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Ask Us

Completion of TDC lines moved back

By **DONNY BROWN**
SDN Managing Editor

Completion of utility lines to the Texas Department of Corrections Daniel Unit—which at one time had a completion time frame into Aug. 1—may now be finished as early as June 8, city officials reported Friday.

This would fulfill the city's obligation to TDC approximately three weeks before the unit itself is to be opened.

This past week, city officials received word from the Texas

Water Development Board (TWDB) that it expects to approve by next Tuesday the bid to lay water and sewer lines to the prison site.

In expectation of this, the city has scheduled Wednesday a 10 a.m. pre-construction conference.

At the session will be the low bidder for the utility line work, Panhandle Construction of Lubbock, and the low bidder to construct an 150,000 gallon overhead water tower, Pittsburg Tank of

Henderson, Ky.

The Lubbock company has agreed to a 120-day construction schedule for the lines and, if all goes as planned, the clock for this work will begin running Wednesday.

Pending final TWDB approval, bonds are expected to be issued through that state agency totaling \$2,320,000—some \$380,000 less than the amount approved by city voters here last May.

Two separate bonds must be sold to finance both aspects of the

project. The bond estimate for the water line is \$1,225,000 and, for the sewer project, \$1,095,000.

The actual cost of laying the two lines and constructing the overhead storage tank at the site is figured at some \$1.8 million. The storage tank involves some \$229,000 of this.

Added to the \$1.8 million figure is some 10 percent in "contingency" fees—an amount equaling approximately \$232,000. The remaining expenses involved in the project include such items as

surveying, right-of-way, easements, soil testing and such professional fees as bond attorneys, engineering and financial advisors.

Last May 7, Scurry County voters approved by a 90 percent margin the revenue bonds to finance the project. At that time, \$1.35 million was approved for the water lines and \$1.35 million for the sewer lines—a total of \$2.7 million.

Of this amount, approximately See TDC, page 13A

Educational programs...

Chairman asserts state should fund mandates

The newly named chairman for the state school board voiced support Friday for a greater infusion of state dollars into local school districts to include funds to finance any new mandated programs and, assuming approval by Texas legislators, a pay raise for Texas teachers.

Monte Hasie of Lubbock, the representative for District 15 which includes 50 West Texas counties and 143 school districts, offered these comments during a local appearance at the annual meeting of the Council for Educational Excellence.

While noting his support, he tempered his remarks by saying that while such support is the "role of the state school board," any final decisions regarding state monies would be in the hands of state legislators.

During his address, Hasie returned again and again to two themes, what he called state mandates on local districts without the assistance of state

dollars and the poor image he feels teachers have received in the wake of these programs.

"Who has paid for House Bill 72?" he asked. "The answer is, the local districts, taxpayers like you and me, and the professional staff of those districts."

He described teachers as "paying" for many of these programs since in many districts their salaries have been frozen as school boards have been required to spend available tax dollars to implement new programs.

Hasie spoke in favor of a state-provided pay raise for teachers, but stopped short of predicting such an event will occur.

After his appointment by Gov. Bill Clements to serve as the state chairman, Hasie said he asked Clements if he would oppose his taking a stand for such a pay raise.

"The governor told me to go ahead, and I take that as at least a hopeful sign."

Regarding the legislation

which caused sweeping changes in Texas education, Hasie characterized the overall effect of H.B. 72 as beneficial.

Certain areas need fine tuning, he noted, referring specifically to such items as career ladder selection, the way teachers are "appraised" for career ladder, the rigid requirement of districts having to start school on Sept. 1, and the equally rigid requirement of a 22-1 student-teacher ratio for classrooms.

Regarding this last requirement, he noted, "22 to 1 is great, but it's better to have a school district than a 22-1 ratio."

He indicated some school districts realistically cannot afford to staff at these levels and said greater leeway should be implemented for waivers.

Hasie also spoke against a movement away from such programs as vocational education in Texas. "Only 25 percent of our students will ever attend college," he said, noting this as a reason for more "career education" programs like v.o.ed.

His reoccurring theme throughout the address was what he described as the state's responsibility to provide funding for any new programs it mandates local districts to implement.

The most current example he could cite was a proposal for districts to increase their gifted and talented programs statewide.

A figure quoted twice during his speech was Texas' ranking nationwide in dollars spent on education. Out of 50 states, he noted, Texas ranks 48th.

"I'm a conservative when it comes to spending," Hasie said, "and even I can see that's way too little."

To effect changes at the state See HASIE, page 13A

Bell to join ASB

A new vice president for American State Bank was announced Friday by ASB's interim president Mike Banta.

Joining the bank effective Feb. 15 will be Charlie Bell, who served as manager for Sweetwater Production Credit here for many years.

Bell, a native of Scurry County, was with Sweetwater PCA for 13 years. He is a 1965 graduate of Snyder High School and a 1970 graduate of Texas Tech University, receiving a degree in animal science.

After five years in Friona as production foreman for Hi-Pro Feeds, he returned to Snyder in 1977, joining Sweetwater PCA.

His family settled in Scurry County in 1892 and Bell continues to manage a family ranching operation begun in the 1940s.

His civic involvement here includes service as a past president of the Scurry County Fair



CHARLIE BELL
...new at ASB...

Association. He served also as a member of the city's zoning board of adjustments and has been a member of the Scurry County Rodeo Association and the Kiwanis Club.

He is a member of the First Baptist Church of Snyder.

He and his wife, Vicky, have two children, Bill, age 20, a sophomore at Texas Tech, and Brandi, a senior this year at Snyder High School.

Parent help solicited as TEAMS scheduled

Snyder ISD students in the third, fifth, seventh and ninth grades will be taking the state-mandated TEAMS test this week.

The testing will occur over three days Tuesday through Thursday.

Ninth graders will be bused to the coliseum each morning to take their tests.

The Texas Educational Assessment of Minimum Skills test is given in the areas of math, reading and writing. The test indicates "mastery or non-mastery" of each objective.

Parents of affected students have been sent a letter asking for their cooperation in conjunction with TEAMS. Parents are asked

to discuss the importance of the test with their child.

Students must be at school by 8:25 a.m. on these three days since testing will begin immediately.

If the child is too ill to attend school, the parent should contact the school immediately so that a makeup day can be scheduled.

Results of the TEAMS test will be returned to the district in May. These results are made available to parents and students.

Those with questions about TEAMS should contact their child's school principal or Bobbie Box, district testing coordinator, at 573-9364.

NHS will induct 26 members

Twenty six new members will be inducted into the Snyder High School National Honor Society in ceremonies scheduled at 3 p.m. Sunday in Worsham Auditorium.

Those to be inducted include senior Brandi Bell and juniors Kathy Armstrong, Ron Baker, Jason Best, Denise Blythe, Rana Eicke, Dana Fenton, Abel Garza,

Toby Goodwin, Jennifer Hardin, Kristi Head, Mandy Hood, Christy Holmes, Jacy LaRoux, Gina McWhirter, Thad Myers, Anne Osborn, Jay Parker, Felicia Perry, Annette Ramos, Dora Jean Rumpff, Sam Shifflett, Ginger Smith, Jennifer Spence, Cindy Srna and Jason West.

To be chosen, students must

first have a 4.0 grade average. A selection committee also identifies such qualities as leadership, service and character.

Serving as emcee for Sunday's induction ceremony will be SHS Principal Ray Courtney. Faculty advisor for the SHS chapter is Tom Strayhorn.

The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "Some things aren't worth saying unless somebody would rather you didn't."

It wasn't even Sadie Hawkins day, but two Snyder men were enjoying the evening out and making the most of a rare treat. The women were glad to pay.

Not long ago, Miller and Sandra Robinson and Ted and Jane Crenwelge were seen dining together one evening. Unlike the conservative Crenwelge, he observed that he might have the most expensive steak on the menu and encouraged Miller to do the same.

It was apparent that the wives were treating. No, it wasn't a birthday, and it wasn't father's day. But it was a special occasion and the guys were enjoying themselves.

It all started a few weeks before when Jane drove her car to a local beauty shop. Sandra ran onto her there, and the two decided to go have cof-

fee together. They drove away in Sandra's car, leaving the Crenwelge vehicle parked in front of the beauty salon.

Ted came in from work late that evening and assumed that Jane's car was stored safely in the closed garage. The next morning, however, Crenwelge discovered that the car was missing. Jane assured him it had to be in the garage. Just before panic set in, she remembered Sandra had carried her home, leaving the car parked downtown.

A couple of weeks later, Miller got a desperate call from Sandra. She was on her way back to Snyder, but her car was broken down in Merkel.

The Colonial Hill preacher missed an important meeting and set out to Taylor County to rescue his stranded mate. Upon arrival, Miller turned the key, and the car started immediately.

That evening, the two husbands enjoyed and took advantage of a rare occasion—letting the wives struggle back into their good graces.



CHAIRMAN VISITS — Monte Hasie, chairman of the state school board, visited with local teachers and members of the Council for Educational Excellence Friday night following his address at the group's annual meeting. Hasie spoke in favor of a fine tuning of House Bill 72 mandates, a requirement that any new state requirements for local districts be accompanied by state funding and the possibility of a state-provided pay raise for Texas teachers. (SDN Staff Photo)

Production due of 'Blythe Spirit'

Noel Coward's comedy hit "Blythe Spirit" will be performed by the Western Texas College theatre department March 9-12.

In the play, novelist Charles Condomine invites an eccentric medium into his country home in order to learn the language of the occult.

In the process, however, a seance summons back his first wife, now "passed over" for seven years.

Appearing in the cast will be Dave Harveson of Fort Worth as Charles Condomine, Joy McSpadden of Snyder as Ruth

Condomine, Tempa Toney from Haskell as Madame Arcati, Trisha Phillips of Snyder as Edith, Tony Lopez of Eldorado as Dr. Bradman, Ila Kay Gross of Knox City as Mrs. Bradman, and Kendra Christopher of Lubbock as Elvira.

Galen Price will serve as technical supervisor and Steve Warner will be assistant to the director.

The play will be under the direction of WTC drama instructor Jim Rambo.

Tickets are expected to go on sale soon.

Q. — Has any suggestion ever been made concerning a memorial honoring all Vietnam and Korean veterans that served from Scurry County?

A. — Members of the Scurry County Historical Commission, who helped secure the historical markers honoring other servicemen here, say no. For this to occur, the idea would first have to be approved by the commission. If given a go-ahead, research would be required to meet state guidelines. The Texas Historical Commission would have to approve it also, insuring that its standards were met. Also, local funding would be needed to purchase a marker. An average cost is \$375. The marker chairman for the local historical group is Drew Bullard.

In Brief

Second ID

DENTON, Texas (AP) — The second of two women found bludgeoned to death was positively identified as Erlinda Martinez Gamez by relatives of the other victim, authorities said.

The mother of Claudia Medina, the second victim, and a sister identified Ms. Gamez from photographs, said Lt. Doug Whitehead of the Wise County Sheriff's Department.

Local

Court agenda

Scurry County commissioners Monday will consider a request from Sheriff Keith Collier to advertise for bids for smoke alarms in the county jail.

Collier appeared before the court last year to say that the new alarms would be required by the Texas Commission on Jail Standards.

The only other item of business on the 10 a.m. agenda is the consideration of a proposed resolution by Southwestern Bell on a telecommunications alternative it is offering called "Texas First."

Class of '74

The Class of 1974 is now planning its 15-year reunion and a meeting to organize the event is slated Tuesday at 7 p.m. at Snyder Savings and Loan.

ISD session

A work session for the Snyder school board is scheduled Monday beginning at noon. It will precede the regular meeting of the board Thursday.

At Central

The School Parent Council for Central Elementary will meet Monday at 3:45 p.m. to plan upcoming activities.

All parents are welcome. In addition, Central's Community Education Partnership Advisory Board will meet at the campus at 7 p.m. Monday.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures:
High Friday, 22 degrees; low, 7 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Saturday, 7 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1989 to date, .76 of an inch.

Snyder Area Forecast:
Saturday night, clear and cold. Low near 10. Wind light and variable. Sunday, mostly fair. High in the mid 30s. Wind south 5 to 15 mph.

Gorbachev visit confirmed

BEIJING (AP) — Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev will travel to China in mid-May to meet Deng Xiaoping in the first summit between the world's two largest Communist powers since 1959, it was announced today.

Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard Shevardnadze told a news conference he and Deng agreed that "Soviet and Chinese leaders will precede from the presumption of complete normalization of relations" between the two countries, putting a formal end to three decades of enmity.

Shevardnadze said the two nations also agreed to try to reduce offensive forces and ease military tensions along their 5,000-mile border.

He said his three days in talks in China, including a meeting with the Chinese leader this morning in Shanghai, had produced broad agreements on the need for Sino-Soviet efforts to end the 10-year conflict in Cambodia.

Shevardnadze left for Islamabad, Pakistan, where he was to confer Saturday with Pakistan's leaders about the Soviet troop withdrawal from Afghanistan and the prospects for a peace in that nation.

"It is our common task now to make sure to contribute to ending the bloodshed, to contribute to ending the hostilities and to contribute to the development of dialogue between the Afghans," he said.

Shevardnadze said he and

Deng agreed that the first summit since Nikita Khrushchev met Mao Tse-tung in Beijing in 1959 will occur sometime in the middle of May. Soviet sources said the tentative date was May 15.

Shevardnadze quoted Deng as saying the summit will "close the page on the past and open up a chapter of the future."

China and the Soviet Union split over ideological and strategic differences in 1960. They fought a brief border war in 1969 and more recently have been divided over the Soviet intervention in Afghanistan, Cambodia and their heavily militarized common border.

China last year agreed to begin talking about a Soviet-proposed summit after Gorbachev announced plans to withdraw Soviet troops from Afghanistan and reduce Soviet troop strength in Asia.

On Friday, China formally invited Gorbachev to visit, and Shevardnadze accepted on the Soviet leader's behalf.

The Soviet Union, financial backer of Vietnam, now agrees with China, supporter of the anti-Vietnamese resistance in Cambodia, on the need for Vietnam to end its military occupation.

Shevardnadze said China and

the Soviet Union agree on almost all external aspects — such as ending arms shipments to the warring Cambodian factions after a political settlement is reached.

Shevardnadze said he proposed that diplomatic and military experts begin drafting an agreement on reducing military forces along the Sino-Soviet frontier.

He said the experts could begin meeting before the summit, and "we hope at the summit we will be able to make progress in that important direction."

The foreign minister said the two sides might initially agree on advance notice for troop movements and military exercises, and progress to the more difficult issues of disbanding offensive forces.

Normalization, the Soviet official said, will extend to long-severed party ties. He envisioned increased contacts in trade, science, protection of the environment and exploration of outer space.

He said normal ties are directly linked with Soviet "perestroika," or economic restructuring, and Chinese efforts to modernize its economy.

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SCS Notes

By MARK MCDANIEL

HAZARDS OF WIND EROSION
Sand storms are wind erosion at its worst! Besides losing valuable topsoil, it can literally burn a young cotton plant to the ground. Running a sand fighter over a field is an excellent way to prevent this from happening, but there is an alternative. A wide range of programs have slowly but surely been taking effect in regions where there is an abundance of cropland.

The Food Security Act of 1985 (FSA) requires windstrips every 500 feet depending on the type of dominant soil or a crop rotation system involving rotating a high residue crop with cotton each year depending once again on the type of dominant soil on highly erodible land (HEL).

This would help by keeping a farmer from having to make so many trips across a field fighting the sand, thus saving time and money. The Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) has helped by taking highly erodible land out of crop production and establishing it back to permanent grass under a 10-year contract. The Great Plains Conservation Program helps to provide assistance for terraces and other conservation practices.

In the long run, these conservation programs will be a great asset to farmers and ranchers. If you have any questions about any of these programs or if you still need a conservation plan on highly erodible land, please call the Soil Conservation Service at 573-1268.

Experts allege drug link to new leader

ASUNCION, Paraguay (AP) — A new era begins Saturday in Paraguay, where Gen. Andres Rodriguez presides over a country that for 34 years had only known Alfredo Stroessner as its leader. Rodriguez ousted the dictator in a coup in which up to 200 people were reported killed.

Rodriguez was sworn into office Friday, immediately named a cabinet — most of whom who once reported to Stroessner — and promised his new government "will respect the human rights of everyone to make democracy a reality."

But an expert on Paraguayan affairs was quoted Saturday as saying Rodriguez "has an exceedingly unsavory reputation" and saw his takeover as an attempt "to stave off democracy and maintain a privileged position."

"Rodriguez has reportedly provided protection, airfields and an air taxi service to people smuggling drugs northward," The New York Times quoted John Hoyt Williams, a professor of Latin American history at Indiana State University in Terre Haute, Ind., as saying.

The Cox newspaper chain, citing a classified State Department report, said Friday that Rodriguez is considered by law enforcement authorities in Paraguay to be the country's No. 1 drug trafficker.

White House spokesman Marlin Fitzwater, asked about U.S. reports of Rodriguez's alleged drug ties, told reporters, "We won't characterize our relationship to him at this point."

Rodriguez, 64, who had been Stroessner's second-in-command in the army since 1961 and whose daughter is married to Stroessner's son, launched the revolt Thursday night. At least 40 tanks rumbled through Asuncion streets, blasting loyalist troops and police for hours.

The fierce clashes shattered windows, riddled buildings with

bullets and left some streets stained with blood. The bodies of a dozen soldiers lay Friday in front of the presidential guard headquarters, which was roofless and pockmarked by gunfire.

The Roman Catholic Church-run Radio Caritas said the death toll could top 200, but officials at the main military and police hospitals refused to give figures on casualties, and the new government made no estimate.

Stroessner, 76, was detained at an army base, about 30 of his followers were arrested, and the hierarchy of the government and ruling Colorado Party replaced.

Stroessner was ordered out of the country, and unconfirmed reports said he was going to Chile. Gen. Mario Bordones, Santiago police commander, said he believed Stroessner was leaving Paraguay Saturday, "but we do not know where to. Not necessarily Chile."

Several thousand citizens cheered Rodriguez, five rows of medals on his shirtfront, as he took the oath of office in the 19th century National Palace.

"We're going to have a true democracy!" shouted Domingo Laino, Paraguay's best-known human rights advocate and the president of the National Accord.

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Essie Mae Cole

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Statement of Resources and Liabilities

ASSETS		Thousands of dollars	
Cash and balances due from depository institutions	4,344	Government bonds, securities, Treasury notes and other obligations the bank owns	0
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	0	Temporary loans to other banks to enable them to meet short-term requirements	0
Interest-bearing balances	36,234		
Securities	0		
Federal funds sold	0		
Securities purchased under agreements to resell	0		
Loans and lease financing receivables	49,608		
Loans and leases, net of unearned income	1,299		
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	0		
LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	0		
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	48,309		
Assets held in trading accounts	0		
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	921		
Other real estate owned	1,800		
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	0		
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	0		
Intangible assets	0		
Other assets	2,049		
Total assets	93,657		
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	N/A		
Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	93,657		
LIABILITIES		Thousands of dollars	
Deposits:	78,136	Funds available on demand, subject to various restrictions in return for payment of interest by the bank	0
In domestic offices:			
Noninterest-bearing	11,152		
Interest-bearing	66,984		
Federal funds purchased	0		
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase	0		
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	0		
Other borrowed money	0		
Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	0		
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	0		
Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits	0		
Other liabilities	1,184		
Total liabilities	79,320		
Limited-life preferred stock	0		
EQUITY CAPITAL			
Perpetual preferred stock	0	The stockholders' investment in the bank and accumulated earnings	0
Common stock	1,500	Funds derived from two sources: contributions of stockholders and past earnings transferred from profits	12,837
Surplus	11,337		
Undivided profits and capital reserves	14,337		
Total equity capital	14,337		
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	N/A		
Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	14,337		
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	93,657		

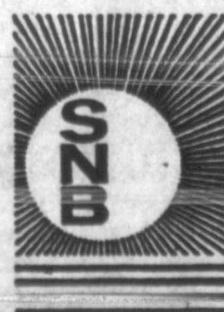
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VOLUNTEER FIREMAN — Breland Ledbetter, 25, is a Tulsa native who worked as a restaurant cook in his hometown for three years and moved to Snyder in 1985. He has been a mechanic in the Snyder schools' transportation department for the past 3½ years and has been a volunteer fireman for a year. Ledbetter's favorite hobbies are working jigsaw puzzles, collecting caps, horseback riding, camping and fishing. He is single. (SDN Staff Photo)

Reluctant hero is found dead at home

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Death came to Oliver W. Sipple without any of the fanfare that once anguished the disabled ex-Marine, who became a reluctant hero when he foiled an assassination attempt on President Gerald Ford.

A friend found Sipple, 47, dead in his San Francisco apartment on Thursday, apparently of natural causes. A framed letter of commendation signed by Ford hung on the wall.

Sipple gained unwanted fame on Sept. 22, 1975, when he lunged for a .38-caliber chrome revolver aimed at Ford by would-be assassin Sara Jane Moore outside a San Francisco hotel. His move caused Moore's shot to go astray, hitting a building instead.

Afterward, Sipple telephoned news outlets and begged them not to mention his name, his address or "anything about me."

"I'm not a hero, I'm a live coward," he said later. "It's probably the scariest thing that ever happened in my whole life."

But reports about Sipple, some mentioning his homosexuality, were published anyway.

Sipple filed a \$15 million invasion of privacy lawsuit against several newspapers, claiming he was abandoned by his brothers and sisters after they learned of

his sexual orientation by reading published accounts.

"My sexuality is part of my private life and has no bearing on my response to the act of a person seeking to take the life of another," he said in the lawsuit, which was filed five days after the assassination attempt.

He lost the five-year court battle when Superior Court Judge Ira Brown dismissed the suit.

"I think that his life was a very tragic life," attorney John Wahl, who represented Sipple, said Friday. "He did some very heroic things. He was 100 percent disabled from his service in the Marine Corps, then he went out of his way, endangering his life, to save the life of President Gerald Ford — then he got punished for doing it."

Sipple, who was on disability because of mental problems relating to his combat experiences in the Vietnam War, had originally come to San Francisco from Detroit so that he could live as he wished without upsetting his family, according to Wahl. However, that all changed by the published accounts of his personal life.

Sipple, though, never regretted his life-saving action, Wahl said. For Results Use Snyder Daily News Classified Ads Call 573-5486

Holly reunion draws crowd

CLEAR LAKE, Iowa (AP) — Women in poodle skirts and saddle shoes and men in T-shirts with rolled-up sleeves danced to Buddy Holly classics in memory of the rock 'n' roll legend killed 30 years ago when his plane crashed in this small Iowa town.

