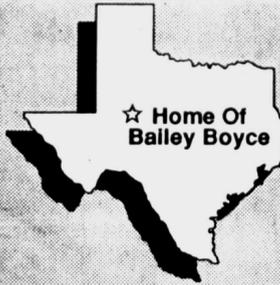


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# Snyder Daily News

## Ask Us

Q—When was the National Guard Armory constructed at Towle Park?

A—It was built during 1956-57.

## Local

### East out

East Elementary Family Night Out will be Friday at Taco John's.

### Alliance

Scurry County Ministerial Alliance will meet at 10 a.m. Thursday at Willow Park Inn.

### B&G Club

Scurry County Boys & Girls Club board will meet at 7 a.m. Tuesday, March 14, at the club building.

### Tourism

The chamber of commerce's Tourism Committee will meet at 10 a.m. Thursday in the chamber board room.

### Video series

"Where In The World Is Jesus," the next video tape in the Key to the Kingdom series, will be shown on Snyder Cablevision Channel 2 at 7 p.m. Monday.

### Class of '40

Snyder High School Class of 1940 will have a reunion planning session at 7 p.m. Monday at Willow Park Inn. For more information, call Wernetta Smith at 573-1415 or Juanita Cochran at 573-6675.

### Ratite

The Rolling Plains Ratite Association will meet Saturday at 7 p.m. at the Northeast Community Center. For further information call Pat Day at 573-0971 or Jeannie Jackson at 573-4789. The public is invited.

### Fund-raiser

The youth group at Colonial Hill Baptist Church will sponsor a chicken-spaghetti fund-raiser from 5:30-6:30 p.m. Friday in the fellowship hall. For reservations or more information, call the church office at 573-8596.

### WTC play

"Master Harold... and the boys," continues nightly through Thursday at the college Fine Arts Theatre. Tickets are \$5 for adults. The play is not recommended for children.

For reservations, call 573-8511, ext. 234. The play begins at 8 o'clock each evening.

### Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Tuesday, 44 degrees; low, 21 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Wednesday, 21 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1995 to date, 2 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, fair. Low around 30. Southeast to south wind 5-10 mph. Thursday, partly cloudy. High in the upper 60s. South wind increasing to 10-20 mph and gusty by afternoon.

Almanac: Sunset today, 6:47; Sunrise Thursday, 7:02. Of 66 days in 1995, the sun has shone 59 days in Snyder.

By Senate committee...

## Crime bills approved

AUSTIN (AP) — Despite strong opposition by defense attorneys, the full Senate will consider three bills aimed at extending the reach of penal code revisions approved in 1993.

The Senate Criminal Justice Committee has approved measures that would increase sentences for a new state jail felony, make victims of domestic violence testify in court against their spouses and restrict the reversal of trial decisions on technicalities.

A fourth bill that would increase penalties for evading arrest was left pending.

Representatives of the Texas Criminal Defense Lawyers Association came out Tuesday against all four measures.

The Legislature in 1993 overhauled the state's criminal laws and launched a massive prison-building program. As part of that overhaul, lawmakers created a new system of state jails to handle nonviolent offenders.

A bill by Sen. John Whitmire, D-Houston, would extend the maximum punishment for a state jail felony from two years to three years.

The bill was endorsed by district attorneys, county judges, police officers, sheriffs, judges,

mayors and the Texas Rangers.

But those from the defense lawyers association opposed the measure, saying the changes were being proposed before the still-new current laws could be tested.

Whitmire's bill would also allow prosecutors to decide if third-time nonviolent offenders should go to prison instead of a state jail.

The bill calls for expanding evidence that could be admitted to child sex abuse cases and specifies that the entire state parole board — not just a panel of three — would have to give two-thirds approval to release capital murderers serving life sentences.

And, it would make assaults on public servants, such as peace officers and teachers, felonies.

The committee also approved a bill that would require a person to testify against a spouse in domestic violence cases.

David Bires, a Houston attorney, criticized the bill by Sen. Mike Moncrief, D-Fort Worth, saying it was "too intrusive into a marital relationship."

The bill was also supported by police officers and prosecutors, who said many potentially successful cases are dismissed because battered spouses won't testify.



**BLOOD DONOR** — Rhonda Wilson watches as United Blood Services employee Diana Nunez starts the process. Eighty-five units of blood were

donated Tuesday with 19 new donors. The drive continues today until 5 p.m. at the National Guard Armory. (SDN Staff Photo)

## The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "Before you move mountains, somebody has got to move foothills."

Tim Riggan likes food, but he doesn't have total faith in it when forecasting the money markets. However, Edward Artzt, chairman of Proctor and Gamble, has a market indicator in which he has complete confidence. If the chairman feels a recession coming on, all he needs to do is to check his peanut butter sales chart.

Since 1970, sales of Jif Peanut Butter have correlated perfectly with recessions. When gross national product falls and unemployment is on the rise, his peanut butter sales take off.

That was just one of several facts found in a book titled, "Can You Trust a Tomato in January?"

There were other interesting tidbits between the covers:

--there is more lemon juice in some furniture polish than in some lemonade.

--Coca-Cola buys more sugar than any other company in the world.

--the soft drink company also buys more vanilla than anybody else. When Coke tried a new formula, the world's largest supplier of vanilla went on hard times. Fortunately, Americans rejected the new formula and the supplier's profit ledger was no longer plain vanilla.

Also, we learned that food choices are determined by our moods.

--Amused or bored folks prefer crunchy foods.

--Sweet foods are popular when folks are worried, amused or bored.

--Spicy foods are preferred by those feeling friendly, happy, confident or amused.

--Salty foods are on tap for those who are anxious, amused or bored.

--Sour foods are most often eaten by those who are sad.

--Warm food is for the confident, friendly, relaxed, and happy.

We noticed that amused folks like almost any kind of food. That may be the reason that plump people are generally considered jolly.

## 'Broadway Review' Against yen, mark... to begin 2nd stand Value of dollar declining

Tickets are on sale for the second stand of the Ritz spring musical, "Broadway Revue," which opens Friday at Martha Ann Woman's Club.

The production will include a Saturday dinner theatre and a Sunday matinee.

Tickets for non-season ticket holders are \$7 for the Friday and Sunday shows and \$15.50 for the dinner theatre. Reservations can be made by calling the Senior Center from 2 until 5 p.m. Dinner theatre tickets must be purchased in advance at the chamber of commerce.

"Broadway Review" showcases a variety of local talent performing selections from contem-

porary Broadway shows. The music includes numbers from "Le Miserables," "A Chorus Line," "A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum," "West Side Story," "Cats" and "Sweeney Todd," plus others.

The cast includes Donnie Burk, Joanna Burk, Sterling Cave, Mary Lou Crawford, Jared Dennis, Amy Eicke, Shelly Englert, Rachel Haines, Jimmy Hall, Kay Hooper, Jonathan Pennington, Ellen Strayhorn, Rebekah Thornton, Tara Trevey, David Trevey and Heather Ward. Melanie Smith is the musical director and Judy Haines is the choreographer.

"Broadway Review" which previously ran Feb. 24-26.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Federal Reserve Chairman Alan Greenspan told Congress today the dollar's sharp decline on global currency markets is "unwelcome and troublesome," and said the federal government's huge budget deficit is partly to blame.

In his first public comment since the dollar began plummeting a week ago, Greenspan said the sliding U.S. currency could increase inflationary pressure on the U.S. economy.

"The weakness of the dollar against other major currencies is both unwelcome and troublesome," Greenspan told the House Budget Committee.

The dollar, which has hit record lows against the Japanese yen and the German mark, rallied in early trading today. Analysts said Greenspan's comments probably would be helpful.

In prepared remarks, Greenspan made no mention of the possibility that the Federal Reserve could be close to the end of its interest rate increases. Greenspan had hinted two weeks ago that the Fed not only could be through tightening interest rates, but could even lower them.

Those comments had been widely blamed as contributing to the dollar's plunge as global investors withdrew their funds from the United States, searching for

better returns in Germany and other countries.

But today, Greenspan stressed that the economy — while slowing — was still vibrant and the Federal Reserve is on alert for any signs of inflation.

The dollar, which fell as low as 1.3600 marks in New York on Tuesday, traded at 1.3852 German marks at midday in Europe. It also dropped at one point Tuesday to 89.05 yen but was trading at 91.20 yen early today in New York.

Greenspan said making deficit reduction a top priority would help convince financial markets the dollar's future is stable.

## May 6 elections get little interest

A year ago, city and school elections brought out a lot of candidates. Almost every seat up for election was contested, and at Hermleigh there were three candidates for every available place on the school board.

This year, 17 days into the early filing period, there is only one contested race out of 10, and not one person has filed for a trustee position at Hermleigh. "Oh, we'll get some," HISD Superintendent Jerry Church said this morning. "I've had two or three tell me they will, but they just haven't gotten to it yet."

Up for election on the HISD board are two at-large seats held by Carole Haynes and Neil Beeks. Ironically, eight people filed for two positions on the HISD board in 1993 and, last year, the election generated 10 candidates for three places.

Although the HISD election is the only one without a candidate, no one is exactly rushing to get their name on a ballot in any of the other elections scheduled for May 6.

It's been almost two weeks since the last person filed. That was Luann Bureson, who is seeking her fourth term on the Snyder public schools board of trustees. She joined incumbent Charles Anderson, who filed on the first day of the filing period, Feb. 20. Both are unopposed.

At Ira, there are three places up for election on the school board. Former board member Sid Wall has filed for Place 1, an unexpired term. The others, both full terms, are Place 6, held by Keith Clements, and Place 7, held by Doug White. Both incumbents have filed for another term. All three men remain unopposed.

The Snyder City Council election has the only contested race. At-large incumbents Dayton Robertson and Ron Shaw are seeking another term. Joining the race has been Stanley Noah. The top two vote getters on May 6 will serve on the council.

As the early voting period began, Paul Zeck announced that he would not seek reelection as mayor. David Holt filed for that position and has no opposition.

Citizens still have more than a week to file. The deadline is the close of business on March 20.

### Who's filed?

#### Municipal

City Council: 2 at large

Dayton Robertson (I)

Ron Shaw (I)

Stanley Noah

Mayor: at large

David Holt

Snyder ISD: 2 at large

Charles Anderson (I)

Luann Bureson (I)

Ira ISD: 3 at large

Place 1 (pt)

Sid Wall

Place 6

Keith Clements (I)

Place 7

R. Douglass White (I)

Hermleigh ISD: 2 at large

None

(pt) - partial term

(I) - incumbent

## Windham School to host job fair at Price Daniel

The faculty and staff of the Windham School at the Price Daniel Unit will host a job fair Thursday.

Principal Bill Moss said some 48 business persons from the Snyder area will be at the unit to share business knowledge and expertise with inmates enrolled in the Windham School.

