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Surtax on wealthy suggested to solve bitter budget fight

WASHINGTON (AP) — Republican congressional leaders are trying to persuade President Bush to accept a surtax on the wealthy to satisfy Democrats, GOP officials said today. If accepted, it would be a major breakthrough in the bitter budget standoff.

The partisan dispute over precisely how to put new taxes on the rich has become the most difficult issue in the effort by lawmakers and the White House to write a compromise \$250 billion deficit-reduction bill. The stalemate has brought the bargainers to within hours of tonight's midnight deadline, after which the government may be forced to shut down because it

will lose spending authority. According to officials speaking on condition of anonymity, Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole, R-Kan., and House Minority Leader Robert Michel, R-Ill., broached the proposal during a meeting with Bush last night.

But no decisions were made and discussions were expected to continue today, officials said.

Under the proposal, the surtax would fall on people earning more than \$300,000 annually. Democrats had been demanding that the surtax be aimed at people earning more than \$1 million, but lowering that threshold would raise more money because it would hit more people. This (see BUDGET, page 10)

Snyder tennis squad enters Region I meet

The District 2-4A champion Snyder Tigers will compete in Region I team tennis competition Thursday and Friday in Lubbock.

Snyder cut a swath through 2-4A this season, going undefeated against Levelland, Lamesa, Dunbar and Estacado to claim the loop title and the chance to move into the regional event.

Expected to compete for Snyder in boys' singles are Marcus Best, Kevin McMillan, Damon Kennedy, Jason Warren, Michael Hess and Bill Vestal.

Best and McMillan will team up for the doubles competition, as will Vestal and Kennedy, and Warren and Hess.

In girls' singles, Kathy Ogburn, Rachael Wilson, Robin Cave, Leslie Sandoval, Christina Gonzales and Gayle Henderson are expected to make the trip.

Doubles teams in the girls' division should include Henderson-Wilson, Ogburn-Cave and Sandoval-Gonzales.

A draw was to be conducted today to decide Snyder's first-round opponent as well as the site and time of the match.

Lamesa will also be at the tourney, representing the district as runner-up.

Mail absentee ballots not automatically sent

Scurry County Clerk's office is reminding residents that absentee voter applications by mail for the Nov. 6 general election are not automatically sent out to prospective voters.

"There is some confusion. Some people think that because they voted absentee by mail in the primary, they don't need to request a ballot by mail in the general election," said County Clerk Frances Billingsley. "But they do."

To vote absentee by mail, a registered voter must have a valid excuse. Typical reasons are age 65 or older, a disability, employment in another county or attending school in another county. Those wishing to vote by mail must request an application from the county clerk's office. The office will then mail out the application, which is filled out by the voter and returned. If the application is approved, the voter will be mailed a ballot, which must be returned with a postmark of no later than Nov. 6 — the day of the general election.

The final day the clerk's office can mail out applications is Oct. 30.

The county clerk's office also

reminds residents that in-person absentee voting continues through Nov. 2. It is not necessary to give an excuse when voting by the in-person absentee method. Hours for the county clerk's office are 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays.

Cotton board to swear in new members

David Shifflett, Steve Moore, Robbie Sterling and Michael Head will be sworn in as members of the Scurry County Cotton Board during ceremonies scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the chamber of commerce.

The four men replace outgoing members Larry Schwarz, Dewey Grinslade, Morris Light and Vance Voss, who are completing six-year terms.

Other board members are Sid Wall, Tommy Pate, Rodney Glass, E.E. Shifflett, Alton Smith, Tim Huddleston, Terry Franks and President Jon Derouen.

(see COTTON, page 10)



WAR ON DRUGS — Mac McCown gives Fred Dillard red ribbons marking Texans' War on Drugs campaign during a Lions Club noon meeting Tuesday. Local Lions will be distributing the ribbons all week in conjunction with a statewide campaign. (SDN Staff Photo)

Local schools lauded for exceptional scores

Snyder Independent School District received word Tuesday that three schools in the district have been cited for exceptional achievement on Texas Assessment of Minimum Skills (TEAMS) testing by the State Board of Education and the Texas Education Agency.

East Elementary, Stanfield Elementary and Snyder Junior High School were recognized by the state agencies for 1989-90 results in which 90 percent or more of all students tested mastered all TEAMS tests taken.

It was the second consecutive year for Stanfield to be so honored and the second time in the past three years that East has received the recognition.

"This is a great honor," said SISD Supt. Dalton Moseley. "We are really proud of these schools."

While the three campuses showed exceptional results, Snyder public schools tested above average throughout the district.

"All of our schools were up in their achievements. We were very proud of the achievement and growth shown over the year," said Moseley. "Last year, all but the ninth grade students in math scored above the state average and they missed it by just one point."

"I appreciate the dedicated staff, the students, the leadership from administrators and the parents and community, for the support they give to this school system that we might strive to make this the best educational system in the state," the superintendent added.

Snyder ISD recently completed the first TAAS tests — which replaces the TEAMS test this year. Results are due sometime in November.

"Some of our staff and students

have been worried about the difficulty of TAAS but I feel confident will be above state average," said Moseley. "I'll be disappointed if we're not. I think we'll definitely meet the challenge."

Supreme Court agrees to consider argument over education finance

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas Supreme Court agreed today to consider an argument by poor school districts that the public education finance system, ruled unconstitutional by a state judge, should be immediately thrown out.

The court also may consider the broader question of whether the finance system is constitutional, said Texas Education Agency lawyer Kevin O'Hanlon.

"We'll have to sit down and

figure this out," said O'Hanlon.

The court, noting "probable jurisdiction" in the case, scheduled arguments for Nov. 28.

Ron Dusek, spokesman for the attorney general's office, said the argument on whether the current system should be halted right away is the only one the court has agreed to hear.

Attorneys for poor school districts didn't immediately return a telephone call from The Associated Press.

The state has not yet filed an appeal of State District Judge Scott McCown's month-old ruling that the school finance system still is unconstitutional despite lawmakers' efforts to reform it this summer.

The Austin judge gave the state another year to devise a new system.

If the state files its appeal and other parties have time to respond by Nov. 28, Dusek said, "we may be arguing the whole thing" that day.

The attorney general's office has joined poor school districts in urging the Supreme Court to take jurisdiction over the case, so parties would not be required to go through the more time-consuming process of first going to the 3rd Court of Appeals in Austin.

McCown ruled that the \$14 billion-a-year system is unconstitutional because it doesn't give all schools "substantially equal" access to funds for a similar tax effort.

The finance system relies on state aid, local property taxes and some federal money.

The current school finance plan was adopted by lawmakers in June 1990 after four special sessions. That's how long it took for Democratic leaders and Republican Gov. Bill Clements to come to an agreement.

They raised taxes to add \$528 (see FINANCE, page 10)

Square dance festival slated here Saturday

The 19th Annual Square and Round Dance Festival scheduled here Saturday will feature regulars Dave and Nita Smith of Lubbock.

The Smiths will be in charge of the round dance portion of the program, which opens the festival at 1 p.m. in Scurry County Coliseum.

Jerry Gilbreath of Waxahachie will be the featured caller for the festival.

For the first time, this year's program will include a clogging workshop under the direction of Helen Cassidy of Denver City. She is the instructor for the local clogging club.

The round dance workshop is scheduled from 1 until 2:30 p.m. Saturday, followed by a clogging workshop until 3:30 p.m. and a square dance workshop until 5 p.m.

The evening's activities will open with request rounds from 7 until 7:45. There will be a Grand March at 7:45 p.m. and the dance will begin at 8 p.m.

All area square dancers are invited to participate. Spectators are welcome.

Ask Us

Q—A school board member has two children who both go to West Elementary but do not live in that school district. Was this transfer approved by the six principals?

A—According to school officials, the students referred to attend West Elementary because they are in the gifted and talented program. All fifth and sixth grade students at SISD who are enrolled in the G&T program attend West Elementary.

In Brief

Dole resigns

WASHINGTON (AP) — Labor Secretary Elizabeth Dole today became the first member of President Bush's Cabinet to resign, leaving after two years to become head of the American Red Cross.

Mrs. Dole's departure was announced by President Bush, who said she had "earned the respect of the American people, and as secretary of Labor has made the work place safer, healthier and more secure."

Veto stands

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate today narrowly sustained President Bush's veto of a major civil rights bill the administration said would lead to hiring quotas.

The vote on the politically-charged issue was 66-34. That was just one vote short of the two-thirds needed to override his veto.

Sponsors of the bill said it was needed to give greater protection to victims of job discrimination, and it was the civil rights movement's top priority in Congress this year.

Local

Election

Representatives from the Secretary of State's office will conduct an election school Thursday at 7 p.m. in 132nd District Courtroom for election judges, clerks and anyone else who would like to attend.

Dunn class

The 1930 class of Dunn High School is having its 60-year reunion on Nov. 10 at the Dunn Community Center.

This was the first class to graduate from Dunn High School after it was affiliated. There were 10 in the class and all members are urged to attend.

Candida

The box office opens today for the Western Texas College presentation of "Candida," by George Bernard Shaw.

The play will feature 8 p.m. performances on Nov. 1, 2 and 3 in the Fine Arts Theatre on campus. Tickets are \$5 for adults, \$4 for senior citizens and \$3 for students.

To make reservations, call the box office at 573-8511, extension 234.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Tuesday, 76 degrees; low, 44 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Wednesday, 45 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for October, 1.53 inches; total precipitation for 1990 to date, 27.50 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, clear. Low in the lower 40s. Light northeast wind. Thursday, sunny. High in the mid 70s. Southeast wind 5 to 10 mph.

The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "Psychiatry is when you spend \$100 bucks an hour to tell on yourself."

Controversy over the use of animals in medical research labs has been in the news over the past several months.

We think some of the do-gooders are barking up the wrong tree, but they may have a point when it comes to the National Institutes of Health.

The government, in previous research, has already concluded that smoking is harmful. But for some reason the NIH is spending more than a half million to find out the effects of cigarette smoking on dogs.

The funds come from a 1989 research grant awarded by the NIH to the University of Kentucky. The grant is divided into six different projects on the respiratory system and will pay for

five years of study by ten faculty members.

A portion of the \$5 million will be spent on the effects of cigarette smoke on dogs. Critics allege that the tests are painful to the dogs and have no relevance to the effects of smoke inhalation on humans because of anatomical differences in the structure of the diaphragm.

Other critics contend the grant is just another example of how federal tax dollars can be wasted on research of questionable value. Usually about 80 percent of grant money goes to pay salaries of faculty and their assistants.

The rest is made for equipment purchase, general office expense, janitorial services, and even travel to professional conferences.

The Surgeon General warned citizens years ago that smoke can be dangerous to your health—but so can the continuation of needless government spending.

Families, friends mark anniversary

PASADENA, Texas (AP) — A brief memorial service marking the first anniversary of a series of explosions that ripped through Phillips Co.'s Houston Chemical Complex attracted hundreds of friends and relatives of the 23 workers killed in the blast.

Sprays of red and white carnations for each of the killed workers decorated the entrance to a tent set up for Tuesday's six-minute service. A shrill whistle from a factory air horn blew at 1:05 p.m. — the exact time when the fatal blasts tore through the plant last year.

"They are gone, but the indelible imprint of their lives remains with us," Pasadena Police Chaplain Jim Cluck told the crowd, many wearing black armbands and some wiping away tears. "We mourn their deaths. We celebrate their lives. But most of all, we remember."

Cluck read each of the names of the 23 people who died, asked for a moment of silence and then read a prayer for the survivors.

"Please continue to watch over these people and keep them safe at work and home," he prayed. "Many of these people have suffered so much."

Counselors have been meeting with employees and families of

the victims since the accident to help them deal with their grief and fears for much of the year.

"It's very bad today," said Camille Lloyd, a counselor from the University of Texas Health Science Center. "An anniversary is a difficult time. But I'm convinced in the long term, it's very helpful for them to know they are not alone in grief."

Phillips announced Monday it would construct a memorial park that will feature an area of trees and flowers on the grounds and a granite marker with the names of the dead.

"It was better than nothing," A.J. Jones, whose wife works at the plant and who lost a close friend in the explosion, said of the service. "But it could have been avoided if proper safety things would have been taken care of. Let's pray to God we never have to have another accident like this."