About 2,000 fans gathered at the Surf Ballroom on Friday, braving snow, high winds and subzero temperatures similar to the conditions blamed in the Feb. 3, 1959, crash that also claimed the lives of Ritchie Valens and J.P. "Big Bopper" Richardson. The three had just played the Surf and were en route to Fargo, N.D., in the early morning hours when the small plane went down.

"This old-time music is the only thing that works anymore," said Larry Fennigaoh of Milwaukee, decked out in a tux-

edo, white socks and black sneakers.

Fennigaoh and his wife, Beth, were among those attending a sock hop at the 11th annual Buddy Holly reunion.

"I liked Buddy Holly even better than Elvis (Presley). Elvis had more persona and was more macho. But Holly had purity."

Party-goers filed past the Feb. 3, 1959, edition of the Mason City Globe-Gazette displayed in the ballroom lobby as 1950s and '60s music blared in the background.

The newspaper featured six grisly black-and-white pictures of the wrecked airplane and one-column photos of Holly and Valens.

Immortalized as "the day the music died" in Don McLean's 1972 pop song "American Pie," the plane crash was the first great rock tragedy.

Holly, with such hits as "Peggy Sue," "Rave On," "Not Fade Away" and "It's So Easy," was only 22 when he died.

Valens, 17, already was known for such songs as "Donna" and "La Bamba." Richardson, a former disc jockey, had made it big with the song, "Chantilly Lace."

For more than a decade the faithful have flocked to the ballroom to honor the man who changed the face of rock 'n' roll

with his inventive lyrics, irresistible melodies and inimitable Texas twang.

"My mom grew up with this music and she always played it around the house. I never got into that loud, banging kind of music," said Tamara "Tammy" Krieger of Grinnell, who wasn't even born in 1959 — she's 28 — but had been coming to the Buddy Holly reunion for the past five years.

The walls of the 50-year-old ballroom are lined with portraits and posters of Holly. A 6-foot tombstone etched with the names of the dead and the words "Their music lives on" stands just inside the entrance.

Darryl "Mad Hatter" Hensley, who organized the annual observance 11 years ago when he was a disc jockey with KEZV radio, said more than 2,000 tickets were sold at \$45 each for this year's bash.

"I love this stuff," said Jan Crowther of Marshalltown, who

was 8 years old when Holly died. "I've been into it since I was knee-high to nothin'."

David Harvey, 32, who has come to the reunion for six years from his home in London, arrived early Friday afternoon.

"I enjoy visiting you colonials, but I'm here to remember Buddy Holly," said Harvey, a railroad conductor. "I don't know what in London, Buddy Holly is second in popularity to Elvis Presley?"

Harvey is one of 14 people from England who attended Friday as temperatures hovered near 19 below zero and wind chills hit minus 50 degrees.

Another Briton, Ray Needham, 46, of Uppminster, sold memorial T-shirts for \$8 each in a hotel lobby.

"I remember the first time I heard him was when 'That'll Be The Day' came on the jukebox. ... The feeling I got from his music was that his songs were just being sung to me personally," said Needham.

Senior center menu

MONDAY
Chicken Strips w/Cream Gravy
Mashed Potatoes
Cauliflower w/Cheese Sauce
Tossed Salad
Apple Turnover

TUESDAY
Ham and Butter Beans
Turnip Greens
Golden Carrots
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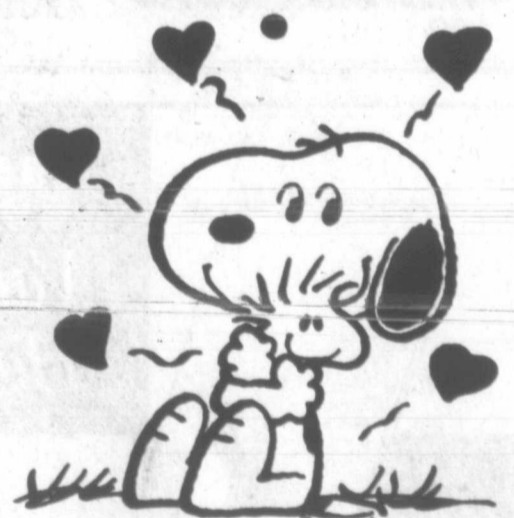
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Tenth grader wins 2nd place nationally

A Snyder High School tenth-grader has won second place in the national Healthmart Drug Awareness Contest.

Michael Hall, 15, received a Nintendo Power Package System during a Thursday morning assembly at Snyder High School for his essay, "Alcohol and Cocaine."

Robert Patterson, owner of Snyder Healthmart Drug, and Healthmart representative Jim McEwen of Oklahoma City, Okla. also recognized local winners Kim Duncan, second place, John Patton, third place, and Scott Sears, first place winner in the seventh through ninth grade category.

Young Hall's entry placed second among 250 entries nationwide, Patterson said.

High school and junior high students throughout the nation were asked to submit posters, essays and research papers on various aspects of drug and alcohol abuse.

In his four-page paper, Hall said some cocaine users die from the effects of the drug the first time they use it, and he said its tendency to cause depression as

it wears off makes users prone to keep taking it to restore feelings of energy, excitement and happiness.

He said heavy alcohol use may bring on Korsakoff's psychosis, which causes memory gaps, especially pertaining to recent events. "They may try to fill these gaps with unbelievable events, told in a way to make others believe they are true," he wrote.

Beth Bowen, Hall's English teacher, said she was "excited that one of my students won a national prize."

Patterson said he was "very proud of Michael and all the students that entered our contest."

Healthmart is the largest franchiser of independently owned full-line drug stores in the nation, with more than 600 stores.

High fiber foods are not good for babies as too much dietary fiber can fill up an infant's stomach and prevent a baby from getting enough calories to grow on, says Beech-Nut Nutrition Corp.



AWARDS — National and local winners in the Healthmart Drug Awareness Contest were, from left, John Patton, third place, Michael Hall, first place and second place nationally, Kim Duncan, second place, and Scott Sears, first place for seventh through ninth-graders. Healthmart

representative Jim McEwen of Oklahoma City had just presented Hall with a Nintendo Power Package during a Thursday assembly at Snyder High School. Robert Patterson, owner of Snyder Healthmart Drug, is at right. (SDN Staff Photo)

Tower vote is due soon

WASHINGTON (AP) — New allegations against Defense Secretary-designate John Tower aren't expected to delay further a vote by the Senate Armed Services Committee on his nomination, says the ranking Republican on the panel.

Sen. John Warner, R-Va., declined on Friday to say what the information dealt with. But other sources indicated it concerned Tower's personal life, and specifically alcohol and women.

"It's just another chapter in an ongoing investigation," Warner said. "I don't attach any more significance to this chapter than to any other."

He said an FBI report on the subject should reach the committee "on Monday and ... we can proceed to a vote Tuesday or Wednesday."

Congressional sources, speaking on condition of anonymity, said the FBI was looking into allegations concerning "Tower's behavior at a party last year in Houston."

CBS News reported that the allegations involve an alleged liaison in Houston between Tower and a woman from an Eastern bloc nation, along with an allegation of excessive drinking in the past year.

According to ABC News, the new allegations include a report from an Air Force colonel which said Tower had 14 separate liaisons with women while he headed the U.S. negotiating team in Geneva after leaving the Senate.

The committee had been expected to vote Thursday to recommend Senate confirmation of Tower.

Rambo named chairman-elect of TETAAO

Jim Rambo, associate professor of drama and speech at Western Texas College, has been named chairman-elect of the newly organized Texas Educational Theatre Association Adjudicators' Organization (TETAAO).

George Sorenson from Texas Tech University will serve as chairman for the organization for its first two years of work. The organization and election of officers took place at the Texas Educational Theatre Association (TETA) convention in San Antonio and its meetings will continue to be held in conjunction with those of the TETA.

The Adjudicators' Organization was created to provide experienced, active and competent theatre adjudicators. Its purpose is to foster high standards of ethics, encourage the development of theatre in Texas schools and to work in cooperation with the University Interscholastic League (UIL), school administrators, theatre directors and student participants. All members must be members of the TETA.

Members must attend a critic judging workshop and a renewal workshop every five years, have a four-year college/university degree or conservatory degree or certification in theatre arts, and become familiar with the rules of the UIL one-act play contest and all sections of the one-act play book.

Rambo has served as critic/judge for 11 years, judging one-act play competition at all levels from zone through state.

Third World debt dominated the group of seven meeting

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Bush administration still publicly endorses the Reagan administration's approach toward solving the \$1.3 trillion Third World debt problem and is searching for

ways to make that approach more workable.

Discussion on Third World debt dominated two days of meetings that wrapped up Friday between finance officials of the non-communist world's seven most powerful economies — the United States, Japan, West Germany, Great Britain, France, Canada and Italy.

The meetings had been billed as a get-acquainted session for the new Bush administration as it completed its second week in office.

Treasury Secretary Nicholas Brady, who was host for the discussions along with Federal Reserve Chairman Alan Greenspan, said that a review of conditions around the world showed the global economy was performing reasonably well, an opinion that was seconded by his fellow finance ministers.

Tatsuo Murayama, the new Japanese finance minister who was attending his first Group of Seven meeting, said that he believed prospects for the world economy were brighter than they were five months ago because currency fluctuations had stabilized and inflation appeared to be moderating.

Brady said that the seven countries had a "thorough discussion" regarding Third World debt with no decisions being taken.

"Several ideas were discussed for strengthening the agreed-on strategy based on the same principles we consider valid," Brady said. "Growth, economic policy changes and reforms in the debtor countries, the continued need for external financing (by debtor

nations) and continued observance of the case-by-case method."

These were all goals of the Baker plan, drafted in 1985 by Brady's predecessor, James A. Baker III. Baker, who is secretary of state in the Bush administration, crafted an approach to Third World debt that stressed increased loans in exchange for economic reforms made by the developing countries.

While the United States repeatedly rejected calls to forgive some of the debt, America has found itself increasingly isolated on the debt issue as political stresses have risen in debtor countries. These nations are suffering falling living standards because of the growing burdens they face in servicing their huge debts.

Union church sets classes

Union United Methodist Church will be offering a series of art form mini-courses that are open to the public. The classes will cover a variety of areas including crochet, oil painting, cake decorating and car maintenance.

The first class to be offered will be beginning crochet for those interested in learning basic stitches, techniques and how to read a pattern. The class will be held in two sessions, Wednesday, Feb. 8, and Tuesday, Feb. 21, from 1:30-3 p.m. both days.

Persons wishing to attend should plan to bring either good quality yard and a size F or G hook, or crochet thread and a size 7 hook. Left handed instruction will be available as well as right handed.

For more information call Vinita Duncan, 573-9762 or Donna Hestand, 573-6706. Union United Methodist Church is located about 4½ miles west on the Lamesa Highway.

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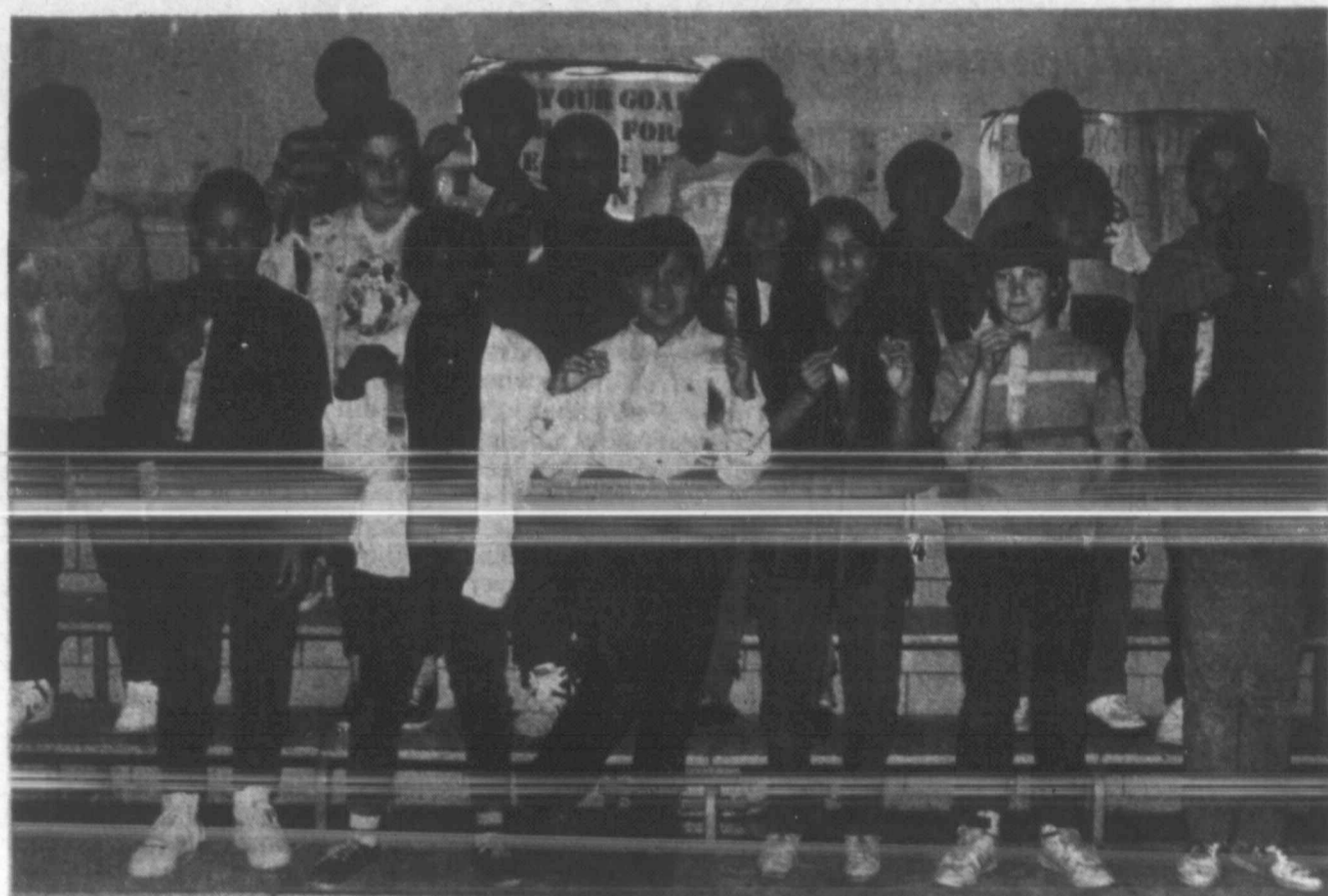
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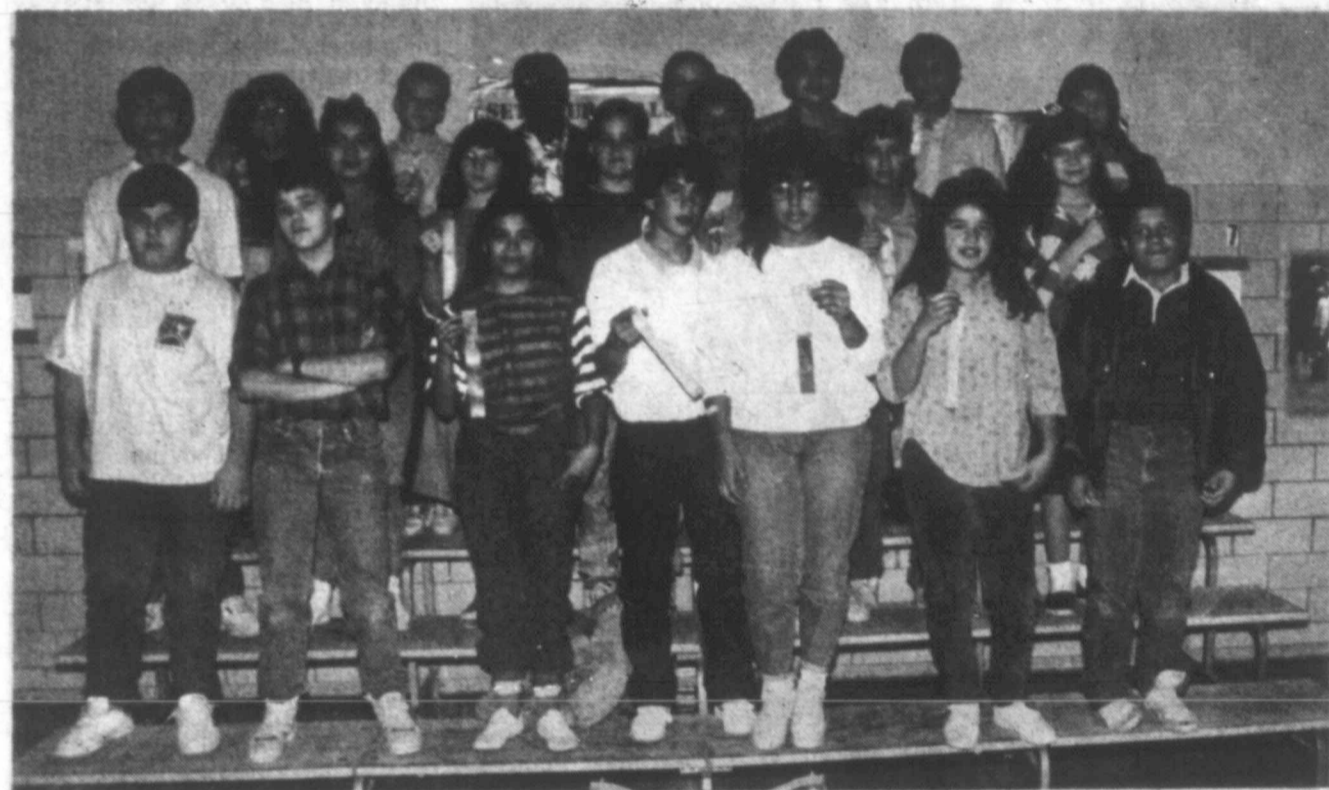
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CENTRAL FIFTH HONOREES—These Central fifth graders received either a perfect attendance ribbon or a "B" honor roll ribbon for the fall semester. Those named to the honor roll include Amanda Gutierrez, Sylvia Herrera and Olga Martinez. Perfect attendance honorees include Kelly Clay, Lakiesha Gear, Amanda Gutierrez, Bryan

Robertson, Andre Thompson, John Baez, Wendy Bond, Donny Durst, Amy Luera, Israel Torres, Anthony Tovar, Salvador Aguirre, Chris Guzman, Jose Ruiz and Steven Thompson. Not pictured are Danisha Ollison and Irma Linda Madera. (SDN Staff Photo)



CENTRAL SIXTH HONOREES—These Central sixth graders received either a perfect attendance ribbon or a "B" honor roll ribbon for the fall semester. Those named to the honor roll include Adrian Salazar, Veronica Gomez and Bart Mills. Perfect attendance ribbons were given to Lionel Aviles, Corey Chester, Elizabeth Gonzales,

Michael Navejar, Dana Perez, Bianca Rocha, Tracey Chavez, Robin Bailey, Jayson Cloe, Javier Escareno, Maria Herrera, Theresa Larralde, Misty Molina, Bobby Ruth, Frances Gear, Hugo Jaimes, Sergio Jimenez and Margaret Villa. (SDN Staff Photo)

Ice cream makers optimistic

MONTPELIER, Vt. (AP) — Ben and Jerry, who made their mark selling premium Vermont-made ice cream, are trying their hand at marketing worldwide peace in hopes it will be as popular someday as their New York Super Fudge Crunch.

Ben Cohen and Jerry Greenfield, owners of Ben & Jerry's Homemade Inc., are in the seventh month of their "1 Percent For Peace" campaign, an effort to have 1 percent of the U.S. military budget devoted to promoting peace.

"Certainly taking 1 percent of the military budget is not going to leave us open to attack," Cohen said. "It's just saying, let's redirect a small portion of it, and I think people can understand that."

One percent of the military budget amounts to \$3 billion, Cohen said.

"If you put \$3 billion in the bank, the interest alone would be \$750,000 a day," he said.

The ice-cream makers would like to see the money spent on things like exchanges between the United States and the Soviet Union, conversion of weapons factories to power plants, or a multinational youth corps for

problems like homelessness and hunger.

They are financing the lobbying effort with 1 percent of the profits from the Peace Pop, a chocolate-covered ice cream bar on a stick that sells for \$1.75. One percent of the profits comes to about \$50,000 a year.

They expect it will take five to 10 years for the idea to reach the people who can make it work.

"I think of this as a product, the same as we've been in the

business of marketing ice cream. So the beginning's fairly slow," Cohen said. "We're at the very beginning, and actually, I'm incredibly excited at how fast it's going."

Ben & Jerry's, which generates annual sales of \$32 million, began 11 years ago in a renovated Burlington gas station. The 1 Percent For Peace project began just as inauspiciously when Cohen discussed the concept with a friend of a friend in Ithaca, N.Y.

Tycoon said in Switzerland

DALLAS (AP) — The Texas insurance tycoon accused of looting National County Mutual Fire Insurance Co. has been found in Switzerland following a trip through Europe and the Caribbean, a state insurance attorney said.

Robert H. Walker of Dallas had been missing since December when the state insurance department accused him in a lawsuit of funneling policyholders' money into his own pockets.

Under a deficit of more than \$50 million, the Dallas-based insurance company collapsed in October, affecting 120,000 car insurance customers in Texas. The collapse was one of the big-

gest insurance company failures in state history.

Susan Martin, the insurance department attorney handling the case, said she expects Walker to stay out of the United States for a while, The Dallas Morning

News reported Saturday. She said she expects Walker to remain out of the country "simply to avoid the type of potential criminal actions that may be pending and to avoid being served with lawsuits."

