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For probation department...

County seeks firm price for downtown building

By Joyce May
SDN Staff Writer

A revised proposal that would provide new quarters for the Scurry County probation department was greeted with more enthusiasm this morning, but Scurry County Commissioners Court must still give final approval and asked for more information.

The Community Supervision and Corrections Department again presented a proposal to the commissioners court to purchase a new building for the department, but at a lower cost to the county — around $25,000 instead of $50,000.

Sy Tabor, CSCD director, approached the board Aug. 23 with a proposition for the county to purchase a building at 2511 College Avenue (formerly Don's Surplus) with a proposal that would cost the county an estimated investment of $50,000.

The plan called for the department to pay $850 a month rent to the county, which Tabor projected would return the county's investment in approximately five years.

The court, on a 3-2 vote, rejected that proposal, offering instead the possibility of the probation department moving to the upper floor of the county-owned Diamond M building.

That would require, however, the renovation of the building's elevator.

At the Aug. 23 meeting, Precinct 1 Commissioner Ralph Trevey suggested the probation department purchase the new elevator.

District Judge Ernie Armstrong, who accompanied Tabor to this morning's meeting, said the state would not allow the CSCD funds to be used.

Armstrong said that unless the county is willing to put in the elevator, that eliminates the option of moving the probation department to the Diamond M building.

The department's new proposal calls for the county only to purchase the new building, not fund any renovations.

The probation department would cover all renovations and make every effort to make the building energy efficient.

Rent would be paid to the county for use of the building and would still return the county's investment within a five-year period.

The move would allow the department to hire two new employees.

No action was taken, but the court directed Tabor to contact the owner of the building and get a firm price to present for the court's approval.

In other business, commissioner approved, without comment, the resignation of J.B. Tate Jr. from the Cogdell Memorial Hospital board.

Tate's term would expire in December. The court will have to decide whether to fill the term now or wait until January when appointments are traditionally made.

The court also approved deeding a 1.5 acre tract along Apple and West 37th Street to the City of Snyder.

Commissioners also signed two separate proclamations declaring October as Breast Cancer Awareness Month and Domestic Violence Awareness Month.

Commissioners also agreed to participate in the State Travel Management Program (STMP) for a one-year period.

At the end of that period, the court will evaluate the program to see if the county has at least recouped a $400 participation fee. The fee covers administrative costs for the program.

The court also gave the green light to go out for bids for two sheriff's cars. The vehicles were included in the 2000 budget.

Although it was not an action item, the court also agreed to look into the county's insurance plan and to investigate other plans for potential savings.

One line-item transfer was approved for Precinct 1. Transferred was $15,212 from road material and construction into lines for fuel, oil and grease, repairs and equipment.

The bills were also accepted for payment.

Scurry County Judge Ricky Fritz presided and all commissioners were present to include Trevey, Roy Idom, Howard Limmer and Chloanne Lindsey.



BUSTER VISITS FESTIVAL — Bailey Minor, daughter of Jeff and Kim Minor, enjoyed petting Buster at the White Buffalo Festival Saturday at the coliseum. Highlight of the young and old, Buster belongs to Had Nuttin Cattle Co. owned by Kelly Lambert of Hawley. (Staff Photo by Jo Ann Nunley)

Recent surgery doesn't keep Ginsburg from court session

WASHINGTON (AP) — Seventeen days after undergoing surgery for colon cancer, Supreme Court Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg was on the bench today as the nation's highest court opened its 1999-2000 term.

Ginsburg, looking slightly thinner and paler than usual, smiled broadly as she took her place at the end of the bench. Before taking her seat, she smiled at her husband, Martin, and two grown children, James and Jane, who were in the courtroom.

She asked 12 questions of lawyers arguing the first of two cases heard by the court today.

Issuing a flurry of orders on opening day, the court:

—Turned away arguments that Mumia Abu-Jamal, a former radio reported sentenced to death for the 1981 killing of a Philadelphia policeman, was denied a fair trial. However, there is little likelihood he will be executed soon.

—Let Knox County, Tenn., school officials require drug testing of everyone offered a teaching job. Without comment the court rejected a teachers group's argument that such tests are unconstitutional if officials do not suspect the tested individual of using drugs.

—Turned away challenges to Arizona's program allowing up to $500 in tax credits for contributions for scholarships at religious and other private schools. Justices refused to review a state court decision that the credits do not violate the Constitution's requirement for separation of church and state.

—Left standing a ruling that participation by Michael Montalvo, a Colonial Heights, Va., 12-year-old with AIDS, in a rough-and-tumble karate school would pose too much of a threat to the health and safety of other students.

As is court custom, Chief Justice William H. Rehnquist made no mention of Ginsburg's recent illness as he declared the new term open.

Part of Ginsburg's colon was removed during her surgery on Sept. 17, but last week court spokeswoman Kathy Arberg said doctors found that the cancer had not spread to any lymph nodes.

Ginsburg, 66, fell ill this summer while teaching in Crete.

Alleged assault by two juveniles

A report of aggravated assault that allegedly occurred at the coliseum over the weekend has been forwarded to the district attorney's office.

The case involves two juvenile suspects, ages 11 and 12, who reportedly threatened three other juveniles with a knife.

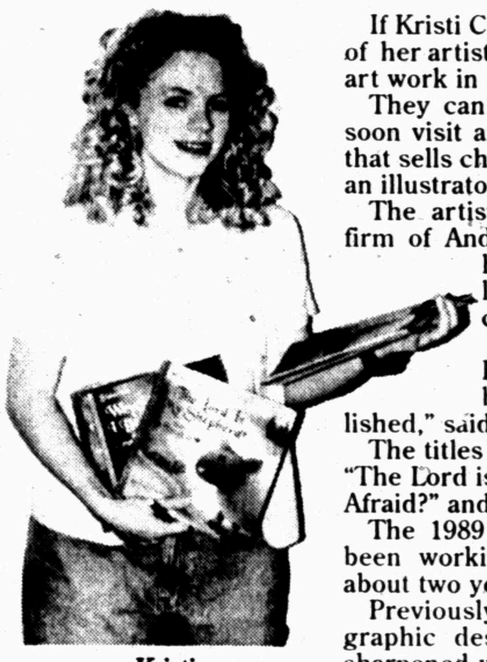
Two of the victims were 11 and the third was 12.

The incident was reported at 6:45 p.m. Saturday.



Ira graduate illustrates children's books

By Wade Warren
SDN Managing Editor



Kristi Carter

If Kristi Carter's family wants to be reminded of her artistic talents, they can look beyond the art work in their homes.

They can go to The Rest Stop locally, and soon visit any Walden Bookstore or Wal-Mart that sells children's Golden Books as Christy is an illustrator for books with a Biblical theme.

The artist works for the Nashville, Tenn., firm of Anderson Thomas Design, and when her boss decided to adapt some Biblical texts into children's books, he chose Kristi to do the illustrations.

"It was an interesting project and I believe they are the only religious books Golden Books have published," said Kristi.

The titles of the books are "God Knows Me," "The Lord is My Shepherd," "Why Should I Be Afraid?" and "The Greatest Name on Earth."

The 1989 graduate of Ira High School has been working for her present company for about two years.

Previously, she had worked free-lance in graphic design, using her talents she had sharpened while taking art classes at Western Texas College under the direction of John Gibson and Ty Brunson.

She graduated from Texas Tech in 1995 as a graphic design major.

"I wanted to see a little bit different part of the country so I ended up in Nashville," said Kristi. "I do miss the Texas sky, but I don't miss the sandstorms."

When she first arrived in Nashville, she worked for an interior designer who did mural work and faux finishes in "some really nice homes."

"We did all sorts of texturing of walls and mostly in children's rooms.

"We even did some 10-foot murals in some of the homes," she added.

And that is how she met her future husband, Jay Smith – also an illustrator in Nashville.

"We worked on his home so I guess you can say I'm marrying my ex-boss," laughed Kristi. Kristi is getting married in about a month and that is another entirely different story for the Carter family.

"We're going to have three weddings in five months," said Carolyn Carter, Kristi's mother. "Kristi's twin sister, Kerri, is getting married in December and her brother, Philip, in February."

Kristi said she and Anderson have other books in the works, but doubts her mother will have time to look at them any time soon.

"I think she has her hands full with weddings right now," laughed Kristi.

Water line bids top city council agenda

Water line replacement projects will dominate the attention of Snyder City Council members when they convene at 6:30 p.m. today at city hall.

Bids were received last month for replacement of lines as part of the 1999-2000 water system upgrade. Most of the work is scheduled for the eastern sections of the city and will be boosted by a $250,000 grant which was awarded last month. The project funded by the grant will be awarded at a later date.

The projects are expected to improve the delivery and quality of water to that section of the city, as well as to Northeast Elementary where the city has been furnishing bottled water for more than two years.

Terry Bilderback, engineer with Parkhill, Smith and Cooper Inc. of Lubbock. will be present to review both contract and in-house water line replacement projects.

Related to the grant, the council will be asked to approve a grant management services contract with Gary R. Traylor and Associates Inc.

Also on the agenda is adoption of an utility ordinance for the fiscal year that began Oct. 1. The ordinance reflects no changes in rates, except for a deposit at the landfill and an exception for deposit of special compacted containers at the landfill.

Other agenda items include development of strategy for construction of new cells at the landfill and appointment of a Snyder representative to the Permian Basin Airport Board.

Also under new business is the council's review of goals and objectives for the coming year as well as review of the quarterly investment report.

Informational items ready for the council includes the review of the proposed location for a new U.S. Postal facility. The location being considered is just to the east of the present post office at the former site of the old Snyder National Bank drive-in facility.

Carolyn House will also update the council on the city's Y2K compliance.

ASK US

Q. – Whose decision was it to move White Buffalo Days from downtown?

A. – It was the White Buffalo Festival planning committee.

FORECAST - ALMANAC

Snyder Temps: High Saturday, 74 degrees; low, 52; high Sunday, 88; low, 50; 7 a.m. Monday, 50; no precipitation; total for 1999, 21.14 inches.

Area Forecast: Tonight, partly cloudy. Low near 50. SE wind 5-15 mph. Tuesday, sunny, warmer. High, mid 80s. S-SW wind, gusty.



Leslie Johnston
Sunny & Warmer

Sunset:
7:25 p.m.
Sunrise:
7:40 a.m.
Of 276 days in 1999, the sun has shone 269 days in Snyder.

TODAY'S THOUGHT

To accomplish great things, we must not only act, but also dream; not only plan, but also believe.
—Anatole France

Weather might trim pumpkin crop in Texas

AUSTIN (AP) — Call it Mother Nature's idea of trick or treat.

Blaming the dry, hot summer weather, Texas Agriculture Commissioner Susan Combs says the state's pumpkin crop could be smaller than normal.

Production estimates are down 25 percent to 30 percent in some Texas fields, and some fields that were planted early had to be replanted because of hail and wind damage. Those may be late in maturing, with pumpkins not reaching full color.

About 95 percent of the state's pumpkin crop is sold for jack-o'-lanterns and other Halloween decorations. The best jack-o'-lantern pumpkins weigh between 15 pounds and 30 pounds, have bright orange rinds and well-defined ribbing.

Sugar pumpkins, weighing two to five pounds with sweeter and more tender meat, are favored by consumers for pumpkin pies, the state Agriculture Department said.

The agency said pumpkin pie lovers also might want to try a white pumpkin, which has a pale orange interior and is more flavorful and less stringy than traditional orange varieties. Those can be found at farmers' markets and garden centers.

"Texas pumpkins are a sure sign fall has arrived," Ms. Combs said last week. "But to make sure this year is a 'treat' instead of a 'trick,' be sure to shop early to get your pick of the harvest."

Prayers sought for crops

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — Ohio's Catholic bishops, noting the beating that farmers have been taking from the weather and low commodity prices, issued a plea for prayer and promised increased lobbying on behalf of the state's rural communities.

"In these perilous times, we encourage ongoing public support for the hardworking and caring individuals who derive their income from the land," the bishop's wrote in a letter sent to parish leaders last week.

A report last year raised the bishops' concerns about the growing concentration and industrialization of agriculture in Ohio.

Shhh! Parents muzzled at girls' soccer game

CLEVELAND (AP) — Lollipops were clamped to jaws. Goals were met with wide smiles and nods of approval. Duct tape even adorned some mouths.

The soccer sidelines were mostly silent Sunday as thousands of parents and coaches in the 217-team Northern Ohio Girls Soccer League obeyed a one-day noise ban.

Fed up with boisterous know-it-all coaches and parents, the league banned cheering and jeering from the sidelines during dozens of games.

Except for an occasional spontaneous cheer or clap, most parents kept quiet. Some let their homemade signs encourage the players. The only roar came from parents watching nearby boys soccer games.

"It put things into perspective for a lot of people who thought they weren't being that loud. They saw how loud they were," said Tammy Soper, who coached two games Sunday.

Only the players were allowed to encourage each other vocally. Mostly, the overwhelming sound was the whack of leather on leather as the girls' soccer cleats collided with white-and-black balls.

"The kids had a ball. They were able to make decisions on their own without being questioned or yelled at," said Carl Pavlovich, a coach and board member for the league

The ban apparently was a national first, said Fred Engh, president of the National Alliance for Youth Sports. And he loved it.

"Parents have lost perspective of what youth sports are all about," he said last week. "This is a wake-up call, a giant time-out for adults."

Rowdy parents have long disrupted Little League games and frustrated young soccer players.

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California school children ask 'Who is George Bush'

BAKERSFIELD, Calif. (AP) — It started with a single voice echoing off the cement courtyard, then swelled to a chorus of first-graders repeating the same question. "Who is George Bush?"

