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Snyder Daily News

Ask Us

Q—Where did the money come from to buy the van which the county gave to the prison?

A—The 1984 van was purchased for $2,300 and the money came from the consolidated precinct equipment fund.

Local

Concert

Snyder High School choir department will present its spring concert at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in Worsham Auditorium. There will be no admission charge.

'Key' series

"God's Glorious Church II," the next tape in the Key to the Kingdom series, will air at 7 this evening on Snyder Cablevision Channel 2. Immediately following will be a 20-minute tape, Sardis and Laodicea, the fourth of a four-part series on The Seven Churches of Asia.

Immunization

Parents are encouraged to have their children immunized this week, National Infant Immunization Week. Scurry County Health Unit clinic hours are 8:30-11:30 a.m. and 1:30-4 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays. Parents may bring their child's shot record to the unit at 911 26th Street and be advised as to what shots the child needs.

TV turn off

Students at Central and East elementaries will celebrate National TV Turn-Off Week this week and are asking the public to participate, thus allowing for more family and free time.

Crusade

Scurry County American Cancer Society will be having its spring crusade on Tuesday. Volunteers will be going door-to-door.

Volunteers

Snyder Neighbors Sharing workday is Saturday, April 29. Volunteers are still needed. Anyone interested in helping should contact Thomas Fogleman at 573-3538 or Sam Robertson at 573-4053.

West

West Elementary Family Night Out will be Thursday at Golden Corral.

Northeast

Northeast Elementary Family Night Out will be from 4:30-9 p.m. Tuesday at Jaramillo's.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Saturday, 46 degrees; low, 36 degrees; high Sunday, 62 degrees; low, 36 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Monday, 36 degrees; trace precipitation on Saturday; no precipitation on Sunday; total precipitation for 1995 to date, 2.86 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, fair. Low in the mid 40s. South wind 10-20 mph. Tuesday, sunny, windy and warmer. High near 80. Southwest wind increasing to 20-30 mph and gusty. Caution advised on area lakes.

Almanac: Sunset today, 8:18. Sunrise Tuesday, 7:05. Of 113 days in 1995, the sun has shone 102 days in 1995.

Search for bombing suspects continues

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — Videotape from a surveillance camera may show the rental truck that was used in the bombing of a federal office building, the FBI said today.

Weldon Kennedy, the agent in charge of the FBI's investigation, would not elaborate on what the surveillance camera, located in a nearby building, revealed. But he said the images "may be helpful to this case."

The announcement came as investigators continued to search for a second man suspected of carrying out the nation's worst terrorist bombing, and as searchers at the site dug into sections that are expected to yield a heavy death toll.

There were also these developments Sunday and today:

• Court-appointed attorneys for Timothy McVeigh, the only suspect charged in the case, announced today that they would ask to step aside. They said they feared for the safety of their families and weren't sure they could represent McVeigh in an unbiased way.

• President Clinton sought broad new powers to combat terrorism. His chief of staff, Leon Panetta, defended those proposals today against charges that they could violate civil liberties.

• An Army deserter from Fort Riley, Kan., was questioned, then released to military custody, after being apprehended in California. McVeigh once served at Fort Riley.

• There was word that on the day of the bombing, a Texas congressman's office received a fax in cryptic language that may have described the Oklahoma federal office building that was devastated.

• Two brothers who were friends of McVeigh were being held as material witnesses, and there were searches and questioning over the weekend in Las Vegas, upstate New York, Michigan and Kansas.

As the nation observed a day of mourning on Sunday, there was more bad news.

Besides the 78 confirmed dead from the federal office building

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7 students headed to state meet

SAN ANGELO — Seven Snyder High School students have qualified for the UIL Class 4A State Academic Meet, to be held May 5-6 in Austin.

Michelle Martin, Sterling Cave, Ellen Strayhorn, Joyce May, Kevin Alejandro, Katie Thornton and Tiffany Jones all finished in the top three at the Region I Contest here Saturday.

The top three individuals in each event advance to state competition.

Snyder's accounting team of Martin, Cave and Strayhorn won first place. Martin was also first in individual competition in accounting while Cave placed third.

Alejandro took second in poetry while third places went to May, in news writing; Thornton, in prose; and Jones, in spelling and vocabulary.

Others placing from Snyder High were Strayhorn, fifth in accounting; Michael Cole, sixth in editorial writing; Jimmy Hall, fourth in poetry; Veana Clay, fourth in ready writing; LaVeeda Newsome, fifth in ready writing; and David Kerr, fourth in science.

LEADING THE PACK - Andrea Dunham is a few steps ahead of Lacie Thompson in the 200 meter run for third graders at the annual Junior Olympics held Saturday at Tiger Stadium. Cold temperatures and a brisk north wind limited participation in the yearly fund raising event. (SDN Staff Photo)

McMillan receives 15-year prison term

A 132nd District Court jury deliberated about five hours Saturday before sentencing Ira resident Karlton Dewayne McMillan to 15 years in prison for indecency with a child.

McMillan, 37, was found guilty Friday afternoon on five counts of having sexual conduct with an 11-year-old girl.

The punishment phase of the trial began Saturday and jurors began deliberating McMillan's sentence about 10 a.m. Following a lunch break, the jury returned and deliberated until about 4 o'clock before setting the 15-year prison term.

McMillan is currently out of jail on an appeals bond.

Prosecuting the case were District Attorney Ernie Armstrong and Assistant DA Dana Cooley. McMillan was represented by Lubbock attorney Travis Shelton.

Presiding was Judge Gene Dulaney.

Wrongful death suit delayed

The wrongful death suit scheduled to begin at 9 a.m. today has been postponed until June 19 according to Senior District Judge Gene Dulaney.

Dulaney said that the jury call did not contain a sufficent number of individuals who had no connection to the case.

The suit was filed as a result of the death of Abraham Lopez in 1993 while working on an oil lease southwest of Snyder.

His family is seeking damages as a result of the 24-year-old man's death.

Authorities said Lopez died instantly when struck on the left side of the face by the weight of an oilfield pumping unit.

Lopez was an employee of Lloyd's Roustabout, a service company working on a lease owned by Murphy and Associates.

Lloyd's Roustabout owner, Lloyd Isbell, as well as Murphy and Associates are named as defendants in the suit.

Plaintiffs are listed as the deceased's widow, Nancy J. Lopez, and his parents, Angel and Delvina Lopez.

Justices reject Kevorkian appeal

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Supreme Court today refused to consider Dr. Jack Kevorkian's challenge to his murder prosecution in Michigan for assisting the suicides of terminally ill patients.

The court, without comment, rejected Kevorkian's appeal of a Michigan Supreme Court ruling that said there is no constitutional right to assisted suicide.

In other actions today, the justices:

—Turned down a U.S. Forest Service appeal challenging a federal appeals court decision involving the federally owned Wallowa-Whitman and Umatilla forests in Oregon. Federal officials say the appeals court decision could disrupt land-management efforts in nine Western states.

—Let stand a ruling that forces the company that manufactures and sells the anti-baldness product "Helsinki Formula" to stop making many of its advertising claims and to refund money to consumers.

—Refused to second-guess how Florida elects its state and local judges.

Kevorkian sought to block his prosecution in five deaths. He faces murder charges in the deaths of two people and assisted-suicide charges in three others.

The justices also turned down a separate challenge to the Michigan ban by two terminally ill cancer patients and two medical professionals.

Kevorkian has aided or witnessed 21 suicides since 1990.

He was charged with murder in the deaths of Marjorie Wantz and Sherry Miller in 1991, and with assisting the 1993 suicides of Donald O'Keefe, Merian Frederick and Ali Khalili.

Michigan lawmakers enacted a ban on assisted suicides that took effect in February 1993 and expired last November.

City council meets tonight

Snyder city council members will consider two items pertaining to the newly-formed industrial park when they meet in a special session at 6:30 tonight.

The council will conduct a public hearing on boundaries and incentives of the proposed enterprise zone and will consider the approval of the city's planning and zoning service plan for annexing the industrial park into the city limits.

The council will also consider the approval of Lone Star Gas Company's annual cost of service adjustment.

It is expected that the adjustment will result in a 76-cent decrease in monthly bills beginning in May.

Also, the council will consider a performance review of Snyder Cablevision by Austin consultant Jack Hopper.

Commissioners approve dirt compactor purchase

Scurry County commissioners approved the purchase of a used dirt compactor and a line item transfer and granted the county judge permission to replace a full-time employee this morning in a meeting that is recessed until Tuesday.

The court was scheduled to hear a report on the outside audit by the accounting firm of Mason, Warner & Co. But representatives of the firm were unable to be here today and the report has been rescheduled for Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock.

The court voted to buy a used dirt compactor from Grimmett Brothers for $20,000. Total cost of the compactor was $11,500 as the county traded in a used grid roller in the amount of $8,500.

A line item transfer was also approved in the amount of $10,000 to pay for the compactor.

The money was transferred to the consolidated road and bridge fund with $7,500 coming from the capital outlay fund in Precinct 1 and $2,500 coming from the capital outlay fund in Precinct 4.

County Judge Ricky Fritz notified the court that his secretary, Julie Strunk, has submitted her resignation in order to devote more time to a family business. Applications for the position are being taken now at the Texas Employment Commission. Starting salary is $14,560 annually.

The court also approved the county's bills.

Judge Fritz presided at the meeting and commissioners present included C.D. Gray Jr., Roy Idom and Jerry Gannaway. Ralph Trevey was absent.

WTC Awards Day scheduled Tuesday

Academic achievement will be recognized Tuesday on the Western Texas College campus as the annual spring Awards Day is held.

The event, sponsored by the WTC Faculty Association, will begin at 10:30 a.m. in the Fine Arts Theatre.

A highlight of the event is the announcement of the outstanding Academic Male and Female Student for 1995.

Requirements for this recognition include sophomore status, completing the freshman year at WTC, being a full-time student and a minimum of three semesters at WTC, maintaining at least a 3.75 GPA and being involved in campus and/or community activities and organizations.

Students are nominated by their instructors and the winners were voted on by the entire WTC Faculty Association last Thursday.

In addition, departmental awards will be presented to outstanding students in each of WTC's seven divisions for the 1994-95 school year.

Early voting has slow pace

Municipal races in the May 6 elections have prompted some activity at the early voting booth but overall, balloting has been slow since it began a week ago, election clerks reported this morning.

Early voting began April 17 and runs through May 2.

As of noon today, 77 ballots had been cast at City Hall, where two men are challenging for mayor and four others are campaigning for two seats on the council.

The only other contested election is in the Hermleigh school district, where seven men are seeking two places on the board of trustees. HISD administrators reported that only 14 votes have been cast so far.

Snyder and Ira school districts feature uncontested elections in May. To date, 13 people have voted in the Snyder ISD business office and four have cast a ballot at Ira.

A glance at the May 6 elections follows.

Municipal

Mayor (at-large)

•Lynn Gardenhire, local businessman

•David Holt, former councilman, president of Fluid Transports and Snyder Area Contractors.

City council (2 at-large)

•Ron Shaw, an incumbent and postal employee

•Stanley Noah, former council member and retired businessman

•Ron Baker, manager of L&L gasoline station

•Dayton Robertson, an incumbent and engineer with Y-Z Industries, Inc.

School board

Snyder ISD (2 at-large)

•Luann Burleson, incumbent (uncontested)

•Charles Anderson, incumbent (uncontested)

Hermleigh ISD (2 at-large)

•Tony Lambaren, an employee of E.D. Walton Construction

•Joe Roemisch, a sales representative for Production Pump

•Larry Bridges, a Price Daniel Unit employee

•Jimmy Barnes, a Santa Fe Railway employee

•Ted Mireles Jr., a Scurry County employee

•Sherene Digby, manager of Allsup's

•Jimmy R. Hudgins, a farmer

Ira ISD (3 at-large)

•Sid Wall, Place 1 (uncontested)

•Keith Clements, Place 6 (uncontested)

•R. Douglass White, Place 7 (uncontested)

JAMES & KAREN WEST

'Lighthouse' hosts revival meetings

Rev. James and Karen West, evangelists, are continuing revival services through Wednesday at Lighthouse Assembly of God Church. The revival started Sunday and weeknight meetings begin at 7 p.m.

In addition to a ministry of the Word, the Wests also minister in music. He is an accomplished pianist and accompanies his wife as she ministers vocally.

