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Q-While the lights around the courthouse are attractive, it seems like there were more in past years. Have all the lights been put

A—Chamber officials said there are fewer lights. A lack of time and manpower to help put up the lights are apparently the problems.

In Brief

JFK tapes

BOSTON (AP) — Congressional leaders pressed President John F. Kennedy to take military action against Cuba at the outset of the Cuban missile crisis, according to previously unreleased secret White House tape recordings.

Khrushchev has once again rattled his missiles and we must react," Sen. Richard Russell told the president in a briefing recorded by microphones concealed in wall sconces in the Cabinet room.

The tapes about the crisis which brough the world to the brink of nuclear war were made available this morning by the John F. Kennedy Library in Boston.

They cover meetings held Oct. 22, 1962, about a week after aerial reconnaissance photographs revealed the presence of a Soviet medium-range ballistic missile site under construction near San Cristobal in central

Arguing against military action, Kennedy said that "the idea of a quick strike was very tempting" but an air attack alone could not destroy all the Soviet missiles.

Local

HISD board

Hermleigh ISD board of trustees will meet in executive session at 8 p.m. Thursday to discuss a possible audit of 1986 finances.

Video series

The Family Life series continues at 7 p.m. Monday on Cablevision Channel 2 with "Faith and Inquiry: Tough Questions Jesus

Appreciation

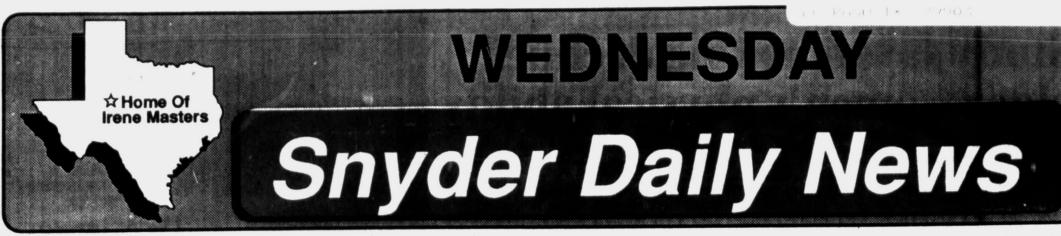
An appreciation reception will be held from 10-11 a.m. Friday, Dec. 30 in the county courtroom for Justice of the Peace Wanda Rushing and County Judge Bob Doolittle, who are leaving office.

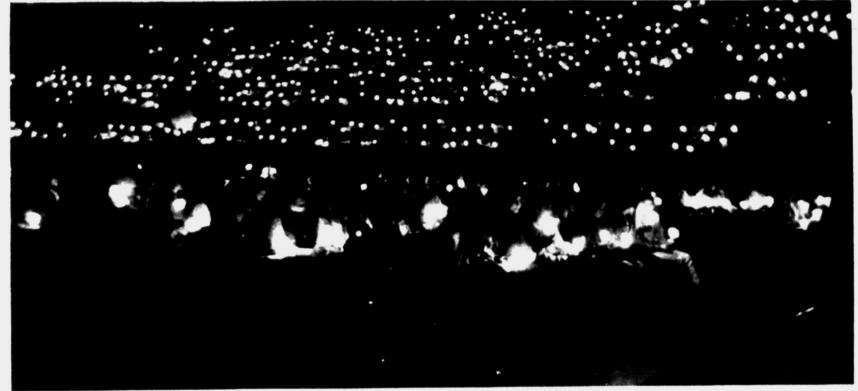
Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Tuesday, 61 degrees; low, 31 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Wednesday, 36 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1994 to date, 11.55 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, clear. Low near 30. Light wind. Thursday, mostly sunny. High near 60. North wind 5-15 mph. Outlook for the Christmas weekend, becoming mostly cloudy Thursday night with a slight chance of light rain Friday and Saturday then partly cloudy Christmas day. Lows in the 30s with highs in the 50s.

Almanac: Sunset today, 5:45. Sunrise Thursday. 7.39. Of 354 days in 1994, the sun shone 346 days in





COMMUNITY-WIDE CANDLELIGHT SERVICE - More than 1,500 people attended the Scurry County Community-Wide Candlelight Service held at the coliseum Tuesday night. Some 400 county residents took part in the service which was

planned by the July 4th Prayer Breakfast/Candlelight Committee. The program concluded with all those in attendance lighting a candle. (SDN Staff Photo by Wade Warren)

Air system repairs...

CMH pact with Honeywell OK'd

approved a contract with Honey- down any heating or cooling, well, Inc. for heating, ventilation Honeywell can bring in auxiliary and air conditioning repair.

Approval of the contract was agenda.

Under the contract, the cost of and renovated in 1960. the improvements will be no more pair time is necessary to avoid tives said today.

pital, we hope to not affect any- services.

J. Eicke case...

is competent to stand trial.

Eicke, a former Snyder resi-

U.S. Attorney Steven M. Sucsy

Eicke, 39, his 42-year-old

said he filed a motion to have

Eicke undergo psychiatric or psy-

activity.

motion.

Cogdell Memorial Hospital one's comfort level," Flynn said. sources, he said.

The hospital is seeking to rethe purpose of today's called store the hospital's air flow system meeting and the only item on the in the older part of the facility. The system was first installed in 1952

The cost of the project does not than \$204,000. Completion of the include asbestos abatement. That project is expected within 150 was originally expected to cost the days, beginning Jan. 3. Mike hospital \$10,000 or more. It could Flynn, with Honeywell, Inc., out possibly be achieved with as little of Lubbock, said the lengthy re- as \$3,500, Honeywell representa-

shutdown or disruption of any por- The entire project is expected to tion of the hospital. Otherwise, he improve comfort in the facility said, the work could be completed while upgrading the equipment. Honeywell also guarantees to pro-"By coordinating with the hos- vide training and on-going

Competency motion filed

written on Central Dominion

Checks written on the bank tot-

Authorities said only one check,

Warnick has not yet ruled on the for \$50,000, was ever successfully at the same time," said Sucsy.

named in a 21-count federal in- week, Magistrate Warnick ap- mum prison term of 110 years and

puter and a post office box.

another Honeywell representative funds for the project. who attended this morning's meeting.

Although specific monies have not been set aside for the project,

"This is a turn key project, guar- approvements for heating and air board of managers this morning Should it be necessary to shut anteed to have the system perform conditioning over the next three as well or better than it was origi- years. He also noted that the hospinally designed," said Ed Nichols, tal can use disproportionate share

> All board members were present for the meeting, to include Sue Mize, Ted Crenwelge, Jimmy CEO Jeff Reecer said the hospital McMillan, J.B. Tate Jr., Bill Wilhas budgeted \$130,000 in capital son III and G.A. Parks Jr.

DPS predicts 55 traffic deaths during holidays

partment of Public Safety on

is free on \$5,000 bond.

still pending, Sucsy said.

fact that Altshuler has yet to be ex-

tradited. Sucsy said he is also con-

sidering filing a motion to test

turned to the United States.

tinue eating.