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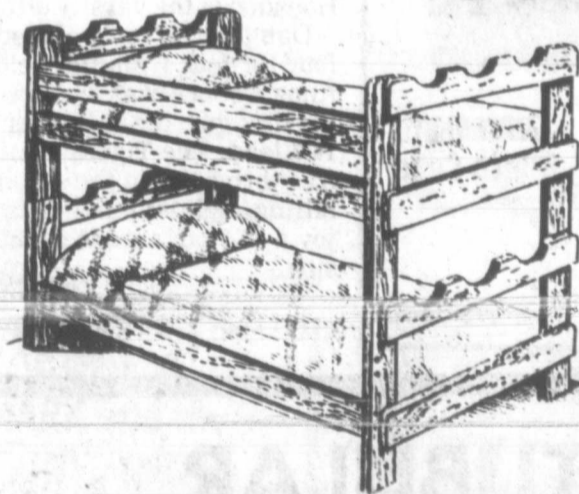
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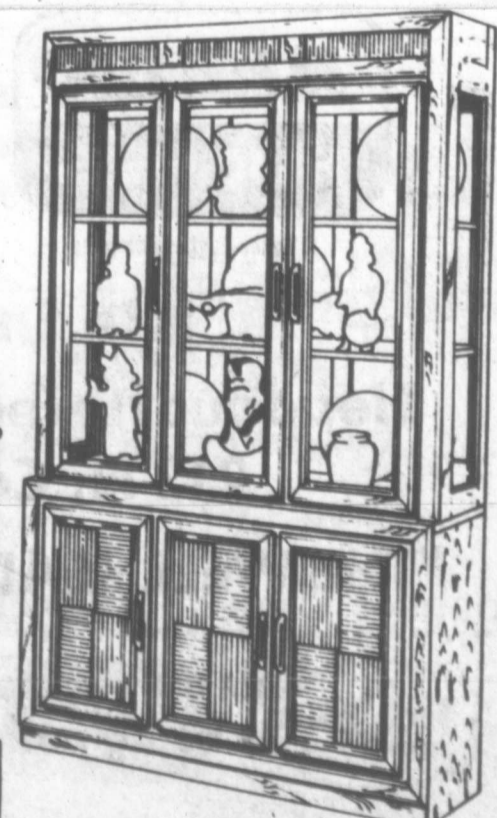
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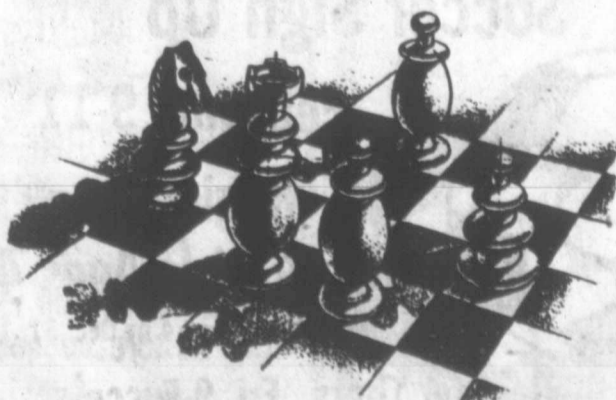
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Lost and Alone.

Key contests coming for SWC hoops teams

by The Associated Press
The second half of the Southwest Conference basketball season began Saturday with frontrunning Arkansas and Texas expected to battle into March for the number one seed in the post-season tournament.

Both Texas and Arkansas finished the first half of the season with 7-1 records. Arkansas' only loss was to Texas Christian in Fort Worth. The rematch will be in Fayetteville.

TCU was the surprise of the first half, running off four road victories before losing its last two games at home to Texas and in Dallas to Southern Methodist. TCU stood alone in third place with a 6-2 ledger.

TCU will play at Arkansas on Feb. 11 as the league chase boils down to a three-team race.

SMU, Houston, and Texas Tech are all tied with 4-4 records. Rice is 2-6 while Texas A&M and Baylor are battling to escape the cellar at 1-7. The last place team isn't invited the post-season classic in Dallas.

Arkansas and Texas were to start off the SWC's second half with road games on Saturday.

Texas was at Baylor in a 1 p.m. regionally televised (Raycom) game from the Ferrell Center in Waco.

Arkansas was at Texas Tech in

a night game. Texas A&M was at TCU in the other SWC game.

On Sunday, Houston is at Rice in a 1 p.m. game and North Carolina-Charlotte plays a non-conference 7 p.m. game on (national TV) USA.

4-4A boys basketball

Team	Dist.	Season
Big Spring	10 0	17 10
Andrews	9 1	24 3
Snyder	6 4	13 10
Pecos	5 5	13 9
Lake View	4 6	13 14
Sweetwater	4 6	9 16
Monahans	2 8	6 19
Fort Stockton	0 10	5 16

*clinched playoff spot

Friday's Games: Snyder 47, Fort Stockton 40; Andrews 104, Lake View 59; Big Spring 86, Monahans 71; Sweetwater 59, Pecos 53.

Area hoops

BOYS

Roby 81, Hermligh 43

Hermligh	7 17	8 11	-43
Roby	31 18	21 21	-81

Leading Scorers: Roby-Edmondson 28, Carrión 23, Onofre 11; Records: Roby 21-3, 5-0, Hermligh 5-20, 0-5.

Borden County 44, Dawson 43

Borden	11 6	15 14	-46
Dawson	13 11	12 7	-43

Leading Scorers: Borden-Vestal 19, Bond 13; Dawson-Flores 12; Records: Borden 8-16, 3-4; Dawson 1-21, 0-9.

Rotan 73, Ira 59

Rotan	8 19	22 25	-73
Ira	16 14	16 13	-59

Leading Scorers: Rotan-Montoya 24, Hult 17, Roddy 14, Speco 12; Ira-Sturdivant 17, Gunset 14, Bearden 11, Withers 11; Records: Rotan 12-7, 4-1; Ira 15-7, 1-4.

GIRLS

Rotan 52, Ira 21

Rotan	8 21	8 15	-52
Ira	4 4	14 9	-21

Leading Scorers: Rotan-Powell 17, Stinson 11; Ira-Garmer 17; Records: Rotan 14-7, 4-1; Ira 1-23, 1-4.

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In defense-minded ballgame here...

Tigers upend Fort Stockton

It wasn't the most exciting basketball played in a week-filled with action at the coliseum but Friday's clash between Snyder and Fort Stockton proved that good defense will still win ballgames.

"We ran our offense like we wanted to and we got the shots we wanted. We just didn't score," said Coach Scott, whose Tigers edged Fort Stockton in a turnover-plagued basketball game here, 47-40. "At halftime

we were eight of 20 from inside the lane. You ought to be about 60 percent or better from inside the lane."

Snyder moved Tracy Brazier to the high post in the second half Friday and the junior standout responded with 10 fourth-quarter points to help key the victory.

Friday's win put the Tigers at 13-10 for the season and 6-4 in District 4-4A play. The win, coupled with Sweetwater's 59-53 triumph over Pecos, also

elevated Snyder to third place in the District 4-4A standings.

Meanwhile, Big Spring secured a post-season playoff berth when the Steers downed Monahans 95-71. The victory left Big Spring, now 10-0, with a four game lead over the third place team - Snyder - with just four games remaining on the schedule. Andrews, 9-1 after a 104-59 win over San Angelo Lake View, is a close second to the Steers.

"Coach Birks (assistant coach

Bud Birks) suggested that we move Tracy to the high post because they were giving us that shot," said Coach Larry Scott. "We did and he was able to make some things happen and get the ball to the hoop."

Brazier, last year's District 4-4A Sophomore of the Year, finished the night with 21 points and 12 rebounds.

In a game filled with missed baskets and turnovers, Snyder trailed the Panthers 32-25 late in the third quarter but got the final two baskets of the period to pull within three points before the buzzer.

Freshman post Hayward Clay and Fort Stockton's Armando Trevino traded early fourth-quarter baskets for a 34-31 look. Brazier began to warm up, however, and back-to-back buckets finally gave Snyder a 35-34 lead with 6:28 to play.

Four trips to the free throw line - three by Snyder and one by the visitors - came up empty as both teams continued to struggle offensively. The lackluster battle for a bucket continued, with Fort Stockton missing the front end of bonus free throw situations at 5:08 and 3:12, also. Brazier came through for the Tigers, though, sandwiching in six points between the Panthers' missed free throw opportunities. A Michael Riggins' field goal added to Snyder's rally and put the hosts out of reach, 43-34.

The clock read 1:36 to play when the Panthers got their third and fourth points of the quarter on freebies by Trevino. Snyder was able to hold on and win.

Clay got 10 points and seven rebounds for the Tigers, who also had eight points from Tyrone Durst and six from Michael Riggins. Riggins, a 6-0 senior, scored Snyder's final half-dozen points of the game.

Durst managed eight assists and, along with Lewis Wesley, led Snyder in steals with four.

Fort Stockton, still looking for its first 4-4A win at 0-10, was led by Trevino's 12 points. Trevino came into the game leading the district in scoring with a 29.6 average. Gabe Espino scored 11 points and Ernesto Velasquez added 10 as the Panthers fell to 5-16 for the season.

In other action here Friday, Snyder got 19 points from Carlton Sanders to drill Fort Stockton in a junior varsity game, 58-41. Edward Rios scored 12 for the young Tigers while Marcus Greene scored 10.



CROWDED ALONG THE BASELINE - Snyder's Lewis Wesley is pressured along the baseline by Fort Stockton players Ernesto Velasquez and Gabe Espino during Friday's District 4-4A ballgame here. Also pictured for Snyder is Michael Riggins. Snyder won the defense-dominated ballgame 47-40. (SDN Staff Photo)

Lady Tigers blast Panthers; welcome Lake View Tuesday

FORT STOCKTON - Snyder girls ran roughshod over Fort Stockton in a pair of basketball games here Friday night.

Snyder varsity defeated the Lady Panthers 64-21 while its junior varsity nailed the hosts 51-21.

"We came out and played real well early," said Coach Ken Housden of the varsity effort.

Daughter Evette Housden hit four-for-four from the field while Anne Osborn was two-for-two in the first quarter as Snyder built a 14-7 lead. The Tigers went to the free throw line in the second half, hitting eight-of-nine shots to enjoy a 33-9 advantage at intermission.

"Everybody played and everybody did a good job," added

the coach, whose girls improved to 10-14 for the season and 4-8 in District 4-4A play.

Osborn led the Tigers in scoring with 17 points, followed by Evette Housden, who scored 14 of her 16 points in the first half and managed eight assists for the night. Cindy Srna came off the bench for 14 second-half points.

"It was a good win for us, especially when you have a long trip back like that," grinned Coach Housden.

Snyder outscored the hosts 31-12 in the second half and won the rebounding game 48 to 21. Osborn had nine rebounds.

Fort Stockton, 6-19 and 2-10, was led by Becky Ligon's eight points.

Earlier in the evening, Snyder junior varsity limited the Panthers to just 4 second-half points in a 51-21 victory.

"We got off to a slow start (21-17 at the half) but after we got control of the game we started scoring and pretty much did what we needed to do," said Snyder assistant coach Laurie Welch, whose girls boast a 20-1

record.

Liz Greathouse paced the effort with 22 points and 11 rebounds. Freda Clay had 10 points while Camille Thompson added eight and Robbie Brazier led on the boards with 13 rebounds.

Snyder's girls return to SHS Gym next week to entertain San Angelo Lake View on Tuesday.

Varsity
Snyder 64, Fort Stockton 21

Snyder	14 19 18 13	-44
Fort Stockton	7 2 5 7	-21

SNYDER--Melody Pickering 0 2 2; Evette Housden 7 11 6; Dessie Ware 2 2 6; Anne Osborn 6 1 17; Cindy Srna 4 6 14; Beth Alvis 1 2 4; Jodie Dunk 0 2 2; Mande Henry 1 1 3; TOTALS 23 17 64.

FORT STOCKTON-- Rocky Chavarría 1 0 2; Mindy Basham 0 1 1; Becky Word 2 0 4; Andre Gomez 2 1 5; Becky Ligon 4 0 8; Norma Glindo 0 1 1; TOTALS 9 3 21.

3-Point Goals: Snyder 1 (Housden); Fouls: Snyder 16, Fort Stockton 22; Fouled Out: Basham; Rebounds: Fort Stockton 21, Snyder 48 (Osborn 9); Records: Snyder 10-14, 4-8; Fort Stockton 6-19, 2-10.

Junior Varsity
Snyder 51, Fort Stockton 21

Snyder	14 7 11 19	-51
Fort Stockton	5 12 4 0	-21

SNYDER--Annette Ramos 0 1 1; Camille Thompson 4 0 8; Robbie Brazier 1 2 4; Liz Greathouse 9 4 22; Freda Clay 3 4 10; Debbie Martinez 1 2 4; Shenakka Thompson 1 0 2; TOTALS 19 13 51.

FORT STOCKTON--S. Valeriano 10; TOTALS 9 3 21.
Fouls: Snyder 16, Fort Stockton 19; Fouled Out: Thompson, Snyder.

Varsity
Snyder 47, Fort Stockton 40

Fort Stockton	8 12 12 8	-40
Snyder	10 8 11 18	-47

FORT STOCKTON--Armando Trevino 4 4 12; Rey Day Carillo 1 2 2 5; Ernesto Velasquez 4 2 4 10; Gabe Espino 5 1 3 11; Flo Garcia 0 0 0 0; Shannon Beales 1 0 0 2; TOTALS 15 9 15 40.

SNYDER--Shane McCarter 0 0 0 0; Jason West 0 0 1 0; Michael Riggins 3 0 0 6; Tracy Brazier 10 1 4 21; Lewis Wesley 0 0 1 0; Hayward Clay 5 0 1 10; Tyrone Durst 3 2 2 8; Jeff Franklin 1 0 1 2; TOTALS 23 10 47.

3-Point Goals: Ft. Stockton 1 (Carillo); Fouls: Ft. Stockton 15, Snyder 16; Fouled Out: Carillo; Rebounds: Ft. Stockton 26, Snyder 41 (Brazier 12); Turnovers: Ft. Stockton 21, Snyder 16; Records: Ft. Stockton 0-10, 5-16; Snyder 13-10, 6-4.

Junior Varsity
Snyder 58, Fort Stockton 41

Fort Stockton	13 13 10 5	-41
Snyder	15 13 16 14	-58

FORT STOCKTON--Blanco 11, Sloan 11; TOTALS 17 44.

SNYDER--Chris Randolph 0 0 0; Toby Goodwin 3 0 8; Edward Rios 5 2 12; Marcus Greene 5 0 10; Lee Hamilton 3 1 7; Paul Anderson 1 2 4; Richard Hernandez 0 1 1; Carlton Sanders 4 1 9; Jimmy Kitchens 0 0 0; Bay John Long 3 0 7; TOTALS 24 7 58.

3-Point Goals: Ft. Stockton 3, Snyder 3 (Goodwin 2, Long 1); Fouls: Ft. Stockton 16, Snyder 10; Fouled Out: None.

Baseball news

NEW YORK (AP) - Jose Canseco, Tony Fernandez and Wally Joyner avoided salary arbitration and received the salaries they wanted.

Canseco, the unanimous Most Valuable Player in the American League, got the largest raise in baseball history when he agreed to a one-year contract with the Oakland Athletics for \$1.6 million.

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Mark Aguirre quiets critics with 36 in win over Phoenix

DALLAS (AP)—Mark Aguirre, rumored to be on the trading block, returned after a one-game absence to score 36 points on Friday night to carry the Dallas Mavericks to a 121-117 victory over the Phoenix Suns.

However, the Suns trimmed the margin to three points at 109-106 on a basket by Eddie Johnson.

That was as close as the Suns got, as Aguirre contributed a basket and a free throw as Dallas held Phoenix off down the stretch.

ing but he handled it well and didn't show his disgust," MacLeod said. "The people who booted him were applauding him at the end.

"We were pulling together out there and doing the things we had to do when the going got tough."

Aguirre hit 14 of 23 shots including three from 3-point range.

NBA glance

By The Associated Press EASTERN CONFERENCE Atlantic Division... Central Division... WESTERN CONFERENCE Midwest Division

Pacific Division... Friday's Games... Saturday's Games... L.A. Lakers... Phoenix...

Lyle shares LA Open lead

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Sandy Lyle of Scotland, playing in a cold drizzle he said reminded him of home, chipped in for an eagle on the way to a 66 that gave him a share of the early second-round lead Friday in the \$1 million Los Angeles Open.

"My kind of weather," said Lyle, the defending Masters champion.

The gray skies and drizzle with temperatures in the 40s were more typical of the Scottish Highlands than Southern California. But they didn't faze Lyle or co-leader Mark Calcavecchia.

"It didn't bother me a bit. It was very playable," said Calcavecchia, who got around the famed Riviera Country Club course without a bogey.

"It's a great course but without the wind, it can be had. With no wind out there today, it was easier than yesterday," said Calcavecchia, who scored a runaway victory at Phoenix two weeks ago.

With about half the field still out, Hale Irwin, Mike Reid, Tom Purtzer and Mike Reid shared third place at 137.

Irwin, still bothered by a lingering headache from being hit in head by a shot during Wednesday's pro-am, had a 67.

Purtzer shot a 66, while Reid had a 69 and Sauers a 70.

Steve Pate and Mark Brooks, who shared the first day lead at 66, both had late starting times.

So did defending champion Chip Beck, who opened with a 70, and U.S. Open champion Curtis Strange, who must improve from a first-round 73 if he is to qualify for the final two rounds Saturday and Sunday.

Phoenix was led by Tom Chambers with 27 points and Kevin Johnson had 25 points.

Guard Derek Harper had 24 points for the Mavs, who won only their fourth game in the last 16.

The Suns had won five of their last six games.

Dallas led 64-49 at halftime with Aguirre contributing 11 points before intermission.

James Donaldson and Sam Perkins each contributed 13 rebounds for the Mavs.

Aguirre sat in the training room after the game and didn't meet immediately with reporters.

Dallas coach John MacLeod said he thought Aguirre handled himself well, considering all the adversity.

"They booed him at the beginn-



LEAGUE SECRETARY HONORED - Barney Tate recently accepted a gift of appreciation from the Men's Bowling Association after serving for 14 years as secretary-treasurer. Pictured left to right are Tommy Pherigo, Strick Posey, Carl Stokes, Lynn Smith, Tate and Henry Dever. (SDN Staff Photo)

Bowling

WISHBALL W L Team The Shack 15 5 The Ringers 14 6 Hot Shots 12 1/2 7 1/2 Bottom of Barrel 12 8 A-1 10 10 Showcase Video 8 12 Lloyd's Lock Shop 7 13 Snyder Lanes 6 1/2 13 1/2 Bethel 5 15

Hi Scratch Series: Glenn Coy 556; Hi Handicap Series: Roger Pavlik 662; Hi Scratch Game: Wesley Ball 219; Hi Handicap Series: David Lyle 234.

KOFFEE W L Team R.D.'s Welding 50 1/2 25 1/2 Qui Ane 45 31 Lee's Exxon 44 1/2 31 1/2 Eldon's Machine 40 36 White's Testers 39 37 Everybody's 36 1/2 39 1/2 Smith Hot Oil 35 1/2 40 1/2 E.L. Farmer 35 41 Gifts by Jane 31 45 C&F Ceramics 23 53

Hi Scratch Series: Gayla Coy 517, Lisa Smith 599; Hi Handicap Series: Gayla Coy 625, Nell Harper 622; Hi Scratch Game: Lisa Smith 210, Teresa Loper 186; Hi Handicap Game: Lisa Smith 245, Carol McGuire 235; Converted Splits: Alma Posey 3-10, 3-10; Ellen Edwards 9-10; Peggy Foster 4-10; Cindy Lyle 3-10; LaVonda Fyburn 3-10; Lisa Smith 5-10; Mildred Wilson 5-6; Dorothy Matthews 3-10, 3-7.

JACK AND JILL W L Team Walton Const. 52 28 Snyder Lumber Co. 49 31 Bar H Bar 43 1/2 36 1/2 B & L 42 38 Grimmert Bros. 42 38 A-1 Testers 41 39 Ezell Key Grain Co. 40 40 Beauchamp Apts 39 41 Come Back Kids 38 1/2 41 1/2 Rock 'N' Rollers 36 1/2 43 1/2 Jr's Cut Ups 31 1/2 48 1/2 Die Hards 24 56

Hi Scratch Series: J.L. White 555, Vicky Rishaw 473; Hi Handicap Series: Don Bosley 640, Debbie Beall 623; Hi Scratch Game: Bob Motley 203, Linda Stack 173; Hi Handicap Game: Bruce Beall 250, Cindy Lyle 231; Converted Splits: Bruce Beall 5-7, 4-5; Robert Lane 5-7; Dot Lane 2-7; Carolyn Doolittle 9-10; Beverly Fink 4-5; Daplene Thompson 3-10; Lonnie Terry 3-10.

Gaylon Hudson 211; Hi Handicap Game: Steve West 232.

ROLL-N-HOPE W L Team Walton Const. 56 1/2 17 1/2 Rick's Machine 44 1/2 31 1/2 Highland Bakery 44 32 Edlins-Walcher 41 1/2 34 1/2 Blanche's 38 38 Louise's Coffee Shop 38 38 IGA 34 42

Hi Scratch Series: Dorris Martin 496; Hi Handicap Series: Cathy Reed 606; Hi Scratch Game: Vicky Renshaw 177; Hi Handicap Game: Teresa Loper 212; Converted Splits: Norma Seaborn 7-8; Dawn Fish 2-7; LaVonda Fyburn 2-7; Joan Foree 2-7, 2-7; Vicky Renshaw 2-8-10; Grace Beauchamp 5-4; Cathy Reed 3-10, 5-6; Sarmie Lyle 3-10; Mildred Banta 5-6-10.

COMMERCIAL W L Team Chapman Chevron 60 30 White's Testers 59 41 Wayne Moore Exxon 52 48 Stephens Office 52 48 Snyder Savings 52 48 West Texas Pet. 51 49 Energy Electric 50 1/2 49 1/2 Borden's 46 54 Mobil Production 40 1/2 59 1/2 Cooper Appliance 32 68

Hi Scratch Series: Jim West 606; Hi Handicap Series: B.J. Bartels 675; Hi Scratch Game: B.J. Bartels 229; Hi Handicap Game: Jim West 257.

HIS & HERS W L Team Cornerstone Cafe 15 5 Olney Savings 14 6 Italc Connection 12 6 Tri-State Const. 11 9 Cornett Realtors 8 12 Ultimate Silkscreen 7 13 Production Pump 7 13 Energy Electric 6 14

Hi Scratch Series: Rick Beard 534, Martha Dever 483; Hi Handicap Series: Don Bradshaw 622, Delana Grant 649; Hi Scratch Game: Don Bradshaw 212, Martha Dever 209; Hi Handicap Game: Rick Beard 239, Gloria Peppers 225.

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Boosters meet Monday

Western Texas College Booster Club will meet Monday at Golden Corral for a Dutch treat luncheon. The meeting is set for noon.

Girls register for soccer

Any girl age 10 through 12 as of Jan. 1, 1989 is encouraged to register for soccer. Snyder had its first all-girls soccer team last season. Girls who are interested should contact either Mickey Ferris at (915) 573-8467 or Becky Winkler at 547-7470.