## Ira board meets Thursday

from the Southwest Drug Education and Drug Deterrent Service to provide drug education and inspection services.

Other items include:

--Recommendations from the textbook committee.

--A waiver request for kindergarten instructional materials.

--Budget amendments.

--Payment of bills.

There will be 25 businesses represented during the morning session and 23 during the afternoon session. Resource persons will have lunch at the unit.

The Job Fair, similar to a Career Day, will be held from 6 a.m. until 6 p.m., Moss said. Eddie Williams, a Windham teacher, is coordinator of the project.

Personnel contracts and bids for technology equipment are among the items for Ira public school trustees, who convene at 7:30 p.m. Thursday.

Personnel matters include consideration of teacher contracts and a request for a leave of absence. Trustees will conduct the annual election of the Region 14 board of directors and consider a proposal

# Probe suggested for timber thefts

WASHINGTON (AP) — Taxpayers lose as much as \$100 million a year to logging companies that defraud the government by cutting trees outside boundaries, falsifying sale bills and stealing wood in the dead of night from national forests, environmentalists contend.

Leaders of 16 groups asked Attorney General Janet Reno on Tuesday to investigate allegations the Forest Service obstructed government probes into fraudulent logging and timber theft at national forests.

They also said in a petition to the Justice Department that sexual harassment of women is rampant at the Forest Service and whistle blowers continue to suffer illegal reprisals.

"The Forest Service is simply too entrenched to reform itself," Larry Campbell of the Montana-based Voice of the Environment said at a news conference unveiling

ing a new report, "Chainsaw Justice."

Campbell accused the agency of "obstruction of justice," "harassment," and "corruption."

The Justice Department had no immediate comment, a spokesman said Tuesday.

Forest Service Chief Jack Ward Thomas on Monday defended the agency's efforts to expand timber theft investigations to curtail what he said was millions of dollars of timber theft annually.

"Stealing from national forests will not be tolerated," Thomas said.

Greenpeace, the Sierra Club, National Audubon Society and Friends of the Earth were among those urging a federal probe of allegations the Forest Service looks the other way when preferred clients steal timber and harass law officers who try to put a stop to it.

"Instead of clamping down on environmental criminals as directed by Congress, agency leaders are going after their own law enforcement staff," said Steven Taylor, author of the 90-page report.

Taylor said the Forest Service has "aided and abetted" the timber industry in stealing the public trees. He said agency managers have tampered with evidence, tipped off agency officials to pending investigations and provided loggers with access to tracer paint used to mark trees approved for harvest.

Police and anti-war demonstrators clashed in the streets of Chicago in 1968 as the Democratic National Convention nominated Hubert H. Humphrey for president.



**ASSEMBLY PROGRAM** — Two Central first grade classes presented "It's A Jungle Out There" during a recent assembly. Teachers involved were Lisa Gray, Florence Lewis and Paula Howard, music teacher. Students participating were Veronica Aguilar, Gary Archie, Jeanette Castaneda, James Castro, Rene Hernandez, Delfino Hill, Kimberly Leverett, Leticia Marquez, Steven Martinez, Tonya Robles, Isaac Rodriguez, Kristian Torres, DeWhite

Wells. Others are Dexter Braziel, Monica Capetillo, Kirsten Courtney, Elizabeth Dominguez, Daniela Garcia, Tommy Garza, Rachel Hernandez, Travis Hill, Kenetra James, Cody W. Johnston, Gineida Lopez, Jacobee Martinez, Victoria Martinez, Sequoya Powell, Tina Speedon and Dalesa Traylor. (SDN Staff Photo by Jo Ann Nunley)

## Pick 3

AUSTIN (AP) — The Pick 3 winning numbers drawn Tuesday by the Texas Lottery, in order: 4-1-8 (four, one, eight)

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# Fed officials to apologize to scientist

WASHINGTON (AP) — A statement linking a Pittsburgh scientist with misconduct will be removed from computer networks and the federal government will apologize to him under a restraining order agreed to by federal attorneys.

A lawyer for Dr. Bernard Fisher, a University of Pittsburgh scientist who once headed a major cancer research project, said Tuesday that the agreement will be submitted to a U.S. District Court judge on Thursday, but that a lawsuit seeking damages continues in litigation.

A law clerk on the staff of U.S. District Court Judge Ricardo Urbina confirmed the agreement. A

lawyer in the U.S. Attorney's office did not return phone calls.

Robert Charrow, who represents Fisher, said that under terms of the agreement, the National Institutes of Health will remove the phrase "scientific misconduct" from the heading of 148 research papers that are stored in two medical research databanks operated by NIH. Fisher was a co-author of the studies.

"They have agreed to remove all such annotations from all databases," said Charrow.

He said federal officials also agreed to print a correction and an apology on a medical computer network called Medline.

Also affected are the Journal of the National Cancer Institute and thousands of data tapes the NIH monthly sends to hospitals, universities and research labs.

Fisher for 35 years was head of the National Surgical Adjuvant Breast and Bowel Project, one of the largest of the government-funded cancer research efforts. The project, called the NSABP, came under scrutiny last year after it was learned that a Canadian sci-

entist had falsified data used in a breast cancer study.

Fisher had no role in the false data and reported it to the National Cancer Institute. After the fraud became publicly known, NCI forced Fisher to resign as head of NSABP and ordered an audit of key research.

Last summer, the federal health agencies directed that electronic libraries insert atop the NSABP papers — many co-authored by Fisher — a notice that read "Scientific Misconduct — Reanalysis of NSABP Protocols" or "scientific misconduct — data to be reanalyzed."

The notices were placed on studies in the Medline and Cancerlit databases, which are distributed on Internet and read by scientists worldwide.

Fisher's suit charged that his professional reputation "is being attacked and irreparably undermined by the government's worldwide publication of 'electronic graffiti' on several publicly available computer networks."

The suit asked that the "graffiti" be removed, and that will be

done under the agreement reached Tuesday. Charrow said the damage suit will proceed, with trial expected this fall.

Defendants named in the suit include the NIH and its director, Dr. Harold Varmus, the NCI and its director, Dr. Samuel Broder, and other officials in the federal health agencies.

## Mexico trip is scheduled

Our Lady of Guadalupe Church is sponsoring a five-day, four-night trip to Mexico City March 15-19.

Cost is \$299 a person, and includes a motorcoach ride departing from and returning to the local church, motel accommodations and a sight-seeing tour which will include the Basilica and Our Lady of Guadalupe.

For information and reservations, call Cindy at 573-2044 or Irene at 573-2368.

## SHS students vie in Abilene

Snyder High School students participated in a UIL practice meet at Cooper High School in Abilene recently.

In science, David Kerr placed second in the 11th grade division and won the top chemistry medal. Wade Yearwood placed third in the ninth grade division and Mandy Baker placed sixth in the 12th grade division. Sarah Fisher placed seventh in the 12th grade division; Ryan Eime placed eighth in the 12th grade division; and Christina Bullard placed tenth in the 9th grade division.

Also participating were Veana Clay, Shawn Neal, Zack Briseno, Todd Hall, Melinda Hernandez, Michael Hensley and Carol Strayhorn.

In calculator, Ryan Eime placed sixth in the 12th grade division; Frances Bavouset placed seventh in the 12th grade division; and Scott Hall placed eighth in the 11th grade division. Paige Bell also participated.

Participating in number sense were Bell, Ammie Harrison and Shanna Block. Participating in math were Eime, Ana Fisher and Ana Hernandez.

## To help host

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Seems like Steven Curtis Chapman spends a lot of time on stage at the Dove awards ceremony each year. This time, he'll spend even more.

Chapman, winner of 21 Doves since releasing his first album in 1987, is one of four hosts for this year's show, to be held April 27 at the Grand Ole Opry House.

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# Gingrich: programs may recruit gays

WASHINGTON (AP) — School programs that deal with gays and lesbians may be thinly veiled efforts to recruit new homosexuals, according to House Speaker Newt Gingrich.

"You have had, clearly, examples of what is, in effect, recruitment in so-called counseling programs," Gingrich, R-Ga., said Tuesday at his daily news conference. "So I'm very cautious about the idea that you want to have active homosexuals in junior high school and high school explaining to young people that they have all these various wonderful options."

Gingrich referred to children's books used with grade schoolers such as "Heather Has Two Mommies," as evidence that education programs are going beyond tolerance into promotion of homosexuality.

The book he mentioned, by Leslea Newman, is a story about lesbian parents. It was second on the American Library Association's list of books people tried to ban from schools and libraries in 1994.

Not surprisingly, Gingrich's comments drew denunciations from gay and lesbian activist groups and applause from a self-described "pro-family" organization.

"The only thing that we promote is respect from one individual to another," said Virginia Uribe, director of Project Ten, a dropout prevention program geared toward counseling homosexual students in the Los Angeles Unified School District. "This notion of recruitment is some archaic idea that Newt Gingrich has that has no basis in fact and shows his total ignorance of human sexuality."

Gay rights groups maintain that homosexuality is an orientation, not a preference that can be coerced or encouraged.

Kristi Hamrick of the Family Research Council, however, contended that some gay activists have advocated recruitment.

"We have seen some school curriculum such as Project Ten put forward with the goal of giving children very harmful and false messages about homosexuality and encouraging them to explore that lifestyle," Hamrick said.

## Veto vote set

RALEIGH, N.C. (AP) — Lawmakers have agreed to let voters decide whether to give North Carolina's governor something that every other governor in the nation already enjoys: veto power.

The House and Senate agreed in separate votes Tuesday to place a referendum on the November 1996 statewide ballot.

Legislators said they have an unofficial agreement to take away some of the governor's appointment powers. Veto opponents argued that the governor already holds tremendous power through hundreds of appointments he makes without legislative approval and control of billions of dollars in state highway funds.

"I believe us making some decisions on appointments of various boards and commissions is only fair," Senate President Pro Tem Marc Basnight said.

North Carolina is the only state in the country in which the governor does not have veto power. Adding the veto would require an amendment to the state constitution.

The governor would not be able to veto bills that affect 15 or fewer counties, appointments to boards and commissions, amendments to the state constitution, and bills redrawing legislative districts.

Gingrich's comments came a day after he met with his lesbian half-sister, Candace Gingrich, who had come to the Capitol to lobby. The two said they have a strong relationship but Ms. Gingrich suggested the speaker was ill-informed about gay rights issues.

During his news conference, Gingrich also rejected the idea of passing a federal law protecting homosexuals from on-the-job discrimination.

Employers should not inquire about the sexual preference of an employee, Gingrich said. But if they do inquire and fire the employee, there should be no recourse to the federal courts.

"I am not prepared to establish a federal law that allows you to sue your employer if you end up not having a job because of a disagreement that involves your personal behavior," Gingrich said. "Does that mean a transvestite should automatically have the right to work as a transvestite? I don't think so."

