

Three for attempted murder...

8 individuals indicted by county grand jury

Six indictments were issued against three Snyder men Monday in connection with several recent violent incidents, including the Sept. 9 robbery-stabbing of a

62-year-old man.

The county grand jury also indicted five other criminal defendants on various charges.

Raymond Medrano Jr., 42, and Jesse V. Medrano, 25, both of 1900 Ave. I, and 24-year-old Rafael G. Vera of 701 30th St. were all indicted for aggravated robbery and attempted capital murder in the robbery-stabbing of Gilberto Jimenez of 1401 20th St., who was listed in critical condition at a Lubbock hospital for several days after the incident.

Raymond and Jesse Medrano were also indicted for aggravated assault in the alleged Sept. 9 stabbing of a Snyder man,

Ralph Torres, at a home in the 1200 Block of 24th St.

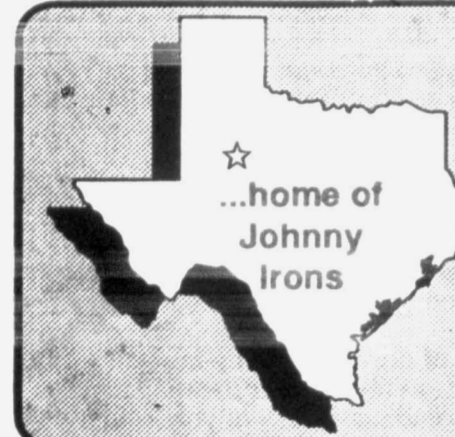
Jesse Medrano was also indicted for aggravated kidnapping in a reported knife-point abduction of a Snyder woman on Aug. 19.

Other true-bills issued Monday included two for injury to a child against Leroy T. Rivas, who had not been arrested, for allegedly hitting a boy younger than 15 years old in the face with his fist on Sept. 23 and 25.

Bobby L. Peek, who had also

not been arrested, was true-billed for hindering a secured creditor in connection with alleged actions pertaining to a 1979 Chevrolet that he had obtained from local car dealer Richard Dupree.

DWI indictments were issued against Steven R. Botts, 42, of Rt. 2, who was arrested on Sept. 9; Donald G. Dering, 30, of Colorado City, who was arrested on Sept. 10; and Johnny L. Alvarez, 37, of 2011 11th St., who was arrested on Sept. 24.



TUESDAY

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Deadline for voter registration nearing

The deadline for voter registration in the Nov. 7 constitutional amendments election is Sunday, Oct. 8, according to County Clerk Frances Billingsley.

Prospective voters need to make sure they have sent in their voter registration certificates. Registration cards need to be brought to the county clerk's office on the third floor of the courthouse by 5 p.m. Friday, or mailed with a postmark no later than Oct. 8.

The cards should contain date and place of birth and Social Security number and must be signed.

Billingsley said new voter registration cards for next year will be mailed between Nov. 15 and Dec. 5 and that people whose addresses have changed since their last registration need to mail in their voter registration cards with the corrected addresses or come into the county clerk's office with the information before new cards are mailed out. She noted the U.S. Postal Service will not forward voter registration cards to new addresses.

This information also cannot be taken over the phone because, according to the county clerk's office, the government constitutes such actions as "alteration of a document."

The county clerk's office may give information over the telephone, however. The number is 573-5332.

The clerk's office also pointed out the following information, which is printed on the back of the registration cards:

—You may vote without your certificate by signing an affidavit at the polling place. If you lose your certificate, you may request

a replacement certificate by contacting the voter registrar.

—You will receive a new certificate every two years as long as your registration is not cancelled under some provision of law. Voting by use of the certificate by any person other than the person in whose name the certificate is issued is a felony.

—If you move within the county, you must transfer your registration to your new address within 90 days after you move. You may vote a full ballot at your previous precinct for 90 days after you move, or until your transferred registration becomes effective, whichever comes first, if any office or proposition is common to the ballots of your new and old precincts.

—If you move from one Texas county to another, you must re-register in the county of your new residence. However, you may be eligible to vote a limited ballot for 90 days after you move if your new registration is not yet effective. Contact the county clerk for information.



NEW DIRECTORS — Elected to serve on the Scurry County Farm Bureau board of directors at the bureau's annual meeting Monday were, left to right, Sid Wall, Terry Franks and Tim Huddleston. (SDN Staff Photo)

City Council advised...

Water line work necessary before pump, engineer says

A Lubbock engineering consultant told city council members Monday night that recent tests he has conducted at the municipal water treatment plant indicate new water lines or line repairs should come before a new pump

that would increase water pressure.

Terry Bilderback of Parkhill, Smith & Cooper said the seven pumps currently in place at the plant are capable of delivering about seven million gallons of water a day, with pressure of 100 pounds per square inch, and increasing pressure would probably cause more line failures.

He had been asked to address the council in connection with its consideration of adding a \$200,000 pump to the proposed \$750,000 solids contact clarifier project at the plant.

Bilderback also said the pumps being used now "are old, but they're serving you well," adding that municipal equipment maintenance practices have apparently extended the life of the pumps.

"It just seems like some work on your piping system might be in order," the engineer said.

Mayor Troy Williamson said the city has been receiving complaints recently about a lack

of water pressure "at various locations" in the network.

Williamson said financial consultant Joe Smith of the First Southwest Co. in Abilene recently advised the council that rather than applying for a loan from the State Revolving Fund through the Texas Water Development Board, recent municipal bond rates are such that the city might do better to issue its own bonds.

Bilderback was directed to make an estimate of what a total

water system analysis would cost.

Other business in the 2½-hour meeting included the unanimous approval of a resolution supporting the Nov. 7 passage of Proposition 8, the \$400,000 prison bonds amendment, with Williamson noting that local banker Martin Brooks has been named to head a committee to back the proposed amendment.

The purchase of a new \$29,000 (See COUNCIL, page 8)

3 misses wins contest

Three misses took the first place money in the Snyder Daily News' latest Football Contest.

Janie McCormick of 3201 Houston Ave. missed only three games in 20 — two of which were ties — and receives \$50 for first place.

Five entrants managed five misses each, and the second and third place winners were determined using the tie-breaker

method. The second place \$25 goes to Katy Bailey of Rt. 1 Box 380F, and the third place \$15 goes to Becky Williams of Rt. 2 Box 489.

Due to the misprint on Hermleigh's opponent last week, all picks on the Hermleigh game were considered correct.

Another contest appears on the back page of today's issue.

The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "A father is a man who expects his son to be as good a man as he meant to be."

Two recent news items disturbed us.

One had to do with the earnings of some of the big-name lawyers in the nation. The Associated Press reported that Houston's Joseph Jamail had earned \$450 million in 1988.

He led the list in the October edition of Forbes magazine's listing of the nation's highest-paid attorneys.

The 63-year-old attorney is said to have earned \$420 million for his victory in the Texaco-Pennzoil case last year. The same magazine said his earnings may have been in the \$600 million range.

It's hard to imagine how anybody can "earn" those kinds of wages. For example, if Mr. Jamail worked 12 hours a day, six days a week for 52 weeks, he would have put in 3,744 hours.

That's more than \$12,000 an hour—and the guy probably isn't even worried about minimum wage.

We say three cheers for the principal in Dallas

who used an old, but innovative way of dealing with junior high fights.

The middle school principal invited two battling boys to put on the boxing gloves. The two rounds of two minutes each didn't even go the distance.

When finished, the two boys shook hands and hugged. Principal Frank Romero decided on that course of action rather than suspending the pair.

Romero argues that the boys' dignity was not marred, and the parents of the two have not complained about his handling of the incident. However, central office administrators suspended the principal with pay while the situation is being investigated.

The incident reminded us of a junior high coach who used the exact same technique several years ago. If two acted like they wanted to fight—he made sure they did.

He took out the boxing gloves, made a ring out of spectators and supervised the entire bout. The coach made a believer out of the boys in that class, and in just a few weeks there were no more disputes in his class.

The Dallas principal ought to get a raise for using some common sense.

Deadline set for 'exit test'

Wednesday is the registration deadline for anyone needing to take an exit-level TEAMS test.

This particular testing is for people no longer in school who have not previously passed one or both sections of the TEAMS exit test, but have met all other high school graduation requirements. They may take the section or sections they did not pass.

Testing will take place Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 25-26.

Registration materials may be obtained by contacting counselors Janet Wesson or John Short at Snyder High School.

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Ask Us

Q—Since this month is perfect attendance month, will a student be eligible for any prizes if he or she misses one class for an appointment that has been scheduled for two months?

A—The only students eligible for prizes will be those with perfect attendance. Attendance is taken at approximately 10 a.m. throughout the district. School officials urge that if at all possible, appointments need to be made after attendance is taken in the morning, or rescheduled for a later date.

In Brief

Noriega toppled

PANAMA CITY, Panama (AP) — Gen. Manuel Antonio Noriega, who controlled Panama and defied U.S. efforts to oust him for two years, was toppled in a coup today, according to a Panamanian Defense Forces communique read on national radio.

The announcement came after shots were fired outside the Defense Forces headquarters.

U.S. troops in combat gear took up positions only 600 yards from the barracks, which is in downtown Panama City near the canal. The U.S. Southern Command has installations at Fort Amador and Quarry Heights, less than a mile from the barracks. The Pentagon said no U.S. troops were involved in shooting.

The shooting appeared to be between factions of the Panamanian military. There was no confirmation of casualties, but neighbors of the headquarters in Panama City told The Associated Press there were dead and wounded.

Local

Clarification

An article in Monday's edition of the Snyder Daily News indicated Wes Partain has resigned as manager of Scurry County coliseum and the parks department.