AUSTIN (AP) — The state De- mas and New Year's weekends. "This time of year we ought to Tuesday predicted that as many as really be celebrating and having a 55 people could die in traffic acci- happy time rather than ending up dents in Texas during the Christ- in tragedy," said DPS Traffic Law

Enforcement George King. The DPS accident records bureau estimated that up to 30 people will die in traffic wrecks during the 78-hour Christmas holiday period, which runs from 6 p.m. Friday to midnight Monday, Dec. LUBBOCK — A United States They are charged with conspi- Williams to represent him. Arlie 26.

attorney has filed a motion to de- racy, wire fraud, mail fraud and in- Eicke was arrested in Snyder on For the 78-hour New Year's termine whether Johonnas Eicke, terstate transportation of falsely Oct. 30. He pleaded not guilty and period, which runs from 6 p.m. Friday, Dec. 30 until midnight, Altshuler was arrested in Lon- Jan. 2, the department estimates around bogus cashier's checks don on Nov. 1. Her extradition is another 25 traffic deaths.

King said alcohol was a factor Trial date for the brothers has in 54 percent of the fatal accidents fore U.S. Magistrate J.Q. Warnick Snyder. Authorities say the bank been set for Feb. 6, but Sucsy said during the last Christmas and New it will likely be postponed because Year's holiday season. of the competency motion and the

He urged travelers to buckle up, noting that most of those who died were not wearing seatbelts.

Eighty-two percent of the Altshuler's competency to stand Christmas traffic victims had been trial after she is eventually re-unrestrained, and 68 percent of the New Year's victims weren't wear-"We plan to have all three tried ing seatbelts, the DPS said.

Last Christmas weekend, there 'Our feeling is this is a conspiracy were 34 traffic fatalities, and 28 Johannas Eicke was arrested in and ordinarily, co-conspirators are during the New Year's weekend for a total of 62. If convicted of all charges, each

King also urged motorists to M. Altshuler of Denver were return to Lubbock on Dec. 7. Last defendant could receive a maxi- stop every 100 miles or so to rest. "Have a soft drink or some coffee," he said.

Keeping line on holiday

Crime seems to be on the decrease this holiday season and Snyder Police Department is encouraging citizens to help the trend continue.

"Citizens need to keep their guard up and practice a few tips which will help insure them a happy holidays," said Sgt. Trevlyn Pitner, with the department's community services division.

Police advise that citizens always keep their cars locked when they are shopping. Purses, gifts and other valuables should be kept out of sight as much as possible. It's preferable to keep packages in the trunk.

While in the store, shoppers should always keep their purse or billfold with them. Thieves are always alert for an unattended purse, and Snyder has had several cases of these type thefts this year.

For a safe holiday, be alert, Pitner says. "Drive carefully, remember to wear seatbelts and be extremely careful in parking lots since traffic is so conjested this time of year.'

Locking up at home is also important. Citizens should keep their doors and windows secured. Avoid placing packages and gifts near windows.

Residents who plan on being away from their home - even for a quick trip to the store - should remember to lock up, close garage doors and put valuables such as large toys and bicycles out of sight.

Finally, be aware that some may try to take advantage of the holidays as a time for giving.

"There are a lot of worthy organizations out there, but citizens should make sure who or what they are donating to," said Pitner. "Unfortunately, some people will try to collect money or accept donations under false pretensis. Just be sure you are familiar with the organization and feel comfortable with what you are doing.'

Citizens who are suspicious of someone asking for donations may call the police department. An officer will verify and make sure the request is legitimate.



dictment unsealed on Oct. 31. pointed Lubbock attorney Marvin a fine of \$5.25 million. United Way ready to close '94 books

one of three people charged in an made securities. According to the

alleged \$1 trillion banking scam, indictment, the scheme revolves

dent, was arraigned Tuesday be- Trust, a non-existent bank in

Jr. in a federal district courtroom. consisted of a fax machine, com-

chological testing to determine if aled \$1 trillion, including one

he is competent to stand trial and \$100-billion check sent to the U.S.

whether he was competent at the Attorney's office in Dallas to

time of the alleged criminal cover other outstanding securities.

Snyder, and 29-year-old Heather ment had been pending since his

cashed.

brother, Arlie Thomas Eicke of Detroit on Oct. 28. His arraign- tried together.'

Scurry County United Way tion to be picked up can call drive coordinator Connie Thomp- 573-3558. son is asking businesses and indi-

contact us as soon as possible," said Thompson.

\$40,816.59, or 60 percent of its Way expenses. goal of \$68,000, Thompson said.

United Way donations are being accepted at the chamber of commerce or by mail at P.O. Box 1411. Anyone who needs a dona- has been "Open Your Heart."

Original allocations for the viduals who have outstanding do- drive were \$21,000 to Scurry nations to get them in quickly so County Boys & Girls Club; Care Center; \$8,900 to Noah Pro- office. We appreciate all the dona- ject; \$6,000 each to the Boy Scto encourage those who are Oil Patch Foster Parents; \$2,600 planning to donate but haven't to to Snyder Council on Alcohol and The fund drive is at cludes \$8,000 in local United and torso) for \$119.95. Legs cost 20 bucks extra.

> Allocations may have to be cut if the goal of \$68,000 is not met.

The theme for this year's drive

The feller on Deep Creek says, "Mealtime is that period of the day when a lot of us sit down to con-

The SDN Column

Now you can buy a companion. Wait! Before you jump to conclusions, it's all on the up and up. There's no need to fret over some little black book that the books can be closed for \$10,000 to Snyder Child Day surfacing just about the time you run for public

Motivated by safety concerns of persons who are tions we have recevied and want outs and Girl Scouts; \$5,000 to traveling alone, a mail-order company is offering a dummy to ride shotgun with you.

The life-size mannequins are designed to make Drug Abuse; and \$500 to Red would-be muggers believe that you're not alone. Cross. In addition, the total in- The catalog offers its basic safety dummy (head

> Optional is a \$39.95 travel bag in which the seven-pound dummy can be stuffed when not in use. The dummy features a latex head and hands in a fabric polyfiber torso. Owners are left to dress the dummy to suit the occasion. However, the face has a five o'clock shawdow to give it a tough-guy im

By Roy McQueen

age to help discourage would-be intruders. If you don't get arrested for stuffing a life-like guy in the trunk of your car, there could be some other benefits.

For example, a dummy could contribute to a stress-free, no back-seat-driver advice. The dummy won't complain about your Roy Orbison and Buddy Holly tapes, and the dummy never needs a pit stop.

The dummy won't complain about it being too hot or too cold. The dummy can't read a map either, but it won't insist that you stop and ask for

A dummy has never nagged to stop at the next antique shop nor backtrack to make sure that the coffee pot was turned off.

The companion doesn't eat, doesn't shop and doesn't expect a Christmas present.

Guess we're just getting sentimental this time of year, but only a dummy could like somebody that

Study says smoking declines older women's physical ability

CHICAGO (AP) — Elderly The study's results also suggest medicine at Oregon Health Sciand less agile than their nonsmok- their risks of injuries from falls Medicine. ing contemporaries, researchers and require more frequent treatsay.

They may also feel older. "For an older woman, smoking may have the same effect as adding five years to a person's age," said Dr. Heidi D. Nelson, lead author of a study that appears in today's issue of the Journal of the ing stairs.

