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Waving team to victory

Maeva Stevens waves a Lee Rebel flag and cheers his team's players during Saturday's football playoff game. Lee High School ran over Fort

Worth Richland with a final score of 45-14. Stevens is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Noble Stevens. See story and more photos on Page 1C.

Jerry Mennenga, Reporter-Telegram

Tax-overhaul plan would boost corporate taxes

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan's Treasury Department which three years ago won the biggest business income tax cut in history now is proposing to wipe out some longstanding business benefits and in the process boost corporate taxes by 36.5 percent.

Under the big tax-overhaul plan spelled out by Treasury Secretary Donald T. Regan last week, the corporate portion of income tax collections would total 25 percent by 1990. Corporations paid 11 percent of the total in 1983 and the Office of Management and Budget predicts that under current law, that would rise to 18 percent by 1990.

While the corporate tax share would rise by about 36.5 percent, the portion borne by individuals and unincorporated businesses would drop by about 8.5 percent.

There is scarcely a corporation that would not be affected by the proposal, and the initial response to Tuesday's unveiling was negative.

Business lobbyist at large Charles E. Walker, who was deputy Treasury secretary during the Nixon administration, said the plan is simply moving in the wrong direction. Noting the tax cuts enacted in 1981 were aimed at increasing the supply of business capital, he asked, "Are they now saying business has too much capital?"

An outside tax spokesman called the plan disastrous. And the real

estate industry termed it anti-investment and anti-homeownership. All that may sound surprising, since a major part of the Treasury proposal would cut the 46 percent corporate tax rate, which now applies to all taxable income above \$100,000, to 33 percent for all taxable income.

Treasury says the system of taxing business encourages investment according to its tax avoidance potential, rather than on the basis of what is best for the economy. And within the system, Regan adds, tax provisions put some industries at a disadvantage compared to others.

The ultimate beneficiaries of radical change, the Treasury report says, will be the American public.

No longer will the nation's scarce economic resources — its land, its labor, its capital and its inventive genius — be allocated by the tax system, instead of by market forces, the report states. "The result will be more productive investment, greater opportunities for employment, more useful output and faster economic growth."

Here are some major provisions of the Treasury plan affecting corporations and investors:

Depreciation. The heart of the 1981 business tax cut was what is known as the Accelerated Cost Recovery System, which dramatically increased the rate at which businesses may get back through the

tax system a portion of money spent for plant and equipment. The speedup was toned down considerably in 1982 and under the Treasury plan would be phased out and replaced by a simpler, less generous depreciation plan whose details are yet to be disclosed. The new system would adjust depreciation allowances to account for inflation.

Investment credit. The 10 percent credit, under which the government essentially pays one-tenth of the cost of machinery and equipment, would be repealed. Treasury notes that like accelerated depreciation, the investment credit is useless to new or ailing firms because they usually have no profits and thus pay no tax. Too, the combination of fast depreciation and investment credit sometimes gives a firm a negative tax rate — the government actually pays a company to buy equipment and earn income tax free.

Capital gains. Present law exempts from tax 60 percent of the profits from the sale of stocks, real estate and other property owned six months or longer; the remaining 40 percent is taxed as ordinary income. This is a tremendous incentive for investment but in times of high inflation the incentive is diluted because often a big part of the increase in value of an asset is nothing more than inflation.

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Dettman: Inmates assert rights

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

The rights of jail inmates are coming into the fore in the 1980s just as the rights of prison convicts were asserted in the 1970s.

Prison litigation was the big focus in the '70s, and jail litigation was and is the focus of the '80s, said Mark H. Dettman, Midland County attorney-elect.

Rights of pre-trial detainees and those of convicts are protected by laws and regulations and, in the broad spectrum, by the United States Constitution.

The concern of Dettman, the sheriff and county officials is ensuring the well-being of the pre-trial detainees — those who are charged with crimes but who are presumed innocent and not yet tried in a court of law.

Among the sheriff's roles in enforcing the law are to administer the jail and to look after the welfare of its inmates. In this instance, Dettman's role is to ascertain the detainees' rights and to defend the sheriff and the county in any suits filed by the inmates against the county.

So far, most of the suits have been

frivolous according to Dettman. Inmates have complained of such

inconveniences as the sheriff's bar on coffee and cigarettes, his restrictions on jail visitations, and use of single-cell confinement for troublesome or disruptive inmates. Inmates have not zeroed in on crucial issues such as jail overcrowding, sight and sound separation of male and female prisoners, lack of exercise area, inadequate lighting and inadequate environmental systems.

At the state level, the Texas Commission on Jail Standards drafts guidelines on jail conditions for the safe-keeping of those charged with criminal offenses.

WHAT THE JAIL Commission says may or may not be the same as what the federal Constitution requires, Dettman said. In many respects, the Jail Commission is a lot stricter in its rules and regulations. Whereas the Constitution is broad, the Jail Commission goes for details.

A jail, such as the Midland County Jail, could violate Jail Commission standards without per se violating the federal Constitution, said Dettman.

Violations of a detainee's constitutionally protected interests

would take in cruel and unusual punishments, such as denial of mail privileges, medical attention, rights to an attorney and good food and adequate nutrition.

Not providing inmates with television, radio and reading material might not violate constitutional rights, Dettman said, but you have to look at circumstances when it could be. For example, denying an inmate access to news and other information for two years "might be enough to shock the conscience" and thereby be interpreted as punishment or denying a person a bath for six months "would be offensive to everybody."

Jail inmates are guaranteed protection under the 14th Amendment, which says that no State shall make or enforce any law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of United States citizens and that no State shall deprive any person of life, liberty or property.

THE RIGHTS of prison convicts falls under the Eighth Amendment, which says that "cruel and unusual punishments" shall not be inflicted.

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Catholic bishops to discuss stance on war, peace

By JULIE HILLRICHS
Staff Writer

Catholic Bishops across America officially opposed the manufacture and deployment of nuclear weapons in 1983 in hopes that the world may never awaken to "the day after."

Today, that opposition — inscribed in a pastoral letter — represents the foundation for which the

Catholic Church speaks on the issue of war and peace.

In a presentation to Midlanders, Bishop Joseph A. Fiorenza of the San Angelo diocese and Bishop Leroy T. Matthiesen of the Amarillo diocese will discuss the U.S. Catholic Bishops' stance concerning war and peace at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday at St. Ann's Parish Center, Illinois and N streets.

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Matthiesen, known nationwide for his outspoken views on war and peace, has publicly opposed the assembly of nuclear weapons, particularly by Pantex Corp. near

Amarillo.

He gained national recognition regarding his views while being the subject of interviews in Time and Newsweek magazines. He also has

appeared as a guest on the Phil Donahue Show and other programs.

Fiorenza, secretary of the Texas Conference of Catholic Bishops, supported Matthiesen's stance on nuclear arms in a statement issued along with other bishops across Texas long before the famous peace pastoral was drafted.

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Odessan dies in oil rig accident

By HALLYE JORDAN
Staff Writer

A 22-year-old employee of Tahoe Drilling Co. was killed Saturday night when a chain holding a 1,440-pound mud flow line snapped and the falling pipe hit him on the head.

The man, whose name was withheld until his family in Odessa was notified, was pronounced dead at the scene by Justice of the Peace Charlie Sprayberry at 7:10 p.m. The accident occurred at 5:52 p.m. at the Tahoe Rig No. 2, according to tool-pusher Freddie Habekott.

The man had been employed with the drilling company about two months.

Although Midland County Sheriff's Office deputies, paramedics and Sprayberry were called to the site about 15 miles northeast of Midland, it was later determined that the well

site fell under the jurisdiction of Martin County.

Martin County officials arrived at the scene about 8:15 p.m., said Mike Welling of the Martin County Sheriff's Office.

According to Larry Bohannon, vice president of Tahoe Drilling Co., three employees had removed the 60-foot-long section of the flow line to unstop it.

"They were picking it up to put it back in and that chain broke there," he said.

Midland sheriff's office deputies said the man was hit on the side of the face and shoulder and his neck was broken.

The victim's body was taken to Martin County before being transported to an Odessa Funeral Home, according to Welling.

The accident was the second oilfield fatality in Martin County in a week, according to Welling. A 24-year-old Wyoming man was killed Monday while working on an FWA Drilling Co. well site north of State Highway 176. He died from injuries suffered when a rotary table swung loose from one hook and crushed him between the main beam.

It also was the second oilfield accident in two days that Midland County Sheriff's Office worked.

The owner and two employees of Permian Petroleum were overcome by poisonous fumes about 1 p.m. Friday when they climbed into a tanker they were emptying at a well site two miles north of the intersection of County Road 1065 and County Road 160.

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Midland County Sheriff's Office Deputy Jerry Torres, left, and Sgt. Jim Phipps of the Criminal Investigation Division inspect the site of an oilfield accident which killed an Odessa man. Roy Jewell of Tahoe Drilling Co. explains how the chain snapped, causing the heavy section of flow line to fall on the victim.

Kent Porter, Reporter-Telegram



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Kanak rebels in New Caledonia hoist flag, install government

NOUMEA, New Caledonia (AP) — Militant Melanesians seeking independence for New Caledonia hauled down the French tricolor Saturday, hoisted their flag and installed their own provisional government in a ceremony in a Noumea suburb.

More than 12,000 miles away, France, under mounting pressure to respond to increasing violence, named a commissioner to come up with a self-determination plan for residents of this French island territory in the South Pacific.

The moves came as armed clashes continued between Melanesians — or Kanaks, as the original inhabitants are called — and residents of European descent, most of them either French settlers or descendants of French settlers.

Police said one European and one Kanak were wounded Saturday in a skirmish at a roadblock in Poya on the west coast of the main island.

The incident followed a bloody confrontation Friday in Ouegoa, in the far north, that killed two people and wounded six.

Police confirmed Saturday that Michael Dawilo, 22, a Kanak, had perished in that fray. On Friday the only confirmed fatality was Emile Mezieres, 52, a European.

Reports reaching Noumea, the capital, said that sporadic violence continued around the island Saturday and that families fearing for their safety have begun to flee outlying towns and villages for Noumea.

Noumea itself was virtually shut down after Mayor Roger Laroque called on citizens Friday to stay indoors. Beaches, parks and commercial streets were nearly deserted.

In the ceremony in the Noumea suburb of La Conception, about 100 militants of the Kanak Socialist National Liberation Front raised the green, red and blue flag of Kanaky, their name for New Caledonia. They then installed Kanak leader Jean-Marie Tjibaou as president of the provisional government they had proclaimed on Nov. 25.

"Kanaky is being born," Tjibaou, a 48-year-old former priest, told the gathering. He said the deaths of "comrades who have fallen and those who will fall" were the "duties of the struggle" for independence.

Melanesians, who make up about 43 percent of New Caledonia's population of 140,000 people, have increasingly pressed for independence for the island group, a French territory since 1853.

Since the Nov. 18 elections for a territorial assembly, boycotted by most Kanaks, militants have been involved in armed confrontations, house burnings and occupations of local government offices.

In Paris Saturday, Prime Minister Laurent Fabius named former Minister of Agriculture Edgard Pisani, since 1981 European commissioner for development, as high commissioner to New Caledonia, responsible directly to Fabius and in charge of public order.

Fabius, speaking on French radio and television, said Pisani has been instructed to formulate within two months a plan for self-determination for New Caledonia and to establish measures "regarding the institutional evolution and the economic, social and cultural development of the territory."

The decision came during a brief meeting earlier Saturday of the Council of Ministers, presided over by President Francois Mitterrand. It was the first such extraordinary ses-



sion since Mitterrand came to power in 1981.

"The authority of the state must be exercised," Dick Ukeiwe, president of the territorial government, said after arriving in Paris Saturday for a meeting with Mitterrand.

"Until now, it hasn't been," he said. "We cannot continue to let Caledonians suffer ... the illegal acts of those in rebellion against the state."

In July, the French National Assembly passed a bill granting internal autonomy to the 7,335-square-mile group of islands 1,200

miles east of Australia. The new territorial assembly's mandate is for five years. Under the government bill, a referendum is to be held in 1989 to decide the future of New Caledonia. But last Saturday France announced it was planning to speed up the process of self-determination.

Local leaders in Noumea, most of whom belong to the European-dominated Rally for Caledonia in the Republic Party, have expressed disappointment with the Socialist government's handling of the situation. Some have publicly rejected the idea of an early referendum.

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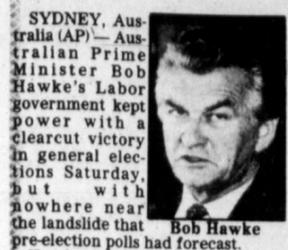
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Labor landslide doesn't materialize



Bob Hawke

SYDNEY, Australia (AP)— Australian Prime Minister Bob Hawke's Labor government kept power with a clearcut victory in general elections Saturday, but with nowhere near the landslide that pre-election polls had forecast.

Hawke blamed confusion over new voting procedures for the relatively disappointing showing, but he was also hurt by the emergence of a minor party calling for nuclear disarmament.

The small, single-issue Nuclear Disarmament Party pre-empted the traditional Labor Party left wing that supports nuclear disarmament and the removal of American military bases from Australia.

In the 148-seat House of Representatives, official results with 75 percent of the vote counted Saturday showed Labor winning 79 seats while the opposition coalition captured 63. Six races were undecided, with counting due to be completed Sunday.

The 16-seat Labor Party advantage

was far short of the 40-seat majority foreseen in the polls.

Hawke said he would have "liked more icing on the cake," but predicted he would end up with a "significant and comfortable majority" of about 20 seats. He scheduled the elections barely halfway through his three-year term — going back on an earlier campaign pledge to serve out the term — to capitalize on his personal popularity and a strong Australian economy.

Hawke said new electoral reforms confused voters when they filled in their ballots. Electoral office results estimated that nearly 7 percent of the ballots cast were invalidated because they were not properly filled out.

Polling station observers reported that 85 percent of the spoiled ballots were cast for Labor Party candidates.

Two separate referendum ballots also added to the confusion, electoral officials said.

Andrew Peacock, leader of the opposition, conservative Liberal Party, which was allied with the National Party against Labor, said voter confusion had hurt both sides, and that the vote was the result of a Liberal Party resurgence.

Political commentators had all but

written Peacock off before the election, but the stronger-than-expected showing appeared to guarantee that he will remain as opposition leader.

The makeup of the Senate will not be known for a week or more because of the complex system of allocating preference votes to determine seats. But early returns indicated that Labor would not have a majority. Labor held 30 of the 64 seats in the old Senate.

In a surprise, it appeared that

Peter Garrett, the lead singer of the popular rock band Midnight Oil, would win a Senate seat for the Nuclear Disarmament Party.

The eight-week campaign was the longest in Australia's history, and many political commentators said it was also the dullest, largely because the booming economy took away a major issue and Hawke was not personally controversial. His approval rating in the polls was consistently around 70 percent.

Australian rock star favorite in Senate race

SYDNEY, Australia (AP)— A rock star who shaves his head and delights his legions of fans with his frenzied performances on stage stands a good chance of becoming an Australian senator with his message of nuclear disarmament.

his musical career as long as it did not pose a conflict.

Election officials said it might be up to two weeks before final Senate results were known, but Garrett was about three-quarters of the way to the 12 percent of the overall state vote required to get one of the seven seats from the state. Senate voting is based on proportional representation.

Peter Garrett was given a good chance of winning election to the federal Senate from the state of New South Wales on the Nuclear Disarmament Party ticket when counting adjourned Saturday night following the general election.

"There are millions of people in the world who are concerned about the issue of disarmament. Disarmament is an issue which will not go away. It is the central issue which we all must face," Garrett said Saturday night.

The party was formed last summer solely on the issue of nuclear disarmament and campaigned for a ban on mining and exporting of Australia's uranium reserves and the immediate closing of U.S. military facilities in Australia.

"We're not radicals, we're not communists and we're not revolutionaries," Garrett said.

Garrett, a one-time law student, is lead singer of Midnight Oil, one of Australia's most popular rock bands. With his gangling limbs and gaunt features, Garrett is best known for his wild performances on stage in which he gyrates and twists to the band's blaring electronic music as streams of sweat run down his body.

Midnight Oil's best selling records feature songs with social themes such as protests against U.S. military bases and the threat of nuclear destruction.

Garrett said that he plans to devote his efforts to the Senate if he won election, but he would continue

The Nuclear Disarmament party emerged as a surprising force in elections that saw Prime Minister Bob Hawke's government hold on to power with a diminished majority. Opinion polls and analysts had all said Hawke was heading for a landslide win and the government's disappointing showing in Senate races was attributed in part to the rise of the Nuclear Disarmament Party.

Voting returns indicated the party had siphoned off support from Labor in the Senate races and analysts had predicted during the election campaign that the tiny party could wreck Hawke's hopes of winning a majority in the chamber.

Garrett dismissed suggestions Saturday night that he would be able to do little by himself in the Senate. "I will go and convince everyone else in that parliament and everywhere in Australia, as well as I can, to the best of my ability, to be concerned about that issue (disarmament)," he said.

Hawke and other government leaders strongly attacked the Nuclear Disarmament Party during the campaign, charging no one was more concerned about the threat of nuclear war than the government was. The prime minister dismissed the party as "cloud cuckoo land" idealists and said a vote for it would be wasted.

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Pemex says it will face responsibility in Mexican blast

MEXICO CITY (AP)— Pemex, the government petroleum monopoly, will face any responsibility it may have in the fiery destruction of one of its storage sites that killed at least 382 people, its director, Mario Ramon Beteta, said.

A series of explosions Nov. 19 at a Pemex liquid petroleum gas storage and distribution site sent a firestorm sweeping through adjacent San Juan Ixhuatepec, a crowded neighborhood on the northern edge of this city of more than 17 million people.

Beteta said "competent authorities" places the blame for the explosion on Pemex, the agency "will face its moral and civil responsibility." His comments, made Friday in Jalapa, Veracruz, were reported in the Saturday's editions of the Excelsior newspaper here.

Initial reports by Pemex said the dozen blasts were triggered by a truck exploding, but later said the cause was not immediately known. A government investigation is underway to determine what caused the blasts but no decisions are expected for several months.

"I can assure you that (Pemex) will not hold back in any way from doing all that is possible to alleviate as much as possible the consequences of this recent disaster and to prevent future ones of whatever type from occurring," he said.

He said Pemex has been providing assistance at the community and "we will continue providing them with all support which is feasible." The explosions is generally regarded as the worst in the history of Mexico City.

Aside from those killed, the explosions serious injured at least 500 others and damaged hundreds of homes. Thousands were left with no place to live in the poor, working class community of small, concrete and brick houses.

Meanwhile, many of those who were either trapped in the houses or caught by the fiery walls flames in the street continue to fight for life.

American burn specialists working with Mexican doctors say as many as 50 percent of the 125 burn victims may still die.

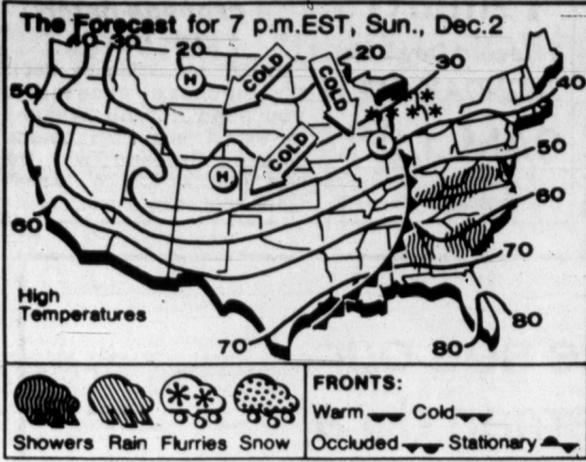
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WEATHER SUMMARY



The National Weather Service forecasts snow for today for Wisconsin and Michigan and rain in parts of Virginia, West Virginia, Kentucky, the Carolinas, Georgia, Alabama and Tennessee.

Cool temperatures, cool skies will continue in Basin

Sunny skies and cool temperatures will continue in the Permian Basin through Monday, according to the National Weather Service at Midland Regional Airport.

Temperatures today and Monday should climb near 60 with the low expected to drop near 30 tonight.

Winds will be from the west at 5-10 mph today, shifting to northwesterly at 10-15 mph this afternoon and decreasing to 5-10 mph tonight.

Saturday's high of 66 was 13 degrees cooler than the record high of 79, set in 1950. The overnight low of 38 was 18 degrees warmer than 1979's record low for that date of 20 degrees.

STATE

Clouds covered most of North and West Texas Saturday, but they were so high and so thin that the sun managed to shine through and bring balmy temperatures.

Skies were partly cloudy along the coast, but the rest of the state had sunshine that pushed temperatures into the 60s and 70s in all areas except the Panhandle.

Afternoon highs at 4 p.m. ranged from 50 at Guadalupe Pass to 83 at both McAllen and Brownsville, the National Weather Service reported.

Winds turned to the south and southeast as a cold front approached West Texas, with speeds generally in the 10 to 20 mph range.

Today should be partly sunny and windy for much of Texas, with high temperatures ranging from the middle 40s in the Panhandle to the 80s in South Texas.

Low temperatures today were expected to dip into the 20s in the Panhandle to the upper 30s elsewhere, the weather service said.

Monday was expected to be sunny and cooler, with high temperatures reaching into the middle 40s in North Texas to the 60s in the state's coastal areas.

NATION

More snow fell over parts of the Rockies on Saturday, with nearly a foot on parts of Utah, and light snow was scattered across the northern states to New England.

A travelers' advisory was posted over Colorado's northern and central mountains as snowshowers continued into the afternoon with gusty wind that caused drifting.

The storm had dumped almost a foot of snow on the mountains of northern Utah during the night, with up to 4-inch snowfalls in the northern valleys. Local advisories were posted for slippery roads, especially in the mountains.

Local travel advisories also were posted from northeastern New York state into central New England, but snowfall was generally light.

Snow also extended from the upper Great Lakes across Minnesota, the Dakotas, northern Montana and western Wyoming. Two inches of snow fell during the morning at Huron and Lemmon, S.D.

A winter storm watch for the possibility of heavy snow was posted for today over southeastern Wisconsin and northern Illinois.

Elsewhere, rainshowers were widely scattered along the eastern Gulf of Mexico coast during the morning.

Temperatures around the nation at 2 p.m. EST ranged from 7 degrees at Devils Lake, N.D., to 81 degrees at Key West and Homestead, Fla. The low for the day was 12 degrees below zero at West Yellowstone, Mont.

Midland statistics

Sunny with a high in the middle 60s today and Monday. Clear with a low near 30 tonight. Westerly winds at 5-10 mph today, becoming northwesterly at 10-15 mph and decreasing to 5-10 mph tonight.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS
 Yesterday's High: 66 degrees
 Overnight Low: 38 degrees
 Sunrise today: 6:44 a.m.
 Sunset tomorrow: 7:33 a.m.
 Precipitation:
 Last 24 hours: 0.00 inches
 This month to date: 0.00 inches
 1984 to date: 15.82 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES
 8 p.m. 52 6 a.m. 39
 7 p.m. 50 7 a.m. 38
 6 p.m. 47 8 a.m. 39
 5 p.m. 44 9 a.m. 42
 4 p.m. 45 10 a.m. 48
 3 p.m. 44 11 a.m. 51
 2 p.m. 41 Noon 51
 1 a.m. 42 1 p.m. 62
 12 a.m. 41 2 p.m. 65
 11 a.m. 41 3 p.m. 65
 10 a.m. 40 4 p.m. 65
 9 a.m. 41 5 p.m. 65
 8 p.m. 40

County forecast

Midland, Ector, Crane, Upton, Reagan, Glasscock, Andrews, Gaines, Borden, Dawson, Tom Green, Sterling, Coke and Irion: Today sunny and a little cooler with high near 60. Wind west 5 to 10 mph becoming northwest 10 to 15 mph during morning. Tonight clear and cooler with lows around 30. Wind northeast 5 to 10 mph. Monday sunny with high near 60.

Border states forecasts

New Mexico: Fair skies statewide tonight through Monday. Highs Sunday and Monday 30s to mid 40s in the mountains with upper 40s to low 60s at the lower elevations. Lows Sunday night mostly teens in the mountains with 20s to low 30s elsewhere.

Texas temperatures

City	Lo	Hi	Pr	Ch
Abilene	40	69	0.00	an
Alton	48	82	0.00	an
Alpine	32	68	0.00	an
Amarillo	25	56	0.00	an
Austin	42	72	0.00	an
Beeville	48	70	0.00	an
Brownsville	57	84	0.00	an
Bryan-College Station	42	72	0.00	an
Childress	36	68	0.00	an
Corpus Christi	51	78	0.00	an
Dalhousie	20	53	0.00	an
Dallas	46	67	0.00	an
Del Rio	42	70	0.00	an
El Paso	30	62	0.00	an
Fort Worth	40	67	0.00	an
Galveston	57	84	0.00	an
Hondo	46	70	0.00	an
Houston	41	72	0.00	an
Junction	38	72	0.00	an
Kingsville	47	83	0.00	an
Longview	41	69	0.00	an
Lubbock	30	64	0.00	an
Lufkin	35	75	0.00	an
Marfa	24	68	0.00	an
McAllen	53	83	0.00	an
Paducah	44	73	0.00	an
Palacios	45	75	0.00	an
Presidio	33	70	0.00	an
San Antonio	38	72	0.00	an
Stephenville	38	68	0.00	an
Texasarkana	41	70	0.00	an
Waco	45	75	0.00	an
Victoria	39	70	0.00	an
Wichita Falls	39	66	0.00	an
Wink	28	71	0.00	an

Weather elsewhere

City	Hi	Lo	Pr	Ch
Albany	45	38	15	an
Albuquerque	46	33	0	an
Anchorage	18	29	0	an
Ashville	53	37	0	an
Atlanta	60	44	0	an
Atlantic City	57	44	0	an
Baltimore	56	36	0	an
Billings	29	19	01	an
Birmingham	64	39	0	an
Bismarck	21	17	01	an
Bozeman	48	24	0	an
Boston	51	30	02	an
Buffalo	38	37	17	an
Burlington, Vt.	43	37	17	an
Casper	30	17	01	an
Charleston, S.C.	65	50	01	an
Charleston, W.V.	52	42	01	an
Charlotte, N.C.	61	36	0	an
Chattanooga	31	22	0	an
Chicago	38	28	0	an
Cincinnati	50	33	0	an
Cleveland	41	33	15	an
Columbia, S.C.	66	36	0	an
Columbus, Oh.	48	36	04	an
Concord, N.H.	45	27	0	an
Dayton	46	33	0	an
Denver	42	24	0	an
Des Moines	42	22	0	an
Detroit	38	34	01	an
Duluth	19	18	01	an
Evansville	53	29	0	an
Flagstaff	63	38	0	an
Grand Rapids	36	32	01	an
Greenville	18	19	22	an
Greensboro, N.C.	55	38	01	an
Hartford	50	35	02	an
Helena	28	18	0	an
Honolulu	86	72	0	an
Indianapolis	48	30	0	an
Jackson, Ms.	68	39	0	an
Jacksonville	75	43	0	an
Juneau	33	31	0	an
Las Vegas	55	35	0	an
Las Vegas	58	35	0	an
Little Rock	62	43	0	an
Los Angeles	71	43	0	an
Louisville	56	25	0	an
Memphis	64	38	0	an
Miami Beach	80	72	10	an
Milwaukee	33	26	0	an
Minneapolis	28	25	0	an
Mpls-St. Paul	28	25	0	an
Nashville	59	39	0	an
New Orleans	62	45	10	an
New York	57	43	01	an
Norfolk, Va.	62	43	0	an
North Platte	45	21	0	an
Oklahoma City	61	40	0	an
Omaha	48	27	0	an
Oriando	74	58	04	an
Philadelphia	55	38	01	an
Phoenix	63	43	0	an
Pittsburgh	41	36	02	an
Portland, Me.	49	28	0	an
Portland, Or.	62	38	02	an
Raleigh	61	36	0	an
Rapid City	27	22	04	an
Reno	44	30	0	an
Richmond	62	38	0	an
Sacramento	58	48	0	an
Seattle	64	30	0	an
Sierra Vista	77	58	0	an
Sioux Falls	37	28	18	an
Spokane	55	35	0	an
San Francisco	61	48	0	an
San Juan, P.R.	86	73	0	an
St. Louis	52	24	11	an
St. Paul	29	24	0	an
Seattle	64	38	0	an
Shreveport	71	40	0	an
Sioux Falls	35	18	02	an
Spokane	28	17	0	an
Syracuse	41	26	55	an
Tucson	61	25	0	an
Tulsa	64	37	0	an
Washington	57	37	0	an
Wichita	57	31	0	an
Wilmington	46	40	0	an
Wilmington, Del.	56	38	01	an

Anti-flame fuel additive flunks test flight

EDWARDS AIR FORCE BASE, Calif. (AP) — A remote-controlled jetliner carrying 73 lifelike dummies crashed in the Mojave Desert and burst into a fireball Saturday in a test of an anti-flame fuel additive, which an industry observer said "didn't work as advertised."

Federal Aviation Administration officials insisted the additive did extinguish an initial fire that engulfed the plane, but said they were puzzled by a secondary fire that raged through the plane's cabin moments later.

When the unmanned Boeing 720 jet crashed at 11:23 a.m. CST, it was engulfed in a fireball at least three times the height of the plane. But the flames disappeared within three seconds, and a large plume of smoke rose skyward.

About 20 minutes after the crash, a voice on the National Aeronautics and Space Administration's closed-circuit television channel on the base said: "We're still having some problems putting this fire out."

FAA Administrator Donald Engen said that despite uncertainties about the test, he still planned to notify commercial airlines by the end of the year that the FAA will eventually require the use of the additive.

The primary purpose of the \$11.8 million demonstration — an intentional crash of a jet carrying 12,000 gallons of fuel — was to test the additive, which is designed to prevent spilled fuel from breaking up into an easily ignited mist during a crash.

About 40 percent of the people who die in plane crashes after surviving the initial impact are killed by fire, federal transportation authorities say.

"I'm perplexed as to why there was another fire and I'd like to reserve my opinion" about whether the additive-laced fuel — called anti-misting kerosene — worked properly, Engen said in a brief interview with The Associated Press.



Secretary of Transportation Elizabeth Dole sits at remote controls at Edwards Air Force Base, California, where they were used to fly a Boeing 720 into the ground by NASA test pilot Fitzhugh Fulton Jr., left, as part of a FAA/NASA demonstration.

"If it turns out to be what it looked like, the product didn't work as advertised," said Tom Tripp of the Air Transport Association, which represents U.S. airlines and has expressed doubts about government plans to eventually require use of the additive.

"It certainly appears that something happened that was not supposed to happen," Tripp said.

"Our hope was that this wouldn't happen," NASA spokesman Larry King said of the fireball. But he said

he wasn't sure the test would be considered a failure since the flames died down so quickly.

"We've got to assess it," said Bill Metten of ICI Americas Inc. the firm that makes the additive. "We can't make the call."

Test pilot Fitzhugh Fulton, sitting in a ground-based cockpit, guided the old jetliner off a runway at 11:13 a.m. CST. He made it climb to 2,300 feet, flew it in a broad loop and, at 168 mph, bellyflopped it at 9:23 a.m. onto a gravel-covered runway,

where its wings and fuel tanks were torn open by rows of jagged steel obstacles. At least one wing was torn off.

Among the cameras feeding NASA's closed-circuit TV channel was one mounted on the nose of the plane that provided extraordinary views as the plane sped toward its doom in the first intentional crash of a jetliner.

The plane carried 73 lifelike dummies, including 13 attached to monitoring instruments to measure how the crash impact affected them.

Transportation Secretary Elizabeth Dole, who watched the crash from the roof of a NASA office building, had said Friday that if the fuel additive worked, the Federal Aviation Administration soon would advise commercial airlines that they eventually would be required to use it. She left for a speaking engagement immediately after the crash without offering her opinion of its success or failure.

Jim Woodall, chief of the FAA division conducting the test, said, "I think it (the additive) did work." He refused to acknowledge the fireball engulfed the plane.

"We never said there wouldn't be a fire," Woodall said. "We said it wouldn't propagate forward and attach itself to the airplane."

However, closed-circuit television pictures showed the fireball started at about the wings and shot back behind the plane, then raced forward and engulfed the entire aircraft for the first few seconds after the crash.

Pressed by reporters who watched the fireball on TV, Woodall said, "I'm willing to classify it as a non-survivable crash if that would make anyone happy."

The airline industry has expressed doubts about the additive, since it must be removed from the fuel before the fuel enters jet engines. If devices called "degraders" fail to remove the additive, the engines could fail and cause a crash.

JAIL

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"Most of those up there (in jail) are pre-trial detainees," said Dettman. "They are protected by the due-process clause of the 14th Amendment...They can't be punished, period...You don't have to worry about whether it's cruel and unusual punishment...They are presumed innocent. You can hold them pending trial and can apply those restraints as they reasonably relate to legitimate governmental objectives." Those objectives include ensuring that inmates show up in court for trial and that they inflict no injury to themselves or others.

However, Dettman noted that troublesome detainees can be disciplined without violating their constitutional rights by placing them in administrative segregation (such as in a single cell, limiting their visitors and withdrawing their commissary rights).

Further, pre-trial detainees retain some of their First Amendment rights, such as freedom to correspond with their lawyers and others, freedom to practice religion, and



Mark Dettman

access to the courts. "Pre-trial detainees retain more of their constitutional rights than do prisoners," Dettman said. "It's a matter of which constitutional rights he has not lost."

UNDER THE 14th Amendment, jail inmates are guaranteed reasonably adequate nutrition, recreation to maintain health, medical attention and hygiene, and freedom from racial discrimination. Prisoners also are accorded those rights.

In a few instances on the East Coast, federal judges have held that pre-trial detainees may have conjugal privileges; they may be accorded privacy with their spouses.

"To my knowledge," Dettman said, "it has never applied to convicted prisoners."

Unlike jail inmates, prisoners can be punished by means other than confinement behind bars.

"Convicts can be punished by making them go out in the field and hoe cotton," Dettman said. "It's a form of rehabilitation for some of them."

Punishments are restricted. "They will not allow something that shocks the conscience or fails to comply with the evolved standards of decency which reflects a maturing society," he said. "What they accepted in the 1800s is not (necessarily) something they'll accept today."

Search for pilot expands to Oklahoma, Arkansas

From Staff Reports

A Civil Air Patrol search for a Georgetown pilot, whose plane disappeared while enroute to Fort Worth Monday, expanded Saturday to include all of Oklahoma and Arkansas, according to the public affairs officer for the Midland Squadron.

"Basically, we don't have any hot leads on what's going on," 2nd Lt. Rusty Ameen said Saturday. "But we know we'll probably be in search for

the next couple of days."

The red, maroon and white single-engine Mooney 201 left Georgetown at noon Monday enroute to Fort Worth. The pilot's name has not been released by CAP officials.

Searchers believe the pilot may have headed toward Abilene in an attempt to miss a strong storm system in his path.

"He apparently diverted that storm and we don't know how much fuel he had," Ameen said. About 100 CAP members are searching the area between Geor-

town, Abilene and Fort Worth. Statewide, members from squadrons in Midland, Odessa, McCombs, Alpine, El Paso, Lamesa, Sweetwater, Colorado City, Abilene, Brownwood, San Angelo are involved. Lubbock's Squadron and San Angelo are joined the search mission Saturday, Ameen said.

The two Midland CAP pilots are using private planes in their searches, Ameen said. The U.S. Air Force reimburses the patrol members for fuel and wear on aircraft involved in such searches.

"We've had about nine to 12 planes concentrating between Abilene, Brownwood and San Angelo at the same time," Ameen said. "There are about 25 planes between Georgetown, Fort Worth and this area looking for him."

"This is probably one of the biggest searches we've had in this area that has been publicized," Ameen said. "Every day the search goes on, that's thousands and thousands of dollars out of the taxpayers' pockets."

BISHOPS

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The pastoral letter entitled, "The Challenge of Peace: God's Promise and Our Response," is addressed principally to the Catholic community, according to the Rev. Don Hanson, assistant pastor of St. Ann's parish.

But the bishops hope the letter will contribute to a wider debate across the nation on the dangers and dilemmas of the nuclear age, he noted.

According to Hanson, the pastoral letter is the result of more than 700 pages of dialogue by experts including government officials, scientists

and moral theologians.

"The Church is as old as western civilization itself and its traditional views regarding war and peace are long and complex, stretching from the Sermon on the Mount to recent statements by Pope John Paul II," said Hanson.

"What the bishops have attempted to do is to take these traditional views and apply them to the modern age because they agree that the world is at a moment of crisis, the effects of which are evident in people's lives," he added.

According to Hanson, the crisis of which the bishops speak arises from the fact that "nuclear war threatens the existence of our planet and this threat is more menacing than any the world has ever known."

But removing this threat "will require a major effort of intelligence, courage and faith," he added.

Hanson denied cliches that charge American bishops with being conservative in doctrine and liberal in politics.

"The Church teaches that the build-up of nuclear weaponry is not just a political issue. It is a moral issue — an issue of the times. The threat of nuclear war — like abortion — is rooted

Guerrillas kill 80 in Sri Lanka

COLOMBO, Sri Lanka (AP) — The government said Saturday that 148 people perished in guerrilla attacks on two prison camps and ensuing battles with troops, and that Sri Lankan ships and planes drove off 19 boats believed to be carrying an invasion force of Tamil guerrillas.

It said that 10 people were killed aboard one of the boats.

The latest action widening the battles to the high seas was announced as the government of President Junius Jayewardene imposed tough emergency measures and increased security in the country's north and east. Those areas are the center of activity by rebels seeking an independent Tamil homeland.

The national security minister, Lalith Athulathmudali, said the Sri Lankan navy on Saturday intercepted and fired on one boat approaching the island nation's northwest coast, killing 10 people believed to be Tamils bound from southern India.

He said Sri Lankan aircraft Friday night shot at 18 other vessels also apparently coming from India. He reported that the boats were driven back into Indian waters, but said nothing of any casualties. He said the craft were spotted about five miles from Palaimannar.

Earlier Friday, Tamil separatists raided two prison settlements near

the town of Padaviya in north-central Sri Lanka, killing 80 people, the government said. Officials said all the victims were members of Sri Lanka's Sinhalese majority, and said many were women and children.

Sri Lankan police and troops killed at least 68 terrorists in a subsequent gun battle, the government said. It said the attackers were armed with rifles, submachine guns and grenades.

Authorities said that 35 people were injured in the incident, and that 42 others were detained.

They said the raids on the farms, where more than 450 prisoners and their families lived, were the worst since Tamil militants launched a bloody independence movement three years ago.

Sri Lanka claims Tamil guerrillas are being sheltered, trained and armed in the southern Indian state of Tamil Nadu, across the narrow Palk Strait off Sri Lanka's northern coast, in preparation for an invasion.

The Indian government Saturday issued a denial. The statement from the Indian External Affairs Ministry said: "We categorically reject all insinuations and allegations by Sri Lankan authorities and media about the Indian state of Tamil Nadu being used as a base by Sri Lankan militants."

"There is no question of any kind

of invasion of Sri Lanka being organized from any part of India," the statement said, adding the Sri Lankan charges "are totally without basis and we are shocked that a war psychosis is being built up."

Athulathmudali said it was suspected that the 18 boats attacked Friday night came from a small town north of Pt. Calimer in Tamil Nadu.

The Jayewardene government, seeking to counter the purported threat of invasion, sealed off some areas of northern Sri Lanka and declared them "no-man's land."

The measures also require households to furnish information about residents. Officials say extremists are getting support from the local population.

The government, citing possible revenge attacks on Tamils, clamped a night curfew on Colombo and other cities in the north and east and ordered a nationwide alert.

Four hundred people died in ethnic riots last year after Tamil separatists killed 13 Sinhalese soldiers in an ambush.

Tamils, Hindus making up 16 percent of Sri Lanka's population of 17 million, complain they are persecuted by majority Sinhalese, who are Buddhists. The Tamils migrated from southern India.

U.S. team assisting Grenada party

WASHINGTON (AP) — The man who helped turn out the youth vote for President Reagan's 1980 campaign says he has sent a small, privately funded team of political operatives to Grenada to assist a pro-U.S. party win Monday's election.

Former White House aide Morton C. Blackwell said Saturday that he raised \$12,000 to help the decade-old New National Party become a force capable of capturing a majority of Grenada's 15-seat Parliament.

Blackwell claimed that "six weeks ago the party didn't even have a bank account." He described its headquarters as "one room with a table and chairs and a typewriter."

Now, he said, "it's beginning to look pretty good."

Two campaign workers sent to Grenada have been teaching the party members how to mount a publicity campaign, identify potential supporters, get out the vote and other "fundamentals" of politics, Blackwell said.

Opposing the New National Party are the Maurice Bishop Patriotic Movement, named for the leftist prime minister killed in the coup by even more pro-Cuban subordinates that led to the October 1983 U.S. invasion.

Also running are candidates from the United Labor Party, headed by Eric Gairy, a former prime minister.

Since the U.S. invasion, the country has been run by a caretaker government appointed by Governor

General Sir Paul Scoon. The party that wins a majority in Parliament would form the island's new government.

Blackwell asserted that the New National Party needed special help because members of the Maurice Bishop party had been trained in the arts of politics by Cubans advising the Grenadan government between 1979 and 1983.

He also said that even though the United States had pacified the island, "there are lots of arms around."

In its public pronouncements, the Reagan administration has stayed neutral in the election, denying a "deception and falsehood," claims that it supports Gairy's party. State Department spokeswoman Kathleen Lang declined to comment on Blackwell's operation.

The Washington Post, however, quoted an unidentified State Department official as saying that the administration hopes the New National Party wins the election.

"It's nice to see moderates win," the official said. "And their campaign has taken off in the last two weeks."

Philip Nicolaidis, a former official of the Voice of America, helped raise \$2,000 for the operation by sending an appeal to a few hundred U.S. conservative leaders.

"Help finish the job our Marines, Rangers and other brave servicemen started with the historic October 1983 rescue mission," the letter said. It also urged contributors to keep the operation "confidential. I'm sure you understand why this must not get into the hands of the liberal media."

Legal Notice

The City Council of the City of Midland, Texas, will hold a public hearing at 2:10 p.m., Tuesday, December 18, 1984, in the Council Chamber, City Hall, on a request, on appeal, by Thomas Flanigan for a zone change from 1F-2 Single Family District to NS, Neighborhood Service District on Lot 7, and the 5/2 of Lot 8, Block 200, Southern Addition, City of Midland, Midland County, Texas. (Located on the northeast corner of the intersection of Baird and New Jersey) CITY OF MIDLAND B. C. Clanton, City Secretary December 2, 1984

Legal Notice

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids for the construction of the Regional Academic Health Center at Odessa, Phase I, Texas Tech University Training Room of Texas Commerce Health Sciences Center, Odessa, Texas, will be received until 2:00 p.m., December 20, 1984. All bids will be received by Mr. Jerry P. House, Director of Contracting and Risk Management, Texas Tech University, 106 Drone Hall, P. O. Box 4610, Lubbock, Texas 79409. If mailed, bids should be addressed to Dr. Richard Barry, Associate Dean of the Regional Academic Health Center at Odessa, 400 West 4th Street, P. O. Box 4734, Odessa, Texas 79761 or if hand delivered, bids may be delivered to the downstairs Training Room of Texas Commerce Bank Building, 620 North Grant, Odessa, Texas at 2:00 P.M., December 20, 1984. The bids will be publicly opened and read aloud in the downstairs Training Room of the Texas Commerce Bank Building, 620 North Grant, Odessa, Texas. Any bid received after closing time will be returned unopened. A five percent (5%) Bid Bond, Certified Check or Cashiers Check must accompany each proposal. No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty (30) days after the actual date of the opening thereof. The Owner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and to waive any or all formalities. Plans, Specifications and related documents may be examined and acquired from the office of C. Berwyn Tidel, AIA Tidel and Associates 3416 Jolar Avenue Lubbock, Texas 79413 Telephone (806) 792-2824



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**WORLD
in brief**

**Campaigning concludes
in Grenada elections**

ST. GEORGE'S, Grenada (AP) — Campaigning ended quietly Saturday for elections that will be Grenada's first since 1976 and follow two coups and a U.S. invasion. Voting will take place throughout the Caribbean island on Monday. The New National Party, formed four months ago in a merger of three moderate groups, is considered to have the best chance to form the new government.

Priest's autopsy released

WARSAW, Poland (AP) — The pro-Solidarity priest kidnapped and slain last October was beaten unconscious and died of suffocation from a gag before his body was thrown into a reservoir, according to the final autopsy report released Saturday.

The official news agency PAP said the autopsy on the body of the Rev. Jerzy Popieluszko, 37, showed he suffered "injuries ... especially in the upper part of his body" from a hard, blunt instrument, probably a club or a hand wrapped in a cloth.

Iranian positions raided

BAGHDAD, Iraq (AP) — Iraqi jet fighters made 28 bombing raids across the eastern border Saturday, scoring direct hits on Iranian positions, said a war communique issued in the capital.

The Armed Forces General Command said Iraqi jets "returned safely to base after launching 28 bombing raids and scoring direct hits on enemy positions and troop emplacements" in the southern sector of the 733-mile border between the two warring nations.

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Lebanese army preparing to move south

By SCHEHEREZADE FARAMARZI
AP Writer

BEIRUT, Lebanon — The Lebanese army is preparing this week to take over the coastal highway south to Israel's occupation zone, a road that has been closed by fighting since February.

The rival militias who have been controlling the road and doing the fighting say they welcome the troops, but add that they are skeptical about the motives behind the move and about the chances of its leading to an end to Lebanon's nine-year civil war.

"Maybe there is a conspiracy, or some kind of plot. Maybe there is a

political game," a commander of the leftist Druse Progressive Socialist Party said as he watched his men direct traffic away from the road at the point where it closes just south of Beirut.

Under a plan approved two weeks ago by their representatives in Lebanon's coalition Cabinet, the Druse militia, the Shiite Moslem "Amal" militia and the Christian "Lebanese Forces" militia would all give up stretches of the road they control when the Lebanese regulars move in.

The army has made no official announcement, but troops are expected to begin taking up positions Thursday.

The plan calls for the army to take over not only the highway south,

but also a 58-mile stretch of territory from Israel's defense line at the Awali River to the first Syrian position at Madfoun in Syrian-controlled northern Lebanon.

The aim is to position the Lebanese army so it can move swiftly into south Lebanon if Israeli troops now keeping order in the area suddenly pull back.

The Israelis are involved in talks with Lebanon over an Israeli troop withdrawal and ways for Lebanon to secure the area and protect Israel's northern border from guerrilla attacks after Israel withdraws.

Besides opening the road to the south, Lebanese army control is also aimed at easing travel on the road north from Beirut, especially for

Moslems reluctant to pass through Christian militia checkpoints.

The Druse militia commander, who identified himself only by the first name Khaled, spoke from the frontline between his men and the Christian militia at Damour. He said he is skeptical about the current moves because of what happened in Lebanon's central mountains in September 1983.

Then, Israeli forces pulled back suddenly from the Chouf Mountains, and intense battles broke out between the Druse militia and the Lebanese Forces dominated by the right-wing Christian Phalange Party. The Lebanese army sided with the Christians.

If the army "goes all the way to

the Awali, it would strengthen the Lebanese Forces in the Kharroub region," Khaled said. Kharroub is the area just north of Israel's defense line where the Druse and Christians have been fighting off and on for the past year.

Lebanese leaders fear that Kharroub and south Lebanon could erupt into war, just as the Chouf Mountains did last year, if the Israelis suddenly withdraw.

At an army checkpoint at Khalde just south of Beirut, an army lieutenant said the army takeover would work because it was based on "a political decision" that had been agreed upon by the militias, through their leaders in the coalition Cabinet.

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Guard admits guilt in assassination

NEW DELHI, India (AP) — A security guard accused in the assassination of Prime Minister Indira Gandhi has admitted his guilt and implicated two other men in a conspiracy, the United News of India reported Saturday.

The news agency reported that Satwant Singh, 22, had made a 15-page "confessional statement," naming sub-inspector Beant Singh, now dead, as "the principal person behind the conspiracy."

UNI said he told authorities that a relative of Beant Singh and a New Delhi police sub-inspector were also involved, but the report did not name them.

Beant Singh and Satwant Singh, both Sikhs, were shot by other guards after Mrs. Gandhi was killed in her residential-office complex in

New Delhi on Oct. 31. Both men were members of the prime minister's security guard.

Singh, meaning "lion," is a title bestowed on male Sikhs. The UNI report could not be immediately confirmed with government officials because offices were closed.

The agency said Satwant Singh told Chief Metropolitan Magistrate Bharat Bhushan Gupta that he was not making the statement under duress but wanted to tell the truth about the incident. It said he disclosed the names during interrogation by a police investigation team last Thursday. Police have not arrested the two men, the news agency said.

Chief Metropolitan Magistrate S.L.

Khanna warned Satwant Singh that he was not bound to make any statement and granted him two days to reconsider his confession, UNI said.

UNI quoted Satwant Singh as saying in his statement, "I want to make a clean breast of it."

Investigators have been focusing on the theory that the assassination was part of a plot by militants among the Sikh religious minority to avenge the Indian army's attack last June on armed terrorists holed up in the Sikhs' holiest temple, located in Amritsar in the state of Punjab.

UNI said Satwant Singh was ordered Saturday to remain in judicial custody for another 14 days, and was allowed to meet 15 minutes with his lawyer, I.U. Khan, before the court proceeding.

Khan was appointed to represent Singh by the Delhi Legal Aid and Advice Board after the accused man asked for legal aid at state expense.

Two separate investigations into the assassination have been launched but results are not expected for several months. The key to the investigations is likely to be Satwant Singh's statements.

Prime Minister Rajiv Gandhi, who succeeded his mother, launched his campaign for election Saturday, saying the slaying was part of a deep-rooted conspiracy to dismember India. He suggested that foreign-based Sikhs who want a separatist nation in Punjab were involved in the plot.

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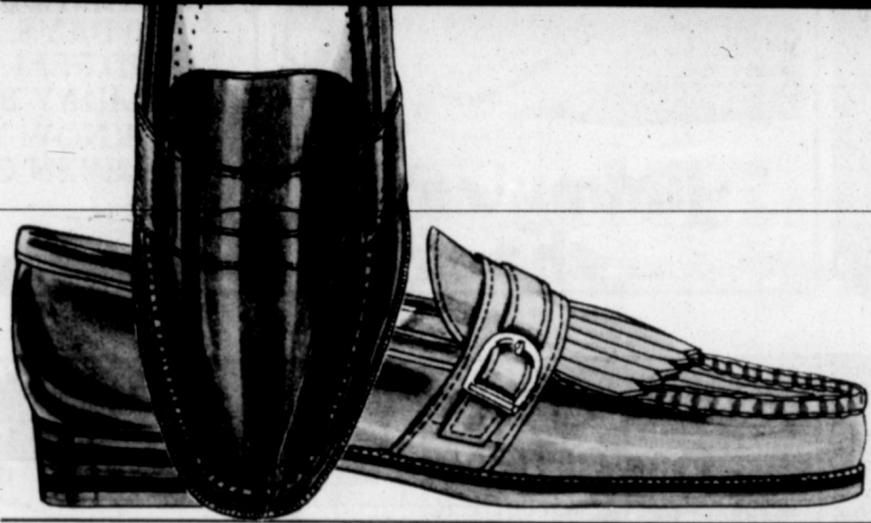
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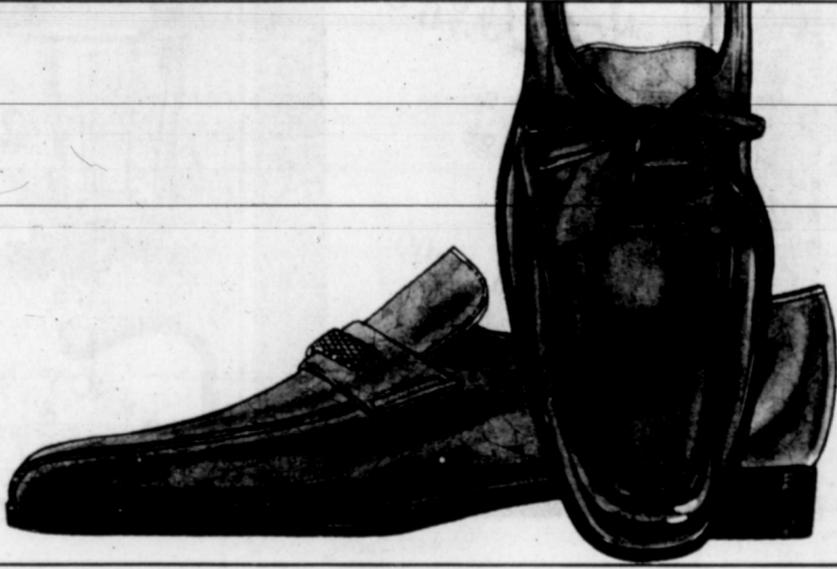
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Gandhi opens campaign by lashing at foes

By STEPHEN R. WILSON
AP Writer

VARANASI, India (AP) — Prime Minister Rajiv Gandhi opened his election campaign Saturday night by accusing opposition parties of collusion with foreign forces and terrorists trying to "divide the country into parts."

Gandhi, speaking in this Hindu holy city to more than 40,000 people at Sanskrit University, began his campaign a month after the assassination of his mother, Indira Gandhi, whom he replaced as prime minister.

He spoke from the same 15-foot-high dais where his mother addressed a public meeting after dedicating a television relay station on Sept. 26.

His 25-minute speech capped a day of a dozen public rallies in his home state of Uttar Pradesh. At each stop, he campaigned on behalf of his governing Congress Party for the parliamentary elections that will determine whether he stays in power. The elections are scheduled for Dec. 24 and Dec. 27-28.

Varanasi, 420 miles from New Delhi, is the religious and spiritual capital of Hinduism, where 35,000 bodies are cremated every year on the banks of the sacred Ganges River.

Gandhi, wearing a light brown shawl over a long white shirt, sounded his mother's familiar theme — that the unity and integrity of the country are threatened and only the Congress Party can preserve them.

"We have to see the powers seeking to weaken us and those in the country giving them strength," Gandhi said. "We have to identify the strength in the country, and who will fragment it."

Gandhi charged that opposition parties had supported terrorists and extremists in the turbulent states of Assam, Kashmir and Punjab.

"There were some who were guiding and inspiring the forces of terrorism, weapon-wielders and murderers," he said. "We must remember that leaders of the opposition gave these forces strength. They are ready to grab at any straw to harm the Congress in Assam, Punjab and Kashmir."

Without referring to any opposition party by name or identifying the foreign forces he claimed are trying to destabilize India, Gandhi said: "Today when we see our leaders helping foreign hands we have to be alert."

Later he said, "They are ready to sell their country for their own interests."

Referring to the assassination of his mother — by two security guards identified as Sikhs, according to the government — he said, "There were efforts for months to make us fight and to divide the country into parts. They made many efforts and succeeded on Oct. 31."

"Those who think that by murdering Indira Gandhi they can finish the country will have to think twice," he added to loud applause. "What we need is to show the world we will vanquish all those who want to defeat us."

He said India was surrounded by threats, including those from the north — referring to Punjab and Pakistan — and the Indian Ocean to the south, where the superpowers have built up their naval forces.

"No power can suppress us," he said. "Great powers are seeing that in the past five years India has progressed so much and if it retains its momentum it will soon be their equal. India will not bow to any pressure."

Uttar Pradesh, the center of India's densely populated Hindi-speaking belt, has been the traditional stronghold of the Congress Party. The state has more parliamentary seats, 85, than any other and will play a key role in the general elections for 514 seats in the governing lower House of Parliament.

Varanasi, formerly known as Benares, has 54 candidates competing for its three parliamentary seats. Gandhi's appearance here was seen as a boost for the Congress candidates, who appeared with him on stage.

It was also an attempt to strengthen the Congress camp throughout eastern Uttar Pradesh, where 10 of the 21 seats are held by opposition parties.

One of the main opposition candidates in Varanasi, Gauri Shankar Rai of the Dalit Mazdoor Kisan Party, charged that the Congress Party was trying to divert attention from real issues.

"The government which cannot protect the prime minister in her own house cannot protect the common man," he told The Associated Press before Gandhi's speech.

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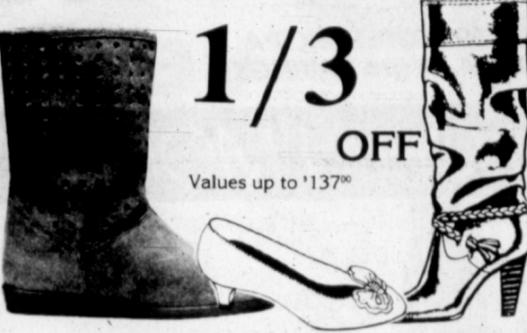
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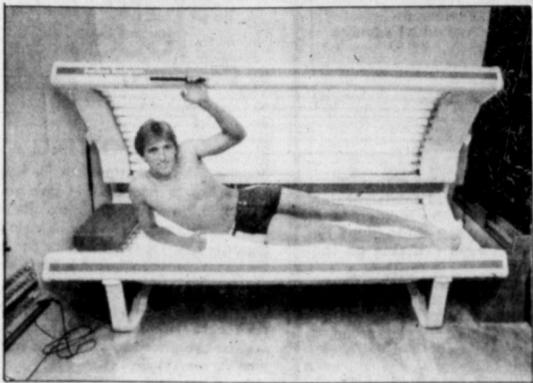
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More retirees drawing pensions

WASHINGTON (AP) — The government's first survey of new Social Security beneficiaries in more than a decade shows a dramatic increase in the number of retirees who also draw pensions, the head of the Social Security Administration says.

The first results of the survey of 18,599 new beneficiaries also shows that Social Security itself remains the biggest source of retirement income for middle-income Americans, Acting Commissioner Martha McSteen said.

The \$2.5 million study carried out in 1982 marked the first time the agency has conducted such an extensive examination of new retirees since 1969-70, and the agency will use the information to chart possible changes in policy.

One of the first practical uses will come next month when Social Security sends Congress a study of the impact that earnings sharing — splitting Social Security credits between husbands and wives, regardless of who worked — would have on divorced couples and others, Mrs. McSteen said in an interview.



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The agency will publish a series of nine studies based on the survey in its monthly Social Security Bulletin in 1985.

The first report, which will appear in January's Bulletin, found, "the more recent retirees, who entered young adulthood after the Great Depression and who were in their 30s, 40s and 50s during the more prosperous and stable decades of the 1950s, 1960s and early 1970s, have accumulated more assets for retirement than their elders.

"The rate of pension receipt among new Social Security retired worker beneficiaries has dramatically increased," it said. "Between 1970 and 1982, it rose from 25 percent to 42 percent for the unmarried, and among the married from 42 percent to 53

percent for men and from 12 percent to 24 percent for women."

The report said the median monthly income from all sources for newly retired workers in late 1982 was \$1,511 for couples and \$775 for unmarried men and women. That amounts to \$18,132 a year for couples and \$9,300 for the single retirees.

The mean, or average, income was even higher: \$1,956 a month for couples and \$1,024 for single men or women. The mean was pulled up by the relatively high incomes that some of the elderly enjoyed.

Mrs. McSteen said "the most startling difference" between the new beneficiaries now and 15 years ago is the large percentage who continue to work. "Gen-

erally the people who were working were less likely to have private pensions... They continued to work because they had to," she said.

Social Security analysts Linda Drazga Maxwell and Virginia P. Reno, the authors of the study, said 44 percent of the married couples and 27 of the unmarried were still employed.

Social Security pays reduced retirement benefits at age 62 and full benefits at 65; most Americans opt for early retirement. The law allows those under 65 to earn \$5,160 before losing any benefits, and those 65-69 can earn \$6,060 without penalty. Those 70 or older can earn unlimited amounts.

Two percent of the couples surveyed and 7 percent of the unmarried beneficiaries were drawing welfare, usually food stamps.

Mrs. McSteen noted that Social Security was never intended to form the sole source of retirement income. Instead, it was designed to complement private pensions and individual savings for retirement.

Over 300 barred from programs

WASHINGTON (AP) — More than 300 doctors and medical suppliers were kicked out of the Medicare and Medicaid programs because of fraudulent claims during the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, the Department of Health and Human Services said Saturday.

The department's inspector general said in his semiannual report to Congress that 327 health care providers were the target of legal sanctions during fiscal 1984 that will bar them from participation in the Medicare and Medicaid programs.

The cases included billing the government for goods or services not provided or for services that did not qualify for federal reimbursement or overcharging for goods or services.

The figure is a 29 percent increase over the 230 health care providers who were kicked out during 1983.

In addition, the department said, investigations of Medicare and Medicaid fraud by federal, state and

local authorities resulted in 234 convictions during the last six months of the fiscal year and recovery of more than \$27 million.

In addition, investigations of Social Security fraud during the last six months of the year resulted in more than 400 convictions and recovery of more than \$5 million, the department said.

The report also recommended some program changes that Inspector General Richard Kusserow said could save some \$3.7 billion over five years if fully implemented by the department and by Congress.

Margaret M. Heckler, the secretary of health and human services, said in releasing the report that it showed the department's commitment to using its budget "for caring and compassion, not for corruption, waste or inefficiency."

"There is no let-up in this department's quest for cost effectiveness, and there is no slacking in our attack on waste, fraud and abuse," she said.

Accused hijacker threatens hunger strike

DOUGLASVILLE, Ga. (AP) — A man accused of hijacking a commuter flight said Saturday he should not be held responsible for his actions because he was under the influence of drugs and alcohol and blamed government for not helping him kick his drug habit.

Dean Talley also announced at a jailhouse news conference that he was going on a hunger strike "until I die."

Talley, who is charged with air piracy and interfering with an aircraft crew, said he was under the influence of drugs and alcohol at the time of the hijacking Thursday and

decided only at the last minute to commandeer the Augusta-to-Atlanta flight.

"I feel as though I cannot be held responsible for this incident due to our county, state and federal governments' lack of concern for individuals with drug problems," said Talley, of Athens, whose 21st birthday is Sunday.

He said he began using drugs in sixth grade, about the time his parents were divorced, and said he has never received adequate help for the problem.

Talley was arrested Thursday after a four-hour standoff with author-

ities at Hartsfield Atlanta International Airport. FBI agents said he commandeered the Eastern Metro Express airplane shortly before it landed in Atlanta, telling the crew he was armed with an explosive.

Talley acknowledged Saturday that he had no bomb.

The pilot and co-pilot were held hostage during the standoff but were not harmed. The plane's 10 passengers were allowed to leave immediately after landing.

Asked why he decided to commandeer the plane, he said: "I don't really know. All I really know is somewhere between Augusta and

Atlanta the idea occurred to me."

Talley said he had taken cocaine the night before the incident and Valium the morning of the flight. He said he had been drinking on the plane.

Talley made his first court appearance Friday, acting as his own attorney during an arraignment. U.S. Magistrate William Harper agreed to Talley's request for a psychiatric evaluation.

Public defender Stephanie Kearns, appointed by Harper to assist in Talley's defense, said there is a "great probability" his defense will be based on mental illness.

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Concert deaths lead to changes

CINCINNATI (AP) — In the five years since 11 people died in a crush of rock music fans pressing to get into Riverfront Coliseum for a performance by The Who, the world of rock concerts has changed.

The deaths and 23 injuries on Dec. 3, 1979, led many promoters to abandon the "festival" atmosphere that had reigned in the decade following Woodstock.

In Ohio and other states, new laws have banned general admission seating to keep fans from fighting to sit close to the stage. Laws against drug and alcohol abuse have been more strictly enforced.

Some details surrounding the deaths, such as who pushed whom and why the doors to the coliseum were locked at the time, have never been made public because all 32 lawsuits filed over the case were settled out of court, with victims and their families pledged to silence. The plaintiffs split an estimated \$2.1 million. No one ever acknowledged liability.

"We wanted it all to come out," say Richard and Mary Bowes, whose son, Peter, 18, was among those who died on the plaza outside the coliseum. "But we didn't have the resources — financial or mental — to continue. So we settled."

Concertgoers had lined up in chilly weather for hours before the popular group's show was scheduled to begin. When music was heard from inside the arena, the crowd surged toward the locked doors, police said.

The musicians were only practicing, but the crowd apparently

thought the concert had started. Some people were shoved through glass doors and others fell and were smothered as the crowd surged over them.

All 11 deaths were attributed to asphyxiation.

Police Capt. Dale Menkhaus was in charge of crowd control that night, and he recalls that the crowd was unruly but that police were limited in what they could do since the Coliseum was privately owned.

"I think the police took a lot of criticism they didn't deserve," said Menkhaus, now a district commander in charge of handling all large crowds in Cincinnati. He also works as a consultant to other cities.

Menkhaus had observed crowd control in Cleveland, Pittsburgh, Louisville and Baltimore before The Who concert, and he said that what happened in Cincinnati could have happened anywhere.

"Cincinnati was just unlucky," he said. "The crowds acted the same way in other cities. They just didn't have people killed."

Menkhaus said promoters, rock groups and the crowds must share the blame when things get out of hand.

"I believe the promoters must be prepared to spend enough to provide crowd safety" with extra police, ticket sellers and ushers, Menkhaus said. But he believes some rock groups charge such high appearance fees that promoters try to cut corners, and that some promoters take chances to save money.

Thomas' nomination no coincidence

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan's nomination of Lee M. Thomas to head the Environmental Protection Agency has the appearance of a "steady as you go" signal to an agency still attempting to recover from the storm-tossed days of its recent past.

Many say it's no coincidence that Thomas is described as strikingly similar to his outgoing boss, William D. Ruckelshaus, the first and also most recent EPA chief.

Thomas himself said his selection "is clearly an indication that the president felt the directions Bill Ruckelshaus had set in managing the agency and running these programs is the direction he wanted to continue."

Ruckelshaus, who came to the EPA post with a reputation for integrity 18 months ago, is credited with reorganizing an agency troubled by allegations of mismanagement and corruption.

"What you will see ... will be very consistent with what you've seen during the last two years with Bill," Thomas said.

Bill Reilly, president of the Conservation Foundation, a think tank distanced from the day-to-day tugging over environmental policy, said the choice of Thomas shows the White House "didn't want to take a chance on an ideologue who is not a

manager." People familiar with Thomas' work say he insists his meetings have a seat reserved for each differing viewpoint when he is preparing decisions.

"I have to make sure the people sitting around the table are the ones who can get things done," Thomas once said when asked to describe his managerial style.

Some environmentalists have said Thomas — or anybody else promoted from inside EPA — would not have the clout to win fights with budget director David Stockman, although Thomas has received praise for his handling of the previously chaotic "superfund" abandoned waste dump cleanup program.

"Lee Thomas, like Bill Ruckelshaus, believes in this agency," said Jonathan Lash, a lawyer for the Natural Resources Defense Council who wrote a book about the EPA's troubles under Anne Burford, Ruckelshaus' predecessor. "I think he will fight to make it work."

Lash also noted that President Reagan's 1984 state-of-the-union address pledged to seek renewal of the 1980 "superfund" law.

Though environmentalists feared the administration would renege on its promise, Lash does not think it will — though major fights could

still erupt over details. "In a way, that's the genius of this appointment. If you're going to have to go ahead with 'superfund' anyway, push the guy who's going to be good at that," Lash said.

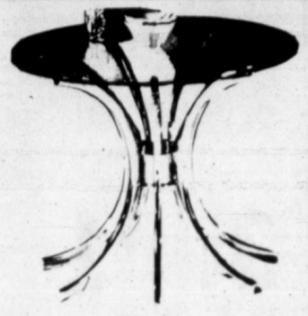
But Lash, like other environmentalists, believes the nomination signals what he believes will be the continued dominance of Stockman's Office of Management and Budget in environmental decisions. With OMB continuing to hold up regulations, "Ruckelshaus will leave little of permanence behind him," Lash

said. "I fear this appointment is a holding action, designed to keep things quiet," said Lash. He added that homos does not bring to the job the wide public backing that Ruckelshaus did — esteem that he earned as the organizer and first leader of EPA in 1970 and, as deputy attorney general, one of the men who resigned rather than carry out President Nixon's order to fire special Watergate prosecutor Archibald Cox in 1973.

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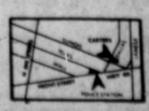
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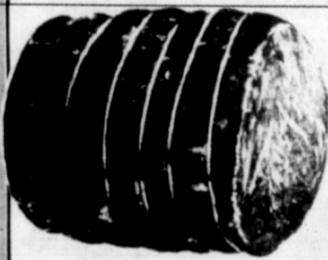
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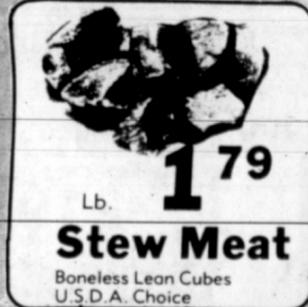
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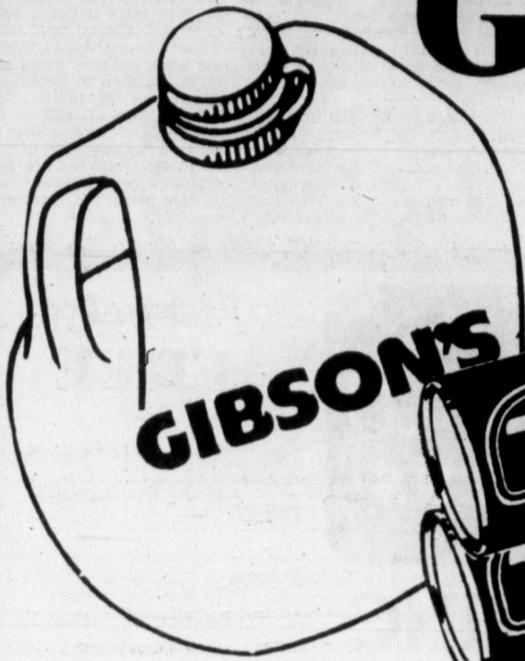
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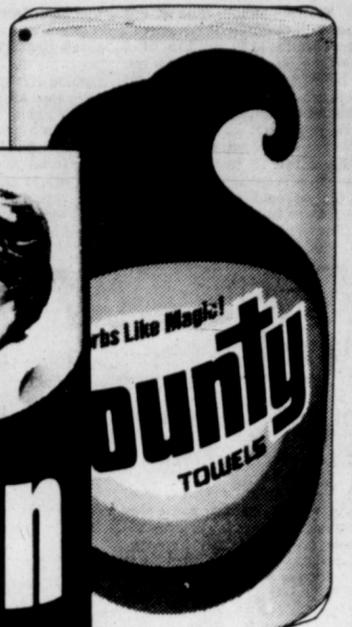
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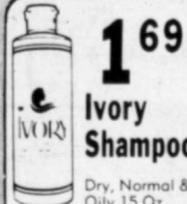
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Libel suit: Is jury being asked for verdict on Vietnam War?

NEW YORK (AP) — There are moments in retired Gen. William C. Westmoreland's \$120 million libel suit against CBS when it seems the jury is being asked for a verdict on the Vietnam War, but U.S. District Judge Pierre N. Leval has promised it won't happen that way.

The judge has tried to keep the testimony close to the subject at hand, which is whether the network knowingly or recklessly defamed Westmoreland in a 1982 documentary, "The Uncounted Enemy: A

Vietnam Deception." But sometimes, especially in the seven days that Westmoreland has been on the witness stand, the discussion has gravitated to the larger questions of the war.

