

Cost to plaintiffs in TDC lawsuits now before judge

By DONNY BROWN
SDN Managing Editor

To clear up any questions related to "court costs" incurred due to litigation opposing the Texas Department of Corrections prison unit in Scurry County, a total of expenses—both plaintiffs' and defendants'—has been sent to the Hidalgo County-based district judge appointed to hear the case.

District Judge Joe Evins has

been sent the estimates as part of the order for "non suit" which he directed attorneys for both sides to prepare for his signature.

In addition, a signing date of May 5 has been requested to allow comments from either side related to the expenses.

As part of stipulations in the granting of a non-suit, plaintiffs instigating the legal action are required to pay all court costs, their own and those incurred by

the defense.

According to court records, defendants in the case, to include the city, county, industrial foundation and two individuals representing these groups—incurred court costs amounting to \$10,665.

It is further noted that the plaintiffs incurred such costs totaling some \$1,082.

An additional \$24 for an unpaid See SUITS Page 15A

Sunday
May 1,
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Ask Us

Q — How many voters normally turn out for a city or school election?

A — The total has ranged from around 600 to 1,500. During the 1987 city council election, the total number of voters was 1,132. The school election that same year, which was likely a record turnout due to a large number of candidates, was an estimated 1,000. Back in 1985, the school only had 50 voters and, in 1986, the city had 654.

Local

TEAMS retest

The exit level Texas Educational Assessment of Minimum Skills (TEAMS) Test will be administered Tuesday and Wednesday to SHS junior and senior students who have not mastered one or more sections of the test.

The language test will be given Tuesday and the math test on Wednesday at the school. For more information, contact SHS counselors Janet Wesson or John Short at 573-0132 or Bobbie Box at 573-9364.

Ira banquet

Tickets are now on sale for the Ira Bulldogs Sports Banquet scheduled May 10 at 7 p.m. at the Ira School Cafeteria.

Tickets are available at the principal's office through May 6. The cost is \$5. The banquet meal will be catered by The Shack.

VFW voting

Due to a point of order called, the election of officers for the VFW Auxiliary #231 has been declared invalid and a new election set. It will be at the regular meeting Monday at 7:30 p.m. at the posthome.

Senior salute

Two SHS seniors will be featured on an Ardene television station's Senior Salute segment to be broadcast Monday at 6 and 10 p.m.

Christi Carter and Karsten Miller were chosen by their high school to participate in the KJRH sponsored news cast. Seniors from the local area that excel in academics, extracurricular activities and civic activities are among the group chosen from the KJRH viewing area.

A 51,000 scholarship will be presented to one of the students chosen to participate.

A success

Response was brisk to Cogdell Hospital's special opening of the Neuro-Mammography and Saturday part of the American Cancer Society's cancer awareness project.

It was reported that the unit was booked until 8 p.m. Saturday, and that the hospital may consider such a clinic on a quarterly basis.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Friday, 84 degrees; low, 63 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Saturday, 69 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1988 to date, 2.63 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Saturday night, mostly fair with lows near 60. Southeast winds to 15 mph. Sunday, mostly sunny and warmer. Highs today 70s. Southeast wind 15 to 25 mph and gusty. Lake wind advisories will be in effect.

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Bond issue stirs absentee balloting

Tuesday is the final day to vote absentee for next Saturday's elections related to posts on the city, school and college board as well as the city's special called revenue bond election related to laying utility lines to the Texas Department of Corrections prison.

The utility bond issue is apparently stimulating the most voter interest with absentee balloting at the city totaling more than twice that for the college and school elections.

At the close of business Friday, the approximate count for absentee at the city was 110

votes. This compares to around 50 for Snyder public schools and 42 for Western Texas College votes.

Both the city and school will be electing members to single member districts, the second time either entity has conducted an election under the new system.

Because of expected confusion related to these districts, officials with Snyder ISD and the city have encouraged individuals to vote absentee for the May 7 election.

Recent changes in Texas law allows voters to do this without stating a reason.

On Tuesday, individual may vote absentee until 5 p.m. at the college and city hall and until 4 p.m. at the school administration building.

On May 7, the polling location for all three elections will be combined at city hall.

Candidates involved in the upcoming Snyder based elections are:

WTC Board

Place 5, Dennis Hall, Bob O'Day and John Egan

Place 6, Billy Sam Houston and incumbent R.C. Patton

Place 7, incumbent John Gayle

Snyder School Board

Place 2, incumbent Mike Jordan

Place 3, Ruben Martinez and Terry Martin

Place 4, (expired term) Mrs. Wayland (Ann) Walton, Lisa Ould and Jerry House

Snyder City Council

Place 1, Verneal Tippens and Walter K. Cox

Place 2, incumbent Ralph Williamson

Place 3, Joe Coronado and Evelyn J. Malone

Place 4, Jack Greene Jr.

Support grows for Saturday's bond election

Grassroots support of next Saturday's revenue bond election in Snyder continues to grow with 50 more names added to the steering committee of almost 300 local residents.

The announcement was made by Martin Brooks, chairman of board of West Texas State Bank and chairman of the steering committee.

Voters will decide two issues each for \$175 million. One is for water system improvements and the second is for expansion of the sewer system. Both are related to providing utility services to the prison site northeast of Snyder.

Delbert Downing, treasurer of the committee, said both issues will be paid from revenue generated from the sale of city utility services and no tax funds may be used to retrofit the bonds.

Absentee balloting in the bond election continues until 5 p.m. Tuesday at city hall.

New members of the steering committee are Josh Hall, Janet Hall, Ronnie Shields, Ned Underwood, Billy Underwood, Skipper Joyce, Barbara Parker, Mike Banta, Billy Wayne Thompson, Wayne Bethel, A.C. Floyd Jr., M.L. Chandler, Bob Travis, Sue Travis, Dixie Brooks, Hershel Cross, Frank Pruitt, Klouse Pruitt, Wayland Walton, Ann Walton and Speedy Prince.

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VICTORY — Donna Gray, Herbie Figueroa, Elizabeth Potts and Gary Landes enjoy a victorious moment as Chamber of Commerce director Bill Moss determines that "Herbie's

Highrollers" had bested "David's Mole" in the annual chamber membership drive. The two groups recruited 73 new members, pushing the chamber's membership total to almost 100. (SDN Staff Photo)

Southwest of Snyder...

Chemical operation closed

American Southwest Brine and Chemical Inc., an industry with hopes of employing up to 100 persons in Scurry County, ceased operations Friday at least temporarily and terminated 20 of its 21 employees.

Future of the plant is unknown said Ed Beets, manager of the local plant. He said company officials are exploring ways to reopen the operation southwest of

Snyder. The company had recently had an engineering study performed in an effort to increase production.

Company officials in Tulsa could not be reached Friday afternoon or Saturday morning, but one former employee indicated the company is seeking additional financing to continue operations.

The SDN contacted the Tulsa, Okla. based office for American Southwest Brine and nearer Larry Wheeler, company president, nor Vicki Carpenter, marketing director, could be reached for comment.

Plans for the operation were announced here Dec. 19, 1986.

The company had purchased

facilities remaining at the old American Magnesium Plant site.

It was to produce such chemicals as calcium chloride and magnesium oxide for use in a range of products, to include cement, concrete, gas dehydration and animal feed.

There were indications Friday that Brown and Root had performed an engineering study for American Southwest Brine Chemical which concluded that plant modifications are needed so that output can be increased.

It was reported that chemicals produced are of good quality, but that production needs to be increased to make operations of the plant economically feasible.

'Per bale' assessment funds due discussion

The Scurry County Producers Association will decide how to spend funds accumulated through the "per bale assessment" here at a meeting due Monday at 8 p.m. in Room A of the Scurry County Coliseum.

Options proposed include allowing the money to continue to accumulate or to authorize an early season overwintered weevil insecticide rebate program.

Producers in Scurry County approved the at the gin assessment to combat cotton-destroying insects. The assessment has been

collected for the past three cotton seasons.

County Entomologist Deanna Myers Holladay indicates that a high number of weevils are expected to emerge this spring.

Recently, the producers group set May 20 as the uniform delayed planting date for Scurry County cotton producers.

Entomologists call the delayed planting date the most cost effective method of combating the weevil since cotton planted this late will adversely affect the growth cycle of the weevil.

The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The fellow on Deep Creek says, "Nothing makes a man forget a passing fancy than something fanciful."

Never again will we put any confidence in TV show ratings. There's just no way reports can be accurate. Reports said the Super Bowl dominated TV viewing that Sunday evening, but there were no reports on the amount of viewers and turning off the set long before the final whistle.

Even though everybody can tell you the latest advice of Dr. Ruth, no one will admit to having watched the show. Certainly, educated families with emphasis on cultural trends would never admit to watching a TV soap.

And then there are TV game shows where a blond bomb displays her ability to deal with her ABE's. Surely, the only time viewers would watch a bunch of silly celebrities from pictures is when lightning has knocked all the other channels and when it's too noisy to venture outdoors.

But our main skepticism of ratings occurred when we got one of those letters asking our very "typical" American household to chart viewing habits for a week.

Attached to the booklet was a \$2 bill to compensate for the trouble and to encourage that we mail back in the results.

The clear winner was the silent weather channel. But there was no place to mark it in the little book. Not wanting to part with the \$2 bill, a good faith effort was required.

The viewing poll has to be invalid, there's no place for dual viewing. Anybody with a remote control fully understands that the typical American family may watch as many as three shows in a half hour which may explain the growing popularity of championship wrestling.

TV wrestling often is mild compared to the bathe over who controls the remote control which may explain why the average American household now has three TV sets plus six automatic tuners.



SHAWN RAGLAND



BETTY LOU FLEMING

Repeat sought of magic of Fantasia

WACO, Texas (AP) — The nephew of animation king Walt Disney says his one burning ambition is to repeat the magic of his uncle and whip up a sequel to the classic feature "Fantasia."

Roy E. Disney, in Waco to visit a television station owned by his Shamrock Holdings, said he would like to create Fantasia II within the next five years.

Walt Disney productions and heads the animation department, which in recent years has seen a renaissance in its operations.

The department plans to release the feature film "Who Framed Roger Rabbit?" in June and "Oliver and Company," a hip, updated musical version of Oliver Twist set in New York City, in November.



INDUSTRIAL ARTISTS — Dakon Hollingsworth, Leonard Tovar, George Kiker, Jerry Tippens, Mark King, Chad Grimmert, David Hinojos, Josh Helms, Dane Farley, Jake Wieb and Cole Drum won ribbons in woodworking and drafting at a recent regional contest in Abilene to qualify for statewide competition, with Hollingsworth and Grimmert coming home as division winners. (SDN Staff Photo)

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Children's literature exhibition to begin

An exhibition of illustrations from children's literature will be on view at the Diamond M Museum of Fine Art from Sunday (May 8) through May 31.

The exhibition, entitled "Picture That!" provides a glimpse

into the development of children's literature in America. Award-winning illustrations, selected from the Special Collections department of the University of Oregon library, were chosen to represent a wide variety of

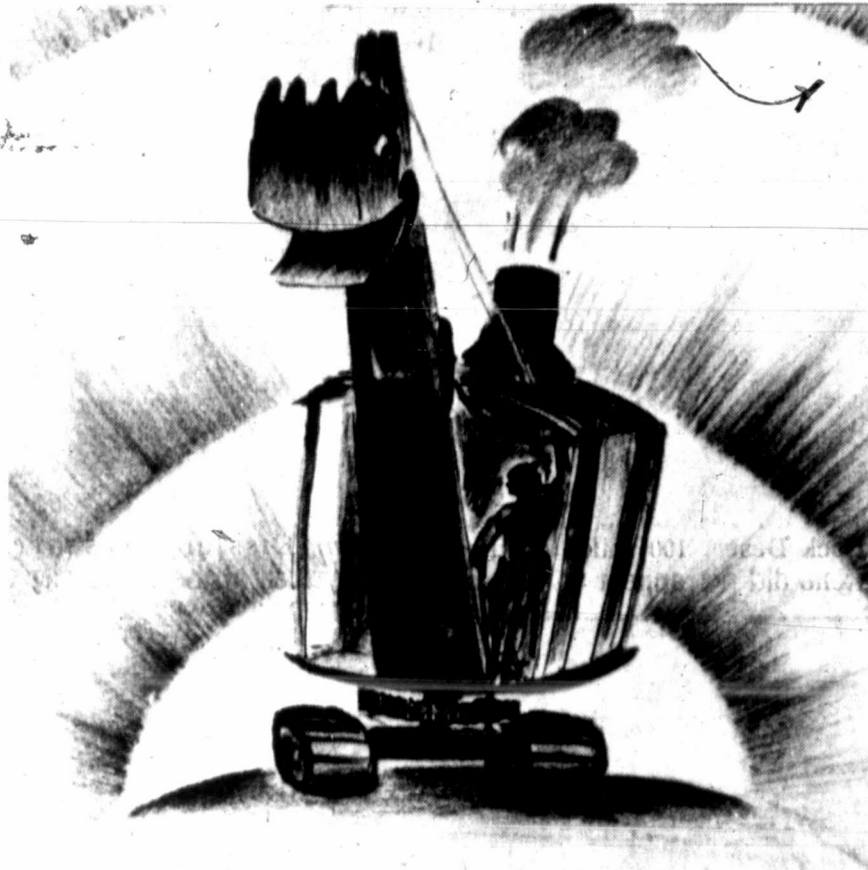
styles and techniques from the 1930s through the 1970s.

"Picture That!" also includes a brief history of children's literature, samples of artists' lay-out books, expanded labels outlining each artist's career and copies of children's books.

The exhibition is being circulated by the Visual Arts Resources of the University of Oregon Museum of Art with fun-

ding from the National Endowment for the Arts, the Oregon Arts Commission, the Friends of the Museum and private foundations.

The Diamond M Museum is at 909 25th Street in the Diamond M Building. Hours are 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and 1-4 p.m. on Sunday. There is no admission charge.



PICTURE THAT!—The cover illustration for the children's book "Mike Mulligan and His Steam Shovel" is one of 44 works included in a traveling exhibit titled "Picture That!" to be seen in the Diamond M Museum from May 8-31. The illustrations come from books published from the 1930s through the 1970s and are sure to awaken memories in those who enjoyed the works for many years. The Diamond M Museum, located at 909 25th Street, is open Tuesday through Sunday without admission charge. (Illustration Courtesy of Western Texas College)

Yugoslavian painter returns to Chicago

CHICAGO (AP) — Gustav Likan has done portraits of Conrad Hilton and Herbert Hoover, but he hasn't seen his most treasured work in 26 years: a painting of his wife.

So the native Yugoslavian, who lives in Texas, has returned to Chicago to try to find the 30-inch-by-40-inch painting of his wife portrayed in a violet dress with a cat on her lap.

"My wife was so beautiful. The picture really had a lot of charm," Likan said.

The story, reported in Thursday's Chicago Tribune, began in 1962 when the struggling immigrant couldn't afford to repay the \$2,000 he borrowed from his brother-in-law to get his family to the United States.

Likan, now 77, had made a name for himself decades earlier by painting portraits of Yugoslavia's young King Peter and murals for Argentine first lady Eva Peron's schools.

His brother-in-law filed a lawsuit to recover the money, and some of Likan's paintings were auctioned by the Cook County sheriff. The brother-in-law bought the painting of Mrs. Likan for \$355, but Likan believes it was then immediately sold.

The brother-in-law and his wife died without children in the mid-1960s, and the two families parted ways after the disagreement, so Likan doesn't know where the painting might be.

"It's a dream to have this picture," Likan said. "Maybe the owner is rich. He doesn't need the

painting. It's worth a lot more to me, from an artistic standpoint and for my family."

The painting was valued at \$2,000 when it was auctioned, and Likan believes it would be worth \$8,000 today.

"It could be anywhere," said Capt. James Zurawski of police department's financial investigation unit. "It's like looking for a needle in a haystack."

"I used to work at the galleries," Zurawski said. "Paintings go for cash usually, and the buyer is usually just an initial."

After he had established himself as a painter, Likan began teaching at the Chicago Academy of Fine Arts. But one day in 1967 a dean called to say his classes were canceled because he didn't have enough students, he allowed smoking, and he never took attendance.

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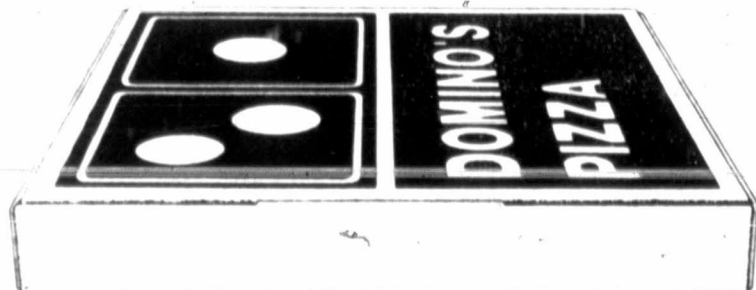
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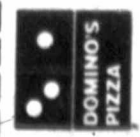
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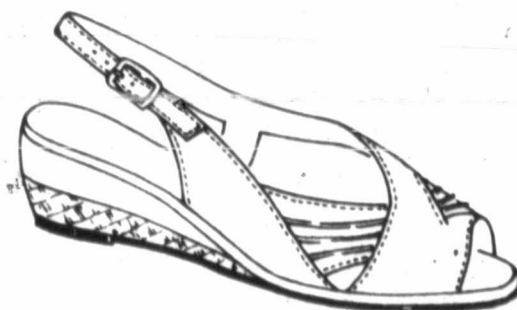
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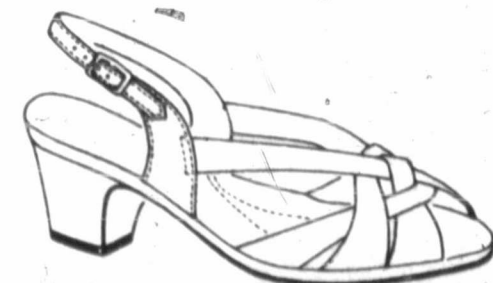


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Students prepare for the olympics

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — John Miller is blind, but that didn't stop the Omaha, Neb., teen-ager from competing against 300 other students in the U.S. Academic Decathlon Saturday.

Miller is among the students from 37 states and Northern Ireland who converged on the campus of Trinity University for the brain Olympics.

Students competed in math, science, social science, economics, language and literature, fine arts, essay, interview and speech and the Super Quiz, a competition on the history of aviation.

The new national champion and individual winners will be announced Sunday and Miller hopes to do well.

Miller attends Central High School in Omaha and his study guides for the competition were in braille.

"I think we came here to do the best we can," Miller said. "I hope to do well, possibly an individual award. If we place halfway well,

we'll be happy."

Miller's teammate, Rob Hill, said Miller is a regular student.

"More often than not, you forget he is blind. He is one of the most remarkable people in some ways. He is amazing and he is an inspiration, seeing him work so hard."

Miller's case may be the extreme, but other students said they studied long hours.

The students arrived in San Antonio several days before the competition and studied around a hotel pool and in their rooms.

The Tulsa team placed seventh at last year's national competition and four members of that team returned this year.



1988 — The Snyder Junior High School yearbook staff has just produced the school's new "Cub's Prowl, 1988." From left are Chris Rumpff, Shara Carlton, Misty Durst, Pablo Coronado, Jason Grantham, Brian Crawford and faculty advisor Pam Breuer. (SDN Staff Photo)

U.S., Soviet scientists claim success

GERLACH, Nev. (AP) — American and Soviet scientists exchanged vodka toasts after claiming victory in the first of a series of experiments they hope will prove that a cheat-proof ban on all nuclear weapons testing is possible.

"The experiment is successful," Charles Archambeau, a University of Colorado-Boulder geophysics professor, said Friday after delicate seismic equipment detected a low-yield simulated nuclear blast in the Nevada desert.

"It means that we can more accurately gauge the numbers and

distribution of stations that will be required to verify a low-threshold treaty. It also will help us to set the threshold of what's verifiable," he said.

Archambeau heads the seismic monitoring advisory committee of the Natural Resources Defense Council, a private group conducting the experiments in this country and the Soviet Union in cooperation with the Soviet Academy of Sciences.

Scientists initially thought Friday's detonation of 10 tons of TNT had failed to register on any of the 143 seismic monitors scattered throughout Nevada, but a

more detailed study indicated the test was successful.

Officials planned a second explosion at Lathrop Wells, 50 miles south of the Nevada Test Site, where all U.S. nuclear weapons are tested. A third explosion was to be detonated today at Broken Hills, 100 miles east of Carson City.

Evgeni Velikhov, vice president of the Soviet Academy and an advisor to Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev, seemed disturbed when Friday's explosion 160 feet below the Black Rock Desert 100 miles north of Reno did not appear to register

on any of the seismometers.

He brightened up later when officials found the blast had been detected on more sensitive equipment. "I think it is inappropriate to say I am disappointed by scientific results," he said. "It's the results."

Precise digital units in Deep Springs, Calif., 250 miles away from the explosion, and in Troy Canyon, Nev., 10 miles farther, recorded the blast 100 seconds after it was detonated, sharply jolting the ground under observers 500 feet away, said Holly Eissler, research geophysicist at the University of California San Diego.

It also was detected at 15 remote stations installed in northern Nevada.



**Saturday, May 7
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- Graduated summa cum laude, 1973, Abilene Christian University.
- Chosen for Dean Adams Achievement Award upon graduation at ACU.
- A CPA since August of 1975.
- Partner in CPA firm Yorgesen, Bläkey and Coronado.
- An active community leader, serving as a director for the chamber of commerce, Lions Club and Scurry County Museum.

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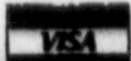
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Officials prepare for more strikes

KRAKOW, Poland (AP) — Opposition activists said workers at major plants across Poland were on strike alert Saturday, braced to halt work if authorities try to use force to break stoppages at two huge southern steel mills.