American Medical Association. "The study adds to the long list of reasons why people should not be smoking."

women who smoke are weaker that older smokers may increase ences University's School of nonsmokers, Nelson said.

white women over the age of 65 said smoking causes vascular performed such basic physical problems that may explain the tasks as gripping an object, walk- poorer functions. ing, rising from a chair and climb-

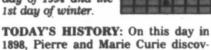
Smokers performed more poorly than nonsmokers in 11 of 12 categories tested, said Nelson, an assistant professor of internal

In each case, test results for the ment for physical injuries than smokers were similar to what would have been expected for wo-The study measured how 9,704 men years older. The researchers

ATE BOOK

Dec. 21, 1994

Today is the 355th day of 1994 and the



1898, Pierre and Marie Curie discovered the element radium.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Joseph Stalin (1879-1953), Soviet political leader-dictator; Heinrich Boll (1917-1985), novelist-poet; Kurt Waldheim (1918-), Austrian politician-national socialist, is 76; Joseph Paterno (1926-), football coach, is 68; Jane Fonda (1937-), actress-activist-fitness instructor, is 57; Frank Zappa (1940-1993), singer; Chris Evert (1954-), tennis player, is 40.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1959, the Dallas Cowboys hired Tom Landry as head coach. He helmed the Cowboys to 22 consecutive winning seasons over 29 years in the driver's

TODAY'S QUOTE: "Truman lost his and weighs 400 pounds. temper, MacArthur lost his job, Acheson lost his war, a million and a half people lost their lives and Stalin didn't even lose a night's sleep." — New York Herald Tribune on the Korean War TODAY'S WEATHER: On this day in 1892, a storm totaling 27.5 inches buried Portland, Ore., setting its alltime snowstorm record.

SOURCE: THE WEATHER CHANNELC1994 Weather Guide Calendar, Accord Publishing, Ltd. TODAY'S MOON: Between full moon (Dec. 18) and last quarter (Dec. 25).

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HOME HEALTH AGENCY - Outreach Health Services, which offers alternatives to a long hospital stay or nursing home care, is now open in Snyder. Located at 5305 Trinity Blvd.,

cutting ceremony last week, sponsored by the Gold Coaters. Employees shown are, from left, Georgia Shifflett, Teresa Ragland, RN; Cindy Drain, Kathy Walker, Jo Dell Cook and Cindy Ste. A1, the new business was the site of a ribbon Shehorn. (SDN Staff Photo by Jo Ann Nunley)

Flabio's near nude posters becoming hot selling item

(AP) — He's got that California tors will be added. look — and more. He's tanned, with blue eyes, long blond hair and ing - sort of. a come hither gaze.

Move over, Fabio. Way over. Here comes Flabio. "It's cool to be big, you

boy spoof of the beefcake model. status for Glover.

Posters of a near-nude Flabio stores in Southern California.

The posters are the brainchild of reasons." Eric States, who says he got the idea when he stepped out of the shower one day and noticed his own gut. States said he expects the

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The parody has Fabio's bless-

'If people are interested in see-He's also got a 58-inch waist ing a Flabio impersonator of Fabio, then Fabio wishes him the best of luck," said Peter Paul, Fabio's manager.

But Helen Gurley Brown, ediknow," said Michael Glover, a tor of Cosmopolitan magazine and 38-year-old former truck driver a Fabio friend, was skeptical about who's enjoying his role as poster- any impending super-celebrity

"Fabio does what is called sprawled at the ocean's edge are stopping traffic," Brown said. "I selling out at Xtra-Xtra Big & Tall dare say Flabio might be stopping traffic also, but for different

> Conrail is an acronym for Consolidated Rail Corp., a private, can only be reached through harmony of for-profit corporation set up by Congress in 1976 to reorganize and consolidate six bankrupt Northeast railroads — the Penn Central, the Erie Lackawanna, Reading, Central of New Jersey, Lehigh Valley and Lehigh & Hudson River. The legislation provided for a \$2 billion federal loan to the corporation and set a phased schedule of repayments.

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By Bernice Bede Osol



Thursday, Dec. 22, 1994

Your ability to earn will steadily improve in the year ahead. If a surplus accrues, think savings - not spending.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Be cautious around persons you don't know well today, especially in your commercial affairs. Select the people you trust carefully. Trying to patch up a broken romance? The Astro-Graph Matchmaker can help you to understand what to do to make the relationship work. Mail \$2 to Matchmaker, P.O. Box 4465, New York,

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) The shared objectives of you and your mate purpose. If either of you goes off on a tangent, no progress will be made.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) A bad attitude toward distasteful chores will make them even more unpleasant. If you think something is no fun today, you'll prove it to vourself

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Lady Luck might take the day off, so don't count on her to bail you out of complications you create today. Don't make things unnecessarily hard on yourself.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Do not provoke a family dispute today. Once started, it could prove difficult to subdue the shouters

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Strive to encourage others today instead of criticizing them, especially if they are doing their best to help you. Caustic comments could cost you their support.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) If you do not exercise proper self-discipline today, you will waste your resources and opportunities. Do not take good things for granted. LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Persons in your charge can be led today, but not driven. Before trying to boss others around, consider their feelings. Treat them as you'd like to be treated.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Do not waste time today worrying about things that may never happen. If you think there are wolves behind every tree, you won't have the courage to walk through the forest.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) If your better judgment warns you against something today, do not cave in to peer pressure. Be your own person and do that which you think is best. SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)

Occasionally, when you're tired or bored, you cannot decide on a course of action. This could be one of those days. Don't SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) It is

high time to forgive someone who offended you in the past. Nothing will be gained by holding a grudge. ©1994 NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN

Musician honored

NEW YORK (AP) - Mezzosoprano Marilyn Horne isn't just a great singer. She's a fine musician, too.

Musical America gave the opera star its "Musician of the Year" honor and put her picture on the cover of its annual "International Directory of the Perform-

'This is extraordinary for a singer," Horne said Tuesday during the ceremony at Lincoln Center.

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RADIO SHACK GRAND OPENING — Members of the Snyder Chamber of Commerce Gold Coats hosted the ribbon-cutting ceremony at the new Radio Shack which is located next door to Permian Communications. Among those attend-

ing were (front row, left to right,) Bobby Foust, Will Harrison, Melissa Thompson, Bill Overhulser, Sharon Sartor, Glenn Showers and Betty House. (SDN Staff Photo)

Church told to play fewer carols following complaints

SYRACUSE, N.Y. (AP) — court judge ordered the Congregafer a silent night to "Silent back. Night."

echurch 500 feet from their home Mrs. Diehl, who told the judge that has been making too much of a she has to take medication to stay blaring Christmas carols daily On Tuesday, a state appellate end.'

The Diehls complain that a ing to Christmas carols," said complained to state police on Dec.

The couple, wildlife photogra-Vici and Stephen Diehl would pre- tional Church of Antwerp to cut phers who do much of their work at their home, said the music dis-"The sad thing is, I like listen-rupted their work schedules. They 11 after eight hours of music.

Ordinances in Antwerp, about joyful noise this holiday season, calm while the music is playing. 90 miles north of Syracuse, prohi-"But I don't like being forced to bit loud noise between 10 p.m. and from loudspeakers on its steeple. listen to anything for hours on 8 a.m., so the village board concluded the music did not violate the law.

> But Judge John F. Lawton limited the church to broadcasting two one-hour sessions each day, separated by at least four hours, between 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. until Jan. 1, said the Diehls' attorney, Robert J. Miletsky. The judge allowed two two-hour sessions on Christmas Day.