The Occupational Safety and Health Administration concluded last spring that during a maintenance job on a plastics reactor, air hoses that open and shut a valve designed to keep gases inside a loop and away from maintenance areas were reconnected prematurely and the valve opened.

The blast, which also injured some 300 other people, was the worst industrial accident in the Houston area in 40 years.

OSHA fined Phillips \$5.7 million for safety violations. Phillips is contesting the citations.

Construction crews now are working to rebuild the complex, replacing two destroyed polyethylene plants with three new ones.



By Abigail Van Buren
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Dear Abby

DEAR ABBY: I am writing in response to the letter from the woman who received a positive diagnosis of chlamydia. After 16 years of a completely faithful marriage, I, too, was diagnosed as having this sexually transmitted disease. Worse yet, I received a telephone call from the nursing assistant informing me that my name would be sent to the county health department, and I should have all my partners treated!

I was so shocked I could hardly speak! I asked if there was any other way I could have gotten such a disease and was told that it was transmitted only through sexual intercourse, and either I — or my partner — must have had sexual contact with someone who had the disease.

Two days later, I insisted that I be retested. The test came back negative!

My advice to the woman wondering about her spouse — wonder instead about your test results, the lab processing and the doctor's method of handling your case!

I recognize that medical staff must regularly deal with patient denial, but I knew I had not been unfaithful, and I was certain my husband had not been either. The nursing assistant, however, insisted that one of us must have strayed. We have been taught to respect medicine and the people in it as all-knowing. They are human, they make mistakes, but unfortunately, the news they deliver can destroy people. We are wise to question and remain calm if we possibly can.

If my husband and I did not have such a trusting relationship, the false test could have done great damage.

ALSO FROM ARIZONA

DEAR ALSO: My mail has brought an alarming number of letters from readers with tales of testing identical to yours. Chlamydia should always be tested by taking a culture.

DEAR ABBY: For almost 10 years, "Leon" has been my best friend. Leon has seen me through the death of a parent, an attempted suicide, a bout with cancer and the chemotherapy that followed.

Here is where I need your advice, Abby. I am getting married in a few months. I've selected my bridesmaids and flower girl, but I would like to have Leon stand up with me as my "man of honor." I've discussed this with my fiancé, and even though he thinks it sounds a bit odd, it's perfectly all right with him.

My mother, on the other hand, feels that I would be the laughingstock of our town. I say, if people want to laugh at a solid friendship, let them. Incidentally, Leon and I never were lovers, only very close friends.

What is your advice? Do you think it would be inviting rumors to have a man stand up with me? (My mother thinks so.)

My fiancé has offered to let Leon be an usher, but I want him to be

there in the role of the person who has been the nearest and dearest friend of my adult life.

Please tell me your feelings. Would you frown upon such a choice?
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DEAR SUNFLOWER: Would I frown on selecting a man to honor as your best friend? Certainly not! Friendship knows no gender. Some bridegrooms have chosen a "best woman" instead of "best man."

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Man pleads guilty to charge following airplane arrest

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP) — A New Mexico oil field worker has probably learned to keep his hands to himself after pinching the buttocks of an American Airlines flight attendant.

Jay Scott Curtis, 25, wasn't slapped across the face, but he was slapped with \$775 in fines after pleading guilty to the charge.

Curtis was among eight oil field workers who allegedly boarded an American Airlines flight intoxicated and later were indicted on charges of interference with a flight crew.

Curtis was sentenced Friday after pleading guilty to the one count of simple assault.

The men, who work for different oil companies, were flying to Lubbock on Sept. 16 after attending a Dallas Cowboys football game when flight attendants and passengers complained the men were intoxicated and hindering flight operations.

The seven other men are scheduled to go to trial Nov. 5. They have been free on a \$5,000 personal recognizance bond since their arraignment Sept. 17.

The maximum penalty for interference with a flight crew, a federal offense, is 20 years in prison and up to \$250,000 in fines.

Daniel Hurley, an attorney representing Bradley Thompson, 31, of Eunice, N.M., said five of the men, including his client, likely would plead guilty to lesser charges before the court date.

Hurley said two of the men, who claim no wrongdoing, will demand a trial.

"I think all of the cases have been worked out, except one or two of the individuals, who will not plead and request a trial,"

said Hurley, of Lubbock. "Those two guys didn't do anything wrong. They hadn't had a drop to drink. They were innocent victims."

Hurley said all the men likely would receive light sentences.

"From my understanding, there may have been some over-reacting in the flight crew," he said. "It was something that was not quite as serious as first

reported, not to say some of these men didn't get out of line.

"I think there was a consensus that the men were not committing air piracy or interference of the flight crew."

The other men are: Charles D. Dixon, 33, James Lee Patterson, 46, and Everett D. Taylor, 39, all of Hobbs; James Lee Selman, 29, of Seminole, Texas, and Donnie Wayne Hill, 36, and Gerald R. Ziebart, 49, of Eunice.

Houston, Alvin man released from Iraq

HOUSTON (AP) — A Bechtel engineer with a heart condition is one of two Houston-area men on their way home from Iraq with a dozen other Americans.

Lloyd Graham, 48, of Alvin, and Larry Murray of Houston arrived Tuesday night in Amman, Jordan, on a regularly scheduled Iraqi Airways flight from Baghdad. Graham is scheduled to arrive in New York tonight.

"I'm just so happy he'll be coming home," said Stasia Marinelli, one of Graham's three daughters.

"I prayed for him every night," said a teary-eyed Jamie Graham, 14, when told his father would be returning.

Iraqi officials agreed to release the 14, most of them ailing or elderly, but as many as 1,000 Americans and thousands of other foreigners remain in Iraq as human shields at strategic locations.

"I wish they were all with us," Graham said.

"I have mixed emotions," Murray said. "You're glad to be going home, but you're sorry for those you left behind."

Graham, a construction engineer for Bechtel, apparently was released because he suffers from arteriosclerosis and has

undergone quadruple bypass surgery. He arrived in the Middle East for the first time on June 4. Less than eight weeks later, Iraq invaded Kuwait.

But unlike other captive Americans, Graham has been able to keep in touch with his wife, Cheryl, and his family by telephone from an ambassador's residence.

Orosco, Deere enroll at UTI

HOUSTON — Two Snyder residents, Martin Orosco and Richard Deere — have been accepted into the Automotive Diesel Technology program at Universal Technical Institute (UTI). Orosco and Deere attended Snyder High School and are scheduled to begin classes at UTI on Aug. 26, 1991.

Nationally accredited, UTI trains students for careers in the automotive, diesel, marine, air conditioning, refrigeration and heating repair industries. Students are taught necessary skills for entry into their chosen field of training.

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Astrograph

by Bernice Bede Osol

Thursday, Oct. 25, 1990

In the year ahead you will have opportunities to trade on your social skills, as well as knowledge you've gained academically and through personal experiences. You'll use your gifts effectively to produce desirable results.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Situations you personally conceive or direct have excellent chances of fulfilling your expectations. You could do well with several endeavors simultaneously. Trying to patch up a broken romance? The Astro-Graph Matchmaker can help you to understand what to do to make the relationship work. Mail \$2 to Matchmaker, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) This is one of those days when good things could happen for you because of considerate associates who have your best interests at heart. If you're in need of a favor, make your request known.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Hopes, wishes and desires are enormously strong motivators today. Elevate your expectations and do something constructive about fulfilling them.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Things could go rather easily for you today and you might be inclined to coast a bit. However, if you are confronted by challenges, they'll awaken your competitive spirit.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) It looks like you might become involved in some type of beneficial arrangement that will include several close friends as well as yourself. This will be triggered by unusual circumstances.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Several situations you've been anxious to alter or change can now be manipulated to your satisfaction at this time. Don't let circumstances control your options.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Have faith in the fact that there is a feasible solution to every problem with which you have to contend at present. Beginning today things should start looking up.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) If you've been hoping to find ways to supplement your income conditions are beginning to shift in your favor. It will be up to you to capitalize on what transpires.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Several one-to-one relationships you deem to be significant will be taking on greater importance in this cycle. You could be extremely fortunate in partnership arrangements.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) It's important at this time that you follow through to completion endeavors or projects from which you've been hoping to make money. Profit is now in the picture.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Circumstances are extremely favorable at present for promoting ideas or projects which are of personal importance to you. Key people will be interested in what you have to offer.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Your financial prospects are starting to look more and more encouraging. However, you must not take your opportunities for granted. If you apply yourself, your rewards could be larger than usual.

Singer to wed

AUCKLAND, New Zealand (AP) — British rock star Rod Stewart plans to marry a 21-year-old New Zealand model, her parents said today.

Rachel Hunter and Stewart, 45, will have an "old-fashioned church wedding" in Los Angeles on Dec. 15, said her mother, Janine Phillips. A reception will follow at Stewart's \$7 million Los Angeles mansion.

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Community Calendar

WEDNESDAY

Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m. For information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext. 283.
Sparkle City Square Dancers; clogging; old Athletic Center building; 7-8 p.m.
Sparkle City Square Dancers; workshop; old Athletic Center building; 9-10 p.m.
Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-3961 or 573-8885.

THURSDAY

Snyder Palette Club; W 37th St.; 9-4.
Free blood pressure clinic; Dunn Community Center; 1-2 p.m.
Advanced Duplicate Bridge; Colorado City bridge room; 1:30 p.m.
Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.
Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m. For information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext. 283.
Scurry Charter Chapter ABWA; MAWC; 7 p.m.
Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous (closed); Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For information, call 573-3306, 573-8110 or 573-5867.

FRIDAY

Storytime; Scurry County Library; 10 a.m.; 4 and 5-year olds.
Snyder Jaycees; noon luncheon; Golden Corral.
Overeaters Anonymous; 1:00 p.m.; Park Club at Winston Park; For more information, call 573-8322, 573-7705 or 573-9839.
Free blood pressure clinic; Cogdell Memorial Hospital emergency waiting room; 1-2:30 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.
Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m. For information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext. 283.
Al-Anon; Park Club at Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-2101, 573-3657 or 573-3956.
Alcoholics Anonymous (closed); Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-8626, 863-2348 or 573-9410. (Last Friday of the month is open birthday meeting).

SATURDAY

Alateen Step Study Group; 2:00 p.m.; Park Club at Winston Park. For more information, call 573-8929 or 573-5164.
People Without Partners; Inadale Community Center; games of 42 and dominos; 6:30 p.m.

SUNDAY

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 10 a.m. For more information, call 573-8626 or 573-9410.
Scurry County Museum; Western Texas College; open from 1-4 p.m.
ACBL Open Pairs Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.
Black Women's Association; Snyder National Bank Community Room; 5 p.m.

Adult education classes begin meeting on Monday

Adult Basic Education classes will begin meeting Monday in the Lincoln Community Center, Gerri Parker, program coordinator, has announced.
The classes will continue to be taught on the Western Texas College campus as well, Mrs. Parker said.
Classes in the Lincoln Center, located at the old Lincoln School campus, will meet from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. Mrs. Parker and Charles Anderson, retired principal of Snyder Junior High School, will serve as instructors. Connie Martinez will be the aide.

Adults who did not graduate from high school who wish to prepare for GED tests or to study for personal improvement and increase their job skills are invited to enroll. There is no cost and all materials are provided.

Classes held at WTC will be in the Resource Center on campus from 1-4 p.m. Tuesdays and from 6-9 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Additional information about the classes can be obtained by contacting the Adult Education office at Western Texas College, 573-8511, extension 240.

Heirlooms workshop set Saturday

Proper care for such heirlooms as grandmother's wedding dress and quilts will be taught in a workshop scheduled Saturday at Scurry County Museum.

Directing the workshop will be Mary Frederickson of Canyon, owner and operator of Art Care Conservation and Collection Care Services. She is a recognized authority on conservation and will have demonstrations as well

as lectures. Workshop participants are invited to bring an article and suggestions will be given for its care.

Anyone wishing to attend the workshop should go by the museum, pay a \$15 fee, and pick up a list of supplies they need to bring. Information about the workshop can be obtained by calling the museum at 573-6107.

Series of theme parks announced

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — Magician Doug Henning says he and Indian guru Maharishi Mahesh Yogi will build a \$1 billion theme park, practically in Walt Disney World's back yard, featuring magic and Eastern-style meditation.

The park will open in 1993 on 450 acres and offer 38 major attractions focusing on the themes of knowledge, enlightenment and entertainment, he said.

