

Ask Us

Q-A recent article in the newspaper about Great Britian made mention of a favorable trade gap. What is a "favorable trade gap?" A-A trade gap is the difference between exports and imports. A nation's trade gap is favorable when exports exceed imports and unfavorable when imports exceed exports.

In Brief

Two injured

MIDLOTHIAN, Texas (AP) — Two people suffered minor injuries today in the crash of a singleengine plane in a rural area, officials said.

The Texas Department of Public Safety was notified of the accident around 7:30 a.m.

Baylor Medical Center of Waxahachie spokeswoman Debbie Simon said the man and woman were being treated and likely would be released later today. She declined to release their names.

Plant on fire

DEER PARK, Texas (AP) - A small fire broke out today at an Occidental Chemical plant, a company official said.

The fire started about 6:10 a.m. when a tube above a boiler broke and leaked a flammable liquid into the boiler, said plant manager Joe Carona. No injuries were reported and the fire was extinguished at 7 a.m.,

Chamber board supports bingo

Snyder might be put to local voters as early as August as chamber of commerce officials work to organize a ballot proposal.

After a unanimous vote to support a bingo proposal during Thursday night's board meeting, directors issued a statement which reads, "Due to the interest expressed by citizens of Snyder, the chamber of commerce supports putting bingo on the ballot

Telephone service is restored

Southwestern Bell Telephone employees worked diligently for four hours Thursday, restoring service after a crew accidently cut through two cables on 27th St., across from Snyder Police Department.

Telephone service went out about 2:30 p.m. after a phone company crew drilled through two cables while working to put in additional anchors for utility poles. The two cables had 600 pairs and 300 pairs of wires, respectively. Each pair represents a phone connection.

Calls to Snyder police and fire departments were rerouted through Scurry County Sheriff's Office and contact was kept constant through mobile radio equipment.

The line breaks also cut security alarm systems at businesses throughout the community which sound at the police station. In addition to the police and fire departments, telephone service was out at City Hall, and at a number of residences and businesses, including West Texas State Bank. Full repairs were completed at about 6:45 p.m. Following the break, crews first had to dig a trench large enough for telephone employees to work. Police personnel said today that the temporary loss of telephone service was only an inconvenience and did not pose a threat to any necessary services or security.

A proposal to bring bingo to in order for the people to decide, servation and Development old news - there's a shortfall of with the understanding that pro- Area.

ceeds would go to benefit local The "bingo vote" and statenon-profit organizations."

meeting included the approval of retirement committee on a new dues structures, committee chamber-sponsored bingo proreports and a presentation on the. posal.

Big Country Resource Con-

ment came after a presentation Other business during the by Art Feinsod of the tourism/-

"I don't have to tell you — it's

money," remarked Feinsod, who listed local charities he said could benefit from bingo proceeds, such as the county museum and local boys club.

Bingo operations, regulated by the state, are mandated to give at least one-third of their proceeds to charity organizations. If passed by local voters, the chamber would still have to be approved for a license and individuals supervising the operation would undergo an FBI background check.

Feinsod and interim chamber manager Ricky Fritz noted that bingo operations were being conducted in Big Spring, Roscoe and Post. The Post operation is sponsored by the local chamber of commerce and clears approximately \$2,700 a month, after expenses and charity proceeds, said Fritz.

"I think it is a great way to help out our local non-profit organizations," said Fritz.

"It's legal, it's clean and it's going to be run by local people," concluded Feinsod.

Board members in attendance Thursday indicated they have received more positive than negative response from local citizens.

Board members Gary Sisson and Susan Neves, who did not attend the meeting, said earlier that they would be opposed to chamber-sponsored bingo.

In other action, the chamber approved a new dues structure which includes investor memberships, donation memberships and support memberships and approved the sponsorship of the Big Country RCD Area with a \$25 annual sponsorship fee.

Under investment memberships, patron status is \$500 annually; corporate, \$300; utilities, \$250; financial institutions, \$1,200 for banks, \$600 for savings and

(see BINGO, page 8)

Snyder hosts county Little League tourney

The local Little League champion Cubs will represent Snyder in the County Baseball Tournament which begins today at Logan Field in Towle Park.

Snyder gets a bye in the opening round and will tangle with the winner of today's Coleman-Colorado City first-round contest at 6 p.m. Saturday

Coleman and Colorado City will begin the tourney today with a 6 p.m. tilt, at 8 p.m. by Merkel vs. Rotan.

The single-elimination event continues Saturday with the semifinal battle featuring the hometowners. Stonewall-Kent will square off against Hamlin at 8 p.m.

The Merkel-Rotan winner will face the victor in the Stonewall-Kent-Hamlin game in Monday's 7 p.m. semifinal.

The championship is scheduled for Tuesday at 7 p.m.

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DARE party

Scurry County Sheriff's Department will be hosting a DARE Swim Party at Towle Park Pool from 7:30-9-30 p.m. today.

Society meeting

County Scurry Genealogical Society will meet Tuesday in the TU Reddy Room. Mary Strelecki is presenting a program on "How to Research A Funeral Visitors are Home.'' welcome.

Style show

Martha Ann Woman's Club will have a style show from Margaret's at their monthly game day and luncheon set for 11:30 a.m. Wednesday. The cost is \$5 and reservations are due Monday by calling 573-3427.

37th VBS

Vacation Bible School will be held June 24-36 at 37th St. Church of Christ for children ages five through the sixth grade.

VBS will run from 9:30-11:45 a.m. each day. For transportation, call 573-0154.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Thursday, 90 degrees; low, 64 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Friday, 68 degrees; .69 of an inch precipitation; total precipitation for 1991 to date, 9.70 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, partly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of thunderstorms. Low in the lower 70s. South wind 10 to 15 mph. Saturday, sunny and hot. High in the mid 90s. South wind 10 to 20 mph and gusty.

Almanac: Sunset today, 8:51 p.m. Sunrise Saturday, 6:40 a.m. Of 169 days in 1991, the sun has shone 164 days in Snyder.

TEDIOUS WORK — Rick Wood and Debbie Allford match some of the 900 pairs of damaged phone lines which were accidentally cut when Southwestern Bell crews worked to put in additional anchors for utility poles across from the police station. Communications were out for about four hours Thursday and involved the police and fire stations, City Hall and a number of businesses and residences. (SDN Staff Photo)

At committee meeting...

July 4th plans finalized

Plans for the chamber of com- committee members announced merce's July 4th celebration have been finalized, planning

Kiddie pool will open on Saturday

Towle Park kiddie pool will open Saturday, Mike Harrisen, pool supervisor, said.

The small pool, located adjacent to the main swimming pool in the park, is for children age 5 and under only. Cost is \$1 per child and youngsters must be supervised by an adult.

Kiddie pool hours will be the same as regular pool hours. from 2 p.m. until 5:30 p.m. seven days a week.

In addition, the pools will be open from 5:30 p.m. until 7 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays for family swim nights, and on Saturdays from 7-9 p.m.

Regular pool prices are \$1 for children age 12 and under, \$1.50 for youngsters age 13 to 18, and \$2 for ages 18 and up. The price during family swim nights is \$4 per family.

A concession stand is open during all pool hours.

Harrison also said that the pool can be reserved for private parties by calling 573-9192

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Thursday afternoon. Activities for the annual event

will officially begin at 5 p.m. Wednesday, July 3, with the opening of the arts and crafts show at the National Guard Armory in Towle Park. The show will close at 9 p.m. and re-open Thursday from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

A \$1 admission fee is being charged for the show this year to defray the cost of portable toilets that will be placed throughout the park. The admission charge will be good for the entire day and children under age six will be admitted free when accompanied by an adult.

Independence Day activities will get underway with the Prayer Breakfast at 7:30 a.m. at Scurry County Coliseum. During the breakfast, outstanding lay leaders from local churches will be recognized. Entertainment will be provided by Rebecca Thornton, Sherry Stewart, Barbara Vincent and Elaine Githens. Speaker will be Desert Storm veteran Lt. Col. Bruce Balbin of Dyess Air Force Base.

Tickets are \$5 each and are available at the chamber of commerce or from committee members. The breakfast menu will include scrambled eggs. sausage, hash browns, biscuits, orange juice and coffee.

Following the breakfast, the parade in Towle Park will begin at 9 p.m. with the judging of the bicycle decorating contest and

lineup at 9:30 a.m. The parade is slated to begin at 10 a.m. and will feature National Guard personnel and Vietnam and Desert Storm veterans. Those still wishing to participate in the parade are asked to call Bill or Billie Jackson at 573-9553.