"I'm not totally happy," Mrs. Diehl said outside the judge's chambers, where the Diehls made a final plea Tuesday. "The ideal solution would be to turn the volume down. They could play them

all day then.'

Ira Church of God slates Bible course in January

A college course in the Old Testament will be taught at Ira Church of God during the spring semester.

Offered through Mid America Bible College in Moore, Okla., the course begins in January and will he held one Saturday a month from 98 a.m. to 5 p.m. through May. Cleo Carlile of Big Spring will be the instructor. The cost will be

\$25 plus book. Those completing the course will receive three hours of college credit. Anyone wishing to enroll is asked to confirm by Dec. 31 by calling ueither Shari Cotton at 573-7409 or Jack Darnell, pastor, 573-5965.

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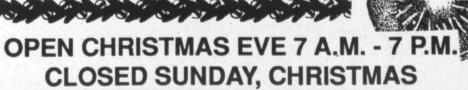
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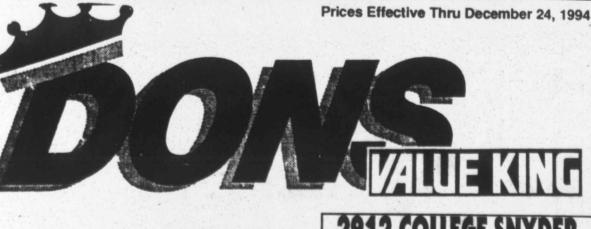
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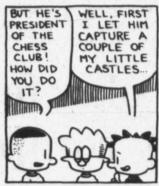
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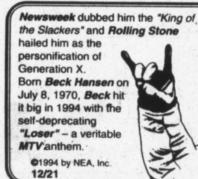


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Who hit the Top 40 with the following: a) "Creep" (1993) b) "Crazy" (1991) c) "Tramp" (1967) d) "Maniac" (1983) e) "Fool #1" (1961) f) "Le Freak" (1978) e) Brenda Lee 1) Chic d) Michael Sembello b) Seal c) Otis & Carla

Answers: a) Radiohead

NEA Crossword Puzzle

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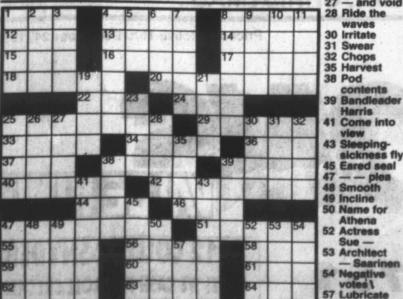
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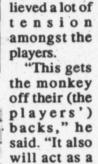
Lady Tigers maul Alpine Balanced scoring, foul shots

contribute to 78-27 road win

ALPINE - Snyder's Lady Tigers used a 47-8 scoring spree in the second half to post a 78-27 win over Alpine Tuesday.

In a game where all nine team members scored, Snyder posted its first win in four games.





confidence

builder going

After the

game, Snyder

assistant

coach Billy

Hicks said

the win re-

into the second half of the season."

Hicks went on to White say that the long journey to Alpine defi-

nitely brought the entire team closer together. "Getting the kids together like this on the road has acted as a little morale booster,' Hicks said. "Camaraderie is so important in a team sport and this trip has brought all of the

kids closer together. "With district play getting closer it is especially important that they develop into a unit."

Snyder (4-12) was able to come together as a team by get-

ting out to only their third first quarter lead of the season, 14-13. The Lady Tigers have been plagued by inconsistent starts and in previous games have been forced to claw back late in the game.

The game was tied at 19-19 midway through the second quarter mainly because of Snyder mistakes, according to Coach Hicks.

"We started out kind of shaky," he said. "We made some mistakes early, but we switched defenses causing Alpine to encounter some trouble."

The 19-19 tie would be erased quickly, as Snyder hit for 12 straight points to end the first half at 31-19.

In the second half, it was all

The Lady Tigers posted 47 points keyed by good free throw shooting. Snyder hit on 25 of 36 attempts from the line or 69 percent.

Senior forward Shayna Crow and junior guard Jodi White paced the Lady Tigers with 15 points apiece.

Elena Pearce scored eight points to lead the Lady Bucks.

Also contributing to the victory were Erica Garvin and Jamie Brown. Garvin finished with 14 points and Brown, who connected on two 3-pointers to open the first quarter, finished

Next up for the Lady Tigers is a Dec. 27 game in the opening round of the Reagan County tournament. Their op-



BACK ON TRACK - After losing their last three games, junior Jamie Brown, shown here against Plainview, and the Lady Tigers got back in the win column with a 78-27 rout of Alpine. (Photo by Todd Stanley)

With Smith out, Dallas forced to rely on defense

IRVING (AP) - A team usually needs a solid defense to get to the Super Bowl. But how do you get there with an offense that can't outscore its own defense?

This is the problem the defending Super Bowl champion Dallas Cowboys ponder as they quickly turnaround from a less than impressive Monday night victory over New Orleans for a fast trip to the Meadowlands against the New York Giants on Saturday.

The Cowboys returned two interceptions for touchdowns to beat the Saints 24-16. Two weeks ago, Dallas needed a 94-yard interception return for a touchdown by Darren Woodson to knock off Philadelphia.

"We've got to get our offense going," said Pro Bowl center Mark Stepnoski. "The defense has been carrying this team. The offense isn't getting the job done. We'll never get to the Super Bowl playing like this.'

Quarterback Troy Aikman missed two games with a knee sprain and the offense played well enough to get past Green Bay and Philadelphia.

Aikman returned against the Cleveland Browns, played poorly by his own admission, and Dallas lost 19-14. He threw two interceptions against the Saints and the offense accounted for only 10

'I just feel so-so about the way I've played and the way the whole team has played," Aikman said. "We're going to have to play better in all phases of the game if we get to do what we want to do and that's win a third consecutive Super Bowl.'

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LSU opening.

Offensive coordinator Ernie Zampese said, "We put some good drives together against the Saints. Now we need to put the whole offensive package

Complicating matters is the second hamstring injury of the season to running back Emmitt Smith. He suffered a right hamstring pull on Oct. 2 and pulled his left hamstring Monday night

against New Orleans. The Cowboys need Smith in the lineup against the Giants to get back their offensive timing. But is it worth the risk of aggra-

vating Smith's injury? The game against the Giants means nothing to the Cowboys, who clinched a bye in the first round and will host a divisional playoff game on Jan. 7 or 8. San Francisco has the homefield advantage throughout the playoffs.

But the Cowboys still need a solid game against the Giants for polishing and positive thinking as they head into the playoffs looking for a record third consecutive Super Bowl ring.

"You want to go into the playoffs not worried about any phase of your team," said defensive end Tony Tolbert. "We're still making too many mistakes. We even had a field goal attempt blocked. We've got to get everything worked out against the Giants."

Defensive coordinator Butch Davis said the Dallas defense gets better each week.

"The defensive plays we made against the Saints were some of the biggest we've made in my six years here," Davis said.

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they were going to travel all the way to Alpine, they might as well leave with a victory.

Both the junior varsity and freshmen squads posted impressive victories over the Lady Bucks.

The junior varsity Lady Tigers (10-6) raced out to an early lead and continued to blast Alpine throughout the game as they won going away 77-23.