Were the United States and South Vietnam really "grinding down" the enemy, as Westmoreland says? Did the United States win the war on the battlefield and lose it at the conference table? Did it matter that this was the first war that was shown night after night on network news

programs? "The Uncounted Enemy" charged that Westmoreland, who commanded U.S. troops in Vietnam from 1964 to 1968, suppressed intelligence reports that indicated communist forces were much larger than had been believed and that they were growing. Such news, CBS asserted, would have undercut Westmoreland's efforts to get more troops of his own and undermined his claims that success would come if U.S. resolve stayed firm.

As a result of all the good news from Saigon, the documentary said, President Lyndon B. Johnson and other leaders in Washington were not prepared when the communists launched the Tet offensive in January 1968. Many historians believe that while the Tet offensive proved to be a military defeat for North Vietnamese, it gave them a political victory by galvanizing opposition to the war in the United States.

distorted an honest dispute among intelligence experts to make it appear that the consensus on enemy strength that eventually was reached was the product of a "conspiracy" led by his command.

Questioned by his own attorney, Dan M. Burt, the 70-year-old Westmoreland was the proud, polite West Point graduate with a spotless record, a man who worked seven days a week in Saigon and took reporters with him on trips to the battlefield.

But under cross-examination, he has been testy at times, not only toward CBS lawyer David Boies but to court stenographers who interrupt when his voice drops too low. He has testified to forgetting key details and offered conflicting explanations of his attitude toward intelligence officers — first saying that he left them alone to do their work, then saying he had to "restrain" them because "they get brownie points for finding more enemy."

Westmoreland maintains that CBS

NATION in brief

Nearly half of workers have been convicted

NEW YORK (AP) — Fingerprint checks of 82 workers at city-funded day-care centers showed that 36 had been convicted of crimes including arson, robbery, prostitution and weapons possession, including six named in outstanding arrest warrants, officials said.

Mayor Edward Koch on Friday announced the first results of the program that will eventually take fingerprints from all 110,000 non-city employees who work with children in publicly funded programs.

The program was begun after it was revealed in August that a worker at one center had been indicted on rape charges.

Kidnapper sentenced

BOSTON (AP) — The son of a former Haitian official has been sentenced to up to 15 years in prison for kidnapping the teen-age daughter of a retired Haitian military official and holding her for \$200,000 ransom.

Klvens Mathurin, 23, was sentenced Friday by Judge Robert Barton in Suffolk Superior Court after pleading guilty.

Police said Mathurin abducted Nadeje Remy, 17, from a supermarket parking lot near her family's Boston home in December 1983. She was found about 48 hours later in the basement of a vacant house.

Mathurin, the son of a former special counsel to the Haitian Ministry of Economy, Finance and Industry, will be deported after completing six years of the prison term, said prosecutor Robert Nelson.

Companies warned

NEW YORK (AP) — The FBI and police have told 19 metropolitan New York corporations that they may be targets of a terrorist attack by a group known as the United Freedom Front, and warned 125 other companies that the group has some kind of interest in them.

The companies, which authorities did not identify, were briefed Friday by police and FBI officials who said the names were found among items seized in Nov. 4 raids of three Cleveland houses occupied by alleged members of the group.

The group apparently has carried out surveillance on the 19 companies, and the names of the other corporations were found on pages torn out of telephone books or magazines and on hand-written notes and maps, said Kenneth Walton, assistant director of the FBI's New York office.

Murder suspect tested

BARNSTABLE, Mass. (AP) — A retired chef charged with murdering his ailing wife was ordered to undergo psychiatric tests after he told a medical examiner he wanted to stop the elderly woman's suffering.

John M. Anderson, 79, was arraigned Friday in the suffocation of 74-year-old Olive Anderson, his wife of 52 years.

Mrs. Anderson died less than two weeks after she was released from a hospital where she underwent brain surgery after suffering a stroke that left her partially paralyzed, said Assistant District Attorney W. James O'Neill.

Two youths charged

CHICAGO (AP) — Two 15-year old computer enthusiasts have been charged with stealing computers from a high school to operate a spare parts business.

The youths, who were not identified by police, were charged Friday with stealing \$21,000 in equipment from Resurrection High School on Nov. 17, authorities said. Detectives said the boys used home computers to advertise the goods at cut-rate prices on an electronic "bulletin board" in a computer network.

The pair were charged as juveniles with burglary, and a 16-year-old friend was charged as a juvenile with transporting the stolen goods. Steven Krex, 19, of New York, was charged with receiving stolen property.

Phony money seized

FREMONT, Calif. (AP) — Secret Service and police officials raided a counterfeiting operation, arresting five men and seizing nearly \$1 million in phony money and partially printed currency, authorities said.

The raid Friday at the home of Joseph Solomon netted \$500,000 in partly printed money and the signed and cut-up remains of more bogus bills, said police Sgt. Mike Lanam.

Solomon, 52, was arrested after the raid and charged with possession of counterfeit money.

On Thursday, authorities seized \$335,000 in counterfeit bills and arrested four men who also were charged with possession of the phony currency.



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Dr. Peter Heimes, right foreground, checks his portable artificial heart driver with technicians as Dr. William DeVries checks artificial heart recipient William Schroeder, left, at the Humana Heart Institute Friday night.

Schroeder prepares for training

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — William J. Schroeder ate breakfast with his family and listened to country music Saturday, making what officials called "steady progress" in his seventh day with a mechanical heart ticking inside his chest.

Hospital officials said physicians planned more tests Saturday with a portable power unit for the heart that allows Schroeder to move freely.

The 52-year-old federal retiree, who was given the artificial heart during surgery Nov. 25, "is making slow but steady progress. His condition continues to be listed as critical

but stable," Bob Irvine, spokesman for Humana Hospital Audubon, said.

Irvine said physicians planned further testing with a portable power unit supplying the pulses of compressed air that operate Schroeder's heart. The 11-pound pack, which can be worn on a shoulder strap like a camera case, can temporarily take the place of a 323-pound drive unit that is as big as a shopping cart.

The battery-powered portable pack pumped the Jarvik-7 heart for 22 minutes Friday in its first use on a human mechanical heart patient. It had previously been tried only on animals.

"It worked just fine," said Dr. Peter Heimes, the driver's designer who flew here from West Germany.

Schroeder, from Jasper, Ind., remained in bed during Friday's tests. Doctors hope he eventually will be able to walk around with the device. Eventually, the portable driver is expected to enable artificial heart patients to drive cars, go to the movies and perhaps even play a little golf.

Schroeder's mechanical heart skipped two or three beats Friday during the three seconds it took to switch the heart's air tubes from the bulky drive unit, said Heimes.

Mechanical hearts only for rich?

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — The initial success of William Schroeder's artificial heart surgery has sparked fresh concern that the high-tech, high-priced mechanical heart will eventually be reserved for the very rich.

Today is the two-year anniversary of the world's first implantation of an artificial heart, into the chest of Barney Clark, a Seattle-area dentist. The cost of that undertaking was \$250,000. Clark lived 112 days.

The cost of Schroeder's surgery a week ago is not yet known. But the cost of artificial heart implants could drop to \$50,000 in two years, says the artificial heart's inventor, Dr. Robert Jarvik of Salt Lake City.

If that optimistic prediction turns out to be correct, and if artificial heart recipients get at least two or three years of life in return, the artificial heart will be less expensive than nursing home care, said Jarvik.

The cost of \$20,000 for the surgery is based on the assumption that artificial heart implants will eventually be no more complex and just as common as heart bypass surgery, which costs about \$20,000.

Heart transplants, however, which are similar in complexity to artificial heart implants, cost \$100,000, and it may be some time before the cost of artificial heart surgery gets down to \$20,000.

John Watson, coordinator of a competing artificial heart development program at the National Institutes of Health, said, however, that the cost of follow-up medical care for artificial heart recipients was an unknown.

Jarvik estimated the cost of yearly care for artificial heart recipients at \$5,000.

Jarvik is also working on an implantable electrical heart.

Jarvik estimates that 10,000 to

50,000 of the half-million Americans who have heart attacks each year might be candidates for the artificial heart.

Fifty thousand artificial heart operations per year at a cost of roughly \$50,000 each would cost \$2.5 billion a year.

Further cost reductions could come in the actual price of artificial hearts, however.

Jarvik noted that part of the cost of the devices was intended to recover the large cost of developing them. Once that cost has been recovered through sales of hearts, Jarvik will be able to lower the price, something that is routine for new products on the market.

Competition could also bring prices down. Four companies are developing left ventricular-assist devices with partial financial support from the National Institutes of Health.

Legal Notice

The City Council of the City of Midland, Texas, will hold a public hearing at 5:15 p.m., Tuesday, December 18, 1984 in the Council Chamber, City Hall, on a request, on appeal, by Adam Ribera for a zone change from 1F-2, Single Family District, PD, Planned District, UR-1, Local Retail District and MF-2, Multiple Family District on Lots 13-24, Block 6, Block 7, Lots 15-24, Block 8, Glendale Addition; 5/2 of Block 56, Block 57-60, Block 8-12, Block 13, Lots 3-6 and 7-11; Blocks 14-17, East Midland Addition, City of Midland, Midland County, Texas.

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CITY OF MIDLAND
B. C. Clanton, City Secretary
December 2, 1984

Legal Notice

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OF THE UNITED STATES
WASHINGTON D.C.

Whereas, satisfactory evidence has been presented to the Comptroller of the Currency that Texas Commerce Bank-Midland, National Association, located in Midland, State of Texas has complied with all provisions of the statutes of the United States required to be complied with before being authorized to commence the business of banking as a National Banking Association.

Now, therefore, hereby certify that the above-named association is authorized to commence the business of banking as a National Banking Association.

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Activist tries to change racial policies

WASHINGTON (AP) — Randall Robinson, a calm, collected Harvard-educated lawyer bent on changing South Africa's racial policies, is pursuing activist tactics that contrast sharply with the Reagan administration's subtle diplomatic measures.

As executive director of TransAfrica, a private lobbying group that seeks to influence U.S. policy in Africa and the Caribbean, Robinson is the primary force behind the newly formed "Free South Africa Movement."

The movement is Robinson's most dramatic effort to focus attention on segregation in South Africa and force a change in the Reagan administration's "constructive engagement" policy toward that nation.

Since Nov. 21, frequent demonstrations outside South Africa's embassy have resulted in the arrests of 13 prominent people, including four members of Congress, and provoked an exchange between South African Ambassador Bernardus Fourie and administration officials.

Robinson, impeccably dressed and always appearing to be in control, seeks to force change by employing 1960s-style civil rights tactics of non-violent protest.

"We will build a campaign against South Africa across this country," Robinson told a knot of reporters and onlookers outside a courthouse

recently, where his movie-star good looks and 6-foot-5-inch frame made him stand out in the crowd.

"We will continue to demand the release of the black labor leaders who are being held illegally" in white-ruled South Africa, he said. "This is a front-page story in South Africa."

Robinson says his group is organizing protests outside South African consulates in Chicago, Houston, Los Angeles, New York, Boston, Seattle and Pittsburgh. So far, however, no protests have been staged in those cities.

Robinson's approach to the South African issue has generally drawn praise from blacks and liberals in Congress who support him, and criticism from U.S. officials who consider his tactics ineffective, misguided and designed primarily for publicity.

"His point of view is the antithesis of the best way to achieve change in South Africa," said one State Department official, who spoke on condition he remain anonymous.

Officially, the administration condemns South Africa's racist policies as abhorrent, but says quiet diplomacy is the best way to promote change.

Robinson counters that Reagan has "done everything possible" to keep South Africa's apartheid policy

intact.

Differences between the administration and Robinson erupted to the boiling point early in Reagan's term when someone gave the activist internal documents detailing the administration's overtures to South Africa and Robinson passed them on to the press.

Regardless of their views, no one seems to question Robinson's single-minded commitment to the South African issue or the effort he has put into it over the years.

"He's definitely a man of principle," said Dan Matthews, publisher of Africa Insider, a Washington-based newsletter than examines U.S.-Africa relations.

Born in Richmond, Va., Robinson, 43, grew up in a family isolated from whites. His brother, Max Robinson, was once an anchor for ABC-TV, and now works for NBC in Chicago.

At Norfolk State College in the late 1950s, Robinson demonstrated at lunch counters before he joined the Army. He graduated from Virginia Union University in 1967, and headed for Harvard Law School in Boston where he was associated with a group that raised money to fight Pretoria's government.

After getting his law degree, Robinson was a Ford Foundation fellow in Tanzania and a public interest lawyer. He came to Wash-

ington in 1975 as an aide to Rep. William Clay, D-Mo., and former Rep. Charles Diggs, D-Mich.

TransAfrica, Robinson's brainchild, was founded nearly eight years ago, and now has about 10,000 members, Robinson said. Its budget is about \$500,000 a year, with some of that coming from foundations.

Much of Robinson's time has been spent on Capitol Hill, trying to get Congress to take such measures as economic sanctions against South Africa.

Other anti-South Africa campaigns organized by TransAfrica include a boycott by American athletes and entertainers. Entertainer Henry Belafonte has been involved in that drive.

Del. Walter Fauntroy, D-D.C., arrested for refusing to leave the South African embassy last week, called Robinson a "charismatic leader," who has played a big role in helping the Congressional Black Caucus develop its foreign policy agenda.

Joining Fauntroy on the list of those charged with misdemeanors are Reps. Charles Hayes, D-Ill., John Conyers Jr., D-Mich., and Ronald Dellums, D-Calif. Although some of those arrested have been jailed overnight, U.S. prosecutors have dropped all charges against them.

Teacher's ugly suit gets funds for hungry

DULUTH, Minn. (AP) — A high school teacher who wants to raise money to fight hunger has hit on a novel fund-raising ploy — he's told his students he won't stop wearing a green polyester leisure suit and 4-inch-wide tie until they reach the \$400 goal.

"They're going to have to pay me to stop wearing this suit," said Dick Gastler, a teacher at Denfield High School. "The kids ask that I stand downwind. But it doesn't smell."

He started wearing the 10-year-old outfit on Monday, and by the end of the week the contributions to combat hunger in famine-plagued Ethiopia and Duluth had added up to more than \$200.

It isn't the first time students have been confronted with the suit, which has become something of a legend at the school.

"He always wears it when he teaches a unit on monetary policy in economics class," said senior Mike Odberg, 18, student council president. "He's one of those outgoing teachers that's always kidding around."

Gastler thinks it's about time to

retire the suit, which looks as good — or as bad — as the day he bought it for about \$30.

"The suit wears like iron. It's in perfect shape. It just won't wear out," Gastler said Thursday. "I thought, 'Why just-give it to Goodwill when the kids would probably pay to destroy it?'"

The tie is not only unfashionably wide, but also adorned with pictures of prehistoric hunters and caribou.

If Denfeld students raise \$400, the student council will contribute \$100, Odberg said. Half the money will be donated to help famine victims in Ethiopia and half will be given to the Duluth Food Shelf.

Once the goal is met, the students will finally get to destroy the suit, either by ripping it apart or setting it on fire.

"I've had some people tell me that we could probably raise more money if I was in the suit when they set it on fire," quipped Gastler, who has been teaching at the school for 22 years.

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Deaf mute developing signs for biological terms

EDITOR'S NOTE: Because the subject of this article is a deaf mute, all quotes attributed to him actually are written answers.

By LAWRENCE BUDD
Staff Writer

Brian Rasmus has never been able to hear. For the past two generations, everyone in his family has been born deaf.

At the age of 5, his teachers allowed him to stop trying to articulate words. His main mode of communication with people unfamiliar with sign language is to exchange written notes on a pad.

Like other members of his family, Rasmus graduated from Gallaudet College in Washington D.C. — a liberal arts college for the deaf. Along with biology, Rasmus discovered at college that there were things he had missed in his education and might never learn because of the limitations of sign language.

In an effort to overcome this limitation as he has others in his life, the 28-year-old Big Spring resident is developing new signs representing advanced terms in science.

"Hearing people who use voice confront fewer problems when they learn new and advanced terms," wrote Rasmus. "But with the deaf, we tend to fingerspell. So I'm tired of this as it reduces the conceptual development."

His study, "Biological Sign Language Enhancement," is to result in the publishing of a pamphlet of these new signs to be used in teaching the deaf. He and his professor, Dr. Don Allen at the University of Texas of the Permian Basin, have submitted his proposal to the Easter Seals Foundation for consideration for a grant.

Rasmus and his wife, who is also a deaf mute, are teachers at the Southwest Collegiate Institute for the Deaf in Big Spring. He will put his project to use in classes there, starting in the fall.

"Deaf people could work with

Brian Rasmus demonstrates some signs: At right, is the sign for the double helix, a three-dimensional structure of DNA, commonly used in the study of genetics; below left is the sign for bases, which make up DNA and are connected to one another; and below right is the sign for replication, which is the process in which DNA is made into two identical cells.

Kent Porter/Reporter-Telegram



Jerry Mannenga/Reporter-Telegram

Decorative touches

Each passing day brings Christmas a little closer, and Margaret Vann, 6410 Sequoia, puts the finishing touches on her door wreath to celebrate the holiday season. Inside, the tree reflects Mrs. Vann's handiwork.

Midlanders disagree on Central America situation

By MARK LEWIS
Staff Writer

When the Monroe Doctrine was first promulgated on Dec. 2, 1823 — 161 years ago today — nobody paid much attention to it. It was one thing for President James Monroe to tell the European powers to stay out of the New World, and quite another for the young United States to back up its words with armed force.

In 1984, the United States enjoys considerably more respect as a world superpower, but is still unable

to prevent European powers — specifically, the Soviet Union — from influencing events in Central America. The controversy over what the United States should do about possible Soviet arms shipments to Nicaragua shows that American policy is still unsettled, 161 years after Monroe told the Europeans that "We should consider any attempt on their part to extend their system to any portion of this hemisphere as dangerous to our peace and safety."

On Friday, the Reporter-Telegram asked five randomly chosen Midlanders what they thought the government should do if the Soviets

shipped advanced jet fighters to Nicaragua. The answers revealed concern about Soviet influence in Central America but little agreement on what to do about it.

"I think we ought to keep on Calvin Menefield top of the situation," said Calvin Menefield. "South America is kind of close to home." (Actually, Nicaragua is in Central



America, which is even closer to home.) Menefield thinks Soviet influence should be contained — "We

shouldn't just let the Russians do what they want" — but offered no specific suggestions. Jesse Chapman feels the U.S. must

be firm with the Soviets, "because they only respect power."

"We have the right to hold their feet to the fire, like Kennedy did in Cuba," he said. "It's going to be interesting."

But Verna James wouldn't be quite so quick to resort to force. She suggests bringing back the grain embargo and other trade restrictions if the Soviets ship jet fighters to Nicaragua.

"We should say, 'You won't get anything else from America,'" she said.

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Hangover cures seem to be as varied as sufferers

By RON GILMORE
Staff Writer

"Licker talks mighty loud w'en it gits loose fum de Jug."
— Joel Chandler Harris

The Romans ate owl eyes and raw owl eggs to try to cure hangovers. The Greeks wore parsley to ward them off. Haitian voodoo worshippers stuck pins in the cork of the bottle from which they drank.

Today, the search continues with little success for a cure for the after-effects of consuming too much alcohol. One reason for the lack of a universal cure is that each person has

different tolerance levels and reactions to alcohol, said a report from the Texas Medical Association. Throughout the ages, most hangover cures have included a certain amount of alcohol itself in the formula, but no research has shown that alcohol will minimize or reduce a hangover, the report said.

"If I had a cure for the hangover, I sure wouldn't be in the medical business," said one local physician who asked not to be named.

Local remedies for the notorious hangover are as varied as its sufferers. "Rum Milk Punch," stated Joyce Henson, manager of The 007 Room in Midland. "I don't know why" it

works, but one or two the next day really helps."

Ms. Henson's hangover cure is made up of rum, simple syrup, egg and nutmeg.

"I think it might be the milk or the sweetness, but it really takes the rough edge off," she said.

Another Midlander offers a more regional cure to the malady. "The best thing for a hangover is Mexican food," said Jack Sawyer, a Gulf Oil Co. employee. "The greasier and spicier, the better."

Getting more specific, Sawyer named particularly effective fare. "Green enchiladas," he said. "I'm serious. Tacós al Carbon are also good. I think it's the cheese or some-

thing." "It's best if you eat the Mexican food at around 3 p.m. the next day," said Sawyer. "Besides," he added. "Who wants to eat any earlier?"

A co-worker of Sawyer's, "Duchess," also offered a Texas solution to the hangover problem.

"Chicken-fried steak, mashed potatoes and gravy and a salad with french dressing," she stated confidently. "I hate french dressing, but it really helps," she said.

"You should drink one full quart of orange juice because it replenishes the vitamin C." "And above all," she said. "NO LOUD NOISES."

There may be some truth to

Sawyer's claim to a Mexican food remedy.

"People nowadays try soups, flat beer, vitamins, fish, ice cream, water, bitters, Tabasco, oysters, chili peppers, snorts of oxygen, vigorous exercise, rolling naked in the snow and sitting in a sauna bath," said the Texas Medical Association. "The only benefit of these is distraction."

Other remedies are popular at Midland's club and bars. "Alka Seltzer and orange juice works," said Kevin Butler, bartender at The Bar. "I guess it's the fizzle."

"Most people just drink coffee," he added.

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HANGOVER



GARY OTT

Being Dallas Cowboys hater takes years of practice

Now that the Dallas Cowboys have fallen on hard times (they already have five losses and more appear on the way), many people have suddenly declared themselves official Cowboy Haters.

This "Johnny-Come-Lately" attitude is typical and, frankly, I, and many other real Cowboy Haters, resent it.

Where were these born-again cynics when we needed them? I'll tell you where they were. They were busy gloating and collecting bets every time Dallas pulled off one of those fancy last-second, come-from-behind victories they are so famous for.

But now that the Cowboys are proving themselves human and are

losing as often as winning, these spineless, fair-weather fans (and I use the term "fans" loosely) are trying to hone in on our territory.

No way, Jose. If you didn't have guts enough to vocally delight in Diron Talbert crushing Roger Staubach back in the mid-'70s, then we don't need you now.

Let's face it, you're not fooling anyone with this new anti-Cowboy routine of yours. Our memory is not that short. We remember the abuse you heaped on us every time Dallas won a game. And now that "America's Team" is losing you want to join our little club? Well, forget it. You're not wanted.

Besides, becoming a true Dallas Cowboy Hater is not a simple endeavor that can be accomplished

overnight. It takes years of practice.

For example, you have to have long considered Dallas a plastic organization that took the human element out of the game, and replaced it with computer printouts. It is bad enough that the team took what was supposed to be a children's game and transformed it into a sophisticated, multi-million-dollar, high tech business venture, but to actually brag about it is simply too galling for real Cowboy Haters.

There are other ways to determine if you qualify for the Cowboy Hater's Club. Here are just a few:

1) You consider those dreadful blue and silver uniforms sort of well, sissy-looking. Real football players wear black, ala the Pitts-

burgh Steelers and Los Angeles Raiders.

2) You are sick and tired of Roger Staubach trying to spell R-E-L-I-E-F. Come on, Roger, you have a college degree. It is not that tough.

3) Even if you are a Republican, you get extremely weary of hearing Tom Landry endorse political candidates whose views are right of Attila the Hun. Jesse Helms of North Carolina is a good example. (NOTE: It is true that most Cowboy Haters are liberal Democrats, but it is not a pre-requisite. It merely proves most are gluttons for punishment.)

4) Every time you hear one of those holier-than-thou Dallas fans say, "There's a hole in the Texas Stadium roof so God can look down on

His favorite team," you experience an uncontrollable urge to punch that person in the stomach. Cowboy Haters may not be the most religious people in the world, but they know God does not involve Himself in something as petty as professional football.

5) Pete Gent is your all-time favorite Cowboy because he spoke his mind and, as a result, was disowned by the organization. He also wrote "North Dallas Forty," which didn't exactly endear him to Tex Schramm, either.

6) You like Don Meredith too since, despite being one of them for several years, he now says tacky things about the team on Monday Night Football.

7) When several Cowboys were mentioned in connection with big-time drug dealers a couple of years ago, you suggested changing the team's nickname to, "South America's Team."

8) You still get goose bumps thinking about Dallas losing to Buffalo.

9) You'll be rooting for Philadelphia today.

10) You would pull for the University of Tehran, coached by the Ayatollah Khomeini, if they were playing Dallas.

Hey, no one said hating the Cowboys was patriotic. Just fun.

Gary Ott is city editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

DEATHS

Trelata Jones Martin

Trelata "Tillie" Jones Martin, 57, of 4303 Bedford, died Saturday afternoon in a Lubbock hospital.

Services are pending at Ellis Funeral Home.

She was born Dec. 6, 1926. Mrs. Martin had lived in Midland 35 years and was employed at Dunlaps for 20 years.

Survivors include two daughters, Susan Martin of Midland and Andrea Ratcliff of Lafayette, La.; three brothers, Jack Jones of Longview, Max Jones of Wink and Carter Jones of Rising Star; two sisters, Betty Godfrey of Ruidoso, N.M., and Shirley Mangum of Midland; her mother, Effie Jones of Wink; and a grandson.

Mary Monk

ABILENE — Mary Monk, 84, of Abilene, mother of Mrs. Charles E. Lutrick of Midland, died Friday in an Abilene nursing home.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Monday in the First United Methodist Church's Bowman Chapel in Lubbock. Officiating will be Dr. Sam Nader, pastor. Assisting will be Dr. Jordan Grooms, retired Methodist minister from Amarillo, and Dr. William Fleming, pastor of St. Paul United Methodist Church in Abilene.

Burial will be in Resthaven Cemetery in Lubbock, directed by Sanders Funeral Home of Lubbock. Elliott-Hamill Funeral Home of Abilene was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Monk was born March 12, 1900, in Arkansas and was married to Olin Monk on May 18, 1920, in Holygrove, Ark. They lived in Arkansas until they moved to Lubbock in 1936. Monk died in 1954. Mrs. Monk was employed for 18 years as secretary-bookkeeper for Smith Printing Co. of Lubbock.

She was a member of the United Methodist Church in Lubbock and was a charter member of the church's Fidelis Church School Class and the Women's Society of Christian Service.

Other survivors include two sons, seven grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

The family requests that memorials be made to the Sears Nursing Center in Abilene or to the American Heart Association.

Robert I. Bledsoe

MARFA — Services for Robert I. Bledsoe, 89, of Marfa, father of Robert C. Bledsoe of Midland, will be at 2 p.m. today in the First United Methodist Church of Marfa.

Officiating will be the Rev. Bob Bowling, pastor, and the Rev. Joseph H. Schley Jr., pastor of St. Nicholas' Episcopal Church in Midland. Burial will be in Marfa Cemetery, directed by Geeslin Funeral Home of Marfa.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Klepfer of Midland; his grandmothers, Fay Rhodes of Stanton and Viola Bevers of Scottsdale, Ariz.; and several aunts and uncles.

Robert Jones Sr.

STANTON — Robert Jones Sr., 87, of Stanton, died Friday afternoon at a Lubbock hospital after a lengthy illness.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Church of Christ with ministers Elmore Johnson of Lubbock, Deral McWhorter of Stanton and Robert Pate and Dan Johnson, both of Midland, officiating. Burial will be in Evergreen Cemetery, directed by Gilbreath Funeral Home.

Jones was born Nov. 30, 1897, in

commander-captain of the Texas Defense Guard's Marfa Unit.

Bledsoe was married to Lolla Buntion Aug. 16, 1928, in Marfa.

Bledsoe was president of the Marfa Rotary Club in 1937 and was a Harris Fellow of Rotary Club International.

He was a member of Masonic Lodge No. 596 of Marfa, past president of the Men's Bible Class of the First United Methodist Church of Marfa, and was twice president of the Marfa Chamber of Commerce. He was recipient of the chamber's community achievement award.

He was a past president and lifetime member of the U.S. Highway 67 Association.

Bledsoe, who had practiced law for 50 years, was president of the Trans-Pecos Bar Association.

Other survivors include his wife, two sisters, three grandsons and a granddaughter.

Ernest C. Murphy

Services for Ernest Charles Murphy, 52, of 1611 S. Belmont St., were Saturday in Thomas Funeral Home chapel. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Charlie Murphy, Larry Murphy, Billy Hennis, Bobby Hennis, Lester Murphy and Ronnie Murphy.

Murphy died Friday at a Midland hospital following a sudden illness.

He was born Aug. 23, 1932, in Henderson and had been a Midland resident most of his life.

Survivors include four daughters, Kathy Harris of Midland, Carol Douglas of Odessa, Debbie Sellers of Denver City and Linda Pearson of Ozona; a son, Ernest C. Murphy Jr. of Midland; three sisters, Louise Hennis, Betty Houis and Vergie Ellis, all of Midland; and seven grandchildren.

Theron Partee

Services for Theron Keith Partee, 19, of Midland, will be at 2 p.m. Monday in Ellis Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Donald Haeftman, pastor emeritus of Grace Lutheran Church, officiating. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park.

Pallbearers will be Phil Foreman, Jason Foreman, Nathan Foreman, Jill Foreman, Leslie Rhodes and Kelly Rhodes. Honorary pallbearers will be Thomas F. Klepfer Jr., Katherine Klepfer and Patrick Klepfer.

He died Saturday morning in a Houston hospital after a brief illness.

Partee was born Nov. 19, 1965, in Port Harcourt, Nigeria. He moved to Midland in May 1969 and attended school here. He attended Midland High School and was a member of the Lutheran Church.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Klepfer of Midland; his grandmothers, Fay Rhodes of Stanton and Viola Bevers of Scottsdale, Ariz.; and several aunts and uncles.

Glenn A. Pine Sr.

Services for Glenn A. Pine Sr., 49, of Midland, will be at 11 a.m. Monday in Ellis Funeral Home chapel with Dr. Daniel Vestal, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park.

Pallbearers will be Bill Johnson, Tom Canton, Gilbert Bates, Don Bass, J.B. Whittle and Jack Townzen.

Pine died at his home early Friday.

Pine was born Oct. 23, 1935, in Tempe, Ariz., and spent his early life there. He moved to Midland in 1946. Pine was graduated from Midland High School in 1955 and began working in the construction business with an insulation company. He founded Pine Construction Co. in 1969, which he was operating at the time of his death.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church, past president of the Permian Basin Home Builders Association and a member of the Midland Jaycees. He also was active in Boy Scouts.

Survivors include his wife, Janice, of Midland; a son, Glenn A. Pine Jr. of Midland; a daughter, Paula Jo Lindley of Midland; his parents, Bob and Mary Jo Pine of Midland; three brothers, Bob Pine Jr. of Little Rock, Ark., David Pine of Midland and Larry Pine of New York City; three grandchildren and three nephews.

The family has asked that memorials be directed to Hospice of Midland.

Texas. He moved to Stanton 41 years ago from Houston County. He married Essievaee Conner, who died Nov. 6, 1961. He then married Julia Reid April 29, 1962, at Midland. She died June 2, 1984.

He was a retired landscaper and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include eight sons, J.V. Jones of Stanton, Rollins Jones of Midland, Ulysses Jones of Phoenix, Ariz., Robert C. Jones of Big Spring, Joseph E. Jones of Dallas, Richard L. Jones of Lubbock, Jimmy Jones of Fort Worth and Robert A. Jones of Los Angeles, Calif.; four daughters, Ada Factor of Lamesa, and Beatrice Turner, Vetta Johnson and Ruby J. Walker, all of Midland; a sister, Lavacia Cox of Odessa; two brothers, Robert K. Jones of Sylvester, and E.L. Jones of Stanton; 53 grandchildren, 62 great-grandchildren; and six great-great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be directed to the American Cancer Society.

Fay L. Looney

Fay L. Looney, 59, of Big Spring and formerly of Midland, died Saturday morning in a Big Spring nursing home.

Services are pending at Nalley, Pickle and Welch Funeral Home in Big Spring.

Looney was born Jan. 27, 1925, in Dawson County. He had lived in Big Spring since July, moving there from Midland where he had lived many years. He was a retired painter.

Survivors include three sisters, Melba Kent and Ruth Looney, both of Midland, and Jessie Hudc of San Angelo; four brothers, H.R. Looney of Sterling City, Claude E. Looney of San Angelo, Melton Looney of Las Vegas, Nev., and Marcus Looney of Huntington Beach, Calif.; and a number of nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by four sisters and two brothers.

Others who were expected to attend activities Saturday included Gunsnoke stars James Arness and Ken Curtis, rodeo star Larry Mayhew and Denver Pyle.

Johnson, meanwhile, said West-

Western stars shine at benefit

KERRVILLE (AP) — The bathroom of the Y.O. Ranch Hilton looked like a set for an Old West movie.

Amidst a sea of cowboy hats and boots, dozens of Western stars of yesteryear on Friday sipped bourbon and brandy and reminisced about the good ol' days when Hollywood was still interested in tales of the Old West.

The occasion, a charity benefit for handicapped children, marked the grand opening of the Y.O. Hilton, a one-of-its-kind Western hotel built by Mountain Home rancher Charles Shreiner III and his four sons.

But the old Western heroes were the stars of the show, and they all said films about the Old West will make a comeback.

"Some of us that know the West, if we don't keep it alive, it's gone," said an aging Ben Johnson, who won an Academy award for his performance in "The Last Picture Show."

"There's quite a span of history that's going to be lost," he said, a red bandana around his neck and a stiff white cowboy hat on his head.

Johnson started out as a stuntman, making his first movie in 1940 with Jane Russell in "The Outlaw."

He later doubled for Gary Cooper and Jimmy Stewart and says he has been in 200 to 300 movies.

Others who attended the charity benefit included Amanda Blake, who played Miss Kitty on the long-running television series "Gunsmoke," Peter Brown of "Laredo," Jock Mahoney, who starred in the "Bad Bunch," and Doug McClure.

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Ben Johnson



Richard Farnsworth

erns are coming back.

"I've got three or four Western scripts I plan on doing," he said at a press party for the stars Friday night.

Johnson said he is perplexed about vulgarity in the motion picture industry.

"I'm trying to make entertainment you can take your family to see," he said. "I don't appreciate all these freaks using all these dirty words. There's a lot of things that go on out there I don't approve of."

Another stuntman turned actor, Dick Farnsworth, agrees that Westerns will make a comeback.

"I've got two scripts at home right now," he said, predicting several Western films would be released next year.

But Farnsworth, best-known for his performances in "Comes A Horseman" and "The Grey Fox," said the Westerns will most likely be for a adult audiences who enjoyed that kind of entertainment as children.

"Kids today are more interested in space stuff," he said.

Westerns hit the skids, he said, when there were so many on television.

Junie Lockhart, best known for her role as Timmy's mother on the "Last of the Mohicans" television series, says the Western type hero has never died on the screen.

"I love Westerns. Oh, my God, are Westerns fun," said Ms. Lockhart, who was dressed in a black and white gown.

Woman reports attempted rape

From Staff Reports

A Midland woman reported an attempted rape early Saturday morning at a southside service station.

According to city police department reports, the woman said a man entered the Kent Station at 810 E. Florida about 5 a.m. and attempted to assault her. A struggle began and the woman hit him with a club before he fled on foot in a southeasterly direction, reports said.

A 73-year-old woman reported she was robbed of two gold and diamond rings by a Hispanic man in his 30s or 40s who knocked at her door about 7:30 a.m.

The woman, who was unsure if the man had a weapon, said he walked into her house in the 400 block of South G Street and said he wanted her rings, according to reports. The man then left in what she described as an older-model blue vehicle.

A 1981 Ford LTD, owned by Wilson Energy Co. of 200 N. Lorraine, sustained about \$600 worth of dam-

DISAGREE

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"But she wouldn't use force unless the Nicaraguans make aggressive use of the planes against their neighbors."

"See what they do first. It's hard to make a case before you see the proof."

age apparently after a burglary attempt between 5:30 p.m. Friday and 10:30 a.m. Saturday, according to reports.

Someone had tried to steal a two-way radio from the vehicle and instead damaged it. Windows and tail lights were broken out, mirrors were knocked off and oil was drained from the engine, reports said. A beer bottle had been thrown into the vehicle, where it shattered.

Blank starting pistols, stop watches, handcuffs, 22-caliber cartridges and knives were reported stolen in an early Saturday morning burglary at Nix Trading Post, 601 E. Illinois, according to reports.

Thomas D. Nix, owner of the surplus store, said total loss was placed at about \$515.

Another 10 cartons of cigarettes and a pair of gloves valued at a total of \$135 were reported stolen Saturday night from the 7-Eleven store at 809 S. Midkiff, according to a report filed by store manager Alan Degaree. Twenty-five cartons of cigarettes were reported stolen Thursday from a display rack in the convenience store. Total loss in

Thursday's theft was placed at \$325, according to reports.

Norman Jones of 1601 E. Maple, told police his home was burglarized and a \$400 leather jacket was stolen between 5:50 and 7:40 p.m. Friday. Entry was gained through an open dining room window.

In other complaints filed with police Friday, \$2,010 worth of jewelry was reported stolen from the home of Lollie Louise Vaughn, 3205 Mari ana. Missing were a \$1,500 diamond pendant on a white gold chain, a \$500 25-carat loose diamond and a small bank containing \$10 in coins.

The theft occurred sometime between Tuesday and Friday, according to reports.

Mrs. Buford Burton of 2408 Stutz Place reported a pistol kept in the drawer of a bedside table was discovered missing at 9:30 a.m. The pistol was taken sometime during the last four months.

According to reports, there were no signs of forced entry into the house, which has bars on the window.

For Sam Conner, though, the mere presence of the planes would justify U.S. military action.

"If they ship in the jets, we should go down there and take them out," he said. "I think we ought to invoke the Monroe Doctrine."

Anytime a foreign power comes into "our" hemisphere, we should assert our rights, Conner said.

"I think we're going to have to rattle a saber."

Lupe Carrasco agrees that we should "do something" if Soviet jets are sent to Managua, "because the communists are getting too close." But he draws the line at invasion.

"I think we can do a lot" without using force, he said. "I wouldn't just go in and invade."

His goal is to develop 25 new signs in the study, but "I can see it'll have an endless development. It'll lead me to various areas of

study, rather than biology."

Ultimately, Rasmus would like deaf people to be able to live and learn as if they had no limitation.

Until then, "We use up trees," he wrote.

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to determine if it is effective in minimizing hangovers."

Fructose was reviewed in helping to control drunkenness. Promoters have claimed that it can prevent inebriation if taken before drinking or sober one up if taken afterward.

The FDA panel noted that studies indicate fructose plays a part in lowering blood alcohol levels, but "there was not enough data to prove fructose has much effect in minimizing inebriation and additional research is needed."

The settlement had been founded

by Sieur de Monts and Samuel de Champlain, who set out from France in 1604 with a party of 120 emigrants to establish a French colony in the New World.

First Canadian Christmas in 1606

The first recorded European-style Christmas observance in what is now Canada was held in 1606 in Port Royal on the shore of Nova Scotia. The settlement had been founded

CURE

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Overimbibers at Midland Country Club are not immune to the sobering after-effects of drinking.

"They usually drink Virgin Mary's," said Samuel, the club's bartender. "That's a Bloody Mary without the alcohol." The Bloody Mary is a traditional "morning after" recovery drink.

One Midland doctor offered some common sense help for the weak-at-the-knees crowd.

"Take an aspirin substitute, drink plenty of liquids (non-alcoholic, of course) and give it time," said Dr. Reed Collins.

"You shouldn't take aspirin, because aspirin upsets the stomach which is often already nauseous from the alcohol," he said. "Alcohol can cause an irritation in the stomach and generally causes disturbances in the body fluid. It causes a mild swelling of the brain (edema) and has toxins which can damage the liver."

Collins also recommends coffee for the stimulation that its caffeine content can provide, but warns that the caffeine can cause stomach upset.

A panel set up by the Food and Drug Administration recently found no product or single ingredient that is "unique in relieving the symptoms of a hangover" or that "can entirely prevent inebriation," but did review two methods that could help.

"Activated charcoal is safe in recommended doses," the panel said, "but clinical studies are needed

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Berte Haigh

As a part of the Permian Basin, Midland has a rich oil history. Midlander Berte Haigh, a petroleum historian, has helped provide the Permian Basin with a record of what has happened since oil recovery overtook cattle ranching as the area's leading industry.

After a stint of military service during World War I, this California native completed a mining engineering degree in May 1925 at the College of Mines and Metallurgy of the University of Texas at El Paso (now known as the University of Texas at El Paso). Mr. Haigh worked for a San Angelo oil company for a short period of time but returned to his alma mater as an assistant professor in 1928.

October of 1934 brought a new challenge to this noted geologist. Mr. Haigh began a long association as a field geologist with the University of Texas Lands-Geology Division which was located in San Angelo at that time. As Midland/Odessa became the capital of the Permian Basin oil industry, the land office was moved to Midland on July 1, 1937. By that time, Mr. Haigh held the title of Assistant Geologist in Charge.

Not only did the office of the University Lands Geological Division come to Midland, but the impetus for formation of a number of organizations came along with Mr. Haigh.

This new Midlander was one of the prime organizers of the Midland Bowling Association. He served as secretary of that organization for over 20 years, but says that the "ball got too heavy" so he had to quit.

The Midland Downtown Kiwanis Club, which he was instrumental

in organizing in 1947, fondly refers this 94-year-old Kiwanian as their "senior citizen member."

Mr. Haigh was also on the ground level of planning for the Permian Basin Petroleum Museum, Library and Hall of Fame, which serves as an excellent reminder of the area's history and a challenge for the future.

Much of the basin's past was also recorded in a two-volume book by Mr. Samuel D. Myres. Mr. Haigh assisted Myres in the research for that book *History of the Petroleum Industry in the Permian Basin and Its Effect on the Culture Thereof*.

During his period of semi-retirement from September 1962 to August 1976, this petroleum historian, who was serving as a part time consultant for the University Lands-Geology office, began compiling information for a book of his own.

His research on the history of the University of Texas Permanent Fund Lands has now been completed and his book *Land, Oil and Education* should go to press soon.

Though this active Midlander's records may read "retired," he explains, "I never did close the desk and get up and walk away from it."

Training, expertise, and persistence are why Mr. Berte Haigh has made a difference in Midland.

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LETTER FROM COLLEGE

Student art show to open

By H.A. TUCK

One art show closes and another opens this week at the McCormick Gallery in the Allison Fine Arts Building. Sunday is the final day for the Clarence Kincaid Retrospective that has attracted rave reviews, and numerous purchasers, during its exhibition. The gallery is open today from 1-5 p.m.

Opening Tuesday evening with a reception from 7-9 p.m. is the Fall Semester Student Art Show. It runs through Dec. 16. Displayed are paintings, drawings, sculpture, fiber works, architectural drawings, and photographs done by students this fall. Gallery hours for the student exhibit are 8 a.m.-10 p.m. Monday through Thursday, 8 a.m.-5 p.m. on Fridays, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. on Saturdays, and 1-5 p.m. on Sundays.

Two home conference basketball games are on tap this week for the Chaparrals. They host New Mexico Junior College from Hobbs on Monday and New Mexico Military Institute from Roswell on Thursday. Both games start at 8 p.m. in the Al G. Langford Chaparral Center. This will be the last two home

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appearances for the Chaps until Jan. 17. The Chaps are off until Jan. 10-11, when they'll play in the Howard College doubleheader. They resume conference play Jan 14 at Amarillo.

All the Chaparral conference games are being broadcast on KCRS, 550 AM, if you can't attend.

After Monday's game, MC students will be decorating the college Christmas tree in the Student Center.

For an evening of enjoyable music, mark your calendars for Wednesday at 7:30 p.m., when the Midland College Community Jazz Ensemble performs its fall concert. It's free and in the Allison Fine Arts Building auditorium.

Don Grant, conductor, has planned an interesting program of modern and traditional jazz numbers, plus some Christmas music.

And next Sunday, Dec. 9, at 3 p.m. the Commercial Music Department has scheduled a recital by three of

its musical groups, mostly presenting rock music. This event also is free and in the Allison Building.

Midland College's Associate Degree Nursing program is co-hosting a two-day workshop Friday and Saturday for area nurses and allied health professionals. Topic is "Physical Assessment of Major Systems", with presentations being made by representatives from the University of Texas — El Paso College of Nursing and Allied Health.

Information is available from Eileen Piwetz at Midland College.

Early counseling and issuance of time permits for spring semester registration opens on Monday, Dec. 10, and continues through Dec. 21. It resumes after the Christmas holidays on Jan. 3 through Jan. 7. Registration is Jan. 9-10.

H.A. Tuck is public relations director for Midland College.

United Way receives donation of copying machine

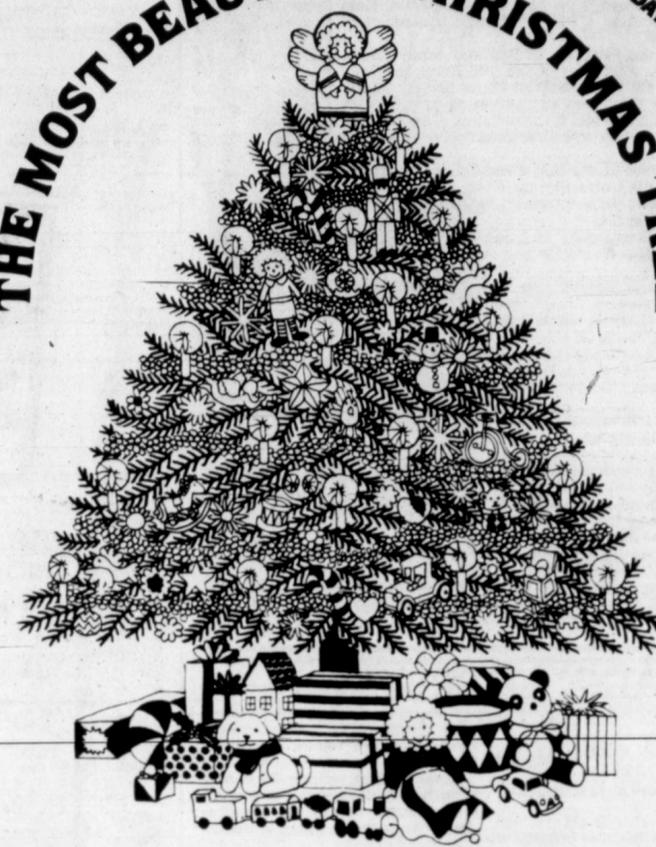
The United Way of Midland has been donated a new copier from Copying Machines Corporations 3M Company. The machine is valued at \$12,000.

The company's president Ted Holeva said, "An organization with as much impact on the community as the United Way must also have a tremendous amount of information to be copied and distributed in a timely

manner. By donating a copier to the United Way, we feel this is an opportunity for our company to serve the community."

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Analyst says state universities, colleges may face budget cuts

AUSTIN (AP) — Unless taxes are raised, state universities and colleges could face up to 15 percent budget cuts next year, a budget analyst says.

Jim Oliver, director of the Legislative Budget Board said that \$640 million must be cut at the Dec. 12 budget board meeting to keep the state budget with the projected revenues of \$26 billion for the next two years.

"It's a process of elimination," Oliver told new members of the Legislature who were convened Friday in Austin for an orientation session. "Higher education is all that's left to cut."

But such large cut, say University of Texas officials, would make it almost impossible for some UT campuses around the state to operate effectively and would lead to layoffs of non-academic personnel.

The budget board, which includes Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and House Speaker Gib Lewis, recommends expenditures to the Legislature.

Oliver said key lawmakers on the budget board have so far ruled out cuts in state funding for public school districts, highways, prisons,

mental health, and the Department of Human Resources.

Prisons and mental health are under federal court orders that dictate expensive improvements. Lawmakers also raised taxes this summer for public education and highways and appear reluctant to retreat from those commitments.

Oliver said those decisions force the \$640 million in cuts to come from higher education.

Gerald Hill, UT lobbyist, said the cuts would hurt UT medical

branches and senior colleges experiencing fast growth in enrollment, particularly in Arlington and San Antonio.

Oliver said a tuition increase would help the revenue problems, but would not be the state's salvation.

Two members of the budget board, Sen. John Traeger of Seguin and Rep. Jim Rudd of Brownfield, disagreed over whether the Legislature will pass a tax bill because of pressure from constituents and state agencies.

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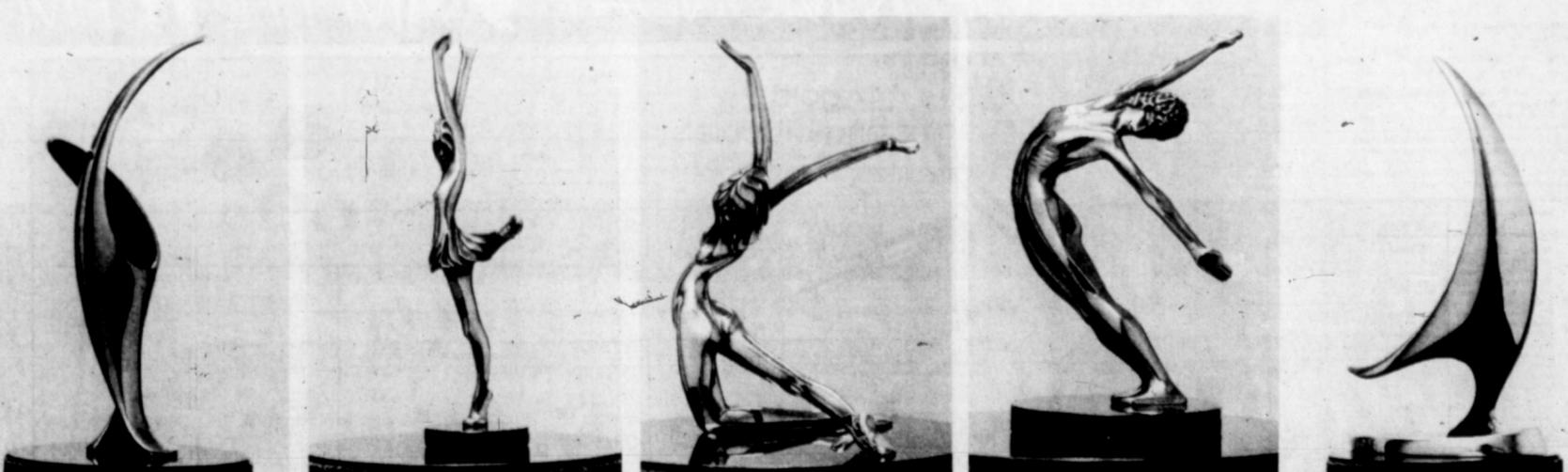
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MAKING THE GRADE

The Midland Downtown Rotary Club selected Angela Glossop as its Student of the Week. She is a senior at Midland High School.

Miss Glossop, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Glossop, 2510 Sinclair, is a member of MHS Student Council, president's cabinet, band, flag corps and First Baptist Church. She is a band cheerleader and earned three consecutive letters in band, two consecutive letters for academics, a letter in tennis and participated in Fellowship of Christian Athletes and Packbackers.

Miss Glossop plans to attend Baylor University and major in accounting.



Glossop

The Midland Downtown Lions Club selected Lori Smith as its Student of the Week. She is a senior at Lee High School.

Miss Smith, the daughter of Dan and Sandy Smith, 2305 Maxwell, is a member of the LHS Rebel Marching Band, J.E.T.S., Ski Club, National Honor Society, Emergency Medical Explorers and serves as president of the Bio Med Club. She also is the recipient of two consecutive academic letters and three consecutive letters for band.

Miss Smith plans to attend Midland College and transfer to Texas A&M University, majoring in biology. She plans to eventually study veterinary medicine.



Smith

The Midland West Rotary Club selected Mark Tate as its Student of the Week. He is a senior at Lee High School.

Tate, the son of Gordon and Gina Tate, 2822 Stutz Drive, is a member of J.E.T.S., Student Council President's Cabinet, Catholic Youth Organization, Boy Scouts of America and Young Life.

He also serves as editor of the 1984-85 Rebel Rooter, achieved the rank of Eagle Scout and is the recipient of a perfect attendance award for the 1983 fall semester.

Tate plans to attend Texas A&M University and major in petroleum engineering.



Tate

The following Upper School students were named to the Trinity School honor roll for the second six weeks of the 1984-85 school year:

Seventh grade — Emily Allen, Herb Allen, Bridget Burleson, Clifton House, Robin Landreth, Seth Randle, Mark Rankin, Micky Ray, David Schmidt, Reema Shroff and Whit Sumner.

Eighth grade — Sara Coffey, Kim Hartman, Christi Leonard, Elaine McKinney and Jennifer Tucker.

Ninth grade — Megan Burleson, Noreen Buster, Degen Donnelly, Ginny Graham, Clint Hamilton, Tracey Hardy, Layna Lankford, Erin Marko, Margaret Mogford and Travis Sturdivant.

EDUCATION IN BRIEF

Waco bank offering aid for banking student

RepublicBank Waco is offering a \$3,500 scholarship to a high school student planning to attend Baylor University and major in banking.

To be eligible, students must be high school seniors who plan to enter banking as a career. Applicants must be nominated by their hometown banker.

Deadline for applications is April 1, 1985. For information, contact RepublicBank Personnel Office, Box 829, Waco, Texas 76703 or call (817) 753-6461, extension 204.

Housekeeping class offered

A course in housekeeping techniques for professional housekeepers will be offered from 8:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Saturday and Sunday in

room 2B Medical Center Hospital in Odessa.

Housekeeping techniques is part of a 320-hour National Executive Housekeepers Association certification program which began at Odessa College in October.

For information, call the continuing education office at Odessa College, 335-6850.

OC to have computer class

Five computer information systems courses will be introduced during the spring semester at Odessa College.

The courses include software/hardware selection, application software packages (dBase II and dBase III), application software packages (Lotus 1,2,3), special problems (C/Forth) and application software packages (DMS-1100).

Spring semester registration is Jan. 10. Classes begin Jan. 12.

SCHOOL MENUS

GREENWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Monday — Chicken fried steak (high school), chicken patties (elementary school), green beans, whipped potatoes/gravy, hot rolls, peanut butter/honey, milk.
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Wednesday — Taco, pinto beans, lettuce/tomato salad, cheese cups, taco sauce, gelatin-whipped topping, milk.
Thursday — Lasagne, green beans, tossed salad, hot rolls, orange halves, milk.
Friday — Hot dogs/relish, later tots, combination salad, chocolate cake, milk.

MIDLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Monday — Breakfast: Cinnamon toast, chilled fruit cup, milk.
Lunch: Hot dog on a bun, chili/mustard, baked beans, cole slaw, cookie, milk.
Tuesday — Breakfast: Scrambled eggs, buttered toast, milk.
Lunch: Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes/gravy, green beans, whole wheat roll/butter, fruited gelatin, milk.
Wednesday — Breakfast: Hot oatmeal, buttered toast, fruit juice, milk.
Lunch: Nachos, whole kernel corn, green salad, cinnamon roll, milk.
Thursday — Breakfast: Cinnamon roll, chilled fruit, milk.
Lunch: Cheese enchilada/chili, pinto beans, chilled peaches, combined butter, milk.
Friday — Breakfast: Breakfast taco, refried bean, fruit juice, milk.
Lunch: Chicken filet on a bun, mustard/salad dressing, french fries/ketchup, hamburger salad, cocoa craniche cookie, milk.

School lunch menus are provided each week day by dialing School Line at 687-MISSD.

Legal Notice

The City Council of the City of Midland, Texas, will hold a public hearing at 1:35 p.m., Tuesday, December 18, 1984 in the Council Chamber, City Hall, on a request by West Texas Consultants for a zone change from PD, Planned District for a housing development to an Amended Planned District for a housing development on Block 4 Saddle Club South, Section 8, City of Midland, Midland County, Texas. (Located north of Loop 250, west of Lakeshire Road).
CITY OF MIDLAND
B. C. Clayton, City Secretary
December 2, 1984

Lodge Notices

YORK RITE BODIES
Keystone Chapter No. 172 R.A.M. 1st Tuesday — Keystone Council No. 112 R&SM 3rd Tuesday, Midland Commandry No. 84 1st Thursday. Meetings at 7:30 p.m.

The Midland Shrine Club, 2019 Trade Drive. Regular monthly meeting Friday, December 21. Covered dish dinner 7:00 P.M. Business meeting 8:00 P.M. Ladies Welcome. Roy Maulding, President, Donne Wright, Secretary.

Midland Lodge No. 623-A.F. & A.M., 1400 W. Wall, 682-3292. Regular stated meetings 2nd and 4th Thursdays, 7:30pm. All Master Masons welcome, December 1, E.A. Degrees, Sam Collier and rolls, Roy Weldon Phillips, Master, Robert G. Kiker, Secretary.

Acacia Lodge No. 1414 A.F. & A.M., 1000 Upland St. Regular stated meetings every second and fourth Tuesdays, 7:30 P.M., Tuesday, Dec 11th. Christmas party, bring covered dish, all masons and families invited. Santa Claus will be there. Jeff Harper, Worshipful Master, Rex Perkins Secretary.

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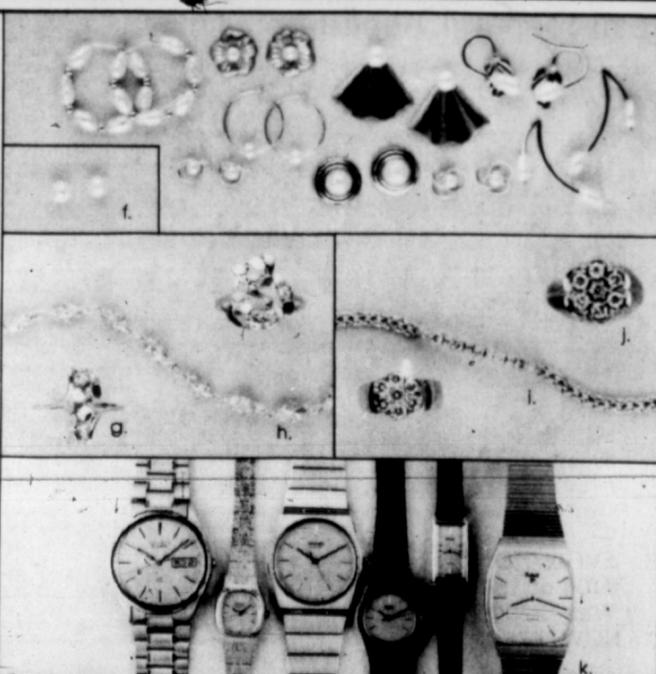
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Bankruptcy files to be transferred

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

Files of federal bankruptcy proceedings affecting the Midland-Odessa area will be transferred from San Antonio to Midland Dec. 21, according to Larry Bick, deputy district clerk for the Midland-Odessa Division of the federal court's Western District of Texas.

"The clerk's office will be handling all the records personally," said Bick, rather than having the files shipped by carrier.

"We're taking all precautions possible to ensure they don't get lost," he said.

The records are being transferred to Midland for the "convenience" of the lawyers, debtors, creditors, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp., and other parties involved in the bankruptcy proceedings.

"The debtors are here," Bick said, "and in most cases, the attorneys are here. The majority of the creditors will be from the local area."

Files covering the Midland-Odessa Division take in the counties of Andrews, Crane, Ector, Martin, Midland and Upton. Bick also will bring to Midland from San Antonio files of the Pecos Division, which take in the counties of Brewster, Culberson, Hudspeth, Jeff Davis, Loving, Reeves, Pecos, Presidio, Ward and Winkler. Bick said Linda Zeman, deputy clerk for the Pecos Division, then would take those files to Pecos.

Bick, who is in charge of the clerk's office in Midland, said a third office clerk would be hired to handle the bankruptcy records, which will be on the third floor of the downtown George Mahon Federal Building. Currently, Bick and another clerk, Charlotte Popp, command the office.

Bick speculated that the number of bankruptcy filings may increase when the FDIC steps up its efforts to collect the \$750 million in outstanding indebtedness left in the wake of the October 1983 closing of The First National Bank of Midland. FNB's successor, RepublicBank First National Midland, bought from FDIC reasonably "safe" loans which RepublicBank surmised it could collect.

About 300 bankruptcy petitions have been filed in the Midland-Odessa Division in each year since 1981.

"There really has not been a significant increase in bankruptcies from year to year," he said.

Bick said that "April is the big month" for bankruptcy filings. April 15 is the Internal Revenue Service-imposed deadline for filing income tax returns.

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CRIMINAL CASES

TEXAS STATE DISTRICT COURTS

Midland County
142nd Judicial District — Judge Pat Beakin
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318th Judicial District — Judge Barbara Culver
Presiding — November 1983
District Attorney — Yara Martin
District Clerk — Vivian Wood
Sheriff — Dallas Smith

CRIMINAL DISPOSITIONS

Sentences
Maximo Lopez, 10 years probation for unlawfully carrying a weapon on licensed premises Jan. 20, 1978, revoked and defendant sentenced to three years in the Texas Department of Corrections. Defendant credited with 60 days of confinement.

Sammy Jackson Stringer Jr., five years probation for burglary of a building June 27, 1981, revoked and defendant sentenced to five years in the Texas Department of Corrections.

Dennis Forrest Sullivan, pleaded guilty to lesser included offense of aggravated assault with a deadly weapon Sept. 3. Sentenced to seven years in the Texas Department of Corrections.

Samuel Moreno, pleaded guilty to burglary of a habitation Aug. 14. Sentenced to 15 years in the Texas Department of Corrections.

Probations

Franklin Delano Castleberry, pleaded guilty to sexual assault Jan. 1. Sentenced to 10 years probation.

John Stephen Gladwin, pleaded guilty to burglary of a motor vehicle Aug. 30. Sentenced to four years probation and \$215 in restitution.
Dennis McCort, pleaded guilty to kidnapping July 26. Sentenced to eight years probation.

Jessie Norris, pleaded guilty to burglary of a building Sept. 9. Sentenced to 10 years probation.

James Jay Bull, pleaded guilty to theft of property Sept. 8. Sentenced to four years probation and \$3,000 in restitution.

Charlyse Jean Jenkins, pleaded guilty to possession of a controlled substance, to-wit: marijuana Oct. 18. Sentenced to three years probation.

Alvin Dean Utley, pleaded guilty to forgery by passing May 15. Sentenced to eight years probation.

Indictments Dismissed

Franklin Delano Castleberry, indictment for sexual assault of a child Jan. 1 dismissed because defendant pleaded guilty to sexual assault.
Dennis McCort, indictment on three counts of aggravated assault, threat with a deadly weapon July 26 dismissed because defendant pleaded guilty to kidnapping.
Maximo Lopez, indictment for unlawful possession of a firearm by a felon Nov. 19, 1980, dismissed because defendant pleaded guilty to unlawfully carry-

ing a weapon on licensed premises Jan. 20, 1978.
Sammy Jackson Stringer Jr., indictment for indecency with a child Aug. 19 dismissed because defendant pleaded guilty to burglary of a building June 27, 1981.

Randy Chappell, indictment for unauthorized use of a motor vehicle April 8, 1982, dismissed because case is 2½ years old, defendant has never been arrested and victim/witness has left Midland.

Sally Mitchell, indictment for criminal mischief April 9 dismissed because further investigation reveals the case isn't prosecutable and stems from a family disagreement.

Sheree Darlene Mizell, indictment for forgery by passing May 5 dismissed because defendant pleaded guilty to case in Ector County and was sentenced to three years in the Texas Department of Corrections.

Mark Quentin Jenkins, indictment for possession of a controlled substance, to-wit: marijuana Oct. 16 dismissed because wife pleaded guilty to the offense.

Martin Carrasco, indictment for burglary of a habitation Oct. 10 dismissed because complaining witness voluntarily came in and expressed a significant doubt as to her identification of defendant. Under the circumstances, and there being no other evidence to substantiate his guilt, state cannot justify further prosecution.

Jeff Wade, indictment for forgery by passing Oct. 9 dismissed because defendant pleaded guilty in County Court.

Ricardo Melendez Manriquez, indictment for unauthorized use of a motor vehicle Sept. 25, 1983, dismissed because defendant is a Mexican national and cannot be located for prosecution. He is believed to be in jail in Mexico and there is no reasonable anticipation that state will be able to procure the defendant's presence from Mexico.

Samuel Moreno, indictments on four counts of burglary of a habitation Aug. 13, Aug. 14, Aug. 31 and Sept. 4 dismissed because defendant pleaded guilty to one count of burglary of a habitation Aug. 18.

Alan Dean Utley, indictment for unauthorized use of a motor vehicle dismissed because defendant pleaded guilty to forgery by passing May 15.

MIDLAND COUNTY COURTS

DWI Misdemeanor Convictions

Dawn Pauline Alexander, pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated Nov. 14. Sentenced to two years probation and \$500 fine.

Jessie Luis Anaya, pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated Nov. 17. Sentenced to two years probation and \$500 fine.

Greg Lynn Freeman, pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated Nov. 16. Sentenced to two years probation and \$500 fine.

Eliodoro Juarez Llanes, pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated Nov. 18. Sentenced to two years probation and \$350 fine.

Rodolfo Hernandez Munoz, pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated Nov. 14. Sentenced to two years probation and \$500 fine.

Esteban Avila Perez Jr., pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated Nov. 18. Has prior conviction May 3. Sentenced to 15 days in jail and \$300 fine.

Richard Paul Rogers, pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated Nov. 17. Sentenced to five days in jail and \$400 fine.

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Booklet deals with victims of wife abuse

By LANA CUNNINGHAM
Assistant City Editor

Wife beating used to follow a "rule of thumb," in which a husband could use a "whip or rattan no bigger than his thumb."

But no more. The laws have changed and League of Women Voters of Texas Education Fund has published a booklet outlining those reforms and the legal recourse a woman has today.

These booklets are being passed out statewide by League members and in Midland the contacts are Pat Stanley and Charleen Roseberry. Both are members of the League, but Mrs. Roseberry also is a member of the board of the Permian Basin Center for Battered Women and Their Children.

The booklet grew out of the state league's research into women and the law in Texas, according to Mrs. Stanley. "It gives a good explanation of the warrantless arrest and protective act," she said of recent changes that give the victim of a wife beater more protection.

The booklet begins with a historical view of wife abuse, including the English common law which set up the "rule of thumb." It then explains the support groups and shelters which have grown out of the need to help abused women and their children.

The last chapter explains the various legal protections available to a woman.

These booklets are being distributed to local law enforcement officers and Department of Human Resources employees who deal with victims of family violence. The two women also are working with the clergy and noted that they are trying to change the attitudes of these people.

"They (clergy) would counsel a

woman to go back to the situation, not realizing how bad it was at home," said Mrs. Roseberry. "We've had a pastor come out to the center and talk to the women and administrators" to learn about the problems.

"For any clergy who are interested, we'd be delighted to put on a program for them," she said.

Representatives of the Permian Basin shelter spoke recently to the Big Spring Police Department, said Mrs. Roseberry. "They felt their knowledge of family violence was lacking. They only have eight hours of training in it and they said that 60 percent of their calls deal with domestic violence."

Both the Midland Police Department and Sheriff's Office have been cooperative and demonstrated a positive attitude toward the shelter and needs of the clients, she added.

The shelter has been filled to capacity since spring and needs to be expanded, she said. Its residents come primarily from the middle or lower income class, but women from a higher income come for advice and counseling.

"An increasing number of women are coming to the center; there's an increasing awareness that something can be done about it," she said of family violence.

The shelter obtains some of its funding through DHR and is designated only for operating expenses. The league will be looking at making some of the funding non-restrictive so the money could be used for expansions of the shelters, said Mrs. Roseberry.

Mrs. Stanley explained the league is looking at the problem statewide and will be submitting recommendations in February to the State Legislature, and that funding proposal may be included.

Persons interested in a booklet on family violence may call Mrs. Stanley, 682-1848.

Midland Ranger assumes job as assistant supervisor

AUSTIN (AP) — Capt. H.R. "Lefty" Block on Friday was promoted to commander of the Texas Rangers, which purportedly is one of the oldest law enforcement units in North America. A Midland man was selected to take Block's position.

Block, 49, will move up from assistant supervisor on Feb. 1, replacing Capt. W.D. "Bill" Wilson, 58, who has commanded the Rangers since 1974 and is retiring.

Block joined the Department of Public Safety in 1958, and was appointed a private in the Rangers in 1967.

Ranger Capt. Maurice Cook, 41, of Midland, will take over Block's old job as assistant supervisor.

The Rangers were founded in 1823 to help protect settlers moving into Texas, and was officially organized in 1835.

The Ranger force now has 94 officers.

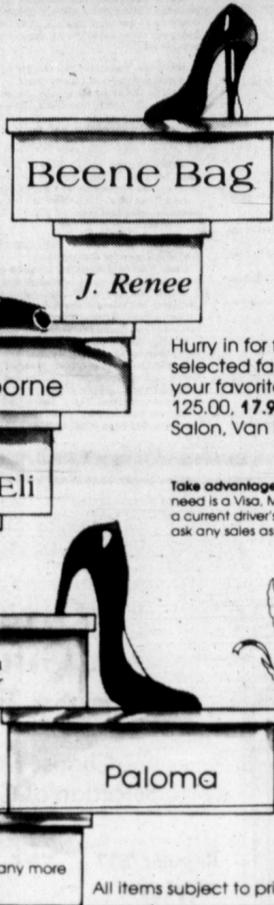
Former senator dies

WASHINGTON (AP) — Former Sen. Stephen M. Young, D-Ohio, died Saturday of a blood disorder at The Washington Home Hospice at the age of 85, his granddaughter, Carol Young said.

Young, who served eight years in the House and then 12 years in the Senate, was the oldest member of the Senate when he retired in 1971 at the age of 82.

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Wounded man robbed as he bled

ROCHESTER, N.Y. (AP) — Passers-by robbed a man of his wallet as he lay wounded in a driveway after being shot five times during a domestic argument, police said.

Elijah Chaney, 46, staggered out of the house where he was shot Friday night and collapsed in the driveway with wounds in his upper body. Two unidentified passers-by spotted him

and made off with his wallet, said Lt. John Sensabaugh.

Chaney, shot five times with a small-caliber handgun, was listed in guarded condition Saturday at Strong Memorial Hospital.

His brother's wife, Carolyn Wheaton, 37, was arrested and charged with first-degree assault and second-degree criminal use of a firearm.

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Houston stores plan to defy Blue Law Sunday

HOUSTON (AP) — More than 200 Houston-area stores will stay open Sunday in violation of the state's Blue Law, retailers say, but an attorney for the Retail Merchants Association says he will file suit against any store that stays open.

Last weekend, close to 250 stores kept their doors open, and retailers say that number could rise.

But Bob MacIntyre, an attorney for the Retail Merchants Association, says he will file suit against the store owners who keep their shops open.

"In the major shopping centers of this community, people obey the law," MacIntyre said.

On Wednesday, attorneys for the merchants association and area retailers will meet before state District Judge Michael O'Brien to discuss the 23 suits filed so far against

local merchants.

All Houston-area Blue Law cases have been assigned to O'Brien. As a result, retailers said, at least 15 hearings on requests for preliminary injunctions against the stores have been postponed.

"We're shopping the stores that have announced they are going to violate the law," MacIntyre told The Houston Post.

More than 60 stores at two low-price malls will be also open Sunday, said David Christensen, chairman of the board of Buyers Market.

Meanwhile, Mike Lowrey, the vice president of Deaville Fashion Malls, a discount center with 150 stores that will be open Sunday, says he believes more merchants will join the revolt against the Blue Laws, especially as Christmas gets nearer.

Man critically burned; stepson dies in fire

LITTLE ELM, Texas (AP) — A 30-year-old man was burned critically while trying to save his stepson, who died in a fire started by a kerosene heater the family was using because electricity to their mobile home had been shut off.

Douglas Crutchfield, burned over two thirds of his body, was listed in serious condition Saturday at Dallas' Parkland Hospital, said hospital spokeswoman Nalini Eyer.