Several lawmakers are prepar-

ing anti-discrimination legislation that would outlaw firing of employees solely because of their sexual orientation. The Employment Non-Discrimination Act would exempt religious organizations and businesses with fewer than 15 employees.

Eight states and the District of Columbia have similar anti-discrimination laws, according to Doug Hattaway of the Human Rights Campaign Fund. The states are Massachusetts, Connecticut, New Jersey, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Hawaii, California and Vermont. New Jersey Gov. Christie Whitman, a rising star in the Republican Party, is among the supporters of a federal law.

## Astrograph

By Bernice Bede Osol



Your Birthday  
Thursday, March 9, 1995

In the year ahead, you may have a number of opportunities to enlarge your circle of friends. Several new acquaintances could contribute to your material and personal happiness.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** Express your ambitions fully today, especially those related to your career or finances. Personal desires can be fulfilled if you expend the necessary effort. Trying to patch up a broken romance? The Astrograph Matchmaker can help you to understand what to do to make the relationship work. Mail \$2.50 to Matchmaker c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 4465, New York, NY 10163.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** Pleasant developments are indicated in the romance department today. You could be lucky for persons you love, and they might be lucky for you.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** Promising joint endeavors are worthy of concerted effort today. Something larger than you presently perceive might develop.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** This could be a propitious day for you to make agreements with far-reaching effects. Everyone directly involved could benefit in some manner.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** Success is probable today if your objectives are clearly defined. Once you understand the full ramifications of your goals, it will strengthen your motivation.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** One of your best assets today will be your ability to pull complicated situations together in a manner that meets everyone's needs. Volunteer to do so.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** Do not resist domestic changes today. Things initiated by family members will be for your ultimate benefit as well as for theirs.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** Dealings with influential people should turn out to your liking today. You are in a favorable cycle for realizing benefits from social contacts.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** Lady Luck will be doing all she can to deal you a pat hand today concerning finances or material interests. Keep your eyes peeled for several opportunities.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** Things pertaining to your self-interest will require your personal touch today. You will prove luckier fending for yourself than depending on surrogates.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** You might be called upon today to assist a friend. Helping this person could sow the seeds for your own future good.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** Make an extra effort to shore up important relationships today and tomorrow. Alliances you strengthen now will better endure the test of time.

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## Bridge

By Phillip Alder

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Dealer: South

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5 NT	Pass	6 ♦ Pass	
6 ▲	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: ♥ 9

## Effective possibilities

By Phillip Alder

Some laws leave one nonplussed. Take prohibition. How could the politicians have thought this was a good idea? As Ulysses S. Grant said, "I know no method to secure the repeal of bad or obnoxious laws so effective as their stringent execution."

One cannot help feeling that this happened with prohibition; it's just that it took longer to repeal than was healthy.

Today's deal, from a Swiss tournament, was played in six spades by 35 declarers. Not one found the best line, though the approach chosen by 10 proved to be effective.

Everyone won the first trick in hand and drew trumps. The lucky declarers continued with the ace and another club. When East won with the king, South's queen set up for a diamond discard.

Some better declarers played three rounds of diamonds first. If the suit broke 3-3 or an honor dropped singleton or doubleton, dummy's low club would disappear on the diamond 10. They were out of luck.

After winning the opening lead and drawing trumps ending in the dummy, South should cash the heart king, discarding a low club from hand, and ruff dummy's last heart in hand. Then South leads a diamond to dummy's eight.

Here, this wins immediately. But suppose East wins and returns a club. South plays the queen. If it loses to West's king, declarer wins with dummy's ace, plays a spade to hand and finishes his diamond nine. This 90-percent line fails only when East has both diamond honors and West the club king.

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## Community Calendar

### WEDNESDAY

Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; for more information call 573-2101, 573-0900 or 573-1579; 8 p.m.

### THURSDAY

Snyder Palette Club; W. 37th St.; 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.  
Ministerial Alliance; Willow Park Inn; prayer meeting at 9:30 a.m., regular meeting at 10.

Noah Project-W advisory committee; MAWC; noon.  
Deep Creek Cloggers lesson; American Legion; 6:30-8 p.m.  
SOS (Singles of Snyder) volleyball and games; First Baptist Church Family Life Center; 7 p.m.

Codependents Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 37th & Ave. M; for more information call 573-7358; 7 p.m.  
New Horizons Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park, 37th & Ave. M; for information call 573-3308 or 573-2101.

Bilingual Group of Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club Addition in Winston Park; for more information call 863-2349 or 573-8626; 8 p.m.

### FRIDAY

Free blood pressure clinics; Senior Citizens Center, 9:30-11 a.m.  
Blood pressures will be taken at Cogdell Hospital Home Health Services, 1800 Cogdell Blvd. Suite B; 1-2 p.m.

ACBL Open Pairs Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.  
Cornelius-Dodson House; open by appointment; 573-9742 or 573-2763.

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; for information call 573-8626, 863-2349; (Last Friday of the month is the birthday, open meeting); 8 p.m.

Al-Anon; Park Club in Winston Park, 37th & Ave. M; for more information call 573-3956 or 573-2101; 8 p.m.

### SATURDAY

Defensive Driving; Snyder Svings & Loan Community Room, 27th & College; 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

People Without Partners; Inadale Community Center; games of 42 and dominos; 6:30 p.m.

Narcotics Anonymous; Winston Park Club; for more information call 573-2101, 573-0900 or 573-1579; 8 p.m.

### SUNDAY

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; for more information call 573-1141, 863-2349 or 573-8626; 10 a.m.

Scurry County Museum; Western Texas College; open from 1 to 4 p.m.

ABCL Open Pairs Duplicate Bridge; Snyder County Club; 1:30 p.m.

Beginners Alcoholics Anonymous and Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club at Winston Park, 37th & Ave. M; 7 p.m.

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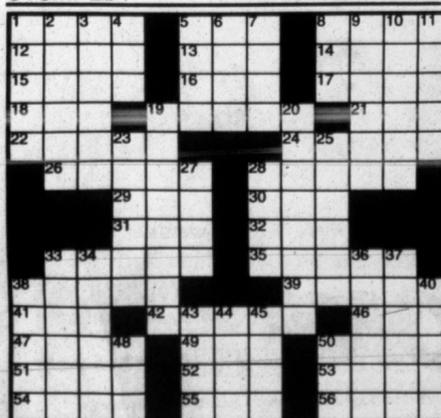
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  - Cloth measures stockings
  - Actor Ted
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# Haley unretires

IRVING (AP) — All-pro defensive end Charles Haley, who announced after the Dallas Cowboys lost to the San Francisco 49ers in the NFC Championship game that he was retiring, said Tuesday he will play another season.



Haley, 31, who is due to make \$1.95 million this season, said he decided to "unretire" for several reasons.

He said he saw that the Cowboys "are going to make a commitment to keep their players and to help the team any way they can."

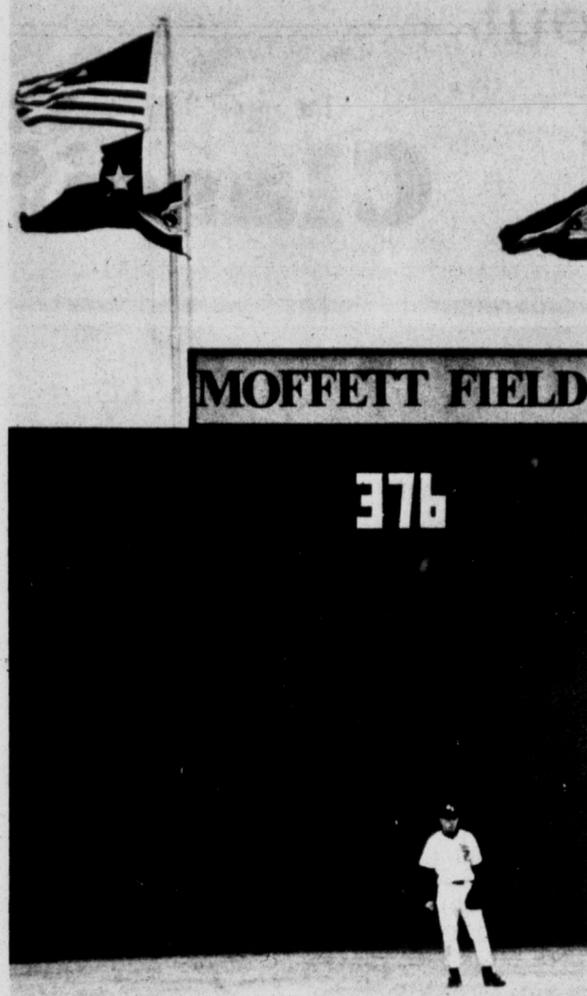
"I'd rather not play if we're going to lose and if they sit on their hands as far as getting other players, I still might retire again," he said.

Haley said that money was not a factor in his decision.

"If a team treats me right and treats me like a man with dignity, then I don't worry about the money," he said. "I did not want to retire on a loss."

Haley's change of mind, coupled with the signing of left defensive end Tony Tolbert, means the Cowboys will return their outstanding defensive end tandem in 1995. Pass rush specialist Jim Jeffcoat, who backed up Haley, signed with the Buffalo Bills.

Haley's return was a big piece of the off-season puzzle for the Cowboys, who soon could lose wide receiver Alvin Harper, defensive back Kenny Gant, and center Mark Stepnoski to free agency. Stepnoski was expected to visit Houston on Wednesday.



THE GUARDIAN — Snyder's John Clinkinbeard stands in the shadows of Moffett Field's "Iron Curtain" during Monday's win over Big Spring. The Tigers are slated to travel to San Angelo for a doubleheader against Lake View Saturday at 1 p.m. (Photo by Todd Stanley)

# Snyder netters take third

Cold weather cancels doubles play at Sweetwater Tournament

SWEETWATER — Even without its doubles play to back them up, the Snyder tennis team was able to come away with a third place finish at the Sweetwater Tournament over the weekend.

Doubles play, which was originally scheduled for Friday, was cancelled due to cold weather. The end result was that the strongest part of the Tigers' game stayed indoors.

Even though half of the team hadn't played singles in almost six months, the doubles players were able to pull together and come away with a third place finish. "By not having doubles play, we were taken out of half of our scoring opportunities," Snyder head coach Chad Redwine. "Some of these kids hadn't played singles since the fall. I thought everyone played real well under the circumstances."

According to Coach Redwine, the tournament was flighted to allow players with similar abilities to play one another.

Snyder's Tracey Chavez completed a successful tournament for the second straight week. Chavez, who captured the singles title last week in San Angelo, took second after a 6-2, 3-6, 7-6 loss to Sweetwater's Ephim Lara in the number one singles' final.

The girls number one, Amy Herrera proved that she was a stellar

doubles player by losing both singles matches in straight sets.