In a game where all 11 Lady Tigers contributed points, Snyder's Tiffany Garza led the team with 15.

Jina Miller poured in 14 points for Snyder and Laura Collins had 11. Darla Blackwell knocked in

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ALPINE — The Snyder Lady free throw percentage remained the Lady Tigers to a 53-49 win Tigers apparently figured that if below 55 percent, a 19 for 35 night helped stretch their lead.

The game's first half saw the Lady Tigers outscore the Lady Bucks 43-6, 19-3 in the first quarter and 24-3 in the second.

Alpine's fate was sealed in the second half as Snyder poured on the points with a 13-9 third quarter and a 21-8 fourth.

In freshmen girls action, Jamie Burleson scored 19 points to lead

the Cardinals in three straight.

with 17 points, but free throws

Hermleigh's 55-52 loss.

Ricky Sosa led the Cardinals

The Cardinals shot just one of

dropped their sixth game of the

Billy Luna scored seven points.

Michael Breitweiser had 11 and

Anson used a 28-22 advantage

over Alpine.

Snyder used balanced scoring through all four quarters to get its fourth win of the year.

Melanie Kidd scored 13 points for the Lady Tigers and Brooke McGuire added 10.

Snyder took a 27-23 lead into halftime and although it was outscored 12-7 in the third quarter, the Lady Tigers held on to get the win with a 19-14 run in the fourth.

retires

NEW YORK (AP) - Diet, conditioning and hard work made Ivan Lendl the world's No. 1 tennis player. His own body made him retire.

'This is a sad time for me,' Lendl said Tuesday. "This is not when I would have chosen to retire, but my physical condition leaves me no option."

Suffering from facet joint syndrome, a degenerative condition of the spine, Lendl was forced to withdraw from several tournaments this year and retire from several others, including the U.S. Open.

"The spasms and pain are such that I can no longer play, even occasionally," he said.

Lendl was one of the sport's hardest workers, and it

showed. When he began his career,

he was a clay-court baseliner with a weak backhand that was exploited. Through hard work, his backhand became almost as big a weapon as his feared forehand. And in a bid to win Wimble-

don, he hired Australian Tony Roche as coach and began more of an attacking game, becoming proficient, if not completely comfortable, at the net.

Now 34, Lendl held the world's No. 1 ranking for a record 270 weeks. He fell out of the top 10 last year for the first time since 1979 and now is ranked 54th in the world.

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bounds, six steals and five assists, all team highs.

In the Lady Cardinals' game,

the Lady Lions tripped up Herm-

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Anson proves to be

too much for Cards

ANSON — Hermleigh fell be- leigh 56-34. Hermleigh got 16 points from hind early in each of their games Michelle Roemisch and six apiece against Anson, as the Lions swept from Ester Martinez and Kelly

The Lady Cardnials (2-7) fell behind in the first half, as the Lady proved to be the difference in Lions lead 29-15.

In junior varsity boys action, 10 from the charity stripe, as they Hermleigh dropped its eighth game of the year with a 53-16 trouncing at the hands of the

> Anson held the Cardinals scoreless in the first quarter to take a 9-0 lead, then extended the it in the second to lead at halftime 25-6.

Leading scorers for the Cardinals were Ricky Luna, who had eight points, and Alvin Koski who finished with six.

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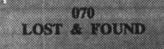
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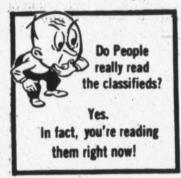
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(1)(1) LEGAL NOTICES

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him. Is this appropriate therapy? DEAR READER: I believe not. Some forms of memory loss (such as multi-infarct dementia) are caused by tiny blood clots that are carried to the

brain. Over a period of years, nerve tissue may begin to malfunction as a consequence of the cumulative effect of these clots. Forgetfulness and confusion may result.

Dr. Gott

By Peter Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: Several months ago you had a column on aspirin for

loss of memory. My husband is becoming forgetful and his doctor would like to prescribe Indocin for

For years, doctors have tried to dis-cover a medication that would prevent such clots from forming; in a phrase, a safe anti-coagulant that would merely reduce blood clotting within arteries, without affecting the whole coagulation process.

As strange as it sounds, inexpensive everyday aspirin appears to be the best product for this purpose. By lim-iting the tendency of the clot-forming blood cells (platelets) to stick together, aspirin appears to exert a beneficial effect in patients who are at risk for multi-infarct dementia, as well as strokes and heart attacks. Thus, most doctors recommend low-dose aspirin (a half adult tablet or whole baby aspirin a day) for such patients.

Indocin, an anti-inflammatory medicine, does not seem to be as effective as aspirin in the role of anti-coagulant. Although you should question your husband's physician about the reasons he prescribed Indocin, aspirin may be a cheaper and more ffective alternative.

To give you more information, I am sending you a free copy of my Health Report "Consumer Tips on Medicine." Other readers who would like a copy should send \$2 plus a long, selfaddressed, stamped envelope to P.O. Box 2433, New York, NY 10163. Be sure to mention the title.

DEAR DR. GOTT: About six months ago I began having restless legs, awaking at 2 or 3 every morning and every hour thereafter. What can I do about the situation?

DEAR READER: Restless legs syndrome plagues millions of adults. chiefly the elderly. The cause is unknown, but the affliction commonly leads to an uncontrollable urge to move the legs, usually occurring at night or at other inappropriate times. This sensation invariably interferes with sleep and other activities, such as reading and sitting quietly.

Doctors who treat the syndrome have been frustrated and disappointed by the lack of effective medicine for this condition. However, recent reports indicate that Permax (pergolide), a drug used to treat Parkinson's disease, may help patients with restless legs syndrome. O 1994 NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.

Bridge By Pillip Alder

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Pass 1 ♦ 3 NT All pass Pass 2 NT Opening lead: 4 10 At the bridge table, you can see only two hands during the play. While reading this column, though, you can peek at all 52 cards. It is difficult not to let

this extra information influence your

West North

East

thoughts, but... fight against it. Try to be objective.

Today's deal, from the World Open Pairs, featured interesting play for both sides. South started with a strong, artificial one club and North responded with a weak, artificial one diamond. This gave East the chance to overcall in spades. Against three no-trump, therefore, West led the spade 10: six, five, jack. (Without East's bid, West would have led the heart 10, which is much better for the defense, attacking dummy's entry before the clubs are established.) Declarer cashed the club ace, West dropping a deceptive 10. East won the club-jack continuation with his king and switched accurately to the dia-

researing, you would put in the jack, continue clubs and win 10 tricks. However. South, placing East with the club queen, didn't want West to win a liamong trick and lead another spade through dummy's queen. So South won with the diamond ace and led an-

That looks like it, doesn't it? Now the defenders can take three diamond tricks. But how does West know this? Might he not return his second spade? East, Welshman Patrick Jourdain, found the right solution. Under the club queen he discarded the spade king, Graceful for the help, West, Tony Ratcliff, returned a diamond to defeat the contract.

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XeroxCp ZenithE Former secretary of state dead at 85

ATHENS, Ga. (AP) - Former Secretary of State Dean Rusk, who went "eyeball to eyeball" with Moscow during the Cuban missile crisis and helped oversee America's ill-fated buildup in Vietnam, died at 85.