The labor crisis is the worst to confront communist authorities since they declared martial law in December 1981 and banned the Solidarity independent labor federation.

On Friday, police in Warsaw detained Jacek Kuron, a leading opposition intellectual and senior Solidarity adviser, bringing to at least 26 the number of Solidarity

activists taken into custody in two days across Poland.

Among them were Solidarity national spokesman Janusz Gdyszewicz and Warsaw regional leader Zbigniew Bujak. Solidarity activists called for a strike of Krakow's city transport workers today to support stoppages for more pay and union rights by nearly 20,000 laborers occupying the steel mills in Huta Hutwa and Stalowa Wola.

The government has both threatened the striking steelworkers with dismissal and promised to improve their wages. But it has not negotiated with the Huta Hutwa strike committee since early Thursday.

Information was sketchy about the stoppage at Stalowa Wola, where the police presence was said to be heavy.

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FIRST DIVISION — The Snyder Junior High School Stage Band was named to the first division of bands in a recent contest at Texas Tech University in Lubbock. (SDN Staff Photo)



STATE CONTESTANTS — These Snyder High School industrial arts students won the right to advance to statewide competition in electronics, drafting, metal work and woodwork. (SDN Staff Photo)

Injured U. S. sailor recounts explosion aboard frigate

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — A U.S. sailor injured when an Iranian mine ripped through a frigate in the Persian Gulf said Friday he would be willing to go back to the troubled area.

Chief Petty Officer Alex Perez,

38, suffered burns, a bruised lung and broken vertebrae when the USS Samuel B. Roberts struck a mine in the Persian Gulf on April 13. The frigate was returning to Kuwait to escort another oil tanker through the gulf.

Although it will take him at least a year to recover, Perez said he was ready to accept another assignment in the Persian Gulf.

"My personal feeling is I'm glad we are there, otherwise somebody else would be there, someone that we might not want there," he said.

"I think the Navy is the greatest thing in the world. They take care of their people," he said.

Perez, a native of San Antonio and now based in Newport Beach, R.I., has been hospitalized at Beach Pavilion at Fort Sam Houston and is expected to be moved to the Bethesda Naval Hospital in Maryland in three weeks.

Perez's physician, Maj. Gerald Greenfield, said the sailor's injured spine is causing the most concern.

"His spine fractures are at

three different levels and because of the different levels involved we have to treat him nonoperatively," Greenfield said. "At this point, I think he is improving."

Perez, who was the senior crewman in charge of the electronic and computer equipment to operate the ship's engines, said the crew was ready for the mines.

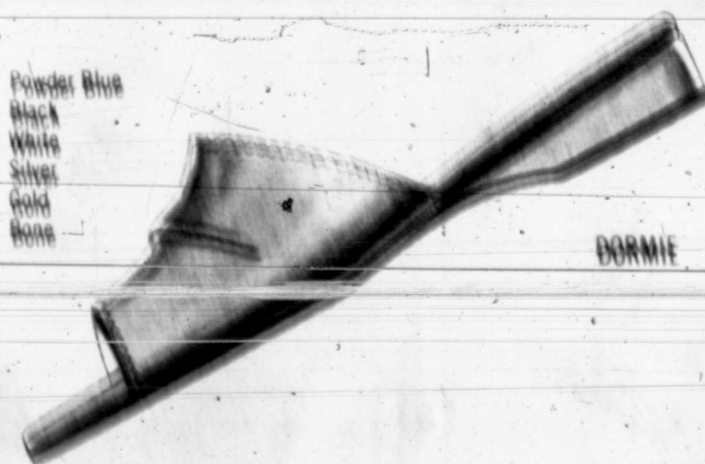
"The crew was pretty much prepared for something like this," Perez told reporters in his first news conference in the United States. "We had gone through a lot of training, about two years of training before we made the deployment."

He said they passed through about 20 mines in the area before being hit.

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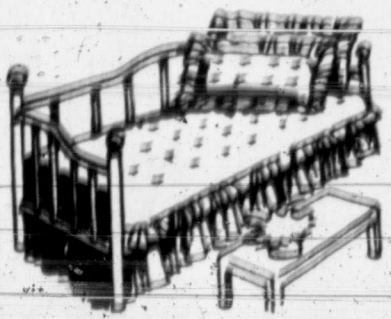
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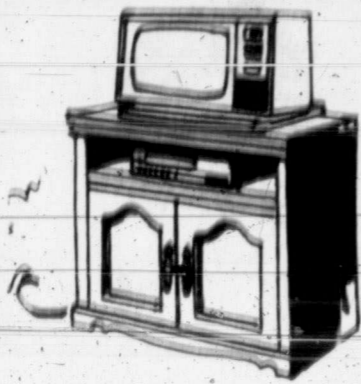
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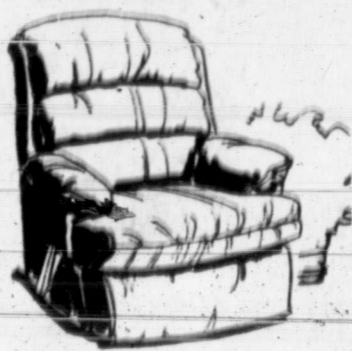
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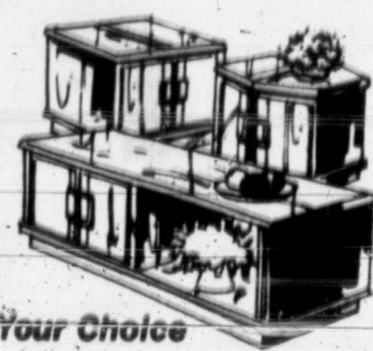
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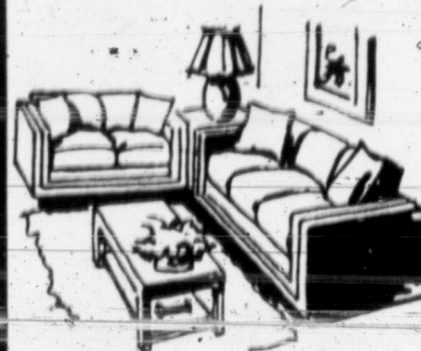
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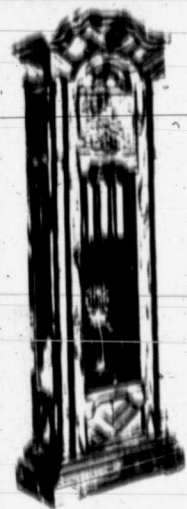
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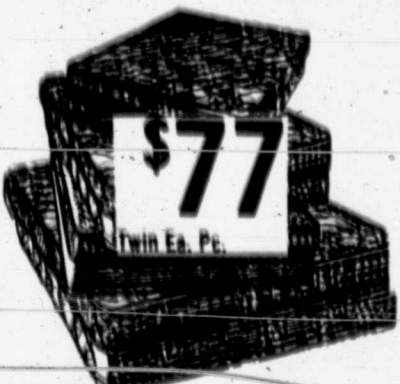
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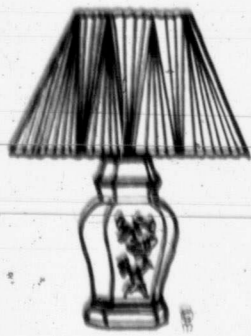


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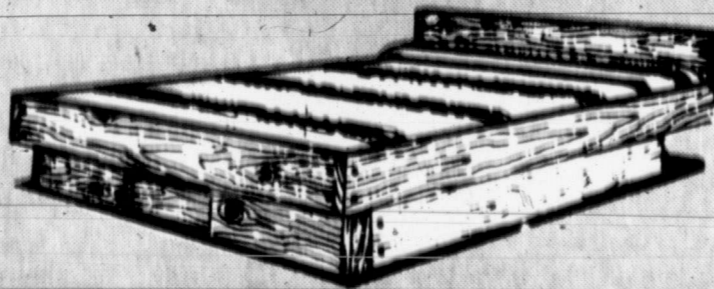
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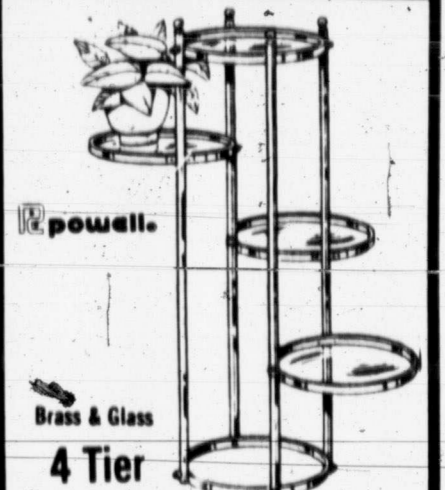
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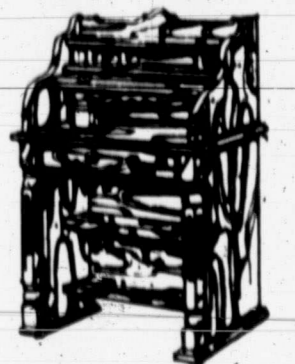
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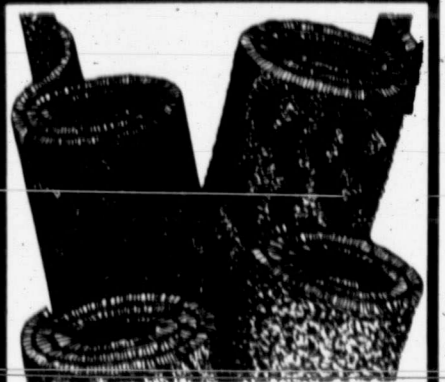
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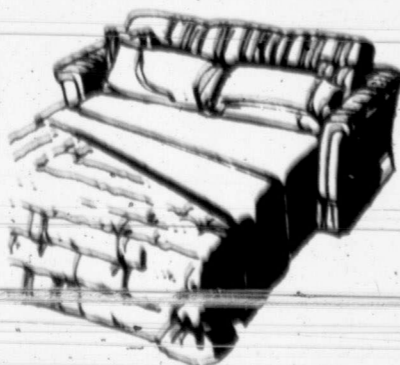


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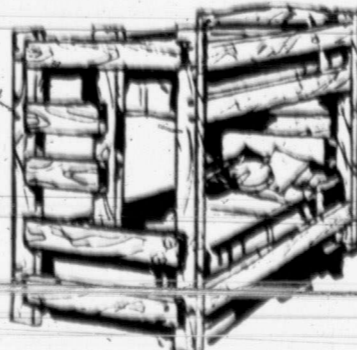
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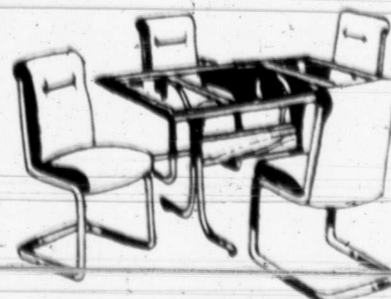
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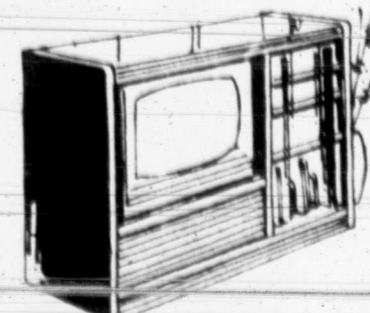
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Deputy shot in forehead

ODESSA, Texas (AP) — An Ector County sheriff's deputy was shot in the head Friday night while trying to subdue a man who reportedly had earlier fired a shot at a neighbor, authorities said.

The officer, Carl Rogers, 38, was in stable condition Friday night at Odessa Medical Center, the Odessa American reported.

Witnesses told police the assailant was trying to pick a fight with an elderly man who lived near him in a west Odessa trailer park.

Rogers and another deputy arrived at the trailer park at 8:10 p.m., officials said.

Witnesses said the gunman fired once.



STANDFIELD PARTICIPANTS—These Standfield Project Excell sixth graders all competed in the district UIL contest held April 22 at Western Texas College. Seated are, from left, Jaime McFarland, fourth in impromptu speaking, and Shannon Canada, who competed in oral reading. Standing are, from left, Shanna Wade, third in ready writing; Jeffrey Armstrong, fifth in number sense; and Rachel Bolin, first in ready writing. (SDN Staff Photo)



TOPS IN THE REGION — Ashley Miller, Jay Burns and Kirsten Miller from Snyder High School qualified in regional UIL competition to take part in statewide contests in, respectively, prose reading, persuasive speaking and poetry interpretation. (SDN Staff Photo)

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Former stripper will be ordained Sunday

DALLAS (AP) — A one-time stripper and star attraction of Jack Ruby's infamous Carousel nightclub will be ordained Sunday and said she hopes to work as a chaplain at the county jail — counseling prostitutes, alcoholics and drug addicts.

"I think that's where there's so much sadness and hurt. And nobody knows the pain unless you go through it," Bobbie Lou Meserole said.

As a 13-year-old girl, she said, she dreamed of becoming a nun named Sister Louise. Instead, she became Shari Angel, a stripper who came to be described as Dallas' answer to Gypsy Rose Lee.

She will become the Rev. Bobbie Lou Meserole in an ordination service Sunday at the interdenominational Eagle's Nest Cathedral.

Her road from stage to pulpit was paved with booze, a few beatings, five marriages and several suicide attempts.

As a teen-ager, she dropped out

of the prestigious Ursuline Academy. By the time she was 22, she was a stripper. At 30, she was a prostitute.

Four years ago, at 50, she was an alcoholic under treatment in an Arlington hospital.

There, she said, a compassionate psychiatrist pointed her in the right direction. She started attending Alcoholics Anonymous meetings and got her call from God, she said.

"I think the Lord just really called me: I'm completely delivered now from everything," she told the Dallas Times Herald. "I'm so full of joy and thankful to heaven. I just feel like I could hang the moon today."

Ms. Meserole left Ursuline Academy to work as a drugstore clerk and cocktail waitress to help support her 10 brothers and sisters. Her parents were divorced and her stepfather didn't have a job.

In the bars, she met club owners who persuaded her to start stripping.

The \$250 to \$500 a week she earned as a stripper was a lot more than her clerk and waitress wages. Her parents never saw her act; her stepfather didn't care and her mother just started praying for her, she said.



QUALIFIERS — Three of Snyder High School's representatives in statewide UIL competition are Robert Neblett in ready writing, Anne Osborne in typing and Sylvia Alaniz in shorthand. (SDN Staff Photo)

Hijackers said to be in Algeria

WASHINGTON (AP) — The gunmen who hijacked a Kuwait Airways jumbo jet for 15 days remain in Algeria, where the ordeal ended last week after a Kuwaiti promise to give "early release" to a handful of Shiite Moslem prisoners, according to a U.S. account.

On Thursday, Algerian Ambassador Mohammed Sahnoun said the hijackers had left Algeria without getting what they wanted and without obtain-

ing any concessions for freeing the 31 remaining passengers.

But two U.S. officials told The Associated Press on Friday the hijackers had been promised that five or six of the 17 prisoners held in Kuwait for bomb attacks on the U.S. and French embassies in 1983 would be released early.

However, the prisoners have not been released and the gunman, who had been promised safe passage, remain in Algeria, the officials said on condition of

anonymity.

According to this account of the negotiations, Algerian intermediaries faithfully conveyed Kuwait's promise to the hijackers. But the officials said Kuwait, which has a firm policy of not yielding to terrorism, may not have had any intention of letting the prisoners go in the first place.

"They have stood so fast for so long, they probably had no intention of letting them go early," one of the officials said.

The five-year prison terms of three of the 17 Shiite Moslems are due to expire at the end of the year.

During the long ordeal, the United States repeatedly urged Kuwait publicly and privately not to yield to the hijackers. The Reagan administration was not aware of the terms to end the siege because they were worked out through Algerian intermediaries, the officials said.

The account was provided by Algeria, which has played a role in resolving several hijackings, in diplomatic contacts with the United States in the aftermath of the hijacking.

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Rangers fall to Yankees, 2-1...

Orioles break losing streak with shut-out

by The Associated Press
The Baltimore Orioles have a new streak going. They're the first winner in a series of 10 games. The Orioles ended the longest losing streak in American League history at 21 Friday night by winning their first game of the season, 9-0 over the Chicago White Sox.

It was like a World Series of something, said Mark Williamson, who combined with Steve Schmidt on a four-hitter. The streak already was a club record and a major league record for losses to start a season.

Tigers 9, Mariners 6
Alan Trammell, who had only three hits in eight previous games, had four and two RBI as Detroit downed Seattle. Trammell doubled to drive in Chet Lemon with a seventh-inning run that broke a 6-6 tie. Lemon started the inning with a double.

Larry Herndon doubled Trammell home, chasing Seattle starter Mark Langston, and Jim Walewander, running for Herndon, scored on a bunt and a sacrifice fly by Tom Brookens.

deal Texas its seventh loss in 10 games. Candelaria pitched a five-hitter for his second consecutive win.

Saberhagen struck out six and walked none, and shut out the Brewers on four hits through seven innings. Dan Quisenberry retired the side in the ninth.

Baseball glance

By The Associated Press
APRIL 30-EST. 1988

League	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cleveland	16	7	.692	-
Boston	15	8	.652	1
New York	14	9	.609	2
Los Angeles	13	10	.565	3
Toronto	12	11	.521	4
Milwaukee	11	12	.476	5
Baltimore	10	13	.435	6

NATIONAL LEAGUE

By The Associated Press
APRIL 30-EST. 1988

League	W	L	Pct.	GB
Pittsburgh	16	6	.727	-
New York	15	7	.682	1
Montreal	14	8	.636	2
Chicago	13	9	.591	3
Los Angeles	12	10	.545	4
Philadelphia	11	11	.500	5
St. Louis	10	12	.455	6

Angels 9, Blue Jays 5
California's Johnny Ray had two doubles and a single, driving in three runs and scoring the tie-breaker in the eighth inning on Devon White's triple, dealing Toronto's fifth straight loss.

Red Sox 6, Twins 5
Dwight Evans hit a bases-loaded sacrifice fly in the 10th in-

ing, lifting Boston over Minnesota, which got two home runs from Gary Gaetti.

Underfired Boston starter Roger Clemens was going for his fifth straight victory, but he couldn't make it through the ninth inning with a 5-2 lead.

He allowed singles to Tommy Herr and Kent Hrbek before Lee Smith came on with one out. Gaetti had a 3-2 count on him when he hit his second homer of the game to tie the score.

Hershiser earns 5th victory as LA dodges St. Louis, 6-4

by The Associated Press
Orel Hershiser says "a lot of good things have happened" in his first five starts. What he didn't mention is that he is responsible for most of them.

Dwight Gooden are the only National League pitchers off to 5-0 starts.

third on a passed ball, and came home on a sacrifice fly by Nick Esasky. Bo Diaz followed with his fourth homer to tie the score.

Hershiser allowed five hits in eight-plus innings for his fifth straight victory and snapped a sixth-inning tie with a run-scoring groundout as Los Angeles beat St. Louis 6-4 Friday night at Dodger Stadium.

Hershiser says the addition of relievers Jay Howell and Jesse Orosco make him a better pitcher.

Hawkins, 3-1, pitched a one-hitter in his last start to beat Houston and retired the first nine Pittsburgh batters. He got in trouble in the seventh and Davis pitched 2 2-3 innings of two-hit relief for his third save, striking out five.

Lakers swamp San Antonio after first-quarter struggle

by The Associated Press
The Los Angeles Lakers' first-round playoff series against San Antonio is supposed to be a tuneup, and they certainly had their cylinders clogged in the first quarter against the Spurs.

quarter Friday night, and Alvin Robertson and Walter Berry had eight points each to help the Spurs take a 28-26 lead at the end of the period.

tonight. Sunday's games have New York at Boston, Cleveland at Chicago, Seattle at Denver, Milwaukee at Atlanta and San Antonio at Los Angeles.


stay in there when we have a three-run lead," Hershiser said.

With two outs, Teufel doubled off reliever Rob Murphy, 0-1, and scored on Hernandez's slicing single to left field. Hernandez also doubled home a run in the fourth and has 11 RBI in his last three games.