Herrera's doubles counterpart, Laura Gonzales, was able to fair better, taking second in the number two singles. She knocked off Lindsey Nichols (Abilene Wylie) and Anissa Chavez (Pecos) in straight sets before falling 6-0, 6-2 to Sweetwater's Liz Moses in the finals.

Clay Koening took third in the boys number twos, with a 0-6, 7-5, 6-0 victory over Kyle Janisse (Abilene Wylie) in the consolation finals.

In girls number threes, Michelle Spencer captured the consolation championship with a wins over Pecos' Renee Raspberry and Lamesa's Andrea Cornet. Salvador Aguirre placed third in the boys number threes with a straight sets win over Lamesa's Darryl Dantzer (6-1, 6-1).

After dismissing Matt Dudensing (Abilene Wylie) and Lance Wilkerson (Sweetwater) in straight sets, Snyder's number four boys player, John Purcell, fell in the finals to Wade Finley 6-3, 6-0. Purcell finished in second place.

Jamie Bass, the girls number four player, lost both her matches. The last one came when Christy Brighton (Pecos) eeked out a 6-3, 3-6, 6-4 victory.

Snyder's Jamie Sharp took sec-

ond place in the boys fives division. Sharp dismissed San Angelo Central's Justin Pollard 6-1, 6-2 in the first round, then outlasted Sweetwater's Brian McDonald 6-3, 3-6, 6-0. In the finals, Sharp fell to Marcus Wood (Andrews).

In girls number fives, Molly Wilson won the division with a straight sets victory over Sweetwater's Patricia Gilmore in the finals.

Wilson took care of Amanda Carlson (Sweetwater) in the first round (6-2, 6-3) and finished off Andrews' Audra Lindsey 6-0, 3-6, 6-4 in the semifinals.

Timmy Clark, Snyder's number six boys player, took second, losing a tough 6-4, 6-4 finals match to Sweetwater's Matt Davis. Clark reached the finals with straight sets wins over Lamesa's Brent Wilson (6-2, 6-1) and Andrews' Eric Medina (6-0, 6-2).

In the girls number six division, Snyder's Alicia Jones rallied from a first round 6-1, 6-2 loss to April Morales (San Angelo Lake View) to capture the consolation bracket title.

Jones rebounded from the loss to knock off Sweetwater's Alisa Johnson and Stephanie Pharoal (Pecos).

The Snyder tennis team is scheduled to play at Pecos March 17-18.

# Cardinal track team takes seventh

LOOP — The Hermleigh High School boys track team made every participant count, as the Cardinals finished seventh at the Loop track meet Saturday.

"The guys did a really good job," Hermleigh head coach Wayne Poehls said. "Every kid that went scored at least one point. With a few more kids, we could have competed for the meet title."

"The kids that are out for track have really been working hard to make themselves better athletes. If they keep up their hard work I think a lot of them have a chance at making the regional meet in Abilene."

Hermleigh's Jimmy Digby was the Cardinals' high point man. Digby took first in the 300 high

hurdles (44.95), third in the 110 high hurdles (17.64) and helped the mile relay team to a fifth place finish.

Also on the mile relay were Larry Lambaren, Chris Roemisch and Jason Hernandez.

Lambaren placed sixth in the 300 high hurdles with a time of 49.02 and sixth in the high jump (5-2), as well.

Roemisch's long jump of 17-4½ feet was good enough to earn the senior a sixth place finish.

Scott Smith was able to comeback from a fifth place finish in the 800 (2:29.36) by taking second in the mile with a time of 5:48.23.

Hermleigh's Billy Joe Digby

took sixth in the discus with a throw of 96-5¼ feet.

The Cardinals' next track meet is scheduled for March 17 in O'Donnell.

# Tiger Sharks compete

LUBBOCK — The Snyder Tiger Shark swim team took on over 100 swimmers from Amarillo, Abilene and Lubbock in the West Texas "C" Championships held in Lubbock over the weekend.

In the 10 and under age group, Kameron Harrison brought home five top four finishes. He took first in the 50 freestyle, second in both the 50 butterfly and 50 backstroke, third in the 100 individual medley and fourth in the 50 breaststroke.

In the 11-12 age group, the team of Kara Harrison, Valery Hines, Marci Kruger and Amber Schwertner took first in the 200

freestyle relay.

Harrison finished first in the 50 freestyle, the 50 breaststroke and the 200 individual medley. She placed second in the 200 freestyle and fourth in the 50 butterfly.

Hines captured a first in the 100 freestyle and second in the 50 butterfly. She nailed down two third places finishes in the 50 freestyle and the 50 backstroke, as well.

Schwertner took third in the 200 individual medley, fourth in the 50 backstroke and fifth in the 100 freestyle.

Kruger received a fourth in the 100 yard back stroke.

# Snyder Lanes Bowling League Results

Teams	Won	Lost
Misfit	61	39
ESP, Inc.	60	40
Rose Barber Shop	58½	41½
Lucy's Video	57	43
Spanish Inn	55½	44½
Long John Silver's	54½	45½
Farmers Helper	54	46
Food Store	51½	48½
American Legion	50½	49½
Ezell Key	49	51
M.B.'s	48½	51½
Pro Parts	46	54
Mesquite Oil Tools	40	60
Unearared Pts.	14	86

Men's Commercial	Won	Lost
Bar II Bar	107½	72½

WTP Energy	102½	77½
McDonalds	92	88
Stephen's Office	88½	91½
Surprise Creations	88	92
Price Daniel	85½	94½
Desperate	80	100
Snyder EMS	76	104

# Canyon Reef meet Saturday

The annual Canyon Reef track meet at Snyder High School is scheduled to kick off Saturday morning at 9.

Both the field and preliminary track events are slated to start at 9. Finals for the track events begin at 1:30 p.m.

Nine boys and 13 girls teams from across West Texas are slated to compete in both track and field events.

Anyone interested in volunteering at the meet should contact Patty Grimmert (573-8529) or Tommy Doyle (573-8528).

# NBA Glimpse

By The Associated Press				
All Times EST				
EASTERN CONFERENCE				
Atlantic Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
Orlando	45	14	.763	-
New York	38	19	.667	6
Boston	24	34	.414	20½
Miami	23	35	.397	21½
New Jersey	23	36	.390	22
Philadelphia	17	41	.293	27½
Washington	15	42	.263	29
Central Division				
Charlotte	37	22	.627	-
Indiana	35	23	.603	1½
Cleveland	34	24	.586	2½
Chicago	30	30	.500	7½
Atlanta	28	30	.483	8½
Detroit	22	36	.379	14½
Milwaukee	22	38	.367	15½
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
Utah	43	16	.729	-
San Antonio	39	17	.696	2½
Houston	35	24	.593	8
Denver	27	31	.466	15½
Dallas	22	34	.393	19½
Minnesota	16	43	.271	27
Pacific Division				
Phoenix	46	14	.767	-
Seattle	38	18	.679	6
L.A. Lakers	36	21	.632	8½
Portland	31	26	.544	13½
Sacramento	29	28	.509	15½
Golden State	17	40	.298	27½
L.A. Clippers	12	48	.200	34

# NHL Glimpse

By The Associated Press						
All Times EST						
EASTERN CONFERENCE						
Atlantic Division						
W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA	
N.Y. Rangers	12	9	3	27	67	59
Philadelphia	10	9	3	23	69	64
N.Y. Islanders	9	10	3	21	55	63
Tampa Bay	9	12	2	20	62	69
New Jersey	8	9	4	20	55	54
Washington	7	10	5	19	53	58
Florida	7	12	3	17	51	66
Northeast Division						
Quebec	16	4	3	35	92	58
Pittsburgh	15	6	2	32	94	78
Boston	12	8	2	26	66	53
Buffalo	9	7	4	22	47	43
Hartford	8	12	3	19	57	63
Montreal	7	10	4	18	48	65
Ottawa	3	14	3	9	44	67
WESTERN CONFERENCE						
Central Division						
W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA	
Detroit	14	6	1	29	81	45
Chicago	14	7	1	29	83	52
St. Louis	13	6	1	27	76	56
Toronto	10	10	3	23	65	66
Dallas	9	10	3	21	66	56
Winnipeg	8	11	3	19	63	78
Pacific Division						
Calgary	11	8	4	26	75	56
San Jose	9	10	2	20	48	65
Vancouver	6	8	7	19	66	72
Edmonton	8	12	2	18	57	76
Los Angeles	5	11	4	14	60	83
Anaheim	6	14	1	13	44	79

# AP women's All-SWC team

DALLAS (AP) — The 1994-95 All-Southwest Conference women's basketball team:

**FIRST TEAM**  
 Michi Atkins, Texas Tech, F, Jr.  
 Jennifer McLaughlin, SMU, G, Jr.  
 Connie Robinson, Texas Tech, F, Sr.  
 Lisa Branch, Texas A&M, G, Jr.  
 Stacey Johnson, Houston (tie), G, Sr.  
 Pat Luckey, Houston (tie), F, Soph.

**SECOND TEAM**  
 Tabitha Truesdale, Texas Tech, F, Sr.  
 Nekeshia Henderson, Texas, G, Sr.  
 Martha McClelland, Texas A&M, C, Jr.  
 Brenda Conway, Rice, F-C, Sr.  
 Kim Brandt, SMU, F, Jr.

**Player of the Year** — Michi Atkins, Texas Tech.  
**Newcomer of the Year** — Stacey Johnson, Houston  
**Defensive Players of the Year** — Tabitha Truesdale, Texas Tech, and Nikki Heath, Texas Tech (tie)  
**Freshman of the Year** — Angela Jackson, Texas; Jennifer Jones, Houston; and Carey Owens, Texas A&M (tie)  
**Coach of the Year** — Marsha Sharp, Texas Tech

# SWC Post-season Tournaments

**SOUTHWEST CONFERENCE CLASSIC MEN'S SCHEDULE**  
**Thursday, March 9**  
**Quarterfinals (Reunion Arena)**  
 TCU (16-10) vs. Houston (8-18), 3 p.m.  
 Texas Tech (18-8) vs. SMU (7-19), 6 p.m.  
 Rice (14-12) vs. Texas A&M (14-15), 8 p.m.

**Friday, March 10**  
**Semifinals (Reunion Arena)**  
 Texas (20-6) vs. Rice-Texas A&M winner, 6 p.m.  
 TCU-Houston winner vs. Texas Tech-SMU winner, 8 p.m.

**Saturday, March 11**  
**Finals (Reunion Arena)**  
 4:30 p.m.

**WOMEN'S SCHEDULE**  
**Wednesday, March 8**  
**Quarterfinals (Moody Coliseum)**  
 Houston (13-13) vs. Rice (11-15), Noon  
 Texas A&M (18-8) vs. Texas (11-15), 2 p.m.  
 Texas Tech (27-3) vs. TCU (1-16), 6 p.m.  
 SMU (18-8) vs. Baylor (13-13), 8 p.m.