Crutchfield was injured early Friday while trying to save his stepson, Jerry Don Crutchfield, after fire engulfed their mobile home in this east Denton County town.

Firefighters later found the 9-year-old boy's body under the kitchen sink of the mobile home.

The fire apparently started by kerosene heaters the family was using after their electricity was shut off Tuesday because the family was months behind on its electric bill.

Authorities said the fire started about midnight Thursday when a kerosene heater overturned and ignited some curtains.

Jerry Don discovered the blaze and woke up Paul Novack, a 15-year-old who was living with the Crutchfields. The teen-ager rescued two other children — 4-year-old Chris and 2-year-old John, but lost Jerry Don.

Crutchfield, who had rescued his wife, Pamela, 26, from their bedroom at the opposite end of the trailer, was fighting the smoke and heat to find his stepson, but couldn't get to him.

Jet reported to have engine fire

HOUSTON (AP) — A Continental Airlines DC-9 jet shut down one of two engines and quickly unloaded its 88 passengers minutes before takeoff Saturday after a pilot in a nearby jet said he spotted fire in one of the DC-9's engines, an airline spokesman said.

Airport fire teams responded to the scene, but found no fire, Continental spokesman Mike Cinelli said. He said the other pilot had seen a belch of smoke from the engine start of the Continental plane.

The Continental plane, which was on its way from Houston Interconti-

ental Airport to Fort Lauderdale, Fla., was revving its engines just before takeoff when a pilot aboard a nearby TWA airliner said he saw an engine fire, Cinelli said.

"It was really a minor thing," Cinelli said. "The pilot cranked down the engine."

The passengers disembarked from the forward cabin door, walked down a flight of stairs to the tarmac and boarded buses for the trip back to the terminal, Cinelli said.

No one was injured during the incident, which occurred about 9 a.m., the spokesman said.



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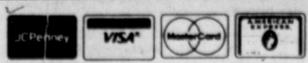
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Rep. Mike McKinney

Educators, parents protest proposed extracurricular rule

AUSTIN (AP) — How far a school bus has to drive to take students to athletic events became a critical question Saturday afternoon before a State Board of Education committee.

"This proposal of eight hours a week for practice and travel gets into an urban-rural problem," Rep. Mike McKinney, D-Centerville, told the committee that heard almost 100 witnesses testify about suggested rules concerning extracurricular activities.

"This will effectively eliminate sports in small towns," he said.

Jack Strong, chairman of the committee on students, explained the proposed rule would let a school count two hours for travel for the first performance during a week, no matter how long the trip took.

"If they travel more than one time a week it would take too

much time away from studies," said Strong.

"With that explanation, I think we can live with the 8-hour rule," said Julian Shaddix, superintendent of schools at Clint, near El Paso, "although some of our competition is 200 miles away. But we would like for you to do something about this six weeks penalty for failing just one course."

The proposed extracurricular rules, which will be voted on by Strong's committee Sunday and then by the state board on Dec. 8, say a student must be making at least 70 in all courses in order to take part in any out-of-class activity. A failure in just one course brings a six-weeks ban on extracurricular activities, including sports.

"We would like for you to make that a 7-day suspension," Shaddix said. "Six weeks is too

long to make it up. We already require our players to be passing every week."

"We vigorously support this," said Karen Miller, representing the Austin Parent and Teachers Association. "We think it will have strong academic and strong extracurricular results."

Susan Ward, Cypress-Fairbanks science teachers said the Texas Association of Science Teachers feared the new rules would interfere with field trips by science classes.

Beth Bassett, Longview, said she feared the rules would discourage students from taking courses they need but might fail. "My daughter is on the drill team and she refused to take trigonometry this year because she was afraid it might get her thrown off the drill team," she said.

Single-district case headed for vote

AUSTIN (AP) — A federal court hearing on single-member districts for the Austin city council has been postponed indefinitely.

Council members Mark Rose and Mark Spaeth said Friday they will support an effort to put their issue on a special Jan. 19 election ballot.

The hearing by U.S. District Judge James Nowlin was scheduled Monday to determine whether the judge would accept a settlement between the council and two minority groups calling for council elections from

single-member districts.

However, Nowlin said Friday he would not hold the hearing until the 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals issues a ruling on an appeal made to it.

The council has until Dec. 19 to decide what goes on the Jan. 19 ballot.

A lawsuit challenging the current at-large election system was filed in April by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People and the Mexican-American Legal Defense and Educational Fund.

Pretrial hearing set in kidnap-murder case

KERRVILLE, Texas (AP) — A Dec. 18 pretrial hearing date has been set for three members of a Hill Country ranching family and six others accused in the torture slaying of a drifter.

Visiting State District Judge Joe Kelley will hear the case beginning at 10 a.m. Dec. 18 at the 196th District Court.

Walter Wesley Ellebracht Sr., 53, Walter Wesley Ellebracht Jr., 31, and the younger Ellebracht's wife, Joyce Ellebracht, 29, have been indicted on a charge of organized crime, accusing them of conspiracy to commit aggravated kidnapping and murder in connection with the March 3 death of Anthony Warren Bates.

The others charged as co-conspirators in Bates' death are Carlton Robert Caldwell, 19, of Taos, N.M.; Mark Hamilton, 22, of Los Angeles; Marshall L. Van Scoyk Jr., 19, of Converse, Texas; Paul Harvey Hicks, 19, of Toledo, Ohio; Martin Leroy Miller, 25, of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Another worker, Darryl Hunsaker, 21, remains an unindicted co-conspirator in the case. Hunsaker is under an original April murder

indictment in connection with Bates' death.

Joe Ortiz, 21, of San Antonio, another co-conspirator, was found incompetent to stand trial and State District Judge V. Murray ordered Ortiz sent to Rusk State Hospital for psychiatric treatment.

Ellebracht's defense attorney, Richard "Racehorse" Haynes, is challenging the validity of a search warrant issued by Jordan. Under the warrant, authorities removed a cattle prod, burned bone fragments, numerous guns and rifles, chains and other evidence.

Haynes and two other defense attorneys have filed change of venue motions, claiming publicity will prevent finding an impartial jury in Kerr County.

Prosecutors say the Ellebrachts lured drifters to their remote Hill Country ranch with promises of work and then forced them to stay.

Authorities said Bates was shocked with an electric cattle prod before he died. His body was doused with gasoline and burned, they contend.

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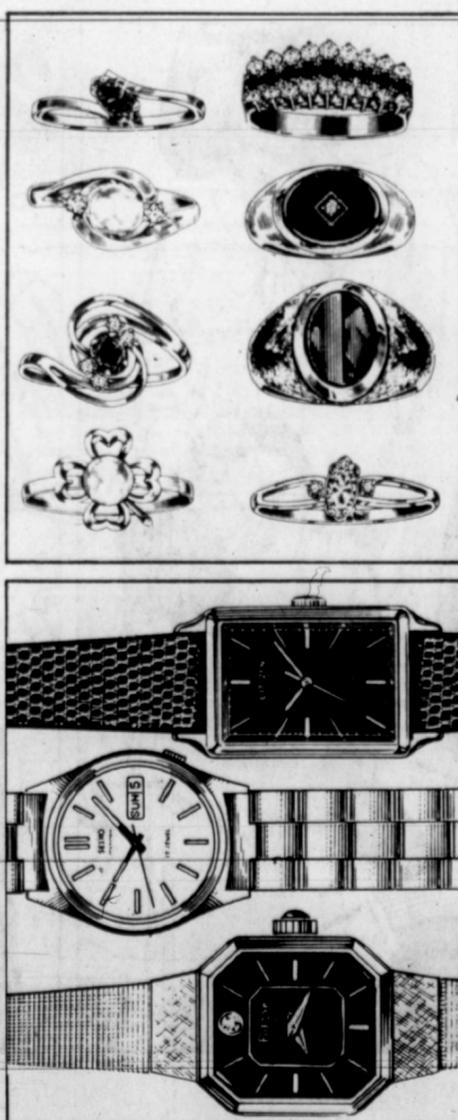
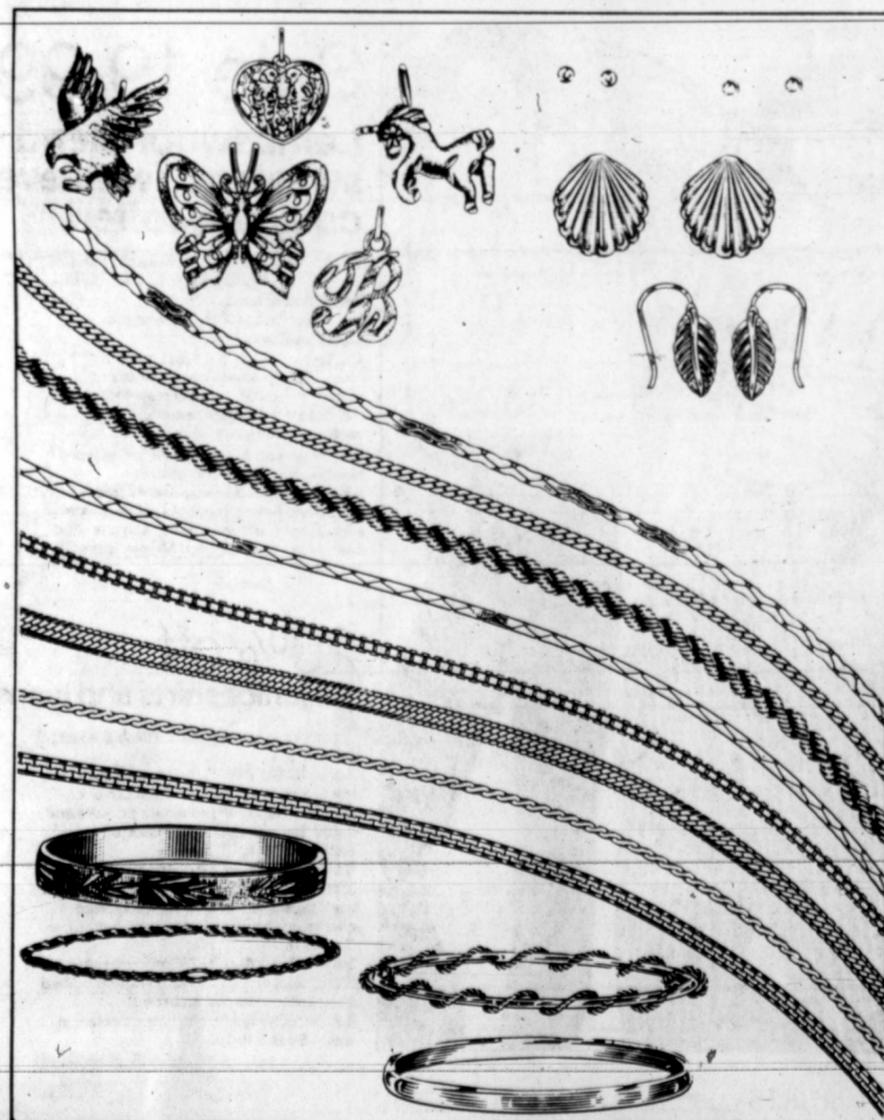
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Tower, Gramm warn GOP leaders

AUSTIN (AP) — Sen. John Tower and his successor, Sen.-elect Phil Gramm, warned Texas Republican leaders Saturday they cannot sit back and expect the overwhelming GOP win of 1984 to carry them through the 1986 elections.

"We want to continue that momentum but it is not going to be easy to do all this in 1986," Tower said in his last senatorial appearance before the State Republican Executive Committee. "We don't know what the public mood will be then."

"It is vitally important we build on this victory," said Gramm. "We need more Texas Republicans in Congress, we need more in the state Legislature and we need more in the courthouses."

Tower, who did not seek reelection as the state's top GOP office holder, joined Gramm and

others in exulting over the complete defeat of Texas Democratic candidates in the general election - without incurring a party deficit.

"Hands down, we beat the Democrats at their own game - voter registration," said Martha Weisend, Dallas, co-chairman with Tower of the Reagan-Bush campaign in Texas. "We left the party a legacy of 773,000 new Republican voters in the state."

Tower stressed the 1986 elections would be important because Democrat Gov. Mark White is expected to seek re-election, plus all Texas congressmen and most state legislators will be running.

"By the way, I ain't running," Tower said in reference to published reports he might be a GOP candidate for governor.

"This is 1984 not 1986," Tower said. "We could have a very dif-

ferent set of circumstances then. The elections held in the middle of a presidential term tend to go against the party in the White House.

"I think we will have to follow up this great victory that we have by bringing more people into the party and get ready to go in 1986," he said.

Gramm said he would not be content to "holding on to what we have and a lot depends what we do in Washington and in the Texas Legislature in relation to 1986."

"It is time we stopped talking about the Democrats and their programs," Gramm said. "To help with them. It is time for us to get on with our own agenda."

Houston pollster Lance Tarrance, who worked for the party during the election, said the state party needed to expand its base,

the people who consistently vote Republican. He said the 1982 election, where Republican Gov. Bill Clements was defeated, and the 1984 elections show Texas Democrats have a base of almost 2 million.

"The Texas Republican Party now has a base of at least 1.5 million but we need to get that closer to 2 million," Tarrance said.

Tarrance said Reagan won so big in Texas because he got 95 percent of the regular GOP vote, plus 75 percent of the ticket-splitter vote, at least 40 percent of the Hispanic vote, and at least 50 percent of the white conservative vote, mostly rural.

State GOP Chairman George Strake presented Tower a plaque from the committee calling him "the father of the modern Republican Party in Texas."

Refugees against U.S. aid in Central America

HOUSTON (AP) — Salvadoran refugees staying in camps in Honduras want the United States to stop sending military aid to Central America because such assistance increases the likelihood of warfare, a Salvadoran woman says.

Marta Serpas, who claims to be a cousin of El Salvador's President Jose Napoleon Duarte, told reporters at a news conference Friday weapons sent to Central America by the

United States wind up in the hands of both Hondurans and Salvadorans. "We are here as messengers of the refugees and witnesses" of their plight," said Ms. Serpas, who works with the Salvadoran Humanitarian Aid, Research and Education Foundation.

Ms. Serpas said refugees see only American-made weapons and no sign of Cuban or Soviet weapons or soldiers.

GOP group blamed for rift

WICHITA FALLS, Texas (AP) — A right-wing conservative group called the Republican Assembly of Texas threatens to splinter the state Republican Party, party leaders said.

Chet Upham, a former state GOP chairman, said the group is working to take control of the party from the conservative mainstream.

Upham, who lost a bitter power struggle with the assembly, told the Wichita Falls Times the splinter group has been running its own candidates for party office and has been involved in grassroots political efforts for the past two years.

But Jim Brandon, an Amarillo lawyer who served as president of the assembly, said Upham's charges have "utterly no substance."

"We're not a confrontation group," Upham said. "We are really trying to build the party."

While most mainstream conservatives in the GOP said they think the party will weather the storm, feelings run high on the issue.

"I think ultimately anything that is perceived as radical will not survive," said a West Texas woman who chaired her county's GOP for six years.

The woman, who requested anonymity, said she was considered conservative until an assembly member ran against her. The woman said her opponent branded her unfairly as too liberal and too weak in support of Reagan, even though she was co-chair of the local 1980 Reagan campaign.

"We really don't choose to attack anyone," Brandon said.

He said races between assembly members and Republican incumbents are decided individually.

"We're very open and consist of people who have become very active in the Republican party," said Brandon.

The assembly is a "single-issue oriented group" whose members try to exert a conservative influence on the party, Brandon said.

Although some jostling for party positions is normal, Upham said, different groups usually forget their differences after the elections.

"The Texas Republican Assembly turned their back to that type of thing," Upham said.

The state Republican Party needs to remain unified, Upham said.

"We're a growing party and we're going to overcome these things," he said.

Newspaper reports mental patients left without money, shelter

HOUSTON (AP) — Van loads of mental patients released from Austin State Hospital have been taken to a downtown Houston bus station for more than a year, many of them dumped onto the streets without money or shelter, a newspaper reports.

About 20 patients are transported to Houston each week during one of two trips made by a state hospital van. The Houston Post reported Saturday.

"This is a time bomb they are dropping on downtown Houston," said police Sgt. Jim Brown. "These are sick people who still need supervision; they need to be treated."

Brown told the Post some of the patients are met by their families, but about half "just wander off onto the streets."

Some of the former mental patients stay at the bus station for several days after they are let off, said Ricky Cameron, a security guard at the station. Other patients urinate in public or assault passers-by, the guard said.

One man went outside the station and took off his clothes, Cameron said.

"He was a mental case," Cameron said. "When I saw him he was headed out in the terminal without a stitch on. He was sick. Foam was coming out of his mouth."

Kent Johnson, an attorney for the Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation, said "it's a strong possibility that when we discharge them," they wind up on the streets.

"They come to us from the streets, so there is always the possibility they will return to the streets," Johnson said. "Once they are discharged, they are no longer our responsibility."

State officials said they have no figures on the total number of mental patients who were released without a place to go.

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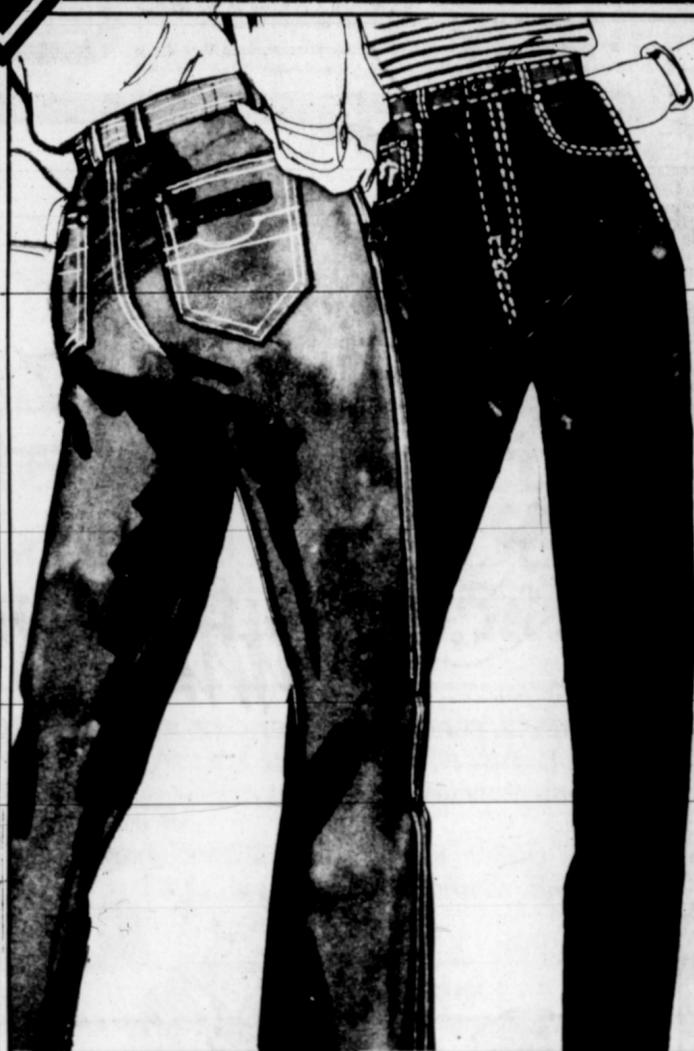


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Man to be tried in Mexico on U.S. charges

By J. MICHAEL KENNEDY
Los Angeles Times-
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HOUSTON — Along the Texas border, Arturo Martinez Herrera was known as a kingpin in the business of smuggling illegal aliens into the United States.

He and his men were reputed to be the sort who killed easily and often doubled their fees once aliens were smuggled in from Mexico and Central America. Two and a half years ago, the execution slayings of four Salvadoran illegal aliens were linked to Martinez, who escaped across the border to Mexico.

Now the long quest to bring Martinez to trial has led to what the U.S. attorney's office here is calling an "unprecedented" event: The accused murderer, already imprisoned on a smuggling conviction in Mexico, will be brought to trial there for the crimes he is charged with committing in the United States.

"It's never happened before," Assistant U.S. Attorney Bernie Hobson said. "Perhaps this may lead to other coordination between the two countries."

The law being used to try Martinez, which Hobson described as "obscure" and "rarely used," says that Mexican nationals may be tried for crimes committed outside the country so long as the offense also is prohibited in Mexico. Hobson said that the decision to try Martinez also was important because Mexico does not extradite its nationals charged with offenses in the United States.

The story of the campaign to bring Martinez to trial began in July

1982 when two game wardens found the decomposing bodies of four men on a bank of the Brazos River in Fort Bend County, about 30 miles south of Houston.

The men had been tied together and each had been shot at least once in the head. None had any identification. All four wore two sets of clothing. Investigators suspected they might be illegal aliens but had no more evidence as to why the four had been executed.

But relatives of the four heard about the killings on the news and identified the bodies. And then, said Hobson, they told a story of how the four, and four others, had been smuggled into the United States by a ring known as Los Tejas, which Hobson said was masterminded by Martinez.

According to testimony in other trials in the case, the events that led to the killing of the Salvadorans began when two of them were delivered to a parking lot where relatives were waiting to meet them. An argument ensued when the Los Tejas gang members demanded \$800 per man instead of the agreed-upon \$400, and there was a shootout in which a family member and a gang member were killed. The two Salvadorans escaped, but other aliens waiting to be freed from a South Houston apartment said that Martinez arrived and told the remaining six Salvadorans they would be killed in the morning.

Hobson said that the aliens were tortured, kicked and beaten, but during the night two of the six Salvadorans managed to escape.

The U.S. attorney said that three of the 13 gang members indicted for

the murders already had been convicted, including one who was captured in Laredo, Texas, while smuggling more illegal aliens into the United States.

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Houston abortion clinics not threatened

HOUSTON (AP) — Federal authorities have warned El Paso abortion clinics about possible terrorist attacks, but three Houston area clinics which were torched by arsonists last summer have not been threatened, say FBI agents.

Special Agent Ronald Hoverson said the El Paso clinics were warned after an FBI office in another state received a telephone call from someone claiming to be in the terrorist group, Army of God.

Hoverson said he notified the El

Paso clinics to watch for suspicious items and not dismiss the threats.

But Bill Russ, a Houston FBI agent, said Friday that federal officials have not received any word of threats against Houston clinics.

"We have no knowledge here of any threat against any abortion clinic in Texas," said Russ, who added that the warning to El Paso clinics "was something the office there took upon itself to do."

Three Houston-area abortion clinics were torched by arsonists

during the summer, but Russ said his office does not plan to warn area clinics.

The Army of God, an anti-abortion terrorist group, has claimed responsibility for bombings at family planning and abortion clinics in the Midwest and East.

"We have heard nothing about the Army of God as far as Texas is concerned," said Phillip Chojnacki, the assistant special agent in charge of the Houston office of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms.



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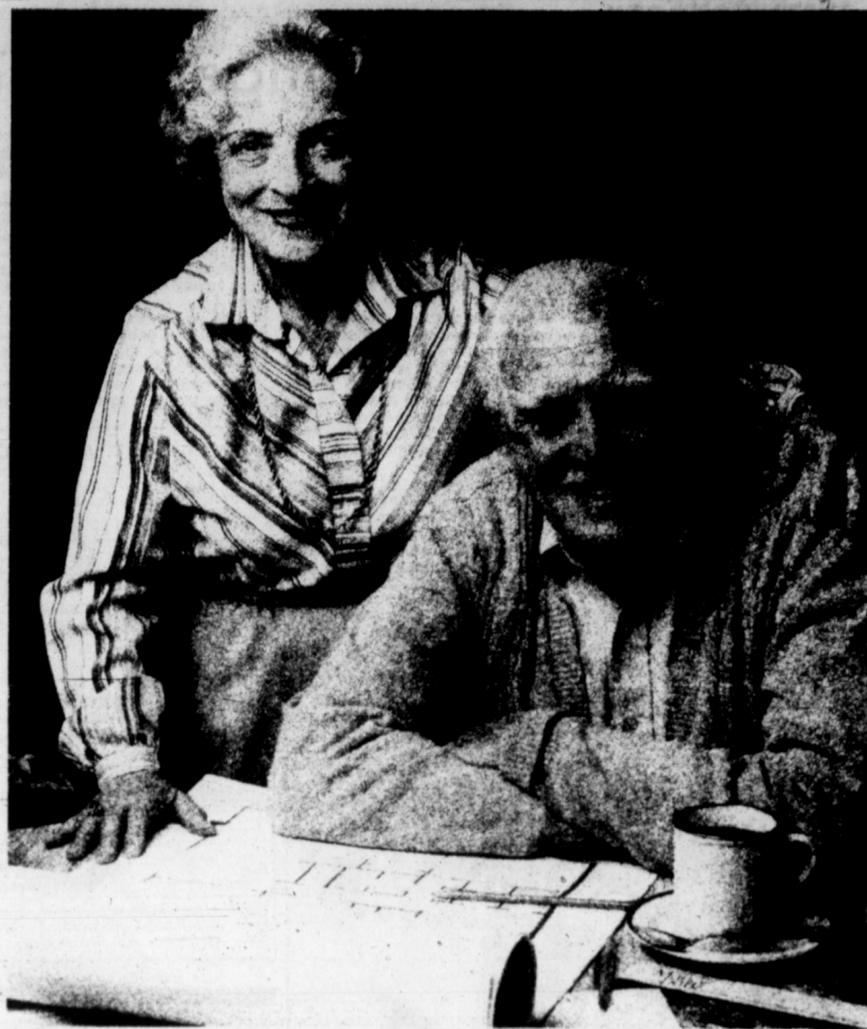
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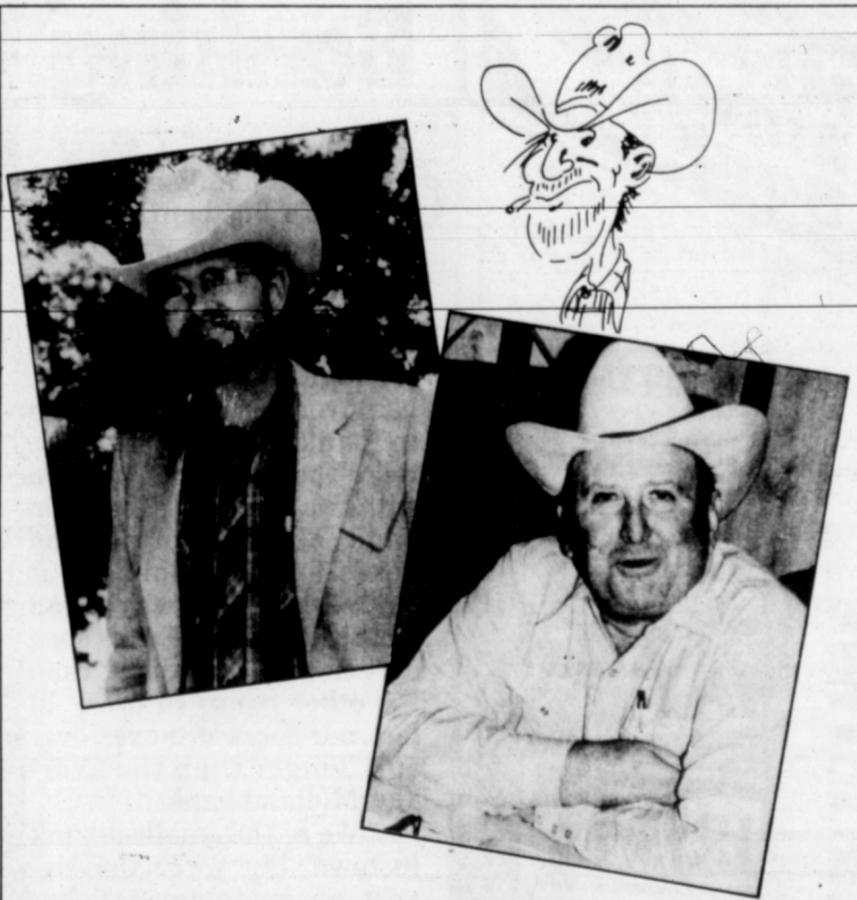
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Republicans 'no longer an oddity; They are a menace'

By BILL KIDD

AUSTIN — Rep. Doyle Willis, D-Fort Worth, may have best summed up the Republicans' legislative gains in the recent election.

Republicans, Willis was quoted as saying, are "no longer an oddity. They are a menace."

Indeed, the days are long past when the joke around the House of Representatives was that the Republicans would caucus in the telephone booth outside the chamber.

In 1985, the GOP will have 52 or 53 members — depending on a race expected to be determined by an election contest — compared to 37 members in the outgoing Legislature.

Before an election, State Republican party Chairman George Strake, Houston, told reporters he was hoping to have 50 Republicans in the House by 1990, with a view to redistricting.

Redistricting, Strake argued, has been where Republicans have been "killed" in the past.

The reason Strake was hoping for 50 is that with 150 members, that number would give the Republicans one-third of the votes, and provide them with what would amount to a veto in many situations.

Fifty-one members in the House can exercise considerable control on the other 99, because a two-thirds vote is required on a number of issues.

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So far, however, the Republican "menace" is remaining low-key — and apparently intentionally so.

Politicians realize the importance of numbers and the GOP is quite aware that one-third is still only half of two-thirds.

And the GOP knows that a hard

line would likely lead to retaliation by Democrats, whose support the Republicans will have to have to pass their program.

Speaker Gib Lewis, whose re-election as speaker is being taken as an accomplished fact for the 1985 session, has shared out committee chairmanships and vice chairmanships among Republicans and Democrats.

But Willis, and 45 other members, signed a petition to Lewis this summer urging that chairmanships be limited to Democrats.

The current Legislature has resulted in seven (out of 33) chair-

manships for the GOP, and speculation is that Lewis will ignore the call by the Democrats, and may increase the number of posts given to the Republicans.

Gov. Mark White hasn't shown any great enthusiasm about the new Republican legislators (or many of the old ones, either), but has become somewhat more conciliatory in tone as the Legislature's convening approaches.

While not exactly rolling out a red carpet, White is saying that he thinks he and the Republican legislators can find common ground and that he can work with them.

White has said he hopes the Republicans won't take a "negative" approach and has continued to chide Strake about the chairman's talk of having a "veto" in the House.

In 1985, partisan voting may well increase but it may also be hard in some instances to be sure whether

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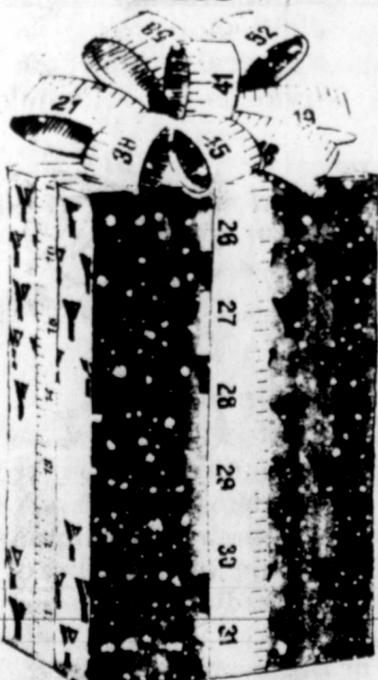


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Smashed art nets \$561

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — Fragments of an Asian art collection fished out of Lake Worth brought a couple only hundreds of dollars, instead of the thousands they had been expecting.

The glittering pieces of jade, ivory and lapis lazuli, thought to be from the smashed art collection of multimillionaire Cullen Davis, sold for \$561.50 at a Friday auction.

After the auction the couple said the bids were "better than nothing, but less than we hoped." Since finding the fragments, the couple have declined to reveal their names. The husband is a young Carswell Air Force Base airman on a small salary.

Television evangelist James Robison said he helped Davis smash the collection in September 1983. The art objects reportedly were worth more than \$1 million.

"I won't guarantee any of this stuff, folks," auctioneer Warren Miller said as he began to offer the table of shards at a monthly antique auction. "But it was hauled out of Lake Worth and reportedly it is fragments from the collection of Asian art that Cullen Davis smashed."

Seventeen lots of fragments, most of them in plastic bags, were auctioned off in about 20 minutes on bids ranging from \$87.50 for fragments of tiny jade temple bells to \$2 for a small bag of bright pieces of glass and decorated tile.

Bob Smith, who bid \$2 for the glass and tile said he made the purchase "out of curiosity." Four buyers who paid more for larger fragments declined to give their names or their motives.

"Well, maybe we can have installment No. 2 of fragments from the millionaire's art collection," said the Carswell Air Force Base airman who found the art.

He and his fiancée found the smithereens in June while fishing. Two days later the airman took them to the Fort Worth Museum of

Science and History where curator of history Patrick Norris linked the rubble with a story five months earlier in the Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

In the story, the fundamentalist preacher said Davis gave him \$1 million worth of Asian art in September 1982 to save Robison's financially-troubled television ministry.

But Robison said he took the collection back to the Davis mansion after reading Deuteronomy 7:25, an Old Testament verse that calls for the smashing of idols.

Davis has declined to discuss the incident but Robison said the millionaire began to weep and told him "if you can't have it, then I can't have it."

Robison said he and Davis took hammers and "destroyed more than \$1 million worth of jade, ivory and gold — all of it" and dumped it in a lake.

James Rogers, the executive director of James Robison Evangelistic Association said later the rubble was dumped into Lake Worth.

After looking over the fragments, history curator Norris said no one could be certain if it was once the Davis collection.

"However," Norris added, "as Thoreau put it 'Some circumstantial evidence is very strong, as when you find a trout in the milk' or jade in Lake Worth."

Emily Sano, curator of Asian art at the Kimball Museum, inspected the fragments June 7, 1984, two days after the airman took his find to the museum.

"This is decorative stuff, the Asian equivalent of Dresden figurines or Spode vases," Sano said. "It isn't old. It was made early in this century...all of this probably was made in Taiwan."

Neither Davis nor Robison has commented publicly on the matter since the discovery was made.



Frances Vandiver of Joshua examines the seventeen lots up for auction that are reported to be the remains of the Cullen Davis Asian Art Collection that was destroyed in September 1982 by Fort Worth industrialist Cullen Davis and evangelist James Robison. The collection, valued at \$1 million, was found June 3 by a Carswell AFB airman and his fiancée while fishing on Lake Worth.

Fort Worth art museum gets \$1.1 million

FORT WORTH (AP) — The Fort Worth Art Museum has received major funding from two foundations, museum director E.A. Carmean Jr. has announced.

Ann Burnett and Charles Tandy Foundation has provided \$500,000 for programs and acquisitions and the Sid W. Richardson Foundation has given \$100,000 for operating funds and \$500,000 for programs and acquisitions.

In making the announcement Carmean said, "Although we anticipated doubling the budget, these contributions represent a significant margin beyond that. The Tandy foundation and the Richardson foundation have long been praised for their efforts in the arts and this generous support will allow the

museum to expand in several areas and especially in the area of acquisition. We are honored and delighted."

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NASA to try waterproofing method on tiles

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — NASA engineers will try a hybrid waterproofing method on the space shuttle Discovery's heat-resistant tiles during the January military mission in an attempt to prevent the heat-shield deterioration which has plagued shuttle flights, a spokesman said.

The most recently used waterproofing compound, Silane, tends to weaken a putty-like compound under the tiles. Silane, which is injected into and underneath the tiles, has been blamed for the loss of one tile during space shuttle Challenger's last mission, Kennedy Space Center spokesman Rocky Raab said.

The spray-on waterproofing pre-

viously used had been abandoned in favor of the injection type because heavy rains would easily wash it away. But Raab said the spray-on Scotchguard will make a comeback for Discovery's next mission, this time in combination with Silane.

National Aeronautics and Space Administration technicians will apply the Scotchguard to the tiles and inject the Silane beneath, to both to the adhesive mats and the putty-like screed, which smooths out surface imperfections for better tile adhesion, Raab said.

The weakening of the screed forced engineers to replace nearly 4,000 of the space plane's nearly 25,000 high-temperature black tiles.

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Lee beats Richland, Permian on horizon

By TED BATTLES
Sports Editor

ODESSA — With Midland Lee's 45-14 victory over Richland Saturday, the game of "comparative scores" ended and now comes the real thing, the game for which West Texans have been waiting anxiously since last October.

The last couple of weeks, the Rebels and Panthers have been outdoing one another against lesser opponents. Permian was the winner last week, 56-0 over El Paso Austin, compared to Midland Lee's 41-6 over El Paso Andrews the night before.

This week Permian brushed past Eules-Trinity 34-0 Friday night in Ratliff Stadium and Saturday Lee trumped the Panthers' with a 45-14 win over Richland before 12,000 in sun-drenched Ratliff.

This carried some significance, since Trinity and Richland tied during the regular season.

But the "games" are over and the state playoffs get serious this week. Saturday, Lee attempts to rectify that 28-13 October loss to Permian, Lee's only defeat and the victory

that propelled Mojo into the No. 1 ranking in Texas, an eminence it has steadfastly refused to relinquish.

LEE AMAZED and befuddled Richland with its twin "Century Swifties", Tyrone Thurman and Walter Jones, who perplexed the Metroplex Rebels with their mystifying "now-you-see-us, now-you-don't" act, magically turning "29s" into "71s" with monotonous regularity.

Thurman scored three times, twice on 71 yard runs, and Jones scored once, on a 71-yard flight along the sidelines, to give Lee a 7-0 lead 1:47 into the second period, a lead the Maroon Rebels never surrendered.

Despite Thurman's Hat Trick, it was Jones who led the Rebels in rushing with 213 yards on 22 carries. Thurman had 124 yards on 14 attempts, but would have been over 200 if his 71-yard punt return TD counted.

It was 24-10 at half, but Thurman broke his 71-yarder from scrimmage on a third and one from the Lee's lucky 29. "It was just a play up the

middle to get the first down," said the 140-pound speedster, "when I got in the open, I had to make a cut back. David Almand threw the block that broke it."

Richland came right back with a seven-play, 78-yard drive with Pat Kelley taking a pitch out around right end, breaking three tackles and going 23 yards for the TD with 8:17 left in the third. It proved to be Richland's final gesture.

LEE COUNTERED on the next kickoff with a laborious 80-yard drive requiring an unseemly 18 plays with Thurman scoring his third TD on a three-yard jaunt around left end with 1:29 left in the period. Craig Kamradt's fifth of six conversions made it 37-14.

Lee's other drives were relative quickies, 99 yards in five plays, 34 in three plays, 80 in three plays, one set up by a short punt and another by a fumble.

The first hint that Richland might be in over its head came after a scoreless first period. Richland got the 15-20 mph wind at its back and Wade Lewis' 73-yard punt on the

first play of the quarter drove Lee back to its one-yard-line.

The Rebels were in trouble, but not the Rebels, everybody thought. Fullback Randy Ellis took it to the 12 in two plays. Two more runs put it on the Lee 29. Jones, then, took off around right end, broke out of a couple clutches at midfield and was gone.

"Tyrone Thurman and Dexter Traylor threw the blocks that got me to the outside where I could cut it up," Jones relived the play. "By the time I got straight, I thought I could go all the way. Coach (Jack Tayrien) had told me before the game that he didn't think they could catch me if I broke into the open because they weren't all that fast."

Tom Denton's fumble recovery on the kickoff gave Lee possession on the Richland 18 and Kamradt toed a 28-yard field goal into the wind for a 10-0 lead with 8:36 left in the half.

But, while Lee's victory margin was comfortable enough, Richland had the potential to make it closer, if Lee hadn't been ready. Richland proved that on the next kickoff, devouring 76 yards in eight plays.

Quarterback Stan Stephens, who had passed 40 yards to tight end Buddy Coleman to eat up most of the yards, took it in over right guard from the one. Lee's lead was 10-7 with 5:29 left in the half.

While the Lee band was to pay tribute to Tayrien on his birthday, the Lee football team beat them to it with two touchdowns before intermission for that nice 24-7 cushion.

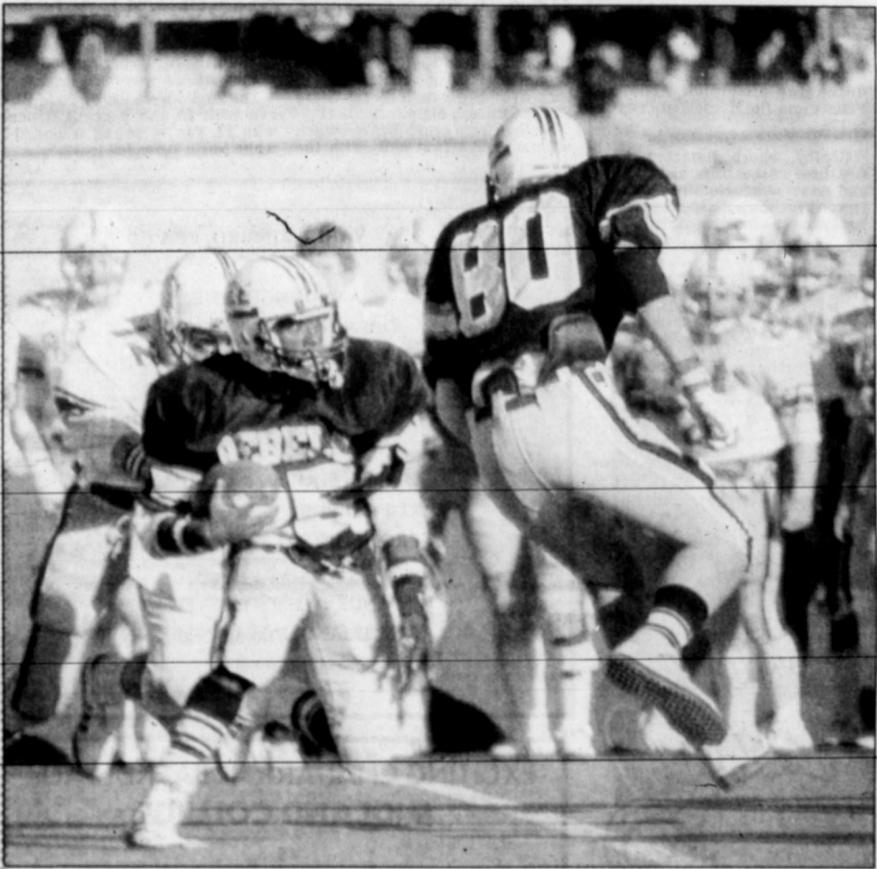
The first came after a fumbled snap which forced Lewis to punt on the run, a 10-yarder that set up a 34-yard drive. Quarterback Dirk Bergoon took it on a keep to the 22, Jones got four off tackle to the 18. Then, Lee, which usually treats the pass as if the football was a medicine ball, really celebrated Tayrien's birthday with a pass. Not only a pass, but one by halfback Thurman, who took a pitch as if to sweep left, stopped and floated a beach ball to end Dexter Traylor behind two defenders at the five.

It seemed as though the crowd sat briefly in stunned silence, searching for yellow flags, then turning to ask neighbors, "Was that legal?" That came with 1:36 left in the

half. Lee forced a punt and it looked like Thurman's fumble might give Richland a last minute scoring opportunity.

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Richland	Midland Lee			
15	First Downs	22		
155	Yards Rushing	449		
101	Yards Passing	49		
18-5-2	Att-Comp-Int	5-3-0		
5-34-0	Fumbles Lost	3		
2-18	Punts-Avg	1-41.0		
	Penalties-Yards	6-70		
Score by quarters:				
Richland	0	7	7	0-14
Midland Lee	0	24	14	7-45
Scoring				
L-Walter Jones, 71-yard run (Craig Kamradt kick)				
L-Kamradt, 28-yard field goal				
R-Stan Stephens, 1-yard run (David Brandt kick)				
L-Dexter Traylor, 18-yard pass from Tyrone Thurman (Kamradt kick)				
L-Thurman, 71-yard punt return (Kamradt kick)				
R-Pat Kelley, 23-yard run (Brandt kick)				
L-Thurman, 3-yard run (Kamradt kick)				
L-James Brown, 11-yard run (Kamradt kick)				
Individual Statistics				
Rushing: Richland: Stephens, 9-7-1; Burgett, 14-60; Kelley, 9-45-1; McCauley, 1-14; Talamini, 4-10; Riddle, 2-4; Sellers, 1-15; Midland Lee: Bergoon, 3-17; Jones, 22-213-1; Thurman, 14-124-3; Ellis, 9-27; Rankin, 2-11; Dixon, 2-26; Brown, 2-16-1; Swearingen, 1-3; K. Thurman, 1-9; Alexander, 1-3.				
Passing: Richland: Stephens, 17-5-1-0-1-0; Riddle, 1-0-1-0; Lee: Bergoon, 3-2-0-31-0; Thurman, 1-1-0-16-1; Rankin, 1-0-0-0-0-0.				
Receiving: Richland: Kelley, 1-minus 6; McCauley, 2-47; Coleman, 1-39; Blackwell, 1-21; Lee: Traylor, 3-49-1.				



Tiny halfback Tyrone Thurman (25) looks for running room while teammate David Almand (80) looks for someone to block Saturday in the regional game against Fort Worth Richland at Ratliff Stadium.

Exodus II finally arrives

Rematch with Permian Saturday

By TERRY WILLIAMSON
Assistant Sports Editor

Exodus II is here. It's Odessa Permian vs. Midland Lee for the second year in a row in the Class 5A quarterfinals.

This is the game the football fans of Midland and Odessa have been wanting to talk about since the playoffs began three weeks ago. But there was fear that either a Panther or Rebel would stomp a toe along the way.

The only stumps, however, are six playoff teams who couldn't matchup to District 4-5A's brand of football, and here we go again.

Exodus II will again take place in Lubbock's Jones Stadium at 2 p.m. Saturday when the Permian Basin literally transplants itself for one day on the caprock. Some 35,000 saw this quarterfinal match last year. Some are saying to expect 40,000 this year.

After Lee's 45-14 mauling of Fort Worth Richland Saturday and Permian's 34-0 killing of Eules Trinity on Friday, it was time to talk of Exodus II. Make sure your car has a full tank of gas.

And finally we can hear from the two winners. We can talk about Exodus II.

"Yes, I guess we can talk about Permian now," said an elated Lee coach Jack Tayrien after his Wishbone offense generated almost 500 yards in total offense against Richland on his 46th birthday.

"We are honored to earn the chance to play Permian again. Two teams from 4-5A in the quarterfinals is a tribute to the league and this is the second year in a row that it has



Midland Lee head coach Jack Tayrien received a nice birthday present: 45-14 victory over Richland and a berth in the 5A quarterfinals.

happened." Tayrien was making no rash predictions for Exodus II, but did offer, "Permian is next in line for us. That should be enough said."

Of course, Permian coach John Wilkins was on hand for the Lee-Richland game and he too could talk of Exodus II. "It ought to be a heck'va game," said Wilkins. "It's great for the district. It proves that if 4-5A isn't the best district in the state, it is one of the best. The only bad thing is it is a shame that one of these teams will be eliminated. This should be a state final or at least a semifinal game, but this is the way it is set up and this is the way it is."

The Lee players were very cautious when approached about Exodus II. Linebacker Donnie Rivas and defensive back Earl Davis just answered, "No comment," like they had been watching an episode of Lou Grant.

Tyrone Thurman, who rushed for 124 yards, scored three touchdowns (two from 71 yards out) and threw a touchdown pass to Dexter Traylor, said, "Permian has a very good football team. They are playing great as everyone can see, but we have to play them like any other team. We must go and play our best and we must control the ball."

Thurman added about the Richland game, "I didn't think I had 100 yards. The punt return doesn't count on rushing yards. On that punt, I fumbled the ball, but Earl Davis threw a key block for me that sprung it open."

On his touchdown pass, Thurman said, "It was something we had worked on all week and I never missed it in practice. Traylor was open just like in practice."

Walter Jones, who also had a 71-yard touchdown to go with 213 yards rushing, said, "We are glad to be playing Permian again, but they are the ones next in line. We would be glad to be playing anyone at the next step."

It was the first time in Jones' three-year high school career that he busted the 200-yard barrier in one game. "I guess the linemen wanted me to have 200 yards. They did the job. It's the first time I've ever gotten over 200, but I have to give credit to the line."

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Lee takes advantage of Richland mistakes, 45-14

By BRUCE CASTLEBERRY
Sports Writer

ODESSA — Even good teams make mistakes. But the great teams capitalize on them.

Midland Lee and Fort Worth Richland both made errors in Lee's 45-14 regional football win here at Ratliff Stadium Saturday. But only Lee made the most of its opportunities, kept their own mistakes to a minimum and set up this Saturday's sought-after rematch between District 4-5A's best, Lee and number-one ranked Odessa Permian.

"We just got whipped," said Carlos Berry, Richland head coach. "They've got too much speed."

Problems in Richland's kicking game contributed to Lee's 24-point second period explosion that paved

the way to victory.

"Hell, they're good," said Richland quarterback Stan Stephens.

When Richland's special teams were able to make a big play, such as punter Wade Lewis' second quarter 70-yard boot on the Rebel one, Lee made the effort meaningless when Walter Jones broke away five plays later for a 71-yard score, the first of the game.

Richland's offensive line had been a major key in their 8-2-2 season. But several breakdowns resulted in an attack that netted only 49 yards rushing in the first half on 20 carries. The Lee pass rush also pressured Richland quarterback Stan Stephens into a 5 of 17 day, with one interception.

Lee's mistakes never really hurt the Rebels. On Lee's first drive, a clipping penalty wiped out yardage

gains of over ten yards. Lee's second drive ended when Craig Kamradt was wide right on a 32-yard field goal try.

One error that did hurt was a spearing penalty against Lee's Terry Powell. Powell got into Richland QB Stephens late, giving Richland a first down when they had been stopped on fourth and long. Richland scored to cut it to 10-7, but they couldn't take charge.

Lee gave Richland a chance. Dexter Traylor fumbled untouched in the open field after a pass reception on Lee's next drive and Richland's James Finke fell on the ball at the Richland 42.

But Lee's pass rush rose to the challenge and dumped Stephens twice. Another kicking game lapse came when Lewis bobbled the snap

and got off only a ten-yarder under pressure.

Richland could have been back in the game, but Tyrone Thurman caught the defense asleep three plays later and completed a halfback pass to Traylor for the score. Lee was then up 17-7, and when Thurman brought back last year's "Dribble Sweep" play on a punt return a minute later he was gone on a 71-yard TD.

"Coach (Gary) Pettit saw it coming," said Berry of Thurman's TD pass. "He was telling them on the sidelines to watch for it."

Thurman got the game pretty well decided for good in the third period. After three plays it was 31-7 Lee, as Thurman broke free from several tackles and burst 71 yards on the left side for a TD.

Richland never recovered. Even after an impressive drive to cut the gap to 31-14 in the third period, it was too little, too late.

"Our defense played good today," Berry said, despite the 45 points on the scoreboard. "Take away those first half points we gave 'em on the kicking game, and the defense played pretty super."

Thurman caught the attention of Berry, even though it was Jones who had the big rushing yardage. "We punt the ball, he fumbles it, then picks it up and runs for a touchdown. Then he goes in there, hits the line, makes two or three 360 degree turns and falls out and goes all the way," said Berry, looking as if he'd seen a track meet. "Their little running backs aren't big but they have a lot of heart."

Richland was not expected to go this far, and members of the team sported Mohawk haircuts because of a promise about post-season play. 8-2-2 is still a good season, although Berry noted, "Today was a tough way to end it."

As for Lee, Berry said "They're the best ballclub we've played by far. There's no question about it. But we knew they were coming into the game."

"They've got an all-around good team," said Richland receiver Sean McCauley, who had some of the Rebs' little success against Lee. "We're happy with our season but we'd have liked to go a little farther."

"They've got speed, technique, they're smart," Stephens said. "I wish them all the luck in the world."

Cougars win Cotton Bowl berth

Owls try for upset, come up 13 points short

HOUSTON (AP) — The Houston Cougars, overcoming complacency against 20-point underdog Rice, drilled the Owls 38-26 behind Raymond Tate's three touchdown runs Saturday night to clinch their fourth Cotton Bowl berth since joining the Southwest Conference nine years ago.

Tate completed rushing performance with a game-breaking 72-yard run with 4:20 left in the game to give him 205 yards rushing and his fourth 100-yard performance of the season.

Houston's victory left the Cougars tied for the SWC title with Southern Methodist, both with 6-2 SWC records. But the Cougars get the Cotton Bowl berth by virtue of a 29-20 victory over the Mustangs.

The Cougars, who will be matched against Boston College in the New

Year's Day classic, took a familiar path to a share of the SWC crown with Southern Methodist.

Houston share SWC titles in 1976 and 1979 and won it outright in 1978 and in each case they had to defeat the Owls to advance.

Rice, with nothing to lose and a season of misery to forget, shocked the Cougars with Marc Scott's one-yard touchdown drive and Dwayne Holmes' 43-yard interception return for a 14-13 halftime lead.

The Owls trailed 13-0 early in the second quarter on Raymond Tate's one-yard run in the first quarter and a six-yard run by Matt Pierson for his first collegiate touchdown in the second quarter.

Houston quarterback Gerald Landry ran 14 yards to put the Cougars ahead in the third quarter but

the Owls still had some big play power.

Freshman quarterback Mark Comalander, who came off the bench in second quarter, flipped a pass downfield that was apparently intercepted by Houston's James Holmes but Tony Burnett grabbed it from Holmes and completed the 74-yard play for a touchdown.

That was Rice's last lead as Tate bulldozed 27-yards for his second touchdown and Mike Clendenen booted field goals of 28 and 23 yards.

Rice's James Hamrick kicked a 25 yard field goal for the Owls.

Rice ended its season with a 1-10 record and extended its SWC losing string to 25 in a row.

The Cougars finished the regular season at 7-4.

Rice	Owls	HOU
Houston	0	38
UH—Tate 1 run (Clendenen kick)	7	15
UH—Pierson 6 run (kick failed)		
RICE—Scott 1 run (Hamrick kick)		
RICE—Holmes 43 interception return (Hamrick kick)		
UH—Landry 14 run (run failed)		
RICE—T. Burnett 75 pass from Comalander (pass failed)		
UH—Tate 27 run (run failed)		
UH—FG Clendenen 28		
RICE—FG Hamrick 26		
UH—FG Clendenen 23		
RICE—FG Hamrick 51		
UH—Tate 72 run (Clendenen kick)		
A—30, 123		
First downs	16	20
Rushes-yards	25-480	63-366
Passing yards	385	96
Returns yards	41	35
Passes	21-51-0	9-18-2
Punts	9-35	6-42
Fumbles-lost	3-2	3-1
Penalties-yards	6-78	6-39
Time of Possession	26:51	33:09
INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS		
RUSHING—Rice, Collins 5-11, Scott 5-9, Houston, Tate 27-205, Pierson 15-67, Landry 21-62		
PASSING—Rice, Comalander 20-40-0-357, Overton 1-11-0-12, Houston, Landry 9-18-2-96		
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Trivia Teaser...

Name the Heisman Trophy winners in the Pro Football Hall of Fame.

Sunday's answer: Yale's Larry Kelley and Notre Dame's Leon Hart are the only linemen to have won the Heisman Trophy. Both were ends.



Midland High's Darrell Davis (52) reaches behind Midland Lee's Lee Dixon (34) for a loose ball in the Tall City Tournament championship game Saturday...Page 4C

Flutie didn't want to believe he'd win until he did



AP Laserphoto

Boston College quarterback Doug Flutie (22) and coach Jack Bicknell are carried off the field after BC's victory over Holy Cross Saturday. After the game, Flutie was flown to New York where he was awarded the Heisman Trophy.

NEW YORK (AP) — Doug Flutie, the most prolific passer in the history of big-time college football, didn't want to believe that he would win the Heisman Trophy — until he did.

"I've been surrounded by media feeding me, 'Doug, you're going to win. Doug, you're going to win. Doug, you're going to win.' 'I didn't want to let myself believe that,' said Flutie, who had no choice but to believe it on Saturday when he was awarded the trophy which annually signifies the best college player in the nation.

"It's something so far out," said the Boston College senior quarterback, the first at his position to win the award in 13 years. "It's something you don't even dream will happen."

Flutie won the award with 2,240 points in a national balloting of 1,050 panelists from all phases of the sports media. Running back Keith Byars of Ohio State was second with 1,251 points, followed by quarterbacks Robbie Bosco of Brigham Young with 443 and Bernie Kosar of Miami with 320.

"I don't consider myself above them in any way," Flutie said at a news conference following the announcement. "They all are great athletes in their own way."

Before fielding questions from reporters, the affable, well-spoken Flutie accepted congratulations

from President Reagan, who was in Camp David, Md.

Flutie spoke to Reagan on a telephone behind the bar in the room in which the news conference was held.

"He just congratulated me," Flutie said of the high-level conversation. "He said he was watching the show on television and he saw this as an opportunity to congratulate me."

Flutie received 678 first-place ballots. Byars had 87 for first and Bosco 20.

Not since 1971, when Auburn's Pat Sullivan was voted the Heisman winner, has a quarterback won this award.

In becoming the first collegian ever to pass for more than 10,000 yards in a career, Flutie punctuated an unprecedented career on Nov. 23 with a last-second pass of 48 yards that gave Boston College a 47-45 victory over defending national champion Miami, Fla.

The pass, which actually covered about 64 yards and fell into the arms of Flutie's roommate, Gerard Phelan, came in the game that boosted Flutie over the 10,000-yard mark and left no doubt he would be remembered for more than his numbers.

After Saturday's regular-season finale, a 45-10 victory over Holy Cross, Flutie had 10,579 passing yards and 11,317 yards in total offense, both NCAA career records. He finished the season with 3,454

yards passing and 27 touchdowns, completing 233 of 386 pass attempts.

Flutie flew via private jet to New York after the game at Worcester, Mass., to be at the Heisman presentation.

Flutie's relatively small size, 5-foot-9, has cast his future in professional football in doubt. But Gil Brandt, vice president of personnel development for the Dallas Cowboys, is not among the skeptics, saying, "Doug Flutie never loses. He only runs out of time."

It really doesn't matter, though, for with the Heisman Trophy on his shelf, he can claim the title of the best football player in college.

"You like to try to prove people wrong," Flutie has said. "I want to be the guy that did the impossible, the guy that no one expected to make it and now has made it."

Flutie, a Florida native who moved to Natick, Mass., when he was 15, will get one more chance to impress the pro scouts on New Year's Day when the eighth-ranked Eagles, 9-2, meet Southwestern Conference champion Houston in the Cotton Bowl.

Nebraska running back Mike Rozier won the Heisman Trophy last season. He was the last in a string of 12 straight running backs to win the award. Herschel Walker of Georgia won in 1982, preceded by Marcus Allen of Southern Cal (1981), George Rogers of South Carolina (1980),

Charlie White of Southern Cal (1979), Billy Sims of Oklahoma (1978), Earl Campbell of Texas (1977), Tony Dorsett of Pittsburgh (1976), Archie Griffin of Ohio State (1974-75), John Cappelletti of Penn State (1973) and Johnny Rodgers of Nebraska (1972).

The Heisman has been awarded by the Downtown Athletic Club of New York since 1935. The first trophy went to halfback Jay Berwanger of Chicago.

Both Byars and Bosco are juniors, while Kosar is a sophomore.

Byars, who will lead the Buckeyes into the Jan. 1 Rose Bowl against Southern Cal, leads the nation in rushing with 1,655 yards. He averages 5.3 yards per carry and 150.5 per game.

Bosco would like to follow in the footsteps of Kosar. An impressive victory in the Holiday Bowl Dec. 21 against Michigan could give No. 1 Brigham Young its first national championship, and Bosco has contributed mightily with 3,875 yards passing and 33 touchdowns.

Kosar, who won a national championship with Miami in his freshman year, passed for 3,842 yards this year and 25 touchdowns. In their head-to-head meeting in Miami, Kosar and Flutie put the ball in the air a total 84 times for an NCAA record 919 yards.

Kosar, who has 5,971 career passing yards, is on a pace that would eclipse Flutie's all-time record. Flutie had 4,401 yards after his first two seasons.

Moody takes one-shot lead in Quadel Senior Classic

BOCA RATON, Fla. (AP) — Steady Orville Moody registered 17 pars and a birdie Saturday to take a one-stroke lead after two rounds of the \$200,000 Quadel Senior PGA Classic at rain-drenched Boca Grove Plantation. Moody, a rookie on the Senior Tour for golfers 50 years and older, slipped a little from his

opening round of 8-under-par 64, but most of the leaders had trouble with the slow, wet greens on the 6,750-yard course Saturday. Moody's 9-under-par total of 135 was good enough for a one-stroke lead over Miller Barber and Bob Goalby. The weather was doubly tough on Barber, who was tied with

Moody for the lead after the first round. Bothered all day by allergies, Barber suffered a double-bogey 6 at the 14th hole when he hit out of the rough into the water. He ended with a second-round 72 to drop into a tie at 136 with Goalby, who fired a 69 Saturday. Lee Elder and Doug Sanders

share fourth place at 138, while defending champion Arnold Palmer and Jim Hatfield are next at 139. Goalby, who had started the day three strokes back, had an up and down start. He birdied the first three holes, then scored bogeys on the fourth and fifth.

Pan Am defeats NTSU, 60-50

DENTON (AP) — Tom Fiepe hit 10 points to lead the Pan American Broncos to a 60-50 non-conference victory over the North Texas State Eagles Saturday night. Neither team could manage much offense in the first half, with the

first basket coming with 15:56 to go in the half. Pan American led 19-15 at the half.

The Eagles were led by Todd Warren with 15 and Vincent Greene with 12. Pan American is now 2-0, while North Texas fell to 0-2.

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NFL											
AMERICAN CONFERENCE					NATIONAL CONFERENCE						
Team	W	L	T	Pct	Team	W	L	T	Pct		
x-Miami	12	0	0	.923	416	215	Washington	9	5	0	.643
New England	8	7	0	.538	319	262	N.Y. Giants	8	5	0	.615
N.Y. Jets	6	7	0	.462	280	286	Dallas	8	5	0	.615
Indianapolis	4	9	0	.308	197	342	St. Louis	7	6	0	.538
Buffalo	1	12	0	.077	191	396	Philadelphia	5	7	1	.423
Central											
Pittsburgh	7	6	0	.538	331	290	x-Chicago	9	4	0	.692
Cincinnati	5	8	0	.385	243	280	Green Bay	5	8	0	.385
Cleveland	4	9	0	.308	186	234	Detroit	4	8	0	.346
Houston	2	11	0	.154	181	363	Tampa Bay	4	9	0	.308
West											
Seattle	11	2	0	.846	359	200	Minnesota	3	11	0	.214
Denver	11	2	0	.846	293	198	x-cinched division title				
L.A. Raiders	9	4	0	.692	292	228	y-cinched wild-card playoff berth				
San Diego	6	7	0	.462	340	348	Thursday's Game				
Kansas City	5	8	0	.385	222	283	Washington 31, Minnesota 17				
NATIONAL CONFERENCE											
East					Central						
Washington	9	5	0	.643	367	255	x-Chicago	9	4	0	.692
N.Y. Giants	8	5	0	.615	255	250	Green Bay	5	8	0	.385
Dallas	8	5	0	.615	233	240	Detroit	4	8	0	.346
St. Louis	7	6	0	.538	332	285	Tampa Bay	4	9	0	.308
Philadelphia	5	7	1	.423	231	251	Minnesota	3	11	0	.214
Central											
x-Chicago	9	4	0	.692	274	195	Monday's Game				
Green Bay	5	8	0	.385	305	267	Chicago at San Diego, 8 p.m.				
Detroit	4	8	0	.346	250	316					
Tampa Bay	4	9	0	.308	257	326					
Minnesota	3	11	0	.214	255	395					
West											
x-San Francisco	12	1	0	.923	370	187					
L.A. Rams	8	5	0	.615	299	290					
New Orleans	6	7	0	.462	246	300					
Atlanta	3	10	0	.231	232	314					

NHL															
Wales Conference					Eastern Conference										
Team	W	L	T	Pts	Team	W	L	T	Pts						
Philadelphia	15	4	4	34	103	Boston	14	1	0	.933					
NY Islanders	14	8	1	29	118	Philadelphia	12	4	0	.750					
Washington	10	8	5	25	86	Washington	12	7	0	.632					
NY Rangers	9	11	2	20	83	New Jersey	8	8	5	.500					
New Jersey	7	12	2	16	71	New York	8	12	0	.400					
Pittsburgh	6	13	3	15	76	Central Division									
Adams Division															
Montreal	14	5	4	32	87	Milwaukee	11	8	0	.579					
Quebec	12	11	1	25	84	Chicago	9	9	0	.500					
Boston	11	11	1	23	85	Detroit	9	9	0	.500					
Buffalo	9	11	4	22	89	Indianapolis	5	14	0	.263					
Hartford	8	12	3	19	74	Cleveland	2	14	1	.125					
Campbell Conference															
Norris Division					Western Conference										
Chicago	12	11	2	26	102	Denver	12	3	0	.800					
St. Louis	12	9	1	25	91	Houston	12	6	.667						
Minnesota	8	11	5	21	88	Dallas	9	9	0	.500					
Detroit	6	14	3	15	86	Utah	9	9	0	.500					
Toronto	4	16	4	12	72	San Antonio	7	9	0	.438					
Smyth Division															
Edmonton	18	3	3	39	126	Kansas City	3	13	0	.188					
Calgary	15	8	1	31	121	Pacific Division									
Los Angeles	11	9	3	25	102	L.A. Lakers	12	6	.667						
Winnipeg	11	9	2	24	92	Portland	11	6	.570						
Vancouver	4	19	2	10	76	Phoenix	10	8	.556						
Late Game Not Included															
Friday's Games					Saturday's Games										
St. Louis 5, Detroit 3					Washington 114, Detroit 108										
Edmonton 4, Hartford 2					Houston 116, Atlanta 102										
Montreal 2, Buffalo 2, tie					New Jersey 123, Indiana 100										
Toronto 3, N.Y. Rangers 3, tie					Philadelphia 126, Portland 116										
N.Y. Islanders 5, Winnipeg 3					Dallas 106, Seattle 96										
Philadelphia 3, Pittsburgh 1					Chicago 104, L.A. Clippers 100										
Washington 5, Boston 4, OT					Utah 116, Denver 97										
Chicago 5, New Jersey 3					Chicago 104, L.A. Clippers 100										
Saturday's Games															
Philadelphia 3, Pittsburgh 1					L.A. Lakers 130, Kansas City 121										
Washington 5, Boston 4, OT															
Chicago 5, New Jersey 3															
Quebec 8, Hartford 4															
Montreal 3, Buffalo 2															
N.Y. Rangers 4, Toronto 1															
N.Y. Islanders 4, Toronto 1															
Calgary 8, Minnesota 4															
St. Louis 10, Detroit 5															
Vancouver at Los Angeles, (n)															
Sunday's Games															
Pittsburgh at Washington, 6:05 p.m.															
Calgary at Winnipeg, 7:05 p.m.															
Monday's Games															
Boston at Quebec, 6:35 p.m.															
Hartford at Montreal, 6:35 p.m.															
Philadelphia at N.Y. Rangers, 6:35 p.m.															
N.Y. Islanders at Vancouver, 9:35 p.m.															

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NBA Boxes									
DETROIT (11): Roundfield 7-14									
25-19, Tyler 36-08, Lambear 4-9									
6-2 10, Thomas 6-22 2-14, Johnson									
9-14 4-2, Benson 2-5 2-2, Campbell									
44 4-4 12, Stepp 2-3 9-10 13,									
Kureton 2-4 4-8, Long 9-12 3-3 21,									
Totals 40-90 20-39 131.									
INDIANA (10): Williams 7-17									
37-20 31, Kellogg 11-19 3-4 25,									
Seigmonich 15-44 6, Thomas 6-14 11									
7-3, Sighting 8-16 0-0 16, Brown 13									
2-0 2, Garnett 5-7 0-0 10, Fleming									
4-5 2-2 4, Gray 0-1 0-0 0, Stansbury									
2-1 0-0 0, Durant 1-2 0-0 2, Totals									
41-90 27-33 106.									
DETROIT 25 18 21 41-131									
Indiana 21 28 31-131									
Fouled out—Gray, Rebounds—									
Detroit 52, Rebounds 52, Indiana									
60 (Kellogg 9, Asista—Detroit 3)									
Thomas 9, Indiana 17 (Sighting,									
Garnett 6, Total fouls—Detroit 30,									
Indiana 36. Technicals—Indiana									
Coach Irvine 4—137R.									
PORTLAND (11): Carr 6-15 3									
15, Vandeweghe 9-15 1-2 19,									
M. Thompson 9-13 3-8 15, Paxson 3-4									
2-4, Valentine 2-6 0-0 4, Collier									
8-12 3-10 25, Burns 6-7 0-2 4, Coker									
2-4 1-2 7, Norris 2-3 4-5 8, B. Thompson									
2-2 1-2 5, Kersey 0-2 1-2 1,									
Scheffler 0-1 0-0 0, Totals 46 91 23									
60 115.									
NEW YORK (10): Cummings 14									
1-2 3, Orr 9-14 0-1 18, Wilkins 7-13									
9-0 14, Sparrow 7-7 4-4 18, Walker									
39-11 3, Carter 1-4 2-2 4, Grunfeld									
6-0 1-1 1, Bailey 2-4 0-2 4, Bannister									
6-0 1-2, Tucker 2-4 0-0 4, Totals									
62-93 31-83.									
Portland 22 29 35 115-113									
New York 26 30 27-83									
Fouled out—Cummings,									
Rebounds—Portland 40, Drexler									
21, New York 43 (Wilkins 7)									
Asista—Portland 26 (Valentine 8)									
New York 25 (Sparrow 11) Total									
fouls—Portland 22, New York 30									
4-13-84.									
BOSTON (10): Maxwell 3-8 10									
14, Bird 15-25 2-3 34, Parish 8-17 10									
18 28, Alinge 3-9 2-3 8, Johnson 5-12									
12 11, McHale 4-8 4-8 12, Buckner									
6-2 0-0 4, Carr 0-0 0 0, Westman 2-3									
1-1 5, Christie 0-0 0-0 0, Totals 40-94									
20-7 110.									
CLEVELAND (10): Thompson									
5-21 3-15, Hinson 7-9 0-0 14, Turpin									
5-11 4-5 14, Bagley 8-14 1-2 18,									
Davis 4-5 4-12, Cook 8-11 2-2 14,									
Hubbard 4-14 4-12, Pogue 0-4 0-0									
4-0, Wilson 2-4 0-0 4, West 0-0 0-0									
4 Totals 43-100 18-21 104.									
Boston 25 34 32 110-110									
Cleveland 22 27 35 104									
SEATTLE (9): Chambers 10-16									
25, Vranes 2-3 0-0 4, Sikma 8-15									
10-12 28, Henderson 5-11 2-2 12,									
Wood 8-17 3-4 18, Sobers 3-0 0-0 4,									
Erickson 0-2 0-0 0, McPherson 1-0 0-0									
Totals 35-74 22-34 94.									
HOUSTON (8): McCray 10-16 2									
12, Sampson 1-9 4-8 8, Okajuwu									
4-12 4-12, Lucas 5-13 1-1 12, Lloyd									
5-13 3-4 13, Reid 4-10 2-3 10, Peter									
sen 0-0 0-0 0, Ford 3-4 1-1 7, Hollins									
2-1 0-0 0, Wiggins 1-2 0-0 2,									
McDowell 0-0 0-0 0, Totals 34-81 17									
26 86.									
Seattle 26 33 23 84									
Houston 18 19 25 86									
Three-point goals—Nixon,									
Fouled out—Chambers, Sampson,									
Rebounds—Seattle 45 (Sikma 18),									
Houston 48 (Okajuwu 11) Asista—									
Seattle 30 (Henderson 11) Houston									
21 (Lucas 8) Total fouls—Seattle									
21, Houston 24—12-7R.									
MILWAUKEE (9): Cummings									
12-22 4-26, Presney 5-12 2-3 13, Lla									
2-7 1-3 11, Davis 12-19 1-1 25,									
Dunleavy 0-1 0-0 0, Hodges 4-12 2-2									
10, Mokeki 2-3 2-3 8, Micheaux 0-0									
0-0 0, Fields 0-0 0-0 0, Brewer 0-1									
0-0 0, Grevey 0-0 0-0 0, Totals 41-83									
25 16 97.									
WASHINGTON (10): Ballard 4									
9-0 8, Robinson 8-14 4-5 20,									
Huland 6-9 2-4 14, Bradley 4-6 3-3									
13, Malone 8-13 5-17, Dye 5-8 4-8									
2, McMillen 2-4 0-0 4, Johnson 3-9									
5-11, Totals 36-74 23-29 100.									
Milwaukee 26 33 27-97									
Washington 25 36 31-100									
LOS ANGELES (11): Johnson									
7-17 3-4 17, White 1-3 0-0 2, Wal									
ton 4-8 0-0 8, Nixon 3-9 2-2 9,									
Smith 7-16 8-9 22, Bridgeman 6-13									
17 18, Donohoe 3-4 3-5 9, Cape									
3-5 0-0 8, Warrick 2-4 0-0 4,									
Catching 0-1 7-8, Gordon 2-4 0-0									
4, Murphy 1-2 2-4, Totals 39-86									
37 35 110.									
SAN ANTONIO (14): Banks 6-9									
3-5 15, Mitchell 9-15 1-2 19, Gil									
more 6-9 2-9 14, Moore 8-10 0-0									
13, Gavin 4-12 2-4 11, Roberts 3-9									
3-4 9, Robertson 7-10 1-1 16,									
O. Jones 6-7 1-2 13, E. Jones 5-7 0									
2-10, Paxson 7-10 0-0 14, McIn									
nara 2-3 1-1 8, Brewer 1-6 0-0 4,									
Totals 83-106 15-23 142.									
L.A. Clippers 22 28 26 110									
San Antonio 36 33 48 27-142									
Three-point goals—Nixon,									
Fouled out—Johnson,									
Rebounds—Los Angeles 43 (John									
son 8), San Antonio 58 (Banks 9)									
Asista—Los Angeles 22 (Moore 13)									
20), San Antonio 42 (Moore 13)									
Total fouls—Los Angeles 22, San									
Antonio 28, A-7-7R.									