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Friday, April 29

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Baseball leaders

By The Associated Press
AMERICAN LEAGUE
BATTING (38 at bats)—Cotto, Seattle, .443; Obrien, Texas, .441; Ray, California, .431; Winfield, New York, .408; GBell, Toronto, .392

RUNS—Rierson, New York, 29; Canseco, Oakland, 21; Winfield, New York, 21; Brett, Kansas City, 19; Carter, Cleveland, 18

RBI—Winfield, New York, 27; Canseco, Oakland, 21; Carter, Cleveland, 21; Brett, Kansas City, 18; Ray, California, 18

HITS—Rierson, New York, 32; Ray, California, 32; Winfield, New York, 32; GBell, Toronto, 31; Obrien, Texas, 30

DOUBLES—Ray, California, 10; Tartabull, Kansas City, 9; GBell, Toronto, 8; Jacoby, Cleveland, 8; Mattingly, New York, 8; Puckett, Minnesota, 8

TRIPLES—Wilson, Kansas City, 4; Reynolds, Seattle, 3; McLemore, California, 3; Schu, Baltimore, 2; Stillwell, Kansas City, 2

HOME RUNS—Canseco, Oakland, 7; Carter, Cleveland, 7; Winfield, New York, 7; McGwire, Oakland, 6; 6 are tied with 5

STRIKEOUTS—Clemens, Boston, 60; Langston, Seattle, 53; Morris, Detroit, 30; Houff, Texas, 35; Candelaria, Cleveland, 34

SAVES—Eckersley, Oakland, 9; Henneman, Detroit, 8; Williams, Texas, 6; Henke, Toronto, 5; Boarden, Minnesota, 5

NATIONAL LEAGUE
BATTING (33 at bats)—Lavalliere, Pittsburgh, .379; Guerrero, Los Angeles, .369; Galarraga, Montreal, .358; Strawberry, New York, .348; Bonilla, Pittsburgh, .345

RUNS—Bonilla, Pittsburgh, 17; Clark, San Francisco, 17; Strawberry, New York, 16; BHatcher, Houston, 15; Bonds, Pittsburgh, 15; GDavis, Houston, 15

RBI—GDavis, Houston, 20; Bonilla, Pittsburgh, 18; Parrish, Philadelphia, 16; Brooks, Montreal, 15; OMarines, Chicago, 15; Guerrero, Los Angeles, 15; Kihornandes, New York, 15

HITS—Bonilla, Pittsburgh, 29; Dawson, Chicago, 29; Larkin, Cincinnati, 28; Galarraga, Montreal, 27; Butler, San Francisco, 26; OSmith, St. Louis, 26

DOUBLES—Bream, Pittsburgh, 9; Bonds, Pittsburgh, 8; Palmeiro, Chicago, 8; 5 are tied with 7

TRIPLES—Colemian, St. Louis, 4; Vandyke, Pittsburgh, 4; 5 are tied with 3

HOME RUNS—Bonilla, Pittsburgh, 7; Carter, New York, 7; GDavis, Houston, 7; Dawson, Chicago, 6; 4 are tied with 5

STOLEN BASES—Raines, Montreal, 12; Coleman, St. Louis, 11; GYoung, Houston, 11; Larkin, Cincinnati, 9; Sabo, Cincinnati, 9

PITCHING (3 decisions)—Fisher, Pittsburgh, 3-0, 1.00; 1.84; Gooden, New York, 3-0, 1.00, 1.83; Hershiser, Los Angeles, 5-0, 1.00, 1.36; McDowell, New York, 3-0, 1.00, 1.54; Scott, Houston, 4-0, 1.00, 1.94

STRIKEOUTS—Ryan, Houston, 45; Scott, Houston, 43; KGross, Philadelphia, 36; Perez, Montreal, 36; MaDavis, San Diego, 36; Sutcliffe, Chicago, 36

SAVES—Worrell, St. Louis, 6; DSmith, Houston, 4; JRobinson, Pittsburgh, 4; Myers, New York, 4; 5 are tied with 3

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Snyder's Henry signs pact to play for Western Texas

Two-time, all-District 2-4A player Teri Sue Henry will be playing ball for Western Texas College next season, Lady Dusters coach Kelly Chadwick announced. Henry was a three-year starter for the Snyder High School Lady Tigers, averaging 13 points and 8 rebounds as a senior. She was Snyder's Most Improved player as a sophomore and earned all-district honors as a junior and senior.

"I'm happy for the opportunity to play," smiled Henry, a 5-7 post in high school. "I'll have to learn to play outside as I'll still be tough in some ways, but I've always wanted to play outside so I'm looking forward to it." Because of the transition she will have to make from inside to the perimeter, Henry may progress slowly at first, but Coach Chadwick makes what he sees.

"Teri has good athletic ability and she really wants to play. That's a combination that I like," said the coach. "It's a harder transition that most people think to move out from the post. Teri already shoots well from the perimeter though, and that helps. I think she can be a real good, hard-nosed defensive player. She's a strong girl."



FROM TIGER TO DUSTER - Snyder High School two-time all-district player Teri Sue Henry has signed to play basketball for Western Texas College next season. Henry is pictured with WTC coach Kelly Chadwick. (SDN Staff Photo)

"Ball handling is her biggest weakness right now, that and the fact that she's not used to facing the basket. She'll be working extra hard on those areas," noted the coach.

"We're pleased to have her. I feel like she can be a real contribution to the team. Just how long it takes, we'll have to see. Who knows, she may be the one that leads us to nationals," he smiled.

Henry concentrated on basketball for most of her high school athletic career, but also ran track one season and enjoys success playing summer softball.

Former Lady Duster...

Welch to join AIA program

HUNTSVILLE - Sam Houston State University junior post Brenda Welch, a former Western Texas College All-American, has been chosen as a member of the Athletes In Action women's basketball team which will visit Korea this summer.

Welch was named to one of three AIA women's teams, based on athletic performance and Christian example. One of the most prolific scorers in junior college ball as a sophomore, Welch led SHSU's LadyKats to an 18-9 record last season, averaging 17.1 points per game. She earned second team All-Southland Conference honors after helping SHSU turn its record around from 9-18 the previous season.

The AIA squad will spend a week training at Heritage Col-

S P O R T S

Sutton, Donald share early lead in tourney

THE WOODLANDS, Texas (AP) - Hal Sutton says his only competition in the \$700,000 Independent Insurance Agent Open golf tournament is Mother Nature. "The only battle I have is to beat the weather," Sutton said Friday. "If I get caught up with who's around me, you can count me out."

jump on the weather Friday to share the lead in a second round that was suspended by rain and lightning.

PGA Tour officials planned to complete the second round early Saturday and also play the third round to get back on schedule for Sunday's finale.

Donald shot a 3-under-par 69 and Sutton had a 70 to share the lead with 8-under-par 136 totals.

Raymond Floyd and Greg Norman, the first-day co-leaders with 7-under-par 65s, were among about one-third of the field who didn't get to tee off.

"I'm looking at 36 holes while others are playing 18, but that's the way it goes," Floyd said. "You just go about your business."

Only 45 golfers completed their rounds before play was halted.

Former University of Houston standout Steve Elkington shot a 5-under 67 for the best score among the completed rounds.

Elkington and Tim Simpson, who shot a 70, were tied at 138.

Bowling

Standings Through April 28

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Team Name	W	L	Team Name	W	L
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Neeley's Exxon	33	27	Ringers	32	24
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Production Pump Systems	31	29	Duffers	29 1/2	26 1/2
Snyder Lanes	30	30	Retiree	29 1/2	26 1/2
Screwballs	29 1/2	30 1/2	None others listed		
Mom & The Brats	29	31			
Ezell Key Feed & Co.	18	42			

Hi-Scratch Series: Joe Cheyne, 537; Jackie Wadkins, 500; Hi-Handicap Series: Wesley Ball, 697; Jackie Wadkins, 659; Hi-Scratch Game: Joe

Cheyne, 202; Jackie Wadkins, 191; Hi-Handicap Game: Wesley Ball, 250; Jackie Wadkins, 244; Converted Spills: Wesley Ball, 478; Malcolm Rainwater, 310; Lou Vicknair, 57; 3-10; Richard Beck, 27; Joe Roemisch, 5-6, 9-10; Mark Thompson, 5-10; Leda Beck, 2-10; Vi Coe, 3-10; Mildred Banta, 9-10.

Hi-Scratch Series: R. Williams, 533; Hi-Handicap Series: W. Ball, 697; Hi-Scratch Game: A. Maldonado, 213; Hi-Handicap Game: A. Maldonado, 249.

WTC ready for big Saturday at Tarleton University rodeo

STEPHENVILLE - Western Texas College cowboy Jim Blaine Kenney moved into second place in the saddle bronc as the Tarleton State University NIRA Rodeo concluded its second show Friday evening.

Kenney scored a 68. Rains prompted officials to call off Friday's after-show slack. Skies were overcast Saturday morning, but no rain was falling.

Rain and bull riders were falling in Friday's show. Western Texas' Coody Cooper became the rodeo's only bull rider when he scored a 67. Many of the region's top bull riders - including WTC's Michael Gaffney and Adam Brewster - were up Saturday evening, however.

While Cooper stood out in the bull riding event, Western's Jim Blaine Kenney moved into a tie for second in the saddle bronc with a 68. In other WTC results from Friday, Tim Kreutzer and TSU's Jeff Pool teamed for a third-place 9.0 in the team roping, and Kenny Taton bucked off in the saddle bronc.

No members of WTC's designated teams competed Friday. Among those scheduled out Saturday were Brewster, Gaffney, Wesley Henderson and Ray Brown among the men and Sandy Scott, Tana Mahoney and Jessie Colburn among the women.

To update from Thursday's show, Henderson and Shawn

Goemmer's 8.0 time in the team roping is now placing second, and Denny McLanahan's 68 is tied for third in the bareback.

One contestant glad to see the rain is WTC's Melanie Graf. She clocked a 17.99 Thursday to lead the event. Friday night's rain could cause times to be slower the rest of the way.

"It could help Melanie and I think it might slow down the calf roping some. Really, though, there haven't been that many

calf ropers out yet. Most go today (Saturday)," said Bob Doty, Western Texas rodeo coach.

Western went into the rodeo in second place in the Southwest Region and just 10 points out of first place. First and second place teams in the region will advance to the College National Finals Rodeo in Bozeman, Mont.

The rodeo - and the regular season - were to end with Sunday's 1:30 p.m. short-go here.

PRO BASKETBALL PLAYOFFS

(continued from page 8A)

Paul Pressey with 6:22 left. Wilkins then put the Hawks ahead to stay with 6:09 to go.

Willis hit two free throws for a 104-101 Atlanta lead with 1:22 left, but another jumper by Pressey with 1:11 remaining made it 104-103. A rebound basket by Randy Wittman gave the Hawks a 106-103 lead 17 seconds later, and Willis added two more free throws with 35 seconds remaining for a 108-103 lead.

Terry Cummings led Milwaukee with 24 points.

Nuggets 126, Sonics 123 Denver also rallied in the second half, outscoring Seattle 42-29 in the fourth quarter after trailing by as many as 15 points in the second period.

Lafayette Lever gave Denver its first lead of the second half, 120-119, with two free throws with 2:27 left. Sonics rookie Derrick McKey hit a free throw at 1:22 to produce a 120-120 tie, but Alex English then scored on a short jumper 17 seconds later, giving Denver the lead for good.

Lever clinched the victory when he hit an 18-foot baseline jumper with 22 seconds left and added a pair of free throws with 10 seconds remaining.

English, despite a slow start, finished with 28 points for the Nuggets. The Sonics were led by Tom Chambers, who scored 29 points.

Transactions

BASEBALL
National League
ATLANTA BRAVES - Purchased the contract of Juan Eichelberger, pitcher, from Richmond of the International League. Sent Gary Eave, pitcher, to Richmond.

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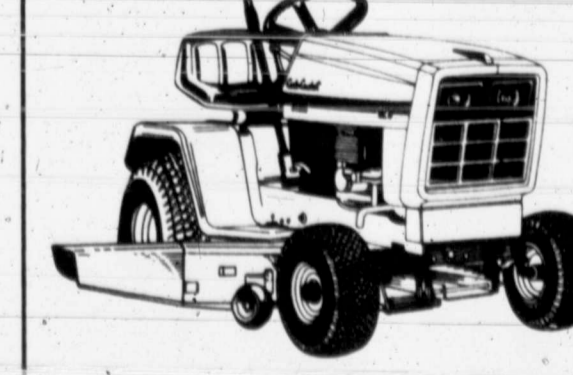
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EAST PARTICIPANTS—These East Project Excell sixth graders all competed in the district UIL contest April 22 at Western Texas College. They are from left, Cory Lelek, second in spelling;

Jason Pierce, fifth in science; and Craig Row, fifth in ready writing. Not pictured is Jason Williams who was fourth in number sense. (SDN Staff Photo)

Grand jury indicts three in alleged S&L case

DALLAS (AP) — Three Texas men were named in a federal grand jury indictment that alleges they participated in a scheme whereby more than \$56 million in money and property was obtained fraudulently from a North Texas savings and loan

association. Welba Lee "Bubba" Keetch Jr., 52, and James John Johnson, 45, both of Dallas, were indicted on charges of conspiring to obtain fraudulently more than \$56 million from the First Savings and Loan Association of Burkburnett.

Arthur Formann, 58, of Hondo, was indicted on a charge he submitted fraudulent loan appraisals to support the loan transactions of Keetch and Johnson. The 24-count indictment was

returned on Thursday but remained sealed until Friday, after FBI agents arrested Keetch near his residence in Dallas, the FBI said.

Keetch appeared Friday afternoon before U.S. Magistrate William F. Sanderson, who ordered him jailed pending a detention hearing on Monday.

Keetch was president and co-owner of Greenville Mortgage Co. Inc., with offices in Dallas. For Results Use Snyder Daily News Classified Ads Call 573-5486

May birthday party slated

A birthday party for all senior citizens who celebrate birthdays in May will be held Tuesday afternoon in the Senior Center. The monthly party is sponsored by McDonald's and starts at 2:30 p.m.

Monday will be games day in the center, with bingo the featured game. Play will begin at 10:30 a.m.

On Tuesday, Bill Moss, Chamber of Commerce manager, will speak briefly at 11:30 a.m. He will present information about the bond election set for May 7.

Hoss Clayton's band will present a musical program starting at 11 a.m. Tuesday. The Robert Allen band will play for a country-western dance starting at 7 p.m.

Miniature golfers will meet at Westerner Golfland at 8:30 a.m. Thursday and new players are welcome to join the group.

Tickets for the Senior Center's May Day barbecue on May 14 are being sold in the community and must be purchased in advance of May Day. Anyone who is not contacted can secure tickets by calling the Senior Center at 573-4035. Ceramics made in the center, including lighted Christmas trees and decorative ducks, will be for sale in the arts and crafts booth at the Senior Center's May Day on May 14. About 35 quilts made in the center in the last year will be sold in the May Day auction. Several quilts will be displayed in local businesses so buyers can see them in advance of May 14.

Fullingim sets area appearance

Jim Fullingim of Petersburg, a gospel recording artist, will be at the Union United Methodist Church at 11 a.m. Sunday. The church is located five miles west of the Snyder Square on the Lamesa Highway.

Fullingim is well-known for his country gospel music. Everyone is invited to attend.



WEST PARTICIPANTS—These Project Excell six grade students from West competed in a district UIL contest held April 22 at Western Texas College. Those seated are Jennifer Early, second place in impromptu speaking; and Robert Clarady, third in science. Standing in back are James Graham, first in spelling; Michael Hess, first in impromptu speaking; and Brian Lickey, second in calculator math. (SDN Staff Photo)



CENTRAL-NORTH PARTICIPANTS—These Central and North Project Excell sixth graders competed in the district UIL contest held April 22 at Western Texas College. North students seated are Cody Lewis, first in science and Shannon McNeil, calculator math participant. Central students standing are Maria Rodriguez, sixth in spelling; Daniel Molina, fifth in oral reading; and Susan Freeman, oral reading participant. (SDN Staff Photo)



JIM FULLINGIM

Hospitals to combine efforts

DALLAS (AP) — A new program combining the resources of five Dallas hospitals will help build the city's reputation in heart surgery and transplantation, officials say.

The University of Texas Southwestern Heart Transplant and Cardiothoracic Program could perform as many as 60 heart transplants a year, more than four times the number now performed in Dallas, said program director Dr. W. Steves Ring.

Under the program, heart transplants will be increased at Children's Medical Center and St. Paul's Medical Center and begun at University Medical Center, which is scheduled to open in early 1990.

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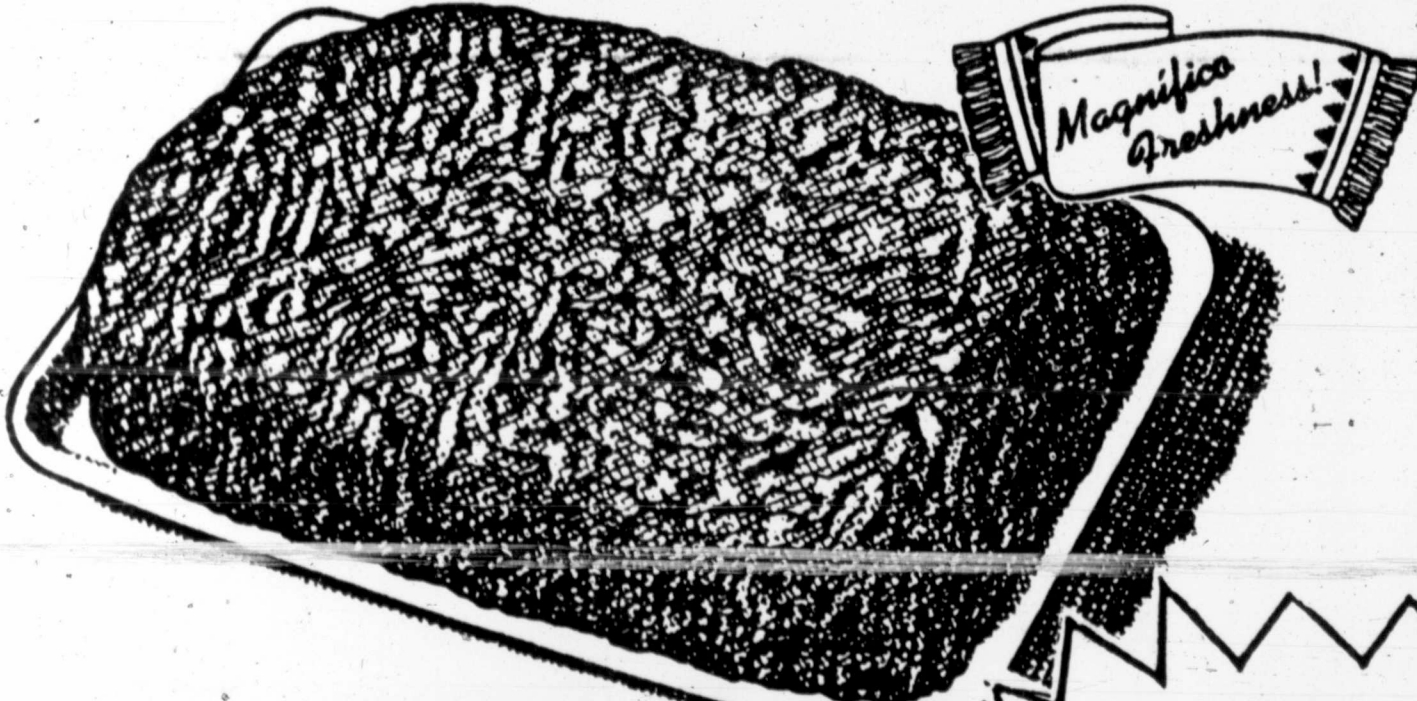
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Scurry County Folks...

By Shirley A. Gorman

to the Western Texas College board of trustees in 1969, WTC was struggling to begin. There was a campus but no buildings.

One of seven original trustees, Parks has served three consecutive six year terms, but after much thought and consideration he said he decided not to seek another term this year. This month he will attend his last meeting as a college trustee.

"It has been a tremendous experience for me," Parks told the Snyder Daily News recently. "I have gotten a lot more out of it than I have put into it."

Parks is proud of the effort which many people, including the trustees, put into making WTC the college it is today.

As he put it, "We started with a bare piece of land and built it into a college."

Parks estimates that thousands of man hours were devoted to getting the college off the ground. He credits Buford Frowning, who then served as county superintendent of schools, with playing a major role in the birth of the junior college.

Dr. Robert Clinton was the first president of WTC and M.L. Broman, then superintendent for SACROC, was elected the first chairman of the board.

In those early days, everyone, including the trustees, had a lot to do with getting the new college kicked off, Parks remembers. The trustees visited other college campuses throughout the United States "to get an idea where to start and what to do."

"It was an exciting time for us to see the college develop," he

Other duties included hiring architects, selecting the building style for the campus and hiring a faculty. Parks speaks highly of both the faculty and administration of Western Texas College, adding that their dedication helps make the college what it is today.

Parks is optimistic about the future of the college—which he hopes to see grow in head count so that all the facilities can be utilized—and the county which he thinks will benefit from the new prison, especially if it is doubled in size at a later date.

He said he thinks the prison will prove to be an asset to the college.

Current expansion at WTC includes the agriculture program, which recently gained its own farm. According to Parks, he thinks ag related services will provide important jobs for WTC graduates.

Another program which is doing very well, according to Parks, is the golf course and landscape technology program which he said sees most students hired as soon as they graduate.

From a sports standpoint, he said the rodeo program is an invaluable recruiting aid and that the basketball teams provide a lot of good publicity for the college.

When asked what is the most reward he has garnered from his 19 years on the college board of trustees, Parks did not hesitate to say that it is seeing people take advantage of what the college has to offer. He said he believes that WTC gives people an educational opportunity which they might not have otherwise.

As an example, he said he knows one family where both the mother and the daughter graduated from the college's LVN program and all the other children in the family graduated from WTC as well.

"When I hear about things like



IN APPRECIATION—After serving three consecutive six-year terms as a trustee for Western Texas College, Edwin Parks decided to retire this year rather than seek another term in office. At a recent college board meeting, members of the board presented him with a print of a Dick Powell painting of a steer in appreciation for his many years of service. (WTC Photo By Howard Bigham)

that I feel good about the col-

As a trustee, Parks said it was important for him to develop a pattern of consistency which both the faculty and administration as well as fellow trustees could count on.

"Consistency makes you reliable," he explained.

"Occasionally a friend will ask you to do something that you cannot do and you must say 'no' if you are to serve as a trustee to the best of your ability," he added.

Also, as a trustee he said he tried to always listen to new ideas and to encourage the development of new programs. He further tried not to "cross over the line" and get involved with the work of either the administration or the faculty.

Parks credits Renal Rosson with getting him to run for the position of college trustee. "He asked me if I would let my name be on the ballot but I was apprehensive at first because I did not have a college degree," Parks said.

When asked why he ran for reelection, Parks said, "I grew a lot during those first six years and so I thought I could do better the next six."

But after three six year terms he said he feels like it is time for him to step down and to let someone else serve on the board.

Parks also praised his wife, Vernelle, whom he said never complained about the time he devoted to being a trustee. "She is one of my biggest assets. She always encouraged me and never complained," he said.