TELE MEETING SET FOR...

Parents or persons interested in coaching a team or serving as an officer, umpire or concession stand worker are urged to attend a local Texas Teenage League baseball meeting next Tuesday, Feb. 7, at Snyder Athletic Center.

Agenda items for the 8 p.m. meeting will include selection of new officers, starting date, draft date, managers and coaches (for at least two teams), fund raisers, concession stand volunteers, finances and equipment.

Scrimmage here Feb. 13

Snyder's first baseball scrimmage, originally scheduled in Lubbock, will be played here at Moffett Field on Feb. 13, Coach Albert Lewis has noted.

The scrimmage, against Lubbock High, was changed to accommodate other school plans. It will begin at 4 p.m.

The Tigers will also scrimmage Midland Lee in Midland at 1 p.m. Feb. 18, Brownfield in Brownfield at 5 p.m. on Feb. 21, and Midland Lee here at 1 p.m. on Feb. 25.

Golfers play Feb. 10-11

Snyder High School boys open the 1989 golf season Feb. 10 and 11 at the Odessa Invitational, scheduled for Mission and Odessa Country Club courses.

The Tigers also play in Big Spring on Feb. 17-18, in Fort Stockton on Feb. 24-25, in Andrews on March 3-4 and in San Angelo on March 9-10.

District 4-A play opens March 18 in Fort Stockton. Snyder hosts a district tourney at Western Texas College golf course on April 1. Others are at Monahans on April 8 and at Big Spring on April 15.

Bowling tourney coming

The annual Snyder Bowling Association Tournament will be held Feb. 11-12 and 18-19 at Snyder Lanes.

The tournament is open to all ABC-sanctioned bowlers. Nonmembers may enter by paying \$7 for a membership card.

Trophies will be awarded for first place in each event. Special trophies will be awarded for high handicap game and series, high scratch game and series and high scratch all-events. Trophies are limited to one per bowler.

Bowlers must enter both singles and doubles or neither. Fee is \$12 per event (\$24 singles and doubles) and \$60 per team.

Entries close at 10 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 9. For information and registration, contact Snyder Lanes.

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S&L crisis keeps Bush occupied

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Bush was using his Camp David mountain hideaway Saturday to work on a plan for solving the savings and loan crisis that aides said was unlikely to embrace a controversial deposit insurance fee.

White House to hear their advice. Just as in a Thursday meeting with industry officials, the president did not reveal his own preference from among the options discussed.

Maryland compound with Treasury Secretary Nicholas F. Brady, Budget Director Richard Darman and other key advisers to go over the Treasury's recommendations for S&Ls.

White House aides, speaking on condition of anonymity, said they did not expect the president to reach a final decision on the complete S&L package, although a depositors' fee seems to have been ruled out.

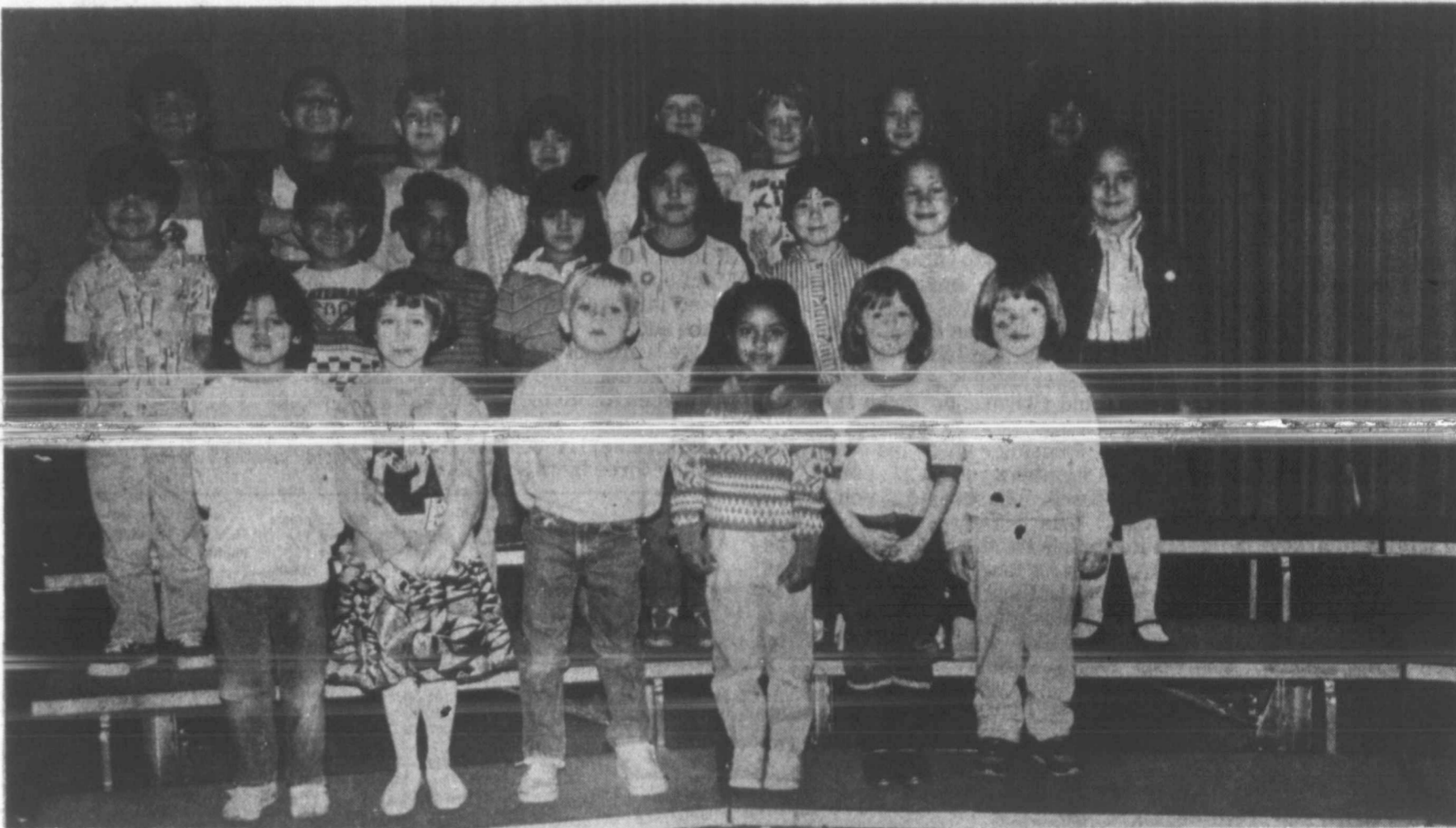
Administration officials have refused to disavow the fee publicly, but aides conceded privately that the plan most likely would not include it.

On Friday, Bush summoned congressional leaders to the

From the congressional leaders participants said Bush heard overwhelmingly one-sided advice against a proposal to charge depositors about 25 cents for every \$100 in their accounts.

"I don't recall anybody taking the other side of that issue," Sen. Donald W. Riegle Jr., D-Mich., the chairman of the Senate Banking Committee, told reporters afterward.

Both he and Sen. Jake Garn, R-Utah, the committee's senior Republican, predicted that the bailout package eventually agreed to by Congress and the administration would include an increase in the premium that institutions pay for federal insurance, but no new direct fee on depositors.



PERFECT ATTENDANCE: These Northeast Elementary students earned perfect attendance recognition for the fall semester. Morning kindergarten students are: Shannon Barnes, Sheena Callaway, Amy DeLoera, Jason Dennis, T'Leah Eicke, Jessica Ramos, Cheryl Reed and Amy Reynolds. First grade: Johnny Alaniz, Rebecca Amador,

Caleb Callaway, Nicholas Garcia, Carrie Hernandez, Jennifer Love, Emily Luera, Isabel Luera, Jeanette Martinez, Kayla Phipps, Johnny Ramos, Cathy Tatom, Angel Vadquez and Isidro Villasana. (SDN Staff Photo)

Financial Focus

Everyone wants a magic formula to get rich. Although there is none, most successful investors find that following some basic guidelines generally aims them in the proper direction.

1. **Set Objectives.** If you don't know where you're going, you may not get there. When you know your goal and how long you have to get there, the chance of achieving that goal is greatly enhanced. Individual goals, such as owning your own business, educating your children, or retiring at age 50, are very personal. Objectives change with time and lifestyles. Be flexible but always have a financial objective in mind.

2. **Keep Learning.** Investments are always changing. Legislative changes make some investments obsolete, while competition for your money introduces exciting new opportunities. There's a wealth of investment information available through newspapers, financial publications, books, television and more. Learning is a lifetime project, and you must keep learning to keep current.

3. **Take charge.** Seek out and select one or more trusted advisers. Your attorney, accountant or broker is a source of valuable information and advice, but the ultimate decision and responsibility is yours. Don't act blindly. Listen and compare the advice you receive with that you've learned. Then make your own decisions.

4. **Be Patient.** One situation many people try to create is urgency—do it now or you could miss this opportunity. Don't be pressured. Good investments are usually long-term. They require patience. Seldom is an opportunity so rare that there will never be another like it.

5. **Start an Investing Habit.** The best way to accumulate wealth is to establish a regular investing program. Bonanzas are hard to hit and impossible to plan. Monthly deposits dedicated to selected investments not only offer the benefits of dollar-cost averaging but also accumulate money in small amounts that might otherwise be lost to needless spending.

6. **Monitor Your Investments.** Investments aren't stagnant deposits made in hope that one day they'll answer all your problems. At least twice each year you should review your progress. Are your goals the same? Are you on schedule to meet those goals? Are your investments progressing as planned? Does your insurance meet your current and future needs? A successful investment plan demands attention.

7. **Enjoy Your Investments.** Some individuals spend their entire life accumulating wealth only to die without enjoying any of it. Once you reach your goal, enjoy it, set another goal and begin again. Money itself is worthless. Its value is in the goods and services for which it can be exchanged.

Cold weather dominates much of land

By The Associated Press
An Alaskan cold front nearly completed its conquest of the lower 48 states Saturday, putting highways on ice, chilling Mardi Gras festivities and making weather forecasters the target of some cabin-fever abuse.

Frigid air pushed south and east, bringing subzero wind chills to normally balmy south Texas, coating New York City and Philadelphia with freezing rain and sending temperatures plunging across Georgia, Louisiana and Alabama.

By Sunday, the National Weather Service said, the arctic

Senior Center activities offered

Voting for a new Valentine King and Queen will get underway Wednesday in the Senior Center. The balloting will continue through Friday and the new royalty will be introduced at the center's valentine party on Feb. 14.

Monday will be Hermleigh Day in the Senior Center, with residents from that community invited to be special guests. Bingo games will start at 10:30 a.m. Monday and end about 11:30 a.m.

Senior citizens who celebrate February birthdays are invited to a party sponsored by McDonald's at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday. The party is a monthly affair at the center, with McDonald's providing refreshments and games.

A graduation dance for the square dance class is scheduled for 7:30 Saturday night in the center.

Hoss Clayton and his band will entertain with western music in a program starting at 11 a.m. Tuesday. Frances Featherston will provide musical entertainment in a program starting at 11 a.m. Thursday. Friday's musical will be the weekly Sing Along starting at 11:15 a.m.

Pool players will meet at 11 a.m. Wednesday to plan activities in the center. The aerobics class for women meets at 3 p.m. Monday and Wednesday afternoon. Swimming for men and women meets at 10 a.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays in the WTC swimming pool.

air is expected to reach central Florida, completing the southeastward march that began in Alaska about a week ago.

Heavy snow fell in the Rockies and the Sierra Nevada, and temperatures remained well below zero across much of the nation's midsection. So far, at least 16 deaths around the United States have been blamed on the cold weather.

Leo Burnett, a forecaster in the National Weather Service office in Fargo, N.D., said he and his colleagues were beginning to catch blame for the painfully cold weather. The high temperature in Fargo on Friday was 15 below zero, and some people needed a scapegoat.

"They're getting a little cabin fever, I guess, and they have to take their frustrations out on someone, so they call and kind of get all over the weatherman every once in a while," Burnett said. "We've got thick skins."

One man, he said, called to say, "I'm just in a fit of depression, and I blame you guys. ... I've got to get out of here. I'm going to go to Florida."

The caller had better move fast. Parts of the Southeast enjoyed record warmth Friday as they awaited the cold — it was 77 degrees in Apalachicola, Fla., breaking the old record for Feb. 3 by a degree.

Other records included 77 in Asheville, N.C., 75 in Atlanta and 84 in Charleston, S.C.

But by midnight Friday, it was 49 in Atlanta, and forecasts called for the temperatures to continue dropping, possibly reaching into the teens by Tuesday.

Temperatures dropped 40

degrees in parts of Louisiana, worrying strawberry farmers and casting a chill — but not a pall — over Mardi Gras festivities.

"Snow, sleet, ice or 80 mph winds — those are the only things that would stop a parade," said Assistant Police Chief Ray Holman of New Orleans. "Cold weather doesn't dampen many spirits, but it may cause people to drink more of them."

Such parade-stopping conditions aren't likely in New Orleans, but they provide a fair description of weather across much of the West, where winter storm warnings were in effect early today in parts of California, Nevada, Utah and Wyoming.

In northern California, up to three feet of snow, whipped by winds of up to 70 mph, fell Friday in parts of the Sierra Nevada and more was expected Saturday. The Utah Highway Patrol reported "lots and lots" of minor accidents on slick, snowpacked freeways around Salt Lake City, but ski resort operators were cheering over the extra foot or more of snow that coated the nearby mountains.

A Greyhound Trailways bus with 15 people aboard spun around and overturned Friday on an icy Interstate 70 in Colorado near the Utah line. Police said 14 people were hospitalized in Grand Junction with broken bones.

About 14 Denver high school basketball players and a coach were treated for possible carbon monoxide poisoning and hypothermia Friday night when a heater in their chartered bus apparently failed in bitter cold

weather west of Denver. All were treated and released from two Denver hospitals.

Subzero cold in Montana caused ice jams on the Bighorn, Missouri and Clark Fork rivers. The town of Wisdom, Mont., recorded the nation's lowest temperature of minus 52, and rancher Helen Carey, who lives about 30 miles south of Helena, said her newborn calves were losing their ears to frostbite.

"Poor little things, they've really had a tough go of it," she said.

Power outages left people without heat in several places around the country, including the suburbs of Kansas City, Mo., where a record low of 7 below zero was recorded at the airport Friday.

And in Wassau, Wis., sponsors of the Badger State Winter Games considered calling off this weekend's cross-country ski races because of subzero cold.

Tax-aid plan to begin Feb. 8

The Tax-Aide program sponsored by the American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) will offer assistance to Scurry County Senior Citizens at the Senior Center starting Feb. 8.

The Tax-Aide program has trained volunteers who will provide free assistance to disabled or low income older people by filling out simple tax returns and answering tax questions, Nancy LaRoux, Senior Center activities director, said.

The assistance will be available every Wednesday from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. through March 29. Interested persons can get their name on the service list by calling the Senior Center at 573-4035.

Persons meeting with a Tax Aide volunteer must bring a copy of last year's tax form, any forms showing income earned or pensions or Social Security paid, 1099 forms showing interest or dividends earned from investments, receipts or cancelled checks or income or property taxes paid or contributions made to charities.

AARP works with the Internal Revenue Service tax counseling for the Elderly program to assure that the volunteers are knowledgeable about the special tax provisions for older people.

The local AARP meets at 1 p.m. on the third Monday of each month at the Scurry County Senior Center and persons interested in joining are invited to attend. Lloyd Wemken is the president of the local unit.

Mother Elizabeth Ann Seton, the first American-born saint, was born in New York City in 1774.

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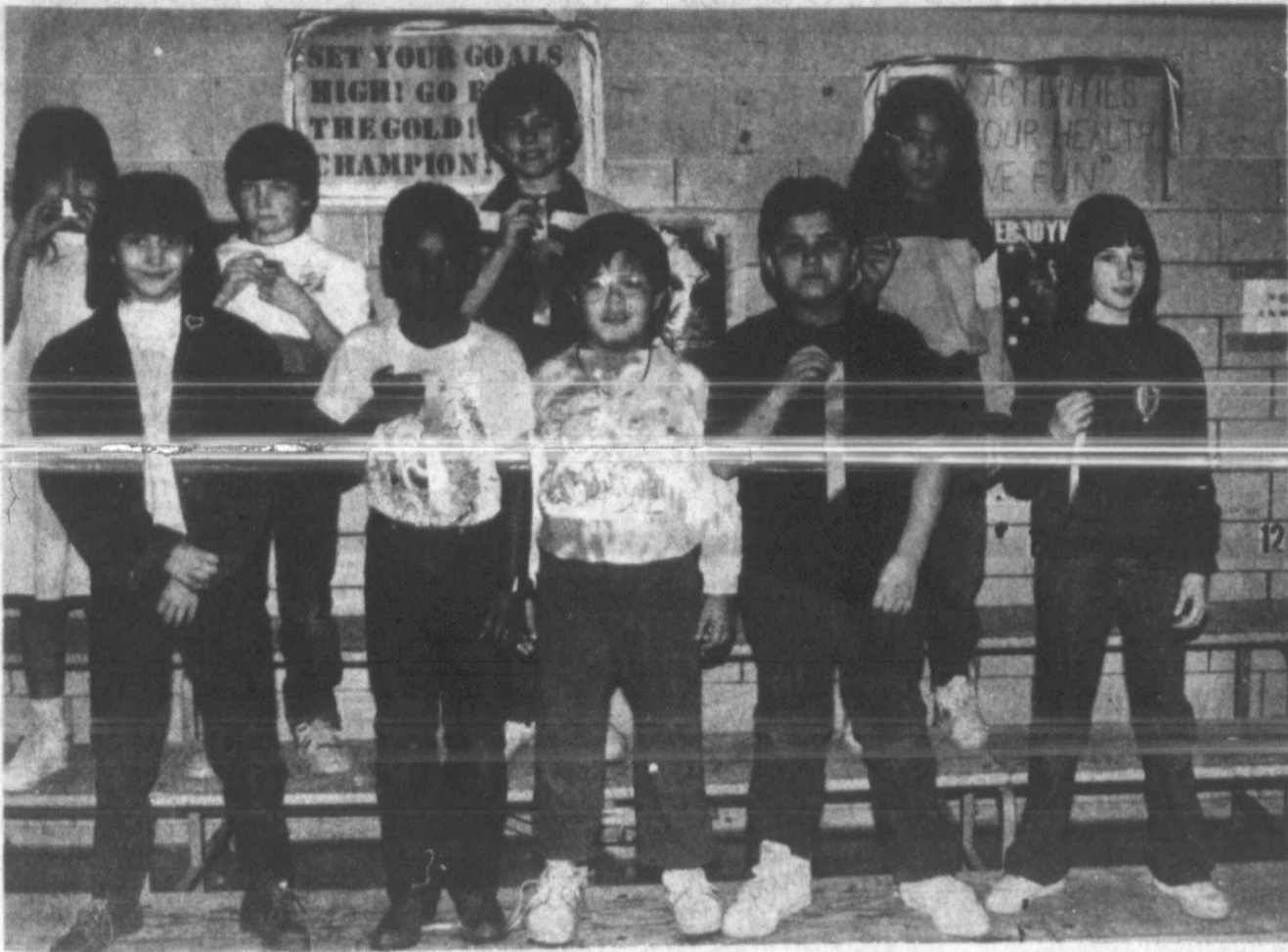
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CENTRAL FOURTH HONOREES—These Central fourth graders received either a perfect attendance ribbon or a "B" honor roll ribbon for the fall semester. Those named to the honor roll include Tiffany Garza, Chris Rodriguez, Kristin Bailey, Michelle Gonzales, Dwayne Robertson and Olivia Martinez. Those honored for perfect attendance include Jeremiah Johnson, Johnny Villanueva, Kristin Bailey and David Wagner. (SDN Staff Photo)

Amarillo man dies in cold

By The Associated Press
Wicked winter weather claimed at least three lives and led to several home fires as bone-chilling temperatures spread throughout the state, which was expected to have icy conditions through next week.

Authorities found the frozen body of Vance Stone, 50, of Amarillo at about noon Friday lying beside an old semi-truck. Police said the man lived in the cab of the truck.

In Dallas, Archie Thomas, 67, died when he apparently slipped on ice in Rochester Park and hit his head, said Beverly Handy, a Dallas County Medical Examiner's field agent. A field agent's report said there were no signs of robbery or foul play, she said.

Police were investigating the death of Lela Windham, 84, who was found locked outside of her house, wearing her night clothes. The woman was outside her back door and apparently died during the night, police said.

Firefighters battled a house

fire early Friday afternoon in Lubbock, a blaze that probably started when occupants used a stove to heat the residence, said Lubbock Fire Department Investigator David Opperman.

The Lubbock Fire Department said they fought a second similar fire, and another that started when a doghouse heater in a backyard short-circuited and ignited a blaze that spread to the home's attic, causing as much as \$40,000 damage.

More treacherous conditions were expected Saturday as low temperatures combined with chilly winds to create below zero wind chill.

According to police and state highway officials, any water left standing on streets and highways after the sundown would freeze to a clear, slippery glaze, making highway and road travel hazardous.

"Actually, driving Saturday will be more dangerous in a lot of ways," said Bill Page, spokesman for the Texas State Department of Highways and

Public Transportation. "Friday, the ice had rough sleet pellets imbedded into it that gave some measure of traction, but slick ice has none at all."

Railroad Commissioner Kent Hance warned that if the severe cold weather continued past Monday, the state could end up with natural gas shortages. Hance said natural gas demand had increased dramatically since Thursday, but no serious problems had been reported.

The cold sent hundreds of homeless to shelters around the state.

Dick Holland, an employee of the Salvation Army shelter in Amarillo, said the cold weather had doubled the number of people seeking a warm refuge.

"They're just absolutely freezing," Holland said. "We are not going to turn anybody away."

In Dallas, more than 300 homeless people stayed in the Austin Street Shelter Friday night. The Rev. Jerry Hill said all appeared to be relatively well, and no frostbite had been reported.

"We feel very lucky. This is bad, but I've seen worse," said Hill, referring to the winter of 1983. A day shelter that usually closes in the evening remained open to accommodate the many homeless needing shelter.

In Austin, the Salvation Army said its shelter took in about 280 people.

National Weather Service forecaster Robert Van Hoven predicted little break in the frigid conditions until Tuesday.

Union church sets service

Union United Methodist Church has scheduled Ash Wednesday Services for Wednesday, Feb. 8, at 7 p.m.