Rusk, the son of a poor Georgia farmer who became the nation's highest Cabinet officer in the Kennedy and Johnson administrations, died Tuesday night at his home in Athens, the University of Georgia said today. He taught at the university's law school after leaving Washington in 1969.

He had suffered from heart disease in recent years.,

Rusk was appointed secretary of state by President John F. Kennedy in 1961, enforcing the young president's Cold War policy of containing communism. After Kennedy was assassinated in 1963, President Lyndon Johnson insisted Rusk stay on, and Rusk remained secretary until the end of Johnson's term in 1969, despite

criticism for Vietnam. Former Defense Secretary Robert McNamara, who served with Rusk and was also vilified over Vietnam, today praised him as "the most selfless, devoted servant of our nation that I've ever North Korea will turn over remains of American pilot

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) — North Korea agreed today to release the body of an American pilot killed when his helicopter went down in the communist country four days ago. But the North said it will continue holding the surviving co-pilot.

North Korea agreed to return the body during a long meeting with U.S. officials at the Korean War truce village of Panmunjom, where the repatriation is scheduled to take place at 10 a.m. Thursday (8 p.m. EST today), U.S. military spokesman Jim Coles said. Army generals led each delegation.

Chief Warrant Officers Bobby Hall of Brooksville, Fla., and David Hilemon of Clarksville, Tenn., were flying along the demilitarized zone that separates the two Koreas on Saturday when their U.S. Army OH-58C helicopter strayed into North Korean territory.

The helicopter made an emergency landing or was shot down. Hilemon died and Hall was taken captive.

Citing humanitarian principles, North Korea said through its official Korean Central News Agency today that it has "decided to transfer the body of David Hilemon soon to the U.S. Army."

It said Hall was "now in good health" and that its investigation was completed, "a step will be taken according to the relevant legal procedures of our army."

U.S. officials said they were hopeful Hall would be released

"What I've been told is that the Korean People's Army is going to keep him until their investigation is complete, and we're hoping that won't be leng," Coles said.

'They said they're not going to give us any information on him or allow any contact in the meantime.'

Coles said he had no details on whether North Korea made any demands in exchange for repatriation.

"We certainly welcome this humanitarian move," White House Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers said of the agreement to return Hilemon's body.

she said the White House didn't OK when I see him."

"have anything concrete" when asked about reports that the United States had been assured Hall would be freed.

Hilemon's remains will be accompanied to Seoul by U.S. Rep. Bill Richardson, D-N.M., Coles

Richardson happened to be in North Korea on Saturday to discuss a U.S.-North Korean nuclear

Richardson's wife called Hall's mother, Diane, today to say the congressman hopes her son will be released before Christmas.

"I was hoping for a little bit more, but we'll take it and hope that it just keeps progressing as The United States will continue quickly from there," Mrs. Hall to demand Hall's release "in time told Cable News Network. "We for the Christmas holiday," she still don't have any real word on told reporters in Washington. But his condition. ... I'll believe he's

Obituaries

Jimmie Bruyere F.C. Shillingburg

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Service for Mrs. Jimmie Bruyere, 70, of Snyder is set for 11 are set for 10 a.m. Thursday in the a.m. Friday in the chapel of Bell- McCoy Funeral Home Chapel for Cypert-Seale Funeral Home with F.C. "Shilly" Shillingburg, 81, the Rev. Rusty Dickerson, pastor who died Tuesday in a Sweetwaof Trinity Methodist Hospital, ter Hospital.

Tuesday in St. Mary of the Plains Hospital in Lubbock.

Born on Aug. 21, 1924, in Fort Worth, she married B.D. "Bo" Bruyere on Aug. 2, 1942, in Kilgore. She had lived in Snyder for 27 years and was office manager for Dr. Carl Dillaha for 22 years, retiring in 1983. Mrs. Bruyere was a homemaker and a member of Trinity United Methodist He served as District Range Con-Church.

Survivors include her husband, B.D. "Bo" Bruyere of the home; one son and daughter-in-law, Rick and Lyne Bruyere of Alamogordo, N.M.; one daughter and son-in-law, Judy and Rodney Acker of Dallas; one brother, Roy D. Gilliland of Tulsa, Okla.; and lan, Fisher and Sterling counties. Emily Bruyere of Alamogordo and Amy, Shelley and Rachel Acker of Dallas; and one grandson, Sam Acker of Dallas.

Hospital **Notes**

ADMISSIONS: Traci Gutierrez, P.O. Box 924. DISMISSALS: Opal Eicke, Christi Vineyard.

Census: 43 (Med.-10, Long-Term Care-29, OB-3, Nursery-1)

Quiet period for officers

Local law enforcement officials had a quiet 24-hour period as only one arrest was noted.

A 20-year-old male was arrested at 5:35 p.m. at the police department on warrants for assault and public intoxication.

Lana Cline filed an offense report for Class A criminal mischief following an incident in which her vehicle was "keyed" in the parking lot of Lawrence IGA on

Monday, Dec. 19. John Cagle reported to the sheriff's office that he had paid \$250 cash for a motor that had not been delivered. A report for misdemeanor theft was filed.

An offense report for burglary was filed after Penny Beaver, 904 27th St., reported a house had been burglarized.

A woman in the 3000 block of 40th Street reported hearing a scream followed by a gunshot at 12:40 this morning but officers did not find any evidence of problems in the area.

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SWEETWATER — Services

Graveside service is set for 3 Mrs. Bruyere died at 4:15 a.m. p.m. Thursday in the Erath Garden of Memories in Stephenville.

Born in Erath County, he graduated from Texas A&M University and married Dorris Cowan in 1935 in Lingleville.

He was a vocational agriculture teacher in Ralls, Colorado City and Ballinger before going to work for the Soil Conservation Service in Sweetwater in 1946. servationist for Nolan, Fisher, Scurry and Mitchell counties.

He began work with Sweetwater Production Credit Association in 1955 and retired in 1979 as its president, Mr. Shillinburg also served as assistant manager for the "18" Ranches located in No-

five granddaughters, Jessica and A member of the First United Methodist Church, Mr. Shillinburg served on the board of stewards in Colorado City and as administrator in Sweetwater.

Survivors include his wife, Dorris Shillingburg of Sweetwater; two sisters, Ora Smith of Lubbock and Edna Carr of Dublin; and several nieces and nephews.

Rusty Lee

1920-1994

COLORADO CITY - A memorial service is set for 2 p.m. Thursday in the First Presbyterian Church for Fielding Ewing "Rusty" Lee Jr., 74, who died Tuesday in a Lubbock hospital.

Officiating will be the Revs. Mark Spence and Emmett Adair, with burial to follow in the Colorado City Cemetery.

A resident of Dunn since 1932, Mr. Lee had worked as a mechanical engineer with TU Electric for 33 years and had also been employed by Lynx Consulting Inc.

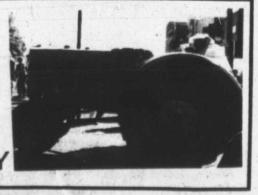
Born in Cisco, Mr. Lee married Armoria Whitemore in 1939 in Sweetwater. He was a U.S. Army veteran, serving in the Pacific Theater during World War II.

Mr. Lee was a member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers and served as an elder of the First Presbyterian Church.