College Basketball Scores									
EAST					MIDWEST				
Albany 81, Stony Brook 80					Akron 64, W. Illinois 57				
Albright 90, Memphis 51					Augsburg 96, St. Thomas 56				
Alfred 51, RPI 47					Augustana, S.D. 80, Valley City				
American Intl. 79, Cent. Conn.					Baylor 78, NE Illinois 51				
Assumption 80, NY Tech 71					Belmont 71, W. Va. River Falls				
Barrington 59, Roger Williams					Bethany 87, Sterling 82, Kan.				
Connecticut 60					Bethel 82, UICLA 61				
Bentley 56, Quinnipiac 52					Birmingham 80, Oakland City				
Binghamton 57, Boston 53					Buena Vista 77, Grandview 75				
Buffalo 11, Geneseo 57					Butler 72, DePaul 51				
Canisius 96, Mercyhurst 73					Cedarville 75, Ohio Wesleyan 70				
Concord 95, Shepherd 74					Cent. Conn. 81, Ambrose 41				
Connecticut Coll. 52, Coast					Cent. Missouri 77, Grand View				
Guard 45					Cincinnati 56, N. Kentucky 52				
Corneil 61, Elmira 62					Cornell, Iowa 78, Coe 83				
Dayton 66, Providence 55					Delaware 83, Wabash 84, Jeff 78				

Lee takes TC over MHS

By BRUCE CASTLEBERRY
Sports Writer

Midland Lee and Midland High locked up in a classic struggle late Saturday night at the Al K. Bradford Chaparral Center in the finals of the 19th Annual Tall City basketball tournament, and the good news is that the best is yet to come.

The bad news is that there had to be a loser. Saturday, Midland High got that role, as Lee knocked off the defending tournament champions 56-49 in an epic struggle.

Since both are members of District 45A, the best is most certainly yet to come since both teams will play again at least twice this year.

Lee threatened to make the game a runaway in the first half. MHS coach Jack Stephenson even admitted his team began flat as Lee rolled to a 29-17 halftime edge.

But MHS shook off the doldrums in the third period, and came back to make things tense in the fourth quarter.

The Bulldogs came back with a 17-6 spurt to open the second half that tightened the game up. Although MHS' Darrell Davis had been fairly eliminated from the inside by a tough Lee zone, Norris Cowles and Matt Sears began to work free inside and the floor opened up for the Bulldogs.

When Davis hit a turnaround jumper a la Elvin Hayes with just inside two minutes to go in the third, MHS had taken its first lead at 38-37.

But Lee and MHS played patient, intelligent ball throughout the final frame and neither side gave in to the mounting pressure. Ultimately, however, it was a case of a young and talented team not being able to keep up with a veteran and talented club. Lee's Brian Marczynski provided leadership with outside scoring good for 23 points and the Rebs waited until they could go to the foul line.

There they hit shot after shot in the final moments and iced the victory with the final seven Reb points, the margin of victory.

Although Lee got the tournament gold, Bulldog Davis was named the tournament's most valuable player, and rightly so because Davis ripped everybody. His 22 in the final against Lee was his worst production of the year, and MHS coach Jack Stephenson could probably stand 22 points any night.

Lee placed three on the All-Tournament team, Brian Marczynski, Raymond Morney and Derek Westbrook.

Morney had a career-high 30 points Saturday afternoon in Lee's 81-76 semifinal win over Lubbock Coronado.

Other All-Tourney choices were brothers Chris and Jerry Mason from Lamesa; Coronado's Todd Duncan and Lee transfer John Keith Lewis; Odessa Permian's Terry Williams; Amarillo Tascosa's Dwayne Smith; and El Paso Eastwood's Wilbur Griffith.

El Paso Irvin was awarded the sportsmanship trophy.

Permian won the consolation bracket with a 57-50 win over Tascosa. Coronado placed third in the tourney with their 93-68 blowout of Lamesa.

In early games Saturday, Morton whipped Levelland 64-53; Pecos outlasted Big Spring 71-69; and Irvin topped Lubbock High 55-53. EP Eastwood downed Odessa 75-57 to round out play in the 19th Invitational field.

Midland High (49): Tim Hickey, 0 0 10; Roger Henderson, 1 1 13; Matt Sears, 7 0 2 14; Gil Brassard, 0 0 3 0; Anthony Deande, 0 2 1 2; Norris Cowles, 2 2 0 6; Mike Lyon, 0 2 0 2; Elvin Mackey, 0 0 2 0; Darrell Davis, 8 6 22. Totals: 18 13 49.

Midland Lee (56): Jack McCranie, 0 0 0 0; Eddie Riley, 0 0 0 0; Greg Johnson, 1 1 2 3; Derek Westbrook, 5 0 3 10; Lee Dixon, 2 0 2 4; Raymond Morney, 4 4 2 12; Brian Marczynski, 9 8 23; Tim Hill, 2 0 4; Kenny Stashling, 0 0 2 0; Quintus Hampton, 0 0 0 0. Totals: 23 10 56.

Score by quarters:
Midland High 11 6 23 9-49
Midland Lee 17 12 15 16-56

Pecos (71): Sonny Crona, 1 0 1 2; Er Jackson, 11 3 4 25; Bernard Williams, 4 2 2 10; Mark Sanders, 2 0 1 4; Billy Cole, 0 0 1 0; Alex Minter, 0 0 1 0; Collin Carroll, 1 0 3 2; Sidney Parker, 4 0 4 8; Mike Leachner, 8 2 2 18; Mike Howie, 1 0 1 2; David Shortes, 0 0 1 0. Totals: 31 7 20-69.

Score by quarters:
Pecos 23 12 24-71
Big Spring 16 15 24 16-69

Lamesa (78): Doug Warren, 0 0 3 0; Richard Diaz, 5 0 4 10; Jerry Mason, 8 7 3 23; Alex Martinez, 0 0 1 0; Gilbert Arradondo, 2 2 5 6; Chris Mason, 14 3 5 31; Kenneth Williams, 4 0 3 6; Aaron Winn, 0 0 0 0; Chris Staudt, 0 2 3 2. Totals: 33 12 27 78.

Midland High (82): Tim Hickey, 0 0 0 0; Roger Henderson, 0 4 5 4; Matt Sears, 5 0 4 10; Gil Brassard, 4 2 3 10; Anthony Deande, 2 1 3 5; Norris Cowles, 1 2 0 4; Mike Lyon, 0 1 2 1; Elvin Mackey, 7 0 2 14; Darrell Davis, 11 12 4 34. Totals: 30 22 23 82.

Score by quarters:
Lamesa 20 18 8 32-76
Midland 16 23 18 23-62

Lubbock Coronado (78): Thomas Holt, 2 1 2 5; Cole Hsieh, 3 4 5 10; Todd Duncan, 6 10 2 22; Patrick Johnson, 4 4 5 12; Toby Vance, 2 1 2 5; John Lewis, 6 1 2 13; Alvin Morriel, 2 3 5 7; Brahears, 1 0 0 2. Totals: 26 24 23 76.

Midland Lee (81): Jack McCranie, 0 3 3 3; Eddie Riley, 1 2 0 4; Greg Johnson, 0 0 1 0; Derek Westbrook, 0 0 4 0; Lee Dixon, 2 1 3 5; Raymond Morney, 10 10 1 30; Brian Marczynski, 10 1 1 21; Tim Hill, 8 4 5 18; Kenny Stashling, 1 0 5 2. Totals: 30 21 23 91.

Score by quarters:
Lubbock Coronado 16 26 16 16-76
Midland Lee 21 24 22 14-62

Lubbock (83): Tommy Gonzalez, 2 1 3 5; Israel Gonzalez, 1 3 3 5; Alvin Hargers, 1 0 3 2; Ronnie Rush, 3 2 1 8; Mayo Gonzalez, 3 0 3 6; Troy Schiermeyer, 2 0 2 4; Forrest Rashada, 1 1 2 3; Toby Christian, 6 4 2 20. Totals: 21 11 19 53.

El Paso Irvin (58): Rudy Carrillo, 4 3 3 11; Bob Valtierra, 1 1 1 3; Chris Shamy, 2 0 0 4; Perry Ray, 3 7 3 13; Darran Hunt, 2 2 3 6; Mario Dominguez, 6 1 1 13; Randy Perkins, 0 1 1 1; Robert Thomas, 1 1 2 3; Mark Jabor, 0 0 2 0; Dodd, 0 0 2 0. Totals: 19 17 14 55.

Score by quarters:
Lubbock 16 15 3 17-63
EP Irvin 15 15 9 16-65

El Paso Eastwood (65): Brent Ray, 3 2 2 8; Steve Lee, 4 5 2 13; Richard Jones, 1 0 2 2; Jarrod Rogers, 1 2 1 4; Rudy Medrano, 0 0 4 0; Wilbur Griffith, 10 1 4 21; Larry Thompson, 4 5 3 13; Marlie Helmer, 3 1 2 7; Brett Wagner, 0 0 0 0; Rubio, 0 0 4 0; Clark, 0 0 0 0; Duncan, 0 0 1 0; Kelly, 3 1 1 7. Totals: 28 17 26 75.

Score by quarters:
EP Eastwood 17 16 14 28-75
Odessa 8 18 18 16-67

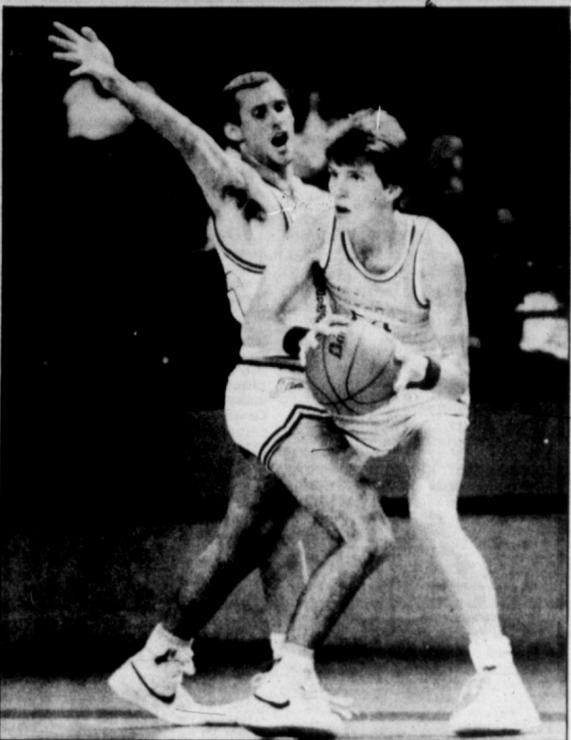
Odessa Permian (57): Curly Alford, 1 1 4 3; Tony Lewis, 2 2 1 5; Larry Nelson, 0 0 0 0; Terry Williams, 2 3 4 15; Greg Robinson, 0 1 1 1; Johnny Gomez, 1 0 2 4; Jimmy Davis, 4 4 2 12; Royce Carrigan, 1 2 0 4; Orlando Ontiveroz, 5 2 2 9; Kenny Smith, 0 0 0 0; Jeff Mitchell, 0 0 4 0; Smith, 1 0 0 2. Totals: 21 15 20 57.

Amarillo Tascosa (50): Jimmy Hannon, 1 2 2 4; John Sturgeon, 0 0 2 0; Russell Nichols, 0 1 1 1; Cole Hsieh, 8 1 3 17; Todd Duncan, 6 2 2 14; Patrick Johnson, 5 6 2 18; Toby Vance, 6 0 5 12; John Lewis, 1 1 1 24; Alvin Morriel, 1 0 3 2; Marshall, 2 0 2 4; George Ramsey, 2 2 5 6; Jeff Jones, 3 0 5 6. Totals: 20 10 23 50.

Score by quarters:
Permian 12 13 10 32-57
Tascosa 10 7 16 17-50

Lubbock Coronado (93): Thomas Holt, 2 0 2 4; Cole Hsieh, 8 1 3 17; Todd Duncan, 6 2 2 14; Patrick Johnson, 5 6 2 18; Toby Vance, 6 0 5 12; John Lewis, 1 1 1 24; Alvin Morriel, 1 0 3 2; Marshall, 2 0 2 4; George Ramsey, 2 2 5 6; Jeff Jones, 3 0 5 6. Totals: 20 10 23 50.

Score by quarters:
Permian 12 13 10 32-57
Tascosa 10 7 16 17-50



Midland Lee's Derek Westbrook tries to keep Midland High's Gil Brassard from passing during finals of Tall City basketball tournament Saturday night. Lee won the championship with a 56-49 victory.

COM swimmers grab gold in Odessa meet

ODESSA — The City of Midland Swim team competed in the 11-team Odessa Aquatic Club Fall Invitational meet Saturday, capturing six individual firsts and four relay firsts.

Carrie Henry won the 10-under girls 100 IM. Jane Marker took the 13-14 200 IM while Stacey Barbee was first in the 200 IM for 15-18.

In boys competition, Shannon Guignon was first in the 190 IM for 10-under; while the 10-under, 11-12 and 13-14 200 freestyle relay teams finished first.

- Odessa Aquatic Club Fall Invitational Meet:
Midland swimmers:
10-under girls 100 IM—1. Carrie Henry 1:24.14, 2. Gwen Walraven 1:38.89, 4. Ginger Brinnistool, 1:42.51.
11-12 100 IM—3. Patricia Kennedy 1:34.71.
15-18 200 IM—1. Stacey Barbee 2:51.27.
13-14 200 IM—1. Jane Marker 2:36.43, 5. Kristen Henry 2:56.53, Megan Kennedy 3:06.23.
10-under 200 Free Relay—1. Jennifer Miller, Gwen Walraven, Ginger Brinnistool, Carrie Henry, 2:43.23.
13-14 200 free relay—2. Kristen Henry, Aimee Guignon, Megan Kennedy, Jane Marker 2:04.07.
10-under boys 100 IM—1. Shannon Guignon 1:24.10, 8. Matt Horne 1:39.75, 7. Brian Whylaw 1:42.97.
11-12 100 IM—14. Eric Jones 1:21.42, 2. Chris Holt 1:22.20, 8. Brandon Diamukes 1:23.90.
13-14 200 IM—2. Paul Harris 2:28.79, 4. Bryan Roen 2:51.81.
11-12 200 free relay—1. Matt Seay, John Waller, Chris Holt, Jason Tomlinson 2:06.67.
10-under 200 free relay—1. Matt Horne, Shannon Guignon, Robert Welch, Matt Welch 2:28.18.
13-14 200 Free Relay—1. Lance Campbell, M. Houston, Tommy Whylaw, M. Stelling, 2:05.75.

DuBose hits hole-in-one

Willie DuBose landed a hole-in-one Saturday on the Par 3 No. 4 hole at Ranchland Hills Country Club's 18-hole golf course, according to Shaun McDonald, the club's assistant golf pro.

The ball traveled the 137 yards to paydirt.

MHS, Lee finish high in Amarillo

From Staff Reports

AMARILLO — The Midland High and Lee girls each won two and lost one game here Friday and Saturday in the Amarillo Invitational girls basketball tournament.

Midland High gained the finals before losing the tourney finale, 40-37, to Dumas. They gained the finals by beating El Paso 61-26 in the first round and beating Amarillo Caprock by a 53-42 margin.

Lee won consolation honors after losing in the first round to Amarillo High, 56-45. The Rebels stormed back to take a 58-45 win over El Paso Burges before winning consolation honors with a 55-42 decision over Lubbock Estacado.

Midland High is now 4-3 on the year, the same as Lee.

Midland High (61): Charlotte Hines 1-0-0-2; Tina Knight, 8-0-1-12; Diedra Knapp, 1-0-3-2; Denise Lanz, 9-0-1-18; Nadine Hill, 3-2-3-8; Teraz Robinson, 1-0-1-2; Jennifer, 0-0-1-0; Amanda Hendrickson, 3-0-3-6; Jackie Jones, 3-0-3-6; Amy Hubbard, 1-0-1-2; Jill Webb, 0-0-1-0; Laura Martin, 1-1-0-3. Totals: 29-3-16-61.

El Paso (26): Yarnica Flores, 0-1-0-1; Macey Chavez, 2-0-0-4; Maria Jimenez, 1-1-2-3; Laura Rodriguez, 4-1-1-9; Heather Nehrung, 8-1-9. Totals: 8-2-10-26.

Midland High (53): Tina Knight, 3-2-3-8; Charlotte Hines, 5-1-4-11; Diedra Knapp, 5-0-1-10; Denise Lanz, 4-8-4-18; Amy Hubbard, 1-0-1-2; Amanda Hendrickson, 1-0-6-2; Jill Webb, 1-0-0-2; Teraz Robinson, 1-0-1-2. Totals: 21-11-25-53.

Amarillo Caprock (42): Juanita Colbert, 1-0-0-4; Kim Leolir, 2-2-4-6; Susan Novack, 0-2-2-2; Kay Satterfield, 4-2-2-10; Cindy Sizemore, 0-2-3-4; Rene Fennell, 0-5-5-10; Amy Fennell, 2-0-2-4.

Midland Lee (37): Tina Knight, 1-0-3-2; Charlotte Hines, 1-0-0-2; Diedra Knapp, 4-2-0-10; Denise Lanz, 5-3-3-18; Jackie Jones, 1-0-2-2; Nadine Hill, 0-3-2-3; Amanda Hendrickson, 1-0-0-2; Teraz Robinson, 0-0-1-0. Totals: 13-13-11-37.

Dumas (40): Hager, 7-1-0-15; Beachamb, 4-2-4-10; Carraway, 1-3-3-6; Lovell, 3-0-2-6; Calderon, 2-0-3-4. Totals: 17-6-40.

Midland Lee (45): Diane White, 3-1-7; Denise Hatch, 2-0-4; Tina Swinney, 5-0-10; Tina Sizemore, 0-0-0; Becky White, 3-4-10; Valencia Wallace, 1-0-2; Fields, 1-0-2; Joan Whitley, 0-0-0; Roz Eaden, 2-1-5; Megan Pace, 1-1-3; Louisa Brown, 1-0-2; Candace Morney, 0-0-0. Totals: 19-7-45.

Amarillo High (85): Dornqvist, 1-1-3; Watson, 7-4-16; Dean, 9-3-21; Posey, 2-4-8; Lynch, 2-2-4. Totals: 21-14-58.

Midland Lee (58): White, 3-0-6; Hatch, 3-1-7; Swinney, 5-3-13; Sizemore, 3-0-6; White, 1-2-4; Wallace, 3-0-6; Fields, 2-4-8; Whitley, 1-0-2; Eaden, 2-0-4; Brown, 1-0-2. Totals: 24-10-58.

El Paso Burges (45): Martinez, 5-3-13; Estrada, 2-0-4; Lupo, 4-1-8; McDaniel, 1-0-2; Martinez, 2-0-4; Pena, 0-5-5; Vearrueta, 4-2-8. Totals: 16-13-45.

Midland Lee (58): White, 1-0-2; Morney, 3-0-6; Eaden, 2-3-7; Pace, 2-0-4; Swinney, 3-0-6; Hatch, 2-0-4; B. White, 8-1-17; Wallace, 2-3-7; Whitley, 0-2-2. Totals: 23-9-58.

Lubbock Estacado (42): Williams 1-0-2; Johnson 2-6; Cartwright 3-0-6; Heath 1-5-7; Harris 1-0-2; Taylor 1-3-5; Taylor, 3-8-14. Totals: 12-19-42.

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Auburn comes up one yard short; 'Bama wins 17-15

Associated Press

BIRMINGHAM — Bo Jackson has ripped Alabama for 488 yards in three meetings, but it was one measly yard Auburn didn't get that made the difference in the Crimson Tide's 17-15 upset that knocked the 11th-ranked Tigers out of a Sugar Bowl berth.

Auburn had a fourth-and-goal at the Alabama 1-yard line with just over 3 1/2 minutes left Saturday. Coach Pat Dye had to decide whether to try a chip-shot field goal or gamble for a touchdown.

The normally conservative Dye went for broke, but Brent Fullwood, whose 60-yard touchdown run with 9:11 remaining had brought Auburn within two points, was stopped cold on a pitchout.

"I would have made a different decision if I had known Bo was going the wrong way on the sweep," Dye said. "I think we'd have scored if we hadn't missed the assignment. Bo thought he was supposed to get the ball and he was supposed to block."

"I don't question anything we did. A field goal would have put us up by one point and a touchdown would have put us up by six. It wasn't like they hadn't moved the ball on us all day, so we felt like we were going for the win. If we just execute the

play the way it is planned we score easily. We just didn't execute it."

Nevertheless, Dye's decision shocked a Legion Field crowd of 76,853, as well as Alabama Coach Ray Perkins.

"Totally," was Perkins' reaction when asked if Dye's decision surprised him. "I thought they were trying to draw us offside and then go for the field goal."

Instead of the Sugar Bowl, Auburn had to settle for the Liberty Bowl, where the Tigers will face Arkansas. Meanwhile, 14th-ranked LSU, which completed an 8-2-1 regular season a week ago, backed into a Sugar Bowl date against Nebraska by finishing second in the Southeastern Conference with a 4-1-1 record.

Third-ranked Florida won the SEC title with a 5-0-1 conference mark but the Gators were banned from a bowl trip because of a pending NCAA probation.

Auburn, the preseason pick to win the national championship, finished its regular season at 8-4, including a 4-2 SEC mark.

Boston College 45, Holy Cross 10 WORCESTER, Mass. — Boston College's Flutie attack took on a new dimension Saturday when quarterback Doug Threw for three scoring passes and his kid brother Darren scored the first two touchdowns of

his career as the eighth-ranked Eagles crushed Holy Cross 45-10.

Doug Flutie started slowly, improved in the second half and left immediately after the traditional football rivalry for the highlight of his day, the Heisman Trophy presentation in New York.

He finished with 13 completions in 25 attempts for 276 yards and boosted his major-college career records to 11,317 yards of total offense and 10,579 passing yards.

The Cotton Bowl-bound Eagles, who ended their regular season with a 9-2 record, held just a 17-10 halftime lead as Holy Cross, a Division I-AA power which ended its campaign at 8-3, intercepted Doug Flutie twice.

Army 28, Navy 11 PHILADELPHIA — When Army Coach Jim Young decided to switch to a wishbone offense, he turned to Nate Sassaman, a defensive back in 1983. It worked.

Led by Sassaman's 154 yards rushing and two touchdowns, Army capped its most successful season in years Saturday with a 28-11 triumph over Navy, the Cadets' first victory

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in the classic college football rivalry since 1977.

"It was a great win and a great way to finish the season, especially since Army hasn't won against Navy recently," Young said. "The players will remember this game forever."

Sassaman was a quarterback in his first two years at West Point but was moved to defensive back for 1983. Then Young picked him to run the risky option attack.

"I was doing cartwheels in my room, because that was my home, running the ball," Sassaman recalled after Saturday's game, played before a sellout crowd of 73,180 who watched it return to its traditional home after a year in Pasadena, Calif.

Sassaman, who finished his senior year with 1,002 yards rushing, added, "In my wildest dreams, I never thought I'd gain 1,000 yards for a season. But it's icing on the cake because it's such a big deal to beat Navy."

Navy Coach Gary Tranquill was blunt. "They just kicked our butts," Tranquill said. "We couldn't stop them."

Hopson's only points give OSU win over Arkansas

Associated Press

COLUMBUS, Ohio — Dennis Hopson's only points of the game, two free throws with 57 seconds left Saturday night, provided Ohio State with the winning points in an 85-84 verdict over 17th-ranked Arkansas in non-conference college basketball.

The Razorbacks lost despite a 31-point effort by Olympian Joe Kleine. Hopson's two foul shots gave Ohio State, 2-0, an 85-82 margin over Arkansas, 2-1.

Arkansas trailed by as many as 13 points early in the second half before Kleine, a 6-foot-11, 255-pound senior center, muscled inside to trigger the comeback.

Forward Joe Concheck scored a career-high 23 points for Ohio State, but had double-figure scoring support from three teammates. Brad Sellers, a 7-foot transfer from Wisconsin, had 22, Troy Taylor 15 and Ron Stokes 13.

William Mills, a 6-7 sophomore

guard who did not start for disciplinary reasons, scored 25 for the Razorbacks.

ARKANSAS (84): Balesine 1-1 0-0 2, Moore 0-1 0-0 0, Kleine 11-22 9-31, Rosta 0-0 0-0 0, Freeman 1-2 1-2 3, Irvin 6-10 2-2 14, Crane 0-0 0-0 0, Lang 2-2 2-6, Mills 10-13 5-6 25, Hutchison 0-1 3-4 3, Powrachek 0-0 0-0 0, Scott 0-0 0-0 0, Rehl 0-0 0-0 0, Totals 31-54 22-84.

OHIO STATE (85): Concheck 10-15 3-3 23, Hopson 0-3 2-2 2, Sellers 7-10 8-9 22, Taylor 6-11 3-4 15, Stokes 4-7 6-7 13, J. Anderson 0-1 0-0 0, Jones 3-5 2-2 8, McGee 1-4 0-2 2, Totals 31-56 23-77 85.

Halftime—Ohio St. 44, Arkansas 35. Fouled out—Balesine, Taylor, Rebounds—Arkansas 29 (Kleine 11), Ohio St.—21 (Concheck, Sellers 7), Rebounds—Arkansas 15 (Mills 8), Ohio St. 10 (Taylor 5), Total fouls—Arkansas 23, Ohio St. 20. Technicals—None. A-13,124.

Houston 73, Campbell 64

CLEMSON, S.C. — Senior guard Reid Gettys scored 15 points and had 10 assists as the Houston Cougars overcame a determined effort by Campbell University to claim 73-64 win in the consolation game of the IPTAY Basketball Tournament.

All five Houston starters scored in double figures with Braxton Clark (10), Anderson (13) and Alvin Frank-

lin (13) joining Winslow and Gettys in the balanced attack.

Campbell's Andrea McGhee led all scorers with 23 points, getting 14 in the first half.

HOUSTON (73): Clark 4-2 3-10, Winslow 5-3 5-13, Anderson 5-3 4-13, Franklin 5-3 4-13, Galt 5-6 3-13, Dickens 2-3 6-7, Thomas 0-0 0-0, Alexander 0-0 0-0, Weaver 0-2 2-2, Totals 27-19-29 73.

CAMPBELL (64): Nash 2-4 6-8, Grier 5-2 2-12, Etobam 5-3 6-13, Austin 3-0 0-6, McGhee 11-1-23, Welch 0-0 0-0, Huffstater 1-0 2, Whitted 0-0 0-0, Totals 27-10-15 64.

Fouled out—Anderson, Austin, Total fouls—Houston 16, Campbell 21, Technicals—Etobam

SMU 89, NW Louisiana 57

DALLAS — The ninth-ranked Southern Methodist Mustangs may have discovered a new basketball star on.

The unbeaten Mustangs rolled over Northwestern Louisiana 89-57 in a non-conference game with sophomore Terry Williams stealing the show in his first start.

The 6-foot-9 forward from Newburgh, N.Y., starting because senior Larry Davis had a sprained ankle, scored 17 points and collected 12

rebounds.

NW LOUISIANA (57): Jones 3-8 1-2 7, Smith 11-20 0-1 22, Mays 3-5 5-9 11, Johnson 4-10 0-0 8, Roach 0-0 0-0 0, Brown 0-2 0-2 0, King 2-4 0-1 4, Harris 0-1 0-0 0, Neare 1-2 0-0 2, Turner 0-1 1-2 1, Young 1-2 0-0 2, Melancon 0-0 0-0 0, Totals 25-55 7-17 57.

SMU (89): Williams 8-10 1-3 17, Johnson 1-3 0-2 2, Koncak 3-5 7-8 13, Moore 3-4 0-0 6, Wright 10-19 2-4 22, Lewis 3-8 0-0 6, Briggs 4-5 3-3 11, Thomas 0-2 0-1 0, Fuller 0-1 0-1 0, Pink 1-1 0-0 2, Winborn 1-3 2-2 4, Puddy 2-2 2-2, Cozart 0-0 0-0 0, Michael 0-0 0-0 0, Totals 36-63 17-24 89.

Halftime—SMU 46, NW Louisiana 23. Fouled out—Mays, Rebounds—NW Louisiana 26 (Smith 8), SMU 40 (Williams 12), Assists—NW Louisiana 12 (Brown 5), SMU 20 (Moore 5), Total fouls—NW Louisiana 22, SMU 12. A-4,024.

Tech 71, Texas-San Antonio 49

LUBBOCK — Texas Tech's tena-

cious man-to-man defense limited

high-scoring Derrick Gervin to just nine points as the Red Raiders raced to a 71-49 non-conference basketball victory over Texas-San Antonio Saturday night.

The 6-foot-8 Gervin — the second leading returning scorer among NCAA Division I players with a 23.2 points-per-game average a year ago — scored six points in the first half and only three in the second before fouling out with 8:32 remaining.

Tech's Quentin Anderson scored a game-high 21 points, and joining

him in double figures for Tech were

Bubba Jennings with 13 and Tony Benford with 10.

TEXAS-SAN ANTONIO (49): Gervin 3-9 3-9 9, Macklin 3-5 2-2 8, Brown 0-2 3-4 3, Cunningham 3-7 1-1 7, Thornton 3-11 0-1 6, R. Wallace 3-6 2-2 8, Johnson 0-3 0-0 0, Durden 1-2 0-0 2, Haynes 3-7 0-1 6, Payne 0-1 0-0 0, Morris 0-0 0-0 0, Totals 19-53 11-16 49.

TEXAS TECH (71): Anderson 8-14 5-7 21, P. Wallace 2-4 0-1 4, Phillips 3-4 1-2 7, Benford 4-6 2-2 10, Jennings 5-13 3-4 13, Irvin 1-2 0-0 2, Taylor 1-3 0-1 2, Nelson 1-5 2-4 4, Duda 2-2 3-3 6, Crowe 0-1 2-2 2, Robinson 0-1 0-0 0, Totals 27-56 17-24 71.

Halftime—Texas-San Antonio 26, Texas Tech 37. Fouled out—Gervin, Rebounds—Texas-San Antonio 28 (R. Wallace 8), Texas Tech 40 (Anderson 8), Assists—Texas-San Antonio 10 (R. Wallace 3), Texas Tech 18 (P. Wallace 5), Total fouls—Texas-San Antonio 23, Texas Tech 18. Technicals—None. A-3,384.

Page KOs Coetzee

SUN CITY, South Africa (AP) — American Greg Page shook off a tarnished reputation and pounded champion Gerrie Coetzee of South Africa to the canvas in the eighth round of a tumultuous fight Saturday night to take the World Boxing Association heavyweight title.

During a furious battle, Coetzee and Page taunted each other in the ring, wrestled along the ropes and traded stunning blows.

Page appeared narrowly ahead on points when the end came suddenly through a left-right combination that knocked Coetzee on his back

Aggies stun UT, 37-12

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas A&M quarterback Craig Stump passed for two touchdowns, Anthony Toney scored on runs of 2 and 3 yards and Eric Franklin kicked three field goals Saturday night as A&M defeated No. 13 Texas 37-12.

Texas' loss in a game that attracted third largest paid attendance, 81,309, in the 60-year history of Memorial Stadium cost the Longhorns a share of the Southwest Conference Football title. However, Texas, 7-3-1, had post season bowl game invitations but it was uncertain whether the Longhorns would accept.

The 37 points were the most ever scored by A&M against Texas in a series that began in 1894.

A&M had no turnovers in the first half and punted only once in building a 20-0 lead as Stump guided the Aggies on scoring drives of 60, 58, 49 and 78 yards.

Matt Darwin, A&M's 258 pound center, was moved to right guard to protect Stump from the pass rush of Texas' 276-pound defensive tackle, Tony Degrate, and Stump responded by completing 9 of 17 in the first half including a 7-yard scoring pass to Jeff Nelson.

Franklin, the brother on New England Patriots place kicker Tony Franklin had field goals of 37 and 31 yards in the first half, and Toney scored on a 2-yard run.

Texas quarterback Todd Dodge could not move the Longhorns

deeper than the A&M 33 in the first half and left the game with a chest injury late in the third quarter.

A&M, 6-5, scored in the second half on an 18-yard Franklin field goal and a 3-yard run by Toney, and a 6-yard pass from Stump to Jimmy Teal.

Bret Stafford replaced Dodge and threw a 14-yard scoring pass to tight end William Harris for Texas late in the third quarter. Dodge returned late in the fourth quarter and threw 29 yards to Russell Hays for the Longhorns' final score.

A&M's previous high score against Texas was a 28-0 victory in 1925. Saturday night the Aggies could even

TEXAS A&M 10 10 10 7-37
TEXAS 0 0 0 0-12
A&M—FG Franklin 37
A&M—Toney 2 run (Franklin kick)
A&M—Nelson 7 pass from Stump (Franklin kick)
A&M—FG Franklin 31
A&M—FG Franklin 18
A&M—Toney 3 run (Franklin kick)
Tex—Harris 14 pass from Stafford (pass failed)
Tex—Hays 29 pass from Dodge (pass failed)
A&M—Teal 6 pass from Stump (Franklin kick)
A—61,309

First downs 25 17
Rushes-yards 60-287 30-80
Passing yards 166 248
Return yards 10 11
Passes 22-11-1 31-15-2
Punts 4-49 7-40
Fumbles-lost 0-0 2-0
Penalties-yards 9-90 5-56
Time of Possession 35:50 24:05

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING—Texas A&M, Sanders 15-83, Taylor 20-80, Vick 10-63, Texas, Stafford 8-46.
PASSING—Texas A&M, Stump 11-22-1 166, Texas, Dodge 9-19-2 156, Stafford 6-13-0 90.
RECEIVING—Texas A&M, Teal 6-100, Texas, Harris 5-93, Duhan 5-74, Hays 2-48.

have exceeded 37 points but allowed time to run out with the ball on the Texas 4.

Texas fans sensed a comeback when All-American safety Jerry Gray intercepted a Stump pass on A&M's first possession in the second half at the A&M 30.

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LEE

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"I knew I'd better get on the ball in a hurry," said Thurman. "Then, I saw a little opening. Earl Davis threw a great block and Terry Powell got another." That and by slipping through the grasp of a couple of tacklers broke Thurman into the clear along the west sidelines. By the third, he was cutting back toward the goal posts and running free.

Then, came the two touchdowns in the third period before the reserves, quarterbacked by junior Tvey Rankin, added a final score in the fourth period. It began with a fumble that gave Lee the ball on its 10. Jones got the ball to the Lee 46 on a 28-yard burst and then retired for the day. Thurman scooped a Rankin fumble and turned it into a 20-yard gain to the Richland 31 and then Lonnie Dixon swept end to the

11 and James Brown did the honors from the 11.

In the first half, Lee's defense kept Richland from realizing his offensive potential. On the game's first series with third and five at the Richland 46, defensive end Mike Rittenberry sacked Stephens for a five-yard loss.

On the next series, with third and one at the RHS 29, it was defensive end Lee Forrest putting the clamps on fullback John Burgett for no gain, forcing a punt. In the second period, tackle Wayland Jenkins and Forrest made a sack sandwich of Stephens for a minus seven to set up the short punt that led to the 34-yard touchdown drive just before half.

So now, Lee, 12-1, finally gets the opportunity it has waited so long for against the 13-0 Panthers, ranked No. 1 in the state and, according to USA Today, No. 5 in the nation.

EXODUS

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Guard Jake Young, one of Lee's stalwarts in the line, said, "When two backs have the kind of day they had today, it makes the line feel like it did a good job. That's how you measure the performance of the line, so I guess we did pretty good."

The fact that Jones cracked the 200-yard mark was not lost of offensive tackle Ariel Elliott. He was leaping for joy on the sidelines in the fourth quarter when he learned of the Jones feat. "Walter got 200. Can you believe it. Walter got 200."

On Permian, Young said, "We need to play Permian like we have been playing in the playoffs. It will be a tough game, so we need to play

like we did today."

Defensive end Mike Rittenberry, who was all over the field against Richland, said, "We have to get our heads on straight this week and be 100 percent like we were today. If we play hard, like we are capable, we will have a better chance than last time against Permian."

It was as if the Rebels left the Richland game on the playing field. Thoughts were turning quickly to Permian. It wasn't a boastful attitude that was present, but there were no scared faces in the crowd.

Exodus II will surely become a part of West Texas football lore — and we're down to six days and counting.



Jerry Mennenga/Reporter-Telegram

Midland Lee's Tom Denton (33) lowers the boom on Fort Worth Richland's Sean McCauley (7) in regional playoff action Saturday at Ratliff Stadium.

Sutter will sign for \$48 million

TORONTO (AP) — The Toronto Star said Saturday it has learned that relief pitcher Bruce Sutter will sign with the Atlanta Braves for what will amount to \$48 million in deferred payments over the next 30 years, making him the highest paid athlete in any sport.

Jim Bronner, Sutter's agent, however, denied the deal.

Braves General Manager John Mullen, reached in Houston where he was preparing for baseball's winter meetings, said no agreement has been reached.

"We don't have the slightest idea who he will sign with," Mullen said. "They've indicated we've made them a good offer but they are still going to check out every club that drafted him."

Mullen said he talked Friday night with Bronner, Sutter's agent. He said "They told us they still had to see three more clubs when they got here (to Houston) Monday and they were going to give the other clubs a chance to talk" to Sutter, he told KIKK Radio.

The Star said the free-agent pitcher already had been assured of a no-trade clause in his contract, something that his old team, the St. Louis Cardinals, and the Toronto Blue Jays were unwilling to concede in their talks with the veteran relief artist.

Chaps close fall season with pair of home games

From Staff Reports

Midland College closes out its fall basketball season with two home games this week by hosting New Mexico Junior College Monday and New Mexico Military Institute Thursday at Chaparral Center.

The Chaps blasted South Plains College in Levelland, 89-61, Thursday to run their conference record to 2-0 and stand 9-2 on the season. Led by 6-9 Tevin Binns' 31 points, MC used a tight full-court press to fluster the Texans early. Midway through the first half, the Chaps had a 20-point lead. SPC never got closer than 15 points in the second half.

Freshman 5-5 point guard Leland "Pookey" Wigington saw his first action of the year after having recovered from knee surgery that was performed one day before the season began.

"Our defense was tough in the first half and we got the good shots," coach Jerry Stone said. "We were a little sloppy in the second half and missed a lot of shots, but it's always good to win on the road."

Although NMJC lost to Odessa College Thunderbirds, "They always seem to have a bunch of players who can score and we will have to be ready to run with them for the whole 40 minutes," Stone said.

NMJC and NMMI are considered as spoilers in the conference. After being down for several years, NMMI brought back Soupy Campbell, who coached the Broncos in the 1970s and always had tough teams. One of his noted players was Reginald

Franklin, who later played for SMU and the Harlem Globetrotters. He's now known as Chap assistant coach Reggie Franklin.

"We just need to be a little more consistent right now," Stone said. "Some things are going right and the freshmen are learning the system we use. We want to take care of business in these last two games and not have any let-downs before the Christmas break."

The Chaps have a lot of special events planned for the two upcoming games. There is a halftime shooting contest for up to 200 gallons of gasoline from Kent Oil, and if no one makes the long shot, it will go to 300 gallons for the NMMI game.

Monday's Cash Scramble is sponsored by ClayDesta National Bank and Thursday's is sponsored by RepublicBank First National. One contestant will be chosen to gather as many dollar bills as possible in 30 seconds. The current record is 863.

Fans also can register at each home game for the free use of a new Pontiac Fiero from Friendly Pontiac for three months. Name of the winner will be drawn at the last home game of the season, Feb. 25.

After Thursday's game, the Chaps will be idle until Jan. 10 when they will play in the Howard College Doubleheader. Then they return to conference action with 14 games in seven weeks, starting with conference favorite Amarillo College in Amarillo.

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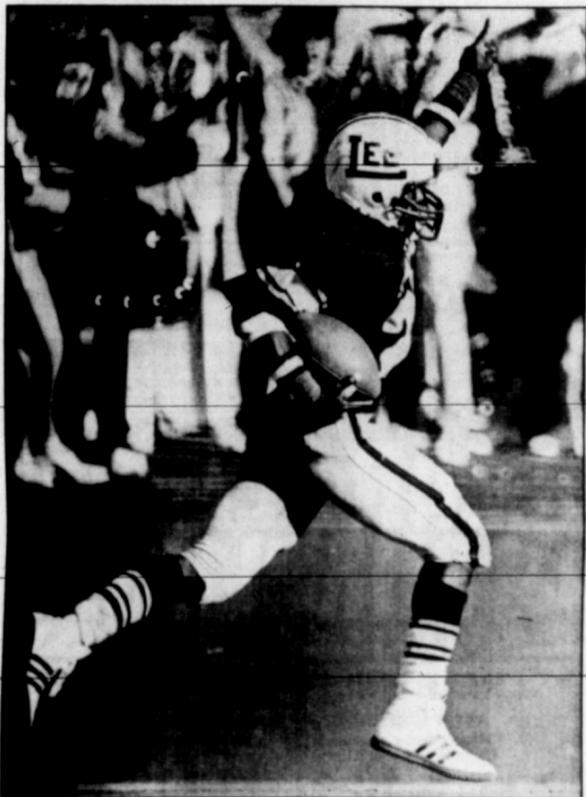
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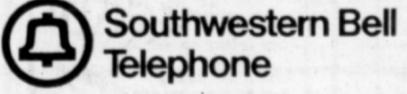
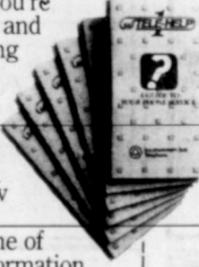
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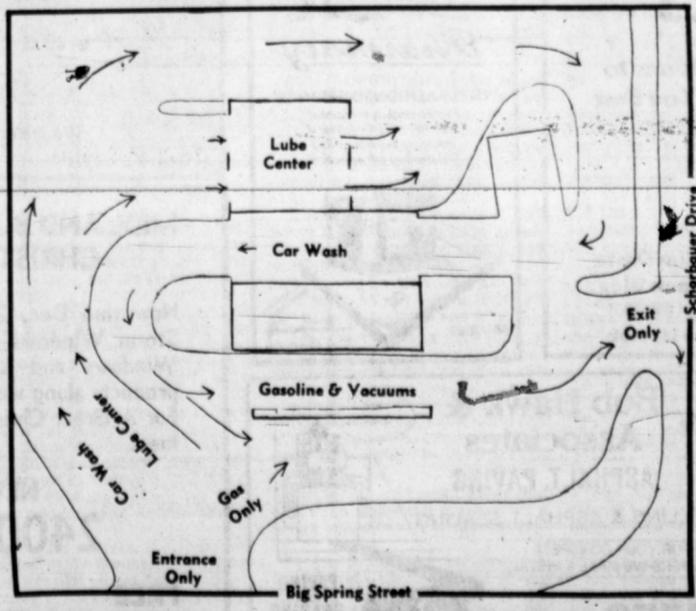
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Though Bill has just about all the fireplace accessories you can imagine his business is not limited to that. Bill's Plumbing and Fencecraft has been in Midland since 1977 and known for quality fencing and professional fireplace installation. Bill's skills as a master plumber enable the company to offer complete installation of fireplaces and gas starters.

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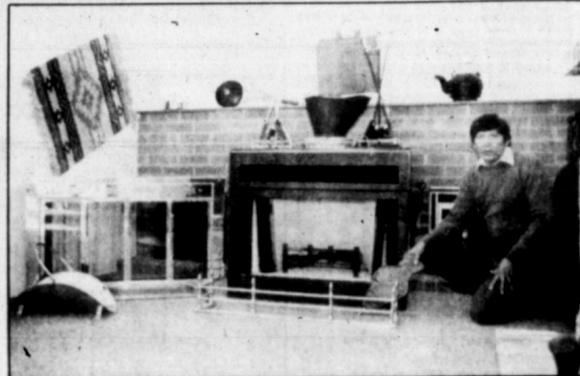
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"I would like to remind customers who have not yet picked up their framing orders they must do so by December 20," she said.

"Again, we want to thank our customers for their friendship and support," Mrs. Towery concluded. "We hope all of you will take advantage of these savings, especially for your Christmas giving."

Frames Etc. is located at 3308 W. Illinois, Midland, 689-5071.

PEOPLE

Jacksons sued for \$100 million

LOS ANGELES (AP)

Michael Jackson and his brothers have been hit with a \$100 million breach-of-contract suit by the Forum of Inglewood, where eight Michael Jackson Victory Tour concerts scheduled for September were canceled in favor of a Philadelphia venue.

Performances at the 16,000-seat Forum were canceled less than two weeks before the scheduled appearance dates because the stadium is too small to handle enough fans to make a profit, according to tour promoter Chuck Sullivan.

California Sports operator of the Forum, claims it lost \$1.4 million from the cancellation, according to the suit filed Friday in Los Angeles Superior Court. The defendants include the Jacksons, their parents, managers, accountant, Sullivan and several advisers, including MCA executive Irving Azoff and boxing promoter Don King.

The 20-city tour is scheduled to end next weekend in Los Angeles.

SOUTHAMPTON, England (AP) — British rock star Elton John returned from an 11-month world tour Saturday and immediately quashed rumors that his wife, Renate, is pregnant.

"There is nothing on the horizon — not yet anyway," said John, who arrived at this southern England port from the United States aboard the luxury liner Queen Elizabeth II.

The flamboyant singer married his West German recording engineer in Sydney, Australia, on Feb. 14.

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Country music singer Dolly Parton has filed a multimillion-dollar plan to purchase the financially ailing Monument Record Corp. and its publishing company.

Miss Parton submitted the proposal to a federal bankruptcy court on Friday, preventing the court from turning the company over to its 660 creditors, who are owed about \$4.5 million. Miss Parton is listed among the creditors.

The singer, who began her career on the Monument label in 1967, has offered to pay \$4.9 million cash for 70 percent of Combine Music Corp., the publishing company owned by Monument chairman and founder Fred Foster.

"The best estimate for the whole package has been about \$6 million," said Miss Parton's attorney, Stephen Miller. "The value of the other assets have yet to be determined."

Monument, formed in 1958, became one of the nation's largest independently owned record labels. It filed for bankruptcy in March 1983, listing debts of \$7.3 million.

KATMANDU, Nepal (AP) — A delegation of four Democratic U.S. senators, led by Sam Nunn of Georgia, arrived in this Asian nation on Saturday for a three-day visit.

The senators, including John Glenn Jr. of Ohio; J. Bennett Johnston of Louisiana and Jim Sasser of Tennessee, had met earlier last week with officials in Pakistan and India to discuss bilateral relations and regional security.

They were greeted at the airport by Dambar Bahadur Malla, a member of the Nepalese National Assembly, at the start of what U.S. Ambassador Leon Weil told reporters was a "fact-finding mission without anything specific in mind."

ST. LOUIS (AP) — James Cain said he felt like "a million bucks" as he walked a mile and rode the exercise bike at a local health club.

But then, Cain, who has been working out since the summer, had something to celebrate Friday — his 100th birthday.

In his honor, Mayor Vincent Schoemehl Jr. proclaimed Friday to be James Cain Day. The mayor called Cain an inspiration.

Cain began his health-club visits to escape a dreary existence he described as "just watching the walls caving in and waiting to die."

Now he encourages "young folks," those between the ages of 50 and 70, to get out and get some exercise.

Dancer looks back on career

By KERI GUTEN

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — She sits in her easy chair in suburban San Antonio and through a veil of cigarette smoke that somehow enhances the illusion, brings alive the far reaches of the world of the 1930s and '40s.

Her memory is flawless. Her hands dance and her eyes flash with remembrance as she conjures images of serene Japanese gardens, solemn yet magnificent Buddhist temples, Argentinian gauchos herding cattle through the middle of a sleepy town, Mexican plazas bursting with color and crowded with people conducting business.

Her name is Russell Meriwether Hughes Jr., but she was known throughout the world as La Meri — a simple enough calling card to pack some of the most famous (and infamous) theaters in the world for her elaborate solo, ethnic-dance performances.

"New York dance critic Walter Terry called her 'the greatest ethnic dancer of our time.' She was a gutsy thing who took on the art dance of the world and prospered," says John Igo, former arts critic and an English professor at San Antonio College. "She had a staggering gift, and that was the ability to mimic the experts."

LA MERI was once the "big, blond, blue-eyed American lady who picked up native dances with the speed of light," but her dancing days are over, and she's moved back home to San Antonio, the city of her childhood.

At 86, she fights retirement. Her first attempt, starting 10 years ago in Cape Cod, failed miserably. Tired of showing dogs, she was lured out of retirement by members of a local theater. She taught dance and also helped start an annual, summer, ethnic-arts festival.

She's hoping to make her retirement stick this time, but she has her doubts.

It's plain and simple — she misses dancing.

"If I had the physical capabilities and could find a good dance partner, I'd go dancing every night," she said with a smile that dimpled her cheeks. "I don't really miss these things because I had them when I was young enough to enjoy them, but I miss my energy."

"I don't feel old on the inside — not at all! But I get up and skip across the room and tumble over a dog, and it's ridiculous. I am continually astonished and irritated to death at getting old."

SHE LOOKS much younger than she thinks she does, and she blames her performer's vanity for her critical eye. Her hair is snowy, her voice gravelly from too many years of smoking cigarettes, her mind amazingly quick and sharp. A dancer's trimness persists, and she still carries herself with a dancer's poise — back straight, neck arched, hands punctuating her words.

"I always thought dancers who died in their 40s were damn lucky because they're finally resting," she said, exhaling a big puff of smoke. "This drive is a blessing and a curse. It's not tragic, but it's an incubus on your back."

"It's tough to just cut it off. My brain works just fine; it's a pity you can't transplant brains," she mused. "I would like to give all I've learned to someone young enough to enjoy it."

La Meri was born to dance, despite the pronunciation by her first dance teacher that "this 10-year-old was hopelessly awkward." La Meri didn't believe it, and by age 12, she choreographed her first dance solo for a San Antonio church show.

From this success, she continued with her dance lessons, adding Spanish as her first ethnic dance and performing in a series of recitals in San Antonio.

OTHER LESSONS in voice, violin



La Meri, grande dame of ethnic dance, relaxes at her home in San Antonio.

and acting gave her the foundation needed to launch her career. The Texas Rio Grande Valley was her first conquest, then the world, starting with South America in 1928, Africa and Arabia in 1929, Europe in 1930, Australia and New Zealand in 1936, India and the Orient in 1937.

La Meri's repertoire includes traditional dances from India, Java, Burma, Thailand, Arabia, Morocco, China, Japan, Spain, Mexico, the West Indies, Peru, Ecuador, Panama, Chile, Argentina, Venezuela, Colombia, Hawaii, Tahiti, Samoa, Maori and the Philippines as well as American Indian dances.

She could be the United Nations of dance — all by herself. And when she danced solo in the magnificent costumes made countries she visited, she was a goodwill ambassador like no other.

"I had the grandiose philosophy that I would try through my dancing to stop interracial hatred," she said. "I have a great many faults, but bigotry was never one of them. I thought if people could see how beautiful and naive these dances were, they would see the people were that way, too. What I did was a drop in the bucket."

Her knowledge is preserved in five books she wrote on various dance art forms. Her Spanish dance book is still considered the textbook on the subject.

HER AUTOBIOGRAPHY, which carries a foreword by the late New York dance critic Terry, not only captures La Meri's vivacious personality but also reveals the evolution of ethnic dance, an art form that has rivaled but never outshone either ballet or modern dance.

"Dancing Out the Answer," published in 1977, also explores a time long before television linked the world by satellite, a time when performers like La Meri were the ones who brought the world together through dance, drama and song.

Her contemporaries were some of the world's best artists — author Pearl S. Buck, dancers Ruth St. Denis, Ted Shawn, Martha Graham, composer Maurice Ravel. But mastering not one style, but a world full of them — all with complete authenticity and always in their purest form.

She never performed a dance that didn't first meet the approval of a native audience — her fiercest critics.

"I was looking for authenticity, maybe that's why they kept giving me more," she said. "They knew if a dance I did wasn't acceptable to the natives, I wouldn't do it. I wasn't trying to jazz anything up. Now some of

my movements are updated, but I won't change them. I won't misrepresent anything."

LA MERI said she coined the phrase "ethnic dance." To her, it always meant culture regardless of race, creed or color.

"I have this ability to get on the same wavelength with people," she said. "This God-given inside mechanism is what made me an ethnic dancer."

She also has insatiable energy and curiosity, both characteristics that saw her through the long hours of learning, performing and traveling.

As a solo performer, she traveled with few people but tons of baggage. Wherever she went — and it was always by train or steamer — six tons (67 pieces) of luggage went with her. Much of it was in costumes and props, but she also had to carry curtains and floors because some stages were just too primitive.

Guido Carreras, a Tuscan baron who had managed the great dancers Nijinsky and Anna Pavlova, traveled with her as her manager and in 1931 became her husband. They separated in 1944. They had no children. Other companions for her world tours were Olivia Matteson, a friend who still lives in San Antonio, and her sister, Lilian.

Her mother followed her to New York and became the shining example of what a stage mother ought to be.

ALTHOUGH LA MERI inherited her mother's fierce temper, she got her wit and humor from her father Russell Meriwether Sr., after whom she was named.

"I was a pappy's gal," she says. "He had the humor and wit that made everything seem better. No matter how bad anything was, I'd laugh."

And she didn't mind one bit being named after her father. "Who knows, maybe they wanted a boy, though I was never made to feel like one," she said. "I was proud to be a junior."

Although born in Kentucky, La Meri moved to San Antonio in 1910 and says she's happy to be back. Her old family home is now the Catholic Student Center of San Antonio College.

"San Antonio is still a laid-back, relaxed town, although it's grown so much," she said. "I'm amazed how many old friends are still left over from my old days."

She's been invited to teas but insists she is not "the crystal-chandelier type who likes formal gatherings." She'd much rather "sit back and exchange wisecracks."

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With everything in line for your party you can start on your Christmas shopping at Graham's.

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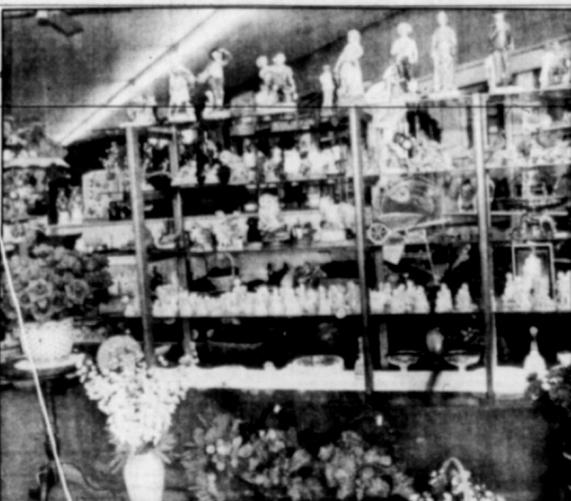
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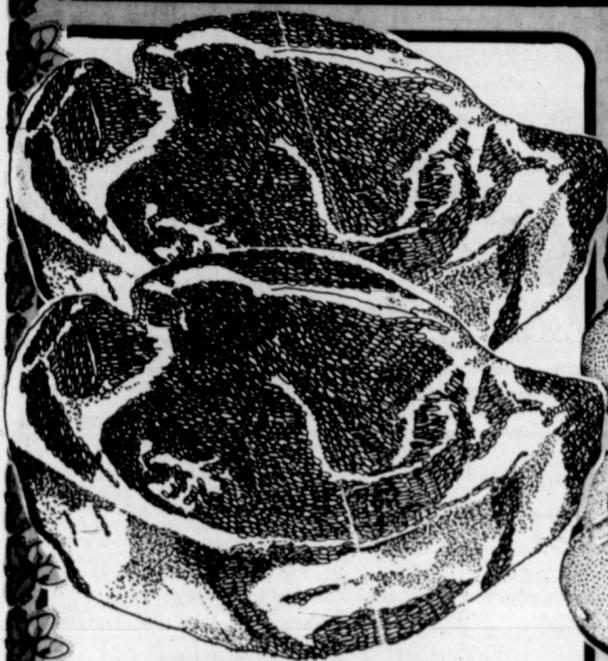
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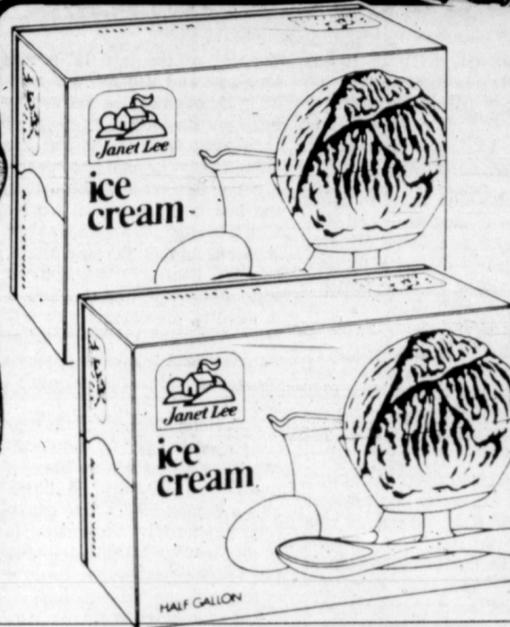
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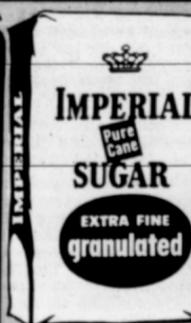
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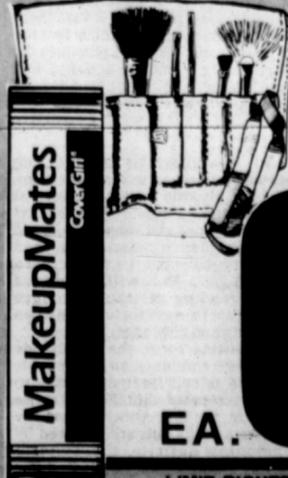
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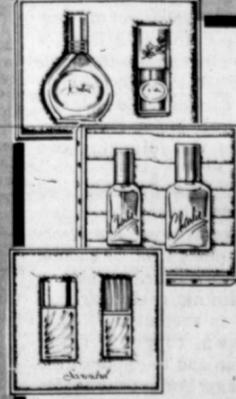


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Goodbye friend

It's always difficult to say goodbye to someone who has made a difference in a community the size of Midland because of their dedication, compassion and caring.

That thought came to mind when it was learned United Way of Midland executive director Robert "Bob" Cornelius is leaving to take a similar position with the United Way organization in Lincoln, Neb. Cornelius only came to Midland in April 1983, and it seems as though Midlanders had scarcely gotten acquainted with him when the announcement came of his departure.

To say that the community will miss Cornelius and his leadership ability is not nearly enough; the community always regrets the loss of individuals of his ability. But even more, the entire community undoubtedly will feel the impact of the loss of his caring and dedication — qualities that are essential in the United Way post he held.

Cornelius held the United Way position through one of the most trying periods for a charitable organization. The oil

"boom" of the late 1970s was long past and Midland was muddling through a time marked by business slowdown. That didn't faze him. In fact, he led the United Way through two consecutive stellar fund-raising drives, the last being this year's drive which brought in an amount just shy of \$2 million. Because of that success, literally thousands of Midlanders who find themselves in need in the coming year will find services at UW member agencies readily available. That's the bottom line in Cornelius's business.

In leaving, Cornelius was typically modest, giving the credit for the success not to himself but to the people of Midland. "It's a community whose generosity is virtually unequalled in the country. Midland is the third-ranked city in the country in terms of per-capita giving."

But there are a lot of Midlanders who know Cornelius made a difference in Midland. One of them is Joseph I. O'Neill III, chairman of this year's campaign. Said O'Neill: "I think he did a hell of a job. We will really miss him."

That, in a nutshell, says it all.

New feature planned

Readers of the Reporter-Telegram who have particular views concerning topics ranging from the most pressing problem facing the city of Midland to abortion will have the opportunity to present their opinions in a new opinion page column called "On The Line."

The new feature, which will appear periodically on the page opposite the editorial page in Sunday editions, will be in the form of letters solicited from readers on specific topics. All readers are encouraged to participate. It will be an addition to the "Letters to the Editor" and "Speaking Out" columns now featured.

Responses to "On The Line" requests should be limited to 300 words maximum, be signed by the writer and should include a telephone number where the

writer can be reached during the day and an address.

As in letters to the editor and Speaking Out, the Reporter-Telegram reserves the right to edit letters for length, libelous statements, and so forth. Letters should be clearly marked "On The Line" and mailed to the Midland Reporter-Telegram at P.O. Box 1650, Midland, 79702.

The first question will be: "What is the most pressing problem facing Midland and how should it be addressed?"

As many responses to that question as space permits will appear in the Reporter-Telegram on Sunday, Dec. 16th. To be considered for inclusion in that installment of "On The Line," responses must be received at the Reporter-Telegram by Thursday, Dec. 13th.

Another View:

Dollars for defense?

Writing the next federal budget, as the administration is doing it, comes down to one crucial question: how much for the Defense Department? Everything else depends on the answer to that one.

President Reagan has started off with an adamant refusal to entertain any thought of tax increases. The result is that all progress toward a lower deficit has to be made by cuts in spending alone.

This budget, for the fiscal year beginning next October, would run to about \$1 trillion under present spending policies. To get the deficit down to its target of 4 percent of the gross national product, the administration will need to cut that amount by at least \$40 billion.

At first glance, cutting \$40 billion out of a trillion-dollar budget doesn't look terribly difficult. But the three largest categories of outlays are already immune to cuts — defense and Social Security by presidential decree, and the interest on the national debt by necessity.

Together they comprise two-thirds of the budget. The \$40 billion has to come out of the remaining third. Now the puzzle gets a bit more challenging.

That vulnerable third of the budget includes everything from medical research to farm subsidies to environmental protection. And perhaps much more than \$40 billion will have to be taken out of it.

If other programs — i.e., defense — rise faster than revenues do, the \$40 billion will have to be raised to offset those increases. But defense spending is currently rising much faster than revenues.

If it goes as high in the 1986 budget as the estimate that the administration published last summer, that would require an additional cut of \$10 billion in the vulnerable third of the budget.

That's why the president has to settle the quarrel over the Defense Department's share of the budget before his staff knows how much it has to eliminate elsewhere.

At \$50 billion, the cuts would be nearly one dollar out of every six in the vulnerable third, a proportion that strains the limits of the possible — particularly since the administration's target also requires similar reductions in each of the following two years.

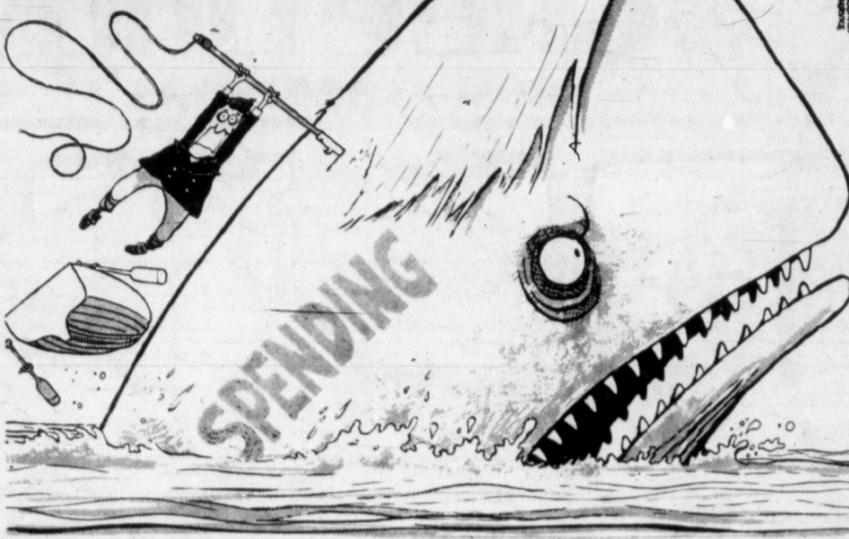
Above all, the cuts designated in this budget have to be believable. Proposals to sell the Washington Monument or to auction off the space shuttle won't do.

The administration argues that it was reelected to hold taxes down, to get defense strength up and to diminish the deficit. The budget struggles now going on at the White House are testing whether the president is, in reality, able to fit those three commitments together.

The chances will be very low if defense spending continues on its present track.

— The Washington Post

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JACK ANDERSON

U.S. losing war against drugs

WASHINGTON — America's drug problem will grow significantly worse in the next year, and the Reagan administration's highly publicized efforts won't solve it.

This dire prediction is based on a cold, hard reality that no amount of rhetoric and good intentions can soften: The world supply of cocaine is greater than ever; it is readily available virtually everywhere in the United States; and it is cheaper than it has been within memory.



Jack Anderson

Cocaine has now replaced heroin as the top-priority target of federal law enforcement officials. Yet depressingly little progress has been made in curbing the traffic, much less stamping it out.

The reasons for this failure are complex. But the administration itself cannot avoid its share of responsibility for the situation.

The National Narcotics Border Interdiction System, headed by Vice President George Bush, was touted as a major effort to seal the nation's borders to dope smugglers. Unfortunately, it has proved to be an unmitigated failure in its stated mission, and is now being written off by critics as nothing more than a costly political publicity stunt.

Francis Mullen, a career lawyer who heads the Drug Enforcement Administration, has complained bitterly that at best NNBS has managed to get in the way of the professionals' attempts to crack down on

drugs, and at worst has demoralized employees in other agencies by its shameless attempts to hog the spotlight whenever any success is achieved in the narcotics war.

The latest development, sources told my associates Donald Goldberg and Indy Badwar, is a review of the border-interdiction system by the General Accounting Office. This confirms that the ad hoc group is woefully ineffective.

If the government's border-interdiction effort is a flop, so is its lackadaisically directed campaign to cut off the supply of illicit drugs at the source: the farms where opium poppies, coca plants and marijuana are grown overseas. The concept had a simplistic beauty: If growers could be persuaded to plant legal crops, the supply of narcotics for American addicts would be cut off before the stuff ever arrived in this country.

Unfortunately, there is no crop known to agriculture from which a farmer can reap such a large and certain profit. By an irony of botany, the weedlike plants that produce the world's illicit drugs are easier and cheaper to grow, and less susceptible to the vicissitudes of nature, than rice, corn, wheat or other life-sustaining crops.

The result is that the effort to convert drug crops to legal legumes has been largely ineffective. Countries whose economies are heavily tied up in "narco-dollars" pay only lip service to U.S. requests. A few show-case busts are made for the TV cameras now and then, but man and the weather continue to produce bumper crops that more than replace the confiscated goods.

The programs aimed at stamping out dope in the fields also suffer from what might be described as bureaucratic malaise. Professional Foreign Service officers sometimes view the effort to lean on drug-pro-

ducing nations as counterproductive to overall U.S. diplomatic goals. This has helped to make the program generally ineffective.

Reality intrudes even when the eradication effort is seriously pursued. In Peru, drug dealers, apparently irritated by the success of the U.S.-sponsored program, responded by gunning down 19 officials involved in the eradication effort. In Thailand, the State Department reports, production is as high as ever despite government cooperation in a vigorous U.S.-financed crackdown.

In belated recognition of the failures of its two interdiction strategies, the White House has now switched its targets from producers and pushers to consumers. It will try to rehabilitate addicts and educate American young people to the dangers of drug abuse.

Congressional sources who have been briefed on this plan say it's doomed to failure. For one thing, they say, experience has shown that as long as a supply is there, drugs will be abused. For another, the administration urges rehabilitation of addicts — but has cut state grants that fund the programs by more than one-third.

In New York City alone, according to law enforcement officials, more than 1,500 addicts are waiting to be admitted to rehab programs.

But Congress must share the blame for the failure to crack down on drugs. The Senate doesn't even have a select committee on narcotics, and insiders say that Rep. Charles Rangel, D-N.Y., is so frustrated at the ineffectiveness of the House committee that he will resign as chairman. This could spell the collapse of that committee.

Jack Anderson is a syndicated columnist for United Feature Syndicate.

GEORGE F. WILL

Here comes Will-Dole axis!

WASHINGTON — The Axis is coming! The Axis is coming!

No, silly goose, not the Rome-Berlin Axis. The Second World War settled its hash. Today's menace, according to the Wall Street Journal, is "The Will-Dole axis." A Journal editorial says:

"Sen. Bob Dole's appearance on ABC's 'This Week With David Brinkley' recently was the Revenue Enhancer's fourth on the program in the past year. Yet despite the show's proclivity for tax talk, Rep. Jack Kemp hasn't been on since July 1982, and Rep. Newt Gingrich, whose name came up almost as many times as the President's, has never been a guest. George Will is the show's resident conservative, but the Will-Dole axis is hardly representative of supply-side conservatism."

The editorial erred. Kemp and Gingrich had declined invitations (although Kemp was on the show Nov. 25 after the Journal's editorial appeared). And Dole has been on the show three times in the last 12 months, only once when the subject was taxes. But, then, the Journal is a supply-side paper, and numbers are not the supply-siders' strength.

But back to the subject of the Axis, those mutt-headed people (e.g., Dole, Will) who persist in saying that the deficit cannot be sufficiently shrunk by spending cuts alone. The Axis says that new revenues will be needed, revenues in excess of any that economic growth will generate under today's tax code.

Fire-eating "conservatives" who differ with Dole call him, and those who think like him, "traditional" Republicans. Times are truly out of joint when the adjective "traditional" becomes, in the name of conservatism, an epithet.