The Wests have been ministering together since their teens. They were married in 1961 and have dedicated their lives to evangelism. They have three children.

POSTER WINNERS — Several Snyder Junior High students entered a poster contest held in conjunction with a fireman's convention in Rotan. In one division, winners were (from left) Michael Duhaime, first place; John Martinez, second place; Joe Angel Gutierrez, third place; and in another division Suzanna Bogard received a first place. The winning posters will advance to state competition in Abilene in June. On the back row are Brenda Clark, a member of the fireman's auxiliary who presented the awards; Tommy Guynes, assistant fire chief; Leonard Keller, volunteer; Terry Don McDowell, fire chief; Perry Westmoreland, captain; and volunteers Jack Calahan and Kenneth Wood. (SDN Staff Photo)

Feral horses find new homes

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP) — Jimmy Herrera said he got a great deal by joining about 60 other people at a weekend sale of former feral horses rescued from White Sands Missile Range.

For $125, Herrera adopted a black mare that formerly lived on the south-central New Mexico missile range. She doesn't have a name yet, but Herrera said he was excited about taking the horse home.

"She's fat, and I think she's pregnant," he said. "It's like getting two for one."

The adoption event Saturday at the New Mexico State Fairgrounds was the third of its kind since 920 horses were rounded up on the drought-ridden range earlier this year. Organizers said before the start of Saturday's activities that 375 of the animals had found new homes.

Along with the fee, buyers must promise to keep the horse for one year and agree not to use it as a rodeo bucking horse or sell it to a slaughterhouse. Some buyers had other plans for their horses.

Ron Witherspoon of Santa Fe said his two new horses could work as extras in movies filmed near Bonanza Creek Ranch. Herrera said he would keep his mare in a corral in Truchas, N.M.

Last summer, malnutrition spurred by drought killed 122 horses on the missile range. Some horses still look thin, but White Sands Missile Range biologist Patrick Morrow said their health has improved greatly since they were removed.

After the roundup, the herd was taken to Tadpole Cattle Co. in Bartlesville, Okla.

Oil Patch News

Scurry County

Partee Drilling Inc. will drill the No. 1 Bowers, a 3,000-foot wildcat located 3.5 miles east of Dunn. Location is in Section 27, Block 3, H&TC survey.

Hat Oil and Gas Inc. will drill the No. 1 Slow Hand in the Paladin-Barton field, three miles southwest of Snyder. Planned for a depth of 7,500 feet, drill site is in Section 37, Kirkland and Fields survey.

Abraxas Production Corp. will drill the No. 2 Minor in the Sharon Ridge field, two miles west of Ira., Planned for a depth of 3,200 feet, location is in Section 131, Block 97, H&TC survey.

Lakewood Operating Ltd has completed the No. 1 Koala in the Diamond M field, eight miles northwest of Ira. The well was finaled to produce 92 barrels of 44 gravity oil and 39 barrels of water. Perforations were from 6,740-764 feet, and location is in Section 98, Block 25, H&TC survey.

Spalding Energy Inc. has completed the No. 4 Fuller in the Corzaon field, two miles northwest of Fullerville. The well was finaled to produce 46 barrels of 34.3 gravity oil and 138 barrels of water. Perforations were from 2,085-166 feet, and location is in Section 88, Block 5, H&GN survey.

Garza County

Primrose Operating has completed the No. 13-P Exxon Fee in the Dorward field, three miles southeast of Justiceburg. The venture was completed to produce 29 barrels of 39 gravity oil and 228 barrels of water. Perforations were from 1,893-2,490 feet, and location is in Section 4, Block 6, H&GN survey.

Primrose Operating has completed the No. 10-F Dorward in the Dorward field, six miles southeast of Justiceburg., The well was finaled to produce 16 barrels of 39.2 gravity oil and 231 barrels of water. Perforations were from 1,900-2,498 feet, and location is in Section 112, Block 5, H&GN survey.

Primrose Operating has completed the No. 12-F Dorward in the Dorward field, six miles southeast of Justiceburg. The well was finaled to produce 21 barrels of 39 barrels of oil and 198 barrels of water. Perforations were from 1,884-2478 feet, and location is in Section 112, Block 5, H&GN survey.

Primrose Operating has completed the No. 9-F Dorward in the same field, six miles southeast of Justiceburg. Completed to produce 36 barrels of 39 gravity oil and 197 barrels of water, perforations were from 1,866-2,457 feet. Location is in Section 112, Block 5, H&GN survey.

Primrose Operating has completed the No. 12-P Exxon fee in the Dorward field, three miles southeast of Justiceburg. The well was finaled to produce 38 barrels of 39 gravity oil and 207 barrels of water. Perforations were from 1,889-2,469 feet, and location is in Section 4, Block 6, H&GN survey.

George Brown Partnership has completed the No. 404 Garza San Andres unit in the Garza field, five miles west of Post. The venture was finaled to produce 130 barrels of 35.6 gravity oil and 173 barrels of water. Perforations were from 3,176-370 feet, and location is in Section 9, Block 5, George Aycock survey.

George Brown Partnership has completed the No. 503 Garza San Andres unit in the Garza field, five miles west of Post. The well was finale to produce 127 barrels of 35.6 gravity oil and 161 barrels of water. Perforations were from 3,204-3,380 feet, and location is in Section 9, Block 5, George Aycock survey.

George Brown Partnership has completed the No. 80 Post Estate in the Garza field, two miles southwest of Post. The well was finaled to produce 24 barrels of 36.9 gravity oil and 161 barrels of water. Perforations were from 2,962-3,108 feet, and location is in Section 9, Block 5, George Aycock survey.

J.M. Huber Co. has completed the No. 7 King in the Buenos field, 10 miles northwest of Post. The well was completed to produce 123 barrels of 38.5 gravity oil and one barrel of water. Perforations were from 8,744-780 feet, and location is in Section 1301, BS&F survey.

Primrose Operating will drill the No. 178 M.A. Fuller in the Dorward field, nine miles southeast of Justiceburg. Planned for a depth of 4,000 feet, location is in Section 111, Block 5, H&GN survey.

Primrose Operating will drill the No. 181 Fuller in the Dorward field, nine miles southeast of Justiceburg. Planned for a depth of 4,000 feet, drill site is in Section 111, Block 5, H&GN survey.

Primrose Operating will drill the No. 182 Fuller in the Dorward field, nine miles southeast of Justiceburg. Also planned for 4,000 feet, location is in Section 111, Block 5, H&GN survey.

Kent County

J&J Trading will drill the No. 1 Joiner in the Wallace Ranch field, four miles southwest of Jayton. Planned for a depth of 4,100 feet, location is in Section 68, Block 98, H&TC survey.

Sharp Image Energy will drill the No. 4-B Spur in the Michelle Kay field, 28 miles northwest of Jayton. The re-entry project is planned for a depth of 6,700 feet, and location is in Section 13, Block B, Public School Land survey.

Howard County

Cobra Oil and Gas will drill the No. 2-3 Saunders in the Spankey field, five miles west of Big Spring. Planned for a depth of 10,500 feet, location is in Section 3, Block 34, T1S, T&P survey.

Wiser Oil Co. will drill the No. 1-B O'Daniel Ranch in the Wildhorse field, five miles southwest of Vincent. Planned depth is 8,500 feet, and drill site is in Section 37, Block 27, H&TC survey.

Mitchell County

Threshold Development Co. has completed the No. 9 L.A. Strain in the Sharon Ridge field, 10 miles northwest of Colorado City. The well was finaled to produce 10 barrels of 36 gravity oil and 40 barrels of water. Perforations were from 1,479-592 feet, and location is in Section 3, Block 27, T&P survey.

Nolan County

TDC Engineering Inc. will drill the No. 1 Hamon-Wallace, a 7,500-foot wildcat located 15 miles south of Loraine. Location is in Section 34, Block 12, H&TC survey.

Oryx Energy has completed the No. 4817 Nena Lucia in the Nena Lucia field, 12 miles southwest of Maryneal. The well was finaled to produce 109 barrels of 44.6 gravity oil and 44 barrels of water. Perforations were from 6,892-7,061 feet, and location is in Section 87, Block 1-A, H&TC survey.

Tucker Drilling has completed the No. 4 B.K. Harris in the Lake Trammel south field, three miles north of Maryneal. The venture was finaled to produce 95 barrels of 40.4 gravity oil and seven barrels of water. Perforations were from 5,312-336 feet, and location is in Section 76, Block X, T&P survey.

Union Pacific Resources has completed the No. 1-H Billie Jean in the Burke's Reef field, four miles northeast of Maryneal. The well was completed to produce 161 barrels of 46.7 gravity oil and eight barrels of water. Perforations were from 6,827-8,273 feet, and location is in Section 169, Block 1-A, H&TC survey.

Fisher County

Conoco Inc. will drill the No. 7 J.B. Terrell in the Roundtop field, 10 miles west of Hamlin. The re-entry project is planned for a depth of 4,700 feet, and drill site is in Section 871, Block 1, H&TC survey.

Dear Abby

Daughter's Dramatic Weight Loss Could Take Tragic Turn

by Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: My daughter, who will soon turn 18, was a heavy child from the time she was 7 or 8. In the last nine months, she has lost 145 pounds! (She weighed 260, but now she weighs about 115.)

She doesn't need to lose any more weight, but she won't stop. All she will eat is a half-cup of rice and a half-cup of steamed broccoli — once a day! She takes a daily prenatal vitamin (although she isn't pregnant). She stopped menstruating last fall. Her mood swings are so bad that she frequently bursts into tears.

My questions are: What are my legal rights in getting her professional help? What kind of help can I get her before she turns 18?

AT MY WIT'S END

DEAR WIT'S END: Your daughter is a minor, so of course you have a right to seek help for her. After she turns 18, you should consult an attorney.

Your daughter appears to suffer from anorexia nervosa. It is urgent that she be evaluated by a doctor or therapist who specializes in eating disorders. Anorexia can be fatal — so don't delay.

You can obtain information and emotional support by contacting: The National Association of Anorexia Nervosa and Associated Disorders Inc. ANAD has 400 chapters nationwide, and overseas services. For a free packet of information and referral to a therapist in your area, write to: ANAD, P.O. Box 7, Highland Park, Ill. 60035. Please include a long (business-size), self-addressed, stamped (55 cents) envelope. The organization's hotline is (708) 831-3438.

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DEAR ABBY: I own two beautiful boxer dogs. I named them Max and Shadow.

A few weeks ago, I was walking my dogs when I noticed a man walking his rottweiler. I immediately crossed the street and shortened the leashes on both my dogs.

At the moment we passed each other, this man's dog started to growl and bark at my dogs; then to my amazement, the man deliberately let his dog go. The dog jumped on Max and bit him severely on the chest. How I got the two dogs separated, I'll never know, but the visit to the vet cost me $104.

My questions are: Do I have the right to ask the owner of the rottweiler to pay for Max's vet bill? And should I have called the police on that man for deliberately letting his dog go?

My husband says "No" to calling the police.

ELIZABETH N. IN TAMPA, FLA.

DEAR ELIZABETH: I agree with your husband. You would have a difficult time proving that the owner of the rottweiler deliberately released his dog in order to attack your dog.

However, the owner of the rottweiler should pay the vet's bill.

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DEAR ABBY: Just yesterday I buried my father. I feel so empty. If I never accomplish anything else in my life, I would like the world to know that, with a little practice, it's easy to say, "I love you."

I realized during my dad's critical illness that sometimes it's very hard for people to say what's in their hearts. So I beg of you: Start today. Those three little words get easier every time you say them.

A GRIEVING DAUGHTER,
BETHEL PARK, PA.

DEAR DAUGHTER: My sympathy on the loss of your beloved father. Your letter carries an important message. Sometimes words that are the most difficult to say are the ones that the listener most needs to hear. Among the phrases that come to mind are: "I'm sorry," "I was wrong," and of course, "I love you."

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To receive a collection of Abby's most memorable — and most frequently requested — poems and essays, send a business-sized, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for $3.95 ($4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby's "Keepers," P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054-0447. (Postage is included.)

Former Baptist leader wants AIDS victims to be accepted

CHARLOTTE (AP) — The former president of the Southern Baptist Convention is opening his arms to victims of AIDS. At the same time he's lamenting the fact that many ministers are closing their door to AIDS sufferers.