Parks was born in Scurry County in 1928, four miles north of the old Plainview School House. He has two children, a daughter, Luann Walker, who lives at Ennis Creek and likes to write songs, and a son, Gary, who, due to a drug problem, is now an inmate at the Beto II Unit. See PARKS, Page 4B

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Snyder ISD menu

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Town and Country Topics

By Kathryn Roberts
Extension Agent

INVESTIGATE BEFORE BUYING TIMESHARE

This time of year thoughts turn to planning a family vacation at

and finding a way to afford it. A timeshare, or purchasing a unit in a resort area for use during a specific week every year, is a good solution for some families. Especially for larger families, a timeshare may be much less costly than comparable hotel or motel rooms, mostly because you can accommodate more people and eat more meals at home rather than in restaurants.

No matter how attractive the deal, however, consumers should carefully investigate before buying a timeshare.

It's most important to know what kind of timeshare you're buying. An ownership, or "interval" timeshare, gives you a simple interest in the property, providing title, deed and title insurance. You can sell your share of the property, will it or give it away.

"Right-to-use" timeshare offers no equity in the property. You're given the right to use a specific unit for a certain period of time, after which possession reverts to the developer. This

type of timeshare may also be called a vacation license, lease or club membership.

Contests and gifts have been used to induce people to visit a

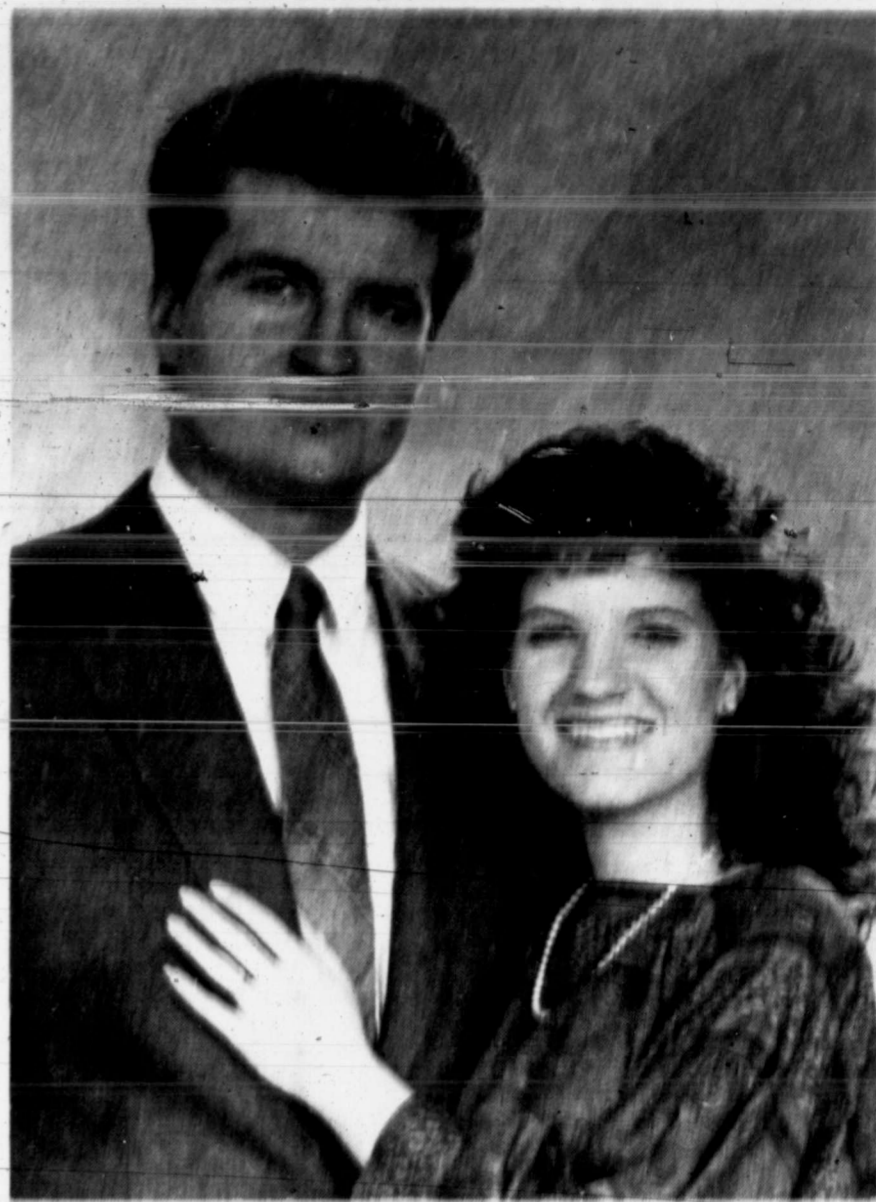
site where unscrupulous sellers then apply heavy pressure.

Texas laws protect consumers by allowing a three-day cooling off period, during which a buyer who did not actually visit the timeshare unit or a comparable unit can cancel a contract and get a refund. However, if you plan on buying outside Texas, check with the State Attorney General's office in the other state, since regulations vary.

Before signing a timeshare contract, figure your total costs, including interest to be paid for financing and annual maintenance fees.

In general, time shares should not be purchased as an investment, since resale is often difficult and may bring 30-40% less than the original price.

Consumers need to avoid buying a timeshare on impulse. Make sure it's a resort area you want to visit year after year and that you really will be getting your money's worth, by comparing the availability and cost of simply renting a vacation unit.



ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT — Dr. and Mrs. James T. Boyd of Duncannonville announce the engagement of their daughter, Catherine Elizabeth, to Timothy Randall Wood, son of the late Alfred L. Wood of Waco. Grandparents of the bride are Laderah Boyd and the late Marshall A. Boyd of Snyder. A July wedding is planned. (Private Photo)

Hermleigh ISD Menu

BREAKFAST MONDAY Juice Cinnamon Toast Milk	TUESDAY Pepper Steak Steamed Rice Glazed Carrots Hot Rolls No-Bake Cookies Milk
TUESDAY Fruit Scrambled Eggs Hot Rolls Milk	WEDNESDAY Italian Spaghetti Vegetable Relish Cheese Rolls Banana Pudding Milk
WEDNESDAY Juice Muffins Milk	THURSDAY Chicken Strips/Gravy Whole New Potatoes Pickled Beets Hot Rolls Brownies Milk
THURSDAY Fruit Buttered Oatmeal Milk	FRIDAY Pigs in a Blanket Tater Tots Carrot Sticks Fruit Jello Milk
FRIDAY Juice Dry Cereal Milk	
LUNCH MONDAY Chopped Bar-B-Que Mashed Potatoes Ranch Style Beans Hot Rolls	



APPROACHING MARRIAGE — Mr. and Mrs. Bobby J. Stroud announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Cynthia Lynn, to Terry M. Hunston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hunston of Minerva, Ohio. Vows will be exchanged at 5 p.m. May 14 in Bethel Baptist Church. (Private Photo)

Ira School menu

MONDAY Steak Fingers Gravy Green Beans/Buttered Potatoes Orange Rolls Milk	THURSDAY Oatmeal Cookies Loaf Bread Milk
TUESDAY Pinto Beans Spinach Corn Peach Cobbler Cornbread Milk	FRIDAY Chicken Strips Noodles w/Gravy Vegetable Salad Pineapple Brownies Rolls Milk
WEDNESDAY Bar-B-Que Weiners Creamed Potatoes Black-eyed Peas	

Bridge

James Jacoby

NORTH ♠ 10 8 8 ♥ J 2 ♦ K 8 3 ♣ A Q J 9 6 ♦ 9 8 2	EAST ♠ 9 ♥ Q 9 7 5 4 ♦ 8 5 3 ♣ 10 8 7 3		
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Opening lead: ♠ 7			

the opposing opening bid is followed by two passes. When you are in the pass-out position, experience has shown that partner usually has some of the balance of strength, so that with stoppers in the opener's suit, you can make a reopening one no-trump overcall with 11-14 points and be on safe ground. Thus South was quite comfortable bidding one no-trump in today's deal. Furthermore, when North invited game, South accepted automatically. If partner was asking for maximum, 14 certainly qualified.

Declarer made a good key guess and then parlayed that play into an over-trick. South played low from dummy on the opening lead and won East's nine with his 10. Then he led the jack of hearts. When West played low, declarer decided that the queen was with East. So he rose with dummy's king, finessed his 10 successfully, and then played king and a diamond to dummy's jack. It was obvious now that West held A-Q of spades and A-K of clubs for the opening bid, so declarer led a club to his jack, won by West with the king. West could now cash his two aces, but with no red exit-card, he had to give up an extra trick to declarer.

First-class bidding and play

When the opponents open the bidding, a direct overcall of one no-trump should show that you would have opened the bidding yourself with no-trump. Thus 15-18 high-card points are usually required. However, that requirement changes drastically when

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 Plaros Books. © 1988 NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.

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HEALTH TIP
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PROTECT THE HANDS
Rubber gloves are not the best answer when doing dishes or other chores that expose the skin to irritants. In fact, 14 of all occupational dermatitis cases are caused by allergy to one of the chemicals in rubber. Wear plastic gloves instead, and buy them a size larger to allow for cotton gloves inside to protect your skin from the dampness of sweating.

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BRIDE-ELECT HONORED — Sherry Pierce, bride-elect of Greg Hayes, was feted with a bridal shower April 23 in the Garden Room of First Baptist Church. Pictured from left are Dee Ann Pierce and Charlotte Kirby, sisters of the bride-elect;

Barbara Walton, her mother; the honoree; Jean Hayes, mother of the prospective groom; Beatrice Hayes and Wanda Fisher, his grandmothers. The couple will exchange vows May 15 in the First Baptist Church Chapel. (SDN Staff Photo)

Engagement is announced

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Decker of Morton announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Deidra Diane, to Jeffrey Kyle Groves, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Groves of Morton.

Vows will be exchanged at 3 p.m. May 14 in St. Phillip Neri Catholic Church of Papp.

Groves is the grandson of Rev. and Mrs. Elton Wyatt of Lubbock, formerly of Snyder, and Mr. and Mrs. W.E. McMillan of Hermleigh.



BRIDAL SHOWER — Robbi Merritt, bride-elect of Doug Findol, was given a shower March 27 at Trinity Methodist Church. Pictured from left are Kim Baze, sister of the prospective groom; Lellia Bolts, his grandmother; Gloria Hunter, his mother; the honoree; Bessi Merritt, mother of the bride-elect; Kathy Holdren, her sister and Dianne Grizzle, her sister. (Private Photo)

Fortieth year is celebrated

Mr. and Mrs. Scott M. Bavousett celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary with a family luncheon April 24.

Hosting the event were their children and grandchildren, Jeri Ann Bavousett of Seattle, Wash.; Bob, Kim and Crystal Bavousett of Lubbock and Dan, Carla, Frances and Emily Bavousett of Camp Springs.

Guests visited from Denver, Colo.; Clovis, N.M.; Roswell, N.M.; Plainview, Friona, Lubbock and Pampa.

The former Alta Gamblin and Scott Bavousett were married April 25, 1948 in Lubbock.

Marriage is announced

EAST LONDON, SOUTH AFRICA — Nita Schwarz of S. Africa became the bride of Nathaniel Conner Smith, formerly of Snyder, April 9 in Gouubie Presbyterian Church.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Schwarz of S. Africa and Mr. and Mrs. Jearid Smith of Snyder.

The couple is at home in Heidelberg, S. Africa.

Drug smugglers face deadly force

WASHINGTON (AP) — A plan to use deadly force against drug smugglers has been included on the National Drug Policy Board's agenda for action.

According to a general aviation News, the board wants authority

to shoot down aircraft that do not respond to radio calls from drug enforcement officials, or who were observed throwing materials from aircraft, or doing touch and go landings in suspicious areas.

Scurry Library News and Views

FEATURED THIS WEEK UNDERSTANDING ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE

"Understanding Alzheimer's Disease" is an in-depth, comprehensive guide to a devastating disease that affects over three million Americans.

The Alzheimer's Disease and Related Disorders Association and 26 specialists have assembled the most up-to-date information on Alzheimer's disease available. Reassuring, practical and comprehensive, this is an invaluable resource for patients, their families and friends, and all health-care professionals.

NON-FICTION

"To Live Again: rebuilding your life after you've become a widow" by Genevieve Davis Ginsburg.

"J.K. Laser's Tax Guide for Small Business, 1988."

FICTION

"A Savage State of Grace" by Donald McKenzie.

"Lover and Thief" by Arthur Maling.

"Cradle of the Copperheads" by Jesse Stuart.

"Man with a Gun" by Robert Daley.

LIBRARY HOURS

10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday.

10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday.

In 1937, planes from Nazi Germany raided the Basque town of Guernica during the Spanish Civil War.



Diversified

By Marvin Ensor Extension Agent

COTTON PRODUCERS MEETING

There will be a meeting Tuesday concerning the use of monies collected through the cotton assessment program. All cotton producers in Scurry County which have paid into the program are encouraged to attend.

The opinions currently under consideration are:

- An early-season over-wintered weevil insecticide rebate program or
- Allow money to accumulate and do not use monies for any program at this time.

At the present time the accounts are way short of the monies needed for a fall diapause program. The Scurry County Producers Association Board members would like to have the opinions of cotton producers throughout the country.

A vote will be taken of all producers paying the assessment at

the meeting. The final decision will come from the vote. This is cotton producers' opportunity to express their opinion and vote concerning the use of the cotton assessment funds.

The meeting will be held Tuesday in Room A of the Scurry County Coliseum at 8 a.m.

BEEF REFERENDUM

The Beef Referendum will be held May 10 in the County Extension Office. Cattle producers can vote between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Absentee ballots must be returned to the County Extension Office by 5 p.m. Tuesday, May 3.

The remoteness and inaccessibility of the Sea Islands, off Gullah speech, an African-America's southeast coast, influenced Creole.

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Garden vows unite couple

FIFE — Tursha Celese Lang and Freddie Steve Pearce were joined in matrimony at 5 p.m. April 8 in a garden wedding at the home of Bobby K. and Terri Pearce. Charles Ray Ash, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Brady, officiated the single-ring ceremony.

Parents of the bride are Richard and Caroline Wilson of Albuquerque, N.M. The groom's parents are Robert K. and Frances Pearce of Fife.

Vows were repeated in a western setting under a large live-oak tree. Pink bows outlined the fence and gates.

Given-in-marriage by Gerald Claxton of Snyder, the bride wore a floor-length white satin gown. The bodice was layered in lace and pearls and featured a sweetheart neckline. The skirt was accented with a long pointed peplum.

The veil was attached to a flower wreath headpiece made by the bride. Off-white western boots completed her attire. She carried a round nosegay of white silk roses, and baby's breath accented with white satin streamers.

Martha Powell served as maid of honor. She wore a blue denim skirt with white petticoat topped by a white, cap-sleeved blouse. A beaded dusty rose bandana and a bouquet of white and dusty rose carnations completed her look.

Bridesmaids were Terri Pearce and Tina Tidwell. They were attired to match the maid of honor except their blouses were short sleeved. Bouquets were made by the mothers of the couple. Wanda Donaldson of Temple decorated the bandanas.

Brandon Pearce, the groom's nephew, was ring bearer.

Gary Fischer of San Angelo was best man. Groomsmen were David Fischer of Eola and Royce Hemphill of Miles.

Male attendants were attired in grey western shirts, denim jeans and boots. The best man wore a grey felt hat and groomsmen wore black felt hats.

Kevin Pearce, the groom's



MR. AND MRS. FREDDIE STEVE PEARCE

nephew, handed out rice bags. Melissa Fischer of San Angelo registered guests.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the home. The table was covered in white lace and centered with a dusty rose candle.

The two-tiered traditional cake was trimmed in rose and topped with a wreath hung with a wedding bell. The tiers were separated with white Grecian pillars. Patty and Faith O'Briant of San Angelo served.

The groom's table was covered

in white lace and held a boot-shaped chocolate cake frosted in milk chocolate and trimmed in dark chocolate. Servers were Carol Fischer of Pear Valley and Linda Key of Snyder.

Ethel Blackwell of Brady and Terri Pearce, sister-in-law of the groom, made the cakes.

Following a camping trip to Mason on the Llano River, the couple is at home in Snyder.

The bride will attend Western Texas College in the fall. The groom is a graduate of WTC and is employed with Grimmert Brothers Construction.

Community Calendar

MONDAY
 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.
 Boy Scout Roundtable; Boys' Club; 28th and O; 7 p.m.
 Snyder Fire Department Auxiliary; West Fire Station; 7 p.m.
 Open duplicate bridge, Colorado City bridge room; 7 p.m.
 Family Council, Snyder Nursing Center council room; 7 p.m.; call 573-6675 for information.
 Snyder Singles; 7:30 p.m.
 Ladies Auxiliary to the VFW; VFW Hall; 7:30 p.m.
 Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-4870 or 573-1357.

TUESDAY
 Alpha Study Club; MAWC; breakfast; 9 a.m.
 Ladies Golf Association; tee time at 9 a.m.
 Scurry Women in Motion (SWIM); The Shack; noon.
 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.
 TOPS TX56; weigh-in and meeting 7-8 p.m.; 2501 35th St.; for more information, call Peggy at 573-9000.
 Twentieth Century Club; Union Community Center; game night and dinner; 7:30 p.m.
 Beta Sigma Phi; officer installation; 2806 33rd St.; 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
 Snyder Christian Women's Club; prayer coffee; 1613 Augusta Dr.; 10 a.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.
 American Association of University Women; Dutch treat supper; The Shack; 6 p.m.
 Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-3956 or 573-0414.

THURSDAY
 Knapp Extension Homemakers Club; 9:30 a.m.
 Snyder Garden Club; Dallas tour.
 Tejas Cattlewomen; Big Spring Golden Corral; 10 a.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.
 District Boy Scouts; Boys' Club; 7 p.m.
 Alateen; for the children of alcoholics; 7 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.
 Duplicate bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.
 Cornelius Dodson House; open by appointment; 573-9742 or 573-2763.
 Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m.; for more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext 283.
 Al-Anon; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-2101 or 573-8626.
 New Horizon Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.

SATURDAY
 Defensive Driving; The Shack; 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m.; \$25.
 Musical Coterie; brunch; MAWC; 9 a.m.
 Diamond M Museum, open from 1-4 p.m.
 People Without Partners; Inadale Community Center; games of 42 and dominoes; 6:30 p.m.
 Spring Pops Concert; WTC Fine Arts Theatre; 7:30 p.m.
 Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-3956 or 573-0414.
SUNDAY
 Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 10 a.m. For more information, call 573-4870 or 573-1357.
 Scurry County Museum; Western Texas College, open from 1-4 p.m.
 Diamond M Museum, open from 1-4 p.m.
 Duplicate Bridge Club; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.

Parks reflects service

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Parks spoke very candidly about how he feels about the present day drug crisis facing this nation and he readily admits that his ideas might be called "radical."

Since his son's imprisonment is directly linked to drugs, he said he has had a lot of time to think about the situation which he calls one of the biggest problems facing the U.S. today.

"I think the government should take the profit out of the drug business by giving free drugs to addicts. That way we would get rid of the pushers and the money being spent on law enforcement could be spent to rehabilitate addicts and to educate the public," he said.

Parks said his son is interested in writing and is currently working on a book which he hopes to have published someday. He said he is encouraging both his children to pursue their dreams and plans to help his daughter market her songs.

After Parks was born, he said his parents moved into the Harrell home which in later years was donated to the Ranch Heritage Center by Fay and Myrtle Harrell.

As a child growing up he said some of his fondest memories are of fishing at the Ennis Creek Pond. "I remember a man by the name of Sid Johnson who used to let us fish on his land," Parks said.

At 16, he said his uncles, Joe and Richard Parks, took him to his first rodeo—the Texas Cowboy Reunion at Stamford—where he tied two calves, one in 14.2 seconds and the other in 19.1 seconds.

At 13, he remembers working for the "PI" Fuller Ranch. It was during World War II and the only available ranch hands were either old men or young boys, he said.

"One of my most prize possessions is a sterling silver candy dish which "PI" Fuller gave to me and my wife as a wedding present," Parks said.

He also remembers a time when Scurry County had few paved roads. One day after a four inch rain the school bus got stuck 100 yards from his home. Seventeen children and the bus driver ended up spending the night.

"All the kids teased me afterwards because I had to sleep with the bus driver," he said.

Parks also said that he and his brother Martin helped to move the first drilling rig of the Discovery Well in the Canyon Reef Field. He remembers that it was the Prince Brothers Drilling Co., the Standard Oil Co. and the Brown lease.

He also cited three important progress events which he has witnessed in his lifetime, the advent of rural electric service (REA), eradication of the screw fly worm and the polio vaccine.

Parks attended Snyder schools throughout his life. He called Evelyn Duff "one of the best teachers he ever had." Other educators which he said he has great respect for are the late Katherine Northcutt and the late M. E. Stanfield. Two other teachers he said he also respected were Buford Browning and his brother, the late Broadway Browning.

Births

Jay and Shelly Yates of White Bear Lake, Minn., recently of Snyder, are the parents of a baby boy, James Ira, born April 22. He weighed six pounds seven ounces and was welcomed by a sister, Amber Nicole.

Grandparents are James and Aleta Yates of Deming, N.M. and Ira Eugene (Red) and Eula V. Maupin of Ranger, formerly of Snyder.

The first republican constitution in France was adopted in 1793.

Grover Cleveland, who served as the 22nd and the 24th president of the United States, died in 1908 at the age of 71 in Princeton, N.J.

Classmates are sought for reunion

The class of 1973 is looking for the following current addresses:
 Charles Anderson, Paula Baldwin, Raymond Bell, Leslie

Billberry Wright, Roy Braziel Young, David Byrum, David Chambers, Ray Derrick, Russell Fisk.

Others looked for are Robbie Hicks, JoAnn Hudson, Danny Martin, Liz Miller Grant, Marvin McClanahan, Wesley Neepner, Kathy Varner Haynes and Jim Waters.