Ash Wednesday is the beginning of the Lenten season prior to the celebration of Easter. It is a time of self-examination and renewal. The service will include the imposition of ashes on participants. Following the service there will be a Bible study on the Third Chapter of Acts for those wishing to stay.

First Lady favors ban on assault weapons

WASHINGTON (AP) — Barbara Bush says she fears guns and, despite the president's membership in the National Rifle Association, favors banning the rapid-fire assault weapons used in a wave of gang killings and the California rampage that left five children dead and 29 others wounded.

The first lady, in an interview Friday, also expressed "enormous sympathy" for the financial plight of members of Congress, who are taking political heat for a 51 percent pay increase.

"I know it sounds outrageous to people at home, but if they saw the cost of Washington housing ... It's terrible. And the sacrifices the family makes," Mrs. Bush said.

She said her family had not been able to live off her husband's salary in the 1960s when he was a member of the House from Houston, but had to rely on the money he had earned as an oilman. She said they probably could have made it on his congressional salary if they hadn't owned two homes and hadn't wanted to send their children to private schools.

Mrs. Bush said she did not want to discuss the "politics and policies" surrounding handgun ownership. Her husband, President Bush, opposes new federal handgun controls and is a lifetime member of the NRA. The NRA is the most powerful lobby against laws regulating firearms.

"I myself do not own a gun," she said. "I choose not to get into that. I'm afraid of guns. ... I'm so afraid I'd shoot the wrong person."

Nancy Reagan, before moving to Washington eight years ago, revealed she had owned "a tiny little gun" that she kept by her bed for protection while her husband was away. In her first White House interview in 1981, Mrs. Reagan said she had gotten rid of the weapon.

Marking the end of her second week in the White House, Mrs. Bush spent part of Friday after-

noon giving her first interviews since her husband became president. "I feel at home here," she said, sitting on a couch, bathed in light from an arched window behind her.

Asked if her husband had changed in any way since becoming president, she replied, "I don't see a difference with him." Pointing to several people in the room, she said, "I see a difference in you and you and you. Not me. I mean it's just different when you're president. Everybody treats you differently when you're president."

Joking about her husband's former status as vice president, Mrs. Bush said, "I spend half my life saying, 'Could you please get the vice president on the phone?' and the operator says, 'Do you really want Dan Quayle' or 'Don't you know Dan Quayle's in Venezuela.'"

More seriously, she said, one big difference for Bush is that "everything you say becomes major, and it is major. He is the president of the United States."

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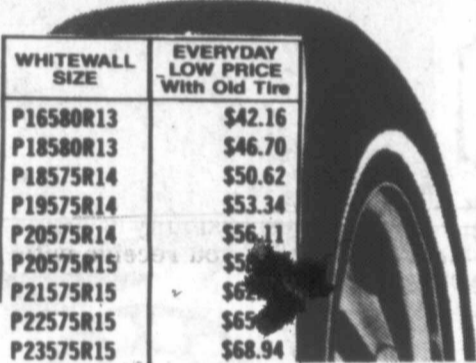
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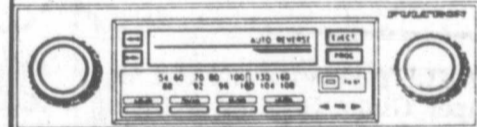
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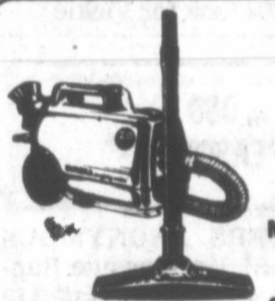
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Paducah...

Broken gas line leaves residents shivering

PADUCAH, Texas (AP) — Amid the coldest weather this winter, residents spent a frigid and sleepless night after the single gas line into this tiny town broke early Friday morning, cutting off heat to more than 800 homes and businesses for most of the day.

On the heels of an Arctic cold front that chilled most of the state, temperatures dipped to below 4 degrees, causing the 4-inch steel pipe that delivers natural gas to the town of 2,200 to pull apart, said officials of Lone Star Gas Co., owner of the pipeline.

Almost two-thirds of the town's homes and businesses were left without gas for heating, hot water or cooking, and schools were closed for the day.

"Boy, was it cold," said Kenny Bragg, a janitor at the Cottle County Courthouse. "I don't think I would have made it without my electric blanket."

No injuries were reported either as a result of the break or the cold that crept into people's dwellings, said officials.

The pipeline, which carries about 490 pounds of gas per square inch, broke about 3 a.m. in an isolated area of ranchland, said LSG regional superintendent Bob Clark. The line comes from Childress, about 30 miles north and ends here.

Fire Chief Don Dillard sounded a fire alarm about 4:15 a.m. to warn residents, and he and other volunteers began rounding up electric space heaters to take to the elderly.

"I scared everybody to death blowing the whistle," he said. "But we needed to warn 'em."

Soon after the gas cut off, space heaters were taken to the Wood Convalescent Home, where 44 nursing home patients reside.

Nurses gathered ambulatory residents together in the hall in the wee hours of the morning and hung bedspreads over windows to help insulate the building, said nursing home director Gwynna Stofel.

"Luckily it never got below 68 in here," she said. "We used hot plates to serve a warm breakfast."

Space heaters were put in rooms housing bedridden patients, she said.

The nursing home was the first place in town to have its service restored, at about 11 a.m., after the break was repaired.

Gas crews then went to work restoring heat to the homes of the elderly, said Dillard.

Other residents were forced to wait until late afternoon and early evening for crews to check meters and restore service.

The cold sparked a run on \$14 electric space heaters at West Texas Utilities Co., said office manager Patsy Walling.

"We brought them in from all the offices around and we sold those so they had to bring more all the way from Abilene," she said, adding that more than 50 had been sold by early afternoon.

While some people huddled in homes in front of space heaters or wood fires, others gathered in the senior citizens' center on the town square. Fueled by electric heat, stoves and ovens, the center served a warm breakfast to about 125 residents, said center director Emma James.

Local restaurant owners Willa and Bill Isbell, left without gas to fire their stoves, brought breakfast food from their steakhouse to feed the hungry and cold.

"Isn't it wonderful how a little town just rises up and pitches in when something like this happens," said Geneva Bragg, who ventured out in the cold early to unlock the electric-heated Cottle County courthouse, where she works, so that "people would have someplace warm to go."

Hassie speaks to local group

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level, he emphasized that West Texans need to unify. "West Texas can have a voice if we stick together," he said.

He noted such a movement is already underway based upon the vote to abandon the appointed state school board in favor of an elected body.

"H. Ross Perot said that if it wasn't for West Texas, we'd still have an appointed board," Hassie said, noting that West Texans supported the change by 74 percent.

To continue this grass roots movement in West Texas, he also pointed to a planned two-day education workshop he has scheduled in Lubbock Feb. 19-20.

Invited to that event will be school administrators, teacher representatives and board members in the 50 county region he represents.

He has also invited all of the state representatives and senators from this region to attend.

"We need to get with our elected officials and tell them how we feel," he said.

"Together, we can do some good."

Hassie was elected to his post as a Republican in a ballot which marked the return of the state school board to an elected body.

He is a former member of the Lubbock school board, serving from 1976 through early 1988, when he resigned to seek the office he now holds.

In Lubbock, he is a stockbroker with the firm Thomson McKinnon Securities.

A similar gas break occurred in 1981 during a similar cold spell, said Mrs. Bragg's husband Kenneth, a retired LSG employee.

"Sometimes the lines just pull apart in the cold," he said.

After the break was reported about 3:30 a.m., 12 two-man repair crews from towns as far away as Wichita Falls came to mend the line, said Clark.

Because the company no longer has a Paducah office, the Dairy Queen served as the company's makeshift headquarters throughout the day.

By 10:30 a.m. the line had been repaired temporarily and gas was again flowing into the town's plant, Clark said.

Although line breaks occasionally occur in cold weather, such occurrences are not common, he said.

"We have one every five or six years," he said.

Homes on gas heat outnumber those on electric by almost four

to one, said Ms. Walling.

In Austin, meanwhile, Kent Hance, chairman of the Texas Railroad Commission, said gas consumption is at a peak but no curtailments have been experienced and none are expected.

"Industry is working very well with us to make sure that we serve the needs of the state of Texas," he told a news conference. "We don't foresee any problems through the weekend."

A "voluntary allocation committee" made up of major gas pipeline and utility companies is on standby to make sure needs are met, he said.

As an example of increased gas usage, Hance said that Lone Star Gas usage was 430 million cubic feet Wednesday and would be 1.9 billion Friday.

Deputies note arrest, theft

Sheriff's office personnel reported one arrest and one incident from Friday.

At 11:20 p.m., a deputy arrested a 19-year-old male for public intoxication at the National Guard Armory.

Deputies also took a report from Henry Treat of Polar, who said a television and a VCR had been stolen from him. He said the equipment had been missing for approximately two weeks.

Two fires noted

A well house and hay were damaged by fire Friday on land owned by Owen Dickey some 8 miles southwest of Snyder on the Ira-Union Road.

Local units were called to the fire at 5:35 p.m.

It marked the second fire call of the day as firemen extinguished a grass fire reported at North Ave. N and Lear at 3:37 p.m.

Parked vehicle rolls into second

A parked automobile rolled into a parked pickup here Friday, causing minor damage to both.

The incident was reported to police at 7:20 p.m. at 1111 13th St. According to reports, a 1978 Oldsmobile owned by Miguel Martinez, 1212 25th St., rolled into a 1974 Ford pickup owned by Durwood Kruger of Hermleigh.

Assault report noted by police

Police took two reports Friday for aggravated assault after an incident reported by two Spanish males at 6:57 p.m. in the 1900 Block of Ave. G.

A third individual was identified in the case, police say.

In other reports, officers recovered shortly after midnight Friday a VCR and tapes reported stolen last week by Max Aucutt of 4400 Ave. U.

Reports indicate a suspect was identified in the case and, when contacted, the equipment was returned.

Three arrests were reported Friday night. At 10:58 p.m., an 18-year-old Spanish male was arrested at 1903 Scott for Class C assault.

Two drinking-related arrests were noted also. At 12:57 a.m., a 36-year-old Spanish male was arrested for driving while intoxicated in the 1600 Block of Ave. L, and at 4:22 a.m. a 33-year-old white male was arrested for public intoxication in the 2700 Block of Ave. Y.

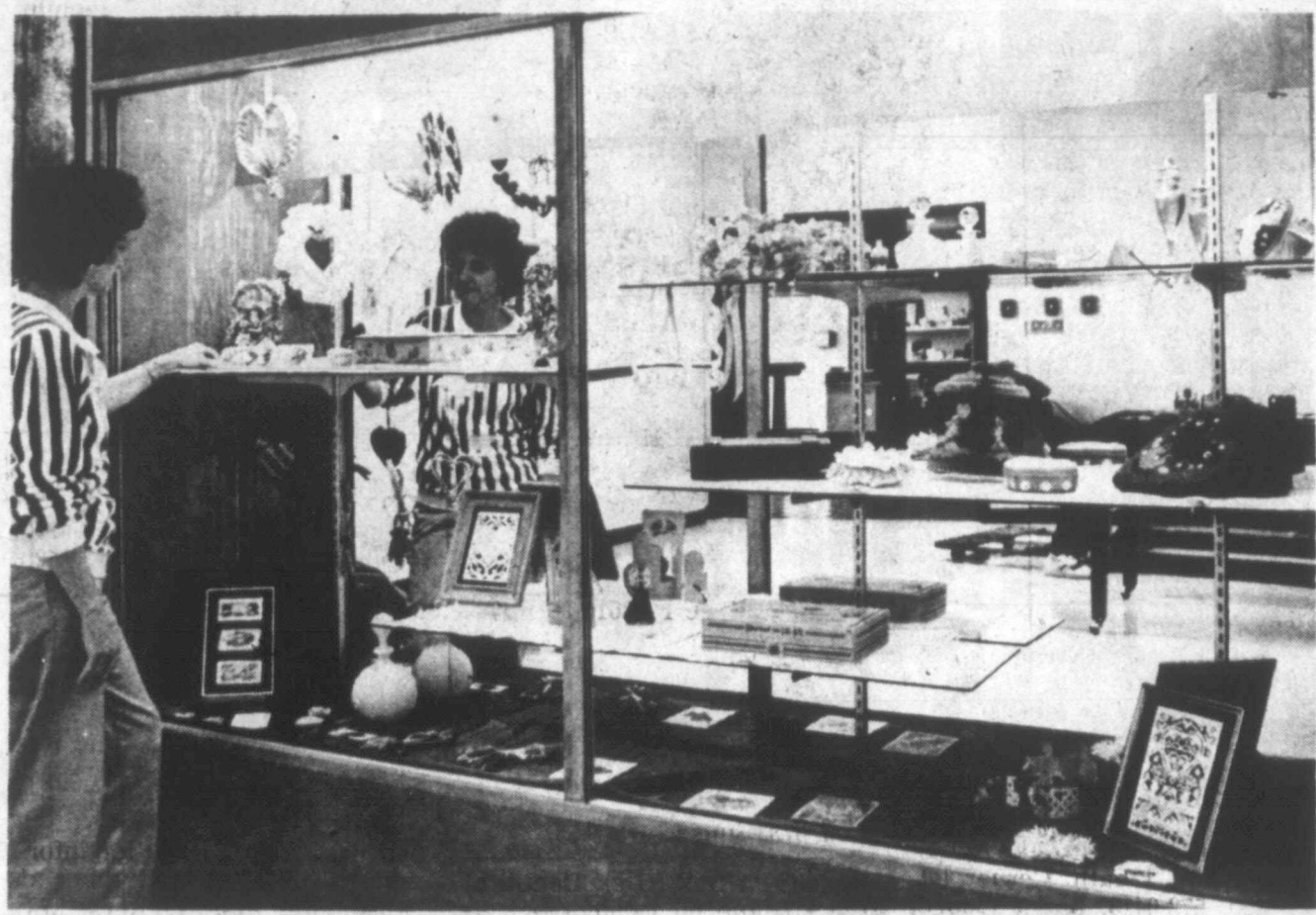
Burglary has plea of guilt

An 18-year-old Sweetwater youth has pleaded guilty to a burglary with intent to commit theft charge and has been given a four-year probation sentence.

Joe L. Flores entered his plea before District Judge Gene Dulaney in connection with a Dec. 12 break-in at Acme Furniture at 2109 Ave. T in which a large amount of clothing and tools were stolen.

The international ICI organization based in London is the world's fourth largest chemical group. It manufactures in 40 countries and sells products in over 150.

Phillips 66 says its motor fuel sales rose for the fourth year in a row in 1987.



VALENTINES AT MUSEUM — Scurry County Museum director Shirley Leftwich looks over this exhibit of valentines and heart-shaped souvenirs which opens in the museum Sunday. Many of the items displayed are on loan from Jo Flynn and her collection of hearts. (SDN Staff Photo)

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BY: Kerry Fritz, DEPUTY

NOTICE OF INTENT TO ORDER DEMOLITION

ATTENTION Lawrence Moore and Winters State Bank; I have surveyed a structure located at 3003 Ave K (S65' of Lot 4,5, & 6, Block 26 of the Wilmeth Addn.). I declare this building a dangerous structure as defined in Ordinance 324. A reinspection will be made on or about March 6, 1989, if the structure has not been removed by this date, the City of Snyder will remove it and assess the property.

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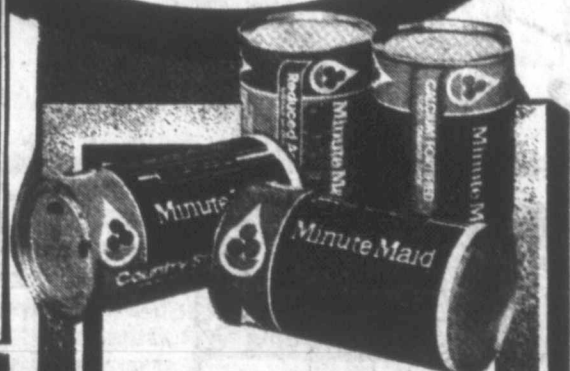


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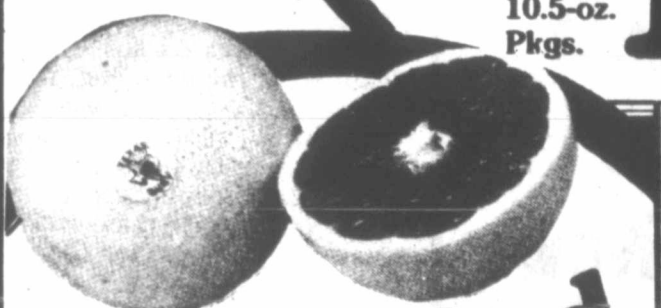


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Scurry County Folks...

By Shirley A. Gorman

Q. — Where does a 200-pound Bengal tiger cub sit?

A. — Anywhere it wants to.

has more than one grain of truth about the tiger cub she and her family are raising now and she'll tell you the same thing.

Sheer Khan is now about eight months old and, when measured in mid-January, checked in at 6 ft. from his nose to his tail. He weighs some 200 pounds now.

By the time he is full grown, Mrs. Murray said they expect him to weigh anywhere from 600-900 pounds and measure some 9 ft. in length.

Bengal tigers in the wild subsist on red meat, but Sheer Khan has no taste for the stuff, she said. Instead, he eats dry dog food and two chickens per day, bones and all. In addition, he is fed vitamins and calcium supplements.

Sheer Khan practically has the run of the Murray home, especially when Mrs. Murray is home. She works as a nurse in Big Spring and her schedule allows her to be home for several days at a time.

Sheer Khan is mischievous, just like his house cat counterparts, Mrs. Murray said. And she admits that he has done his share of "tearing up furniture," but furniture can be repaired, she said.

Damage to date has occurred through roughhousing and playing in the house, but she said they are trying to break him from that habit. Playtime is now reserved for the backyard.

Outside, she notes, never turn your back on the tiger because

that means it is time to play hide and seek.

Sheer Khan shares the Murray household with several other animals, including a Doberman

and a small dog named Peanut.

"protect" the tiger and a tiny cat named Peanut. Other dogs and cats also reside in the Murray household.

Mrs. Murray said Sheer Khan always immediately goes to the

"cornering her" then letting her go.

When people enter her home, Mrs. Murray said Sheer Khan

always immediately goes to the

She said it is important not to be afraid around him as he "picks up on that feeling" and will then proceed to "batter and antagonize" that person.

animal can be difficult, but the Murrays have worked out a system which they say works for them. Mrs. Murray said it is imperative to never let the animal

always has to be the boss and be in control.

She said that ignoring Sheer Khan works well on him because he thrives on attention. She also said noise deters him, and for that purpose they keep a hollow vacuum cleaner pole appropriately dubbed the "peace maker" on hand and make smacking sounds with it when necessary. Also, if his behavior is inappropriate, such as biting when he isn't supposed to, a good bonk on the nose with a closed fist works wonders, she said.

There is an element of risk involved since at various times Mrs. Murray has broken her hand and three fingers in disciplining her tiger.

Trainers recommend using "slap jacks" which are gloves with metal in them.

She said they have almost broken Sheer Khan from the habit of biting.

Overall, she said, he minds very well.

Mrs. Murray obtained Sheer Khan as a five-week-old cub. She noted they had no idea what to expect, and throughout the past few months have encountered some problems for which they sought advice.

They consult with the breeders who sold them the tiger and they contact zoos. Mrs. Murray has a friend who works for the Los Angeles zoo and they have also consulted with experts at the Fort Worth Zoo.

"We never take just one person's opinion about what we should do or how we should handle a situation," Mrs. Murray said. "We seek out several opinions and then make the best judgement we can based on what we have been told."

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HEART TO HEART—Marcie Murray seems to be having a heart to heart talk with her Bengal Tiger, Sheer Khan. Khan is only a few months old but he already weighs in excess of 200 pounds. Khan gets along well with the other animals in the family as well. See page 2B for additional photos. (SDN Staff Photo)

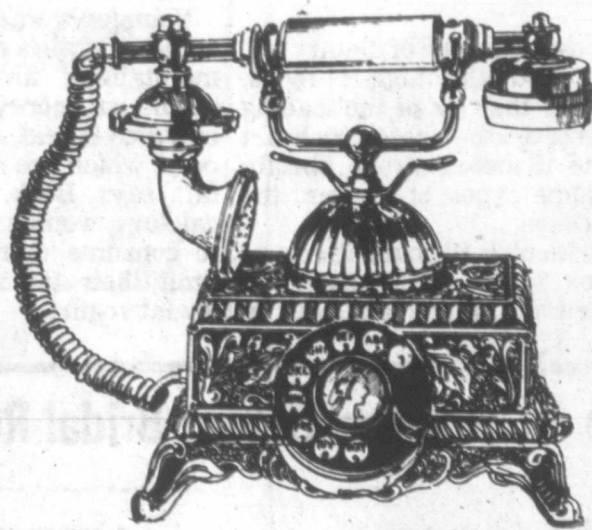
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Local family shares home with Bengal tiger

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She said that the tiger "loves to be sneaky" and one of his favorite games is hide and pounce.

Mrs. Murray said she has gotten very good at reading his facial expressions and he is leashed trained. Often she takes the tiger for a walk at dusk because it causes less of a distraction. But she said Sheer Khan usually gets "pooped" after a couple of blocks and then he is ready to come home.

Mrs. Murray has also taken Sheer Khan to Towle Park, but she said the ducks in the lake make him uneasy.

Mrs. Murray often takes Sheer Khan with her when she runs errands because he loves to ride in the car. With him in the car, she said it isn't necessary for her to lock the doors because Sheer Khan won't let a stranger put his hands inside.

Once she took him with her when she bought groceries, but the sacker refused to put her groceries in the car when he saw the tiger. That was fine with Mrs. Murray. She understands that many people feel uneasy around the tiger and she respects that. She doesn't try to force anyone to be around him if they don't want to, especially if they are afraid.

She said that even though Sheer Khan has been declawed,

he still has all of his teeth so she said it pays to be cautious around him.