While those posts were recently combined by the county, the coliseum manager will not take over direction of the parks until current parks superintendent Jimmy Ward retires Dec. 31, 1989. Until that time, Ward will remain as parks superintendent.

King Midas

Snyder High School drama department is sponsoring a children's stage play, King Midas and the Golden Touch, at Worsham Auditorium tonight.

Tickets for the 7:30 p.m. performance are \$2 for children and \$3 for adults at the door.

NAACP meets

The Scurry County chapter of the NAACP will meet at 7:30 tonight at the Mt. Olive Baptist Church.

All members are urged to attend.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Monday, 85 degrees; low, 54 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Tuesday, 54 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1989 to date, 10.66 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, mostly clear with a low in the upper 50s. Southeast wind 5 to 10 mph. Wednesday, partly cloudy with a high in the upper 80s. Southeast wind 10 to 15 mph.

Horton descendants hold annual reunion

Family members of the late Richard and Mary Horton celebrated their 36th annual reunion Sept. 16 at Towle Park Barn. This year, four generations gathered for a day of sharing memories and food. The family album, containing pictures and other items left to the Horton's descendants was on display.

Registered guests at the reunion included all six daughters, Lela and William Davis, Eva and Rubert Oliver and Gispse Clark, all of San Angelo; Nina Hubbard of Converse, La.; Martha and Melton Davis of Lake Thomas and Faye and J.D. Curtis, Jr., of Snyder.

Kendall, Wendy, Michael, Darin and Jarrett Davis; and James and Doris DeFreese, all of Snyder.

Also attending were Dewayne, Betty, Josh and Joel Curtis of Midland; Gerry, Lynn, Weldon, Dustin and Tori Clark; Rachel and Bonnie Thetford; Tasha, Cameron and Bethany Martin; and Kenneth Oliver, all of San Angelo; Kelvin, Rhonda, Misty, Michael and Kelya Stagner of Abilene; and Gary, Linda, Amy, Michael and Laci Falwell of Mesquite.

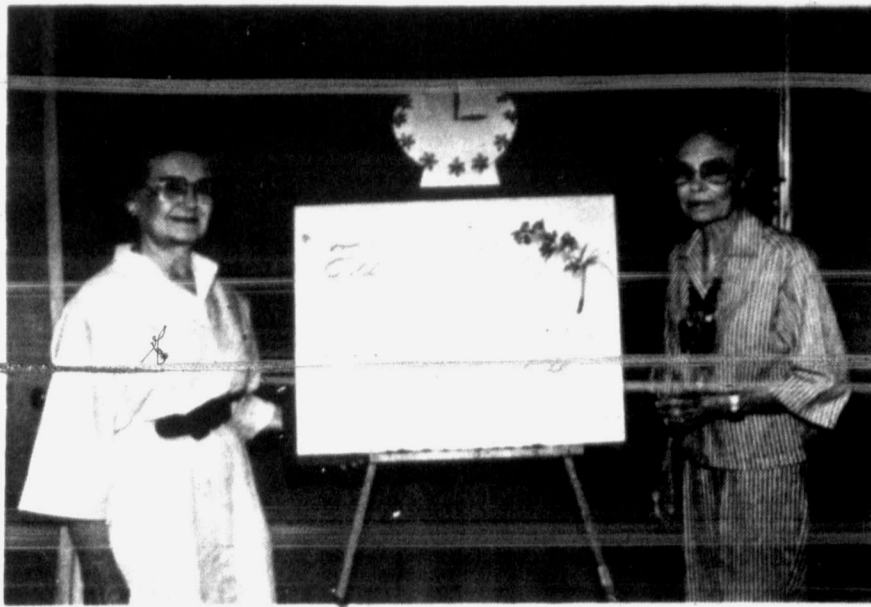
Carol McGuire made a video tape to send to those who could not attend the reunion.

Others on the register were Wayne, Janet and Will Davis, Delwyn, Judy, Laura, Stephanie and Alyssa Davis; Corky, Janice, Jannica and Jordan Northerns;

Codorniu plans its own vineyard

NAPA, Calif. (AP) — Codorniu, a Spanish wine producer founded in 1551, is planning its own vineyard and a \$22 million winery in the Napa Valley.

The family-owned firm produces sparkling wines and distributes them in 95 countries. Its new Napa Valley vineyards cover 250 acres of a 350 acre site on a high peak with a view of San Francisco.



FLOWERS BY THE HOURS — Geleska Baze left, and Maggie Best, members of the Snyder Garden Club, Member of District VIII, State Garden Clubs, Inc., are shown as they prepared to open their flower show to Scurry County Fair patrons recently. Mrs. Best is a national and international master judge, having judged shows in Christchurch, New Zealand; Sidney, Australia; and Lima, Peru. (SDN Staff Photo)

Community Calendar

TUESDAY
 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 information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext. 283.
 ACBL Open Pairs Duplicate Bride; Snyder Country Club; 7 p.m.
 TOPS TX56; weigh-in and meeting 7-8 p.m.; 2501 35th. For 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 573-8110, 863-2348 or 573-6820.
 Al-Anon; Charter Centre, 4200 College Ave.; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626. (Until further notice, the meetings will be at this location, instead of at the Park Club, Winston Park.)

WEDNESDAY
 La Leche League; First United Methodist Church Nursery; Parking in rear; 573-7844.
 Snyder Christian Women's Club Prayer Coffee; 10 a.m. West 37th; 573-3566.
 Al-Anon; Charter Centre, 4200 College Ave.; noon.
 Free blood pressure clinic; Hermligh Community Center; 1-2 p.m.
 Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m. For information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext. 283.
 Sparkle City Square Dancers; clogging; old Athletic Center building; 7-8 p.m.

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 1707 30th
 573-6890 or 573-4848

TRAVIS FLOWERS
 1906 37th
 573-9379

Bridge

James Jacoby

| NORTH | | EAST | |
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Vulnerable: North-South
 Dealer: North

| South | West | North | East |
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| 3 ♦ | Pass | 3 ♥ | Pass |
| 3 NT | Pass | 4 ♦ | Pass |
| 4 ♥(1) | Pass | 4 ♠ | Pass |
| 6 ♦ | All pass | | |

Opening lead: ♥ K

Setting up an endplay

By James Jacoby

North-South were fortunate to be using natural methods after two no-trump. South could thus bid three diamonds, forcing, and see what reaction ensued. North bid three hearts, which could be showing a five-card suit or could be a cue-bid in support of diamonds. South now bid three no-trump, not interested in slam unless North could show diamond support. Then came the real test of partnership. North did bid four diamonds, but what about the four-heart bid by South? In a strong partnership, that should be construed as a control-showing cue-bid, since diamonds have been confirmed as the partnership's trump suit. North now showed the ace of spades, and South took a shot at the slam.

Looking at all 52 cards, West would have led a spade, but otherwise the king of hearts was the automatic lead. Declarer won dummy's ace of hearts and ruffed a heart. Two rounds of diamonds ending in dummy were followed by another heart ruff. Next came A-K of clubs and a club ruff. The last heart from dummy was ruffed, and South then led a spade. When West followed low, the nine was inserted from dummy. East was on lead, and whatever he returned would make the slam for declarer.

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. Dorothy and Buford Brown-ing.
 2. Shirley Drum, Lou Meadows.
 3. Donna Early, Jay Guthrie.
 4. Helen Hood, Carla Beaird.

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Penwomen begin new year

The Scurry County Penwomen met Sept. 20 in the home of Mrs. Dorothy Cox.

"A Time To Write," was the program presented by Cox. "Writing is a type of addiction," Cox said. "A writer is addicted to writing and will find time to write."

She advised members to "believe in yourself, your potential and your performance. Observe and listen. Set a time to write. Write for the pure joy of writing," she concluded.

In the business session, the president, called for reports from the nominating, program and yearbook committees. Officers serve two years. Those elected were Garnet Quiett, president; Janelle Burk, vice president; Sherry Bryant, secretary; Dorothy Cox, treasurer; and Christine Killgo, chaplain.

Mary Westmoreland was appointed telephone chairman and Garnet Quiett was chosen publicity chairman.

The program chairman read a list of programs for the year and the yearbook committee will have the yearbooks ready at the next meeting.

Cox was complimented on keeping the Penwomen's scrapbook as members paid their yearly dues.

Members are to bring two poems each in October to be entered in a contest judged and critiqued by the Tarrant County Poetry Society.

Burke gave members copies of the society's by-laws to study so that amendments can be made at the October meeting.

In the reading session, those reading their own poems and articles were Sherry Bryant, "Time" and "The Harvest"; and Estelene Murphy, "The Valentine Boxes" and "Screened Porch."

Cox read several "Haiku." Burke read "Color of Munday" and "Mask Removed." Quiett read "West Texas Panorama" and "Autumn Rhapsody." Westmoreland read her article, "A Remedy for Loneliness." Killgo read "Is Silence Golden?" by Sue S. Williams.

The word of encouragement, "Live Today," was given by Bryant.

The meeting was adjourned and refreshments were served. The Oct. 18 meeting will be held in the home Mr. and Mrs. James P. Murphy. All interested writers and visitors are welcome.

Homemakers attend meet

The Texas Extension Homemakers Association held its 63rd Annual State Meeting Sept. 12-14 in Corpus Christi.

Author and Publisher Becky Barker gave the keynote address, speaking on "Answers: The Situation — The Solution." Ketha Stevenson spoke about "Goose Training — How to Fly with the Flock." Detective Floyd Price of Lubbock Police Department spoke to the group on crime and prevention.