Queued in a wiggly line, the College Heights Elementary School students were curious about George — the campaigning Texan whose visit had prompted an extra recess.

"Who is George Bush?" the giggling children chanted in singsong voices. "Who is George Bush?"

It is a question their elders soon may need answered about the man far ahead of the field for the Republican presidential nomination, and leading the polls for the White House election 13 months away.

Bush himself appears in no hurry to fill in the blanks.

Pressed on policy, the two-term governor says he will provide answers on his own timetable. He has dealt with education and defense plans in a Bush administration. Taxes and other installments to come, he says, and abruptly refuses to talk about them yet.

He is a likable, playful, funny man with a knack for putting people at ease in social settings, though he can be abrupt when the occasion is more serious.

He says he is a humble man. "If the people don't want me to be president, so be it," he says, with variations, when asked about his prospects. But there also is a Texas swagger in his style.

"I'm doing pretty well," he grinned to reporters in San Jose, Calif., of the record $56 million his campaign has raised this year. No gloating; no need — the numbers are there.

Bush, no ornate orator, is at his campaign best with small groups of voters and their families. He likes to gently rib people, making them feel they are in on the joke.

At a Grand Rapids, Mich., school, he asked for a show of hands among third-graders: How many good readers?

All 25 raise their hands. "Tell the truth!" Bush chides, drawing guilty giggles from the children.

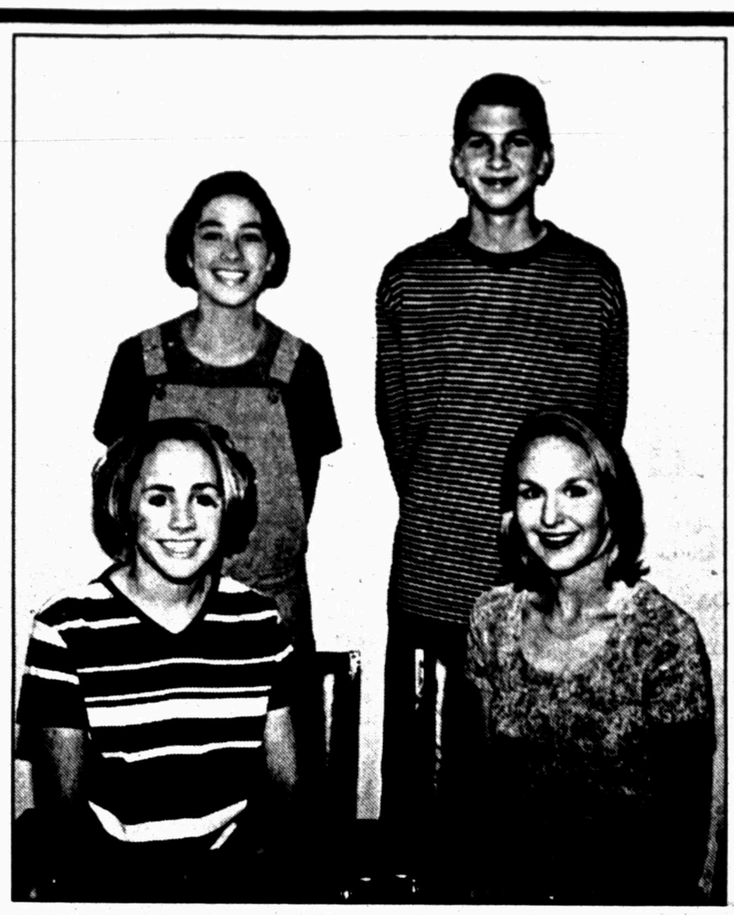
When situations get more serious, so does Bush.

His eyes were moist with tears as he left a campaign tour in Michigan to return to the site of the Sept. 15 shootings at a Fort Worth, Texas, church. And he sometimes speaks emotionally about his father, especially when it comes to his 1992 loss to President Clinton.

It was a "death by a thousand cuts," says Bush, who was an adviser to his father in 1992.

That campaign left the younger Bush with his own scars. When a questioning reporte interrupts a monologue, Bush often counters with a dagger stare and a snap. "Ah, ah," he'll say, and insisting on finishing.

When the questions are repeated attempts to get at something he does not want to address, he shuts them down. "I gave you my answer," he snaps.



SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS — Snyder High School sophomores elected 1999-2000 class officers. Seated from left are Bailey Stoker, president; Andra Lancaster, vice president; and standing, Morgan Miller, secretary; and Jay Scott, treasurer. (Staff Photo by Jo Ann Nunley)

Residents criticize cleanup

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Chemicals have tainted a shallow aquifer at Kelly Air Force Base and under nearby homes, with military officials planning to pump out the comtaminants from wells in a multimillion-dollar cleanup.

But, because contaminated water under 18 nearby blocks of the neighborhood would remain, some residents say the cleanup plan is unacceptable and that they want the contaminated water beneath their homes removed immediately.

"The minorities in this low-income neighborhood should not have to shoulder 25 more years of contamination," Armando Quintanilla, a retired Kelly employee whose house lies over the contaminated water, told the San Antonio Express-News.

Seven wells are proposed on the air base's southeastern boundary to pump out chemicals that have fouled the aquifer 10-35 feet below ground.

Astro-graph

By Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

Tuesday, Oct. 5, 1999

Some type of idea you've had in the back of your head or a secondary interest can be successfully brought to the marketplace in the year ahead. Act on events as things open up for you.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Shifting conditions that were beyond your control could work out to your ultimate benefit today, so don't let yesterday's rumbles disturb you. Put them out of your mind and get on with life. Trying to patch up a broken romance? The Astro-Graph Matchmaker can help you understand what to do to make the relationship work. Mail $2.75 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 1758, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10156.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Put improving relationships above your other activities today and you'll do well in all your endeavors, be they social, material or work related. A strong friendship could develop.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Zero in on truly meaningful objectives today and play to win. Ironically, the larger your involvement or the bigger the issue, the better you'll do at things.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Provided they are not solely of a financial or commercial nature, competitive involvements could be your cup of tea today. Occupy your time in areas that's for the good of all.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Don't discount sound suggestions on ways to make or save you money just because they come from familiar people or relatives you take for granted. They could come up with a few gems.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Something of mutual benefit could result today from socializing with persons who are in your field of endeavor, but you need to be a better listener than a talker.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) It's a much better day than yesterday, so take advantage of it by trying to do something positive to improve your earning power. Much can be accomplished at this time.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Even though the times might be better than usual for advancing activities that have pronounced elements of chance, be sure to take your gambles only on that which you know something about.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Situations that you already have going for you can be improved immensely today if you move along constructive and positive lines. You can undoubtedly make the good better.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Take time today to analyze your involvements for more potential benefits, because conditions are much better at this time than they have been for awhile. A reward could be yours by day's end.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Don't sit on any bright ideas you get today to enhance or further your ambitions. Act on them now, because the aspects are especially lucky for developing new way of thinking.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Be certain you want for others that which you want for yourself. You could be extremely fortunate today with involvements you have with either collective or one-on-one endeavors.

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Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren



Sense of Humor Is Best Defense Against Judgmental Strangers

by Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: I felt compelled to write and offer my advice to "Sweet 16 in Seattle," who is often mistaken to be her baby brother's teenage mother.

When I was 16, my mother had my little brother and shortly after, was diagnosed with breast cancer and had a mastectomy. I happily carried my brother because my mother physically could not. I heard the "tut-tuts" from people in public, was stared at endlessly in restaurants and had people refuse to serve me in stores.

My advice to "Sweet 16" is to hold your head high. You have done nothing wrong — you do not owe anyone an explanation.

Second, and more important, take a lesson from it: Do not judge people or situations from what they "seem" to be on the outside. There are always two sides to a story.

And last, don't let it bother you so much. Enjoy your brother as much as I did mine. Seven years later we still have a special bond that I would not trade for anything — not even the approval of an often-too-quick-to-judge public.

PROUD SISTER IN NEW JERSEY

DEAR PROUD SISTER: That's sage advice. I hope "Sweet 16" reads and heeds it. Read on:

DEAR ABBY: I was about 13 during the mid-'50s in San Diego — pushing my infant twin nieces around a department store while my 27-year-old sister was upstairs paying a bill. A woman stopped me and began asking me about the twins. How old? Boys or girls? About the time she got around to "Are they yours?" my sister emerged from the elevator behind me and said, "Yes. And I'm their grandmother!"

I still remember the expression on the woman's face. She never said another word as we went about our business.

I thought "Sweet 16" might get a laugh out of the story, just as I still do.

BEEN THERE
IN APPLE VALLEY, CALIF.

DEAR BEEN THERE: I'm sure she will relate to it — as will many others. Read on:

DEAR ABBY: I am now 21, but I used to baby-sit often. If I took the kids to carnivals, libraries, etc., I would be subjected to those same stares and whispers. I talked to some of the parents, and they surprised me with an adorable T-shirt that said, "Best Baby Sitter." It had the kids' handprints and names on it. Maybe "Sweet 16" could wear one that says, "No. 1 Sister," or have one made for the baby that says, "He's not heavy, he's my brother."

Anything cute would help relieve the situation, although nothing will eliminate all the stares or change the minds of some people.

**BEEN THERE, TRY THIS,
GOLDEN VALLEY, MINN.**

DEAR TRY THIS: Good suggestions, and I agree with your conclusion. Read on:

DEAR ABBY: "Sweet 16's" dilemma is not a new one. As a 14-year-old back in 1944, I often cared for a neighbor's infant. One brisk winter day I bundled both of us up and took her out in her buggy. A woman I had never seen before stopped us and lectured me about having a baby when I was so young. When she finally stopped for breath, I managed to tell her I was the baby sitter, not the mother. She "humphed" several times and left without apologizing.

The only way to handle things like this is with a sense of humor. Maybe the 16-year-old and her 13-year-old sister could get T-shirts that say, "I am my brother's keeper."

JOAN IN FRESNO, CALIF.

DEAR JOAN: That's a terrific idea. And just what the Good Book preaches. After all, in a sense, we are all our brother's keepers.

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1 in 6 lack health insurance in U.S.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Some 44.3 million Americans, one in six, had no health insurance coverage in 1998, about the same proportion as a year earlier, the Census Bureau reported today.

The survey found that the number of people without coverage grew by nearly a million, but overall population growth kept the rate about steady — 16.3 percent in 1998, compared with 16.1 percent in 1997. In 1996, 15.6 percent lacked coverage.

"Those more likely to lack health insurance continue to include young adults in the 18- to 24-year-old age group, people with lower levels of education, people of Hispanic origin, those who work part time and people born in another country," said Jennifer Campbell, author of the Census report.

She said health care coverage among children did not change significantly from 1997 to 1998, with 11.1 million, or 15.4 percent, of the under-18 population uninsured. Children aged 12 to 17 were slightly more likely to be without health care coverage than those under 12 — 16.0 percent, compared with 15.1 percent.

"Lack of health care coverage has reached epic proportions," contended Ron Pollock, executive director of the advocacy group Families USA. "With this new Census Bureau report, it is now imperative that all candidates for public office come up with specific proposals to address the growing national problem."

Jobs are the most common source of health insurance, with 70.2 percent of Americans covered by a private insurance plan provided either through the employer or union. Nonetheless, nearly half — 47.5 percent — of low-paid, full-time workers lacked health insurance in 1998.

The other major source of health coverage was the government through Medicare (13.2 percent of the population), Medicaid (10.3 percent) and military health care (3.2 percent). Many people carried coverage from more than one plan.

While Medicaid covered 14 million poor people, about one-third of all poor people, 11.2 million, had no health insurance.

Not surprisingly, higher-income Americans were most likely to have coverage. Only 8.3 percent of people in households with annual income of $75,000 or more lacked insurance.

Honor roll correction

Lupe Zunita's name was inadvertently omitted from the A-B honor roll at Northeast Elementary.



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SPORTS

'boys top Cardinals, now 3-0

IRVING (AP) — When the Dallas Cowboys were knocked out of the playoffs by the upstart Arizona Cardinals last season, they thought it was the worst thing that could've happened to them.

It may turn out to be the best.

Having addressed the weaknesses exposed by the Cardinals in January, the Cowboys are off to their best start since 1995. Dallas improved to 3-0 Sunday by beating Arizona 35-7.

"I like the look of this team," Cowboys running back Emmitt Smith said. "We've got a lot of guys who make plays."

The contributions came from both sides of the ball, with defensive players scoring the first touchdown and the last one. All were a result of the improvements Dallas made with Arizona (1-3) in mind.

The changes allowed the Cowboys to protect their quarterback while pressuring Cardinals quarterback Jake Plummer. Dallas also was able to stretch the Arizona defense by having Raghib Ismail as a deep threat.

"There was a lot of talk about last year' playoff game and how they came in here and beat us, but that was last year," Cowboys quarterback Troy Aikman said. "This was just a game."

It turned from a game to a rout rather quickly.

Plummer's first pass ricocheted off the hands of receiver Andy McCullough and directly to safety George Teague. He returned the interception 32 yards to put Dallas ahead 7-0 just 92 seconds into the game.

"Getting a big play that early may have sent a little panic to their side," Teague said.

The Cowboys led 21-0 until poor clock management saved enough time for the Cardinals to score 11 seconds before halftime. But Dallas responded by opening the third quarter with a 73-yard that lasted 7:01.

"It was important for us to get something going," Aikman said. "I thought that was the real key in the ballgame."

Whatever hopes Arizona had of a comeback fizzled early in the fourth quarter when Plummer fumbled a snap and Dallas defensive end Greg Ellis returned it 98 yards for a touchdown, setting a team record.