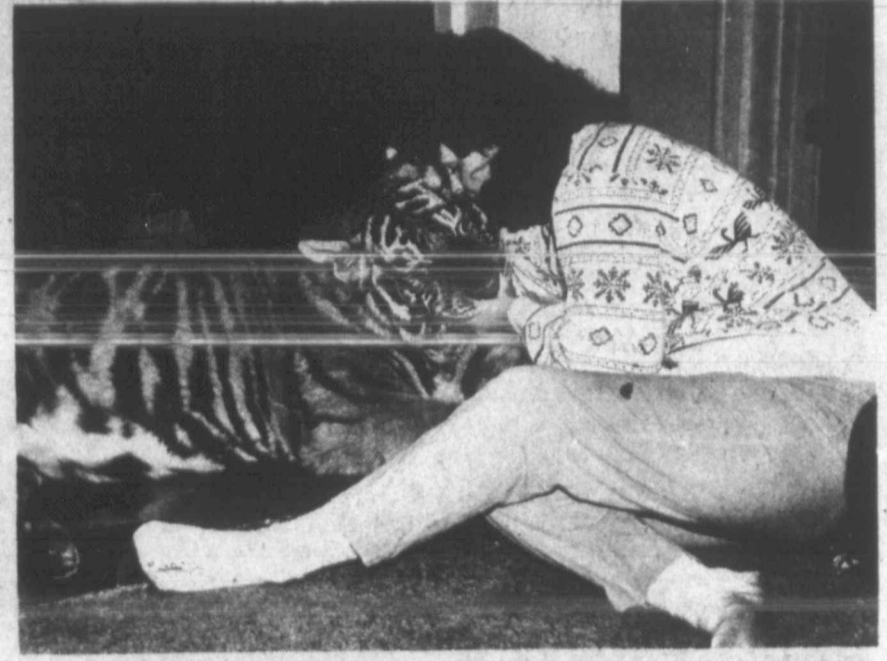
The Murrays keep their Doberman Pincher in the yard to protect the tiger and they have been forced to keep the gates padlocked to keep unauthorized visitors from disturbing Sheer Khan. She said people sometimes drive through the alley throwing sticks and rocks at the tiger and that has made him wary of being in certain parts of the yard.

Sheer Khan loves the water and Mrs. Murray said you have to be careful when taking either a bath or a shower because the tiger wants in, too. Sometimes, she said, she takes her pet into the shower with her and soaps him down with baby shampoo. It takes about six towels to dry him, but now he is learning to tolerate the blowdryer.

Mrs. Murray said that if he sticks his head in the shower and gets it wet, then he immediately goes to her bed and proceeds to dry himself off. Before her husband built a dog house big enough to accommodate Sheer Khan, he used to like to sleep in their bed.

Sheer Khan is house trained and when he needs to go outdoors he stands by the back door until someone lets him out.

The family has considered giving up the animal, but she said she can't bear the thought of put-



THE FACES OF LOVE—Marcie Murray and her 200-plus pound Bengal Tiger, Sheer Khan, share a special relationship as evidenced by this series of photos. The Murrays obtained Khan when he was a

cub from a breeder of exotic cats in Aspermont. He is now about eight months old and weighs some 200 pounds. (SDN Staff Photos by Shirley A. Gorman)

ting Sheer Khan in a zoo.

Family members include Jim, her husband, and their children Ladera, 11, and James, 13.

The tiger was purchased through John and Sonya Denison of Aspermont, who breed and sell exotic animals.

"We saw their ad in the newspaper and were thinking of getting either a bobcat or a cougar," Mrs. Murray said. "But when we got there they had just sold the last cougar. So we took Sheer Khan instead."

They first contacted all local veterinarians to see who would be willing to have a tiger for a patient. Dr. Charles Church agreed to help, so the next hurdle was to

check on city ordinances pertaining to exotic animals. They found none. The closest they came was an ordinance prohibiting pigs in the city limits.

When Sheer Khan had his claws removed, Mrs. Murray took him home with her that first night because she didn't want her tiger to wake up in a strange place all alone.

In fact, when Sheer Khan came out of the anesthetic she said he was in her arms.

The tiger has never been neutered and she said they have no intention of doing this since Bengal tigers are on the endangered species list.

Overconsumption of fat is enemy

NEW YORK (AP) — Overconsumption of fat is a major national health problem, according to a recent government nutrition report.

Excessive intake of dietary fat, in fried and other high-fat foods, increases the risk of the leading causes of death — coronary heart disease, diabetes, stroke, obesity and some types of cancer, the report says.

Nutritionist Barbara Beck of Dannon Yogurt says people can reduce total fat in their diets by

choosing such foods as fruits, vegetables, low-fat dairy products such as yogurt, fish, lean meats or poultry with the skin removed.

Younger women, children and adolescent girls concerned about maintaining an iron-rich diet should eat more lean meat, fish, enriched cereal, dried beans and peas, which are relatively low in fat, says Beck. For adequate calcium, women should continue to consume dairy products but limit their fat intake by using lowfat yogurt.



FEEDING TIME—Marcie Murray is pictured feeding her Bengal Tiger cub, Sheer Khan, when he was a cub and a new member of the family. She has her arm protected by a towel because at that time Sheer Khan still had all his claws. (Family Photo)

Iron supplement might aid warmth

NEW YORK (AP) — Sensitive to cold weather?

The reason may be that you are not getting enough iron in your diet, according to a study done by physiologist Henry S. Lukaski at the Agriculture Department's Human Nutrition Center in Grand Forks, N.D.

AIMplus magazine says findings of the study show women with an iron deficiency are more sensitive to the cold than those whose iron levels are normal. Also, a lack of iron can lead to the development of anemia, a condition in which you feel tired, weak and short of breath.

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APPROACHING WEDDING — Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Anderson of Seminole announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Cheree, to Max McGuire, son of Mr. and Mrs. Perry McGuire of Seminole and Mr. and Mrs. David Lunsford of Snyder. A 4 p.m. ceremony is planned Feb. 11 at the First United Methodist Church of Seminole. (Creative Images by Annette)

CWC guest dinner Friday

Christian Women's Club will meet Feb. 10 at 7 p.m. for the annual guest night dinner at Snyder Country Club. All men and women of the community are invited to attend.

John Johnson, president of Snyder Model Aircraft Club, will give a special presentation of radio controlled model planes. A licensed pilot in full-scale aircraft, Johnson has also been involved in flying model aircraft since 1980.

His presentation will include conventional models as well as a video show of a great range of models from helicopters to jets. His 26-member model club began three years ago and now has its

own airfield on Jess Everett's property south of Snyder.

Guest speaker for the dinner will be Jack Meeks of Tye. Featured soloist will be Donnie Burk of Snyder.

As a special feature, table centerpieces will be offered for sale.

Reservations for the dinner and free nursery can be made by calling Barbara at 573-9969 or Kathy at 573-8942 by noon Thursday. The cost of the dinner is \$7.75 or a beverage alone may be purchased for \$1.

Christian Women's Club is an interdenominational organization open to all women in the community. Membership is not required and there are no dues.



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Keep credit history

HARTFORD, Conn. (AP) — Not establishing a credit history in both spouses' names is a major error many families make, according to Aetna Life Insurance & Annuity Co.

Aetna says that even though there is more protection than in the past, it is unwise to rely solely on the husband's credit rating. "In case of divorce or death, it takes time, effort and money for the wife to get credit in her own name," it says.

It advises women to consider maintaining their own credit when they marry by continuing accounts in their maiden names or writing creditors to explain that they want to retain separate credit records.

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TUESDAY Burger Salad French Fries Sliced Peaches Milk	WEDNESDAY Turkey Pot Pie Green Beans Diced Pears Peanut Butter Cookie Milk	THURSDAY Beef & Cheese Enchiladas Spanish Rice Refried Beans Tossed Salad Milk	FRIDAY BBQ on a Bun Buttered Corn Chilled Pineapple Chocolate Cake Milk	FRIDAY Vegetable Beef Soup Grilled Cheese Sandwich Orange Wedges Oatmeal Cookie Milk	

Hermleigh ISD Menu

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TUESDAY Vegetable Soup Toasted Cheese Sandwiches Crackers Peanut Butter Cookies Milk	WEDNESDAY Chicken & Dumplings Candied Sweet Potatoes Hot Biscuits Fruit Jello Milk	THURSDAY Enchilada Casserole	FRIDAY Refried Beans Cherry Peppers & Onions Tortilla Chips Sopapilla Milk	FRIDAY Hamburgers Burger Salad Potato Chips Pineapple Cake Milk	

Palsy can be treated

ORADELL, N.J. (AP) — Care of the eye and a home program of physical therapy are the keys to overcoming Bell's Palsy.

Often, this requires artificial tears during the day, a special ointment at night and taping the eyelid shut or wearing a shield when sleeping, says Patient Care magazine. In addition, a visit to the doctor at two-week intervals is recommended to try to get the eyelid to close.

While it's a scary disorder, in severe cases surgical techniques are available, and 85 percent of patients with Bell's Palsy begin recovery in 10 days to three weeks, with the proper therapy.



MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED — Brenda Mann, daughter of Pat and John Jones, became the bride of Thomas Boley, son of Jane Boley, at 7 p.m. Dec. 31 at Faith Baptist Church. Pastor Buck Hatfield officiated the wedding vows. (Private Photo)

Ira School menu

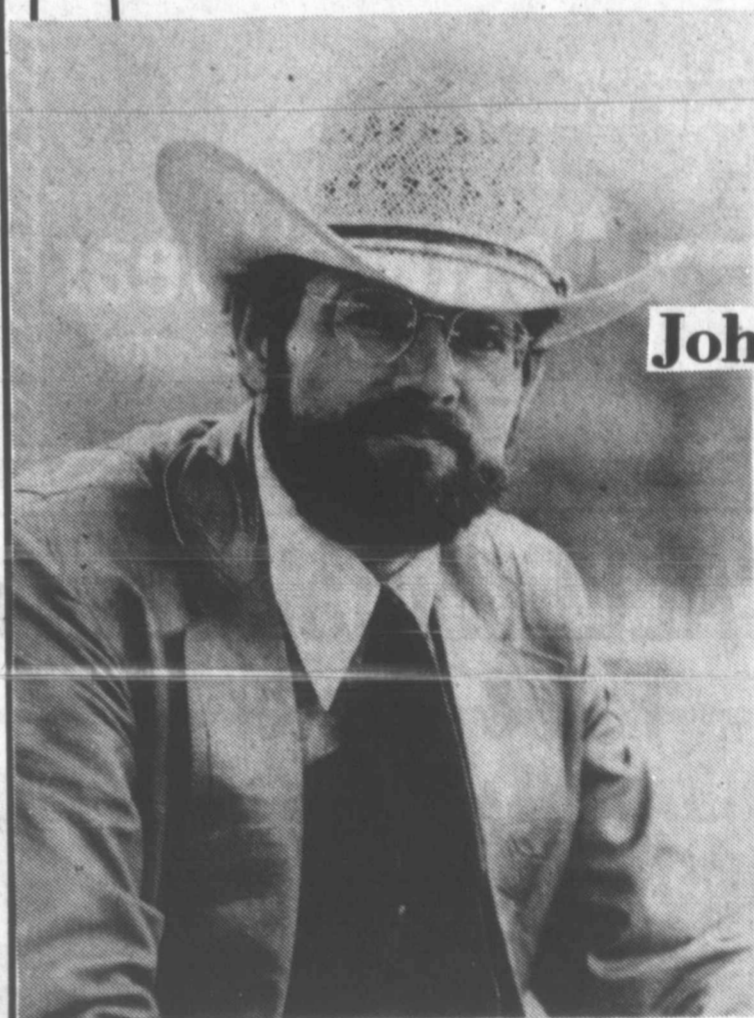
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BRIDE HONORED — Margie Griffin, bride of Joel Wayne Griffin Jr., was honored Jan. 12 with a bridal shower at Trinity Methodist Church. Pictured from left are Julia Griffin, sister of the groom; the honoree; and Shine Griffin, the groom's mother. The couple was joined on New Year's Day in Clyde. (Private Photo)

Bridge James Jacoby

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Message not received

By James Jacoby

After North opened a cheesy hand, South got to four spades. Prospects were slight after the lead of the king of hearts. At first glance it seemed that the A-K of clubs would need to be in West's hand, but since West was silent during the auction, it was next to impossible for him to hold so much in high cards. From West's point of view, it seemed likely that declarer had a singleton heart, but West was not sure which minor suit he should switch to. So he tried trumps instead. That gave declarer an opportunity for chicanery. He won the spade in dummy with the ace and immediately led the queen of hearts. East played the four and declarer discarded a deceptive five of diamonds. West fell into the trap nicely, winning the ace of hearts and switching smartly to the jack of diamonds. Declarer won the ace of diamonds, the king of spades and the king of diamonds, and led a spade to the jack in dummy to get rid of clubs on the jack of hearts and the queen of diamonds.

How could West know? In fact, when East followed to the second heart, his card should have shown which minor suit he preferred. When he played the four, the lower of his two remaining hearts, he was suggesting preference for clubs. With strong diamonds, he should have played the six of hearts. Alas, it is not the last time that a defender's correct suit-preference play will be ignored. And declarer should be given credit for brave deception.

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. © 1989, NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.

Snyder Duplicate Bridge Scoreboard

THURSDAY

1. Tie: Shirley Drum and Pat Floyd; Jay Guthrie and Donna Early.
3. Tie: Joye and Wortham Loyd; Clara Tate and Verna Foree.

Nuptial vows unite couple

Skip and Linda Crawford announce the marriage of their daughter, Pollianna, to James E. Caldwell, son of Wayland and Mary Caldwell.

The couple was united in marriage Dec. 29 in Lubbock where they make their home.

The bride is employed by a Lubbock dentist and is attending Texas Tech University.

The groom is a 1983 SHS graduate in attendance at Texas Tech University. He is employed as a credit analyst at North Carolina National Bank of Texas in Lubbock.

Since 1971, when federal law stopped the slaughter of wild horses and burros — many for dog food — they have tripled their numbers to 50,000 across the West, says National Geographic.

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Community Calendar

MONDAY

Snyder Board of Realtors; The Shack; 12 noon.
Multiple Sclerosis support group; Cogdell Memorial Hospital doctor's lounge; 1 p.m.; program by Dr. Stanley Allen.
Free blood pressure clinic; Fluvanna Community Center; 1-2 p.m.
Noah Project support group for victims of family violence; 3:45 p.m. For more information, call 573-1822.
Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m. For more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext. 283.
Open duplicate bride; Colorado City bridge room; 7 p.m.
Family Council; Snyder Nursing Center council room; 7 p.m.; call 573-6673 for information.
Ladies' Auxiliary to the VFW; VFW Hall; 7:30 p.m.
Overeaters Anonymous; Morning Side Baptist Church fellowship hall; 7:30 p.m. Call JoAnn at 573-9839 for information.
New Choices Support Group; Park Club in Winston Park; 7 p.m. For co-dependency or adult children of alcoholics. Call 573-4837 or 863-2427 for information.
Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-4870 or 573-1357.

TUESDAY

Ladies Golf Association; tee time 9 a.m.
Sparklers-Chamber Volunteers; The Shack; 12 noon.
Free blood pressure clinic; Ira Community Center; 1-2 p.m.
Twentieth Century Study Club; 3 p.m.
Alpha Study Club; MAWC; 3:30 p.m.
Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m. For more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext. 283.
University Women; MAWC; 6 p.m.
ACBL Open Pairs Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 7 p.m.
TOPS TX56; weigh-in and meeting 7-8 p.m.; 2501 35th St.; for more information, call Jean Yearwood at 573-9444.
Beta Sigma Phi; Snyder Country Club; 7:30 p.m.
Snyder Police Auxiliary; SNB community room; 7:30 p.m.
Scurry Lodge 706; AF and AM degree classes; 7:30 p.m.
New Horizon Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.
Al-Anon; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.

WEDNESDAY

Free blood pressure clinic; Hermleigh Community Center; 1-2 p.m.
Aitrurian Daughters; MAWC; 2:30 p.m.
Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m. For more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext. 283.
Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-3956 or 573-0414.

THURSDAY

Snyder Palette Club; W. 37th St.; 9 a.m.-4 p.m.
Noah Project Advisory Committee; Cogdell Memorial Hospital board room; 12 noon. All members are urged to attend.
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 more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext. 283.
Weight Watchers of West Texas; basement of First Presbyterian Church; 6 p.m. New members welcome and should register at 5:30 p.m.
Musical Coterie; MAWC; 7:30 p.m.
Scurry County Sheriff's Posse; posse clubhouse; 7:30 p.m.
Alateen; for the children of alcoholics; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.
Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.

FRIDAY

Story Time for Preschoolers; Scurry County Library; 10 a.m.
Snyder Jaycees; noon luncheon; The Shack.
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.
Christian Women's Club guest dinner; Snyder Country Club; 7-8:30 p.m.; \$7.75 dinner; \$1 beverage alone; reservations by noon Thursday, 573-9969 or 573-8942.

Town and Country Topics

By Kathryn Roberts
Extension Agent

NEW DETERGENT CAN DAMAGE WASHERS

A new laundry detergent could cause problems in washers if not used exactly according to instructions.

The Coin Laundry Association is warning consumers and the laundry industry that the prepackaged detergent-softener combinations should not be put into automatic soap dispensers of front loading washers.

The product is a packet containing detergents and softeners that are designed to be placed directly in the washer tub and then go with the washed clothes into the dryer. If put in the automatic dispenser, it will not dissolve like most liquid and powder detergents, instead work-

ing its way through the inlet hose of the dispenser and preventing water from entering the washer tub.

The water eventually bubbles out of the dispenser and onto the floor, creating a mess and a safety hazard. To fix the machine, the inlet hose must be taken off the dispenser to get the packet out.

The detergent will not cause a problem if used correctly, but the instructions carry no specific warning about front loaders.

While most front-loading washers are located in commercial coin-operated laundries and apartment complex laundry room, some models are used in homes. Only liquid or powder detergents should be used in the automatic dispensers in these machines.

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Beneficial development from two new people in your life in the year might not be too far from these relationships.

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Your Birthday
Feb. 5, 1989

Beneficial developments could result from two new people who may enter your life in the year ahead. Initially, you might not be too fond of each other, but these relationships will improve with time.
AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) In order to achieve objectives today, you must be both methodical and patient. If these elements are lacking in your approach, your efforts might count for nil. Acquaint yourself to a birthday gift. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions for the year ahead by mailing \$1 to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Grudges must not be permitted to distort your outlook in an arrangement you may have with someone you dislike. Treat today's happenings as a fresh start.
ARIES (March 21-April 19) Be careful today about involvements with friends where expenditures could become an issue. This is a touchy area that could create hard feelings if matters aren't conducted properly.
TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Decisions you make under pressure today aren't likely to represent examples of your best judgment. If there is something important you have to consider, weigh and balance every aspect.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Your priorities might be out of sync with people you'll be involved with today. If you are too self-serving, it could make difficult arrangements even worse.
CANCER (June 21-July 22) Guard against tendencies today toward being too possessive of people you like. In situations where you try to impose your will on others, the results could turn out less than desirable.
LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Usually you're a rather agreeable person, but today companions might throw up their hands in dismay because nothing they do will please you.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) There's a possibility today that you may spend too much time dissecting a clever idea rather than getting around to executing it. Overanalysis can cause paralysis.
LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) There is a chance you might not make the most of your opportunities today, especially those of a material nature. Don't give frivolous matters priority over activities of substance.
SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) If you have any frustrations early in the day, try to wipe them from your mind as promptly as possible or else they could have a negative influence on the way you deal with others.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Today you may be a trifle too talkative for your own good. You might pass into the wrong people certain information you should be keeping to yourself.
CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Adhere to your noble inclinations to treat others generously today, but don't carry it to extremes and impulsively give away something you may later wish you hadn't.

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Your Birthday
Feb. 6, 1989

In the year ahead you are likely to experience a number of beneficial changes in important areas of your life. Make every effort to capitalize on your opportunities as they develop.
AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) Allow yourself adequate time to think through all of your important moves today. Poor judgment or impulsiveness are threats with which you may have to contend. Major changes are ahead for Aquarius in the coming year. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today. Mail \$1 to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Be optimistic regarding the outcome of events today, but also be realistic. Don't be lured in ways where you rely more on luck than your abilities.
ARIES (March 21-April 19) Continue to be extra cautious regarding money matters today or else some sort of financial loss may be suffered, through a friend or a group with whom you are involved, due to poor judgment.
TAURUS (April 20-May 20) You might be somewhat slack today in situations that require self-discipline. If this attitude continues, you could lose a great deal of momentum.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Be sure people you assist today are truly deserving of your help and not just taking advantage of your easy-going nature. You should be able to distinguish between the two types.
CANCER (June 21-July 22) In order to make your presence felt with your peer group today, you might try to make some changes that are not in accord with the majority. Be cooperative, not combative.
LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Affections or boasting will prove to be counterproductive today. For example, don't pretend you're tight with some big shots you only know casually.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Guard against tendencies today to magnify the difficulties of relatively easy tasks or assignments. Don't let your own imagination defeat you.
LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Someone you may have to deal with today might try to make the terms more disagreeable if you prematurely reveal how eager you are to have what is being offered.
SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Unfortunately promises made to you today by family members or relatives should be taken with a grain of salt. They'll want to please you, but they may not be able to follow through.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) It could foul up your schedule for the next few days if you brush aside matters that need immediate attention now hoping you'll get around to them later.
CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Even though financial conditions are showing indications of improvement, this is not a day to be extravagant or wasteful. It may prove wise to pretend any surpluses you've accumulated don't exist.

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Plot to steal technology is revealed

DALLAS (AP) — Federal officials say a suburban Carrollton man charged with offering \$10,000 for the murder of a U.S. Customs Service agent was under investigation for possible illegal exportation of Stealth aircraft technology.

Chandrasekha "Shaker" Ivatury, a former computer systems analyst for LTV Corp., was charged Wednesday with solicitation of capital murder in connection with an alleged plot to kill an unidentified federal agent.

The agent began investigating Ivatury in December after learning that he was an associate of two other Dallas-area men already charged with laundering money through a Yugoslavian bank and illegally exporting high-technology equipment, federal officials said Thursday.

Customs spokesman Charles Conroy of Dallas said investigators discovered on Monday that Ivatury was attempting to hire a gunman to kill the

special agent, whom he declined to identify.

An undercover special agent was introduced to Ivatury as a hit man willing to carry out the killing, Conroy said.

Defense lawyer Denver McCarty of Dallas said the computer engineer may have made threats on the agent's life but never intended to carry them out.

McCarty told the Dallas Morning News Ivatury attended the meeting with an undercover customs official posing as the hit man just so he could call off the plot.

The unemployed computer technician told the undercover agent that he feared being arrested any day because of the customs investigation and that he wanted the federal agent murdered to buy time so he could obtain a passport under an alias and flee the country, a Customs Service official said.