"The draw is my love for the churches and my sorrow over their missing the mission," the Rev. Jimmy Allen said Sunday morning at Myers Park Presbyterian Church in Charlotte. "Families of faith across this nation are dysfunctional. They fail to realize that what we need to be is compassionate.

"If we fail, we fail to be what God wants," said Allen, his voice cracking frequently through an emotional weekend of sermons and speeches. "The challenge is to be what God calls us to be."

Perhaps no religious leader in America is more qualified to speak about AIDS than Allen, who has had four family members stricken by the virus, The Charlotte Observer reported.

An infected blood transfusion led to the death of his daughter-in-law, Lydia, in 1993 at age 37. The transfusion also led to both her sons — Allen's grandsons — being stricken by acquired immune deficiency syndrome. Eight-month-old Bryan died in 1985 from the virus he contracted in his mother's womb. Twelve-year-old Matthew is in the final stages at home in Dallas.

Allen's middle son, 41-year-old Skip, who is gay, has also tested HIV positive.

Allen, 67, is writing a book about his family's experience. He also travels frequently from his home outside Atlanta to Dallas so he and Matthew can enjoy their regular "just us guys" outings. Toting his grandson's wheelchair and oxygen tank, the two took in an Arby's lunch and movie one sweet afternoon last week.

Allen shared his family's pain with Charlotte churchgoers this weekend, imploring worshipers to accept death as a gift from God.

"We need to quit saying 'If I die' and say, 'When I die,' " he preached.

At Myers Park Presbyterian, where 50 members are already ministering to AIDS patients, Allen said a congregation's worth can be partly measured by how far they extend the hand of mercy. Christians are caring for AIDS patients more than before, he said, but they're still not caring enough.

"The stigma (over AIDS) has not diminished in the minds of a lot of churches," said Allen, who believes some pastors avoid the issue because it scares off prospective members.

Other churches simply don't want to touch an issue that strikes so close to home. "There's a romance to distant need," said Allen, who describes himself as the last of the moderate Southern Baptist Convention presidents. "We like our catastrophes to be in distant places that we can come back from."

Movie soundtracks

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Look for Randy Newman at a theater near you.

The singer-songwriter has movie soundtracks, including two Disney films, lined up through 1997.

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Community Calendar

MONDAY

Tumbleweed Toastmasters meeting; Snyder Chamber of Commerce; visitors welcome; 6-7 p.m.

Narcotics Anonymous; Winston Park Club,for information call 573-2101, 573-0900 or 573-1579; 6 p.m.

Targeting All Parents; East Elementary; "Growing Through Single Parenting," topic; babysitting available and refreshments provided; for more information call 573-7702; 7 p.m.

Alateen; Park Club at Winston Park, 37th & Ave. M.; for more information call 573-8971 or 573-2101; 8 p.m.

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park, 37th & Ave. M; for more information call 863-2349, 573-8626 or 573-1141; 8 p.m.

Overeaters Anonymous; board room of Cogdell Memorial Hospital; 7:30 p.m.; call 573-8322 for more information.

TUESDAY

American Cancer Society; board room of Cogdell Memorial Hospital; 5 p.m.

TOPS TX56, (take off pounds sensibly); weigh-in and meeting 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.; 2501 35th. For information call Peggy Vernon at 573-3122.

Narcotics Anonymous; Winston Park Club; for more information call 573-2101, 573-0900 or 573-1579; 6 p.m.

Beta Delta Phi; 7 p.m.

Dialogue, cancer support group; Cogdell Memorial Hospital board room; 7 to 8 p.m.

ACBL Open Pairs Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 7 p.m.

New Horizon Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; for information call 573-1141 or 573-2101; 8 p.m.

Al-Anon; Park Club in Winston Park, 37th & Ave. M; for information call 573-3956, 573-2101,573-1141 or 573-8626; 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Martha Ann Woman's Club Luncheon and Game Day; reservations needed by 5 p.m. Monday by calling 573-3427; $6.50 per person; serving begins at 11:30 a.m.; games follow.

Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; for information call 573-2101, 573-0900 or 573-1579; 8 p.m.

THURSDAY

Snyder Palette Club; Boys and Girls Club; 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Deep Creek Cloggers lesson; American Legion; 6:30 to 8 p.m.

Scurry Charter Chapter ABWA, MAWC; 7 p.m.

SOS (singles of Snyder) volleyball and games; First Baptist Church Family Center; 7 p.m.

Codependents Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 37th & Ave. M; for information call 573-7358; 7 p.m.

New Horizons Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club Addition in Winston Park; for information call 863-2349 or 573-8626; 8 p.m.

FRIDAY

Free blood pressure clinics; Senior Citizens Center, 9:30 to 11 a.m.

Blood pressures will be taken at Cogdell Hospital Home Health Services, 1800 Cogdell Blvd. Suite B; 1-2 p.m.

Cornelius-Dodson House; open by appointments; 573-9742 or 573-2763.

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; for information call 573-8626, 863-2349; (last Friday of the month is the birthday, open meeting); 8 p.m.

Al-Anon; Park Club in Winston Park, 37th & Ave. M; for information call 573-3956 or 573-2101; 8 p.m.

SATURDAY

People Without Partners; Inadale Community Center; games of 42 and dominos; 6:30 p.m.

Narcotics Anonymous; Winston Park Club; for information call 573-2101, 573-0900 or 573-1579; 8 p.m.

SUNDAY

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; for information call 573-1141, 863-2349 or 573-8626; 10 a.m.

Scurry County Museum; Western Texas College; open from 1 to 4 p.m.

ABCL Open Pairs Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.

Beginners Alcoholics Anonymous and Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club at Winston Park, 37th & Ave. M; 7 p.m.

Bridge

By Phillip Alder

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	SOUTH ♠K 5 4 ♥K J 10 9 6 ♦A Q 2 ♣A Q	

Vulnerable: Both
Dealer: South

South	West	North	East
1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥	Pass
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: ♣J

Falling over the edge

By Phillip Alder

John Foster Dulles said, "The ability to get to the verge without getting into the war is the necessary art." Well, in today's deal, the declarer not only got to the verge but he also fell off the precipice, losing the battle in the process. Would you have done better?

After a straightforward auction to four hearts, West led the club jack. How should South have planned the play?

Declarer won the first trick with the club queen and cashed the two top trumps. When the queen didn't appear, South cashed the club ace before playing on diamonds. However, East ruffed the third diamond and switched to the spade queen. South had to lose three spade tricks for one down.

"Was I unlucky!" grumbled South. "I took the percentage play in trumps. Also, East had to have fewer than three diamonds and West the spade ace. What are the odds against that?"

"True, you were a favorite to make," replied North. "Yet why not adopt a guaranteed line of play rather than one that is only likely to work?"

"What do you mean?" asked South.

"Well, after winning the first trick, play a heart to dummy's ace and a heart to your jack."

"That's easy for you to say when you've seen that the finesse works," said South.

"Suppose the finesse loses," continued North. "What does West return?"

"A club."

"OK. As trumps are drawn, you win and cash four diamond tricks in peace, discarding a spade from your hand. You can even try a spade to your king for an overtrick."

South mumbled an apology.

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Environmentalists mark 25th Earth Day

WASHINGTON (AP) — Thousands of Americans marked the silver anniversary of Earth Day in the shadow of the Capitol on Saturday, protesting what they fear will be a broad rollback of environmental protection laws.

"Today I can tell you what the largest threat to our environment is, and it's right behind me — the U.S. Congress," Robert Kennedy Jr., an attorney for the Natural Resources Defense Council, told a rally on the National Mall. "They're literally dismantling 25 years of environmental progress."

Congress has passed 28 major environmental laws, including the Clean Air and Clean Water acts, since the first Earth Day in 1970.

But environmentalists say the new Republican-led Congress is quickly — and stealthily — revoking that protection, and spent the 25th Earth Day urging Americans to fight back. Organizers hoped to collect millions of signatures on an "Environmental Bill of Rights" petition to present to Congress on July 4.

"Let them know up there that we still care," actor LeVar Burton of "Star Trek: The Next Generation" told the cheering crowd. "Don't turn back the clock on the environment."

That message reverberated at Earth Day events nationwide.

"The joke around here is that the 25th anniversary should be more of a wake than a celebration," said Rudy Lukez, chairman of Utah's Sierra Club.

In Tumwater, Wash., more than 100 timber workers spent Earth Day asking lawmakers to cut the Endangered Species Act, which restricts logging on lands that are home to certain protected species of plants and animals.

"It is a cruel, vicious and unrelenting law," said Barbara Mossman of Forks, Wash., who said the decline in timber production killed her family's log trucking business. "The most degrading and humiliating thing we had to do is ask for a voucher for food because we were hungry."

The act is "broken and needs to be fixed," agreed U.S. Rep. Jennifer Dunn, R-Wash., who held the "timber family" hearing with fellow Republicans Sen. Slade Gorton and Rep. Linda Smith.

Elsewhere, more than 3,000 volunteers spent the day cleaning up illegal dumps in Oregon and hundreds of Californians picked up trash in Malibu, which was devastated by winter storms that caused flooding and mudslides. In Anaheim, Calif., the first 40,000 visitors to Disneyland got free Earth Day buttons, made of recycled material and featuring Disney characters carpooling.

In New Jersey, Bell Atlantic Mobile unveiled a national recycling program, where cellular phone users can turn used phone batteries in to Bell Atlantic phone stores. The batteries will be recycled and consumers will get a store coupon good for 10 percent off their next battery purchase.

In Philadelphia, high school students recycled garbage into a sculpture of a boy fishing from a commode. "We call it 'Don't Flush Our Future,' because we say the Earth is going down the toilet," said Mike Leitmeyer, 16, who designed the piece with Robert Sieger, 17.

Of concern to environmentalists are House-passed bills that would reimburse industry for the cost of certain environmental regulations and require the benefits of new protections to outweigh the costs. Also, landowners would be paid for property value losses resulting from environmental laws.

Business leaders say environmental laws are too restrictive and that the congressional proposals mark a long overdue move away from extremism. The property-rights bill in particular was prompted by landowners who said such laws as the Endangered Species Act limit the use of their land.

"We want the right to clean air, which is our property, and the right to clean water, which is our property," countered Kennedy. "They're talking about the right to pollute."

Such legislation would end vital government efforts to clean up water, added Janet Drews, of Hartland, Wis. Her teen-age daughter died in 1993 when she drank water contaminated with cryptosporidia, a bacterium.

Although President Clinton has pledged to veto anti-environmental legislation, Earth Day founder Gaylord Nelson said he's prepared for some setbacks.

"We may get some short-term losses here, but they will be short-term," he said at the Washington rally. "I continue to be optimistic in the long pull — we're going to protect the environment because we have to."

SNYDER WHEELS SHARES — Part of the proceeds from the recent Seventh Annual Snyder Wheels Region Swap Meet was donated to the Snyder Boys and Girls Club. Gale Titus, (left) club president, is shown making the presentation to B&G Club executive director, Jack McGlaun. (SDN Staff Photo)

Viewer tip leads to arrest

WASHINGTON (AP) — Federal marshals, working on a tip from a television viewer, arrested a fugitive kidnapper from their "most wanted" list Saturday.

Marshals arrested William Dwight Dotson, 46, after he left a trailer home in Greenville, S.C. Inside the home, agents found an SKS Chinese assault rifle and two semiautomatic handguns they said belonged to the fugitive.

Dotson, who has a criminal record dating to 1975, has been wanted in Atlanta since 1990 when he allegedly violated parole on a conviction for kidnapping and bank robbery.

Agents had combed the Southeast for Dotson, but his arrest came after a viewer of TV's "America's Most Wanted" program told the U.S. Marshals Service last week that Dotson resembled a man the viewer had seen in Greenville.

His arraignment on the Atlanta charge is set for Monday.

Dotson also is wanted in Blount County, Tenn., on 1989 charges of robbery and attempted homicide of a law enforcement officer in Maryville, according to the Marshals Service.

Look on the bright side: The incidence of common colds is greater among better-educated people.