Traditional Republicans believe that the public must pay in taxes for the public-services component of its standard of living. Critics of "traditional" Republicans call themselves "real" Republicans. They say the Republican Party has misled the country for years by stressing the dangers of deficits.

The supply-siders' argument is, at a certain level of generality, indisputable, even jejune. It is that there are circumstances in which increasing taxes will decrease revenues (by suppressing economic activity), and that in other circumstances a tax cut will be so swiftly stimulative that reduced rates will generate increased revenues.

But government is an adventure in particularities, not generalities. The supply-side wager (Reagan is betting the currency on it) is that cuts of the size and shape enacted in 1981, in the circumstances then obtaining, have put the country on a growth path that will, combined with spending restraint, produce approximate equilibrium between spending and revenues.

In pristine form, the supply-side argument combines an untappable promise (a self-financing tax cut) with an ironclad alibi (if the promise does not pan out: Always blame the Fed first. If tax cuts are followed by exploding deficits, the Federal Reserve Board can be blamed for not producing a "sufficient" expansion of the money supply. Sufficiency is, by definition, whatever "permits" growth sufficient to eliminate deficits).

In 1980 Reagan ran a relentlessly "blue skies" campaign based on the supply-side premise. But the instant

the election was over he embraced a gray-skies memo from two congressmen, Jack Kemp and David Stockman. They said the nation was on the verge of an "economic Dunkirk." By December 1980, the embryonic administration was stressing spending cuts. But Reagan did not shrink government: He arranged it, moving resources toward defense. In December 1984, he is stressing the Grace Commission proposals for savings.

Regarding the Defense Department, the Grace report blithely "identified" program and procedural changes that would produce three-year savings of \$78 billion. When Defense was asked its opinion, it came up with a sum: \$300 million (about one-half of one percent of the Grace total). The Office of Management and Budget — no nest of spendthrifts — was asked to referee. OMB said that, considering the Department's responsibilities and political realities, the realistic estimate of potential savings is...\$2 billion. So the real argument is about only the \$1.7 billion difference, not the Grace report's \$78 billion.

The Grace report, with its phantom savings, is, in 1984, what the supply-side promise was in 1980: an excuse for evading hard choices. But to govern is to choose, and not just to choose, every four years, a different excuse for not facing facts. That is why "traditional" Republicans will continue to make themselves disagreeable by mentioning the odious principle that the public must pay its bills.

These traditionalists are, as the Wall Street Journal says, "hardly representative of supply-side conservatism." But the imprudent behavior of supply-siders regarding the deficit is making the phrase "supply-side conservatives" into a contradiction in terms.

George Will is a syndicated columnist for the Washington Post Co.

ART BUCHWALD

Santa's in shopping trenches!

The weary Santa Claus team was sitting on benches, staring at the floor in the Emporium Department Store locker room.

The manager was punching the walls. "You guys are stinking out the joint. We're down 10 percent in sales from last year. Not only is my job on the line, but if we don't win, the game is over for all of you. This second half is going to make all the difference. Now, so you can get it through your thick heads — one more time. Who are we trying to beat?"



Art Buchwald

"A SLUGGISH ECONOMY," the team shouted in unison.

"Right," the manager said. "The most vicious kind of an economy there is. And if we lose this year, what will happen to the country?"

"WE'LL HAVE A RECESSION."

"Okay, let's get down to specifics," the manager said as he stood in front of the blackboard. "Olewicz, how come you let that kid get by you without his mother purchasing anything in the store?"

"I'm sorry, coach. I gave him a solid push toward the toy department, but somehow he slipped around me and ran down the escalator."

"It's these kinds of mistakes that could ruin our Christmas. Let's review the plays on this blackboard. The line is here, a 50-pound kid comes up and sits on your lap. What do you do?"

"I ask him what he wants me to bring him," McMurtrie said.

"NO YOU DON'T. You ask him if he's been a good boy. If he says he has, then you tell him he deserves a new Schwinn-bicycle, an Apple computer and a radio-controlled boat. He's not expecting that and neither are his parents. But if we're going to put sales points on the board we have to play hardball."

"I gotcha, coach. Our game plan is to hit the high-priced items first. Suppose the kid says he just wants a hot wheel car instead?"

"Tell him hot wheel cars are for kids who have been bad. Those who are very, very good deserve to get something really, really nice. And remember this, you dumbbells. Make sure you tell the kids to repeat to their parents what you promised them BEFORE they get out of the store."

"Too Tall, you let a little girl run all over you. Why did you tell her she wouldn't get anything for Christmas?"

"Because I was trying to stop her from pulling on my beard."

"Well, that was a stupid play. You should have told her if she stopped pulling on your beard she'd get a \$150 doll house."

"I never thought of that."

The manager was livid. "You call yourself a Santa Claus? If you fumble the ball once more you'll be playing for the Salvation Army next year. Matlowsky, your job is to block a mother who is dragging her kid away from the electric trains. Four mothers knocked you down and got to the parking lot on your side of the store. What happened?"

"I was crouching down, giving their kids peppermint sticks, and they blindsided me," Matlowsky said.

"So don't crouch. Make the kids reach up to you. We don't make anything on peppermint sticks."

The manager got tears in his eyes. "Men, I'm going to tell you a story. About 10 years ago I had a Santa Claus playing for me named Jack Ripper. Just before the 1974 Christmas Bowl, he got a hernia when a 250-pound kid sat on his lap. I went to the hospital, where he was in great pain. He said to me, 'Coach, someday when the team is down, and inventories are up, and the Barbie Dolls and pinball machines aren't moving, tell the guys to go out there on the floor and win just one for the Ripper.'"

There wasn't a dry eye in the locker room.

The manager said, "NOW LET'S GO OUT AND MAKE THEM SPIT UP THEIR CREDIT CARDS."

The Santa Clauses grabbed their hats and beards and broke down the door as they ran out of the locker room for the final half.

Art Buchwald is a syndicated columnist for Los Angeles Times Syndicate.

TODAY IN HISTORY

On this date:

In 1804, Napoleon was crowned emperor of France in a glittering ceremony at the Cathedral of Notre Dame in Paris.

In 1816, the first savings bank in the United States, the Philadelphia Savings Fund Society, opened for business.

In 1823, President James Monroe outlined his doctrine opposing European expansion in the Western Hemisphere.

In 1840, William Henry Harrison was elected President.



BILL MODISETT

How can we sit by and watch children starve?

I've never been to Africa and really don't have any reason to believe I'll ever go there. But I know where Africa is located. I know there are literally millions of people who live there and I know that a large number of them are suffering hunger to a degree unknown in this country.

Anyone who knows me realizes I'm the farthest thing from a bleeding-heart liberal. I'm a conservative, proud of it and will fight for basic conservative ideals because I believe they are right for mankind. But like most conservatives, I have a heart and I like to believe it's in the right place. When I see the suffering splashed over my television screen almost nightly, my heart goes out to

the African people, just as yours does. I don't believe a God-fearing, justice-loving nation like the United States of America can sit by and watch the kind of suffering taking place in Africa without at least making a valiant attempt to save as many of those people as possible.

Oh, yes, relief supplies are being sent to that continent by the people of the United States. That relief is helping. But for every child or woman or man saved from starvation, a thousand — and more — die.

After a recent visit to Africa, U.S. Agency for International Development administrator M. Peter McPherson reported in The Washington Post National Weekly that at least 7 million people in Ethiopia are at serious risk, and in the next 12

months total food assistance donor nations need to provide at least 1 million tons of food to Ethiopia alone.

When is the last time you saw a child starve to death on the streets of the United States? When was the last time you saw the look of approaching death in the eyes of a starving child in Midland? Let me remind you, you haven't because it doesn't exist. Starvation is an unknown disease in the United States, eradicated by this nation's abundant wealth.

Sure there is hunger in this country and I wouldn't contend it doesn't exist. This group or that group will tell you that the hunger problem here is worse than the government

statistics indicate. It may well be, but I'll tell you another "indicator" that's even more revealing: The number of people in this country who have the golden opportunity to help themselves but choose to not do so. They've made a decision and are living out their lives as they are largely because of what they chose.

That's the difference. In Africa right now literally millions of people are starving to death and, yet, they're trying to save themselves by searching for food in a parched, drought-ravaged land. Many of them will die. But in this country no one will die from starvation — if they choose to live.

Why should we help the people of another land? That, my friend, is a

question each person must ask himself. Not everyone will come up with the same answer. We all are individuals with different desires, motivations, concerns. I can give you an example of why I will help and that may help to tell you why you should, too.

There is a bond between people that cuts across all barriers — racial, ethnic, cultural, national and otherwise. Call it the human bond or call it belief in the family of man. The title doesn't matter.

Because of that bond, I cannot sit idly by and watch children die of starvation when my own have plenty to eat. That would be unconscionable.

There will be some who will claim we are feeding our enemies, that we

are sending food to people in countries whose governments are in direct opposition to our own form of government and way of life.

Oh, really. Look into the eyes of those children — the starving ones — and tell me in all honesty that you believe they are truly concerned about the form of government they live under now.

I'll tell you all they care about is finding enough food to keep them alive for another day, to extend hope.

Can't we impress more people with our generosity — our humanity — than with our inability to care?

Bill Modisett is editor of the Reporter-Telegram's editorial pages.

SPEAKING OUT

Bishops: Moral voice needed

By REV. DON HANSON



Father Don Hanson has lived in Midland since July. A former resident of Odessa, he moved to the Tall City from Rome, Italy. He is associate pastor at St. Ann's Catholic Church.

"Peace," said the late Albert Einstein, cannot be kept by force. It can only be achieved by understanding. Those words seem to be so true for us who live in a nuclear age where the use of force could bring about the end of humanity's existence. In an attempt to understand the complexities of peace in a nuclear age, two American, Catholic bishops, Bishop Leroy Mattheissen of the diocese of Amarillo — a nationally known figure for his stance against nuclear weapons — and Bishop Joseph Fiorenza of the diocese of San Angelo, will be coming to Midland, Dec. 5, at 7:30 p.m. in St. Ann's Parish Center at Illinois and "N" Street. These men will discuss the recent, controversial pastoral letter of the American Catholic bishops — The Challenge of Peace: God's Promise and Our Response. This article will not deal with the contents of the pastoral letter, the conference will do that. Instead, I would like to address the following question: Why the bishops and the bomb?

Why would the American Catholic bishops write a pastoral letter on war and peace? Cardinal Bernardin of the archdiocese of Chicago said one contributing factor to the bishop's decision to write their war and peace pastoral was due to the growing feeling among many of the American Catholic bishops that the arms race was going in a direction which seemed by quantitative and qualitative more dangerous than in the past. By 1980 the bishops were certain of the fact that a "clear moral voice" was needed in the United States in order to change the course of the country's definition of security. That clear moral voice I believe to be the central reason why the bishops would enter the debate of war and peace in a nuclear age.

But what gives the bishops the right to enter the nuclear debate? Shouldn't only the "experts" speak on such a technical matter? In response to the latter question, Bishop Reilly, a member of the drafting committee for the pastoral letter once asked in a press conference, "I would like to know who are the experts that can talk to us on this particular matter? Do we turn simply to the politicians, do we turn simply to scientists, do we turn to militarists?" To answer our earlier question as to what gives the bishops the right to enter the nuclear debate, the answer lies in the fact that the nuclear question is not simply a political issue. The bishops do not seek to downplay the political function that others legitimately have in the society to address the nuclear problem.

Although the bishops see the political nature of the issue, they know that to deal with the nuclear question as a mere political problem is an inadequate

response. Rather, at the heart of the political question is the moral challenge of our century: How do we create the moral capacity to control the power we have already created? The bishops' vision of the nuclear problem is even more profound, however, than a moral challenge. The bishops believe that, if one grasps the moral questions posed by nuclear weapons, these questions become authentically religious. They become religious when we understand the destructive capability of the weapons that the superpowers possess, for we have the destructive capacity to rewrite the book of Genesis.

The bishops then have a right to approach the nuclear debate which is fraught with such complexity, controversy, and passion because at the heart of the nuclear debate is found a moral-religious question. Can a country, while exercising its right to self-defense, morally justify the use of weapons which can destroy civilizations and creation itself? How do the bishops, certainly not as technical experts, approach the nuclear debate? The bishops approach the debate as moral religious leaders. Since the nuclear problem is the most important moral issue of the day, the bishops, as moral-religious leaders write, "We cannot avoid our responsibility to lift up the moral dimensions of the choices before our world and nation. In the words of our Holy Father John Paul II, we need a 'moral about face.' The whole world must summon the moral courage and technical means to say no to nuclear conflict; no to weapons of mass destruction."

If the bishops' letter says "no" to nuclear conflict, does the letter call for unilateral disarmament? Have the U.S. Catholic bishops underestimated the evils of a communistic militaristic Russia which seeks world domination? To find out these answers please come to the bishops' discussion on the content of their pastoral letter. Because the letter was written in a context of dialogue, the bishops would like to continue that dialogue with your own expressed thoughts after their presentation. If there is no exchange of different views, the pastoral letter will appear to be a final step in a long process of formulation. However, their peace document is really only a first step of hope for humanity in its long journey towards understanding peace in a nuclear age.

LETTERS

Abortion decision needs to be overturned

The U.S. Supreme Court decision has opened all 50 states to abortion on demand until the cord is cut. It prevents any state from forbidding abortion when needed for the life or health of the mother. "Health" specifically includes mental health. Ample precedence both legal and in practice has shown that "Mental Health" is abortion on demand.

The Dred Scott Decision in 1857 ruled that black people were not "persons" in the eyes of the constitution. Slaves could be bought, sold, used or even killed as property of the owner. That decision was overturned by the 14th Amendment.

Now the court has ruled that unborn people are not "persons" in the eyes of the constitution. They can be killed at the request of their owners (mothers). This dreadful decision can only be overturned by another constitutional amendment.

The fact of human life in the womb cannot be denied. To today allow one age group of humans to be killed because they are socially burdensome will lead to the killing of other humans at other ages who have become socially burdensome. This is murder and it must be stopped.

Jennifer LaBouff
Midland

I'm weary of those 'weeping' for building

I'd like to say something to all those nostalgic Midlanders who can't stand change.

I'm weary of hearing about the Lancaster House — period! Put your energies into the next worthwhile project, whatever it is, and let's get on with it.

I'm weary of those who "weep" for buildings that have been razed in the last 15 years; instead, be glad that our town is upwardly mobile and economically viable enough to make changes necessary. You could be living in one of the thousands of ghost towns in the nation that are drying for lack of industry to feed their citizens. You'd have a lot of history to enjoy then.

Finally I'm weary of this subject because if each of you really felt the way you say you feel, a \$50,000 donation apiece to get the Lancaster House fund afloat would have probably preserved the building. That committee raised pledges of barely \$60,000 total. You know the old saying — "Put your money where your mouth is" — or forever hold your peace, please!

Marianne Yeager
Midland

Newcomer appreciates Midlander's kindness

As a newcomer to Midland, I would like to thank Mike Butler for his assistance November 25 when I ran out of gasoline on Big Spring Drive.

Mr. Butler's kindness and time out of his schedule were very much appreciated!

Nancy Groce
Midland

Appreciation due to Haynes Station

On Nov. 25, my husband and I were watching football on TV. It was then that we realized too much smoke was coming in our house through the fireplace.

After a frantic phone call, the fire department quickly appeared and took charge of the situation. It was amazing to me that these men could be trying to prevent what could be a major fire, yet they could be so neat and take such pains to keep from dirtying the house. They easily put out our fire and were on their way again, yet one could hardly tell they had even been here.

We wish to express our special thanks to the men at the Haynes Station for their quick and conscientious actions. I hope every city is fortunate enough to have firemen as fine as Midland's.

Cary and Darrell Stidham
Midland

More support added for NPR on cable

I would like to add my support to those who have written letters asking for the audio broadcast of National Public Radio (90 FM-Dallas) on the "print" channel (Cable Channel 2). Their programming is excellent and is entirely different from any radio available now in Midland. In addition to music, they have the award-winning Morning Addition news program. All Things Considered, Business Times, A Prairie Home Companion, and Radio Theatre which is currently presenting a BBC dramatization of J.R.R. Tolkien's "The Lord of the Rings" and Dorothy Sayers' "Lord Peter Wimsey."

I have made some inquiries into how Midland could receive NPR. The people at 90 FM in Dallas say the only way to get their signal here is through the system of the local cable company. When I questioned the cable company, they were unfamiliar with 90 FM.

I hope enough of us ask about this service to get the cable company's attention and interest.

Carol Mann
Midland

Having child who is unwanted 'wicked'

This is likely one of many letters you will receive that refer to the well done — yet wrong conclusion — article published by Mr. Robinson.

Should he — Mr. Robinson — live to "ripe old age" and spend some years outside of the "Silver Spoon" community, he shall come to know first hand that the most terrible, dreadful and horrible deed a woman can do is to bring an unwanted fetus into this world. To give birth to an unwanted fetus is also a very wicked deed.

And he shall come to know that the Supreme Court's ruling to which he refers is truthful, merciful and timely!

In short, the ultimate in and of child abuse is the birth of an unwanted baby in any social strata.

K.P. Walker
Midland

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Voter's league urges Indictment of gas meeting attendance industry resented

On Wednesday, Dec. 5, there will be an important meeting at St. Ann's Parish Center at 7:30 p.m. All Midlanders who are concerned with justice and world peace will have the opportunity to share their concerns, express their opinions and hear a variety of thoughts on this critical issue. Bishop Joseph Fiorenza of San Angelo and Bishop Leroy Mattheissen of Amarillo will be present to discuss the American Bishops Pastoral Letter on War and Peace.

The Midland League of Women Voters encourages all cities to attend this conference and articulate their ideas, as well as listen to others. Certainly, peace and justice are desired by all people. The methods that will best achieve that ideal are sometimes the source of conflict. We hope that this will be a valuable experience and an opportunity to show genuine citizen responsibility.

Responsible citizenship has been a goal of the League of Women Voters for nearly 65 years!

Pat Stanley, President
Midland League of Women Voters

Hospital department lax in paper work

An insurance company that I am trying to get insurance with requested information from the Midland Memorial Hospital Medical Records Department. After almost a month they wrote me asking me to try to speed up the request. I immediately called the records department. I was told they had received the request almost three weeks before and would try to get it out that day.

Last Saturday in the mail I received a form requesting my husband's signature on the form. I had originally signed the form.

I do not think it unreasonable to expect that I should have been told at the time of my call or at least a return call in a day or two that the other signature was needed.

Now almost two months after applying for insurance I still don't have any, partly because of one more department in our hospital that is inefficient.

I had known for years that several other departments were lax in paper work and even treatment, but now here is another.

Thank goodness the nurses in charge of my husband's care on the floor were not or I would not still have him.

I feel like the extra space they seem to need is wasted when the people they hire don't do their jobs.

L.H. Reese
Midland

This letter is a response to your recent editorial "Help the living" referencing the tragedy that occurred in Mexico City. With you, I deplore the accident and agree that we in the United States should indeed be a good neighbor and send all the help we can.

I do, however, resent your indictment of the LP-gas industry as a whole because of this accident. This tragedy was not caused by LP-gas — it was caused by the negligence and lack of safety precautions that are typical of the Mexican regulators. Regularly, several Mexican transports are refused entry into Texas because they do not meet the safety regulations of the Texas regulatory commission. The LP-gas industry in Texas is policed very competently.

Our company services thousands of customers with millions of gallons of LP-gas annually and have for 38 years — and we do it safely with the proper equipment and trained personnel. You speak of "horror stories" and LP-gas as being "dangerous" — not so if proper equipment and precautions are observed. Any form of energy is dangerous if not treated properly. Try spilling a little gasoline on the floor near your hot water heater.

Or better yet, let me suggest that you stick your fingers in an electric light socket. If you live, you can write another "horror story" as an irresponsible indictment of the electric industry and expound on how "dangerous" it is.

Jack Walcher, President
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WHOM TO WRITE

Following is a list of the names and addresses of various state and federal officials Midlanders may wish to contact from time to time:

PRESIDENT: Ronald Reagan, The President, The White House, Washington, D.C. 20500.

SENATORS: Lloyd Bentsen (D) and John Tower (R), Senate Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20515.

REPRESENTATIVE: Kent Hance (D), 1214 Longworth Building, Washington, D.C. 20515. Also 400 W. 4th, Odessa, Texas 79761.

Tom Loeffler (R), 1212 Longworth Building, Washington, D.C. 20515; or room 208, George Mahon Federal Building, 200 E. Wall, Midland, Texas 79701. Also 33 W. Twohig, San Angelo, Texas 76903.

GOVERNOR: Mark White (D), State Capitol Building, Austin, Texas 78701.

Reagan has list of several priorities for second term

By WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST JR.
Editor-in-Chief, The Hearst Newspapers



NEW YORK — When Americans re-elected President Reagan in an historic landslide, nobody expected that the going would be easy the second time around. As a matter of fact, I'm tempted to say that the President confronts today a massive intake of indigestibles calculated to make any administration reach for the bicarb. As President Reagan knows himself, after digging us out economically and repairing our defenses during his first term, there can be a lot of foot-dragging and excuse-making this new session. Nothing will come

easy. I'd like to tick off a few of the outstanding Presidential priorities: The Treasury has come up with a sweeping revision of our tax system. If the President was cool to the plan, so were lots of others who want changes. President Reagan said we can anticipate many alterations and congressional disputes before a final version is presented both houses in early January. Even then, don't expect universal pleasure with the bill. The Treasury proposal is a bargaining chip.

Well, at least we managed a conclusive result for U.S. Senate Majority leader. A bitter contest, requiring four secret ballots, elected Sen. Bob Dole, of Kansas. He succeeds Howard Baker, of Tenn., who is retiring. Dole, 61, edged out Ted Stevens of Alaska, who had been Senate Republican whip since 1977, but who now has lost that job too.

These legislative decks were cleared, so to speak, as the administration drafted positions for the

resumption of arms control negotiations with the Soviet Union, scheduled to start early in the New Year in Geneva. That's where the U.S.S.R. left the talks late last year in an effort to pressure the U.S. into halting deployment of new intermediate European missiles throughout Western Europe. The Soviets pulled out all their propaganda stops, including handsome payoffs to organizations for protest demonstrations.

NATO governments, which voted freely to install the defensive weapons, were not deterred by the Soviet moves. As a result, the allied defensive position has been enhanced mightily against the numerically superior Soviet SS-16s and SS-20s replaced by Moscow via Kremlin strategy. Citizens of satellite states, for example, have been arrested and jailed for protesting Soviet mobile missiles which make potential sitting ducks of their nations.

Secretary of State Shultz will open the negotiations in Geneva by con-

ferring with veteran Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko. The Soviets have already appealed for a "new detente," according to their No.1 Konstantin Chernenko. The U.S.S.R. wasted no time demanding that the U.S., "as evidence of good faith," declare a moratorium in our research and development of a space defense program.

Now the Soviet Union has been testing its own defenses and technological skills in this field. It is defensive and we would never demand that they abandon defensive programs. Therefore, why should we yield sovereign rights, to which any nation large or small is entitled, to a project destined to safeguard our defense in space?

It's their old story! What's mine is mine and what's yours, I want. We happen to be far ahead of the U.S.S.R. in space defense techniques and have already conducted several successful tests from thousands of miles away against targets. Our efforts, to be sure, are costly but

that's infinitely better than walking in lockstep to Soviet instruction. President Reagan provided the seed money and encouragement for the space defense program which would knock out incoming enemy missiles. The project is known officially as "High Frontier" and critics pooh-pooh the plan as some kind of Buck Rogers star wars. Interesting, the Soviet Union by no means scoffs at our space defense program. It wants, if it can, to see the project derailed or even downgraded. You'll be hearing lots more about "High Frontier" in this space in future columns.

While I'm on the subject of arms reduction, why is the U.S.S.R. stoking the furnace so fiercely in Central America? The Kremlin would invoke all its power against us if, say, we had surrogates in Bulgaria. Yet there is the Soviet Union, with a made-in-Moscow peace label, sending guns to revolutionaries in El Salvador through intermediaries. Fidel Castro is chief go-fer.

Last in this litany of problems,

(and I've not arranged them in any particular order) is the growing contagion of terrorism. Our embassy in Rome was fortunate enough to have police uncover a plot in time. Other diseased minds keep hatching anti-U.S., anti-Western conspiracies. Isn't it strange that the Soviet Union never has been the target of any homicidal behavior? Some of my friends in Western intelligence suggest a quid-pro-quo accommodation by the KGB. More than sketchy evidence exists to show how that teamwork operates.

The President, as an architect of state, must concern himself with the most pressing affairs that arise at home and abroad. Simply being re-elected to a second term doesn't guarantee the incumbent at the White House an easy ride for four years.

It's a good thing that President Reagan has a sense of humor. He'll need every bit of it in the next four years.

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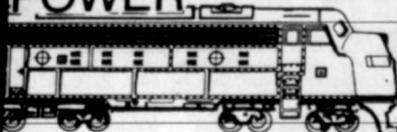
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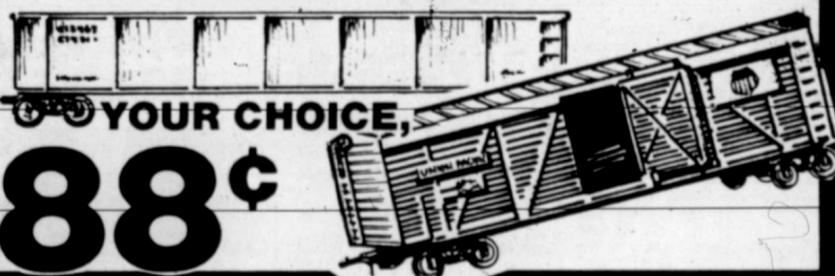
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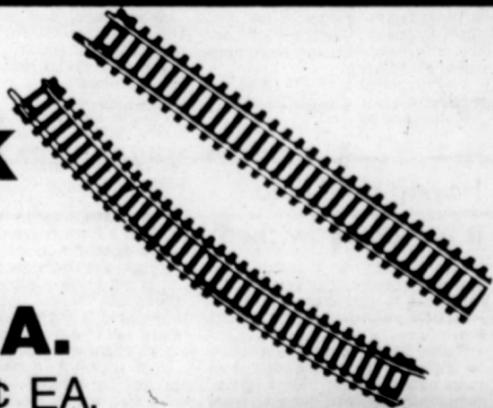
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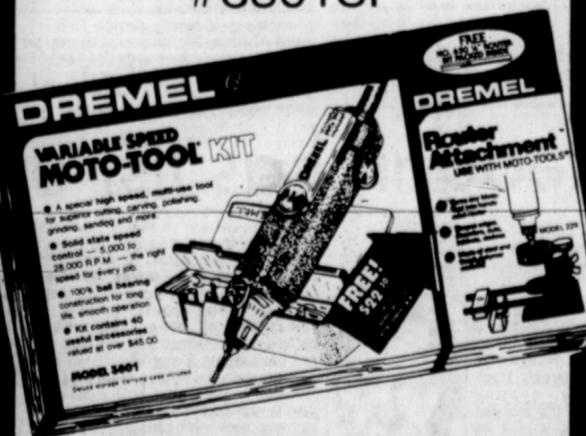
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15 Help Wanted

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15 Help Wanted

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15 Help Wanted

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15 Help Wanted

WORKING Parents need reliable person to care for 2 children after school (2:30-7:00) Monday through Friday. Light housekeeping, help with homework and evening meal.

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PRIVATE Computer lessons on your own equipment Contact Scott McHardy 694-0835.

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15 Help Wanted

LOCAL Company needs experienced person for accounting office. Must operate 10 key by touch, type minimum 80 wpm. Good company benefits and working conditions. Call: Hubbs Trainers, 563-0923.

15 Help Wanted

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15 Help Wanted

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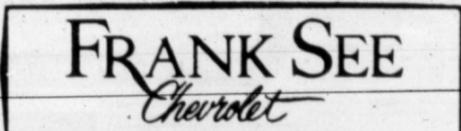


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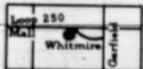
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NEWEST LISTINGS	3-3 BEDROOMS	2-3 BEDROOMS	LOTS & ACREAGE
Wynwood-3-2, Jacuzzi & pool, etc. \$110,000	Leisure-never 3-2, some bond money \$69,900	Wylde-3BR, 2BA, 2 1/2 baths, 2 car garage \$148,500	Co. Rd. 140W-68, rock FF, golf \$125,000
Tuffwood-3-3, lg. kit, game room \$106,000	Louisiana-3BR, 1 1/2 ba, 2 1/2 FF, \$69,900	Wynwood-3-2, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$110,000	Co. Rd. 838-48, 2 1/2 ba, 2 1/2 FF, \$125,000
Mark Lane-3-2, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$105,000	Brewerwood-3BR, 2BA, new carpet \$68,500	Co. Rd. 1247N-3-2, lg. den, circle dr. \$95,000	Co. Rd. 1153-3, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$112,500
Shiloh-3BR, lots of storage, large \$89,500	DeWitt-3BR, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$68,000	Co. Rd. 1218S-3-2, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$110,000	Co. Rd. 1247N-3-2, lg. den, circle dr. \$95,000
Harold-Contemp 3-2, nice \$87,500	DeWitt-3BR, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$68,000	Co. Rd. 1153-3, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$112,500	Co. Rd. 1153-3, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$112,500
Greenwood-3BR, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$85,000	DeWitt-3BR, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$68,000	Co. Rd. 1218S-3-2, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$110,000	Co. Rd. 1153-3, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$112,500
3 MORE BEDROOMS	DeWitt-3BR, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$68,000	Co. Rd. 1247N-3-2, lg. den, circle dr. \$95,000	Co. Rd. 1153-3, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$112,500
Greenwood-4-3 1/2, alarm system \$139,500	DeWitt-3BR, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$68,000	Co. Rd. 1153-3, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$112,500	Co. Rd. 1153-3, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$112,500
Shady Oak-4-3, 3 1/2 ba, pool, spa \$139,500	DeWitt-3BR, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$68,000	Co. Rd. 1218S-3-2, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$110,000	Co. Rd. 1153-3, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$112,500
Restonwood-Cust. 4-3, 3 1/2 ba, pool, spa \$139,500	DeWitt-3BR, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$68,000	Co. Rd. 1247N-3-2, lg. den, circle dr. \$95,000	Co. Rd. 1153-3, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$112,500
Cypress-4 BR, POOL, extra \$119,000	DeWitt-3BR, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$68,000	Co. Rd. 1153-3, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$112,500	Co. Rd. 1153-3, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$112,500
Bedford-4-3-3, spot, new and lovely \$116,000	DeWitt-3BR, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$68,000	Co. Rd. 1218S-3-2, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$110,000	Co. Rd. 1153-3, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$112,500
Harvest-4-3 1/2, spot, 3rd yr. 2 1/2 \$115,000	DeWitt-3BR, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$68,000	Co. Rd. 1247N-3-2, lg. den, circle dr. \$95,000	Co. Rd. 1153-3, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$112,500
Sunshine Pkwy-4-3, patio home \$114,500	DeWitt-3BR, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$68,000	Co. Rd. 1153-3, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$112,500	Co. Rd. 1153-3, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$112,500
Neely-4BR, 3 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$114,500	DeWitt-3BR, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$68,000	Co. Rd. 1218S-3-2, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$110,000	Co. Rd. 1153-3, 2 1/2 ba, 2 car garage \$112,500
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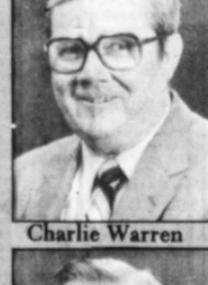
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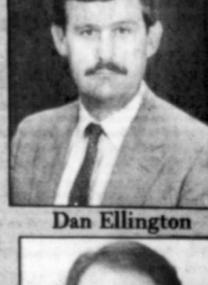
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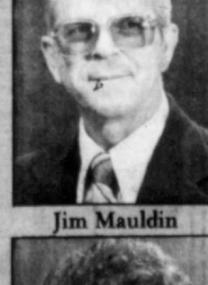
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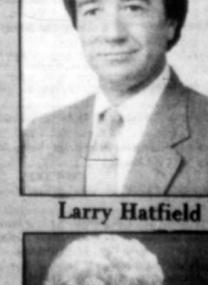
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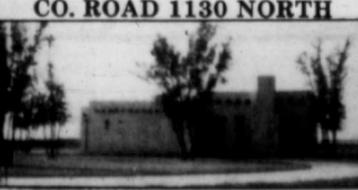
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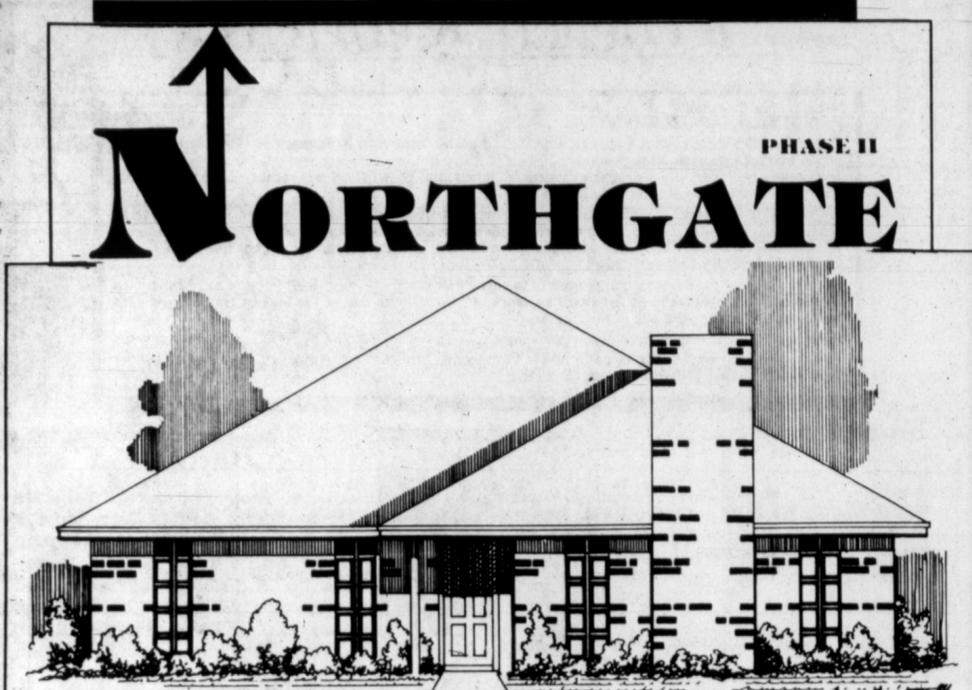
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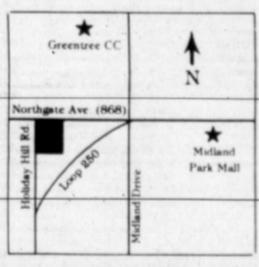
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NORWOOD-course..... \$119,900	PINEAS-assump. bond money..... \$54,900	SPARTAN-res. lot..... \$14,500
FANNIN-sequestered den..... \$119,500	NORTHUP-much new..... \$53,500	TEAKWOOD TRACE-Lot..... \$34,000
GOLF COURSE-nice older home..... \$115,000	NOBLES-nice, clean home..... \$50,000	SOUTH "L"-res. lot..... \$20,000
EMERSON-completely remodeled... \$115,000	DELANO-nice home..... \$48,000	WYDEWOOD-7TH LOTS each..... \$10,000
NORTHTOWN-Glenn Pine built..... \$114,000	AMELIA..... SALE PENDING	INVESTMENT PROPERTY
GLENEAGLES-open & Bright..... \$110,000	VERSAILLE-good starter home..... \$46,500	COUNTRY CLUB-duplex..... \$81,000
SKYLINE TERRACE-excellent area... \$110,000	FIESTA-spotless home..... \$46,000	TEXAS-zoned office..... \$250,000
MOSS-spacious, patio home..... \$109,900	DELANO-assm. non-esc..... \$45,000	NEELY-duplex 1/1..... \$39,500
FRONTIER-good assump..... \$108,000	THOMAS-assm. Non-esc..... \$43,500	HARVARD-duplex..... \$104,500
PERMAN-hatched pool, nice home... \$106,000	GEORGE-super TH, singles pad..... \$42,900	BAIRD-warehouse..... \$75,000
FANNIN-assm. super home..... \$105,900	PINE-starter home..... \$42,000	THOMAS-3/2, townhouses each... \$76,500
NORTH "N"-light & bright..... \$102,500	CEDAR SPRING-invest prop..... \$40,500	HAYNES-duplex, 2 1/2..... \$119,500
CIMMARON..... Sale Pending	CUTHBERT-comm. potential..... \$39,500	TEXAS-3/2, zoned comm..... \$210,000
GARFIELD-spa room, nice..... \$97,500	ANETTA-corner lot..... \$38,000	5. MIDKIFF-26 acres, LR 2..... \$156,000
DOUGLAS-quality older home..... \$96,500	PINE-nice starter home..... \$37,500	NEW CONSTRUCTION
REGAL-wet bar, nice..... \$95,800	ANETTA-assm. non-esc..... \$35,000	HAMBRICK HOMES
NORTH "A"-old Midland..... \$95,000	LEE-much redone..... \$35,000	CANEMONT-3/2..... \$85,000
HYDE PARK-super location..... \$94,500	DELANO-nice starter home..... \$33,000	LEONARD HOMES INC.
NORTH "H"-much new..... \$89,900	PINE-good open plan..... \$31,000	LANCASHIRE-4/2 1/2..... \$146,900
MARK LANE-Lovely home..... \$88,500	WAVELEY-FHA assm..... \$32,000	LANCASHIRE-4/2..... \$141,900
BRAZOS-bond money assump..... \$88,500	KENTUCKY-rental..... \$28,000	LEHIGH-4BR..... \$128,500
SHILL-good buy, updated home..... \$87,500	LINCOLN-starter home..... \$27,500	HERVEY & LOVE, INC.
NORTHUP-spa, decking..... \$87,500	4 BEDROOMS OR MORE	FAIRBANKS-3/1 1/2..... \$98,000
DENBAR-lovely home..... \$87,000	HACKBERRY-2 story, contemp..... \$295,000	FAIRBANKS-3/1 1/2..... \$88,500
MANOR-bond money assump..... \$87,000	NORTH "H"-tri-level..... \$210,000	MARK LANE-1/1 1/2..... \$112,000
WHITTLE WAY-TH good buy..... \$85,000	RIDGEMAR-large home, 3 LA..... \$165,500	MARK LANE-3/2..... \$112,000
KANSAS-quality home..... SOLD	METZ-near college, sunroom..... \$165,000	HOMER MARCUM
PRESTON-excellent investment..... \$84,000	CRESTGATE-gameroom..... \$164,900	WYDEWOOD-3/2..... \$122,500
PRESTON-lovely TH..... \$84,000	CHATHAM-newly remodeled..... \$157,500	BERMUDA CT-4/2..... \$131,800
NEELY-good assumption..... \$83,600	OAKRIDGE-exquisite Pine plan..... \$152,500	LEASE PROPERTY
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WARD-lovely home..... \$83,500	STANLIND-distinguished..... \$139,000	TANNER..... \$498
PALMER-beautiful yard..... \$83,000	NORTHTOWN-3LA, nice area..... \$129,500	MAPLE..... \$450
SHANDON-nice, clean home..... \$82,500	AUBURN-simberlo Add..... \$126,500	KENTUCKY..... \$175
SHANDON-FHA assumption..... \$79,500	LOCKHEED-pool, 2 LA..... \$124,500	NORTHUP..... \$395
CANADIAN-great starter home..... \$79,900	LINDA CT-much charm..... \$121,500	RIDGEMAR..... \$125
DOUGLAS-great neighborhood..... \$78,500	STANLIND-much new & redone..... \$105,000	SHELL..... \$650
ALPINE-assumable, non-esc..... \$78,500	DOUGLAS-large lot..... \$102,000	GLENNWOOD..... \$500
WEGWOOD-superlocation..... \$78,000	NORTHTOWN - lg spacious home... \$87,000	PRINCETON..... \$600
DENBAR-air grass..... \$77,500	HUMBLE-super buy..... \$72,000	SIESTA..... 500
TENNESSEE-older Midland..... \$75,900	MICHIGAN-light & bright..... \$69,500	NORTH-SOUTH EAST OR WEST
DENBAR-nice home..... \$74,950	SUBURBAN PROPERTY	TRINITY We offer complete Real Estate Service
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CIMMARON-good neighborhood..... \$73,900	CO. RD. 52W-3/2, 5 ac..... \$105,000	
BENTWOOD-rock fireplace..... \$73,000	CO. RD. 1130N-3/2 acreage..... \$129,900	
MELTON ALLEY-assum non-esc. ln..... \$73,000	CO. RD. 52 W-4 1/1..... \$118,500	
CALDERA-beautiful condition..... \$72,900	IRVIN-3/2, super home..... \$125,000	
MELTON ALLEY-non esc. loan..... \$72,500	TODD-4/2 1/2, acreage..... \$119,000	
CRENSHAW-fha assumption..... \$71,000	COTTONFLAT RD-14x76 mob. hm... \$65,000	

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3915 Northfield	Trinity Est w/fml din, 4 br, 3 1/2 ba, wet bar	\$180,000
1494 Darn 307	Saddle Club S, NEW 4 br, 3 ba, extra!	\$180,000
4006 Crestgate	Lots of mexican tile, 4 br, 2 1/2 ba on 4.1 acres	\$180,000
#8 Bristol Court	Beautiful home w/4 br, 3+ ba, wet bar, spr sys	\$150,000
904 Country Club	Refurnished, 4 br, 2 1/2 bath gameroom	\$150,000
3295 Wedgewood	Stunning area w/3 br, gamerm, POOL	\$150,000
2462 Bellechase	Will lease purch., 4 br, gamerm, fml din, pool!	\$140,000
5166 Greentree	Pool w/ no main yard, 3 br, 2 ba, study	\$132,500
4607 Angelina	Townhouse w/atrium, 3 br, 2 ba, fml din	\$130,000
4211 Glenesgles	Free flow plan, parquet floor in din, 3 br, 1 1/2 ba	\$128,500
Co. Rd. 1190 N	Beauty w/extra-atrium, miniblinds, 3 br, 2 1/2 ba	\$128,500
4305 Thornberry	3 1/2 acres w/brick home - 4 br, 4 ba, well	\$128,000
4290 Thornberry	Pretty home w/pool, 3 br, 2 ba, lovely yard	\$118,000
1794 Ward	Pool, 4 br, 2 ba, tile in kit & breakfast	\$116,000
2300 Sunshine Pkwy	Owner will TRADE, lovely 3 br, 2 ba, sprnkr sys	\$116,000
2826 Frontier	Established area - 4 br, 1 1/2 ba 2 liv. fp	\$98,500
2800 Dora Place	Wooded, 3 br, 2 ba, strim wndws, microwave	\$98,500
2807 Moss	Patio home w/3 br, 2 1/2 ba, sprinkler system	\$98,500
2823 Metz	New carpet, lovely 3 br, 2 1/2 ba, 2 liv	\$98,500
4213 Merrill	Nice area - lovely home w/3 br (seq master), 2 ba	\$97,500
4708 Dengar	Spotless beauty w/mirrored din wall, 3 br, 2 ba	\$95,000
3700 Bk Fairhaven	New Contemp w/3 br, 2 ba, fml din, starting	\$95,000
2814 Fannin	Lovely area, spacious 4 br, 2 ba, 2 liv	\$95,000
5006 San Antonio	Only 2 yrs old, 3 br, 2 ba, 2 1/2 w/fp	\$95,000
4116 Glenesgles	Spacious liv w/fp, nice cabinets, 3 br, 2 ba	\$90,000
4510 Palmer	Lite & open, 3 br, 2 ba, pretty yard	\$88,500
4601 Humble	Only 2 years old, lovely 3 br, fp	\$88,500
3300 Bk Dentest	NEW contemp homes w/3 br, 2 ba, 2 1/2 ba, from	\$88,500
3328 Preston	Townhouse, 2 br, 2 1/2 ba, lots of storage	\$88,500
4503 Fannin	Bond assum - Spacious 3 br, 2 ba, living w/fp	\$88,500
3618 Storey	Loaded w/EXTRAS, pl on deck, 2 fp, 2 br, 2 1/2 ba	\$85,000
3510 Imperial	Good plan, 3 br or could be 4, 1 1/2 ba, pretty fp	\$85,000
4204 Preston	2 master suites, liv w/fp, microwave	\$84,000
4506 Palmer	Spacious home, Fairway Pk, 3 br, 2 ba	\$84,000
4506 Lanham	Lots of storage - 2 br, 2 ba, non-escalating assum	\$84,000
Co. Rd. 156 W	5 acres w/brick home w/3 br, 2 ba, 2 liv areas	\$80,000
4804 Bedford	DUPLEX 2/1, miniblinds, 1 1/2 ba	\$79,500
3208 Terrace	Two liv. fp, mini blinds, 3 br, 1 1/2 ba	\$78,500
3706 Gulf	Very nice 3 br, 1 1/2 ba, storm windows	\$78,500
2216 Ward	Spacious home w/lots of new, 3 br, 1 1/2 ba	\$78,500
3714 W. Ohio	Lg. TH w/2 br, 2 ba, 2 car gar & eartheness	\$75,000
448 Crenshaw	Fairway Pk 3 br, 1 1/2 ba, well landscaped	\$75,000
467 Mary Circle	Near Greenwood Sch., 3 br, 2 ba	\$75,000
3718 Gulf	Close to Lee & Rusk, 3 br, 1 1/2 ba, stor	\$75,000
3511 W. Wadley	Parquet floor in dining & kit, 3 br, 1 1/2 ba	\$75,000
3104 Storey	Spotless home w/seq master, 2 br, liv w/fp	\$75,000
707 DeWitt	Est. neighborhood, lovely home w/3 br, 2 ba	\$75,000
3006 Brazos	Better than new/3br, 2 ba, 1 1/2 ba, bkf bar	\$75,000
4618 Bowie	New home with Northgate, 3 br, 1 1/2 ba, owner will finance	\$75,000
1006 Denton	Owner will finance, NEW 3 br, brick	\$75,000
706 Storey	Cute older home w/2 br, 1 1/2 ba	\$75,000
3817 Storey	Bond loan beautiful yd, 3 br, 2 ba, w/fresh paint	\$75,000
3201 Park Lane	Great assumption! 2 br, 2 ba, liv w/fp	\$75,000
3208 Cunningham	Four br, 2 ba, 1 liv area, utl rm	\$75,000
4504 Irwin	Fairway Pk 3 br, 2 ba, wet bar	\$75,000
4818 Illinois	2008 br, 1 1/2 ba, 2 ba, workshop, storm cellar	\$70,000
4817 Sentinel	Peanut trees, 3 br, 2 ba, ref air	\$70,000
3185 Barkley	Close to schools, 1800 sq ft w/3 br, 2 ba	\$70,000
117 N. Dewberry	Neat & clean w/3 br, 1 1/2 ba, water well	\$70,000
4714 Kiewa	Good floor plan - brick w/3 br, 2 ba, liv w/fp	\$70,000
1215 Burchfield	Starter w/3 br, 2 ba, liv w/fp	\$70,000
1118 Cottonton	Brick home w/3 br, 2 ba	\$70,000
1714 Pine	Lots of extras, brick 3 br, 2 ba	\$70,000
704 Sprayberry	Lots of new - 3 br, 2 ba, ref air	\$70,000
1326 E. Pine	Very nice 2 story w/4 br, 2 ba	\$70,000
181 E. Pine	Good financing on this newly brick 3 br, 2 ba	\$70,000
1314 E. Oak	Charming yr old home w/3 br, 1 1/2 ba, brick	\$70,000
3461 Cunningham	Non-escalating loan - cute 3 br, 2 ba	\$70,000
1602 N. Main	Brick starter w/2 br, workshop	\$70,000
4207 College	Doll house w/3 br, 1 ba, lots of new	\$70,000
487 Sweetbrier	Lots of new, nice neighborhood, 3 br, 1 1/2 ba	\$70,000
2806 Rosevelt	New home w/3 br, 1 ba, owner will finance	\$70,000
1118 Pine	Starter home with 3 br, 2 ba	\$70,000
1306 Cowden/Estes	Good starter homes w/2 br, 1 ba, 1 liv	\$70,000
461 E. Maple	Starter home with 3 br, 1 ba, carport	\$70,000
Jax, Maple & Oak	Investors - new homes with 2 br, 1 ba, 1 liv	\$70,000
1468 N. Loraine	Hardwood floors, 2 br, 1 1/2 ba	\$70,000
Co. Rd. 121 S	1976 mobile home w/lot, 3 br, 1 car gar	\$70,000
5007 Roosevelt	Good rental prop, 2 br, 1 ba, 1 car gar	\$70,000
5008 Roosevelt	Good rental, 2 br, 1 ba, paneled interior	\$70,000
5712 Roosevelt	Bond loan, 2 br, 1 ba, good starter	\$70,000
1215 S. McKenzie	Beautiful garden, 3 br, 1 ba, neat & clean	\$70,000
4209 Merrill	Cul-de-sac residential lot	\$70,000
4306 Bk Glenesgles	Residential lots	each \$17,000
708 S. Clay	Starter home w/3 br, 1 ba, stove & refrig	\$70,000
Willowood	3 residential lots, 2 for \$15,000 and one for	\$11,000
332 Rocky Lane	Residential lot in area w/3 year old homes each	\$7,500
1311 N. Pratt	Corner lot, fully fenced, parking pad	\$7,500
Llano Estacado	Approx 1.12 acre	\$12,500
Co Rd 54 W	2.5 ac - well - will carry paper	\$58,000
1965 W. Industrial	Commercial bldg, 30.5x100 ofc & 1 ba,	\$65,000
2300 Bk Taylor	Approx 4 acre, zoned C-3	\$72,000
Ronnie Road	Acres good for pipe yard or offices	\$54,000
Co. Rd. 1243	8.25 acres divided into 1 & 1/4 acre lots	\$88,000
Garden City Hwy	10 acres, fenced and water	\$100,000
Warehouse/Shop	Combination of 2 acres, good buy	\$110,000
1111 W. Texas	Comm. loca - home can be converted to office	\$115,000
2614 W. Wall	Commercial lot & metal bldg.	\$142,000
34 Acres	Greenwood area	\$102,000
Co Rd 1265 S	60 acres - must see area for country living	\$145,000
Off Co Rd 160 W	30 acres, must see area for country living	\$175,500
Farm Rd. 715 S	Choice location for development, will subdivide	\$258,000
1618 W. Wall	Church bldg, plus parsonage	\$200,000
Garden City Hwy	320 acres, commercial area	\$1,800,000



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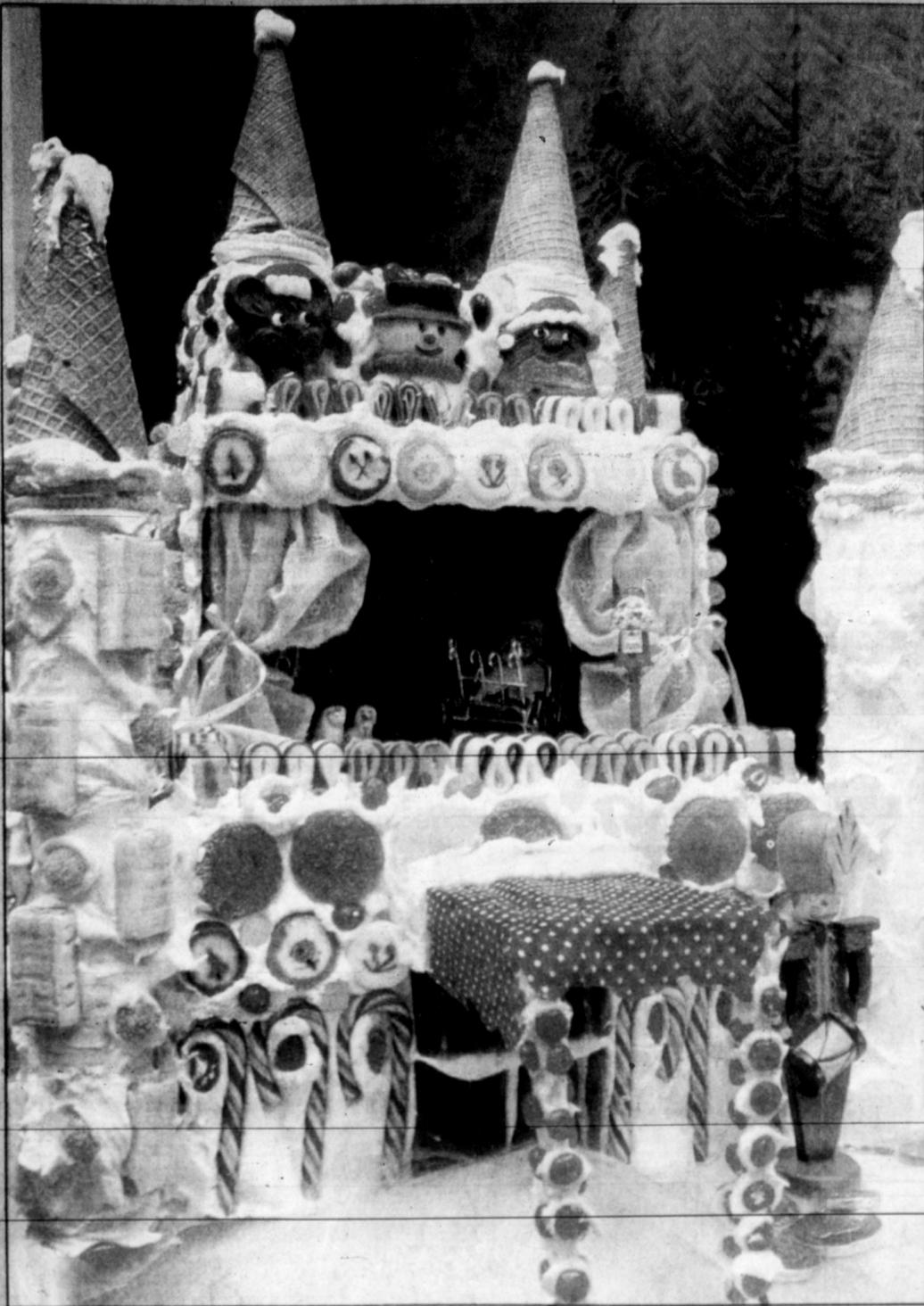


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HUMBLE-Location in coveted Ma Mar, new carpet, paint 4 BR	165,000
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LAURA-Spacious, Seq master, Canton Blk, 4 bed	73,500
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MARIANA-4 bed a lots of home for money. Bond money NICE	128,500
MAXWELL-4 bed is Really a Beauty. Lots of new. Absolutely immac	139,900
METZ-Immaculate 4 bed, new carpet, shows pride of ownership	97,500
MICHIGAN-4 bdrm, 2 bath mint condition, updated	77,450
MISSOURI-Beaut 2 story, 5bedrm. Close to town. Below appraisal price	129,500
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NORTHFIELD-3 bed home with great commercial potential	475,000
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ST. ANDREW'S-Custom built by seller, lovely woodwork, Great Buy	129,500
STANOLIND-Exq. home and yard, new paint & carpet, garden room	162,500
STUTZ-4br, 2 1/2 bath, gameroom, formal dining. Executive Home	119,900
TEALWOOD-Very special 4 BR, Pine built. Listed under appraisal	95,800
TEALWOOD-Glamorous interior, great hot tub, less than 1 yr	110,000
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BLOCKDALE-3 bed, Ref. Air peach, skylight, must see	89,500
BRUNSON-Great Starter Home. Clean & Cute Close to Everthng 3bd, 1 bath	42,500
BRUNSON-This 3 bed has brand new carpet. Also some appliances included	43,000
BURCHILL-3 1/2 Lg. Den, Will Lease Purchase	49,500
CAMARIE-Daring 3 bedrm home, bay window, formal dining room, carry	87,500
CAMARIE-Playhouse, lots of new, cream puff, 2bd plus study	79,500
CHEROKEE-3-1, cute starter home, assumable loan	37,500
CHICKASAW-Wonderful 3 Bed. Family in New Development. Cathedral Ceiling	90,000
CIMMARON-Immaculate 3 Bed in Established Area. New Carpet/Paint	87,500
COMPTON-Beautiful Twneah with yd in back for pool, courtyard	123,500
COMPTON-3 bed, redecorated, beautiful pool & jacuzzi, skylights/Atrium	190,000
COUNTRY CLUB-Mexican tile throughout, beautiful gardens	129,500
CRENSHAW-3 bed is great starter home, low assump, cell fans	78,500
CRENSHAW-Many nice features in this 3 bed, sprinkler system, nice yard	79,500
DEWBERRY-Beautiful 3 bed older home. Corner lot loaded with trees	94,500
DEWBERRY-Very nice 3 bed, Fireplace, Workshop, bay window	62,000
DONALD-3 bdrm, 2 bath, nice yard, 4 whirlpool, skylight, must see	119,500
DURANT-Nice Area, landscaping, buff grass extra insulation	112,500
ELMA-Spectacular!!! Elegant Built, Terry Full Custom. Three bedrooms, two baths	119,000
EMERSON-This 3 bed is immaculate & in perfect condition. Grate built	82,500
ERIC-3 bed appraised at 57,000, well maintained, 2 liv or 4 bed	21,500
ERIE-Good Money Assump, fresh paint, 4 whirlpool, skylight, must see	93,500
FREDCLIFF-3 bed, 2 1/2 ba, w/his & her bath, front courtyard. Bonus study rm	91,900
FREDA-Clean, Green Ready to be seen, 3 bed in Wydedwood	91,900
GULF-Midland at it best. 3BD, 2 1/2 bath, new pool, new carpet, new decor	234,000
HARVARD-3bdrm, 3 bath, rmodeled kitchen, parquet floors	154,000
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HUMBLE-Sparkling lit, bayed, decorators hm, lots of pizzaz, water well	88,450
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ILLINOIS-Good investment for rental, corner lot	48,500
IMPERIAL-3-2-2, 2 liv, areas, rf, ref air. A real pleasure	129,500
LOMA-Great investment property. Home w/assump, money apt.	190,000
KENTUCKY-Precious 3 bedrm, 2 bath home, what a buy! Reduced	44,900
KENTUCKY-3 bed, 2 1/2 ba, 2 LA, 2 fireplace, beautiful pool	82,000
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The three-story Christmas candy castle also is made with a lot of time and \$50 worth made by Linda Faulkner "with a lot of love," of candy and cookies.

A Merry Christmas with grandma's love

Text by Lisa Gerlock
Photos by Jerry Mennenga

To her grandchildren, she is the fairy godmother, Santa's elf and a good friend all rolled into one. And to Linda Faulkner, her grandchildren are "precious."

She built them a sugarplum castle.

She made stockings with their names sewn on just so Santa would know whose was whose.

She dresses her granddaughters as though they were little princesses and she dresses her grandson as though he were a little prince.

When a visitor tells the grandchildren they are lucky to have her, Mrs. Faulkner meekly interrupts to make one gentle correction: "No, I am the lucky one."

"It's a very special relationship," she said.

She and her granddaughter are river-rafting partners in Big Bend.

They are close friends. "We enjoy each other. It's such a privilege to share them," she said.

To Mrs. Faulkner, a secretary at Loffland Brothers Co., being a grandmother means having time to do the things she's always wanted to do. "Once the children are grown, there's more time ..."

"We have a lot of fun with Christmas," said Mrs. Faulkner, who didn't become familiar with craft needles and sewing machines until she started her own family.

Mrs. Faulkner, who has been in the working world since her oldest child finished pre-school, made dresses for her daughter and suits for her son throughout their childhood years.

Thirteen years ago her daughter Karen, now Mrs. Len Mitchell, became a mother herself. And her daughter Shazalynn Cavin has had a new Christmas dress from her grandmother ever since.

And seven years ago when Shazalynn became a sister, she and Sabrina began spending each Christmas in matching dresses from their grandmother.

This Christmas the sisters have a baby brother, 11-month-old Curtis. For his first year, he gets a suit which coordinates with his older sister's dresses.

Mrs. Faulkner designed the pewter-blue velvet ensemble by matching pieces of several different patterns for each outfit.



In 1983 Mrs. Faulkner made dresses for her granddaughters Sabrina, left, and Shazalynn.

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Christmas stockings hung — and made — with care have become a Christmas tradition for Mrs. Faulkner, above.



For his first Christmas, 11-month-old Curtis wears a suit his grandmother made to coordinate with his sisters' dresses.

Make cookies for sweet gifts

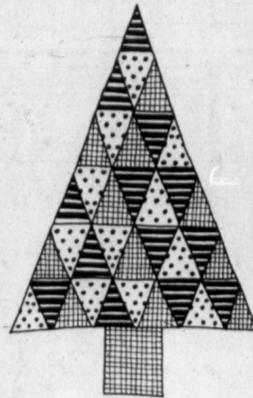
CHOCOLATE CHIP OAT COOKIES
 1/4-lb. stick butter
 3/4 C. firmly packed brown sugar
 1/2 tsp. vanilla
 1 large egg
 1 C. stirred all-purpose flour
 1/2 tsp. baking soda
 1/2 tsp. salt
 1/2 C. quick-cooking or regular oats
 6 oz. semi-sweet chocolate pieces

1/2 C. coarsely broken walnuts
 Cream butter, sugar and vanilla; beat in egg until blended. Sprinkle with flour, soda and salt and beat until smooth. Stir in oats, chocolate and walnuts. Drop by teaspoons, a few inches apart, onto greased cookie sheets. Bake in a preheated 375-F. oven 10-12 minutes. Cool on wire racks. Makes 3 to 3 1/2 dozen. — (AP)

Triangles form tree

By WENDIE R. BLANCHARD
 Copley News Service

A quilted tree can be created from triangular shapes of printed material and stuffed with polyfil. Triangles are sewn together in combinations of three, 16, 36, etc.



Matt Holten/Reporter-Telegram

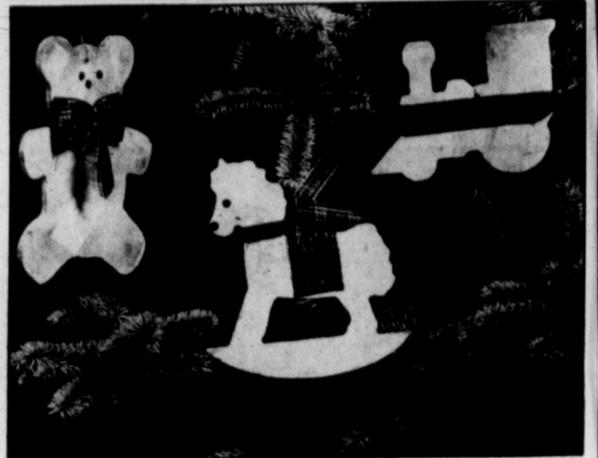
Cut a cardboard template from the triangle pattern shown in the illustration. The pattern includes a 1/4-inch seam allowance around the entire triangle. To enlarge or reduce the size of your tree's quilted elements simply make your adjustments on a grid and allow for the 1/4 inch for seams. Cut 36 triangles using the template. Arrange all the triangles into a color scheme using rows of one, three, five, seven, nine and 11 triangles. Sew (leaving a 1/2-inch seam allowance) the bias edge of one triangle (base side down) to the bias edge of the next triangle (base down) until you have the bottom row of 11 triangles completed.

Repeat the procedure until a row of nine, seven, five, three and one triangles are completed. Iron each strip, pressing all seams to one side. Join the short side of the 11-piece strip to the long side of the nine-piece strip and so on until the front side of the tree is complete except for the trunk.

Cut a 7 1/2- by 7 1/2-inch piece of brown fabric and attach it to the center of the 11-piece strip. Press. Using the completed front as a pattern, cut another single piece of fab-

ric for the back and two thicknesses of batting for the inside. With the front and back sides together (right sides together) place both layers leaving a 12-inch opening along one side for turning right side out. Stitch as basted. Turn right side out and slip stitch opening closed.

Necessary materials for the project include two pieces of polyfil batting, 36 x 25 inches; 1/4 yard of fabric for back and trunk and 13 of each of any fabrics, 7 x 7 inches.



Making wooden ornaments can freshen traditional tree Christmas collections and can be a family project for the holidays.

Crafts can be family project

A unique family holiday project to spruce up the family's Christmas spruce is to make tree ornaments.

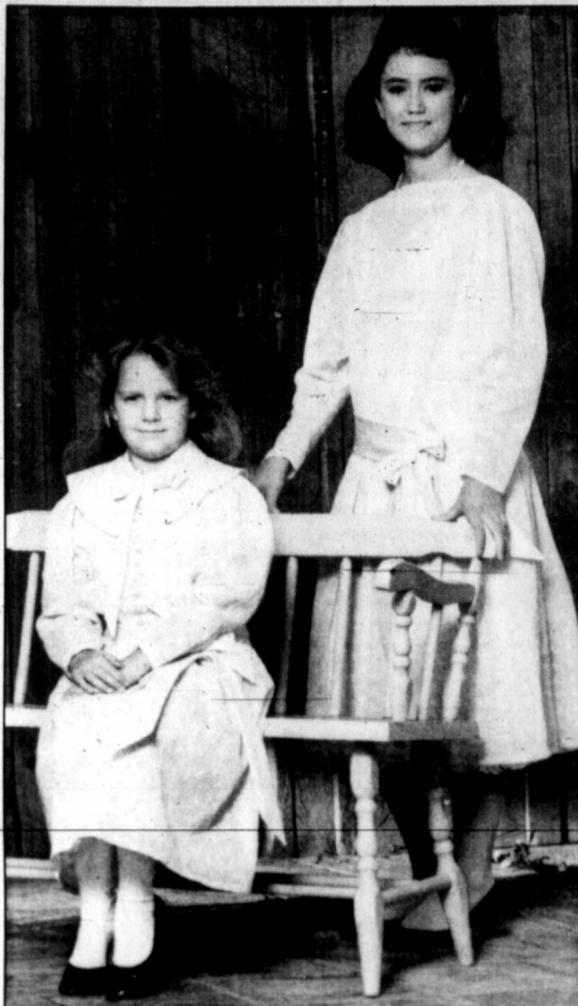
More than 100 ornaments can be produced from a 4 by 8-foot sheet of 1/4-inch waferwood. Plans and patterns can be obtained from Louisiana-Pacific Corp., a waferwood manufacturing company.

Plans for the decorations include cat, dog, teddy bear, reindeer,

caboose, star, dove and rocking horse patterns for templates.

The ornaments can be decorated with Christmas ribbons and can be hung from the tree with gold metallic thread.

For a copy of the plans sheet, send name and address to Louisiana-Pacific, ATTN: Christmas Ornaments, 111 S.W. Fifth Ave., Portland, Oregon, 97204.



Jerry Mennenga/Reporter-Telegram

Mrs. Faulkner made powder-blue voile dresses to match pewter-blue velvet jumpers, shown on page 1E. The dresses are worn with pale pink moire sashes for a different look.

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In 1983, she made matching plaid satin puffed-sleeve dresses for the girls.

"As much as I used to sew for Karen, I never find time to do those things for her anymore," because her attention is focused on her grandchildren. "But Karen is a good seamstress now."

Mrs. Faulkner's creativity thrives in areas other than fabrics and stitches.

This year, she built her grandchildren a candy castle. The three-story structure made of cardboard is glued with frosting and anchored

with ice cream-capped turrets.

The second story of the castle is a room filled with a miniature cradle, carriage and high chair in honor of the new baby in the house. Drapes and cushions in the room are made of material matching the children's Christmas outfits.

Two miniature porcelain puppies sit in the room — they are symbolic of the family's dogs Charlie and Maggie.

The castle is coated in candy canes, jelly beans, chocolate covered graham crackers, gum drops, lemon and orange drops, red hots and peanut butter slices. A wooden soldier stands guard outside the front of the

castle. An awning made of candied-apple sticks draped in red and white fabric shades the front entrance.

Up on the rooftop sit a white chocolate snowman, a chocolate santa and a chocolate mouse.

The frosting holding the small, sweet fortress together is made of three egg whites (the trick is to get them at room temperature, she said), a pound of confectioner's sugar, 1/4 teaspoon cream of tartar, and is beaten for nine minutes.

Mrs. Faulkner said it took four nights to make the castle. And because the frosting hardens so quickly, she makes a small batch at a time.

She started making gingerbread-type constructions five or six years ago. "They are one of the easiest — not the easiest — but one of the easiest things to make."

"There's just no end to what you can do once you figure out how to make a foundation and build the walls."

Her next challenge is a log cabin made of breadsticks.

But she is modest about her creativity. "I just read alot."

Her talents, creativity and imagination are not the only tools used in the crafts she gives the little ones. "They are made with a lot of love," she said.



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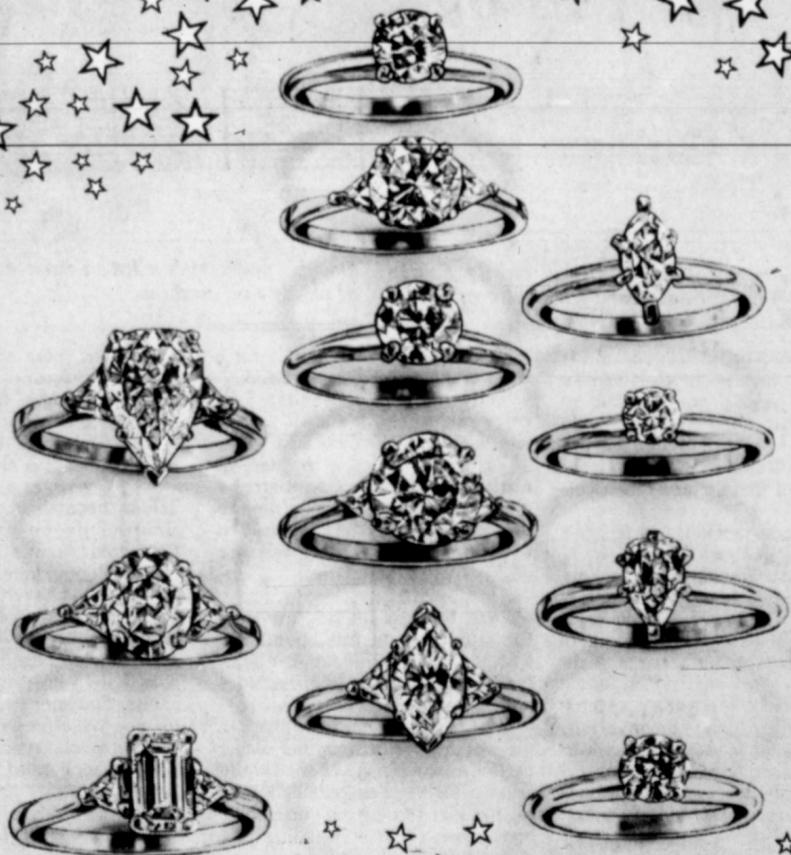
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The 1984 Minuet Club debutantes are, from left to right, Kathryn Lynn Way, Sara Renee Sumner, Christa Adams Garlitz, Shelley Tom Jowell, Jennifer Allyn Jackson, Nell Fullinwider, Sally Lee Seal, Kamee Young, Susan Allison Lamphere, Jennifer Lee Bales, Molly Beth Franklin and Julie Ann Crain.

Minuet Club makes 29th annual debutante presentation

Twelve Minuet Club Debutantes were presented Nov. 24 at a dance at Midland Country Club, marking the 51-year-old club's 29th presentation since they began the tradition in 1956.

The 1984 debutantes are Jennifer Lee Bales, Julie Ann Crain, Molly Beth Franklin, Nell Fullinwider, Christa Adams Garlitz, Jennifer Allyn Jackson, Shelley Tom Jowell, Susan Allison Lamphere, Sally Lee Seal, Sara Renee Sumner, Kathryn Lynn Way and Kamee Young.

