not heartbreak.

Travis was filming a television commercial Sunday for The CIT Group, a home equity and loan company based in New Jersey. The singer was picked for the ads because of his wholesome image, said CIT executive **Randi Brody.**

Between takes, makeup artist **Gwen Ankenbauer** fiddled with Travis' hair and powdered his cheeks.

"He's got a good tan, so it's pretty low-maintenance. He just needs a little something to keep the shine down," Ankenbauer said.

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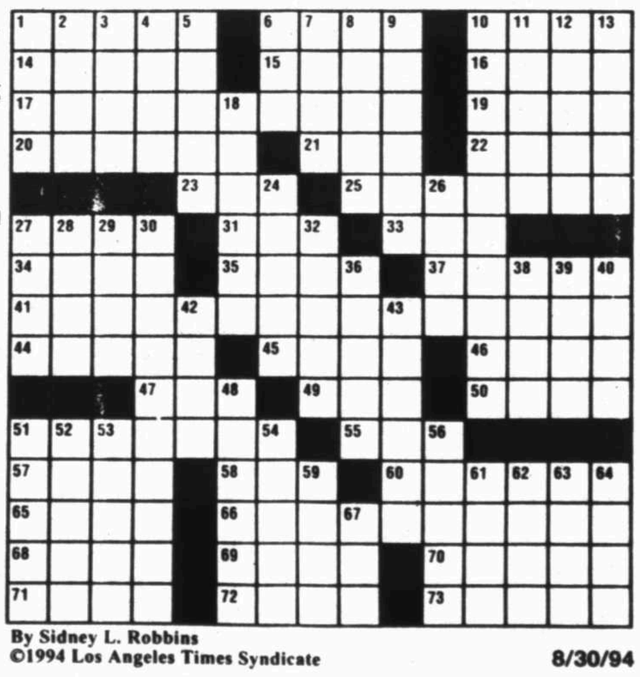

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DEAR ABBY

Answer to husband's low sex drive may be under his hood

EDITOR'S NOTE: Dear Abby is on a two-week vacation. Following is a selection of some of her favorite past letters from the early 1970s.

DEAR ABBY: I am writing to you because I am terribly frustrated and am too ashamed to talk to anyone else about the problem. I am married to a basically wonderful guy, except for one problem. He is totally uninterested in sex. He's 28, handsome, and in apparent good health, so don't tell me to send him to a doctor. He loathes them.

Van Buren

He is very intelligent, has a Ph.D. in history, and his work is his life. He says people who are interested in sex are insecure and so intellectually dead that sex is all they have left. He always has an excuse for avoiding it. He's either too tired, it's too late, or he's too preoccupied with something he's reading.

I am 27, and I won several beauty contests in college. I'm cheerful, educated, mentally and physically healthy, and all I want is a decent sex life. I've tried all the gimmicks: sexy nightgowns, discussing it with him, leaving good books and magazine articles around for him to see. Even crying. Nothing helps.

We have one child (a miracle), and my husband didn't come near me for six months after that. I feel rejected. I've considered having an affair, but I'd feel too guilty to enjoy it. I don't want to divorce him because outside of this one failing, I love him.

How can I turn him on? — ABANDONED IN BED IN PHILADELPHIA

DEAR ABANDONED: If he's physically healthy (and don't be so sure he is), his problem could be in his head. But no matter where it is, unless HE regards it as a problem that he wants to solve, you're fighting a losing battle. So you can either continue in a marriage that's sexually inadequate, or call it quits. It's up to you.

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I do not get along very well. In fact, if it weren't for the kids, I wouldn't live within 1,000 miles of this idiot.

We are both artists. My husband now specializes in western art and has been selling his paintings before the oil is dry on the canvas. I don't mean to put him down, but my work is much better than his, even if it doesn't sell half as well. The public just happens to be going for gimmick art.

I can hardly stand it when my husband sells a painting. For one thing, he has a way of gloating that makes me want to put my fist right through his face. I wish I knew how to get over this envious attitude. Can you help me? — ENVIOUS IN MONTANA

DEAR ENVIOUS: Of all the emotions, envy is the most difficult to control. Since you don't even like your husband and are competing with him professionally to boot, it will be doubly difficult to curb your envy. Keep telling yourself that your envy is an acid that does more damage to the container (you) than to the object (him).

DEAR ABBY: When my husband and I went on a trip last year, he hired a woman to stay in our home and look after our three children. We thought we knew this woman quite well, as she was sort of in our social circle and belongs to our club.

After we came home and several weeks later, I couldn't find a pair of earrings and a pin to match, which had been a birthday gift from another friend of mine. I would know this jewelry anywhere, as it is quite unusual.

Last evening my husband and I went to our club, and there was this friend who stayed at our home last year, wearing my jewelry! Up until that time, I wanted to believe that I had just misplaced it. Needless to say, I was shocked. Shall I confront her with the facts as I know them, or should I just wait and hope she reads your column? — PORT ANGELES, WASH.

DEAR PORT: Confront her with the facts. But don't expect her to hand them over. Anyone who would steal, would probably lie.

For Abby's favorite family recipes, send a long, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for $3.95 ($4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, Cookbooklet No. 1, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054-0447. (Postage is included.)

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PHOTOGRAPHER: Work focuses on scenes of farming, family

(From 1B)

tographer whose career is in black-and-white still photography, specializes in both documentary and enhanced-color photography. The documentary approach is that of a mirror in reflecting life. The other, in which she may color or tint, allows her to express her emotions toward subjects, which mostly are Western and family in nature.

Her sisters are Rainy Walker, a certified public accountant for Wagner & Brown Ltd. of Midland, and Christi Newton, building manager of Centennial Tower in downtown Midland.

From her husband's side of the family, Mrs. Welch has gained an appreciation of the West Texas ranching heritage.

"Both of us appreciate ranching heritage in the grand scheme of life," said Mrs. Welch, who is married to Scott Welch, a rancher who runs a cow-calf operation near Pyote on the E (Eiland) Ranch west of Midland and who is a Midland County deputy sheriff. He is a former Midland County commissioner.

"You are real lucky when you have the same values and interests (as those of your marriage partner)," Mrs. Welch said.

Her father-in-law was Charlie Welch, a West Texas rancher, horse-and-buggy enthusiast and a veteran Midland County commissioner. Her mother-in-law is Eileen Welch, a Midland County historian and rancher who owns interests in the E (Eiland) Ranch, which was established by her late father, Troy Eiland.

Charlie Welch, who died in 1991, "really wanted to serve the public," Mrs. Welch recalled.

Charlie Welch's life was reflected in Philippians 4:8 in which the Apostle Paul wrote: "Finally, beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things."

The "integrity, honesty, and love of people" that Mrs. Welch gleaned from her father-in-law are qualities she and her husband are passing onto their children," 14-year-old twins Justin and Taylor and daughter, Jessi, 12.

"One thing he gave us was a sense of family and the importance of history," Mrs. Welch said.

"If you want to keep that person alive, you have to pass those gifts along," Mrs. Welch said. "You have to know where you came from to appreciate" those gifts whether they are tangible or intangible. For example, a tangible gift from Charlie and Eileen Welch to Scott and Vicki Welch was a set of ranch oak furniture, which has sentimental value because it "came after a good cotton crop" at mid-century.

And in her role as photographer and preservationist, Mrs. Welch helps keep memories alive and records history through photographs and memorabilia. She teaches the techniques of preserving photographs, both old and recent, and of safely storing and displaying archival material.

After people die, they are not remembered so much by their fine furniture and houses, which often are sold at estate sales.

Rather, they often are remembered and held dear through "those little things we deem inconsequential — the letters, the photographs, the eyeglasses, the draft cards and quilts," Mrs. Welch said. "They are the essence of the person."

In documentary photography, her work is "more of the chosen moment" and, as such, becomes a mirror of life preserved on film.

Much of her focus is on farm-and-ranch and family scenes and portraits.

"They (photographs) evoke certain feelings in people," Mrs. Welch said. Old family photographs in particular "give you hope for the future" and "warms your heart."

In black-and-white photography, Mrs. Welch sometimes tints photographs through hand-coloring to pass on a message or an impression and "to say what I want it to say, to evoke whatever feelings" in the observer.

Mrs. Welch is fascinated by black-and-white photography through working with "the subtle gradations from black to white.

"You're seeing more shapes and forms and subtle tonal variations. In the darkroom in your printing, you are able to make things recede or come forward," Mrs. Welch said. "It is darkroom manipulation if you are a good printer."

Whether in black-and-white or color, Mrs. Welch appreciates good photographs and photography as an art.

"When it (color) shouts at you, you've gone a bit overboard," Mrs. Welch surmised. "I guess some of mine probably shouts, but I intended it to, especially in the tinted photographs."

AT WIT'S END

Mothers can always find something to worry about

One of the things a mother does best is worry.

Bombeck

She worries when things are going well because she is sure there is something to worry about that no one is telling her. She worries when things are bad because she knows they're going to get worse. She especially worries when someone tells her, "There's nothing to worry about."

I have elevated worrying to a sacrament. I'm good at it. I have worried so long that I have developed a cavernous capacity for holding all the ills of the world. I can worry about Bosnia, the health plan, Roseanne and Tom, O.J.'s children, my driver's test (which comes in February 1996), bringing home roaches in my grocery bags and a snake coming up my kitchen drain all at the same time.

However, I know my limits. When a new problem is added, one has to go or I'm on overload.

My daughter informed me last week she was going on a camping trip with a friend.

I froze. "You're driving?"

"No, we're flying in," she said sharply. "Of course we're driving."

"I'm already worried sick about your brother, who is off trekking in a country whose name I can't pronounce."

"Are you saying you don't know where he is?"

"If we go to war with them, I'll look it up."

"We're only going to be gone seven days."

"You'd think you'd have the decency to plan this when I didn't have my mind filled with Lisa Presley and Michael Jackson."

"What are you worried about them for?" she asked.

"A kid who lives in Disneyland married to a woman whose dead father keeps showing up at Wal-Mart? How can I not be worried?"

A day after our daughter's announcement, the phone rang and my other son said he was going on a weekend fishing trip.

"On water?"

"That's the plan."

"Why are you killing your mother? I'm already half-sick worrying over your brother and sister, and now you tell me you're going off someplace where the only way they can find you is with an air search."

"You have nothing to worry about."

"Hah! That's like asking me not to worry why everyone on TV is getting yeast infections."

While I was mulling over what worry I was going to discard to make room for my new concerns, the phone rang. It was long-distance from my son, who was now in New Delhi. He was fine and having a great time and would call again when he could.

My husband said, "You see? Now you can stop worrying."

"Are you crazy? That call is going to cost him a fortune. Where is he going to get that kind of money?"

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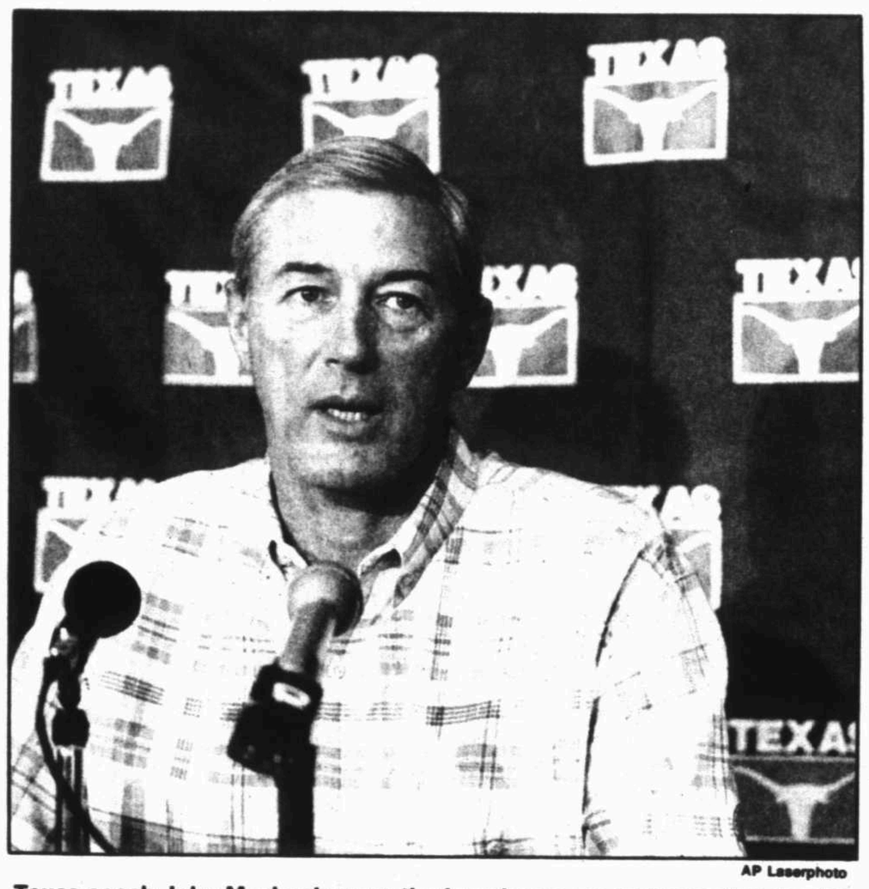

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Texas coach John Mackovic says the Longhorns are ready to play despite problems with wide receivers Mike Adams and Lovell Pinkney.

■ SWC football starts this weekend, but UT has an investigation going on star receiver Lovell Pinkney.

By Chip Brown
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN — Attorneys hired by the University of Texas are investigating whether star receiver Lovell Pinkney may have taken a trip to Los Angeles to meet with a sports agent in May, Athletic Director DeLoss Dodds said Monday.

The investigation continues a series of off-field problems involving Pinkney, who, along with receiver Mike Adams, was suspended on Sunday for the No. 18 Longhorns' season opener this weekend at Pittsburgh.

A specially appointed UT committee concluded the two players had broken the NCAA's rule for amateur athletes by accepting the use of a rental car for five weeks at a value of $1,000. School officials haven't said who provided the rental car, although Dodds said it wasn't a sports agent, alum or booster.

On Monday, Dodds said outside attorneys hired by the school have been investigating for two months allegations that Adams and Pinkney may have con-

Please see **TEXAS**/2C

Tech has 'hefty' challenge

By Jean Pagel
Associated Press Writer

LUBBOCK — Texas Tech's heftiest challenge against New Mexico — at least, when it comes to sheer size — weighs in at an average 309 pounds.

Red Raider coach Spike Dykes recited details Monday of the Lobos' offensive line.

"You listen to this," Dykes warned, reading off size statistics on tackles like 6-7, 363-pound Calvin Allen, and 6-4, 344-pound Aaron Saavedra.

"Big means a lot of things," Dykes said. "Big is hard to move and big is hard to run over."

Tech opens its season at 1 p.m. Saturday at home against New Mexico. When the teams played in 1990, Tech won, 34-32.

Both teams are coming off 6-5 records last year. It was the first winning season in 11 years for the Lobos.

The Red Raiders' scoring ability has hemorrhaged, though, with the departures of I-back Byron "Bam" Morris, receiver Lloyd Hill and quarterback Robert Hall.

Dykes has yet to announce which of

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PREP TENNIS — Midland Lee at Andrews.

PREP VOLLEYBALL — Big Spring and Denver City at Midland High, 5 p.m., MHS gym.

Pecos and San Angelo at Midland Lee, 5 p.m., Lee gym.

Tobacco ban

The Midland Independent School District board has adopted a ban on the use of tobacco products on all school district property.

That means there will be a complete tobacco ban at all football games played at Memorial Stadium this year, including Friday's game between Midland High and Frenship.

The ban includes all outdoor and indoor facilities on school grounds where other sports might be played, such as soccer, baseball, basketball, volleyball and practice facilities owned by the school district.

Strike losses

Baseball Strike
Monday, Aug. 29
Day 18

Games lost: 9.

Total games lost: 232.

Games remaining: 437.

Money lost to date by New York Mets third baseman Bobby Bonilla, who has the highest salary this season at $5.7 million: $560,656.

Money lost to date by player at the major league minimum of $109,000: $10,721.

Total income lost by players: $79.5 million.

Estimated revenue lost by owners: $153 million.

Negotiating session held Monday: No.

Next negotiating session: None scheduled.

Key development: Federal mediators decide they will meet separately with both sides Wednesday.

Key quote: "There's no drop dead date." — management negotiator Richard Ravitch on when the season would be called off.

Another strike?

NEW YORK — NFL owners will meet Wednesday with representatives of its officials in hopes of reaching agreement on a new contract before the season begins next Sunday.

Pittsburgh's Dan Rooney, who helped settle the five-year dispute between players and owners, will head the NFL group, which also includes Pat Bowlen of Denver and Mike Brown of Cincinnati. Neil Austrian, the league's vice president, has been heading the talks until now.

"We're hopeful that we can successfully conclude it this week," NFL spokesman Joe Browne said.

The officials are represented by referee Jerry Markbreit and Tom Condon, a lawyer and agent for a number of NFL players. While they have not threatened to strike next week's opening games, the officials reportedly could call a walkout for midseason.

NFL officials are part-time and receive from $1,350 to $2,700 a game depending on seniority. They are asking that game salaries be doubled and that pension payments be increased 300 percent.

The league has made two offers so far.

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Pittsburgh's Mario Lemieux ...out for 1994-95 season

Lemieux won't play this year

By Alan Robinson
AP Sports Writer

PITTSBURGH — Being like any average hockey player isn't good enough, so Mario Lemieux won't play again until he can be Mario Lemieux. What he doesn't know is if he'll ever be that good again.

His ability and desire drained by four years of medical problems, Lemieux on Monday confirmed the worst-kept secret in hockey: he will sit out the Pittsburgh Penguins' 1994-95 season to recuperate from lingering fatigue.

An aftereffect of both radiation treatments for cancer and a dozen cortisone shots for back pain since 1991, the fatigue can persist for up to two years. It developed following radiation therapy in January and February 1993.

Lemieux won't decide for another year if he'll play again, but says he won't return to hockey — either in 1995-

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1994 U.S. OPEN TENNIS

Graf casts long shadow

■ Arantxa Sanchez Vicario opens the Open with a win, but Steffi Graf is waiting in the wings.

By Hal Bock
AP Sports Writer

NEW YORK — No matter what she does in tennis, it seems Arantxa Sanchez Vicario can never avoid the long shadow of Steffi Graf.

It is the burden of being No. 2 and chasing No. 1.

Graf has been the marquee attraction in the sport and usually the opening act at Grand Slams. This time, the Open decided to give Graf and her aching back an extra day off, giving Sanchez Vicario the chance to open the Open.

"It is a new experience for me to play the first day because Steffi is always the one who plays first," Sanchez Vicario said.

She played for a while on Monday as if she were waiting for Tuesday. After a two-hour rain delay at the start, three games were gone in a flash, each of them won by Linda Ferrando, who once knocked off Monica Seles in the same tournament on the same court.

Soon, Ferrando would push the issue to set point. It was, however, as close as she would come. Sanchez Vicario recovered for a 7-5, 6-1 victory.

Ferrando, No. 83 in the world, thought this one was winnable.

"I had the feeling I could win the set, maybe even the match," Ferrando said. "She started to play a little better. She tried to pass me a little bit more. I didn't serve very well after 3-love."

Sanchez Vicario did. She refused to be flustered. She settled down and played steady, determined tennis. That is the difference between No. 2 and No. 83.