"My first instinct was to fall on the ball," said Ellis, who had an 87-yard interception return for a touchdown in the previous game. "Then I got up and saw it was a long way to run. Somebody said "pitch it back." I guess they figured I wasn't going to make it."

Nine months ago, Arizona had its way with Dallas in a 20-7 victory that many hailed as the dawning of a new era in the NFC East. But the departure of several key players and injuries to several others have made Cardinals woeful again.

"I don't know where the team is right now," defensive lineman Simeon Rice said. "We're trying to be positive, but it's so easy to be negative."

One of their biggest problems is not learning from their mistakes.

Arizona, which had four turnovers in its first three games, had four Sunday.

The Cardinals were shut out in the first quarter for the fourth straight time. This time, they didn't even have a first down on four possessions.

Although Arizona scored its first first-half touchdown, it came after trailing 21-0. The Cardinals trailed 21-0, 6-0 and 17-0 in their previous three games.

"It's hard to come back every week," Plummer said. "You feel pressure to try making something happen."

It would help if he had a rushing game. Arizona ran for just 71 yards, 10 below its average coming in, and Adrian Murrell, a 1,000-yard runner the last three years, had 44 yards — two more than his previous game.

"We don't have the cohesiveness we need," Murrell said. "There's got to be some urgency to get things going."

13 lucky teams still have perfect record

By The Associated Press

A lucky 13 major college teams still have perfect records approaching the midway point of the season. Georgia is fortunate to be among them; Florida, Texas A&M and Purdue are not.

For the second straight week, the 10th-ranked Bulldogs (4-0, 2-0 SEC) escaped with a one-point win when their opponent failed to convert following a touchdown.

On Saturday, the lucky 'Dawgs beat LSU 23-22 after Will Witherspoon batted away Josh Booty's 2-point conversion pass attempt with 18 seconds left. Booty's 39-yard TD pass to Reggie Robinson set up the dramatic finish.

The difference in Georgia's one-point win over Central Florida last week was a failed extra-point attempt.

"I believe we're a team of destiny," Witherspoon said. "And your destiny is what you make of it. We're 4-0, 2-0 in the conference. That's all that matters."

What matters Saturday is to be ready to play at No. 6 Tennessee (3-1, 1-1 SEC), the defending national champions coming off a 24-0 win over Auburn.

Upsets ruled the day as nine of the Top 25 teams lost.

At The Swamp in Gainesville, Fla., No. 12 Alabama (4-1, 3-0 SEC) edged No. 8 Florida 40-39 in overtime as a missed extra point proved costly to the Gators (4-1, 2-1).

At Jones Stadium in Lubbock, Texas Tech stopped No. 13 Texas A&M 21-19 — sealing the win with a late interception.

And in Ann Arbor, No. 3 Michigan (5-0, 2-0 Big Ten) shut down No. 17 Purdue (4-1, 1-1) and Drew Brees for an easier-than expected 38-12 win. Brees' receivers dropped a bunch of passes, and the Heisman Trophy hopeful finished 20-of-49 for 293 yards, with one TD and an interception.

By next Saturday, the number of unbeatens will be reduced by at least one when Michigan visits No. 11 Michigan State.

"We're 5-0 and Michigan is 5-0," tight end Plaxico Burress said after his Spartans routed Iowa 49-3. "Everyone knows they have a great team, and we think we have a pretty good one, too."

The unbeatens are: Florida State, Penn State, Michigan, Nebraska, Virginia Tech, Georgia, Kansas State, Michigan State, Mississippi State, Marshall, East Carolina, Minnesota and Boston College. All are in the Top 25 except Boston College.

Other than Michigan-Michigan State, future games with unbeaten vs. unbeaten potential include: Kansas State at Nebraska on Nov. 13 and the Wolverines-Spartans winner vs. Penn State. Michigan plays the Nittany Lions on Nov. 13; the Spartans on Nov. 20. Long shots are Minnesota at Penn State on Nov. 6; and Boston College at Virginia Tech on Nov. 26.

National Football League

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
New England	4	0	0	1.000	96	77
Miami	2	0	0	1.000	57	37
Buffalo	2	1	0	.667	57	34
Indianapolis	2	1	0	.667	86	64
N.Y. Jets	1	3	0	.250	72	87
Central						
Jacksonville	3	1	0	.750	99	46
Tennessee	3	1	0	.750	104	87
Baltimore	2	2	0	.500	66	73
Pittsburgh	2	2	0	.500	79	66
Cincinnati	0	4	0	.000	55	135
Cleveland	0	4	0	.000	26	105
West						
Seattle	3	1	0	.750	85	72
San Diego	2	1	0	.667	74	48
Kansas City	2	2	0	.500	88	72
Oakland	2	2	0	.500	91	84
Denver	0	4	0	.000	54	98

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Dallas	3	0	0	1.000	100	49
Washington	3	1	0	.750	150	118
N.Y. Giants	2	2	0	.500	68	94
Arizona	1	3	0	.250	58	102
Philadelphia	0	4	0	.000	44	86
Central						
Detroit	2	1	0	.667	72	66
Green Bay	2	1	0	.667	66	67
Chicago	2	2	0	.500	64	65
Minnesota	2	2	0	.500	75	73
Tampa Bay	2	2	0	.500	59	53
West						
St. Louis	3	0	0	1.000	100	27
San Francisco	3	1	0	.750	79	94
New Orleans	1	2	0	.333	50	52
Carolina	1	3	0	.250	93	82
Atlanta	0	4	0	.000	41	95

Sunday's Games

Dallas 35, Arizona 7
Baltimore 19, Atlanta 13, OT
Jacksonville 17, Pittsburgh 3
New England 19, Cleveland 7
Chicago 14, New Orleans 10
New York Giants 16, Philadelphia 15
St. Louis 38, Cincinnati 10
Minnesota 21, Tampa Bay 14
Washington 38, Carolina 36
San Diego 21, Kansas City 14
New York Jets 21, Denver 13
San Francisco 24, Tennessee 22
Seattle 22, Oakland 21
OPEN: Detroit, Green Bay, Indianapolis

Monday's Game

Buffalo at Miami, 9 p.m.

Sunday, Oct. 10

Atlanta at New Orleans, 1 p.m.
Chicago at Minnesota, 1 p.m.
Cincinnati at Cleveland, 1 p.m.
Dallas at Philadelphia, 1 p.m.
New England at Kansas City, 1 p.m.
Pittsburgh at Buffalo, 1 p.m.
San Diego at Detroit, 1 p.m.
San Francisco at St. Louis, 1 p.m.
New York Giants at Arizona, 4:05 p.m.
Baltimore at Tennessee, 4:15 p.m.
Denver at Oakland, 4:15 p.m.
Miami at Indianapolis, 4:15 p.m.
Tampa Bay at Green Bay, 8:20 p.m.
OPEN: Carolina, Seattle, Washington

Monday, Oct. 11

Jacksonville at New York Jets, 9 p.m.

AP Top 25 Teams

By The Associated Press

The Top Twenty Five teams in The Associated Press college football poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through Oct. 2, points based on 25 points for a first place vote through one point for a 25th place vote and previous ranking:

		Record	Pts	Pvs
1.	Florida St. (64)	5-0	1,744	1
2.	Penn St. (5)	5-0	1,672	2
3.	Michigan	5-0	1,606	4
4.	Nebraska	5-0	1,537	6
5.	Virginia Tech (1)	4-0	1,427	8
6.	Tennessee	3-1	1,346	7
7.	Georgia Tech	3-1	1,294	9
8.	Florida	4-1	1,211	3
9.	Kansas St.	4-0	1,151	13
10.	Georgia	4-0	1,145	10
11.	Michigan St.	5-0	1,111	14
12.	Alabama	4-1	858	21
13.	Texas A&M	3-1	855	5
14.	Mississippi St.	5-0	851	16
15.	Marshall	5-0	692	17
16.	East Carolina	5-0	690	19
17.	Purdue	4-1	649	11
18.	Syracuse	4-1	586	22
19.	Miami	2-2	487	18
20.	Wisconsin	3-2	425	—
21.	Ohio St.	3-2	313	12
22.	Southern Cal	3-1	281	—
23.	Texas	4-2	218	15
24.	BYU	3-1	121	—
25.	Minnesota	4-0	102	—

Others receiving votes: Mississippi 95, Wyoming 48, Oklahoma 43, Air Force 30, Pittsburgh 21, Arkansas 19, Boston College 17, Virginia 17, Southern Miss. 13, Notre Dame 12, Kentucky 9, Washington 9, Colorado St. 8, Oregon 8, Clemson 6, Maryland 6, LSU 4, Wake Forest 4, Missouri 3, Texas Tech 3, Iowa St. 2, Arizona 1.

College Football Scoreboard

College Football Scores By The Associated Press

EAST

Albany, N.Y. 44, Stony Brook 21
Alfred 20, St. John Fisher 14
Amherst 10, Bowdoin 7
Bloomsburg 42, Kutztown 33
Boston College 33, Northeastern 22
Bridgewater,Mass. 49, Framingham St. 12
Bucknell 23, Penn 16
Buffalo St. 14, Brockport 12
C.W. Post 38, Stonehill 21
California, Pa. 48, Cheyney 14
Catholic 34, Salisbury St. 2
Colgate 24, Harvard 21
Connecticut 20, Rhode Island 9
Cornell 33, Brown 28
Curry 17, MIT 14
Delaware 41, Richmond 33
Dickinson 7, Carnegie-Mellon 3
Duquesne 51, St. Peter's 6
East Carolina 33, Army 14
FDU-Madison 38, Delaware Valley 19
Fairfield 41, Cent. Connecticut St. 14
Fairmont St. 37, W. Virginia Tech 24
Fitchburg St. 25, Worcester St. 16
Frostburg St. 30, Chowan 25
Georgetown, D.C. 28, Iona 0
Glenville St. 17, W. Va. Wesleyan 7
Grove City 56, Thiel 0
Hobart 28, St. Lawrence 10
Hofstra 27, Massachusetts 14
Indiana, Pa. 27, Lock Haven 9
Ithaca 45, Springfield 42
James Madison 23, Villanova 20
Johns Hopkins 37, Gettysburg 13
Juniata 45, Albright 24
Kings, Pa. 24, Lebanon Valley 5
La Salle 17, Siena 7
Lafayette 20, Dartmouth 10
Lehigh 63, Columbia 13
Maine 35, McNeese St. 7
Maine Maritime 20, Mass.-Dartmouth 3
Marist 49, Canisius 7
Mass. Maritime 14, Westfield St. 9
Merrimack 31, American International 28
Middlebury 41, Colby 19
Millersville 42, Mansfield 25
N. Illinois 45, Buffalo 21
Navy 31, West Virginia 28
New Hampshire 38, Stephen F.Austin 28
Nichols 28, Mass.-Boston 0
Northwood, Mich. 27, Wayne, Mich. 24
Norwich 30, Coast Guard 10
Pittsburgh 55, Temple 24
Princeton 27, Fordham 0
RPI 34, Rochester 6
Robert Morris 23, Wagner 21
Rowan 40, College of N.J. 3
Salve Regina 26, W. New England 9
Shepherd 43, Concord 20
Shippensburg 52, Edinboro 10
Slippery Rock 45, Clarion 7
St. Anselm 37, Assumption 29
St. Francis, Pa. 24, Sacred Heart 23
Syracuse 47, Tulane 17
Towson 14, Holy Cross 0
Tufts 13, Bates 10
Union, N.Y. 17, Franklin & Marshall 0
Ursinus 59, Swarthmore 0
W. Connecticut 12, Plymouth St. 9
W. Maryland 21, Muhlenberg 14
Washington & Jefferson 33, Cortland St. 28
Wesley 35, Greensboro 21
Wesleyan, Conn. 34, Hamilton 6
West Chester 49, East Stroudsburg 3
West Liberty 19, W. Virginia St. 17
Widener 40, Moravian 14
Wilkes 26, Susquehanna 0
Williams 17, Trinity, Conn. 0
Worcester Tech 49, Kings Point 28

SOUTH

Alabama 40, Florida 39, OT
Alabama St. 35, MVSU 27
Albany St., Ga. 17, Savannah St. 14, OT
Alcorn St. 41, Morehouse 27
Appalachian St. 23, ETSU 19
Bridgewater,Va. 40, Hampden-Sydney 7
Campbellsville 52, Union, Ky. 27
Carson-Newman 28, Catawba 17
Cent. Florida 31, E. Illinois 21
Charleston Southern 14, Lenoir-Rhyne 7, OT
Clemson 31, North Carolina 20
Davidson 28, Guilford 21
Delaware St. 43, Bethune-Cookman 29
Delta St. 27, West Alabama 20
Elon 20, New Haven 16
Florida A&M 66, Morgan St. 10
Florida St. 51, Duke 23
Furman 27, W. Carolina 19
Gardner-Webb 35, Wingate 25
Georgetown, Ky. 69, Cumberland, Tenn. 0
Georgia 23, LSU 22
Georgia Southern 62, VMI 0
Jacksonville 28, Austin Peay 21, 2OT
Kentucky 31, Arkansas 20
Kentucky Wesleyan 34, Gannon 7
Liberty 38, Johnson C. Smith 2
Louisiana Tech 41, Louisiana-Lafayette 31
Louisville 45, E. Michigan 10
Mars Hill 51, Newberry 14
Maryville, Tenn. 30, Millsaps 10
Methodist 16, Ferrum 14
Mississippi 36, South Carolina 10
Mississippi St. 42, Vanderbilt 14
Missouri 27, Memphis 17
Morris Brown 13, Miles 7
N. Carolina A&T 28, Norfolk St. 14
N.C. Central 35, Elizabeth City St. 6
North Alabama 16, Ark.-Monticello 13
Northwestern St. 42, Nicholls St. 17
Presbyterian 51, Tusculum 21
Randolph-Macon 30, Washington & Lee 23
Samford 34, Jacksonville St. 18
Sewanee 31, Centre 17
South Florida 21, S. Illinois 14
Southern U. 21, Hampton 6
Stillman 28, Bethel, Tenn. 16
Tennessee 24, Auburn 0
Tennessee St. 36, Alabama A&M 15
Tennessee Tech 28, Tenn.-Martin 2
The Citadel 20, S. Carolina St. 14
Troy St. 48, Middle Tennessee 31
UAB 47, Louisiana-Monroe 0
Virginia St. 17, Livingstone 0
Virginia Tech 31, Virginia 7
Virginia Union 39, Bowie St. 6
Virginia-Wise 63, Apprentice 7
W. Kentucky 21, Murray St. 15
Wake Forest 17, Rutgers 10
West Georgia 34, Morehead St. 28, 2OT
Wofford 41, Chattanooga 34