Food and activity booths, including dunking and car smashing booths, will be open throughout the day. Horse shoe and washer pitching competitions are set to begin at 1 p.m. Sign-ups for the contests can be made at Pete Snyder's Store at the Armory

(see PLANS, page 8)

Snyder's Little League all-star team will be named following the title game Tuesday.

Committee slashes school equity aid

AUSTIN (AP) — Local school districts would have to increase property taxes or slash spending under a proposal adopted by House budget writers, officials said.

On Thursday, the Appropriations Committee recommended cutting nearly all additional state aid promised to public schools by the Legislature in its plan to help equalize education funding.

'The more money we put into this system, the worse it gets," Rep. Ric Williamson, D-Weatherford said. "If we continue to pile money into this piece of crap we will never have tax reform.

Texas Education Agency general counsel Kevin O'Hanlon told the House Appropriations Committee that such a reduction would hurt the state's ability to defend the new school finance law in court.

And other lawmakers said the committee plan would simply push the funding problem to the local level, where school districts would have to increase property taxes, slash spending, or both.

"If we reduce monies, we are saying to local folks, 'Raise property taxes,' '' Rep. Paul Colbert, D-Houston, said. O'Hanlon said

property tax rates would have to increase by about 9 cents to make up such a shortfall.

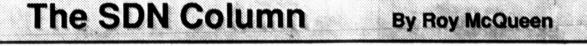
But Williamson, vice chairman of Appropriations, said the reductions are needed to help bridge a projected \$4.7 billion shortfall in the 1992-93 budget. The committee will make recommendations to the House when lawmakers return for a July 8 special legislative session.

Earlier this year, lawmakers passed a bill that would have increased public school funding by about \$1.3 billion. The action was prompted a Texas Supreme Court ruling that found unconstitutional the current school finance system, which allows wide disparities in funding.

Budget experts said the price tag has increased another \$350 million because of a reduction in statewide property tax wealth.

In Thursday's meeting, the Appropriations Committee rejected a move to supply that \$350 million, and then voted 11-8 to cut \$1 billion from the school bill for the next two years.

Under these moves, state spending for schools still would increase, but by less than one-tenth of what was promised in the education funding bill.



determined to have the last word, that's why they ve longer than men.'

Keeping tabs on our neighbors.

Charles Brown, director of public relations for the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, has put us on the mailing list for the employee newsletter that is published in Huntsville each month

Brown, the department's spokesman, was in Snyder for the opening of the Daniel unit, and he still talks about the barbecue and melodrama put on to welcome TDCJ folks to Scurry County.

In a recent newsletter, Brown talked about edible language, that being words or phrases that contain a food:

For example, a big cheese is the chief honcho while an apple-polisher is a flatterer. A piece of cake is a cinch or snap, and an egghead is an in-

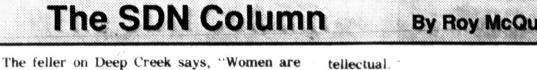
A beanpole is a skinny person and bread is considered money. Spice of life is considered variety while gravy train is a source of easy money. Beefs are complaints and a person not in his element is a fish out of water.

The Big Apple refers to New York City and a carrot is an illusory reward. A pickle is a difficult situation while a lemon is a dud. A cream puff is a clean used car while agent orange was a defoliant used in Vietnam.

With so much food in our vocabulary, it's no wonder we stay hungry.

O.G. Nieman, in the Hereford Brand, told about an employees who asked for a raise.

"I've got three companies after me. The light company, the gas company and the telephone company.



Lebanon hostages' plight still haunts leaders

WASHINGTON (AP) - The plight of six American hostages expectation in this capital of imin Lebanon has tormented three American presidents and despite some positive signals it remains a nagging piece of unfinished business for the United States in the Middle East

The end of the Persian Gulf War and the apparent interest of both Iran and Syria in friendlier relations with the West eventually may bring about the hostages' release.

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minent liberation for the captives, that various forces for their release are converging, and that, in any event, the abductors have little to gain by holding them further. Raising hope, as well, are new diplomatic efforts by Britain and

There is an unmistakable air of

Israel's renewal of an offer to release some Arab and Palestinian prisoners for the 13 Western hostages and seven Israelis missing in Lebanon.

And yet, a Bush administration official who monitors the situation commented: "There's less going on than meets the eye.' On Thursday night, a senior Israeli military official in Jerusalem said 300 Palestinians will be released for the Muslim Eid Al-Adha holiday, which

begins this weekend. The official said the release had "nothing to do with" a proposed swap.

Presumably, the offer still little cost in maintaining them." stands, but the imminent release suggests the other side did not bite.

Robert Kupperman, senior adviser on terrorism at the private Center for Strategic International Studies, said in an interview that the hostage situation "is going to continue to bedevil Mr. Bush. I see Hezbollah in Lebanon having very little to gain by releasing them and very

Airline officials blast rail trip

The subject was raised as part of a motion for rehearing filed by the airline, which is asking the authority board to reconsider its

'State law says you should not be in the position of accepting gifts or favors that are offered with the intent of influencing your decisions," said Southwest Airlines' lawyer, Robert Heath. But Bob Neely, executive director of the rail authority, told the Austin American-Statesman that there was nothing improper

the panel.

Texas TGV and the Texas Highlater became Texas FasTrac Inc.

Hezbollah, also known as the Party of God, is the Iranianbacked Shiite Muslim organization that is believed to be the um-

brella group for the kidnappers. Bush, the third American president to be frustrated by Hezbollah and the abductors, has been drawn into controversy over other American hostages - the 52 who were held in the U.S. Embassy in Iran for 444 days while all efforts by President Carter, including a daring rescue at-

tempt, to free them failed.

They were released on the same day Ronald Reagan was inaugurated as president and Bush as vice president in January 1981.

Eight of the 52 former hostages last week called for a congressional inquiry into charges by Gary Sick, a staff member of Carter's National Security Council, that Reagan's presidential campaign conspired to prevent their release until after the 1980 election victory over Carter.

Bush has blamed "rumor-

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Pastor Has Many Duties, Some of Which Are Paid

By Abigail Van Buren © 1991 Universal Press Syndicate

weekend with their father and the next with their mom.

When they are at their father's, both children sleep in the same double bed with him. I think this is a bad idea and I told him so. His reaction to my protestations was. "Well. it's not as though I sleep in the nude - I always wear shorts!"

Abby, both children are developing rapidly and our whole family is concerned about their sleeping arrangements when they're at their dad's. Are we overreacting? Or doyou think our concerns are valid? GRANDMA

DEAR GRANDMA: Your concerns are valid. Not only should your grandson and granddaughter not be sleeping with their father — they should not be sleeping with each other.

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DEAR ABBY: I had to laugh when I read the letter from "A Lusting Guy in Indy" who roamed the malls lusting after slim maidens in tight jeans.

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swirled around Reagan during his presidency. He secretly ap-proved the delivery of weapons to Iran in hopes "moderates" in its government would gain the Americans' release.

Youth surrenders to police after holiday shooting

AUSTIN (AP) - Police say a 15-year-old responsible for Juneteenth shootings that injured four people has surrendered.

Austin Sgt. Daniel Zahara said the Wednesday shootings stem from an argument between the youth and a Reagan High School student.

The 15-year-old allegedly pulled a handgun and fired in a crowd of Juneteenth celebrants at Rosewood Park. The park was the site of a daylong fete that included a parade, speakers, fireworks and concerts including gospel music. More than 2,000 people turned out for the event.

Four people, including Reagan **High School student Demetrious** Morgan, 17 were wounded. Morgan was released from **Brackenridge Hospital sometime** Thursday after being treated for a gunshot wound to his side.

Clifton Griffin, 46, co-chairman of the Juneteenth Committee and librarian of Austin's Carver Library was shot in the hand and underwent surgery at Brackenridge to remove bone fragments. He was reported in good condition early Friday.

Roy Spark, 17, who was shot in the toe and another 16-year-old male wounded in the leg were both discharged.

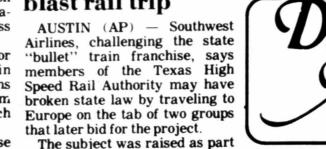
Griffin said he had been staffing the children's stage where a fight between teen-agers broke out about 8:30 p.m.

'There were some young men standing by a table that I was near. A young man came up the steps and said some things and they began to fight," he said.

Griffin was shot as he tried to get out of the way of the fight.

Two police officers were in-







Multi-Mile TIRES Because So Much

ANOTHER GEORGIA PASTOR

DEAR PASTOR: Perhaps your letter will remind readers who require the services of a clergyperson for happy occasions (weddings, christenings) as well as sad ones (funerals, last rites, etc.) that Hoover is no longer in the White House, and the clergyperson should be appropriately compensated for his/ her automobile use, gasoline, dry cleaning, haircut - not to mention the effort and the time spent in preparing and delivering the

DEAR ABBY: My daughter and her husband are separated. Their children - an 8-year-old daughter and 11-year-old son - spend one

lot of other women, I've put on a few extra pounds. Try as I may, I can't get them off.