Survivors include his wife, Armoria Lee of Dunn; two sons, Joel Lee of Hawaii and John Lee; three daughters, Cecilia Scott of Beford, Theresa Lee of Dallas and Sarah Morris of Lubbock; two sisters, Betsy Aycock of Colorado City and Jan Byrd of Charleston, S.C.; and four grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to the American Cancer Society, Heart Association or a favorite

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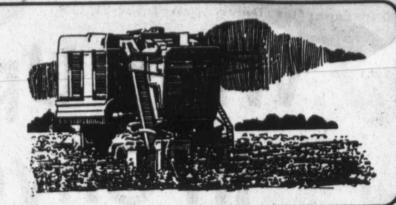
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The Emu Report

By Shirley Pate, Pate Emu Farm

It's almost Christmas, by this time most emu producers have hens that are laying. Those who have early layers may be hatching chicks. It is important that you keep records both to increase your hatch record and to provide information to the future buyer of your birds. Records should be kept on each hen and every egg she lays. This week we are going to touch on only one type of record, the different stages an embryo can die during incubation. Listed here are the different stages and abbreviations that should be used upon identification of the condition. Infertile (INF); Early Embryonic Death (EAR); Mid-term Embryonic Death (MID); Late Embryonic Death (LAT); Dead in Shell (DIS); Live Healthy Chick, Unassisted Hatch (NOR).

Many times an egg is said to be infertile, when in fact the embryo died in the early stages. Each egg which does not hatch should be examined carefully. First break the egg into a clear, flat dish. Usually, in an egg that has incubated for 50 days, the yoke and the white will have run together and become cloudy. To declare whether it is INF or EAR, if you are unable to see any kind of development, you should go through the contents with your fingers to find the blastoderm, a small, dime-size, clear, gelatin like substance. If it is clear, and there are no signs of embryonic development, it is INF.

EAR: Upon examination of the egg contents, the only evidence of embryonic development may be very tiny. Sometimes only an eye can be see while other times a complete small embryo.

MID: This is when you see a mostly developed embryo. It will be small, sometimes completely feathered or just a small amount of feathers.

LAT: At this stage the embryo is fully developed but died before internal pipping.

By Belinda Dollins

The Rolling Plains Ratite As-

munity Center. Guest speaker was

Fred Ross with Rheanational, Inc.

Rhea, Ostrich and Emu. The com-

pany does not purchase birds from

auctions, only from members.

DIS: The chick has internally pipped or even externally pipped but died before completely clearing the shell. He may or may not

have assorted the yoke sack. NOR: If you are able to put this down on most of your records, you can be thankful and know you are doing things right.

Using this method of identificaeggs that do not hatch, it will help Emu Farm, 573-5340.

in locating the cause. It may be in one hen only, if so she could have an infection, or you may need to store her eggs for several days to allow the albumen to break down before incubation. The temperature or humidity may need adjusting, or there may not be enough fresh air flow in the incubator room. In any case the above will help you correct the problem. For tion, should you have a number of further information contact, Pate



Town & Country Topics

By Kathryn Roberts **County Extension Agent**

When cooking a holiday meal in advance, divide foods into small shallow containers and cool quickly. This includes the carved turkey.

Do not attempt to partially cook meat and poultry ahead of time and then finish cooking at the destination.

Transport cold or frozen foods in an insulated cooler with a cold 1-800-535-4555.

temperature over two hours. Wrap through Fri. year round. well to insulate.

Keep hot foods HOT and cold foods COLD.

Sometimes it's safer just to give up on taking your feast across the country. Look for new traditions when you get there.

If you have other questions about meat and poultry safety, call a turkey genie-us at the USDA Meat and Poultry Hotline toll free at

Hotline home economists and Hot foods should be kept hot, registered dieticians will answer and should not be held at room calls from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Mon.

Perry recognizes Central Plains eradication program

the Central Rolling Plains approved the Boll Weevill Eradication Program, becoming the third Weevil Eradication Board. zone in the state to vote for eradi-Rick Perry said. The Southern Grande Valley have already approved the measure.

Cotton producers approved establishing the zone by 84.6 percent. The assesment rate, which will help pay for the program, A meeting held

AUSTIN - Cotton farmers in passed by nearly 83 percent. Woody Anderson was elected as the zone representative to the Boll

The Boll Weevil Eradication cation. Agriculture Commissioner Foundation is working to set elections in the other six eradication Rolling Plains and Lower Rio zones. Dates and plans for other areas of the state will be announced as they are finalized.

"Only a united, vigorous eradication program will allow our farmers to get rid of this tremendously vicious pest," Perry said. "Our farmers must eradicate the boll weevil so they can sell more cotton, use less pesticides and enjoy a safer environment." rounded slaughter house. They

The Central Rolling Plains zone includes Archer, Baylor, part of Borden, Callahan, Eastland, Fisher, Haskell,, Jones, Knox, Mitchell, Nolan, Palo Pinto, Scurry, Shackelford, Stephens, Stonewall, north Taylor, Throckmorton and Young counties. This the tanning of the hides of all three zone has approxiamately 675,000 acres of cotton.

A toll free number (1-800-687-1212) has been set up to answer questions about the program.

on the 1995 growing season by attending one of three regional conferences Jan. 16-18. National leaders in the cotton industry will join research scientists and Texas Agricultural Extension Service specialists who work directly with local growers to present up-to-the minute information on production technology and regulations, national and international policy and marketing strategies.

Opening the series Jan. 16 will be the Southern Mesa Cotton Conference at the Dawson County Annex Building, 609 North First St., Lamesa. It will focus upon concerns for growers in Dawson, Borden, Gaines, Garza, Scurry, Terry and Yoakum counties.

ence will be Jan. 17-18 at the Plains Baptist Assembly seven miles south of Floydada on U.S. Highway 62. It will address needs of growers in Crosby, Floyd, Hale, Briscoe and Lubbock.

The Llano Estacado Cotton Conference will be Jan. 18 at the Olton Ag Pavilion, U.S. Highway 70 at Ave. D, Olton. It is tailored to concerns of growers in Lamb, Castro, Parmer and Bailey counties.

The three conferences are a result of the highly successful Caprock Cotton Conference presented in Crosbyton each January for the past several years by the Extension Service.

"The Caprock Cotton Conference, and the two additional conferences this year, are a direct result of educational programming requested by the producers," said we had to turn away growers who wanted to attend."

Robinson said the series of con-

'Beltwide' forum hosted by Texas

SAN ANTONIO - More than 5,000 cotton producers and leaders from all phases of the cotton industry will gather here Jan. 4-7 as Texas plays host to the Beltwide Cotton Conferences. The premier annual forum for cotton production, it combines more than a dozen special technical conferences into a single national event.

The national event is sponsored by the National Cotton Council in cooperation with state land-grant universities such as Texas A&M University, the U.S. Department of Agriculture, agribusiness, consultants and state and regional cotton organizations.

Regional meetings planned for area's cotton producers LUBBOCK — Cotton growers ferences was devised to allow ulations, Randy Rivera, Texas De-

more growers to take part and to partment of Agricluture. on the South Plains can get a jump fully address specific concerns in differnt growing regions of the South Plains. All three statewide Extension Service issues of economic competitiveness for Texas agriculture and communities; waenvironment and natural resources. Each conference will provide

continuing education units which growers need to comply with state environmental regulations. Registration fees include meals and will include: The 1995 cotton advance registration is desired. marketing picture, Dr. Carl An-Growers may register with their derson, Extension Service ecocounty extension office.