"I am playing well," Sanchez Vicario said. "I think the first match

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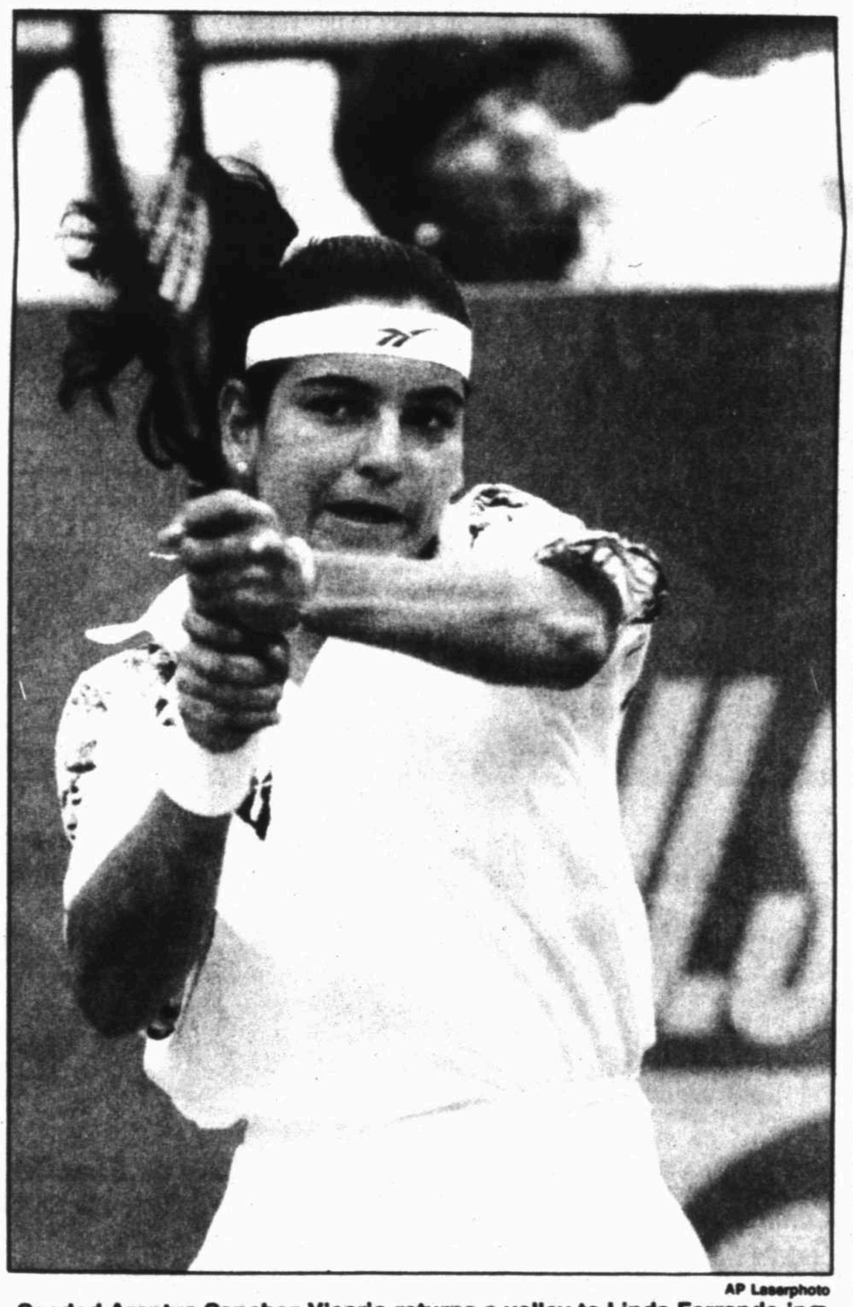

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Seeded Arantxa Sanchez Vicario returns a volley to Linda Ferrando in a first round victory in the U.S. Open Monday.

Coaches feel Big 12 title game will happen

By Doug Tucker
AP Sports Writer

KANSAS CITY — Some are in favor and some are against, but nearly all the Big Eight coaches believe there will be a championship game for the expanded Big 12 Conference.

Almost all agree that money will be the biggest factor when conference officials make their decision, possibly as early as next month.

"I think it's a terrible idea," said Iowa State coach Jim Walden. "But a playoff sounds good monetarily, and if it does, we're going to do it. We're money-driven now."

After taking in Texas, Texas Tech, Texas A&M and Baylor beginning the 1996 football season, the expanded league will break into six-team divisions, with Oklahoma and Oklahoma State joining the Texas schools in the South Division.

With Dallas possibly losing the Cotton Bowl as a prime attraction, there is sentiment to hold a Big 12 championship game between division winners in Dallas every year.

"To not have a marquee game in Dallas would probably hurt the Big 12," said Oklahoma State's Pat Jones. "You'd hate not to have a marquee game in the Cotton Bowl. We'd like to have a big game down there. That might be a factor."

But Lincoln, Neb., is a lot farther from Dallas than Stillwater, Okla.

"To me, the people down there joined the Big Eight," said Nebraska coach Tom Osborne, who was lukewarm toward a playoff to begin with. "Now all of a sudden we hear things like we ought not to take Proposition 48 (athletes) because the Southwest Conference doesn't.

"My understanding was they were going to accept Big Eight rules, that they were happy to get in the Big Eight. I don't think it's more important that we play in Dallas, or Kansas City or Oklahoma City or wherever."

Conference leaders will have several factors to consider. There's the experience of the expanded Southeastern Conference, which has had mixed luck with its conference playoff game. Then there's the still-murky picture of the bowl coalition and how the Big 12 will fit in there.

Kansas' Glen Mason says it doesn't matter what he thinks of a Big 12 playoff game.

"They don't consult football coaches on those deals," Mason said. "Those are administrative decisions. It's a money decision. They ought to consult the bankers. I think it's inevitable."

Apparently, Kansas State athletic director Max Urick consults with his football coach more than Kansas' Bob Frederick.

"I have been consulted," said K-State coach Bill Snyder. "I have some mixed emotions. If indeed our scheduling is that we play the 5-3 (conference) format, with the coalition itself being under a new format, then I would probably say it's inevitable we have a playoff. Originally, I was not in favor. Nor was I in favor of the 5-3 format."

Giants chop off 'Bunch' of money

Associated Press

■ NFL Roundup

Another high-priced player found himself without a job on Tuesday when Jarrod Bunch, the New York Giants' first-round draft pick in 1991, was waived.

It had been a difficult summer for Bunch, a fullback who never endeared himself to coach Dan Reeves after rushing for 501 yards and averaging 4.8 yards a carry two seasons ago under Ray Handley.

First, he held out while rehabilitating an injured hamstring in California, then reported to camp while the Giants were playing an exhibition game in Berlin. Finally, a hip injury landed him on the physically-unable-to-perform list, from which he was waived on Monday.

"It just looked like he was never going to get healthy to have him on the field," Reeves said. "There was also a little feeling on his part that this wasn't the best opportunity for him, so sometimes a change of scenery is good for everybody."

Monday was a day for all 28 NFL teams to scan the waiver wire, looking to fill holes created by the $34.6 million salary cap that is primarily responsible for a lack of depth around the league.

That was true from the Dallas Cowboys at the top to the Cincinnati Bengals at the bottom as well as with the rebuilding Giants, the team that probably lost the most to the cap this year.

Reeves seemed ready to reconstitute part of last year's 11-5 team, talking with kicker David Treadwell, who made 25 of 31 field goals for New York last year, but ended up a cap casualty. Treadwell, cut by Pittsburgh after Gary Anderson finally reported, would share kicking duties with Brad Daluiso, the long kicker who is good on kickoffs, but inconsistent on short field-goal attempts.

Reeves also juggled his defense, shifting Michael Brooks from middle linebacker to the weakside in his new 4-3 alignment and inserting Corey Widmer in the middle. Brooks replaces Carlton Bailey, whom Reeves said will now "compete" with Widmer for the middle linebacker job.

But Bailey's $1.2 million salary might make him expendable if he isn't the starter.

Cincinnati decided to keep youth at the quarterback position, dumping 10-year veteran Jay Schroeder, 33, in favor of third-year man Jeff Blake, picked up off waivers from the New York Jets.

Blake, 23, will play behind David Klingler, also a third-year player. Blake, a sixth-round draft pick out of East Carolina in 1992, didn't see much action with the Jets, finally losing his backup job this preseason to rookie Glenn Foley.

The Bengals also claimed cornerback Roger Jones, waived Monday by Tampa Bay, and offensive tackle Matt Joyce, released by Dallas.

To make room, the Bengals waived two second-year players, safety Lance Gunn and offensive lineman Scott Brumfield.

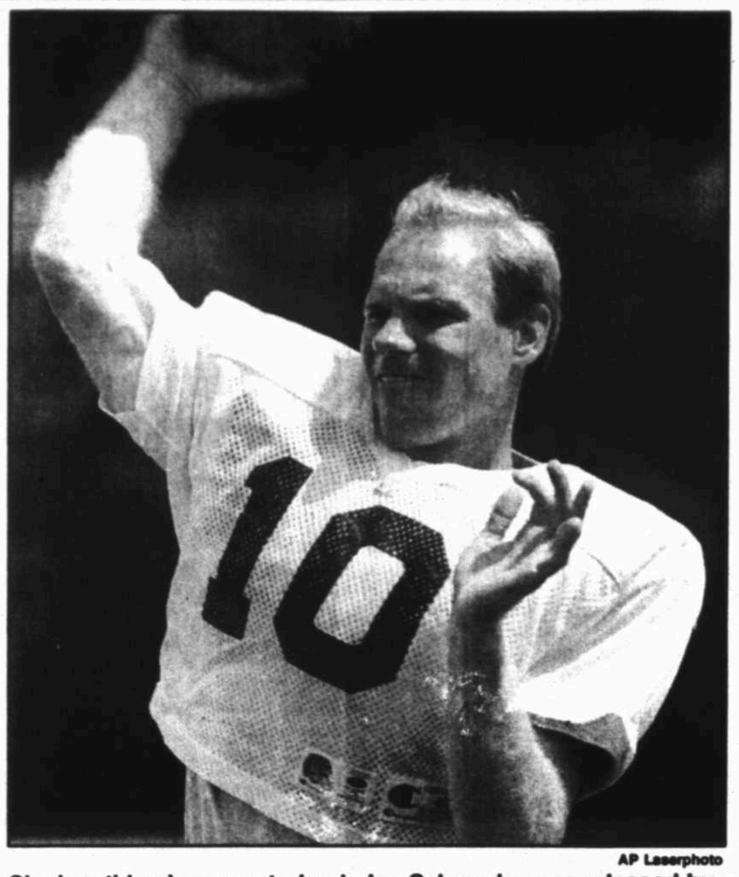
Jones, 25, was a nickel back for the Buccaneers the past three years. Joyce, 22, was a rookie free agent.

The Bengals come into the season with a vastly different team than a year ago. Seventeen players from that 3-13 team have been released during the preseason.

Coach Art Shell is hoping that history repeats itself.

Defensive back Donald Frank, who returned an interception 102 yards for a touchdown against the Raiders last season, signed with them.

"You can never have enough good corners," Shell said



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Cincinnati backup quarterback Jay Schroeder was released by the Bengals Monday as NFL teams continue to make moves.

TEXAS: Morenz says team remains focused

(From 1C)

sulted with a sports agent, which is an NCAA violation.

Dodds said attorneys had previously asked Pinkney if he went to Los Angeles to meet with a sports agent.

Pinkney denied going on such a trip. But the Austin American-Statesman reported Monday that airline records reviewed by the newspaper show Pinkney flew to Los Angeles May 6 and returned May 10.

Texas officials said they too had reviewed airline reservation schedules and didn't find Pinkney's name.

"We are re-interviewing Lovell about this," Dodds said. "He said earlier that he didn't go to LA. If something turns up, we are going to look at it."

"We won't say anything else until the investigation is complete. I think you wait to find out all the information. I don't think we are here to act on this before we know the truth," Dodds said.

Pinkney and Adams were at practice Monday and weren't immediately available to comment. Bill Little, Texas' sports information director, said Pinkney wouldn't be talking to the media.

Despite the off-field problems, Texas coach John Mackovic and his players say they are ready for Pittsburgh.

"The team is unified as opposed to being hurt that someone can't be there," Mackovic said. "We know that we have some key elements that won't be with us on this trip. But we also know that the ones who go will play together and have a great game."

Texas has been rocked by season-ending injuries in fall drills, losing receivers Justin McLemore and Wane McGarity as well as running back Darrell Wilson. But Mackovic says the team's approach against Pittsburgh won't be affected.

The Longhorns' high-flying offense is now in the hands of receivers Eric Jackson, who had two catches last season for 18 yards, and Matt Davis, who had one catch for eight yards.

Sophomore quarterback Shea Morenz says the team is ready.

TECH: Lobos challenge in Raiders' home opener

(From 1C)

his three quarterback contenders will start Saturday. He says he doesn't know.

"Believe me, there's nothing magic about waiting," Dykes said Monday. "But it's just not an easy call."

Dykes listed advantages for all three hopefuls: Weslaco redshirt sophomore Sone Cavazos brings the most experience; San Antonio Holmes redshirt freshman Tony Darden has a particularly nice touch; and Lubbock Estacado redshirt freshman Zebbie Lethridge is fast and strong.

All three would play Saturday, Dykes predicted.

He lauded New Mexico quarterback Stoney Case's athleticism and passing skill. Case, a former Odessa Permian player, threw 17 touchdown passes last year and ran for 14 more scores for the Lobos.

New Mexico is unpredictable, versatile and well coached, Dykes said.

The Red Raiders finished their two-a-days with no injuries. But, Dykes said, Tech's kicking game needs improvement before Saturday.

"It'll be interesting, to say the least," he said. "They've got a heck of a football team. They're going to come in here with fire in their eyes."

Alabama defense has speed, headhunters

TUSCALOOSA, Ala. (AP) — Dameian Jeffries couldn't help but smile as he discussed Alabama's defense.

How quick are you guys?

"We've got speed up front, we've got speed at linebacker and the defensive backs have excellent speed," Jeffries replied with a grin.

How about the linebackers?

"They're headhunters," he said, shaking his head in mock disbelief but still smiling.

Then the talk turned to his turf, up front.

"We're going to hit the quarterback," the defensive end said. "You can be sure of that."

He wore the confident smirk of a man who plans to spend much of the season in the opponents' backfield.

Jeffries and his teammates made no effort Monday to dispel the notion that they're going to rival the Crimson Tide's famed 1992 defensive unit, which led the nation in every major category during the regular season and sent seven players to the NFL.

"That's our goal," left tackle Shannon Brown said, before correcting himself. "In a sense, though, our goal is not to be as good as that '92 defense. We want to be better than them."

That's a tall order. The defense was the backbone of Alabama's national championship team two years ago and it featured John Copeland, Eric Curry, Antonio Langham, George Teague, Derrick Oden, Antonio London and Jeremy Nunley — all of whom found work in the NFL.

"We can read what people are saying," Brown said, "but talk is cheap. We've got to go out and prove what everyone is writing about."

That's a point well taken, said coach Gene Stallings. He becomes a little testy when asked if he notices any similarities between this defense and the one he had two years ago.

"I'm not even going to attempt to compare it to the '92 team," he said. "That '92 team played 11 games, led the nation in four categories defensively."

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SPORTS SCOREBOARD

Texas League Statistics

Through Aug. 25

Club Batting

	AB	R	H	HR	SB	AVG
El Paso	4518	819	1285	79	127	.264
Midland	**4427**	**712**	**1200**	**80**	**107**	**.271**
Shreveport	4300	559	1126	67	137	.262
Jackson	4195	545	1096	73	102	.262
Wichita	4406	544	1139	86	148	.259
Tulsa	4310	560	1106	87	104	.257
San Antonio	4351	541	1114	83	113	.256
Arkansas	4194	502	986	91	63	.235

Batting Leaders
(Minimum 356 Plate Appearances)

	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	AVG
Lofton, Elp	345	68	115	2	54	.333
Ball, Jck	343	64	112	13	57	.327
Smith, Wch	341	53	109	7	40	.320
Perez, Elp	423	88	135	6	71	.319
Unroe, Elp	460	97	146	15	102	.317
Benard, Shr	439	64	137	4	48	.312
Pritchett, Mdl	**441**	**83**	**136**	**5**	**89**	**.308**
Bream, Wch	328	40	100	5	35	.305
Kirkpatrck, San	440	60	133	18	75	.302
Abreu, Jck	386	60	115	15	71	.298
Chimelis, Shr	468	72	138	10	70	.295
Riley, Mdl	**356**	**64**	**104**	**1**	**27**	**.292**
Lott, San	432	59	126	11	60	.292
Wilson, Tul	476	68	138	6	55	.290
Wolff, Mdl	**383**	**62**	**111**	**13**	**57**	**.290**
Wimmer, Shr	452	63	129	4	49	.285
Castro, San	430	54	122	4	43	.284
Ramirez, Mdl	**435**	**76**	**123**	**13**	**55**	**.283**
Bradshaw, Ark	425	65	119	10	52	.280
Lowery, Tul	480	82	134	6	50	.279
Colon, Jck	367	37	102	5	52	.278
Gennaro, Wch	424	70	134	16	57	.277
Harris, Elp	358	75	99	5	60	.277
Cairo, Tul	439	48	120	14	76	.273
Young, Ark	437	53	119	8	50	.272
McNabb, Jck	442	67	120	0	24	.271
Miller, Shr	399	54	108	12	70	.271
Nevers, Jck	442	54	119	8	62	.269
Harkrider, Mdl	**392**	**65**	**105**	**0**	**48**	**.268**
Groppuso, Jck	342	48	91	12	47	.266
Spearman, San	331	43	88	0	24	.266
Demetral, San	361	44	95	6	38	.263
Edwards, Tul	331	37	87	6	37	.263
Talanoa, Elp	416	87	109	28	87	.262
Smith, Mdl	**421**	**61**	**110**	**3**	**56**	**.261**
Ingram, San	335	66	87	8	28	.260
Thompson, Jck	375	67	97	3	28	.259
Biasucci, Ark	347	44	89	15	48	.256
Lewis, Ark	335	58	85	17	50	.254
Magallanes, Tul	385	47	95	4	40	.247
Ehmann, Shr	417	45	102	1	40	.245
Mota, Jck	306	44	73	8	51	.239
Blanco, San	392	36	92	6	38	.235
Boykin, Mdl	**412**	**65**	**96**	**5**	**62**	**.233**
Murray, Shr	464	66	108	2	35	.233
Aurilia, Tul	442	67	101	12	53	.229
Radziewicz, Ark	329	32	74	8	40	.225
Cholowsky, Ark	438	57	97	14	50	.221

Home Runs

Talanoa, Elp	28
Raven, Mdl	**18**
Kirkpatrck, San	18
Lewis, Ark	17
Gennaro, Wch	16

Runs Batted In

Unroe, Elp	102
Pritchett, Mdl	**89**
Talanoa, Elp	87
Cairo, Tul	76
Kirkpatrck, San	75

Stolen Bases

Thomas, Wch	45
Murray, Shr	33
Lowery, Tul	32
Riley, Mdl	**30**
Thompson, Jck	27

Club Pitching

	ERA	H	HR	BB	SO	SHO	SV
Jackson	3.29	994	79	423	918	13	47
Shreveport	3.31	1083	76	336	761	9	39
Arkansas	3.39	1066	77	348	925	11	33
San Antonio	3.59	1078	52	534	962	6	34
Tulsa	3.98	1080	113	440	842	6	25
El Paso	4.28	1256	82	502	788	8	51
Wichita	4.61	1237	80	507	942	7	32
Midland	**4.82**	**1260**	**87**	**455**	**960**	**5**	**26**

Pitching Leaders
(Minimum 106 Innings Pitched)

	IP	H	BB	SO	W-L	ERA
Simmons, Ark	157	143	39	111	7-11	2.75
Dishman, Wch	169	156	42	165	11- 8	2.82
Roberson, Elp	181	190	48	119	15- 8	2.83
Badorek, Ark	119	118	36	93	8- 8	3.34
Holt, Jck	166	166	22	110	10- 9	3.35
Mlicki, Jck	139	107	54	130	13- 7	3.38
Whitaker, Shr	148	134	67	106	11- 7	3.41
Smith, Shr	137	125	25	68	6- 9	3.42
Pyc, San	155	165	47	120	4-11	3.78
Gallaher, Jck	106	88	67	112	6- 6	3.91
Vanderwele, Shr	117	137	32	52	6- 9	3.99
Ketchen, Jck	124	127	53	73	6- 9	4.05
Schuermann, Tul	169	177	47	120	9-11	4.11
Rodriguez, San	129	103	86	116	6- 8	4.18
Cromwell, Wch	125	123	61	119	8- 5	4.26
Sebach, Mdl	**107**	**122**	**37**	**84**	**5- 4**	**4.30**
Gerstein, Elp	158	178	69	86	12- 2	4.34
Martinez, Tul	139	126	69	107	6-10	4.52
Johnson, Mdl	**129**	**136**	**64**	**116**	**7- 9**	**4.69**
Hernandez, Wch	127	118	73	94	7- 9	4.74
Gamez, Elp	163	191	59	83	9- 7	4.92
Peck, Elp	121	131	49	70	12- 4	5.00
Martinez, Wch	133	152	49	68	4-10	5.02
Keling, Mdl	**150**	**200**	**58**	**127**	**9-11**	**5.17**
Curtis, Tul	141	169	54	62	3-13	5.31
Wengert, Wch	111	144	35	83	6- 7	5.53

Wins

Roberson, Elp	15
Mlicki, Jck	13
Gerstein, Elp	12
Peck, Elp	12
Several Tied	11

Strikeouts

Dishman, Wch	165
Mlicki, Jck	130
Keling, Mdl	**127**
Schuermann, Tul	120
Pyc, San	120

Saves

Jones, Shr	33
Huisman, Jck	30
Thomas, Elp	19
Osuna, San	19
Several Tied	16

U.S. Open Tennis Results

NEW YORK (AP) — Results Monday of the $9.36 million U.S. Open tennis championships at the USTA National Tennis Center in Flushing Meadow:

Men
Singles
First Round

Andre Agassi, Las Vegas, def. Robert Eriksson, Sweden, 6-3, 6-2, 6-0.