DATE BOOK

April 24, 1995

Today is the 114th day of 1995 and the 36th day of spring.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1800, the Library of Congress was established. It is the largest library in the world.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Anthony Trollope (1815-1882), novelist; Robert Penn Warren (1905-1989), writer; Shirley MacLaine (1934-), actress, is 61; Barbra Streisand (1942-), actress-singer, is 53; Eric Bogosian (1953-), actor, is 42.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1985, Dale Earnhardt set the unofficial world speed record for stock cars — 167.702 mph.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "When they built this building they were afraid to say that beauty is truth for fear that it wouldn't be by the time it was completed." — Daniel J. Boorstin, Librarian of Congress

TODAY'S WEATHER: On this day in 1990, all of Nyngan, New South Wales, Australia, was flooded to depth up to 20 feet. All 2,500 residents were removed by the next day, as the water reached the second floor of many buildings.

SOURCE: 1995 Weather Guide Calendar, Accord Publishing, Ltd.

TODAY'S MOON: Between last quarter (April 21) and new moon (April 29).

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Priest robbed at knifepoint by two women

NEW YORK (AP) — Two women robbed a priest of about $400 at knife point in his church, police said Saturday.

The Rev. Carlos Lopez Acosta said he heard a noise in St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church in the Bronx late Friday, said police spokesman Doram Tamari.

"He went down the stairs to the first floor and confronted two women," Tamari said. "They pulled him by the collar, displayed a knife and told him, they would kill him if he didn't open the safe."

The women took the money and fled on foot, Tamari said. One suspect, 30-year-old Maritza Rodriquez, was arrested Saturday afternoon and charged with robbery and burglary. The other woman remained at large.

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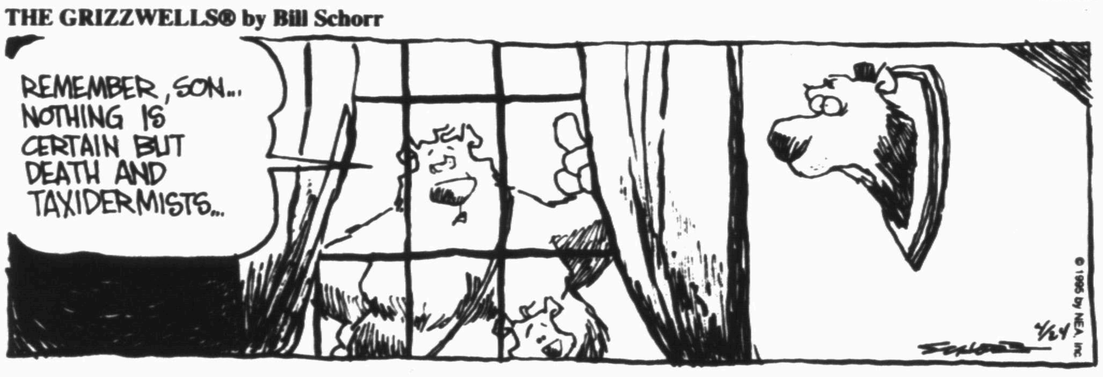

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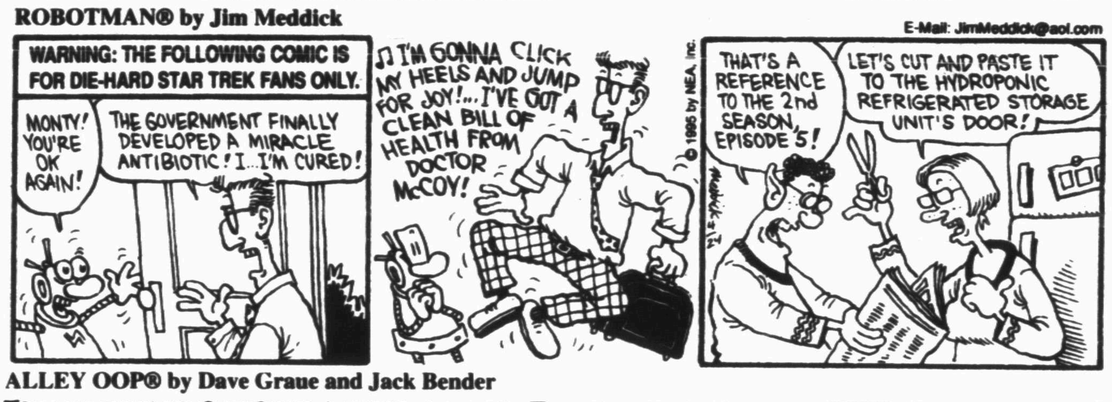

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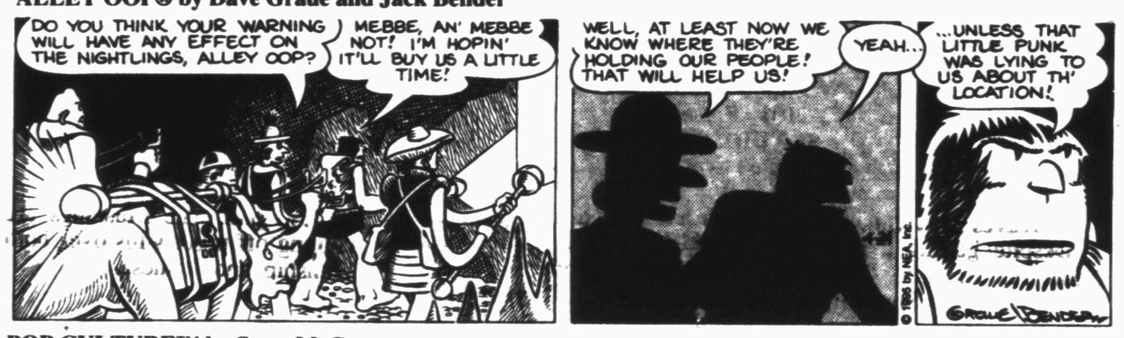

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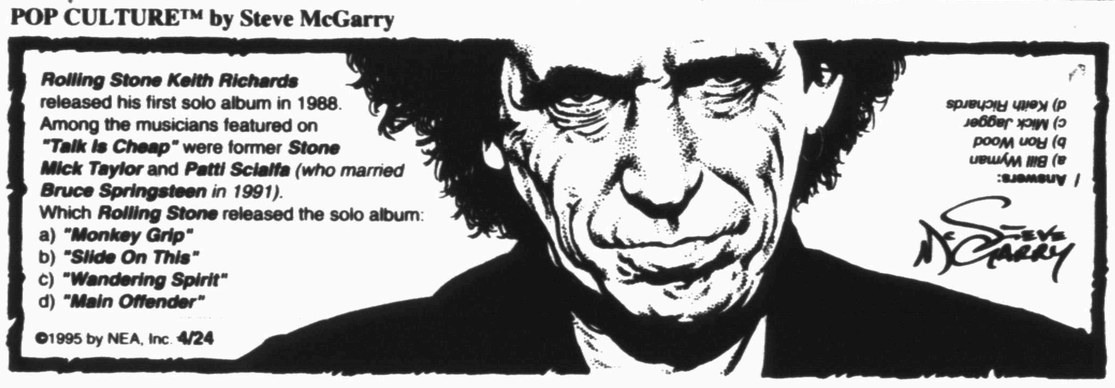

NEA Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1 Diminutive suffix
5 Intention
12 Plastic wrap
13 Collector (of facts, etc.)
14 Gravestone
15 Rigorous
16 N. American native
18 Fib
19 Aviator
21 Ethiopian title
24 UK mil. pilots
27 Coup d' —
28 Ignite
29 Single items
31 Compass pt.
32 Arabian seaport
33 Father
34 Recording abbr.
35 Printers' terms
36 Heavy volume
37 Vow
39 Female ruff
40 Nahoor sheep
41 Mouth sore
43 On the contrary
44 — De Havilland
48 Egyptian tomb
52 Frogs' relatives
53 Straight course
54 Roman official
55 Proverbs
56 Depend

DOWN

1 Supa
2 Migration
3 Actress — Shire
4 Foes
5 Golfers' org.
6 Wall
7 Varnish ingredient
8 Top of head
9 Single
10 Sun. speech
11 Before
12 Opp. of NNW
17 Table scrap
20 Plains Indian
21 Bus passenger
22 Mountain crest
23 Intelligence
24 Deteriorates
25 Negative atom
26 Terra —
28 Chubby
30 Golf mound
34 Covering
35 Refuge
38 Boxing-victory abbr.
41 Aromatic seed
42 — — Janeiro
43 Java's neighbor
45 Colorado ski resort
46 Without purpose
47 Peer Gynt's mother
48 Non-profit TV
49 Cry of affirmation
50 Bridge of San Luis —
51 — Moines

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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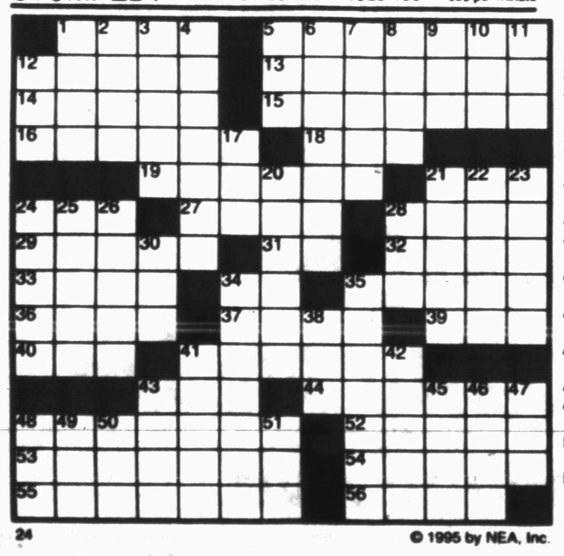

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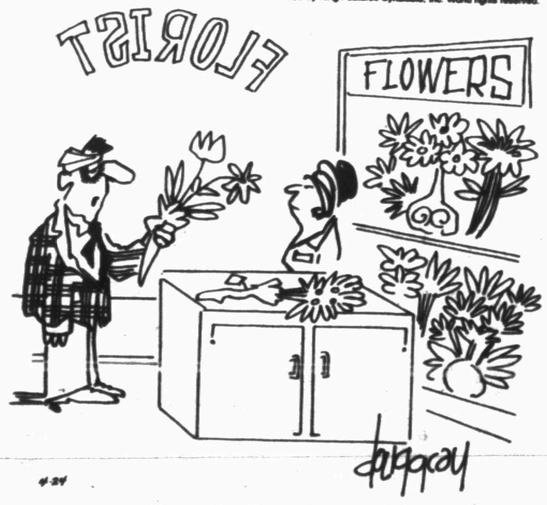
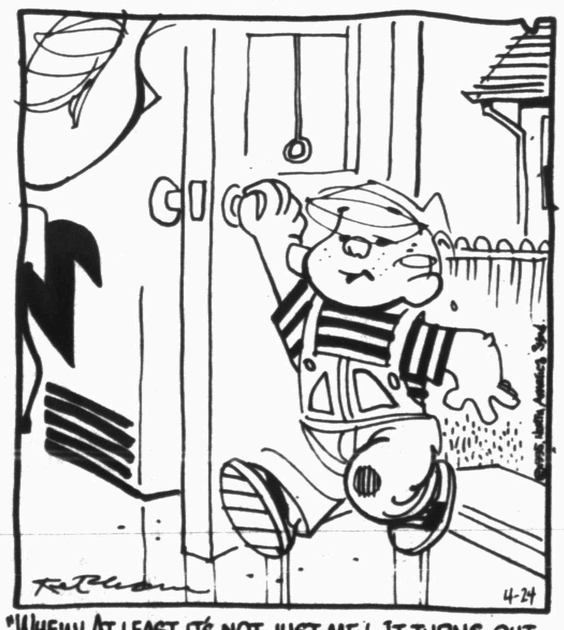


"Can I return these? They didn't say it quite right."

DENNIS THE MENACE



"WHEW! AT LEAST IT'S NOT JUST ME! IT TURNS OUT MR. WILSON IS MAD AT THE WHOLE WORLD!"

Sports

Little League Scoreboard

MAJORS

Athletics 6, Yankees 3

The Atletics used nine hits to propel them past the Yankees 6-3 in action Saturday.

Adam Roemisch and R.J. Hernandez came away with two hits apiece and Levi Mandrell, Jerry Jamison, Logan Hill, Matthew Wiggins and Diego Hernandez all singled in the win.

Mandrell was the winning pitcher.

For the Yankees, Joel Watson, Ryan Gibson, Stafford Gray and Landon Day all had hits in the loss.