Ivatury came under federal scrutiny late last year after two associates were indicted in

Philadelphia on federal money-laundering and illegal export charges.

The men, Hubert Francis Cole, 44, of suburban Carrollton, Texas, and Vjekoslav Spanjol, 31, of nearby Plano, Texas, were arrested in December at Philadelphia International Airport as they tried to ship \$9 million provided by undercover customs agents to Chicago, authorities said. There, the money was to be picked up by a Yugoslavian diplomatic official for shipment to his home country under diplomatic seal, authorities said.

When Ivatury learned that a customs investigator was asking about him, he called the Dallas office of the Customs Service and asked to meet the agent, authorities said.

McCarty said Ivatury suggested in a subsequent visit with the agent that he might know something about possible illegal export activity.

Federal officials' said they

believe that Ivatury may have used his computer access and knowledge to obtain unclassified but sensitive information regarding LTV's involvement in composite fabrication techniques used to make Stealth aircraft invisible to radar.

Jim Croslin, a spokesman for LTV's aircraft products group, said that Ivatury was an information systems analyst with the company's aircraft division from September 1987 to January 1988.

Croslin said Ivatury did not have government security clearance necessary for access to classified information.

Ivatury is on probation for two 1988 convictions for carrying a concealed weapon. If convicted on the state charge of solicitation of capital murder, he faces a maximum sentence of life imprisonment and a \$10,000 fine.

He was being held today in lieu of \$1 million bail at Lew Sterrett Justice Center.

2 months after Aerostat goes up, no smugglers have fallen

DEMING, N.M. (AP) — A stationary radar blimp that has been hovering three miles above Deming hasn't spotted any drug-smugglers' planes in its first two months of operation, but officials believe the device is still a success.

The \$18 million, helium-filled balloon, called an aerostat, has forced drug smugglers to either fly into the United States somewhere else along the border or to drive across the border — a much riskier proposition, U.S. Customs spokesman Charles Conroy said Thursday.

The Deming aerostat was deployed Dec. 3. It is the second of a planned network of six aerostats along the U.S.-Mexican border. The other aerostat is at Fort Huachuca, Ariz.

The sophisticated radar aboard the Boeing 747-size aerostats is designed to detect low-flying smugglers' aircraft. It appears the smugglers have been avoiding the radar balloons.

"The people who fly planes

know it's there because we advertised it very well before we even put it up," Conroy said. "The aerostat serves as a very good deterrent."

Conroy said Customs officials believe airborne drug smugglers have switched to areas along the border unprotected by radar — principally the California and Texas borders — or are driving their loads across.

The aerostat's existence might be the reason for huge increases in cocaine and marijuana seizures by U.S. Border Patrol agents at highway checkpoints in West Texas and southern New Mexico, Conroy said. The Border Patrol has been attributing the increases in seizures to more drug traffic and the use of sniffer dogs.

"We're forcing drug smugglers to go into a high-risk environment where we have more control — on the ground," Conroy said.

The aerostat looks like a glint

of silver from the ground. A small crew of Customs agents minds the radar blimp at its tether site about 22 miles west of Deming. It costs about \$3 million a year to operate.

Other aerostats are scheduled to go up later in Yuma, Ariz., and in the Texas communities of Marfa, Eagle Pass and Rio Grande City. The network will cover the entire border, Conroy said.

If the radar detects a suspicious airplane, Customs aircraft can be sent to intercept it.

Decoration presented

CALCUTTA, India (AP) — President Francois Mitterrand of France presented his nation's highest decoration, the Legion of Honor, to Indian filmmaker and author Satyajit Ray, calling the award "a tribute to India."

Mitterrand gave Ray the gold medal award at a ceremony in Calcutta on the second day of a four-day official visit to India.

El Paso seeks out-of-court settlement

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — Now that a federal judge has taken away much of El Paso's punch in its legal fight to obtain water from New Mexico, the city is extending its hands to its neighboring state.

The city's Public Service Board, which operates the water

utility, plans to pursue an out-of-court settlement in light of the latest legal setback, officials said Wednesday.

That defeat came last week, when U.S. District Judge James Parker of Albuquerque declined to hear an appeal in El Paso's decade-old fight to drill 266 water

wells in southern New Mexico. He said the issue should be decided in a pending appeal before state District Judge Manuel Saucedo in Deming, N.M.

Parker's decision seems to have chastened the PSB, whose members met behind closed doors Wednesday and emerged with a new attitude of cooperation.

"We're holding out our hands in friendship and goodwill to the people of New Mexico," PSB chairman Joe Hanson said, adding the board had decided to work for a settlement and would not "institute any new legal proceedings at this time."

But the Elephant Butte Irrigation District, which represents New Mexico farmers, doesn't plan to back down from its vow that El Paso won't get any New Mexico water to aid its rapid growth, Elephant Butte chairman John Salopek said.

"The district has never given any indication of changing its mind," Salopek said.

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Above the Fold

By Donny Brown

Kids and telephones, good grief. They begin to use them around the second grade, enjoying the same rights and pleasures as an adult.

SDN Opinion Page

Columns-Cartoons-Look Back-Letters-Quotables

And pausing to catch our breath, we have to ask, so how come nobody's teaching it to America's youth? In the sixth grade, if memory serves, we learned how to write bank checks.

Country Life

By Deanie Francis Mills

Well, what d'ya know, guys? Here I am, a college co-ed again. It seems that my interest in criminal investigation has consumed me to the point that I'm proud to announce that I am now among the number of individuals who have sat at the feet of our own Ray Robbins, taking two criminal justice classes from him at WTC, Criminal Investigation and Criminal Evidence and Court Procedure.

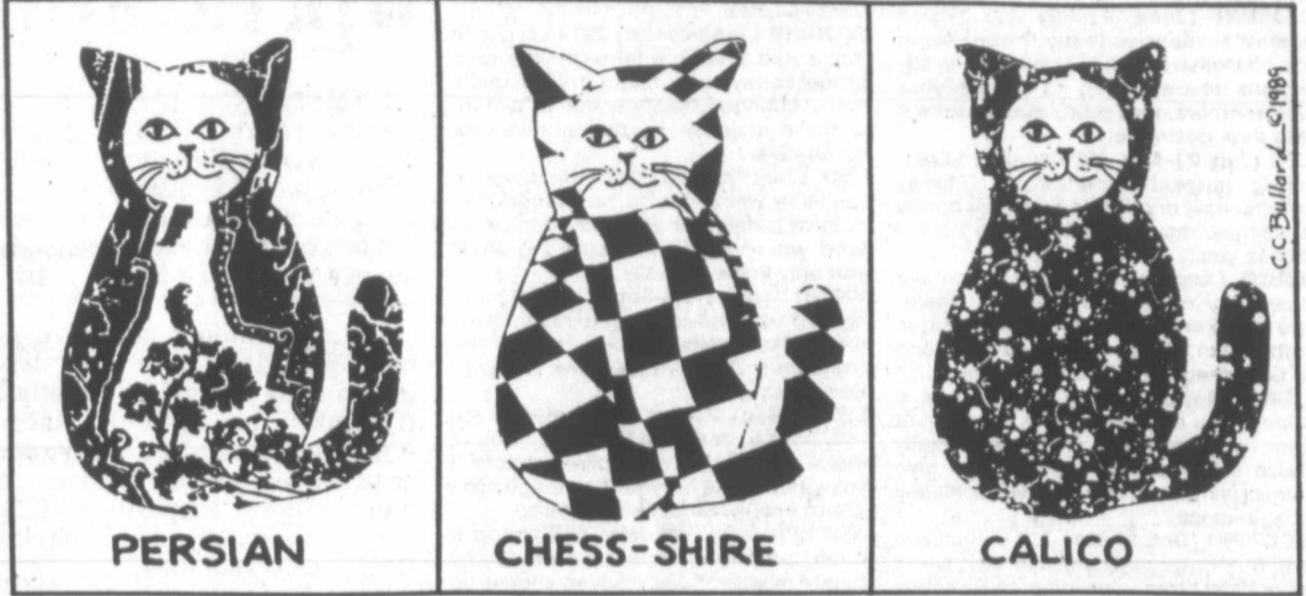
However, I seem to remember a drop-dead gorgeous Swede in our freshman dorm who somehow managed to make us all love her in spite of her looks. We all went home that Thanksgiving saying things like, "Vat ees goink oink?", which we thought was fall-down hilarious. Guess you had to be there.

Parents, if you want to give your kid a leg up, teach them phone manners. If for no other reason, to snowball the other adults in your circle—many of whom haven't heard a civil word from a child's mouth since they agreed to buy them that Nintendo set.

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legally than learning something new. It's invigorating and stimulating and young-making. Granted, cramming for tests and writing papers won't be as easy with a family to raise and a career on the side, but in some ways, I look back on my old college days and see so much that was squandered.

Look Back

By Lilith McArthur

FIVE YEARS AGO Mary Nell Bullard, head librarian at Scurry County Library, was honored by staff and friends with a retirement party.

10 YEARS AGO Bette League was crowned Beta Sigma Phi Valentine Queen in ceremony at the sorority's annual Valentine ball.

15 YEARS AGO In award presentations at the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet, H.W. Cargile received the Outstanding Citizen Award and Billy Bob McMullan received the first Harrie Winston Award for Achievement in Agriculture.

20 YEARS AGO T.E. Shelburne received the Master Builder Award and plaque from the West Texas Chapter, Associated Contractors.

Lynn Bethel of Bethel Studio of Music was named to the Piano Guild's highest honor, the Hall of Fame.

SDN Week in Review

SUNDAY January 29 Lesa Ward's black crossbreed steer and Rana Eicke's Hereford were chosen grand champion and reserve grand champion in the Scurry County Junior Livestock Show reported in Sunday's edition.

MONDAY January 30 The annual premium sale for the Scurry County Junior Livestock Show raised \$63,000 for its young showmen, it was reported Monday.

TUESDAY January 31 A mobile home at 2307 Ave. I was considered a total loss Wednesday morning after a fire ignited in it around 10:12 a.m.

WEDNESDAY February 1 "Hank the Cowdog" series author John R. Erickson autographed books Wednesday afternoon at the Scurry County Library for numerous young admirers.

FRIDAY February 3 The coldest reading of winter to date was recorded in Snyder early Friday morning with the mercury dropping to 10 degrees.



SDN Letters to the Editor

To the editor, My family and I have always loved Snyder. We moved here 37 years ago. Now, since our home burned Jan. 13, we have come to appreciate and love it even more.

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By Abigail Van Buren



True Story About False Teeth Proves Doctors Aren't Perfect

DEAR ABBY: I laughed when I read the letter from "Flabbergasted," the woman whose physician of many years didn't know that she wore dentures. It can happen. It happened to me when I was being examined by an Army doctor many years ago. He looked into my mouth and said, "My, your teeth are beautiful — not a filling or cavity!"

I said, "I hope not — they're false." He looked into my mouth again and said, "You're right. They are." ALSO FLABBERGASTED IN VIRGINIA

DEAR ALSO: Read on for a letter that takes the platinum stethoscope:

DEAR ABBY: Can you stand one more letter in regard to a physician's indifference?

For more than 20 years, I've had the same good doctor for my routine checkups, physicals, Pap smears and so forth. He is one of the best doctors in town and is on the staff at one of our leading hospitals.

After a pelvic examination this year, he asked, "Have you ever had a hysterectomy?" (I'm 56 years old.) I replied, "Never," which is true.

I still can't get over it. Can't a doctor tell from the examination? FLABBERGASTED IN CALIFORNIA

DEAR FLABBERGASTED: He should be able to. (Could there have been extenuating circumstances?)

DEAR ABBY: I had to write and set you and "Flabbergasted" straight. "Flabbergasted" was upset because her doctor, who had been her doctor for years and had brought all her children into the world, didn't know that she wore dentures. You seemed equally shocked, Abby, saying that this information should be on the patient's chart. Please! Most physicians see an

average of 20 patients per day, or from 100 to 120 per week, so if we don't remember that a person wears dentures or has a mole on her left knee, give us a break. This is not an important medical fact that can't be easily discovered by an exam and therefore is wasted space on a patient's chart.

We must constantly cram new information into our heads and select the most important to remember. Please, don't reinforce the public's unrealistic expectations of us. We are only human. MICHIGAN M.D.

DEAR ABBY: You asked your readers to once again support America Remembers/Operation Dear Abby.

We at the headquarters of the Pacific Fleet in Pearl Harbor received a message from the USS Constellation. The men on board want to thank your readers for the incredible response. The text of their message follows:

"Dear Abby: What a warm outpouring of love and support we experienced from Americans back home who shared the true meaning of the holiday season with all of us! So far (Dec. 20, 1988) we have received more than 60,000 Hanukkah and Christmas cards, letters and culinary delights. But we received much, much more — we received the love, warm thanks and appreciation of America. That outpouring of gratitude made each and every one of us here on the Constellation more committed to doing the jobs we do at sea and around the world — preserving the peace we cherish as Americans. "We are away from our families, and we miss them dearly, but the burden of separation has been lightened by the cards and letters we have been receiving from every state in the USA — from your readers, young and old. "Thank you, America!" THE OFFICERS AND CREW OF THE USS CONSTELLATION CV-64

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DEAR ABBY: The holiday parties have ended. They were enjoyable for the most part, but irritating at times. Abby, what is the correct protocol for greeting and saying goodbye to guests?

My husband is a very handsome man. All the women simply adore him, which is something I must deal with day in and day out. Is it proper for women to greet and dismiss with lip kissing and arms-around-the-neck embraces? This kind of behavior embarrasses and disgusts me. I think a gentle touch on the arm with a "thank you" is sufficient.

My husband says he agrees with me, and he wishes that the women would leave him alone.

How do you handle this without being unpleasant, or is it something in society that we must accept? BOTHERED IN NEWPORT

DEAR BOTHERED: As for your handsome husband's wishing that the women would leave him alone, his body language could probably do a better job of communicating his wishes. (No one embraces a statue.) Affectionate women frequently hug the host on arriving and departing, so you should lighten up a little. And your husband should not be so quick to provide "lip service."

DEAR ABBY: I have been seeing a 27-year-old man who happens to be my ex-school teacher. I met him during my junior year of high school. He was my teacher for only one semester. We became good friends during my senior year. (I would occasionally stop by his apartment for a visit, but nothing

over happened.) I am 18 years old now.

After I graduated from high school we became intimate, and we've been seeing each other for eight months. He is terrified of losing his job, so we can't be seen together. The only time I see him is when I go over to his apartment.

I still live at home with my parents, so he never calls me or comes over. When we make love, it means the world to me. I've told him that at times I feel like I'm in love all by myself although I know I really am in love with him. He tells me he "cares" for me and wants to be with me, but society won't allow it because of the age difference. I feel differently. I am 18 now and I'm out of school, so what can "society" do? Besides, I never went to bed with him until I was 18.

I hate all this hiding. I could understand his fear of losing his job while I was in school, but that's no longer the case. Sometimes I feel that he is using that as an excuse to keep me hidden in the closet. How can I get him to go public with me? Or do you think he's just using me? FRUSTRATED (NO CITY, PLEASE)

DEAR FRUSTRATED: Yes, I think he's using you. If his intentions were honorable, he would want to meet your parents and tell them how he feels about you. He is no longer your teacher, and you were not intimate while you were in school, so what is there to fear? He should be ashamed of himself, and you should concentrate on continuing your education and getting on with your future.

Don't put off writing thank-you notes, letters of sympathy, etc., because you don't know what to say. Get Abby's booklet, "How to Write Letters for All Occasions." Send a check or money order for \$2.99 (\$3.99 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, Letter Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054. (Postage is included.)

IRS possesses helpful tax information

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Internal Revenue Service has a full library of helpful tax information that is yours for the asking.

The agency's Tele-Tax system allows you to call a toll-free telephone number and hear a tape-recorded message on nearly 140 tax topics. They range from No. 155, "Dependents," to No. 612, "Tips — Withholding and Reporting."

The messages are available up to 16½ hours a day to those with

push-button tone telephones and during regular office hours to those with dial or push-button pulse phones. The number to call in your area may be found on Page 50 of your tax instruction package; the list of Tele-Tax topics is on Page 51.

If there are questions about your return that you want to ask directly of an IRS employee, there are different telephone numbers to call. They are listed on Page 49 of 1040A instructions

and on Page 52 of 1040 instructions.

A caution about these calls: In the past there was a good chance you would get the wrong answer to your question. The IRS vows to improve its performance in this area, but the more specific your question, the better chance you have of getting the correct answer.

If you don't fully understand the answer you are given, don't hang up until you are satisfied. After all, it is your tax return and you are responsible for filling it out correctly. One of the more helpful booklets is IRS Publication 17,

"Your Federal Income Tax." This provides considerably more detail than the instructions in your tax package, and includes filled-in examples of several forms.

Publication 17, like dozens of specialized booklets and forms, is available free by writing the IRS at the address shown on Page 48 of 1040A instructions or Page 53 of 1040 instructions.

Or, you may call the toll-free number for forms: 1-800-424-3676. The IRS promises delivery within two weeks.

Publication 1 is a new booklet that sets out your rights as a taxpayer.

Scurry Library News and Views

FEATURED THIS WEEK THE ROARING '80s. By Adam Smith.

The '80s, an era of easy debt and easy spending, are still roaring along, and in this lively and enlightening book, Adam Smith once again helps us understand the economic complexities of our most recent times — revealing the trends, showing us what they mean, and providing a way to think about the past and the future.

As we move ahead in the roaring '80s, there is bad news and good news, delivered as only the incomparable Adam Smith can. For, as always, Adam Smith writes with a brilliant combination of wit, knowledge, and perfect clarity that makes him an absolute pleasure to read.

NEW LARGE TYPE BOOKS

"The Rider of the Ruby Hills" by Louis L'Amour.

"Search the Shadows" by Barbara Michaels.

"Murder in Georgetown" by Margaret Truman.

"The Holcroft Covenant" by Robert Ludlum.

"The Murder of Roger Ackroyd" by Agatha Christie.

"Weep No More My Lady" by Mary Higgins Clark.

"The Man on the Blue" by Luke Short.

"Solitude's Lawman" by Ray Hogan.

"Nightrider's Moon" by Laurant Painé.

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Earth fissures could kill radioactive site

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — Cracks in the earth that look like a series of ditches constitute the latest hope for opponents of a proposed low-level radioactive waste dump site in Hudspeth County.

Opponents have another weapon: they contend the proposed site sits in a floodplain that can be expected to be inundated once a century — meaning the place would be unsuitable as a radioactive dump site under federal guidelines.

But executives of the Texas Low-Level Radioactive Waste Disposal Authority contend the cracks and the floodplain are either nonexistent or minor concerns.

The cracks could indicate other fissures are in the area that could act as conduits for groundwater to seep into the dump and become contaminated, said Mark Turnbough, director of special pro-

jects for the Rio Grande Council of Governments. The council, at the behest of El Paso County, is hiring experts in an effort to discredit the proposed dump site.

The dump, 37 miles east of El Paso, would store low-level radioactive materials from hospitals, research labs and businesses. The materials would be stored in buried concrete containers.

Officially, the disposal authority is studying the site and has not chosen it, but opponents point out that the authority is looking only at the Hudspeth County site. They say the authority has settled on the dump site but won't admit it.

In addition to hiring geologists who have found the fissures, the Rio Grande Council of Governments has hired hydrologists who determined most of the dump site is on a floodplain, Turnbough said.

SDN letters continue below

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had built the college and that the taxes we were paying would only be until they had enough enrollment to pay it's own way.

Now I find that it takes more taxes to run the college than it does the county and it is almost as much as we pay to run the city government. When does the college start paying it's own way?

I also find that the golf course fees have been raised by 50 percent, which is higher than any course around this area. Consequently, the use of the course has dropped and there are very few senior golfers who can afford to play very often. Since this revenue is lost, it could mean that we will have to pay more taxes for the college.

Does the fact that all of the regents of the college are members of the country club and that the country club is in financial trouble have anything to do with the raising of the college course fees?

No, our fine upstanding business men are above stooping as low as that. Gil Godwin 2903 Ave. Z Snyder, TX 79549

To the editor, Recently I had the privilege of sponsoring my physics class on a field trip to Dallas. We went to participate in a hands-on physics exhibit at the Southwest Museum of Science and Technology in Fair Park.

The class, consisting of Jason Best, Dewayne Clinkenbeard, Darrell Dolliver, Michael

Rodriguez, Dan Scannicchio, Sam Shifflett, Ginger Smith, and Kevin Winter was a pure joy to sponsor.

These students conducted themselves in such a way that they were a credit to their school, to Snyder and to their families. It was a distinct pleasure to be able to participate in this educational experience with them, and I appreciate their families and the school for making this trip possible.