Markus Zoecke, Germany, def. Goran Ivanisevic (2), Croatia, 6-2, 7-5, 3-6, 7-5.

Wayne Ferreira (12), South Africa, def. Wade McGuire, Tampa, Fla., 7-5, 6-2, 6-2.

Marcelo Rios, Chile, def. Jared Palmer, Tampa, Fla., 6-2, 7-6 (7-1), 6-2.

Hendrik Dreekman, Germany, def. Jonas Svensson, Sweden, 6-4, 6-4, 6-2.

Jim Grabb, Tucson, Ariz., def. Magnus Larsson, Sweden, 6-7 (2-7), 5-7, 6-3, 6-3, 6-3.

Bernd Karbacher, Germany, def. Leander Paes, India, 6-4, 6-4, 6-2.

Robbie Weiss, Atlanta, def. Grant Doyle, Australia, 4-6, 6-2, 6-3, 6-3.

Ellis Ferreira, South Africa, def. Arnaud Boetsch, France, 7-6 (7-3), 6-4, 6-4.

Marc Goellner, Germany, def. Brett Steven, New Zealand, 7-6 (7-5), 6-4, 3-6, 6-1.

Ronald Agenor, Haiti, def. Paul Goldstein, Rockville, Md., 6-4, 6-3, 6-4.

Maurice Rush, Venezuela, def. Jeremy Bates, Britain, 6-7 (3-7), 7-6 (7-5), 6-4, 2-6, 6-4.

Michael Chang (6), Henderson, Nev., def. Andrei Cherkasov, Russia, 6-4, 6-2, 6-2.

Tomas Carbonell, Spain, def. Alex Antonitsch, Austria, 1-6, 6-7 (0-7), 7-6 (9-7), 6-2, 6-3.

Ivan Lendl, Goshen, Conn., def. Neil Borwick, Australia, 7-5, 6-2, 6-3.

MaliVai Washington, Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla., def. Karsten Braasch, Germany, 6-7 (5-7), 6-3, 3-6, 6-3, 6-3.

Richard Fromberg, Australia, def. David Wheaton, Lake Minnetonka, Minn., 4-6, 6-4, 6-2, 3-6, 6-3.

Jordi Burillo, Spain, def. Kenneth Carlsen, Denmark, 6-3, 7-6 (7-4), 6-7 (1-7), 6-4.

Andrei Olhovskiy, Russia, def. Jason Stoltenberg, Australia, 1-6, 4-6, 6-4, 6-3, 6-4.

Sergi Bruguera (3), Spain, def. Bryan Shelton, Atlanta, 6-0, 6-2, 7-5.

Thomas Muster (13), Austria, def. Daniele Musa, 6-3, 6-2, 6-0.

Women
Singles
First Round

Arantxa Sanchez Vicario (2), Spain, def. Linda Ferrando, Italy, 7-5, 6-1.

Emanuela Zardo, Switzerland, def. Eva Martincova, Czech Republic, 6-3, 6-0.

Audra Keller, Memphis, Tenn., def. Laurence Courtois, Belgium, 6-1, 6-3.

Elena Likhovtseva, Kazakhstan, def. Joanette Kruger, South Africa, 6-2, 6-4.

Leila Meskhi, Georgia, def. Ai Sugiyama, Japan, 6-1, 6-4.

Shi-Ting Wang, Taiwan, def. Fang Li, China, 7-5, 6-4.

Gigi Fernandez, Aspen, Colo., def. Sabine Hack (12), Germany, 6-2, 2-6, 7-6 (7-3).

Asa Cartsson, Sweden, def. Nancy Feber, Belgium, 4-6, 6-1, 6-2.

Mary Pierce (4), France, def. Andrea Temesvari, Hungary, 6-3, 6-2.

Conchita Martinez (3), Spain, def. Veronika Martinek, Germany, 6-1, 6-0.

Silvia Farina, Italy, def. Meilen Tu, Northridge, Calif., 7-5, 6-7 (6-8), 6-1.

Meredith McGrath, Midland, Mich., def. Tessa Price, South Africa, 6-1, 6-2.

Sandrine Testud, France, def. Elena Brioukhovets, Russia, 7-5, 7-5.

Ginger Helgeson, Alpine, Calif., def. Karin Kschwendt, Germany, 6-2, 6-1.

Natalia Medvedeva, Ukraine, def. Barbara Schett, Austria, 4-6, 6-2, 7-6 (9-7).

Radka Zrubakova, Slovakia, def. Patricia Tarabini, Argentina, 6-2, 6-2.

Yone Kamio, Japan, def. Laura Golarsa, Italy, 6-4, 6-4.

Patricia Hy, Canada, def. Florencia Labat, Argentina, 6-1, 7-6 (9-7).

Karina Habsudova, Slovakia, def. Dominique Monami, Belgium, 6-3, 6-2.

Alexandra Fusai, France, def. Brenda Schultz, Netherlands, 6-4, 6-3.

Elna Reinach, South Africa, def. Dinky van Rensburg, South Africa, 6-3, 2-6, 6-4.

Maria Jose Gaidano, Argentina, def. Angela Lettiere, Vero Beach, Fla., 6-1, 7-6 (7-3).

Mary Joe Fernandez (9), Key Biscayne, Fla., def. Sabine Appelmans, Belgium, 6-4, 6-3.

Angelica Gavaldon, Mexico, def. Bettina Fulco-Villella, Argentina, 7-5, 7-6 (7-5).

Amy Frazier (16), Rochester Hills, Mich., def. Rachel McQuillan, Australia, 6-0, 6-3.

Katarina Studenikova, Czech Republic, def. Debbie Graham, Fountain Valley, Calif., 6-3, 3-6, 6-4.

WTA Money

WTA Money Leaders

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP) — The Women's Tennis Association money leaders through Aug. 28:

1. A. Sanchez Vicario	$1,385,569
2. Steffi Graf	1,218,275
3. Conchita Martinez	1,029,616
4. Natalia Zvereva	628,146
5. Martina Navratilova	525,132
6. Gigi Fernandez	498,767
7. Mary Pierce	388,952
8. Lindsay Davenport	355,083
9. Jana Novotna	344,584
10. Lori McNeil	292,032
11. Meredith McGrath	279,710
12. Gabriela Sabatini	262,097
13. Kimiko Date	255,942
14. Larisa Neiland	250,252
15. Julie Halard	245,396
16. Sabine Hack	244,890
17. Amanda Coetzer	238,043
18. Brenda Schultz	214,532
19. Helena Sukova	195,455
20. Iva Majoli	186,344
21. Ines Gorrochategui	180,635
22. Pam Shriver	168,936
23. Amy Frazier	166,465
24. Nathalie Tauziat	163,821
25. Mary Joe Fernandez	161,171
26. Ann Grossman	159,534
27. Patty Fendick	159,122
28. Z. Garrison Jackson	156,292
29. Ginger Helgeson	156,206
30. Lisa Raymond	148,141
31. Manon Bollegraf	141,423
32. Chanda Rubin	139,826
33. Kristie Boogert	139,270
34. Sabine Appelmans	137,411
35. Anke Huber	135,546
36. Kristine Radford	130,550
37. Irina Spirlea	128,611
38. Leila Meskhi	125,416
39. Yayuk Basuki	117,856
40. Shaun Stafford	116,264

ATP Money

ATP Tour Money Leaders
By The Associated Press

The leading money winners on the ATP Tour through Aug. 28:

1. Pete Sampras	$2,067,812
2. Sergi Bruguera	$1,377,224
3. Stefan Edberg	$1,078,436
4. Michael Stich	$941,591
5. Goran Ivanisevic	$920,253
6. Boris Becker	$828,073
7. Michael Chang	$808,595
8. Yevgeny Kafelnikov	$758,768
9. Wayne Ferreira	$745,791
10. Andrei Medvedev	$739,684
11. Alberto Berasategui	$693,851
12. Todd Martin	$662,217
13. Jim Courier	$617,334
14. Andre Agassi	$556,300
15. Carlos Costa	$514,563
16. Paul Haarhuis	$503,866
17. Jacco Eltingh	$502,844
18. Petr Korda	$502,162
19. Thomas Muster	$494,404
20. Mark Woodforde	$488,854
21. Jonathan Stark	$469,439
22. Byron Black	$441,343
23. Magnus Gustafsson	$437,426
24. Jason Stoltenberg	$435,442
25. Jonas Bjorkman	$421,137
26. Javier Sanchez	$413,816
27. Patrick Rafter	$392,918
28. Bernd Karbacher	$374,861
29. Karel Novacek	$373,484
30. Magnus Larsson	$370,785
31. Andrei Olhovskiy	$355,011
32. Alexander Volkov	$354,322
33. Marc Rosset	$353,909
34. Andrea Gaudenzi	$353,029
35. Olivier Delaitre	$348,891
36. Todd Woodbridge	$329,181
37. Jan Apell	$328,422
38. Henrik Holm	$328,173
39. Daniel Vacek	$315,535
40. Richard Krajicek	$314,941
41. David Rikl	$309,617

Transactions

Monday's Sports Transactions
By The Associated Press

BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association

CLEVELAND CAVALIERS—Resigned Tyrone Hill, forward, to a multiyear contract.

MINNEAPOLIS TIMBER WOLVES—Named Bill Blair coach.

FOOTBALL
National Football League

CINCINNATI BENGALS—Waived Jay Schroeder, quarterback; Lance Gunn, safety; and Scott Brumfield, offensive lineman. Claimed Roger Jones, cornerback, off waivers from Tampa Bay, and Matt Joyce, offensive tackle, off waivers from Dallas.

INDIANAPOLIS COLTS—Resigned Ed Toner, running back. Waived Willis Peguese, defensive end.

KANSAS CITY CHIEFS—Signed Derrick Walker, tight end. Released Jimmy Johnson, tight end. Waived James Burton, cornerback, and Emerson Martin, guard.

LOS ANGELES RAIDERS—Signed Donald Frank, defensive back. Placed Torin Dorn, defensive back, on injured reserve. Signed Wes Bender, running back; John Morton, wide receiver; Cary Braham, defensive back; Willie Stubbins, offensive tackle; and Alberto White, defensive lineman, to the practice squad.

NEW YORK GIANTS—Waived Jarrod Bunch, fullback.

NEW YORK JETS—Waived Pat Chaffey, fullback, and Tuineau Alipate and Mike Anderson, linebackers.

PHILADELPHIA EAGLES—Claimed Rickie Shaw, tackle, off waivers from Seattle.

PITTSBURGH STEELERS—Signed Elbert Ellis, wide receiver; Tim Simpson, tackle; and Patrick Scott, linebacker, to the practice squad.

Canadian Football League

TORONTO ARGONAUTS—Released Kevin Carroll, defensive tackle; Charlie Pharms, linebacker; Paul Cranmer, slotback; Phillip Kent, defensive end; Ainsworth Morgan, defensive back; and John Terry, offensive tackle. Signed Darrick Branch, wide receiver; and Brent Huff and Eudean Toney, defensive backs.

HOCKEY
National Hockey League

NHL PLAYERS ASSOCIATION—Named Steve McAllister manager of media relations and Bruce Newton manager of special projects.

DALLAS STARS—Signed Neal Broten, center and Richard Matvichuk, defenseman.

NEW YORK ISLANDERS—Agreed to terms with Bob Beers, defenseman.

PITTSBURGH PENGUINS—Announced Mario Lemieux, center, will sit out the 1994-95 season.

ST. LOUIS BLUES—Acquired Bill Houlder, defenseman, from the Anaheim Mighty Ducks for Jason Marshall, defenseman.

Colonial Hockey League

BRANTFORD SMOKE—Resigned Todd Francis, right wing.

UTICA BLIZZARD—Traded Pat Szturm, goaltender, and Mikhail Zakarov, right wing, to the London Blues for John Batten, Bob Edmond, and Dan Elsener, defensemen.

SOCCER
National Professional Soccer League

CHICAGO POWER—Announced the resignation of Steven Davidson, director of operations.

SWIMMING

INTERNATIONAL SWIMMING FEDERATION—Suspended Tony Ali, British diver, for six months for refusing to take a random doping test.

TENNIS

WTA TOUR PLAYERS ASSOCIATION—Elected Martina Navratilova president; Marianne Werdel vice president; Katrina Adams, treasurer; Mercedes Paz, secretary; and Nicole Arendt and Rennae Stubbs board members.

COLLEGE

DAYTON—Named Tracy Hart women's golf coach.

EASTERN CONNECTICUT STATE—Named Adam Linker men's assistant soccer coach; Cindy Walker women's assistant soccer coach; Tom Rizzotti women's volunteer assistant volleyball coach.

FAIRFIELD—Named Michael J. Guastelle coordinator of athletic communications.

FLORIDA STATE—Announced the suspension of Marcus Long, offensive lineman, for two games and placed and Forrest Conoly, offensive tackle, on indefinite suspension.

FORDHAM—Announced the resignation of Mike Rice, men's assistant basketball coach.

NEW HAMPSHIRE—Named Chris O'Connor men's assistant basketball coach.

NORTH CAROLINA—Named Roland Thornqvist men's assistant tennis coach.

OAKLAND, MICH.—Named Eric Barnes men's and women's diving coach.

PACE—Named Frank Vitolo men's assistant lacrosse coach.

PEPPERDINE—Named David Rhoades assistant baseball coach; Carl Strong men's assistant basketball coach; Richard Gallien assistant tennis coach; and Tim Ward women's assistant soccer coach.

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS-CARBONDALE—Named Chris Pagliuca women's assistant sports information director and Kevin Bergquist men's sport's information intern.

VANDERBILT—Named Susan Gilchrist women's assistant tennis coach and Bowen Sargent volunteer assistant golf coach.

WASHINGTON, MO.—Named Joe Worlund assistant athletic director.

NFL Schedule

Sunday's Games

Atlanta at Detroit, noon.
Cleveland at Cincinnati, noon.
Houston at Indianapolis, noon.
Kansas City at New Orleans, noon.
Minnesota at Green Bay, noon.
Philadelphia at New York Giants, noon.
Seattle at Washington, noon.
Tampa Bay at Chicago, noon.
Arizona at Los Angeles Rams, 3 p.m.
Dallas at Pittsburgh, 3 p.m. (FOX)
New England at Miami, 3 p.m.
New York Jets at Buffalo, 3 p.m.
San Diego at Denver, 7 p.m. (TNT)

Monday's Game

Los Angeles Raiders at San Francisco, 8 p.m. (ABC)

Texas League

Texas League Standings
By The Associated Press
Second Half
Western Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
x,z-El Paso	44	24	.647	—
Wichita	31	37	.456	13
San Antonio	30	38	.441	14
Midland	27	41	.397	17
Eastern Division				
z-Jackson	40	28	.588	—
x-Shreveport	35	33	.515	5
Arkansas	34	34	.500	6
Tulsa	31	37	.456	9

x-clinched first-half division title
z-clinched second-half division title

Monday's Games

Wichita 10, Midland 6
El Paso 7, San Antonio 1
Arkansas 4, Shreveport 2
Tulsa 6, Jackson 3
End regular season

LPGA Money

LPGA Money Leaders
By The Associated Press

The money leaders on the LPGA tour through the du Maurier Classic, which ended Aug. 28:

	Trn	Money
1. Laura Davies	16	$615,811
2. Beth Daniel	20	$543,318
3. Dottie Mochrie	22	$425,582
4. Lisel Neumann	17	$401,317
5. Donna Andrews	18	$381,943
6. Sherri Steinhauer	22	$371,378
7. Tammie Green	19	$370,227
8. Kelly Robbins	21	$369,574
9. Meg Mallon	21	$305,354
10. Patty Sheehan	15	$292,544
11. Val Skinner	19	$262,744
12. Michelle McGann	21	$250,313
13. Betsy King	21	$237,720
14. Judy Dickinson	22	$237,015
15. Jane Geddes	20	$236,239
16. Elaine Crosby	22	$221,017
17. Pat Bradley	19	$219,985
18. Helen Alfredsson	19	$218,694
19. Dawn Coe-Jones	20	$206,683
20. Martha Nause	20	$193,183
21. Lauri Merten	18	$192,315
22. Hiromi Kobayashi	19	$187,308
23. Alice Ritzman	16	$183,618
24. Lisa Kiggens	20	$178,701
25. N. Ramsbottom	18	$170,826
26. Alicia Dibos	20	$169,437
27. Barb Bunkowsky	19	$157,062
28. Brandie Burton	18	$156,011
29. Deb Richard	20	$152,611
30. Nancy Lopez	15	$146,349
31. Dale Eggeling	20	$143,194
32. Amy Alcott	18	$135,445
33. Chris Johnson	21	$135,164
34. Colleen Walker	23	$127,395
35. Kristi Albers	20	$121,204
36. Michelle Estill	20	$114,297
37. M. Figueras-Dotti	22	$114,174
38. Missie Berteotti	20	$113,567
39. Amy Benz	20	$110,920
40. Kris Tschetter	21	$103,820
41. Dana Dormann	21	$101,187
42. Juli Inkster	13	$100,999
43. Missie McGeorge	19	$99,191
44. Michele Redman	19	$98,568
45. Carolyn Hill	17	$97,452
46. Jan Stephenson	19	$96,356
47. Robin Walton	20	$94,353
48. Hollis Stacy	21	$88,098
49. Annika Sorenstam	13	$87,693
50. Joan Pitcock	21	$84,936

PGA Leaders

PONTE VEDRA BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Statistical leaders on the PGA Tour through the World Series which ended Aug. 28:

Scoring Leaders

1, Greg Norman, 68.42. 2, Tom Lehman, 69.24. 3, Nick Price, 69.26. 4, Loren Roberts, 69.43. 5, Phil Mickelson, 69.51. 6, Corey Pavin, 69.57. 7, Hale Irwin, 69.60. 8, Brad Faxon, 69.78. 9, Mark McCumber, 69.80. 2 Tied With Lennie Clements, 69.85.

Driving Leaders

1, John Daly, 290.2. 2, Davis Love III, 283.6. 3, Dennis Paulson, 280.0. 4, Robert Gamez, 279.1. 5, Todd Barranger, 278.2. 6, Greg Norman, 277.8. 7, John Huston, 276.8. 8, Nick Price, 276.4. 9, Bill Glasson, 275.8. 10, Mike Heinen, 275.4.

Driving Accuracy

1, David Edwards, 81.1%. 2, Fred Funk, 79.7%. 3, D.A. Weibring 79.3%. 4, Doug Tewell, 78.6%. 5, Bruce Fleisher, 78.5%. 6, Dillard Pruitt, 78.3%. 7 (tie), Tom Garner, Bob Lohr, John Mahaffey and David Ogrin, 78.2%.

Greens in Regulation

1, Hal Sutton, 72.2%. 2, Bill Glasson, 71.8%. 3 (tie), Bob Estes and Tom Lehman, 71.1%. 5, Fuzzy Zoeller, 71.0%. 6 (tie), Dave Barr and Dan Forsman, 70.5%. 8, Lennie Clements, 70.4%. 9, Mark McCumber, 70.3%. 10, John Cook, 70.2%.

Total Driving

1, Bill Glasson, 32. 2, Nick Price, 40. 3, Greg Norman, 50. 4, Fuzzy Zoeller, 56. 5, Tom Watson, 63. 6, Mike Heinen, 67. 7, Gil Morgan, 72. 8 (tie), Dan Forsman and Mark McCumber, 75. 10, Ed Humenik, 76.

Putting Leaders

1, Mark Wurtz, 1.721. 2, Loren Roberts, 1.735. 3, Greg Norman, 1.739. 4, Ben Crenshaw, 1.744. 5, Jeff Maggert, 1.748. 6 (tie), Greg Kraft and Steve Stricker, 1.749. 8, Corey Pavin, 1.750. 9 (tie), David Frost and Hale Irwin, 1.751.

Birdie Leaders

1, Ted Tryba, 301. 2, Hal Sutton, 299. 3, Fred Funk, 296. 4, Kenny Perry, 291. 5 (tie), Mark Brooks and Jay Haas, 289. 7, Brad Faxon, 285. 8, Lennie Clements, 281. 9, Jeff Maggert, 279. 10, John Huston, 278.

Eagle Leaders

1, Davis Love III, 16. 2, Mark Brooks, 13. 3 (tie), Robin Freeman and Mike Standly, 11. 5, Robert Gamez, 10. 6 (tie), Tom Lehman, Jim Thorpe, Glen Day and Jesper Parnevik, 9. 4 Tied With Gary Hallberg, 8.

Sand Saves

1, Corey Pavin, 65.0%. 2, Stan Utley, 64.4%. 3, Michael Bradley, 62.1%. 4, Kirk Triplett, 61.6%. 5, Payne Stewart, 61.4%. 6, Ben Crenshaw, 61.3%. 7 (tie), Brian Kamm and Nick Price, 60.8%. 9 (tie), John Inman and D.A. Weibring, 60.3%.