A memorabilia room is being compiled and any pictures or souvenirs from elementary through these high school years would be appreciated.
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MUSIC WEEK DECLARED — Mayor Troy Williamson (center) signed a proclamation Wednesday declaring May 1-8 National Music Week. Also pictured are Emily Hataway (left), president-elect of Musical Coterie, and Barbara Tune, National Music Week chairman. The theme is "Music Speaks Where Words Fail." In observance of the event, Musical Coterie will hold a club brunch Saturday at 9 a.m. at Martha Ann Woman's Club. Musical Coterie is affiliated with the Texas Federation of Music Clubs and The National Federation of Music Clubs. (SDN Staff Photo)

Not much competition raised for small job

TEMPE, Ariz. (AP) — Clarence Hughes has carved himself a giant market niche with his midget stature.

At 60, he is a construction worker who goes where few others can: inside small water, drainage and irrigation pipes, sealing joints and troubleshooting.

"I have worked in pipe as small as 16 inches," Hughes said. "That was when they flew me in for a job in North Carolina — they needed a leak fixed."

The 4-foot-tall Tempe resident grins as he acknowledges that his unique services always seem to be in demand.

"Me, I don't have to worry about work," he said. "Word of mouth's always been the best advertising for me."

He has been called in as a trouble-shooter on construction projects in four states but prefers to work close to home.

"I love it," Hughes said. "With construction, every day is different. You get to work in different surroundings all the time. It's not the same old grind every day, so it keeps everything interesting."

When he goes into a pipe, Hughes wears a headlamp similar to those worn by miners. He carries a trowel and wet cement to band the seam where the spigot of one pipe fits into the bell end of another.

Most pipe banders have to stoop to work inside a 60-inch pipe, but Hughes has to strain to reach the entire seam.

"The 60-inch pipe is as big as I can go," he said, adding that he can almost stand up inside a 42-inch pipe but has to stoop to work in a 36-incher.

His specialty, though, is small pipes.

At a road-improvement project in Chandler, he was called on to crawl into an 18-inch irrigation line to repair a leak deep below an intersection of streets.

"It really rumbles in there when the cars go by over you," he said, "but the sound doesn't bother me."

Neither, obviously, do cramped quarters.

"I can turn over in 18-inch pipe," he said. "I can't turn around in there, but I just back out. I've seen some guys get in a tight spot, panic, and start hollering. Not me. If you have claustrophobia, this isn't the job for you."

Hughes discovered his unusual calling 30 years ago when a friend overheard his contractor boss muttering that he wished someone could crawl inside a 24-inch pipe to repair a problem.

"My friend said, 'I bet I know somebody who can,'" Hughes said. "That was my first job."

There was a time when Hughes saw his stature as a curse rather than a blessing.

"When I was about 8 or 9, I used to think I was handicapped, that I was the only guy in the whole world like this," he said. "But then I realized that what really matters is believing in yourself. If you don't have self-confidence, it's no good."

He and his wife, Jeannie, who is 3 feet 10 inches tall, "like to go out on weekends dancing, just like everybody does," Hughes said.

Hughes commands no special wages for his special abilities.

"I just get union scale," he said, shrugging.

"That's the way it should be," he added. "The big guys and me, we work together. We help each other out."

An expedition of English colonists, including Capt. John Smith, went ashore April 26, 1607, at what is now Cape Henry, Va., to establish the first permanent settlement in the new world.

Louisiana entered the Union as the 18th state in 1812.

Terese Lucille Beuerlein became the bride of Pvt. Kelly Todd Milton in a double-ring ceremony March 12 at St. Elizabeth Catholic Church. The nuptial mass was celebrated by Msgr. Curtis Halfmann, uncle of the bride, Rev. William Costigan, SAC pastor, and Rev. Ralph Zinger of Our Lady of Guadalupe Church.

A reading from Gen. 1:26-31 and Psalm 128 was given by Lea Anna Kvapil, godmother of the bride. Her godfather, Stan Kvapil, gave readings from I Cor.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Beuerlein and the groom is the son of Mrs. Sharon Robbins.

The sanctuary was decorated by a 15-light rainbow candelabrum and two nine-arm candelabra entwined in Swedish ivy. The main altar held the unity candle and two individual candles signifying the separate lives of the bride and groom being joined as one.

Candlelighters were Paula Beuerlein and Anne Clanton, sisters of the bride. Their dresses were of matching print in the design worn by attendants. Mothers of the couple lit the individual candles as Rudy Rodriguez, uncle of the bride, sang "Sunrise! Sunset!" He was accompanied by Mrs. Earl Watts, organist.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal white gown with a fitted bodice adorned with lace and seed pearls from the scoop neckline to the slightly raised Basque waist. Puffed sleeves ended in lace flounces at the elbow.

The lace-bordered skirt extended to form a chapel-length train. The veil and blusher of lace-trimmed nylon net fastened to a bridal cap of polyester lace seeded with pearls.

For something old, the bride carried a silver rosary belonging to her grandmother, Mrs. Paul Halfmann. Something new was her gown, something blue was her garter, and something borrowed was a heart locket belonging to her sister, Anne Clanton.

She carried a bouquet of white silk roses, stephanotis and gardenias accented with shades of light pink and English ivy.

Maid of honor was Carolyn Alvarado. Other bridal attendants were Stacie Raschke and Shannon Fletcher. Their teal-length gowns of hot pink taffeta and pink lace overlay had bouffant sleeves and fitted-low waists fastened to dirndl skirts. A hot pink bow accented each V-back.

They carried bouquets of mixed pink roses and stephanotis accented with Swedish ivy.

Audra Clanton, niece of the bride, served as flower girl. She wore a long, hot pink taffeta gown with pink lace overlay accented with self-bows at the shoulder. She carried rose petals in a white basket trimmed with



PVT. AND MRS. KELLY TODD MILTON

He carried a white pillow trimmed in lace and decorated by a crocheted dolly made by Frances Hollman of Lawrenceburg, Tenn., aunt of the bride.

Other musical selections chosen were "Wedding Song," "Like a Seal on Your Heart" and "Wherever You Go."

Following the ceremony, a reception dinner was held in the Parish Center.

The three-tiered cake held a musical China bride and groom. Serving at the bride's table were Melody Eisenbach of Mertzon and Cindy Pauda of San Angelo.

The groom's German chocolate cake was shaped like a double horse shoe. Servers were Jennifer Robbins and Priscilla Robbins, sisters of the groom, and Stephanie Jinkins, his cousin.

Tammy Milton, sister of the groom, and Paula Beuerlein, sister of the bride, registered guests.

A wedding dance followed the reception with the wedding march being led by Rick and Debra Halfmann of Lake Thomas.

Following a honeymoon trip to San Antonio and San Marcos, the couple will be at home in Garlisted, Germany where the groom is stationed with the United States Army.

The bride and groom are graduates of Snyder High School. The bride attended Western Texas College.

Reynolds, Anderson plan to get married

JUPITER, Fla. (AP) — Burt Reynolds built a white wedding chapel on his horse ranch to exchange marriage vows with Loni Anderson in a closely guarded ceremony before 20 guests Friday.

"They're getting married — they're definitely getting married," Bob Davidoff, a Palm Beach photographer who took the official pictures of Reynolds' marriage to actress Judy Carne 25 years ago, told The Palm Beach Post Thursday.

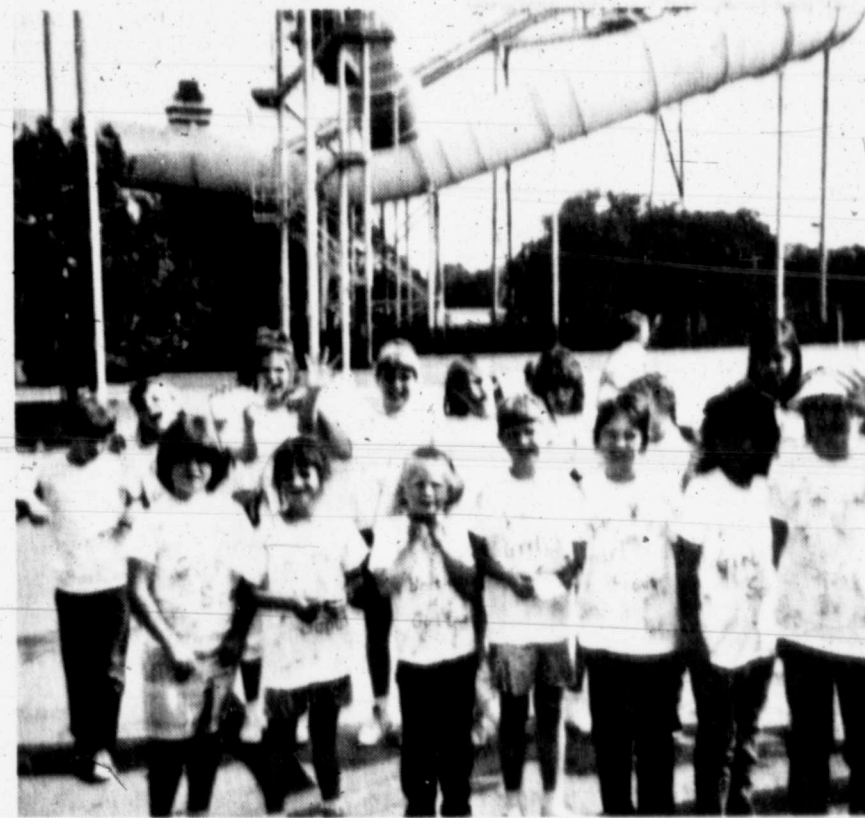
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PIN EARNED — Jean Yearwood received a pin for service of 100 hours. Not pictured is Patsy Becke who also received a 100-hour pin. (SDN Staff Photo)

Diet Pills Sweeping U.S.

Doctors Invent 'Lazy Way' to Lose Weight

New 'Fat-Magnet' Diet Pill Gives You Steady Fat Loss

BEVERLY HILLS, CA (Special) — An amazing new weight loss pill called "fat magnet" has recently been developed and perfected by two prominent doctors at a world famous hospital in Los Angeles that reportedly "guarantees" to help you steadily lose fat by simply taking their tested and proven new pill.

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LEADERSHIP CHANGING — Outgoing Cogdell Memorial Hospital Auxiliary President Katherine Ervin (left) passes the leadership to Kathy Smith, president for 1988-89. (SDN Staff Photo)



CHARTER MEMBERS — Lucille Joyce, Ruby Anderson and Ena Carroll with respective hours of 12,500, 15,000 and 6,000 were honored at the Awards Banquet Thursday evening for contributing some one-sixth of the total accumulated hours of service over the past 30 years. Not pictured is Inez Brown with 11,000 hours. (SDN Staff Photo)



SERVICE GIVEN — Pictured from left, front with their hours of service are Clara Tate, 4,000; Wilma Dillard, 4,500; Ouida Bruner, 2,500; Sue Mize, 4,500. Back row: Verdi Kimbru, 3,500; Gradiene Sterling, 4,000. Not pictured are Gieska Baze, 3,000 hours and Lois Greer, 2,500 hours. (SDN Staff Photo)

Awards ceremony honors Auxiliary


Cogdell Hospital honored its 1033rd anniversary last night at the 30th Annual Awards Banquet held at Snyder Country Club. The ladies have accumulated 127,022 hours over their 30 years of service. Auxiliary members provide vital service to the patients of Cogdell Hospital through fund raising for equipment, blood drives, and services rendered in the hospital such as delivery of flowers and mail, information desk, snack bar, television and telephone rentals, gift shop and more. The auxiliary has also funded many medical scholarships.



AWARDS RECEIVED — Members of the Cogdell Memorial Hospital Auxiliary receiving bars of service are pictured from left, front with their hours: Faye Mullins, 1,000; Janice McMacken, 500; Donnie Chorn, 1,500; Dora White, 1,500; Tera Ball, 2,000; Katherine Ervin, 1,000. Back row: JoAnn Nunley, 2,000; Sallie Tate, 2,000; Carol Davis, 2,000. Those not pictured receiving bars for 500 hours are Myrtle Bell, Georgine Galloway, LaNelle Rabin, Allene Terry and Pearle Waller. Those receiving 1,000-hour bars not pictured are Dot Casey and Vera Holstinger. (SDN Staff Photo)



STYLE SHOW — A comedy style show featuring Auxiliary ladies as models for fashions from the Modern Attire Shoppe was held at the Thursday evening Awards Banquet. From left, front are Wilma Dillard, Ouida Bruner, Teddie Hatcher and Sallie Tate. Back row: Jean Yearwood, Carol Davis, Kathy Smith, Dora White and Mollie Byrd. (SDN Staff Photo)



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Emperor has 87th birthday



OUTSTANDING STUDENTS—Snyder students receiving Outstanding Student recognition at Western Texas College Thursday included (front row) Suzette Harris, Georzelle Hayes, Tonia Robinson and Rebecca Craig and (back row) Dale Williamson, Daniel Chasteen, Peggy McGrew and Julie Kimmel. (SDN Staff Photo)

TOKYO (AP) — Thousands of people shouted "Banzai" and waved Japanese flags as Emperor Hirohito, the world's oldest and longest-reigning monarch, appeared briefly on his palace balcony Friday to mark his 87th birthday.

The emperor's birthday is a national holiday.

"Thank you for celebrating my birthday with me today. I am happy that so many of you have come today. I hope you will all have a happy future," Hirohito said from behind bullet-proof glass in a speech carried live on national television.

It was his second public appearance since he underwent surgery last September to bypass a tumor blocking his digestive tract. Doctors later said the growth was not malignant.

Hirohito, once worshiped as a living god, also spoke to well-wishers at the Imperial Palace grounds on New Year's Day.

Nobuyoshi Shimane, an accountant in Tokyo, was one of the estimated 35,000 who came in three shifts under a drizzling rain Friday and stood in a palace courtyard to see the emperor in his annual birthday appearance.

"I think this will be the last chance to see him because of his advanced age," Shimane said.

Hirohito has been on the throne since Dec. 25, 1926.

Despite rumors of ill health, Hirohito appeared relatively strong Friday, although he shuffled slowly as he walked. He was accompanied by Crown Prince Akihito and Princess Michiko and other members of the imperial family. Missing was Empress Nagako, 85, who suffers back and leg ailments.

In a news conference marking his birthday, the emperor said he was recovering well from surgery and answered questions about his memories of World War II.

"After all is considered, the war was my most unpleasant memory. I am pleased with people's efforts for peace after the war. Hereafter, I hope the people do not forget this matter and protect peace," Hirohito said.

He refused to say what caused Japan to enter the war in the first

place, saying, "I do not want to answer the question because this will involve criticism against persons."

Foreign reporters were not allowed to attend the news conference, which was conducted Monday but not released until today. The remarks were carried in Japanese by the Kyodo News Service and translated by The

Associated Press.

Hirohito also said in the interview that it would take him a long time to complete his research in marine biology, his favorite hobby.

He said he had replanted an endangered plant species and "it is growing well because" the imperial garden is similar to forest land.

Mattox says SMU probe is presently stalled

AUSTIN (AP) — Attorney General Jim Mattox says his review of the Southern Methodist University football scandal continues to be thwarted by uncooperative witnesses.

"We have not been able to gain access to many pieces of information and to a number of witnesses we would have liked to have had access to," Mattox said Thursday.

"We have been very patient about it, and it would appear we are not going to get access to them, so we are in the process now of determining what final actions, if any, the attorney general's office is going to take," he said.

Asked if current SMU officials were blocking his investigation, Mattox replied, "No. Not as such."

Mattox indicated that the people he wants to talk with are

former athletic department officials who are no longer with SMU but who are still being paid by the university.

The NCAA banned football for the 1987-88 season at SMU as a result of cash payments to a number of Mustang football players in violation of NCAA regulations. The Dallas school, faced with a loss of scholarships and a mass exodus of players, canceled the 1988-89 season on its own.

Mattox has been trying to determine whether any state laws were broken in the scandal. He said he could ask the Dallas County district attorney to take the matter to a grand jury or could pursue civil actions that could compel the release of the information.

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RECEIVE AWARDS—Other Snyder students named Outstanding Students at the Western Texas College Awards Day Thursday were (front row) Kathy Duncan, Angie Strickland, Kathy Hall, Julie Jones and Rosie Pena and (back row) Brandal Hickman, Derwin Price, Darren Jackson and Jon Traylor. (SDN Staff Photo)

OPEC may be interested in visiting the state of Texas

HOUSTON (AP) — OPEC's president is interested in either visiting Texas or sending representatives to learn better ways of monitoring the cartel's oil production, according to Texas Railroad Commissioner

Kent Hance. In a telephone interview Thursday with The Houston Post from Vienna, Austria, Hance said he met for about one and one half hours with Rilwanu Lukman, OPEC president and oil minister

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Library planning events

The week of May 2-6 has been declared Scurry County Library Week. Judge Bobby Goodwin signed a proclamation to that effect last week.

According to Janice Mitchell, librarian, anyone entering grades kindergarten through eighth this fall, who gets a new library card or renews an out-dated card, will be invited to a library birthday party on Saturday, May 7, at 2 p.m.

Mrs. Mitchell said that parents must sign the first time a child gets a card, up through age 13. The card is free.

Diane Sawyer plans to wed

NEW YORK (AP) — "60 Minutes" newswoman Diane Sawyer plans to marry for the first time today, to film director Mike Nichols, CBS said.

The match is the culmination of a six-month romance. The location of the wedding was not disclosed by the network Thursday.

Nichols, 56, a former comedian who went on to direct the films "The Graduate" and "Silkwood" and the plays "The Odd Couple" and "The Real Thing," has been married twice before.

It will be the first marriage for Miss Sawyer, a 42-year-old former aide to President Richard M. Nixon.



LIBRARY PROCLAMATION—Judge Bobby Goodwin signed a proclamation last week declaring the week of May 2-6 as Scurry County Library Week. Adults pictured in back are Janice Mitchell, librarian; and D. V. Merritt, Jr., a member of the Scurry County Library Board. Children pictured are Tiffany Vogel, Rachel Fritz, Heather Sallee, Stephanie Riojas, Leslie Mitchell and Shade Everton. (SDN Staff Photo)

Pentagon: Soviets continue to build up military strength

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Soviet Union, despite a new emphasis on arms control initiatives and improving its economy, continues to build and modernize its military might in pursuit of an advantage over the West, the Pentagon said Friday.

Releasing its seventh annual assessment of Soviet forces, the Defense Department reported there were signs the military competition between the two superpowers would soon expand into new fields — for example, the development of high-tech conventional weapons instead of nuclear arms.

Indeed, the strategic nuclear balance "is essentially stable,"

the report states.

To date, however, "we have seen no evidence of the USSR changing the offensive nature of its force structure and deployment patterns," wrote Defense Secretary Frank C. Carlucci in a preface.

"Military output has not been reduced nor has military spending decreased. On the contrary, the Soviet military budget under General Secretary (Mikhail) Gorbachev continues to grow at a rate of 3 percent per year at a level representing 15 to 17 percent of their GNP."

By comparison, Pentagon spending consumes about 6 percent of America's GNP.

This year's review is the last to be prepared by the Reagan administration.

The 175-page glossy booklet differs substantially from the earlier reports in that it tries harder to gauge who's leading in various technologies and regions of the world, rather than just reporting what weapons have been added to the Soviet arsenal over the last year.

Indeed, the report for the first time carries a subtitle: "An

Assessment of the Threat," and acknowledges that in areas such as naval power and high technology the United States and its Western allies still enjoy an advantage.

The report does point to new weapon developments, though. Among them:

—The Soviets will soon deploy operational units of their new Blackjack long-range bomber. Deployment of the new rail-mounted SS-24 nuclear missile has now begun, and production should start soon for a more accurate version of the huge SS-18 intercontinental ballistic missile, the mainstay of the Soviet arsenal.

—Production of self-propelled artillery pieces is at an "all-time high," two new attack helicopters, the Havoc and Hovum, "are expected to enter serial production soon," and the Soviets have begun fielding "a new tank derived from the T-72, exhibiting improved protection, better mobility and enhanced firepower."

—Russia will complete a major upgrade of its anti-ballistic missile defense system protecting Moscow "in 1988 or 1989." A new "Pill Box" radar to help with tracking and targeting for that system is "nearing completion at Pushkino."

—"The Soviets are on the verge of deploying a variety of sophisticated cruise missile systems," and continue to lead the West in the pace of their activities in outer space.

—In the area of Star Wars, the Soviet Union, like the United States, is unlikely to develop small "kinetic kill" rockets that could be placed in space to shoot down nuclear missiles at long range. The Soviets could, however, "deploy a short-range, space-based system for space station defense or close-in attack by a maneuvering satellite in the near future."

Car crashes into crowd; 8 injured

CHICAGO (AP) — A woman whose car plowed into an after-school crowd at an elementary school, killing a 4-year-old girl and a woman and injuring eight others, has been charged with negligent driving, police say.

Witnesses said the two-door sedan crashed through a chain-link fence and careened across an asphalt playground before running up a short flight of stairs to where the crowd was gathered Thursday afternoon in an entryway of Cyrus H. McCormick Elementary School.

"There were mothers screaming, looking for their children," said Araceli Hernandez, whose niece lives with her and attends the school.

Principal Jim Crowe and teachers helped lift the car, which was lodged in the two-story building, to free some victims trapped beneath the wheels.

"I called for 10 ambulances," Crowe said. "I told them there were bodies all over the playground."

Two of the injured youngsters remained in critical condition today.

Marcella Diaz, 30, was waiting for her 5-year-old son, Roger, and her 12-year-old daughter, Lynne, when the accident happened.

"I was picking up my son when I turned my head and saw the car coming," she says. "I just screamed and picked up my son with my hands and ran away. The car missed us by a yard and a half."

Isabel Fuentes, 37, was charged with leaving the scene of an accident and negligent driving, Officer Terry Pickens said. She was arrested near the school and freed after posting \$100 cash bond and her driver's license.