Many workshops were held. Some subjects covered were organ donation, child abuse, soil and water conservation, support systems for families and individuals and making the world work without war.

There were over 965 Extension Homemakers and visitors in attendance. Joyce McCoy of Patchwork Squares Extension Homemakers Club, along with Pearle Waller and Virginia Humphrey of the Plainview Extension Homemakers Club attended as delegates of Scurry County. County Extension agent Kathryn Roberts also attended.

Anyone interested in attending a local Extension Homemakers Club meeting may find out when and where they meet by contacting Kathryn Roberts at 573-5423.

Art guild studies begin

The Art Guild Study Club met for the first monthly meeting of the 1989-90 year Sept. 20 at Martha Ann Woman's Club. Some 17 members were present. Hostesses for the meeting were Donnie Chorn, Jim Logan and Margaret Dell Pilcher.

In the business meeting, Maxine Holt reported the financial status of the club. She announced Laurie McFarland as the recipient of the \$100 scholarship.

Margaret Dell Pilcher gave the program. She read short stories to the group. Among her readings were "A Gift of Understanding," and "Come In Mary," by Pearl S. Buck and "A Woman Needs Three Husbands."

Honey-Do's have workday

Honey-Do's Extension Homemakers met in the home of Virginia Fogle Sept. 21.

Members worked on items for the Extension Homemakers Autumn Leaf Bazaar which will be Oct. 7 at the Senior Center. The bazaar will be from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m., and lunch will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Tickets for lunch will be sold in advance and at the door; they will cost \$3.50 for adults and \$2 for children 12 and under. Crafts booths, a sweet shop and program presentations will also be available at the bazaar.

During the meeting, members also planned the Christmas party and discussed programs for next year.

The four members present, Virginia Fogle, Mary Vaughan, Shirley Bullard and Patsy Burleson ate lunch at Reta's Barbecue, then attended the Scurry County Fair.

Iota Psi members get pins

The Iota Psi Sorority met Sept. 6, at the home of Jean Yearwood. Seven members were present for this first meeting of the year.

Katherine Erwin, president, presented year pins to Lenora Boydston, 20 years; Wanda Eicke, 30 years; Norma Book, 25 years; Charice Roberson, 20 years; Jean Yearwood, 15 years; and Katherine Erwin, five years.

Business for the upcoming year was also discussed before the meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

The Veterans Administration was established in 1930.

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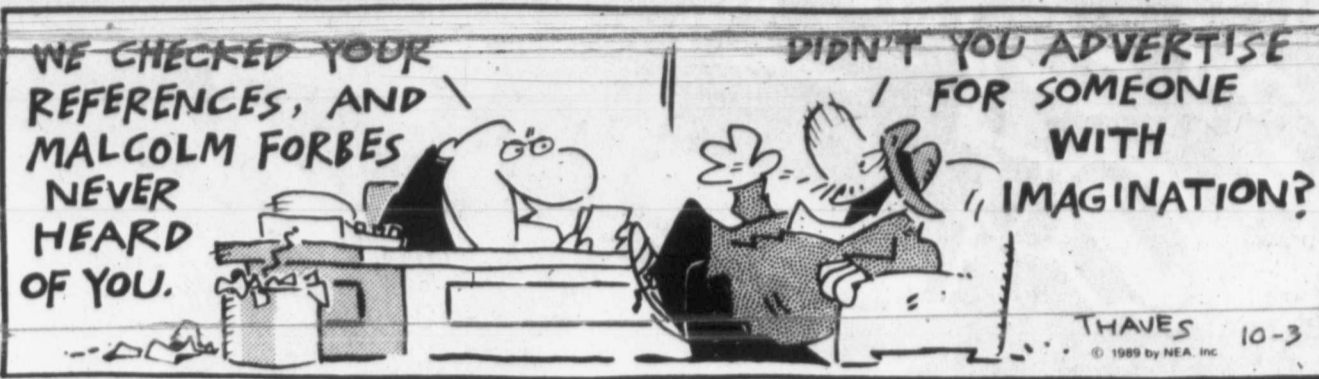
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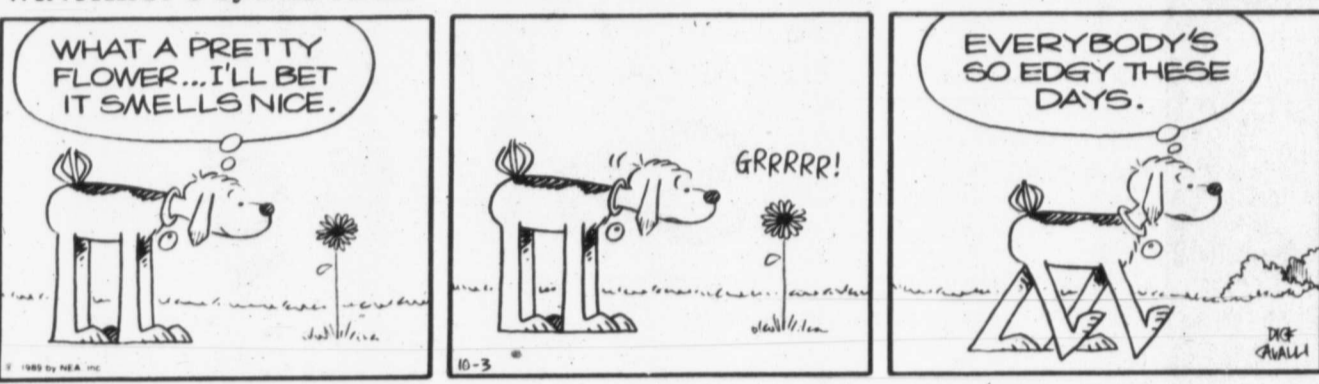
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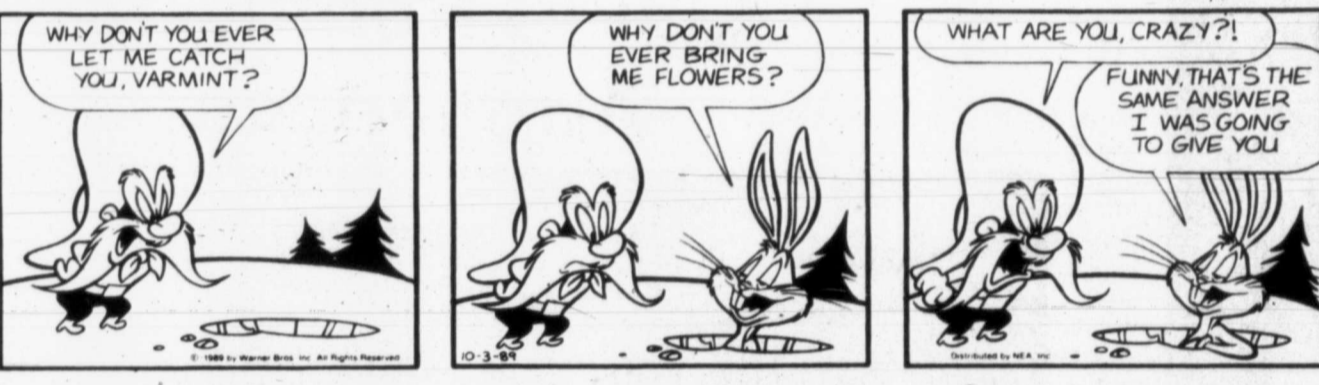
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L'L ABNER by Al Capp



KIT N' CARLYLE by Larry Wright



SNAFU by Bruce Beattie



DENNIS THE MENACE



NEA PUZZLES

ACROSS

- 1 This and —
- 5 Bangkok native
- 9 Clothing substance
- 12 Of aircraft
- 13 Vast period of time
- 14 Conceit
- 15 Arrange in layers
- 16 Highway shoulder
- 17 Old age
- 18 Sylvester
- 19 Stallion role
- 20 Luscious
- 22 Poetic contraction
- 23 From — Z
- 24 Entertainment
- 27 Pro — (for the time being)
- 29 Gladden
- 33 Raise

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- 37 Cunning
- 40 Weed
- 42 Look at
- 43 Language suffix
- 44 Dine
- 46 Whale group
- 48 Buckwheat
- 50 Oriental
- 53 Fe-fi-fo
- 54 Court order
- 56 Better — ever
- 58 Sphere
- 59 Sea eagle
- 60 Surf roar
- 61 WWII area
- 62 Jekyll's opposite
- 63 Island

DOWN

- 1 Make lace
- 2 Beneficiary of a will
- 3 Field

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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| SEASON | ROOKIE |
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| CRUISER | |
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| SHE | |
| ERASED | EDGIER |
| ASSISI | CRISES |
| RASPED | TUSSLE |

4 Singer Mel

- 5 Small stool
- 6 Tee — (snickering sound)
- 7 Main artery
- 8 Prisoner

9 Length

- measures
- 10 Repulsive
- 11 Wand
- 19 Phi — Kappa
- 21 Sea bird
- 24 Performance
- 25 Forearm bone
- 26 Inert gas
- 28 Soldiers' meal
- 30 Awry
- 31 Mrs. Dick Tracy
- 32 Existence
- 34 Urns
- 38 Recipient of a bequest
- 39 Affirmations
- 41 Hebrew God
- 45 Loiter
- 47 Bishop's hat: Brit.
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LAFF-A-DAY



Hermleigh players injured in grid win

Hermleigh continued its winning ways Saturday with a 62-38 pasting of Paint Creek as the Cardinals were the guests at the Pirate's homecoming.

The win was not the main focus after Saturday's contest, however, as a pair of Hermleigh players were injured, one seriously.