All Around

1, Greg Norman, 227. 2, John Huston, 232. 3, Tom Lehman, 247. 4, Bob Estes, 253. 5, Nick Price, 260. 6, Jay Haas, 289. 7, Lennie Clements, 293. 8, Scott Hoch, 302. 9, Bill Glasson, 307. 10, Fuzzy Zoeller, 318.

College Football

Ohio St. 34, Fresno St. 10

Ohio St.	**14**	**7**	**10**	**3—34**
Fresno St.	**0**	**7**	**3**	**0—10**

OSU—George 1 run (J.Jackson kick)
OSU—Galloway 67 pass from Hoying (J.Jackson kick)
OSU—George 1 run (J.Jackson kick)
Fres—Pittman 4 pass from Claiborne (Lyssand kick)
OSU—FG J.Jackson 24
Fres—FG Lyssand 28
OSU—Galloway 8 run (J.Jackson kick)
OSU—FG J.Jackson 33
A—28,513.

	OSU	Fres
First downs	18	19
Rushes-yards	44-183	36-89
Passing	205	168
Comp-Att-Int	11-19-0	16-30-1
Punts	3-45	3-39
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	5-1
Penalties-Yards	5-53	3-15

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Ohio St., George 24-90, Stanley 8-26, S.Jackson 3-27, Pearson 5-20, Galloway 2-19, Suelua 1-4, B.Hoying 1-(minus 3). Fresno St., Pittman 26-82, Claiborne 8-18, C.Jones 1-7.

PASSING—Ohio St., B.Hoying 10-16-0-194, S.Jackson 1-3-0-11. Fresno St., Claiborne 12-22-1-139, Donati 4-8-0-29.

RECEIVING—Ohio St., Tillman 3-50, Galloway 2-88, D.J.Jones 2-26, George 2-9, Dudley 1-21, Langenkamp 1-11. Fresno St., C.Jones 5-64, Dunn 4-44, Majico 3-29, Pittman 3-17, Roberson 1-14.

Arena Football

Semifinals
Friday, Aug. 26
Orlando 51, Massachusetts 42
Saturday, Aug. 27
Arizona 40, Albany 33
Championship
Friday, Sept. 2
Arizona at Orlando, 6:30 p.m.

SWC Thumbnails

DALLAS (AP) — Here are preview highlights of this week's season-opening college football games involving Southwest Conference teams:

KANSAS (5-7 in 1993) at HOUSTON (1-9-1, 1-5-1 SWC in 1993), Thursday, Sept. 1, 7 p.m. — The first meeting between the teams. The Jayhawks, slated to be united with four SWC teams in the Big 12 Conference in 1996, have faced all seven other SWC members at least once. Kansas' Glen Mason is 39-50-1 (ninth year) overall, 27-40-1 (seventh season) at KU. UH's Kim Helton is 1-9-1 (second year, both at Houston) overall, 1-5-1 in SWC games. After winning campaigns in two of their last three seasons, the Jayhawks enter 1994 with a confident attitude. The Cougars, now in their second season under Helton, faced a killer slate in 1993 and continue the rebuilding process. KU features Big Eight Conference Freshman of the Year running back Charles Henley with 1,127 net rushing yards and 12 TDs in '93. Outside LB Don Davis paced Kansas with 10 tackles for losses despite missing the first two contests last season. Cougars' OT Jim Herndon is a legitimate All-America candidate with 6-8 size to fend off crashing defensive lineman and a solid presence at the podium as president of the UH chapter of Fellowship of Christian Athletes. UH QBs Chuck Clements (124-of-239 passing for 1,216 yards and four TDs as a redshirt freshman last year) and Auburn transfer Clay Helton are more well-schooled in the '94 offense. DB Gerome Williams (86 tackles) lends savvy to a young defense. Houston is 25-21-2 in season openers. This begins UH's 49th football campaign.

TEXAS (5-5-1, 5-2 SWC in 1993) at PITTSBURGH (3-8), Saturday, 11 a.m. (CDT), Raycom regional telecast — The Panthers have met Texas just once, when the Longhorns prevailed 31-27 in the final Bluebonnet Bowl contest ever played at the Astrodome in Houston. Texas' John Mackovic is 55-46-2 (10th year) overall, 11-10-1 (third season) at Texas, 9-5 in SWC contests. Pitt's John Majors is 176-113-10 (27th year) overall, 36-21-1 (sixth year in split, 1973-76, 1993 tenures) with the Panthers. The Longhorns are playing one of their earliest openers ever but are stocked with 18 returning starters. In UT's last season opener in the state of Pennsylvania the 1990 Longhorns surprised Penn State at University Park 17-13 en route to the SWC title. Pittsburgh continues its rebuilding. Longhorns' QB Shea Morenz (183-of-335 passing for 2,341 yards and 13 TDs) is the catalyst of the Texas offense. He had a career-high 347 yards against Colorado in his '93 opener. Injured WR Justin McLemore had six career TD grabs on 44 catches while punter Duane Vacek (41.2 average) is the SWC's leading returning punter and 23

Spurs decide to climb with Hill

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — The San Antonio Spurs ended their 2½-month search for a coach Monday, hiring Orlando Magic assistant Bob Hill for his third NBA head coaching job.

"He is one of the most highly regarded technicians in our league, and his expertise will be paramount to this team's success," said Spurs executive vice president of basketball operations Greg Popovich.

Hill was head coach of the New York Knicks during the 1986-87 season, and of the Indiana Pacers from 1990-1993, and has a career NBA record of 133-154. He spent last season as an Orlando assistant.

Hill, 45, confirmed the hiring earlier Monday.

It had been widely reported that Hill had interviewed with the Spurs and that he was a front-runner for the job, which has been empty since John Lucas resigned as San Antonio coach June 9 after a management shakeup.

Lucas was hired as the Philadelphia 76ers' coach several days later.

Hill also was courted by the Minnesota Timberwolves but had said in Monday's San Antonio Express-News that San Antonio was his preference.

"San Antonio is a great, great opportunity," Hill said. "It is a deep team. It has players that can play multiple positions. It has two great centers (David Robinson and Moses Malone)."

The Timberwolves on Monday hired longtime NBA assistant Bill Blair as head coach.

Pacers assistant Garfield Heard, a former Dallas Mavericks assistant, also has been in the running for the Spurs coaching job. Speculation also circulated throughout the summer that Popovich, a former assistant coach, might name himself coach.

Blair takes over Wolves

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — Bill Blair, a longtime NBA assistant coach with a reputation as a defensive strategist, on Monday became the Minnesota Timberwolves' fourth head coach in their five-year history.

Blair, 52, who was with Larry Brown at Indiana last season after working at Chicago, New Jersey and Washington, signed a three-year contract with Minnesota. He replaces Sidney Lowe, who was fired Aug. 17 after Glen Taylor became the team's new owner.

Blair inherits a franchise that has compiled the worst record in the NBA over the past five years including last season's 20-62 mark. But if he was worried about the monumental task of turning around a club known mostly for futility and feuding, he didn't say so.

"I'm looking forward to it. I'm not scared of it at all," Blair said from his vacation home in Hilton Head, S.C.

Blair was given a lot of credit with helping the Pacers lower their points allowed per game from 106.1 in 1992-93 to 97.5 last season as they advanced to the Eastern Conference finals.

Although Blair has no head-coaching experience and isn't exactly a household name, Timberwolves general manager Jack McCloskey said he didn't consider the move a gamble.

"He's been finishing second in a number of situations over the years. This happened to be a situation where he finished number one," McCloskey said. "He kept working at it, he tried hard. He's a competitor, and I think that will help tremendously in this situation."

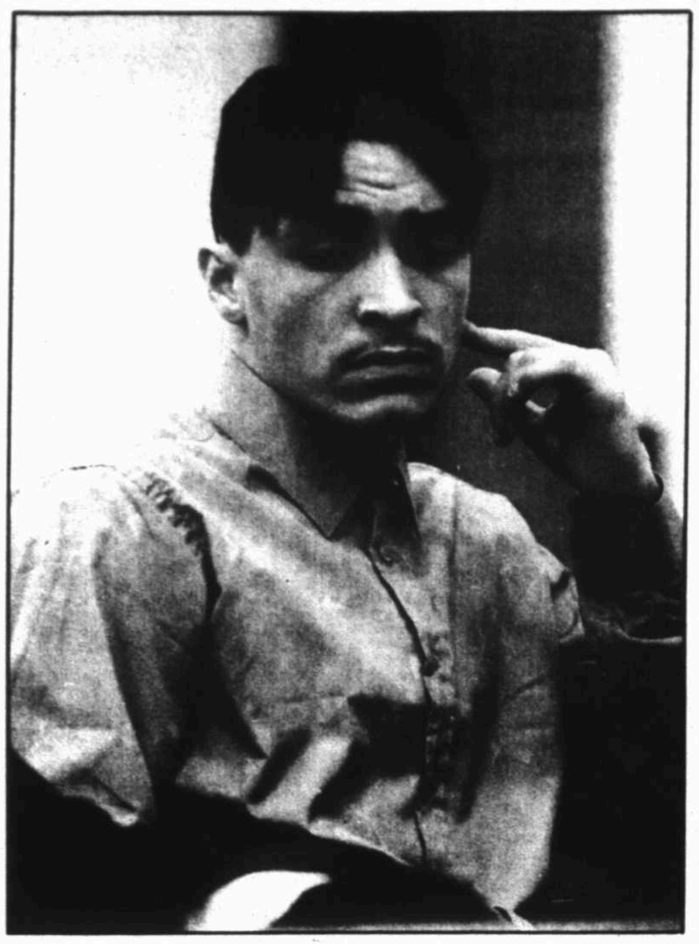
McCloskey also praised Blair as a "consummate worker, diligent individual" and noted parallels with Chuck Daly, who didn't land a head coaching job until he was 51 and went on to lead the Detroit Pistons to consecutive NBA championships.

Blair, who was a collegiate head coach at VMI and Colorado, was flattered at the comparison, but noted some key differences: "He wears nice suits and nice ties. I don't know if I could have the same sartorial splendor that Chuck has."

Lowe, 34, was the youngest coach in the league when he took over the the Timberwolves on Jan. 11, 1993. Lowe, who had an overall 35-102 record, replaced Jimmy Rodgers who had taken over for the 1991-92 season. The franchise's first coach was Bill Musselman.

As for personality problems that have plagued the team, Blair had a simple antidote — communicate.

"I think every team has personalities," he said. "Big egos come with big-time players. That's part of the NBA. You try to get a chemistry and build it through sacrificing. I'm willing to let a player do what he does best, but he has to help his team members do their best. Everybody's striving in the same direction on the same page. That's what a team is — a bunch of individuals who have come together."



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Larry Demery is one of two men charged in the murder of James Jordan, father of former NBA star Michael Jordan.

Murder trial open to public

LUMBERTON, N.C. (AP) — Pretrial hearings in the murder case of two teen-agers charged with killing the father of former NBA star Michael Jordan must be open to the public and news media, a judge ruled Monday.

The ruling by Superior Court Judge Gregory Weeks came after about an hour of legal wrangling by the attorney for defendant Larry Martin Demery and attorneys for the news media.

Weeks said the defendant "failed to meet his burden in showing a compelling reason" to close the hearing, Weeks said.

Demery, 18, and Daniel Andre Green, 18, were charged last year with first-degree murder, armed robbery and conspiracy to commit armed robbery: They face the death penalty.

The judge set a deadline of Dec. 31 for the defendants to enter pleas to the charges, which means a trial could be scheduled during the first six months of 1995.

Following the hearing on Demery's motion, Green's attorneys spent 2½ hours criticizing the prosecutor for being slow in delivering information to them.

"It has become apparent to the defense that many items which existed as early as Aug. 15 of last year have not been provided," said public defender Angus Thompson, who represents Green.

Thompson said he didn't receive his client's statement to investigators until 11 a.m. Monday, just before the hearing began. Thompson also accused law enforcement officers of withholding evidence from the prosecutor.

Authorities said 57-year-old James Jordan was shot July 23, 1993. His body was found in a South Carolina creek on Aug. 3, 1993, but wasn't identified until 10 days later. Jordan had been shot with a .38-caliber pistol.

Demery's attorney, Hugh Rogers, said he couldn't state specific reasons for wanting to close the pretrial hearings, scheduled to run through Wednesday. To do so, he said, could prejudice a jury against Demery.

"We're not arguing about closed trials here today," Rogers said. "Larry Demery does not want his trial conducted in secret.

"The public has an interest in seeing judgment rendered. ... That's not what we're talking about today."

Barns plays 'em all

Staff Report

WICHITA, Kan. — Midland Angel Jeff Barns played 36 holes of golf on the last day of the Texas League season Monday — and then he went to the ball park.

More Sports/8C

■ Texas League

Barns then played all nine positions, including pitcher where he struckout Wichita's Ira Young, the third leading hitter in the TL.

"I've played all the positions before, but never in the same game," Barns said. "That was a lot of fun, but I'm pooped."

Barns said he used his famous knuckleball to KO Young.

Still, Barns didn't have all the glory. Wichita's Matt Witkowski also played all nine positions. The idea was decided on Sunday for the season finale.

Also, Angel pitcher Ron Watson, who has not been a hitter all year, was sent in by manager Mario Mendoza as a pinch hitter and he delivered a single. And guess who that was off of? It was the only batter Witkowski faced, so Barns won that war.

"Ron used a 33-inch bat, and it still only came to his knees," Barns said.

Oh yes, the Wranglers won the season finale by a 10-6 margin in a game that was played for fun. It was a lot like some sandlot game in the New York streets.

The Angels finish the second half with a 21-47 record and in last place in the TL West, 17 games behind El Paso, which won both halves.

Chris Pritchett put the finishing touches on his second season in Midland with another .300 season with a two-for-five performance. He was the only Angel regular to hit over .300.

Midland	ab	r	h	bi	Wichita	ab	r	h	bi
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Boykin lf	5	1	2	0	Witkowski all	4	0	0	0
Ramirez 2b,rf	5	1	2	0	Smith lf,3b	4	2	1	0
Cohick dh	4	0	1	1	Thompson 1b	4	2	2	1
Locklear 1b	0	0	0	0	Mulligan c,1b	3	2	3	1
Watson ph	1	0	1	0	Hardtke 3b,2b	4	2	4	5
Pritchett 1b,rf	5	0	2	0	Gennaro rf,lf	3	0	1	2
Wolff lf,rf	3	1	0	0	Potei 3b,2b	4	0	0	0
Barns all	5	1	1	0	Thomas dh,lf	4	0	1	0
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Midland	ip	ho	r-er	bb	so
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Locklear	3.2	9	5-5	0	1
Barns	0.1	0	0-0	0	1
Wichita	**ip**	**ho**	**r-er**	**bb**	**so**
Keagle W,3-9	5.0	6	2-1	1	3
Hellinger	1.0	1	4-0	1	0
Cairncross	0.2	0	0-0	0	2
Sanchez	0.1	0	0-0	1	0
August	1.0	2	0-0	0	2
Witkowski	0.0	1	0-0	0	0
Wengert	1.0	1	0-0	0	1

Witkowski faced one batter in the ninth. PB-Monzon, Mulligan. WP-August. T-2:18. Attn.-4,663.

Buckeyes open strong

ANAHEIM, Calif. (AP) — Joey Galloway caught a record 67-yard touchdown pass and scored on a showy reverse Monday night as No. 20 Ohio State beat Fresno State 34-10 in the Pigskin Classic.

It was college football's second rout in as many days. Fourth-ranked Nebraska beat No. 24 West Virginia 31-0 Sunday in the Kickoff Classic, the first game of the season.

Galloway, a wide receiver who is one of four returning starters on offense, starred in the second half after teammate Eddie George dominated the game's opening 30 minutes with two 1-yard TD runs.

George was impressive in his first game as the replacement for Raymont Harris, who graduated as Ohio State's leading rusher last season with 1,344 yards and 12 touchdowns.

George, a 230-pound junior tailback, finished with 90 yards on 24 carries and the two touchdowns. He carried seven straight times on the Buckeyes' opening drive, culminating in a 1-yard plunge over the middle for his first touchdown.

The Buckeyes, 10-1-1 last season with a victory over Brigham Young in the Holiday Bowl, scored on three of their first four possessions.

Tim Patillo intercepted Adrian Claiborne's pass at the Ohio State 33 and 11 seconds later, Bobby Hoying connected with Galloway for the record 67-yard scoring pass for a 14-0 lead with 2:03 remaining in the first quarter.

■ Top 20 Football

On Ohio State's previous possession, Scott Terna set a game record with a 54-yard punt.

Hoying was 10-for-16 for 194 yards and the long touchdown.

Fresno State managed just three plays on its next possession before Jon Williams was forced to punt from the Ohio State 42.

George took over the ball, running on seven of Ohio State's next nine plays en route to another 1-yard charge up the middle and a 21-0 lead. Josh Jackson's 24-yard field goal increased Ohio State's lead to 24-7 in the opening minutes of the third quarter.

Galloway showed off his running ability on his second TD. He started left, then reversed his field around the right end for an 8-yard score and a 31-10 lead at 12:00 in the third. Jackson added a 33-yard field goal to make it 34-10 with 6:17 to play.

Fresno State, co-champion of the Western Athletic Conference last season, was no match for the Buckeyes in its first game against a Big Ten Conference opponent.

LEMIEUX: Decision to play again won't come for full year

(From 1C)

96 or beyond — if he can't again be the greatest player in the game.

"I don't want to come back until I can play the way Mario Lemieux can play," said Lemieux, who will be 29 in October. "If I feel I'm not able to go on the ice and be close to 100 percent, another decision will have to be made."

That decision, of course, would be retirement, but Lemieux said he plans to resume his career in September 1995 if his strength returns and his doctors agree his health won't be jeopardized.

"It's been a very difficult the last couple of years, but I want everybody to know I still love the game of hockey," Lemieux said. "It's not a hockey issue, it's a health issue."

A battery of medical tests this month detected no recurrence of the Hodgkin's disease or the anemia he developed late last season, only the fatigue.

"I need to regain the strength I had two years ago," Lemieux said. "I can't train the way I want. I get tired very quickly. The stamina is not the same it was at the end of last season."

And, he said, it's hard to have your mind right for hockey when your body isn't.

"Right now, it's hard to think that way (to have the desire to play)," he said.

One of the greatest scorers and playmakers in NHL history, the four-time scoring champion and two-time MVP hasn't played a full season since he was 23. He had back operations in 1990 and 1993, a rare bone infection resulting from his first surgery, cancer and anemia. Hodgkin's disease is a former of cancer that attacks the lymph nodes.

"He's had a lot of trauma and medication. ... He's been punched and prodded and poked and zapped and rezapped," agent Tom Reich said. "It's a very, very difficult decision that's been made, but (medically) it was a crystal-clear decision."

Eddie Johnston, rehired as the Penguins' coach 14 months ago on Lemieux's recommendation, said his team will be good even without Lemieux — perhaps even good enough to win a third Stanley Cup in five years.

Since learning a month ago that Lemieux wouldn't play, the Penguins have traded for Los Angeles Kings star Luc Robitaille and signed three centers, including former Penguin John Cullen. They also re-signed Jaromir Jagr to a long-term $19.5 million contract.

"The playoffs are out of the question," he said. "The level of hockey played in the playoffs is very high."

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- One Year Ago $18.80

POSTED PRICE
- Today $16.00
- Previous Week $15.25
- One Year Ago $17.25

Prices rebound

NEW YORK — Oil prices rose Monday, more than making up for an abrupt 38-cent loss tallied in the closing minutes of Friday's session.

West Texas Intermediate finished 49 cents per barrel higher with October delivery contracts settling at $17.63 on the New York Mercantile Exchange.

Local crude purchasers raised their posted price 50 cents to $16 a barrel.

Traders said Friday's loss was an aberration and the market moved quickly to recapture the lost ground.

Nigeria's military government threatened to "find, fix and finish" leaders of a crippling strike in the country, hightening tensions in the country and raising renewed concerns about oil supplies. Oil workers have been off the job for much of the summer in Nigeria, the world's tenth-largest crude producer.

The news from Nigeria gave an added boost to oil prices that had already risen through much of the morning. Reports from Iran's state radio that more than 600 have died in fighting among Kurds in northern Iraq also gave traders an excuse to buy.

Near-term natural gas prices rose. October contracts finished at $1.661 per 1,000 cubic feet, up 4.4 cents.

Dollar strengthens

NEW YORK — The dollar ended slightly higher against the German mark and most other European currencies Monday after an influential report on Germany's economy suggested interest rates there may fall.

Gold prices ended higher. On the Commodity Exchange in New York, gold for current delivery rose $3.80 a troy ounce to $387.10.

In late New York trading the dollar fetched 1.5776 marks, down from its intraday high of 1.59833 marks but higher than its 1.5745 close in New York on Friday.

