

# Welcome AJRA cowboys, cowgirls

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### Snyder hosts AJRA finals for 13th year

The top young rodeo hands in the country began streaming into Snyder today in preparation for Tuesday night's opening performance of the AJRA National Finals Rodeo.

Snyder is host for the national finals for the 13th consecutive year, and all performances will be held at the Scurry County Coliseum.

Pre-rodeo activity got underway Sunday with the World Championship Barrel Race for youngsters under the age of 8, sponsored by the Ogden family of Gail.

Amanda Kay of Joaquin won the memorial barrel race event, posting a three-run time of 44.93 which included a quick 14.76. Second was seven-year-old Houston Hutto of Del Rio in 45.41. Penny Nickell of McLoud, Okla. clocked a 45.54, while Jamie Garrison of Marlow, Okla. and Amanda Caldwell of Wharton shared times of 46.09.

Tibba Smith of Carlsbad, N.M., another seven-year-old, placed sixth with a 46.15 on three head.

Activity on Monday includes the team roping finals. Action got

underway at 10 a.m., and the racing slack will start at 8 p.m. this evening in the coliseum.

The first rodeo performance Tuesday night begins at 8 p.m. Tickets are \$4 for general admission and \$2 for children. On opening night, all persons wearing an AJRA cap will be admitted for \$1 off.

A special senior citizens night is scheduled for Wednesday with a special 50 cents off for those presenting their ID cards.

A added attraction for Tuesday's opening ceremony will be the appearance of the Texas Tech Red Raider wearing her lighted cape. The Tech rider will appear every night with the exception of Thursday.

All rodeo performances will begin at 8 p.m. in the coliseum. The final performance on Saturday night will be televised across the United States—and in many cases live.

On Friday night, the Miss AJRA will be crowned. Rodeo queen candidates this year are Ralynn Key of Gail, Gretchen Hilton of Olney, Kody Newman of Stanton, Mitzi Mayes of Manor, LaDawn Puckett of Sweetwater, Lari Dee Guy of Abilene, Kippi Kuykendall of Valley Springs and D'Anne Almand of Waxahachie.

The AJRA has become a tradition in Snyder, and some good friends and entertainers return. For the 8th year, Bob Tallman, chosen top rodeo announcer in 1987, is back along with co-announcer Charlie Throckmorton of Cleburne.

Rodeo clowns this year include See AJRA, Page 9

### Tax rate hearing on junior college agenda

Employment of eight new faculty members and a resolution setting the 1988-89 tax rate highlight the agenda facing the board of trustees of Western Texas College when it meets at 5:45 p.m. Monday in the board room of the administration building.

The board will first conduct a public hearing on the proposed tax rate of 17.64 cents to finance a \$5.3 million budget which the board approved last month.

Anticipated spending is down by \$110,000, but an increase in the tax rate of 1.8 cents is required because of a decrease in evaluations.

WTC reduced its reliance on



**TOUR** — Officials from the Texas Department of Corrections toured Cogdell Memorial Hospital Monday morning in advance of the agency's use of the old surgery wing, shown here, upon the completion of the new TDC unit near Snyder. From left are Dr. Glenn Johnson, TDC medical chief of staff; Tom Hochwalt and Christy Pointer, hospital

administrator and director of nursing; local community leader Jack Smartt; Dr. Charles Alexander, deputy TDC director for medical services; Liz Ferrer, a registered nurse from St. Mary of the Plains Hospital in Lubbock; and James E. Riley, assistant TDC director for health services. (SDN Staff Photo)

### Bomb explodes as Shultz enters city of La Paz, Bolivia

LA PAZ, Bolivia (AP) — U.S. Secretary of State George P. Shultz narrowly escaped an assassination attempt today when a bomb exploded near his

motorcade. A window of his wife's car was shattered, but she was not injured.

The bomb, which went off on the outskirts of the Bolivian capital as Shultz and his party were driving in from the airport, blew a hole in the road and scattered chunks of pavement over a wide area.

The explosion occurred seconds after Shultz's car passed over the road but before all 15 cars in the motorcade had gone by. Shultz and his wife, Helena, were traveling in separate cars.

No injuries were reported in the explosion, which was seen by this reporter from a vantage point four or five cars behind Shultz.

There was no immediate claim of responsibility for the bombing. Bolivia has no major organized anti-government guerrilla movement. However, U.S. efforts to stem Bolivia's thriving cocaine trade have fueled anti-American sentiment.

After the blast, police immediately closed off the highway and climbed a nearby hill to search for the bombers.