One day, my hubby asked me with a sad expression, "Whatever happened to that little 24-inch waist married?"

I replied — with an equally sad expression, "Well, Dear, I left it in the '60s with your hair!" (He's bald!) **NOBODY'S PERFECT**

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jured as they tried to disperse the crowd. One suffered a broken nose, and another was hit in the knee with a rock.

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Kellogg awards millions for rural health care

By The Associated Press

A \$47.5 million grant from the W.K. Kellogg Foundation will be used to establish rural healthcare teaching centers nationwide and encourage students to pursue careers in community-oriented medicine.

The foundation, based in Battle Creek, Mich., announced Thursday it would grant seven universities and medical schools. including Michigan State University, about \$6 million each over a five-year period.

Initially, the schools will

based primary-care centers. They will function as teaching and research centers for students and faculty as well as clinics for students rejecting communityrural residents who traditionally have little access to health care.

"The Kellogg Foundation, like most of the other folks in this country, see serious problems pose and encourage more with our health care system," said Ronald W. Richards, the based health care. program's director.

"It costs too much, leaves at least 37 million people out, and the quality of care, in terms of

establish a total 26 community- prevention, comprehensiveness and compassion, is not working," he said.

With more medical and nursing based health care and choosing hospital-based and specialty health professions, Richards said the foundation saw a need to exstudents to pursue community-

"It's no surprise that if almost 100 percent of education occurs in hospital environments that students may seem unwilling to choose rural health care," Richards said. "The thrust of our grants is to help create new kinds of settings for education."

WASHINGTON (AP) -

Americans who think they will

win a dream vacation by calling

a number on a postcard often

discover later that they lost more

than a great trip. Also gone, sometimes without their consent,

is a piece of their checking ac-

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by unsavory telephone

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special alerts to banks by the

FBI, the Federal Reserve, the

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counts.

The other six organizations selected from 110 applicants vere: Trustees of Health and Hospitals in Boston, East Tennessee State University, University of Hawaii, Morehouse School of Medicine in Atlanta, the University of Texas at El Paso. and the University of West Virginia in Charleston.

In Michigan, where the funds will be matched by Michigan State, two existing health-care centers in Montmorency and Roscommon counties will be expanded, said Dr. William Abbett, dean of the College of Human Medicine. Eventually, he said the school hopes to expand the program statewide.

Abbett said the need for rural health care is increasing as the population ages and older Americans retire and move from bigger cities. But medical training still largely is conducted in hospitals and on high-tech equipment, leaving students unfamiliar with practicing in small communities.

Still, Abbett acknowledged that until doctors and nurses receive when so much is needed." comparable pay in rural areas, it will be difficult to attract them.

Kellogg Foundation officials acknowledged that lower pay in rural areas will continue to be an obstacle.

guarantee that we will succeed in programs aimed at solutions.

redirecting the education of health professionals by establishing and sustaining academic, community-based primary health centers," said Russell G. Mawby, the foundation's chief executive officer.

"But tinkering with the status quo and conducting modest initiatives around the margin may be the greatest risk of all - the risk that nothing will change

The foundation, named for the founder of the giant cereal company, was established in 1930 and has provided seed money to organizations and institutions that have identified problems "Of course, there's no and designed constructive action

Accused nurse freed

SAN ANTONIO (AP) - A nurse who was released from custody after her drug sentence was suspended is appealing her dismissal from the U.S. Air Force.

The military on Thursday freed Capt. Carla Lancaster, 27, who had been ordered to serve six months for illegally using a painkilling drug at the Wilford Hall Air Force Medical Center in San Antonio.

The Air Force claimed the woman had drugs from the old prescription in her system. She had been jailed at Lackland Air Force Base since May 21.

However, conflicting testimony given during Mrs. Lancaster's trial led to her sentence being suspended, Lt. Col. Johnny Whitaker said. A special hearing will be held on legal issues in the case

The hearing could be held in six to 10 days, depending on the schedule of the military judge in the case, Whitaker said. He declined to say what the issues were.

'There's an awful lot more to this case than you see on the surface," he said.

Bridge **By Phillip Alder**

The fair advantage

By Phillip Alder

hazard all/Do it in hope of fair advan- nesse. But experts hate to rely on fifair advantages, but prefer to do it alternative line that will work even if without hazarding all.

Temporarily obliterate the East-West cards and decide on your line of line. As long as West's clubs were play in six spades. West, who opened headed by the A-Q-J, the contract was three clubs as dealer, leads his single- ensured. Declarer won the trump lead ton trump 10.

South's. Many would double and then the club 10.

bid four spades, hoping to convey the more than an immediate four spades. North decided he had enough to take a shot at the slam.

At first glimpse, the slam seems to The Bard once wrote: "Men that depend on a successful diamond fitages." Bridge experts strive to find nesses. They hunt assiduously for an club higher than the 10, declarer the key finesse is going to lose.

Here South spotted an alternative in hand, drew three rounds of hearts It isn't clear how to bid a hand like ending in the dummy, and called for

When East played low, declarer dismessage that the hand is worth a little carded the diamond five. West won the trick but had no winning play. If he Here, though, it didn't matter, since cashed the club ace, dummy's king would be established to provide a discard for the diamond queen. If instead he led a diamond, it would be into South's A-Q.

Of course if East had produced a would have been forced to ruff and fall back on the diamond finesse. © 1991, NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.

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Public, banks alerted to phone scam

The trouble begins when the telephone sales person, hawking a vacation, low-interest credit card or other product, lures the customer into providing his checking account number.

The unethical operator then encodes the account number on a demand draft — forms that can be used to withdraw funds quickly. Meanwhile, the promoted product is rarely delivered.

Victims often don't learn of such a withdrawal until they spot it on a monthly bank statement. Or, if they have orally agreed to a charge, they become furious when their account was charged but the product wasn't delivered. The firms send out postcards to

generate return calls or do direct dialing to hawk their promises of easy credit, grand prizes or services such as help in selling a used car.

In each case, there's a charge which — in the case of promised prizes - often is called a processing fee. The companies say they'll take care of the transaction if the customer will provide his checking account number.

Rep. Ron Wyden, D-Ore. chairman of the House Small Business subcommittee on regulation, said the businesses possess "an impressive array of

and the Comptroller of the Cur- electronic and computerized easily is in millions of dollars per tools which literally unlock the year.'

bank's safe.' Wyden's subcommittee staff is investigating the unauthorized withdrawals. A staff memo to the by legitimate insurance comchairman said there is no way yet to estimate losses from the

schemes, but "individual anecdotes provided by institutions ... indicate that the level of fraud News Classified Ads Call 573-5486