MIDWEST

Akron 31, Ball St. 9
Albion 35, Defiance 21
Alma 35, Thomas More 7
Ashland 24, Westminster, Pa. 10
Augustana,S.D. 35, South Dakota 21
Aurora 18, Eureka 15
Baker 35, Cent. Methodist 13
Baldwin-Wallace 36, Hiram 21
Beloit 38, Lake Forest 14
Bemidji St. 54, Concordia, St.P. 7
Benedictine,Ill. 27, Concordia, Ill. 20
Benedictine,Kan. 34, Evangel 28
Bethel, Minn. 39, St. Olaf 13
Bowling Green 34, Toledo 23
Buena Vista 59, Cornell, Iowa 7
Carthage 28, North Park 0
Cent. Iowa 39, Dubuque 14
Chadron St. 24, Nebraska-Kearney 18
Chicago 9, DePauw 6, OT
Concordia, Moor. 14, Hamline 6
Concordia, Wis. 21, Mac Murray 14
Dakota St. 26, Black Hills St. 21
Dayton 42, Butler 7
Denison 63, Oberlin 7
Dickinson St. 42, Jamestown 19
Doane 24, Dakota Weslyn 20
E. Kentucky 37, SE Missouri 28
Earlham 14, Kenyon 6
Emporia St. 48, Missouri-Rolla 6
Ferris St. 45, N. Michigan 27
Findlay 14, Indianapolis 7
Franklin 22, Manchester 6
Grinnell 17, Carroll, Wis. 14
Hanover 41, Bluffton 38
Hastings 26, Concordia, Neb. 0
Heidelberg 33, Capital 9
Hillsdale 42, Mercyhurst 40
Illinois St. 47, N. Iowa 28
Illinois Wesleyan 31, Elmhurst 26
Indiana 34, Illinois 31, 2OT
Kansas 27, SMU 9
Kansas Weslyn 72, Tabor 0
Knox 15, Lawrence 14
Lakeland 53, Greenville 33
Lindenwood 53, Graceland 27
Macalester 27, Carleton 26
Marshall 32, Miami, Ohio 14
Martin Luther 28, Blackburn 21
Mary 46, Mayville St. 8
McKendree 35, Trinity, Ill. 14
Michigan 38, Purdue 12
Michigan St. 49, Iowa 3
Michigan Tech 35, Saginaw Valley St. 33
Mid-Am Nazarene 51, Culver-Stockton 20
Midland Lutheran 17, Nebraska Wesleyan 14
Millikin 20, Augustana,Ill. 7
Minnesota 33, Northwestern 14
Monmouth, Ill. 42, Illinois College 28
Moorhead St. 20, Minn.-Duluth 14
Mount Senario 13, Northwestern, Minn. 6
Mount Union 57, John Carroll 51
NW Missouri St. 42, Truman St. 32
Nebraska 38, Oklahoma St. 14
Nebraska-Omaha 30, St. Cloud St. 20
North Dakota 13, N. Dakota St. 10
Northern St.,S.D. 20, Southwest St., Minn. 7
Northwestern, Iowa 42, Dana 17
Notre Dame 34, Oklahoma 30
Ohio 31, Kent 3
Ohio Northern 32, Marietta 10
Ohio Wesleyan 27, Case Reserve 7
Olivet Nazarene 32, St. Ambrose 27
Otterbein 48, Muskingum 22
Peru St. 49, Panhandle St. 14
Pittsburg St. 31, Missouri Western 6
S. Dakota St. 34, Morningside 30
SW Missouri St. 27, W. Illinois 17
Simpson, Iowa 30, William Penn 21
Sioux Falls 42, Huron 21
Southwestern, Kan. 42, Ottawa, Kan. 35
St. Francis, Ind. 56, Geneva 26
St. John's, Minn. 55, Augsburg 0
St. Joseph's, Ind. 41, Quincy 7
St. Norbert 35, Ripon 17
St. Thomas, Minn. 18, Gustav Adolphus 17
Taylor 23, Iowa Wesleyan 12
Tiffin 66, Urbana 26
Tri-State 29, St. Xavier 10
Trinity Bible 29, Marantha Baptist 28
Upper Iowa 31, Luther 14
Valley City St. 35, Minot St. 14
Valparaiso 27, Drake 17
W. Michigan 38, Cent. Michigan 16
Wabash 31, Anderson 13
Walsh 15, Malone 0
Wartburg 30, Loras 19
Wheaton, Ill. 49, North Central 13
Wilmington, Ohio 45, Mount St. Joseph 8
Winona St. 46, Minn.-Morris 6
Wis.-Eau Claire 28, Wis.-Platteville 13
Wis.-LaCrosse 28, Wis.-Whitewater 14
Wis.-River Falls 47, Wis.-Stout 0
Wis.-Stevens Pt. 22, Wis.-Oshkosh 3
Wisconsin 42, Ohio St. 17
Wittenberg 56, St. Francis, Ill. 7
Wooster 13, Allegheny 10, OT
Youngstown St. 31, Indiana St. 28

SOUTHWEST

Abilene Christian 31, E. New Mexico 28
Arkansas St. 45, Sam Houston St. 20
Arkansas Tech 31, Henderson St. 14
Baylor 23, North Texas 10
Cent. Oklahoma 44, Langston 6
Kansas St. 35, Texas 17
McMurry 21, Mary Hardin-Baylor 7
NW Oklahoma 35, Fort Hays St. 7
Prairie View 47, Grambling St. 19
Rice 20, Tulsa 10
S. Arkansas 29, Cent. Arkansas 20
SE Oklahoma 41, Harding 27
SW Oklahoma 14, Ouachita 3
Texas Lutheran 34, Austin 31, OT
Texas Tech 21, Texas A&M 19
Trinity, Texas 51, Rose-Hulman 0

FAR WEST

Adams St. at Mesa, Colo., ppd.
Air Force 23, San Diego St. 22
Arizona St. 28, UCLA 27
Boise St. 26, Utah 20
CS Northridge 41, Idaho St. 27
Cal Poly-SLO 38, S. Utah 10
Cent. Washington 27, St. Mary's, Cal. 7
Colorado St. 46, New Mexico St. 7
E. Washington 14, N. Arizona 10
Fort Lewis 33, Colorado Mines 0
Fresno St. 26, TCU 19
Hawaii 33, UTEP 3
Linfield 65, Lewis & Clark 10
Montana St.-Northern 42, S. Dakota Tech 19
Montana Tech 21, Carroll, Mont. 16
N. Colorado 26, Minn.-Mankato 23
Nevada 26, UNLV 12
Pacific Lutheran 41, E. Oregon 35
Portland St. 51, Montana 48, OT
Rocky Mountain 58, W. Montana 6
S. Oregon 38, Willamette 24
San Jose St. 44, Stanford 39
Southern Cal 37, Oregon St. 29
W. Washington 49, W. New Mexico 21
Washington 34, Oregon 20
Washington St. 31, California 7
Weber St. 52, Sacramento St. 49
Wyoming 28, Idaho 13
Yale 17, San Diego 6

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SPORTS

Rangers lose finale but look to playoffs Tuesday

ANAHEIM, Calif. (AP) — The AL West champion Texas Rangers have a couple of days to put their game back together for the postseason.

And the Anaheim Angels have all winter to figure out how to put a whole season together.

Those were the postscripts of the Angels' 1-0 season-ending victory over the Rangers on Sunday, which sent Texas to New York on a three-game losing streak for Tuesday night's Game 1 of the Division Series against the Yankees.

Furthermore, the potent Rangers scored only three runs in the final 20 innings of the regular season.

"(It) doesn't matter," said Rafael Palmeiro, one of the Rangers' four 100-RBI men, "When we have to play ball, this team will be ready. The whole team is looking forward to Tuesday."

It was safe to assume everyone was looking beyond Sunday.

With starters Matt Perisho and Jarrod Washburn throwing strikes and batters freely swinging, the teams completed a game that featured 22 strikeouts in 1 hour, 56 minutes.

"A game like today is a good one to have," said Texas manager Johnny Oates. "You don't want to hang around too long if you have to go to New York, or go fishing."

The recreation-bound are the Angels (70-92), ironically. It is ironic because the season-ending sweep gave them a 19-10 record after Joe Maddon became interim manager in the wake of Terry Collins' Sept. 3 resignation.

Before going 3-0 in October, the Angels were 16-12 in September, their first winning record in the month since 1991.

Comparable Septembers in recent seasons would have left the Angels sitting atop an AL West dynasty. But they finished the season with a 10-16 month in 1995 (and finished one game out), 10-15 in 1997 (six games out), and 9-15 in 1998 (three games out).

"We'd like to keep playing another month now. The guys are playing real well," Maddon said.

Such as Tim Salmon, whose seventh-inning homer off reliever Mike Morgan (13-10) provided the game's only run.

Salmon finished with 17 homers and 69 RBIs.

"A lot of guys are going to beat themselves up over the winter over what happened this season," said Salmon, who himself missed two months of it after spraining he left wrist on May 3.

The Rangers, on the other hand, merely hope to beat up the Yankees over the next week. Or at least put up a better fight than a year ago, when they were held to one run while suffering a three-game Division Series sweep to New York.

"There is better balance, and a couple of additional elements. We have more confidence," Todd Zeile said. "Usually, the team that comes hot into a five-game playoff situation can dominate and win."

Well, that wouldn't be the Rangers, whose bats remained cool Sunday.

Washburn, who came within an out of the first complete game of his career, combined with Lou Pote on a five-hitter.

"Our offense is something I don't worry about," said Rick Helling, scheduled to pitch Game 2 Thursday. "I'm as confident as I can be in our offense. The way we look at it, it doesn't matter who we play. We're one of eight teams with an opportunity to win the World Series. It just so happens we're matched up against the Yankees again."

New York won six of its first seven games against Texas this year. But the Rangers won three of the final five, including the last two, at Yankee Stadium on Aug. 24-25.

"That's a factor, for our confidence," Zeile said.

Aaron Sele (18-9) starts the opener against Orlando Hernandez (17-9).

"We're not going in there with a crystal ball, but I feel this is our best shot," Oates said. "This is the best team I've ever managed."

The strength of the team — a persistent offense — wasn't apparent during Anaheim's quickest game since Sept. 29, 1992, when it took 1:44 for a game against Kansas City.

Perisho, whose previous career high was eight strikeouts, fanned 12 in six innings while blanking the Angels on two singles, both by Garret Anderson.

Anderson went 2-for-3 to boost his average from .301 to .303 for the season, and to .300 for his five-year career.

Making his 21st career start, Washburn (4-5) allowed five hits and struck out seven.

Lady Tigers gain sole possession of 2nd spot

Overcoming the pressure was well worth it.

The Lady Tigers came from behind Saturday afternoon to defeat the Lady Panthers from Fort Stockton, and the hard-fought victory earned Coach Patty Grimmett's charges sole possession of second place in the District 5-4A chase.

After losing the first game 12-15, the Lady Tigers battled back for a difficult 17-15 win to send the match into an important third and final game.

Snyder picked up the tempo, winning 15-3.

"I thought the entire team competed really well and did a good job, especially under pressure. They took it to the wire and never let up," Grimmett said.

The Lady Tigers are now 4-1 in district play, one game behind San Angelo Lake View which sports a perfect 5-0 slate. Fort Stockton is in third with a 3-2 mark.

The Lady Tigers take a break from district play, but hit the road in a non-conference matchup with San Angelo Central Tuesday with matches starting at 5:30.

However, it's back to serious business Saturday when Snyder plays host to Andrews. The freshman game starts at 1 p.m., followed by the junior varsity and then by the varsity.

It was a team effort Saturday, led by Kristine Martinez who posted 16 service points, including eight aces. Tessa Hildebrand had seven service points plus an ace while Christy Tomlinson had nine points, including three aces. Christina Holder recorded five points, including two aces while Kameron Kallemeyn had four points with one ace.

T'Leah Eicke had one service point along with five digs.

Kallemeyn posted eight kills, two blocks and eight digs while Christina Holder stepped up with nine kills and eight digs. Ashley Delce had seven kills, three blocks and five digs. Hildebrand posted three kills, a block and 10 digs.

Cara Best and three kills and three digs while Rina Geiger had two kills, two blocks and one dig. Other digs for Snyder included five by Eicke and Martinez and four by Tomlinson, and one each by Whitney Webb and Cameron Mackey.

The junior varsity bowed to Fort Stockton, 15-4, 9-15, 12-15. Casey Collier led the scoring with nine points while Katie Voss picked up four. Vanessa Freeman served for seven while Lora Billingsley added five. Kate Wright and Laticia Martinez each posted three while Lori Chesser added one.