### One arrested in burglary of pawn shop

A 20-year-old Snyder man was arrested early Sunday in connection with a late Friday or early Saturday burglary at Sparkle City Pawn Shop at 1900 37th St., and county deputies said there are more suspects in the case who might be arrested this week.

Micheal Shane Ward was taken into custody at 1:20 a.m. Sunday at a residence at 14th St. and Ave. K, and Justice of the Peace Dan Callaway set his bond in an arraignment held shortly afterwards at \$50,000.

The deputy said a rifle and a shotgun were recovered from the break-in.

### School board meets at 4 p.m.

A three-item agenda—including an executive session on personnel items, faces the Snyder Independent School board of trustees when it holds a special meeting starting at 4 p.m. Monday.

The personnel items include the executive session, resignations, recommendations and reassignments. The recommendations will include six substitute positions that become permanent teaching assignments if enrollment warrants it.

Also on the agenda is an item relating to the replacement of a boiler at Northeast Elementary. Supt. Dalton Mosley said he will recommend replacement of the boiler as an emergency item so that the unit can be installed prior to cold weather.

Following a dinner break, a board workshop will be conducted. The board will be given information from the maintenance department, transportation department and cafeteria operations.

In addition, Mosley will give trustees an overview of his plans for the coming school year—including implementation of new programs and procedures.



**RECIPROCAL VISIT**—Royce Hataway, left, recently spent a few weeks in West Germany visiting with Tobias Gossheger and his family. Gossheger returned to Snyder with Hataway and will remain here until later this month. (SDN Staff Photo)

### From Germany...

### Heat impresses student visitor

By Shirley A. Gorman  
SDN News Editor

Royce Hataway of Snyder returned July 27 from a month's stay in Dulmen, West Germany. Tobias Gossheger of Dulmen accompanied Hataway on the journey home and will remain in Snyder until Aug. 24.

Hataway will be a senior at Snyder High School this fall and he is the son of Emmitt Hataway and Cindy Nix.

The Snyder youth speaks no German but he said he chose Germany anyway because he wanted to experience a different country other than France where most of the exchange students have visited in the past.

Hataway and Gossheger's visits have been arranged through the International Youth Exchange program in Snyder which is sponsored by local clubs and businesses.

Language did not present that much of a problem for Hataway because the family he lived with spoke English and in public he said he gestured a lot with his hands in order to be understood.

He said one of the greatest benefits of his trip was, since he did not speak the native language, he was forced to rely on himself more in order to be understood.

Hataway did a lot of sight seeing in Germany. He attended a silver anniversary and wedding, spent two days in West Berlin which he liked best of all, spent one day at the beach at the North Sea, visited the capitol at Bonn and took a tour down the Rhine River where he said he saw numerous castles—including one at Cologne which is Germany's largest.

He also saw the Herrmann Statue which is a national monument in Germany and was erected in honor of the hero who helped the Germans drive out the Romans in the year 9.

He visited the Berlin Wall and learned a lot about history during his brief visit. He said he liked Berlin best of all because people from all over the world were there. One day he saw people wearing cowboy hats who turned out to be from Mexico.

Hataway said traveling in Germany is easy because cities are closer together and since the major highways don't have speed limits.

Hataway took more than 240 pictures and will be available to give slide presentations of his visit to interested clubs and organizations.

He said he did not know what to expect when he first arrived because his only knowledge of Ger-

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Ask Us

Q—Has the question over who pays the court costs related to the suits filed to stop construction of the prison here ever been resolved?

A—Plaintiffs in the suit paid approximately one-half. The judge has not acted on the amount in dispute, despite urging by defendant attorneys.

### In Brief

#### Child slain

VICTORIA, Texas (AP) — A 3-year-old child is dead in what authorities said was a murder-suicide attempted by the youngster's father.

Daniel Ward died Sunday of injuries from a gunshot wound suffered a day earlier. His father, James P. Ward, 40, was listed in serious but stable condition in Citizens Medical Center after allegedly turning the gun on himself.

A short time before the Saturday evening shootings, Ward telephoned his ex-wife in Humble threatening to kill himself and their son, police said.

The former wife notified the Harris County Sheriff's Department and Ward's mother, Margaret Ward of El Paso, who was visiting other family members in Victoria.

#### Found dead

HOUSTON (AP) — Police were looking for suspects and a motive after an east Houston machinist came home from an overnight trip to find his common-law wife stabbed to death and the couple's 13-month-old son dead of unknown causes, authorities said.

Linda Annette Flora, 24, was found Sunday on the living room floor of the home she shared with Sammy McClain, also 24, and their son, Sammy Jr.

### Local

#### AD review

The board of review of the Scurry County Appraisal District will convene at 9 a.m. Tuesday at the district offices at 2612 College Ave.