Miss Bales, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bales, was escorted by William Richard Sevier, a student at Texas Christian University in Fort Worth. Sevier is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard P. Sevier.

Miss Bales was presented in a Rose Taft original design of white moire taffeta. A sculptured bodice with an oval neckline featured cap sleeves formed from tucked taffeta encrusted in pearls and miniature rhinestones. The front neckline featured jeweled butterfly bows on the brief sleeves. The skirt gathered at the waist. The back featured a large bow striped with pearls and rhinestones at the waistline.

Miss Crain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Crain, was escorted by Christopher Perkins Nichols, a student at The University of Texas at

Austin. He is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William B. Nichols.

Miss Crain was presented in a white Piccione gown of satin fabric and silk Venise lace. The dress featured a V-shaped neckline with off-the-shoulder puffed sleeves topped with silk roses and beaded petals. A heavily beaded bodice was attached to an A-line skirt of satin with a trim of Venise lace.

Miss Crain's mother, formerly Carol Travis, was presented as a Minuet Club Debutante in 1958.

Miss Franklin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Paul Franklin, was escorted by Robert Davis Hisson, a student at The University of Texas at Austin. He is the son of R.J. Hisson of Midland and Mrs. J.R. Sharp III of Dallas.

She was presented in a gown of embroidered Schiffler lace. The bodice featured off-the-shoulder short sleeves with deep scallops.

Miss Franklin's sister, Tracey Lynn Franklin, was presented as a Minuet Club Debutante in 1980.

Miss Fullinwider, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome McNair Fullinwider, was escorted by Charlton Benjamin Hadden, a student at The University of Texas. Hadden is the son of Mrs. Black Hadden of Midland and Charlton W. Hadden of Utopia.

Miss Fullinwider was presented in

a gown designed for Neiman-Marcus by the House of Bianchi. An Alencon lace bodice jeweled in tiny seed pearls featured a sweetheart neckline which formed a collar fastened at the back of the neck for a halter effect. The full skirt of bias chiffon was gathered at the waistline.

Hadden's mother, formerly Fredda Black, was presented as a Minuet Club Debutante in 1957.

Miss Garlitz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gary Garlitz, was escorted by Thomas Nichols Davis, a student at Texas Tech University in Lubbock. Davis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Davis.

Miss Garlitz was presented in a gown of oyster white Italian silk with a portrait neckline and puffed Hapsburg sleeves accented with beaded bows at the shoulder. A gathered skirt was bustled in the back.

Miss Jackson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Jackson, was escorted by David Bowles Nini, a student at The University of Texas at Austin. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack E. Nini.

Miss Jackson was presented in a gown designed by Bernard exclusively for Jeunelle. It featured an off-the-shoulder bodice with intricate Venise lace appliques beaded with tiny seed pearls and crystals. Tissue silk taffeta formed the large French

puffed sleeves and a dramatically dropped waistline featured a taffeta skirt.

Miss Jowell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Holt Jowell, was escorted by Armand Lee Smith Jr., a student at The University of Texas at Austin. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Armand Lee Smith of Clovis, New Mexico.

Miss Jowell was presented in a gown of white tissue silk taffeta designed by Priscilla of Boston. The fitted bodice featured a piped Florentine neckline and puffed sleeves enhanced with small silk roses. The gathered floor-length skirt swept to a longer line in the back.

Miss Lamphere, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Way Lamphere, was escorted by William Watson LaForce III, a student at The University of Texas at Austin. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Watson LaForce Jr.

Miss Lamphere was presented in a gown designed by Galina featuring pure silk organza veiled over white taffeta. The Alencon lace fitted bodice featured a scalloped portrait neckline. A triple flounce of organza formed the short sleeves. The bodice ended in a deep V-waistline with a softly gathered skirt of organza designed with an overlay of Alencon lace appliques and Schiffler embro-

dery creating a motif which encircled the skirt.

Miss Seal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Asa Seal Jr., was escorted by Robert Arthur Franklin, a student at San Angelo State University. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Franklin of San Angelo.

Miss Seal was presented in a white imported moire silk gown. The off-the-shoulder dress featured a bodice beaded in pearls with tailored dressmaker bows on the shoulders and a full bell-shaped slipper-length skirt.

Miss Sumner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Ulric Sumner, was escorted by Vincent Matthew Brigham, a student at The University of Texas at Austin. He is the son of Mrs. Rose Brigham.

Miss Sumner was presented in an ivory brocade satin dress designed with an off-the-shoulder neckline and full Juliet sleeves encrusted with pearls. The moulded bodice was accented with piping at the fitted basque waist. The back of the gown featured a full skirt swept into a floor-length train with a soft bow at the waist.

Miss Way, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lacy Way, was escorted by Stanley Sherman Beard, a student at The University of Texas at Austin. Beard is the son of Mrs. Wesley Pitman and Stanley Sherman Beard Jr.

Miss Way was presented in a white silk taffeta gown designed by Endrius for Neiman-Marcus. The moulded basque bodice with a portrait neckline was adorned at the center front with tiny jewels. Dimensional, picoté leaves with scattered jewels encircling the neckline stemmed from a flower and shaped bows capped the short puffed sleeves. The long full skirt gathered on the sides and back was accented at the center back with streamers and a shaped bow.

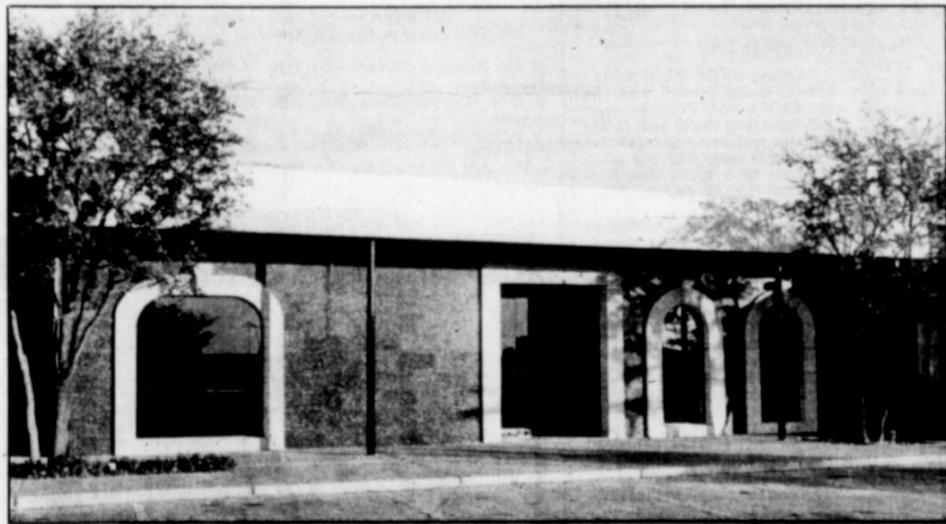
Miss Way's sister, Karol Ann Way, was presented as a Minuet Club Debutante in 1981.

Miss Young, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Jack William Young, was escorted by Stephen Gregg Bartus, a student at Texas Christian University in Fort Worth. Bartus is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene G. Bartus.

Miss Young was presented in a white taffeta gown with an off-the-shoulder low back bodice and short puffed sleeves. The yoke was adorned with individually rhinestone-centered petals. The midriff and waist featured a shirred criss-cross belt and a gathered skirt.

Miss Young's sisters, Marcie Young James and Lynette Young, were presented as Minuet Club Debutantes in 1979 and 1981 respectively.

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Weddings

CLIFTON-MAJORS

Midland Baptist Temple was the setting for the Saturday wedding of Montie Lynn Clifton of Midland and Carl Gene Majors Jr. of Austin. The Rev. Dr. David Pearcy officiated the 7 p.m. ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. John Clifton of Midland, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Majors Sr. of Austin.

Stacey Clifton of Midland was maid of honor for her sister. Bridesmaids were Minette Clifton of Midland, sister of the bride, and Tammy Majors of Austin, sister of the bridegroom.

April Golsen of Midland was flower girl.

Kevin Little of Midland was best man. Ushers were Andy Edinburgh of Hunt, and Chipper Pearcy of Midland. Groomsmen were Greg Wilson of Midland and Andy Edinburgh.

Timmy and Michael Haigood of



Mrs. Carl Gene Majors Jr.

Plainview were ring bearers. The couple will reside in Austin.

YATES-FORD

Memorial Christian Church in Midland was the setting for the Saturday wedding of Janice Lorraine Yates and Kenneth Ford, both of Midland. The Rev. Clark Ford, father of the bridegroom, officiated the 7:30 p.m. ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kipling Yates of Midland. Parents of the bridegroom are Rev. and Mrs. Ford.

Julie Walton of Boston, Mass., was matron of honor for her sister. Bridesmaids were Jennifer Combest and Susie Hood of Midland. Sister of the bridegroom Debra Svoboda of Midland was bridesmatron. Carrie Depew of Midland was flower girl.

Bill Svoboda of Midland was best man. Ushers were John Clark of College Station and Dan Beck of Gardendale. Groomsmen were Robert Fry of Fort Worth, Carry Huffman of Stanton and David Owen of Fort Worth. Sean Svoboda of Midland, nephew of the bridegroom, was ring bearer.



Mrs. Kenneth Ford

Following a wedding trip to San Antonio, the couple will live in Midland.

STICKNEY-STOUT

Bradley Le Ru Stickney and Joseph Norman Stout, both of Dallas, were wed 6:30 p.m. Saturday in First Baptist Church. Rev. Dr. Daniel Vestal officiated the ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Stickney of Midland and Dr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Stout of Sherman.

Jan Lacy of Midland served her sister as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Cindy Oldham of Midland, Anna Stout of Lewisville, sister of the bridegroom, and Cheryl Strack and Teresa Garner of Dallas. Bridesmatrons were Sydney Stickney of Midland and Sharon Michie of Monahans.

Dr. Joseph H. Stout was best man for his son. Ushers were Bill Daves and Greg Hubbard of Dallas and Joe Williams of New York City. Groomsmen were Harry Stout of Longwood, Fla., and Randy Stout of Denton, brothers of the bridegroom; David Stickney of Midland, brother of the bride; Thomas Willis of Dallas; and



Mrs. Joseph Norman Stout

Russ Spears and David Lane of Sherman.

Following a wedding trip to Lake Tahoe, the couple will live in Dallas.

TOMPSON-HAUGHTON

Marjorie Amy Tompson of Midland became the bride of Frank Bridges Haughton Jr., also of Midland, at 7:30 p.m. Saturday at First Presbyterian Church. The Rev. Dr. F. Ray Riddle officiated the ceremony.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Carr Tompson of Midland. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bridges Haughton Sr. of Dallas.

Clare Tompson Ellis of Midland was matron of honor for her sister. Bridesmaids were Any Grimes of Austin, Mary McGrath of Dallas and Pat Tompson of Midland, sister of the bride. Bridesmatrons were Barbara Tompson Koch of Midland, sister of the bride; and Marianne Sutton-Sawyer of San Antonio.

Frank Bridges Haughton Sr. of Dallas was best man for his son. Glen James Ellis Jr. of Midland was usher. Groomsmen were William Haughton of Dallas, brother of the bridegroom; Robert Canon of Midland,



Mrs. Frank Bridges Haughton Jr.

Roger Letz of Midland, Jim Eagle of Fort Worth and Mike Ball also of Fort Worth.

Following a wedding trip to Cabo San Lucas, Mexico, the couple will live in Midland.

DELCE-WEBB

Henrietta Evonne Delce of Midland became the bride of Jeffrey Lynn Webb, also of Midland, at 7 p.m. Saturday at Antioch Baptist Church. The ceremony was officiated by the Rev. Tony Hunter.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Delce Jr. of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. James W. Webb Jr. of Midland.

Shirley McLucas of Los Angeles, Calif., was matron of honor for her sister. Bridesmaids were Jacqueline Shelby of Dallas, Yanna Parrish of Prairie View, Karen Barzel of Houston and Pasty Eaden of Wichita Falls, niece of the bride. Junior bridesmaid was Stephanie Shelton of Midland, niece of the bride. Jennifer Neal of Crane and La Tisha Norris of Midland, both nieces of the bride, were flower girls.

Edward Heghart of Houston was best man. Ushers were Adrian Lee and Gregory Shelton, both of Midland and both nephews of the bride. Groomsmen were Bennie Barzel of Houston; and Lester Delce, brother of the bride, Kelly Webb, brother of the bridegroom, Micheal Akins and



Mrs. Jeffrey Lynn Webb

Victor Ratliff, all of Midland. Al Jarome Durham of Midland, nephew of the bridegroom, was ring bearer. Other attendants were Mark McCray and Billy Penn.

The couple will live in Midland.

GIBSON-BURLESON

BRECKENRIDGE — Elizabeth Ann Gibson and Steven Lewis Burleson, both of Midland, were wed 7:30 p.m. Saturday at First United Methodist Church in Breckenridge. Rev. Don Osada officiated the ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Jerry B. Gibson of Breckenridge and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis B. Burleson of Midland.

Judy McCalla of Duncanville was matron of honor for her niece. Maid of honor was Daria Beaty of Lubbock. Bridesmaids were Lori Hicks of Lubbock and Michelle Boland of Taylor. LaVonda Jones Popp of Fort Worth and Susan Osada Jones of Grand Prairie were bridesmatrons. Flower girls were Emily Burleson of Midland.

Jeff Spangler of Lexington, Ky., was best man. Ushers were Rex Gibson of Dallas, brother of the bride; Bob Fant of Midland, Bob Henry of Lubbock, Mark Holland of Midland and Gary Trammel of Breckenridge. Groomsmen were David Brigham, John Beane, Brian Burleson and Steve Daniels, all of Midland; and Mike Hayes of Fort Stockton. Aaron



Mrs. Steven Lewis Burleson

McCalla of Duncanville was ring bearer. Other attendants were Dale Gibson, brother of the bride, and Pat Hagler, both of Breckenridge.

Following a wedding trip to Lake Tahoe and Cancun, Mexico, the couple will live in Midland.

McMICHAEL-LUTRELL

SAN ANTONIO — Pamela McMichael of San Antonio and formerly of Midland became the bride of William Ward Luttrell of San Antonio at 6 p.m. Saturday at Concordia Lutheran Church. The ceremony was officiated by the Rev. Dr. Guido Merkens.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Jim McMichael of Abilene. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Carrol Luttrell of San Antonio and the late Glen Luttrell.

Mrs. Lane Laming of Midland was matron of honor. Grady Reed of San Antonio was best man.

Following a wedding trip to Keystone, Colo., the couple will live in San Antonio.



Mrs. William Ward Luttrell

ARNETT-McGILL

ODESSA — Sheila Elizabeth Arnett and James Lloyd McGill Jr., both of Odessa, were married at 7 p.m. Nov. 20 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Therwanger, sister and brother-in-law of the bridegroom. The Rev. Jim Sellers officiated the ceremony.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and

Mrs. Coy Arnett of Odessa. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J.L. McGill of Midland.

Tonya Brinkman of Odessa was maid of honor. Best man was Ross Jones of Odessa.

The bride is a graduate of Permian High School. Her husband attended Odessa College and is employed with Fitzgerald Electric.

The couple will live in Odessa.

CARLSEN-HARRIS

Andrea Eileen Carlsen and Larry Harris, both of Midland, were married at 7 p.m. Nov. 23 in Midland. The ceremony was officiated by Justice of the Peace Charlie Sprayberry.

Barbara and Don Courtney

attended the couple.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Marvin T. Carlsen. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Don Courtney of Odessa and Wayne Harris of Midland.

The bride is employed by Midland American Bank. Her husband is employed by Myers Drilling Co.

SWARTZ-DENNY

ODESSA — St. Luke's Methodist Church in Odessa was the setting for the Saturday wedding of Vickie L. Swartz and Curtis Lynn Denny, both of Hobbs, N.M. The Rev. Le Roy Watkins officiated the 3 p.m. ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Dean Swartz of Jal, N.M., and Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Denny of Midland.

Donna Slavens of Hobbs was matron of honor. Doug Denny of Fort Stockton was best man for his brother.

The bride is a graduate of Jal High School and is employed as a lab technician with Unichem in Hobbs. Her husband, a graduate of Midland High School, attended Midland College and Texas Tech University in Lubbock. He is employed with Mobil Oil Corp. in Hobbs.

The couple is at home in Hobbs.

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| TUESDAY | FRIDAY |
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| 1. Mrs. D.M. Aldridge, Mrs. J.Z. Kimberlin | 1. Mrs. W.M. Kerr, Mrs. J.R. Sheeler |
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'Superwomen' more common

Hearst News Service

Single women are in as much danger of becoming "superwomen" as are married women with families, says Marjorie Hansen Shaevitz, author of "The Superwoman Syndrome."

"The pressures to give, give, give are there whether you're a married or a single woman, and whether or not you have children," Shaevitz says. "When a woman doesn't have a husband and kids, she is expected to be totally available. She often finds herself under great pressure to do things she might not want to do — like saying yes to invitations she'd rather refuse or taking on volunteer assignments that she really hasn't time for. She either ends up being at the beck and call of everyone or feeling guilty if she isn't. After all, she's supposed to have more time than the woman who is married."

The single woman falls into the "superwoman syndrome" when she believes she has to be a spectacular success at everything.

"You've got it when you think it's not OK to jog a mile or two but have to prepare for running a half-marathon," she says. "Or when it's not good enough to weigh the right amount, but must have the right proportion of body fat to muscle."

The woman suffering from the syndrome — whether single or married — is likely to exhibit both psychological and physical symptoms of stress, she says.

"Feeling depressed and overwhelmed is a sign of psychological stress, while the physical symptoms can be chronic fatigue, tension headaches and even ulcers."

Shaevitz, a "recovered superwoman," says single women can beat the syndrome by not feeling guilty when they're not meeting other people's needs.

"Men, don't. They're taught to think 'I, me and mine.' Women, who grow up saying 'you, we and ours,' can learn a lesson from men."

And it helps when women learn not to believe everything they see or read in the media, she says.

"We pick up latent guilt when we look at the women's magazines and see houses where everything is spic and span and nothing is out of place. Unconsciously, we get it in our minds that this is the way a home should be. We feel the same way when someone on TV tells us it isn't good enough to have a clean shirt, it also should not have a ring around the collar."

She suggests that women who suspect they are suffering from the syndrome take the test she has included in the book, and then start giving up some of the things they think are so important if they score in the superwoman range.

"I keep hearing from women that there isn't anything they can change in their lives. Obviously, that isn't so. One of the things we can change is to learn to delegate some of the things we've been doing ourselves. We don't just dump these chores on to other people, however. We learn how to negotiate so we don't end up in a confrontation with the people around us, which can lead to a backlash."

Learn to be selfish, she suggests.

"Remember, the opposite of that is to be selfless, which you don't want to be. You want to take care of yourself as well as you would others. And that includes giving your life the balance of love and work. So don't put all your eggs into the work basket. Allow yourself the joy of a relationship, a situation where you are given to and nurtured, rather than doing all the giving and the nurturing."

Study locates bachelor-rich cities

NEW YORK (AP) — Single women living on New York's Long Island have the worst chance of finding a husband, but eligible males abound in San Diego and Houston, a new study has found.

The Princeton University study, released by Money magazine, ranks the nation's 38 largest metropolitan areas according to the ratio of unmarried, heterosexual men available for every 100 single women between the ages of 20 and 59.

San Diego tops the list, closely followed by Houston, San Francisco, New Orleans and Los Angeles. The researchers, however, noted their data for San Francisco may be flawed because of the large number of homosexual men there.

Nassau and Suffolk counties, which comprise the Long Island suburbs of New York City, have the lowest ratio, just below Pittsburgh; Columbus, Ohio; Buffalo,

N.Y.; and St. Louis.

"Among major metropolitan areas, Long Island has the nation's worst (eligible) man shortage," said the article, noting that up to 7,000 marriages dissolve there each year and many of those men move into New York City (12th on the list).

The study was conducted by Charles F. Westoff and Noreen Goldman of Princeton's Office of Population Research. They found the marriage market "is one where the forces of supply and demand" apply in the same ways as in business.

The researchers said the total number of unmarried men between 16 and 64 is about the same as that of unmarried women, and marriage-minded men can "get a fairly accurate view of their prospects by reversing the ratios" in the study.



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Engagements

TUTTLE-PORTER

Alison Rae Tuttle of Lubbock and William Louis Porter of Midland will be married at 7:30 p.m. Feb. 23 at St. Elizabeth's Catholic Church in Lubbock. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gene Tuttle of Memphis, Tenn. Parents of the future bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. William C. Porter of Midland.

Miss Tuttle is a graduate of McMurry College in Abilene and is now a graduate student at Texas Tech University, working on a master's degree in English. She was president of T.I.P. Social Club and varsity cheerleader at McMurry. She has an assistantship to Texas Tech. Her fiancé, a graduate of Texas Tech with a degree in petroleum land management, was president of Chi Rho service fraternity and election commissioner. He is a landman with Texas Oil and Gas.



Alison Rae Tuttle and William Louis Porter

WARD-DUGGER

BROWNWOOD — Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Delaney Ward Jr. of Brownwood announce the engagement of their daughter Dayna Cleora to Kerry Scott Dugger, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Wade Brewer. The couple is planning to marry Dec. 29 at Golf Course Road Church of Christ in Midland.

Miss Ward is a graduate of Lee High School in Midland. Her fiancé graduated from Odessa High School and is employed with Cummins Electric Supply Co.



Dayna Cleora Ward and Kerry Scott Dugger

JOHANNSEN-SPARKS

Valerie Ann Johannsen and W. Jeffrey Sparks, both of Midland, will be married at 4 p.m. Jan. 12 at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Harlan, Iowa. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Johannsen of Harlan. Parents of the future bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Don L. Sparks of Midland.

Miss Johannsen earned a bachelor's degree in nursing from the University of Nebraska. She is an oncology nurse at Allison Cancer Center. Her fiancé has a petroleum engineering degree from the University of Texas at Austin and is a member of Delta Upsilon fraternity. He is a petroleum engineer for Discovery Operating in Midland.



Valerie Ann Johannsen and W. Jeffrey Sparks

MERCURIO-CASON

Mr. and Mrs. Richard N. Mercurio of Midland announce the engagement of their daughter Marita Ann of Lubbock to Charles Victor Cason of Lubbock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Cason of Duncanville. The wedding is planned for 1 p.m. Jan. 5 at St. Ann's Catholic Church.

Miss Mercurio is a graduate of Lee High School and Texas Tech University. She is currently doing graduate work in chemistry at Texas Tech. Her fiancé graduated from Duncanville High School and Southwestern University. He is also a graduate student studying chemistry at Texas Tech. He is a member of Pi Kappa Alpha.



Marita Ann Mercurio

WOODALL-SAXE

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. — Mr. and Mrs. David H. Woodall Jr. of Little Rock announce the engagement of their daughter Gaila Jannine of Carrollton, Texas, to David Kavanaugh Saxe of Dallas, Texas, son of Richard B. Saxe of Midland, Texas, and the late Mrs. Saxe.

The wedding is scheduled for 4 p.m. Feb. 23, 1985, at Immanuel Baptist Church in Little Rock.

Miss Woodall is a graduate of North Texas State University and is an associate member of A.S.I.D. She is a commercial interior designer with Jess L. Musgrave Co. Inc. in Dallas. Her fiancé attended North Texas State University and is a member of Kappa Sigma. He is a commercial real estate broker.



Gaila Jannine Woodall

Lifestyle policies

The following are policies of publication of stories and announcements in the Lifestyle Department of The Midland Reporter-Telegram:

Information for our Sunday pages must be in our office by 5 p.m. the preceding Tuesday. For publication in a weekday paper, we must receive the information by noon two days before the story is to run. For example, an item to appear in Wednesday's paper must be received by noon Monday.

Engagement announcements must appear at least four weeks before the wedding date. Wedding stories must be submitted within five days of the event.

Engagements, weddings, anniversaries and club notices must be submitted in writing. All materials should include the name and telephone number of the person submitting them. These items appear in the Sunday paper only.

The Reporter-Telegram has forms for announcements of engagements, weddings and anniversaries.

We cannot mail pictures or forms to persons living within Midland. Pictures must be picked up in the Lifestyle office within one month after publication.

Portraits of the future bride and bridegroom in one photograph may be submitted with engagement announcements. Wedding photographs should be of the bride only.

Pictures should be black and white, preferably glossy finish, studio portraits. Studio color pictures may be submitted, but they may reproduce poorly. Good reproduction cannot be assured when color prints are used. In general, snapshots are not acceptable.

There is no charge for publication of photographs and stories.

Shopping by Christmas catalogs popular

Hearst News Service

The thought of oil magnates and certified jet-setters doing their Christmas shopping through catalogs may seem comical. But don't bet too much that they don't.

"You'd be surprised at some of the customers that shop by catalog," says Carol Waldrop, vice president and director of the catalog division for Sakowitz. "We have customers who could buy the store 10 times over that buy gifts from \$15 to the thousands. The items they buy are illogical because of the images we have of them. Many of those people don't like the hassle of shopping. People drive them crazy when they appear in public. So it's easier this way. They're like everyone else, you know. They all need something to wear."

Something to wear and a whole lot more is available by catalog. Sakowitz, for example, offers a \$5 million 10-week cruise to China.

Neiman-Marcus, long known for its outrageous his-and-hers gifts, offers desks this year. But these are no ordinary desks. They are life-size duplicates of a horse or a steer — take your pick — for only \$65,000.

For traditionalists, there are always furs — from blue fox to Siberian spotted dyed fox — as well as jewels, designer clothing, lingerie, housewares, shoes, chocolates and toys. For the pragmatic, there are always steaks from Omaha Steaks International, all-weather dog coats

for your favorite dog, the world's only right-angle back massager, and a steam-powered Edwardian motor car from England, to name a few.

Catalogs have come a long way since Montgomery Ward issued its first one in 1872. Most of the items then were practical — potbelly stoves, bolts of cloth, ploughs for farmers. Pioneers in the West were among their most faithful customers.

Today's customers are just as faithful, if catalog sales are any indication. Direct mail orders accounted for about \$44.4 billion in sales in 1983. Most of those figures can be attributed to catalog sales. That's nearly a \$9-million increase from 1980.

Why is catalog shopping so appealing and why do so many department stores offer this service?

"For the customer, it's convenience," Waldrop says. "You can sit at home and make a decision. You don't have to fight crowds. Also, there is a copy block that accompanies each photo of an item. If you go to a store and can get a salesperson to give you that information — such as what sizes do they come in, what colors, what it's made of — you'll be lucky. And a salesperson can't know all the information about all items in a store."

For the stores, catalog sales are profitable as well. And it's a good way of tapping into new markets.

"If I were a store manager, there's no way I could say I'd bring

in a thousand new customers into a store," Waldrop said. "With catalogs, we invite ourselves into the homes. We can say, 'We're going into X new homes this year.' And we know that X percent will order. Our catalog sales are growing 10 to 15 percent faster than in-store sales. It's because of that ability to get into people's homes."

Bill Williams, senior vice president of mail order for Neiman-Marcus, attributes his company's successful catalog sales to their unusual gifts. Many people remember the his-and-hers camels from a few years back. According to Williams, no matter how strange the gifts offered, "somebody always buys them every year," although he won't tell who did.

This year's array of offerings included more than just "things." Fantasy and romance are big sellers, as evidenced by some of the items.

Bloomingdale's offers The Ultimate Trip to Japan. For a mere \$8,500 (exclusive of transportation to Japan), you can tour ancient shrines, castles take a cruise and view private art collections.

Romance is big at Sakowitz, the Houston-based company. You can offer a dozen fresh roses to your amour once a week for a year (\$1,995), bathe your loved one in champagne (for only \$54,161.41), and

have your own custom-made Roman fountain installed at the sight of your choice for \$2.25 million.

For the budget-conscious, there is always a portrait by world-famous photographer Richard Avedon. That one's only \$15,000.

Or you can have a special song written and recorded by songwriter Jeff Barry, who wrote "Leader of the Pack" and "Honey, I Love You." One song costs \$7,500. An album is \$75,000 and a video tape is \$100,000.

And just who is outrageous enough to suggest these items as "gifts?"

"We get ideas from all over," says Williams. "We even have some from customers. A committee then reviews all the ideas and pursues the ones that are most impressive. In May, we make the decisions as to which will be offered, since our catalog goes into production then."

"We do a lot of research into what we offer. But since everything we offer in our catalog has to be in the store, we have to be careful. Everything in our catalog is also in the 12 stores and five boutiques. So if something doesn't sell, we're stuck with all this inventory."

What are some of the ideas being considered for next year's catalogs? No one will tell, but Williams assures his customers "it'll be interesting."

Pet gifts require caution

New York Times News Service

It's a charming sight — a tiny, squirming puppy wearing an oversized bow, waiting by the tree on Christmas morning. Charming but perhaps unintentionally cruel, according to the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals and the Bide-A-Wee Home Association.

In the excitement, these groups warn, the animal can get lost or stepped on; gnaw on an electrical cord; choke on ribbon, tinsel, glass ornaments, or candles, or eat such poisonous plants as poinsettias, mistletoe, or the berries of holly.

Children should not receive pets unless they understand and accept the responsibility involved in caring for them, according to the two organizations. Before giving a pet as a gift, they warn, decide who will take on the responsibilities of caring for the animal — such as feeding, housebreaking, and changing litter pans. Apartment dwellers should be certain pets are allowed. And be sure no one in the family is allergic to them. Often, the organizations say, animals given as gifts during the holidays must be returned because their owners were not prepared to

care for them properly.

Bide-A-Wee suggests that parents who want to give their children a pet as a holiday gift may gift-wrap an item that represents the pet — a dog's leash or a cat's toy. When the noise and excitement have subsided, the animal can be brought to the house and introduced to the family.

For those who already own pets, the groups have other holiday advice:

Holiday festivities and crowds frighten many animals. When lots of company is expected, the pet, especially if new, should have a quiet place to rest inside the home.

During the holiday excitement, remember to attend to the animal's vital needs: food, water, exercise, and rest. Avoid leaving it alone in the house for long periods.

Pets are not garbage disposals for holiday leftovers. A sudden change in diet, even if only for one meal, may make an animal ill.

Keep poultry bones away from pets, and discard the bones immediately.

For a list of "Christmas Do's and Don'ts" send a stamped, self-addressed envelope to Bide-A-Wee, 410 East 38th Street, New York, N.Y. 10016.

Ice cream consumption up

NEW YORK (AP) — United States consumption of ice cream in 1983 totaled more than 887 million gallons, or more than 15 quarts per person, according to Chocolatier magazine.

It says ice cream is consumed by

over 98 percent of all U.S. households with 84 percent of the population buying ice cream at least once a month. Over one-third of all households are considered heavy users of the cold stuff since they eat at least one gallon every two weeks.

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Have you heard...?

By MARILYN McKNIGHT HARRISON

After honeymooning at Lake Tahoe and Cancun, Elizabeth and Steve Burleson will return to Midland to make their home. They were united in marriage Saturday evening in the First United Methodist Church of Breckenridge.

Both Elizabeth, daughter of Ann and Jerry Gibson of Breckenridge, and Steve are graduates of Texas Tech.

The groom's parents, Kay and Lewis Burleson of Midland, entertained with a rehearsal dinner and dance at the Breckenridge Woman's Club Friday evening for the wedding party and out-of-town guests. A bridesmaids' brunch was given Saturday morning by the maid of honor, Darla Beaty.

Pre-nuptial festivities in Midland included a kitchen shower given by Alice (Mrs. Victor) Brown and Joan (Mrs. Richard) Cramer and a Mexican supper party hosted by the groom's aunt and uncle, Merle and John Burleson, and cousins, Mary and Brian Burleson. The couple also was honored with a wine and cheese party given by Donna and John Yuronka, Carolyn and Jim Fitz-Gerald, Mary and Tom Mann and Ann and Don Wambaugh.

The groom's mother and his sister, Nancy Hayes, were in Breckenridge for two parties, a miscellaneous shower hosted by a group of friends in the atrium of First United Methodist Church, and a lingerie shower given by the bride's attendants.

Midlanders at the wedding included Gene and Jack Velten, Maxine and Bob Hannifin, Sue and David Watlington and daughter, Becky, the John Burlesons and daughter, Leslie, the Brian Burlesons and daughters, Emily and Ashley, the Browns, the Manns and the Yuronkas. Former Midlanders present were Estelle and Walt Spangler of Tyler and Nancy Hayes, along with her husband Mike and son, Ryan, from Fort Stockton. Also attending were the groom's aunts and uncles, Betty and Neal Burleson of Richmond, Va., and Mary and Col. Al Feldman of San Antonio, all of whom are well known in Midland from visits here over the years.

ONE OF THE MOST intriguing trips to come to our attention lately was Alva and John P. Butler's recent Intra-coastal Waterway Cruise, beginning at Baltimore and continuing by way of bays, rivers and canals to Savannah. They traveled with a group of 40 on board "The Savannah," a specially built ship that travels the shallow bodies of water.

Rich in history and scenic beauty, the two-week trip included stopovers at a number of charming, waterfront towns. The Butlers particularly enjoyed walking tours, which included visits to historic attractions, including many of the beautifully preserved and restored homes. A high point of the trip

occurred in Virginia, where they spent a couple of days exploring Yorktown, restored Colonial Williamsburg and Jamestown. They also enjoyed Norfolk, where they toured the MacArthur Memorial, Chrysler Art Museum and the Naval Station, among other interesting and historic places.

Their itinerary also included the quaint Maryland coastal villages of St. Michaels and Crisfield, which has the distinction of being the Crab Capital of the World, and both Beaufort, N.C., and Beaufort, S.C. (interesting little towns with identical spellings but different pronunciations) before visiting the many places of interest and the venerable homes in Charleston, S.C., and Savannah.

The Midlanders were particularly impressed by the extensive renovation that continues in the South and by being in a part of the country where preservation and restoration are a Number 1 priority.

TO HONOR CHRIS (Mrs. Fred) Newman on her big Fourth, a gala surprise party was held recently in the home of Donna and Joe Campbell.

Red roses, the honoree's favorite flower, were featured in the party decor. A "This is Your Life" type display featured photographs of Chris from her childhood years to the present, her high school annuals and several poster-size blowups of her school pictures.

Co-hostesses with Donna were Barbara (Mrs. Clyde) Wilson, Sharri Pruett, Jane Brownson and this columnist.

Among the guests were Darryl Knapp, who played the piano for "The Birthday Song," Jim Keicham of Odessa, Ruby and Jim Caffrey, Jackie and Felix Dozier, Sue and Dr. Phil Peregrine, Susan and Ron Britton, Fannie Bess Sivals, Dixie and Jerry Hertel, Lindsey and Greg Gunter and Denise and Mike Jolly.

NEW YORK CITY was the fun vacation spot recently for six Midland women. Enjoying a round of sightseeing, shopping and museum touring were Barbara (Mrs. Larry) McIntosh, Clara (Mrs. Paul) King, Jack (Mrs. Wayne) Potter, Mrs. Olga Banks, Mary (Mrs. Max) Combs and Betty (Mrs. Jim) Rhotenberry. They also saw two Broadway shows, "A Chorus Line," now the longest running musical in Broadway history, and Neil Simon's comedy, "Brighton Beach Memoirs."

Staying at the Wyndham Hotel in midtown, the women enjoyed various diversions during the day, but met for dinner each evening. Their favorite dining spots were Windows on the World atop the World Trade Center and The Water Club on the Hudson River. A 35-mile cruise around Manhattan Island was a highlight of the trip.

Marilyn McKnight Harrison is social columnist for the Reporter-Telegram.

Santa to attend luncheon

"Lunch with Santa," the annual Christmas event for children, sponsored by the Midland Branch of the American Association of University Women, will be Saturday at American Legion Hall, 501 Air Park Road. The two seatings will be from 11:45 a.m. and from 12:15-1 p.m.

Santa and Mrs. Claus, their elves and some friends from Sesame Street, including Oscar the Grouch and Big Bird, will visit with the children and present them with favors.

Tickets are \$3 and none will be sold at the door. For ticket information call 694-0258. All children must be accompanied by an adult. Chairman Nancy Lattu invites parents to bring cameras for candid Christmas pictures of Santa and friends.

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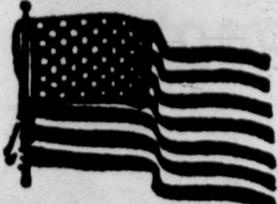
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Median Household Income, by Quintiles (Median for all adults: \$22,961)

Quintile	Newspaper	Television	Radio
I (Heavy Users)	\$31,560	\$15,625	\$23,205
II	26,335	22,455	23,175
III	23,341	24,870	25,745
IV	20,434	26,097	24,023
V (Light Users)	13,708	25,294	17,998

Source: Simmons Market Research Bureau, 1984 "Study of Media and Markets"

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December's celestial events listed

- DECEMBER 1**
Sunrise 7:30 a.m. Sunset 5:44 p.m. Four planets visible in early evening twilight. Venus, brightest planet, 20 degrees over southwestern horizon at 6:30 p.m. Jupiter 7 degrees lower left, Mars 20 degrees upper right and Mercury 21 degrees lower left of Venus.
- DECEMBER 3**
Day of earliest sunset: 5:44 p.m. Latest sunrise will be 7:50 a.m. Jan. 6.
- DECEMBER 4**
Mercury begins to retrograde (move westward) and will retreat to morning sky by month's end.
- DECEMBER 6**
Moon 6 degrees lower right of Pleiades (Seven Sisters) in eastern evening sky.
- DECEMBER 8**
Full moon. Moonrise 5:59 p.m. Moonset 7:52 a.m. Sunset 5:44 p.m. Sunrise 7:37 a.m.
- DECEMBER 10**
Gemini's twin stars Pollux and Castor 4 degrees right of moon.
- DECEMBER 11**
Venus now midway between Jupiter and Mars.
- DECEMBER 13**
Geminid meteor shower in northeast before moonrise tonight and tomorrow night. Moonrise 11:09 p.m.
- DECEMBER 15**
Last quarter moon. Moonrise 12:15 a.m. Moonset 1:17 p.m. Sunrise 7:42 a.m. Sunset 5:46 p.m.
- DECEMBER 19**
Saturn 4 degrees lower right of thin crescent moon in eastern morning twilight.
- DECEMBER 21**
Winter Solstice. Shortest day of year. Sunrise 7:45 a.m. Sunset 5:48 p.m.
- DECEMBER 22**
New moon. Ursid meteors (remnants of Comet Tuttle) peak in bowl of Little Dipper at 10 p.m.
- DECEMBER 23**
One-day-old crescent moon 4 degrees lower left of Jupiter low in southwestern evening twilight.
- DECEMBER 24**
Mercury, 20 degrees lower left of Saturn, now making its best morning appearance of year.
- DECEMBER 25**
Moon passes 6 degrees below Venus in evening sky.
- DECEMBER 26**
Moon passes 6 degrees below Mars in evening sky.
- DECEMBER 28**
Saturn, Mercury and Scorpius' bright star Antares form bright triangle in southeastern morning twilight.
- DECEMBER 29**
First quarter moon. Moonrise 12:40 p.m. Moonset 12 midnight.
- DECEMBER 30**
Sunrise 7:49 a.m. Sunset 5:55 p.m.

Christmas star show highlights schedule

- DECEMBER 2**
"The Star of Bethlehem" presented at 2 p.m. and 3:30 p.m. Occurrences of comets, supernovae, meteors and planetary conjunctions are matched with likely dates of the first Christmas in this search for the Star.
- DECEMBER 3**
Midland Camera Club meets for slide competition at 7:30 p.m.
- DECEMBER 4**
"The Star of Bethlehem" presented at 8 p.m.
- DECEMBER 5**
"How to Watch a Flying Saucer" presented at 8 p.m. Astronomical and atmospheric phenomena, often misidentified as UFOs or Flying Saucers, are investigated in this popular planetarium program.
- DECEMBER 6**
Midland Archeological Society meets for program at 7:30 p.m.
- DECEMBER 7**
Midland Soaring Club meets at 7 p.m. for a 16mm version of the
- DECEMBER 9**
"The Star of Bethlehem" presented at 2 p.m. and 3:30 p.m.
- DECEMBER 11**
"The Star of Bethlehem" presented at 8 p.m.
- DECEMBER 12**
"The Loneliness Factor" presented at 8 p.m. This planetarium program tells of humanity now awaiting the first message from the stars.
- DECEMBER 13**
West Texas Astronomers meet at 7:30 p.m.
- DECEMBER 17**
Midland Camera Club meets at 7:30 p.m.
- DECEMBER 18**
"The Star of Bethlehem" presented at 8 p.m.
- DECEMBER 19**
"The Star of Bethlehem" presented at 8 p.m.
- DECEMBER 20**
"The Star of Bethlehem" presented at 8 p.m.
- DECEMBER 22**
"The Star of Bethlehem" presented at 2 p.m. and 3:30 p.m.
- DECEMBER 23**
"The Star of Bethlehem" presented at 2 p.m. and 3:30 p.m.
- DECEMBER 30**
"May the Farce Be With You" presented at 2 p.m. and 3:30 p.m. The history of science fiction, including the roles of deBergerac, Verne, Mr. Spock and R2D2, is the subject of this planetarium presentation.

The Marian Blakemore Planetarium, located in Haley Park, is open to the public without charge.

Cicadas astonishing to Pilgrims

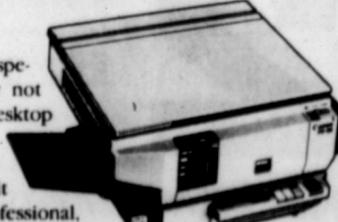
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yelling noise as made all the woods ring of them, and ready to deaf the hearer." The pilgrims concluded that they were locusts like those of Egypt's plagues. However, the insects they saw were actually just harmless 17-year cicadas, which eat nothing above ground during their final six weeks of life.

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Two looks in evening wear

By GWEN JONES
Hearst News Service

NEW YORK — The two faces of evening wear for spring are as different as night and day. One is glamorous, sophisticated and even stately, like the opulent gowns by Oscar de la Renta. The other has a more gaminlike spirit found in oversize silk shirts and pants by Calvin Klein. Even for those who aren't on the charity gala circuit, there are plenty of options and reasons for getting gussied up.

Bill Blass and Adri set the tone with linen shorts paired with beaded sweaters. Nothing could be more comfortable, unless it's the short silk culottes by Kasper.

"Culottes are more flattering than shorts for most women," he says. "They are the best way to

get women into higher hemlines."

Besides reviving culottes for nighttime, Kasper recommends a long, easy-fitting jacket over a knee-length skirt for day. He figures the jacket is an ideal silhouette for camouflaging "thick and flabby waistlines." He does this outfit in linen, silk and cotton knit in kelly green, yellow, red and navy.

Kasper also has picked up the shirred or Venetian curtain look for day and evening. His body-hugging dresses are in green-and-white polka-dot silk, as well as in black-and-white organza.

Organza, a crisp transparent silk, is the big fabric for spring evenings. Klein's clean-cut shapes come in white or black organza. Among these are oversize organza shirts topping soft, black wool jersey pants.

90th birthday celebrated

Clara H. Strang celebrated her 90th birthday Nov. 26. She was honored with a party at Zentner's Banquet room hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Jack B. Chase and attended by her family.

Mrs. Strang, the former Clara Hill, was born on Nov. 26, 1894 in Owensboro, Kentucky. In 1914, she married William H. Strang in Hopeville, Calif. The couple lived in Wyoming, Oklahoma, California, Peru, South America, Kentucky and Texas.

Her children are John E. Strang of China Lake, Calif., Mrs. Jack B. Chase of Midland, and the late William H. Strang of Los Gatos, Calif., and the late Ben C. Strang, of Long Beach, Calif.

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Mrs. Clara H. Strang

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The spirit of giving

Text by David Lee Forrest
Graphic by Matt Holten

'Tis the season when shoppers rush from store to store buying bright baubles and trendy toys. Upscale Christmas catalogues are packed with fantasy vacations and ultra-expensive trinkets designed to placate people with jaded tastes.

For others, however, just a warm room, a hot meal, some clothes, a small toy or a visit from a child is all it takes to make their holidays happier.

Midland has countless generous organizations and individuals who brighten holidays for others. And, while there are far too many to list, the following is a sample of groups and the types of projects they sponsor to make Christmas a little merrier for their fellow Midlanders.

CHRISTMAS IN APRIL

The Christmas in April home repair program isn't just confined to April, according to president Bobby J. Trimble. Even during the holiday season, some volunteers work to repair the homes of elderly and handicapped Midlanders living on small, fixed incomes.

"We just sort of hit things as they come along," said Trimble. "There's constant small things and emergencies."

Just yesterday, volunteers were at a local home "trying to finish out a room for a man with a retarded son," Trimble said.

Workers of the project have also installed "three heaters in the last three weeks," in different homes to help some of Midland's elderly and infirm face the wintry chill that accompanies the Christmas season, he added.

DOZEN DAMES

The Dozen Dames will be delivering fruit baskets that the members themselves fill to local senior citizens and handicapped persons.

The group also participates in the Dress-A-Live-Doll program by giving needy children new outfits of clothing. They have plans to provide clothes for four children this year, club president Annie Thomas said.

The Dozen Dames — a civic and social organization "trying to better the community," in the words of Mrs. Thomas — delivered 150 fruit baskets last year.

"This is the time, of all others, when Want is keenly felt, and Abundance rejoices."

Charles Dickens, "A Christmas Carol"

One of the most important aspects of the fruit basket project, according to Mrs. Thomas, is that the group's members deliver them personally.

Most of the recipients "get so much joy just from having someone visit," she said.

DRESS-A-LIVE-DOLL

Midland's Dress-A-Live-Doll program is celebrating its 10th anniversary this Christmas. When the Salvation Army project began in 1974, 50 children were given new clothing. Last year, that total had grown to more than 600 children.

A great number of local individuals, businesses, clubs and churches participate are given size information on one or more children, then purchase a complete clothing ensemble.

"The importance of new clothing is stressed because many of these underprivileged youngsters have never experienced wearing something new that is their own," according to Mrs. J. Paul Karcher, project chairman.

Some Midland merchants also participate by giving discounts on the children's clothing to donors. The Salvation Army coordinates the project and delivers the gift-wrapped clothes to the children.

"I think it's that thing of trying to get away from commercialism, to do something for the needy" that accounts for the program's growth, said Mrs. Karcher.

EBONY-CHARMERS

"We hear about people in need and we help those that we can," said Betty Merritt, president of the Ebony-Charmers Civic and Social Club. "We're working with three families right now."

The group helps feed needy families during both the Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays and also tries to give

financial aid to families throughout the year.

"We get food, clothing for the children and toys for the children" to brighten their Christmas holidays, Ms. Merritt said.

MIDLAND JAYCEES

On Dec. 13, the Jaycees will launch their annual Christmas Shopping Tour.

"We work with the public schools and take about 100 kids through the Gibson's store toy department," explained Glenn Jennings, Midland Jaycees president.

The schools select needy children for the program.

The Jaycees purchase toys the children pick out from Gibson Discount Center at wholesale cost. Each child can choose approximately \$20 worth of toys, Jennings said.

"It's a traditional thing we've been doing for many, many years," he said.

Jennings said he has seen children spend almost all of their \$20 on toys for their brothers and sisters.

"You can't imagine how much these kids appreciate it," he said. "They just love it. It's something really special."

MIDLAND MOTHERS OF TWINS CLUB

Since the Midland Mothers of Twins Club was founded in 1977, the organization's annual Christmas project has been "to help a needy family with twins have a happy Christmas," according to Joanne Freeman, membership chairman.

"We called some of the service organizations around town," she said, to find the needy family the group will aid this year.

The family has four small children, including 3-year-old twins.

"I found out that they had no Christmas whatsoever last year," said Mrs. Freeman said.

The club's members will be donating clothing, food, presents and a Christmas tree to the family.

MOMS OF MIDLAND

"We have a project right now where we take our kids to Terrace West nursing home twice a month," said Pat May, president of Moms of Midland. The group is now planning a Christmas party at the nursing center for the senior citizens and children to celebrate together.

"The residents love having the kids there," Mrs. May said. "We get together and they brag about their children and grandchildren and we brag about our kids. It's fun."

TOYS FOR TOTS

Although ex-Marines and the Middle Eastern Dance Organization may seem like an unlikely combination, the Permian Detachment of the Marine Corps League and the dance group join forces with other Midlanders for the "Toys for Tots" program.

The league and the dance group presented a "Shores of Tripoli" fundraiser this fall to raise money to buy toys for needy children.

The league gives all the toys to the Salvation Army, which then distributes them to needy children.

"Our main thought is that Christmas is for children and we hate to see children in a situation where their parents can't afford to buy them toys," said Keith Phillips, Marine Corps League chaplain.

CHRISTMAS CHEER FUND

In addition to programs sponsored by non-profit organizations, this year the Midland Reporter-Telegram has announced its Midland Cheer Fund. The program is a citywide effort, in cooperation with Gibson's Discount Center.

The Reporter-Telegram launched the project with a \$500 donation. The newspaper staff will select, sack and deliver the Cheer baskets on Dec. 22.

As contributions are made, a list of the donors will be published in the newspaper regularly, unless they request to remain anonymous.

Hotlines

ADULT PROTECTIVE SERVICE — provides protective service for abused or neglected adults. Service of the Texas State Department of Human Resources. 8 a.m. - 5 p.m., Monday-Friday. 683-5411.

ADVICE AND AID — Problem pregnancy center. Free pregnancy tests available in 30 minutes. Visits are confidential. Call 24-hour number, 683-6072.

AMERICAN DIABETES ASSOCIATION — voluntary health agency provides free information and literature for people with diabetes and for the public. Films are available for any group interested in learning more about this disease. Call 682-0314.

AMERICAN RED CROSS — helps people avoid, prepare for and cope with emergencies. Offers CPR, health, first aid, safety training; disaster relief. Assists military personnel and veterans. Telephone 24 hours 684-6161.

BETTER BUSINESS BUREAU — provides assistance to consumers and businesses by providing reliability reports on companies and charities, handling complaints and providing general shopping information. Open 9 a.m. - 4 p.m., Monday-Friday. 563-1880 or, for complaints only, 563-1881.

CARING — support group for bereaved families who have lost children through miscarriage, stillbirth or neonatal death. Meetings are the first Tuesday of each month from 7 p.m. - 9 p.m. at Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity, 1412 W. Illinois. Call Alan Schroeder, 685-1528.

COMMUNITY AND SENIOR SERVICES — aids senior citizens in finding stores that offer discounts to senior citizens, offers information on Share-A-Meal, Handyman Service, hospital room equipment and other senior citizen services available in Midland. Open 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. weekdays. Call 682-7577.

CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION — to report a potentially dangerous product or a product-related injury. Requests can be made for free fact sheets on a wide range of products. They do not handle complaints on airplanes, boats, cars, medical devices or foods. Call 1-800-638-2772.

COUNCIL ON ALCOHOLISM — 24-hour hotline to give assistance to problem drinkers and family members. 682-4721.

EDNA GLADNEY HOME — offers adoption, care and counseling. Call toll-free 1-800-772-2740 or local 689-8430.

EMERGENCY FAMILY SERVICES — social worker available to provide emergency services and information and referral. This is a service of the Texas State Department of Human Resources. 8 a.m. - 5 p.m., Monday-Friday. 683-5411.

EMOTIONS ANONYMOUS — a group of persons seeking emotional stability through program of self-help within the framework of a group of fellow sufferers and with aid

of a 12-step program of recovery. Meets every Tuesday and calls can be made from 8 a.m. - 5 p.m., Monday-Friday. 683-1936, Hope Lutheran Church.

FAMILY SERVICES OF MIDLAND, INC. — counseling services for individuals, couples, parents and children. Educational programs related to Family Life and Social Adjustment. Contract services and program development. 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. Monday-Friday. Tuesdays until 9 p.m. 689-8021.

FOOD STAMP HOT LINE — to inquire about food stamp programs. 1-800-252-9330.

FRIENDSHIP — to help foreign-born women adjust to the American lifestyle. 8 a.m. - 5 p.m., Monday-Friday. 682-1646.

HOSPICE OF MIDLAND, INC. — provides home health care for the terminally ill. Call 682-2855 any hour of the day or night.

HOSPITAL ROOM EQUIPMENT — Community and Senior Services maintains a room of hospital equipment to be loaned to individuals and families in need. Items include gowns, blankets, crutches, wheelchairs, walkers, etc. Call 682-7577.

HUMAN RELATIONS COUNCIL OF MIDLAND AND INFORMATION AND REFERRAL LINE — helps promote understanding and communications between all racial, religious, ethnic and nationality groups within Midland County. 8 a.m. - 5 p.m., Monday - Friday, 2101 W. Wall Ave. It's Information and Referral line provides information about health and welfare services in the Midland area at 684-5868.

KIDS 'N CARS LOAN-A-SEAT PROGRAM — provides infant car seats for a \$25 deposit and deduct \$1.50 per month for rental; also has toddler seats available for short-term loan at \$1 per week. Presents educational programs and films to various groups on the importance of child restraints. For more information call 685-1111 and ask for the Kids 'N Cars program at the Hospital Auxiliary's information desk. A volunteer will return your call.

LA LECHE LEAGUE — provides encouragement, information and support for women who want to breast-feed their babies. 24-hour service. 694-0735, 697-1011, 697-9609.

LAMAZE CHILDBIRTH CLASSES — Midland Memorial Hospital. Six-week series of classes on labor and delivery, cesarean section, breast feeding, bonding and communication skills. Class size limited. Taught by R.N. and A.S.P.O. certified childbirth educator. For registration information call 685-1660.

LUTHERAN SOCIAL SERVICE OF TEXAS — Provides counseling for alternative related to unplanned pregnancies. Medical help and legal action provided for those clients choosing the adoption alternative.

Some Mutual Service Homes available. Also, provides adoption services for couples, foster care for infants and emergency response for the elderly. Open 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Monday-Friday at 2705-A W. Michigan. Call 563-1883 or 697-5761 (Answering machine available nights and weekends).

MAPLE HOUSE, ODESSA: AN OUTREACH PROGRAM OF SOUTHWEST MATERNITY CENTER, METHODIST MISSION HOME — offers free confidential counseling, medical care, and in some cases a temporary place to live for young pregnant women who are seeking adoptive planning. Southwest Maternity Center is a ministry of the Methodist Mission Home, San Antonio, a licensed adoption agency. Midland, 682-9648; Odessa, 337-4590; toll-free number, 1-800-292-5103.

MENTAL HEALTH-MENTAL RETARDATION CENTER — 24-hour crisis intervention and suicide prevention. Provides counseling and psychological services for individual, marital and family problems. 683-5591.

MIDLAND ASSOCIATION FOR RETARDED CITIZENS — a non-profit local agency providing programs and services for the retarded including social events and summer camp. Also provides information and makes referrals. 2701 N. 'A' Street, 682-9771.

MIDLAND COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT CRIME PREVENTION UNIT — helps form neighborhood watch groups. Call 682-9774, extension 440.

MIDLAND CRIME STOPPERS — will pay cash rewards for information leading to arrest or indictment on felony crimes. Callers do not have to reveal their identities. Call 694-TIPS.

MIDLAND GOLD — a product/service discount program offered by local merchants for the handicapped and persons 62 or older. Call Community and Senior Services, 682-7577.

MIDLAND HOUSING ASSOCIATION — private non-profit association. Section 8 rental assistance. Advice to low income families on repairs, loan application and tenant-landlord problems. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 8:30 - noon and by appointment. 218 W. Illinois, Room 107. 685-3057.

MIDLAND MOTHERS OF TWINS CLUB — Cope outreach program for new mothers of multiples. Hospital visitation upon request. Meetings held on the last Monday of each month. Call 694-1401 or 697-1706.

MIDLAND-ODESSA OSTOMY CHAPTER — provides encouragement, information and support for persons who have had or will have surgery resulting in urostomy, colostomy or ileostomy. Telephone 682-2851 or 694-7395.

MIDLAND SENIOR CITIZENS INC. (MEALS ON WHEELS AND NEED-A-MEAL) — serves weekday noon meals to eligible senior citizens who are unable to prepare meals due to illness or disability. 24-hour number. 683-4912.

MIDLAND TAPE LENDING LIBRARY — loans cassette books

and playback machines free of charge to either permanently or temporarily visually or physically handicapped individuals. Requested print material to meet recreational, educational, business, etc. needs of library users is recorded on cassette. Open 9 a.m.-1 p.m. weekdays. 202 N. C Street. 682-2731.

NATIONAL RUNAWAY SWITCHBOARD — takes calls from runaways and refers information to their families. 24-hours, toll-free number. 1-800-621-4000.

NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH — can help prevent crime. Call Crime Prevention Department of Midland Police Department, 683-4281.

OPERATION PEACE OF MIND — takes calls from runaways and offers referrals. 24-hours, Texas toll-free number. 1-800-392-3352.

PALMER DRUG ABUSE PROGRAM — a chemically free program for teenagers, young adults and the parents or relatives of alcohol and drug abusers.

The younger group (up to age 16) meets at First Baptist Church, Garfield and Kansas, 685-3836. The older group and main offices are in First United Methodist Church, 305 N. Baird St. 685-3645. Both are open 10 a.m. - 6 p.m., Monday-Friday.

PERMIAN BASIN CENTER FOR BATTERED WOMEN AND THEIR CHILDREN — offers shelter, food, clothing, medical and legal assistance for battered women and their children. 24-hour service. 683-1300.

PERMIAN BASIN COUNCIL ON ADOPTABLE CHILDREN — parents' support group offering information on adoption. Three-quarters of a million children are waiting for homes. Call 697-0670.

PERMIAN BASIN COUNCIL FOR THE HEARING IMPAIRED — provides interpreters for deaf people, information and referral. 684-0043.

PERMIAN BASIN PLANNED PARENTHOOD, MIDLAND CLINIC — provides family planning services. Services include general health screening, counseling, referrals. Provides education programs. Clinic number is 683-3691. Twenty-four hour answering number is 1-332-8258.

POSTAL ALERT PROTECTION SERVICE — provides daily watching of senior citizens' or other disabled persons' homes to see if the home has been vandalized or if any

other visible means of disturbance has occurred. 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. weekdays. Call Steve Edwards at 682-7577, Community and Senior Services.

RAPE CRISIS CENTER — 24-hour rape crisis hot line. 682-RAPE (682-7273).

ST. VINCENT De PAUL SOCIETY — provides emergency assistance with housing, food, medicine and clothing to low-income families. Call 687-6528.

SALVATION ARMY — 24-hour emergency services. 683-3614.

SAMARITAN COUNSELING CENTER OF WEST TEXAS INC. — provides marriage therapy, family therapy, individual therapy and group therapy. Hours are 8:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m., Monday-Friday. 563-4144.

SHARE-A-MEAL — provides weekend food service to low-income elderly. An extension of Meals-On-Wheels. Part of Community and Senior Services, 682-7577.

SURVIVING SPOUSE GROUP — support group for men and women who have lost a spouse. Call 697-3759.

TEEN CHALLENGE — complete rehabilitation for drug and alcohol abusers and troubled youth. Counseling for parents regarding problem youth and counseling for troubled youth. Speakers available for churches, clubs, schools and civic groups. 682-3244.

TELEPHONE REASSURANCE SERVICE — a brief, daily telephone call to the elderly or handicapped

who live alone. This daily check on the well-being of the person living alone provides peace of mind for friends and relatives who can't check on the individual as often as they would like. Calls are made Monday through Friday between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. Program is a part of Community and Senior Services, call 682-7577.

VIAL OF LIFE — program to aid the elderly and handicapped, as well as persons who live alone or have medical problems. Nationwide service that enables householders to store life-saving medical information in a three-inch plastic container so that it is accessible to rescue squads and to police and fire departments in case of emergency. Answering service available 24 hours a day, 684-6296.

VISUAL AIDS NEWSMOBILE — provides services for the blind and visually handicapped. Open weekdays by appointment only. 2908 W. Ohio. 694-2648.

WE CARE TAPE MINISTRY — Free New Testament/Psalms and Proverbs available on cassette tapes by request for the nonreader, hospitalized, homebound and prisoner. Call 687-5349, 687-6332 or 694-5070.

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PRAIRIE LEE

The Prairie Lee Extension Homemakers Association met in the home of Mary Alamon. President Paula Sheppard presided over the business meeting. The home extension agent and her assistant gave a demonstration on Christmas decorations to make for the home and gifts.

The next meeting will be in the home of Virginia Bryant for our annual Christmas dinner.

XI ALPHA MU, BSP

Xi Alpha Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi had a regular meeting in the home of Peggy Brown. Vice president Virginia Earhart presided at an Exemplar ritual held for Jan Dorsey, Alice Sawyer and Jane Weidon, new members of the chapter.

Jill Arthur reported a Couples Christmas Open House will be held at Virginia Earhart's home and the next meeting in December will be a salad supper and gift exchange.

Guest speaker Jackie Simmer gave a program on placement of pictures for wall decorations.

LIONESS 700 CLUB

The Lioness 700 Club, auxiliary for the West Side Lions, met in the home of Mrs. Ewart Phillips recently. Mrs. Warren Wallace presided over the business session.

A program was presented by Debra Phillips, director of Taylor Park Child Care Center. The Center is a Lioness 700 club project. Ms. Phillips gave an overview of the daily activities at the center and state regulations and reporting systems.

IOTA BETA

Iota Beta met recently in the home of Jackie Smith. Program was baby shower for Mina Graham. Plans were confirmed for the legacy ritual of Lisa Graham to be in the home of Karen McNealy.

EPSILON DELTA CHAPTER, BSP

Epsilon Delta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met in the home of Dot King. Mamie Miller was elected chapter sweetheart and will be presented at the Valentine Charity Ball in February.

Chapter will take Teen Challenge a box of apples and will take food for dinner in December. A donation will be made to the Witherspoon Fund and the Dara Sawyer Fund. Funds are for the children in the van accident and an ill child of a Beta Sigma Phi.

Ms. King gave the program on family recipes and family history. Next meeting will be in the home

of Joann Gardner.

BETA DELTA CHAPTER, BSP
Seleta Wilson was selected Sweetheart of Beta Delta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi at a meeting in the home of Donna Fulgham. Chapter met for salad supper at the home of Mary Ann Legg with Theresa Jones as guest.

Members met in the home of Debbie Ward. Ways and means projects were discussed. Balloons will be delivered to the children's ward at Midland Memorial Hospital on Christmas Day. Kay Burns was guest of Sheryl Sprute. Next meeting will be in Ms. Sprute's home. Family Christmas social will be Dec. 7.

UPSILON CHAPTER, KAPPA KAPPA IOTA

The November meeting of the Upsilon Chapter of Kappa Kappa Iota was conducted recently in the Greenhouse Club Room.

A program on gardening was presented by Russell Johnson of Casa Verde Nursery. Laury Good and Karen Johnson served as hostesses.

The next meeting will be a brunch Dec. 8 at the Holidome.

XI ALPHA MU, BSP

Members of Xi Alpha Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi recently attended a City-Wide City Council Meeting which was sponsored by the Midland City Council of Beta Sigma Phi.

A skit was presented featuring the "Tator" sisters, and a report was given by Betty Underwood, social chairman, on the recently held Fall Dance.

Awards were presented for scrapbook and yearbooks, with Xi Alpha Mu receiving first place honors in both categories.

Xi Alpha Mu also announced the affiliation of new members Jan Dorsey, Jane Weidon, Patty DeFrance and Alice Sawyer to the chapter.

XI CHI XI, BSP

Xi Chi Xi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met at Audrey Smyth's home with President Carol Hall presiding. Xi Chi Xi visited different chapters to wrap-up wrapping paper sales for Christmas holidays. Donna Gibson has affiliated in Xi Chi Xi.

Next meeting will be at Carol Hall's home.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF RETIRED PERSONS

The American Association of Retired Persons met recently for a Thanksgiving dinner. Chester Powers, president, brought the meeting to order with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

John Atchinson, vice president, gave the welcoming address. Glenda Truitt led the singing. A musical program was given by the Main Street Church of Christ. Rev. J.D. Stewart from the First United Methodist Church gave the devotional.

MIDLAND WOMAN'S CLUB, PLAY DAY

Play Day met at the Midland Woman's Club for bridge and canasta. Faye Drew and Bernice Cox were hostesses for bridge and Fern Moore and Natalie Holmes were canasta hostesses.

Guests were Ann Gilchrist, Tommie Smith and Josephine Mersereau. Bridge winners were Pauline Yates, first, Ann Gilchrist, second, and Nita Stovall, special prize. Canasta winners were Minnie Baker, Greta Elmore and Natalie Holmes.

Play Day chairmen are Edna Keith and Evanelle May. Next Play Day will be Jan. 22.

MIDLAND ARTS ASSOCIATION

Midland Arts Association met recently at Midland College. Dr. Stan Jacobs presented a slide show on design and composition for all media.

Mary Lou King, president, conducted a short business meeting.

The next meeting will be 7:30 p.m. Dec. 13 at 2501 Sinclair.

ALPHA OMEGA, BSP

Alpha Omega Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met at the home of Myrtle Russell for a regular business meeting. President Nancie Nunan presided.

Members brought Christmas gifts

to be sent to the chapter-sponsored girl at Gristown, U.S.A. A Christmas tree, gifts and dinner will be taken to the senior citizen that chapter members aid. The annual Christmas dinner and party will be Dec. 10 in the home of Eunice Dersch.

A friendship basket was presented to Birdie Lamkin by Elaine Conrad. Myrtle Russell gave a program on the life and art of Rembrandt. The next meeting will be at the home of Ms. Dersch.

NEWTIMERS BRIDGE CLUB
Newtimers Bridge Club met at Ranchland Hills Country Club recently. High score winners were Della Goodgame, first, Evelyn Graham, second, and Bea Thomas, third.

TRINITY TOWERS BIRTHDAY PARTY

Jane Debenport of Odessa, formerly of Midland, presented "Around the World" Christmas songs at Trinity Towers' birthday for November. Ms. Debenport was accompanied on the piano by Vilja Walter.

Midland Garden Club furnished arrangement for the serving table. Circle L class of First Presbyterian Church provided the cake, baked by Eva Dennis.

Honorees were Maude Blakeney, Florence Allegra, Billie Hood, Christine Fox, Frances Douglas, Leta Hughtson, Mary Ungerman, Pauline Allen, Frances Wilson, Zelpha Casey, Rue Hargrave, Jean Brown, Luella Squires, Allena Dodd, Frances Sayers, Julie La Roche and Willie Carson.

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...NEWCOMER'S CLUB of Midland will have a "get acquainted" coffee for newcomers, members and guests at 10 a.m. Thursday at 3505 Hyde Park.

For more information call 687-1028 or 683-6874.

...NEWCOMERS' LUNCH Bunch will meet at 11:30 a.m. Thursday at Sutphens Barbeque Restaurant. For reservations call 689-9630.

...SURVIVING SPOUSE Group will meet Saturday for a covered-dish Christmas luncheon. For more information call 697-3759.

...MIDLAND CHRISTIAN Women's Club will meet at 11:30 a.m. Thursday at Midland Country Club. Golden Bells Handbell Choir will present the music. Marilyn Daily of Dallas will speak on "A Marriage That Survived." Persons attending are asked to bring a Christmas ornament for an ornament exchange.

Luncheon and nursery reservations must be made by Monday by calling 699-4280, 683-5665 or 689-6633. The club is interdenominational, has no formal membership and is open to all interested women.

...CRAFT SALE to benefit Visual Aids News Mobile will be from 11:30 a.m. 3:30 p.m. Mondays through Friday until Dec. 21 at 2906 W. Ohio. For more information call 694-2648.

...MIDLAND STUDY CLUB will meet for Christmas luncheon at 11:30 a.m. Tuesday at Greentree Country Club. Members and their guests are invited. Donations of toilet articles and towels for Battered Women and Children's Home are requested. A musical program will be presented by Fluffy Green.

...STORY HOUR this week will be on "Safety at Christmas." A special visitor will attend. Story Hour, sponsored by Midland's Junior Woman's Club, is offered from 10-11 a.m. each Tuesday during the school year at Midland County Public Library. Children ages 3-5 are invited to attend. Groups of seven or more call the library for reservations.

...LT. WILLIAM BREWER chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will have a Christmas Tea and Guest Day from 3-5 p.m. Tuesday at 2009 Community Lane. Guests are asked to bring white cotton socks and handkerchiefs as gifts for the Veterans Hospital in Big Spring.

...MOMS OF MIDLAND will sponsor a Tots and Seniors Interaction from 9:30-10:30 a.m. Wednesday at Terrace West Nursing Home, 2800 N. Midland Drive. Mothers bring children and toys to the nursing home to spend an hour entertaining residents. For more information call 694-8721.

...MIDLAND ENDOMETRIOSIS Association will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday at Memorial Christian Church, Andrews Hwy. at Cuthbert. Dr. Murphy Gollapudi, endocrinologist, will discuss the role of hormones in the treatment of endometriosis and infertility. For more information call 686-0676 or 694-6448.

...MIDLAND SENIOR Center's, 2500 Delano Ave., Wednesday nutrition luncheon program at 11:45 a.m. will feature Phil Maxwell presenting "Beware of the Con" ...

...PETROLEUM ENGINEER'S Wives Club will meet Tuesday at Ranchland Hills Country Club. Program will be presented by Monta Jo Johnson and Marian Reeder on handbells, accompanied by Carol Hall. Bridge will begin at 10 a.m. Salad luncheon is scheduled for noon.

...STRAIGHT TALK for Mothers and Daughters will be offered 7-9 p.m. Dec. 11 at the Midland Planned Parenthood Clinic, 307 E. Texas Ave. This class for mothers and their 8- to 13-year-old daughters emphasizes family communication and understanding about physical and emotional changes that occur during puberty.

Class size is limited so reservations should be made in advance by calling 563-2530. There is a \$10 fee per family.

...WOMEN'S AGLOW Fellowship will meet Wednesday at the Villa Vagabond Inn, S. Grant and I-20, in Odessa. The morning session will be at 10 a.m. and the Spanish-speaking session will be at 1:30 p.m.

Cathy Perkins of Ventura, Calif., will speak at the morning session. She is a licensed and ordained evangelist, who, along with her husband Lloyd, has ministered to several Christian groups in Southern California and the Hawaiian Islands.

Ruth Rodriguez of Odessa will speak at the afternoon session. She has a leadership ministry and she ministers on the local level as well in Mexico, New Mexico and throughout Texas. She also shares a ministry with her husband.

Nursery facilities will be at Morning Star Fellowship Church, 325 W. County Rd. Children should bring a sack lunch.

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DEAR ABBY

Runaway Hotline gives second chance

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

DEAR ABBY: Because you advertised the Runaway Hotline last November, our 15-year-old son came home to us after being on the bum for five months. We didn't know if he was living or dead.

Please run the same column again before the holidays for the thousands of runaway kids who really want to come home but are ashamed to make the first move. Thank you. — DANNY'S MOTHER IN ST. PAUL

DEAR MOTHER: Here it is:

DEAR ABBY: Our problem daughter, not quite 17, ran away from home 14 months ago. She had been giving us a rough time for about a year — skipping school, staying out late and lying to us constantly. After a noisy scene, she stormed out of the house with only the clothes on her back. We didn't have a clue as to where she went.

Only a parent who has lived through this kind of nightmare can

realize what we went through. After a year of heartaches and sleepless nights, we were told by the police to give up and assume she was dead. But parents never give up. We continued to search and hope and pray that she'd return to us one day.