Senior Manuel Castillo, making a tackle in the third quarter of the game, received a blow from the ball carriers knee to the back of his helmet. He was taken to Haskell Hospital where he was initially examined. Castillo was evacuated to Humana Hospital in Abilene where emergency surgery was done to remove a blood clot.

His condition this morning, according to a spokesperson from Humana, was listed as serious.

Wayne Reynolds, the other injured Hermleigh gridder, broke his collarbone in two places versus Paint Creek.

Felix Martinez tossed four touchdown passes in the contest to bring his three game total to 17.

Castillo, B.J. Claxton, Robert Romero and Chris Velasco each were on the receiving end of one of Martinez' scoring strikes.

Castillo also added a pair of TD runs against Paint Creek, on offense, and recovered a fumble

and intercepted a pass on the defensive side of the football before his injury.

Claxton added an interception for the Cardinals.

Hermleigh, 3-1 on the season, has an open date Friday to prepare for the opening of District 7-1A (6) action Oct. 13 against Trent.

Hermleigh's junior high squad will host McCaulley Thursday at 6 p.m.

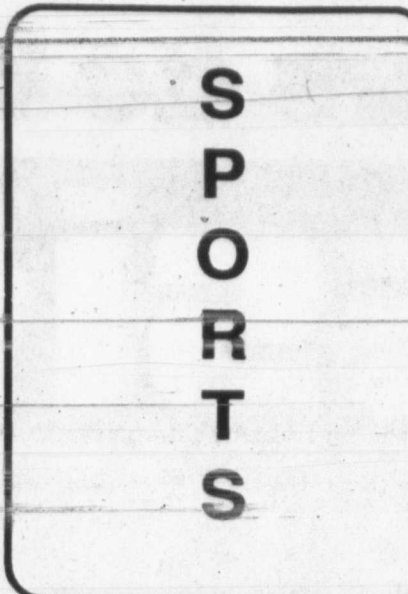
Bears hand Philadelphia 27-13 Monday night loss

CHICAGO (AP) — Mike Ditka couldn't resist kicking the corpse.

"We might not be the best, but we know we're not the best," Ditka said after the Bears, certainly the best Monday night, had blitzed the Philadelphia Eagles 27-13.

The Eagles, Ditka added, "think they can come here and talk their way into a game and they got that from their coach, the Fat Man, and that's just stupid."

With that, Ditka got in the last swipe at his old nemesis, Eagles coach Buddy Ryan.



"It was a disappointing loss," said Ryan, who gets under Ditka's skin as much these days as he did when he was defensive coordinator for the Bears. "It was probably more disappointing than the (Fog Bowl) loss we had in the playoffs last year. You can't turn the ball over five or six times and win."

"Instead of blocking a punt, we rough the kicker; instead of intercepting a couple of balls, they end up getting touchdowns," Ryan said. "It was just a great team win for the Bears and a terrible loss for us."

"We must be awful lucky," Ditka said, a note of sarcasm in his voice.

The Bears' victory kept alive two streaks: the Eagles have never beaten the Bears in 13 games on Chicago turf, and Ryan is winless in four outings against Ditka.

"You don't lose that many times to many people and stay in this business too long," Ryan said.

Quarterback Mike Tomczak directed the Bears to their fourth straight triumph by completing 24 of 38 passes for 266 yards and three touchdowns.

Philadelphia's Randall Cunningham had some flashy numbers of his own — 32 of 62 for 401 yards and one touchdown — but threw four interceptions and was sacked four times.

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A's to battle Toronto

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) — Cito Gaston rejects the talk that the Toronto Blue Jays can't win the big one.

In the next week, the Toronto manager wants to prove it against the Oakland Athletics.

The Blue Jays blew a 3-1 lead to Kansas City in the 1985 playoffs. Two years later, Toronto lost its last seven games to lose the American League East to

Detroit. "As far as big games," Gaston said, "you have to think about what happened."

"In '85, we had KC down 3-1, but they came back to beat us just like they did to St. Louis to win the World Series. We had two of our best guys go down in 1987 (shortstop Tony Fernandez and catcher Ernie Whitt) that really hurt us."

Last weekend, the current Blue Jays started to chip away at their image problem by rallying twice against Baltimore to win the AL East.

"Cito reminds me a lot of Joe Torre as a manager," Lee Mazzilli said. "He's calm and treats everyone fair. He was a player so he understands certain situations."

Gaston will send Dave Stieb (17-8) against Dave Stewart (21-9) tonight in Game 1.

The Blue Jays will need some great pitching by Stieb, who three times in his career has lost a no-hitter in the ninth inning.

"I guess you have to look at the different degrees of pressure," Stieb said. "We as players don't look at it that way, although the media likes to. My job is the same every time out. I have to go out Tuesday with my best stuff and do the job."

The A's, meanwhile, have been

criticized for being too laid back.

"That's one of my raw nerves," Manager Tony La Russa said. "It seems like some media people say, unless in the clubhouse before or after the game you have players talking controversial stuff, putting the opponents down, or bragging about themselves, that it's not an emotional clubhouse."

The A's, despite injuries to Jose Canseco, Dennis Eckersley and Walt Weiss, finished with a major league-high 99 victories and a second straight AL West title.

"When you watch us play, there is no way this club doesn't have a lot of heart," La Russa said. "We slide as hard as anybody, we run the ball out as hard as anybody. I just don't think we talk as much as the writers would like us to."

The Blue Jays will go with right-hander Todd Stottlemyre (7-7) in Game 2 against Mike Moore (19-11).

"The A's have a good right-handed hitting lineup and Todd has been pitching well," Gaston said.

George Bell, who led the Blue Jays with 104 RBIs, has a sore right elbow and will be the designated hitter in Game 1 if the injury does not improve.

Pair of teams fall in poll after losses

By The Associated Press

While the top ranked teams in The Associated Press Schoolboy Football Poll scored easy victories, a pair of No. 2 ranked teams suffered losses and both teams tumbled in the rankings.

Katy Mayde Creek, ranked No. 2 in Class 4A last week, lost to Tomball, which jumped from No. 8 to No. 6 following its 30-22 victory.

Gainesville and Hamshire Fannett, ranked second and third in Class 3A, each lost to Class 4A schools and fell to No. 5 and No. 10.

The No. 1s, Converse Judson in 5A, Paris in 4A, Southlake Carroll in 3A, Groveton in 2A and Munday in A, all easily held their positions.

Judson, Groveton and Munday had lopsided shutout victories.

West Orange-Stark defeated Beaumont Central, the No. 8 ranked 5A team, 47-33 and moved up from No. 3 to No. 2 in 4A.

Ballinger defeated Stamford 67-0 and jumped from fourth to second in 3A, filling the void left by Gainesville and Hamshire Fannett.

Beaumont Central was replaced in the 5A rankings by Corpus Christi Carroll, 4-0, and Plano dropped from No. 7 to No. 10 after it was tied by Richardson Pearce, 14-14.

No. 7 Grandview was the only loser in 2A and was replaced by No. 10 Reagan County after a 17-6 loss to Lexington.

Rising Star moved onto the A list, replacing No. 10 Flatonia, which lost to Schulenburg, 35-0. Schulenburg is ranked No. 6 in 2A.

Judson got 20 of the 27 first place votes case by The AP's panel of sports writers and sportscasters. Permian, which beat

crossstown rival Odessa High 49-27, got six first place votes.

Southlake Carroll was a unanimous first place choice in Class 3A, receiving all 27 first place votes and a 270-224 point margin over No. 2 Ballinger.

Couples play in club event

Bill and Finnie Seale took top honors in the First Flight of the annual Snyder Country Club Turkey Shoot. The couple finished ahead of the second place team of John and Suzy Reed and third place couple John and Carolyn Greene.

The tandem of Bill and Norma Crowder claimed first place in Second Flight competition. They were trailed by Don and Shirley Head and Bob and Bobbie Hargrove in second and third places, respectively.

Third Flight winners were Don and Marie Dollins in first, Russell and Bobbie Yorgesen in second and Morris and Charlene Light in third.

Closest to the pin on hole number five for the ladies was Kaye Cypert and John Reed was closest on number nine for the men.

Scores for the event were unavailable.

The Turkey Shoot was the last monthly couples event for the golfing season at Snyder Country Club.

Ankrom designated 3rd QB for 'Pokes

IRVING, Texas (AP) — The third string quarterback for the Dallas Cowboys is none other than former Texas Christian star, Scott Ankrom.

Coach Jimmy Johnson said rookie wide receiver Ankrom would be the Cowboys' emergency third stringer should Steve Walsh and Babe Laufenberg go down on Sunday against the Green Bay Packers.

Doctors operated on \$11 million rookie quarterback Troy Aikman's non-passing hand Monday, inserting four screws into a broken finger and putting on a cast that will sideline him at least a month.

Aikman, who suffered a broken index finger on his left hand in the first period of the winless Dallas Cowboys' 30-13 loss to the New York Giants Sunday, will wear the cast for three weeks.

The Cowboys estimate that the earliest Aikman could return is four weeks with six weeks more likely.

"Realistically he will be out four ball games," Johnson said. "We'll take a look at him before the fifth."

Aikman, the top pick in the regular NFL draft from UCLA, was tackled by linebacker Carl Banks while scrambling eight yards for a first down. He returned to the huddle and asked lineman Kevin Gogan to look at the finger.

"I thought it was just a dislocation and asked Kevin to give it a hard pull and a jerk, which didn't help," Aikman said.

"I gave it a hard pull like he asked and I sure hope I didn't hurt it more," Gogan said.