The freshman volleyballers defeated Andrews 15-9, 16-4 and then bowed to Lubbock Irons 10-15, 12-5 at a tournament in Lubbock.

Haley Putnam lead the Snyder scoring with 10 points while Shelly Fisk had nine and Cheylyn Robinson posted eight. Wendy Proffitt served for seven while Dara Chambers got six. Afton Schwertner added four while Kayla Beck and Aaryn Stewart each garnered three. Magan Riley posted two and Rachel Cave added one.

Astros clinch crown in final season game

HOUSTON (AP) — It wasn't as easy the third time around for the Houston Astros.

The Astros went down to the final day of the regular season before clinching their third straight NL Central title with a 9-4 victory over the Los Angeles Dodgers Sunday as Mike Hampton became the NL's only 22-game winner.

"I've never been a part of a team where it was as much of a team effort," Jeff Bagwell said. "This year we had 25 men on the roster to start the season but we ended up using 40 players."

The Astros won last year's title by 12 1-2 games but this year was a struggle to close it out over the Cincinnati Reds. Injuries and illness slowed down the Astros this season, making the title sweeter.

The Astros will move to the $250 million Enron Field but they still have at least one more game in the Astrodome.

Houston will open the playoffs at Atlanta or Arizona on Tuesday, depending on the outcome of Monday night's wild-card playoff between Cincinnati and the New York Mets, and will return to the Astrodome for Game 3 Friday.

Westerners cruise to first place finish

ALPINE – Western Texas' high expectation are turning into reality.

The WTC men's rodeo team captured the title of the Sul Ross rodeo, garnering its second victory this year in as many events.

The Westerners posted a team total of 325 points, distancing themselves from the second-place finish by Tarleton State University by 169 points.

"Our men's team is a lot more mature this year, so they're keeping their composure and focus throughout the entire rodeo," WTC Coach Greg Rhodes said. "These guys are good at what they do, and they're doing what needs to be done to win."

In the women's competition, Western Texas finished fifth, as three squads tied for first place. New Mexico, Vernon and West Texas A&M tallied 110 points to split the top spot.

"That's the first time I've ever seen three teams tie for first place," Rhodes said. "It was just an unusual rodeo on the women's side. But we competed well and if we keep performing like we did this weekend, then we'll finish near the top in the future."

For the WTC men, Wes Stephenson registered a final-round best 76 points on his bareback ride to claim first place in the overall standings.

Houston Hutto was tops in the calf roping, stopping the clock at 9.5 seconds in the short round to secure first place in the average. Rawley McFarland also posted a first place finish, winning the saddle bronc event with a ride of 79 in the finals.

Brandon Mayberry bucked his way to a score of 66 in the finals of the bull riding, good enough to wrap up second place in the standings. Bill Herbert took the runner-up spot in the short round of the saddle bronc competition with a ride of 74.

In team roping, Jody Pinkert anchored the WTC effort. Pinkert and his partner registered a time of 7.1 in the short round to give them second place in the final standings. Tike Salazar also turned in a strong performance, as he and his partner finished fourth overall.

"Our guys work real hard," Rhodes remarked. "And they have the confidence that they can win their individual event outright. They're not cocky, but they're confident."

For the Western Texas women, Sequin Downey and Tibba Smith found success in the goat tying. Downey, who turned in a runner-up performance in the first round, had another steady effort in the finals to grab third place overall. Smith improved on her opening effort to notch third place in the short round with a time of 7.8 seconds.

Kacy Henard's time of 4.1 in the finals of the breakaway roping gave her third place in the standings, while Tara Bynum turned in the fourth-best time in the finals of the barrel racing with a 16.81.

"Our women did well individually," Rhodes said. "I was proud of the way they handled themselves this weekend. We're not panicking after finishing fifth, because I know that if they keep performing like they are, then they'll win plenty of these things.

State-ranked SHS netters top Lakeview in district matches

Snyder High School's state-ranked varsity tennis team continued its domination of District 5-4A by thrashing San Angelo Lake View 17-2 Saturday.

The men's team won all nine matches while the women's team dropped only one match in addition to losing the lone mixed doubles matchup.

In men's singles, number one seeded Adrian Gonzales blanked Bob McClellan, 6-0, 6-0, while Snyder's top girl, Whitney Graham, fell to Jessica Escue, 6-3, 7-6.

In men's doubles, Gonzales teamed up with Ryan Gibson for a 6-2, 6-1 victory over McClellan and Adam Garcia.

In girls doubles, Graham and Natalie Alexander overcame Escue and Kim Haddock 6-2, 7-6, 7-5.

Snyder 17, Lake View 2

Men's Singles

Andrian Gonzales def. Bo McClellan, 6-0, 6-0; Ryan Gibson def. Slade Hodges, 6-0, 6-1; Allen Smith def. Adam Garcia, 6-0, 6-0; Justin Guy def. Brian Royal, 6-0, 6-1; Kris Casas def. Brian Tisdale, 6-0, 6-0; Alex Best def. Ricky Boyle, 6-0, 6-0.

Men's Doubles

Gonzales-Gibson def. McClellan-Garcia, 6-2, 6-1; Smith-Guy def. Royal-Tisdale, 6-0, 6-1; Millhollon-Cas won by default.

Women's Singles

Whitney Graham lost to Jessica Escue, 6-3, 7-7; Natalie Alexander def. Laura Woods, 2-6, 6-4, 6-2; Patricia Vargas def. Deborah Bussell, 6-1, 6-1; Claire Cotton def. Kelly Eastham 6-1, 6-1; Jordan Hardin def. Jenna Escue, 6-1, 6-1; Cory Jones def. Kim Haddock, 6-7, 6-3, 6-4.

Women's Doubles

Graham-Alexander def. Escue-Haddock, 6-2, 7-6, 7-5; Cotton-Hardin def. Woods-Eastham 6-0, 6-2; Vargas-Jones def. Haddock-Compal, 6-0, 6-1.

Mixed Doubles

Gorman-Sutter lost to Hodges-Escue, 6-2, 3-6, 6-1.

Major League Baseball

American League

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-New York	98	64	.605	—
y-Boston	94	68	.580	4
Toronto	84	78	.518	14
Baltimore	78	84	.481	20
Tampa Bay	69	93	.426	29

Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Cleveland	97	65	.599	—
Chicago	75	86	.466	21½
Detroit	69	92	.429	27½
Kansas City	64	97	.398	32½
Minnesota	63	97	.394	33

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Texas	95	67	.586	—
Oakland	87	75	.537	8
Seattle	79	83	.488	16
Anaheim	70	92	.432	25

x-won division title
y-won wild-card berth

Saturday's Games

Toronto 7, Cleveland 3
Seattle 10, Oakland 2
Boston 8, Baltimore 0
New York 3, Tampa Bay 2
Chicago 6, Minnesota 1
Detroit 4, Kansas City 3
Anaheim 15, Texas 3

Sunday's Games

Toronto 9, Cleveland 2
Tampa Bay 6, New York 2
Detroit at Kansas City, ccd., rain
Boston 1, Baltimore 0, 10 innings
Minnesota 1, Chicago 1, tie, 7 innings
Anaheim 1, Texas 0
Oakland 3, Seattle 1

End of Regular Season

National League

ast Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Atlanta	103	59	.636	—
New York	96	66	.593	7
Philadelphia	77	85	.475	26
Montreal	68	94	.420	35
Florida	64	98	.395	39

Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Houston	97	65	.599	—
Cincinnati	96	66	.593	1
Pittsburgh	78	83	.484	18½
St. Louis	75	86	.466	21½
Milwaukee	74	87	.460	22½
Chicago	67	95	.414	30

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Arizona	100	62	.617	—
San Francisco	86	76	.531	14
Los Angeles	77	85	.475	23
San Diego	74	88	.457	26
Colorado	72	90	.444	28

x-won division title

Saturday's Games

Florida 1, Atlanta 0, 10 innings
Milwaukee 10, Cincinnati 6
Chicago 6, St. Louis 3
San Francisco 16, Colorado 7
Houston 3, Los Angeles 0
Montreal 13, Philadelphia 3
New York 7, Pittsburgh 0
Arizona 7, San Diego 5

Sunday's Games

Atlanta 18, Florida 0
Philadelphia 6, Montreal 5
New York 2, Pittsburgh 1
St. Louis 9, Chicago 5, 4½ innings, rain
Houston 9, Los Angeles 4
Colorado 9, San Francisco 8
Arizona 10, San Diego 3
Cincinnati 7, Milwaukee 1

Monday's Game

New York (Leiter 12-12) at Cincinnati (Parris 11-3), 7:05 p.m.

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Dr. Gott

By Peter Gott, M.D.



Doctor should be more aggressive

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: My 53-year-old husband is stout and was told four months ago that his blood pressure was 170/100, his cholesterol was 750 and his triglycerides were over 1000. He was placed on a low-fat, low-calorie diet, without medication. H feels tired and run down, has a short temper, and won't stop smoking two packs of cigarettes a day. What's the next step?

DEAR READER: The next step, one that his doctor should have taken four months ago, is to get your husband on medication. Hypertension and excess blood fats are an open invitation to serious heart disease and stroke. If your husband needs to diet, fine. But, during this time, his blood pressure and cholesterol/triglycerides must be brought under control. In my opinion, he needs to be treated and monitored by a physician who will take a more aggressive approach.

There are numerous medications from which to choose. Anti-hypertensive drugs include beta-blockers, ACE inhibitors, calcium channel blockers and diuretics. Any one (or a combination) should promptly lower his blood pressure into the normal range, 140/80 or below.

Similarly, there is a spate of cholesterol- and triglyceride-reducing medications, primarily the "statin" drugs (including lovastatin, simvastatin and pravastatin) that, when combined with an appropriate diet, will lower his blood fats.

Obviously, responsibility for your husband's health doesn't lie solely with his doctors; he, too, has to make some changes. He must stop smoking because this harmful habit adds significantly to his risk of cardiovascular complications. In my view, your husband is sitting on a time bomb. He must obtain expert medical help and do whatever he can to alter his lifestyle, so that his blood pressure and blood fats can be brought under control.

One final comment: I do not know the reason for his fatigue and short temper. Maybe he is afraid that his health will deteriorate in the future — and he has every right to be afraid because, without the changes I mentioned, it will. Perhaps he is merely angry at having to give up some of his most treasured life-patterns. Is it possible that he has an emotional problem, such as depression, that should also be addressed? These are additional issues that his doctor should take up with him.

Modern therapy holds great promise for your husband. But it's up to him to decide whether to avail himself of this. For your part, be supportive but stay out of the middle. Let him work this out with his doctor.

To give you related information, I am sending you a copy of my Health Report "Hypertension." Other readers who would like a copy should send $2 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to P.O. Box 2017, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10156. Be sure to mention the title.

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Bridge

By Phillip Alder



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North 10-04-99
♠ A K 4
♥ K 10 9 5
♦ K Q
♣ A 7 4 2

West
♠ 9 8
♥ J 3
♦ 10 8 7 4 3
♣ 10 8 6 5

East
♠ Q 10 5
♥ A Q 8 6 2
♦ 9 5
♣ K J 3

South
♠ J 7 6 3 2
♥ 7 4
♦ A J 6 2
♣ Q 9

Vulnerable: East-West
Dealer: South

South	West	North	East
Pass	Pass	1 ♣	Pass
1 ♠	Pass	2 NT	Pass
3 ♦	Pass	4 ♠	All pass

Opening lead: ♥ J

It is interesting to watch game show contestants. Under the glare of the television lights, and knowing that all their answers will be broadcast nationwide, they are under much more pressure than we are, sitting at home, with no money or prizes at stake.

When at the bridge table, most people behave like contestants, not at home viewers. Yet it is obviously better if you can stay calm, coolly analyzing the situations.

Take this deal. You are in four spades. West leads the heart jack: king, ace, four. East cashes the heart queen: seven, three, five. East continues with another heart. How would you continue?

Although three no-trump is better here, it is hard to criticize North's jump to four spades with 12 points in his partner's two suits. (Why didn't East overcall one heart?)

With two heart losers, declarer must avoid two trump losers. (His club loser will disappear on dummy's heart 10.) If West has three spades, it doesn't matter what declarer does. But what if West has only two spades? If West has queen-ex, declarer must ruff low. Yet if West has two low spades, declarer must ruff with the spade jack. Which is more likely? Well, if West has two spades, East holds three. And the queen is one-and-a-half times (three-to-two) more likely to be in the three-card holding than in the doubleton. So, the right play is to ruff with the spade jack.

If you didn't, take consolation that the original declarer ruffed low and went down during this year's European Championships on the Mediterranean island of Malta.

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Datebook

Monday, Oct. 4, 1999

Today is the 277th day of 1999 and the 12th day of fall.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1582, Pope Gregory XIII's decree correcting the Julian calendar went into effect. He ordered that Tuesday, Oct. 4, 1582, should be Friday, Oct. 15, 1582.

On this day in 1931, a comic strip by Chester Gould entitled "Dick Tracy" was published for the first time.

On this day in 1957, the Soviet Union launched Sputnik 1, the first man-made satellite to orbit Earth.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Jean Francois Millet (1814-1875), artist; Rutherford B. Hayes (1822-1893), U.S. president; Frederic Remington (1861-1909), artist; Damon Runyon (1884-1946), writer; Buster Keaton (1895-1966), comedian-actor; Charlton Heston (1924-), actor, is 75; Patti LaBelle (1944-), singer, is 55; Tony LaRussa (1944-), baseball manager, is 55; Susan Sarandon (1946-), actress, is 53; A.C. Green (1963-), basketball player, is 36.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1896, Beatrice Hoyt won the first U.S. Women's Golf Championship, which took place at Morristown, N.J.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "A masterpiece of art has in the mind a fixed place in the chain of being, as much as a plant or a crystal." — Ralph Waldo Emerson

TODAY'S MOON: Between last quarter (Oct. 2) and new moon (Oct. 9).