Zalrezeski (cq), legislative analyst The Caprock Cotton Conferton Council, Washington, D.C., tion program, Frank Meyers, Tenn., will present an historical Lyle. perspective on cotton production.

Mark Lange, director of economic services for the Cotton Council at Memphis, Tenn., will describe the world cotton economic outlook and status of U.S. James Leser, extension entomolofarm bill deliberations at the Southern Mesa and Caprock prog-strations, Kerry Siders, Floyd rams. At both the Caprock and County agent; variety test results, Llano Estacado programs, Nicho- Greg Jones, Crosby-Floyd county las Hahn, president of Cotton in- entomologist. corporated, New York City, will report on its activities.

(D-Texas) will provide a Congress Ed Smith, Extension Service eco- cotton marketing, Bedford For-Dr. Bob Robinson, Extension Ser- nomist, College Station, discuss- rest, TDA; 1994 crop review, vice district director. "The re- ing present and future farm policy, Hake; '95 pest outlook, Leser, and sponse was so great that last year and Woody Anderson, chairman boll weevil update, Roger Halof the Texas Boll Weevil Founda- denby, Plains Cotton Growers. tion, on eradication efforts.

Technical presentations at Lamesa will be: Dryland cotton yeilds, Dr. Dan Krieg, Texas Tech University; variety and planting considerations, Kater Hake, extension cotton specialist; weed control, Dr. Billy Warrick, extension agronomist; economics of low volume irrigation versus dryland production, Dr. William Lyle, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station; cropping systems, John Farris, Dawson County extension agent; and laws and reg-

The two-day Caprock conference, which will offer 10 CEUs, will include a presentation on property rights by Marshall Kuykendall, Dripping Springs rancher and president of the Take Back ter quality and conservation, and Texas organization. Also featured will be a discussion of biotechnology with Dr. John Gannaway, Experiment Station cotton breeder, and officials of Calgene and Micogene corporations.

Other presentations at Floydada nomist, College Station; inte-At each conference, Paulette grated pest management, Dr. Tom Fuchs, extension entomologist, and lobbyist for the National Cot- San Angelo; boll weevil eradicawill provide a legislative update Texas Boll Weevil Foundation, and Adam Ballinger, publisher of Abilene; what the '94 crop told us, "Fiber" magazine, Memphis, Hake, and moisture management,

Also, the systems approach to cotton production, Dr. Wayne Keeling, Experiment Station; seed quality, Dr. Norman Hopper, Texas Tech; insect situation, Dr. gist; weed control result demon-

The Llano Estacado conference at Olton will include updates on U.S. Rep. Charles Stenholm crop insurance reform by Dr. Jackie Smith, extension economupdate at the Llano Estacado con- ist; worker protection standards, ference. Other featured speakers James Esty, TDA; farm bill upat that program will inlclude Dr. date, Dr. Ed Smith; value-added



The company uses a well Sweetwater cattle auction

The market was steady and active on a run of 1,024 head of cattle for the Dec. 7th sale. Stocker cattle steady with feeder cattle active. Pairs and bred cows steady with packer cows and balls \$2-\$3 cwt higher. STEERS —300-400: 87-105.

- 400-500: 83-94. -500-600: 75-81.
- -600-700: 70-75 HEIFERS -300-400: 85-94. -400-500: 76-81.

-500-600: 66-73.

- 600-700: 62-70. -BRED COWS -Good: 550-650. Older and plainer: 400-550.
- -Good: 750-900. Older and plainer: 500-750. PACKER COWS -Good: 36-42.
- Low yielding: 28-35.
 PACKER BULLS —Good: 50-55. —Low yielding: 46-50.

Colorado City livestock auction

COLORADO CITY — All classes of cattle COLORADO CITY — All classes of cattle were steady on 802 head of cattle sold at the Colorado City Livestock Auction on Saturday, Dec. 17. All packer cows and bulls \$2-54 higher. The auction will be closed Dec. 24 and Dec. 31 and open again on Jan. 7.

Heifers: 200-400, 80-100; 400-600, 72-80; 600.800, 62-72

600-800, 68-72. Steers: 200-400, 90-105; 400-600, 78-90; 600-800, 68-78. Bred Cows Good: 600-700; Older:

Pairs: Good: 725-835; Older: 500-600. Packer cows: Good: 44-48; Pat: 40-43; Old

soc. met Dec. 17 at the N.E. Com- meet it. Rheanational, Inc. is currently building a donder room, which they are trying to get the state of

know the slaughter schedule and

Rheanational, Inc. is a co-op that is marketing all three ratites -Texas to approve. The company is also in negotiations right now with people to do

> Rhea and ostrich hides are good for boots but emu is good for

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Right now there is no use for ostrich oil but the by-products of all three birds have an exciting future.

Bruce Boehmer with Rheanational, Inc has been talking to Service Chef Associations around Texas. All comments have been positive.

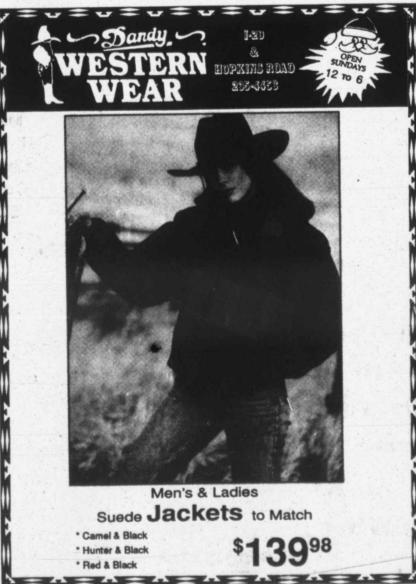
There is a Ratite meat book and a recipe book that shows, anything you can do with pork, beef and chicken, you can do with Ratite meat. There is very little or no

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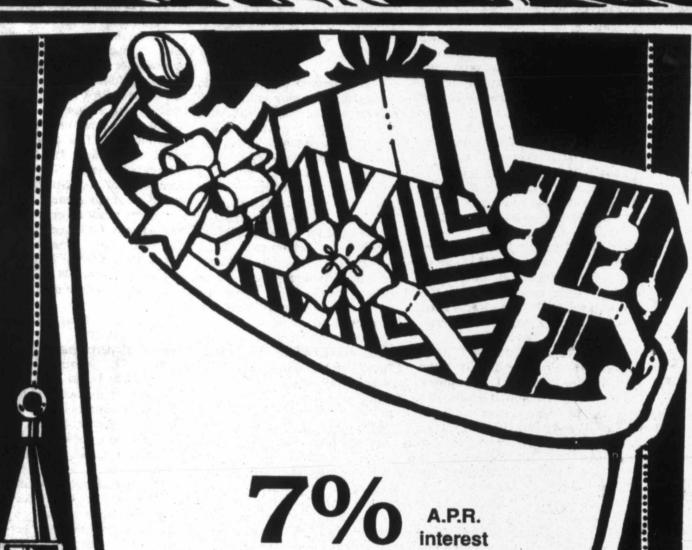
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(4) Enjoy shopping Snyder Merchants and save money, time and hassle. Increase your enjoyment of Christmas

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