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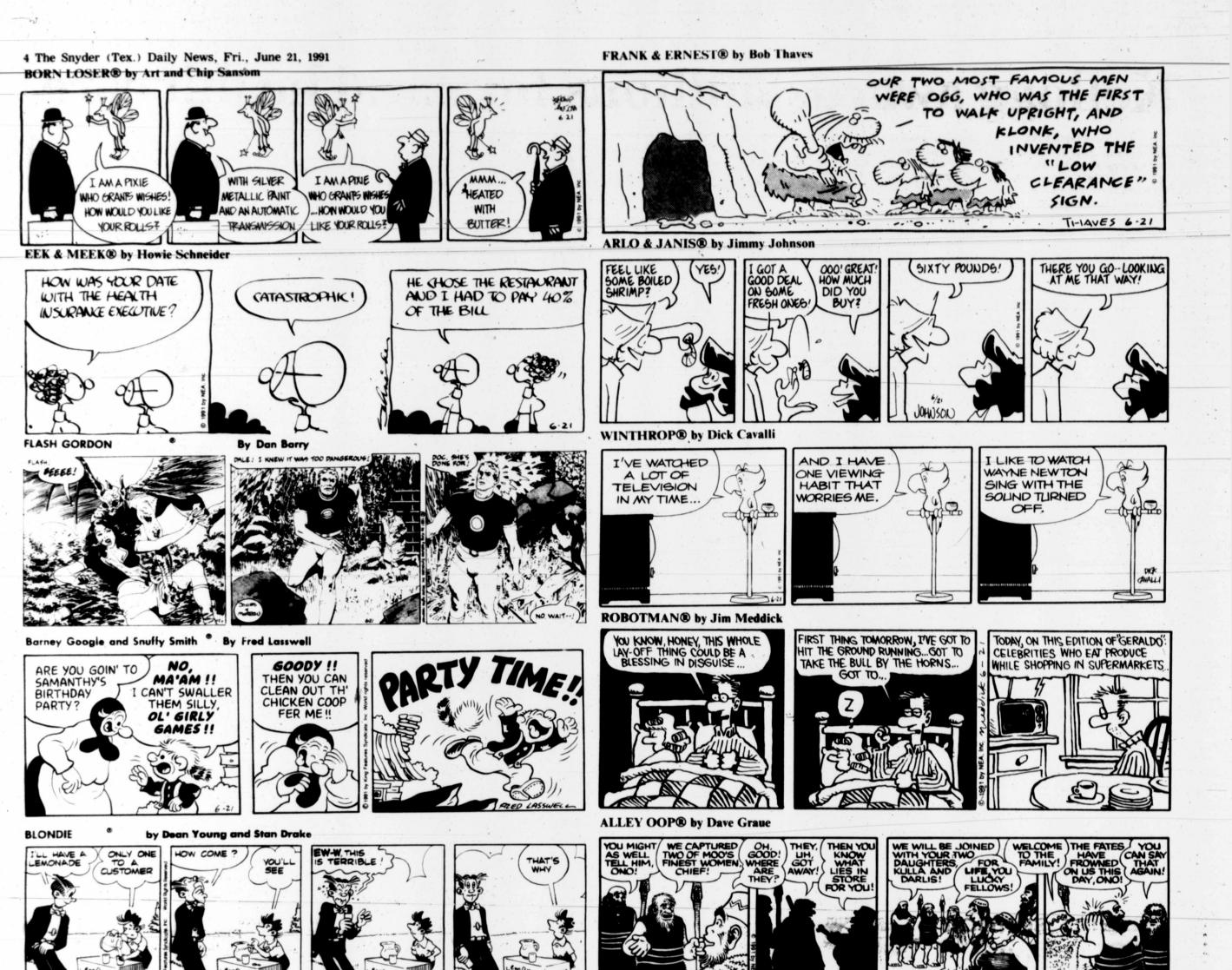




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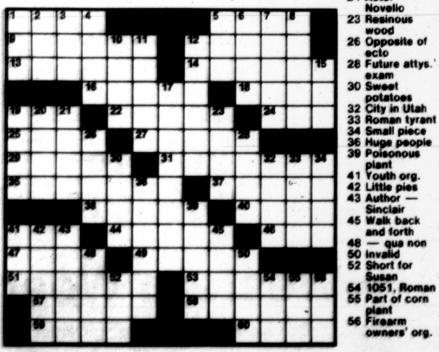
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Rangers take comeback win

CHICAGO (AP) - The Texas Rangers' Ivan Rodriguez will never forget the anniversary of his first major league game it's the same date as his wedding.

Rodriguez, 19, making his major-league debut at catcher, threw out two runners attempting to steal and capped a fiverun ninth inning with a two-run single in Thursday's 7-3 win over the Chicago White Sox.

That's only half the story. **Rodriguez and Maribel Rivera** were to be married between games of a doubleheader in Tulsa on Thursday. But the Rangers called him up Wednesday night, so there was a change in plans.

KOC tourney is scheduled

The 4th Annual Knights of Columbus 4-Man Golf Scramble is set for Saturday at Western **Texas College**.

Tee times are 8:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m.

A, B, C and D groupings will compete in the 18-hole tourney for cash and merchandise prizes.

A Long Drive Contest, featuring a \$75 prize, and a \$25 Closest to the Pin Contest, on holes No. 1 and No. 6, are scheduled as part of the tournament.

Drawings for free prizes will be held and refreshments will be available.

All proceeds from the tourney benefit the group's High School of us. She was a little shocked." Scholarship Fund.

Rodriguez and Maribel were state of shock at the loss, conmarried in Tulsa on Thursday sidering they had rallied for morning before the two caught a three runs in the seventh. Lance plane for Chicago to join the Johnson hit a two-run single off Rangers.

afford two rooms in Chicago so Merullo by reliever Mike Jeffthey decided to get married quickly," Texas manager Bobby Valentine said.

jokes. His Rangers had blown a 2-0 lead and were trailing 3-2 going into the ninth.

They had only three hits off Jack McDowell. But McDowell didn't come out for the ninth. Bobby Thigpen took over.

Rafael Palmeiro walked and Ruben Sierra followed with his 11th homer, a two-run blast for a 4-3 lead. Julio Franco hit his eighth homer two pitches later.

It was the fifth blown save in 18 opportunities for Thigpen, who set a major league record with 57 saves in 65 opportunities last year.

After Thigpen left, Juan Gonzalez, who drove in the first two runs with a single in the second inning and his eighth homer in the seventh, singled. Steve **Buechele doubled and Rodriguez** singled in two runs.

"Yes. I'm excited, I'm happy, Rodriguez said. "I was a little nervous in the first inning but I felt okay. I know the game. I want to stay here. I don't want to go back to the minor leagues.'

Asked who insisted on the quick wedding, Rodriguez said, "Both

The White Sox also were in a

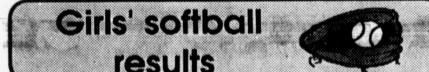
Anderson shoots 77 at Fairway Oaks

ABILENE - Snyder's Larry Anderson carded a 77 in Friday's first round of the 63rd Annual Men's West Texas Golf Invitational to finish the day 11 strokes off the lead.

Abilene's Jaxon Brigman fired a 66 in the event, being held at Fairway Oaks Country Club, for a 2-stroke lead over Bill Holstead of Wichita Falls. Ft. Worth's Pat West shot a 69 Thursday to lead a group of six golfers in third place.

Near the top of the leader board are Cory Adams of San Angelo, a recently signed member of the Western Texas College golf team, with a 70, Clint Adams, also of San Angelo, a WTC ex, with a 72 and Western Texas sophomore John Gatlin, with his even-par 72.

Pampa's Mark Wood, also a second-year student at the Snyder school, registered a 74 in Thursday's round.



angers. starter Kevin Brown, and a "I guess he figured he couldn't bases-loaded walk to Matt coat pushed the third run across the plate. McDowell put the side down in

Valentine could afford to make order in the eighth before Thigpen came in.

"I could have stayed with Jack but we considered the number of pitches he had thrown and we didn't think he was popping the manager Jeff Torborg. ball," said

"You have to go with what you've got. Last year we tried it 57 times and it worked."

Baseball glance

By The Associated Press All Times EDT AMERICAN LEAGUE East Divisio

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Milwaukee	30	34	.469	4
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Cleveland	23	39	.371	10
Baltimore	23	41	359	11
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Minnesota	40	26	606	-
Oakland	38	28	576	2
Texas	34	27	557	312
California	36	29	.554	312
Seattle	35	30	.538	412
Kansas City	32	32	.500	7
Chicago	30	33	476	812
Thursday's Games Boston 8, Oakland 7				
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- 7:35 p.m Oakland (Moore 8-5) at Boston (Bolton 6-4) 7:35 p.m
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- 3-3), 8:35 p.m. Seattle (R Johnson 4-6) at Milwaukee (Bosio 5-6), 8:35 p.m.
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8-9 YEAR-OLD CHAMPS - The Giants defeated the Athletics Thursday night, 12-6, to claim the 8-9 Year-Old League championship. Team members are, front row from left, Colby Stoker, Fernando Candonosa, J.J. Vasquez, Ricky Halford, Marcus Diaz, Clay Graves and Miquel Infante. Back row

from left; coach Bill Wilson, Jason Dennis, Jeremy Border, James Payne, Coach Ronnie Halford, Glen Burk, Brady Hackfeld, Michael Diaz, Jonathan Hensley and coach Sam Dennis. (SDN Staff Photo)

Letterman offered start by Toros

hero: it's up to David Letterman mail, phone or fax in my now

He could be blowing his big,

BOZEMAN, Mont. - A pair of

Western Texas College cowboys

were eliminated from the chase

for berths in Saturday's College

National Finals Rodeo short go,

in spite of good efforts on

Darrin Cook, a Townsville,

Australia native riding for WTC.

earned a 68 in bull riding last

night. He was bucked off his first

bull in the event Monday and is

Scott Berger of Kearney, Neb.

took an 8.1 clocking in steer

wrestling for seventh in the go-

round. He missed his steer on his

finished for the rodeo.

Astros.

Thursday.

R.S.V.P.

About 10 days after being inand maybe only, shot at baseball vited to pitch for the Pacific immortality, depending on Coast League's Tucson Toros in whether he replies to an invita- its July 1 exhibition against the tion to pitch against the Houston parent Houston Astros, there's

TUCSON, Ariz. (AP) - Goat or be on the mound: "I forgot to still no word from the host of NBC's "Late Night With David Letterman.