The dollar also fetched 100 yen in late New York trading, off slightly from its 100.46-yen level in New York late Friday.

The dollar cheapened against the British pound in New York, where it cost $1.5366 to buy one pound vs. $1.5315 late Friday.

Other late New York dollar rates vs. Friday: 1.3325 Swiss francs, up from 1.3310; 5.3965 French francs, up from 5.3920; 1.3676 Canadian dollars, down from 1.3696; and 1,594.10 Italian lire, up from 1,593.

In silver trading, silver for current delivery rose 2.23 cents a troy ounce to $5.427 on the New York Commodity Exchange.

Stocks rally

NEW YORK — Stocks rallied for a second consecutive session on Monday, helped by optimism from last week's impressive rally and by a new government report showing more steady economic growth.

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Income outpaces spending in July

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The income of Americans rose moderately but more rapidly than consumer spending in July, the latest signs that economic growth appears to be slowing. The report was welcomed by financial markets.

The Commerce Department said Monday that income climbed for the sixth straight month, advancing 0.5 percent, while spending rose for the third month in a row, but by just 0.2 percent.

Disposable income — income after taxes — also was up 0.5 percent last month. Both income and disposable income had risen a scant 0.1 percent in June.

Consumer spending, which represents two-thirds of the nation's economic activity, has advanced five of the last six months. But the July rise was less than the gains of 0.5 percent in June and 0.6 percent in May.

Income last fell in January, by 0.6 percent.

Analysts said the figures point to an economy that is shedding momentum, at least partly in reaction to a series of five boosts in short-term interest rates by the Federal Reserve.

"There is no overheating here," said economist Paul Boltz of T. Rowe Price Associates in Baltimore. "The bounceback in income was impressive. Income growth is easily exceeding inflation."

"The July consumer spending data imply that the third quarter is off to a slow start," economists for Merrill Lynch & Co. said in a statement. "Consumer spending . . . looks like it will rise at only around a 2 percent rate for the third quarter."

The Dow Jones industrial average gained nearly 18 points. Bond prices moved higher after the report, pushing interest rates down, but then fell back to steady to slightly lower levels.

The July figures for spending and income generally were in line with analysts' expectations.

The combination of incomes and spending meant that Americans' savings rate — savings as a percentage of disposable income — was 4.1 percent in June, up from a revised 3.7 percent the previous month. The Commerce Department previously pegged the savings rate at 4 percent for June.

The government on Friday said the economy expanded at a 3.8 percent annual rate in the second three months of 1994. The smaller-than-expected figure helped stocks rally last week. Many analysts predict the economy will grow at a rate of around 2.5 percent in the third quarter.

The Commerce Department said Monday that wages and salaries, the most closely watched component of income, increased $15.3 billion in July after a $5 billion rise in June.

Government wages and salaries rose $1.6 billion in July, after declining $1.5 billion the previous month due to a drop in buyouts for government employees who left work.

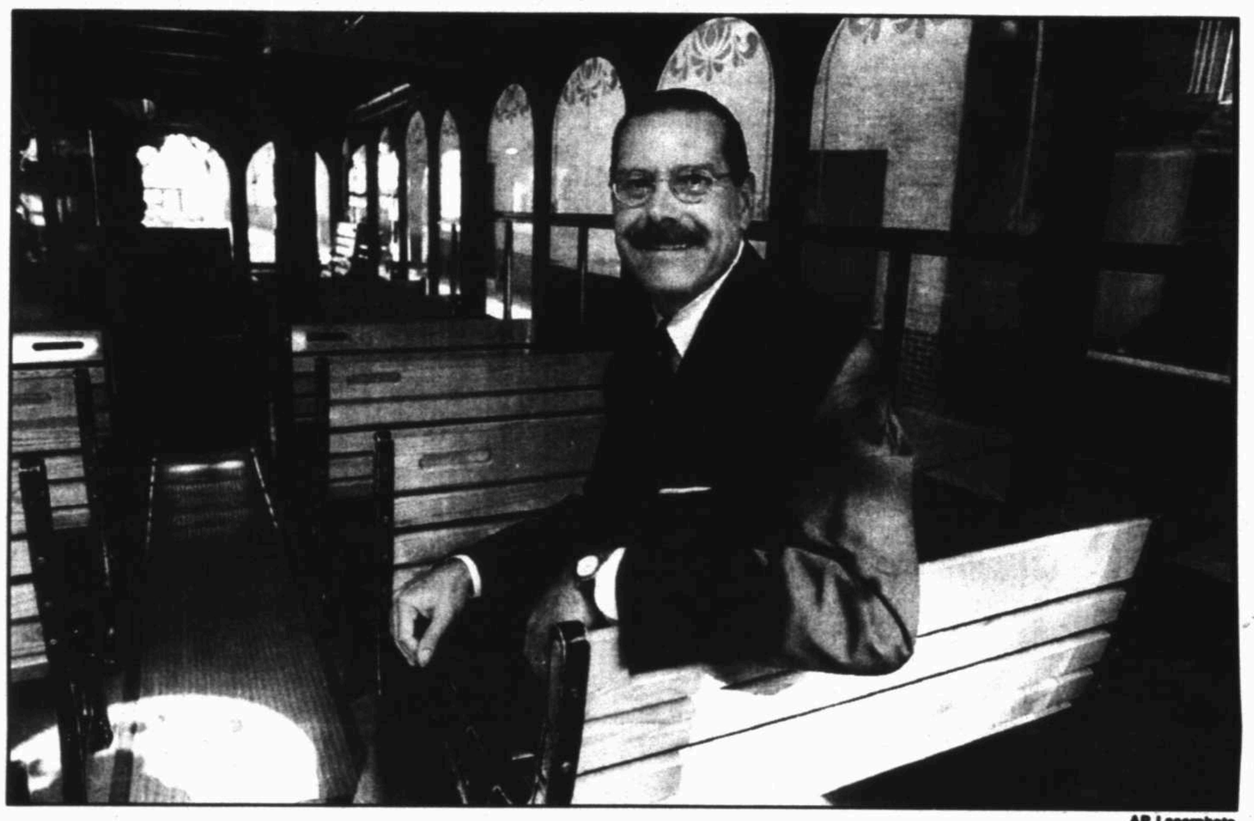
Spending on long-lasting items declined 1.1 percent in July to a seasonally adjusted annual rate of $579 billion as car buying slowed.

"Consumers have become more cautious about making significant commitments such as cars," said Sung Won Sohn of Norwest Corp. in Minneapolis. "The trend has been established in both housing and autos."

Spending on nondurable goods, such as food and fuel, rose 0.3 percent to $1.393 trillion, and spending on services was up 0.4 percent to $2.648 trillion.

Incomes rose to a seasonally adjusted annual rate of $5.693 trillion in July from $5.663 trillion.

The income and spending figures were not adjusted for inflation. When adjusted, disposable incomes rose 0.2 percent in July, while spending declined 0.2 percent.



AP Laserphoto

Lone Star Trolley owner Harry Leeper enjoys an air-conditioned trolley ride around Alamo Plaza recently in San Antonio. Leeper operates the only air-conditioned tour trolley service in the historical downtown area.

Trolley put Texas entrepreneur on new track

By Laura Lambeth
Hearst News Service

SAN ANTONIO — A Boston trolley ride four years ago put real estate developer Harry Leeper on a new career track.

Leeper, involved in commercial real estate in San Antonio for more than 20 years, changed his direction to become founder of Lone Star Trolley Co. Inc. in the Alamo City.

On a visit to Boston in the summer of 1990, Leeper and his wife Rossana rode a trackless trolley to discover the highlights of that historic city.

"We enjoyed the tour so much, and decided that something like that might be well-suited for visitors in San Antonio," Leeper recalls.

When he returned home, he started his research. He found three companies that custom-build trolley replicas. He selected Molly Trolley Co. based in Ogunquit, Maine, to build him a luxury trolley that would not only provide comfort to a rider, but also reflect the nostalgia of yesteryear when railed trolleys were part of the city's mass transit system.

Leeper selected solid wood seats and trim, brass rails, along with etched window glass to give the red-and-green trolley an oldtime patina. For customer service, Leeper ordered one built that would be wheelchair-accessible.

He also insisted on air conditioning and heating to provide extra comfort during San Antonio's hot summers and at-times chilly winters.

Then Leeper recruited his aunt and uncle, San Antonio historians Henry and Mary Ann Noonan Guerra, to help him set up a route and write a script that would tell the factual story of historic San Antonio in an educational, yet entertaining, manner.

When Leeper hired tour guides, he personally trained them so that they would be knowledgeable of the city and well-versed with the script.

On June 1, 1991, Lone Star Trolley Tours was launched. Leeper said the first-of-its-kind trolley tour in San Antonio offers up to 12 one-hour, 7.5-mile downtown tours, every day of the year except Christmas and the day of the Battle of the Flowers Parade.

In less than a year, a second trolley replica was commissioned to meet the growing demand for downtown. short-term trolley rides.

Leeper now has a competitor in the growing tour-operator business. A second trolley replica company, called Texas Trolley, started a tour service in April. It's owned and operated by San Antonio City Tours. Doug Beach, who also is involved in several other tourism-related businesses, including the IMAX Theater, is general partner.

"I felt like there is certainly a market demand for more than one company and more than one type of tour," Beach said.

Kodak to shed non-Rx remedy business assets for $2.9 billion

NEW YORK (AP) — Eastman Kodak Co. said Monday it has agreed to sell its remaining Sterling Winthrop business that makes non-prescription remedies like Bayer aspirin to drugmaker SmithKline Beecham PLC for $2.9 billion.

The cash deal represents the latest step in Kodak's plans to shed assets and concentrate on its core business of photography and imaging, in an effort to break out of several years of weak profits.

It is also another multibillion dollar chapter in the continuing consolidation of the health care industry, as companies have merged to gain more products and cut costs in an era of reforms that have cut deeply into profits. In another deal announced Monday, IVAX Corp., the world's biggest generic drug distributor, said it will acquire rival Zenith Laboratories Inc. for $612.5 million.

British-based SmithKline Beecham said the deal would make it the world leader in medicine sold without a prescription, a rapidly growing $30 billion market.

Rochester, N.Y.-based Kodak previously had announced it was selling Sterling's pharmaceutical business to Sanofi SA of France in exchange for $1.68 billion in cash and Sanofi's interest in a consumer health products joint venture.

That deal is expected to be completed before the sale of the remaining Sterling Winthrop assets to SmithKline. Both transactions are subject to antitrust review.

"This agreement is a major step in our continuing divestiture program. When completed Kodak's resource base and management attention will be sharply focused on its core imaging business," said Kodak chairman George Fisher.

Sterling Winthrop's global consumer health products business generated more than $1 billion in revenues in 1993. SmithKline already has a $2 billion consumer health products business.

In addition to Bayer aspirin in the United States, the Sterling businesses going to SmithKline Beecham include Panadol analgesics, Phillip's milk of magnesia.

INVESTORS' GUIDE

Falling dollar, bonds cut purchasing power

By Bill Doyle

Q: Many senior citizens, in the interests of investment safety, keep their funds in U.S. Treasury bills and EE bonds. We rely on our government to maintain the highest levels of liquidity and safety for our investments.

Doyle

We seniors who elected this course obviously prefer safety of principal over the capital gains that might be achieved in the stock market. Most of us did this despite relatively low interest rates on T-bills and savings bonds.

We believed the declining value of the U.S. dollar would erode foreigners' confidence in these securities and cause them to stop helping to finance the U.S. federal deficit through the purchase of Treasury bills, notes and bonds.

That normally should result in higher interest rates, as seems to be happening — although too slowly to halt the dollar's slide. Our government appears to have intentionally accelerated the dollar's fall, hoping to make U.S. exports more attractive.

History proves that cheapening a currency is a gimmick that never works. What good is liquidity, if the dollars it makes available are progressively less valuable?

In short, what impact will the plunge of the dollar and of bond prices have upon what we always thought were the ultimate instruments in safety and liquidity — Treasury securities and savings bonds?

A: The purchasing power of interest collected from those securities will diminish, as it has in the past. That's a no-brainer, to which I'm sure you knew the answer before asking. You simply wanted confirmation of your feelings on the subject.

Not only will each interest payment buy less, but so will the dollars of principal you collect when you redeem the bonds. That's the double-barreled problem with even the best "fixed-income" securities, such as bonds.

You purchase a bond with the expectation of collecting steady interest — twice a year, in most cases — and receiving the bond's face value when it matures. Assuming the bond doesn't default, that's what you get. However, inflation keeps cutting the purchasing power of your dollars.

That's a major reason why long-term bonds have higher interest rates than short-term debt obligations. It stands to reason that anyone who puts money out on loan for, say, 30 years deserves higher "rent" on his or her money than someone who makes short-term loans.

Risk is another big factor in determining the difference in interest. The longer the term of the loan, the greater the risk it will not be repaid.

Q: The U.S. Treasury Department sells 13-week and 26-week Treasury bills through the auction process every Monday. Therefore, the longest term T-bill should be due to mature in just about six months.

However, going through the T-bill tables in my daily newspaper, I find some with maturities as far out as almost a full year into the future.

How do you explain this?

A: Besides the 13-week and 26-week bills, the Treasury also sells 52-week T-bills on a regular schedule — every four weeks.

Auction details are announced on a Friday. Those T-bills are auctioned off the following Thursday and are issued on the Thursday following the auction.