#### Absentee ends

Tuesday is the final day to cast an absentee vote in the special Aug. 13 election between Steve Carriker (D-Roby) and Bobby Albert (R-Wichita Falls) to fill out the 1988 term of former State Senator Ray Farabee.

Persons wishing to vote absentee may do so between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. in the county clerk's office in the courthouse.

#### Vietnam vets

The Scurry County Vietnam Veterans Association will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday at the St. John's Episcopal Church to discuss participation in the Scurry County Fair.

### Weather

**Snyder Temperatures:** High Saturday, 93 degrees; low, 67 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Sunday, 69 degrees; high Sunday, 97 degrees; low, 66 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Monday, 66 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1988 to date, 14.36 inches.

**Snyder Area Forecast:** Tonight, clear. Low in the lower 70s. Southeast wind 5 to 10 mph. Tuesday, partly cloudy with a high in the upper 90s. Southeast wind 10 to 15 mph.



## Community Calendar

### MONDAY

Free blood pressure clinic; Fluvanna Community Center; 1-2 p.m.  
 Noah Project support group for victims of family violence; 3:45 p.m.; for more information, call 573-1822.  
 Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m.; for more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext 283.  
 Snyder Police Auxiliary; SNB community room; 7 p.m.  
 Open duplicate bridge; Colorado City bridge room; 7 p.m.  
 Rebekah Lodge 294; lodge hall; 7:30 p.m.  
 American Legion Layne Kite Post 181 and auxiliary; 7:30 p.m.  
 Overeaters Anonymous; Morning Side Baptist Church fellowship hall; 7:30 p.m.; call JoAnn at 573-9839 for information.  
 New Choices Support Group; Park Club in Winston Park; 7:30-8:30 p.m. For co-dependency or adult children of alcoholics. Call 573-4837 for information.  
 Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-4870 or 573-1357.

### TUESDAY

Ladies Golf Association; tee time at 9 a.m.  
 Patchwork Squares Extension Homemakers; 2506 31st; 9:30 a.m.  
 Free blood pressure clinic; Ira Community Center; 1-2 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.  
 ACBL Open Pairs Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 7 p.m.  
 TOPS TX56; weigh-in and meeting 7-8 p.m.; 2501 35th St.; for more information, call Jean Yearwood at 573-9444 or Cate Hintz, 573-9038.  
 Canyon Gun Club; 3201 Ave. M; 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

Christian Women's Club luncheon; Snyder Country Club; 11:15 a.m.-1:15 p.m.; \$6 lunch, \$1 beverage only; reservations must be made by noon Tuesday, 573-6602, 573-0745.  
 Free blood pressure clinic; Hermligh Community Center; 1-2 p.m.  
 Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m.; for more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext 283.  
 Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-3956 or 573-0414.

### THURSDAY

If you are a pregnant teenager in need of help, meet with Maria Montes of Catholic Family Services of Lubbock from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Scurry County Welfare offices in the Senior Center on Ave. M. For information, call 573-9967.  
 Noah Project Advisory Committee; Cogdell Memorial Hospital board room; 12 noon.  
 Free blood pressure clinic; Dunn Community Center; 1-2 p.m.  
 Advanced duplicate bridge; Colorado City bridge room; 1:30 p.m.  
 Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.  
 Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m.; for more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext 283.  
 Weight Watchers of West Texas; basement of First Presbyterian Church; 6 p.m. New members welcome and should register at 5:30 p.m.  
 Alateen; for the children of alcoholics; 7 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.  
 Scurry County Sheriff's Posse; Posse Clubhouse; 7:30 p.m.  
 Snyder Singles; 7:30 p.m.  
 Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.

### FRIDAY

Story Time for Preschoolers; Scurry County Library; 10 a.m.  
 Snyder Jaycees; noon luncheon; Country Club.  
 Free blood pressure clinic; Cogdell Memorial Hospital emergency waiting room; 1-2:30 p.m.  
 ACBL Open Pairs Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.  
 Cornelius Dodson House; open by appointment; 573-9742 or 573-2763.  
 Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m.; for 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

Diamond M Museum, open from 1-4 p.m.  
 People Without Partners; Inadale Community Center; games of 42 and dominoes; 6:30 p.m.  
 New Horizon Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 7 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.  
 Sparkle City Square Dance Club; old Ira gym; 8-10 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.  
 Scurry County Museum, Western Texas College, open from 1-4 p.m.  
 Diamond M Museum, open from 1-4 p.m.  
 ACBL Open Pairs Duplicate Bridge Club; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.  
 Black Women's Association; SNB community room; 5 p.m.