**Friday, March 10**  
**Semifinals (Reunion Arena)**  
 Houston-Rice winner vs. Texas Tech-TCU winner, Noon  
 Texas A&M-Texas winner vs. SMU-Baylor winner, 2 p.m.

**Saturday, March 11**  
**Finals (Reunion Arena)**  
 Noon

# College Basketball

By the Associated Press	
TOURNAMENTS	
Mid-American Conference	
Quarterfinals	
Ball St. 72, Bowling Green 58	E. Michigan 69, Toledo 61
Miami, Ohio 77, Kent 49	Ohio U. 72, W. Michigan 56
Mid-Continent Conference	
Championship	
Valparaiso 88, W. Illinois 85, 3OT	Midwestern Collegiate Conference
Championship	
Wis.-Green Bay 73, Wright St. 59	Sun Belt Conference
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W. Kentucky 82, Ark.-Little Rock 79	

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The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judgment or decree in the child's interest which will be binding upon you, including the termination of the parent-child relationship, the determination of paternity, and the appointment of a conservator with authority to consent to the child's adoption.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at Snyder, Texas, this 17th day of February, 1995.

Elois Pruitt  
District Clerk  
Scurry County, Texas  
By: Joan Bunch  
Deputy District Clerk

**NOTICE OF CREDITORS**  
THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF SCURRY

To those indebted to, or holding claims against the estate of Allena Velma Lewis, deceased, Probate Case Number 5,201:

The undersigned, having been duly appointed Independent Executors of the estate of Allena Velma Lewis, deceased, late of Scurry County, Texas, by Ricky Fritz, Judge of the County Court of said county, on the 22nd day of February, 1995, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to Doris Fay Blackard, 6738 Pleasant Hill Rd., Snyder, Tx. 79549 and/or Don Wayne Lewis, 7739 El Pensador, Dallas, Tx. 75248, within the time prescribed by law.

Executed this 22nd day of February, 1995.

Doris Fay Blackard  
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# Classifieds

## Hatfield 'on trial'

By JILL LAWRENCE  
Associated Press Writer  
WASHINGTON (AP) — A decidedly mixed message emerged from the weekly policy lunch for Republican senators.  
Dozens of them donned brand-new bolo ties to welcome an independent-minded convert to the GOP fold, even as they considered whether to punish an

### AP analysis

independent-minded GOP veteran for his vote last week against the balanced budget amendment.  
"How do you expect to attract more moderates to the party if you get mad if they vote their conscience on an important issue?" asked Sen. James Jeffords, R-Vt.  
Sen. Mark Hatfield's heretical vote against the constitutional amendment — which provided the margin of victory for opponents — probably won't end up costing him the chairmanship of the Senate Appropriations Committee.  
But it does highlight the tensions between Republicans who want their party to be a "big tent," with room for diverse views, and those who believe party leaders and candidates must toe the party line on fundamental issues such as abortion and the balanced budget amendment.

The competing approaches are on vivid display in the race for the GOP presidential nomination.  
Sens. Arlen Specter, R-Pa., and Richard Lugar, R-Ind., are testing a message of inclusiveness, particularly on abortion. Several governors viewed as potential presidential or vice presidential candidates favor abortion rights. Yet the Christian Coalition has warned it cannot accept a ticket with an abortion rights supporter in the first or second slot.

The litmus-test mentality exploded this week among a handful of younger, highly ideological Senate Republicans who are forcing their elders to consider stripping Hatfield, R-Ore., of his chairmanship.

It would be a dramatic and in some ways unprecedented punishment.

In 1924, the most recent instance of removal of a chairman, a pair of Republicans got bumped because one ran for president as a progressive against the GOP nominee, Calvin Coolidge, and the other supported his maverick bid. But they were not punished for a vote, and they were ousted as committees were organizing for a new session — not in mid-Congress.

Some of those pushing to punish Hatfield are recent arrivals from the House, which is less wedded to the seniority system. Democrats started a tradition of coups, and new Republican leaders this year handpicked their chairmen with harmony and discipline in mind.

The Senate's young Turk faction, by all indications a tiny minority, was led by former House member Rick Santorum of Pennsylvania.

The balanced budget amendment "is at the core of what Republicanism is all about," Santorum said Tuesday. He said Hatfield is entitled to vote against it, "but he shouldn't take a position in leadership ... and use that position to further his goals and not ours."

Hatfield, however, said many Republicans offered "heartwarming" support. Some of them no doubt were reflecting on their own tumultuous careers, or tough votes they may yet feel compelled to cast.

Colorado Sen. Ben Nighthorse Campbell, the American Indian whose switch from Democrat to Republican provoked Tuesday's outbreak of bolo ties, predicted right off the bat that some of his votes would annoy his new party. For a start, he opposes Republican proposals to end national nutrition programs such as school lunches.

"If something like that became a litmus test, I'd be the next Mark Hatfield," said Campbell, who supports Hatfield's stand on principle. "The only difference is, I haven't got a chairmanship to strip."

Sen. Jesse Helms, R-N.C., the very conservative and outspoken chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee, also said it would be wrong to remove Hatfield from his post.

Helms himself ascended to the senior GOP position on the panel (See HATFIELD, Page 8)

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AUSTIN (AP) — The House Public Education Committee chairman is briefing fellow lawmakers behind closed doors on school reform issues in a move decried by some who wonder what they're missing.

"I don't like it at all. It kind of tramples on the open meetings process," said Walter Hinojosa, Texas Federation of Teachers legislative director, of the briefings by Rep. Paul Sadler, D-Henderson.

"I think we have a right to

know what they're telling other members about what they're doing" concerning a proposed rewrite of education laws, Hinojosa said Tuesday.

Sadler defends what he said will be just a handful of get-togethers with House members. Some other groups also had no problem with the practice.

"I think it's helpful for the overall process," Sadler said, noting that his committee has three public meetings a week and that a quorum of his committee is not

present at the closed-door gathering

Decisions are made at public meetings, Sadler said, calling himself "a great defender of the Open

Meetings Act."

He said of the briefing process, "It doesn't touch open meetings (law) topside, bottom or sideways. ... It is not a committee function at all."

## Bill aims to protect children

AUSTIN (AP) — A House committee has approved legislation designed to limit children's access to firearms.

The House Public Safety Committee on Tuesday unanimously approved an amended version of Rep. Al Edwards' bill, which was similar to two other measures considered.

"This bill is for children," said Edwards, D-Houston. "If it saves one life, it is worth it."

The legislation would hold gun owners responsible for securing their firearms to keep children under age 17 safe. Violators could be charged with a misdemeanor, which could include jail time and a fine.

Licensed firearms dealers also would be required to post warning signs in their stores to underscore safe storage of weapons. Lawmakers deleted a provision that would have required the dealers to offer devices, such as gun safes or trigger locks, to prevent accidental discharge.

## Endeavour's telescopes look for Big Bang traces

SPACE CENTER, Houston (AP) — Endeavour's ultraviolet telescopes zoomed in on an elliptical galaxy some 2.2 million light years away today and, aiming even farther, continued their search for intergalactic helium left over from the Big Bang.

Astronaut Samuel Durrance pointed the instruments toward a quasar at the edge of the known universe — some 10 billion light years away — to help astronomers in their search for helium supposedly formed within minutes of the Big Bang.

Durrance is one of four astrophysicists aboard the shuttle and, with a colleague, is responsible for

aiming the \$200 million set of telescopes in Endeavour's cargo bay.

The quasar, which emits a considerable amount of ultraviolet light, is being used throughout the 15 1/2-day flight as a light bulb to look for the primordial helium. Any material blocking the light could be that elusive substance, a key to scientists' theory about how the universe began.

The instruments also were pointed at a relatively nearby galaxy known as NGC 205. This elliptical galaxy, some 16,000 light years across, is in the so-called local group, a cluster of galaxies that includes the Milky Way.

On Tuesday, the telescopes peered at two colliding galaxies that are thought to be 20 billion times the mass of the sun.

"I think we nailed it. I think we got a great observation," NASA really."

She said Sadler isn't attempting to circumvent open government laws by shuttling committee members in and out of meetings, for example, as has happened with other committees in the past.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY R.B. DUKE**