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AdjGv p	9.59	9.69	
Agrsv p	26.20	27.72	+.03
Chart p	9.03	9.56	+.03
Const p	17.69	18.72	—.01
GoSc p	9.34	9.81	
Grth p	10.94	11.58	—.01
HYdA p	9.27	9.73	—.01
HYldB t	9.27	9.27	
Inco p	7.47	7.84	
IntlE p	13.35	14.13	+.02
LimM p	9.94	10.04	
MuBd p	8.13	8.54	
Sumit	9.73		+.02
TF Int	10.66	10.77	
Util p	12.48	13.21	+.02
ValuB t	21.93	21.93	+.03
Valu p	22.04	23.32	+.03
Weing p	17.65	18.68	+.02
Advest Advant:			
Govt p	9.01	9.01	
Gwth p	17.04	17.04	+.05
HY Bd p	8.71	8.71	+.01
Inco p	12.42	12.42	+.02
Alliance Cap:			
Alian p	7.01	7.32	+.01
Balan p	13.61	14.21	
BalB t	14.22	14.22	+.04
BondA p	13.09	13.67	—.02
CpBB p	13.08	13.08	—.02
CpBC p	13.08	13.08	—.03
Count p	17.76	18.55	+.02
GlbSA p	11.59	12.10	+.01
GovtA p	7.85	8.20	
GovtB p	7.85	7.85	
GovtC p	7.84	7.84	—.01
GrInc p	2.39	2.50	+.01
GwthC	21.20	21.20	—.01
GthF p	25.03	26.14	—.01
GwthB t	21.19	21.19	—.01
GrIncB p	2.37	2.37	
InBldC	10.01	10.01	+.01
InMA p	9.57	9.99	
InsMB	9.57	9.57	
IntlA p	18.86	19.70	+.09
MrtgA p	8.42	8.79	
MrtgB p	8.42	8.42	
MrtgC p	8.42	8.42	
MtgTA p	9.64	10.07	
MtgTB p	9.64	9.64	
MtgTC p	9.64	9.64	
MMSA p	8.01	8.37	
MMSB t	8.01	8.01	
MCAA p	9.94	10.38	
MCAB p	9.94	9.94	
MCAC p	9.94	9.94	—.01
MFLC p	9.06	9.06	
MIICAA p	12.55	13.11	
MINB p	9.91	9.91	
MNYA p	9.27	9.68	—.01
MNYB p	9.27	9.27	—.01
NMuA p	9.91	10.35	
NMuC p	9.91	9.91	
NEur p	13.01	13.59	+.01
NAGvA	8.55	8.93	—.01
NAGB p	8.56	8.56	
NAGvC	8.55	8.55	
PGthB p	12.23	12.23	+.01
QusrA p	22.41	23.40	+.06
ST Mla p	8.73	9.12	
ST MIb t	8.74	8.74	+.01
Tech p	28.83	30.11	—.16
WldIn p	1.88	1.88	
AmSouth Funds:			
Balanc	11.97	12.53	+.03
Bond	10.52	10.85	+.01
Equity	15.22	15.94	+.05
LtdMat	10.20	10.52	+.01
RegEq	17.30	18.12	+.06
Ambassador Fid:			
Balncd	9.84	N.L.	+.01
Bond	9.40	N.L.	
EstCoGr	16.25	N.L.	+.04
Grwth	12.89	N.L.	—.02
IdxStk	12.24	N.L.	+.02
IntBond	9.44	N.L.	
IntlStk	13.34	N.L.	+.06
SCoGr	13.56	N.L.	+.03
Ambassador Inv:			
EstCoGr	16.24	N.L.	+.05
Grwth	12.87	N.L.	—.02
IntBond	9.44	N.L.	
IntlStk	13.31	N.L.	+.06
TFIntBd	10.21	N.L.	
Amer Capital:			
CmstA p	16.29	17.28	+.04
CpBdA p	6.63	6.96	—.01
EGIA p	24.29	25.77	+.05
EGIB p	23.77	23.77	+.04
EmtA p	12.30	13.05	+.01
EmtB p	12.19	12.19	+.01
EqIncA p	5.51	5.85	+.02
EqIncB t	5.50	5.50	+.02
FMgA p	12.08	12.36	
GlEqA p	12.07	12.81	+.02
GlEqB p	11.85	N.L.	+.02
GlGvA p	8.07	8.47	—.02
GlGvB p	8.11	N.L.	—.02
GvScA p	9.97	10.47	
GvScB p	9.98	9.98	
GvTIA p	8.30	8.71	
GvTIB p	8.30	8.30	
GvTIC p	8.30	8.30	
GrInc p	12.96	13.75	+.04
HarbA p	14.20	15.07	+.03
HarbB p	14.13	14.13	+.02
HiYldA p	6.16	6.47	+.01
HiYldB p	6.17	6.17	+.01
MuBA p	10.01	10.51	+.01
PaceA p	11.62	12.33	+.01
TEHA p	10.85	11.39	+.01
TEHB p	10.84	10.84	
TxEIA p	11.10	11.65	+.01
American Funds:			
A Bal p	12.35	13.10	+.01
Amcp p	12.57	13.34	—.01
AMutl p	22.16	23.51	+.04
Bond p	13.22	13.88	—.01
CapIB p	33.36	35.40	+.06
CapW p	15.24	16.00	+.02
CapWG	18.60	19.73	+.07
Eupac p	22.57	23.95	+.08
FdInv p	18.58	19.71	
Govt p	13.14	13.80	
Gwth p	27.63	29.32	
HI Tr p	14.05	14.75	—.03
Inco p	13.82	14.66	+.01
IntBd p	13.35	14.02	
ICA p	19.25	20.42	+.02
LITEB	14.06	14.76	—.01
NEco p	15.22	16.15	
N Per p	15.78	16.74	+.03
SmCp p	23.56	25.00	+.02
TxEx p	11.62	12.20	
TECA p	15.38	16.15	
TEMd p	14.94	15.69	—.01
TEVA p	15.41	16.18	—.01
Wsh p	18.17	19.28	+.04
A GthFd	9.55	10.13	+.04
A Heritg	1.07	N.L.	—.01
Aquila Funds:			
AZ TF	10.26	10.69	—.01
CO TF	10.20	10.63	
HI TF	11.17	11.64	
KY TF	10.36	10.79	
OR TF	10.35	10.78	—.01
Atlas Funds:			
CaMunA	10.85	11.19	
GvtScA	9.89	10.20	
GrolncA	14.16	14.60	+.08
NaMunA	10.87	11.21	+.01
BB&T Funds:			
GrolncT	11.63	N.L.	+.02
IntGovT	9.50	N.L.	+.01
BEA Funds:			
EMkE	24.50	24.50	+.05
IntEq	20.67	20.67	+.07
ShDuCh	4.94	N.L.	
StgFx p	15.89	15.89	+.03
BJBGIA p	x11.02	11.48	—.03
BNY Hamilton:			
EqInc	11.08	11.42	+.02
IntGovt	9.38	9.67	
NY TE	9.96	10.27	
Babson Group:			
Bond L	1.52	N.L.	
Enterp	16.61	N.L.	+.04
Gwth	12.44	N.L.	+.01
Intl	17.09	N.L.	
UMB B	10.79	N.L.	
UMB St	16.22	N.L.	+.04
Value	26.55	N.L.	+.08
BallardBlehl&Kaiser:			
Diversa	12.28	N.L.	+.01
IntlEq	6.23	N.L.	+.01
IntlFl	8.07	N.L.	+.01
BayFunds Instl:			
ST Yield	9.36	N.L.	—.02
Bond	9.64	N.L.	
Equity	10.86	N.L.	+.02
Benchmark Funds:			
BondA	18.88	N.L.	+.02
DivGrA	10.61	N.L.	—.01
EqIdxA	11.09	N.L.	—.04
FocGrA	10.41	N.L.	—.01
IntlGrA	10.83	N.L.	+.03
ShtDur	10.01	N.L.	
SIBdA	19.82	N.L.	+.01
SmCoIA	11.29	N.L.	+.03
USTIdxA	19.34	N.L.	+.01
Benham Group:			
AdjGov	9.51	N.L.	
CaTFI	10.84	N.L.	
Catfin	9.64	N.L.	
CaTFS	10.12	N.L.	
CattH	9.05	N.L.	+.01
CattL	10.85	N.L.	+.01
BgGro	12.31	N.L.	+.03
EurBd	10.56	N.L.	+.01
GNMA	10.20	N.L.	
GoldIn	12.03	N.L.	+.28
IncGro	15.10	N.L.	+.01
NITFI	10.60	N.L.	
NITFL	11.25	N.L.	
Tg1995	94.95	N.L.	+.02
Tg2000	68.02	N.L.	+.01
Tg2005	46.68	N.L.	—.03
Tg2010	32.98	N.L.	—.06
Tg2015	23.99	N.L.	—.07
Tg2020	16.35	N.L.	—.04
TNote	10.03	N.L.	
UtilIn	9.42	N.L.	+.03
Calvert Group:			
Ariel	29.04	29.04	+.13
ArielA	22.31	22.31	+.04
GlobEq	18.43	19.35	+.02
Inco	16.09	16.72	
MBCAI	10.18	10.47	
MunInt	10.09	10.38	+.01
Social p	29.46	30.93	+.04
SocBd	15.80	16.42	
SocEq	21.55	22.62	+.02
TxF Li	10.66	10.88	
TxF Lg	16.21	16.84	—.03
TxF VT	15.87	16.49	
Colonial Funds:			
CalTE A	7.06	7.41	
CorTE A	7.29	7.65	
FedSA	10.27	10.78	
FundA	8.24	8.74	+.03
GthA p	14.18	15.05	+.05
HiYldA	6.50	6.82	
IncoA p	6.14	6.45	—.01
IntGrA	10.63	11.28	+.05
MATxA	7.58	7.96	—.01
MI TE A	6.84	7.18	
NY TE A	6.93	7.28	
OhTE A	7.12	7.48	
StrtInA	6.74	7.08	
TxEA p	13.10	13.75	—.01
TxInsA p	7.99	8.39	+.01
USGrA	12.19	12.93	+.03
USGvA	6.41	6.73	—.01
UtilA p	12.09	12.69	+.04
CATEB t	7.06	7.06	
CTTEB t	7.29	7.29	
FedSB t	10.27	10.27	
FundB t	8.23	8.23	+.03
GlEqB	12.68	12.68	+.05
GwthB t	14.12	14.12	+.05
HYMB t	9.79	9.79	+.01
HYSecB t	6.50	6.50	
IntGrB	10.57	10.57	+.05
MATxB t	7.58	7.58	—.01
NYTxB t	6.93	6.93	
OHTxB t	7.12	7.12	
StrtInB t	6.74	6.74	
TxExB t	13.10	13.10	—.01
TEInsB t	7.99	7.99	+.01
USGrB t	12.11	12.11	+.04
USGvB t	6.41	6.41	—.01
UtilB t	12.09	12.09	+.04
Columbia Funds:			
Balance	17.91	N.L.	+.02
ComStk	15.81	N.L.	+.01
Fixed	12.55	N.L.	
Grth	26.82	N.L.	+.06
IntlStk	13.54	N.L.	+.02
Muni	11.94	N.L.	
Speci	19.93	N.L.	+.07
Common Sense:			
Govt	10.24	10.98	—.01
GrInc	16.00	17.49	+.04
Grwth	15.44	16.87	+.02
MunB	13.31	13.97	+.01
Composite Group:			
BdStkA p	11.80	12.36	+.02
GwthA p	12.86	13.47	+.01
InFdA p	8.60	8.96	
NW50A p	14.91	15.61	+.02
TxExA p	7.46	7.77	
USGvA p	9.98	10.40	—.01
CG Cap Mkt Fds:			
IntrFx	7.90	N.L.	
IntlEq	10.80	N.L.	+.07
IntlFx	8.17	N.L.	
LgGrw	9.99	N.L.	
LgVal	9.36	N.L.	+.04
MtgBkd	7.68	N.L.	+.01
Muni	8.04	N.L.	
SmGrw	12.47	N.L.	+.02
SmVal	8.93	N.L.	+.02
TtlRtn	7.85	N.L.	
Copley	19.96	N.L.	+.02
Dean Witter:			
AmVl t	21.69	21.69	—.02
CalTF t	12.44	12.44	
CapGr t	12.11	12.11	+.01
Convt t	10.76	10.76	+.02
DevGr t	17.22	17.22	
DivGr t	30.98	30.98	+.09
DivIn t	9.48	9.48	
Euro t	13.16	13.16	—.27
Glbl t	8.77	8.77	+.02
GlbDiv t	11.70	11.70	—.10
GlobUt t	10.25	10.25	—.02
FedSec t	9.01	9.01	
HlthSc t	10.40	10.40	+.05
HiYld	6.83	7.23	—.01
MuAZ t	10.11	10.53	
Intmd t	9.49	9.49	
LtdMun	9.62	9.62	
MuCA t	10.13	10.55	+.01
MUFL t	10.34	10.77	
MUNJ t	10.19	10.61	
MltPA t	10.27	10.70	
NYTF t	11.42	11.42	
NtlRs t	11.60	11.60	+.06
PacGr t	21.24	21.24	—.06
PrcM t	11.22	11.22	+.27
Premr p	8.83	9.10	
SelMu p	11.92	11.92	+.01
Mngd t	10.66	10.66	
ST Bd	9.58	9.58	
ST US p	9.88	9.88	
Strat t	14.80	14.80	+.03
TaxEx	11.52	12.00	
USGvt t	8.67	8.67	—.01
Util	13.06	13.06	+.02
ValAd t	20.68	20.68	+.08
WWIn	8.56	8.56	—.02
WldW t	19.11	19.11	—.12
TC Bal p	9.65	9.65	—.02
TCCor t	12.36	12.36	—.01
TC Inc	10.18	10.18	+.02
TCLat t	13.94	13.94	+.05
TCNor p	9.12	9.12	+.01
TCSCp t	9.16	9.16	+.06
Del Grp Instl:			
DlchI	6.35	6.35	+.01
TsyRsl	9.26	9.26	
Delaware Group:			
Trend p	12.09	12.83	+.01
Value p	20.22	21.45	+.05
Delcp p	25.52	27.08	—.03
DecIn p	16.69	17.71	
DecTR p	13.14	13.94	
Delaw p	18.38	19.50	+.04
IntlEq p	12.81	13.59	+.02
DelchA p	6.35	6.67	+.01
USGvA p	7.91	8.30	—.01
TreasA p	9.26	9.55	
TxUSA p	12.03	12.63	
TxInsA p	11.01	11.56	
TxPaA p	8.31	8.72	
Dimensional Fds:			
IntlVal	10.62	N.L.	+.04
US Lrg	14.30	N.L.	+.03
US Sml	8.56	N.L.	+.02
US 6-10	11.61	N.L.	+.03
Japan	28.29	N.L.	+.20
UKing	24.53	N.L.	—.03
Cont	15.74	N.L.	—.05
Fixd	101.28	N.L.	+.05
GlBd	98.66	N.L.	+.12
Govt	101.41	N.L.	+.07
IntGv	107.62	N.L.	+.11
IntlHBM	12.13	N.L.	+.05
LCapInt	13.03	N.L.	+.06
PacRim	17.48	N.L.	—.06
USLgVal	10.63	N.L.	+.02
USSmVal	11.78	N.L.	+.01
Dreyfus:			
A Bond	13.90	N.L.	
Aprec p	15.39	N.L.	—.02
AssetAll	13.00	N.L.	+.01
Balncd	13.69	N.L.	
CalTx	14.54	N.L.	+.01
CalInt	13.14	N.L.	
CT Int	13.02	N.L.	
Dreyf	12.99	N.L.	+.05
EdElInd	11.57	N.L.	+.02
FL Int	13.11	N.L.	+.01
GNM p	14.37	N.L.	+.01
GnCA	13.15	N.L.	+.01
GMBd p	14.61	N.L.	+.01
GNY p	19.67	N.L.	
GrInc	16.76	N.L.	+.01
GthOp	10.39	N.L.	
InsMu p	17.48	N.L.	
Interm	13.80	N.L.	
InterEq p	15.75	N.L.	+.05
InvGN	14.62	N.L.	—.01
MA Int	12.95	N.L.	
Mas Tx	15.94	N.L.	
MunBd	12.36	N.L.	
NJ Int	13.14	N.L.	
NJ Mun	13.05	N.L.	
NwLd r	34.62	N.L.	+.05
NYIn p	11.19	N.L.	
NY Tax	15.01	N.L.	
NYTE p	17.71	N.L.	
Peoplin t	16.45	N.L.	+.03
Peoblid r	17.22	N.L.	—.01
ShtGv	10.85	N.L.	
ST Inc p	11.90	N.L.	
ShInT p	12.96	N.L.	
Third C	8.02	N.L.	+.01
UST Int	12.63	N.L.	—.01
UST Lag	13.96	N.L.	—.03
USTSh	15.00	N.L.	
Dreyfus Consteck:			
CapVIA	11.25	11.78	+.06
CapVB t	11.07	N.L.	+.05
PStgA p	9.11	9.54	
PStgO t	9.11	9.54	
Dreyfus Premier:			
CAMA	12.66	13.26	+.01
CTMA	11.86	12.42	
CapGth	15.45	15.93	+.03
FLMA	14.54	15.23	
GlbInA	15.79	N.L.	+.02
GlbInB t	15.62	15.62	+.02
GnmaA	14.05	14.71	
MAMA	11.64	12.19	
MDMA	12.53	13.12	
MIMuA	15.34	16.06	
MNMA	14.84	15.54	
MuBB t	13.82	13.82	+.01
MuBdA	13.81	14.46	+.01
NCMA	12.82	13.42	
NYMA	14.17	14.84	
NYMB t	14.18	14.18	+.01
OHMA	12.75	13.35	
PAMA	16.09	16.85	
PAMB t	16.08	16.08	
TXMA	20.59	21.56	
VAMA	16.06	16.82	
Dreyfus Strategic:			
GlGr p	34.86	35.94	+.05
Grwth p	39.77	41.00	+.12
Inco p	13.34	13.75	—.01
Inv A	20.37	21.33	—.05
Eaton V Marathon:			
ALTxF t	10.19	10.19	—.01
AZTxF t	10.34	10.34	
CalMuni t	9.45	9.45	—.01
CTTxF t	9.99	9.99	
FlTxF t	10.49	10.49	
GATxF t	9.79	9.79	
Hilnc t	7.08	7.08	+.01
KYTxF t	9.82	9.82	
MDTxF t	10.04	10.04	
MATxF t	10.20	10.20	—.02
MITxF t	10.17	10.17	
MNTxF t	10.00	10.00	
MOTxF t	10.21	10.21	
NJTxF t	10.38	10.38	
NYTxF t	10.71	10.71	—.01
NatlMu t	9.65	9.65	+.01
OHTxF t	10.29	10.29	
ORTxF t	10.07	10.07	
PATxF t	10.29	10.29	
STGbl t	8.38	8.38	
TNTxF t	9.99	9.99	
Eaton V Traditional:			
EVStk	12.39	13.01	—.01
Grwth p	7.96	8.36	—.02
InBos p	7.98	8.38	+.01
MunBd	9.80	10.29	+.01
SpEqt p	7.86	8.25	+.01
TradGv	10.75	11.29	
TradIn p	7.01	7.36	
TrdTot p	7.79	8.18	+.01
EclipEq	13.20	N.L.	+.07
Emerald Funds:			
EqInst	11.55	N.L.	+.05
FLTxEA	10.62	11.12	
SmCapI	9.82	N.L.	+.02
USGovA	10.04	10.51	—.01
USGovI	10.03	N.L.	—.01
EmpBld	17.56	18.34	
Endow	17.77	N.L.	+.02
Enterprise Group:			
CapA p	31.38	32.94	+.05
GvSec p	11.11	11.66	
Gwth p	8.51	8.93	
GrInc p	18.16	19.07	+.07
HYBd p	11.02	11.57	—.01
Evergreen Funds:			
Evgrn	15.03	N.L.	+.06
Found	13.01	N.L.	+.01
GloRe	13.89	N.L.	—.01
GroInc	16.26	N.L.	+.04
LtdMk	21.17	N.L.	—.08
MuniF	10.20	N.L.	
MuniNat	9.97	N.L.	
TotRtn	18.57	N.L.	+.05
FAM Val	20.72	N.L.	
FPA Funds:			
Capit	20.40	21.82	+.09
NwInc	10.60	11.10	+.01
Parmt	14.59	15.60	+.12
Peren	22.34	23.89	+.02
Federated Funds:			
ArmSS p	9.63	N.L.	+.01
Arm I	9.63	N.L.	+.01
Exch	73.94	N.L.	+.15
FigtIS	10.31	N.L.	
FSTI Is	8.72	N.L.	
FGRO	21.77	N.L.	+.15
FHYT	8.66	N.L.	
FTTIS	9.91	N.L.	+.01
FTSS p	9.91	N.L.	+.01
FsigtIS	10.31	N.L.	+.01
FST	26.39	N.L.	+.05
GnmaIS	10.82	N.L.	
GnmaS p	10.82	N.L.	
IMT IS	10.47	N.L.	
MaxCp	12.10	N.L.	+.01
Minicap	11.68	N.L.	+.02
ShrTrm	10.17	N.L.	
US Govt	9.67	N.L.	
SBF A	16.49	N.L.	+.01
Fidelity Advisor:			
EqPGr	29.16	30.61	—.03
EqPInA	16.45	17.27	+.07
GblRsc	17.71	18.59	+.08
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GrOpp p	26.82	28.16	+.01
HIMuA p	11.69	12.27	
HiYldA p	11.27	11.83	
IncGr p	14.91	15.65	+.03
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LrTBRA	10.42	10.94	
Overs p	14.21	14.92	+.09
ST Fi p	9.57	9.72	+.01
StrOpA p	20.23	21.24	+.04
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BluCh	26.42	27.24	—.04
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EQII	19.52	N.L.	+.08
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Cracks may develop as D-Day arrives

By Larry Stone
N.Y. Times News Service

SAN FRANCISCO — Nothing that has happened in this two-week-old baseball strike means anything compared to what will take place in the next week to 10 days.

We're about to find out who holds the power within ownership circles — the small-market teams that have been the engine driving the strike, or the large-market clubs that have so much to lose if the work stoppage continues.

So far, there's been a lot of posturing and muscle-flexing by both union and management, with a bare minimum of substantive negotiating — big hat and no cattle, to use the favorite phrase of Charlie Finley.

But now it's finally crunch time. There will be movement, or the season will be lost, a doomsday deadline that seems to be the only remaining impetus for action.

Without significant progress by Labor Day — a week from Monday — almost all experts agree that 1994 will be history. Somewhere around that time, the television networks will need a definitive answer on the postseason so they can plan alternative programming if necessary.

With mounting pressure on the owners to forge some sort of settlement and ensure themselves of $140 million in television revenue for the playoffs and World Series, the burning question is this: How will the owners get themselves out of this mess?

Given the premise that the players won't give in on a salary cap — at least not in the short-term — the owners face a complex give-and-take to settle on a solution that satisfies all the disparate elements within their membership. Or for one of those elements to overpower the other.

One competing scenario is that the owners are united in an attempt to stare down the union, which would take the dispute into the winter and open up any number of ancillary issues, such as congressional intervention, lawsuits and threats of rival leagues.

"We are waiting to see who blinks first," a National League owner told the Chicago Tribune. "We're convinced it's going to be the players."

But the players are equally convinced that owners will give up their salary-cap demand as pressure increases from large- and medium-market teams, who need to have money flowing in again. The Associated Press on Friday quoted a management official close to acting commissioner Bud Selig saying clubs are more than $600 million in debt.

The House of Representatives reconvenes on Sept. 8, the Senate on Sept. 12, and the union is sure to push hard for repeal of the owners' antitrust exemption. Owners are terrified of the possibility.

Complicating matters considerably, however, is the rule change requiring 21 of 28 clubs to approve a settlement, which means eight small-market teams can block any deal that doesn't include a salary cap. It is still unclear whether the owners can amend that rule with a simple majority vote.

"They've done a marvelous job of creating their own Holy Grail, and now they're bowing to it," said Steve Mann, a Philadelphia-based baseball analyst who has worked on both player and management sides. "There's no imaginable way to get 21 votes one way or the other. The only possible way is if all the clubs that are in-between rich and poor move in one direction, and even then they'd fall a few votes short.

"All they need are eight of anything and they're stuck — and there are eight of just about everything."

On the one side are the small-market teams that claim they will die if some sort of revenue sharing isn't implemented. This group includes Milwaukee, Kansas City, Minnesota, Pittsburgh, San Diego, Seattle, Montreal and California, with the two Bay Area teams, the Giants and A's, on the periphery.

The big-market clubs agreed to a revenue-sharing plan, but only if it was tied to a salary cap.

As Atlanta Braves president Stan Kasten pointed out, "The eight teams that need the system to change the most are in charge."

Giants managing partner Peter Magowan said just before the strike that the combination of poor and hard-line clubs "are so determined that there must be a change for them to survive that they'll veto any proposal which does not contain this change."

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Poor, backward Bangladesh's family planning war wins significant ground

By Charles J. Hanley
Associated Press

DHI GHI, Bangladesh — A sweet smile crinkled Khuki Bibi's golden face as she wished away half her children.

"I should have had just two," the 70-year-old midwife announced, jabbing a pair of fingers out from beneath the folds of her blue sari.

Besides her own four, the old widow has tended to countless other births in Dhi Ghi's watery rice lands, babies who added to a population — 117 million and counting — that makes little Bangladesh, the size of Wisconsin, the most densely packed nation on Earth.

Now, sitting in a busy clinic, Khuki Bibi watches her 25-year-old daughter get contraceptive pills, and regrets that family planning took so long to come here. As she explains, "Living is better for a small family."

Too late for Khuki Bibi. But perhaps not for Bangladesh.

To the surprise of experts, this poor and backward land's family planning offensive has won significant ground.

The fertility rate — the number of children born to the average woman — has plunged from 7 in the 1970s to about 4 today. And it was done against the grain of demographic theory, which holds that such dramatic declines come only when a country's economy is developing successfully.

But four children are still twice what the planners want, and the inescapable calculus of human breeding still points toward crisis for Bangladesh in the 21st century.

"I have been frank on this," says the health minister, Yousuf Ibne Kamal. If Bangladesh doesn't sharply reduce its birth rate still further, "it will be a nightmare, simply a disaster."

When the Bangladesh delegation flies to Cairo, Egypt, for next week's International Conference on Population and Development, it can offer both lessons and warnings to others.

Lesson No. 1: Family planners must get out and knock on doors.

Bangladesh's 36,000 female "fertility workers," who walk door to door in the villages, informing, advising, supplying free contraceptives, deserve chief credit for the progress thus far.

Their personal approach broke through Islamic Bangladesh's traditional "purdah," women's seclusion in the household.

AP Laserphoto

Commuters pack a water taxi for a trip across a river in Dhaka, Bangladesh's crowded capital city.

The field workers — from both government and private organizations — are backed up by 130,000 pharmacies and other retail outlets that sell subsidized pills and condoms.

But these programs are expensive, costing more than $100 million a year, mostly underwritten by U.S. and other foreign aid. And the campaign has stumbled through tactical problems.

In the early 1980s, its emphasis on female sterilization — with small payments made to impoverished women who submitted to surgery — came under fire as crude and subtly coercive.

The focus switched to pills, but they proved costly and the supply was easily disrupted in a land of slow roads and sudden floods. Family-planning strategists began pushing longer-term contraceptives — injectable and implantable hormones.

In the shadows, another problem grew: Family-planning workers moonlighting as abortionists. The number of abortions, which are illegal in Bangladesh except to save a mother's life, can only be estimated, but one authoritative estimate puts it at close to 1 million a year.

Despite these failures, family planning has run up impressive numbers.

In 1975, only 8 percent of Bangladeshi women reported using contraceptives; now 45 percent do. Population growth in the 1970s was 3 percent a year; it has dropped to 2.3 percent.

But Bangladesh may be just as much a "macro" story — of economic forces — as a "micro" story of village-level campaigns.

Poor farmers, worldwide, generally have large families. But economists suggest that landlessness and overwhelming poverty may finally be grinding down the fertility rate in Bangladesh.

In the village of Nabagram, as women listened to a lecture by a family-planning worker, farmer Anil Kumar, 25, who has two children and wants no more, told his story to a visitor.