Well, our prayers were answered when, out of the blue, we received a telephone call from someone who said he was a volunteer with Runaway Hotline (formerly Operation Peace of Mind) in Houston. (We live in Michigan.) We were told that our daughter had read of the toll-free number in "Dear Abby" and she wanted to let us know that she was well and happy in Fort Lauderdale, Fla. The volunteer said our daughter would call him again on the following morning in case we had a message for her.

We told him we would welcome a collect call from her. Sure enough, she called us the next day! She sounded wonderful and said she was working and was going to night school to finish her education. This story has a happy ending. Our daughter is coming for Christmas!

Abby, will you please publish that toll-free number again so other runaway kids can establish communications with their families? Our daughter said that she had seen your column with the number posted near telephones where runaways hang out.

We will never be able to thank you enough for giving us the happiest holiday we've ever had! — GRATEFUL IN MICHIGAN

DEAR GRATEFUL: Runaways, call this toll-free number: 1-800-231-6946. If in Texas, use this number: 1-800-392-3352.

An operator will take your call and telephone your parents anywhere in the United States with a message from you. There will be no lecturing or recriminations. Your call will not be traced. And only one question will be asked: "Do you need anything?" If you do, you will be told where you can get it, free. I repeat, no attempt will be made to contact you or bring you back home — regardless of your age. If you are a runaway, I beg you to

forget the past and send a message to your parents now. They will sleep better tonight and so will you. And you will all have the best holiday season you've had in years. God bless you. — ABBY

P.S. Runaway Hotline was established 11 years ago by a handful of public-spirited volunteers with the support of the governor of Texas. To date it has placed over 700,000 calls from runaways, assuring their families that they are OK. Beautiful!

(Getting married? Send for Abby's new, updated, expanded booklet, "How to Have a Lovely Wedding." Send your name and address clearly printed with a check or money order for \$2.50 (this includes postage) to: Dear Abby, Wedding Booklet, P.O. Box 38923, Hollywood, Calif. 90038.)

Abigail Van Buren is a columnist for Universal Press Syndicate.

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by Ray and Austella Berry



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Club schedules luncheon meeting

Midland Christian Women's Club will meet for holiday luncheon at 11:30 a.m. Thursday at Midland Country Club. Golden Bells Handbell Choir of First United Methodist Church will provide musical entertainment.

Marilyn Daily of Denton, area representative for Christian Women's Clubs in Dallas area, will speak on "A Marriage That Weathered the Storm."

Persons attending the luncheon are asked to bring an unwrapped Christmas ornament for ornament exchange.

Cost of the luncheon will be \$10.50. A nursery for pre-school children will be provided at Fannin Terrace Baptist Church, 2800 Mogford. Mothers are asked to bring sack lunches and drinks for their children. Luncheon and nursery reservations may be made by calling 689-4280, 683-5665, 689-6633 or 687-2936. Deadline for reservations is Monday. Reservations not cancelled must be honored.

Midland Christian Women's Club is non-denominational, has no formal membership or dues and is open to all interested women. For more information on the club and its luncheons, monthly coffees and weekly Friendship Bible Coffees, call 689-8170.

Book Review Unit to meet Monday

The Book Review Unit of the Midland Woman's Club will present a program of Christmas Music by the Sonshiners of the First Baptist Church on Monday.

The 12-member group has presented musical contributions throughout West Texas and has gained international recognition from music tours in London and Australia. Locally, they have performed concerts for civic organizations, churches, the Petroleum Club and the Chamber of Commerce.

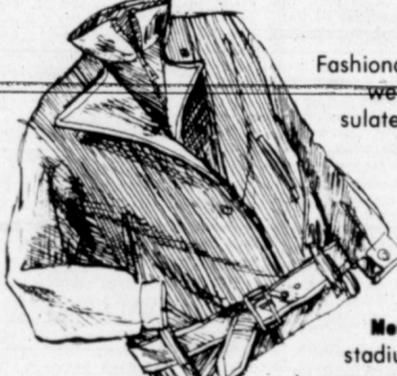
Organist Doris Bruce, associate director of music at the First Baptist Church, will direct the chorus. Miss Bruce will be accompanied by Carol Hisey.

Social hour will begin at 11:30 a.m. and the luncheon is at noon. The business meeting will be conducted by Mrs. W.E. Shepherd.

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By JERRY HULSE
Los Angeles Times —
Washington Post News Service

Our lesson this morning, class, involves manor houses and castles in Britain and living the good life with one Geoffrey Dean-Smith.

Anyone can do an ordinary tour of Britain these days, says Dean-Smith. But he has something far more lavish to discuss.

Like an afternoon at Ascot with one's very own private box. Or the best seats at Wimbledon. Or — blast the expenses — what about an evening of boxing at the National Sporting Club while sipping Dom Perignon?

Such are the multifarious activities Dean-Smith is prepared to lay on for Americans planning to visit Britain. Almost nothing is impossible so long as one has the pounds to pay. Because nothing Dean-Smith is involved with can be considered, well, inexpensive.

DEAN-SMITH, who could pass for a duke or an earl or possibly even a prince, is the Los Angeles representative for a British firm that devotes its energies to pampering travelers. Indeed, spoiling them.

It's been like this since the founder of the Abbey Lubbock Group, Peter Lubbock, began squiring visitors around Britain more than half a century ago. Lubbock, who went to his reward this year, always wore the red hat of the Royal Hussars while greeting guests in London.

His counterpart in Los Angeles, this fellow, Dean-Smith, is a trifle more conservative, using for his trademark a pin-stripe suit. Dean-Smith's company, International Abbey, is a subsidiary of the Abbey Lubbock Group and serves well-heeled Americans wishing to be indulged.

The 38-year-old Dean-Smith, a bachelor from the town of Cheshire in the north of England, opened an office in Los Angeles only this past summer. Already, though, he's distinguished himself as the chap who caters to the rich and near-rich.

During the British Open at St. Andrews in Scotland, Dean-Smith's guests are shuttled by helicopter between the world-renowned Gleneagles Hotel and St. Andrews where they dine lavishly in a private marquee on smoked salmon, caviar, fresh strawberries and other goodies while eyeballing the action on the greens, the cost figuring out to \$4,775 per person.

WHILE THIS MAY seem a trifle extravagant, just remember the package includes four days at Gleneagles, the refreshments and an introduction to stars playing in the tournament. And that, says Dean-Smith, is a steal when one considers this isn't merely a golf classic but one of the social binges of the year in Britain.

Still, the British Open can't be considered an extravagance when contrasted with other diversions Dean-Smith concocts for the wealthy. Like spending a day playing golf with the sport's leading names. The likes of Seve Ballesteros or perhaps Tom Watson. The price tag on this package adds up to roughly \$50,000 — just for the day. And only for the golf. No hotels, flights, limousines or such.

"A few golf tips from the pros and a lot of fun," Dean-Smith says.

Then there's Wimbledon where Dean-Smith and his colleagues provide blocks of the best seats available. In addition, his guests have access to bars ordinarily reserved for members only.

And there are the lunches. Dean-Smith sighs — the lovely lunches. "Buffets with barrels of strawberries and heaps of caviar and gallons of champagne." Boxes seat up to 12 persons and prices range from \$1,100 to \$2,000 a day, including the four-course luncheon.

ONLY RECENTLY Dean-Smith and his cohorts hosted 123 guests at London's posh Inn on the Park with Henry Kissinger as the principal speaker. The tab — for security, chauffeuring of guests, the banquet, etc. — came to a whopping \$30,000.

Other clients are accommodated at the Henley Royal Regatta, which Dean-Smith describes as "one of the most prestigious, flamboyant and best-loved regattas in the world." Guests sit out the day in carpeted tents, sipping strawberry and champagne tea and Pimms cups at \$240 per person.

Our man performs miracles. Geoffrey Dean-Smith insists he will disappoint no one.

His most bizarre request came from a Hollywood actor desiring to be married in a Scottish castle. That's normal enough, but the man demanded that Dean-Smith arrange a jousting contest between two knights, of which he'd be one, while his sweetie looked on from the castle.

AFTER KNOCKING the other knight off his horse, the actor would claim his bride and gallop away on their honeymoon. No big deal, Dean-Smith said, and quoted the man a figure of \$30,000 for the entire affair — the horses, the armor, the other "knight" and a wedding reception following the duel on horseback.

Dean-Smith, the son of a British toy wholesaler, has done stints as a writer, a river rat on the Mississippi and a tour leader for a travel club.

He's also into the business of renting castles. Not your ordinary run-of-the-mill castle but the sort with towers and turrets, moats and magnificent gardens. Considering what one gets, his rates are rather reasonable. An entire castle staffed with servants can be yours for \$5,000 a

week. (Contact Dean-Smith at International Abbey Inc., 2040 Avenue of the Stars, Suite 400, Los Angeles 90067.)

AND THEN THERE'S Kate Fuentes, the California contact for Country Homes & Castles. This London-based company represents more than 100 homes and castles throughout Great Britain. Everything from a cottage in the Cotswolds to a mansion in Manchester.

Her most opulent property is Somerley, the estate of the sixth Earl of Normanton at Hampshire. Built in 1792, it features designs by Samuel Wyatt, a white marble chimney from Rubens' home in Antwerp, gilded ceilings, gorgeous French furniture and an art gallery. What's more, it rises on a 7,000-acre estate with gardens laid out by Capability Brown.

The rate per couple figures out to \$375 a night, including cocktails, a three-course dinner with wine and a full English breakfast the following morning.

Country Homes represents properties with swimming pools, tennis courts, croquet, horses, hunting and fishing. They're scattered throughout England, Wales, Scotland and Ireland. While some rentals are pricey, there are cozy cottages that sleep up to six guests for as little as \$250 a week.

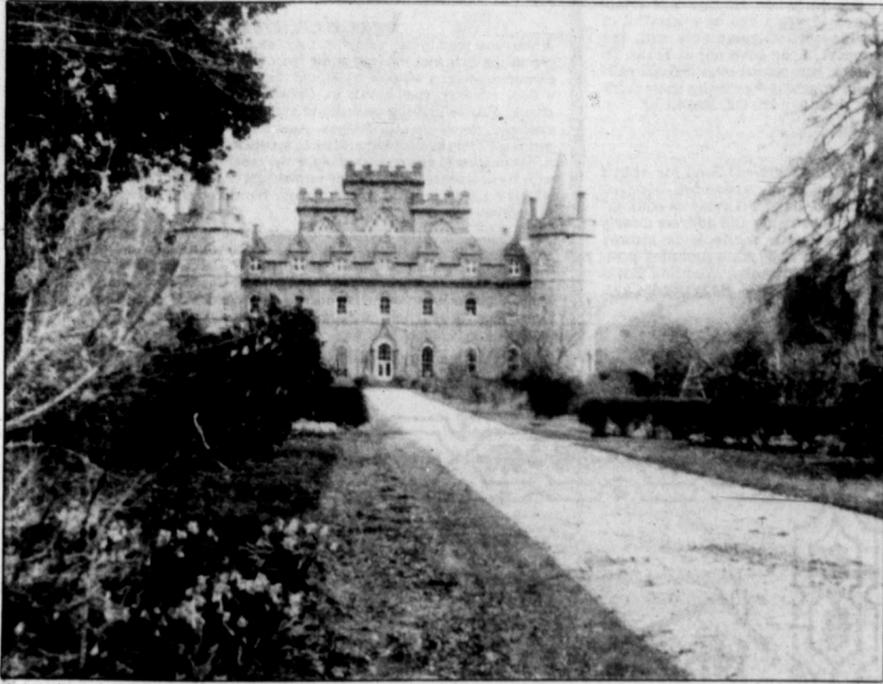
BESIDES RENTALS, Country Homes & Castles does tours. One this Christmas features cocktails with Princess Di's parents at Althorp. In addition, Kate Fuentes plans individual itineraries for the guests of Country Homes & Castles. Everything from an arrival at London or Gatwick airports to afternoon tea in the country.

In Northern California, Christine Campbell is a member of a triumvirate that operates "In the English Manner," a London-based company that books vacationers into flats, cottages and farmhouses as well as homes and castles. Her colleagues, Sarah Jones-Lloyd and Gill Casey, hold down the British fort while Campbell recruits the Americans.

They list an 18th Century manor house in the Cotswolds, a baronial castle on the Isle of Mull near Scotland and luxury flats in old London town. The flats are scattered throughout Chelsea, Knightsbridge, Mayfair, Belgravia, Kensington and other sections of the city.

Christine Campbell urges guests to go for a day, a week or to remain until one tires of London.

And that, she promises, is simply impossible. For other particulars, contact the following: Kate Fuentes, Country Homes & Castles, 615 S. Flower St., Suite 1115, Los Angeles 90017. Christine Campbell, In the English Manner, P.O. Box 447, Orinda, Calif. 94563.



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Inveraray Castle is the home of Ian, 12th Duke of Argyll and chief of the Clan Campbell.



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Beautiful old homes with huge green grounds, such as Culloden House near Inverness, are plentiful in the highlands.

Cassettes help keep peace when children travel

Los Angeles Times —
Washington Post News Service

A San Francisco company has come up with an idea for calming

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Butlers provided by luxury hotels

Los Angeles Times —
Washington Post News Service

Prepare for pampering if you are in California and check into one of the two Presidential Suites at the Sheraton Premiere Hotel in Universal City.

Karl Ackermann is there, ready to serve as your private butler. He was head butler for England's Lord and Lady Spencer, parents of Diana, Princess of Wales, before joining the Sheraton's staff last year.

Hotel officials would not reveal whom the butler has been coddling recently but said that TV networks sometimes rent the suites as sets. The price per suite is \$2,500 a night.

In Los Angeles, the Sheraton Grande offers similar service to every guest "with a fully stocked butler's pantry and a live butler" on each of 10 floors.

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Rates at the Sheraton Grande range from \$150 a night for a single to \$750 for the California Suite, which has two beds and a fireplace.

Some other U.S. hotels also have butlers on their staffs. For example, the United Nations Plaza in New York offers complimentary breakfast, and complimentary cocktails and hors d'oeuvres, served by a butler in the VIP Regency Club lounge to those guests staying in the new tower wing. Rates range from \$140 for a studio room to \$675 for a two-bedroom suite.

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'Stepping out' popular for recreation, travel

By JAMES T. YENCKEL
Los Angeles Times —
Washington Post News Service

An estimated 99 million Americans walk for pleasure, and 7 million of them even say walking is their favorite form of recreation.

Citing those government figures, a group of nine women in the Washington, D.C., area has launched a new national magazine, WalkWays, a quarterly they hope to expand into a walker's clearing house for information.

They also have formed Walk Inc., the magazine's parent company, to sponsor walking tours. They already have begun organizing day walks in the Washington area and are planning to offer walking tours elsewhere in the United States and abroad in the near future.

"We're responding to a terrific upsurge in interest in walking," says Joan Shorey, the magazine's travel editor, who formerly worked on Capitol Hill on energy and environmental issues. "We're on the crest of a well deserved wave of widespread enthusiasm."

The magazine's staff, including lawyers and businesswomen who divide their time between the new publication and other jobs, are all devoted walkers. Shorey frequently walks the 3 miles from her home to the magazine's downtown office in Washington.

Recreation and travel are a primary focus of the quarterly, but the winter issue, due out in January, will take a look at the unusual subject of "business walks."

Some business travelers, it seems, are beginning to take walks together rather than gathering in a smoke-filled conference room or meeting

for lunch. "Our whole concept," Shorey says, "is to help expand the whole walking idea."

WalkWays originated in the spring of 1983, and last August it acquired Walking Journal, another national publication. The fall issue of WalkWays (the most current one) was the first to follow the merger.

The magazine sees its market, says publisher Louise E. Sagalyn, as "the millions of upscale, affluent men and women 35 years and older whom federal government surveys show prefer walking over virtually every other recreational activity."

Among WalkWays' fall features are stories on Christmas walks in Rome, taking in the lovely Piazza Navona (no traffic) and the Vatican; on "good works" in Portland, Ore., to improve the lot of city pedestrians; and on selected walks through Washington streets.

Regular features include "What's Afoot," an international calendar of walking events, listing for this fall city walking tours in Richmond, Va., Charleston, S.C., and Minneapolis, among others; the "Reading Walker Tours," a guide to new walking books; and "Health and Fitness," which in the latest issue reports on "Walking without Tiring."

Each issue also contains a pull-out section called "A Step Up," a catalog of clothing and equipment for walks and longer hikes.

Coming in January are articles on "Walking to Improve Your Heart" and adventure walks in Spain and along the U.S. West Coast.

A subscription to the quarterly sells for \$10 a year, and a sample copy can be purchased for \$1.50. Contact: WalkWays, 733 15th St. NW, Washington, D.C. 20005, 202-737-9555.

LOVELY LEXINGTON, Va., the historic Shenandoah Valley community where Confederate generals Robert E. Lee and Stonewall Jackson once lived and are buried, is celebrating a "Holiday in Lexington" the weekend of Dec. 7-9.

Among the main events: — Christmas House Tour: A walking tour of four homes of old Lexington, sponsored by the Historic Lexington Foundation, followed by a party at the Stonewall Jackson House. Noon to 5 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 8.

— "The Best Christmas Pageant Ever": A play adapted from a short novel about "a Christmas pageant that runs amok because of mischievous children." 8 p.m., Saturday, Henry Street Playhouse.

— "Hansel and Gretel": The Humpertinck opera, performed by the Ensemble Company of the Cincinnati Opera. 3 p.m., Sunday, Dec. 9, Lexington High School.

Plus: A Friday night Christmas parade and, throughout the weekend, the Old Main Street Christmas Arts and Crafts Show.

For more information: Historic Lexington Visitors Center, 107 East Washington St., Lexington, Va. 24450, 703-463-3777.

AMERICAN CYCLING TOURS have invaded even French Polynesia, a place once dreamed of going only to idle on a beach.

Off the Deep End Travels, a Gainesville, Fla. cycling-tour organizer, has scheduled a two-week visit to three French Polynesian islands, March 2-17. It's the firm's first visit to the Pacific after two years of

operating bicycle trips through Europe.

The itinerary includes four days on Moorea, four on Tahiti and three on Huahine, returning again to Tahiti. Participants will stay in one hotel on each island, taking day trips by bicycle about half of the days. On Huahine, plenty of beach time is planned, since the island has only 11 miles of road.

The group is limited to 20 persons with a minimum age of 18 unless accompanied by an adult. The land cost is \$1,300 per person (double occupancy), which includes first-class lodging, breakfast and lunch, transportation by boat between islands and a 15-speed bicycle (to keep). Bring your own bike: \$1,175. Round-trip air fare from Los Angeles, approximately \$730.

For more information: Off the Deep End Travels, P.O. Box 1196, Gainesville, Fla. 32602, 904-373-6833.

A CENTRAL RESERVATION number has been established for the 15 hotels of the Association of Historic Hotels of the Rocky Mountain West.

The hotels are located in Colorado, Wyoming, New Mexico and South Dakota. For information or reservations: 800-626-4886.

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Eagles protected in Alaska's Chilkat Eagle Preserve

Hearst News Service

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senting nature at its purest, is so quiet at times that a whisper seems wrong. The feeding ground for the world's largest collection of bald eagles is more than one of the globe's great wildlife spectacles. It is the result of cooperation among industry, government and a few individuals to protect the salmon fishery for the eagles.

In the lower 48 states, the birds, with wingspreads up to eight feet, have been decimated by DDT and lead in their food. They are an endangered species in 43 states. In five others, they are considered threatened.

But in the sanctuary, counting

bald eagles — in the trees, on the river banks and in the air — is a futile undertaking. Twenty, 25 in a tree is common. Too many to tabulate line the river banks.

The battle over the eagles erupted in the 1970s when conservationists, from Alaska and elsewhere, took an interest in the birds. This caused consternation among local people involved in mining and timber, who were afraid the preservation plan would keep them out of traditional fishing and hunting grounds, as well as areas where they worked. Spurred by commercial interests, lines were drawn. The conservationists obtained a temporary moratorium on development.

Despite the hostility, the competing forces worked out a compromise, and on June 20, 1982, 200 years to the day after Congress designated the eagle the symbol of the United States, Gov. Jay Hammond put his signature on documents creating the state's first and only eagle preserve. It takes in 49,000 acres inside the boundaries of a 260,000-acre state forest in southeast Alaska, about 75 miles from Juneau. This locale is home or council grounds to an estimated 3,500 bald eagles, roughly 10 percent of the total in Alaska and perhaps 25 percent of all the bald eagles in the lower 48.

David Olerud, who came to Haines as a schoolteacher and now owns four businesses, is a founding trustee of the American Bald Eagle Foundation and leader of a proposal to create a national bald eagle center in his adopted town. It's a \$20

million proposition. The foundation budget seeks \$15 million for the center and another \$5 million for a trust fund that would provide money for operating activities and research. The target date for opening is 1989.

Ski package features chef, butler

Los Angeles Times — Washington Post News Service

Western Frontier, a Salt Lake City tour retailer, doesn't emphasize low cost when discussing a unique package it is offering to discriminating (and affluent) skiers at Park City or Deer Valley.

Called "Ski Luxe Services," the program provides butlers, chefs, chauffeurs and ski companions by the hour, day, week or month.

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and shopping for groceries, will maintain your ski equipment and later offer you drinks and hors d'oeuvres by the fire.

Typical prices: for the butler, \$30 an hour, \$175 a day, and \$850 a week; the chef gets \$40, \$200, or \$990 for the same periods.

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Odessa policeman hasn't missed out on much in life

ODESSA (AP)— Having played bit parts in the Italian Opera and a Clint Eastwood movie, John McAhon says he hasn't missed too much in his 40-year life.

But that's not to say the Odessa Police Department training officer has fulfilled all his dreams.

"It's weird, maybe, but my biggest desire was always to be a major league catcher," he says.

His interests in radio broadcasting, television, the movies, photography, firearms and martial arts took sideline seats 16 years ago. That's when McAhon chose a career in law enforcement over his other pursuits.

"He's unique, in that he does several things and does them well," said a friend, television station KTPX News Director Rick Wells, 39.

Wells said he became acquainted with McAhon through attending St. John's Episcopal Church, where both men are lay readers.

"He was one of the first people I met when I moved here. He's honest and very sincere, and that's something I respect about him the most. You can trust what he says," Wells said.

The hobbies took root years earlier, when McAhon lived in or visited 29 states and 15 foreign countries in 17 years, as a result of his father's military career.

"Home is where we happened to be," McAhon said, adding that those years gave him new insights into other cultures.

As a teen-ager in Rome, for instance, McAhon visited an Italian

family. They invited him to return the following summer.

The family had a friend who sang solo tenor in the Italian Opera. The friend invited McAhon backstage following an opera performance, gaining McAhon an opportunity to perform Giuseppe Verdi's "Aida" along with other singers the next evening.

"I said, 'Great! But I don't know the words,'" McAhon said. "So the next night, they fitted me with a helmet, spear and cape, and pinned inside the cape was the libretto.

"My knees were shaking. It's a little bit unusual for a 16-year-old kid to sing with any opera. It was something else — probably a once-in-a-lifetime experience," he recalled.

McAhon then returned to his fam-

ily in Stuttgart, Germany, to begin a 2-year stint as high school disc jockey for the Armed Forces Network.

Hosting a show called "The Kids Next Door," McAhon played requests from fellow students and announced youth activities. When he left, the producers took the show off the air. "They said they couldn't replace me."

Living in Germany, surrounded by historical areas, McAhon also nurtured an interest in photography. That interest surfaces even in his police work — he was asked to compile a slide presentation for the Odessa Police Department, McAhon said.

The police officer said he originally wanted to major in instrumen-

tal music and minor in vocal music, but "I couldn't quite cut the mustard" at music schools.

Instead, he enrolled as a speech and drama major and finished with a journalism degree at New Mexico State University in Las Cruces, where he acted as disc jockey for both campus and commercial radio stations.

His last semester turned out to be productive for his career: He studied hard enough to be named valedictorian at Las Cruces Police Academy at the same time he finished college, and turned to police work as his full-time job.

After working 8½ years in Las Cruces, he moved first to Crane and from there to the Odessa police force.

While in Las Cruces, McAhon reported to cast calls for television series and movies being shot in the area. He said he won over other applicants to appear in the television series "Cannon" with William Conrad and "Cimmaron Strip" with Stuart Whitman, Warren Oates and Telly Savalas.

McAhon's role in the second movie was to play "a bad guy gunman type. A desperado, an outlaw."

"I find it humorous myself," he said, explaining the role was ironic in light of his police work today.

He also won a part in the Clint Eastwood movie "Hang 'Em High," playing a lynch mob participant who held the noose around Eastwood's neck.

Sea Trek Hawaii offers different view of islands

By ANNE KRUEGER and DAVID HASEMYER
Copley News Service

"Hang On!" yelled Capt. Eric Brown as the deck of the 38-foot Paragon began to roll over toward the Pacific, leaving his amateur crew precariously clinging to the nearest handhold.

The boat bent to the gusty Hawaiian trade winds, like a wrist wrestler yielding to a stronger opponent, until the boom nearly scratched the water.

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Whew! the crew heaved a collective sigh of relief. That was the first of many seagoing adventures the novice sailors would encounter.

Soon after tussling with the wind, the Paragon docked in a peaceful bay below a majestic green cliff on the remote north shore of Molokai. The serene quiet of the cove contrasted with the five-hour sail from Maui, when the boat bounced through giant swells.

Sea Trek Hawaii, which provided the boat, captain and a crew member for the trip, describes its four-day sail from the Hawaiian island of Maui to the islands of Molokai and Oahu as an adventure tour. It's no luxury cruise, but it is an excellent way to see some parts of the Hawaiian Islands rarely visited by tourists.

AT TIMES the trip was better than an "E" ticket at Disneyland, and occasionally it felt like a bad carnival ride where the passengers couldn't get off for several hours.

From the moment passengers come on board the sailboat in Lahaina, Maui, they become members of the crew. By the end of the trip, even inexperienced members are fairly efficient sailors.

This total sailing experience includes sleeping bags on the deck of the boat. The closest thing to a shower during the trip is a romp in a cold freshwater waterfall.

"Most people think of pleasant mai tais by the pool when they think of Hawaii," Brown said. "This is for the adventurous type. We're giving them every bit of Hawaii there is."

Once the boat sails by the beach resort hotels in Maui, it leaves behind the typically tourist Hawaii. Hotels and restaurants, even cars, TVs and telephones fade away on the horizon.

The adventure began as soon as the ship's sails were raised. The wind lifted the boat high up on its side and the inexperienced sailors hung on as one of their fellow passengers steered the tiller.

After a few hours of sailing, and a quick lesson on anchoring, the Paragon was bobbing peacefully in a secluded bay in northern Maui.

THERE, snorkelers dipped under the glassy warm water into a beautiful world of rainbow-colored fish and coral. Brown said Sea Trek emphasizes the importance of learning about Hawaii's culture and wildlife, and the crew members used the snorkeling expeditions to teach passengers about the colorful examples of Hawaii's aquatic life.

The sail from Maui to Molokai is a test of any sailor's fortitude. Fifteen-foot swells brought the boat crashing down on the water, resulting in bouts with seasickness for four of our six passengers. Victor Lozano, another Sea Trek captain who served as a crew member on our boat, said Hawaii's trade winds and sea conditions make the waters a true test for many sailors.

"They say if you can sail in Hawaii, you can sail anywhere," he said.

The breathtaking beauty of the north shore of Molokai — accessible only by water or air — made passengers forget the difficulty of the trip there. Mile-high cliffs are covered with lush green vegetation. Waterfalls several hundred feet high mark valleys on the edges of the island. An open-air house where a family of native Hawaiians live is the only sign of civilization.

"This is the real Hawaii — the way the ancient Hawaiians and Capt. Cook saw it," Lozano said.

PASSENGERS explored caves at the water's edge which had been formed when hot lava cooled as it hit the ocean. Even in that harsh environment, birds flourished and small crabs scurried along the rocks.

Toward the end of the four days, playing in the ocean began to get tiresome. The choices remained limited: either swimming, snorkeling or lying on a beach. Several passengers said they wished they had been able to explore some of the backwoods that we could only see from a distance on the boat.

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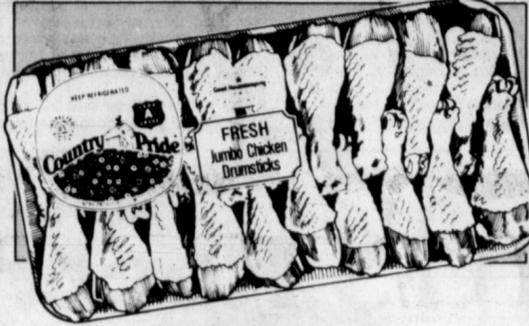
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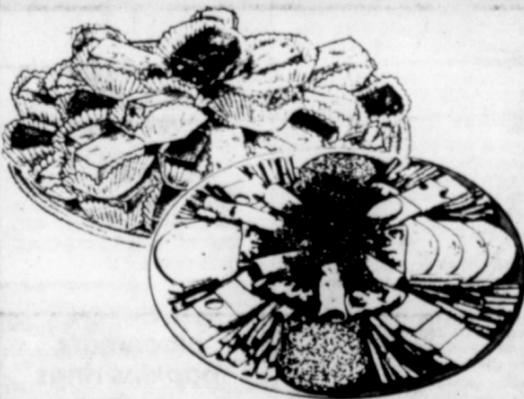
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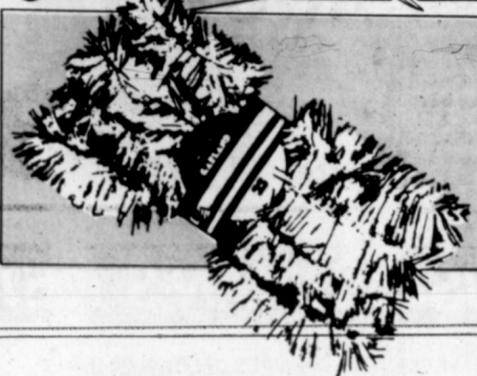
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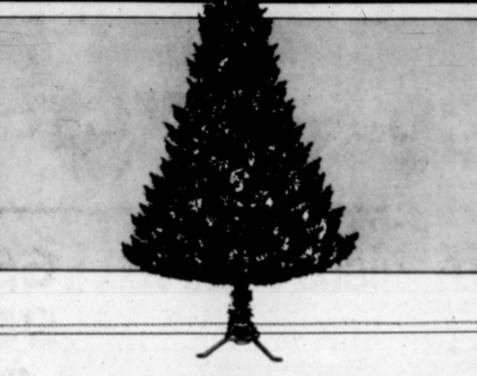
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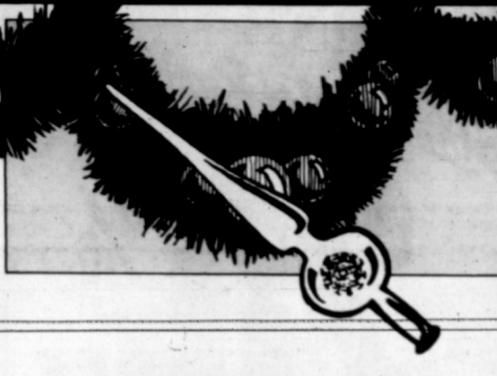
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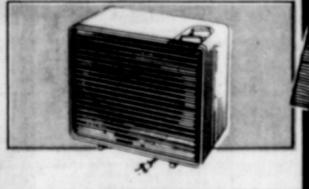
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The 90-day forecast issued earlier this week calls for a return to a pattern not seen in a decade — but which was common a half-century ago — with sharply contrasting temperatures between the East and West.

"This pattern hasn't been common recently," said Donald L. Gilman, chief of the weather service's Predictions Branch. Similar winters occurred occasionally in the late 1940s and early 1950s, he said, the last one coming in 1974-75.

"There's never a perfect repeat, but the family resemblance is pretty good" to the usual pattern of the 1930s, said Gilman. He did not seek to explain why such a pattern, once common, would resume after being absent for a time. The forecast covers December, January and February.

Gilman said he expects a high pressure area over the Gulf of Alaska and a low over Siberia to

combine to channel cold winds into Canada, where they will turn south carrying severe weather into the Rocky Mountains, the Sierra Nevada and the lands between.

The greatest chance of cold exists for Utah and portions of nearby states, including Idaho, Wyoming, Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona and Nevada. Nearby states could also be affected.

On the other hand, high pressure off the East Coast is likely to channel warm, wet air northward from the Gulf of Mexico, providing a relatively mild winter east of the Mississippi River, he said.

The East Coast from New Jersey to Florida has the highest probability of warmer than normal winter weather.

As for the West Coast and Midwest, Gilman said he was unable to make a firm temperature prediction.

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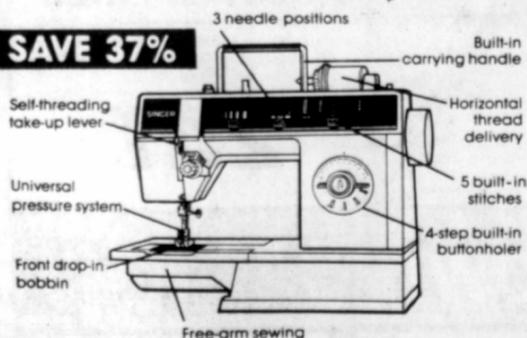
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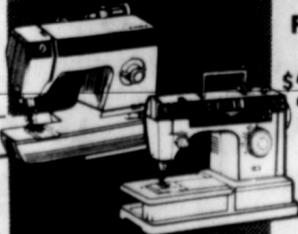
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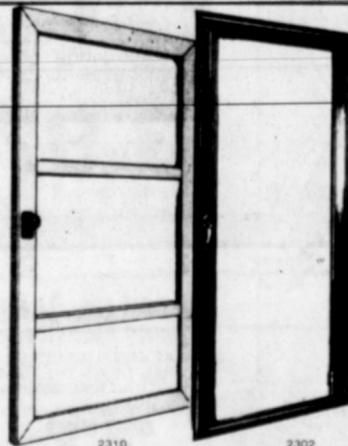
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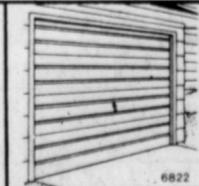
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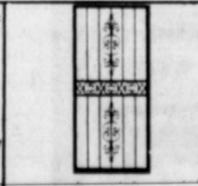


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It may still look the same on the outside, but inside it proved to be a brand new hotel, as the Hilton, Midland's only downtown hotel, celebrated the recent completion of a major, million-dollar renovation this week.

All public areas of the hotel including the ballroom, lounge, dining room, coffee shop, and lobby, were gutted and underwent major renovation with the addition of new walls, floors and plumbing and a contemporary motif, designed by William Heatherington of Victor Huff and Associates of Denver.

The remodeling, which began in July, was completed in late October. About 700 guests showed up at a gala cocktail party Thursday for the formal unveiling of the new hotel.

The cocktail party which cost an estimated \$60,000 included a 91 foot food table with 28 ice carvings, and displays of lobster, suckling pig and salmon. Two bands were also present for the first-class affair and chefs were flown in from Newark, N.Y. to assist in the preparation of the cocktail party, which was staged as a "thank you" to Midland.

Reg Laxdal, general manager of the Hilton, said he expected the cocktail party to be recorded as one of the all-time best in Midland.

He said it was time to give the

hotel a new look after nine years of hard use. "What we did was bring the hotel back up to the standards of a first-class hotel."

He expected the renovation to be beneficial to both the hotel and downtown Midland. "We're an added commodity," he noted, saying the improvements should attract more customers to downtown Midland.

The hotel cannot survive on renting rooms alone, but needs a local base, especially in the food and beverage area, he said.

The hotel's had a great response to its new coffee shop, restaurant and night club, he said. "The food is very good here. And I'm very self-critical," he noted. "A number of people have been coming to the new restaurants, and as the word spreads, that'll improve. We've been busy. And the guests are happier."

Despite the re-modeling's high price tag, he said the Hilton has managed to keep their prices reasonable and competitive.

Laxdal also noted that the Hilton has been more aggressive in its advertising. "We have a lot more to sell," he said.

"Midland's economic bust hurt the hotel as much as any other business," Laxdal commented. "But we're coming out of it. We're seeing a lot more week-end activity that's not business related. We're looking for a steady increase."



Bass family empire got its start with \$40 loan for train ticket

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — A mere \$40 loan for a train ticket to West Texas in the 1930s started what has become a \$4 billion family fortune, according to the patriarch of one of the world's richest families.

Perry Richardson Bass, 70, said he remembered that his father, Dr. E.P. Bass, a Wichita Falls oilman, was in New Orleans with his wife, in the late winter of 1933, entertaining officials of the Pure Oil Co.

"My daddy gave four \$10 bills to my mother to spend at the horse races," Bass said. "But instead, my mother squirreled them away."

When Bass returned from school in Pennsylvania for spring break, his bachelor uncle, Sid Williams Richardson, was visiting. By the end of World War I, Bass' father and uncle had each made fortunes wild-cattling oil. By the depths of the Depression, however, Bass' father was worth more than \$250,000, while Richardson needed money for a train ticket.

"He and my mother and I were talking, and Uncle Sid asked to borrow some money from her," Perry said. "She asked him what it was for and he said, 'I'm going to buy a railroad ticket to go out to West Texas to start over. Everybody's looking for oil in East Texas, but I'm going to go to West Texas.'"

Annie Bass gave her brother the four \$10 bills for the trip to West Texas.

During the next decade, Richardson would develop the Keystone Oil Field. That find is generally credited with opening up that part of the state to oil exploration, and it formed the basis of the Bass fortune, now estimated at up to \$4 billion.

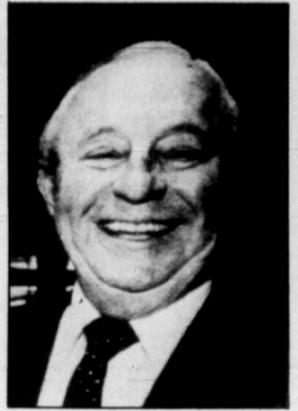
Bass joined his uncle after graduating from Yale with a bachelor of arts degree in geology and geophysics in 1937. He said he remembers the first few years as debt and hard work.

"He worked you very hard," Bass said of his uncle. "My mother used to get mad at him because he was so mean to her little boy."

As a boy in landlocked Wichita Falls, Perry Bass somehow acquired an interest in sailing, an enthusiasm not shared by his father.

"My daddy was definitely afraid of water," he said. "He hunted and fished, but he didn't like the water. They used to say that he could step on a rowboat in a millpond and immediately get seasick."

"Finally, my daddy said that I could have one if, 'You build it with your own hands and used your own money.' He thought he had me on both counts," Bass said.



Perry Richardson Bass

Bass built a 15-foot snipe, and with it, won the world championship in that class at a 1935 regatta on Dallas' White Rock Lake. He sailed until several years ago, serving as navigator on broadcasting magnate Ted Turner's 12-meter racing yacht, the American Eagle, which won the World Open Championship in 1972.

According to James Toal, Fort Worth city planning director, the Basses now own all or part of at least 21 blocks of downtown. Toal says that the most conservative estimates are that the family has spent \$250 million since the mid-1970s renovating the center city.

"It's our hometown," Bass said. "There are a lot of nice people here."

For years, the Bass family built its fortune in anonymity, something that has changed in recent years due to media interest in the family, Bass said.

"The media lays you open to all the robbers, the pickpockets, the kidnapers ... We get requests in here all the time for things like ... perpetual motion machines. It's a time-consuming thing," he said.

Bass says his four sons — Sid, 42, Ed, 39; Bob, 36; and Lee 28 — are his proudest accomplishments.

"We expected a lot of them," he said. "It has to be that way — just one misstep, and we're gone for generations."

"We see so many families that seem to have everything going right and the kids just don't turn out well ... It was just luck. We were just plain lucky."

After a million-dollar renovation the Hilton, Midland, displays a new look, designed by William Heatherington of Victor Huff and Associates of Denver. The lounge, above, now features contemporary furnishings, while the downtown hotel's restaurant, Charlie's, right, sports a modern decor.

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Hrubetz Oil plans to close Midland office

By JOHN PAUL PITTS
Business-Oil Editor

Hrubetz Oil Co. has announced that it will close its Midland office, while continuing to operate in the Permian Basin from the firm's Abilene office, according to Albert Hrubetz, president.

"We're not abandoning the Permian Basin," said Hrubetz, "we're just consolidating to become more efficient." He said that few of the firm's prospects and activity was in the western part of the Permian Basin which could be handled by the Abilene regional office.

He also indicated that Hru-

betz's success ratio had been greater in that part of the Basin and on the eastern shelf.

"We will continue to operate and explore in the Permian Basin," said Hrubetz. "We will just do it from our Abilene office."

Three geologists, a landman and a geophysicist along with support personnel are currently employed in Hrubetz's Midland office. Also scheduled to be closed is the firm's Oklahoma City office, whose responsibilities will be shifted to the main office in Dallas.

At the same time Hrubetz announced the formation of Hru-

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38 Texas companies make fastest-growing list

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas has the second-highest number of companies on Inc. Magazine's list of the nation's 500 fastest-growing private firms, and an economic development official says the state has what it takes to keep that number growing.

"Businesses are doing well in Texas for all the classical economic reasons," says Harden Wiedeman, who heads the governor's office of economic development.

"We have an outstanding business climate. Our tax burden is very low. We have extremely high productivity per worker. We've got a very favorable climate," he said.

In its December issue, Inc. put 38 Texas companies on its list of the top 500 growth firms. Texas ranked only behind California, which had 86 companies. Virginia placed third with 32, New York fourth with 31 and Florida and Ohio fifth with 26 each.

Wiedeman attributed California's

lead to the fact that it has the largest population of the 50 states. But noting that Texas is growing fast, he said he expects the number of Texas firms on the list to increase in coming years.

"We have a few advantages they (California) don't. I think you'll see us even with California," he said.

The Inc. list is composed of privately held companies that are at least five years old and had 1979 sales of at least \$100,000 but less than \$25 million.

Gemcraft Homes of Houston, a homebuilding concern, ranked 19th and was the highest-placed Texas firm. The magazine said Gemcraft recorded a 5,080 percent increase in sales from 1979 to 1983, a compound annual growth rate of 168 percent.

Dalsat, a Plano company which does systems engineering, consulting and manufacturing for satellite communications, was 24th. Its sales increase was 4,320 percent with a

compound annual growth rate of 158 percent.

"Look at the Fortune 1,000 (list of largest companies) in the last decade. There has actually been a net loss of jobs. Real growth has come out of the small firms. These Inc. 500 companies are the superstars of the job-creators."

According to Inc., the top Texas companies, their hometowns and rankings were:

Baker Communications, Houston, 157; Commonwealth Savings Association, Houston, 52; Creel Morrell, Houston, 327; Dalsat, Plano, 24; Eastway Delivery Service, Houston, 367; Ella Contracting, Houston, 26; G&H Transportation, Houston, 106; Garey Construction, Austin, 404; Gemcraft Homes, Houston, 19; Genesee Stampings, Arlington, 386; Hall Real Estate Group, Dallas, 128; Harvin C. Moore, Houston, 246; Healthcare International, Austin, 444; Houston Art

Glass Enterprises, Houston, 319; Incepts, Dallas, 491; International Metric Supply, Dallas, 468; National Title, Houston, 447; PCI, Austin, 381; Paulsel Lumber, Fort Worth, 186; Petroleum Well Services, Sour Lake, 413; Salazar Construction, Corpus Christi, 382; San Antonio Developers, San Antonio, 392; Setpoint, Houston, 366; Sunbelt Distributors, Houston, 203; Telecheck Southwest, Houston, 441; Telecommunications Specialists, Houston, 295; Tesso, Georgetown, 71;

Texas Drug Reps, San Antonio, 301; Thacker Jewelry, Roaring Springs, 67; Vanguard Groups International, Houston, 137; Videoland, Carrollton, 105; Visible Changes, Houston, 423; W-B Supply, Pampa, 354; Walker Exploration, Houston, 39; Webb, Murray & Associates, LaPorte, 415; Weekley Homes, Houston, 308; Yantis, San Antonio, 340; and ZZYZZX Technologies, Houston, 266.



JOHN PAUL PITTS

Successful entrepreneurship observed, admired

I have always had a fascination for entrepreneurs who have "made it."

Athletes and movie stars don't impress me. I enjoy them. They are excellent entertainers, with justly deserved fame, and probably do what they do very well. But really, who can get too impressed by a pretty man or woman, able to look sad or mad on cue, or, for that matter, a grown man who has spent his entire life learning to hit a ball with a stick or knock people down? I am impressed by entrepreneurs, self-made empire builders, who can start from scratch and build a business kingdom, and in the process of building make life better for a lot of Americans. I suspect, that's why I enjoy writing about business and the oil business in particular. It affords me the opportunity to hang out with and study people that I admire and respect.

This is not to say, however, that I am a frustrated tycoon. There is a very distinct line that divides them from us, and I know full well that I am not one of them.

While I may desire (yes, even covet!) the financial reward of these wizards of enterprise, I have neither the desire nor personality or wherewithal to become an empire-builder.

THEY ARE the ones that have been blessed with, that I call, the "multiplier syndrome" sometimes called the "more complex." Unsatisfied with plateaus in life or business, they continually demand more—

more revenues, more earnings, more profits, more production, more reserves, more plants, more ideas, more projects, more dreams, and in reaching out for more they make things happen in society.

These "more-oriented" personalities are the entrepreneurial dynamos that drive the American economy. A free enterprise nation could not survive without them. Growing enterprises equal a growing economy, equal a higher standard of living.

To call them dynamos, however, is not to suggest that they are super-hyper, highly-charged individuals. They come in all energy levels from the dynamic and enthusiastic to the laid-back, easy-going, but there are other common essential traits.

What are some of the traits of the capitalistic dynamos, that makes them different from us? I was engaged in a discussion of this very subject recently with another student of capitalism, Joe Liberty, manager of the Midland office of Rauscher, Pierce Refnes, investment brokers. His position offers the ideal vantage point from which to observe successful entrepreneurs and I was pleased to learn that his list of traits were almost identical to mine.

AT THE TOP of the list, we both placed perseverance. Most people have a place where it seems normal and reasonable to quit a project, to cut your losses and move on. But when it comes to quitting there is nothing reasonable about the dynamos. Their tolerance for staying with a project in the face of extreme adversity goes far beyond that of most, sometimes

almost to the point of being masochistic. A reasonable man would probably quit after going broke twice in the same business. In Midland, there are oilmen who have gone broke four or more times. How many consecutive dry holes would the normal person drill before claiming failure and moving on to a less hostile business? I know a successful independent in town who drilled 65 consecutive dry holes.

The entrepreneurial dynamo is also a competitive, goal-oriented person. As in the annual report, where each quarter has to exceed the last, so it is in life. He must have the ever-present carrot dangling before his eyes to keep him chomping at the bit and pulling in the traces. When one goal is reached it's on to another, no coasting.

THIRD IS a need for risk. Dynamos, particularly oil dynamos, love it out there on the edge, where one can lose it all very quickly or make it big overnight. Big risk, big reward is a natural part of their agenda. The agenda can be seen in every aspect of life. At the Midland Petroleum Club, a group gathers each day to eat and perform a little all-or-nothing gambling ritual, the loser picks up the tab for the entire group.

Still another trait is attention to detail. After years of interviewing corporate heads and other successful entrepreneurs, I am continually amazed at the amount of information about their business these individuals can pack into their head. They may not know the words to the national anthem or the ages of their grand kids, but they do know their business.

"It seems the successful oil operators can tell you every detail, about every well they are drilling," confirmed Joe Liberty.

While we make much ado about the "more-oriented" personalities and their achievements, we must be careful not to suggest that they are the only ones who have it made. Financial success may be the measure of many things, including personality types, but it is certainly no good measure of happiness.

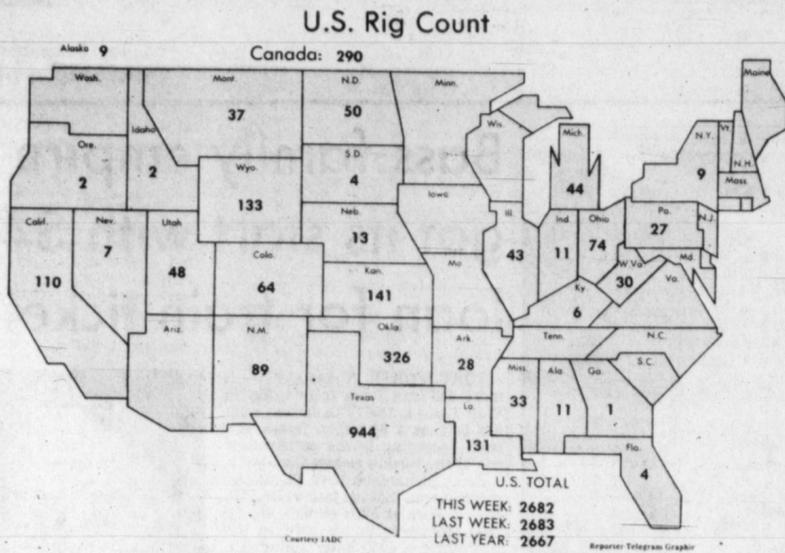
WHEN HE was a multi-millionaire, someone asked John D. Rockefeller how much money it would take to make him happy. "A little bit more," he replied.

By contrast, I remember one wintery night on a remote mountain in Colorado, having a dinner of pea soup, homemade bread and dried apricots with friends in their one room cabin. As the fire popped and the large wood stove glowed I waxed philosophical. "If you could have anything in the world you desired right now, what would you want?" I asked.

The elderly husband who had been born on the mountain and was 10 years old before he went to town, thought for a moment and shook his head. He didn't have any desires. The wife thought harder, looked at the empty bowl on the table, and in total sincerity replied, "Some more apricots."

Who has it made?

John Paul Pitts is Business-Oil Editor for the Midland Reporter-Telegram.



Tank plant for Odessa

"Tri-Texas Industries, Inc. has opened a new plant in Odessa." Tri-Texas Industries has been serving the oil industry for the past six years out of their San Angelo plant. Tri-Texas owners James Varner and Jim Lee have expanded their line of tanks to include larger capacity tanks. The Odessa plant will manufacture filament-wound fiberglass tanks in sizes ranging from 10-1000 barrel capacity.

SIPES meeting set Wednesday

Members of the Midland Chapter of the Society of Independent Professional Earth Scientists (SIPES) will hold their monthly luncheon meeting on Wednesday, December 5, 1984, at 11:30 A.M. at the Midland Country Club. Guest speaker will be Mr. E. Dale Scarth, who is Vice-President of Texas Electric Service Company in Ft. Worth and formerly manager of TESCO's Midland-Odessa area. Mr. Scarth will present an "Update on TESCO's Comanche Peak Nuclear Power Plant".

API meeting scheduled

The Permian Basin Chapter of the American Petroleum Institute (API) will have its December meeting Tuesday, 5:30 p.m., at Ranchland Hills Country Club.

Charley George, Senior Staff Engineer with Halliburton Services, Duncan, Oklahoma will be the featured speaker. His topic will be "Cementing Technology" and will offer a roundup of what's new in the cementing industry.

A contest to see which member can bring the most guests will be a part of this meeting and the winners will be recognized at the meeting.

Cost of the meeting is \$15, and reservations may be made by calling Betsy at 682-4221 or Trisha at 682-4305.

Dallas men handed court desist order

HELENA, Mont. (AP) — A Texas firm and two Dallas men were ordered Tuesday by the Montana state auditor's Securities Department to "cease and desist" from offering allegedly unregistered investments in this state.

The order names Stetson Oil Corp., President Dwight L. Bookout and Steve Boyce, all of Dallas.

The state regulators allege that someone identifying himself as Boyce telephoned a Great Falls resident in October and offered to sell working interests in Stetson Oil's program to develop certain oil and gas wells.

The order alleges that Stetson and its representatives failed to disclose the financial condition of the corporation, its performance record in the oil and gas drilling industry and any conflicts of interest between investors and Stetson.

It also says that Boyce made a false statement when he told the potential investor that there were no risks in the program, despite the fact that the Stetson offering circular discloses several risk factors.

The order accuses the company and individuals of violating Montana securities laws and gives them 15 days to request a hearing.

HRUBETZ

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betz Operating Co., a wholly-owned subsidiary, formed to acquire and operate producing properties in the U.S., effective January 1, 1985. Hrubetz Operating Co. will be managed by Don L. Ray, who is senior vice president-production for the parent company.

According to Albert Hrubetz, president and chief executive officer, "The formation of this subsidiary company was the logical move given our successful acquisition of several producing properties in West Texas this year. Three fields in particular, all of which we plan to operate as waterfloods, will form the basis for Hrubetz Operating Co. Two additional fields will be added to this subsidiary within the next

60-90 days."

Hrubetz said, "We plan to stress exploration in areas where we have been successful and decrease or eliminate exploration in certain areas where we have not achieved reasonable exploration success. We will become a leaner exploration company, but will still maintain a sizeable exploration budget, one of the largest domestic independent oil companies."

The independent oil company expects to make 70 farm outs this year, which is a large number for independents.

Hrubetz Oil Co. is an independent exploration and production oil and gas company with headquarters in Dallas, and regional exploration offices in Abilene; Walnut Creek, Calif.; Denver, Colo.; and Lafayette, La.

Workers get lifetime job offer in contract

WARREN, Ohio (AP) — Union officials say a tentative agreement with the Packard Electric Division of General Motors is unique in that it guarantees jobs for 8,900 workers until they retire.

"There's no other agreement like this with General Motors," said Harold E. Nichols, shop chairman and chief negotiator for International Union of Electrical Workers Local 717.

"I would say this is second to none in the labor movement," he said. "No protected employee can be permanently laid off. Income cannot run out. It protects our job, income and retirement."

Tentative agreement on the contract was reached Nov. 20. Union members will vote on it the week of Dec. 10.

"We feel this is a very significant and historic agreement," the company said last week about the tentative pact.

Nichols said the "Lifetime Job and Income Security Agreement" applies to all employees who worked

at least 90 days prior to Jan. 1, 1982.

"It guarantees job security and income for the rest of your life," Nichols said. "It will remain in full force and effect forever."

GM reached a national contract with the IUE that was ratified Nov. 11.

Nichols said the job guarantee extends to the 8,900 members of Local 717. It includes a clause that at least 204 workers will be added under a new low-wage hiring plan to start early next year.

The low-wage hiring plan was successfully resisted by the United Auto Workers in recent negotiations with the auto industry.

"We think not only will it save some jobs, but we will add to our work force. This type of agreement sets up a way to deal with Packard's competitors," Nichols said. "It's jobs for the youth, jobs for the community."

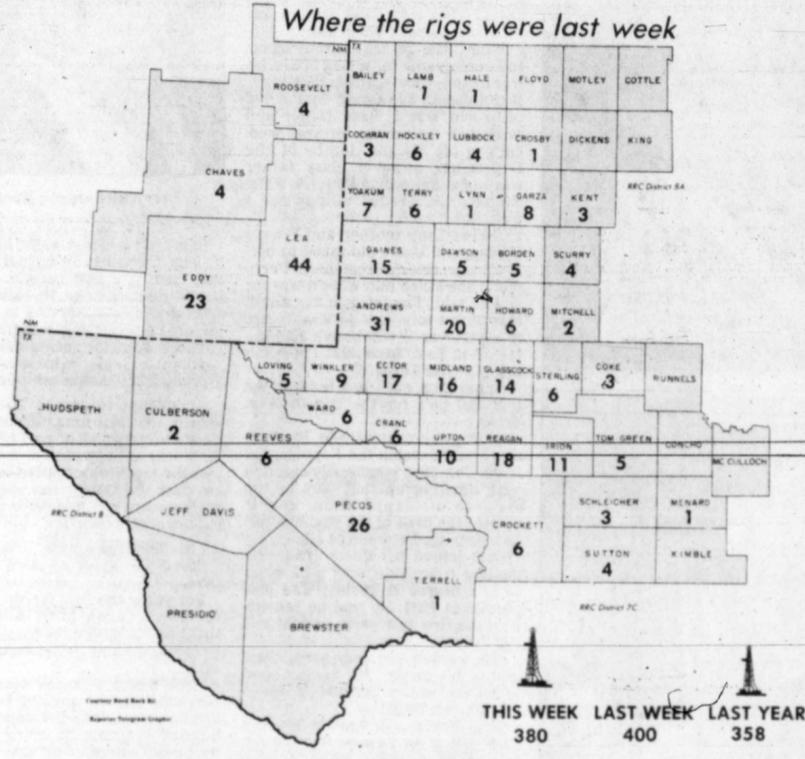
Packard Electric makes automobile wiring systems for General Motors cars and trucks.

Adobe acquires production

Adobe Oil & Gas Corporation has announced two recent acquisitions of oil and gas interests in producing properties in Texas and Oklahoma. In Tom Green County, Texas, 100 percent working interest was acquired in a four well lease in the S.S.R. (Canyon, Upper) field. The other acquisition was various working interests and overriding royalty

interests in 83 producing oil and gas wells located in Western Oklahoma and the Northern Panhandle of Texas.

Total purchase price for the two acquisitions was \$8.55 million. Current daily net production associated with the acquired interests is 50 barrels oil and 1.725,000 cubic feet of gas with total net proved reserves of 135,000 barrels oil and 6.4 billion cubic feet of gas. Immediate additional development drilling is expected.



National count steady; Basin drops

The United States rig count remained unchanged this week as the Permian Basin count dropped 20 working rigs.

The Permian Basin count was 380 for the week, compared to 400 last week and 358 a year ago.

Lea County, N.M. remained stable and the county with the largest number of rigs in the area. It reported 44 this week, only one down from last week's total.

Andrews County was the Texas county with the most rigs, despite its drop of five for the week, making its total 31. Behind it was Pecos County with 26.

Reeves County saw an increase of three rigs, boosting its total from 3 to 6 for the week. Martin

County's total went up by four to 20.

The national count was 2682 this week, compared to 2683 last week. A year ago the count was 2667.

Texas showed a major increase in rigs, despite the drop in the Permian Basin. The state showed 944 rigs this week, compared to 891 for last week.

On the other side of the coin, Pennsylvania dropped its rig count nearly by half. This week the state had 27 rigs, compared to last week's 50.

New Mexico reported 89 and Oklahoma showed 326. Wyoming had 133 and California had 110.

Canada showed 290 rigs this week, down only seven from last week.

Winter heating costs unchanged

WASHINGTON, D.C.—Residential natural gas heating costs this winter will remain virtually unchanged from last winter, according to a study by the American Gas Association released today.

"This stability in prices is good news for the natural gas consumer and comes at a time when supplies heading into the heating season are plentiful," A.G.A. President George H. Lawrence said.

"Residential gas prices are expected to be only 1.1 percent higher than last winter, and when inflation of 3.9 percent is taken into account the winter gas price is expected to drop 2.8 percent in constant

dollars," Lawrence said.

The study titled "Estimated Change in Natural Gas Prices During the 1984-85 Heating Season" analyzes data filed with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission by 26 interstate natural gas pipelines. The study also incorporates the recent declines in Canadian gas prices and estimates changes in gas distribution margins.

Last winter's average price for a million Btus of gas heat was \$5.66. This winter's projected average price is \$5.72, or 1.1 percent higher.

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Court orders Laetrile supporter to pay \$500,000 in penalties

WASHINGTON (AP) — A California engineer who battled the federal government over importation of Laetrile for cancer patients has been ordered to pay more than \$500,000 in taxes and penalties on income earned from the disputed chemical.

The U.S. Tax Court rejected arguments by Robert W. Bradford of Redwood City, Calif., that his failure to file tax returns on the Laetrile income was an effort to frustrate the Food and Drug Administration, not the Internal Revenue Service.

He was not a tax evader, Bradford said in his suit, but "the intellectual author of, and chief advocate for, not only the vindication and use of Laetrile in cancer therapy, but the concept of medical freedom of choice."

The court, in a decision last week, did not question Bradford's motives but found that his failure to file tax returns for 1974 through 1977 amounted to fraud.

Until 1977, the FDA banned imports of Laetrile because the substance, which is made from apricot pits, has not been approved as a cancer treatment. But under a federal ruling, Laetrile may be imported for use of a dying cancer patient if a physician submits an affidavit.

Bradford led a major public relations campaign against the ban. He eventually was convicted of smuggling the chemical from Mexico, court records

show. In two years, the IRS contended, he and a partner grossed more than \$5.5 million from Laetrile.

Before getting involved with Laetrile, Bradford was an engineer who helped developed the linear accelerator used for radiation treatment of cancer.

Here's an example of why some taxpayers see red when the IRS is mentioned:

Lawyers for a deceased woman's estate mailed federal and state tax returns in time to meet the filing deadline. A copy of the state return was included with the federal return in a package for the IRS; a copy of the federal return was attached to the state return in a mailing for state revenue officials.

But somebody stuck the mailing labels onto the wrong envelopes: the IRS package ended up with the state; the state filing went to the IRS. The IRS quickly noticed the error and forwarded the package to the state. The state did nothing.

When the IRS inquired, lawyers produced a certified mail receipt showing the return had been mailed. Since the IRS had received a package containing the state and federal returns, the lawyers argued in an effort to avoid late-filing penalties, the federal return had been filed. Not so, the IRS responded.

Petroleum engineers salaries to improve

RICHARDSON—Dramatic drops in the number of U.S. petroleum engineering graduates will stabilize starting salaries and employment trends during the next few years, according to the Society of Petroleum Engineers (SPE). A summary of survey conclusions will be published in SPE's Journal of Petroleum Technology in January.

Many factors affect the employment trend, said Don Brown of the SPE Engineering Manpower Committee. Brown, a management consultant in Dallas, conducted the survey of SPE members with Ted Bourgoyne of Louisiana State University and John C. Calhoun Jr. of Texas A&M University.

The number of graduating engineers varies through cycles of high and low demand, and most organiza-

tions adjust to those cycles," Brown said. "When students believe the petroleum industry offers new and expanding engineering job opportunities, along with starting salaries equal to or higher than most other industries, the number of petroleum engineering candidates normally increases. When demand for these graduates increases faster than the supply, starting salaries escalate."

The number of graduates grew dramatically in recent years, but peaked in 1983-84 and 1984-85, with some 1,800 to 1,650 graduates each year compared with 300 in 1973-74.

Petroleum engineering enrollments peaked at 10,200 in 1982, declined to 8,400 in 1983, and to fewer than 7,000 in 1984. "This portends a series of dramatic drops in graduates available starting in 1985-

86 to some 800 in 1987-88," Brown said.

Petroleum industry engineering graduates and other types of engineering graduates has continued to weaken, with only 35 percent of the 1983-84 petroleum engineering graduates holding jobs at graduation," Brown said. "Demand is forecast to improve gradually in each of the next few years so supply and demand should roughly balance in 1987-88. Declining but significant surpluses of petroleum engineering graduates are forecast in each of the next three years."

Median starting salaries declined from \$2,643 to \$2,625 per month for 1983-84 bachelor-degree petroleum engineering graduates who did find employment.

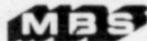
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AT&T ads 'reach out' to someone

New York Times, News Service

NEW YORK — AT&T, the company long known for its warm and friendly ads, has decided to "reach out and touch someone" — its competitors — with some stinging ads.

As a regulated monopoly, the American Telephone and Telegraph Co. sought to increase its business through ads that persuaded people to use the telephone more. Appropriately for a company known as "Ma Bell," it tried to communicate the company's ties to family, friends and home. Now, with the company broken up and competition fierce in telecommunications, the new AT&T is producing some hard-hitting ads that for the first time punch at rivals.

At present, for example, AT&T's nationwide television ads make some not-so-subtle digs at its long-distance rivals, the MCI Communications Corp. and GTE Sprint. The ads, starring Cliff Robertson, note that

AT&T, unlike the rivals, is the only long-distance company offering operator service and its own connections to small-town America.

In another television ad swiping at Sprint and MCI, AT&T trots out several toothy, high-pressure salesmen, presumably employed by the competitors, who contend that their long-distance service is cheaper than AT&T's — without, however, saying it is better.

And two weeks ago, AT&T began a print advertising campaign attacking its main rival in computers, the International Business Machines Corp. In full-page spreads in 30 big-city newspapers, AT&T said that IBM's pride and joy, the Personal Computer, "seemed fast way back when" and was "half as good" as AT&T's personal computer in graphic applications.

Such a bare-knuckle approach to advertising is unusual for AT&T. Indeed, top company officials have argued whether the company needs to resort to the hard sell. Gradually, however, the tougher side has pre-

valued. Understated ads broadcast a year ago have given way to feistier copy. And indications, from AT&T's ad agencies and from the company itself, are that as rivalries intensify in long-distance service and in communications equipment, AT&T's ads could get even tougher.

"I don't know if I would call the ads macho, but they are assertive and aggressive, confident for sure," said Richard R. Draper, director of advertising for AT&T Information Systems, the company's equipment arm. Indeed, part of the company's ad strategy is to appear as an unflappable market leader.

An AT&T computer ad now on network television, for example, shows two men squared off at the game of business. The idea, according to company officials, is that, to win in this grueling game, one must have an AT&T personal computer.

It is an expensive task. Leading National Advertisers, a New York firm that tracks ad billings, estimates that AT&T will spend more than \$300 million on ads this year.

Oil stocks weak despite spot rebound

NEW YORK — According to Mark P. Gilman of E.F. Hutton, oil stocks are still weak despite a modest rebound in spot crude markets.

Gilman says that OPEC's failure to address the differential issue will most likely create a period of lingering uncertainty in oil markets, which should be unhealthy for oil stock performance.

According to Gilman, E.F. Hutton continues to believe that, ultimately, oil market balance will be

re-established at a market price approximately \$2 per barrel below the present \$29 per barrel GSP for Arabian Light. As oil markets drift to a new equilibrium level, that process is expected to have a negative impact on the performance of oil stocks.

Despite Statoil and BOC price cuts, the stocks have behaved as if fundamentals were unimpaired by confusion in the oil markets, Gilman notes.

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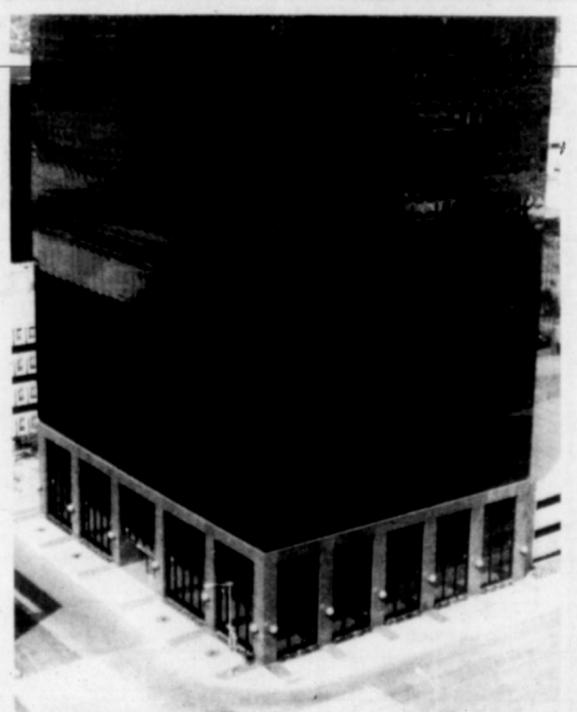


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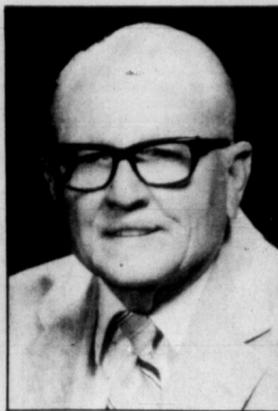
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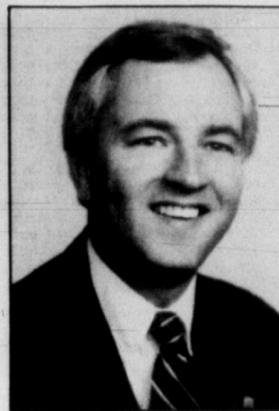
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Teledyne Explorations Co. has announced two promotions within the company.

G.W. CONRAD of Midland has been promoted to regional manager within the company's western division.

Conrad is a 1951 graduate of Syracuse University. He has been employed by the company for the past 32 years in all phases of geophysical exploration.

W.P. EDMISTON of Midland has been promoted to district manager within the company's western division.

Edmiston has been employed by Teledyne Exploration Co. 30 years in all phases of geophysical exploration, both foreign and domestic.

FRIEND DOTSON was presented

recently a 35-year service award and a 35-year safe worker award for his work at Atlantic Richfield Co. of Midland.

Dotson, currently production foreman over the Buckshot Unit and Mastern Leases in Cochran County, was hired by Sinclair Oil and Gas Co. in 1949 in Royalty as a roustabout. He advanced to truck driver and gang pusher in Royalty and transferred to Eldorado as a gang pusher. In 1960 he was promoted to assistant foreman in Odessa. He was later transferred to several towns in Wyoming, where he worked as a district foreman and production supervisor. In 1981 he transferred to Denver City.

TOM and BRENDA GUYTON, owners of Vanguard Computer Sys-

tems, Inc. of Odessa, recently attended the sixth annual COMDEX, the largest microcomputer show in the world.

Over 1,400 companies exhibited their latest technology as well as featuring leading experts in business, financial and marketing subjects.

Four Midland business and industrial leaders were elected Friday to terms on the board of directors of the Texas Research League at the 32nd annual meeting of the privately financed governmental research organization.

Re-elected to three-year terms are RONALD A. BRITTON, president of Britton Industries Drilling, and TONY A. MARTIN, chairman and chief executive officer of First City National Bank. Martin also serves as

treasurer of the league.

Newly elected to three-year terms are NEAL ALLEN, attorney for Stubbeman, McRae, Sealy, Laughlin & Browder; and W.D. EDMAN, plant manager for Chevron USA, INC.

The Board of Directors of RepublicBank First National Midland has announced the recent addition of two officers.

THOMAS J. HILTON is vice president and manager of the retail banking division. He was formerly employed by First Bankers Trust & Savings Association in Midland. He holds a B.S. degree in business administration and a M.B.A. degree from Central Michigan University. Hilton is currently a member of the board of directors of the Downtown

Midland Kiwanis Club and a graduate of Leadership Midland '84.

JEFFREY P. TALLEY is a trust officer in the trust investments division. He was formerly employed by Shearson Lehman/American Express. He holds a B.B.A. degree in finance from the University of Houston.

LAWRENCE S. FITZSIMMONS has been appointed an agent in the personal lines division of Employers Insurance of Texas.

Fitzsimmons will operate the Lawrence S. Fitzsimmons Insurance Agency at 2900 Wydeewood, Midland. He will be involved in the sale of auto, life, fire and homeowners coverages.

Born in Charlotte, N.C., he is a

graduate of Ohio State University.

Employers Insurance of Texas is comprised of Employers Casualty Co., Employers National Life Insurance Co., Employers National Insurance Co. and Texas Employers' Insurance Association.

CHRISTINE HAMLIN EDGAR, a long-time employee of Cities Service Oil & Gas Corp., has elected to take early retirement effective Dec. 1, 1984.

She began working for the company in 1956 and at the time of her retirement was managerial secretary to Charles Coffman, general manager, southwest region, exploration and production.

A reception was recently held in her honor at the company.

Getty Museum out to make 'different sorts of differences'

By WILLIAM WILSON
Los Angeles Times

SANTA MONICA, Calif. — The J. Paul Getty Museum routinely makes mind-boggling headlines. They win one with the purchase of \$20 million worth of master photographs and lose one when England raises the money to buy back a \$2.4 million painting by Duccio.

But when the headlines start announcing that "The Getty" is going to make gifts and grants of up to \$15 million a year and that they have hired architect Richard Meier to design a second \$100 million-plus Getty complex on their hillside site above the Los Angeles suburb of Brentwood, it becomes clear that there is more here than a trove of art treasures.