## Education called key to security

ALBUQUERQUE (AP) — among Hispanics is high and that just one in 100 Hispanics graduates from college. She said 30 percent of Hispanics live below the poverty level. "High school is not enough. But at least get through it," she said. "Then take typing or some kind of vocational classes. Just keep learning. If anything happens, you'll have your passport to security. Otherwise, you'll end up in a vacuum." Jimenez Van Hoy said women are taking risks and finding out they have talents and skills. She said more Hispanic women are discovering they can cope even if left alone through divorce or death. "I hear so many women say, 'Well, I take care of my kids and I belong to the PTA and I cook and I sew and I juggle the family budget. I don't do anything.'"

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# Curfew leads to Sunday riot

NEW YORK (AP) — Graffiti at a Lower East Side park entrance reads "Go Home Yuppie Scum." But neighbors say the reasons for a riot that pitted hundreds against police go beyond the gentrification, drug-dealing and homelessness.

Thirty-eight people, including seven police officers, were slightly injured in confrontations early Sunday at Tompkins Square Park; nine were arrested on riot, assault and disorderly conduct charges, authorities said.

Six brutality complaints were filed against police, who were wearing riot gear and were bolstered by mounted officers and helicopters.

"I hope you saw what ... was going on because we didn't start this," said Police Capt. Gerald McNamara. "We did everything in our power not to provoke an incident. They didn't charge the crowd until the bricks and bottles started flying."

The riot started as police tried to enforce a curfew at the Manhattan park. Some residents

had asked that police do so, saying the park is a nighttime hangout for drug dealers, rowdy drunks, homeless people and so-called punk rockers, who dress in black leather and spike their hair.

Protesters, bystanders and reporters and photographers complained of random attacks by police with billy clubs. Police complained they were pelted with rocks, bottles and sticks. Firecrackers exploded and at least one fire was set.

Estimates of the crowd ranged from around 100 to the Police Department's official estimate of more than 700. The police force started at about 100 and swelled to 450.

"Police were calling people scum, twirling their nightsticks. And the kids were inciting them, too, but they weren't throwing bottles or anything," said Dan Kelley, 26, who lives in the neighborhood also known as the East Village.

The riot started as police attempted to enforce a 1 a.m.

curfew that applies to all city parks but is rarely enforced. Police said residents had complained that they were having trouble sleeping because of noise from the park.

"It's noisy, there's rampant drug dealing, drug use, all night revelry," said Kim Yarbrough, 41, who lives nearby. "And the place looks like a dump."

Some park habitués, however, saw the police effort as part of a vague conspiracy of developers and city officials who want to rid the area of the poor, punk-rockers, and squatters and make it more attractive to whites.

"It's being totally gentrified, taken over by the upper-middle-white-rich class," said Mike Huckelberry, 18, a squatter in a nearby abandoned building.

"That's yuppie-bashing," said Lee Kelly, who attributed the clash to hot weather and frustrated police who panicked.

"You'll talk to 50 people and get 50 explanations," she said. "But the fact is nothing's happening."

After Sunday's riot, Mayor Edward I. Koch said the park would remain open for the rest of the summer.

Another demonstration, protesting the police action and the curfew, was held Sunday night, but police reported no problems.

The decision to enforce the curfew was made July 11, and an informal coalition of residents, homeless people, punk rockers and self-styled revolutionaries held at least two protests during the past month. Police cleared the park but allowed the homeless to sleep in one corner.

On Saturday evening, anticipating a large demonstration, police turned out in force. At 11:15; about 250 demonstrators marched around the park, with police standing by while firecrackers were thrown, McNamara said.

As the demonstration continued, blocking traffic, officers were hit with flying debris, he said. McNamara ordered officers on foot to form a phalanx, led by mounted officers.

## Bridge

James Jacoby

**NORTH** 8-8-88  
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 ♥ K Q 6 2  
 ♦ 7 6  
 ♣ 9 4 2

**WEST** ♠ A 5  
 ♥ 10 7 5 3  
 ♦ 9 8 3 2  
 ♣ J 5 3

**EAST** ♠ 8 4 2  
 ♥ A J 8  
 ♦ A K Q J 10 5  
 ♣ 8

**SOUTH** ♠ K 10 7 3  
 ♥ 9 4  
 ♦ 4  
 ♣ A K Q 10 7 6

Vulnerable: Both  
 Dealer: South

West	North	East	South
Pass	1♥	2♦	1♠
Pass	4♣	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: ♦ 2

Today's Lucky Number is 7761

## Don't wait till it's too late

By James Jacoby

South was stepping out just a little when he bid two spades over East's two-diamond overcall. South had only 12 high-card points, but he did have a good playing hand if his partner could either support spades or bid no-trump. Four spades was a good contract, but not without its pitfalls. If trumps split badly, the contract would probably fail. The defenders would continue diamonds and then simply hold up the trump ace until the third round to play more diamonds. Fortunately for declarer, the trumps did behave. Also fortunately for declarer, defender East misbehaved.