It will include a courtyard of illusions and a building apparently

suspended above water. The park will be the flagship of similar parks in the Netherlands, Brazil, Canada and Japan, Henning was quoted as telling The Orlando Sentinel. The parks will be called Vedaland. Veda is an Eastern term meaning knowledge, he said.

The Maharishi has been credited with spreading transcendental meditation worldwide. He oversees a conglomerate with assets of about \$3 billion.

Victims' kin continue anti-drug fight

McALLEN, Texas (AP) — Drug agent Enrique Camarena was tortured and killed by drug traffickers in Mexico in 1985. University student Mark James Kilroy was kidnapped and ritually slain by a cult of drug smugglers last year just south of the border.

Their families met for the first time this week to put their profound loss on display.

They refuse to allow the slayings to have been in vain. Their message is simple and poignant, said Helen Kilroy, Mark's mother.

"More people are hurt by drugs than just the users," Mrs. Kilroy said before an appearance Tuesday night at an anti-drug rally in McAllen.

Mrs. Kilroy and her husband, James, joined Enrique Camarena's mother, Dora Camarena, and his sister, Myrna Camarena, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday for the Lower Rio Grande Valley's observance of

the national "Red Ribbon" week. It had particular significance at Texas' southern tip, one of the nation's most active drug-smuggling corridors.

"Lives have been lost and homes have been broken, leaving families suffering," Dora Camarena, who speaks only Spanish, told the primarily teenage crowd of about 5,000 Monday night at McAllen Memorial Stadium.

Her son's death "left us an example to fight drugs. We will remember him forever," said Mrs. Camarena, a resident of Calexico, Calif.

"You should have seen it when these families met for the first time," said Tina M. Guerra, assistant district supervisor with the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission in McAllen, who worked to bring them together. "Fate brought them together. You can't describe it. There was a glow."

James Kilroy said he felt a bond with the Camarenas, both families having suffered the consequences of death by drug traffickers.

Also with them was the family of Manuel Segovia, a 36-year-old Hidalgo County sheriff's deputy from McAllen killed in a 1986 drug raid. He represents the local drug-related killings that never get national attention.

Enrique Camarena's 1985 slaying inspired the Red Ribbon campaign, designed to promote anti-drug awareness. Drug traffickers abducted him in Guadalajara, Mexico, where he worked as an agent for the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration.

Notorious drug trafficker Rafael Caro Quintero is now in a Mexican prison in connection with the murder.

The Camarena murder inspired the best-selling book, "Desperados," and a television movie.

Myrna Camarena, who translated her mother's brief speech, took part in last year's Red Ribbon campaign in El Paso.

"We're hoping to cause an impact on the community locally and to help stop the flow of drugs

from Mexico," said Myrna Camarena, an office manager with the DEA in the San Diego, Calif., area.

Mark Kilroy's slaying also inspired several books. Just released this week was his father's version, written with San Antonio author Bob Stewart, titled "Sacrifice: the drug cult murder of Mark Kilroy at Matamoros." The book's cover describes it as "A father's determination to turn evil into good."

Profits from the book go to the Mark Kilroy Foundation, a drug-awareness organization the Kilroys formed.

The drug smugglers who killed Mark Kilroy reportedly sought occult protection from the authorities and from rival smugglers by sacrificing humans. Kilroy, a 21-year-old University of Texas student, grew up in the city of Santa Fe, near Houston. He disappeared while celebrating spring break 1989 in the border city of Matamoros, Mexico, across the Rio Grande from Brownsville.

Kilroy was found buried in an area just west Matamoros where police found 14 other bodies believed to have been killed by the drug ring. The cult's "godfather," Miami-born Adolfo de Jesus Constanzo, and a close

Jan McCathern attended TSCA meeting recently

Jan McCathern, speech instructor at Western Texas College, was coordinator and presenter for a program entitled "New Courses/Old Courses/Developmental Courses" at the Texas Speech Communication Association (TSCA) held recently in Galveston.

Mrs. McCathern is serving as the chairperson of District XIV of the TSCA, a professional organization which seeks to enhance each member's teaching and awareness of communication needs and the high school, community college and university level.

associate were killed in a shootout with Mexican police in May 1989.

Other alleged members of the ring are on trial in Mexico's lengthy judicial process on charges ranging from homicide to drug smuggling and cover-up, among other violations.

"We really want to do something about this drug problem," James Kilroy said. "It's getting worse all the time."

Judge reduces prison sentence

SAN FERNANDO, Calif. (AP) — A judge reduced a six-year prison term for an obsessed fan who broke into actress Sharon Gless' home armed with a rifle.

The sentence for Joni Leigh Penn, 31, of Garden Grove, was reduced to four years by Superior Court Judge John Major on Tuesday.

Major said Penn had no prior convictions, has been a model prisoner and did not harm anyone during the incident March 30. The judge also said Penn, originally sentenced July 16, was receiving treatment for psychological problems.

The incident ended after a seven-hour standoff with police. Miss Gless was not home at the time.

Penn has said she was in love with Gless, the Emmy-winning star of "Cagney and Lacey" and "The Trials of Rosie O'Neill." Penn said she broke into the star's Studio City home to sexually assault the actress and then commit suicide.

Non-alcoholic beer is a growing \$45 million market in the United States. Sales of 534,000 cases in January and February of 1990 were up 36 percent from the same period in 1989.

Bridge

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NORTH 10-24-90			
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♥ Q J 7 6			
♠ K			
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WEST EAST			
♠ K 9 8 6	♦ J 4 2		
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SOUTH			
♦ A			
♥ A 10 9 5 2			
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♣ Q J 7			
Vulnerable: Both Dealer: South			
South	West	North	East
1♥	Pass	4♦	Pass
4♠	Pass	5♣	Pass
5♣	Pass	6♦	All pass
*heart support and singleton diamond			
Opening lead: ♦ 4			

Which finesse? Try neither

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In the playoff for the Women's Knockout Team Championship last July, the eventual winners had a big pickup when they reached a good slam not bid at the other table. When South opened one heart, North's four-diamond response showed a strong hand with four-card heart support plus a singleton diamond. The deal took place in the evening after a full day of intense competition. So South simply bid six hearts, taking her chances.

Today's bidding diagram suggests a more logical sequence. Since it is possible from South's point of view that North might have a good hand without a club control, it is more prudent if South feels her way toward slam. So four spades would show the ace, North would exhibit even further interest by showing the diamond ace, and North could now bid the slam.

Although both the club and the heart finesses are on, declarer can ensure her slam contract by ignoring both finesses and playing for a crossruff. South wins dummy's diamond king, plays a spade back to her ace and cashes A-Q of diamonds, pitching clubs from dummy. Then come a club to dummy's ace and a spade ruff, followed by the queen of clubs. Even if West does not cover, it will be ruffed low in dummy. Another spade can be ruffed with South's five-spot. The jack and queen of hearts can then be used to ruff declarer's remaining club and diamond, and since South is left with A-10-9 of hearts, the only possible loser would be to the king of hearts.

James Jacoby's books "Jacoby on Bridge" and "Jacoby on Card Games" (written with his father, the late Oswald Jacoby) are now available at bookstores. Both are published by Pharos Books. © 1990, NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.

Cosmetology interviews set for November 1

Interviews for students wishing to enroll in the Western Texas College cosmetology class beginning Dec. 4 will be held on Thursday, Nov. 1.

Anyone wishing to enroll should go first to the admissions office in the Resource Center and obtain a cosmetology packet. When the forms in the packet have been completed, the applicant should contact Judy Borden, instructor, to schedule an interview time. Some financial aid is available for cosmetology students. Mrs. Borden can provide information concerning financial aid applications.

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Deanie Francis Mills to conduct workshop in Abilene Nov. 2-3

Abilene Writers Guild will present Deanie Francis Mills, local free lance writer and suspense novelist, in a two-day workshop Friday and Saturday, Nov. 2-3.

The workshop will be held at the Abilene Writers Guild Building, 860 Hickory Street in Abilene. Registration will begin at 6 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 2, with classes scheduled from 6:30-9:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 3, the workshop begins at 9 a.m. and will conclude at noon.

Mills' workshop, "The Novel: Planning to Publication," will cover the "nuts and bolts" of the publishing process. Both basic and in-depth issues of completing a novel will be considered, with special emphasis on determination winning out over discouragement.

Cost of the workshop is \$20 for both sessions or \$12.50 for one. For more information call 1-915-673-0114. For advance registration, call Billie McMullen (AWG treasurer) at 1-915-692-5753.

Mrs. Mills, who lives in Hermleigh with her husband and two children, has written two suspense novels and is currently working on a third.

"Darkroom" is a recent release from Berkley Publishers of New York. "Spellbound" is scheduled for release early next year and she is under contract for "Borderline."

Nation's oldest female veteran dies


DALLAS (AP) — Dora Baker Kelley, an Army nurse during World War I and the nation's oldest known female veteran, died in her sleep at age 102.

Mrs. Kelley, who joined the Army Nurse Corps in 1918, died Monday at the Dallas Veteran's


Administration Medical Center, where she had been recovering from a stroke she suffered about a month ago.

"She was doing fine, she was alert," said Rick DuCharme, hospital spokesman. "Everyone fell in love with her."

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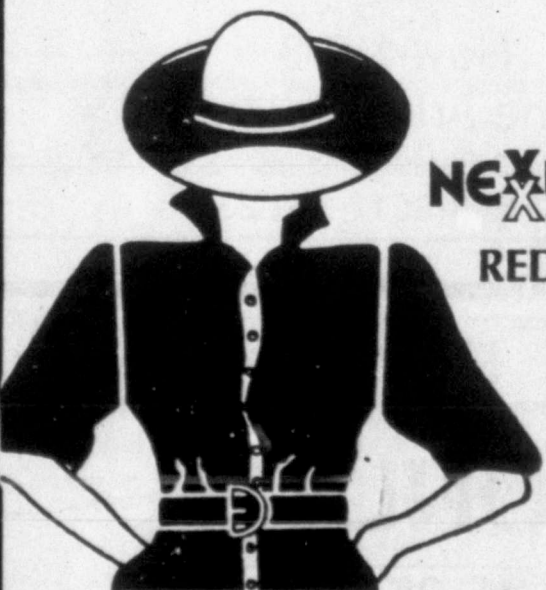
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PVT. TOM E. HENRY

Henry deployed to Middle East

Pvt. Tom E. Henry, a 1983 graduate of Hermleigh High School, left Oct. 18 for Saudi Arabia as part of the Desert Shield troop buildup. He is a member of the U.S. Army's 82nd Airborne Division and had previously been stationed in Fort Bragg, N.C.

Henry joined the Army in April of this year. He is the son of Lonnie and Jo Henry of Snyder and the grandson of Ida Chitsey of Hermleigh.

Henry's address is E 2 Henry, Tom; 454 88 4461; E Line Troop; 1/17 Calvary; 82nd Airborne Division; APO NY NY; 09656.

Bush's veto used to win concessions

WASHINGTON (AP) — To the dismay of Democrats, President Bush has compiled a long list of successful vetoes and in the process has rewritten the civics-book definition of how to use them.

Bush has wielded his veto pen 16 times, and he has never been overridden in a Congress ruled by Democrats. Just as importantly, the veto — and threats of a veto — have helped the president wrest compromises from reluctant lawmakers.

Bush's winning streak was likely to remain intact when Congress attempted to override his rejection of a major civil rights bill. Supporters of the measure concede they did not have the two-thirds majority needed to overturn the veto.

"Of the many vetoes of President George Bush, this may well be the unkindest and ungentlest yet," United Auto Workers President Owen Bieber complained Tuesday.

Over the last three decades, on-

ly Gerald R. Ford had a higher veto rate, and he had a quarter of his vetoes overridden.

Bush is using his veto power differently than many presidents who employed the veto simply to kill unwanted legislation or bills they deemed unconstitutional.

In large measure, Bush uses vetoes to force compromises from Congress. It is a tactic that makes the White House a player at the bargaining table as bills move through the House and Senate.

"He has wielded the veto much less as a public relations weapon, much more as a quiet instrument of influence in the Congress," said American Enterprise Institute analyst Norman Ornstein.

"Richard Nixon often used to veto bills at press conferences, making a statement as much as anything else," Ornstein said. "George Bush does it in a much more understated way."

In dealing with lawmakers, Bush has a big problem. He has the smallest share of his own party members in Congress of any

newly elected president in history.