The real bulk of the art institution's immense annual disposable income of some \$95 million is the spawn of a \$2.1 billion capital nut controlled by the J. Paul Getty Trust, administered by a 14-member board and its president and chief executive officer, Harold M. Wil-

liams. These folks set the course for the institution; the destination, according to Williams, is to "make a difference."

To a lot of international art people that dictum has taken on a vaguely sinister ring. Gettyphobia has come to be termed "The Getty Factor" and is particularly virulent on the international art market. Suspicion that the Getty is going to pay outrageous sums, blowing an already inflated market into the stratosphere persists despite the fact that the Getty appears to behave with rectitude and decorum in its purchases.

In the midst of this surface hysteria, the Getty is actually out to make different sorts of differences.

These goals lack the glitz that attracts tabloid media attention, but they have profound implications for the place of art in cultural and intellectual life in Los Angeles and internationally.

They are embodied in the Getty's Center for the Study of Art History and the Humanities, its Center for Education in the Arts and other education programs as well as its Art

History Information Program and Conservation Institute, all of which are in formative stages but far enough along to yield outline in bulk.

Getty spokesmen won't talk about how funds are distributed among the programs, but it is clear that none is a mere side line. The humanities and conservation programs will physically occupy significant chunks of space in Meier's new complex (targeted for completion around 1991).

When realized, the Center for the Study of Art History and the Humanities will be in some ways comparable to the Huntington Library — both a repository for books, archives and photographs and a place where precious printed material will be displayed as art, as well as a scholarly think-tank, its central function.

Since its conception, the center has bought important archives and libraries en bloc. It already has some 800,000 photographs and 200,000 volumes (of a projected half a million) and possesses such rarities as all the printed material that was in the

County Museum of Art's epochal exhibition, "The Avant-Garde in Russia," the complete works of Piranesi and the best collection of illustrated architectural treatises in the Western United States.

Even as it stands today, the center is physically impressive. Well, partly housing its 90 employees on four floors in a pedestrian high-tech building in Santa Monica, it looks pretty office-ordinary, but the architectural firm of Batey and Mack has been employed to sort it all out and give it some character.

Kurt Forster, the center's new director, is a youthful 49-year-old Swiss-born art scholar educated in Europe. He was a professor of art history at Yale, Harvard and Stanford universities. He headed Stanford's Study Center in Berlin as well as the Swiss Institute in Rome. His wife of 23 years, Francoise Forster Hahn, is a University of California, Riverside, art history professor, so the family is pretty well steeped in the discipline.

"I've always been an art historian but with wider interests," Forster said. "I actually thought of changing

fields until I realized that for me art is where it all converges."

He said he taught mainly in the Renaissance, but "I'm equally interested in contemporary art and architecture" and look forward to working with Meier on the new center. He said he thinks they both feel that "architecture is most importantly about its own essence rather than other considerations such as history or fashion."

Forster calls his job daunting and intimidating after the much slower pace of university life. "Being here at the center is like going into overdrive. The work is sometimes overwhelming, but I feel what we do will have a more immediate impact."

He said the center hopes to have its first international community of scholars in residence when it becomes fully operational in the fall of 1985.

"We want to gather a constellation of minds that will not sit each in his own pigeonhole but swarm all over a subject and each other. ... That way we hope to put together productive and provocative groups even by inviting, say, two authors we know disagree on a subject," he said.

Forster said the center's goal is to restore art to a larger role in the general study of culture because "we think the role of art is crucial to civilization."

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Ann Coen

ANN COEN has been promoted to instrument loan officer at the Andrews Highway Branch of Home Savings, Midland.

She has a B.S. degree from Kansas State University.

Also promoted is PAM FORD. She is now an installment loan officer at the bank's Andrews Highway Branch.

LISA R. LENHARDT of Midland recently joined MWM Architects,



Pam Ford

Inc. as interior designer in charge of facility space planning and interiors.

Her prior experience as an interior designer was with Sante Fe Contract Design in Midland and Odessa.

A native of Illinois, she received a bachelor of science degree in interior design at Southern Illinois University. She is an associate member of the American Society of Interior Designers and The Construction Specifications Institute. She is active Big Brothers/Big Sisters program.

Two appointments to the We Care Home Health Agency, Inc., a certified nursing program in the home, have been announced.

BILLIE G. RUPPE has been appointed to chairman of the board. She came to Midland in 1951 as operating room supervisor at Midland Memorial Hospital and has also worked in other departments in the hospital. She has served as a volunteer chairman and president of the hospital auxiliary. She worked in Saudi Arabia in 1982 and returned to Midland in 1983.

A founder of the agency, she served as its administrator until her new appointment. She is co-owner of the agency.

MARY THUMMEL TRUEX, R.N.



Lisa Lenhardt

has recently been appointed to the administrator position.

A graduate of St. Francis School of Nursing in Wichita, Kan., she was employed for many years at Midland Memorial Hospital serving as nursing supervisor and later as assistant director of nurses. She was appointed to the board of District Texas Nurses Association. She is a past member of the American Red Cross Board and Board of Admissions of the Odessa College Nursing Program.

She moved to Odessa in 1978 and became a member of the Medical Oncology Nursing Group at Medical Center Hospital. She is co-owner of the agency.

Exxon Corp., U.S.A. announces the retirement of two of its employees.

JAMES W. "PINKY" BARNES, drilling superintendent in the Midcontinent Division, Southern Drilling Group, Midland, retired after 38 years of service.

He joined the company as a roustabout in his hometown of Andrews. Field assignments followed in other areas of west and north Texas and in 1977, he was promoted to engineering technician in division drilling, Midland. He was named drilling



Billie G. Ruppe

superintendent in 1980.

MARCELLA MITCHELL has retired with 27 years of service. She was assigned as associate records technician in the Southwestern Division, Information Systems, Records Center, Midland.

In 1957, she joined the company as lab technician. Her hometown is Terral, Okla.

GEORGE B. IRISH, publisher of The Midland-Reporter Telegram, has been re-elected to serve a two-year term on the board of directors of the Texas Daily Newspaper Association.

In recent elections, John Roberts, president of The Victoria Advocate, was named new president, succeeding Phillip J. Meek, publisher of The Fort-Worth Star Telegram. James M. Moroney, Jr., president of the A.H. Belo Corp., publishers of The Dallas Morning News, is vice president.

John Nuveen and Co., a nationwide investment banking firm specializing in tax-exempt securities, has announced the appointment of JOE P. LIBERTY of Rauscher



Mary Thummel Truex

Pierce Refsnes, Inc. to the Nuveen Advisory Council.

The council is comprised of a select group of the most successful investment professionals in the securities industry "in recognition of continuing excellence in financial counseling in the field of tax-exempt securities."

JERRY W. GUY of Hobbs, N.M. recently received a 20-year service award for his work at Atlantic Richfield Co. of Midland.

Guy, presently district production supervisor for ARCO, went to work for the company in 1964 at the Denton Gasoline Plant in Lovington, N.M. He transferred to the Hobbs Office in 1970 as engineering aide and transferred again in 1974 to the production department as produc-



James "Pinky" Barnes

tion foreman. He was promoted to his current position in 1982.

JOYCE ARNOLD, Aladdin House, Inc., Midland, has been selected as one of the Southwest's Best Salespeople in a recent competition sponsored by Home Furnishings magazine and Southwest Homefurnishings Association.

Arnold, who has been selling furniture at Aladdin House for seven years, was selected as one of three winners from an entry submitted by the store owner Ed Smead.

She will be the topic of a feature article to be published in the Winter 1985 issue of Home Furnishings magazine. She will also serve as a panel member for a SWHFA market seminar in January in Dallas, where she will also receive a plaque for the award.

Texas SBA gets advice from hotline

LUBBOCK—Present and prospective small business owners in Texas are still getting plenty of help from a free telephone hotline set up by the U.S. Small Business Administration.

During the fiscal year ended Sept. 30, the hotline, SBA's "Answer Desk", received 41,416 calls, including 2,487 from Texas, according to Phillip J. O'Jibway, director of the agency's office in Lubbock.

The "SBA Answer Desk" is a toll-free telephone number operated by information specialists in SBA's Office of Advocacy in Washington, D.C.

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Thanksgiving week. The weekly figure is 164 permits, of 11.2 percent above the year ago total for the same week.

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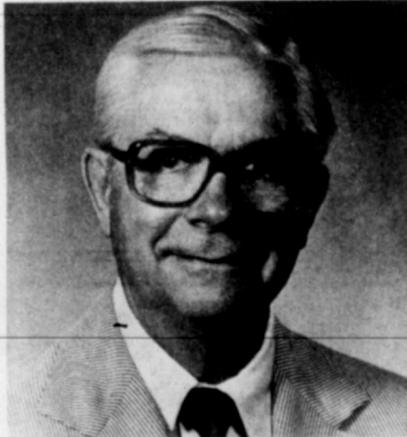
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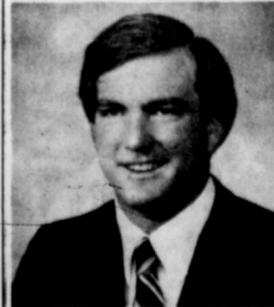
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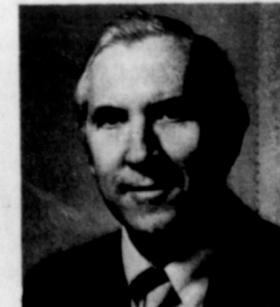
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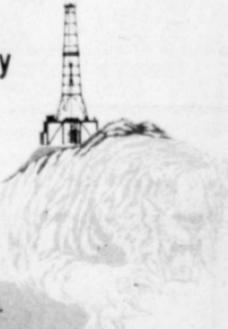
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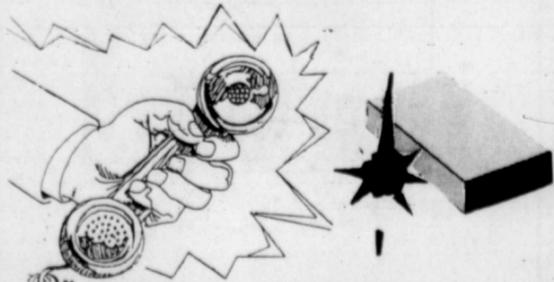
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Oil industry helping protect Louisiana environment

Texaco building dunes on barrier island

By STUART DIAMOND
N.Y. Times News Service

TIMBALIER ISLAND, La. — The oil industry has taken many of the environment's riches over the last 50 years, but on this curving wisp of sand in the Gulf of Mexico some of them are being given back.

For more than three years a small group of Texaco employees and students and faculty from Louisiana State University have been planting seedlings and erecting fences to build up sand dunes against the tropical storms that pound shoreward from the gulf at regular intervals.

Timbalier is a barrier island, and in the bay behind its nine-mile bow-like shape are protected a thousand small wooden oil wells that look like matchboxes from the air, and fragile wetlands along the Louisiana shore — breeding grounds for the largest commercial fishery in the United States.

Without the barrier, the wells and wetlands would be destroyed by the storms. Instead, the island, barely a half-mile wide, has absorbed the shock and is gradually being eroded. So with quiet intensity, little publicity and no fanfare, the highly unusual partnership of oil company officials and ecologists has been waging its own war against nature.

Not only are they fighting back the sea, but on the lee side of the island they are also building up the marshes where snowy egrets, blue herons, brown pelicans and many migratory birds seek refuge.

Moreover, the project's directors say the lessons learned here can be applied to similar areas throughout the region. Louisiana has 41 percent of the nation's coastal wetlands, and their preservation is considered vital to fishing and wildlife.

Such efforts are occurring at a time of increasing criticism of the oil industry for the dredging and destruction of wetlands to gain access to oilfields. Amid that criticism, a small but growing number of

voluntary environmental projects by oil companies are springing up, and interest is rising from the levels of field engineers into senior management.

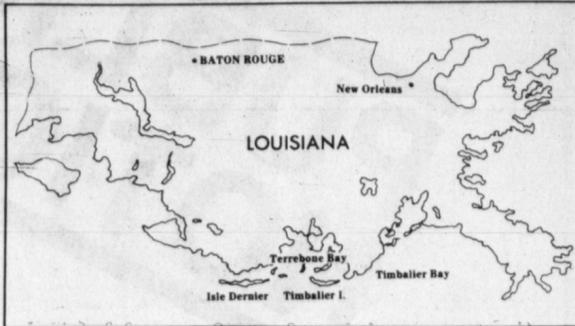
The Timbalier Island project has won the cautious praise of state officials and environmental groups as the plantings have expanded and Texaco — heeding the advice of the university's marine scientists — has continued to choose gentle natural remedies over large man-made barriers, such as seawalls, rocks and jet-ties.

"It's a great project, although it's a very small gesture compared to the amount of acres lost through dredging," said Frank J. Monteferrante, who monitors the Timbalier project as a coastal resource analyst for the Louisiana Department of Natural Resources. "But it's a step in the right direction. The oil companies have taken a lot of natural resources out of the state, and they have not put much back. It only stands to reason that they should put something back. More needs to be done."

Sharon L. Newsome, a coastal zone expert for the National Wildlife Federation in Washington, adds: "It's a great idea, but I hope it won't just be used in those places where there are oil wells. There are many, many other areas where erosion is extensive." She said such a cooperative venture between an oil company and ecologists was very unusual, if not unprecedented.

Texaco officials say that while the project started amid concern about their adjacent oilfield, the field would likely receive no direct benefit. Production is dropping and will likely cease before Timbalier would have been destroyed — 50 years from now — the officials said. But Texaco, the largest oil leaseholder and biggest taxpayer in Louisiana, plans to apply the lessons elsewhere and has derived a measure of corporate satisfaction from the voluntary project.

"We are proud of it, and we have learned from it," said L. Paul Teague, a Texaco vice president who



Matt Holten/Reporter-Telegram

Along this stretch near Timbalier Island, La., Texaco employees and students from Louisiana State University have been building sand dunes to protect oil wells and wetlands from being destroyed by storms.

heads the company's Gulf and East Coast oil and gas production. "And we wanted to leave a legacy there. After all, we received its benefits."

There are 1,500 barrier islands such as Timbalier (pronounced tim-bah-LEER) off the continental United States, primarily along the Atlantic and Gulf coasts, although some are at the mouths of rivers in California. They were formed by the deposition of tidal sand, by the separation of beaches from the mainland, or both.

Barrier islands shelter from storms the fragile marshlands, or wetlands — mixtures of grasses, water and nutrient-rich sediment on the lee side of the islands and on the shores of the mainland.

Barriers also reduce the salt content of the shoreward bays.

The barriers are constantly moving. In a natural state, sand is taken from one side and deposited on another side, trapped by marsh grasses. But development has been destroying the barriers and marshes.

Bulkheads, canals, houses, boatyards, oil exploration facilities, jet-

ties and other structures have changed or harmed the fragile balance and interfered with the natural process.

In Louisiana, those changes have worsened the natural erosion caused by the settling of coastal sediments below sea level. In addition, the building of flood control barriers on the banks of the Mississippi River has prevented replenishment of the sediments by fresh delta from the rivers. Louisiana is now losing 45 square miles of wetlands each year, or just under 1 percent of the total, and the rate of loss has doubled in the last 30 years, according to the state's geologist, Charles G. Groat.

Timbalier Island, which is 10 miles off Louisiana's southern coast, has lost more than half its area in the last 100 years, according to the Louisiana State University marine experts. Texaco officials became concerned in 1979 when three major tropical storms cut deeply into the island and washed away 1,000 feet of beach. Behind the island in Timbalier Bay is the 51-year-old Caillou oil-

and gas field. In 1970 it was one of the world's largest producing fields at 110,000 barrels a day; it now produces about 14,000 barrels a day.

The wells are in only a few feet of water and are considered onshore; their construction is light and largely of wood, which is less expensive than the huge offshore steel structures. Without the island buffer, "they would be destroyed, they would disappear," said David J. LeBlanc, a Texaco environmental coordinator involved in the Timbalier project.

Texaco spent \$500,000 to dredge sand from the gulf and rebuild the beach. But engineers knew the sand would not remain. Toward the end of 1980, Jesse W. Jordan, a Texaco civil engineer, called local officials of the United States Soil Conservation Service asking for advice on how to more effectively preserve the barrier. They put him in touch with Dr. Irving A. Mendelsohn, an associate professor and coastal plant ecologist at the Center for Wetland Resources at Louisiana State University in Baton Rouge.

The center is one of the few such facilities in the world, and Mendelsohn said he was looking for a project to try out his dune-building theories. Louisiana, he said, is different from other areas in that less sand is naturally available to build dunes as a buffer against the sea. Special plants had to be chosen to trap and hold the sand that blew ashore from sea sediment and dried between storms and other very high tides.

"I thought it was a great idea," said the lean, bearded Mendelsohn, who is 37 years old. "There had been no large-scale dune building in Louisiana. But we had limited funds to

try one. Texaco got us started."

With the aid of 30 graduate student volunteers and \$20,000 from Texaco, Mendelsohn planted 13,200 plants in May 1981 along the 1,000 feet of beach that had washed away. The plants included sea oats, a golden, flowering grass two to three feet high; bitter panicum, a bluish-green leafy grass about the same height, and seashore paspalum, a small creeping plant common along the Gulf Coast. Texaco put up 1,100 feet of fencing at various experimental angles: parallel, perpendicular and diagonal to the water. The project was then carefully monitored.

The bitter panicum proved the most durable: about 75 percent was surviving in August 1982. Only 3 percent of the paspalum survived and 25 percent of the sea oats. Some of the wildlife ate the plantings. The best fencing design was found to be one running both parallel and perpendicular to the water.

Texaco paid \$59,000 more in the spring of 1983 for a separate project in another part of the island and last spring signed a \$178,000, three-year contract with the university for further work. By September, the new dunes were up to four feet high, having survived the gale-force winds and storms that lash the island several times a year.

Then in mid-October a major tropical storm that lasted a few days chewed up much of the original dunes, planting and fencing. "I was sorry to see all that work destroyed, but the dunes did their job," Mendelsohn said. "Without them, the water might have broken all the way through the island." As it was, the natural area remained.

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The work of political artist Judy Chicago shouts her feminist views on canvas and paint.

Judy Chicago: Political artist

By KATHY LARKIN
King Features Syndicate

The last name isn't really hers. She took it from her birthplace — the windy city. Judy Chicago, 45, feminist and political artist, is a small woman who slouches on clogs after closing hours in New York's ACA galleries.

She is surrounded by a 10-year "second decade" retrospective of her work, fingers slotted into the pockets of her faded blue jeans, wiry salt-and-pepper hair curling into rings framing her rose-tinted aviator glasses, her vest decorated (perhaps symbolically) with wings stretched in flight. This woman stands accused of changing more than a name.

Her work, shouting her feminist view in canvas and paint, work currently focused on the female body and its basic female functions, has delighted and outraged viewers coast to coast.

It has surrounded museums with long, winding lines of the believers and the curious. It has been canceled by the Memorial Art Gallery of Rochester, N.Y. and the Seattle Art Museum. Ms. Chicago's vision is bold in execution, mammoth in scope, and just as "safe" as packaged TNT.

It has been rated as pure art, self-serving hype or

pornography, depending on which critic writes the review.

Judy Chicago. Those two words scratch flint into flame among art critics. Many dismiss her. Some won't discuss her. A few herald her as a second coming — the feminist version.

Now, in this gathering dusk, she is standing in the gallery, framed by the abstract forms of the past and the explicit beginnings of her future; giant-sized prototypes of "The Birth Project."

These examples are often huge sprawling canvases of flame-colored stitches and paint on a dark ground. They outline the figures of writhing women struggling to give life, the figures of parents and child tangled in aggressions and love relationships like a twisted umbilical cord.

SAYS MS. CHICAGO: "I was trying to deal with connection and imprisonment simultaneously. There is a tremendous tenderness between the man and woman. That results in new life. But that new life also ends up strangling the woman. She bears the burden. The life coming from her very being is hers to protect, to nurture. But that often interferes with who she really is and what she wants to be."

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BETWEEN THE LINES

Q. What can you tell me about Tony Danza? I read that he's one of the few nice people on TV

Becky Paul
Rock Island, Ill.

A. That depends on whom you ask. His colleagues on "Taxi" always had nice things to say about him, but a certain security guard in New York does not: Danza was convicted in September of assaulting the guard at a New York hotel and a \$16 million civil suit is still pending.

Apparently, the brawl broke out while Danza and a friend were dining in the hotel's restaurant and making a bit too much noise, so the guard intervened. "Tony said that he was just defending his friend," explains an associate. "But the court disagreed, and ordered him to do 250 hours of community service — which he's doing. He flies back to New York whenever he has a break from 'Who's the Boss' and puts in some time in a hospital, working."

That the 33-year-old, Brooklyn-



Tony Danza

born Danza showed some skill in punching isn't too surprising, because he was a pro boxer when he was discovered in Gleason's

Gym by a casting agent a few years back.

That led to a role in "The Warriors," which he never actually got to film, because in the hallway on the way to wardrobe for the movie, he met producer Jim Brooks, who was then casting "Taxi," and he soon joined that series.

Two films did follow, "Hollywood Knight" and "Going Ape!" Now, pending the ratings of "Who's the Boss" (so far OK), he'll probably move into other films. One possibility, according to his associate, was originally intended for John Travolta, "but they couldn't afford John, so they sent it to Tony. And Tony said yes."

He was married briefly in college, has a 13-year-old son, Marc, of whom he has custody (but who is living in New York with his mother while he finishes junior high school; he plans to join his father in California next year). Recently linked to actress Teri Copley, he now seems to be energetically playing the field.

Q. We were wondering if Maureen Stapleton is still living. We heard on one of the entertainment shows that they had the last interview before she passed away. Is that true?

Haven Rinehart
Austin, Minn.

A. Absolutely not. The 59-year-old actress is very much alive and active and should, at this point, be visiting her daughter and granddaughter in Lenox, Mass., where she plans to move permanently. You can see her this month in the gangster spoof "Johnny Dangerously," and next year, in Ron Howard's sci-fi film, "Cocoon," co-starring Raquel Welch's daughter and Tyrone Power's son.



Maureen Stapleton



Barbara Mandrell

Q. We were wondering how Barbara Mandrell is and when she will be performing again.

D.S.

Midland, Texas

A. Considering how serious the car accident in which she and her two children were involved last September was, her family thinks she's doing pretty well indeed.

"She's home now," explains an associate of her father, Irby Mandrell. "Her leg, which was badly broken, is healing well and she's getting stronger. There's no way of really knowing, though, how long her recovery will take, but the doctors are estimating six months. After that, she'll start to think about performing again...but really, not until."

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The Cars

Q. I recently saw The Cars in concert and just loved them. Could you tell me what they'll be doing next?

S.C.

Las Vegas, Nev.

A. At the moment, they're in Europe promoting the album "Heartbeat City," having just finished an extensive tour here. Plans for a new album aren't yet set. "We're still making money from this one," explains a rep at their record company. "And there will probably be a few more singles released."

There will probably also be some action on solo tracks, since the band members feel that solo efforts are important to them individually and to the band as a whole. Ric Ocasek is contractually bound to release another solo album and is writing a book; Ben Orr and Elliot Easton are working on solo albums now.

Q. I think Armand Assante is absolutely gorgeous and talented, but I know very little about him. Could you tell me about his background, movies, plans for movies, whether he's married, etc.

Lucy Ladde
Scranton, Pa.

K. and S.

Leesburg, N.J.

A. He's 35, half-Italian, half-Irish, from an artistic family. His father was a painter, his mother, a music teacher and singer. He was born in New York City and raised upstate in Cornwall and decided early on to become an actor.

After studying at New York's American Academy of Dramatic Arts, he embarked on a New York stage career and appeared in two soaps, "How to Survive a Marriage" and "The Doctors."

Three movies really established him, though: "Paradise Alley," in which he played friend Sylvester Stallone's embittered brother; "Little Darlins," in which he

played Tatum O'Neal's camp counselor; and most of all, "Pvt. Benjamin," in which he played the French gynecologist and so convincingly that many in Hollywood thought he was French, and, as he complained, some doors were closed to him.

But they opened for recent TV outings such as "Rage of Angels" and the miniseries "Evergreen," due on NBC in the next couple of months. Any minute he's due to start "Animal Behavior," a movie co-starring Karen Allen and a chimpanzee.

He had a widely publicized, year-long affair with Dyan Cannon a few years back, but saw the one woman he knew instantly that he wanted to marry in a Los Angeles restaurant in 1981. She was actress Karen McArn, and he slipped her a note with his phone number. She thought he looked

like a Hell's Angel and had no idea who he was, but decided to call anyway. They were married a year later and now have a daughter, 1 1/2.

JUDY

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It is a mind-stretching concept. The actual opening night is yet to come. But as this blue-jeaned woman sees it, "The Birthing Project," already a full-term pregnancy, is a gigantic, roughly 100-piece exposition now being executed by 140 volunteer needworkers from cities and small towns across the United States.

It is being created in a blend of embroidery, needlepoint, crochet, quilting, applique, batik and even beadwork. The exhibit ranges from a minuscule 8 by 4 inches to a mammoth 10 by 20 feet.

And everywhere, it showcases woman as earth mother, the giver of life, lover and sometime victim.

Ms. Chicago, by the way, does not rate herself as a political artist; not, at least, in the sense of global conflicts.

And until you glance at the walls behind her, Ms. Chicago seems harmless enough. So thought museum curators across the country until "The Dinner Party." That was her last major project, five years in the making, needing 300 workers to create a free-standing, triangular table, 48 feet to a side, which dished up 39 oversized porcelain plates (and settings). Each plate was designed to "image" a famous woman — from Emily Dickinson to Sappho.

In 1979 that work exploded, almost literally, on the art scene. And Ms. Chicago insists she is still suffering personal after-effects from the fall-out.

"The Dinner Party," debuted at the crowd-packed San Francisco Museum of Modern Art (roughly

100,000 viewers in a three-month run). The record attendance was repeated — in Houston, Chicago, Brooklyn, Montreal, Cleveland and Toronto.

After the triumphant San Francisco opening (and the subsequent Seattle and Rochester museum cancellations), "The Dinner Party" played three months at the University of Houston, in Clear Lake City, Texas. Then Boston critics dubbed Ms. Chicago's "Dinner Party" a "political statement," not art at all.

In New York, then-Brooklyn Museum director Michael Botwinick told a reporter, just before 4,500 people lined up to buy tickets: "We don't look at Judy Chicago the way we look at Rembrandt. But this work has presence and experience."

Influential "New York Times" critic Hilton Kramer looked at Ms. Chicago's work and suffered aesthetic indignation.

Said Kramer: "The Dinner Party" reiterates its theme, the celebration of women, both real and mythological, with an insistence and vulgarity more appropriate, perhaps, to an advertising campaign than to a work of art. For its principal image, "The Dinner Party" remains fixated on the female body. Is "The Dinner Party" art? Well, I suppose so. After all, what isn't nowadays? To this male observer, it looks like an outrageous libel on the female imagination."

That she did not expect the sudden nationwide notoriety, that she recoiled from attacks, that she was hurt — that is much, much easier to believe.

Says Ms. Chicago now, her words hurtling over each other like an Olympic racer tumbling over jumps:

"When 'The Dinner Party' opened in San Francisco and 100,000 people came to see it and it seemed a big success, I thought this time — because I'd really demonstrated the full span of my talents, things would be all right."

"After 'The Dinner Party,' I was in debt by \$30,000. I had to borrow money to finish it. My second marriage (10 years with fellow art student and sculptor Lloyd Hamrol) was heading toward the rocks. We'd had a real equalized career for a long time." Then came "The Dinner Party." And the headlines. And the debt. And finally the bad notices.

Her marriage shattered. In 1979, the year of "The Dinner Party," Ms. Chicago and Hamrol divorced. And, "The Dinner Party" went back to storage, only to rise like a Phoenix from the ashes, fueled by angry feminist groups to be taken to the road once again. This time it played to a better reception and an audience of close to a million.

Ms. Chicago, daughter of a union organizer and a medical secretary, the rebel who began drawing at 3, then went to the Chicago Art Institute and the University of California at Los Angeles, is still angry about the initial reception of her first major work.

"The critics were men. They were raised as men. They had a long history of male art stretching behind them. And they had the same attitude toward women that most men have. They saw a woman's form... And they gave one great collective 'yeeecch.'"

Growing up in Chicago, the young Judith Sylvia Cohen remembers her father as the dominant parent until he died when she was 13. Her

mother was a hard-working woman, widowed at 40, with two young children to raise.

A lot of what Ms. Chicago learned about living has been poured into the kaliedoscope of "The Birth Project."

Ms. Chicago says she did "The Birth Project" because she "just got interested in it. Especially when I discovered there were almost no images of birth in Western art. I thought that was pretty weird, really strange, considering it is such

a fundamental act of life. It is life."

There are few really recognizable women artists, scarcely more than the primary colors in an amateur palette. Judy Chicago, however controversial, is certainly one.

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REVIEWS

'Nutcracker' given high points

By GEORGIA TEMPLE

When Ballet Midland launched Midland's Christmas season Friday with its traditional "Nutcracker," it easily outstepped its last two performances.



Georgia Temple

After the darkest hours — the spring recital 1984 — faced by the organization since I have been here, Ballet Midland (formerly Permian Civic Ballet) made a change in artistic directors.

In addition, this year marks the first time the organization has hired a resident artistic director, Tony Ferro. The positive results of having an artistic director who is here on a full-time basis were apparent Friday night.

This production had a tighter design which made it a far more cohesive presentation. The quality of the overall production was decidedly higher.

For example, this year's ballet, presented in slightly less than two hours, didn't feature performers dancing back and forth across the stage, exiting each time they crossed. Instead, they stayed and danced. The difficulty of their routines depended upon their expertise. And, as was not true this past season, they were able to perform as a unit.

Although it felt as though there were as many dancers onstage, the transitions were smoother, the scenes simpler.

Only one routine in the opening scene (instead of several throughout) had to be seriously thought about to decide what it represented. It was unclear without thinking it through why the youth onstage were jumping up and down with their backs to the audience.

Another plus this year over last spring's recital was the music.

Last spring, the ballet had canned music. Dismal is the only word which describes the feeling of listening to canned music when live music has been used in the past.

Tchaikovsky's lovely music certainly calls for a live orchestra. The return of the Midland-Odesa Symphony, directed by Dr. Thomas Hohstadt, was greatly appreciated.

Guest artists performing the snow pas de deux and the grand pas de deux with Ballet Midland were Susan Clark, a Midland native and Ferro's wife, and John Wey Ling. Both are dancing with Fort Worth City Ballet and faculty members of Southwest Ballet Center.

Miss Clark's performance was, for the most part, technically correct, however, there were distractions around her dancing. Her performance did not have, for this reviewer, the illusion of effortlessness so vital in ballet.

Miss Clark and the symphony were not together during her solo part of the grand pas de deux. It is the conductor's responsibility to be in time with the dancer and not the other way around.

Also, she appeared tense at times. Perhaps her partner did not give her the security that she needed. This seemed apparent in her facial expressions during several lifts in the grand pas de deux.

On the positive side, the recovery into the lift, both in the grand pas de deux and the finale was beautifully executed by John Wey Ling and Miss Clark.

Quite charming was guest performer Judy Coleman's dancing in the divertissement "coffee," partnered by Ferro. Both were quite good.

Other high points included solos by Ballet Midland members Kenneth Busbin, Sandra Huxman and Jennifer Davis, as well as guest dancer Brian Taylor. Also enjoyable was the dancing in the divertissement "hot chocolate," executed by Taylor, Elizabeth Huppler and Jennifer Williams, and the divertissement "candy canes," executed by Busbin, Alyson Bunnell, Shannon Dunbar, Heather Hewett, Kirsten McMillan, Angela Seltzer and Kristina Stevens.

The visual impact of a ballet is certainly enhanced or distracted by the costumes and set. Ballet Midland outdid itself in its costumes. The sets were colorful and appropriately designed.

Originally staged Dec. 17, 1892, the ballet "Casse-noisette" ("Nutcracker") is based upon E.T.A. Hoffmann's fantasy tale, "The Nutcracker and the King of Mice," published in 1816 and the French adaptation, "The Nutcracker of Nuremberg," by Alexandre Dumas Sr. published years later. Neither has the light-hearted approach seen in the ballet.

In commissioning the work, the director of the Imperial Theatres in St. Petersburg, Russia, Ivan Alexandrovich Vsevolozhsky, was interested in creating another success like the previous year's "The Sleeping Beauty."

However, reuniting the creators, composer Peter Ilych Tchaikovsky and choreographer Marius Petipa, did not have the desired results. The ballet did not receive popular acclaim until after its initiation into the repertoires of Western European companies in the 1930s.

Great liberties have been taken in revising and reinterpreting this ballet, leaving as its only constant thread Tchaikovsky's memorable music. Today, that music is associated with the holiday season.

Ballet Midland's "Nutcracker," heralded not only the Christmas spirit, but an upward trend for this organization.

Georgia Temple is entertainment critic for the Reporter-Telegram.

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MOVIES

'Supergirl' poorly conceived character

By DAVID LEE FORREST

In 1978, "Superman" proved faster than a speeding bullet, more powerful than a locomotive and able to gross simply tremendous amounts of money at the box office with a single bound.



Forrest

"Superman" had a strangely impressive earnestness about it that did justice to the comic book character's place in America's pop mythology pantheon. It was also so financially successful that sequels were inevitable.

Richard Lester's lively direction created a witty and fresh "Superman II" in 1981 that was as good — if not better — than its predecessor.

With last year's "Superman 3,"

however, Lester let his zany sense of humor get entirely too carried away. The "Superman" films began to make the sad descent from occasional good-natured campiness down into the depths of outright parody.

Now, to keep the profitable series going as long as possible, film producers Alexander and Ilya Salkind have brought another comic book character to life with "Supergirl."

Helen Slater plays the Supergirl, a cousin of Superman, who lives in Argo City, a domed city surviving atop a fragment of the shattered planet Krypton.

When she accidentally sends a very powerful little ball called an omegahedron plummeting to the planet Earth, she takes off (literally) to retrieve it.

When the glowing omegahedron hits ground, Faye Dunaway, playing an evil amateur witch named Selena, is conveniently close by, nabs it and begins to use it to — what else? — conquer the world.

While Ms. Slater may be the

heroine, Ms. Dunaway has by far the best role in "Supergirl." Her almost feline Selena may be a witch, but she's a thoroughly modern witch with a beautifully sarcastic sense of humor.

Ms. Dunaway milks her arch lines for all they're worth and genuinely seems to be enjoying herself.

Brenda Vaccaro also acts like she's having a good time in her small but funny role as Bianca, the witch's sidekick.

Ms. Slater, on the other hand, seems talented enough, but is stuck with a poorly conceived character. Supergirl seems to be the only serious person in a decidedly unserious movie. While other actors are camping it up wildly all around her, Ms. Slater has to keep an uncomfortably straight face.

This awkward, unbalanced conflict between heroism and high camp is the film's greatest flaw.

In addition to the three very lovely actresses who figure prominently in "Supergirl," there

are a couple of very good male actors.

While it is far from his most memorable role, Peter O'Toole does a nice job as Zaltar, Supergirl's Kryptonite friend and mentor. Peter Cook is good enough as Nigel, a male associate of Selena, that one wishes the screenplay had made far better use of him than it does.

Despite the quality of its performers, this film certainly comes nowhere near being as impressive as the first two "Superman" movies. For that matter, it's not even as entertaining as "Superman 3."

Although "Supergirl" is a fun film, especially for children, it's probably more than enough to make most grown-ups hope that there isn't yet another sequel entitled "Superdog" waiting to swoop down over Metropolis — or Midland.

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SHENANIGANS

Brinkley acts like good businesswoman

By KATHY LARKIN

King Features Syndicate

She does — and doesn't — seem a mirror image of herself. The Christie Brinkley most people see is that incredible composite of long blond hair and longer legs splashed across nearly 250 magazine covers and best-selling posters. (Her first July 1983 effort sold over 100,000 copies within 30 days.)

She's the woman illustrating "Christie Brinkley's Outdoor Beauty and Fitness Book" due out in paperback soon. And she's the face that smiles from endless gossip pages around the world.

Ms. Brinkley, who three times personified "Sports Illustrated's" cover swimsuit goddess, is reputedly the world's highest-paid model, now on the Ford Model Agency roster, with an overall income estimated at \$2 million yearly.

She has just launched her Russ Togs sportswear line which will hit stores across the country in January. Her swimwear collection, designed by consultation with award-winning Monika Tilley, blanketed retail outlets from Houston to Los Angeles, from Washington, D.C., to Chicago in October and November just in time for the winter resort season.

Her recent engagement to singer

Billy Joel evolved from her chance meeting with him at a Caribbean resort, shortly after the death of her fast-paced, young fiancé, Olivier Chandon de Brailles. He was the Moët-Chandon heir who introduced her to motorcycles and sky diving, and he died in the March 1983 crash of his racing car. His death catapulted Ms. Brinkley into national headlines. Once again.

They have not always been happy headlines. And, says Ms. Brinkley, they have not always been true to life.

Slender Christie Brinkley, flashing a beautiful diamond ring on the traditional finger, strides through the front room of a chic New York restaurant past the center cart of fresh red tomatoes and outsize figs and settles into the corner banquette.

HER EYES ARE shielded by dark glasses, but the face behind the shades has the same high cheekbones and curved mouth that has lured other women hoping to be Brinkley look-alikes into buying everything from Cover Girl makeup to Chanel No. 19.

She is the same woman who starred shortly before this lunch in a clever hype and hoopla "circus" opening of her own Christie Brinkley Division on Broadway in the gar-

ment center. This is the same woman, yet not the same.

That day, Ms. Brinkley was flashing a wide, wide perfect smile for television.

Within seconds, it clicks. That trademark cover smile is missing.

Ms. Brinkley is pleasant, articulate, perfectly willing to talk business like any good businesswoman. Example: her current fashion venture. But questions as basic as vinaigrette dressing tossed over her salad-plate lunch — "What attracts you to future husband Billy Joel? What is he like?" — are stonewalled.

Says Ms. Brinkley flatly: "I'd rather not discuss that."

She is understandably more forthcoming about her new collection. And honest. Ms. Brinkley — unlike "names" and even "name" designers who stretch licensees to mind-bending limits, taking all of the credit and often little of the work — is frank about her contributions to two new and interesting collections.

Ms. Brinkley's swimsuit line is 70 pieces (30 percent coversups, often in neon colors), including a group of slimming stretch suits in a new black velvet finish, suits fashioned to minimize the dimensions of Brinkley fans.

Says designer Ms. Tilley: "We know women are very self-conscious

when they put on any swimsuit. Here we're introducing Christie Brinkley, looking so terrific, many women will just shrug and swear: 'I can't look like her.'" Maybe not, but Ms. Tilley is determined to give them a good try — in designs Ms. Brinkley approved.

EXPLAINS MS. BRINKLEY: "Sometimes the fashions come from my drawings and are used as is. Sometimes not. Sometimes we work to create a composite. I turn in sketches, suggest street trends and ideas I really like."

As a University of California art student who "cut out" to Paris just before her final, married French illustrator Jean Francois Allaux (they divorced amicably in 1981) and worked as a sometime professional photographer snapping Muhammad Ali and other boxers for "Rink" magazine, Ms. Brinkley has a well-developed street eye.

She has also thrown open closet doors in her \$1 million Manhattan duplex (on the market, as Joel's Long Island home is, since her engagement, while both search for new quarters and new beginnings) revealing clothes worn...and clothes rarely worn.

And she told Russ Togs executives why. No jeans, for example.

CHECKING OUT THE LIBRARY

Several new books deal with interesting trivia

By JOHN W. DEATS

Many people enjoy learning the odd fact or unusual tidbit which can be kept in reserve for party conversation. They may even call upon this information while playing "Trivial Pursuit" or any one of its successors. While browsing through our new books, I was amazed to find so many which deal with interesting trivia on subjects such as mistakes, origins, creativity, childbirth, popular words, and expert misinformation. The following books can be considered as entertaining as they are illuminating.

BROWSER'S BOOK OF BEGINNINGS is subtitled "Origins of Everything Under, and Including, the Sun." This suggests the broad scope of Charles Panati's fascinating compendium of dates, places, and circumstances in which "beginnings" occurred. For instance, the earliest form of ice cream was concocted in China in 2,000 B.C., soap dates from the Phoenicians in 600 B.C., and shorthand was a Greek innovation prior to 400 B.C. Hot chocolate was drunk by Aztecs at the time of the conquistadores, but solid chocolate arrived only in the mid-nineteenth century, discovered by accident. Some chapters are chronologically arranged, others by diverse topics, such as foods, civilization, religion, the arts, instruments, medicine, transportation and sports.

We should not worry about minor mistakes. This may be the underlying message of M. Hirsch Goldberg's **THE BLUNDER BOOK**. His collection of mostly amusing, sometimes bizarre errors in government, business, science, publishing, and other categories has something for everybody. For example, in 1978 Random House published a cookbook, **WOMAN'S DAY CROCKERY CUISINE**, which had a potentially explosive mistake. A recipe for caramel slices inadvertently left out a crucial ingredient — water. It was discovered that if the recipe was strictly followed, adding a can of condensed milk

could cause an explosion! The publisher had to recall 10,000 copies of the book due to the error. Two military examples are noteworthy. The British battleship "Trinidad" actually torpedoed itself in 1941, and was out of commission for the rest of the war. On a tragic note, the last words of Gen. John Sedgwick were spoken while he peered at enemy lines during the Civil War Battle of Spotsylvania Courthouse in 1864. The General's last remark was, "They couldn't hit an elephant at this distance."

Wise people hesitate before taking expert prognostications too seriously, or so authors Christopher Cerf and Victor Navasky seem to demonstrate in **THE EXPERTS SPEAK**. They call their book "the definitive compendium of authoritative misinformation," and its chapters include misguided predictions about science and technology, society, politics, and the arts. Examples include a statement made by Adolf Hitler on November 12, 1940 to Russian Pres. Vyacheslav Molotov: "The United States will not be a threat to us for decades — not in 1945 but at the earliest in 1970 or 1980." Or, how about this one by Dr. S.L. Katzoff in April, 1940, quoted in *The American Mercury* magazine: "A genuine kiss generates so much heat it destroys germs."

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BEST SELLERS

New York Times News Service

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1. **THE TALISMAN**, by Stephen King and Peter Straub. (Viking, \$18.95.) Two parallel worlds and a young boy who can travel between them.

2. **LOVE AND WAR**, by John Jakes. (Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, \$17.95.) The Civil War rages in this saga of a Pennsylvania family and a South Carolina family, begun in "North and South."

3. **THE SICILIAN**, by Mario Puzo. (Linden Press-Simon & Schuster, \$17.95.) Michael Corleone against the Mafia.

4. **THE FOURTH PROTOCOL**, by Frederick Forsyth. (Viking, \$17.95.) A London jewel robbery leads to plots and counterplots behind the Iron Curtain.

5. **STILLWATCH**, by Mary Higgins Clark. (Simon & Schuster, \$14.95.) A woman's search for her past puts her life in peril.

6. **STRONG MEDICINE**, by Arthur Hailey. (Doubleday, \$16.95.) A strong woman rises in the pharmaceutical industry.

7. **...AND LADIES OF THE CLUB**, by Helen Hooven Santmyer. (Putnam, \$19.95.) Life in an Ohio hamlet, 1868 to 1932.

8. **THE LIFE AND HARD TIMES OF HEIDI ABBROMOWITZ**, by Joan Rivers. (Delacorte, \$8.95.) The comedienne tells the "true story" of her high school "friend," a notorious tramp.

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10. **GOD KNOWS**, by Joseph Heller. (Knopf, \$16.95.) King David tells his story in comic and irreverent style.

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12. **LINCOLN**, by Gore Vidal. (Random House, \$19.95.) Fictionalized account of the Civil War presidency.

13. **ILLUSIONS OF LOVE**, by Cynthia Freeman. (Putnam, \$15.95.) A romantic triangle that spans a quarter of a century, from an Italian village to Manhattan to San Francisco.

14. **NUTCRACKER**, by E.T.A. Hoffmann. (Crown, \$19.95.) A re-telling of the popular Christmas story, with 100 color illustrations by Maurice Sendak.

15. **SUPERIOR WOMEN**, by Alice Adams. (Knopf, \$16.95.) Five friends at Radcliffe and after.

NONFICTION

1. **IACOCCA**: An Autobiography, by Lee Iacocca with William Novak. (Bantam, \$17.95.) The rise of the automobile executive from immigrants' son to top jobs at Ford and Chrysler.

2. **LOVING EACH OTHER**, by Leo Buscaglia. (Slack-Holt, Rinehart & Winston, \$13.95.) Suggestions for setting our priorities right in order to enjoy life to the fullest.

3. **PIECES OF MY MIND**, Andrew A. Rooney. (Atheneum, \$12.95.) More essays by the journalist and television commentator.

4. **MOSES THE KITTEN**, by James Herriot. (St. Martin's, \$9.95.) A waif kitten is adopted by pig; illustrated.

5. **"THE GOOD WAR"**, by Studs Terkel. (Pantheon, \$19.95.) World War II as remembered by men and women who lived through it.

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7. **THE BRIDGE ACROSS FORD**, by Richard Bach. (Morrow, \$16.95.) The author of "Jonathan Livingston Seagull" recounts his search for a true love.

8. **HERITAGE**, by Abba Eban. (Summit, \$30.) An account of Jewish history by the Israeli diplomat who hosts the PBS show of the same name.

9. **HEY, WAIT A MINUTE, I WROTE A BOOK!** by John Madden with Dave Anderson. (Villard Books, \$14.95.) An anecdotal autobiography of the popular television sports announcer.

10. **A LIGHT IN THE ATTIC**, by Shel Silverstein. (Harper & Row, \$13.95.) Light verse and drawings by the author.

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12. **THE KENNEDYS**: An American Drama, by Peter Collier and David Horowitz. (Summit, \$20.95.) The dark as well as the glamorous sides of four generations of a prominent family.

13. **ELVIS IS DEAD AND I DON'T FEEL SO GOOD MYSELF**, by Lewis Grizzard. (Peachtree Publishers, \$11.95.) Humorous observations on music, morals, food, fashion and other matters.

14. **CLOSE ENCOUNTERS**, by Mike Wallace and Gary Paul Gates. (Morrow, \$17.95.) A memoir by the "60 Minutes" reporter.

15. **ONE WRITER'S BEGINNINGS**, by Eudora Welty. (Harvard University Press, \$10.) The novelist recalls her childhood in Mississippi.

PAPERBACKS

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6. **SINNERS**, by Jackie Collins. (Pocket, \$3.95.) Sex and scandals in Hollywood.

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12. **AND GOLD WAS OURS**, by Rebecca Brandewyne. (Warner, \$3.95.) A combat over a castle in Peru that may hold the treasure of El Dorado.

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14. **BLOOD AND ORCHIDS**, by Norman Katkov. (NAL-Signet, \$3.95.) Four Hawaiian youths are accused of raping a Navy officer's wife.

15. **THE AUERBACH WILL**, by Stephen Birmingham. (Berkley, \$3.95.) Three generations of a German-Jewish family in New York.

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YOUR HOROSCOPE

By Jeane Dixon

Monday, December 3, 1984

YOUR BIRTHDAY TODAY: The late, great American soprano Maria Callas was born on this date. Also sharing your birthday: director Jean-Luc Godard, actresses Heather Menzies and Jaye P. Morgan, singer Andy Williams, auto racing's Bobby Allison, Seattle Mariners' pitcher Gene Nelson and slugger Pat Putnam. Avoid taking any unnecessary business or financial risks. It is time to consolidate recent gains. Romance is more complicated than you anticipated. Go slow. A windfall or legacy is possible! Luck is on your side. Business travel should be very successful. Take partner along.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Reassess your financial involvements. Others may be concerned about their assets. This no time to buck higher-ups. Cash in those stocks and bonds that have matured.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): A powerful individual needs convincing that you are on the right track. Delays will prove to be an asset in the long run. A Scorpio seeks your advice. Speak candidly.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): You will have to make some changes soon, but not today. Ride with the tide. Personal choices hold greater risk than business decisions. Romance is happy. Do not rock the boat.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Your silver tongue wins you new admirers today. You bask in applause from morning to night. A sense of humor will serve you well in a potentially compromising situation. Hang in there!

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): You know exactly what is needed to close a deal. Make it clear that you are more interested in obtaining money than spending it. Loved one asks pertinent questions. Be honest.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Communication with friends or relatives at a distance proves difficult. Travel is best postponed. A secret admirer could turn out to be a neighbor! Follow up a new employment lead.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Domestic difficulties could interfere with your plans to work on a personal project. Someone may be trying to trade on your reputation or business contacts. Straighten this person out immediately.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): You may have to shelve a project if mate is unwilling for you to work on it at home. Ask for cooperation. Keep copies of any letters regarding bills or credit.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Philosophical differences could straighten a strong relationship. Words of reconciliation will remedy the situation. Romance is pleasant but puzzling. Play a waiting game if unsure what partner has in mind.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): A legacy or windfall gives you a new sense of well-being. Postpone signing contracts and agreements. A higher-up will welcome your suggestions if you present them in a constructive way.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): A loved one's problems weigh heavily on your mind. Do not despair! By nightfall, you will have found a solution. Taking more initiative is the key to greater success in business, romance.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Expect the unexpected today! This is not the time to take financial risks. Give some thought to making organizational changes. Productivity rises when everyone has a stake in seeing profits grow.

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GOREN BRIDGE

THE TALE OF THE NINE OF DIAMONDS

BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

DEAR READERS: We have had many requests over the years for those hands we consider to be our favorites. That makes quite a list. For the time being, therefore, we are devoting the Sunday column to a series of famous hands. At the end of the series we will go back to our weekly question and answer column.

Both vulnerable. South deals.

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 ♠ 854
 ♥ 863
 ♦ A Q 9
 ♣ J 5 3 2

WEST
 ♠ A 9 3
 ♥ 4 2
 ♦ J 10 8 7 6 3
 ♣ 8 6

EAST
 ♠ K J 10 6
 ♥ K 9 7 5
 ♦ 2
 ♣ Q 10 9 7

SOUTH
 ♠ Q 7 2
 ♥ A Q J 10
 ♦ K 5 4
 ♣ A K 4

The bidding:
 South West North East
 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♣ Pass
 3 NT Pass Pass
 Opening lead: Jack of ♠

There was no mistaking the fervor of the Nine of Diamonds as he warmed to his subject. "The role of

kings and queens in this game is greatly overstated. The day of the proletariat has arrived. Power to the spot cards!"

What had occasioned this outburst was a game at the local club. The Nine of Diamonds had figured, prominently in the outcome, even though he was in the dummy. However, he was well placed to admire the artistry of the player in the South seat.

"Although he had the shape for it," intoned the Nine, "South's hand was too strong for a one no trump opening bid but not strong enough for two no trump. Therefore, he elected to open one club to make it as easy as possible for partner to respond. North really had no good response, although I would have preferred one diamond to the club raise. South jumped to three no trump to end the auction."

"West made his normal lead of the jack of diamonds, and declarer could see that life was not going to be easy. He had only six fast tricks, and his spade stopper was nothing to write home about. The only real chance for the contract was to produce four tricks from the heart suit. Since the percentages favored a 4-2 division in the suit, declarer would need three finesses to bring in the suit. That would require three entries to dummy, but only two were readily available."

"Declarer's play to the first trick brought gasps of surprise from the

kibitzers—he rose with the ace of diamonds in dummy and jettisoned his king under it! No, he had not taken leave of his senses; he was simply planning to have me play my part in the insurrection.

"He took a successful heart finesse, then led a diamond and, when West played low, I was finessed. Naturally, I won the trick—West's lead had marked the location of the ten. Now declarer was able to take another winning heart finesse, get back to the table with the queen of diamonds and take a third finesse in hearts. As you can see from the layout, the three finesses were mandatory to the happy conclusion of this tale."

Send any questions for this column to Charles Goren and Omar Sharif, care of this newspaper. Each week a prize of a copy of the new "Goren's Complete Bridge," a \$9.95 value, will be awarded for the question judged to be the best received.

Charles Goren and Omar Sharif personally cannot undertake to answer all questions submitted.

ENTERTAINMENT IN BRIEF

Church to sponsor Madrigal Dinners

The Chamber Singers of St. Paul United Methodist Church will bring a touch of merry olde England to Midland Dec. 7 and 8 during two nights of Madrigal dinners.

The first Christmas Madrigal Dinners will feature a banquet of roast beef au jus, boiled russet potatoes, string beans almonidine and other foods. Entertainment for the evenings will be provided by jesters, a recorder concert of Christmas music presented by Permain Consort of Odessa and a concert of Christmas music sung by The Royal Madrigal Singers.

Both evenings' performances will begin at 7 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the church, 4501 Thomason Drive. Reservations will be accepted by phone through Wednesday. Cost is \$10 for adults and \$5 for children under 12.

For reservations call 694-2544. The event is a benefit for the Chancel Choir Fund.

Steve Taylor and band to perform

ODESSA — Steve Taylor and Some Band will perform at 603 N. Grant St. at 7:30 p.m. Thursday.

With the 1982 Sparrow Records release of "I Want To Be A Clone," the 26-year-old Taylor added, for some, a new dimension to the definition of contemporary Christian music.

"Clone," a six-song mini-LP, written entirely by Taylor, focuses on the various issues, conditions and current attitudes in contemporary society.

Much like its predecessor, Taylor's new full-length recording "Meltdown" looks at the hypocrisy in a world where few are willing to take a stand.

Tickets for Thursday night's show are on sale at The Record Bar in Permian Mall and at area bookstores. The concert is being sponsored by Street Level.

Photographs exhibited at museum

ODESSA — "Texas West of the Pecos," an exhibition of photographs by Jim Bones Jr., is hanging at the Presidential Museum through Jan. 5.

The exhibit is organized and circulated by the Amon Carter Museum in cooperation with the Dallas Museum of Natural History. The Odessa showing is funded by a

Gaye to be honored

LOS ANGELES (AP) — A television tribute to slain singer Marvin Gaye will be taped in Los Angeles on Jan. 29.

The two-hour special will feature in-concert performances of Gaye's music by his contemporaries, said producer Allan Nadoh.

Nadohl said the artists will be accompanied by the original orchestra that backed Gaye on his celebrated final tour.

Marvin Gay Sr. was sentenced to five years probation for killing his son. The singer was shot to death on his 45th birthday last April.

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Symphony, chorale to do 'Messiah'

In celebration of George Frederic Handel's 300th birthday, the Midland-Odessa Symphony and Chorale is presenting the "Messiah" for its third subscription concert of the season.

The concerts will be held at 8 p.m. Tuesday at Lee High School Auditorium and at 8 p.m. Thursday at Odessa's Bonham Junior High School Auditorium.

Music director Dr. Thomas Hobstadt will turn the baton over to chorale director Dr. Stanley

Engelbreton for this tribute to the tricentennial celebration of Handel's birth. Handel was born Feb. 24, 1685.

The soloists are soprano Barbara Honn, assistant professor of voice at The University of Texas at Austin; alto Debra Patchell, a Midland native who is finishing degree work in voice at the New England Conservatory of Music, Boston; tenor Richard Barrett, who began his singing career with the Midland-Odessa Symphony Chorale under the direction of Lara Hoggard and is now artistic director and producer of the California Opera Festival; and bass-baritone Herbert Eckhoff, assistant professor of music at UT.

Tickets for the performances are available at Texas Commerce Bank in Midland and Odessa. For more information call the symphony offices at 563-0621.



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Group finds perseverance pays off

REO Speedwagon back on tour after two-year hiatus

By GEORGIA TEMPLE
Entertainment Writer

REO Speedwagon began playing its brand of rock'n'roll in the late '60s, but it wasn't until the release of its seventh album in 1977 that the group began to succeed on a national level. With the 1981 release of the album "Hi Infidelity," the group hit the top and stayed there for a year and a half, selling 18 million LPs and singles worldwide.

The pressure for the group to capitalize on its success by turning out another album became intense, resulting in the release of the "Good Trouble" album. Although "Good Trouble" went platinum, for REO it signaled the need for a change.

"It just wasn't up to the standards we had sort of created for ourselves on 'Hi Infidelity,'" REO keyboardist Neal Doughty says in a recent telephone interview. "So we just thought 'Heck with this. We're not going to rush the next album. We're going to take some time off and make sure everything's exactly the way we want it and get out of the public view for a little bit and allow a little bit of mystic buildup again.'"

Actually, REO Speedwagon's two-year hiatus from touring served a twofold purpose, Doughty says. In addition to working on another album, group members wanted to get a little rest from 10 years on the road "so that it would be a lot more fun again when we came back out."

The recent release of "Wheels Are Turning" has brought the group back on the road with a stop in Odessa Monday for a 7:30 p.m. performance at Ector County Coliseum.

The two-year hiatus was spent in Los Angeles, where REO set up a stage in a leased garage.

"We went in there for months and months rehearsing on a real nice, fun, casual, leisurely base. We just decided we weren't going to come back out until we were really ready to do it."

REO has always arranged its tours so that the members feel "we do have a home, rather than we're permanently moving from town to town our entire life. There is a little bit of stability." Still, group members were used to traveling three to four weeks at a time and being at home base for a week or two before traveling again. Spending the two years in Los Angeles meant making an adjustment.

"We definitely missed it," Doughty says. "The thing that got me the most was watching rock bands on television and reading about them in the press. I was real envious, saying, 'Boy, I know what that feels like to be out there doing that."



Members of the group REO Speedwagon, are from left, Bruce Hall, Alan Gratzner, Kevin Cronin, Neal Doughty and Gary Richrath.

and I can't wait to get back and do it.' But we just knew we had to be patient and make sure everything was done right."

Doughty enjoys all kinds of music, particularly Mozart and the Beatles. As to why he got into music, he says, "That's just something I think people just fall into." Doughty nor the other band members had formal training, he says.

He is quiet a moment before he adds, "It's just something that's in your blood from the time you're born."

Perseverance pays off, Doughty says, and those who continue playing are "going to end up doing something." He cites REO as an example.

"We were going to college in Champaign, Ill., and a little rock band started up just strictly for fun. The more we got into it the more we realized that some day we might be able to make something out of it and took a few risks, sort of dropped out of school to pursue music further. It took a long time but finally it did pay off."

There were times when REO members would "temporarily wonder if we were ever going to be as successful as we wanted to be." However, Doughty says, "I don't think anybody really ever said, 'Well, I'm giving up on this. I should have been an engineer after all. Now, I'm going to go"

back to college."

Although the group members would get down for a while, something would always happen to pick them back up.

"It took us 11 albums before we ever had a real big one, but at least each successive one did just a little better than the one before, so that even through progress was slow, there was still a perceivable progress so that we never really doubted that we should stick with it."

For Doughty, performing music is a part of his identity.

"That's probably one of the hardest things about staying off the road for two years. I think we each individually felt that a little bit of our identity wasn't there, or maybe a lot of it wasn't there. And we needed to get back out and do this in order to feel like we knew who we were."

All members of the group work together in creating an album. "We're like a family that definitely kids around a lot," Doughty says. "We all get along really well and we have a light-hearted spirit." Each member brings in songs to a recording session and from that point it's "a complete democracy; everyone is doing suggestions left and right and participating in the arrangement procedure."

However, touring is what REO likes best.

"Touring is the most enjoyable because making a record is work. There's no other way to describe it. You're often there 14 hours at a time with very often no instant gratification whatsoever. It may take a week to get one particular part of a record done just the way you want it."

Whereas, on a tour, "When you walk on stage, there's 10,000 people screaming and there's just nothing in the studio that can compare with something like that."

In a live performance, Doughty says, "I have more energy at the end of the concert than at the beginning because it just builds up, the adrenaline just keeps pumping more and more. It is like you're getting energy from the crowd."

Had REO's semi-retirement not come on the heels of its most successful tours, the ones launched for "Hi Fidelity" and "Good Trouble," group members might not have been able to make as successful an adjustment to the change.

"Playing to huge amounts of people and getting really warm responses every night — that's probably what allowed us to take two years off and not go too nuts because we had that energy to carry us through. We're hoping the same thing's going to happen again."



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Skull-duggery

Rehearsing for Midland Community Theatre's Dec. 7 opening of "You Can't Take It With You" are, from left, Loree Fitzgerald (Penny), John Phillips (Paul) and Pat Baskin (Grandpa Martin Vanderhoff). This George Kaufman-Moss Hart comedy runs through Dec. 22 in Theatre One at Theatre Midland, 2000 W. Wadley Ave. For reservations call the theater's box office, 682-4111.

Musician wants his songs to have spontaneous feeling

By GEORGIA TEMPLE
Entertainment Writer

Having control in the record industry is a matter of sacrifice. For Midlander Burt Herrin of The Marbles, the cost can be measured in dollars, cents and time.

"When I was working for Shelter Records, owned by Leon Russell, in Tulsa, Okla., in 1972-73, I was exposed to many famous musicians," Herrin says. "Strangely enough, it sometimes dampens your enthusiasm. When you discover the real person, you find that the fantasy is not there."

In addition to finding that the "stars" he met were no different than other people, he realized that writing his own material was "very important" for his goal.

"My whole theory about music is to keep it simple to keep the spontaneous feeling of the music going," Herrin says. "That's in every aspect from writing to production. Spontaneous music is some of the best music."

The Marbles will bring Herrin's brand of "spontaneous music" to Midland's Yucca Theatre Dec. 6 for a one night performance from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m.

Herrin's experience at Shelter Records also taught him that money could be made in the business, but in order to retain any kind of control over the finished product, it was necessary to create and pay for his own. The group has just cut its first album at Midland's No Mountain Recording.

"We cut a whole album for what it normally costs people to cut a single," Herrin says. "The main reason for that is because we had been playing the material every weekend for a year and a half under live circumstances and we cut it live in the studio."

Laughing, Herrin adds, "I couldn't afford it any other way. I've got a little under \$1,000 in recording time. The cost of the project is going to run close to \$3,500 and that includes the first 1,000 albums."

When The Marbles perform Dec. 6 at the Yucca Theatre, 206 N. Colorado Ave., "Meet The Marbles" albums will be available for purchase. Publicity and album sales will be all the group gains from the performance. The \$5 ticket price goes to Big Brothers-Big Sisters.

Selling albums and receiving publicity are only part of the reason for Herrin's involvement with Big Brothers-Big Sisters.

"There're over 100 children in our community that need big brothers or big sisters. We've (The Marbles) established a goal for that night. We want to get 50 volunteers."

"I really believe in giving children a fair chance," Herrin says. "I have three of my own, and I wouldn't want to see them in the situation that motherless and fatherless children are in. It's a lonely place, one



Burt Herrin

which can be alleviated by adults caring enough to get involved."

When Herrin left Shelter Studios in 1973, he put the idea of pursuing music as a full time career in the back of his mind. Since that time, he has formed a band in whatever town he's lived in, worked during the week and performed on the week-ends.

He formed The Marbles four years ago when he moved to Midland. The current lineup, which has remained constant for the past two years, includes Kenny Coffman, bass and vocals; Bill Brown, drummer; Bill Robinson, guitar, harmonica and vocals; and Herrin, guitar and vocals.

"I've basically created my own places to play," Herrin says. "I was looking for a place to play my own brand of music, and I went to Leo (Leo's Oyster Bar), and we worked a deal which worked well for both of us."

The Marbles played at Leo's Oyster Bar every weekend, beginning in May, through the summer of 1983 and returned to Leo's at least once a month until the place closed. That gave The Marbles a start.

The group has also fronted for other acts that came through town, such as the Fabulous Thunderbirds, Taj Mahal, Roomful of Blues and Delbert McClinton.

"There's no way to keep a band together unless you're playing in front of people. That's one of the main reasons that The Marbles have stayed together because we've been busy. And without our fans, we wouldn't be where we are today."

Herrin says it's difficult to survive in a local market much less score big in the recording business nationwide.

"Although the odds of making it in music are one out of every 10,000 musicians, if you don't try, you won't ever make it. You have to keep playing. Willie Nelson was 45 before he made it, and now look at him. I just have this feeling that I have to keep going."

Austin actors take 'Dracula' on road

AUSTIN (AP) — The decision by the John F. Kennedy Center in Washington to stage the Paramount Theater's production of "Dracula" is a big step toward national recognition for the Austin theater, production officials say.

"Dracula," which premiered at the Paramount in October and now is touring nationally, is scheduled to open Dec. 5 for a four-week run at the Kennedy Center.

"To draw a parallel, 'Dracula' going to the Kennedy Center is like a priest in a local diocese being asked to say Mass at St. Peter's (in Rome)," said Paramount director John Bernardoni.

"Austin can now be thought of in the same breath as other American cities in the advancement of professional theater," Bernardoni said.

Bernardoni said the "Dracula" trip to Washington will expose Austin actors in the cast and crew to big-time professional theater and should make foundations and other theater philanthropies aware of the city.

The Paramount organization, nearing its 10th anniversary, decided last year to begin producing

stage shows to play at the 69-year-old theater in Austin and to take on the road.

The Paramount production of "Mass Appeal" toured regionally and played in New York. "Deathtrap," another Paramount production, toured Texas. "Dracula" is the first Paramount production to go on a national tour.

"Dracula" is a re-creation of the 1977 Broadway revival of the play. Martin Landau stars as Dracula.

Roach back in business

LOS ANGELES (AP) — After a 50-year breather, Hal Roach Studios Inc. is back in show business for the younger set with the acquisition of production rights to "Kids Incorporated," a syndicated weekly musical show whose five stars range in age from 9 to 14.

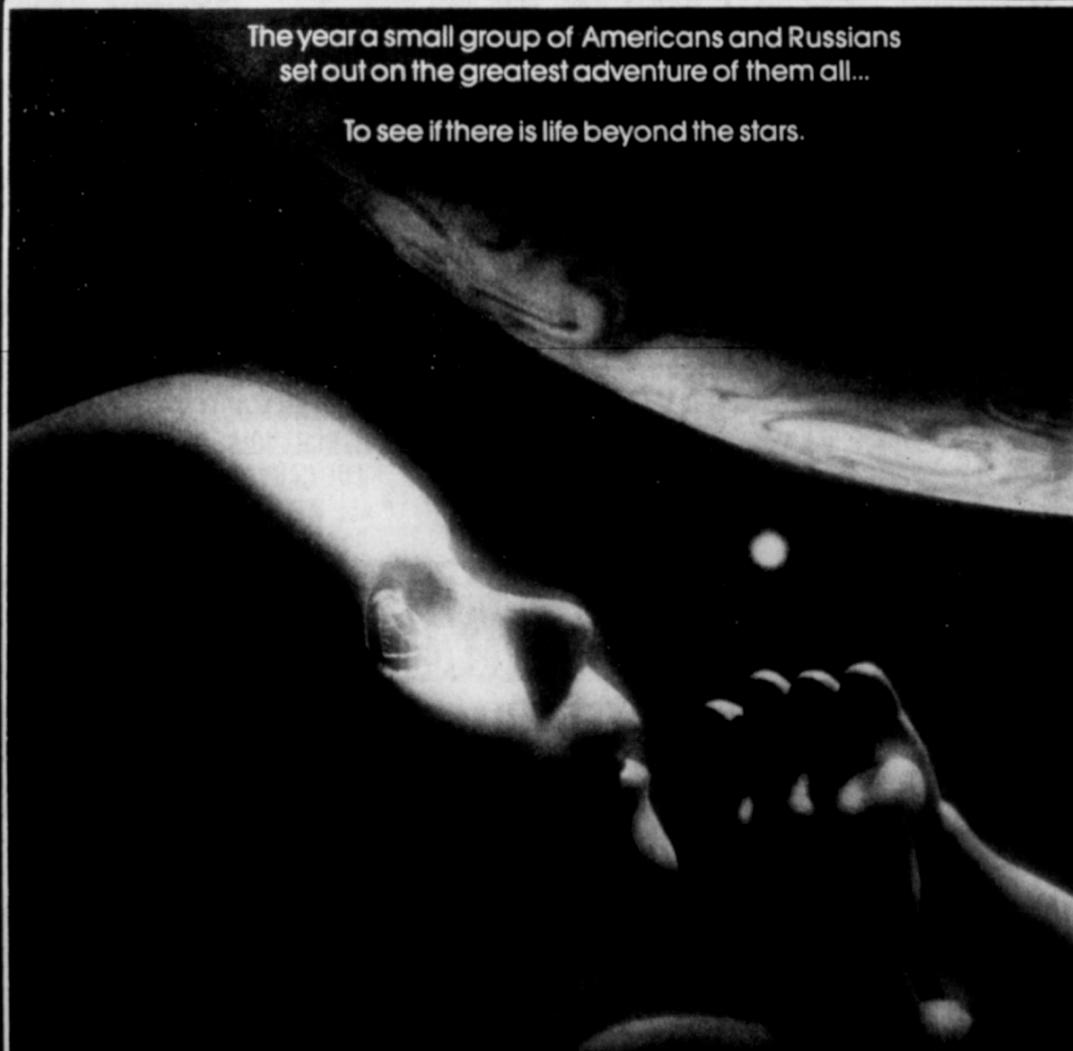
What's more, Roach — best known as producer of the classic 1930s "Our Gang" and "Little Rascals" films — will be working on the series with MGM-UA, which as MGM half a century ago was Roach's collaborator in production and distribution of "Our Gang."

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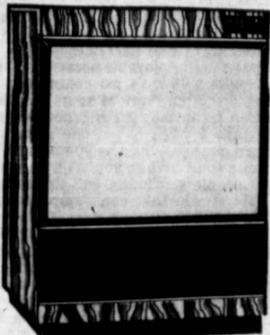
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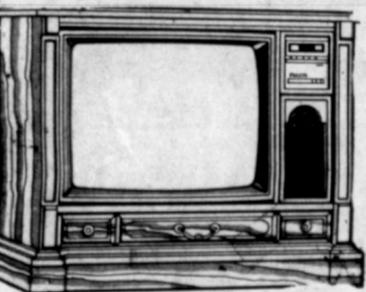
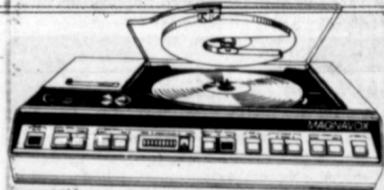
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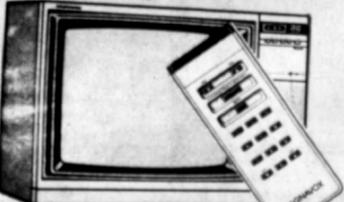
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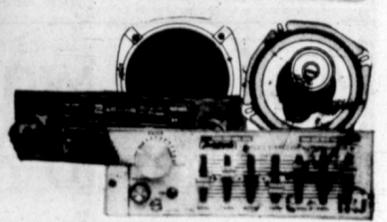
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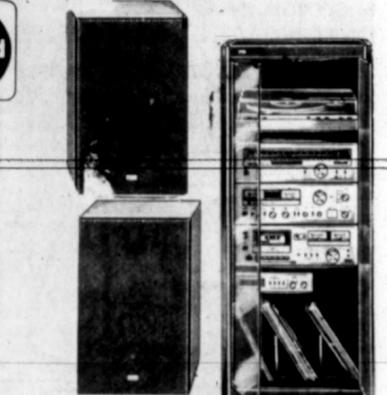
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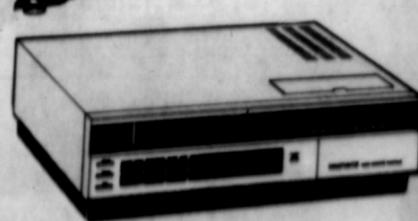
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