Kumar got a mere quarter-acre when his father's rice land was divided among three sons and two daughters.

"Now what can I leave my two sons? There's less and less farmland for more and more people," he said.

In just two generations, in fact, Bangladesh's population density has almost tripled, to 2,300 per square mile.

Kumar's wife, Rongu, knows the answer. "I want my sons to be educated," she said from behind her veil. "Then they can find jobs."

And the village girls? "They should be educated, too," she said. The female literacy rate is just 22 percent in Bangladesh, half the male rate.

Some believe minorities may be better off without racially designed districts

By Mike Feinsilber
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — With courts growing wary of racially motivated redistricting, black citizens stand in danger of losing some of the numerical gains they made in Congress in 1992 — but they may end up with more influence.

That apparent contradiction points to a debate, so far confined to academic circles, on these questions: Are blacks and other minorities always best off being represented by a black congressman? Or are their interests better served by a more senior, but nonblack, member of Congress?

The issue has become urgent in light of rulings by federal judges in Texas and Louisiana in recent weeks that struck down congressional districts explicitly designed, with Justice Department encouragement, to increase minority representation.

Re-districting could undo what redistricting did in 1992: the creation of new safe seats for blacks, especially in the South, which helped raise the number of blacks in Congress last year from 26 to 40, an all-time high.

Typical of the jeopardized newcomers is Rep. Cleo Fields, 32, a black freshman Democrat from Louisiana. He was elected from a Z-shaped district that stretches east and west from Baton Rouge, then north from the Delta along the Mississippi River to the Arkansas border, then west all the way to Shreveport.

A federal court in Shreveport ruled last month that Fields' district was unconstitutionally drawn. But the Supreme Court lifted the order for this year's election, allowing Fields to seek re-election in November.

In North Carolina, a court later went the opposite way. It accepted two odd-shaped new districts that in 1992 elected blacks to Congress for the first time this century. One of them snakes 160 miles along Interstate 85, and at points is not much wider than the highway. The court said the new districts corrected past discrimination.

In a third case, decided last week, three racially designed districts in Texas were struck down. Judges said they bore "the odious imprint of racial apartheid."

The Supreme Court is likely to use one or more of these cases to lay down a new set of guidelines on how oddly a district can be shaped to achieve racial representation.

Even before the court speaks again, the view is gaining strength that minorities are not necessarily best served by districts crafted to seat blacks or Hispanics — that they might be better served by helping elect white congressmen who must heed minority interests.

Charles Bullock, a political scientist at the University of Georgia, says draining black voters from a majority-white district can invite the white congressman who subsequently represents that district to ignore the interests of blacks.

Carol Swain of Princeton, author of "Black Faces, Black Interests: African-Americans in Congress," argued, too, that trading a seniority-laden white congressman who votes for black interests for a newly minted black congressman "may not always be in the black interest."

Census Bureau: Millions of American children live in 'non-nuclear families'

WASHINGTON (AP) — Nearly 10 million American children live in families in which there is a stepparent or siblings who are less than full brothers and sisters, the Census Bureau reports.

On the other hand, 33.4 million children live in "nuclear families" — that is, with both biological parents and any full brothers or sisters.

Those youngsters under age 18 in nuclear families accounted for 50.8 percent of all young people, according to the report, "The Diverse Living Arrangements of Children, Summer 1991."

While many past studies have reported the relationship of children to the head of a household, Census officials said this was the first to relate children to all members of their household.

The bureau noted that the "decline of the American family continues to be a controversial topic," with many people considering the nuclear family the traditional unit. Census researchers limited their study to reporting the numbers of various family and household arrangements, however.

The study disclosed sharp differences in children's living arrangements by race and Hispanic origin.

For example, 56.4 percent of white children resided in nuclear families with both parents, while just 25.9 percent of black youngsters lived in such households.

For Hispanics the figure was 37.8 percent of youngsters. Hispanics can be of any race and thus are also counted among blacks and whites.

One-parent families were the next largest component, accounting for 24.0 percent of all children. Mom was the parent in 21.2 percent.

Among white youngsters, 19.1 percent lived in one-parent families, with mothers accounting for 16.4 percent. Some 49.2 percent of black youths were in one-parent families, 46.7 percent with their mother. And 31.1 percent of Hispanic youths lived with one parent, 28.5 percent with mother.

Just 1.7 percent of all youngsters live with their grandparents, 0.9 percent of whites, 5.4 percent of blacks and 1.3 percent of Hispanics.

Among the 9.8 million children in "blended families" — those with a stepparent or a stepsibling or half-sibling — the most common situation was for a child to have a half-brother or half-sister.

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All students testing "negative" (i.e., drug-free) will be notified and presented with a D-FY-IT card that entitles them to the rewards of the program.

In the event a student's sample is positive, the designated D-FY-IT representative and the student will be notified privately of these test results. The primary purpose of this program is to rid students of drug use. Testing of drugs or narcotics in the student's system is in no way an investigative tool of a law enforcement agency. Positive results wil not result in criminal prosecution. It is the ultimate goal of D-FY-IT to abolish drug abuse instead of prosecuting.

Students will be periodically re-tested to maintain the integrity of the program. Re-testing will be done on a random basis and will not be announced in advance.

(Please print all information)

PARTICIPANT'S FULL NAME:_____

SCHOOL:_____

SCHOOL ID#:_____ DATE OF BIRTH:_____

CITY/STATE:_____ GRADUATION YEAR:_____

PARTICIPANT'S SIGNATURE:_____

TODAY'S DATE: _____

Parental Consent/Release

We, the undersigned parent(s), or I, the parent and managing conservator of _____ age _____, give consent to collect and have tested a sample of urine of such child to determine whether or not the child's system shows freedom from drug use. As partial consideration for such testing, (We, I) release the D-FY-IT program, law enforcement agencies involved and their policital subdivisions, Harrison and Allied Laboratories, the testing facility, from any liability and agree to indemnify and hold harmless these entities from any claim which might be made by virtue of such test and the results thereof. We also give permission to use an alternate alcohol test at various D-FY-IT events.

The test will not be given through this program to a student under 18 years of age without the consent of both student and parent or legal guardian.

PARENT OR GUARDIAN SIGNATURE:

_____ _____

DATE_____

Please provide a list of all medications (except steriods or hormones) taken within the last 30 days. Prescription and nonprescription drugs should be listed. Brand names are acceptable>

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EVERYONE is eligible to participate in this program without cost. However, we are asking all who are able, to help defray the initial cost. First time test and ID card is $8.00. If you can help with any or all of that cost please make the check payable to: Midland D-FY-IT and attach to this form. REMEMBER, you don't HAVE to pay for your child to participate!

Please contact me - I would like to volunteer to help in some way:

Name_____

Address_____Zip_____

Phone_____Best time to call_____

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The Housing Authority of the City of Monahans, Texas (hereafter called the Local Authority-LA) will receive sealed bids for a single construction contract for the modernization of 24 dwelling units, fence, and 504 Accessibility work on one 4-bdrm apart., demolition work, plumbing, and electrical work at Project TEX 408-003 and all work specified and/or shown on the drawing & specs. Bids will be received until bid opening on Tuesday Sept. 20, 1994, 9:00 a.m. C.S.T. at Authority Office, Monahans, Texas at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposed forms of contract documents; including plans and specifications are on file and available for inspection at the office of the Housing Authority of the City of Monahans, Texas, 209 S. Dwight, Monahans, Texas 79756, 915/943-5962 and the office of Fields & Associates Architects, Inc., 2617 Parkway, Building C, Suite 202, Odessa, Texas 79762, 915/367-4829, and at plan rooms in various cities of the state.

Copies of the documents so obtained by depositing $50.00 (Checks made payable to the Monahans Housing Authority) with the Architect for each set of documents so obtained. Such deposits will be refunded on return of the plans, specifications and other documents in good condition within 10 days after bid opening.

A certified check or bank draft, payable to the LA, US Government bonds, or a satisfactory bid bond executed by the bidder and acceptable surety in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the bid shall be submitted with each bid. Also two (2) original signed copies of HUD 2530 "Previous Participation Certificate" shall be included with bid documents.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish and pay for satisfactory performance and payment bond or bonds.

Attention is called to the provisions for Equal employment Opportunity as set forth in theses documents.

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The LA reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any informalities in the bidding.

No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of ninety (90) days subsequent to the opening of bids consent of the LA.

75 Legal Notices

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The annual report of the Ida Fay Cowden Foundation is available at 214 W. Texas, Suite 208, Midland, Texas, for inspection during regular business hours, by any citizen who so requests, within 180 days after publication of this notice.
Wright E. Cowden, President

110 Lodge Notices

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Leonard Wood, W.M.
Al Talbot, Sec.

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682-3292.
H. B. Walker Jr., W.M.
Robert G. Kiker, Sec.

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Reg. mtng. 3rd Thurs. each mo. Hosp. 6:30 pm, dinner 7 pm. Bus. mtng. 8 pm.
Gary Anderson, Pres.,
Bob Ellwood, Secy.

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LOST: Tiny red poodle, August 28, 1994. Reward. 684-3981.

LOST: Black and white female puppy, real fadded pink collar, vicinity of Alamo YMCA. 694-1316.

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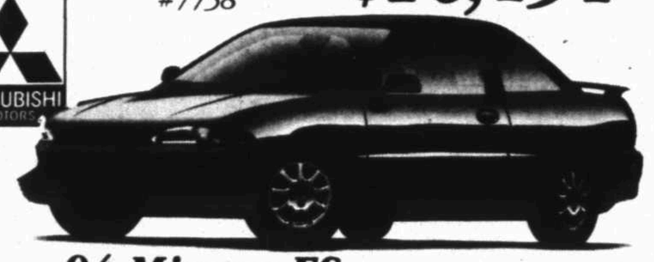

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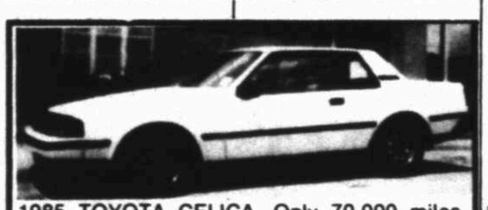

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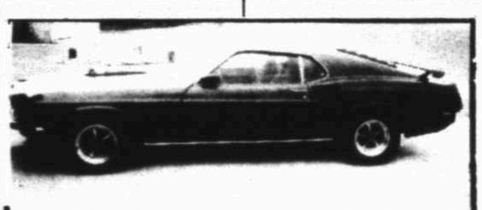

1969 MUSTANG MACH I. 428 Cobrajet, 4-speed, 3.91's, Magnums, Goodyear Eagles, deluxe interior, power steering, disc brakes, clock, tach. Runs strong. $9,800. 362-4906.

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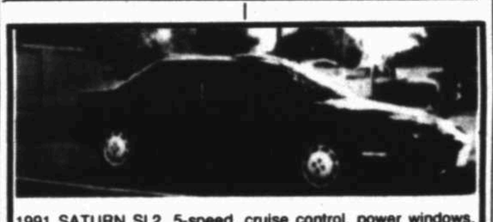

1991 SATURN SL2. 5-speed, cruise control, power windows, locks, sunroof, mirrors. One owner. Excellent condition. Genuine reason for sale. Fantastic buy. 56K miles. $9500. 697-7211.

1989 LeBARON GT TURBO. Leather interior, custom wheels. 47,000 miles. $9,200. 684-9044.

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FORD 1992 Suburban. White and gray, 26,000 miles. $22,900. 915-657-2936, leave message.

FORD 1990 F-150 XLT. Black, single cab, 302, great truck. $9,500. Call 381-8753 or after 5 pm 381-3640.

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WELLNESS SPECIALIST

MISD is accepting applications for the position of Wellness Specialist with the following qualifications:

-Bachelors degree
-Computer literate
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310 General Help Wanted

RESTAURANT
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WAREHOUSE and delivery. Must have CDL with hazardous endorsement. Call 563-0848.

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RESTAURANT
BURGER KING now hiring for all positions. Apply between 2-5, Monday-Friday. 4805 N. Midkiff.

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RESTAURANT
SONIC DRIVE-IN
Midkiff Road
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1109 N. Midkiff Rd.

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ESTIMATOR with dirt construction experience. Must have computer skills. Familiar with Autocad and Landcadd. Background in cost accounting helpful. Send resume and salary requirements to BOX K-09 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

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Sheetmetal mechanic with a minimum of four years experience in air conditioning. Must be drug free! Have good driving record. Apply at
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★ Midland Child Care Center now taking applications for teachers. Experience preferred. Apply in person. 3701 Andrews Hwy.

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EXPERIENCED service station attendant. Apply in person at 2301 W. Wadley.

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Trinity Towers
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BARTENDER
PRIVATE CLUB...Part time or Full time Bartender wanted for evenings and Saturday. Experience helpful, but will train the right person. Must be dependable. Call for an appointment. 570-9300.

BABYSITTER/ Housekeeper. Non-smoker, English speaking, own transportation, good driving record. References. $5/ hr, earnings reported. Mon. thru Fri. 8:30-5:30. Days 682-5793, Evenings 682-2916.

RESTAURANT
EXPERIENCED Waitperson. Apply in person only, Cattleman's Steak House, 3300 N. Big Spring St.

COPIER TECH
Expanding company needs tech trainee. Good mechanical aptitude required, electronics background helpful. Apply in person at 5500 S. FM 1788, Midland. 563-1418.

CONSTRUCTION
NEEDED experienced Diesel Mechanic, Small Engine Mechanic and Service Route person. Apply in person, Bob's Rental Center, 2700 S. Hwy. 349.

WAITSTAFF & Bartenders needed. Kenny's Lounge. Apply in person only, 4400 N. Big Spring, between the hours of 2-4 pm, Mon.-Fri.

MANAGER
WORKING Apt. Manager for several small apartments in downtown area. You do everything (lease, maintenance, collect rents, yard work). Start at $1,000 per month + free apt. + bills paid. Send resume to: G. Cuadra, 2439 Whitmire, Midland TX 79705.

AUDIO ENGINEER
IMMEDIATE opening for experienced, part time, LIVE television audio engineer. Must have understanding of sound equipment (mixers, delays, mics, amps, etc.), operation and calibration of wireless microphones, mixing vocal to music track, sound for live bands, cable and mic. repairs. Qualified only send resume to P.T.C.B., P.O. Box 61000, Midland Texas 79711-1000.

DEMONSTRATORS
Cost FREE Christmas. Need 3 Christmas Around the World Demonstrators in this area. FREE kit. Also booking parties. Call Judy at -800-753-8216 or Gaye at 884-3313.

CUSTOMER Sales Representative. Taking full & part time applications. Must be good with people. Apply at both locations of Blockbuster Video, 1000 N. Midkiff & 4400 N. Midkiff. Managment opportunity also available.

DRIVERS
IMMEDIATE OPENINGS for Tractor-Truck Drivers. Must have 2 years minimum experience current CDL license and be able to pass DOT physical and drug screen. Call (915) 267-1691.

311 Medical Help Wanted

OPTOMETRIC Assistant/ Optician. Experience preferred. Send resume and references to Doctor, P.O. Box 50247, Midland, TX 79710.

RN or LVN for BUSY physicians office. Monday thru Friday. Non-smoker preferred. Bilingual would be nice but not necessary. Salary DOE. Call 682-5385 ask for Rita.

CERTIFIED NURSING ASSISTANT
Be part of a winning team. $5.25 per hour. Apply in person,
Rockwood Manor
2000 N. Main

RECEPTIONIST needed full time. Heavy phones, filing, typing, collections and insurance screening. Send resumes to BOX K-02 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland Texas 79702.

MEDICAL Secretary with experience needed with computer background for doctors office. Apply: P.O. Box 5916, Midland, Texas 79704-5916.

DENTAL
FAST growing dental practice needing to hire a full time Registered Dental Hygienist. Vacation pay and uniform allowance. Fun to work with staff. Call 682-8941 or 694-4865.

DENTAL HYGIENIST
Full or part time, needed for progressive family practice. Monday-Thursday work week. Continuing education and paid holidays. Send resume to: Philip O. Warlick DDS, 3001 W. Illinois, Suite 1B3, Midland Texas 79701.

DIRECTOR OF SOCIAL SERVICES
L.S.W. for a 60 bed long term care facility. Experience preferred. Enter disciplinary team approach. Contact Brenda Carpenter, 563-5707.

NURSES
MEMORIAL Hospital Health Care Center in Seminole Texas is now open and would like to increase their nursing staff. This is a new facility with 79 beds. It is one the most modern Health Care Centers in Texas. Positions now available are for RNs, LVNs, Charge Nurse for Nights, and Training Coordinator for long term care. If interested call Anne Kehler, RN at 915-758-4872 or 915-758-6254.

Classified Can! 682-6222

312 Professional Help Wanted

ENGINEER
LOCAL MUD Company seeking experienced Mud Engineer for Midland area. Send resumes to: BOX J-15 c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702.

FINANCIAL OFFICER/ ACCOUNTING MANAGER. Growing Midland oilfield parts distributor seeks experienced Accountant to manage point of sales accounting system. Financial statements, credit management, cash projections, payroll, accounts payable, and spreadsheet analysis experience required. Attractive benefits package. Salary DOE. Send resumes to P.O. Box 1861, Midland Texas 79702.

CLAIMS ADJUSTER
NATIONAL Firm seeking experienced Casualty Adjuster. Company car and benefits package provided. Send resume to 2626 JBS Pkwy, Suite A-200, Odessa, 79761.

EXECUTIVE SECRETARY
Crude oil gathering company seeking experienced Executive Secretary. 3-5 yrs. experience necessary. PC experience a must. LOTUS 123 and PFS: Professional Write word processor experience helpful. Send resume to BOX K-10 c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, TX 79702.

OPERATIONS Manager. Must have computer skills, inventory control background. Must be able to manage day to day operations of a business, be people oriented and get along with all employees. Must have experience with sucker rods and a working knowledge of the pump industry. Good pay! Good benefits! Send work history and salary requirements to BOX K-11 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

SECRETARY/Receptionist for printing company. Experienced required in accounts receivable, customers handling and phones. Proofreading skills critical. Apply in person, M-F 8:30-5:00, 2706 West Wall.

TAPE BED, Texture & painter. Must have 3 years experience. Call between 8 am-8 pm at 683-2580/ 561-8124, beeper 567-8954.

ENGINEER
Have a part-time position, perfect for a retired mechanical engineer or others to work with a fast growing fire protection systems company. Must have current Texas engineering license. Work schedule at your discretion. Reply to P.O. Box 1708, Odessa TX 79760.

314 Clerical Help Wanted

V.I.P. EMPLOYMENT. Call us today for information regarding temporary and permanent jobs. 686-9722.

Word Processing
Temporary Assignments
TEMP TIME 687-1545

OLSTEN! The best temporary positions with the best companies. 683-5677 For interview.

RECEPTIONIST needed for doctors office. Must be able to type. Send resume to 1816 N. Midland Drive, Midland Texas 79707.

IF YOU HAVE word processing, bookkeeping, secretarial, or general office skills, call us. We also offer free word processing training and the opportunity to upgrade your skills. Manpower Temporary Services, 682-2119.

JOIN Temporary Resources "Elite" team. Job opportunities and training for experienced office personnel. 684-0527.

310 General Help Wanted

ASSISTANT* *BOOKKEEPER
Indefinite assignment for an assistant bookkeeper with an outgoing personality. Must have experience with Lotus or Symphony.
Call 697-6710 for appointment
Career Path Temporaries

316 Sales Help Wanted

SALES
THE Paint Factory needs an experienced sales person. Must know everything about paint and how to give an estimate. Have dependable transportation and phone. Salary plus commission. 520-2923.

OUTSIDE Sales person for fast paced company. Salary plus commission. Paid medical for employee and dependents. Industrial supply or construction equipment background helpful. Send resume to BOX K-03 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

SALESPERSON needed. Experienced in ladies wear. Must be neat, personable and dependable. Computer experience helpful. 694-8973.

SALES
ENERGETIC, ambitious sales reps needed for management trainee program with established company. Earn $1,000 to $1,500 a week. Base, commission and benefits. Previous sales experience a plus. For personal interview call Scott at 264-6045.

SALESPERSON wanted to travel showing new one piece fiberglass greenhouses. Solar heated. Need vehicle to tow light trailer. Territory will be near your home. Helps to be a gardener. Call John Thomas 915-235-0091, Mustang Fiberglass, Sweetwater, TX.

320 Skilled Trades

DRYWALL Tapers with experience needed for large drywall firm in Midland. Year round work. 685-0877.

LICENSED PLUMBERS. Experienced in commercial work. 60 Year old mechanical firm needing qualified people.
1-915-677-2654.

CARPENTER
EXPERIENCED trim carpenters only. James Morris, 557-0510.