East won the opening diamond lead and continued the suit. South ruffed and knocked out the ace of spades. West returned a heart and the king was taken by East's ace. Finally came the play of the singleton club. Declarer won the club, drew trumps and took the rest of the tricks. Making four.

East need only look at his own cards to know that there is little chance to set four spades unless his partner has either a club trick or a high spade. Despite the possibility that the second diamond may cash, the right defense for East is to play back his singleton at the second trick. That thwarts declarer's chances. West will get in with the ace of spades and give East a ruff, and the contract will be set.

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

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# Murdoch's purchase would add TV guide to his empire

NEW YORK (AP) — Rupert Murdoch has agreed to buy Triangle Publications Inc. for \$3 billion in one of the most expensive media deals ever and one that would add TV Guide, the nation's largest-selling weekly magazine, to his empire.

The purchase of the privately-held company from Walter Annenberg includes two other publications: the Daily Racing Form and Seventeen magazine, Murdoch said Sunday.

"These publications are the most valuable and prized publishing properties in the world," Murdoch said in a statement announcing the purchase by his News Corp.

The purchase of TV Guide raises anti-trust questions because of Murdoch's ownership of the Fox Television Network, said Andrew J. Schwartzman, ex-

ecutive director of the Media Access Project, a Washington, D.C.-based public interest telecommunications firm.

But a spokesman for Murdoch said TV Guide would be run separately from Murdoch's other holdings, which include newspapers and magazines on four continents.

Murdoch began negotiating with the 80-year-old Annenberg for Triangle a month ago.

"They (the Triangle publications) have been developed brilliantly by Ambassador Annenberg and we plan to make them the cornerstone of a great American publishing company," Murdoch said.

Annenberg, chairman of Triangle, said in a statement: "I am very happy that my publications are passing to Mr. Murdoch's company. I now plan to

devote the rest of my life to education and philanthropy."

His past philanthropies include the establishment of the Annenberg School of Communications at the University of Pennsylvania, to which he has given one-third of Triangle's stock over the years.

Murdoch and Annenberg were in Los Angeles and would have no further comment, said Murdoch spokesman Howard Rubenstein. The spokesman declined to say who initiated the talks for the sale, which is contingent upon signing of a final contract.

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  - Cone-bearing shrub
  - Letters of alphabet
  - Cavity
  - Measure of land
  - Of sketches
  - Baseballer
  - Hodges
  - Most withered
  - Greek epic poem
  - Chemical suffix
  - Shrewd
  - IOU's
  - Turk
  - Himalayan monkshood
  - Lay
  - Entertainer
  - Sumac
  - Quixote
  - Yoko
  - "A"
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  - Man's title

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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- Injures
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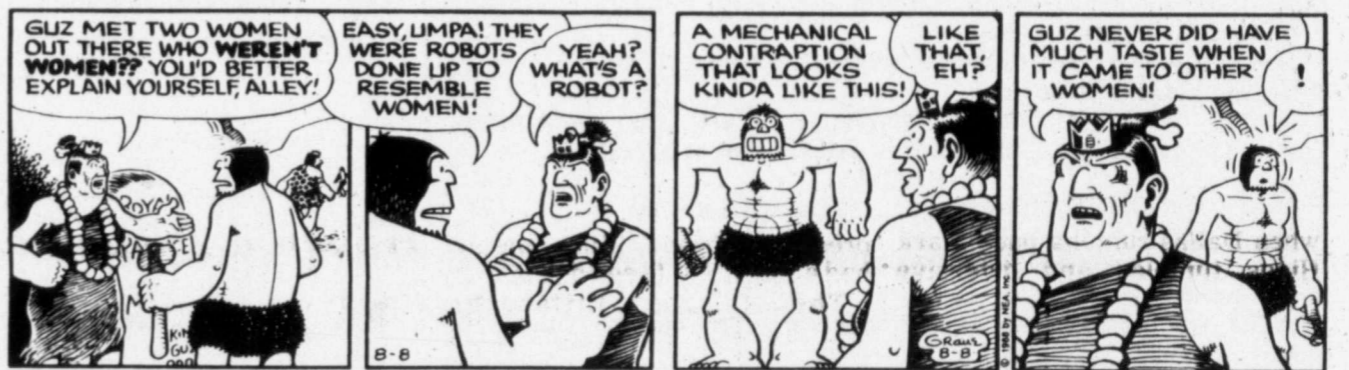
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Commissioners set public hearing date

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House damaged in accident

A Snyder man was injured in a chain-reaction accident that involved a street sign, a concrete fence and a house at 5:12 a.m. Sunday in the 2900 Block of Ave. F.