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Gore sees Bradley challenge as a 'healthy development'

WASHINGTON (AP) — Vice President Al Gore says the unexpectedly tough challenge he is getting from Bill Bradley for the Democrats' 2000 presidential nomination could be "a healthy development" for the nation.

"What are campaigns for? They're for the constant renewal of our democracy; they're for giving people a choice," Gore said Sunday on CBS' "Face the Nation."

With Bradley gaining in public opinion polls, Gore shook up his campaign last week, moving its headquarters to Tennessee from the nation's capital and challenging the former New Jersey senator to a series of debates.

"It was inevitable that if my opponent crossed the threshold of credibility and competence, which he did, then it would narrow and tighten and become a hard-fought close contest. It has now reached that stage," Gore said.

"And honestly, I welcome that, I really do," he added. "I think that it's a healthy development. I think that the challenge now is for both of us to make of this something that helps our country and elevates our democracy."

Gore made similar remarks to reporters in Dover, N.H., later Sunday after speaking at a closed-door meeting of key supporters from New Hampshire, the first primary state.

On CBS, Gore said debates would allow him and Bradley to highlight their differences without "grenades being tossed back and forth."

The vice president nevertheless took advantage of the immediate opportunity to pounce on one difference between the two candidates: their reactions after Republicans won control of Congress in 1994.

"I tried to help rally the troops, the forces of what I regard as progress, and Senator Bradley choose that moment to say that he was going to leave the public arena, said it was broken and said that he might even run as an independent," Gore said.

Bradley left the Senate in 1996 after three terms.

Gore's jab led Bradley spokesman Eric Hauser to question whether "the vice president's focus on narrow political tactics and positioning and negative campaigning" undermined the credibility of his call for an issue-focused campaign.

Struggling to rescue his troubled campaign, Gore now must fend off the unexpectedly strong challenge from Bradley and convince voters he can handle Texas Gov. George W. Bush, the Republican presidential front-runner.

The dual assignment became a political imperative for Gore with the recognition that Bradley is gaining strength in key states — New Hampshire, New York and California — and is outdistancing the vice president in raising money. To get to Bush — or whoever the GOP nominee is — Gore must get past Bradley first.

Markets

Midday Stocks

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	High	Low	Last	
AMR Corp	57⅞	55¼	57	+ 3⅛
AT&T Corp s	44	43	43¾	+ 2
Albertsons	39¾	39	39 9-16	+ ⅜
AlldSignal	61⅛	59 15-16	61⅜	+1 7-16
Alltel	73¾	71¼	73 5-16	+1 5-16
AmOnline s	109⅜	106 3-16	107⅜	— ¼
Ameritech	68	3-16	66¼	68 +13-16
AndarkPtr	29	9-16	28 9-16	28 11-16 — ⅛
AtlRichfld		91¼	90¾	91¼+15-16
ATMOS Egy		24½	23 15-16	24¼+ ⅛
Aviall		9	15-16	9¼ 9 15-16+ 1-16
BP Amoco s		57	3-16	56¾ 57⅛+ ⅛
BakerHughes		28	15-16	28 3-16 28¼— ¾
Bank of Amer		56	5-16	55¾ 56 3-16+ ⅛
BellAtl		67¼	66 13-16	67 11-16+1 5-16
BellSouth s		43	1-16	42⅞ 42 13-16— 2 9-16
BethSteel		7	5-16	7¼ 7⅜ — 1-16
BurlNoSFe		27	7-16	26¾ 26 15-16— 5-16
CBS Corp		48⅛	47	13-16 48 3-16+ 5-16
Caterpillar		55	11-16	55 55⅜+1 11-16
CenSoWst			22¾	21¾ 22⅛+ ⅜
Chevron		88	15-16	8888 — 3-16
Citigroup s	43	15-16	43	5-16 43 15-16+11-16
Coastal			41	7-16 41 41 3-16
CocaCola	49	13-16	48	9-16 48⅜— 5-16
ColgatePal s			49¾	48⅞ 48⅝+13-16
ComclMetals			29	7-16 29 29 — ⅜
Cooperln		47¼	46	11-16 46¾— 3-16
CyprusAmax	19	7-16	19	1-16 19 5-16+ 1-16
DaimlrChry n			71¼	70 13-16 71 + 1¾
DallSemicn			54	53 1-16 54 +1 1-16
DeltaAirl s			49¾	47¾ 49⅝+2 1-16
Dillards Inc			20¾	20 7-16 20 9-16
DowChem	113	7-16	112	5-16 113 7-16+1 13-16
DuPont	64	11-16	63¾	64 11-16+1 11-16
EastmanChem		40¾	39	11-16 40 1-16+ 7-16
EstKodak	76	5-16	75	13-16 76 1-16+13-16
EDS Corp		52	7-16	51½ 52⅛+ 3-16
Entergy			30	2929⅛+13-16
Exxon	74	15-16	74¼	74 9-16 — 1-16
FstHlthAm			17¼	17⅛ 17⅛+ ⅛
Flowers		13	15-16	13⅞ 13⅞+ 1-16
FordMotor		51⅛	50⅞	50 7-16 — 3-16
GTE Cp			78	7777⅛+ 1⅛
GenDynam		61	9-16	61 3-16 61⅛+ ⅛
GenElec	119	7-16	118	3-16 119 1-16+1 11-16
GenMills		81	1-16	80⅞ 81 1-16+ 5-16
GenMotors			63¾	62⅞ 63 + ⅞
GaPacGP s			39¼	39⅛ 39⅛+ ¼
GlobalMar		16	9-16	16 5-16 16⅛ — ⅛
Goodrich			28¼	27¾ 27⅞
Goodyear s		50	7-16	49 9-16 50¼+ 1⅛
GtAtlPac		30		29¼ 29 15-16+ ¼
Halliburtn	41	13-16	40¾	40½ 1 5-16
Hanson ADS		39		38¾ 38 13-16+ 3-16
HarteHanks			23¼	23⅛ 23 13-16+ ⅛
HomeDepot	70	13-16	69	5-16 70 11-16+ 1⅛
IBM s		119		116⅛ 117 3-16 — 9-16
IntlPaper		47⅛	46	3-16 46½ — 7-16
JohnsonJn		94½	94	1-16 94 7-16+ 7-16
K mart	11	13-16	11	9-16 11 13-16+ ⅛
Kroger Co s			22¼	2222 + ¾
LockheedM s		33⅜	32¾	32 15-16+ 5-16
Lowes Cos			50¼	49 7-16 49¾+11-16
Lubys		12¼	11	15-16 12¼+ 3-16
LucentTech s		63	7-16	62¾ 63⅜+ ⅜
MayDeptStr s			37⅜	37 37 9-16+13-16
MediaOne		69⅜	68	1-16 69¼+ 2¼
Medtronic s			35¼	34¼ 35¼+ 2¼
Mobil		98	13-16	97⅞ 98⅛— ⅛
Monsanto	35	13-16	35	7-16 35 11-16+ ⅛
MorganJP		116	15-16	115 116⅛+ 1¼
Motorola		91	5-16	89⅝ 91 1-16+ 2
NCR Corp		32⅜	31	9-16 32⅛+1 1-16
Navistar	46	13-16	45⅞	46 13-16+1 1-16
Penney JC	36	11-16	36	36 1-16+ 1-16
PepBoys		14	13	15-16 14 + 1-16
PepsiCo		31⅛	30⅞	31 1-16— 5-16
PhelpDodge		54¼	53	3-16 54 3-16+ 1¼
PhilipPet	47	7-16	46	15-16 47 5-16— 3-16
PilgrmPrd B		8	9-16	8 9-16 8 9-16
Polaroid			26¼	2626⅛+ ½
Praxair		46	3-16	45¾ 46 + ¼
ProctGamb	94	5-16	93	1-16 94 3-16+ ¾
PubSNwMx		18	7-16	18 18 7-16+ 7-16
ReliantEngy	28	7-16	27	11-16 28 7-16+11-16
RoyalDut			60⅛	60 3-16 60⅛+ 1
SBC Comm	52	1-16	50	15-16 51 15-16+11-16
SaraLee s		23	5-16	22 15-16 23 5-16+ ⅜
Scripps EW	49	15-16	49	5-16 49 15-16+13-16
SearsRoeb			33¼	33⅛ 33⅛+ 1⅛
SherwinW			21¼	20⅛ 21 + 1-16
SmithklBchm			58⅛	57 11-16 58⅛+ 1⅜
SouthernCo			27	26 7-16 27 + 9-16
SwstAirl s	15	13-16	15	5-16 15 11-16+ ⅜
SprintFON s			61	58¾ 58¾+ 1¼
SprintPCS n			79¾	77 77 5-16+1 13-16
Sunoco Inc			27¾	27 5-16 27 5-16
TNP Ent			39	9-16 39 7-16 39⅛
Tandy s	53	7-16	52	52 13-16+1 5-16
TempleInland			61	60⅛ 60⅝+ 1½
Tenneco			17½	16¾ 17 5-16+11-16
Texaco	63¾	63	1-16	63 3-16— 13-16
TexInd			39¾	39 5-16 39¼+ ⅛
TexasInst s			87⅞	85¾ 87 +31-32
TexUtil			39½	38¾ 39½+ 1
Textron		76¼	75¾	76 1-16+ 5-16
TriconGlbR	42	11-16	41	13-16 42⅝+15-16
TrinityInds			30¾	30⅛ 30⅝+ 3-16
TritonEngy		14	5-16	13¾ 13⅞— ⅛
TylerTech		4½	4	7-16 4 7-16— 1-16
US West Inc			58¾	57¾ 58 + 1
USX-Marathn			28	9-16 28 28 7-16
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UnCarbde			57	55 15-16 57 + 1
UnionPacif		47⅞	46	13-16 47⅛+15-16
UnitedTech s		58½	57	5-16 58¼+ 9-16
Unocal		37	9-16	37¼ 37 9-16+ 5-16
Venator Grp			8	15-16 8 9-16 8 9-16
WalMart s	49	13-16	48	5-16 49 11-16+ 1⅛
WellsFargo	40	3-16	39	9-16 40 3-16+1 1-16
WstnGasRs			18	9-16 18⅛ 18⅛ — 3-16
WinnDixie	30	3-16	29¾	30 1-16+ 1-16
Xerox Cp s	43	5-16	42	15-16 43 + 3-16

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Dell	42 1/8	-13/32
Wal Mart	49 13/16	+1 1/2
Compac	22 3/8	-1/8
Dol. Gen.	31	+3/16
GTE	77 7/16	+11/16
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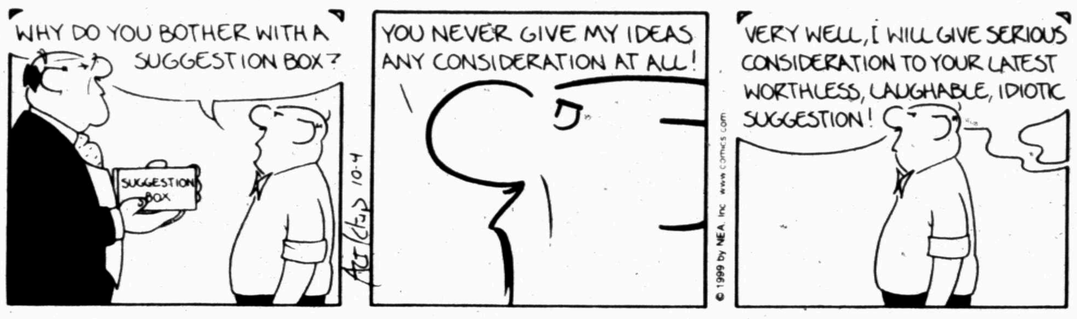


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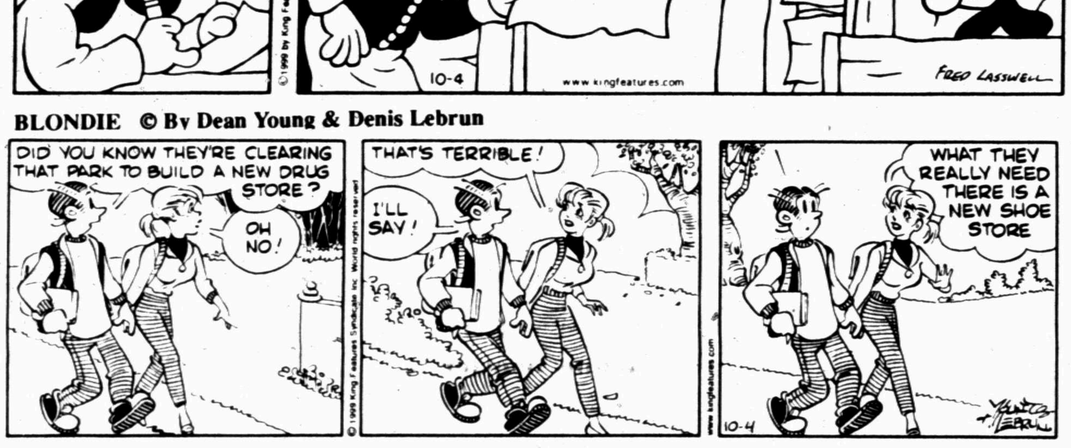