Craig Bowden was the losing pitcher.

Braves, White Sox

The Braves improved to 2-0 on the season Saturday with a 9-5 victory over the White Sox.

Brandon McGuire tripled and was the winning pitcher for the Braves. Jessie Haines, Stephen Ortegon and Tyler Pollard all had two hits in the victory.

The Braves also got hits from Nathan Smith, Paddy Valentine, Chance Greenwood and Dustin Davenport.

Martin Villarreal helped himself out with a triple, but he was still the losing pitcher.

The White Sox (1-1) got two hits from Shade Everton and T.J. Jones, Clay Williams, Jeremy Bowden, Nicholas Landes, Zach Rollins and Cole McLeod all singled.

MINORS

Yankees 13, Athletics 12

The Yankees rode the bats of Jess Wall and Henry Domingez en route to a 13-12 win Saturday over the Athletics.

Domingez tripled, singled and scored three runs in the win, while Wall doubled and singled. Chance Squiers also had a hit.

Eric Dickerhoff had two hits and Josh Key and Adam Jones both singled for the A's.

The winning and losing pitcher were not recorded.

Braves 10, White Sox 9

Despite getting a grand slam home run and a triple from Jeff Witt, the White Sox fell 10-9 to the Braves Saturday.

Ryan McCarney socked the Sox with a triple and a single and Cody Wall had a hit in the Braves' win.

Lyndell Lee blasted a pair of singles and Thomas Witt had a hit for the Sox.

REGIONAL TIGERS — The Snyder girls golf team traveled to San Angelo this morning to compete in the first round of the regional tournament. Team members include, from left, Brooke Lowrance, Julie Doolittle, Brooke Kubena, Coach Matt Glenn, Alissa Wells, Kayla Drain, Daysha Weaver and Kelly Lacik. (Photo By Todd Stanley)

Lady Tigers hit the links

SAN ANGELO — The Snyder Lady Tiger golf team got down to business this morning, as it teed off during the first round of the regional tournament at Riverside Golf Course.

Snyder, which cruised through the district competition, will now have to battle the top teams in the area.

The Lady Tigers captured the District 5-4A crown with a 147-stroke lead over second place Lamesa.

This marks the fourth straight year that Snyder and Coach Matt Glenn have advanced to regional competition.

Among those teams slated to challenge for the regional title, along with Snyder, are Andrews, Borger and Hereford.

"We will be playing against some tough competition," Coach Glenn said. "But, I think that our girls will be right in the thick of things when everything is said and done."

The top two teams and the top two individuals advance to the state tournament in Austin.

Snyder's Brooke Lowrance, who won the district medalist title for the fourth year in a row, is expected to be one of the front-runners for the regional individual crown.

The Lady Tigers who were slated to play this morning were Lowrance, Kelly Lacik, Daysha Weaver, Kayla Drain and Brooke Kubena.

The regional tournament is scheduled to continue tomorrow at 8 a.m.

Mats hand Tigers first district loss

Todd Stanley
SDN Sports Editor

It didn't take long Saturday for the Estacado Matadors to prove to Snyder that they meant business.

Estacado (13-13, 3-4) knocked Snyder starting pitcher Lee Idom (4-2) out of the game in the first inning with a triple and two home runs en route to a 9-2 victory.

Idom, who has looked sharp in his previous outings, struggled from out of the blocks and made way for Reagan Key after recording just two outs.

Key was touched for four runs, three of them earned in his 6⅔ innings in relief. He also struck out nine.

Snyder (15-6-1) was unable to figure out Estacado's starting pitcher David Marquez, as the right-handed curveballer kept the Tigers off balance.

"My curveball was really on today," Marquez said. "I was able to get it over the corners and they had a hard time picking it up."

Although the Tigers were able to finally settle down, getting 10 hits on the afternoon, the damage had already been done.

Snyder got on the board in the fifth with a solo shot over the "Iron Curtain" by left fielder Chris Mitchell. It was the first home run over the wall in center field by a Tiger this season.

The second run came after Jeremy House reached on a single, Patrick Cumbie singled House to third and Gene Pollard hit a sacrifice fly to right field, scoring House to make the tally 9-2.

Snyder head coach Roland Herrera, who said that the Matadors could really hit the ball, was astonished following the game.

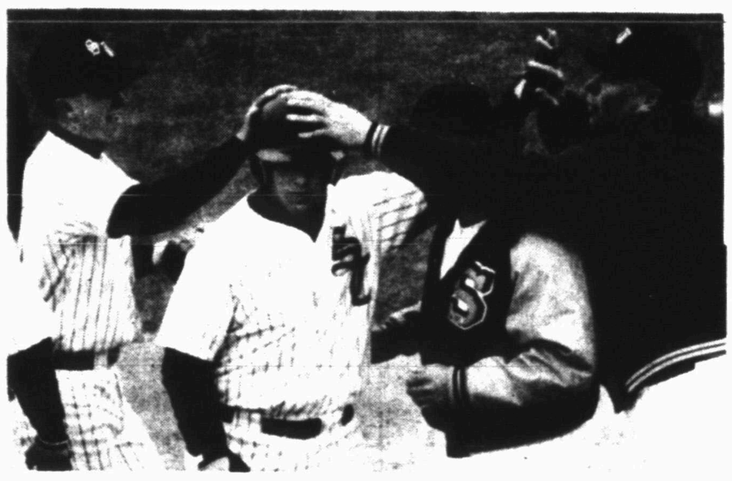
"It's hard for me to figure out how a team that hits the ball this well is only three and four in district."

The Tigers travel to Sweetwater Tuesday to take on the Mustangs at 7:30 p.m. The Mustangs are coming off upset wins over both Frenship and Lamesa.

ESTACADO 9, SNYDER 2

		R	H	E
Estacado	6 2 1 0 0 0 0 -	9	11	2
Snyder	0 0 0 0 2 0 0 -	2	10	3

SHS: Idom, Key (1) and Rinehart; EHS: Marquez and Guerro. WP — Marquez. LP — Idom (4-2). 2B — SHS: Key 2; EHS: Davis, Guerro, White. 3B — EHS: Bradley. HR — EHS: Bradley, Guerro; SHS: Mitchell (3). Records - Snyder (15-6-1, 6-1), Estacado (13-13, 3-4).



CHARMING — Chris Mitchell's fifth inning home run was cause for a Tiger celebration. Joining in the celebration are, from left, Ty Estes, Mitchell, Oliver Vasquez and Coach Lavon Webb. (Photo By Todd Stanley)

Tigers split with Loraine

The Snyder junior varsity baseball team knew going into Friday's contest against Loraine that it would have its hands full.

The Bulldogs came into the game ranked No. 10 in the state in class 1A. However, the Tigers hung tough, splitting the doubleheader. Snyder lost the first game 6-5, but knocked off Loraine (13-5) in convincing style in the nightcap.

Snyder (15-5) got behind early in the first game, as Loraine jumped out to a 4-0 lead. The Tigers were able to tie the game up in the fifth, 4-4, before the Bulldogs struck for two more in the sixth.

In the second game, Chris Hernandez (1-0) allowed eight hits, but kept the runners from scoring, as he captured his first win ever.

The Tigers are scheduled to play in Abilene today at 5:30.

LORAINE 6, SNYDER JV 5

		R	H	E
Loraine	1 1 0 1 1 2 0 -	6	9	4
Snyder JV	0 0 0 0 4 0 1 -	5	8	4

SHS: Berryman and Gard; LHS: Moore and Gomez. WP — Moore. LP — Berryman (6-3). 2B — LHS: Wooddell. 3B — SHS: Beck. Records - Snyder (14-5), Loraine (13-4).

SNYDER JV 9, LORAINE 4

		R	H	E
Loraine	1 2 0 0 0 0 1 -	4	8	3
Snyder JV	0 6 1 2 0 0 x -	9	9	2

SHS: Hernandez and Gard; LHS: Finley, Ripo (6) and Gomez. WP — Hernandez (1-0). LP — Finley. 2B — LHS: Wooddell. Records - Snyder (15-5), Loraine (13-5).

WTC off to regionals

DENISON — The Western Texas College golf team takes on its second straight monstrous golf course beginning today, as it competes in the regional junior college tournament.

Two weeks ago at the state tournament in Weatherford, the Westerners battled the links of Sugar Tree Country Club. This week they will attempt to navigate Tanglewood Country Club successfully.

"We just got done playing a very difficult golf course," WTC head coach Milton Ham said. "Now, we have to go play another one."

At Sugar Tree, not one of the 103 golfers entered was able to finish under par. However, WTC's Cory Stone stayed out of trouble for most of the 54 holes, as he finished in the fourth medalist position with a 77-76-73--226.

Stone, along with teammates Matt Clements, Ron Glennie, Will Gray and Mark Smith, are slated to play 36 holes today and 18 more tomorrow.

Westerners secure team titles

ABILENE — The Western Texas College men's and women's rodeo teams moved into second place in the regional standings Saturday with first place finishes at the Hardin-Simmons Rodeo.

The WTC men scored 300 points to out distance West Texas A&M (225) and Vernon (205).

In the women's race, WTC dominated with 200 points. Howard was second (155) and Vernon finished thrid (90).

The work done by Cleve Schmidt and Davey Shields propelled the WTC men. Schmidt and Shields finished one-two in the bareback bronc riding to garner 200 points for their team.

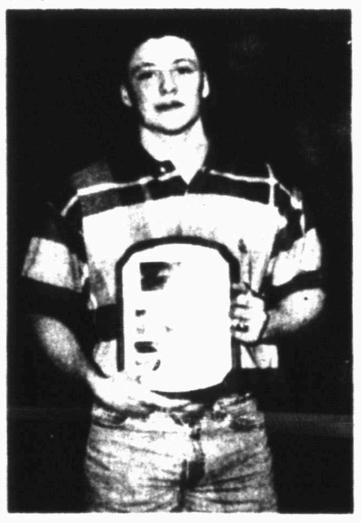
Guy Smith won the calf roping event and Pete Ellis placed second in the saddle bronc riding competition.

Chasity Rickman claimed the women's all-around with a first in both the breakaway roping and the goat tying.

Shawna Davidson finished fourth in the Goat Tying.

FOOTBALL MVP — Chris Mitchell received the MVP award for the 1994 football season.

FIGHTING TIGER — Nathan Zalman won the Fighting Tiger award for the 1994 football season.



BEST HUSTLE — Greg McAden took home the Best Hustle award for the 1994 football season.

NHL Glance

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EASTERN CONFERENCE	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Atlantic Division						
y-Philadelphia	26	14	4	56	142	122
NewJersey	20	17	7	47	122	110
Washington	19	17	7	45	112	105
N.Y.Rangers	19	21	3	41	121	118
Florida	17	20	5	39	99	110
TampaBay	17	23	3	37	110	121
N.Y.Islanders	13	25	5	31	109	141
Northeast Division						
z-Quebec	28	12	4	60	174	127
z-Pittsburgh	28	13	2	58	167	138
Boston	23	16	3	49	131	110
Buffalo	18	18	6	42	111	106
Montreal	18	20	5	41	116	134
Hartford	18	21	5	41	119	129
Ottawa	5	32	5	15	92	155
WESTERN CONFERENCE						
Central Division						
z-Detroit	31	8	4	66	169	100
z-St.Louis	25	12	5	55	156	116
Toronto	19	18	7	45	121	131
Chicago	19	19	5	43	135	108
Dallas	17	19	8	42	128	115
Winnipeg	14	22	7	35	142	163
Pacific Division						
z-Calgary	22	15	6	50	148	120
Vancouver	16	16	11	43	136	131
SanJose	16	23	3	35	109	148
LosAngeles	13	21	9	35	132	162
Edmonton	15	24	4	34	119	162
Anaheim	14	24	5	33	111	150

z-clinched playoff berth
y-clinched division title

Saturday's Games

Ottawa 3, N.Y. Islanders 2
Philadelphia 4, New Jersey 3, OT
Washington 2, Pittsburgh 1
Montreal 3, Tampa Bay 1
Florida 4, Quebec 2
Dallas 6, Toronto 4
Vancouver 6, Edmonton 1