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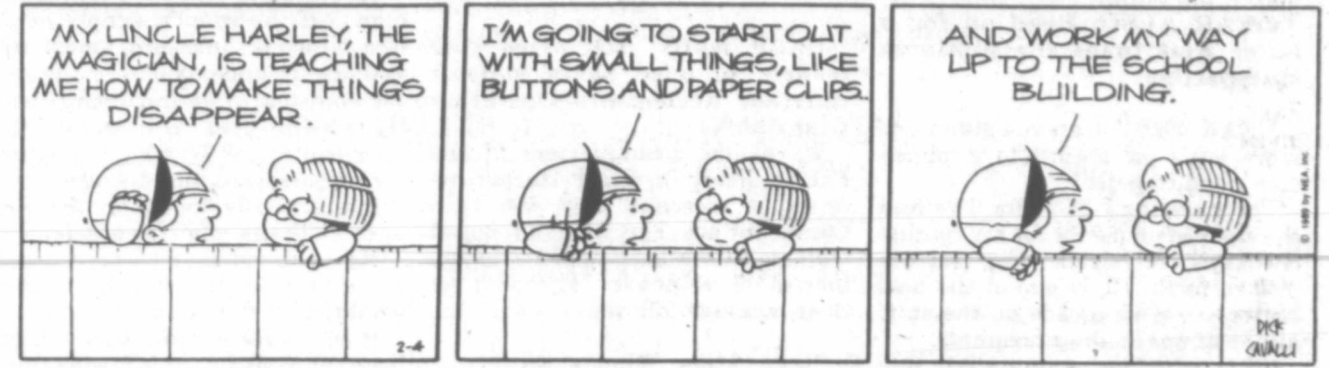
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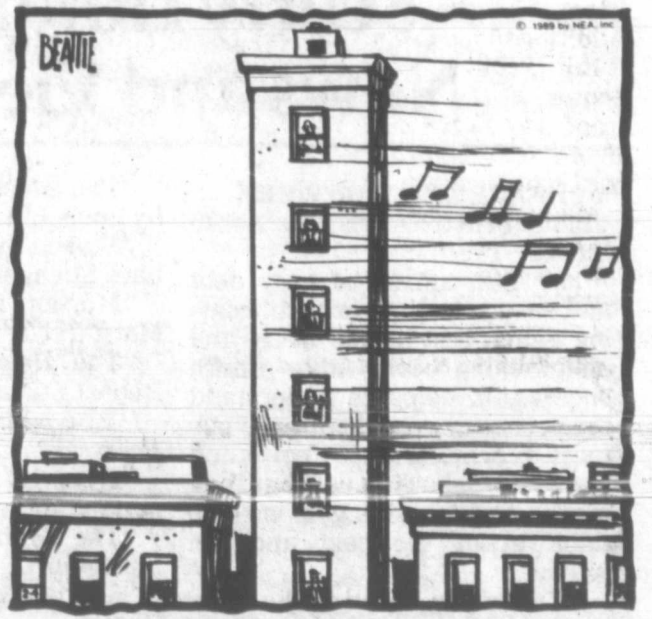
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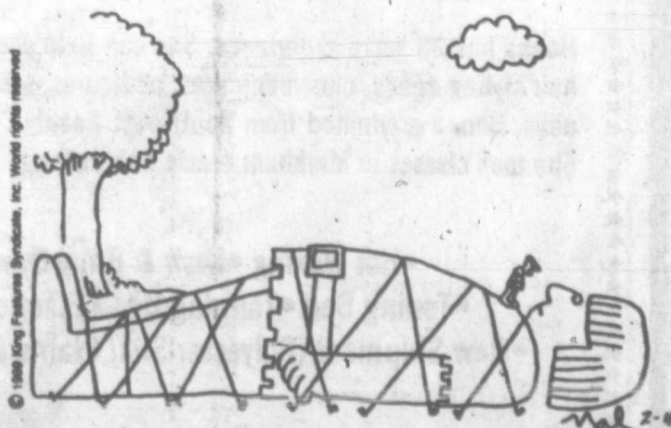


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14 Part of a day
15 Roman tyrant
16 Opposite of post
23 Escaped metal
18 Free from bacteria
20 Nappy leather
21 School of seals
22 Sesame plant
23 Boxer
26 Patterson
26 Russian author
30 Timber
31 Computer acronym
32 Color
33 Mother of mankind
34 Firearms
35 Time period
36 Most profound
38 Unspoiled
40 Permit
41 Uncle (Sp.)
42 Electrical "valves"
45 Fastened with a rod
49 Lamb's pen name
50 Large container
51 This (Sp.)
52 Wine casks
53 Theater sign (abbr.)
54 Genus of frogs
55 Leisure
56 It precedes gee
57 Baseballer Musical

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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41 Like a ___ bricks
42 Gala
43 Hawaiian food
44 Evils
45 Racetrack surface
46 Future attys.' exam
47 Chemist's burner
48 College head
50 Mao ___ tung

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- 1 Actress Rowlands
2 Actor Montand-

Public Records

New Vehicles

Mary J. Mayes, 1989 Cadillac from Howard Gray Motors.
 Chevron USA, three 1989 Chevrolet pickups from Mal Donelson Chevrolet.
 Donnie Brown, 1989 Dodge pickup from Elmore Chrysler-Dodge.
 Stephen A. Camp, 1989 Dodge pickup from Elmore Chrysler-Dodge.
 Ronald R. Hester, 1989 Ford from Wilson Motors.
 Cooper Mountain Ranch, 1989 Ford pickup from Wilson Motors.
 Gary G. Thornton, 1989 Ford pickup from Wilson Motors.
 Jack and Betty Elam, 1988 GMC pickup from Howard Gray Motors.
 Amoco Pipe Line Co., 1989 Ford pickup from Wilson Motors.
 Dorothy A. Kayser, 1989 Chevrolet from Mal Donelson Chevrolet.

Marriage Licenses
 Jeffrey D. Featherston and Marcie R. Chrane, both of Snyder.

Action in District Court
 Peggy Parrott, doing business as Haney's Jewelry, vs. Tom Bills, judgment for the plaintiff by default for \$1,712.

Snyder National Bank vs. Tommie J. Mills, as a corporation and individually, Parks-Walker Land Co. and Federal Intermediate Credit Bank, successor in interest to Sweetwater Production Credit Association, defendants' motion for summary judgment denied, plaintiff's motion for summary judgment granted to proceed with foreclosure on Round Top Acres, a subdivision in Sections 85 and 86, Block 3, H&GN Survey, Scurry County, Tex.

Abigahi M. and Elsa J. Sanchez and Thelma R. and Timothy D. Wilson, divorces granted.

Warranty Deeds
 Bethel Assembly of God Church to Lighthouse Assembly of God Church, the east 60 feet of the west 120 feet of the north 140 feet of Lot 2 in Block 74 of Grayum & Nelson's Second Addition and Lots 2 and 3 and the west 25 feet of Lot 4 in Block 51 of the Original Town on Snyder.
 Rosa Maldonado and Andy Maldonado to Inna B. Chattel (and Gladys N. Hilcher, the south 100 feet of the west one-half of Lot 3 in Block 72 of the Original Town of Hermleigh. (deed in lieu of foreclosure).

Letha Miller of Hockley County, trustee of the Richard E. Miller 1983 Trust, to R. Alan Miller of Ropesville, Lots 1 and 2, the east 15 feet of the south 105 feet of Lot 3 and the east 15 feet of Lot 4 in the Blankenship Addition to the City of Snyder.

Joan A. Watson to Henry Juarez et ux, the south one-half of Lot 2 in Block 1 of the West Side Heights Addition to the City of Snyder.
 George Kirkpatrick of Coahoma to Rosa L. Fisk, Lot 8 in Block 1 of the Andress Heights Addition to the City of Snyder.

Bill J. Hood, independent executor of the estate of Carolyn Hood, to Bill Hood, Lot 6 in Block 25 of the Colonial Hill Addition to the City of Snyder.
 Manuel V. Martinez et ux to Mary A. Martinez, a half-acre in Section 73, Block 3, H&GN Survey, Scurry County, Tex.
 Lawson Dennis to James C. Nix

et ux, the north 67 feet of Lot 2 in Block 26 of the Lundy's Park Addition to the City of Snyder.

Eddie D. Floyd to J.D. Smith et al, trustees of the Ave. T Christian Fellowship, Lot 1 in Block 25 of the Wilmeth Addition to the City of Snyder. (gift deed).

Lynn Fenton to Tim Huddleston, 10 acres in Section 206, Block 97, H&TC Survey, Scurry County, Tex.

Leo D. Schattell et ux to Linda K. Schwarz, the east 138 acres of the north 213 acres of the west one-half of Section 90, Block 2, H&TC Survey, Scurry County, Tex.

John R. Covey Jr. et ux to Ed Barkowsky et al, the south one-half of Lot 4 in Block 18 of the Original Town of Snyder.

Charles T. Hallmark et ux to Adrienne Pryor and Adrienne Pryor to Trinidad C. Herrera et ux, the west one-half of the northeast quarter of Section 90, Block 3, H&GN Survey, Scurry County, Tex.

Melvin Davenport et ux to James F. Matthews et ux, two acres in the south part of Section 23, Block 3, H&GN Survey, Scurry County, Tex.

Beryl Birdwell to Huanna B. Glass of Pasadena, Section 177 and the northwest quarter of Section 166 in Block 97 of the H&TC Survey, Scurry County, Tex.

Sterling Williams et ux to Roger K. Williams, the south 75 feet of a two-acre tract and the south one-half of the northwest quarter of Section 181, Block 3, H&GN Survey, Scurry County, Tex.

Jackie R. Leatherwood et ux to Janet Fair, 4.5728 acres in the northwest quarter of Section 157, Block 3, H&GN Survey, Scurry County, Tex.

Midler's father encouraged her

NEW YORK (AP) — Entertainer Bette Midler says her mother encouraged her, but her father didn't think much of her career choice.

"(My father) was one of those pooh-poohers — 'You'll never amount to a hill of beans.' Maybe it was reverse psychology, hoping against hope that I would amount to something, but it was pretty painful for a long time," Midler told Parade magazine in this Sunday's issue.

"He couldn't keep me down," said Midler. "I had too much inner belief. That came from my mother, who always said, 'Kid, you're going to be fine.'"

Although her father refused to attend her performances as her career took off, the pair had a reconciliation before his death in 1986, Midler said.

Her flamboyant stage act doesn't reflect her upbringing.

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I had polio more than 30 years ago. Now I am experiencing fatigue, joint and muscle pain, and weakness. Is this post-polio syndrome?

DEAR DR. GOTT: As we get our muscles become weaker and more easily tired. The same holds true for polio victims. However, since polio itself causes muscle weakness, fatigue and loss of strength are more prominent as such patients grow older. Many experts believe that post-polio syndrome is actually an enhanced weakness that is age-related. Therefore, you are probably experiencing this syndrome. Ask your doctor's opinion about this.

You may obtain further information from the Polio Information Center, 610 Main Street, Suite A446, Roosevelt Island, NY 10046.

DEAR DR. GOTT: My daughter is a grocery clerk who works with electronic scanners. After work her right hand is gray, flaky and dry. She has been cautioned not to look directly at the scanner. Is this radiation harming her?

DEAR READER: I do not believe that supermarket electronic scanners present a threat to health, either from low-dose radiation or from any other factor. Eyestrain can result from scanners and other equipment at checkout counters, but this is usually just a temporary nuisance.

I suggest that your daughter try a lubricating skin cream to alleviate skin dryness and scaling. If this is ineffective, she should check with her doctor for further advice.

DEAR DR. GOTT: A recent EKG showed a bundle branch block. I'm middle-aged and have been told not to worry. What could have caused this condition?

DEAR READER: The tiny electrical impulses that cause heart muscle to contract are carried from the heart's natural pacemaker to cardiac muscle through two major electrical systems: the right and left bundles. These bundles are collections of nerves, similar to electric cables.

Under certain circumstances, short-circuiting or slowing of electrical charges will occur in the bundles. This is called bundle branch block.

Right bundle branch block, or RBBB, is a common and harmless abnormality that is often present in normal people, frequently from birth. It requires no treatment and is not associated with heart disease or symptoms. RBBB is usually periodically monitored by physicians but, unless it is associated with other problems, such as heart strain, it can be disregarded.

On the other hand, left bundle branch block, or LBBB, can indicate developing arteriosclerotic heart disease. It is always considered abnormal until proven otherwise. Patients who develop LBBB need further cardiac investigation to determine if the block is due to heart damage or insufficient oxygen supply to cardiac muscle.

Judging from the comment you received from your doctor, I assume that you have RBBB. However, you should ask him about this because it does make a difference if you have LBBB.

DR. GOTT

PETER GOTT, M.D.

For more information, I'm sending you a copy of my Health Report "Eating Right for a Healthy Heart." Other readers who would like a copy should send \$1 and their name and address to P.O. Box 91369, Cleveland, OH 44101-3369. Be sure to mention the title.

Let's be fair. Although doctors have a reputation for charging an arm and a leg, this reputation may not be based on fact. We live in a service-oriented society where, in many cases, the cost of non-medical services is escalating far faster than physicians' fees.

For example, when I take my Volkswagen in for routine repairs, I am charged \$48 an hour for labor. Heaven knows what I'd pay to keep a luxury car on the road. To my knowledge, the Medicare authorities have no pending legislation to limit auto mechanics' charges, depending on what ails your car.

Last month my IBM typewriter went on the fritz. My secretary called the corporation service center for our area to request assistance. The company representative agreed to send out a repairperson — at a staggering \$158 per hour labor, including travel time, plus 25 cents a mile. After some backing and filling, we acceded to a service call when another client needed help, thereby sharing the cost of travel time. A week ago, the fix-it man came and replaced a \$4.50 drive belt that had broken. The belt was not guaranteed. I grudgingly paid the \$65.14 bill. It seemed like a lot of labor cost for the service I received. I think I was ripped off. IBM either needed my money to buy carpeting for its corporate executive suite or, more likely, the company is more interested in selling computers than fixing Electric typewriters.

Years ago, as an elderly colleague of mine was preparing to take down his shingle, he decided to separate the wheat from the chaff. He doubled his office fees to an astronomical figure — I think it was \$30 then — in the hope of attracting well-heeled patients to ease him into retirement. In those days, it was pretty well understood that you didn't seek assistance from doctors who charged more than you could afford. Patients of modest means were content to see the young doctor down the street (in this case, me) who was starting a practice and needed all the business he could get, whether it paid well or not.

The system has changed. Boy, has it changed. Today, physicians (whom government agencies have identified as "over-chargers") may be required to refund money to patients and, in

Massachusetts at least, can lose their licenses. I'm not aware of any watchdog committee that will force IBM to pay me back part of its overcharge, although I have been a loyal customer for years.

I don't make \$158 an hour when I'm working. If I'm lucky and the office is running at full capacity, I may make \$100 an hour. Of that, half goes to overhead. Of the remaining \$50, about 30 percent is paid in taxes. So, on a good day, my take-home pay is about \$35 an hour. I'm not even paid for my time on-call, giving advice on the telephone, driving, researching difficult cases, filling out insurance forms, sitting alone thinking and planning, consulting with other doctors, teaching or carrying out out committee work at the hospital. I have no sick time or paid vacations. When I stop working — even for a weekend — the income stops. I am not permitted to raise my fees for the elderly who are invariably more time-consuming than are younger patients. When I provide a late-night service or see sick people on holidays, I don't get time-and-a-half; in fact the differential is ludicrous. I'm told by the government that when I attend a desperately sick patient in the hospital's Intensive Care Unit, I cannot charge more than \$21.60 per hour. Bored by this litany? So am I.

I'm not sharing this information with you to complain; I just think you ought to know the facts. I live comfortably, but I work a 100-hour week to do so. Although some doctors are able to gouge the public, most practicing physicians in my generation are caught in the same bind as I am. We muddle along day by day, shaking

our heads at the dizzying array of regulations and restrictions that seem calculated to drive the private practitioner nuts.

Sometimes, it's depressing. I wonder about a society whose priorities permit a typewriter repairman to demand and receive \$158 per hour (plus 25 cents a mile), most of which goes to corporate upkeep, while physicians are restricted by law to a fraction of that figure. If I'm ever crazy enough to call IBM for repairs, I'll have to remember to ask the serviceman how he landed such a cushy job.

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To start film

CINCINNATI (AP) — Actor Tom Selleck begins shooting his prison movie "Hard Rain" this weekend, using a Civil War-era former city workhouse for a location.

The movie, set at the closed Hamilton County jail, will be off-limits to outsiders.

The film will also be shot partly at the field house of suburban Norwood High School. The moviemakers project an 18-day filming schedule, with shooting to start Saturday at the jail.

Before nylon and rayon came along and seized most of the wool market, Wyoming alone had more than half as many sheep as the entire United States does today.

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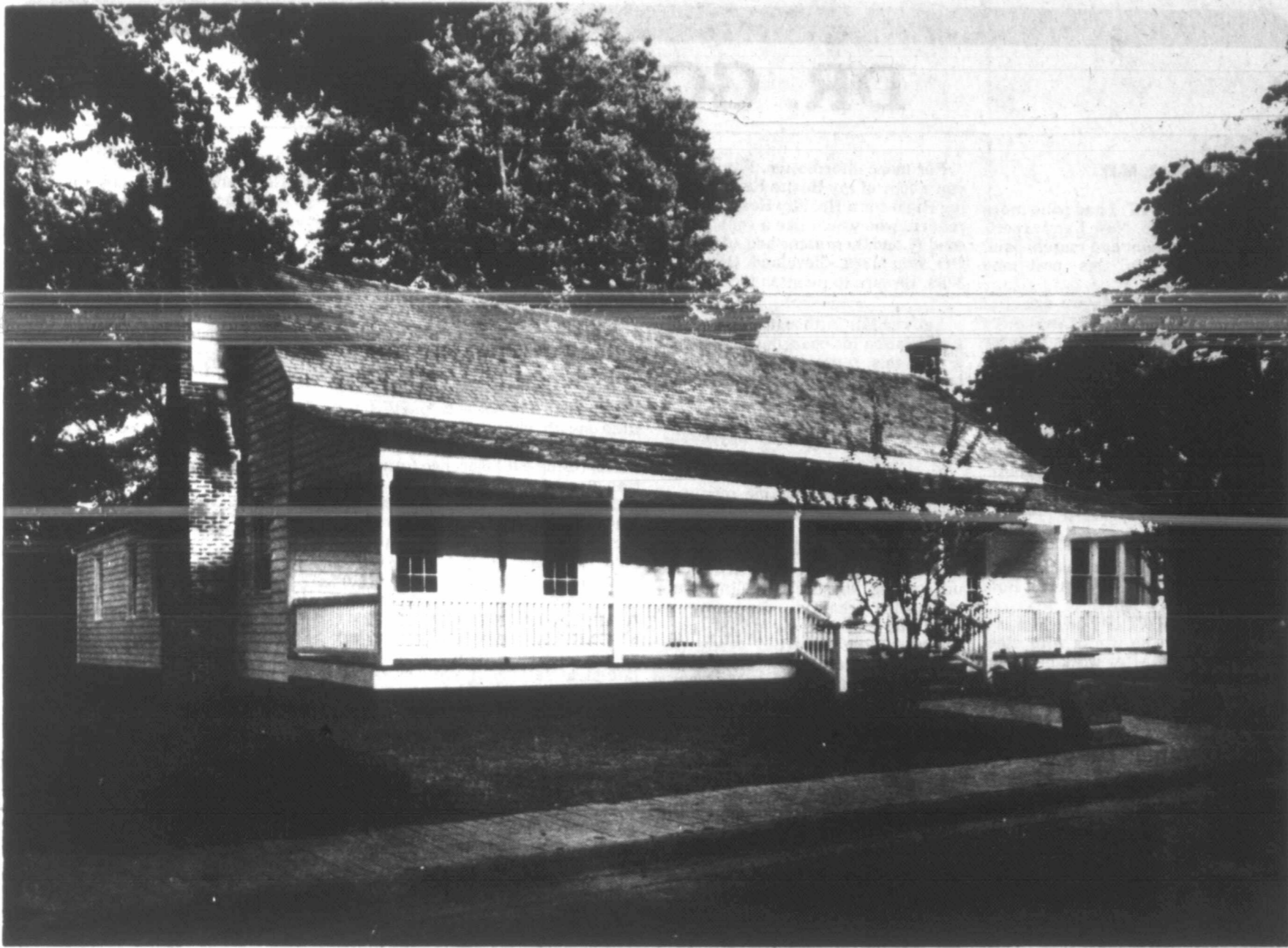


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IN EXHIBIT—This photograph of the Adolphus Sterne home in Nacogdoches, site of Sam Houston's baptism into the Roman Catholic Church, is included in the exhibit of photos by Bill Murchison to be featured in the Western Texas College Fine Arts Gallery from Sunday, Feb. 5, to February 24. A reception marking the opening is scheduled from 1:30-3 p.m. on Sunday and the public is invited. (Photo by Bill Murchison)

Be sure to claim correct deduction

WASHINGTON (AP) — It's easy to avoid the most common error found on federal tax returns: Just be sure to claim the right standard deduction.

Every year the experts sample returns on which errors have been found, and every year the results are the same: Thousands of taxpayers who don't itemize deductions write down the wrong standard deduction.

The problem was made worse by the 1986 tax overhaul, which limited the standard deduction for taxpayers — mostly students — who can be claimed as a dependent by someone else. The new law also complicated the standard deduction for those who are blind or at least 65.

If you file the long Form 1040, get your standard deduction from page 17 of the instructions. See pages 28 and 29 if you file 1040A or 1040EZ.

Thousands of other taxpayers make errors in arithmetic, and although such mistakes usually are caught by an IRS computer, they likely will delay any refund.

Another common error can be

most costly. Large numbers of lower-income working families that are eligible for the earned-income credit fail to claim it; others make the wrong calculations. To determine whether you are eligible, check the worksheet on page 20 of the 1040 instructions or page 35 of the 1040A instructions.

Some other things to remember:

— Be sure you copy the right figure when you read across the tax tables to find your tax liability.

— Even the rule for rounding off to whole dollars has been complicated. The IRS says, for example that you may round off \$1.39 to \$1, and \$2.50 to \$3. But if you have to add two or more figures to arrive at the amount to enter on a line, round off only the total — not the individual figures.

— If you had two or more employers and earned more than \$45,000 last year, you may have had too much Social Security tax withheld from your paychecks. The excess may be subtracted from income taxes owed.

— Tax on your Series E or EE U.S. savings bonds is due no later than when they are redeemed. However, you may choose to report the interest each year when it accrues and pay tax annually.

— The law says you have not filed a return unless it is signed. You could face a \$500 penalty for filing a return that does not include basic information necessary to determine your tax liability. And even if you feel the need to protest, don't cross out or alter the "under penalties of perjury" declaration just above the signature line; that would void the return.

— Keep all records pertaining to your taxes for at least three years. Records on the sale, purchase or improvement of property, including your home, should be kept permanently, as should paperwork on your Individual Retirement Account.

— You must file Schedule B (for Form 1040) or Schedule 1 (for 1040A) if you received taxable interest or dividends exceeding \$400.

— The IRS needs to know how much tax-exempt interest you received last year; it should be listed on line 8b. Don't include interest earned on your Individual Retirement Account.

— By Feb. 15 you should receive from your employer a W-2 form showing your 1988 income. If you don't, ask for it. Lack of a W-2 does not excuse you from filing and paying any due tax by the April 17 deadline.

— If you cannot complete your return by the deadline, file a Form 4868 instead, which gives you an automatic extension to Aug. 15. However, you must estimate how much tax you owe and send a check for that amount with Form 4868.

— The sequence numbers listed under "1988" in the upper right corner of your tax forms tell you in what order the supplemental forms and schedules should be attached to your 1040.

— If you deduct alimony payments, your return must show the Social Security number of the recipient; the recipient's return must show your number.

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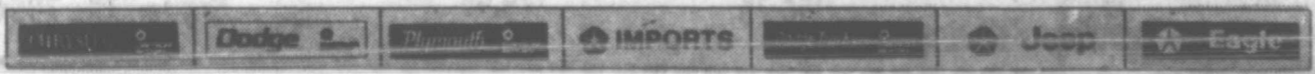
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