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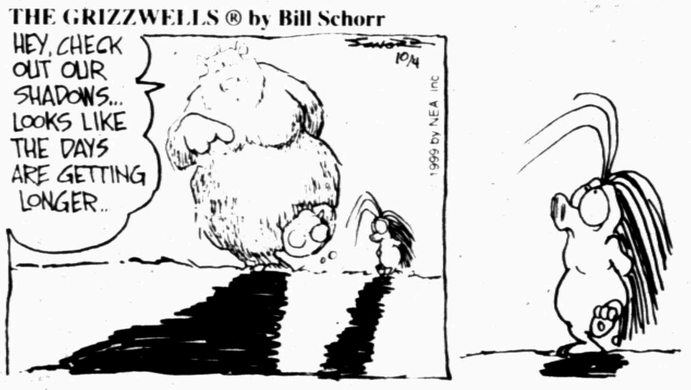
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ACROSS

1 Bar of metal
6 Carriage
10 Used a cooling device
12 Throaty
14 Demeaned
15 Sees
16 Southeast Asian holiday
17 — Lingus (airline)
19 Golf standards
20 Indefinite person
23 Accustom
26 Life story, for short
27 Cooking fat
30 Financier Bernard —
32 Beginner
34 Set on fire
35 Inventor Thomas —
36 Draft agcy.
37 Rock-concert item
39 In regard to
40 Disney World site
42 Close
45 "Rose — — rose"
46 Same (comb. form)
49 Hurry
51 Delay (2 wds.)
54 Hook — —
55 Stress
56 Take a chance
57 Compile

DOWN

1 "— — first . . ."
2 Local movie theater (sl.)
3 Small insect
4 Cricket positions
5 Golf peg
6 "Mayday!"
7 Glad
8 Opera song
9 River in Belgium
11 WWII event
12 Female star
13 Type of curve
18 Recede
20 Wild sheep
21 Drink of the gods
22 Trinket
23 Nile bird
24 Acts like a shrew
25 Plant containers
27 River in France
28 Computer-screen image
29 Period of fasting
31 Dress part
33 Wine
38 Mas' guys
40 Fur-bearing animal
41 Okinawan seaport
42 Wild sheep
43 — -me-down
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THE SNYDER DAILY NEWS

Clinton seeking treaty votes

WASHINGTON (AP) — Facing almost insurmountable odds, the Clinton administration is trying to round up Senate votes to ratify the global treaty signed three years ago to ban nuclear tests.

"I acknowledge we have a lot of work to do," White House press secretary Joe Lockhart told reporters today.

President Clinton will lobby senators in person and on the telephone this week, Lockhart said. Clinton was beginning with a strategy session today with members of his national security team.

The White House will likely reach out to national security officials from previous Republican administrations as well.

"You won't find a substantive argument against the treaty, except in some dark places in the Senate," Lockhart said.

On Sunday, White House chief of staff John Podesta said the treaty is an opportunity for the United States to demonstrate leadership on an important issue.

"We're going to fight very hard for it. It's the right thing for America, and it's the right thing for the world," he said. "I think the United States has a chance to lead here to begin to put this regime into place."

By ratifying the Comprehensive Test Ban Treaty, Podesta said on CNN's "Late Edition," "We'll inhibit the modernization programs that can go on and prevent nuclear weapons from being developed by rogue states."

National Security Council spokesman David Leavy said ratification would "give us more tools to verify, and it will constrain others from testing," partly because of the political pressure that more than 150 signatories bring.

A spokesman for Senate Majority Leader Trent Lott, R-Miss., said Lott believes that "to unilaterally disarm at a time when North Korea is making strides in its nuclear program, and China, through ill-gotten means, also is making progress in its program, now is not the time to ratify this ill-conceived treaty."

"If this administration chooses not to test, that is a decision they will make," said Lott spokesman John Czwartacki said. "But why would we want to handcuff future administrations?"

Lott surprised the administration last week by setting a Senate vote on the treaty for Oct. 12 . He said Democrats had been campaigning for a vote, and so he decided to let them have one. A two-thirds majority is needed for ratification.

The administration's pro-treaty drive, announced Saturday by national security adviser Sandy Berger, faces daunting odds. Even if all 45 Democratic senators approve the treaty, 22 Republicans would have to join them to provide the needed margin should all 100 senators vote.

After the fall of the Soviet Union, President Bush signed a limited nine-month testing moratorium to take effect Oct. 1, 1992. President Clinton continued the moratorium — the country's last test was in September 1992 — then signed the worldwide treaty in 1996. So far 154 countries have signed it, but only 47 have ratified.

The treaty went to the Senate in 1997 for ratification, which the administration considers necessary to bring other countries on board. It languished in the Senate until Lott set the vote last week.

One major flaw that Republicans find in the treaty is the CIA's inability to verify low-level underground nuclear explosions in other countries. The administration contends the CIA's monitoring shortcomings give reason to ratify, but Republicans disagree.

Twice last month, U.S. intelligence saw signs of activity in Russia that could have indicated secret testing. The CIA was unable to say with certainty exactly what was happening, but NSC spokesman Leavy said, "We have no data to indicate a nuclear explosion has taken place in Russia."

Study finds that tax credit popular way to aid the poor

WASHINGTON (AP) — The tax credit for the working poor that House Republicans want to convert from a lump sum to monthly payments provides crucial annual savings for people trying to get ahead, a study finds.

Half the 1998 earned income tax credit recipients questioned in the draft Syracuse University study said they planned to save at least a portion of their annual check so they could move to a better neighborhood, pay tuition or buy or repair a car.

"The EITC appears to be our most effective federal program for leading low-income families on a path toward true economic independence," said Timothy M. Smeeding, director of the Center for Policy Research at Syracuse. "The EITC is what makes these expenditures possible."

House Republicans want to spread the tax credit payment over a year, saving $8.7 billion in fiscal 2000 and pushing the cost of the credit into the following budget year. That would help balance the 2000 budget without dipping into Social Security accounts or breaking self-imposed spending caps.

President Clinton has pledged to veto appropriations bills that change the payments. GOP presidential front-runner George W. Bush has joined Democrats in questioning whether such a change might harm the working poor.

Created in 1975, the credit is intended to keep people working and to offset the payroll taxes they contribute for Social Security and Medicare. Last year, taxpayers earning between $10,000 and $34,000 were eligible, depending on number of children.

Convicted murderer caught after escaping from prison

BUFFALO, Mo. (AP) — A man who taunted his victim's family after being sentenced to life for killing a college cheerleader from Fort Worth was arrested today in southern Missouri after escaping from prison and possibly killing a man for his truck, state police say.

A motorist was killed today during a high-speed chase for Kenneth D. Williams, 20, who escaped from the Cummins Unit maximum-security prison in southeastern Arkansas on Sunday, police said.

Missouri police chased a truck believed stolen from Cecil Boren, 57, who was found dead outside his home near the prison, Arkansas state police spokesman Bill Sadler said. Police believe the man in the truck was Williams — but the operator gave the name "Smith" when he was arrested, Sadler said.

A dispatcher at the Dallas County (Mo.) sheriff's office identified the man arrested as Williams.

A Jefferson County, Ark., jury just three weeks ago spared Williams' life after he was convicted of capital murder in the death of Dominique Hurd, 19.

The last sure sighting of Williams in prison was about 10:20 a.m. Sunday, prison spokesman Dina Tyler said. The prison knew for sure he was gone about 6 p.m., she said.

Around 1 p.m. Sunday, Cecil Boren, 57, was found dead in bushes outside his home near Grady, 6 miles northwest of the prison, police said.

Genie Boren said her husband was working in their yard when she left for church Sunday morning. She returned shortly before 1 p.m. to find the house ransacked and her husband missing.

She called a neighbor to help her.

"I also asked her to try to find Cecil," she said, "because his truck was gone and he was nowhere around."

Kay McLemore, the neighbor, found Cecil Boren's body, shot in the head and in the back, the Pine Bluff Commercial newspaper reported.

Obituaries

Jerry Sellers

1924-1999

SEAGRAVES — Jessie "Jerry" Sellers, former Snyder resident, died Saturday, Oct. 2, in University Medical Center in Lubbock.

Funeral service for Mrs. Sellers, 74, is set for 2 p.m. Tuesday in the First Baptist Church with the Rev. O.J. Buley officiating and Dale Dozer assisting. Burial will follow in the Seagraves Cemetery, under the direction of Head Family Funeral Home.

Born on Dec. 10, 1924 in Doan, she married William Sellers on Nov. 1, 1983 in Roby. She was a homemaker and moved to the Seagraves area in the early 1970s from Denver City.

Four step grandchildren and one step great-grandchild preceded her in death.

Survivors include her husband, William Sellers of Seagraves; two sons, Ray McBride of Odessa and Edgar Wallace of Midland; three daughters, Tommie Hilliard of Denver City, Billie Lewis of Big Spring and Sandra Kawalec of Odessa; seven stepsons, J.W. Sellers of Santa Fe, N.M.. Don Sellers of Seagraves, Delmar Sellers of Bakersfield, Calif., John Sellers and Billy Sellers, both of Andrews, Dan Sellers of Denver City, Calvin Sellers of Seagraves; one stepdaughter, Bell Rains of Lubbock; 15 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; four great-great-grandchildren; 24 step grandchildren; 50 step great-grandchildren; and four step great-great-grandchildren.

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Possession of cocaine lands three men in jail

Felony possession of cocaine landed three male subjects in jail over the weekend.

Deputy Steven Schwartz took the subjects into custody at 11:01 p.m. Saturday on F.M. 1611. Arrested were Jeremiah Border, 18, of 6281 CR 461 in Hermleigh, Charlie Garcia III, 17, of 2204 26th Street and Martin Bryce Winkler, 17, of 4006 Austin.

The three were charged with possession of a controlled substance, cocaine, less than one gram. They were also charged with misdemeanor possession of marijuana and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Five other people were taken into custody over the weekend.

A 20-year-old female was arrested at 2:44 a.m. Sunday in the 800 block of Avenue X for public intoxication.

At 3:47 a.m. Sunday, a 30-year-old male was booked into jail for public intoxication.

Driving while intoxicated and driving while license suspended resulted in the arrest of a 31-year-old male at 8:49 p.m. Sunday in the 1100 block of 30th Street.

Department of Public Safety troopers took a 21-year-old male into custody at 11:38 p.m. Sunday for failure to maintain a marked lane and no license for class vehicle. He was arrested two miles north of Snyder on U.S. Hwy. 84.

At 1:18 a.m. today, a 23-year-old male was taken into custody by officers in the 2300 block of College for driving while intoxicated.

In other weekend activity, Patricia Hood notified officers at 12:08 p.m. Saturday that someone had run a key down the side of her vehicle while it was parked at her 3708 Avenue U residence. An offense report for Class C criminal mischief was filed.

An offense report for dog bite was filed at 7:04 p.m. Saturday in the 3700 block of Sunset.

Tim McDowell reported at 9:48 p.m. Saturday that someone had thrown a stink bomb at his windshield. An offense report for Class B criminal mischief was submitted.

An officer was requested in the 3100 block of 39th Street at 10:46 p.m. Saturday in reference to subjects stealing Tiger signs from yards. Four juvenile subjects were located at Snyder High School who advised they were playing a practical joke. They were advised to put the signs back.

An offense report for harassment was filed at 11:49 p.m. Saturday.

At 2:26 p.m. Sunday, James Vincent reported that someone had stolen his credit cards from his vehicle while it was parked at his 2702 42nd Street residence. An offense report for burglary of a vehicle was filed.

Janice Mitchell requested an officer in the 5300 block of Etgen at 7:17 p.m. Sunday in reference to a box of school library books being stolen out of her vehicle. Officers filed an offense report for burglary of a vehicle.

Officers worked an accident early this morning involving a 1989 International tractor/trailer owned by Earthgrains of Lubbock and driven by 62-year-old Wilbert Frank Moore of Levelland.

The mishap occurred at the corner of 25th Street and Avenue F.

Moore called 911 at 4:40 a.m. requesting an officer in reference to an electric line being pulled down on top of his truck. TXU Electric was notified and assisted.

Snyder Fire Department responded to a small grass fire at 2:52 p.m. Sunday 19 miles southeast on U.S. Hwy. 84. Damage was limited to grass.

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events

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ONGOINGS

Band boosters

SHS band boosters will meet at 6 this evening in the band hall.

Bible study tapes

Bible study video tapes air each week on cable TV channel 2. The tapes to be shown at 7 tonight are "Seeing Scripture as Jesus Did," followed by "The Secret is Out."

Student rally

The Fellowship of Christian Students will have a rally from 7-8:30 this evening in the Snyder High School student center. Tony Wofford of Word is Life Deliverance Church will be the guest speaker. There will be games and music and future events will be discussed.

Swimnastics for seniors

Swimnastics classes for Senior Citizens at WTC are being held from 2:30-3:30 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays. For more information call 573-4035.

Fish fry

First United Methodist Church will hold its 5th annual Lord's Acre Fish Fry from 5-7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Wesley Hall. Cost is $6 a plate. Ages six and under is $3 a plate. Tickets may be purchased in advance or at the door.

Masonic meeting

Scurry Masonic Lodge #706 will hold its regular meeting at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Football boosters

The SHS Football Booster Club will meat at 7 p.m. Tuesday in the Student Center.

WTC investment class

A general investment class will be held at WTC each Tuesday through Nov. 2. Cost is $45 and the instructor is Tim Riggan. Pre-registration for the class is required. To pre-register call 573-8511, ext. 390.