Reuben Fuentes, a pupil at the

school, said his mother apparently had come to the school to pick him up.

"Our opinion is that she was driving too fast for conditions," said Sgt. Thomas Reynolds of the police department's major accidents unit. He didn't know exactly how fast she was traveling but said Mrs. Fuentes, who suffered a bloody nose in the accident, was "going over the 20 mph speed limit."

There was no evidence of intoxication or use of drugs, Reynolds said, adding that authorities were investigating the possibility that the car's brakes failed or the accelerator malfunctioned.

A police spokeswoman who declined to give her name said today she was unsure whether Mrs. Fuentes honked her horn or tried to warn those in her car's path.

Alma Cordero, Mrs. Fuentes' niece, said she had been told the car needed repairs. "She is a real good driver," said Ms. Cordero, 28. "She never got into an accident."

The schoolground was left littered with shattered glass, bodies and blood. "Everyone was screaming and running around," Liz Escarzaga, 18, said of what happened. "Some ladies started praying."

"I was helping one mother because she kept screaming for help," Miss Escarzaga said. "In school, they say when someone's injured don't move him because they get can get worse."

"I took off my jacket," she said. "I took off my sweater and then put them both under a boy's head. He passed out."

Authorities identified the dead as Veronica Marquez, 4, who suffered head and abdominal injuries, and Dolores Torres, between 60 and 65.

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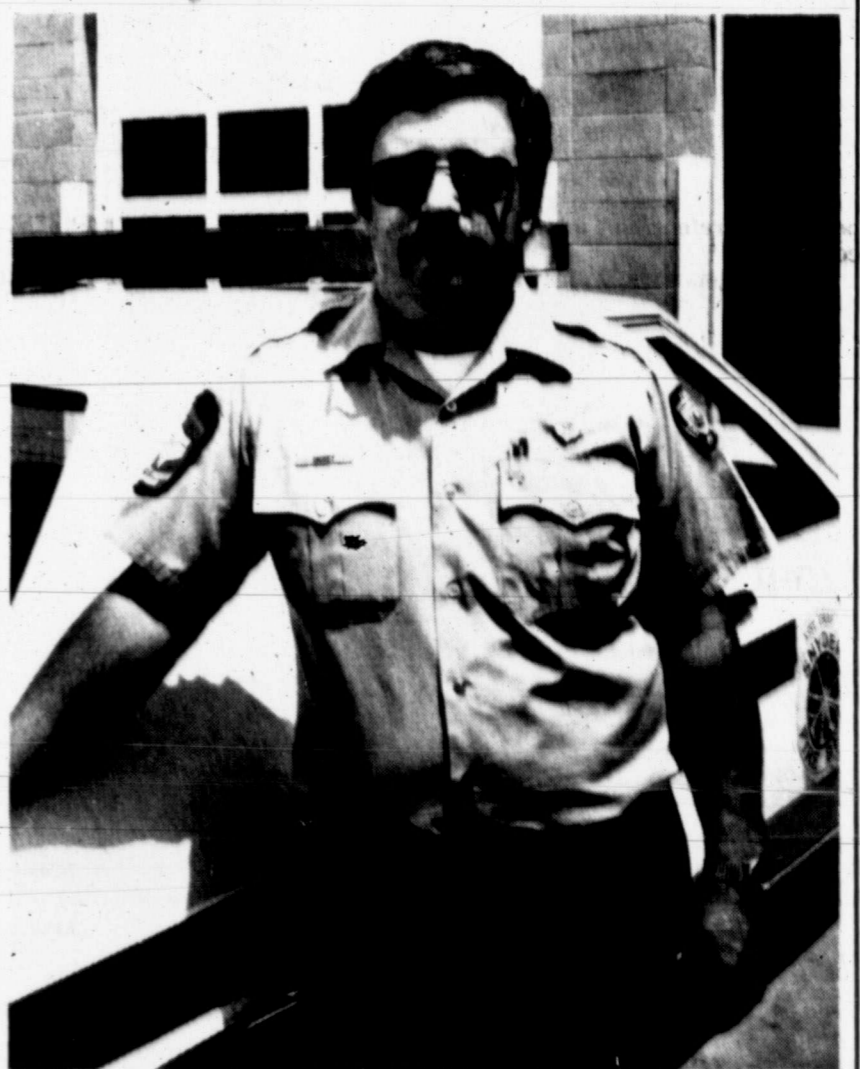
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DEAR READER: I thought that you were suffering from common muscle-contraction pain, until I read the part about the bowel movements. Now I'm not so sure.

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DEAR DR. GOTT: My daughter, 19, recently got married. She thinks she might be allergic to her husband's sperm. Is there such a condition? She itches terribly.

DEAR READER: Women can sometimes exhibit allergic reactions to their partner's semen, but your daughter's reaction is unusual. An allergy is less likely to cause itching than infertility because the woman's secretions inactivate the sperm if an allergy is present. I think that your daughter should see a gynecologist, because her symptoms are probably due to an infection or an allergy to some other component of her environment, such as birth-control devices.

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DEAR DR. GOTT: What exactly is a vegetarian? I've had people tell me they were vegetarians, but serve them fish or fowl and they gobble it right down. Others pig out on junk food but faint at the thought of eating eggs. Some of these folks sound pretty hypocritical to me.

DEAR READER: Vegetarians come in all doctrinal sizes and shapes. Some people choose to avoid meat, but eat dairy products, eggs and fish. Others eat no animal products at all. I think that the issue is not one of hypocrisy; it is, rather, a question of personal preference and ethical consistency.

Strict vegetarians will avoid any non-vegetable substance; most vegetarians are more flexible and will consume animal products, such as eggs, cheese and milk. In dealing with vegetarians, it is wise to determine the person's individual philosophy before making a blanket judgment.

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In today's complex marketplace, you are apt to get something other than you bargained for; that is, what you think you're buying is not exactly what you get.

To begin with, many widely used products are impure or hazardous.

The list increases every year. For example, the German magazine *Natur* recently released a report showing that 72 percent of German-brewed beer contains harmful chemicals, despite supposedly stringent purity laws for brewers. In this country, a researcher from the University of California noted that some bottled mineral waters contain high levels of fluoride and arsenic. Such high-priced beverages, which U.S. consumers gulp at a rate of 300 million gallons a year, are no more healthful than ordinary tap water. Whether mineral waters could cause damage is still a matter of speculation and awaits further study.

Another California investigator found that the incidence of childhood leukemia was up to six times more prevalent in youngsters whose parents used pesticides, both indoors and outdoors. The scientist also discovered that expectant mothers who burned incense during pregnancy delivered babies who were three times more likely to develop leukemia than were children from mothers who were not exposed to incense. This may be because burning incense releases potential cancer-causing compounds.

In a more practical vein, it's almost impossible to "buy American" in the auto industry. Most cars assembled in the United States use foreign-made components. Furthermore, many "American" cars are actually made abroad: Some Fords, Mercurys, Pontiacs and Oldsmobiles are made in Canada; some Chevrolets, Dodges and Plymouths are made in Japan; certain Buicks, Chevrolets, Dodges, Plymouths, Pontiacs and Oldsmobiles are made in Mexico.

The situation gets complicated. The Chevrolet Nova is a Toyota Corolla manufactured in a Toyota-managed factory in Fremont, Calif. On the other hand, the Mazda 323 isn't "Japanese"; it's built under license in a Ford factory in Mexico. The Pontiac LeMans is German-designed and Korean-built. Many Volkswagens are built in Pennsylvania; several lines of Honda, Nissan and Mazda are assembled in Ohio, Michigan and Tennessee. The Mitsubishi Precis is really a Hyundai Excel with a Mirage engine made in Korea. The world of business has become an interlocking series of international enterprises.

Engineers from 1 company strike; others consider it

BORGER, Texas (AP) — Sid Richardson Carbon Co. officials extended their contract deadline to May 10, postponing a threatened strike by engineers.

Engineers have voted to strike against the company, which had set a Sunday night deadline on the current contract.

Meanwhile, workers at Phillips Petroleum Co., who belong to the same local as those at Sid Richardson, were considering their contract today.

Members of Local 351 International Union of Operating Engineers employed at Sid Richardson voted Wednesday to strike after rejecting a contract

In some respects, medical practice has come to reflect this phenomenon. Because of financial considerations and convenience many people choose to obtain medical care in hospital emergency rooms, free-standing walk-in clinics and giant HMO corporations, where doctors are hired to serve their employers, not the patients. In these situations, the doctor and his (or her) qualifications are as unknown to the consumer as are the contaminants in a stick of incense or the origin of the transmission in your Buick. You may get a good product — or a service — or you may not. If you're not satisfied, go to the complaint counter and try, just try, to obtain an adjustment. You are more likely to be treated as a numbered problem than as a person.

I'm sorry to see the multinational mentality affect the practice of medicine. Office-based primary care may be phasing out, but I hate to see it go. True, it has its drawbacks; for one thing, you may have to wait for an appointment and wait once you arrive. However, I believe that the inconvenience is a small price to pay for dealing with a known and familiar product: the general doctor or family practitioner. He or she offers a continuity and a personal touch that simply are not available in assembly-line medicine. When you've got a family doc, you know what you've got. You know his components — his quirks, strengths and skills. It's like an old car: You've learned how to start it on cold mornings and when it needs an oil change. It's comfortable. There are rarely surprises.

Yes, I know that not all general doctors are like this. But most are. They've worked hard to earn your trust and patronage. I hope that alternative health-care methods, like expensive mineral water, are a fad of the '80s and that people will soon choose to return to the more traditional and familiar options that offer caring and pride as part of the service.

Send your questions to Dr. Gott in care of this newspaper at P.O. Box 91369, Cleveland, OH 44101-3369. Due to volume of mail, individual questions cannot be answered. Questions of general interest will be answered in future columns.

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McDonald's Restaurant will be opened in Soviet Union

MOSCOW (AP) — Soviets will get a chance to munch "Bolshoi Macs" when the first of about 20 McDonald's restaurants in Moscow opens next year, officials from the city and the hamburger giant announced Friday.

"I think that the McDonald's in Moscow will be the highest volume McDonald's in the world," said George A. Cohon, president of McDonald's Restaurants of Canada Ltd., a subsidiary of McDonald's Corp. of Oak Brook, Ill.

Cohon and Vladimir Malishkov, chief of the food service administration of the Moscow City Council, signed a joint venture agreement Friday at Moscow's city hall at a ceremony attended by reporters.

The agreement, which gives McDonald's of Canada a 49 percent share in the Soviet-controlled firm, is the latest Soviet joint business venture with a foreign company.

Last year, the Soviet government modified its legislation on foreign business activity in an attempt to woo foreign capital, technology and expertise. The reform is part of changes enacted under Soviet Communist Party General Secretary Mikhail Gorbachev designed to increase the quality and quantity of consumer goods.

Malishkov and Moscow Deputy Mayor Valery Zharov said the Soviets hope to draw upon the expertise of the fast-food chain to improve service in their country's food industry.

The first Soviet McDonald's, a 650-seat location on Gorky Street in the center of Moscow, is expected to open in the second half of 1989. But Cohon and the city officials refused to say exactly where the site is.

"We don't want to create any lines," Zharov said with a smile.

At that restaurant, Soviets will be able to buy a Big Mac, the chain's trademark hamburger sandwich, for 2 rubles, or about \$3.

Another Moscow location is projected that would cater to foreigners paying in foreign currencies.

"We're not thinking of just opening 20 McDonald's in this country," Cohon said. "There will be many more."

Cohon said a 100,000-square-foot commissary would be built in Moscow to process french fries, meat, buns, sauces and pies served in the restaurants.

Both Cohon and the Soviets said most of the joint venture's employees would be Soviet citizens, but that there would be some foreigners in supervisory and management positions.

Cohon said that through "burger diplomacy," workers in the joint venture would learn to communicate and become part of a team.

As of the signing ceremony, what the Moscow McDonald's will call the chain's flagship

sandwich appears to be undecided. An interpreter referred both to a "Big Mac" and a "Bolshoi Mac." In Russian, "bolshoi" means big.

The foreign capital for the joint venture comes from McDonald's of Canada, which has 500 restaurants, 54,000 employees, and registered \$1.25 billion in sales last year, Cohon said.

McDonald's branched into Eastern Europe on March 24, when it opened a restaurant in Belgrade, Yugoslavia. It plans to open a restaurant this month in Budapest, Hungary, making that East bloc nation the 50th country around the world to have a McDonald's.

Company founder Ray Kroc opened the first McDonald's on April 15, 1955 in Des Plaines, Ill.

Committee wants God personalized in pronouns

ST. LOUIS (AP) — A newly updated hymnal for United Methodists has won preliminary approval at the church's governing general conference — except for some missing masculine pronouns about God.

The objections arose over phrases in the accompanying psalter of psalms, not the hymns themselves.

Noting that in many cases masculine personal pronouns, such as "he" and "him" had been replaced by "God" or "God's," the Rev. Riley Case of Marion, Indiana, said:

"The truth is that this proposed psalter has no pronouns for God. It is a depersonalized God. And the feeling in the trenches will be that the Bible has been changed."

Harriett Olson of Morristown, N.J., countered that "removing pronouns is not depersonalizing God. It's calling God by God's name."

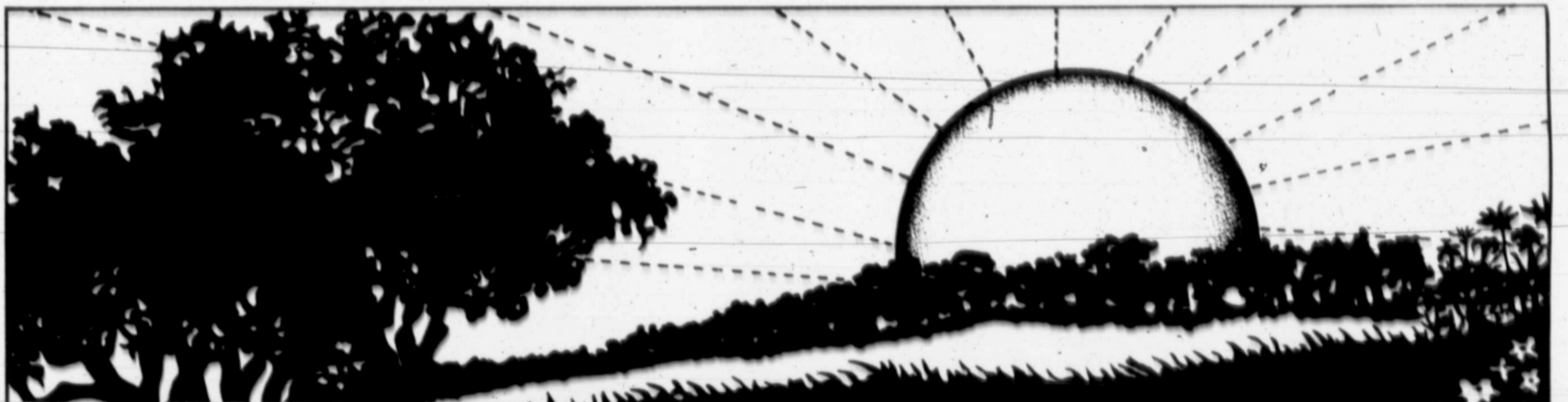
The issue arose in a hearing Thursday of a legislative committee. It voted to ask the conference to restore masculine pronouns in 34 psalms in a lengthy section of them.



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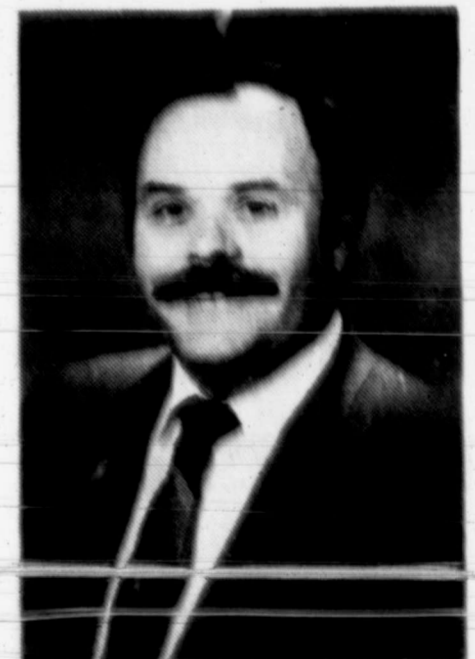
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Above the Fold

By Donny Brown

We'll accept advice on how to improve ourself in a whole bunch of areas, figuring we could stand a little toning up as an "eddy tor," a husband and a parent.

In any given day, we're likely to both any and all of the above. But don't ever, ever tell us how to improve our lawn care.

It's not that we already know so much about it. It's because we don't want to know. Put another way, mowing grass isn't our thing.

We look forward to the day that we might be able to afford a riding lawn mower in much the same way, as a moonstruck teenager, we looked forward to our first car. It is a yearning that moves beyond "itch" to fullblown lust.

The aggravating part about lawn care advice is that it flies in the face of everything those who hate grass mowing truly despise.

The trick of having a beautiful lawn, it seems, is not less but more grass mowing.

"Never cut more than one-third of the grass blade in any one mowing," the pamphlet reads. "Cutting more than a third shocks the root system."

Question: Were the grass blade roots concerned with our own cardio-pulmonary system as we flailed away at that infernal Briggs and Stratton, trying to start it on the ritualistic spring "first mowing?"

"Success was achieved only after we noticed the spark plug wire had been disconnected last fall."

"Mow creatively," it is further recommended. "If always mowed in the same pattern, grass can develop a lean."

"Lean?" What about the stoop we've developed from the unnatural process of pushing a resisting and bucking four-wheeled aggravation built so that its front is no more than an inch above ground?

"This same stooped position causes undue stress to knee joints and shoulder sockets, areas which should be protected with great care rather than flaunted at great risk on a weekly basis."

"Water deep," we are advised further. "Give the lawn a long, deep drink to encourage roots."

SDN Opinion Page

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We had to check the back to insure the brochure wasn't printed by the city water department.

We came from a family where mother always saved the dish pan water to throw on her summer zinnias.

Turning an outside faucet wide open and walking away from it was on a par with being first in line for the bathroom, filling the tub to the brim with all the water heater's hot water, then waiting outside for another 30 minutes to allow your bath water to cool down.

"Collect clippings and leaves every time you mow," they suggest. Which brings up another question—"then what?"

Carrying a full grass catcher bag back and forth to the dumpster is only slightly less tiring than alligator wrestling. And if you have to cross a city street to do it, only slightly less dangerous.

All of which doesn't even address such chores as applying pre-emergence weed preventer in the early spring, four "feedings" of nitrogen-based fertilizer year-round and the occasional spot application of broadleaf weedkiller.

Grass mowing season is with us once again. Pass the hemlock.

Country Life

By Deanie Francis Mills

(This column is third in a three-part series on illness and wellness.)

Last week I wrote about how a simple change in attitude and habits can enhance our lives. This week, I'm going to dig deeper and show you how you can use your own mind to release your own inner power—a power given to all of us by God as a part of our divine inheritance.

We begin by resting.

That's right. The reason we get sick in the first place is because we refuse to give ourselves permission to goof off. Our body gets ticked off about that because it feels it deserves a rest and this is the only way it can get our attention.

But we need to use our resting time beneficially. Learn to meditate. That word has an unfortunate association within the Christian community. It conjures up images of people sitting with crossed legs in front of Buddha, reciting meaningless phrases. Hogwash.

Meditation is nothing more than selecting the quietest time of day for us, and the quietest place; sitting comfortably, and

clearing our minds of all the clutter. It is an emptiness, a mental rest period. Fifteen or 20 minutes is all the time it requires. Don't we deserve 15 minutes a day of peace and quiet?

Meditation is not easy to learn if your mind races like mine does. It is helpful, in the beginning, to repeat one word mentally, concentrating on that word until your mind is clear. It can be a religious word or simply a pretty word you like the sound of. It's important to breathe deeply, from the diaphragm, not the chest.

When you've mastered that, then you are ready to listen to your own Inner Guide. We all have one, regardless of our religious affiliation. We just don't ever shut up long enough to listen to it. It's like a satellite, sending signals to earth. We won't receive the signals until we turn on the set. Listening to our Inner Guide will release anxious, indecisive thoughts that make us sick in the first place. From now on, we'll know the right thing to do.

Next, it is important to have goals, something to work for in

life, a dream, a vision for ourselves. It doesn't have to be professional. If you are ill, it can simply be your own healing. This is where visualization comes in. During meditation, you visualize your goals as being real. I often picture myself swimming again, something I've missed. I picture myself holding one of my novels, published, its hard cover cool and heavy in my hand.

And I picture all my healing white cells combined into a cream, which I mentally rub into all my muscles, head to toe. I can literally banish pain in that way on a "bad" day, get up from bed, drive into town, and give a speech in front of 50 or 100 people.