Sunday's Games

Buffalo 4, Philadelphia 2
Boston 5, N.Y. Rangers 4
Chicago 2, St. Louis 2, tie
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Anaheim 2, Los Angeles 2, tie
Pittsburgh 4, Hartford 2
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z-Boston	35	47	.427	22
Miami	32	50	.390	25
NewJersey	30	52	.366	27
Philadelphia	24	58	.293	33
Washington	21	61	.256	36
Central Division				
z-Indiana	52	30	.634	-
z-Charlotte	50	32	.610	2
z-Chicago	47	35	.573	5
z-Cleveland	43	39	.524	9
z-Atlanta	42	40	.512	10
Milwaukee	34	48	.415	18
Detroit	28	62	.341	24
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
y-SanAntonio	62	20	.756	-
z-Utah	60	22	.732	2
z-Houston	47	35	.573	15
z-Denver	41	41	.500	21
Dallas	36	46	.439	26
Minnesota	21	61	.256	41
Pacific Division				
z-Phoenix	59	23	.720	-
z-Seattle	57	25	.695	2
z-L.A.Lakers	48	34	.585	11
z-Portland	44	38	.537	15
Sacramento	39	43	.476	20
GoldenState	26	56	.317	33
L.A.Clippers	17	65	.207	42

z-clinched playoff berth
y-clinched conference title
z-clinched division title

Saturday's Games

Chicago 116, Charlotte 100
Denver 130, Golden State 129, 2OT
Portland 109, L.A. Lakers 104

Sunday's Games

Washington 106, Philadelphia 90
New York 113, Orlando 99
Milwaukee 104, Chicago 100
Charlotte 97, Cleveland 72
Indiana 103, Atlanta 87
San Antonio 97, Minnesota 91
Phoenix 105, Seattle 100
New Jersey 102, Boston 99
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Cosell dies at age 77

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Lamesa	4	3	.571	15	7	0	.682
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Sweetwater	2	5	.286	5	16	0	.238
Levelland	1	6	.143	7	15	0	.318

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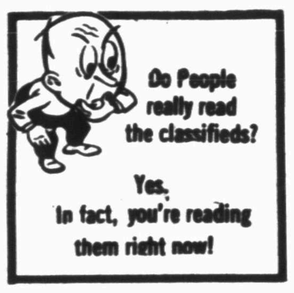

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Luck, quick sleuthing helped finger one bombing suspect

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — The FBI's computer came through just in time.

Catching the suspect in the deadliest bombing in U.S. history also took a signature clue from the rubble, an artist's sketch, the diligence of a conscientious cop and what veteran detectives call their best weapon — a golden stroke of luck.

Just 49 hours and 20 minutes after the monstrous blast, the law found its man 63 miles north of the scene of the crime in a small-town jail, put there by a state trooper who nabbed him for driving without a license plate and carrying a loaded handgun.

Charged with the bombing was Timothy James McVeigh, 27, a veteran of Desert Storm and a one-time security guard who gave his address as Decker, Mich.

The FBI manhunt continued Saturday for a second, unidentified suspect. Two brothers, James Douglas Nichols and Terry Nichols, were in custody as material witnesses. The FBI described them as friends and former military colleagues of McVeigh.

The big break in the case came when investigators discovered a mangled truck axle two blocks from the explosion. They determined it came from the vehicle that housed the bomb.

On the axle was a vehicle identification number — a marker unique to each vehicle — that enabled them to trace the truck to a Ryder truck rental company called Elliott's Body Shop in Junction City, Kan.

A similar number from a twisted scrap of metal had led authorities to those who bombed the World Trade Center in 1993. That vehicle was also a yellow Ryder truck and also had carried a killer brew of fuel oil and fertilizer rigged into a homemade bomb.

Although the name on the Kansas rental agreement led to a dead end, the FBI got composite sketches of two men from the rental agent. Those drawings were flashed around the world and a $2 million reward was offered.

Agents also showed the artist's sketches to various motels in Junction City, Kan. Clerks at the Dreamland Motel recognized one of the drawings as a guest who had stayed there from April 14-18 and registered under the name of Tim McVeigh from Decker, Mich.

That name was run through the FBI's computers.

Then fortune lent a hand.

At 10:20 a.m. on April 19, with survivors still staggering from the smoking ruins of the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building, Timothy James McVeigh was driving his 1977 yellow Mercury Marquis north on Interstate 35.

State trooper Charles Hanger noted the car had no license plate and turned on his siren and flashing lights. When McVeigh reached for his wallet to produce his driver's license, Hanger noticed a bulge under McVeigh's jacket that turned out to be a loaded .45-caliber Glock 21 semiautomatic.

Hanger, a 19-year veteran of the force, drew his own gun and pointed it at the back of McVeigh's head, telling him to keep his hands up as he walked him behind the car. The trooper found more ammunition — some of it capable of penetrating bullet-proof vests — and a knife with a five-inch blade inside a scabbard.

What had started as a routine traffic violation led Hanger to take McVeigh to the Noble County Courthouse in Perry, Okla., for booking on five misdemeanor charges. He told the trooper he was on a cross-country trip and produced a security badge to explain why he had the gun.

Normally, McVeigh would have been arraigned the next day. But Judge Dan Allen, who would have heard the charges, was tied up with a divorce case and McVeigh had to spend another night in the fourth-floor lockup instead of posting bail and going on his way.

At a 10 a.m. hearing Friday, bail was set at $5,000, which McVeigh could have easily made with the cash he was carrying, authorities said.

But, his arrest having shown up on the FBI's computers, federal agents called the courthouse just in time.

They notified the jail that they wanted to question McVeigh, who was moved to a solitary confinement cell before his bail hearing. They arrived after the morning hearing and began the process of arresting him on federal charges.

According to lawyers familiar with the case, Hanger also had recognized McVeigh from the composite sketches.

Still, it was a close call.

"If the federal government had waited another hour, he probably would have made bail. He came desperately close to making bail," said Assistant District Attorney Mark Gibson.

What impressed authorities during McVeigh's stint in jail was his stoicism, even when he was led off in handcuffs and leg irons past a jeering crowd that shouted "Baby killer!" as he was led out of the courthouse.

"During the whole time, he was never the least bit nervous, concerned or upset. He never let on. He was as cool as he could be," Gibson said.

Acquaintances of McVeigh paint contradictory portrait

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — To an angry nation, he's a scowling face emerging from a country courthouse, surrounded by police.

Those who knew Timothy McVeigh before he became a suspect in the bombing here offer a complex, contradictory portrait: a canny boy who would surely "go somewhere," then an unremarkable student, and later a straight-arrow soldier but also "a subdued loner" in his Gulf War infantry unit.

In recent years, acquaintances say, he befriended tax protesters and other anti-government types and his politics turned to the far right. He visited Waco, Texas, and returned angry. And he never went anywhere unarmed.

"He's always looking over his shoulder," said Carl Brocker of Decker, Mich., where McVeigh spent time off and on in recent years with Army buddy Terry Nichols, now being held as a witness.

Neighbors said McVeigh often drove his car around town loaded with guns and ammunition for sale.

"He was a drifter," said Mary Ann Saenen. "He was very militant and always carried a weapon."

Timothy James McVeigh, arrested on a weapons charge in Perry, Okla., within 80 minutes of Wednesday's bombing, was born on April 23, 1968, and grew up in the suburbs of Buffalo, N.Y.

A neighbor during his boyhood, Pat Waugh, recalls McVeigh as a child with promise. "That kid is going to go somewhere," she said to herself, watching his neighborhood money-making schemes, a gambling casino or haunted house to draw the kids down the block.

When he was around 10, McVeigh's family split up, his mother moving away with a younger sister. He, his father and an older sister moved to a smaller house, Waugh said.

His father still lives in Pendleton, N.Y., where McVeigh graduated from high school in 1986. He was described as a good student and in his high school yearbook, he listed talking, computers and cars as his interests. He also played basketball. Classmate Wendy Stephany said he was quiet and friendly.

McVeigh entered the military after high school and left the area. Military records have been closed as the investigation proceeds, but his comrades say McVeigh was in the Army from around 1989 to 1992, serving at Fort Riley, Kan., and in the Gulf War, where he was a Bradley vehicle gunner and a sergeant.

"He was a good soldier. If he was given a mission and a target, it's gone," said James Ives, another sergeant in his Army infantry unit.

Ives agreed with the recollection of another soldier, Robert Copeland of Aurora, Colo., who described McVeigh as a loner who rarely joined others after hours, but didn't seem strange. And he was a hard worker, they said.

During the Gulf War, McVeigh had seen what explosives can do, Ives said. "I remember Kuwaiti and Iraqi villages that had been blown away ... little kids, women, children," he said.

Training on his own time, marching with a pack weighing up to 100 pounds, McVeigh hoped to join the Army Special Forces but was injured during his tryout, failed, and was "extremely disappointed," Ives said.

He said other ex-comrades told him McVeigh became involved with off-post political groups with strong anti-government views toward the end of his military career. He could not identify the groups, saying only, "militias ... cults is what I call them."

One of McVeigh's fellow servicemen was Terry Nichols, and after living for a time in Kansas — a Fort Riley address appears on his driver's license through November 1993 — McVeigh went to Decker, Mich., where he worked on a farm owned by Nichols' brother James, who also is being held as a witness by the FBI.

There, acquaintances say, McVeigh's anti-government views fit in well.

Nichols "is concerned about people losing their rights," said neighbor Frank Kieltyka. Others said he refuses to give his Social Security number and marks cash with stamps saying he is not responsible for backing up its value.

An FBI affidavit said James Nichols had been involved "in the construction of bombs." Neighbors said they saw Terry Nichols blowing things up at the Decker farm. The local sheriff said they never reported it.

Terry Nichols sent a letter to the township clerk in 1992 renouncing his right to vote because "there is total corruption in the entire political system."

Another Decker resident, Randy Izydorek, said he believed Nichols was involved in a citizens' militia group called the Patriots.

Officials of the unrelated Michigan Militia said neither Nichols nor McVeigh belongs to their group. But an unidentified militia member told Detroit-area station WXYZ-TV that McVeigh was at a Michigan Militia meeting in Jackson, Mich., in January.

Speakers talked of the need to take action against the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms,

Teachers protest changes in laws

FORT WORTH (AP) — Teachers and other school employees, many carrying pickets signs, have taken to the streets to protest proposed changes in state education laws.

About two dozen Fort Worth teachers and their co-workers urged passersby Saturday at the Main St. Arts Festival and other locations around the city to ask their legislators to defeat the proposals.

One picket sign read: "No Public $$$$ for Private Schools."

"We are educators educating the public," said Ginger Shackelford, president of the Fort Worth Education Association.

The group, which represents about 3,000 of the district's 4,000 teachers, nurses and support staff, handed out fliers and sought signatures on a petition they hope to deliver to state legislators this week.

The association's most obvious targets were proposals that would provide state support for private schools or for the parents of children who attend them, Shackelford said.

But the group has other concerns.

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Obituaries

ANDRES RODRIQUEZ

Mr. Rodriquez

1961-1995

Funeral mass is set for 2 p.m. Tuesday in St. John's Catholic Church in Hermleigh for Andres P. Rodriquez Jr., 33, of Hermleigh. Fr. Reynaldo Reyes will officiate. Burial will follow in Hillside Memorial Gardens.

Rosary will be said at 7:30 p.m. today at Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home Chapel.

Mr. Rodriquez died at 7:55 a.m. Sunday in Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene after a short illness.

Born on Sept. 20, 1961 in Snyder, he married Margaret Martinez on Jan. 1, 1989 in Hermleigh. Mr. Rodriquez, a lifetime resident of Scurry County, graduated from Hermleigh High School in 1980 and had been employed at Snyder Janitorial Supply for 15 years. He was a current board member of the Hermleigh ISD. He was a member of St. John's Catholic Church.

Survivors include his wife, Margaret Rodriquez of Hermleigh; two daughters, Andrea Rodriquez and Ashly Rodriquez, both of Hermleigh; one brother, Gerald Rodriquez of Hermleigh; four sisters, Anita Felan and Paula Estrada, both of Snyder, Benita Rios of Hermleigh and Rosa Gonzales of Sweetwater.

Leora Partain

1908-1995

Funeral service is set for 1 p.m. Wednesday in the Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home Chapel for Leora Partain, 86, who died today in Snyder Oaks Care Center.

Officiating will be the Rev. Ernie McGaughey, pastor of the First United Methodist Church. Burial will follow in Hillside Memorial Gardens.