> That's despite the pitch he's been making for months, offering his services "to any major league team" wanting an inning of shutout ball.

It's enough to make No. 1 on his Youth baseball Top 10 List for why he shouldn't WTC 'pokes results out of finals



Giants 12, Athletics 6

The Giants, fuelled by James Payne's homer and two singles, a triple and two base hits by Ricky Halford and Fernando Candonosa's three-sacker and single, raced past the Athletics in the league championship game Thursday, 12-6.

Glen Burk added two doubles, Marcus Diaz doubled and singled twice and Jeremy Border hammered a two-base hit.

Jason Dennis banged two singles and Brady Hackfeld, Michael Diaz, Jonathan Hensley and Miquel Infante each popped a hit.

Tyson Dever levelled a triple, a double and a single for the A's. Duain Allred thumped two hits, including one for an extra base, Davison Burnett, Josh Heaton and Ryan Gibson all managed two hits and Jeremy Goodlett, Toby Trammell and Kevin Taylor were credited with a single apiece.

Farm League

White Sox 11, Abilene Dixie No. 25 The White Sox secured at least second place in The Festival, a 24-

Division[•]I

Radical Rascals 16, Blue Thunder 12

Kendra Dacus homered to lead the Rascals to a Thursday night Division I win over the Blue Thunder.

Stephanie Perkins and Cristen Nabors each added a single in the winning cause.

Christine Holder smacked two doubles for the Thunder. Stephanie Price and Kami Bates were each good for a base hit.

Division II

Razzle Dazzle 15, Wrecking Crew 5

The Razzle Dazzle scores 15 runs on just six hits, singles by Kelly Gonzales, Christy Ervin, winning pitcher Amanda Huff, Vanessa Jones, Becky Fisk and Nicole Lyons, to roll past the Wrecking Crew Tuesday night.

Melanie Kidd ripped two hits to lead the Crew while teammates Joshelyn Helm, Halea Huestis and Jennifer Seabourn each singled. Razzle Dazzle 19, Rock-N-Roll Express 0

Razzle Dazzle shut out the Express Thursday, 19-0, behind Kelly

Gonzalez' triple and two doubles and a single and a two-sacker by Amy Church. Christy Ervin whipped two singles and Vanessa Jones, Amanda

Huff, Cynthia Fennell and Tiffany Martin each lifted a hit in the winning cause.

Shauna Huddleston punched a double and a single to pace the Rock-N-Roll Express. Mandy Hess and Julie Vaca each singled.

Yellow Hammers 22, Wrecking Crew 13

Erin Maytubby earned the win from the mound and contributed two singles at the plate in the 'Hammers 22-13 victory Thursday.

Melissa Orosco doubled for the winners, as did Brandi Bates, and Susan York, Christy Whitney and Jennifer Smith rapped a single apiece.

Halea Huestis tripled for the Wrecking Crew followed by Haley Brown's twin singles and a hit each from Melanie Kidd, Joshelyn Helm, Sheila Garza, Gabby Lucero and Jennifer Seabourn.

Division III Unknöwns 15, Magic Bubblegum 5

The Unknowns, led by winning pitcher Mendy Winter, dropped the Magic Bubblegum, 15-5, in Division III action Thursday night.

Winter added a triple, Lisa Alonzo doubled and Melissa Davis smacked three singles for the Unknowns.

Billie Jones nailed two singles and Adrienne Bailey, Jenny Bowlin, Temesha Simmons and Jaclyn Morris bumped a hit apiece.

The Bubblegum charge was led by Robyn Beckham and Becky McCravey, with two hits each, and singles by Kim Fitzgerald, Alicia Souder and Rita Rodriguez.

Full Effect 17, Untouchables 15

Full Effect scored seven fifth-inning runs Thursday to notch a 17-16 win over Division III rival, the Untouchables.

Haley Ingram doubled and singled for the winners, Heather Ward was good for three hits and winning pitcher Mandy Baker, Stephanie Hernandez and Jenifer Merritt each lifted a single.

Shelly Sharp tripled for the Untouchables, Lochie Applin doubled twice and singled, Jessica Rocha hammered a two-bagger and a base hit, losing pitcher Bianca Rocha and Connie Payne laced a pair of singles apiece and Kassie Applin, Misty Molina and Leighann Kenney each banged a hit.

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Chicago	31	35	.470	912
Philadelphia	29	37	439	1112
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Los Angeles	40	25	.615	
Cincinnati	34	31	.523	6
Atlanta	32	31	508	7
San Diego	34	33	.507	7
San Francisco	26	41	.388	15
Houston	25	41	.379	1512
Thursday's Games				*
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Philadelphia 7, Houston:	3			
New York 9, Atlanta 7				

San Francisco 4, Chicago 3 Los Angeles 3, Pittsburgh 2 **Only** games scheduled

Friday's Games

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2-5), 7:35 p.m. New York (Viola 7-4) at Atlanta (Leibrandt 5-

5), 7:40 p.m. San Diego (Rasmussen 3-1) at St. Louis (B.Smith 5-4), 8:35 p.m.

Pittsburgh (Walk 4-0) at Los Angeles (Ojeda 6-4), 10:35 p.m.

Chicago (Maddux 6-4) at San Francisco (Black 6-6), 10:35 p.m.

Saturday's Games

Pittsburgh at Los Angeles, 3:15 p.m. Chicago at San Francisco, 4:05 p.m. Montreal at Cincinnati, 7:05 p.m. Houston at Philadelphia, 7:05 p.m. New York at Atlanta, 7:10 p.m. San Diego at St. Louis, 8:35 p.m. Sunday's Games Houston at Philadelphia, 1:35 p.m.

New York at Atlanta, 2:10 p.m. Montreal at Cincinnati, 2:15 p.m. Pittsburgh at Los Angeles, 4:05 p.m. Chicago at San Francisco, 4:05 p.m. San Diego at St. Louis, 8:35 p.m.

first attempt in the rodeo and will watch the finals from the grandstands, as well.

The Westerners' best chance for a berth in the finals appears to be bareback rider Troy Cattoor of Nephi, Utah.

Cattoor was awarded a 68 on his Wednesday ride and will mount his second horse tonight. He is currently in sixth place in his event.

WTC's Jim Phillips, of Iraan, is on the bubble in steer wrestling. Phillips' 13.8 on two head leaves him in 10th position with 10 bulldoggers to go in tonight's round.

Gail's Raylynn Key, competing for Texas Tech, is to perform in tonight's barrel race.

The top ten finishers in each event will advance to Saturday's short go.

County tourney

at Logan Field

Friday games Game 1 — Coleman vs. Colorado City at 6 p.n. Game 2 — Merkel vs. Rotan at 8 p.m. Saturday games Game 3 - semifinal - Snyder vs. Game I win

ner at 6 p.m. Game 4 - Stonewall-Kent vs. Hamlin at 8 p.m.

Monday's game Game 5 - semifinal Winner of Game 2 vs. Winner of Game 4 at 7 p.m.

Tuesday's game Game 6 - championship - Game 5 winner vs.

Game 3 winner at 7 p.m.



3414 College Ave. Snyder, Tx. 79549 team minor league baseball tournament being played in Abilene, by beating Dixie, 11-5, Thursday

Winning pitcher Brian Hall struck out eight and gave up only six hits

The Sox defense has committed only three errors in three tournament games.

Chad Stewart led the White Sox offense with a single, a double and a triple. Jerek Brown doubled and tripled, Hall slammed a twosacker, Daniel Hernandez clubbed two singles, Eric Hill lashed a double and Jay Holly got a hit.

The Sox will play for the tournament title Monday at 7:30 p.m. at Western Little League Field in Abilene.

Cubs 9, Indians 6

Two Patricks engaged in a pitchers' duel Thursday with Patrick Jordan leading the Cubs to a 9-6 championship win over Patrick Cumbie's Indians.

Jordan fanned 12 Tribe batters while Cumbie claimed 10 Ks agaist the Cubs.

The score was tied, 3-3, after four innings before the Cubs drove in two in the top of the fifth.

The Indians answered with one of their own in the last of the frame to set the tally at 5-4.

The Cubs erupted for four runs in the top of the sixth and held off a rally by the Indians to take the win and the league title.

Luke Green punched two singles for the winners, followed by a base hit each by Chris Ramirez, David Smith, Cory Mandrell and Kelly Gentry

Cumbie, Paul O'Connor and Eric Tovar belted a double apiece for the Indians

Tommy Fields and Toby Delce both singled.

The Cubs, who wind up their regular season with a 14-1 mark, will represent Snyder at the County Little League Tournament which begins today at Towle Park.