## Markets Midday Stocks

NEW YORK (AP)	High	Low	Last	Change
AMR Corp	60 1/8	59 1/4	59 3/8	-5/8
AirTouch	51 1/4	51	51 1/8	+1/8
Albertsons	26 1/2	26 1/8	26 1/2	0
Allsignal	31 1/8	30 5/8	30 3/4	-1/8
Alltel	37 5/8	37 1/4	37 3/8	0
Alltel	28 7/8	28 5/8	28 5/8	0
AmStorres	24 3/8	24 1/4	24 3/8	+1/8
Ameritech	41 3/8	41	41	-3/8
Amoco	59 7/8	59 1/2	59 7/8	+3/8
AndarkPir	44 3/4	43 1/8	44 5/8	+15/8
ArmcoInc	63 1/4	61 1/2	65 1/8	+1/8
AtRichfnd	111 1/8	110 5/8	111 1/8	+1/8
ATMOS Egy s	18 1/4	18	18	-1/8
Aviall	65 1/8	61 1/2	61 1/2	0
BakerHughes	20 1/8	19 3/4	20	0
BancTexas	1 1/8	1	1	-1/8
BellAtl	52 1/8	51 1/2	51 3/4	+1/4
BellSouth	58	57 1/4	57 1/4	-3/8
BethSteel	147 1/8	143 1/4	143 1/4	+1/8
Borden	13	12 3/4	12 7/8	+1/8
BritPet	77 1/8	76 3/4	77	0
Caterpillar s	49	48 1/2	48 1/2	0
CenSocWst	23 1/2	23 1/4	23 1/4	0
Chevron s	47 1/4	47 1/8	47 1/8	0
Chrysler	41	40 1/2	40 3/4	+3/8
Coastal	28 3/8	28 1/8	28 3/8	0
CocaCola	55 3/4	55 3/8	55 1/2	-1/8
ColgatePalm	63 7/8	63 5/8	63 5/8	-1/8
ComclMetals	247 7/8	247 1/8	247 1/8	+1/8
CooperIn	385 1/8	383 1/8	383 1/8	-1/4
CyprusAmax	265 1/8	261 1/8	263 1/8	-1/4
DallSemic	163 1/4	163 1/8	165 1/8	+1/4
DeltaAirl	56	55 1/8	55 3/8	-1/2
DigitalEq	32 3/8	32	32	+1/4
Dillard	26 3/8	26	26 1/4	+1/4
DowChem	64 3/4	64 1/4	64 1/4	-1/4
DresserInd	203 1/4	201 1/2	205 1/8	+1/8
DuPont	55 1/2	55 1/8	55 1/4	+1/8
EastmanChem	54 7/8	54 1/2	54 1/2	+1/4
EstKodak	51	50 1/2	50 5/8	-1/4
EljerdInd	4 5/8	4 5/8	4 5/8	0
Enserch	13 1/2	13 3/8	13 3/8	-1/8
Entergy	21 3/8	21 1/8	21 1/4	0
Exxon	64 1/8	63 3/4	64	0
FlowerInd	18 3/8	18 1/4	18 3/8	+1/8
FordMotor s	25 5/8	25 1/4	25 3/8	-1/8
GTE Cp	33 1/8	32 3/4	33 1/8	+1/4
GenDynam s	45 3/8	45 1/8	45 1/4	0
GenElec s	53 1/8	52 5/8	52 7/8	-1/4
GenMills	61 1/4	61	61	0
GenMotors	40	39 3/4	39 3/4	+1/4
GenMotors E	39 3/8	39	39 1/4	+3/8
GlobalMar	73 5/8	72 7/8	73	+1/4
GaPacif	4	3 7/8	4	0
Goodrich	43	42 3/4	42 7/8	-1/8
Goodyear s	36	35 5/8	35 3/4	-1/4
GrATIIPac	19 7/8	19 1/4	19 3/4	0
Hanston	38 1/2	38 1/8	38 1/4	+1/8
Hanston ADS	19	18 7/8	18 7/8	0
HouInd	37 7/8	37 3/4	37 3/4	+1/8
IBM	80	78 1/2	78 7/8	-7/8
IntlPaper	72 1/4	71 1/8	71 1/4	-3/8
JohnsJus	58 5/8	57 1/2	57 3/4	-1/4
K mart	12 5/8	12 3/8	12 1/2	-1/8
Kroger	26 5/8	26 3/8	26 3/8	0
Litton	34 5/8	34 3/8	34 3/8	0
Lowes s	32 7/8	32 1/4	32 1/4	-1/8
Lubys	22 5/8	22 3/8	22 3/8	-1/8
Maxus	53 1/8	51 1/4	51 1/4	0
MayDeptSirs	35 1/4	34 3/4	34 3/4	-1/8
Medtronic s	62 3/8	61 7/8	62 1/4	+1/4
Mobil	88 3/8	88 1/8	88 3/8	+1/4
Monsanto	77 3/4	77 3/8	77 1/2	-1/4
Motorola	57 1/8	55 3/4	56 1/8	-5/8
Nationsbk	49 1/8	48 7/8	48 7/8	0
Navistar	13 3/8	13 1/8	13 3/8	+1/8
NorAmEngy	55 1/8	54 1/2	55 1/8	0
Nyxex	38 1/2	38 1/4	38 1/4	0
OryxEngy	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 3/8	0
PacTelesis	29 1/8	28 7/8	29	0
PanECP	22 1/4	22 1/8	22 1/4	+1/4
Penney JC	41 3/4	41 1/2	41 1/2	-1/4
Pennzoil	47 3/8	47 1/4	47 1/4	0
PepBoys	32	31 7/8	31 7/8	-1/8
PepsiCo	38 5/8	38 1/8	38 3/8	0
PhelpDodge	54	53 1/2	53 7/8	+3/8
PhillipPet	35 1/4	35	35	0
Polaroid	32 5/8	32 1/8	32 1/2	+3/8
Praxair	20 1/2	20 1/8	20 1/4	-1/8
ProcGamble	65 3/4	65	65 1/8	-1/4
PubSNWmX	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/2	+3/8
RoyalDutch	115 7/8	115 1/2	115 5/8	-1/8
SFEpacCp s	21 1/8	20 7/8	21	+1/8
SarLee	25 5/8	25 3/8	25 3/8	0
SearsRoeb	49 5/8	49 1/4	49 1/4	-1/4
SherwinW	33 1/2	33 1/4	33 3/8	0
SmbHchADS	41	40 7/8	40 7/8	-1/4
SmbHc eqt	40 1/8	40	40	-1/8
SouthernCo	19 3/4	19 1/2	19 5/8	+1/8
SwstAirlines	17 1/2	17 1/4	17 3/8	0
SwBell	40 3/8	40	40	+1/8
Sprint	28 1/2	28 3/8	28 1/2	0
SterlingChm	11 1/8	11	11 1/8	+1/8
SunCo	29 3/8	29	29	-1/4
TNP Ent	15	14 7/8	14 7/8	0
Tandy	45 1/8	44 1/2	44 1/2	-3/8
TempInl	46 1/4	46	46	-1/4
Tenneco	44 5/8	44 1/8	44 1/8	-1/8
TexasInd	64 1/2	64 1/4	64 1/2	+1/4
TexasInst	32 3/8	32	32	0
Texaco	87 3/8	84 5/8	85 3/8	-1/4
TexUtil	31 7/8	31 1/2	31 5/8	-1/8
Textron	53 5/8	53 1/4	53 5/8	+3/8
Travelers	37 1/8	36 7/8	36 7/8	+1/8
TrinityInds	34	33 5/8	34	+3/8
TritonEngy	31 1/4	31	31 1/8	-1/8
Tyler	3	3	3	0
US West	38 1/2	38 1/8	38 1/8	0
USX Delhi	83 1/4	81 1/2	83 1/4	+1/2
USX-Marath	17 3/8	17 1/8	17 1/8	+1/8
USX-USS	31 3/4	31 3/8	31 1/2	-1/8
UnCarbde	27 5/8	27 1/4	27 1/4	-1/8
UnPac	51 1/8	50 7/8	51 1/8	+1/4
UnitedTech	66 1/8	65 7/8	65 7/8	-1/8
Unocal	28	27 7/8	27 7/8	+1/8
WalMart	24 3/4	24 1/2	24 5/8	+1/8
WestGnsR	17 3/4	17 1/2	17 3/4	+1/4
WestHl	14 3/8	14 1/4	14 1/4	-1/8
WinnDixie	55 5/8	55 3/8	55 5/8	0
Woolworth	15 5/8	15 1/2	15 1/2	-1/8
XeroxCp	11 1/8	11 0/8	11 0/8	-3/8
ZenithE	8	7 5/8	7 7/8	-1/8

## Obituaries



PATSY ANNE BURNEY

### Patsy Burney

1932-1995

Services are set for 2 p.m. Thursday in the First Baptist Church for Mrs. Patsy Anne Burney, lifetime resident of Snyder, who died at Lubbock's Methodist Hospital at approximately 12:45 p.m. Tuesday after a lengthy illness. Officiating will be the Rev. Marty Akins, pastor of the church.

Burial will follow in Hillside Memorial Gardens. Services are under the direction of Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home.

Born on Feb. 29, 1932 in Snyder, she married Birdwell Burney in 1951 in Lovington, N.M. A former employee of Snyder Daily News, Mrs. Burney was a housewife and a member of the First Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by a son, Steve Burney on Dec. 18, 1991.

Survivors include her husband, Birdwell Burney of the home; one daughter and son-in-law, Patsy Ruth and Rodney Bryant of Midland; her parents, Pat and R.B. "Dint" von Roeder of Snyder and Ralph and Effie Lee Ross of Midland; one daughter-in-law, Brenda Burney of Snyder; four grandchildren, Kevin Shifflett of Snyder, Tyson Shifflett of White-

face, Robin Burney and Blaine Burney, both of Snyder; and one great-grandson, Ty Shifflett of Snyder.

The family suggests memorials to the Gladney Adoption Center, 2300 Hemphill, Fort Worth, Tex. 76110; or the American Cancer Society, in care of West Texas State Bank, Box 1396, Snyder.

### Mary Bell Hunter

1905-1995

Services are still pending at Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home for Mary Bell Hunter, 89, of Snyder who died at 6:55 p.m. Monday in Snyder Oaks Care Center.

She was born on July 12, 1905. Survivors are one brother, Thomas Davis of Hempstead, and several grandchildren.

### Benny Torres

1922-1995

MULESHOE — Service is set for 11 a.m. Thursday in the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church for Benny Torres, 72, who died Monday at his home. Burial will follow in the Muleshoe Cemetery.

He was the father of Ralph Torres and Margie Lopez, both of Snyder.

Born in Rosebud, he married Cruz Hernandez on Dec. 26, 1947 in Uvalde. Mr. Torres was employed by H&W Co. and was a member of the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church.

Survivors include his wife, Cruz Torres of Muleshoe; three other sons, Jose Torres and Benedicto Torres, both of Muleshoe, and Raul Torres of Lariat; three other daughters, Maria Franco and San Juanita Jaramillo, both of Muleshoe, and Lupe Acosta of Mission; three brothers, Jose Torres of Michigan, Abaristo Torres of Nebraska and Refugio Torres of Seymour; three sisters, Pamela Torres of Minnesota, Oralia Vega of Clovis and Concepcion Gomez of Nebraska; 34 grandchildren; and 18 great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to the American Cancer Society.

### Ruby Lee Small

1914-1995

LORAIN — Funeral services for Ruby Lee Small, 80, of Loraine will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday at the First Baptist Church with the Rev. James McLeod officiating.

Burial will follow in the Colorado City Cemetery.

Mrs. Small died March 7 at her residence. She was born Sept. 17, 1914 in Eastland. She married Edward B. Small in 1932 in Colorado City. He died in 1982.

Mrs. Small had lived in Loraine since 1932. She was a member of the First Baptist Church and had worked at Preston Dry Good Store for 20 years before retiring.

Survivors include a daughter, Barbara McGee of Snyder; a son, Don Small of Fort Worth; a brother, Winston Gann of Abilene; four grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to Loraine First Baptist Church.

## Hatfield

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years ago over the opposition of many colleagues. Former Sen. Lowell Weicker, a liberal Connecticut Republican as blunt as Helms, argued it was in everyone's interest to know they could speak out and not be punished. Sen. Phil Gramm, R-Texas, another plain-spoken dissenter, asserted repeatedly Tuesday that "legitimate disagreements on the issues" should not provoke punishment. As a Democratic member of the House, he sponsored GOP President Reagan's budget; Democrats soon kicked him off the prestigious House Budget Committee.

The long-term risks of retribution were summed up by Sen. Robert Bennett, R-Utah. He predicted no dissenter would be safe — not the senator who diverged from the party line on Social Security votes, not the one who went his or her own way on the crime bill. "I can make a long, long list," Bennett said.

EDITOR'S NOTE — Jill Lawrence covers Congress for The Associated Press.

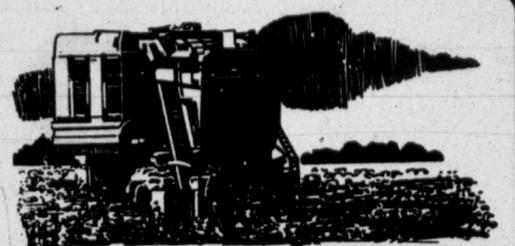
Translation: "I'll get back to you on that" means "Get lost, baby."