Dr. Robert Vandermeer, the Cowboys' team physician, said Aikman "was very fortunate it wasn't his throwing hand. That would have been a season-ender."

The left index finger absorbs a lot of the shock in the snap from center and it would be difficult

for Aikman to play without fumbling.

Steve Walsh, the top pick in the supplemental draft from the University of Miami who is earning about \$1 million a year, replaced Aikman and completed 13 passes for 190 yards and a touchdown. Walsh, who had two passes intercepted, threw a 27-yard scoring pass to Herschel Walker.

"The baseball hat is off and my helmet is on," said Walsh, who had been rumored on the trading block before the Oct. 17 deadline. "I hate to go in this way, but when you are number two, this seems to be the way you get your chance to play."

"My first NFL touchdown pass was sure a highlight. Herschel caught the ball and did his thing."

But no matter who was on offense, the Giants weren't bothered.

Team Snyder records wins

Team Snyder, Sparkle City's high school age soccer club, travelled to San Angelo Saturday and claimed a pair of victories from the Perfecto club.

Snyder took the morning match by a score of 2-1 and shut out their opponents in the afternoon, 2-0.

Team Snyder is undefeated in four matches and has outscored adversaries by a combined 14-3. The Snyder unit's next test will come against the same Perfecto team Oct. 14 in Snyder.

The two squads will square off at 10:30 a.m. and 3 p.m.



MEET THE DUSTERS — Valery Jackson, a sophomore from last seasons' WTC squad and a tri-captain this year, is a product of Morton High School where she played basketball, tennis, golf and ran track. Jackson was named All-State. All region and played on a state championship cage team while at MHS. Her major is P.E. and she plans to be a basketball coach after finishing college. Her biggest thrill was winning the regional championship at Waco over Odessa Junior College with 12 seconds left. Jackson suffered a knee injury in the nationals last year and aggravated it enough to require arthroscopic surgery, recently. She should be available to the Dusters before conference competition starts Nov. 9. (SDN Staff Photo)

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By The Associated Press

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Tuesday, Oct. 10
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Wednesday, Oct. 11
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Wednesday, Oct. 4
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Thursday, Oct. 5
San Francisco at Chicago, 8:35 p.m.

Saturday, Oct. 7
Chicago at San Francisco, 8:20 p.m.

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3101 AVE W- reduced, high 40's.
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WEST- 3-2-2, 6 1/2 ac., low 90's.
4204 AVE U- reduced, \$30T.
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Dr. Gott

Peter Gott, M.D.

DEAR READERS: Several months ago, I provided an address on Roosevelt Island in New York for information regarding post-polio syndrome. A very kind person was inundated with inquiries and responded personally to more than 400 letters. I extend my thanks for all her efforts.

I have since been advised that a more appropriate source of information is The International Polio Network, 4502 Maryland Ave., St. Louis, MO 63108. Please include a self-addressed, stamped envelope with your inquiry.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I was recently told by an optometrist that I have some deterioration in my cornea and that it could not be treated. Is there any danger of losing the sight in that eye?

DEAR READER: The cornea is the clear portion of the eye covering the lens. One of its most remarkable qualities is its ability to rapidly heal. For instance, a scratch (corneal abrasion) will often heal overnight. In my experience, the most serious corneal affliction is virus infection, such as herpes. Such an infection can impair vision.

Corneal deterioration can also be caused by an inadequate production of tears or by chemical burns. Most corneal diseases are treatable. In severe cases, a corneal transplant may be necessary. This is a routine operation. Because implanted corneas are usually not rejected, as many other transplanted tissues are, the surgery is almost always successful. You should be examined by an ophthalmologist, an eye-disease specialist who can suggest specific treatment to help you maintain good vision.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I've been experiencing numbness in the tip of my middle finger on my left hand. I'm 70 pounds overweight and have a strong family history of diabetes. I have routine exams, including glucose-tolerance tests, which have come back negative. Do these symptoms indicate the onset of diabetes?

DEAR READER: Possibly. Your numbness is probably due to neuropathy, nerve malfunction in the finger. This could be caused by pressure on the nerve — for example, from fatty tissue — or from a chemical imbalance in the nerve. Such an imbalance is often seen in diabetics, even before their blood-sugar values become high.

I suggest you begin dealing with the problem by losing weight. If the numbness disappears, you'll have the answer. Should the numbness remain, you will need further testing, under your doctor's supervision. Remember, too, that achieving an ideal weight will help you avoid diabetes.

Overweight people with family histories of diabetes are more likely to show diabetic tendencies than are slim people from diabetic families. Therefore, losing weight may benefit you in at least two ways. To give you more information, I am sending you a free copy of my Health Report "Winning The Battle of the Bulge." Other readers who would like a copy should send \$1.25 with their name and address to P.O. Box 91369, Cleveland, OH 44101-3369. Be sure to mention the title.

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Trial nearing end

CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP) — Jim Bakker may have begun at PTL as a "man of good deeds" but soon became a "world-class master" of half truths to obtain

power and wealth, a prosecutor said today at the evangelist's fraud trial.

"What has unfolded before you the last month is a tale of corruption — immense corruption," prosecutor Deborah Smith said during closing arguments.

Bakker scribbled notes on a yellow legal pad and occasionally glanced at Ms. Smith.

"There may have been a time when Mr. Bakker was a man of good deeds back in the 1970s, but as time progressed into the 1980s, he began to use people to obtain possessions and power and keep it," she said.

Bakker's lawyer was to deliver his closing argument later in the day. Jury deliberations in the federal court trial were expected to begin as early as Wednesday.

Ms. Smith described Bakker as a "world-class master of using half truths. He lied to people, he used half truths to manipulate people. He used his position to maintain his power and wealth."

Bakker completed his testimony Monday.

Council

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telephone recording system from Dictaphone of San Antonio was approved, in part to get the city ready for the regional advent of 911 emergency calling networks.

Bids were accepted for the purchase of two International dump trucks from Snyder Truck & Tractor for \$37,958 and for three pickup trucks, two one-ton pickups and a steel flat bed from Howard Gray Motors for \$65,275.

Bids from Rand Automated Compaction Systems of Plainview were okayed for the \$37,355 purchase of 155 three-yard trash dumpsters and the \$59,296 purchase of two compaction bodies for trash trucks.

A \$60,667 low bid was accepted from West Texas Equipment Co. of Abilene for the lease-purchase of a Caterpillar to be used at the city landfill, and a \$2,126 offer from Alexander Metals of Trent was approved for the sale of 357 used brass water meters.

In one of the departmental reports made to the council, Police Chief Bill Stone said Snyder has the fourth or fifth-lowest crime rate among the 74 cities of comparable size in Texas.

Stone said his department has reached full strength, to 16 officers including him, with the recent hiring of a new patrolman.

He said in answer to a question from City Manager John Gayle that most of his officers are concentrated on the 11 p.m.-to 7 a.m. shift.

Fire Chief Terry Don McDowell said his department made 243 calls outside the city and 158 inside the city limits in the fiscal year that ended last Saturday.

Utilities department head Carolyn House said the city has 4,790 active water meters, compared to 4,778 a year ago.

City Engineer Don Osborn and finance department head Jeanne Johnson also made reports, with Johnson saying the annual internal audit will be finished this month.

Steve Green, Phil Covington and Jim Whitney were reappointed to the Board of Electrical Examiners, and the council declined to forward a nominee to serve on the Scurry County Appraisal District Board, noting that nominations are being made by other taxing entities.

An agenda item to close the 2500 Block of 24th St. was postponed because the city engineering department is awaiting the receipt of required easements.

Councilman Joe Coronado was absent.



PALETTE CLUB SCHOLARSHIP — Clay Travis, second from left, is the recipient of the annual Palette Club \$300 scholarship at Western Texas College. Clay is the son of Bob and Sue Travis. (SDN Staff Photo) Also pictured from left are Laverne Lee, vice president of the club; Lois Burney, parliamentarian; and John Gibson, Fine Arts Department Chairman at Western Texas College.

Special session next spring...

Education finance reform on agenda

AUSTIN (AP) — More money isn't necessarily the solution to the school finance problem, Gov. Bill Clements said after the Texas Supreme Court unanimously declared the state's current funding system unconstitutional.

"It could be that we maybe need more money, but money in itself is not the answer to public education," he said Monday. "Quality education is the issue here."

Clements said he, Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and House Speaker Gib Lewis will appoint a task force to have public hearings across the state and make school finance recommendations. Lawmakers

SO investigates thefts of mail

The sheriff's office is investigating two Monday reports of thefts from mailboxes in northern Snyder.

Morris Surrat of the Old Post Rd. reported at 3:11 p.m. Monday that two insurance checks of \$238 each had been stolen from his mailbox within the past week.

Rhonda Escobedo of 200 N. Beaumont Ave. told deputies at 3:15 p.m. Monday that two boxes of checks had been taken from her mailbox.

Janie Ybarra told the sheriff's office at 5 p.m. Monday that the license plates had been stolen from her 1981 Buick while it was parked in front of her house at 811 23rd St.

She said the plates are marked, ZMS-234.

A representative of B&F Well Service told deputies at 9:30 a.m. Friday that someone had broken into a doghouse belonging to the company on County Road 248 and that work boots, winter clothing, coveralls, a hard hat and safety glasses valued at \$250 had been taken.

Sue Martini, manager of the Park Village Apartments in the 4400 Block of Ave. U, asked city police to begin a close patrol of that area because someone had been cutting telephone wiring.

Ken Tobey of the Travel Inn of 1801 25th St. told police at 8:36 a.m. Monday that a former guest had vandalized Room 207 at the motel.