The Indians finish with a 12-2 slate, their only losses coming to the eventual champions.

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Flagstaff, Ariz., has the highest percentage of homes with videocassette recorders - over 90 percent of all households with televisions. In Jonesboro, Ark., on the other hand, only about 60 percent of TV households own a VCR.

Lawmakers plan to return government's seat to Bonn

BONN, Germany (AP) - of government between Bonn and Lawmakers voted on Thursday Berlin. The four other proposals to return Germany's seat of were either defeated or power to Berlin, its historic withdrawn. In Berlin, jubilant home, and strip Bonn of the residents driving down the Kurstatus it has held since the end of fuerstendamm, the main com-World War II.

Lawmakers in the Bundestag, Parliament's decision-making lower house, chose Berlin over Bonn by a 337-320 vote.

Under the proposal approved Thursday, the Chancellory, ministries and the Bundestag will been move to Berlin. The move is to be completed in 10 to 12 years.

Parliament's upper house, the Bundesrat, will remain in Bonn.

The Bundesrat is to vote on July 5 to ratify the Bundestag's decision, but it is unlikely to block the lower house.

their leaders will move to Berlin, economically. thousands of ministry and other bureaucrats wi main in Bonn to preserve and the regional economy. Lawmakers considered a of five proposals Thursday called for remaining in others included splitting the

mercial street, honked their horns in celebration after the decision was announced.

Germans have argued for weeks over the future site of Germany's government. Berlin, once the center of the Third Reich, has portrayed as a cosmopolitan symbol of a new more integrated Europe by those who favor the move.

Bonn supporters have expressed concern that Berlin would

Great cats said victims of trophy hunts

African lions and endangered mounted, the Americanleopards die every year in Texas Statesman reported. and around the country at the hands of trophy hunters and unscrupulous collectors.

A demand for pristine hides for mounting, and for "canned" hunts, is being answered by a network of private breeders who charges, including killing an ensell the cats to individuals or at dangered black leopard during a auction, the Austin American- canned hunt. Statesman reported Thursday in a copyright story.

Federal and state laws regulate the sale and ownership of the animals, but the laws do not track them from one owner to another, the newspaper said.

One federal prosecutor called the process a "black hole" from which cats emerge as caged, tamed, de-clawed and sometimes de-fanged victims of a hunt inside a high-fenced pen.

Or they may be given a dose of clawed cat tried to escape across cyanide, get an ice pick in the an open area, only to be caught

Voting rights...

"There's no responsibility for it once it's bred, raised and sold," said Assistant U.S. Attorney Col-

lis White of San Antonio. Two men recently pleaded guilty in San Antonio to various

American-Statesman The reported that a third man said he would plead guilty Friday morning to charges of killing the animal and conspiracy to violate federal law.

A videotaped account of the hunt, on a ranch near Leakey in the Texas Hill Country, shows the leopard released from a cage and fleeing a pack of dogs by hiding under a nearby pickup, the newspaper reported.

Flushed from there, the de-

AUSTIN (AP) — A newspaper ear, or be shot in their cages so and surrounded by the dogs. The in recent years where African reported that great cats such as their hide can be sold and actual killing is not shown lions, who are not endangered, because of faulty camera work.

It is unknown how many animals are killed in Texas each year, but U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service special agent Alex Hosychak of San Antonio said he has been involved in half a dozen cases in the past year.

"They're not necessarily a canned hunt, now, but a grisly death nonetheless," Hosychak said. "A lot of these cats are being helped along (to their deaths) because the critters are worth more dead than alive. I am certain of that,"

A live jaguar, for example, might sell for \$500 to \$1,000. Dead, it might be worth \$2,500 to mount and sell, Hosychak said, or it might be hunted for up to \$5,000.

Jaguars are endangered. A live one can be owned by permit, and a dead one if the animal died a natural death.

There have been cases in Texas

were turned loose on Gulf Coast islands or inside small enclosures to be shot and killed by hunters who paid large sums for the privilege, the newspaper reported.

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Senior resident agent Jim Stinebaugh of San Antonio said cases in Oklahoma, Arkansas and California where lions, tigers and grizzly bears were killed in small enclosures demonstrate the widespread availability of endangered animals and the demand for them.

Game warden Wayne Chappell, who oversees Texas' permitting process, said the state began issuing permits last fall.

Twenty-six people hold Texas permits for exotic and endangered animals, Chappell said. Native mountain lions are the No. 1 species, he said, and lions, tigers, leopards and cheetahs also are on the state permit list.

Minority groups hail ruling; urge action

AUSTIN (AP) - Gov. Ann the issue on the agenda. Richards said she will talk to judicial elections on the agenda minority community in remedyof a special legislative session ing the problem, just as the this summer.

"If it is necessary, of course we will include it," Richards said.

The Supreme Court, ruling on cases from Texas and Louisiana, said Thursday the federal law protecting minorities' voting power applies to the election of state and local judges.

American Citizens, which challenged Texas' at-large surprised by the Supreme Court system of electing judges in nine decision. counties, urged Richards to put

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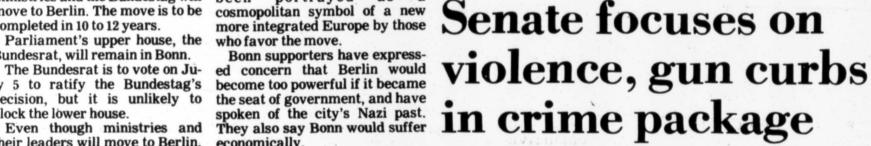
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"We call on the governor to legal advisers before deciding provide the leadership on this whether to put the issue of very important issue for the

minority community provided strong support for her election," said lawyer Rolando Rios, representing LULAC.

Richards, who is calling lawmakers into a special session beginning July 8 to write a state budget, said she would meet with Texas Attorney General Dan The League of United Latin Morales and her own legal staff. The governor said she was not

"I always thought that com-



WASHINGTON (AP) — The rights. Bush administration dropped two of the most controversial Supreme Court decisions to adelements of its anti-crime mit evidence seized by police who package as the Senate began made an honest mistake exdebate on measures to reduce ecuting a valid search warrant. street violence and curb illegal use of guns. The administration abandoned dent's plan to change the soa proposal to conduct essentially called exclusionary rule that secret trials with secret evidence bans trial use of illegally obtainto deport aliens suspected of terrorist activity.

mon sense and logic would in- groups, including the Houston dicate that if you say that one Lawyers' Association, which was group of elected officials has to a plaintiff in the LULAC case. come under the Voting Rights Act, then the rest of them would, too," she said.

House Speaker Gib Lewis, D-Fort Worth, said he has supported changing to a singlemember district method of electing judges.

"We need a system for electing judges that allows fair representation of all Texans in our judicial system. With this ruling from the didates begins Dec. 1. Supreme Court, we can now move ahead and create such a for minority representation in system in Texas," Lewis said.

the state attorney general, said stronghold, which are the the case would be returned to the courts," Ms. Sanders-Castro 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals said. in New Orleans, which earlier ruled the Voting Rights Act did Texas Civil Rights Project, not require Texas to abandon predicted the decision could raise countywide election of trial the number of minority judges judges.

Court likely would return the the judicial election system case to District Judge Lucius challenged by LULAC diluted Bunton of Midland for a trial that votes of blacks and Hispanics. would vield additional evidence. In a telephone interview from

"Obviously, on behalf of all Afro-Americans, we're ecstatic,' said Ray Shackelford, association president.

Judith Sanders-Castro, lawyer with the Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund, said the question must be addressed quickly because elections are scheduled for next year and the filing period for can-

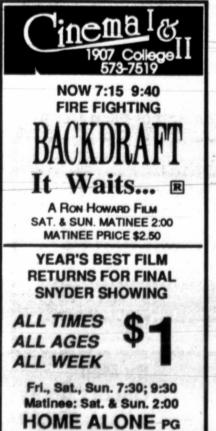
"This promises to open doors what is essentially the last bas-Gray McBride, spokesman for tion of the white, good ol' boy

Jim Harrington, director of the statewide by as many as 30.

McBride said the 5th Circuit Judge Bunton ruled in 1989 that

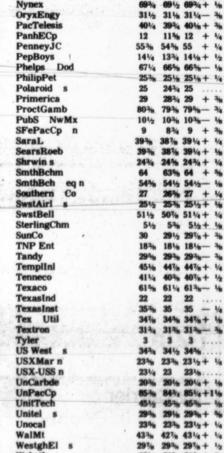
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It also jettisoned a provision that would have allowed firearms illegally seized by police to be used as evidence in federal criminal trials.