"When you have two houses against you, you have no leverage, the odds are heavy against you," said White House press secretary Marlin Fitz-

water. "So you've got to use a sledgehammer going in that says, 'We won't accept this.'"

In his day, Ronald Reagan coyly refused to say whether he would veto a bill. Bush does it all the time, while also carefully

spelling out options to make a bill acceptable.

"You try to get as much change as you can before a bill is passed," Fitzwater said. "So by signaling early that you're going to veto, you tell them they need to seriously consider compromise."

Bush established the pattern with his very first veto. Democrats wanted to raise the minimum hourly wage to \$4.55 over three years. Bush said that was excessive and threatened a veto. Congress approved the increase anyway and Bush rejected the bill. When he was sustained, lawmakers and the White House struck a compromise.

Bush vetoed three appropriations bill to force the deletion of abortion funding from otherwise acceptable measures. Three other measures, including one dealing with Chinese students, were rejected to prevent what he viewed as an erosion of presidential authority.

Most recently, Bush vetoed a short-term spending resolution and shut down the government to force progress on deficit-reduction negotiations. Monday's veto of the civil rights legislation came only after months of negotiations between the White House and Congress.

The president coupled his veto with a copy of a civil rights bill he would sign, but civil rights advocates denounced it as a sham.

Berry's World



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SHIFTING SANDS

Mexico seeks extradition of 2 cops

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Mexican authorities say they have started prosecution of two Texas lawmen on charges of illegally bringing two Mexican men to the United States to face murder

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The Mexican attorney general's office said Tuesday they are seeking to extradite the two men to Mexico.



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"It's important for us to know that people support us. Otherwise, we'd feel like we were all alone," Roop said.

Deanie Francis Mills to conduct workshop in Abilene Nov. 2-3

Abilene Writers Guild will present Deanie Francis Mills, local free lance writer and suspense novelist, in a two-day workshop Friday and Saturday, Nov. 2-3.

The workshop will be held at the Abilene Writers Guild Building, 880 Hickory Street in Abilene. Registration will begin at 6 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 2, with classes scheduled from 6:30-9:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 3, the workshop begins at 9 a.m. and will conclude at noon.

Mills' workshop, "The Novel: Planning to Publication," will cover the "nuts and bolts" of the publishing process. Both basic and in-depth issues of completing a novel will be considered, with special emphasis on determination winning out over discouragement.

Cost of the workshop is \$20 for both sessions or \$12.50 for one.

For more information call 1-915-673-0114. For advance registration, call Billie McMullen (AWG treasurer) at 1-915-692-5753.

Mrs. Mills, who lives in Hermleigh with her husband and two children, has written two suspense novels and is currently working on a third.

"Darkroom" is a recent release from Berkley Publishers of New York. "Spellbound" is scheduled for release early next year and she is under contract for "Borderline."

Nation's oldest female veteran dies

DALLAS (AP) — Dora Baker Kelley, an Army nurse during World War I and the nation's oldest known female veteran, died in her sleep at age 102.

Mrs. Kelley, who joined the Army Nurse Corps in 1918, died Monday at the Dallas Veteran's


Administration Medical Center, where she had been recovering from a stroke she suffered about a month ago.

"She was doing fine, she was alert," said Rick DuCharme, hospital spokesman. "Everyone fell in love with her."

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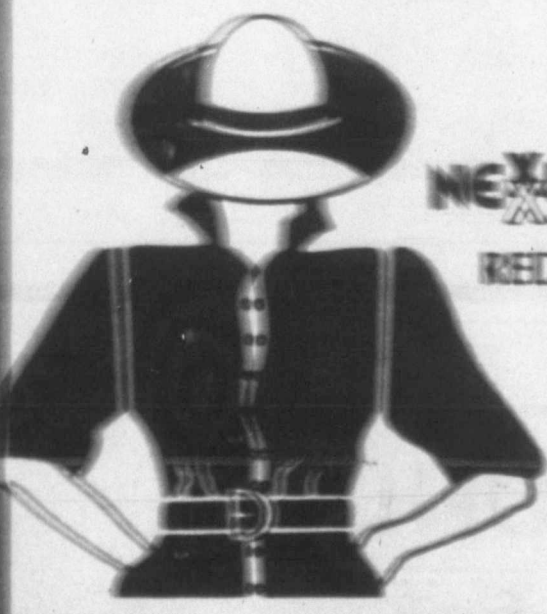


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Bush's veto used to win concessions



PVT. TOM E. HENRY

Henry deployed to Middle East

Pvt. Tom E. Henry, a 1983 graduate of Hermleigh High School, left Oct. 18 for Saudi Arabia as part of the Desert Shield troop buildup. He is a member of the U.S. Army's 82nd Airborne Division and had previously been stationed in Fort Bragg, N.C.

Henry joined the Army in April of this year. He is the son of Lonnie and Jo Henry of Snyder and the grandson of Ida Chitsey of Hermleigh.

Henry's address is E 2 Henry, Tom; 454 88 4461; E Line Troop; 1/17 Calvary; 82nd Airborne Division; APO NY NY; 09656.

WASHINGTON (AP) — To the dismay of Democrats, President Bush has compiled a long list of successful vetoes and in the process has rewritten the civics-book definition of how to use them.

Bush has wielded his veto pen 16 times, and he has never been overridden in a Congress ruled by Democrats. Just as importantly, the veto — and threats of a veto — have helped the president wrest compromises from reluctant lawmakers.

Bush's winning streak was likely to remain intact when Congress attempted to override his rejection of a major civil rights bill. Supporters of the measure concede they did not have the two-thirds majority needed to overturn the veto.

"Of the many vetoes of President George Bush, this may well be the unkindest and ungentlest yet," United Auto Workers President Owen Bieber complained Tuesday.

Mexico seeks extradition of 2 cops

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Mexican authorities say they have started prosecution of two Texas lawmen on charges of illegally bringing two Mexican men to the United States to face murder

charges. The Mexican attorney general's office said Tuesday they are seeking to extradite the two men to Mexico.

ly Gerald R. Ford had a higher veto rate, and he had a quarter of his vetoes overridden.

Bush is using his veto power differently than many presidents who employed the veto simply to kill unwanted legislation or bills they deemed unconstitutional.

In large measure, Bush uses vetoes to force compromises from Congress. It is a tactic that makes the White House a player at the bargaining table as bills move through the House and Senate.

"He has wielded the veto much less as a public relations weapon, much more as a quiet instrument of influence in the Congress," said American Enterprise Institute analyst Norman Ornstein.

"Richard Nixon often used to veto bills at press conferences, making a statement as much as anything else," Ornstein said.

"George Bush does it in a much more understated way."

In dealing with lawmakers, Bush has a big problem. He has the smallest share of his own party members in Congress of any

newly elected president in history.

"When you have two houses against you, you have no leverage, the odds are heavy against you," said White House press secretary Marlin Fitz-

water. "So you've got to use a sledgehammer going in that says, 'We won't accept this.'"

In his day, Ronald Reagan coyly refused to say whether he would veto a bill. Bush does it all the time, while also carefully

spelling out options to make a bill acceptable.

"You try to get as much change as you can before a bill is passed," Fitzwater said. "So by signaling early that you're going to veto, you tell them they need to seriously consider compromise."

Bush established the pattern with his very first veto. Democrats wanted to raise the minimum hourly wage to \$4.55 over three years. Bush said that was excessive and threatened a veto. Congress approved the increase anyway and Bush rejected the bill. When he was sustained, lawmakers and the White House struck a compromise.

Bush vetoed three appropriations bills to force the deletion of abortion funding from otherwise acceptable measures. Three other measures, including one dealing with Chinese students, were rejected to prevent what he viewed as an erosion of presidential authority.

Most recently, Bush vetoed a short-term spending resolution and shut down the government to force progress on deficit-reduction negotiations. Monday's veto of the civil rights legislation came only after months of negotiations between the White House and Congress.

The president coupled his veto with a copy of a civil rights bill he would sign, but civil rights advocates denounced it as a sham.

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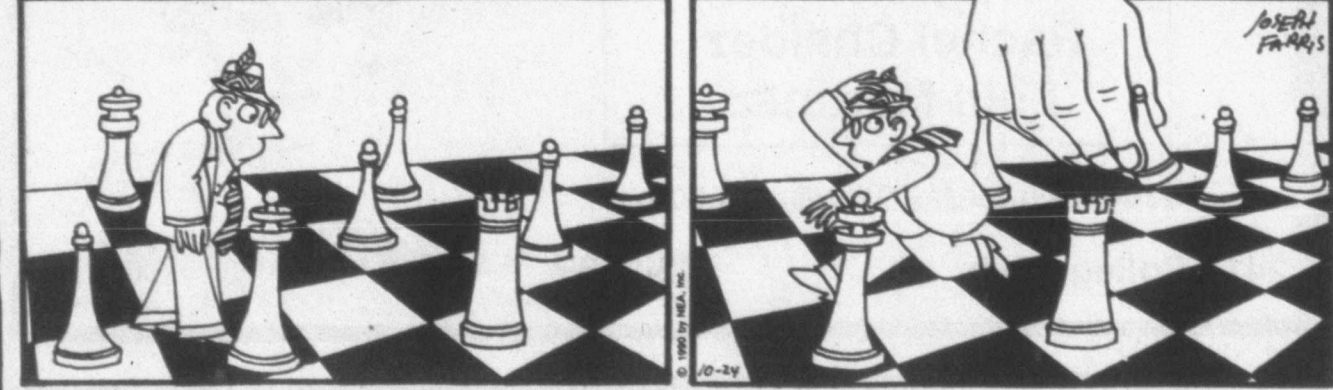
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Brunson leads list of weekly awardees

Snyder fullback Bryan Brunson may not be a machine but his play against Levelland sure made him seem like a robot at times dealing blow after blow to the Lobos with methodical precision, earning four coaches' awards and tying a team record in the process.

Brunson registered 11 knockdowns as the lead blocker out of the backfield last Friday which sets a new Tiger standard with 81 on the season. The old record was held by Lee Fletcher from the 1988 team.

To get an award a back must have seven knockdowns and a lineman 10.

The Tigers executed 131 knockdowns as a team Friday, which is just 10 short of the team mark of 141 recorded last year against Andrews.

Senior center Jeff Black, going against highly-touted LHS noseguard Danny Brackens, notched 21 knockdowns for a pair of awards.

Guard Charlie Richardson gets two awards, also, having taken down 20 Levelland linemen. Chad Fox followed with 19, Hayward Clay had 14, Clint Hayward had 13 and Dakon Hollingsworth, playing on a sore foot, got 11.

Brunson was also recognized for his 151 yards rushing on 21 attempts in the Tigers 30-7 win over Levelland last week. Brunson's totals also reflect a 35-yard rumble for six early in the fourth period.

The SHS senior was also recognized for his contributions to the kicking game receiving coaches' awards for his three consecutive extra points, a 31-yard field goal and a punting average of just over 35 yards.

Holder Jason Rios and long snapper Bay John Long also get helmet decals for their part in the kicks.

Other special teamers earning recognition for last Friday's efforts were Mark King for his punt returns and Joe Martinez for his exceptional blocking in return situations.

King and Martinez were also part of a team record-tying 10 interceptions this year with one steal apiece against the Lobos' Lance Patton.

Shelby Bufkin, nicknamed AT&T because he just deals in long-distance touchdowns, grabbed an interception, as well, and returned it 78 yards for a Tiger score.

Bufkin had already returned kicks for 88 and 87 yards for scores earlier in the season.

Earning a helmet decal for being the team's leading tackler was Terry Stephens who carded 7½ tackles versus LHS.

Other defensive players recognized with awards were Damien Haywood for a fumble recovery, Will Clay for a quarterback sack and Stephens, Martinez and Bufkin for passes knocked away.

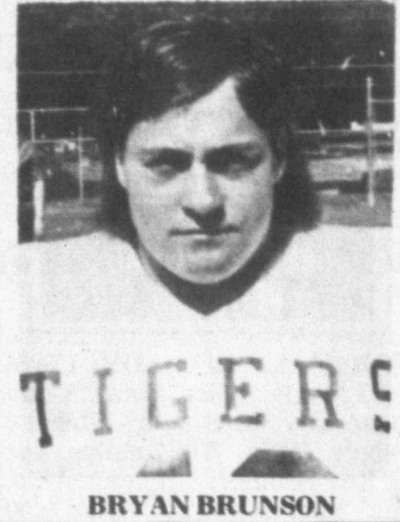
The Big Hit of the Week Award was given to Martinez this week for his bruising stop on a punt return against the Lobos.