No injuries noted in major accident

No serious injuries were reported in what police described as a major accident at 4:02 p.m. Monday at 28th St. and Ave. W.

A 1976 Ford pickup driven by Preston Wilson of 2215 44th St. was in collision with a 1988 Chevrolet driven by Michael Bunting of Sweetwater, officers said.

The parties declined medical attention.

No wreckers were required. Police also investigated two minor accidents Monday, including one at 1:19 p.m. in the 1900 Block of 26th St., where a 1980 Toyota pickup driven by Woodrow W. Black of 100 37th St., No. 2, hit a parked 1982 GMC van owned by Refugio Hernandez of Rt. 3.

At 3:49 p.m. in the 3600 Block of College Ave., a 1989 Dodge van driven by Janice McMackin of 1615 Firestone Dr. was in collision with a 1988 Ford driven by Irma Haddock of Rt. 3.

will consider the issue in a special session next spring, the governor said.

"I am extremely pleased that

this is back in the hands of the Legislature where it belongs," Clements said.

The court gave the Legislature

until May 1 to overhaul the current system, a decision hailed by poor districts who say their students are cheated of an education equal to that provided in richer districts.

Education Commissioner William Kirby, lead defendant in the lawsuit brought by poor districts, said the realistic solution is a state tax increase to fund "an adequate and equitable system of public education."

"We simply must have bold leadership to make the tough decision of increasing revenue so that we equalize upward ... to the level of a quality education for all children," he said.

Kirby said while he has been required to defend the present finance system, he agrees it is inadequate. In 1990-91, public schools are to receive nearly \$10 billion in state funds and almost \$12 billion in local money.

Lewis said the ruling is a clear message from the court "that every child deserves the opportunity to succeed regardless of where they live." Hobby commended the court's call for an efficient and productive education system, saying, "Our children deserve no less."

Attorney Earl Luna of Dallas, who represents several districts that intervened on the side of the state in the lawsuit, said he probably will file a motion for rehearing with the Supreme Court.

"We were hoping the court would ... leave it to the Legislature and hold that, while the legislative solution was not perfect, it was constitutional," he said.

Fire call

Firemen worked two hours Monday afternoon to put out a grass fire on property owned by Jimmy Williams 15 miles southwest of Snyder.

A department spokesman said the blaze was ignited by workmen using a cutting torch.

The call came in at 3:30 p.m., and they returned to the station at 5:30.

Markets Midday Stocks

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| | High | Low | Last |
|-------------|---------|---------|---------|
| AMR Corp | 86 3/4 | 84 3/4 | 84 3/4 |
| Ameritech | 63 3/4 | 63 | 63 3/4 |
| AMI Inc | 22 1/4 | 22 1/4 | 22 1/4 |
| Amer T&T | 44 1/4 | 44 1/4 | 44 3/4 |
| Amoco | 49 3/4 | 49 | 49 |
| Arkla | 24 1/4 | 24 1/4 | 24 3/4 |
| Armcolinc | 12 1/2 | 12 1/2 | 12 1/4 |
| ATR/High | 104 1/4 | 104 1/4 | 104 3/4 |
| BakerHugh | 22 | 21 3/4 | 22 |
| BancTexas | 9 1/4 | 9 1/4 | 9 1/4 |
| BellAtlan | 98 3/4 | 98 3/4 | 99 1/4 |
| BellSouth | 54 1/4 | 54 1/4 | 54 3/4 |
| Beth Steel | 21 | 20 3/4 | 20 3/4 |
| Borden | 36 1/4 | 36 | 36 3/4 |
| CamronrWk | 23 1/2 | 23 1/2 | 23 1/2 |
| Caterpillar | 61 1/2 | 61 1/4 | 61 3/4 |
| Centel | 65 1/2 | 64 1/2 | 65 1/2 |
| CentSo West | 35 1/2 | 35 1/2 | 35 1/2 |
| Chevron | 60 3/4 | 60 | 60 3/4 |
| Chrysler | 25 1/4 | 25 1/4 | 25 1/2 |
| Coastal | 43 | 42 3/4 | 42 3/4 |
| CocaCola | 69 1/2 | 68 3/4 | 69 |
| Colg Palm | 62 | 60 1/4 | 61 3/4 |
| CyprusMin | 30 1/4 | 29 3/4 | 30 |
| DeltaAirl | 74 1/2 | 74 1/4 | 74 1/4 |
| DigitalEq | 91 | 89 3/4 | 90 |
| Dillard | 71 3/4 | 70 3/4 | 70 3/4 |
| DowChem | 101 | 100 1/4 | 101 |
| DressrInd | 67 1/4 | 66 3/4 | 67 1/4 |
| duPont | 45 1/4 | 44 1/4 | 45 1/4 |
| EstKodak | 122 1/2 | 122 1/2 | 122 3/4 |
| Enserch | 48 1/2 | 47 1/2 | 47 3/4 |
| Exxon | 23 3/4 | 23 3/4 | 23 3/4 |
| Exxon | 45 1/4 | 44 3/4 | 45 |
| FltCityBcp | 37 1/2 | 37 | 37 1/4 |
| FlowerInd | 18 3/4 | 18 3/4 | 18 3/4 |
| FordMotor | 51 3/4 | 51 1/4 | 51 1/2 |

| | 62 1/4 | 61 1/4 | 62 1/4 |
|-------------|---------|---------|---------|
| GTE Corp | 62 1/4 | 61 1/4 | 62 1/4 |
| GnDynaam | 58 3/4 | 58 | 58 |
| GenElec | 58 3/4 | 57 3/4 | 57 3/4 |
| Gen Mills | 70 | 69 1/2 | 70 |
| GenMotrs | 47 1/2 | 47 1/2 | 47 1/2 |
| GnMotr E | 53 1/4 | 52 3/4 | 53 1/4 |
| GlobMar n | 2 1/4 | 2 | 2 1/4 |
| Goodrich | 55 3/4 | 55 3/4 | 55 3/4 |
| Goodyear | 53 | 52 1/2 | 52 1/2 |
| GIATPac | 59 1/4 | 59 1/4 | 59 1/4 |
| Gulf StaUt | 13 1/2 | 13 1/4 | 13 1/2 |
| Haliburtn | 38 3/4 | 38 3/4 | 38 3/4 |
| Holiday | 79 | 78 3/4 | 78 3/4 |
| HoustInd | 34 | 33 3/4 | 33 3/4 |
| IBM | 108 1/4 | 107 1/4 | 107 3/4 |
| IntlPaper | 55 3/4 | 54 3/4 | 55 3/4 |
| JohnsJhn s | 55 3/4 | 54 3/4 | 55 |
| K Mart | 40 3/4 | 39 3/4 | 40 1/4 |
| Kroger | 18 3/4 | 18 3/4 | 18 3/4 |
| Litton | 1 3/4 | 1 3/4 | 1 3/4 |
| vJLTV Cp | 9 1/4 | 9 1/4 | 9 1/4 |
| LoneSta Ind | 31 1/4 | 31 1/4 | 31 1/4 |
| Lows | 31 | 30 3/4 | 31 |
| Lubys | 25 | 24 1/2 | 24 3/4 |
| vjMCorp | 9 3/4 | 9 3/4 | 9 3/4 |
| Maxus | 9 3/4 | 9 1/4 | 9 1/4 |
| MayDSI | 49 3/4 | 49 | 49 |
| Medtronic | 61 1/2 | 61 1/4 | 61 3/4 |
| Medtronic s | 56 3/4 | 56 3/4 | 56 3/4 |
| Monsanto | 117 3/4 | 117 1/4 | 117 1/2 |
| Motorola | 57 3/4 | 56 3/4 | 56 3/4 |
| NCNB Cp | 52 1/4 | 51 3/4 | 52 |
| Navistar | 4 3/4 | 4 1/2 | 4 1/2 |
| Nynex | 81 3/4 | 81 | 81 3/4 |
| OryxEngy | 40 | 39 1/4 | 39 3/4 |
| PacTelesis | 45 3/4 | 45 3/4 | 45 3/4 |
| PanHECp | 27 1/4 | 27 | 27 |
| PenneyJC | 67 3/4 | 67 3/4 | 67 3/4 |
| Phelps Dod | 67 3/4 | 67 3/4 | 67 3/4 |
| PhilippPet | 26 3/4 | 26 3/4 | 26 3/4 |
| Polaroid s | 46 1/2 | 45 3/4 | 46 1/2 |
| Primerica | 28 3/4 | 27 3/4 | 27 3/4 |
| ProctGamb | 123 | 122 1/2 | 122 3/4 |
| PubS NWMx | 14 1/2 | 14 1/4 | 14 3/4 |
| SFEpacCp | 23 3/4 | 23 1/4 | 23 3/4 |
| SearsRoeb | 42 1/2 | 42 1/2 | 42 1/2 |
| SherwinWm | 34 | 34 | 34 |
| SmtHchm | 44 3/4 | 44 1/4 | 44 1/2 |
| SmtHbch eqn | 40 | 39 3/4 | 40 |
| Southern Co | 27 1/4 | 27 | 27 |
| SwstAirl | 27 | 26 3/4 | 26 3/4 |
| SwstBell | 56 3/4 | 56 3/4 | 56 3/4 |
| SterlingChm | 8 1/4 | 8 1/4 | 8 1/4 |
| SunCo | 40 1/4 | 40 | 40 |
| Tandy | 46 1/2 | 46 | 46 3/4 |
| TempInld | 63 3/4 | 63 3/4 | 63 3/4 |
| Tenneco | 60 3/4 | 60 3/4 | 60 3/4 |
| Texaco | 51 1/4 | 51 | 51 1/4 |
| TexasInst | 39 1/4 | 38 3/4 | 38 3/4 |
| Tex Util | 32 1/4 | 31 3/4 | 32 |
| Textron | 27 3/4 | 27 3/4 | 27 1/2 |
| Tyler | 5 1/4 | 5 1/4 | 5 1/4 |
| USX Corp | 35 | 34 3/4 | 34 3/4 |
| UnCarbde | 28 1/2 | 28 1/4 | 28 1/4 |
| UnPacCp | 78 1/2 | 78 3/4 | 78 3/4 |
| US West | 71 1/4 | 71 | 71 1/4 |
| UniTel | 80 | 79 3/4 | 80 |
| Unocal | 56 3/4 | 56 | 56 3/4 |
| WalMart | 41 1/2 | 40 3/4 | 41 1/4 |
| WestHeli | 69 | 68 3/4 | 68 3/4 |
| Xerox Cp | 68 1/4 | 65 3/4 | 66 1/4 |
| ZenithE | 17 1/2 | 16 1/4 | 16 1/4 |

Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS: Adelina Escamilla, Sweetwater; Opal Floyd, 2904 Ave. U; Oscar R. Tavarez, 1801 Ave. T; Lory Gutierrez, 319 29th.