The last-minute changes, Democratic votes for President Bush's crime package. A Republican motion to substitute the modified Bush bill for the Democratic crime package failed on a 56-40 vote Thursday night, largely along party lines. Sen. Joseph R. Biden Jr., D-

Del., chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee, said the vote showed that Democrats have discovered that "President Bush's crime bill doesn't really curb street crime.'

Democrats are pushing a including a seven-day waiting period on handgun purchases.

Bush has indicated he would sign gun-control measures if Congress enacts his proposals to expand the federal death penalty. make it more difficult for state inmates on death row to challenge their sentences in federal courts and give federal agents more leeway in conducting searches.

Biden also proposes the death penalty for more than 30 federal crimes, but his bill contains less strict provisions on defendants'

Bingo

Continued From Page 1 loans and \$200 for investment agencies; business, \$125; educational, \$90; and individual, \$60.

Donation memberships are \$25 for associates and senior citizens while support memberships for civic clubs and women's clubs are on a "can afford" basis.

Committee reports included an update by Jerry Baird concerning a pending chamber fundraiser. Baird said tentative plans are for an evening dinner featuring a big name entertainer. 321/4 317/8 317/8 + 1/8 No date or location for the event has been finalized.

His bill would codify recent

Republicans are expected to seek a separate vote on the presied evidence. Bush's bill would allow use of such evidence seized during a warrantless search if the officers thought they were acting legally.

'We need to make these reforms," Sen. Orrin G. Hatch, R-Utah, said in urging support of however, failed to win the Bush bill. "We have people getting off on technicalities today and being put right back on the streets."

> One proposal deleted Thursday would have allowed firearms to be introduced as evidence in any federal criminal case even if police conducted a search they knew to be illegal.

Another provision that raised the ire of civil libertarians would have allowed federal prosecutors to withhold from aliens accused of terrorist activity the evidence to justify their deportation. series of gun-control proposals, Judges presiding at special courts would see the evidence, but it would have been kept secret to protect intelligence sources.

> Biden said tinkering with the federal criminal statutes will not attack the crime problem because defendants who go free on technicalities account for less than 1 percent of all cases.

> 'The heart of the president's bill are shopworn proposals and whatever the merits will do very little to reduce crime," he contended.

Plans **Continued From Page 1**

The "store" will be manned by chamber officials with membership information and tickets can be obtained for a \$1 donation for chances at one of three bicycles to be given away after the fireworks display.

Chamber interim manager **Ricky Fritz said the fireworks** had been received and donations for the display were slower this year as compared to last year. Donations for the display are still being sought and volunteers are needed for the arts and crafts show. Those interested should call the chamber at 573-3558.

which probably would include the his Midland office, he said he was 1990 election returns.

Chief Justice Tom Phillips of the Texas Supreme Court said that since the ruling didn't specifically say that the Texas system of electing judges Richards will decide the solution violated the law, it could remain a legal issue for years.

However, Phillips said, "I would hope that the Legislature reluctant to move on this issue will explore changes in judicial elections now. We should devise a system that will eliminate partisanship, limit campaign con- rightfully theirs," he said. tributions, increase minority representation and enhance public confidence in our judiciary."

Of 172 judges elected countywide in the nine counties challenged by LULAC, 14 are minorities, Rios said.

If judges instead were chosen from legislators' districts, as many as 60 minorities could be elected, he said. Under the plan backed up LULAC, one to three judges would be elected from each legislative district.

The ruling also was praised by representatives of other minority



Mr. Coronado

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COLORADO CITY - Mass is set for 10 a.m. Saturday in St. Ann's Catholic Church for Melqueides Coronado, 82, who died Thursday in the Mitchell County Hospital. Burial will follow in the Colorado City Cemetery.

He was the father of Maria Salazar of Snyder.

Born in Monterrey, Mexico, Mr. Coronado was a farmer and a member of the St. Ann's Catholic Church. His wife, Pauline Pena Coronado, preceded him in death.

Survivors include another daughter, Santos Munoz of Colorado City; three sons, Margarito Coronado of Colorado City, Geronimo Coronado of Jourdanton and Mike Coronado Jr. of Florida; three sisters, Luz Bermeda of Andrews, Cosemida Coronado of Poteet and Angela Gonzales of Jourdanton; two brothers, Antonio Coronado and Reyes Coronado, both of Poteet; 16 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

pleased with the Supreme Court decision and expressed hope for a quick resolution.

"Now that the U.S. Supreme Court has ruled. I hope Gov. is not judicial, but should be a legislative one," Bunton said.

"The Legislature has been and I hope they will step forward now so that the voters will not be deprived in 1992 of what is

Police note three arrests

Snyder police made three arrests early this morning and worked two theft cases Thursday.

Officers took three males into custody at 4:45 a.m. today in the Allsups parking lot. Arrested were a 16-year-old male for disorderly conduct-fighting, a 17year-old male for disorderly conduct-fighting and public intoxication, and a 20-year-old male for public intoxication.

All three were transported to the county jail.

At 12:37 p.m. Thursday, Judy Smith notified officers that her son's skateboard had been stolen from 3716 Austin Ave. A report for Class B theft was filed.

Gary Thurman contacted police at 10:26 p.m. Thursday in reference to an undetermined amount of cash being taken from 2605 Ave. U. A report for Class B theft was filed.

Police also handled a number of domestic disputes, reports of loud music, wreckless driving and alarms sounding at various business locations without incident.

Petroleum prices

NEW YORK (AP) - Petroleum cash prices Thursday as compared with Wednesday's prices Thu, Wed

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Yeltsin's words may not be enough for Bush

sian President Boris N. Yeltsin mouthed all the right words to win friends in Washington this week, but the Bush administration would have preferred to have heard them from Mikhail S. Gorbachev, President Bush's ally and Yeltsin's chief rival.

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For three days, the newly elected president of the Soviet Union's largest republic pledged his commitment to democracy, free enterprise, private property and land reform to return farmland to the farmers.

He found other touchstones as well, telling his American audiences the Soviet Union needs not their handouts but rather in 1985, Buckley said, their ideas, their expertise and "conservatives have been saying ministration's distaste for a comtheir investment. He said Soviet it's either Gorbachev or, con- petition that could further

Dr. Gott

Peter Gott, M.D.

the Baltic republics should be given their independence.

'He represents everything that we have been praying for," said Republican political consultant John Buckley, explaining why Yeltsin, a rough-hewn populist, has become the darling of the American right.

"Conservatives have felt that both the Reagan and the Bush administrations have looked at the Soviet Union with a pair of false options, either Gorbachev or the (Communist Party) hardliners," Buckley said.

Ever since Gorbachev won control of the party and the Kremlin

represents that free-market, anti-communist democracy.'

But to the administration, he represents not only the reforms it would welcome but a threat as well.

As the first popularly elected leader of Russia, by far the largest of the Soviet Union's 15 republics, Yeltsin poses a serious challenge to Gorbachev's leadership, and administration analysts have watched with mounting concern as Gorbachev's support has eroded.

Bush and Vice President Dan Quayle went to extraordinary lengths to declare the ad-

WASHINGTON (AP) - Rus- aid to Cuba should be cut off, and ceivably, a free-market, anti- weaken Gorbachev and give concommunist democracy. Yeltsin trol of the Soviet Union back to communist hardliners, the military and the KGB.

"Boris Yeltsin is a man who is helping to bring democratization and reform to the Soviet Union," Quayle said in presenting the Russian leader the top award of the bipartisan Center for Democracy on Wednesday night. But he launched immediately into an even stronger commendation of Gorbachev and his achievements.

"Working together with President Gorbachev, we have transformed the most dangerous relationship in the world into a productive relationship," Quayle said.

While the United States values expanded ties with Russia and the other republics, the vice president said, "we intend to maintain the closest possible working relationship with the government of the Soviet Union." When Yeltsin came to the White House on Thursday, Bush was even more direct, interrupting his talks with the visiting Russian leader to make his point in front of the news media.

'We have been heartened and encouraged by President Yeltsin's commitment to democratic values and freemarket principles, and we look forward to working with him," the president said. "But at the

ment of President Gorbachev." But while Bush and Quayle vocates.

same time, I want to be very took such pains to express their clear about this: the United support for Gorbachev, the ad-States will continue to maintain ministration has made no secret the closest possible official rela- of its desire to see him push for tionship with the Soviet govern; the kind of genuine economic and political reform Yeltsin ad-

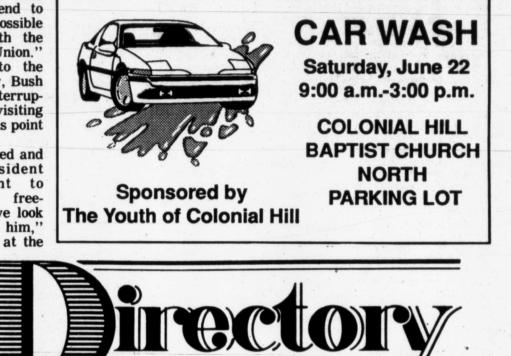
GOP says Republican Party has more to offer to minorities

HOUSTON (AP) - Blacks and attracting Hispanics will be joining the Republican Party in record numbers as they grow weary of Democratic rhetoric and legislation that doesn't speak for them, GOP officials predict.