GED classes

GED classes will begin Tuesday in room 209 of Western Texas College's library. On Tuesdays and Thursdays, the morning session begins at 8 a.m. and ends at 11-30 a.m. and the evening session begins at 6 p.m. and ends at 8:30 p.m. The classes are for people needing GEDs, a refresher course or English as a second language.

Organ donor to speak

Johnny Harper, former Snyder resident and organ transplant recipient, will speak on the need for organ donors at 10:45 a.m. Thursday in the Fine Arts Theatre at Western Texas College. The event is sponsored by Phi Theta Kappa and is open to the public.

Tiger tennis boosters

Tennis boosters will host a chicken-spaghetti supper from 5-7:30 p.m. Friday in the SHS cafeteria. Tickets are $5 each and are available from junior high and high school tennis players or by calling 573-2400. Carryout will be available and tickets will be sold at the door.

Garage sale

Martha Ann Woman's Club will have its annual garage sale and bake sale from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday at Towle Park Barn.

Crystal River concert set

Crystal River of Lubbock will be in concert at 7 p.m. Sunday at the Word is Life Deliverance Church, 602 30th St.

PSAT/NMSQT tests

The tests will be administered Tuesday, Oct. 12, in the Snyder High School library. Students must register in the counseling office and the registration fee must be paid by Tuesday.

Support groups

Support groups for Cancer, Grief and Divorce Recovery meet at 6:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month at First Baptist Church. For information call 573-263. A new group for sexual assault survivors will meet at a confidential time and location. For information call 573-1822. Child care is provided.

3 on 3 basketball

The Boys and Girls Club will sponsor a 3 on 3 cage tourney for teenagers only starting at 8 p.m. Oct. 15. Cost is $20 per team and there will be a three-point contest plus a slam dunk contest. Call 573-3344 to enter. The club is also sponsoring an "old school" – 19 and older three-on-three tourney on Oct. 16 for men and women. Cost is $30 per team.

His Joy Ministries conference

The conference will be held in Snyder Oct. 15-16 at Family Life Community Center, 904 26th St. Mercy and Truth of Rockwall will lead the worship and Barbara Murrell of Mesquite will be the speaker. To pre-register or for more information, call 573-8401 or 573-9812.

FBC revival

First Baptist Church will host a revival Oct. 10-13 featuring Randy Gressett, a Snyder native. Kerry Wood, also a former member of Snyder FBC, will lead the music. Theme is "Life in Jesus: Looking Back to Launch Forward in Faith." Sunday services are at 8:15 and 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m. Weekday services are at 7 p.m.

WTC planetarium opens

The planetarium at Western Texas College is now open with its fall lineup of new programs, developed for specific age groups: pre-K and kindergarten, grades 1-3, grades 4-6, and grades 7 through adults. The 60-seat planetarium is open for group showings, by reservation, for Friday morning and afternoon programs. It is also available, by reservation, for group showings Thursday through Saturday evenings. For reservations, call Sharon Gill at WTC, 573-8511, ext. 312.

Items needed

First United Methodist Church's Children's Day-Out is seeking garage sale items for collection the next two Saturdays at the former Lone Star Gas building. Collection time is from 9-10:30 a.m. The garage sale will be Oct. 15 (5-7 p.m.) and Oct. 16 (7:30 a.m.-1 p.m.). Proceeds will go to the C.D.O.

Pick 3

AUSTIN (AP) — The winning Pick 3 numbers drawn Saturday by the Texas Lottery, in order:

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Lotto Texas

AUSTIN (AP) No tickets correctly matched all six numbers drawn Saturday for the twice-weekly Lotto Texas, state lottery officials said.

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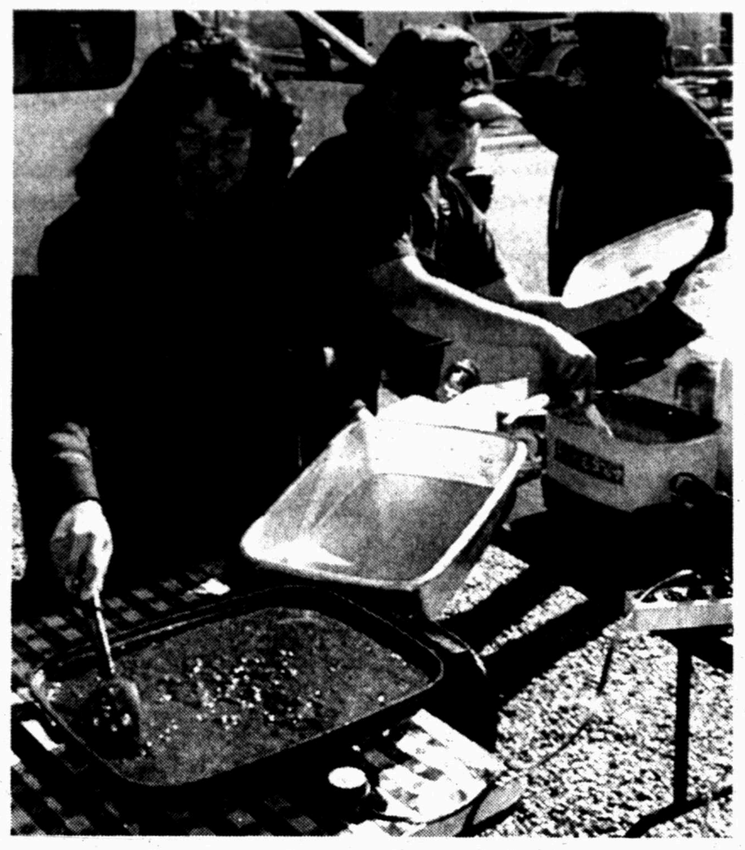
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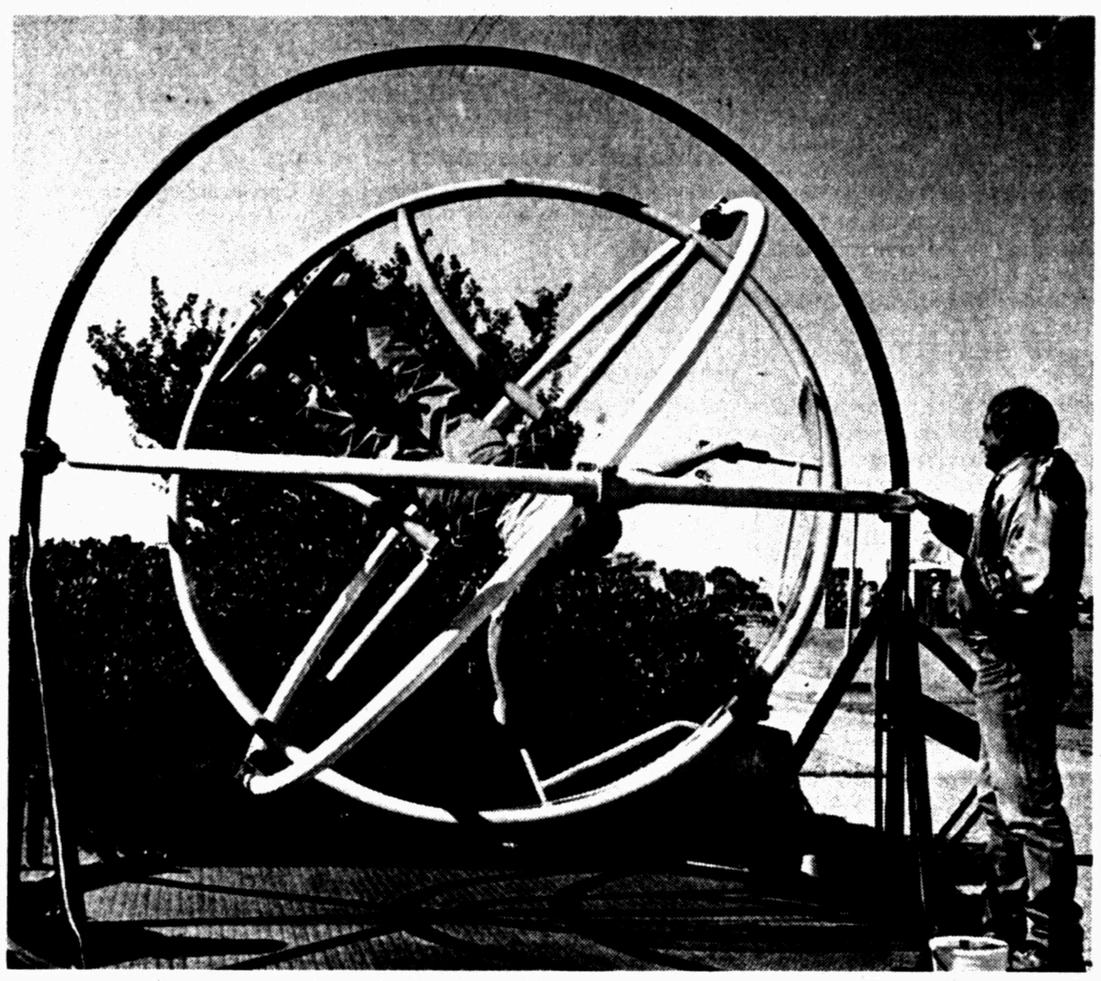
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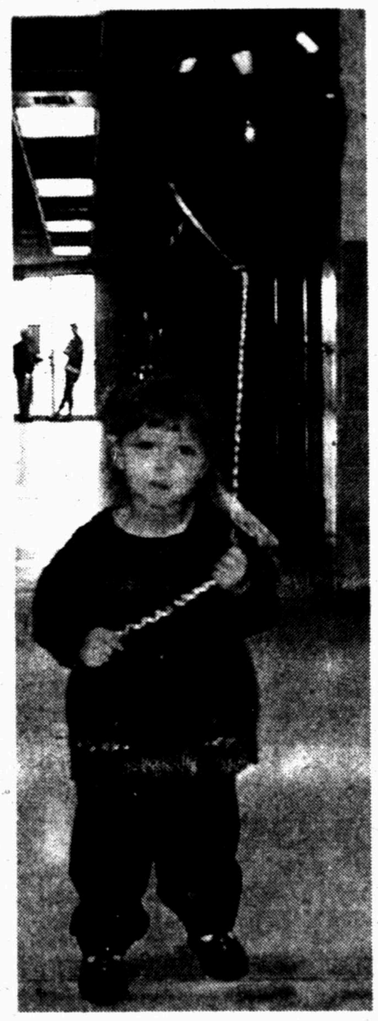
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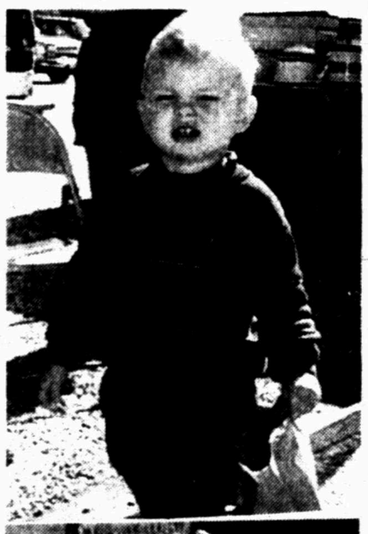








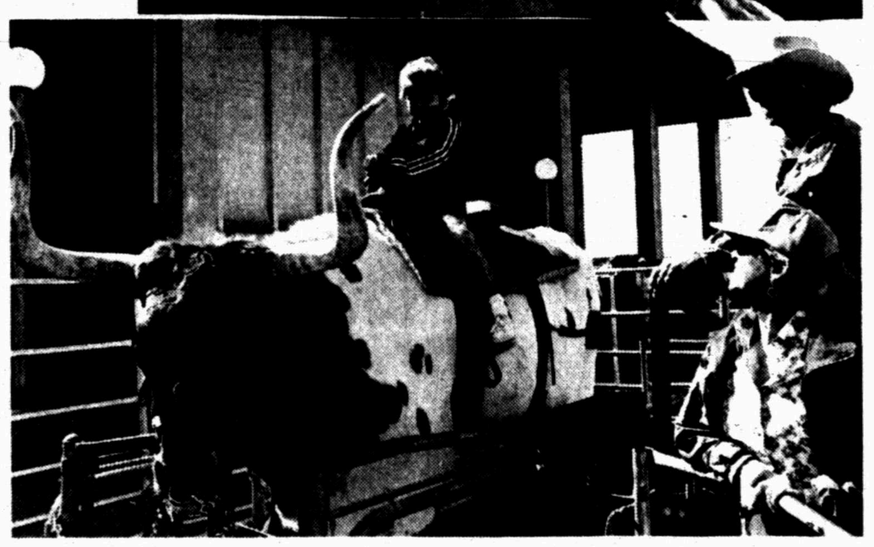


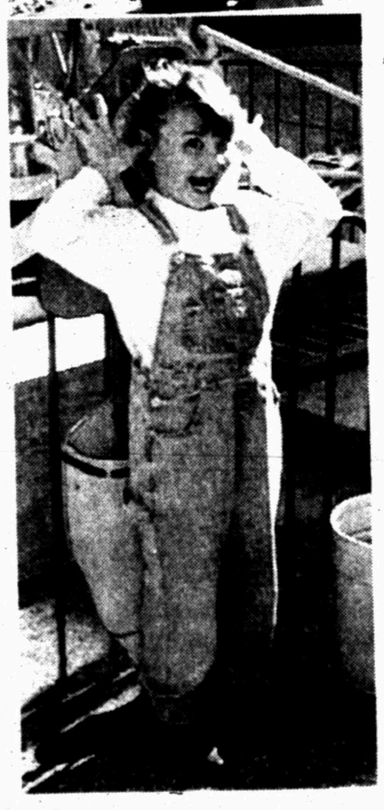












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