SCREEN Printer with experience wanted. Must have knowledge of printing on all types of substrates. Send resume to BOX K-07 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

CONSTRUCTION
LOCAL pipeline contractor now accepting applications for equipment operator, backhoe, ditcher, dozers and also laborers. Drug test and valid drivers license required. Send application or resume to P.O. Box 10802, Midland Texas 79702 or come by 4407 W. Industrial, Midland Texas.

SKILLED Service Technician & Salesperson Are Wanted by an: Energetic, Expanding Southeast New Mexico Full Service Safety Company. We are seeking highly motivated, honest and competent persons to join our team. The successful candidates should have skills and abilities involving basic electronics, hydraulic and pneumatic systems, hydrostatic testing, fire-fighting and emergency equipment. Candidates must be personable and willing to interact with established and prospective customers. Bilingual is a plus. Must be willing to relocate to Hobbs. Send resume, salary history and salary requirements to Human Resources Manager, P.O. Box 5293, Hobbs, NM 88241.

335 Adult Care Needed

NEEDED part time or 3 days a week, mature person to help with light housekeeping and care for elderly. References required. 682-2892.

NEED part time help to bathe and dress elderly person in nursing home. Hours 8 am to 10 am and if possible 5 pm to 7 pm. Call Lou or Jeanie 687-1650.

336 Adult Care Providers

ADULT Care. Competent staff. Complete care provided. Excellent environment. 699-6945.

IN-Home Care. Home care for elderly and disabled in your home. Locally owned. 520-4425.

LET us send a sitter to your home. Permanent and temporary sitting for elderly and children. 24 hours a day. 550-2122.

HAS caring for your loved one become too much to bear? Let us provide you with 24 hour care. Private Christian home, reasonable rates, excellent references. Call 694-1160.

CHRISTIAN mother has openings for 2 children. Quality loving care. Meals provided. CPR Certified. 520-6444.

340 Child Care Needed

NANNY Needed to care for 3 year old and after school 10 year old in our Christian home. Mon.-Fri. 9-6 pm. Must have own transportation. References required. Light housekeeping required. Call 550-5914 Monday-Sat. between 10-5:30 pm.

CHRISTIAN sitter wanted in my home, afternoons. Care for infant and 2 year old. 520-0722.

341 Child Care Providers

You need babysitter for toddlers? Call Karen 520-0702. From 6 to 6. Monday-Friday. $1 per hour.

BEAR'S DAY CARE. Breakfast, lunch, snacks. Pre-school program. Hours: 6 to 6:30 pm, Monday thru Friday. Ages 6 weeks to 4 years. 520-6536.

LICENSED child care, 24 hours, 7 days a week, 0 to 5. Ask for Dean at 694-0934.

405 Garage / Yard Sales

GARAGE SALE SERVICES
★ WHAT A DEAL is now open at 105 N. Fort Worth. Resale Shop now taking consignments.
687-3070 or 683-8808. 01

RANKIN Hwy. Flea Market. 2840 Rankin Hwy. Over 50 dealers. Saturday-Sunday. Spaces Available!

79701
JUNK & Treasures Estate Sale! Monday thru Saturday, 7am until. TV's, bedding, appliances, etc. 114 Andrews Highway. 520-7440 leave message.

BARGAINS on vacuum cleaners. New and rebuilt. All makes. Rainbow, Kirby, Hoover, Eureka, Panasonic, Royal - you name it. Repair all makes. 903 S. Midkiff, 520-6464.

79703
INSIDE Moving Sale! 3707 Tanner, 8 am-5 pm Wednesday and Thursday only! Sofa with matching chair, dinette, bedding, bikes, more! Ask for Kayla, 688-1217. 03

79705
LITTLE Tike toys, clothes, camping equipment, misc. Thurs. & Fri. 8 am. 2001 Northrup. 05

341 Child Care Providers

LICENSED child care, snacks & lunches provided. 7:00 - 6:00. Negotiable night hours. Part-times. 697-4479.

WILL DO Babysitting, day or night, snacks & meals provided, qualified nurse. Call 570-9254.

CHRISTIAN Home, 20 years experience. Breakfast, lunch and snacks provided. CPR and first aide. Monday thru Friday. 520-7354.

MAYNARD Christian Child Care and Preschool now enrolling. 3 meals, snacks, formula provided. 687-1509.

CHILD CARE in my home. 6-6:30, Monday-Friday (occasional weekends). Meals provided. Will take your children to school and pick up. References. 520-9069.

LET us send a sitter to your home. Permanent and temporary sitting for elderly and children. 24 hours a day. 550-2122.

LOVING mother of 2 will provide full time/ part time care for your children. Meals & snacks provided. 697-0710.

LOVING mom would enjoy babysitting your child, any age, flexible hours. Very reasonable rates. Anson Jones area. 699-7429.

WOULD Like to care for infants in my home, close to downtown. Weekdays 7:30-6. References furnished. Call 570-7435 after 6.

350 Business Opportunities

REAL Estate Opportunity. Get your real estate license quickly. Short state accredited courses. Day, weekend, evenings. Southwest College, 697-7277.

JUST LISTED! Truck wash, this is a good business. Ice cream parlor and grill, price reduced, low down payment. Hamilton & Associates, Business Brokers, 550-4610.

10 VENDING machines for sale. Snack packs, 78 item capacity. Reduce to $1,900. Call 699-1531.

LOUNGE for lease. Gambler, 1937 E. Front. Call 563-0163.

AUTO REPAIR SHOP
Well established. Excellent reputation! Owner retiring. Priced to sell. Contact Jorge Couto, #41329. International Business Exchange, P.O. Box 15046, Austin, Texas 78761. (512) 339-0000, Fax: 512-339-9403.

EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY. Grocery-Deli for sale. Owner must retire. Midland 561-8218.

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Or Just Need To Establish Credit?
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✔ LEASED PROPERTIES, great income. Sell 1 or all. Owner finance. Excellent opportunity but owner too busy with unrelated business. Between 10 am/ 7 pm. 699-6728.

TRAVEL AGENCY. Savre system. Priced to sell. 689-0442.

400 Auctions

PUBLIC Vehicle Auction - Over 250 Units Expected. Cars, Trucks, Boats, Motor Homes, Vans, Motorcycles, Trailers, Forklift, Tractors, etc. Call For Date / Location. Special Rates Available. Reserve Your Selling Spot! 1-800-679-1004, 915-682-1004. Auction Action Midland II, Lic. 6250.

AUCTION-Warehouse Unclaimed Property Government Surplus Repo's, and Other Consignments. 1800 Block of South Midland Drive (The Old S.F.M Oil Bldg.) Saturday, September 3rd, 1994, 10:00 A.M. Cars, Trucks, Clark Forklift, Indust. Carts, Shop Tables, Two Way Radio System, Computers, Monitors, Printers, Electronics, Port-Power, Chain Hoists, Winches, Saws, Power Tools, Hand Tools, Stacking Tools Boxes, Chains, Boomers, Generators, PTO's, Indust. Diesel Engines, Rock Polisher, Diamond Saw, Office and Home Furniture, Automotive Equipment, Lots Of Other Government Surplus and Unclaimed Property...To Much To List... Everything Must Go!! Auction Action Midland II TX Lic. #6250. 915/ 682-1004.

FOR YOUR CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING NEEDS - CALL: 682-6222

410 Miscellaneous Sales

ANN's Dressed in Time. 4311-B W. Illinois. Open 10-4 Tues.-Sat. Costumes for theme parties. Wedding gowns for sale or rent. 520-8463.

RESTHAVEN, Garden of Prayer. 2 cemetary lots; lot 16 spaces 1 & 2. $1,500/ both. 501-922-0182.

BAR, beer boxes, sink, mixer, glasses, shelves, pool table, shuffle board, table, chairs, drafting board, school chairs, room dividers, desk, lecterns, folder inserter, labeler, bingo set-up, mailing equipment. 2423 W. Indiana.

BARGAINS on vacuum cleaners. New and rebuilt. All makes. Rainbow, Kirby, Hoover, Eureka, Panasonic, Royal- you name it. Repair all makes. 903 S. Midkiff, 520-6464.

WINDOW/ down draft coolers, barstools, tables/ chairs, refinished antiques. Appliances guaranteed. Bedroom suite, piano. 570-4851.

BRUNO Outsider Lift for 3 a wheel scooter. Bumper mounted. Reasonable. 682-6719.

12x15 WALK-IN cooler, complete 5 door display. $2,500 o.b.o. Call 1-800-852-8753 between 8-5.

6,000 LB. Warn Winch with frame brackets & snatch block. 563-3105/ 697-4391 nights & weekends.

PORTABLE Generator, 5 KW Onan, low hours. 563-3105/ 697-4391 nights & weekends.

BRIGGS & Stratton engine, 18 H.P., 2 cyl. New! 563-3105/ 697-4391 nights & weekends.

OFFICE BUILDING, 12 x 32. Insulated, wired, carpeted. Save 36%. Must sell. Terms & delivery available. Call 563-1807. Call 550-5225 after 1:00.

DREXEL Heritage sectional sofa, wedgewood blue, $500. Apple IIe computer with mouse, printer and software, $400. Prosport stepper, $75. 689-6588.

WOLFF System 24 bulb tanning bed. Balariun bulbs. $1,800. Call 686-9207.

RESTHAVEN, Garden of Resurrection, 1 space.$700. 683-1430.

★ CHANGING locations. 50% off everything. Heavens Gate Interiors, 3303 W. Illinois. 520-4743.

SATELITE dish and equipment $600 or best offer. 570-0444 anytime.

MEAT Market equipment including freezers, compressors, display cases and other misc. 684-5567, Monday-Friday, 8-5; after 5 call 682-6436.

CHAIN link fencing, 20 ft. panels, 6' tall plus 18" barbed wire. $100 per panel. 683-4211 days or 694-2827 evenings.

12' X 3' above the ground pool with filters, $125. 2 months old. 689-2632.

NEED to Sell! Beautiful country green queen size canopy bed with bedding, 6 months old $650. Sears 19" TV with remote $125. Coin collection $300. 1975 GMC pickup $800. Computer with monitor, printer and software, $400. Comforter, queen size-paid $200, sell $75. 520-8771.

AVON. I have the Anew products. Call Lisa, 697-1722.

LOSE weight, feel great, 30 days. 100% money back guaranteed. 687-3837, Missy.

GAS lawn mower $75; childrens: car booster seat and golf club set, $10 each; scooter, like new, $20; custom made twin size antique style car bedframe, $100. 684-0995.

ELECTRIC treadmill, super single waterbed and VCR. Call 697-1549 after 5.

MONARCH stationary bicycle. Excellent shape. $175. Call 694-7095.

SET OF drums, guitar, coronet, lawn mower, freezer and refrigerator. Call 683-6691 or come by 1102 W. Dakota.

SALE! 1" tubing, 2 3/8, 2 7/8, 6", 8" pipe, sucker rod, rib iron, 6" pvc drain pipe, 6" & 12" cinder block, assorted steel panels, sheet metal, plastic barrels, lumber. 570-1704 or 520-9733.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

3 EVAPORATIVE Air conditioners, window units. 2 Refrigerators. 3 Lawn mowers. 2 Tillers. 1 Kirby vacuum cleaner. 20 H.P. Riding lawn mower, and lots more. 699-4764.

MOBILE Communication system, 1 base unit and 3 mobile units. Call 915-652-3927.

★ FINAL! Summer Sale. 50%-70% OFF. BJ's Consignment. Wall & Andrews, Village Shopping Center. 683-8154.

AUTOMATIC Lift Chair/ recliner. Only used a few months. Blue. Need to sell! 697-1846.

SMALL chest freezer. Runs good. $75. Call 570-4401.

10' mesh satellite, 2 boxes, everything with it even a remote control. $600. 3310 Roosevelt.

BICYCLES: 10 speed, 3 speed, sport, scooter. Come by 2313 W. Dengar after 10 am Saturday; noon Sunday; after 6 weekdays.

RANKIN Hwy. Flea Market. 2840 Rankin Hwy. Over 50 dealers. Saturday-Sunday. Spaces Available!

GRACO baby swing, toddler bed with Barney comforter set, girl baby items 0-12 months. 520-3538.

GIRLS twin white canopy bedcomplete, $200. Kenwood turn table, never used, $100. Cherry finished baby crib & changing table, $100. Stroller $25, infant carrier, $15, girls 3 speed, $25. All like new! 520-5122.

413 Jewelry

SPA-Holds 5 people. Redwood cabinet, ozonator, cover, 12 jets, turbo. Financing & delivery available. Call 563-1807. After 1:00 call 550-5225.

415 Miscellaneous Wanted

WANTED: good used carpet, no light colors. 687-6324.

WANT TO Buy: Electronic fuel injection system for GM, V8, o.e.m. or after market. 699-7062 After 6.

DUNCAN Phyfe or similar side board, buffet or china cabinet. Cherry or Mahogany finish. 687-4548.

SOUTHWEST Company Club tickets or other airline mileage awards wanted. Will pay top dollar. 687-5039.

420 Good Things To Eat

CUSTOM Pecan Shelling. Shelled Burketts for sale, $3.75 lb. Pickup & deliver. 682-4887.

PERMIAN Basin Farmers Market, 1505 E. Front. Mondays and Fridays. 5025 Princeton, Tuesday and Saturday. Good quantities of available produce.

430 Household Goods

BRAND NEW, still in plastic, any size mattress and box set with frames. Free delivery. 550-5123, 550-4232.

RATTAN bar with 6 stools, $200. 697-0927.

I BUY FURNITURE, 1 piece or a Housefull. Please call 570-0747.

LANE recliners, $200 each. Butane barbecue grill, $50. Trampoline frame, $50. Dooney and Bourke handbag, $250. In Stanton call 756-3829.

HANDSOME couches. 3 cushion sofa and loveseat, tons of pillows. 2006 Shell.

ABOVE GROUND Pools-We still have a good selection of above ground pools. Financing and installation available. Call 563-1807. After 1:00 call 550-5225.

STIFFEL Lamps, gorgeous, antique brass; beautiful king size Battenburg quilt, new. 570-7833, 683-1947.

NOW OPEN in Midland! Key West Waterbeds & Futons. Huge Grand Opening Sale. New & used. Trade-ins welcome. Westwood Village Shopping Center, 4370 W. Illinois. 520-2466.

GE REFRIGERATOR, Frost free, 15.7 cu. ft., almond, $225 or best offer. 689-2603.

BLACK lacquer/ brass queen size water bed with mirrored headboard, black velvet railing, full motion. $225. Tracy at 697-8766.

COMPLETE twin. size daybed, black steel frame, like new. $100. 684-5269.

BASSETT SOFA & love seat, 3 mo. old., $900. Very old dining table & chairs $175. 520-5335.

NEED GOOD USED FURNITURE. Buy, sell, trade. Rowe's New & Used. 1211 S. Big Spring. 687-5966.

MOVING Sale. Living room, dining room, kitchen and bedroom furniture. 520-5855 after 5.

PIT group sofa with recliners on each end. Country blue with mauve specs. Good condition! $300. 520-2637 after 5.

WHIRLPOOL x-large chest freezer, $75 or will trade for extra clean frost free refrigerator in good condition. 682-3450.

RCA 19 inch remote control color TV. Call 684-7631 after 6 pm.

440 Firewood

DICK'S FIREWOOD. Oaks, Mesquite, Pecan & Cedar. We Deliver. 1-453-2151.

HONDO VALLEY FIREWOOD and General Store, 3501 Garden City Highway. Full service dealership. Energy Efficient "Earth" stoves, fireplaces, inserts. Complete line of accessories. Chimney inspections and cleaning. All types of firewood. 694-4818, 687-0904, 694-8753.

460 Sporting Goods

DICK'S CLUBS - Repairs, Grips, Custom Fitting, Clones, Junior Clubs, Used Clubs. 2605 W. Kentucky. 683-2614.

TERRY'S Trailers has enclosed deer blinds, tripods and feeders. New for this year, portable pens! 1403 Garden City Hwy. 688-5198.

LADIES GOLF Clubs, Jan 101 style, full set, good condition, with umbrella bag, and 2 wheel cart. 699-4764.

COLT SAA357 Mag. Nickle plated. New in box. $1,275. Browning Citori. O/ U, 12 Gauge, Grade 5, Sporter. New in box. $1,800. Weekdays 682-6386, nights 682-9078.

BIG SPRING Gun and Knife Show. September 10 & 11th. Dorothy Garrett Coliseum. For tables call Don or Kim at 210-257-5844.

RUGER P89 Stainless, 9mm. $325. 520-7670 leave message.

MASTER Gun Smith. Service, repair, & engraving. By appointment only. 684-0809.

COWBOYS SUITE TICKETS. $250/ person/ game include food & bev. 214-556-9327.

BROWNING Auto 5, light weight 20 gauge, vented rib. Like new condition. Made in Belgium. SN 4Z 87517, $650. 682-1199.

RUGER Mini 14. Stainless steel, like new, extras. $550. Call 694-0923 after 5.

DOVE Hunter's-Model 1100, 12 Ga. with left hand ejection. Full Choke barrel. Excellent condition. $400 (cash only-no checks). Call 684-7304. Leave message.

460 Antiques & Art

MATTEUCCI's Fine Art & Antiques, now open in Mission Square, 4400 N. Big Spring. 11 - 5, Tuesday - Saturday. 683-8155.

VISIT The Doll House - Antiques Etc., Plaza Center, Wadley & Garfield. 682-9257.

11TH ANNIVERSARY Celebration. Parking Lot Sale. Friday August 26th & Saturday August 27th. Chrome table & chairs, wash stand, hall tree, wardrobes, vanities, bed & dresser, buffets, cupboards. Reduced. All gift items 20%-50% Off. VISA-MasterCard-AMEX accepted. Open 10 - 5pm, Am & FM Antiques & Gifts, 1025 N. Dixie, Odessa. 332-7490.

THE Cats Meow antique mall. 408 Andrews Highway, Monday - Saturday, 10 - 6. We buy and sell antiques. 687-2004.

OAK Murphy bed with beveled mirror. $1,200. 683-4831.

TOM Lowell signed and numbered print "Black Feet Wall", Bev Doolittle signed and numbered print "Season Of The Eagle", Windberg signed prints "Nightlong Sentinel" and "Snowclad Relics". Layaway available. 694-1461.

6 ANTIQUE Walnut dining chairs. Pre 1850. $350. Call 699-3204 after 5:30 pm.

470 Musical Instruments

NOBLET step up clarinet. Vandoren 5 RV mouth piece. Good condition. $475. Call 689-8776.

BACH Trombone with FS attachment & case. Used only 1 year. $900. 697-6791.

TROMBONE for sale. King model 606. Used only 3 years. Asking $250. Call 687-3805.

GEMEINHARDT Closed hole Flute. Excellent condition. Complete with stand, case, instrument care kit. $200. 683-4867.

HOLTON Trombone with F attachments, $600. 580-9859, Ask for John, Mon.-Fri.

LEWIS Violin $300. Ludwig Snare drum with stand and carrying case $300. Both excellent condition. Call 685-3435 after 6 weekdays, after 10 weekends.

3/4 CELLO with bow and case. $500. Great beginner! 694-5706.

PIANO LESSONS. Vocal & trombone tutoring. 15 Years experience. Close to Bush Elem. 520-7050.

2 NORMANDY Clarinets, with mouth pieces and hard cases. $250 each. Call 684-3831 or 684-4069.

VIOLIN, Nagoya-Suzuki 3/4 outfit with bow and case. $195. 682-1416.

6' MEHLIN Grand Piano. Modest price. Call 694-7095.

STUDENT model Alto Saxophone and 3 octave Xylophone. $200 each or best offer. 685-0921, leave message.

USED Everett console paino for sale. Walnut finish. $800. Call 694-6364.

475 Crafts & Hobbies

HEAVY DUTY Pegboard, hooks, shelves, used in craft shop. 915-336-6781.

485 Electronics

CABLE compatible TV for sale. Magnavox, RC8515A503 GRR part II. MSG EIA232FR $990. To see contact Sarah at 684-5567.

RCA BIG SCREEN TV (1993) 52", rarely used, built-in stereo cabinet, solid black. Paid $3,100. Sacrifice $2,700. 694-0455-message.

490 Computers & Accessories

✔ GEOMACS- everything for your Macintosh computing needs and more. Try a Macintosh today! 682-3026.

COMPUTER, 286, 20 meg hard drive, VGA. $300. Also, two 40 meg hard drive, $50 each. 686-7363.

USED 286's and 386's. 46's. Dell notebook computer, $850. Used printers low as $75. 689-4322.

IBM Compatible 386SX25 computer system, 101 keyboard, 40 m hard drive, 3.5" and 5.25" drives, modem, super VGA color monitor, Epson printer, assorted software, $800. 684-0855.

FOR SALE: IBM-compatible computer, like new, low price. Excellent for students or computer beginners. Call 697-7548, leave message.

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