DISMISSALS: Peggy Sanchez and baby, Loratta McCurter and baby, Roy Clark.

Births

Juan and Adelina Escamilla of Sweetwater are the parents of a baby boy, Juan Jr., weighing 6 pounds, 2 ounces, born at 7:55 p.m. Friday at Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Lory Gutierrez is the mother of a baby girl weighing 7 pounds, 11 ounces, born at 9:38 a.m. Monday at Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Petroleum prices

NEW YORK (AP) — Petroleum cash prices Monday as compared with Friday's prices.

| | Mon. | Fri. |
|---------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| Refined Products | | |
| Fuel oil No. 2 NY hbr hg gl fob | 5910 | 5915 |
| Gasoline nl prm NY hbr hg gl fob | 7025 | 7125 |
| Gasoline unleaded NY hbr hg gl fob | 5815 | 6019 |
| Prices provided by Oil Buyer's Guide. | | |
| Petroleum - Crude Grades | | |
| Saudi Arabian light \$ per bbl fob | 16.80 | 16.65 |
| North Sea Brent \$ per bbl fob | 18.45 | 18.25 |
| West Texas Intermed \$ per bbl fob | 30.00 | 30.15 |
| Alaska No. Slope del. US Gulf Cost | 17.50 | 17.63 |

Colorado City Livestock Auction

Sales at Colorado City Livestock Auction Saturday, Sept. 30, were steady to \$1 lower.

Heifers: 2-400, 84-93; 4-600, 74-81; 6-800, 70-74.

Steers: 2-400, 91-115; 4-600, 82-87; 6-800, 75-82.

Bred Cows: 525-675; Pairs: 500-750; Packer Cows: 43-53; Packer Bulls: 38-65.

Obituaries

Carl Newcomb

PAWHUSKA, Okla. — Funeral services for Carl Steve Newcomb, 57, were to be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Johnson Funeral Chapel. Burial was to be in Pawhuska Cemetery with graveside military rites presented by American Legion Post 198, under the direction of Johnson Funeral Chapel.

Mr. Newcomb died Saturday at an Oklahoma City medical center.

He was born Aug. 18, 1932 in Avant, Okla., and attended schools in Avant, Pershing and Nelagoney, Okla. He was a member of the Methodist Church of Avant.

A U.S. Navy veteran of the Korean Conflict, he was retired from Atlantic Richfield.

Survivors include three daughters, Tammy Triplett of Snyder, Tonsi Bettie of Healdton, Okla., and Tina Welch of Bridgeport; his parents, Wayne and Sylvia Newcomb of Pershing, Okla.; two brothers, Hoot Newcomb of Cleveland, Okla., and Jack Newcomb of Long Grove, Okla.; and six grandchildren.

Julia Vaughn

DUBLIN — Services were set for 2 p.m. Tuesday at Harrell Memorial Chapel for Julia Ovella Vaughn, 80, who died Monday in a Temple hospital. Burial was to follow in the Mission Gardens of Memory.

She was the sister of Valta

Hataway and Othella Hataway, both of Snyder.

Astro-Graph
By Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday
Oct. 4, 1989

Pursue your secret ambitions in the year ahead, especially the ones you shelved in the past because you felt they were just wishful thinking. You're now in a cycle where dreams can become realities.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Someone who is presently in your debt might make an offer to pay you today. Don't be overly magnanimous because the obligation is so small that you make this individual think you don't want it. Libra, treat 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.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) You're likely to be in a gregarious mood today and this is well and good, provided you respect its limitations. Enjoy yourself, but try to leave the party before your coach turns into a pumpkin.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Rewards will attend your ambitions today, provided you have the willpower to stick to what you initiate. Distractions by pleasurable diversions could dash your hopes upon the rocks.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) The high esteem in which you hold your own views and opinions is tolerable, but just be careful that you don't become too vocal today regarding your disapproval of what others think.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) Collective endeavors look like an area in which you should do quite well today. A fly in the ointment could be getting hooked on something that is purely pie in the sky.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) You'll deal effectively with your routine decisions today, but if an issue gets too weighty, you might not be able to cope with it as readily, if at all.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Even though you may do the greater portion of the work today, associates could be the ones who get the praise. You can live with the arrangements but don't surrender rewards without a fight.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) To observers it may appear as if your priorities are confused today, because you might take your responsibilities too lightly while going all out for what you consider fun.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) When dealing with others today, whether in a business or social setting, try to maintain a middle-of-the-road attitude. If you lean too much in a specific direction, things might not work out too well.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) If you plan to set up a business meeting today in a non-commercial environment, avoid choosing a setting so lavish that the trappings will detract from your purpose.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You could be unusually protective of your personal interests today and possibly not above doing a little conniving to safeguard your positions if you feel they are being threatened.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Today you are likely to be quite practical in most of your endeavors except when it comes to the management of your own resources. You could, in effect, ask a fox to guard your hen house.

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Court to consider Miranda warning

WASHINGTON (AP) — When Lloyd Perkins boasted about his experience as a killer to two fellow jail inmates who said they wanted to help him escape, he didn't suspect he was incriminating himself in a 2-year-old unsolved murder.

Perkins' statements are the focus of a potentially important Supreme Court case that could roll back the rights of criminal suspects to be given so-called Miranda warnings.

The high court, beginning what promises to be another controversy-laden term Monday, agreed to use the Perkins case from Illinois to decide whether undercover agents may elicit confessions from jailed criminal suspects.

The justices said they will hear arguments by Illinois officials seeking to use Perkins' statements to prosecute him for murder.

In its normally busy opening session, the court issued orders in more than 1,000 cases — denying review to most and agreeing to study 22 that will be among more than 150 disputes to be decided by the end of the term in July.

The court heard arguments in a Yonkers, N.Y., desegregation case in which four city councilmen were held in contempt for opposing a plan for attracting subsidized housing to the city's white neighborhoods.

The justices also are looking ahead to a term in which they have agreed to decide thorny right-of-privacy arguments in three abortion disputes and the high court's first "right to die" controversy.

In other action on the first day of its term, the court:

- Agreed to decide whether police nationwide may use sobriety checkpoints in trying to curb drunken drivers. The court will review rulings by Michigan courts striking down that state's sobriety checkpoint program as an unconstitutional invasion of privacy. Courts in other states have upheld virtually identical police tactics.
- Agreed to use a multimillion dollar dispute over the Alfred Hitchcock classic, "Rear Window," to resolve key copyright issues.
- Said they will decide in an Illinois case whether public employers may be forced to put aside partisanship when hiring, promoting and transferring employees.
- Left intact Maryland's revocation of a \$300,000-a-year tax break for a men-only golf club that has counted presidents

and members of Congress among its members.

— Refused to spare an evangelical Christian group in Lenox, Mass., from having to return \$5.5 million donated by a wealthy ex-member.

— Allowed states to criminally prosecute employers accused of neglecting the health and safety of their employees. The justices, without comment, let stand a ruling in an Illinois case that federal workplace regulations do not bar such state prosecutions.

In the Perkins case, the court could weaken its famous 1966 Miranda ruling that requires police to warn suspects of their right to an attorney and to remain silent.

An Illinois appeals court ruled in November that police violated Perkins' rights when they

planted an undercover agent in jail to question him about a murder.

Perkins was charged with fatally shooting Richard Stephenson on Nov. 8, 1984, in Fairview Heights. Police lacked a suspect in the murder in 1986 when Donald Charlton, an inmate at Graham Correctional Facility in Hillsboro, told authorities he had information about the

homicide.

Police then placed Charlton and undercover narcotics officer John Parisi in the Montgomery County Jail on March 31, 1986. Perkins was being held there awaiting trial on a charge of aggravated battery unrelated to the homicide.

The appeals court said Perkins recounted in detail to Parisi the killing of Stephenson.

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Congressman: scientists' peek at collider project 1st step for research

DALLAS (AP) — As a group of physicists viewed the site where the multibillion-dollar super collider will be constructed, a Texas congressman warned that it may be difficult to get funding for the project in coming years.

U.S. Rep. Joe Barton, a Republican from Ennis whose district includes the site near Waxahachie in adjacent Ellis County, said approval of the \$225 million for the start of construction does not mean that will be easy to provide funding for the project.

"It's going to be extremely tough to convince the congressional delegations from outside Texas to basically double a discretionary program for the SSC," he said, pointing out that supporters of the collider will likely ask Congress for \$400 million for the next fiscal year.