Gathering for their summer meeting, Republican party officials told each other Thursday how their party is increasingly

traditional Democrats.

'Republican values of strong family ties, religious values and a strong work ethic and sense of self-sufficiency make the Republican Party the natural home for Hispanics," said Jose Manuel Casanova, chairman of **Republican** National the Hispanic Assembly.



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CHURCH OF GOD

Religious community raises questions about new church's tower

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: What are the symptoms of venous stasis, and what is an appropriate treatment? DEAR READER: Venous stasis

means that blood which fills the veins is prevented from returning to the heart for re-circulation. This often occurs in the legs, where gravity forces venous blood to pool in the lower extremities. This pooling of blood blocks the inflow of fresh, oxygenated arterial blood; tissues are deprived of vital nutrients, leading to swelling, heaviness, thickened raw skin, dermatitis and sores (stasis ulcers).

Venous stasis can be overcome in most cases by elevating the legs (thereby using gravity to empty the veins), avoiding prolonged standing or sitting, and using elastic support stockings (to compress the veins and direct the blood back to the heart).

Varicose veins frequently cause venous stasis because, as the veins swell and balloon out, blood flow is retarded. Treatment is the same as I indicated. In addition, varicose surgery may be necessary to remove ("strip") the dilated veins. After the operation, the venous blood is shunted to alternate, non-diseased veins; symptoms

improve. Finally, salves, ointments and antibiotic creams may be needed to treat stasis ulcers and dermatitis. This is in conjunction with leg elevation and support stockings.

Townsfolk trying to block con- walks. struction of a church on historic Rock Harbor say the dispute has nothing to do with religious freedom - they just don't want the church's tower ruining the skyline.

"What we've got here is a quaint seaside community, and this church would be at least 30 or 40 feet taller than anything else in town. It would overpower everything around it," says Chris Minor, who lives in this town on Cape Cod Bay.

The Community of Jesus, a non-denominational Christian group, presented plans for the 104-feet-tall, gothic-style church to five town and regional boards. So far, four have rejected the plans, including the Old Kings' Highway Historic District Committee, which Minor chairs.

Town zoning laws prohibit buildings more than 30 feet tall without special permission. But the congregation says zoning laws shouldn't apply to its planned Chapel of the Holy Paraclete, or to any church.

ORLEANS, Mass. (AP) - houses, some with widow's

"It was just really significantly larger and more massive than anything else in Rock Harbor," Minor said.

Another board cited environmental concerns.

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involvements in imaginative and creative endeavors could help enhance your earnings in the year ahead. When you feel you've got something good, get it to those who have pipelines to the marketplace.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) It could prove unwise today to take an outlandish gamble in the hope of recouping a previous loss. Instead of getting even, there's a possibility you may fall further in the hole. Know where to look for romance and you'll find it. The Astro-Graph Matchmaker instantly reveals which signs are romantically perfect for you. Mail \$2 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3429. LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You'll be willing

to help others today, provided the ideas originate with you. Conversely, if you feel that demands are being made of you, you could turn a deaf ear.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) You may become involved in a situation today that will require bold action on your behalf in order to bring it to fruition. Don't let self-doubts override opportunity.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Be careful today to avoid misunderstandings with friends over money or material things. Financial involvements with pals could be like mixing milk and mud.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) It would be a shame to waste your time and energy today fighting an uphill battle for something rather insignificant. Carefully evaluate your objectives and toss out the

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Instead of worrying about how much others will do for you today, be honest with yourself by asking, "How much are you prepared to do for them?" If you come

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) People you're socially involved with cannot be relied on today to assist you in feathering your nest in the commercial world. You're on your own when you step into that arena

chart shows that you may be too attentive to those who offer you faulty counsel and not attentive enough to those who offer you sound advice today. This could spell trouble.

in relationships can be avoided today if you're not too critical of friends or apt to remake them over in your own image. Look up to pals, not down on

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Abide by the ideals in which you firmly believe. Don't let companions or associates pressure you into abandoning them today

Real estate market today just another tough business

NEW YORK (AP) Estimates of overbuilding in commercial real estate markets range from one year to nearly 10 years, which is a way of saying that in real estate the inventories are unlike those in any other business.

In the automobile industry, for instance, a three-months supply might be considered a tough obstacle to overcome, even with rebates, discounts and belowmarket financing. Still, the time frame is in months, not years.

But in commercial real estate, the level of inventories and the problem of overleveraging aren't the biggest obstacles to recovery, according to a man who bought and sold hundreds of millions of dollars of buildings.

As big a problem as inventories and overleveraging, says Allen Cymrot, is the poor caliber of some companies trying to market these structures. He asks than solve real estate's problems

"If you solve the problems affecting real estate and still have inefficient real estate companies, real estate becomes a problem again," says Cymrot, now a real estate strategist.

those inventories. He isn't completely pleased with what he sees, which is a lot of companies that developed their businesses during one of the industry's great bull markets and who haven't the slightest notion of marketing in a weak economy.

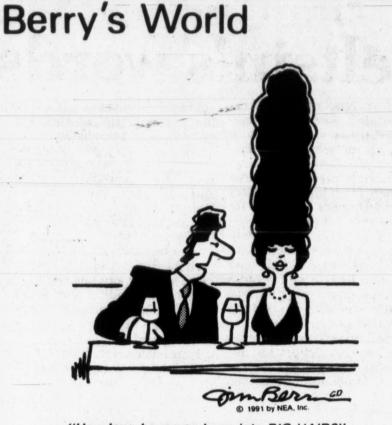
"Historically, bull markets have been very poor training grounds for development of sound business principles," says Cymrot. He observes that there is now a proliferation of companies without the needed skills.

Cymrot says he heard recently from an executive of a major residential developer who said that for the first time in his company's history they had to reduce . the price of their product.

"The logical conclusion to that statement is that the company had built its entire operation on a continuing bull market," said Cymrot, adding, "His is not an exclusive experience; that methodology was pervasive for years.'

Real estate companies that were founded and grew during this period, he said, practiced techniques that not only are of little value now but are outright impediments to their survival or growth.

Among them: leveraging to the hilt, a practice now dangerous if possible; narrow break-even margins; growth by marketing rather than by superior product; operating with minimal capital, and reliance on joint ventures.



"How long have you been into BIG HAIR?"

Report: Richards eyeing Cabinet ideas

if they won't compound rather more of a cabinet-style of government, boosting a governor's authority over state agencies, is attracting the interest at the Capitol.

Houston Chronicle The it's only a matter of time until the reported that lawmakers and the governor's office are studying the idea.

Gov. Ann Richards has called a Early in his career, Cymrot special session for July 8 to write presided over one of the world's and fund the 1992-93 state budget,

The Chronicle reported

agencies. It would represent a major

change in the structure of Texas government, with backers hoping it would make the bureaucracy more efficient and more responsive.

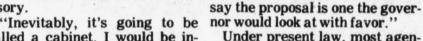
son, D-Weatherford, the plan Finance Committee, said he supwould have the governor appoint the executive directors of state agencies that now run by appointed boards and commissions.

AUSTIN (AP) - Changing to and consolidation of government The boards would become ad- added, "I think it would be fair to visory.

> called a cabinet. I would be in-clined to call it an executive cy chiefs are hired by their called a cabinet. I would be inson said.

Sen. John Montford, D-Promoted by Rep. Ric William- Lubbock, chairman of the Senate jority of board members. ports the idea.

Richards' executive assistant, hadn't seen details of the plan but siveness of others.



management group," William- respective governing boards. It generally takes a new governor most of one term to achieve a ma-

Richards has battled with some agencies, including the State Board of Insurance, and openly Paul Williams, said the governor complained about the unrespon-



judgment today, and this could cause you complications - if you have to deal with a forceful individual. Remember, a big mouth doesn't make anyone right. GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You may have to work in close proximity with someone who is both careless and temperamental today. Be extra watchful if this individual has to use unfamiliar tools or materials.

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A Polish airliner crashed while making an emergency landing near Warsaw in 1980. All 87 people aboard were killed, including 22 members of an amateur boxing team from the U.S.

Lady Jane Grey, who had been queen of England for nine days. was beheaded in 1554 after being charged with treason.