Brunson's backfield mates, tailback Paul Anderson and quarterback Ed Rios each were awarded helmet decorations for their 100-plus yard performances.

Anderson rushed for 102 yards and a touchdown while Rios passed for 106 yards and a TD.

Hayward Clay, in what coach David Baugh called his best outing yet, offensively, earned an award for his five drives of an opposing tackler at least five yards. He was also given a prize for getting two pins on Lobo tacklers.

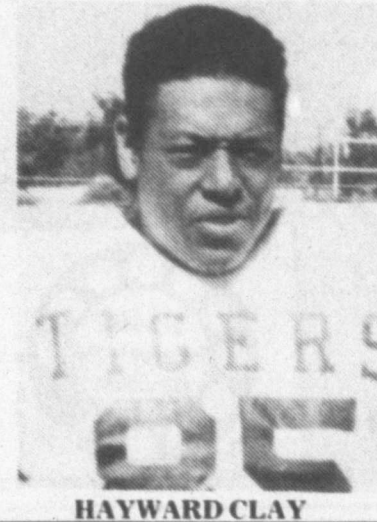
Fox gets two coaches' awards for pins getting four last week. Awards for pins are given for every two while to get a drive award a blocker must get five.



BRYAN BRUNSON



SHELBY BUFKIN



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Sandberg, Parker head all-star squad

NEW YORK (AP) — A question of what have they done lately could apply to those missing from The Associated Press baseball all-star team, which lists only Ryne Sandberg of the Chicago Cubs and Milwaukee's Dave Parker as repeaters.

Gone are 10 players who made the 1989 team. Five of them — pitchers Bret Saberhagen of Kansas City and Joe Magrane of St. Louis, catcher Mickey Tettleton

of Baltimore, outfielder Ruben Sierra of Texas and third baseman Howard Johnson of the New York Mets — didn't get a vote this year.

Also missing is Minnesota outfielder Kirby Puckett, who failed to make it for the first time in five years. He got only one vote in nationwide balloting of sports writers and broadcasters.

Sandberg, the second baseman, was named to the team

for the third consecutive year and the fourth time in the last five. Designated hitter Parker was chosen for the second year in a row.

The team is evenly divided with six National Leaguers and six American Leaguers.

Also on the team are first baseman Cecil Fielder of Detroit, third baseman Matt Williams of San Francisco, shortstop Barry Larkin of Cincinnati, catcher Carlton Fisk of the Chicago White Sox, outfielders Rickey Henderson of Oakland and Barry Bonds and Bobby Bonilla of Pittsburgh, right-handed pitcher Bob Welch of Oakland, left-handed pitcher Frank Viola of the Mets and reliever Bob Thigpen of the White Sox.

Puckett's absence is explained by his batting average, which fell from .339 in 1989 to .298. Saberhagen plunged from 23-6 to 5-9 and Magrane was 10-17 after going 18-9. Tettleton's home runs declined from 25 to 15, while Sierra's power production fell from 29 to 16. Johnson hit .244 with 23 homers the year after hitting 36 with a .287 average.

This year's team is power-laden, averaging 29 homers per player, excluding pitchers.

Schoolboy stats

CLASS 4A	
RUSHING	
Thornton, McKinney	138-1360
Johnson, Terrell	158-1257
Phillips, Lavaca Calhoun	140-1175
White, Dallas White	152-1088
Hill, Georgetown	155-1027
PASSING	
Armstrong, Athens	106-214-13-1710
Dean, Dallas Roosevelt	80-155-6-1420
Fulford, Austin Anderson	74-201-8-1304
Strayhorn, Dumas	86-200-15-1277
Preston, A&M Consolidated	67-140-1-1248
RECEIVING	
Pearce, A&M Consolidated	33-710
Richardson, Athens	38-624
Reeves, Austin Anderson	28-571
Poston, Stephenville	25-550
Richardson, Canyon Randall	37-533
SCORING	
Thornton, McKinney	120
Hill, Georgetown	102
Johnson, Terrell	96
Henderson, Paris	92
Gates, Dallas Madison	86
TOTAL OFFENSE	
A&M Consolidated	432
Port Lavaca Calhoun	398
Athens	383
Stephenville	380
La Marque	374
TOTAL DEFENSE	
Jasper	103
Dallas White	139
Big Spring	141
Austin Reagan	147
Snyder	148

Leading the group are Fielder, the first major leaguer in 13 years to break the 50-homer barrier, and Sandberg, only the third second baseman ever to hit 40.

Fielder made a sensational comeback to the majors this year after spending the 1989 season playing in Japan. In addition to his 51 homers, the most in the majors since Cincinnati's George Foster hit 52 in 1977, he led the majors with 132 RBIs and a .592 slugging percentage.

Sandberg, the NL's Most Valuable Player in 1984, led the senior league in home runs and runs scored (116), was second in hits (188) and slugging percentage (.559), drove in 100 runs and batted .306. He was the first second baseman to lead either league in homers since the St. Louis Cardinals' Rogers Hornsby in 1925.

Larkin, one of the key performers in the Reds' first World Series championship season since 1976, batted .301 with 85 runs scored, 30 stolen bases and 185 hits.

Snyder spikers fall in District 2-4A tilt

LAMESA — The playoff-bound Snyder Lady Tigers volleyball team wound-up the regular season here with a 15-13, 15-9 loss to the District 2-4A champion Lady Tornadoes Tuesday in a match that had no bearing on the final standings in the loop.

Snyder, 10-10 on the campaign, has nailed down second place with its 5-3 district mark. The

Ft. Hancock still top team

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP) — The top 10 teams stayed the same in the weekly Lubbock Avalanche-Journal six-man high school football poll. All 10 teams posted victories Friday night.

Fort Hancock, 7-0, captured five of seven first-place votes and 68 of a possible 70 points to hang on to the top spot for the second week in a row.

The Mustangs blasted Imperial Buena Vista 47-2 Friday night.

Christoval stayed second by beating Paint Rock 54-6.

The third through seventh placed teams — Guthrie, McLean, Bosqueville, Rule and Sands — all improved to 7-0.

Eighth-ranked Jayton got 441 yards and 10 rushing touchdowns, plus one passing touchdown, from back Paul Morales in a wild 88-67 victory against Paint Creek.

Each of the top 10 teams won by at least three touchdowns Friday, except Covington, which topped District 15 rival Trinidad, 26-14.

Lady Tigers finished second to Lamesa, 8-0.

"The first game we played them point-for-point," said Snyder coach Patty Grimmert. "I really thought we were going to beat them."

"If they play in the playoffs the way they played Lamesa, even though they didn't win, they could beat whoever they play."

Angee Crawford's eight points led the Snyder offense followed by Amber Bowlin's seven, four from Liz Greathouse, Freda Clay's two and one from Camille Thompson.

The SHS post-season schedule will probably begin Oct. 30.

Snyder is set to face the winner of the Saturday duel between Hereford and Dumas, which will decide the District 1 champ.

According to Grimmert, the most likely sites for the match are Lubbock and Canyon.

Lamesa will face the loser of the Hereford-Dumas tilt in bi-district action at a time and site to be announced.

Snyder's JV squad lost to LHS in its season finale, 15-5, 15-8. The loss leaves the junior varsity at 15-6 for the year.

"This is the best group I've ever had to work with," said Laura Holt, SHS JV coach. "I want to thank the parents and fans for their support all season."

The Snyder freshmen defeated Lamesa in three games Tuesday. Scores were not available.

1990 District 2-4A volleyball glance

Team	Season		District	
	W	L	W	L
x-Lamesa	22	3	8	0
y-Snyder	10	10	5	3
Dunbar	14	12	3	5
Estacado	9	17	3	5
Levelland	0	20	0	8

Tuesday's games
Lamesa def. Snyder 15-13, 15-9
Estacado def. Levelland 15-10, 15-5
Dunbar — open
regular season ends
x-clinched district championship
y-clinched second playoff spot

SDN Sportsweek

Thursday, Oct. 25

Tennis
Snyder at regional tournament in Lubbock.

Football
Snyder freshmen host San Angelo Glen at 5:30 p.m.
Hermleigh Junior High at Trent at 6 p.m.
Borden County Junior High hosts Highland at 6 p.m.
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Friday, Oct. 26

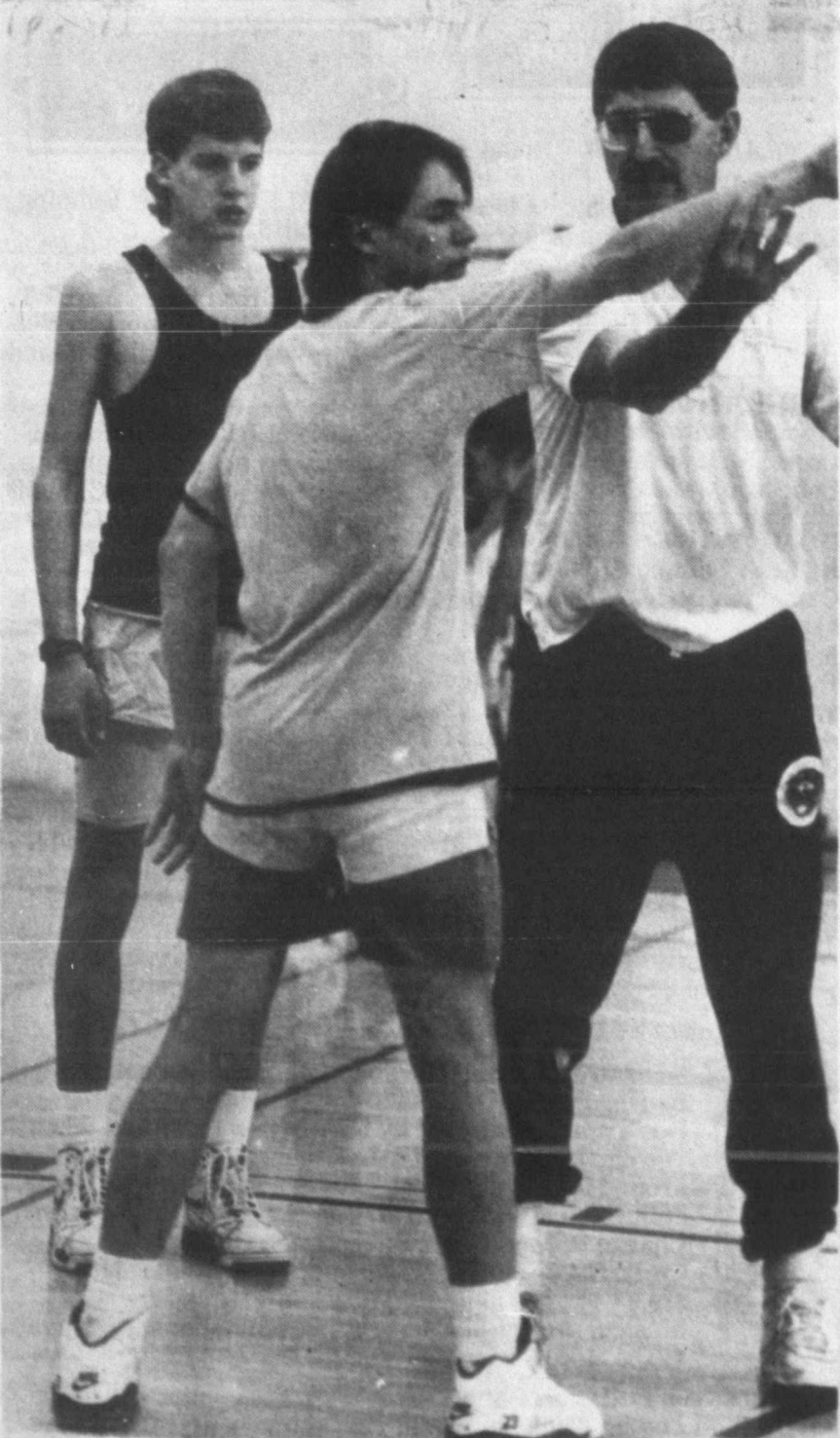
Football
Snyder Tigers host Dunbar at 7:30 p.m.