Jesse Oliva of Box 49 was driving a 1980 Chevrolet Camaro that collided with a city stop sign, a concrete fence owned by Frank Martinez and a house owned by James Halbert at 2907 F, causing an undetermined amount of damage, police said.

He was taken to Cogdell Memorial Hospital by Snyder EMS Ambulance Service and was released Sunday morning, after which he was arrested for DWI and carrying a prohibited weapon, num-chucks.

His car had had to be towed from the scene of the accident.

Criminal mischief case investigated

Police are investigating a criminal mischief incident at the Boy Scout Hut in central Snyder.

David Wagner told police at 6:45 p.m. Saturday that the building had been broken into and vandalized.

An officer said the incident would be investigated as a criminal mischief case because nothing was discovered missing.

Energy companies buying reserves

HOUSTON (AP) — Oil and gas reserves are being gobbled up by companies that believe they are a better buy and long-term investment than drilling for new discoveries.

Although new oil and gas discoveries have dwindled because of high finding costs, there is no shortage of reserves for sale.

"There are more reserves on the market now than there have ever been," said Houston consultant Bill Strevig. "As an informed guess, I'd say there is double what there was a year or two ago."

There also are more sellers than buyers in the market, he said.

ADMISSIONS: A.C. Floyd, 2907 Ave. U; Lois Moore, 301 35th; Sandra Powell, 106 33rd; Michelle Vest, Colorado City; Yasmeen Saleem, P.O. Box 44.

DISMISSALS: Dale Sullenger, Alicia Ibarra and baby, Teresa Nolan and baby.

Snyder again hosts AJRA

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Rick Chatman, Leon Coffee and Tom Feller. This is the fifth year for the professional rodeo team to work the AJRA. Chatman has worked the AJRA for 13 years, and Feller last year was named the top pro rodeo clown.

Snyder's Cindy Nix will open the show Tuesday night with the singing of the National Anthem. Special entertainment includes different acts each night. Ramon Bacerro will appear with six specially trained horses.

There will be disco dances Monday through Saturday night. Thursday night is AJRA party night for members only. Hi-Fi Mobile Music Service of Lubbock will provide the music. Also videos will be shown on screen during dances this year.

At 3 p.m. Wednesday there will be a special meeting of the Cowboy's Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

T-N-T Rodeo Co. of Anson, owned by Mitch and Mark Terrell, are the stock producers for the 1988 rodeo.

National Sponsors for the 1988 national finals are Wrangler, Barq's Root Beer, Wall's Industries and Phillips 66.

Scurry County commissioners Monday set Monday, Aug. 15, for a public hearing on the new county budget, which entails no tax increase and an overall decrease in expenditures of more than \$500,000 from this year to 1989.

The hearing will be at 5:15 p.m. In the absence of County Judge Bobby Goodwin, who was attending a tour of Cogdell Memorial Hospital with medical officials of the Texas Department of Corrections, the commissioners postponed a scheduled presentation of an outside audit of the hospital by local CPA Jerry Vestal.

They said the calendar 1989 budget is smaller than 1988's, \$10,245,000 to \$10,732,000, because of expenditures this year on the Winston Field airport renovation and because of numerous small reductions throughout the budget.

The county was required to pay for 10 percent of the \$2 million project. County ad valorem taxes will continue to be assessed at 29.66 cents per \$100 in valuation but would have had to be raised if not for the \$357,000 in revenues that the new half-cent county sales tax is expected to generate this year, County Auditor Bernhard Bartels said.

Bartels said the overall tax base valuation has dropped from \$1.053 billion this year to \$946.5 million for next year.

Disturbance call ends in 5 arrests

Police arrested five men following a disturbance early Sunday at the Latin American Center on 13th St. in northern Snyder.

A woman called from the community gathering hall at 12:28 a.m. Sunday to report a disturbance involving several men, after which officers took two 26-year-old men into custody for public intoxication.

Police returned to the center at 1:34 a.m. Sunday to arrest a 47-year-old man for DWI, resisting arrest and criminal mischief for allegedly kicking a car in the parking lot.

A 17-year-old youth and a 28-year-old man were arrested at president of the United States, the same time for PI and died in Washington in 1812. He was 73. Clinton was the first vice president to die while in office.