Another important use for meditation is repeating positive affirmations to ourselves. For example, one thing I say is, "Day by day I'm getting stronger and stronger in every way." I say this no matter how badly I feel. Make up your own affirmations and repeat them at least three times each. (I often do this in the shower.) If you like, scriptures can help. "I can do all things through Christ, who strengthens me," is a good one. And my

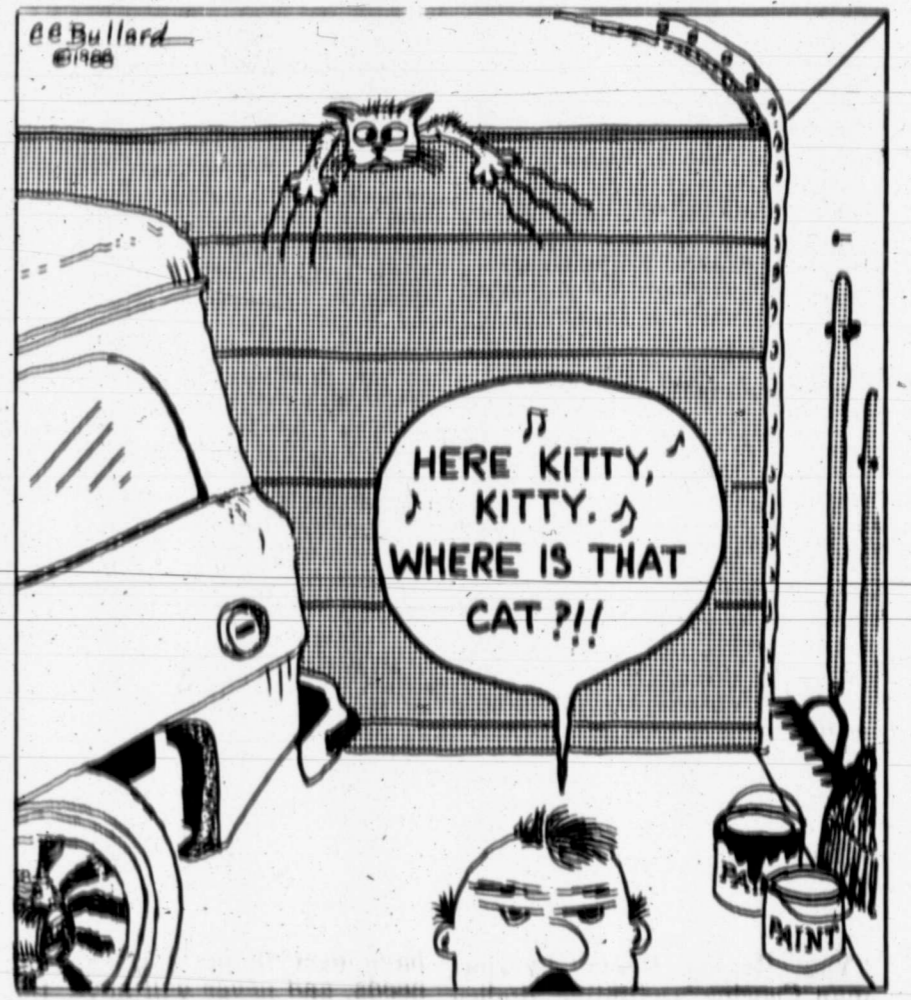
favorite, since I live in the country, is, "The sun will rise with healing in its wings, and we shall romp about like calves in the stall."

Besides adopting a positive attitude toward life, and learning meditation, visualization and affirmations, it also helps to re-examine our nutrition and consider vitamin supplements. I'm not talking about mega-doses, which can be harmful. A good starting place is a well-rounded B-complex, plenty of C, and for women, calcium. Check with your doctor. Illness depletes your body's nutrients, and supplements make a difference, along with eating more lightly. Buy lean beef instead of fatty and broil it rather than fry it. Stuff like that.

If we are healthy or our illness allows it, exercise such as vigorous walking provides in-calculable benefits to our systems. It doesn't have to be expensive or punishing exercise, just something to oil our limbs. The college pool is heated and for a nominal fee, you can go out there during your lunch break.

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Another Cat Predicament



SDN Week in Review

SUNDAY

April 24

Because of expected confusion regarding "who votes where," officials with Snyder ISD and the city are encouraging individuals to vote absentee in the upcoming May 7 election for boards governing these two entities, it was reported Sunday.

A 41-year-old Abilene truck driver was pronounced dead on arrival after the truck and pipe trailer he was driving crashed head-on into an earth embankment adjacent to U.S. Hwy. 84 north of Snyder, it was reported Sunday.

Killed was Bobby Gene Woodriddle, an employee of Re-Entry Inc. of Abilene.

Wilma Dillard, known for her volunteer work in a range of Snyder goodwill efforts, has assumed the post of Cogdell Memorial Hospital's first patient relations coordinator effective this past week, it was reported Sunday.

MONDAY

April 25

The Snyder High School drama department secured its 20th trip to the state meet by being chosen as one of two one-acts from this region for the eight-play competition due May 6 in Austin, it was reported Monday.

In addition to the SHS production of "The Corn is Green," the entry from Granbury, "And They Dance Slowly in Jackson," was selected by Judge Patricia McAdams, head of the drama department at Hardin-Simmons University.

Snyder High School has qualified nine students to compete at the state level in Austin May 6-7, it was reported Monday.

Snyder had one first place winner, Kirsten Miller in poetry interpretation, and three winning second place, Anne Osborn in typing, Sylvia Alaniz in shorthand, and Ashley Miller in prose reading.

Robert Neblett in ready writing finished third, as did Jay Burns in persuasive speaking. Those placing as second alternates,

were Holly Joplin in typing, Corey McDaniel in poetry interpretation and Judson Morrison in persuasive speaking.

TUESDAY

April 26

A sizable contingent of Snyder High School industrial arts students have qualified their projects for the state meet scheduled May 5-7 in Waco, it was reported Tuesday.

The winners list included one "Award of Excellence," a best of show prize for woodworking which was presented to Jason Polk.

Rex Robinson, who has served Cogdell Memorial Hospital as a board member since January of 1975, submitted a letter of resignation from the appointed board Tuesday.

Members of the Cogdell Memorial Hospital Board learned Tuesday that a Breckenridge-based firm will provide weekend physician coverage in the local emergency room through the last weekend in May, but that

hospital officials are still searching for a permanent replacement to provide the service.

Administrator Tom Hochwall said Wednesday morning that he has been in contact with two other firms which offer such services. Plans to have the Breckenridge firm assume the role fulltime have now changed, however.

WEDNESDAY

April 27

A paid advertisement placed in the Snyder Daily News, followed by a television report on Abilene's KTXS Channel 12, has prompted a number of local inquiries, it was reported Wednesday.

The ad requested 100 volunteers to have their homes tested for Radon gas. An EPA spokesman said Wednesday that his agency does not believe that there is a Radon problem in Texas.

The Snyder Independent School District will now join with 63 other districts throughout Texas in a lawsuit against a manufacturer of asbestos products in an

attempt to regain some of the expenses already incurred and expected to be incurred by Snyder ISD in relation to asbestos "encapsulation" and "abatement."

Wednesday, the school board voted unanimously to enter into the class action suit being filed against National Gypsum, one of three major manufacturers of asbestos in the U.S.

THURSDAY

April 28

Western Texas College honored its outstanding students for 1987-88 at the annual Awards Day held Thursday morning in the Fine Arts Theatre.

Shauna Gibson of Vernon and Robert Dyer of Roscoe were named the Outstanding Female Student and Outstanding Male Student of the year.

Allison Adams of Snyder and Kyle Cain of Frankston were named Miss and Mr. Western Texas College Thursday. The honors were announced at the school's annual Spring Formal.

Look Back

By Lilith Smith

FIVE YEARS AGO

First Baptist Church celebrated 100 years in Snyder. Alma Morris (Liz) Bell was given special honors. She joined the church in 1918, giving her the longest period of consecutive membership. She also painted the Jesus in the Garden painting which hangs in the sanctuary foyer.

Richard E. Beck retired from Exxon following almost 36 years of service. A dinner was held in his honor.

L.L. Neepar retired following 31 years with Texaco USA.

Tracey Neves was crowned Homecoming Queen for the 1983 SHS Powder Puff Football season. Other contestants for the crown were Patrick Malone and Jay Mayo.

SDN personnel received sep-

vice pins at a banquet held at The Snyder Country Club. Serving 30 years were Rose Nell Walker and Carol Miller. Those serving 25 years were Marshall Parham, James Wesson and Dora White. Ray Burk and Jean Sealy received 20-year pins.

Margaret Watkins, Nellie Womack and Dora White.

10 YEARS AGO

Steven Floyd, SHS senior, was awarded Best in Show in an art exhibit at Scurry County Museum.

15 YEARS AGO

New cheerleaders at SHS were Karen Lambert, Pam Buchanan, Donna Cornett, Cydney McDonald, Julie Rhodes and Marliou Moore.

Paula Baldwin was crowned District Queen at the VFW Convention.

20 YEARS AGO

Royce Starnes and Sharon Carter were named best actor and actress in the UIL one-act play contest. Starnes received the Samuel French Award and instructor Jerry Worsham received high praise by judges at the state meet.

SDN Letters to the Editor

To the editor,
On behalf of the Abilene Varsity Summer Soccer Team, please let us express our appreciation to the Snyder Independent School District, its board of trustees, superintendent, athletic director and director of maintenance for allowing the Snyder Soccer Association to host an exhibition match April 16 between our team and a fine team from Midland.

The facilities are first-rate and in excellent shape. The Snyder Soccer Association was extremely accommodating, as is their custom, and we were delighted that a good crowd of folks turned out to watch the match.

Snyder has reason to be proud of its soccer facility and the hospitality of its people.

David Wagner
Abilene, TX 79604

To the editor,
The bond election of May 7 is very important to the economy of Snyder. Through the years I have lived in Snyder, I have seen the economy in great shape and now in poor shape.

I know that the city would not have to borrow money to build the water and sewer lines to the prison if we were in the good economical times of the past. But, our city council has made a decision that will provide a boost to our economy with no increase in our taxes. I support the bonds and will vote for them.

LaVerne Hood
3615 Hill Ave.
Snyder, TX 79549

To the editor,
In recent weeks the Scurry County commissioners court has awarded bids to Bud's Office Supply for tables and chairs to be used at the Scurry County Coliseum. As a business owner and taxpayer of Scurry County, I salute the county in their efforts to do business locally. The fact that they postponed the awarding of bids until bids could be solicited from local suppliers is commendable.

If all of our local taxing entities would follow suit and work at doing all the business they can at

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Amnesty extension scuttled

WASHINGTON (AP) — The chief author of the nation's landmark immigration law says illegal aliens better apply for amnesty by next Wednesday's deadline, because a Senate vote has ended any chance for an extension.

"This is it," Sen. Alan Simpson said Wednesday night after helping to kill a plan that would have moved the deadline to Nov. 30. "This extraordinary act of grace will end May 4 when we are in recess."

Those who sought to move the date back nearly seven months

were defeated when they tried to end debate by opponents of the extension. Only 40 votes could be mustered to end the budding filibuster, and 60 were needed.

With the Senate adjourning today until May 9, supporters of the extension have no chance to try to pick up another 20 votes.

Even before the vote, the INS anticipated it would be swamped as the deadline approaches. The agency has already announced

INS figures.

Those who opposed the extension argued that supporters of the change played a cruel hoax on illegal aliens by proposing legislation that had no chance of enactment.

Officials of the Senate Judiciary immigration subcommittee said Thursday that people have been calling daily asking how long the extension would last.

Even before the vote, the INS anticipated it would be swamped as the deadline approaches. The agency has already announced

that any alien who shows up before the deadline can file an application now and produce the supporting documents later.

Officials will officially be open until midnight Wednesday, and the INS said anyone in line will be permitted to file an application.

Applicants have to pay a fee of \$185 for individuals and \$420 for a family.

Gramm said illegal aliens who fail to beat the deadline will "lose the opportunity to get the best gift America has — to be in the United States legally."

Country Life continues below

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(during the school year) and swim or do gentle aquatic exercise which is excellent for arthritis.

The methods I've outlined in the past three columns have been medically proven to be significantly beneficial in helping patients conquer disease (in combination with standard medical practice). Many individuals have had such astonishing results that they have surprised their doctors. I'm one of them.

My illness changed my life by forcing me to examine my own destructive life-patterns and make a deliberate change in the way I live. And my loved ones have learned by watching me. Unfortunately, research has shown that, sadly, only one in ten persons will actually APPLY the steps I've outlined and make similar changes in their own lives.

If you are one of these one-in-ten and want to read more about it, the following books are available at the Snyder Public Library. Most of them are now out in paperback and can be ordered from local bookstores as well.

"Love, Medicine and Miracles" by Bernie Siegel, M.D. If you only read one book, make it this one. It could very well change your life.

"Anatomy of an Illness as Perceived by the Patient" and "Your Healing Heart" by Norman Cousins. Definitive studies written in an entertaining manner about attitudes and illness.

"The Relaxation Response" by Herbert Benson, M.D. Short, easy reading on how to learn to meditate.

"Type A Behavior and Your Heart" and "Treating Type A Behavior and Your Heart" by Meyer Friedman, M.D. If you are a Type A or have any history of heart trouble, these are excellent books.

—Anything at all written by Dr. Norman Vincent Peale.

—Anything at all written by Dr. Robert Schuller.

—"Strong in the Broken Places" by Max Cleland — who lost both legs and an arm in Viet Nam and went on to build a full and positive life.

—"Freedom from Stress" by Phil Nuernberger, P.H.D., a joyful study on how meditation can help you live life to the fullest, particularly if you are ill.

—The Bible, especially the Psalms and words of Christ.

—If you would like more information on how to handle young children when you are chronically or seriously ill, I have an article on the subject which is currently scheduled for the June issue of "Parents" magazine.

Happy healing.

Simpson was the chief sponsor of the 1986 law passed to control years of massive illegal immigration to the United States. The measure had two main portions: legalization for illegal aliens who came to the United States before Jan. 1, 1982 and have lived here continually since then; and financial penalties for employers who knowingly hired illegal residents.

The aliens were given a one-year period, through May 4, to apply for temporary residency and start down the longer road toward permanent residency and citizenship.

About 1.3 million applications have been received so far, and the approval rate is running about 95 percent, according to

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home, it would greatly aid in stabilizing the economy of Scurry County.

Likewise, our tax paid employees of the city, county, college, and school district need to become aware of how important it is that they return a reasonable portion of their income to the community that pays their salaries.

I am not suggesting that any of us do all of our business at home. In the first place, Snyder does not have everything that everyone needs, and never will have. But our local merchants could carry a better variety of merchandise if we could count on the support of the community in "Shopping Snyder First."

After all, doesn't the community depend upon the support of our local businesses? As merchants, we are asked almost daily to donate prizes, sponsor athletic activities, purchase ads in school related publications, and support all kinds of community fund raisers. How many businesses in Lubbock and Abilene do you approach to help with these activities?

If you have a child old enough to participate in any kind of sport, then no doubt your life has been touched by some local businesses already, and if you have a child in college who grew up here, then the business community has probably played a significant role in the lives of your family members on numerous occasions. Have you ever thought what it would be like if every business in Snyder said, "No," to your child when called upon to donate, buy or sponsor the different activities they participate in? Would you feel like you owed them your business? It works both ways, you know!

At least two local banks have spent a lot of money on "Shop at

Bill would provide education, research

WASHINGTON (AP) — Senate passage of a billion-dollar AIDS research and education bill shows that the government has finally "declared war on the virus and not on the victims," supporters say.

The Senate voted 87-4 for the \$1.1 billion bill Thursday night after agreeing unanimously to require AIDS tests on people convicted of state or federal crimes related to sex or intravenous drug use.

The focus now shifts to the House, where a bill covering research on AIDS is committee but measures addressing other portions of the Senate legislation have not been introduced.

The Senate bill authorizes \$665

million for state and federal AIDS education programs, increased hiring at the National Institutes of Health, a new home health care program for AIDS victims and special efforts to help high-risk minorities and intravenous drug abusers. A committee aide said open-ended research money would bring total annual spending to about \$1.1 billion.

"Finally, we have declared war on the virus and not on the victims in our battle against AIDS," said Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., who as chairman of the Labor and Human Resources Committee spearheaded support for the bill.

Victor Basile, executive director of the Human Rights Campaign Fund, the national political action committee for the gay and lesbian community, said he was "delighted" with bill, which he said "for the first time establishes a national policy on AIDS."

During frequently bitter debate, the Senate rejected or weakened a number of amendments proposed by conservatives, several of them by Sen. Jesse Helms, R-N.C.

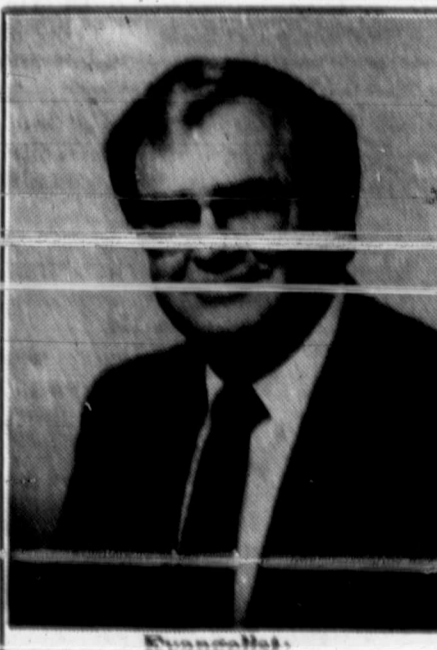
The most controversial was Helms' attempt to renew an expiring 1987 ban on federal money for educational materials that allegedly promote or encourage homosexual activity.

Helms' drive was fueled by a gay-oriented AIDS education videotape he viewed with several senators on Wednesday. "I thought that I had seen everything until I saw this video," said the North Carolina Republican. "There's something wrong when federal tax dollars are used for this garbage."

But the bill's Republican co-sponsor, Sen. Orrin Hatch, R-Utah, told his GOP colleague that he ought to consider public health concerns and not just moral ones. "We have to tell homosexuals more than simply to become heterosexuals," he said.

The Senate agreed to the Helms amendment but the victory was brief. Lawmakers also voted for a Kennedy amendment that said nothing in the bill should prevent the dissemination of accurate information to people at risk — effectively superseding the Helms provision.

The debate provoked a number of outbursts. At one point Majority Leader Robert Byrd, D-W.Va., tried to get a quick vote on a provision but Sen. Lowell Weicker, R-Conn., wouldn't let him.



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Astro-Graph

By Bernice Bede Osol



May 1, 1988



May 2, 1988

An alliance of longstanding will enjoy even stronger bonds in the year ahead. Both will derive increased benefits from this sturdy alliance.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Don't become too complacent in partnership arrangements today, or else each may think the other is attending to something important that both are neglecting. Major changes are ahead for Taurus 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.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Don't be nice to people just because you expect something in return. If your behavior is manipulative, you're not likely to fool anyone.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Try not to be resentful today if you are upstaged by a charismatic pal. Playing second fiddle won't damage your image in the eyes of others.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) If you treat others too possessively today, you are likely to evoke the opposite reaction of that which you desire. It's best to slack off on the reins instead.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Be prepared to back up what you say today with irrefutable proof, because comments you make are likely to be challenged by your listeners.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) This is not a good day to put additional strain on your financial resources. Think twice before gambling or getting involved in a chancy enterprise.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) It's best not to take it on yourself to speak for your mate today. It's possible that what meets with your approval could be rejected by him/her.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Unfortunately, you might not have learned from your past mistakes. This could create a situation today where an old, familiar set of problems resurrects itself.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Be very selective regarding your choice of companions today. If you mix with the wrong crowd, it could spoil what should be a fun day.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) This is a good day to reassess your values. Try to determine whether the objectives you're now pursuing are worth all that will be required of you to achieve them.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Go along with the majority today instead of trying to convert them to your way of thinking. You could find yourself out on the limb alone if you're too insistent.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Be doubly sure people with whom you are involved commercially today are as sincere and ethical about things as you are. Ask lots of questions.