Borden County at Trent at 7:30 p.m.

Tennis
Snyder at regional tournament in Lubbock.

Saturday, Oct. 27

Football
Snyder JV at Dunbar at 11:30 a.m.



DRILLS START — Coach Bud Birks shows a young Tiger basketball player how to position himself as a defender in Tuesday cage workouts. Birks and the Tigers will hit the courts for the first time in the 1990-91 season in a Nov. 8 scrimmage here against Abilene High. They are set to begin the season Nov. 13 hosting Andrews. Snyder's Lady Tigers scrimmage Big Spring there Nov. 6 and open the campaign Nov. 13 at Merkel. (SDN Staff Photo)

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- 5509 Cedar Cr-3-2-2, lo 80's.
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- 5511 Cedar Creek-3-2-2, high 80's.
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- 508 32nd-3-1-2, 24T.
- Church-F&30th, high 30's.
- 1810 38th-extras, high 20's.
- 4106 Jacksboro-high 50's.
- 3706 Ave U-extras, nice.
- 3798 Dalton-spacious, 2480'.
- 4004 Irving-3-2-2, high 40's.
- South-18 ac, lg home, 83T.
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- 3102 42nd-3-2-2, \$55T.
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- 2612 48th-3-2-2cp.
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- W. 30th-2 story, lg. \$68T.
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GIGANTIC GARAGE SALE The 300+ Membership of Scurry Masonic Lodge #706 is having a "HUGE" Garage Sale at the Showbarn, next to The National Guard Armory in Towle Park on Saturday, Oct. 27, 1990 from 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Proceeds will be used for the Centennial Celebration in May 1991 (100 years of Masonry in Snyder). There will be something for EVERYONE at this sale, Folks!!! Don't Miss It!!!

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Humphrey finally free, heads for open water

Thousands cheer as whale freed from mud, rock prison

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Freed from a mud-and-rock prison, Humphrey the wandering humpback whale headed toward the sea, thanks in part to the same song that lured him to open water during his famous visit five years ago.

As thousands of onlookers cheered, the 40-foot, 45-ton whale floated away Tuesday from the shallows where he became beached a day earlier.

Rescuers banged pipes to keep Humphrey away from shore and played tape recordings of whale sounds. The tapes, amplified with special underwater equipment, were of humpbacks feeding.

A Coast Guard vessel and a boat with volunteers from the California Marine Mammal Center followed the leviathan as he made his way toward the sea. They quit trailing him in dark.

Humphrey last was seen near the San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge, about five miles from where he had been beached and five more miles to the Golden Gate Bridge.

"At least he's headed in the right direction," said center spokeswoman Denize Springer.

Rescuers also played whale sounds to lure Humphrey back to the Pacific in the fall of 1985 after his celebrated 25-day voyage through San Francisco Bay and other inland waters.

Since then, Humphrey has been spotted in the ocean near San Francisco every August or September. Biologists identify him through tail markings that show a unique pattern, like a fingerprint.

On Tuesday, he drew a crowd of thousands to a cove near Candlestick Park where he lay beached beside rocks bearing a no-trespassing sign.

Marine biologists, veterinarians and Coast Guardsmen nudged Humphrey with their hands, splashed him with buckets of water, towed him with a harness and used an air compressor to suck mud from below him.

"Essentially we were trying to tease him off that mud rock,"

said Frank Griffith of the Marine Mammal Center.

"There's no amount of human beings that you could put out there to push him off like you'd push a car down the street. If he's stuck on the bottom by mud suction, you couldn't move him unless he puts some effort into moving himself."

As afternoon high tide rolled in, Humphrey budged a bit from the mud, flipping his fins, raising his tail and blowing water through his spout as the crowd cheered.

A short while later, Humphrey got stuck again, but with more work he freed himself.

Nearly 200 children from nearby Bret Harte Elementary School watched Humphrey's return.

"The children are very worried. They wonder how he can survive. They said we should all get together and push him," said Swaraj Gujral, a fifth-grade teacher. "I think he likes it here. He went away but he left his heart in San Francisco."

Saudi king firm, U.S. considers more troops

By The Associated Press

Saudi Arabia's king today denied reports that the Saudis are willing to accept territorial concessions to defuse the Persian Gulf crisis, and a U.S. senator said Iraq and the multinational force are headed for war.

Thirty-two British hostages returned to London today, and about a dozen Americans also freed on Tuesday were headed home.

One of the British hostages who was held at a strategic site in Iraq said he and his fellow captives briefly rioted when their guards refused to provide them with enough food or adequate toilet facilities.

Iraq's ambassador to France said all French citizens in Iraq

and occupied Kuwait could return to France within two days.

Iraq's parliament on Tuesday endorsed Saddam Hussein's proposal to allow all French citizens in the country to leave, a gesture seen in Paris as an attempt to divide the West's anti-Iraqi alliance.

The more than 300 French citizens in Iraq and Kuwait are among hundreds of Westerners prohibited from leaving by Saddam since his invasion of the emirate Aug. 2. Many are being held at strategic installations to deter a possible attack by the U.S.-dominated multinational force in the Persian Gulf.

The Pentagon on Tuesday said the United States might send more troops to the region than the 240,000 who are there now or enroute.

"The fact is that we're headed toward conflict," Sen. Richard Lugar, a member of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, said during an interview on NBC's "Today" show.

"If the Iraqis don't move they're likely to be pushed out, peace is not at hand," the Indiana Republican said in response to Saudi comments over the weekend that some interpreted as a peace overture to Saddam.

King Fahd — for the second time in two days — today denied the Saudis would be willing to accept territorial concessions to Iraq to prevent war.

The king stressed that the Saudis demand an unconditional Iraqi withdrawal from Kuwait and the return to power in the oil-rich emirate of exiled Sheik Jaber al-Ahmed al-Sabah, who was deposed in the invasion nearly 12 weeks ago.

On Sunday Prince Sultan, the Saudi defense minister, was reported to have raised the possibility of allowing Iraq to keep some Kuwaiti territory if it withdraws its hundreds of thousands of troops.

Regarding the hostages, a jetliner landed outside London today with former British Prime Minister Edward Heath and the 32 Britons whose release from Iraq he had helped secure a day earlier.

Jim Thompson, one of the freed Britons, told reporters on the flight that he and 14 other

foreigners held as human shields at an Iraqi armaments factory had rioted to protest bad conditions.

Thompson, 50, an engineering company manager, said they

were held without enough food and with no proper toilets.

"We were in really bad shape. We told the guards, unless you do something ... we are going to have a disturbance," he was

quoted as saying.

He said when nothing was done, they tore down fences, broke windows, painted anti-Saddam remarks on walls and shouted anti-Saddam slogans un-

til guards forced them back into their rooms at gunpoint.

He did not say where the factory was located or when the incident happened.

Southland seeks bankruptcy protection

DALLAS (AP) — Southland Corp., the nation's largest convenience store chain, filed a bankruptcy petition and a prepackaged reorganization plan early today.

The parent of the 7-Eleven convenience store chain said it intends to complete a restructuring under Chapter 11 as the company has received from its debt holders and equity holders sufficient percentage of votes for a prepackaged reorganization plan to be confirmed by the bankruptcy court.

A syndicate of lenders has agreed to provide Southland up to \$400 million in debtor-in-possession (DIP) financing.

Southland spokeswoman Cecilia Stubbs Norwood said the company intends to use the funds as working capital to purchase necessary inventories and to continue the company's other normal operating activities.

The company said that of those security holders voting on the prepackaged reorganization plan, an aggregate of approximately 89 percent of the outstanding principal amount of debt securities and approximately 90 percent of the outstanding shares of preferred stock voted to accept the plan.

Southland has asked for a bankruptcy court hearing on Dec. 10 for the confirmation of

the prepackaged reorganization plan.

If confirmed, the plan would give Southland security-holders approximately 25 percent of the company's common stock. Southland bondholders would receive new notes and, in certain cases, cash.

The company also said it is immediately filing motions in bankruptcy court to seek approval to assume existing 7-Eleven franchises and area licensee agreements; pay employee salaries and wages and continue existing employee benefit plans and pay prepetition debt in full to all sup-

pliers who agree to provide the company with customary credit terms during the bankruptcy case.

"In the light of the results of the exchange offers and the high level of support we have received for our prepackaged reorganization plan, we believe this is the best alternative to complete a financial restructuring quickly," said Clark Matthews, Southland's chief financial officer. "We hope to obtain court approval of the prepackaged reorganization plan as soon as possible."

"Upon confirmation of our plan and consummation of our new

Stock Purchase Agreement, we will go forward with a more manageable debt load, as well as the capital we need to remain at the top of the competitive convenience retailing industry," Matthews added.

Dallas-based Southland has been staggered by the debt brought on by its \$4.9 billion leveraged buyout in 1987. The company also faces increasing competition from proliferating convenience stores run by major oil companies.

Analysts have been predicting that Southland would be unable to avoid filing for bankruptcy protection from creditors.

Obituaries

Luther Jennings

1907-1990

LUBBOCK — Services are set for Luther W. Jennings, 83, of Snyder, at 2 p.m. Thursday in the Resthaven Funeral Home Chapel in Lubbock.

Mr. Jennings died early Wednesday morning at Snyder Oaks Nursing Center, following an illness.

He was born Nov. 3, 1907 in Franklin County. He moved from Sweetwater to Lubbock in 1950 and lived there until 1987, when he moved to Snyder. He was a retired employee of the Lubbock Independent School District.

He married Audra Irene Bryan on Feb. 4, 1927 in Oklahoma.

He was preceded in death by one son, Luther W. Jennings Jr. in 1952.

Survivors include his wife of Snyder; four daughters, Lee Cook and Joe Crowder, both of Lubbock, Judy Baughan of Snyder and Genetta Urey of Houston; three sisters, Edna Ridge of LaMesa, N.M., Jewel Burk of Arlington and Pauline Hannes of McAllen; four brothers, Thad Jennings of Arlington, John Jennings of Wichita Falls, Ernest Jennings of Irving and Floyd Jennings of Snyder; six grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Mattie Ammons

1918-1990

Services for lifetime Hermleigh resident Mattie Mae Ammons, 72, will be at 2 p.m. Thursday at Hermleigh United Methodist Church. The Rev. Bill Scott, with the Rev. Carol Crumpton, pastor, will officiate. Burial will follow in Hillside Memorial Gardens under the direction of Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home.

Ms. Ammons died at 10:45 a.m. Tuesday at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

She was born Aug. 18, 1918, in Hermleigh and worked in food service for Hermleigh schools for 32 years. She was a member of Hermleigh United Methodist Church.

She was preceded in death by her father, Dave, and a brother, Walter.

She is survived by her mother, Allie Ammons of Snyder; a brother, D.P. (David) Ammons of Lubbock; four nieces and a nephew.

Pallbearers will include Tommy Riley, Dale Hess, Billy Haynes, Jerry Church and Hollis Ward.

Friends are making contributions to the American Cancer Society.

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would allow budget writers to reduce savings in other parts of the deficit-cutting plan.

Still undecided was the amount of the tax, although it seemed likely to fall between 5 percent and 10 percent.

Republicans have preferred limiting deductions instead of a surtax, but that alternative is supported by only about half the House's majority Democrats. With most Republicans ready to vote against the budget in any case, there would not be enough support for the measure to be passed by the House.

"We are trying to keep negotiations going," House Budget Committee Chairman Leon Panetta, D-Calif., told reporters Tuesday night after a long, fruitless day. "But the hour is late and we still don't have an agreement."

Cotton

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Marvin Ensor, county agent, and Deanna Hollodav, entomologist, serve as advisors on the board.

The board collects and allocates funds for various programs to benefit all Scurry County farmers.

Police see routine activity Tuesday

Snyder police handled routine activity Tuesday.

At 12:20 p.m., police took a burglary of a residence report from Marie Shy of 2109 Ave. T. Two iron traps were reported missing.

A gas drive-off was reported at 5:38 p.m. Kelly Waters of Handi-Mart said that two males had left the business in a beige Chevrolet pickup without paying for gas.

A 28-year-old male was taken into custody at 6:54 p.m. in the 900 block of Ave. M on a warrant for failure to display a court order.

At 10:29 p.m., police were called to Lawrence IGA where Damona Simmons advised that her purse had been taken from her vehicle. A report for Class B theft was filed.