Born in Polk County, Ark., she taught school in Arkansas before marrying Omer Earnest Partain on Nov. 23, 1983 in Wewoka, Okla. He died in 1983.

The couple moved to Snyder in 1950 where they owned and operated Partain Pipeline Construction until 1957. In the 1960s, she worked at Cogdell Memorial Hospital. Hobbies included gardening, flowers and cooking.

Mrs. Partain was preceded in death by a daughter, Ernestine Nolan, and a granddaughter, Laura Woolever.

Survivors include two sons, John Partain of Snyder and Leonard Partain of Odessa; a daughter, Leoma Hagan of Longview; a brother Dan E. Cloud of Stockton, Calif.; a sister, Lyla Brown of Longview; nine grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Hernandez

1927-1995

BIG SPRING — Funeral service was set for 2 p.m. today in the Sacred Heart Catholic Church for Elidia T. Hernandez, 68, who died Saturday at her home in Big Spring.

Officiating was the Rev. James P. Delaney. Interment was to follow in the Mt. Olive Memorial Park.

Born in Marfa, she married Arthur F. Hernandez on Feb. 26, 1949 in Big Spring. He died in 1984.

Mrs. Hernandez moved to Big Spring in 1946, and worked at Medical Arts Hospital for several years before ill health forced her retirement.

Mrs. Hernandez attended both the St. Thomas Catholic Church and the Sacred Heart Catholic Church. She was a member of the Guadalupana Society, and was a Gold Star Mother.

Survivors include two daughters and a son-in-law, Mary Ann and Chon "Pogie" Rodriguez of Snyder and Susie Hernandez of Big Spring; two grandsons, Michael and Mark Rodriguez, both of Snyder; three brothers, Orlando Tercero of Big Spring, Homer Tercero of Prunedale, Calif., and Merardo Bonilla of El Paso; four sisters, Margarita Bonilla of Coalinga, Calif., Sulema Navarrette of Hanford, Calif., Irene Maynard of Fayetteville, Ark., and Jane Tercero of Fresno, Calif.

She was preceded in death by a son, her parents and two sisters.

The family suggests memorials to the Arthritis Foundation, P.O. Box 1918 in Lubbock or to the American Cancer Society, Box 2121, in Big Spring.

Ralph Stark

1921-1995

MIDLAND - Ralph Stark, 73, the father of Marsha Krenek of Snyder, died early today at his home in Midland following a long illness.

Services are pending at Ellis Funeral Home.

Donations accepted

By The Associated Press

Organizations accepting donations for victims of the Oklahoma City bombing:

The American Red Cross Disaster Relief Fund, P.O. Box 37243, Washington, D.C. 20013. Credit card donations can be made by calling 1-800-HELPNOW or 1-800-842-2200 (English) or 1-800-257-7575 (Spanish).

The B'nai B'rith Disaster Relief Fund, 1640 Rhode Island Ave., NW. Washington, D.C. 20036.

Catholic Charities USA — Oklahoma Explosion, Disaster Response Office, 1731 King St., Alexandria, Va. 22314.

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Federal Emergency Management Agency, 1-800-284-0609. Number will be in operation from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. each day.

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Southern Baptists 1-901-272-2461.

Cash donations may be dropped off at Oklahoma City-area Sonic Drive-Ins; at any area BankIV or mailed to the bank at P.O. Box 1255, Oklahoma City, Okla. 73101.

Building materials, including plastic sheeting, screw guns, screws, sheetrock, drywall tape, drywall screws and nails, paint and glass, may be dropped off at Drug Recovery Inc. at 8th and Hudson in Oklahoma City. Phone: 405-232-7215.

To check on relatives:
Red Cross: 405-232-7121
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Those who were in the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building at the time of the explosion are asked to call 405-297-2424 or 297-2345.

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Clinton prays with anguished nation

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — President Clinton led an anguished nation Sunday in prayers for victims of the federal office building bombing and outlined a series of broad steps to give the government new powers to fight terrorism. He said the bombers should be executed.

"If this is not a crime for which capital punishment is called, I don't know what is," Clinton said in an interview on CBS' "60 Minutes" after presiding over a nationally televised memorial service.

Clinton also directed his administration to replace the office building devastated by last Wednesday's blast and appointed Attorney Gen. Janet Reno to oversee a 60-day high-level review of the vulnerability of federal buildings. There are more than 8,000 such structures in the country.

He said Americans may have to exercise some "discipline" in their freedoms in order to allow law officers to prevent terrorism at home.

On a day he designated a national day of mourning, a solemn Clinton told a nationally televised memorial service: "Those who are lost now belong to God. Someday we will be with them. But until that happens, their legacy must be our lives."

"In the face of death, let us honor life," he told Oklahoma City mourners.

Clinton also denounced paramilitary groups and those who glorified the Branch Davidian cult members who died in a bloody standoff with federal agents two years ago.

"Those people murdered a bunch of innocent law enforcement officials who worked for the federal government," Clinton said.

He said there are potential problems in trying to crack down on paramilitary organizations.

"I don't want to interfere with anyone's constitutional rights," he said. However, he said that no one has the right to violate laws against life and property.

Among the steps announced on Sunday by Clinton:

—Legislation to establish a Domestic Counterterrorism Center to be headed by the FBI; creation of a special fund to be used for infiltrating suspected terrorist organizations and other means of combating terrorism.

—Legislation to give the FBI increased authority to comb through hotel and motel registers and to search phone logs, greater access to credit card records.

—Pressing for passage of the administration's Omnibus Counterterrorism Act, which would give the government more power to fight terrorism greater authority to protect the confidentiality of sources in official proceedings.

U.S., North Korea nuclear differences are surfacing again

WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S.-North Korea nuclear dispute, which lay deceptively dormant over the winter, is springing back toward the brink of crisis.

The problem looks less threatening now than a year ago, when there appeared to be a real prospect that it would erupt into a military conflict requiring a large American troop reinforcement of South Korea. On the other hand, recent hopes for a permanent solution are suddenly crumbling.

On a practical level, the issue now is whether North Korea will abandon an agreement struck with Washington last October to freeze its nuclear program in exchange for receiving two new Western-supplied reactors. If the deal dies, the Clinton administration might seek economic penalties against the communist North — a move the North Koreans have said would amount to an act of war.

There was a somewhat more optimistic report today from Seoul, South Korea, that North Korea may accept a U.S. proposal for high-level political talks.

"We could resume a dialogue with the United States, which we consider important. But there are certain conditions for that," South Korea's national news agency, Yonhap, quoted a North Korean official as saying.

Asked about the report, Secretary of State Warren Christopher said "we don't know exactly what the problem is from they standpoint of North Korea," but that the United States was anxious to pursue the framework accord reached last October.

He said North Korea had not responded to the U.S. offer to shift the negotiations to Geneva with higher-ranked negotiators.

On Thursday in Berlin, the North Koreans broke off the latest round of talks with the United States on the reactor issue, and on Friday the head of their delegation said the U.S. side was to blame for its "unrealistic approach" to determining the extent of South Korean participation in the reactor deal.

Suspects

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bombing April 19, another person, nurse Rebecca Anderson, 37, died Sunday from head injuries suffered trying to help after the blast. More than 400 were injured in the worst terrorist attack in the United States.

There were 100 unaccounted for as rescue efforts lost time over the weekend because of fierce thunderstorms, wind gusts and threatening debris.

Late Sunday night, 120 firefighters went into the area of the ruins that once held a day care center and a Social Security office — the area where many bodies are believed to be. The searchers entered the area only after a dangling 20-foot-square concrete slab was bolted to the eighth floor of the building so it wouldn't fall on them.

The search was again halted temporarily this morning for more shoring-up.

Despite continued cool weather — it was 36 degrees overnight — a strong odor is beginning to envelop the building and the surrounding area.

No survivor has been found in the rubble since the first night of the effort, and Assistant Fire Chief Jon Hansen agreed that finding one now would be miraculous.

Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS: Thomas Shafer, 3109 41st.

DISMISSALS: Frances Schulze, Martha Cabrera and baby, Roberta Langford, Dustin McWhirter, Lisa Ethridge.

CENSUS: 46 (Med.-13, Long-term Care-33).

Officers note arrests, routine weekend calls

Five people were booked into Scurry County Jail over the weekend and two juveniles were taken into custody early this morning for probation violations.

Officers arrested a 38-year-old female at 3:31 p.m. Saturday in the 1900 block of Coleman following a disturbance call at 3:18 p.m. The woman was arrested on an outstanding city warrant.

At 12:38 a.m. Sunday, DPS troopers arrested a 19-year-old male for driving while intoxicated on Highway 208 South.

Two people were taken into custody at 2:40 a.m. Sunday following a disturbance call at 2:12 a.m. Arrested were a husband, 24, and his wife, 34. Both were charged with Class C assault/family violence.

Police arrested a 41-year-old woman at 3:31 p.m. Sunday in the 1800 Block of 30th Street on outstanding city warrants for Class C theft, allowing an unlicensed driver to drive, no restraint on a child under age four, and expired motor vehicle registration.

Officers took two girls, age 15 and 16, into custody for probation violation at 2:20 this morning in the 2700 block of Avenue I. They were later released into custody of their parents.

A woman who had reported that her husband had left a note threatening suicide and taken a gun with him contacted police at 6:53 a.m. Saturday to report that she had found the gun that she had thought was missing. She called back at 12:48 p.m. and said that she had located her husband at his parents' home in another city.

A subject called police at 7:52 a.m. and advised a knife was in the gutter at 33rd Street and Avenue E. Police located the knife and logged it into the evidence locker.

An employee at Don's Value King reported a shoplifter at 3:22 p.m. Saturday. The 70-year-old suspect was issued a citation for Class C theft and released.

A subject contacted police at 2:02 p.m. Sunday in reference to being assaulted by another person. The complainant came to the police department and filed a report for Class C assault. The other party also filed an assault complaint at 3:53 p.m.

A subject contacted police at 5:15 p.m. Sunday in reference to an assault at the high school. A report for Class A assault was filed. According to a sheriff's deputy, a group of men were playing a game of pick-up basketball in one of the practice gyms. Some subjects from Big Spring arrived and began causing problems. A fight ensued and a 23-year-old spectator was hit in the face, knocked down and kicked by several black males from Big Spring.

Pick 3

AUSTIN (AP) — The Pick 3 winning numbers drawn Saturday by the Texas Lottery, in order:
0-3-1
(zero, three, one)

Lotto Texas

AUSTIN (AP) — No tickets matched all six numbers drawn Saturday night for the twice-weekly Lotto Texas game, state lottery officials said. The jackpot was worth $11 million.

The numbers drawn from a field of 50 were: 6, 25, 32, 40, 41 and 49.

There were 127 tickets sold with five of the six numbers, with each ticket worth $1,910. There were 7,166 tickets with four of six numbers, with each winning $122. And there were 136,079 tickets sold with three of six numbers, with each worth an automatic $3.

Lottery officials estimate the jackpot for Wednesday night's game will be $18 million.

Beatles fan claims to have found 1959 McCartney tape

LONDON (AP) — A Beatles fan whose grandfather once lent Paul McCartney a tape recorder says he has found a 1959 tape of the group singing 16 songs, a newspaper reported.

The Sunday Times said McCartney, George Harrison and John Lennon recorded the rhythm and blues classics on the old tape recorder borrowed from the late Charles Hodgson in Liverpool when they were teenagers.

Ringo Starr hadn't joined the group, and they were performing as The Quarry Men Skiffle Group.

McCartney returned the tape recorder and it sat in Hodgson's attic until grandson Peter Hodgson, 30, was clearing the attic out last autumn, the newspaper said.

It said the 16 songs include "Hallelujah I Love Her So," by Ray Charles, and "Hello Little Girl," a Lennon and McCartney composition which the Beatles never released, but which became a hit for the 1960s band Fourmost.

The Sunday Times said a representative from the EMI record group listened to the tape. It quoted Mike Heatley of EMI as saying, "We are still discussing the tape, and we can say nothing further at this stage."

The newspaper quoted Hodgson as saying McCartney invited him for "a friendly chat" and they played the taped songs — which the ex-Beatle said were recorded in 1959 at different times and edited onto the same tape.

McCartney's publicist wouldn't say whether the tape was genuine Beatles material, the Sunday Times said.