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# Scurry County Country



## The Emu Report

By Shirley Pate, Pate Emu Farm

Just to look at this big, loveable bird, that lays large green eggs, which hatch striped chicks, you would never dream what a true miracle it is. The oil obtained from the fat is evidence of that.

The product market is progressing, especially the products made from the oil of the emu. Emu Ranchers Incorporated (ERI) is continuing research on the different possible uses of the oil.

Mark Potter, research chemist, has been working with ERI since 1990. Speaking at the January meeting of ERI he reminded us that we have just touched the surface in determining the value of the oil and he encouraged everyone to send in their results from using our various products. He relayed the experience of a plastic surgeon who does not want to carry emu oil products because he feels that it will put him out of business! It's that good!!

ERI has experienced a 500% increase in membership with twenty-seven nationwide grow-out facilities growing over 600 contributed chicks. This has not happened without concentrated effort by ERI. Many hours, dollars, and energy has been spent increasing education for our membership, communication to our members, involvement of our members, promotion of ERI through literature, the ERI video, speaking engagements of ERI representatives and the organization at fairs, seminars and state-wide to local meetings to sell our products.

As we begin the new fiscal year a challenge was issued for each member to get involved through

## Colorado City livestock auction

**COLORADO CITY** — All classes of cattle were steady on a light run of 300 head due to wet and cold weather at the Colorado City Livestock Auction on Saturday, March 4.

Heifers: 200-400, 80-95; 400-600, 70-80; 600-800, 68-70.

Steers: 200-400, 90-110; 400-600, 85-90; 600-800, 68-85.

1 Bred Cows Good: 550-625; Older: 370-450

Pairs: Good: 650-750; Older: 450-575.

Packer cows: Good: 42-45; Fat: 38-42; Old Shelley: 20-35.

Good packer bulls: 48-55.

## Lubbock cattle auction

The market was steady on a run of 510 head of cattle for the March 2 sale. Cows, yearlings and calves were steady. Trading and demand were good.

Slaughter cows, (high dressing - cutters - utility) were 40-45; canners and low cutters, 35 to 39 and slaughter bulls 50 to 55.

Feeder steers choice: 300 to 400, 83 to 100; 400 to 500, 80 to 92.50; 500 to 600, 73 to 87.50; 600 to 700, 68.50 to 73.50; 700 to 800, 65 to 72.

Feeder heifers choice: 300 to 400, 75 to 87.50; 400 to 500, 72.50 to 81.50; 500 to 600, 68.50 to 75; 600 to 700, 65 to 73; 700 to 800, 63.50 to 70.

Feeder bulls good and choice: 500 to 600, 65.50 to 77.50; 700 to 800, 64.50 to 70.

Cow and calf pairs: good 600 to 750; grade 450 to 575.

Springers 350 to 650; baby calves 80 to 185; doodlers 150 to 240.

## Sweetwater cattle auction

The market at Sweetwater had a wet weather run of 563 head of cattle for the Wed. March 1 sale. Good stocker and feeder cattle fully steady with fat and plain cattle cheaper. Packer cows and bulls steady pairs and bred cows steady on a light test.

**STEERS**  
—300-400: 90-105.  
—400-500: 84-93.  
—500-600: 75-83.  
—600-700: 68-74.

**HEIFERS**  
—300-400: 82-94.  
—400-500: 74-82.  
—500-600: 68-74.  
—600-700: 64-70.

**BRED COWS**  
—Good: 500-600.  
—Older and plainer: 400-500.

**Pairs**  
—Good: 700-800.  
—Older and plainer: 550-700.

**PACKER COWS**  
—Good: 40-46.  
—Low yielding: 37-40.

**PACKER BULLS**  
—Good: 54-57.  
—Low yielding: 48-54.

the committees and not to wait for someone else to do it.

Taking a quote from a board member of another co-op, Farmland Industries, Joe Royster says, "for the future viability of the co-op system, more producers will have to become involved — actively involved — in both the political process and their co-ops. The system must grow and expand

it's influence on issues relating to agriculture and to new marketing ventures." Farmland industries has been in operation for a long time and has been quite successful.

It is essential for all emu producers to become members of ERI. For membership application, call 409-788-551. For further information contact, Pate Emu Farm, 573-5340.



## Town & Country Topics

By Kathryn Roberts  
County Extension Agent

The American Diabetes Association's recently published nutrition recommendations for nutrition guidelines for diabetes give new direction to the "oldest" treatment of diabetes — diet.

The changes in nutritional management of the disease emphasize that no longer is there one "ADA Diet" given as a prescription for caloric intake with the carbohydrate, protein and fat distribution. Today the recommended diet can only be an individualized dietary prescription based upon the nutritional findings and treatment goals by the physician and dietitian.

Most notable are the changes to the nutrition recommendations with less emphasis on restricting specific types of carbohydrates (i.e., sucrose, fructose and other nutritive sweeteners). The American Diabetes Association report states that for most of this century the most widely held belief is that all "simple" sugars should be avoided with replacement with complex carbohydrates. These recommendation should be given to the total amount of carbohydrate consumed rather than the source.

Research revealed that even 38 percent of calories from sucrose lasting up to four weeks also found no adverse effects on glycemia such as a rise in blood glucose levels. Thus, restriction of sucrose in the diabetic diet because of adverse effects on blood glucose levels is not justified. The new guidelines have liberalized the types of carbohydrates that can be used. Formerly the rationale was to pay close attention to the amounts of simple and complex carbohydrates whereas now the research findings support the need to pay close attention to the total intake of carbohydrates.

More research is needed to see the effect, if any, of sucrose on

serum lipids. Sucrose and sucrose-containing foods can be substituted into the meal plan within the limitations of the recommended diet plan.

Fructose — a common natural monosaccharide with taste similar to sucrose — produces a smaller rise in plasma glucose than most starchy vegetables. When other carbohydrates in the diet of subjects with diabetes are replaced with fructose, a reduction in glucose levels after eating resulted. The bad news is that fructose may contribute to adverse effects on serum lipids — especially LDL cholesterol. One study of subjects with diabetes were given a high fructose diet (20 percent of daily calories) in comparison to one nearly devoid of fructose. The fructose diet increased blood sugar levels prior to eating by 7 percent higher and LDL cholesterol or bad cholesterol by 11 percent higher.

Based on available data at this time no reason exists to recommend that individuals with diabetes avoid fruits, vegetables in which fructose occurs naturally. Another concern about potential adverse effect of fructose in large amounts on serum lipids discourages its recommendations as the "sweetening" agent of choice.

Other nutritive sweeteners such as honey, maltose, sorbitol, mannitol, or other sweeteners provide no advantage over sucrose in terms of neither glycemic response nor caloric content. Because each nutritive sweetener contributes about the same amount of calories as sucrose or fructose, therefore it must be accounted for in meal planning.

Non-nutritive sweeteners — intense, low calorie or alternative — approved for use by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) are as follows: Saccharin, acesulfame-K and aspartame.

## Keeping an eye on Texas

### Shoppers squeeze foreign fruit

The tomatoes that are squeezed at the corner grocery store may come from a farm in Mexico, the peaches from Chile and the broccoli from Canada. Winter season produce found in Texas markets may have been grown in the state or on other U.S. farms, or imported from other countries. Fruits and vegetables from Texas include sweet potatoes, winter squash, beets, spinach, green peppers, mushrooms, broccoli, turnips, cabbage, carrots, oranges and grapefruit. The origin of other produce includes:

<b>Green peppers</b> Florida Mexico	<b>Broccoli</b> New York California Canada	<b>Carrots</b> California Mexico	<b>Lettuce</b> Arizona California
<b>Potatoes</b> Washington Indiana California Colorado Minnesota	<b>Asparagus</b> Peru Mexico	<b>Onions</b> Washington Indiana Idaho Colorado Oregon Mexico	<b>Tomatoes</b> Florida Mexico
<b>Bananas</b> Guatemala Costa Rica Honduras Mexico	<b>Strawberries</b> California Florida Mexico	<b>Peaches</b> Chile	<b>Apples</b> Washington New York California

SOURCES: John Sharp, Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts and U.S. Department of Agriculture.

## Plant pathology course planned March 13-April 24

**LUBBOCK** — The Texas Agricultural Extension Service will be offering a free special topics satellite course in plant pathology March 13 through April 24 at the Texas A&M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center here. The course will consist of seven two-hour lectures on each Monday from 5-7 p.m.

The course is designed to teach plant disease diagnostic techniques so that participants will be able to differentiate among the different types of plant disease problems. The course will also emphasize realistic disease control considerations and basic plant pathology concepts.

Dr. Larry Banes, professor and extension plant pathologist in the Plant Pathology and Microbiology Department at College Station, will be teaching the course. He will cover such topics as the nature of plant disease, plant pathogens, disease control, common homeowner plant disease problems, biotechnology, and modern diagnostic techniques.

The course can be downloaded from any satellite receiver for no charge, but only participants at the extension center here will be eligible for CEU credits. The Texas Agricultural Extension Centers in Amarillo and Fort Stockton will also be viewing the courses, but they will not be offering any CEU credits. CEU credits will be available only for participants viewing the course from the Lubbock site.

For more information, or for satellite coordinates, please contact Harold Kaufman or Landa England at 806-746-6101 at the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

## Sheep, lamb totals down

**AUSTIN** — The Texas inventory of all sheep and lambs totaled 1.70 million head on Jan. 1, down 10 percent from last year's revised level.

According to the annual report released by the Texas Agricultural Statistics Service, total value of the state's inventory was \$100.3 million, 5 percent less than a year ago. Value per head averaged \$59 compared with \$56 last year.

The inventory of breeding sheep and lambs totaled 1.35 million head, down 12 percent. Breeding ewes one year old and older decreased 7 percent to 1.10 million head, while replacement lambs decreased 34 percent to 195 thousand head.

## Gardener training slated

**LUBBOCK** — Serious horticulturists and amateur gardeners across the South Plains can improve their knowledge and skills, and help others in their communities, by taking part in the Texas Master Gardener training to be conducted here in March, April and May by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"This is an intensive course designed not only to improve the horticultural knowledge of the participants, but also to give them a chance to help spread that knowledge to improve the quality of life with horticultural projects," said Dr. Bob Robinson, Extension Service district director.

Persons wishing to enter the program should already have some knowledge and skills in basic ornamental horticulture, gardening and general related areas, Robinson said.

Participants selected for the program will receive 50 hours of instruction during 12 evening sessions and a field trip. Instructors will include faculty of the Extension Service and the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, which are agencies of the Texas A&M University System; Texas Tech University; and members of the West Texas Arts and Botanical Association and the Lubbock Rose Society.