Cotton fire

W.H. Coonrod of Hermleigh lost one-half bale of cotton on his farm to a morning fire.

Units of Snyder Fire Department responded to the call shortly before 8 a.m. today.

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million for public schools in 1990-91, calling it the first step toward equity.

But poor school districts challenged the plan. They argued that it's the same as the old system scrapped last year by the Texas Supreme Court on a 9-0 vote.

Some of those poor school districts, represented by the Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund, said the current system should immediately be halted and a fairer system put into place this school year.

Search on for Columbus' ship

KINGSTON, Jamaica (AP) — A team of American archaeologists from the Institute of Nautical Archaeology at Texas A&M University is undertaking an extensive search for the remains of "Capitana" and "Santiago de Polas" two of Christopher Columbus' caravels.

The two ships were reported to have been abandoned at New Seville near St. Ann's Bay on Jamaica's North Coast in 1504.

Assisting the archaeologists are Professor Steven Schock, a sonar expert from Florida Atlantic University and the Jamaican Defense Force Coast Guard.

Writing recently in the winter issue of the Institute of Nautical Archaeology newsletter, Dr. James Parrent, director of the project, said the shipwreck site was of great importance. Because the two caravels were run aground in soft sediment in shallow water, there was a good chance of finding well-preserved hulls, he said.

Parrent said he was convinced that the remains of the ship were buried under water not deeper than seven feet.

"If they are there we have a good chance of finding them," he said.

Parrent said the ships would

yield new information on caravel construction and would allow archaeologists the unique opportunity to compare construction variation of this important but little understood ship-type.

Also the ships were likely to generate much scholastic interest in the role of technology in the discovery of the New World plus much insight into the period of the Arawaks and Europeans.

The search team is using a "sub-bottom profiler," a remote sensor capable of seeing 40 feet below the sea floor.

Professor Schock said it was the only one of its kind and was specially developed to operate in

shallow waters. The team is searching an area extending a mile from Readers Point east of St. Ann's Bay. The search will end on Nov. 28.

Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS: Joyce Baxter, Snyder Oaks Care Center.

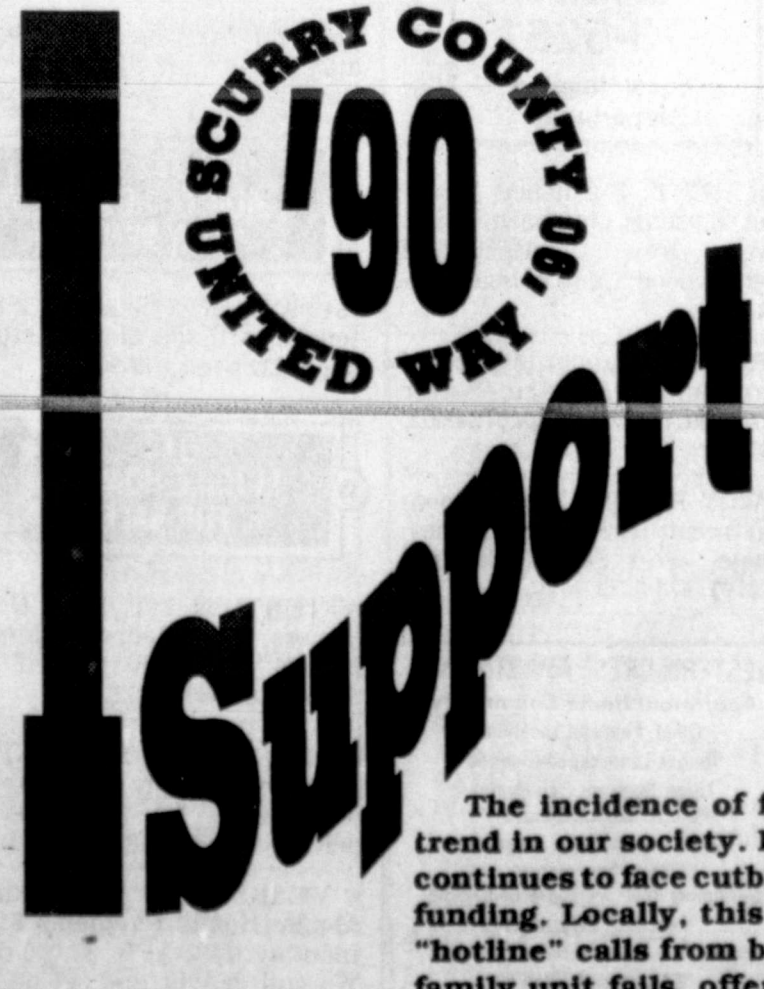
DISMISSALS: Lillian Williamson, Jan Curry and baby, Norma Delao and baby, Mary Lou Realzola and baby.

SDN home-delivery prices adjusted effective Nov. 1

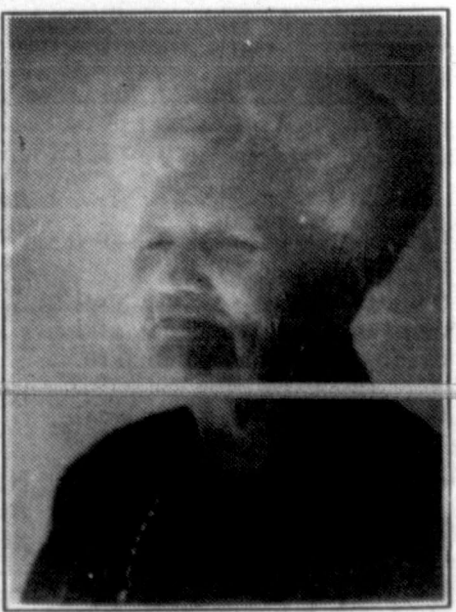
Higher fuel costs has necessitated a rate adjustment in home delivery prices of the Snyder Daily News.

Effective Nov. 1, the monthly home-delivered price of the newspaper will be \$6.05. The three-month rate is \$17.25 while the six-month rate is \$34. The annual subscription price will be \$65.75 or 21 cents per day.

The SDN announced the rate adjustment is caused by the increased cost of fuel faced by carriers on a daily basis. Production costs also have been impacted by higher costs of petroleum products to include newsprint, ink and graphic arts supplies. These costs are further impacted by freight-cost surcharges.



Support



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Noah Project

The incidence of family violence is a growing trend in our society. In spite of this, Noah Project continues to face cutbacks in both state and federal funding. Locally, this United Way agency handles "hotline" calls from battered wives and, when the family unit fails, offers them and their children a temporary shelter.

Police make 70 arrests during gang sweeps

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — Police arrested 70 alleged gang members in classrooms and homes in a citywide sweep to curb gang violence that has claimed seven lives this year.

Police compiled 120 arrest warrants over two months for crimes ranging from aggravated assault to defacing property with graffiti. The warrants were used for Tuesday's mass arrests.

Of the 70 arrested, 19 were juveniles. The majority were charged with assault. No weapons were confiscated, but Lt. Eddie Ortega said police were not looking for property.

Since April 1, police have made 400 gang-related arrests, but that didn't curb the violence, said Lt. Jim Carney, commander of the Tactical Section.

"This should get their attention and let the people of El Paso know that we're doing something about the problem," Carney said.

Police began their sweep at about 6 a.m., arresting suspects at their homes. They later moved to nine high school campuses where students were led out in handcuffs, Ortega said.

"We are trying to make an im-

pact on the gang members and let them know we are out there. We want to let them know we are keeping an eye on them," Ortega said.

Fifty-four officers from a

Mattox says gang violence increasing

AUSTIN (AP) — Gangs are increasing the numbers in part because Texas doesn't have enough programs to keep youths off the streets and out of trouble, says a new study by the attorney general's office.

"With job scarcity and scant city activity programs, urban youth find the social cohesion and cultural bond of gang life alluring," said the report, issued Tuesday.

"The basic need to belong, peer pressure, and the need for protection from older criminal youth street gangs can all be reasons for joining gangs," it said.

Releasing the report, Attorney General Jim Mattox asked the Legislature to move quickly to study the growing problem and find solutions.

variety of departments participated in the sweep. Carney said the tactical unit used tips from school officials, parent groups, community groups and cases from other divisions to

compile the list.

Over the past two years, police said, gangs in El Paso have grown increasingly violent and have begun carrying more dangerous weapons. Their

members also are younger.

According to police statistics, El Paso has about 165 gangs with a total of about 3,000 members.

The sweep came on the same day Attorney General Jim Mat-

tox announced that gang membership has increased dramatically across Texas. The report by his office estimated that there are about 7,500 gang members in seven of the state's largest cities, and another 1,400 behind prison walls in the Texas Department of Corrections.

Carney said El Paso gang members are using more firearms, especially handguns, sawed-off shotguns and rifles.

"Fortunately, knock on wood, we have not seen any automatic rifles," Carney said.

But he said the department is increasingly seeing gang members commit burglaries just to get weapons. And many of the gang members using the weapons are juveniles.

"The gangs will intentionally use them as shooters because a lot of the time they don't face the same judicial consequences," Carney said.

"Parents need to be more aware and take more interest in where their kids are and who they're out with," Carney said. "They need to open their eyes."

"This is not 'West Side Story.' Too many of these drug-running gangs, especially in Dallas, Houston and along our border with Mexico, are armed with fully automatic weapons and they're using them in public areas where innocent bystanders have been hurt," Mattox said.

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and another 1,400 behind prison walls in the Texas Department of Corrections.

Dallas and Fort Worth have the most, according to police. Dallas has 179 gangs totaling 2,784 members, and Fort Worth has 156 gangs with 2,693 members. Mattox emphasized that the estimates are conservative.

"Violent criminal youth street

gangs exist throughout the state and gang activity is increasing in major cities," the report said. "Houston police report a 329 percent increase in documented criminal youth gangs between 1988 and 1989."

The report said that during the summer of 1990, more than 50 violent criminal youth street gang incidents were reported in Texas. That included 36 drive-by

Two state lawmakers seek to release retiring Rep. Leath

WACO, Texas (AP) — In Central Texas, two state legislators have their eyes on a bigger House this November.

After 12 years of representing the 11th Congressional District in the U.S. House, Democratic Rep. Marvin Leath is stepping down.

Vying to succeed him are state Rep. Hugh Shine, R-Temple, a member of the Texas House since 1987, and state Sen. Chet Edwards, D-Waco, a member of the Texas Senate since 1983.

In a district containing numerous veterans facilities and Fort Hood, each candidate has touted his record on veterans issues.

Shine, 37, a stockbroker, is a major in the Texas Army National Guard. He has said he would like to explore links between the Veterans Administration health system and the active duty military health care system to enhance research opportunities and strengthen both.

Edwards, 38, a businessman, said he helped win expanded veterans loan programs while in the Texas Senate and pledges to work to be appointed to the House Veterans Affairs Committee if elected.

Each also has called for a national energy policy to reduce dependence on foreign oil.

"When we look at the relationship between Arab oil and the trade deficit, it has a direct relationship — we spend almost \$38

billion a year on imported oil. We need to develop policies with our foreign neighbors we trade with for fairer trade ... We need to develop our resources here — I don't believe we need to develop more dependence," Shine said.

Edwards said the nation has lacked an energy policy since Ronald Reagan was elected president in 1980.

"I think it's a shame we haven't had an energy policy for the past 10 years, and if the Middle East situation teaches us anything it's that we have got to have an energy policy because our strategic and economic

future are now dependent on madmen like Saddam Hussein."

Edwards has picked up at least two high-profile endorsements: Leath and Baylor University football coach Grant Teaff. Leath says Edwards will continue the "strong conservative Democratic legacy" of the district's congressmen. Teaff says Edwards deserves credit for helping to save the Southwest Conference when the University of Arkansas bolted.

Shine has criticized Edwards' residence and political career path.

Apartment complex owners say no flags

HOUSTON (AP) — Residents of an apartment complex say the owner is being unpatriotic and unfair in ordering them to remove U.S. flags they have been flying to support troops taking part in Operation Desert Shield.

Some of the original 29 flags have been taken down at the Plantation Apartments in the Galleria area, but many awaited today's deadline.

Apartment manager Martha Smith said residents violated a provision of their lease against drilling holes in outside walls to put up the flags.

"I think it's kind of un-

American," said resident Brenda Herral, who said the complex allows residents to display Halloween decorations and even holds a Christmas door-decorating contest. "You can hang a skeleton on your door, but you can't hang the American flag."