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Royce Hataway enjoys visiting in West Germany

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many came from reading magazine articles. He said he chose to participate in the exchange program because he wanted to see another part of the world. It was his first trip outside the U. S. except for trips to Mexico.

Gossheger is also visiting the U. S. for the first time. He said he was amazed at how hot it is here and how spread out everything is. His home town is the same size as Snyder but 40,000 people live there.

He speaks English fluently and has been studying it for the past eight years.

Sights that Gossheger and his host family will visit include the upcoming AJRA National Finals rodeo, Six Flags, Wet and Wild and possibly "Texas" in Palo Duro Canyon.

Gossheger has one brother who is 12. His father is the president of a savings bank and his mother is a homemaker.

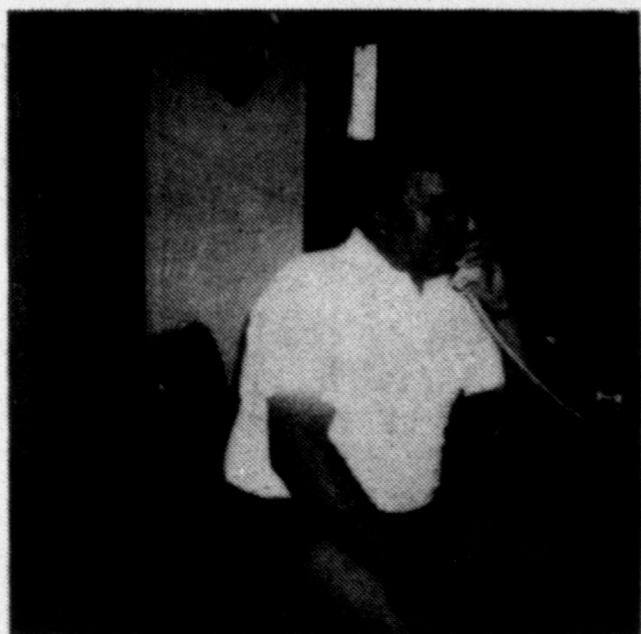
He said he chose the U. S. because the American culture influences other countries and he wanted to experience it first hand in order to see the "pure culture."

Births

Azhar and Yasmeen Saleem are the parents of a baby boy weighing 7 pounds, 12 1/2 ounces born at 1:05 p.m. Saturday in Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

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# Asian farm sales expected to rise \$2 billion

WASHINGTON (AP) — U.S. farm sales to East Asia are expected to rise by \$2 billion this fiscal year, according to the latest forecast from the Department of Agriculture.

The increase, which should bring agricultural sales to East Asia to \$10 billion or \$11 billion a year, will come during an overall expansion of farm exports to the Pacific Rim, USDA says.

It says farm exports to Canada also are likely to increase and cites the lower dollar as one major reason.

Pacific Rim sales probably will account for nearly one-third of total U.S. agricultural exports this fiscal year, according to a department report.

Farm production declined in most of the Pacific Rim last year, the report said.

In East Asia, it said, rice consumption is down, in part because of urban growth and a stronger economy. But at the same time, wheat consumption is on the upswing, both because of changed eating habits and increased use of wheat as feed for livestock.

Similarly, East Asia's coarse grain consumption is expected to increase 6 percent because of large livestock inventories, strong industrial use and eased South Korean quotas.

Drought plaguing the Farm Belt remains an uncertainty, the report said. It said the heat and lack of grain should reduce soybean production, but it also said long-term prospects for soybean exports to East Asia appear promising.

Fast-food restaurants and higher incomes are expected to increase East Asian consumption of meat over the long term but higher livestock feed costs and lower meat production prices mean growth of production should be slow this year, the report said.

It said the key to U.S. access to the market depends on East Asian access to the American textile and clothing markets.

Easing of Japanese restrictions on beef imports also is expected to spur consumer de-

mand, according to the analysis.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Agriculture Department is continuing to open emergency programs to additional farmers as drought spreads.

## Big cars have fewer accident claims

WASHINGTON (AP) — The owners of 1988 passenger vans and large sedans are likely to have fewer damage claims and lower repair bills, while those who own sports cars and some compact cars may not be as lucky, according to an insurance industry report.

The study by the Highway Loss Data Institute, an insurance research group, examined both the frequency of insurance collision claims and the average amount of the claim for 60 new cars that had repairs paid through insurance policies during the first nine months of the 1988 model year.

## Equality closer but society still racist

NEW YORK (AP) — Americans believe the United States has moved toward racial equality during the past quarter century, but a majority say society remains racist overall, a Media General-Associated Press poll has found.