President Bush has approved the initial \$225 million for startup of construction.

Another congressman from Texas told more than 800 physicists and other scientists attending the Conference on Super Collider Physics and Experiments that the project will continue well into the next century and beyond.

"This conference is an important first step in the research that

will be conducted at the superconducting super collider for

Soviet lawmakers reject strike ban

MOSCOW (AP) — After an all-night meeting, lawmakers today rejected as unconstitutional President Mikhail S. Gorbachev's proposal to ban strikes for 15 months. The Soviet leader says further strikes could destroy the economy.

The draft resolution put forth by the lawmakers would, however, empower the government to take control of the country's railways by Monday if that is deemed necessary to end a blockade related to the Azerbaijani-Armenian dispute.

Gorbachev on Monday gave the legislators until today to decide on his strike-ban proposal and when the Supreme Soviet, or parliament, reconvened lawmakers debated the reworded resolution.

During a break, Interior Ministry Vadim Bakatin called

the strike-ban proposal unconstitutional.

"We don't have a basis for what is an extraordinary situation," he said.

Leonid Abalkin, a deputy premier in charge of economic reform, said the initiative to change the draft resolution came during an overnight meeting of deputies and not from Gorbachev.

"Everyone wants to be sympathetic, wants the public to like them, and nobody wants to take the responsibility," he said.

Gorbachev, in calling for a ban on strikes, called the measure necessary "to protect democratization from anarchy and irresponsible management."

By inserting the threat to take over operations and security on the country's railroads, the legislators were acting to bring an end to a blockade by Azerbaijan of rail lines leading from their republic into Armenia.

Soviet law does not ban strikes outright. But labor unrest was ruthlessly repressed before Gorbachev came to power in 1985 and began his effort to turn the Soviet Union into a country ruled by law instead of dictate.

Gorbachev said Monday that his proposal to ban strikes was "not an effort to stop the processes that are underway in the framework of perestroika."

A key element of Gorbachev's reforms is perestroika, or restructuring the Soviet Union's stumbling and shortage-ridden economy, and the Soviet leader said that economic transformation is "under threat" because of strikes.

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State says it cannot take more inmates, counties disagree

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas prison system could take the felons that are crowding local jails if officials lived up to their responsibility, says an attorney for counties seeking a court order against the state.

"The counties are continuing every day to be forced to perform the state's duty," attorney Ann Clarke Snell said Monday as a hearing in the counties' lawsuit began before State District Judge Joseph Hart.

Ms. Snell represents 11 counties that have joined a lawsuit by Nueces County seeking the transfer from local jails of inmates sentenced to the Texas Department of Corrections.

The other counties are Collin, Dallas, El Paso, Hidalgo, Hunt, Galvesto, Lubbock, Tarrant, Travis, Victoria and Bexar, which was given standing in the case Monday.

The Texas prison system has delayed taking thousands of sentenced felons from jails because of a federal court order that seeks to prevent overcrowding by limiting inmate population.

Assistant Attorney General Bob Ozer, defending the state, said the prison system is taking the felons as quickly as it can.

"The overcrowding crisis in local jails is not going to be solved by a few easy strokes. It is going to take time," he said.

Sweeping criminal justice legislation approved this year by lawmakers includes prison construction and alternative programs, such as boot camps, to divert convicted felons from TDC.

The package also provides an allocation formula for taking

prisoners sentenced to TDC from the counties holding them.

Hart last month denied a suggestion by the state that the criminal justice legislation invalidated the lawsuit, which was filed by Nueces County. The hearing is on whether it is possible for the state to take such prisoners, which the judge said it has a duty to do.

Attorneys in the case said they expected the hearing to last three to five days.

Country, western dance lessons set

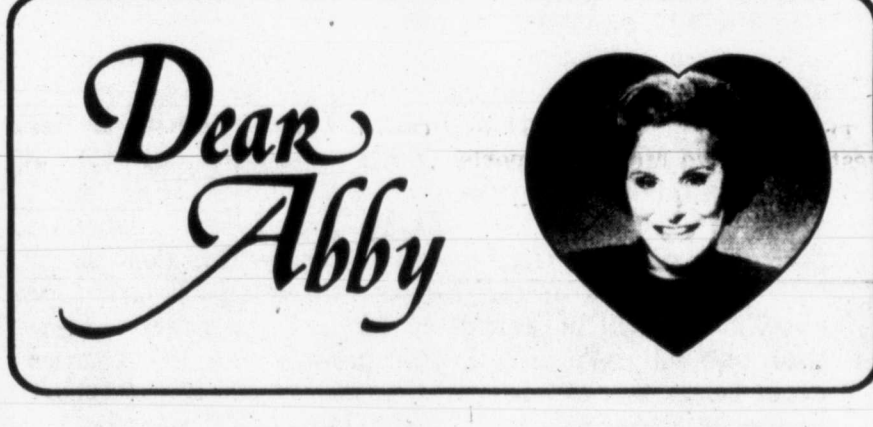
Country and western dance lessons will be offered by Kay Willis and Jan Thomas, beginning Oct. 12. Lessons will cost \$5 per couple each week or \$3 per single each week.

Classes will be held Thursday evenings from 7 to 9 p.m. at the old Snyder Daily News Building, and the last class will be Nov. 16.

Texas Polka will be the first dance featured. Thereafter, instructors will determine the sequence in which lessons will be given. Those interested may call the AVE office at Western Texas College to see which dance will be featured on a given Thursday. Students must call 573-8511, ext. 240 to reserve space in the class.

Students will learn the Jitterbug, Cotton Eye Joe, Cowboy Shuffle, Schottische, Texas Polka, Waltz, Rag, Blue Spanish Eyes and Put Your Little Foot. Payment will be accepted at the door for each lesson.

Eamon de Valera, one of Ireland's most prominent figures in its quest for independence, died in 1975. He was 92.



Low Self-Esteem Is Heavy Burden for Fat Kids to Bear

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I applaud you for encouraging those who make disparaging remarks about fat people to change their ways. Fat children in our society often receive no support from any source: peers, teachers or family. And, as "Heartbroken Mother" so eloquently stated, parents are often blamed for the child's weight, when "blame" (if any) should be placed on metabolic and genetic factors.

It's unfortunate that you did not take the opportunity to explain the dangers of the "yo-yo dieting syndrome." Children who start dieting at an early age will probably end up fatter as adults than fat children who do not diet. Additionally, severe calorie-restricted diets during the developmental years can damage the body's growth and maturing process. The negative effect that dieting has on a child's self-esteem (giving them the message that they are not acceptable) cannot be overstated.

People come in all colors, shapes and sizes. If we would all be more accepting of the uniqueness of each person, instead of attempting to make everyone conform to a certain physical ideal, we would have a much healthier society, both physically and mentally.

Abby, the National Association to Advance Fat Acceptance (NAAFA) can provide support to fat people, fat children and their parents. NAAFA's purpose is to try to improve the quality of life for fat people through public education, advocacy, research and member support. Please tell your readers who are harassed because of their weight, or their child's weight, to contact us: NAAFA Inc., P.O. Box 188620, Sacramento, Calif. 95818. (When writing, please enclose a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope.) We can help them in their struggle for acceptance.

SALLY E. SMITH, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, NAAFA

DEAR ABBY: I am writing in response to your answer to "Heartbroken Mother." It appears this woman is really trying very hard to help her daughter, and that's great. But Abby, there are a lot of parents out there

who just allow their children to become grossly overweight and deserve the condemning looks they get from passers-by.

These parents just don't seem to care what or how much their children eat, don't care if they get exercise and don't have the time even to teach them how to eat properly. And because of their neglect, the child withstands cruel teasing from his peers and rude stares from strangers, and often develops a low self-image.

These children grow up to be fat adults with high blood pressure, high cholesterol levels, heart problems, arterial blockage, etc. It used to be believed that chubby children were healthier than thinner ones. We now know this to be untrue. It's cruel and unfair for parents to doom their children through obesity to such a dim (and often short) future.

A CONCERNED OBSERVER

DEAR ABBY: You recently printed a letter from "Heartbroken Mother," who thought people were rude to stare at her seriously overweight daughter.

I don't "stare" at overweight children; whenever I see one, though, I say to myself, "That's child abuse!" A fat child is obviously eating too much of the wrong kinds of foods. And where is the child getting these foods? At home.

My 11-year-old daughter has a friend who is grossly overweight because her mother keeps their fridge and cupboards well-stocked with "goodies," which the children are constantly eating. This obese friend is so accustomed to eating sweets that when I gave her and my daughter each a bowl of strawberries, she said she couldn't eat hers without sugar!

Children are not responsible for the eating habits they learn at home, but, unfortunately, they suffer when those eating habits are not in their best interests.

Abby, how can we stop this subtle form of child abuse?

ANTI-CHILD ABUSE


DEAR ANTI-CHILD ABUSE: We can stop rewarding children with cookies and candy.

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To avoid splitting the prize money a TIE-BREAKER slot will be provided on each entry blank. Pick the total points of the score for that game and in case of a tie the one who picks the winner and the nearest number of total points will receive the prize money. The same formula will apply to second and third place winners. In the case of a perfect score, the formula would apply for that cash prize.

There will be fun for the entire family. Only one entry blank will be permitted for any one person. More than one will disqualify all that person's entries. Entries must be on the official entry blank (No Copies Please). Scores listed on the entry blank will have no bearing except in the case of the tie-breaker. Sign your entry blank and list your address and phone number and watch for the winner's story in next Tuesday's SDN. Employees of the SDN and their families are not eligible to enter.

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