Residents received notices Monday and Tuesday in a note from the apartment's management that the flags must be removed by today.

"If they are not removed by you, our maintenance personnel will remove and dispose of them," the note said.

Apartment manager Martha Smith said brackets were used to mount the flags near the doors, and have created holes that now will have to be filled and painted.

The 232-unit complex rents apartments for \$500 to \$1,185 a month. "It has to be whatever the owner wants," Ms. Smith said. "This is his property. It's not mine, and it's not theirs (the residents.) If he doesn't want flags attached to his door that's his business."

The Houston Chronicle reported that they were unable to determine who owns the complex. Ms. Smith referred calls to Houston International Management Co. (HIMCO), which manages the complex. HIMCO officials did not return phone calls, the newspaper reported.

"I have an uncle over there," said resident Denise Derouen. "I can't believe they're telling us to take them down."

A retired resident who did not want her name used put up the first flag. The idea caught on, and she purchased more flags to hand out to other residents.

Amendment would guide filing procedure

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas voters have only one constitutional amendment to consider on Nov. 6, a sharp contrast to last year when 21 proposed changes were on the ballot.

The amendment, which has generated little publicity or interest, deals with the procedure the state Senate should house in considering gubernatorial appointments to certain state and district offices.

The process of considering gubernatorial appointments was thrown into limbo six months ago by an attorney general's opinion that jeopardized more than 200 nominees to various boards and commissions.

The Texas Constitution says the Senate, which meets only every two years, must review gubernatorial appointments and confirm or reject them.

But the governor often makes appointments when the Legislature is not in session, and the Senate traditionally has let the appointees continue serving until the next regular legislative session.

Attorney General Jim Mattox threw tradition out the window last spring. He issued an opinion saying that the Senate must act on the appointments at its first opportunity, including special legislative sessions.

If the Senate fails to confirm an appointment at the next legislative session, the nomination is considered rejected, Mattox said.

Sen. Chet Edwards, D-Waco, chairman of the committee that advises the full Senate on appointments, proposed the constitutional amendment, saying it is needed to clarify the status of appointments.

Without the amendment, decisions by boards affecting prisons, electric rates, air pollution penalties and other functions of state government could be challenged in court and put on hold, he said.

Under the amendment, the Senate would not have to take up nominations during the next special session, but would have to confirm or reject nominations during a regular session.



CALICO WINNERS — Winners in the Calico Cutie Contest, Group A, division birth to two years, are from left, Heather Steelman, third place; Destinee Naegele, second place; and Allie Brewster, first place. (Snyder Band Boosters Photo)

'Buffalo,' 'Calico' winners named

Snyder Band Boosters have announced the following winners in the Buffalo Kid and Calico Cutie Contest held in conjunction with White Buffalo Days.

Group A
Birth to two years

Buffalo Kid

First place: Colby Ferard, five months, is the son of Tony and Robin Ferard of Columbus, Ga. He was entered by his grandparents, Randy and Deborah Rodgers.

Second place: Jamie Arnold.

Third place: Casey Arnold. Both Jamie and Casey are 17 months old and the sons of Joey and Diane Arnold.

Calico Cutie

First place: Allie Brewster, 14 months, daughter of Jackson and Cindy Brewster.

Second place: Destinee Naegele, 11 months, daughter of

Ernie and Pam Naegele.

Third place: Heather Steelman, five months, daughter of Michael and Nancy Steelman.

Group B

Two thru Five Years of Age

Buffalo Kid

First place: Stetson Kincheloe, 2, son of Philip and Lori Kincheloe.

Second place: Jordon Ortegón, 2, son of Miguel and Cherie Ortegón.

Third place: Nicholas Helton, 5, son of Randy and Helen Helton.

Calico Cutie

First place: Dani Patterson, 2, daughter of Gary and Dana Patterson.

Second place: Natasha Evans, 3, daughter of Jerry and Anna Evans.

Third place: Kasey Burney, 3, daughter of Dusty and Katrina Burney.



BUFFALO KID WINNERS — Jamie Arnold and his twin brother, Casey, were second and third place winners, respectively, in the Buffalo Kid Contest, division birth to two years. Casey is held by his dad, Joey, and Jamie's mom, Diane, holds him. Colby Ferard, first place winner, is not pictured. (Snyder Band Boosters Photo)



MORE CALICO CUTIE WINNERS — These girls all won in the two to five age group of the Calico Cutie Contest. From left, Kasey Burney, third place; Dani Patterson, first place; Natasha Evans, second place. (Snyder Band Boosters Photo)

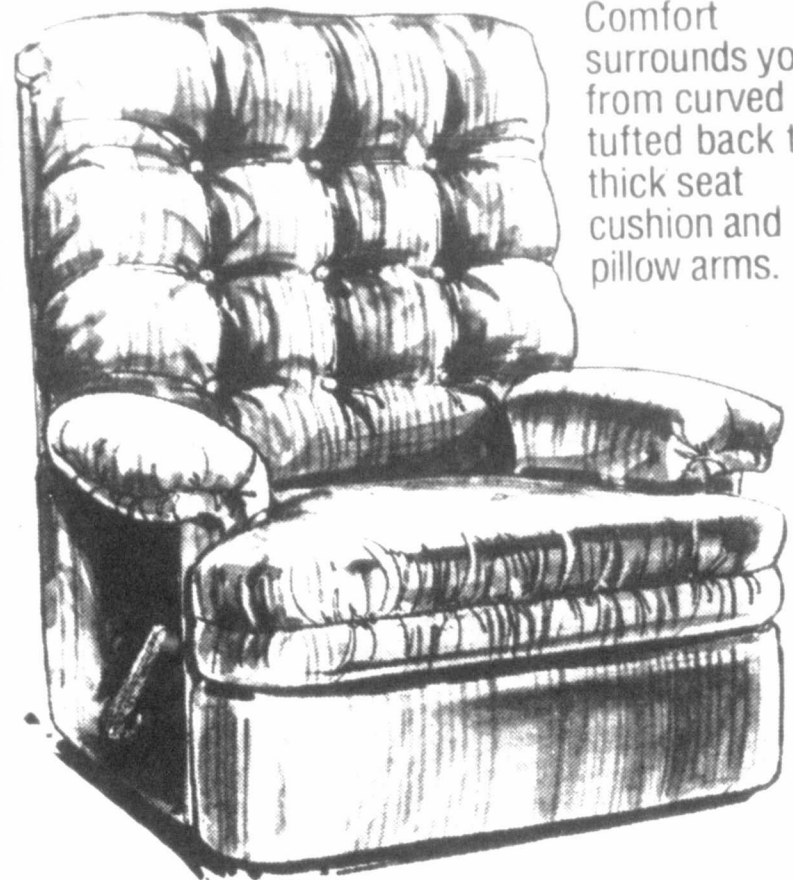


MORE BUFFALO KID WINNERS — Pictured are the first through third place winners in the Buffalo Kid Contest, Group B, two through five age group. From left are, Jordon Ortegón, second place; Nicholas Helton, third place; and Stetson Kincheloe, first place. (Snyder Band Boosters Photo)

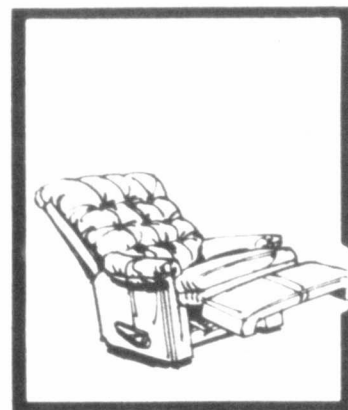
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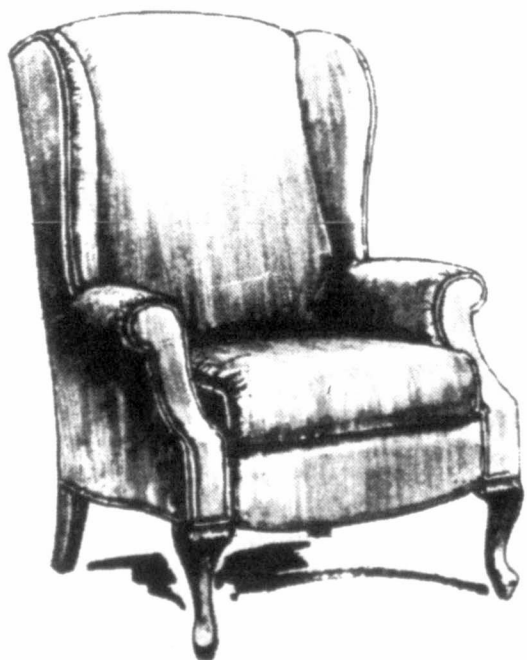
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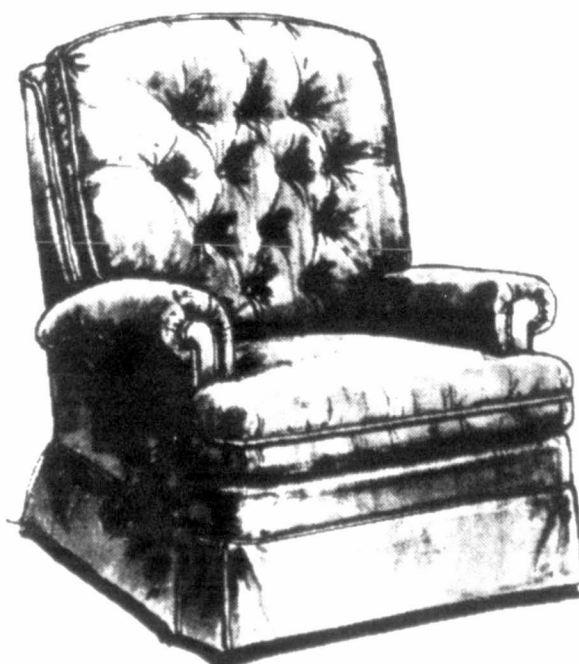


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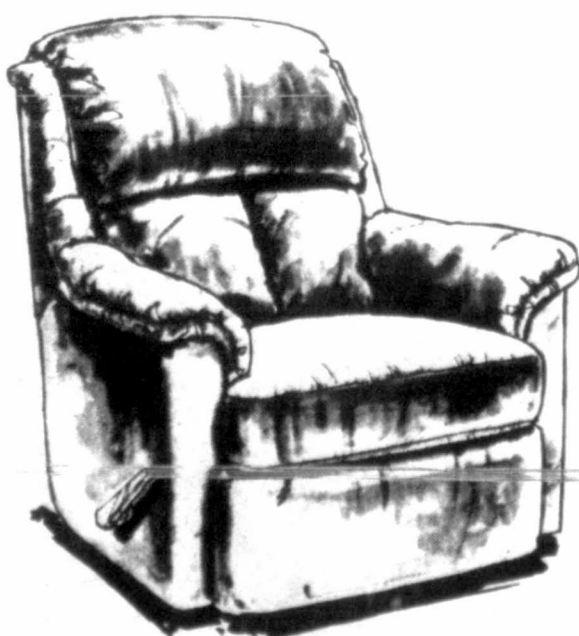


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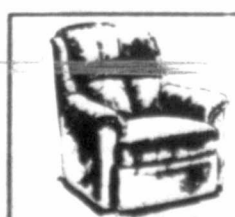


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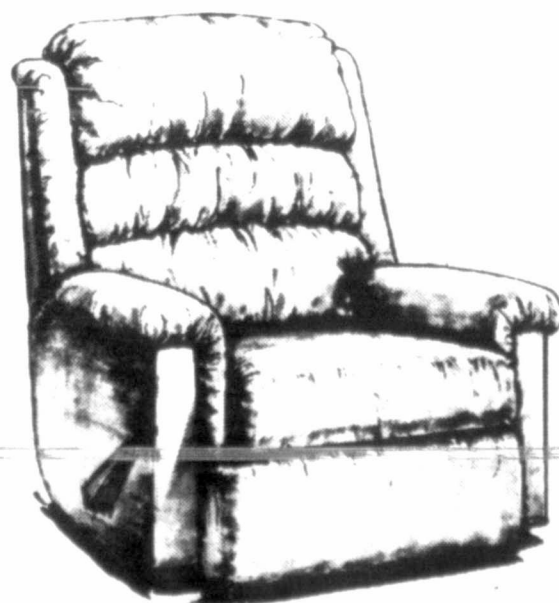


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