The course fee of \$50 includes a detailed Master Gardener Handbook, other training materials, a certificate and wallet identification card. All training will be at the Texas A&M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center in Lubbock, located on FM 1294 east of I-27 at the Shallowater exit.

At the end of the training, participants must pass a written exami-

nation and complete 50 hours of volunteer horticultural service in their county, under supervision of their county Extension Service faculty. Upon satisfactory completion of these requirements, a graduate will become a Certified Texas Master Gardener. To retain certification, a Master Gardener must update his training every two years.

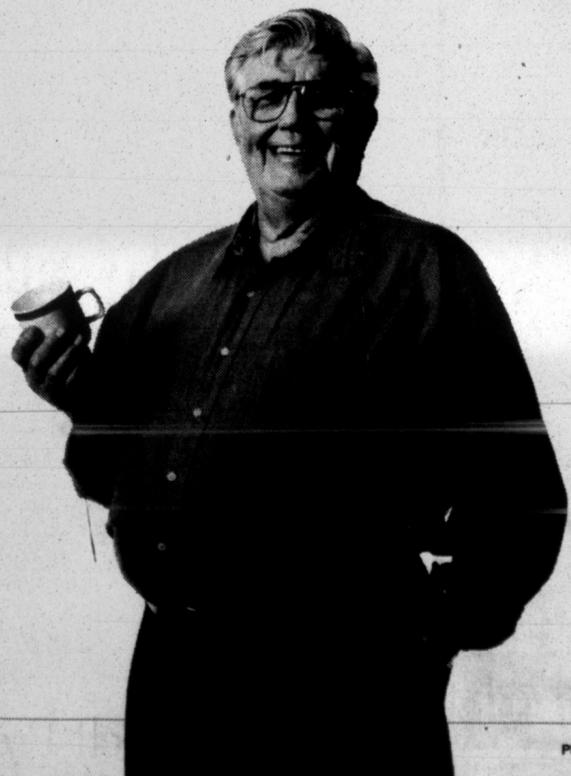
The volunteer service can include answering horticultural questions telephoned to the county extension office, assisting with plant clinics and gardening demonstrations, presenting educational programs to civic and garden clubs, assisting youth with horticultural projects and similar duties, explained Stanley Young, Young, the Lubbock County Extension Agricultural agent, is coordinator for the district master Gardener program.

Persons wishing to enter the program may obtain an application at their county Extension Service office. The completed form is returned to the county agent, who will select participants from that county by March 14. Participants must agree to attend at least nine of the 12 training sessions, pay the \$50 fee, and agree to provide 50 hours of volunteer service during 1995.

Training begins March 21. Other sessions are March 23, 28, 30, April 4, 6, 10, 13, 18, 10, 25, 17, May 2 and 4. Subjects to be covered include botany, soils, turf, use of chemicals, the Don't Bag It lawncare program, house plants, xeriscapes, water conservation, fruits, nuts, woody ornamentals, herbaceous ornamentals, windbreaks, roses, annuals, vegetables, insect control, plant diseases, weed science and composting.

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## Try a Little Kindness When Dealing With Your In-Laws

by Abigail Van Buren

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**DEAR READERS:** Yesterday, at the request of a reader who had lost the original column, I repeated my tips on how to get along with your daughter-in-law. Today, in the interest of evenhandedness, here are my tips on how to get along with your mother-in-law — which were also printed at that time:

1. Invite your in-laws over once in a while. (Once a year is better than never.)
2. When you are invited to your in-laws' home for dinner, offer to bring something, and also offer to help with the serving and cleaning up afterward. Don't act like a guest — you're family.
3. Phone your mother-in-law to ask, "How are you feeling?" and make a little small talk. This shows that you are interested in her, which will help build a closer relationship.
4. If she has given you a gift, such as a sweater or a purse, be sure that she sees you wearing or carrying it at least once.
5. If your mother-in-law has given your children clothing, make sure they wear the clothes in her presence while they are still new and in good condition.
6. If perchance she has hurt your feelings, don't let it fester and do not complain to your husband. Say, "Mom, you hurt me," then tell her why, so you can put the matter to rest.
7. Don't compete with her daughter if she has one. Accept the fact that she's apt to favor her own. (You will too if you have one someday.)
8. Never repeat family gossip. And try not to listen to any.
9. Make it a point to ask her for something — a recipe, for example. And after you have used it with good results, thank her for it. (Knowing she has been helpful will make her feel wonderful.)
10. Love her son, and take good care of him.

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**DEAR ABBY:** I hope you won't think this is too stupid a problem, but I really do need an answer. People have come up to me and said, "You look so sad ... as though the weight of the world were on your shoulders. Why don't you smile?"

Abby, I can't help it. I am not sad, but I have a rather long, bony face and thin lips that tend to turn down in the corners. And when I am deep in thought, I have a tendency to frown.

I try to be pleasant, but I'm not exactly the life of the party. Is there a solution to this problem?  
**NOT SMILING, BUT CONTENT**

**DEAR NOT SMILING:** For what it's worth, a phony smile is worse than a natural frown. Be yourself, and make no apologies for it.

If people have the gall to suggest that you smile, ask them to say something funny.

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**DEAR ABBY:** A note to "Livid in Salem, Mass.," the receptionist in a physician's office who complained about children's messages on patients' answering machines:

I agree. Long messages on answering machines are both time-consuming and irritating, but how about when a patient calls a physician's office only to be put on hold for five to 10 minutes listening to elevator music? That's what I call suffering! As long as it's not an emergency, I'd rather be asked for my name and phone number and get a return phone call than be put on hold that long.

"Livid," if that's all you have to gripe about with all the suffering you see while working in a physician's office, I'd say you have a pretty good life.

**HAPPY AND LIVING IN FLORIDA**

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Good advice for everyone — teens to seniors — is in "The Anger in All of Us and How to Deal With It." To order, send a business-sized, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for \$3.95 (\$4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, Anger Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61064-0447. (Postage is included.)

The body of a 1,000 year-old woman in Peru was found to contain tuberculosis, leading scientists to conclude that TB is one disease not introduced to the New World by Europeans.

## Antilock brakes will be required

WASHINGTON (AP) — Antilock brakes will be required on new heavy trucks and buses starting in two years, a move the Transportation Department expects to save hundreds of lives.

The department announced a final rule on Tuesday requiring the brakes to be phased in between 1997 and 1999 on newly made large vehicles.

"The new requirement will prevent about 29,000 crashes involving up to 500 deaths and 25,000 injuries annually," Transportation Secretary Federico Pena said.

But the move comes at a time when Congress is considering imposing limits on new federal regulation, and whether that will roll back or delay the new requirement remains to be seen.

The rule applies to vehicles weighing 10,000 pounds or more.

Under the rule, antilock brakes will be required on new truck tractors manufactured after March 1, 1997; trailers, single-unit trucks and buses with air brakes made after March 1, 1998; and new single unit trucks and buses with hydraulic brakes after March 1, 1999.

Antilock brakes are expected to raise the cost of each vehicle by between \$500 and \$850, according to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

Antilock brakes are "an important technology that can add to highway safety," said American Trucking Association President Thomas J. Donohue. He said the ATA has been encouraging its member trucking companies to invest in the brakes.

## Laredo school may change

LAREDO (AP) — A state senator has introduced a bill to move the city's university from the Texas A&M system to the University of Texas system.

Sen. Judith Zaffirini, D-Laredo, introduced legislation Tuesday calling for the transfer of Texas A&M International University on Sept. 1. The bill would change the name to the University of Texas-International.

Zaffirini said the Laredo institution would benefit from the funds and expertise of the state's largest university system.

Specifically, she cited the possibility of tapping into UT's health care expertise, bringing more doctoral programs to the Laredo campus as well as UT's strong Latin American studies and business programs.

## Dr. Gott by Peter Gott, M.D.

### Is brain aneurysm a family risk?

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

**DEAR DR. GOTT:** My sister had a ruptured brain aneurysm recently. Is it likely she could have another one, or that I'm at risk as a family member?

**DEAR READER:** Aneurysms (weakened portions of arterial walls) can occur anywhere in the body, most commonly in the abdomen and the brain.

As time passes, an aneurysm usually enlarges. Eventually, blood may leak through the thinned wall of the blood vessel — or the aneurysm may rupture. When this occurs in the brain, it causes a hemorrhagic stroke that may be serious and lead to profound disability, even death.

No one knows why some people develop aneurysms and others do not. The tendency is not inherited. However, uncontrolled high blood pressure is often associated with aneurysms. If a hypertensive patient suffers a hemorrhagic stroke, doctors must aggressively treat the hypertension with drugs to avoid a similar episode in the future.

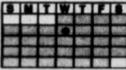
Also, some people appear to have a tendency to form aneurysms; this places them at added risk.

Once a cerebral aneurysm has ruptured, doctors frequently perform certain tests — such as MRA scanning — to see if other aneurysms are present. If your sister had such testing, she would know if she is at risk for another stroke. Otherwise, a repeat hemorrhage is impossible to predict.

I do not believe that you and other family members are necessarily at risk.

## DATE BOOK

March 8, 1995



Today is the 67th day of 1995 and the 78th day of winter.

**TODAY'S HISTORY:** On this day in 1971, silent film comic Harold Lloyd died at the age of 77. Lloyd often outdrew Charlie Chaplin and Buster Keaton at the box office and was known for the spectacular stunts that cost him his right thumb and forefinger.

**TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS:** Oliver Wendell Holmes Jr. (1841-1935), Supreme Court justice; Cyd Charisse (1923-), dancer, is 72; Charlie Pride (1938-), singer, is 57; Lynn Redgrave (1943-), actress, is 52; Susan Clark (1944-), actress, is 51; Jim Rice (1953-), baseball player, is 42.

**TODAY'S SPORTS:** On this day in 1930, Babe Ruth signed a contract for a record \$80,000 per year. When told that he'd be making more than President Herbert Hoover, Ruth replied, "I had a better year."

**TODAY'S QUOTE:** "The world's great men have not commonly been great scholars, nor its great scholars great men." — Oliver Wendell Holmes

**TODAY'S WEATHER:** On this day in 1972, a wind of 207 mph was recorded at the United States air base at Thule, Greenland.

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**TODAY'S MOON:** Day before first quarter.



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months. The cause is unknown and recurrences are rare.

A chronic skin disorder, such as the one you describe, may not be pityriasis. Other treatable skin diseases (notably tinea and psoriasis) must be considered. Therefore, I suggest that you request a referral to a dermatologist, who can diagnose your problem after an examination and blood tests. A biopsy may be necessary.

Moisturizing creams and lotions may reduce the itchiness of many skin afflictions. However, you're unlikely to obtain complete relief until the diagnosis is established and more specific therapy is prescribed.

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