Twenty-five years after the Rev. Martin Luther King Jr. declared his dream of equal opportunity, more than eight in 10 respondents in the poll said the goal is closer and seven in 10 said it is attainable.

But while 54 percent said blacks and other minorities have the same opportunities as whites in the United States, a sizable 42 percent of all respondents, including 69 percent of blacks, disagreed.

There were other measures of concern over inequality found by the national survey of 1,223 adults. Among them:

—Respondents were evenly divided on whether minorities

Maryland and West Virginia are the latest states declared eligible for Farmers Home Administration emergency loans because of drought-related crop losses.

The order from Agriculture

Secretary Richard E. Lyng applied to all 23 counties in Maryland and all 55 counties in West Virginia.

To be eligible farmers must have crop insurance if available to offset crop losses, USDA said.

They also must be able to repay the loan and any other loans they have outstanding and be unable to obtain credit elsewhere, the statement said. It said adequate security would be required.

Designation of Maryland and

West Virginia brought the number of entire states eligible to eight. The others are Alabama, Arkansas, Missouri, Ohio, Wisconsin and Delaware.

"This disaster designation only makes FmHA emergency loans available in the affected counties and does not ensure family farmers eligibility for such loans," Lyng said in letters to governors of the states.

Thus far, USDA has approved hay cutting and grazing on Acreage Conservation Reserve and Conservation Use Acreage as well as hay cutting on sound-alike but separate Conservation Reserve Program land in 2,184 counties in 42 states, the department said Friday.

It said hay cutting on Water Bank Program lands has been approved in 191 counties in 11 states. Livestock feed aid programs have been approved for 1,600 counties in 37 states, the department said.

It said a program under which farmers get 92 percent of their payments while producing no crop have been authorized for 107 counties in 21 states.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of Agriculture Richard E. Lyng has named William C. Bailey deputy undersecretary of agriculture for international affairs and community programs.

Deputy Undersecretary Richard W. Goldberg remains acting undersecretary, Lyng said in a statement released by the department. It said the Bailey appointment becomes effective today.

Bailey will share responsibility for the department's Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, which has operations in 2,000 counties across the country, the department said.

It said he also will have responsibility for an array of overseas programs.

Bailey, a native of Jacksonville, Ill., has been deputy administrator for program planning and development in the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service since 1985.

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repair bill for the 60 cars was \$1,921. The average number of claims filed was 11.1 per 100 insured vehicles.

It singled out the Chevrolet Astro van as having the lowest average loss payment per claim, 60 percent lower than average for all passenger vehicles examined. The Jaguar XJ6 had the highest, 83 percent higher than average for all cars, while the Mazda MX-6 and the Ford Mustang also had average repair costs per claim that were at least 50 percent higher than average.

The study said the passenger

vehicles with "substantially better than average" results in both frequency of claims and average cost of repairs also were vans — the Plymouth Grand Voyager and Dodge Caravan — and two large, 4-door sedans — the Chevrolet Caprice and the Mercury Grand Marquis.

All four of these vehicles had claim frequencies and loss payments at least 30 percent below the average for all cars.

The least number of claims per vehicles on the road involved the 4-door Cadillac DeVille which had 46 percent fewer claims than average for all cars.

admissions to address past inequalities.

Forty-eight percent of blacks were in favor and 44 percent were opposed to preferential treatment in hiring, and they split 44-47 on preference in college admissions. More than 80 percent of whites opposed both.

Despite their sense of racism and discrimination in society, 94 percent of the blacks said they had close friends who are white. A smaller share of whites, 67 percent, said they had close friends who are black.

The Media General-AP poll consisted of telephone interviews June 22-July 2 with a randomly selected sample of adults across the nation, and had a margin of error of plus or minus 3 percentage points.

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and confidence of the people. They will be happy to counsel with anyone at anytime concerning their present or future needs. Give them a call at 573-5251 or go by and visit with them at Hillside Memorial Gardens and Monument Works on the Colorado City Highway.

## Church of God abandons guidelines

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — Delegates to the Church of God General Assembly convention, which wraps up today, voted to replace old holiness standards that have been in place for a century with more generalized lifestyle guidelines.

The new version of the Practical Commitments of the Church of God was approved Sunday without debate during the final business sessions of the national convention meeting at the Fort Worth-Tarrant County Convention Center.

However, emotional debate did

occur before the church's general council, comprised of ordained ministers, voted to approve the more relaxed code. While many believe the change was needed to bring the denomination into the 20th century, others say church leaders are abandoning fundamental beliefs.

"The fact that this is a sensitive issue creates the feeling among some people that the church is deviating from its former stand on holiness, but it is my perception that this is not the case," said the Rev. M.L. Badenhorst.

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