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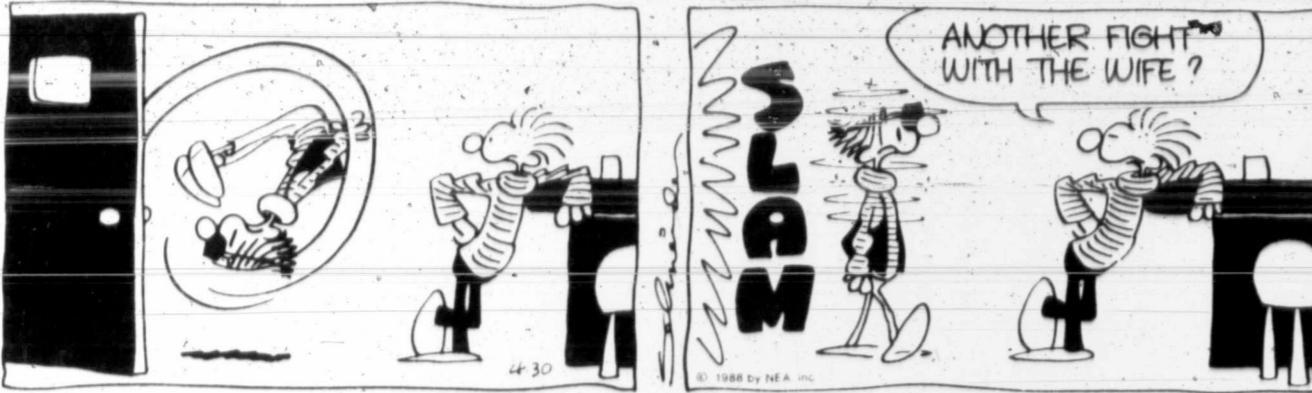
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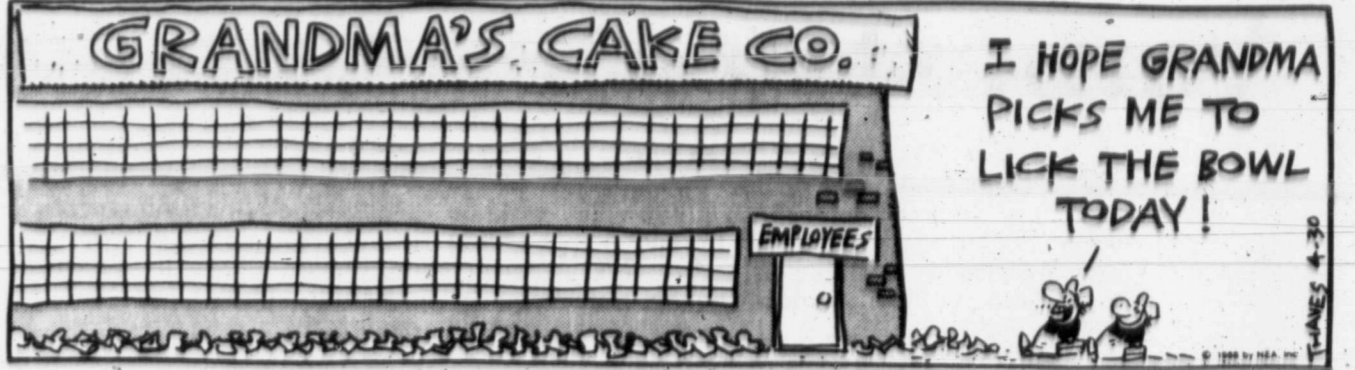
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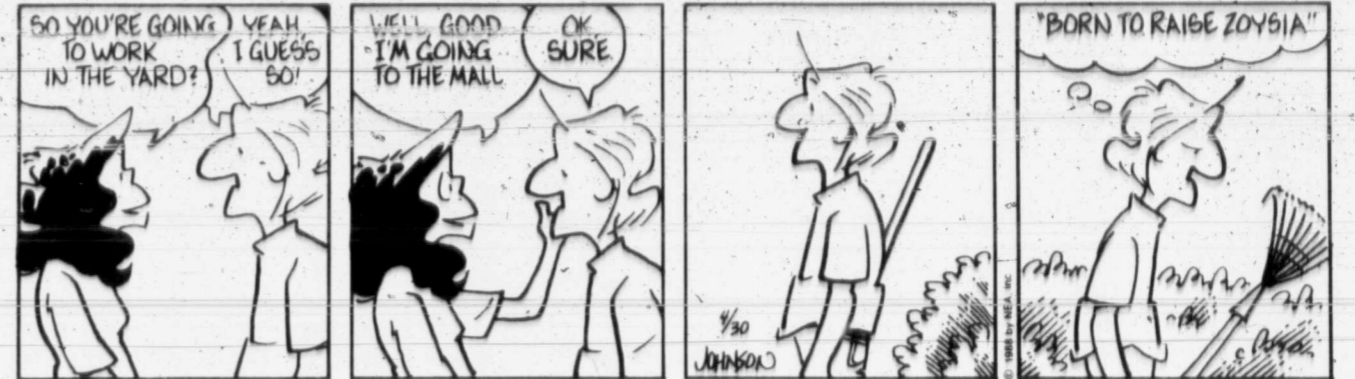
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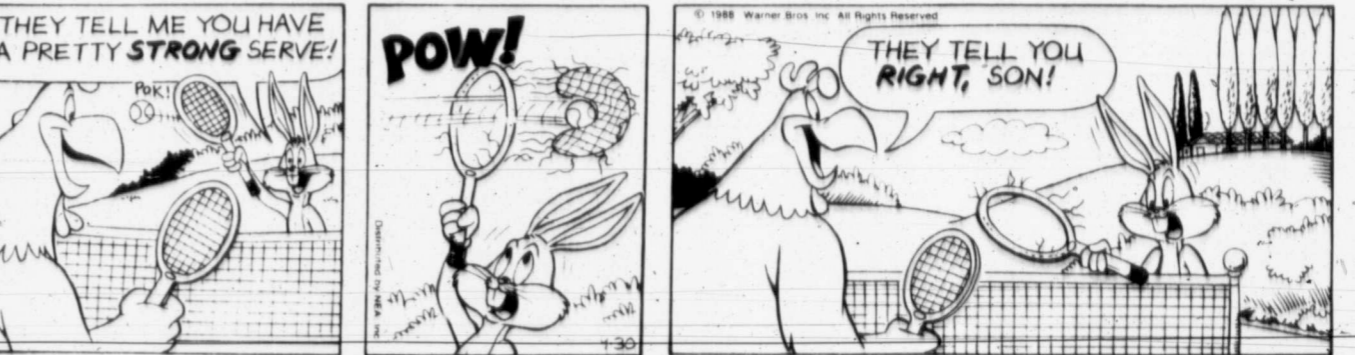
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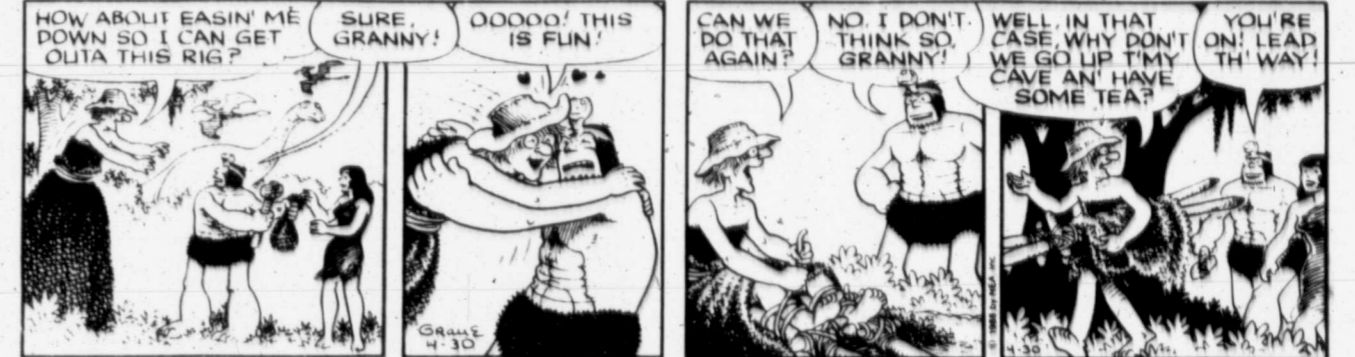
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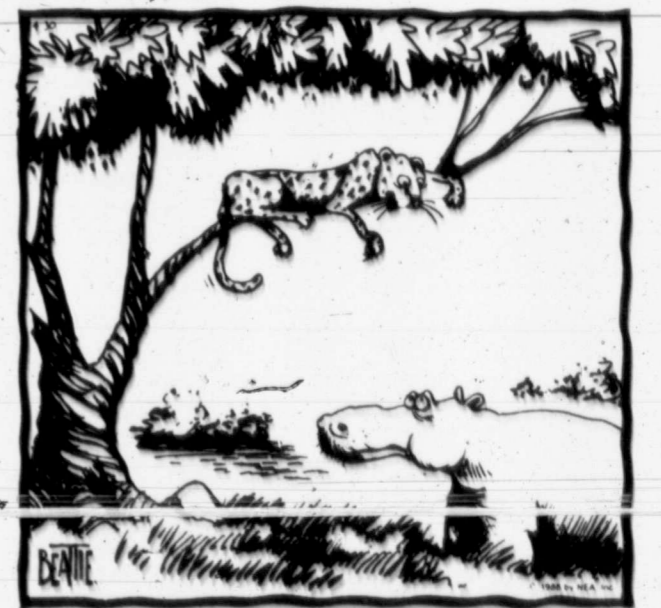
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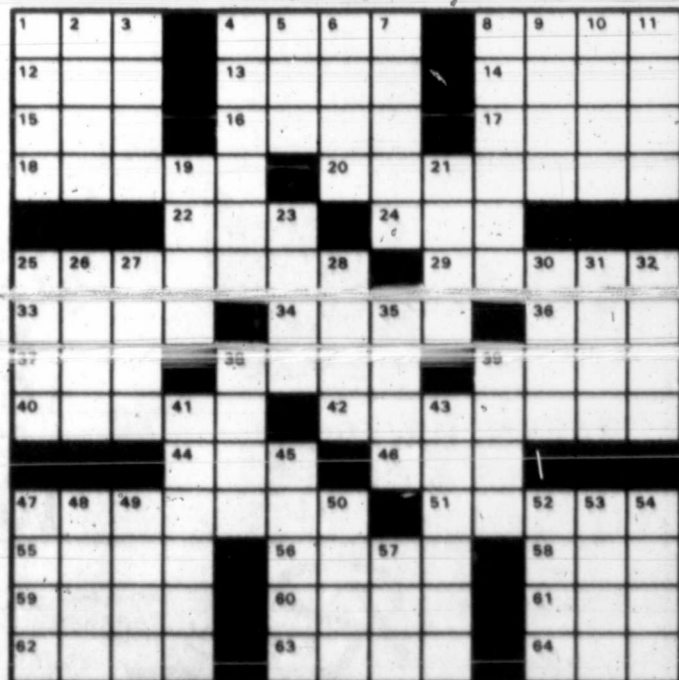
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- 18 Requiras
- 20 Not at sea
- 22 Boat gear
- 24 Sticky stuff
- 25 Vocalized
- 29 ___ at the office
- 33 Baseball's Speaker
- 34 Seed cover
- 36 License plate
- 37 Assistance
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Answer to Previous Puzzle



Snyder Shopper's Survey

1. Please check the two most important reasons why you shop in Snyder.
(CHECK ONLY TWO REASONS)

- a. Lower prices
- b. Stores conveniently located to home
- c. Courtesy of salespeople
- d. Merchandise assortment
- e. Merchandise assortment
- f. Know store employees
- g. Warranty/service of stores
- h. Credit availability
- i. Habit (always shopped there)
- j. Ease of shopping in Snyder

2. What suggestions can you provide to help improve the quality of shopping in Snyder?

3. A. Do you ever go outside of Snyder to shop?

YES NO

B. If yes, how often do you go outside of Snyder to shop?

- Once a week
- Every 2 weeks
- Once a month
- Other

C. In what city other than Snyder do you shop most frequently?

(Please write in name of city)

D. Do you ever go outside of Snyder just for entertainment?

- Once a week
- Every 2 weeks
- Once a month
- Other

4. Which of the following statements represent reasons for out-of-town shopping trips you make? (CHECK ALL REASONS THAT APPLY)

- a. I am looking for a better selection of merchandise.
- b. I can find merchandise at a lower price.
- c. I am shopping for a higher quality merchandise.
- d. I enjoy a different shopping environment.
- e. I shop while I am out of town visiting someone.
- f. For better service.
- g. Sales people have more knowledge.
- h. More convenient shopping hours.
- i. There is more entertainment, more to do.
- j. Other.

5. Please indicate the location (A or B) where your household normally purchases the following products.

(A) In Snyder (B) Out of Town

- a. Groceries
- b. Men's Clothes
- c. Children's Clothes
- d. Ladies' Clothes
- e. Toys
- f. Linens
- g. Bakery goods
- h. Books
- i. Home appliances and electronics
- j. Furniture and home decorations
- k. Sporting goods
- l. Shoes
- m. Records and tapes
- n. Automobile
- o. Auto supplies
- p. Hardware
- q. Farm equipment
- r. Office supplies
- s. Antiques
- t. Photographic/printing materials
- u. Dining

6. What kinds of businesses would you like to see opened in Snyder? (List as many as you like)

7. What are your favorite forms of leisure time recreation? (CHECK MORE THAN ONE IF YOU HAVE SEVERAL FAVORITES)

- a. Participative sports (softball, skiing, etc.)
- b. Watching sporting events
- c. Camping, hiking, picnics, etc.
- d. Fishing
- e. Golf
- f. Bowling
- g. Movies
- h. Dancing
- i. Concerts
- j. Skating
- k. Theater
- l. Other (Specify)

8. Which of the following types of new entertainment establishments would you like to see opened in Snyder (CHECK AS MANY AS YOU LIKE)

- a. Dance club
- b. Restaurant (Specify type: _____)
- c. Video arcade
- d. Art Gallery
- e. Recreation center
- f. Health club
- g. Other: (please specify)

9. Name your favorite stores to shop in Snyder and the reason why you like to shop in them.

- A. _____ Why? _____
- B. _____ Why? _____
- C. _____ Why? _____

10. What are your favorite shopping hours (Check two)
8 a.m. to 10 a.m. _____ 8 p.m. to 6 p.m. _____
10 a.m. to noon _____ 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. _____
Noon to 3 p.m. _____

11. What is your favorite day of the week to shop? (Check one)

- Sunday
- Monday
- Tuesday
- Wednesday
- Thursday
- Friday
- Saturday

12. Do you have a checking account at a Snyder financial institution?

- YES
- NO

13. If you use a local financial institution, check the main reason you do your banking in Snyder? (Check one)

- a. Convenient location
- b. Loan interest rates
- c. Savings interest rates
- d. Convenient hours
- e. Personnel

14. If you use out-of-town financial institutions in what city are they located and why do you use them?

City _____ Why? _____

15. What is your marital status?

Single _____ Married _____

16. Are you male or female?

Male _____ Female _____

17. What is your race?

Hispanic _____ Black _____
White _____ Other _____

(Please specify)

18. How many people, in total, are currently living in your household?

- One
- Two
- Three
- Four
- Five
- More than five

19. How long have you been a resident of Snyder?

- Less than 1 year
- 1-4 years
- 5-8 years
- 9-12 years
- Over 12 years

20. Are you employed in the Snyder area?

Yes _____ No _____

21. A. Which of the occupational areas below best describes your job?

(IF YOU HAVE A SPOUSE AND SHE/HE WORKS, ANSWER QUESTION (B), ALSO)

B. Which of the occupational areas below best describes your spouse's job?

(CHECK ONLY ONE FOR EACH COLUMN)

(A) (B)

Your Job Spouse's Job

- _____ Laborer
- _____ State Government
- _____ U.S. Government (active/retired)
- _____ Housewife
- _____ Agriculture producer
- _____ Retail merchant
- _____ Educator
- _____ Secretarial/clerical
- _____ Sales
- _____ Doctor/Lawyer
- _____ Transportation
- _____ Manufacturer worker
- _____ Construction
- _____ Student
- _____ Oil and gas
- _____ Managerial
- _____ Other: (please specify)

22. In which age category do you fit?

- Under 19
- 20-29
- 30-39
- 40-49
- 50-59
- 60-69
- 70-79
- 80 and over

23. Please indicate which income category that represents the combined yearly earnings of all wage earners in your household.

- Under \$10,000
- 10,001-20,000
- 20,001-30,000
- 30,001-40,000
- 40,001-50,000
- 50,001-60,000
- 60,001-70,000
- 70,001-80,000
- Over 80,000

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Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren



In-Laws' Suppertime Visits Are a Hard Habit to Break

DEAR ABBY: I love my husband's brother and his wife dearly, but they much too frequently show up just as I am about to prepare supper. They live out of town and work in the city where we live. They've made a habit of stopping at our place right after work, and staying until they are invited to eat supper with us.

There's no problem when I have sufficient food — I ask them to join us (which I've done many times), but I usually plan just enough for the two of us. Even my husband admits that these visits have gotten out of hand, but he doesn't know what to say to his brother.

I don't want to offend them, but how do I get them to leave? I hate to hurt their feelings. Incidentally, their combined income is on a par with ours.

HAD IT OUT EAST

DEAR HAD IT: You say you "love" them. What's to love about nerdy people who take advantage of you?

These relatives are freeloaders. They could occasionally bring deli food, carry-out chicken or Chinese. Unless you speak up, they will continue to come empty-handed to be fed at your expense.

Instead of complaining to Dear Abby, get the gumption to tell them enough is enough and don't worry about offending them. They're about as sensitive as a pair of rhinoceroses.

DEAR ABBY: Please help me and countless other people in my department at work. There is a woman we work with who seems to think that we are interested in every detail of her personal life. What she and the kids had for dinner. What her husband said when she got home. What they watched on TV, etc.

We have been through the purchase of a car, moving into a different house, her kids and

husband's illness from start to finish. I don't know where she ever got the idea that we are the least bit interested.

Please print this letter so we can drop it on her desk, and maybe she will take the hint.

HAD ENOUGH

DEAR HAD ENOUGH: One's co-workers are much like a "second family," so it's not unusual for co-workers to share bits and pieces of their personal lives.

However, if you all agree that this woman is overdoing it, ask the person closest to her to tell her — as diplomatically as possible. It would be an act of kindness.

DEAR ABBY: The letter from "Two Large Problems" (overweight bridesmaids) prompted me to write.

I was a bridesmaid only once in my life. We were an odd-looking group. The bride was a size 12; her maid of honor was a 14. I was a 16. The groom had two sisters — one was a size 3, and the other was a 52. She had to have her dress made special, as did the flower girl, who wore a chubby 8.

There was never a doubt in the bride's mind about who she wanted in the wedding party — and it didn't matter what size they were.

I missed being a bridesmaid for my cousin because I was too short, too chubby and my hair was the same color as the bride's. All her bridesmaids had to be tall, thin and blond!

You were right, Abby. A wedding isn't a performance; it's a gathering of your nearest and dearest no matter what they look like.

ONCE A BRIDESMAID IN FLORIDA

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in Canada) to: Dear Abby, Letter Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054 (postage and handling are included).

DEAR ABBY: This concerns "Haunted," the gentleman who was "groped" under the blanket on an overnight flight by a precocious 10-year-old girl. You told him he should have told one of the adult members of the girl's family traveling with her that the child had a problem and needed counseling.

Sure, the child had a problem and needed counseling, but where do you think she learned such behavior? Obviously someone close to her had sexually abused her. Such seductive behavior is common in incest victims.

Had that man followed your advice, the girl would have denied it, and accused the man of touching her. It would be her word against his — and children always win in such cases!

I would have advised the man to find another seat, say nothing to anybody, and let it go at that. I speak from experience, having served 18 months in prison for child molestation. An 8-year-old girl lied. Now I never allow children in my house unless another adult is present, and I never allow a child to get within touching distance. My name and address are for your eyes alone if you want to verify this.

VICTIM OF A LIE

DEAR VICTIM: Judging from my mail, you belong to a very large fraternity. Read on!

DEAR ABBY: When I saw the letter from "Haunted," I had to write. As you can see by my address, I am in prison. I was sentenced to four years for child molestation — a crime I did not commit. I am 66 years old and will be released next month, but I am a broken old man. My wife suffered a massive heart attack and died four months ago, and I was not even allowed to attend her funeral.

The irony of this whole nightmar-

ish experience is that shortly before my wife died, two of the three girls who falsely accused me came to my wife with their mothers and tearfully confessed that they had made up the story that convicted me. They said they got the idea from a TV program, "When Touching is a Crime." Unfortunately, the third girl, now 15, whose testimony was the most damaging, could not be found, having run off with an older man.

It doesn't matter now. The damage is done, and I'll be going home to an empty house soon.

NO. 34661, LAS CRUCES, N.M.

DEAR ABBY: Your reply to "Haunted" touched a nerve. While well-intended, it would have landed him in jail immediately. Had I been the gentleman in question, I would have gone immediately to my private attorney, put the whole incident down in affidavit form, had my attorney file an anonymous "friend of the court" petition on that child's behalf, and let the local child abuse authorities investigate it — without revealing my name or involving me.

The number of falsely accused in this country today would astonish you! I know. Three years ago, out of jealousy and meanness, my ex-wife accused me — falsely — of molesting one of our daughters. We have spent \$150,000 in attorney's fees in the interim. I see my daughters only twice a month, with a court monitor, and the daughter who was manipulated by her mother is a psychiatrist's nightmare.

VICTIMIZED AND INNOCENT IN CALIFORNIA

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Frances J. Flack to Abel Beauchamp et ux, the north 65 feet of Lot 3 in Block 11 of the Blankenship Addition to the City of Snyder.

William L. Sumruld to H.E. Lewis et ux, the south 50 feet of Lot 10 and the north 35 feet of Lot 16 in Block 3 of Section 2 of the Martin Addition to the City of Snyder.

Lavelle Eicke et al to Wesley O. Graves et ux, the southeast quarter of Section 209, Block 97, H&TC Survey, Scurry County, Tex.

Helen Louise Hoyle to Charles C. Stewart et ux, Lots 17 through 20 in Block 29 of the Replat of the Belmont Park Heights Addition to the City of Snyder.

William R. Greene, executor of the estate of Elizabeth Greene, to Mannan Murdock et ux, Lot 20 and the east one foot of Lot 19 in Block 1 of the Martin Addition to the City of Snyder.

Neal O. Musgrove to Phillip Wade Musgrove, two 163-acre tracts in Block 1, Section 21, J.P. Smith Survey, Scurry County, Tex.

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The First National Bank of Lubbock, trustee of the Edith McKanna Trust, and Edith McKanna, also known as Edith Whatley McKanna, to the First National Bank of Lubbock, trustee of the Anne Montgomery Trust, a one-sixth interest and a one-third interest in tracts of 259.38 and 259.56 acres in Section 405, Block 97, H&TC Survey, Scurry County, Tex.

Warranty Deeds
Joe J. Thompson to Richard Glenn Thompson et al, the west one-half of Lot 4 in Block 49 of the Blankenship Addition to the City of Snyder.

Thomas M. Deffebach et ux to Becky Harrell et al, Lot 10 in Block H of the Highland Park Addition to the City of Snyder.

First Federal Savings & Loan Association of Big Spring to the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, the south one-half of Lot 2 in Block 10 of the Blankenship Addition to the City of Snyder.

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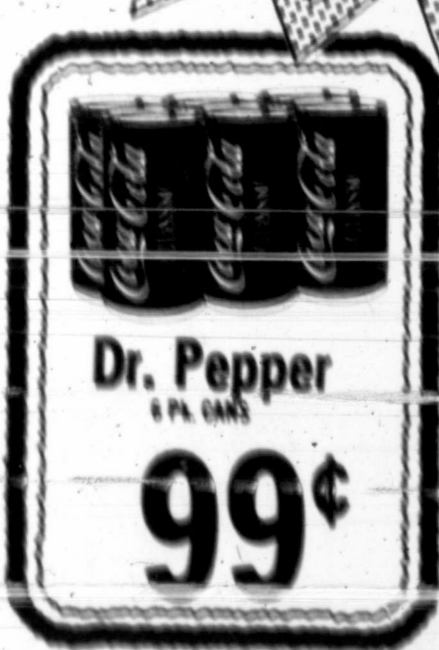
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