Markets Midday Stocks

NEWYORK(AP)

	High	Low	Last	
AMR Corp	65⅝	64⅛	65⅛	+ ⅛
AT&T Corp	48¼	47⅞	48⅛	— ⅛
AirTouch	25⅝	25⅛	25⅛	— ⅛
Albertsons	32	31⅞	31⅞	— ⅛
Alldsignal		39⅝	39⅝	39⅝
Alltel	26⅛	26	26⅛	— ⅜
AmStores	25⅛	25⅜	25⅜	— ⅛
Ameritech	44	43⅝	43⅝	— ⅛
Amoco	64⅛	63⅝	64	+ ⅛
AndarkPr	42⅝	42⅛	42⅛	+ ⅛
Armcolnc		7⅝	7⅝	7⅝
AtlRichfld	116⅝	115⅛	116	+ ⅜
ATMOS Egy s	18⅝	18⅛	18⅝	+ ⅛
Avisll	7⅝	7⅛	7⅝	+ ⅛
BakerHughes	22⅝	22⅛	22⅝	+ ⅛
BancTexas		1⅛	1	1
BellAtl	53⅝	53⅝	53⅝	— ⅛
BellSouth	60⅝	60⅛	60⅝	— ⅛
BethSteel	15⅝	15⅛	15⅛	+ ⅛
BritPet		87⅝	87⅝	87⅝
Caterpillar s		56	55⅝	55⅝
CenSoWst		24⅝	24⅝	24⅝
Chevron s	46⅛	46⅛	46⅛	+ ⅛
Chrysler	45	44⅛	44⅛	— ⅜
Coastal	29⅝	29⅝	29⅝	— ⅛
CocaCola	58	57⅞	58	— ⅛
ColgatePalm		70⅛	69⅝	69⅝
ComclMetals		26⅛	26⅛	26⅛
Cooperin		39⅝	39⅝	39⅝
CyprusAmax	27⅛	26⅝	27⅛	+ ⅛
DallSemicn		18⅝	18⅝	18⅝
DeltaAirl	59⅝	58⅞	59⅛	+ ⅛
DigitalEq		45⅛	44⅞	45
Dillard	25⅝	25	25⅛	+ ⅛
DowChem	71⅛	70	71⅛	+1⅛
DresserInd	21⅝	21⅝	21⅝	+ ⅛
DuPont	64⅝	63⅝	64	+ ⅛
EastmanChem	54⅛	53⅝	53⅝	— ⅛
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Entergy		21⅛	21⅛	21⅛
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FlowerInd		17⅛	17⅛	17⅛
FordMotor s		27	26⅞	27
GTE Cp		34	33⅝	33⅝
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GlobalMar	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	+ ⅛
Goodrich	46⅛	46	46	— ⅛
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Hasbro ADS		19⅝	19	19
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Nationsbk		50	49⅝	50
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Textron		57⅛	57	57⅛
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USX-Marathn		18⅛	18⅛	18⅛
USX-USS	31⅞	31⅛	31⅛	—1⅛
UnCarbde	30⅝	30⅝	30⅝	+ ⅜
UnPac	55⅝	54⅞	54⅞	—1
UnitedTech	72⅝	71⅞	72⅝	— ⅜
Unocal	28⅝	28⅛	28⅛	— ⅛
WalMart	24⅛	24⅛	24⅛	— ⅛
WstnGasRs	21⅛	20⅞	21	— ⅛
WestghEl	15⅝	15⅛	15⅛	— ⅛
WinnDixie	55⅝	54⅞	55⅛	+ ⅜
Woolworth	16	15⅞	15⅞	+ ⅛
XeroxCp	119⅛	119⅛	119⅛	— ⅛
ZenithE	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	+ ⅛

Dr. Gott by Peter Gott, M.D.

Vitamin B12 breaks cycle of anemia

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: Is B12 a safe vitamin supplement?

DEAR READER: Vitamin B12 is a vital substance required by the body for proper nerve function and blood formation. In the absence of B12, patients develop a serious medical disease known as "pernicious anemia," leading to weakness, exhaustion, heart disease, and tingling and burning sensations in the extremities, as well as other symptoms.

Pernicious anemia can be successfully treated with B12 injections, in a fashion similar to diabetics who require insulin injections. The B12 is usually administered about once a month, in a maintenance program.

Because vitamin B12 is so safe, toxicity or complications from its use never occur. Unlike many vitamins, an excess of B12 causes no symptoms or health hazard. Whatever the body doesn't use is harmlessly excreted in the urine.

Nonetheless, B12 should only be used if a deficiency exists, as proved by a blood test. Years ago, doctors commonly gave B12 as a tonic, to perk people up or treat "the blahs." As a placebo (harmless but ineffective), it worked because patients were told it would. Such therapy is no longer considered appropriate.

DEAR DR. GOTT: About a month ago I was diagnosed with pernicious anemia. Since receiving about six B12 injections, my appetite has improved and some degree of energy has returned. However, I now suffer from the loss of some sense of balance. Is this related to my anemia? Any advice?

DEAR READER: As I mentioned above, vitamin B12 is an antidote for pernicious anemia, a medical disorder related to the body's inability to absorb dietary B12. I would have expected that, with treatment, the symptoms you suffered should disappear. But complete resolution may take time.

In order for your system to return to normal, the injected B12 must be metabolized and the body's stores replenished. Your loss of balance may well reflect a nerve malfunction, which may not be corrected for several months.

I advise you to be patient, follow your doctor's recommendations, continue the B12 injections, and anticipate a full recovery.

To give you more information, I am sending you a free copy of my Health Report "Blood — Donations and Disorders." Other readers who would like a copy should send $2 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to P.O. Box 2433, New York, NY 10163. Be sure to mention the title.

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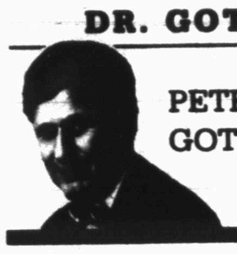

PETER GOTT, M.D.

FBI agents probing recent Disneyland gas-attack hoax

WASHINGTON (AP) — The FBI is conducting a criminal investigation to find out who delivered a phony, anonymous threat that a Japanese cult planned to release deadly nerve gas at Disneyland during Easter weekend.

Justice Department spokesman Carl Stern said there was no basis for a report in Saturday's editions of The (Baltimore) Sun that authorities had stopped two Japanese men at Los Angeles International Airport a few days before the April 16 holiday and found instructions on how to make the highly toxic gas sarin.

"That just didn't happen," Stern said.

"A criminal investigation is being conducted by the FBI in an effort to identify and prosecute whoever was responsible" for carrying out the hoax against the amusement park.

Stern acknowledged that federal authorities had responded, as they do from time to time, to a reported threat at Disneyland but "this one, like others, turned out to be a false alarm."

Local and federal units, including the FBI, the Federal Emergency Management Agency, the Department of Defense, the Public Health Service and others sent people and equipment to respond to the threat, Stern said.

"It was a highly successful deployment of resources," Stern added. "As President Clinton said Friday, 'We were ready to respond, if the threat had been real'."

The Sun reported that the men were allegedly members of the Japanese cult suspected of releasing sarin in the Tokyo subway system last month, killing 12 people. The newspaper quoted federal officials who had requested anonymity.

The newspaper said authorities also found a videotape containing images about the planned attack, as well as additional evidence that the Anaheim, Calif., theme park was the target.

Disneyland released a statement late Friday saying it had received a threat to park visitors before Easter weekend and notified federal authorities. Disney said, however, that the authorities, which it did not identify, determined the threat was a hoax.

The Pentagon had no comment, and officials at the Japanese National Police agency said they could neither confirm nor deny the report.

The Sun reported that Tokyo police had alerted the FBI earlier this month that two Japanese men associated with the cult Aum Shinri Kyo were flying to Los Angeles. The newspaper said it could not determine whether the Japanese men were arrested or returned to Japan.

Legislators legally use campaign funds

AUSTIN (AP) — State Sen. Don Henderson likes the Driskill Hotel in downtown Austin. He likes the romance, he likes the convenience, and he likes the price tag.

Henderson, a Houston Republican, doesn't pay the bill out of his own pocket. Like many state lawmakers, his campaign fund paid the tab, in this case more than $38,500 in 1993 and 1994. He paid another $10,230 to rent a car to drive those six blocks to work at the Capitol, not counting the $115 in Austin parking tickets he paid because he left the car in the wrong place.

Contributors also paid more than $1,000 for Henderson to belong to the exclusive Austin Club, and all of it is perfectly legal under Texas ethics laws.

Despite a ballyhooed 1991 overhaul of the state's ethics law, lobbyists can support legislators' fancy lifestyles through campaign funds. The code states that spending from campaign coffers is permissible for "ordinary and necessary" Austin living expenses.

"Quite frankly, I like the romance of the old place," Henderson told the Austin American-Statesman. "It's not fancy. But it's comfortable."

Most lawmakers' monthly rent falls between $500 and $1,000, and using campaign monies for expenses helps them extend their $95-a-day expense allowance into a hefty, self-granted pay raise.

"The system is very ripe for abuse," says Tom "Smitty" Smith, Texas executive director of the governmental watchdog group Public Citizen. "We need to go back in and cut off how much people can pull out of their campaign for living expenses. I don't think the Legislature ever intended for people to continue to use these as a back-door way to give themselves a raise."

Campaign reports from Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock and 68 senators and House committee chairmen and chairwomen show that at least 51 used campaign contributions for rent or other Austin expenses between July 1992 and December 1994. Forty-two paid their rent with campaign funds, although a few of those keep Austin apartments year-round and turn to political cash only when the Legislature is not in session.

There are examples on both sides of the political ledger:

—Rep. Hugo Berlanga, D-Corpus Christi, charged his campaign for a $1,200-a-month apartment at the Westgate Building through the period. Berlanga, a South Texas businessman, racked up almost $28,800 in rent and another $4,370 in monthly maintenance fees at the downtown high-rise. Berlanga's campaign also paid $1,360 for tickets to University of Texas football games.

—In 1993, Rep. Toby Goodman, R-Arlington, withdrew just $475 a month for rent during the session. The latest campaign report by the attorney listed a December rent payment of $1,500 for an Austin apartment. His campaign bought more than $8,000 in furnishings in 1993 and 94.

—Former Sen. O.H. "Ike" Harris, R-Dallas, regularly charged his campaign $5,000 a month for living expenses, including $2,900 a month rent on an Austin home and scores of meals with "constituents." At the same time, Harris, an attorney then and a lobbyist now, used campaign cash to pay a $1,300 monthly mortgage on a Central Austin duplex he owns and to pay utility bills that often exceeded $500 a month. The 1991 ethics law barred lawmakers from spending campaign funds on mortgages, but not rents. It grandfathered payments on Austin properties purchased before 1992.

—Rep. David Counts, D-Knox City, used campaign funds throughout the period for rent, utilities, cable, phone and leased furniture at his South Austin apartment. The two-year total: almost $21,000.

Counts said that he wrote a $3,000 check to his campaign in 1993 to cover part of his expenses. And he says that serving in the Legislature carries hidden costs that don't show up on a campaign report.

"When I'm in Knox City, Texas, I wear blue jeans to work every day," says Counts, an insurance agent and real estate broker. "When I came to the Legislature it required me to invest several thousand dollars over my period of time here in clothes that are a little bit more in custom down here."

And although his longtime employees keep his insurance business humming while he's away, Counts says his absence hurts his real estate dealings and cuts his overall income by as much as $50,000 a year.

A minority of prominent legislators chooses not to use campaign funds for expenses despite the cost of living in Austin.

Those legislators were not quick to embarrass their cohorts when asked why they made that choice.

"I've just tried to follow not only the letter but what I thought the spirit of that (ethics) law was," says Sen. John Montford, D-Lubbock, an attorney. "But I'm able to afford it .... As long as those expenditures are reasonable I wouldn't be in a position to criticize it. Because you've got some people down here who have very modest incomes."

Sen. Jeff Wentworth, R-San Antonio, says one reason he hasn't spent surplus funds on living expenses is that for several years his campaign was usually in debt. Though it's in the black now, Wentworth still pays everything here out of the per diem ($13,300 for a 140-day legislative session) and his own pocket.

The 1991 bill gave the Texas Ethics Commission the right to determine the size of the per diem, which was a meager $30 then. As a safety net, they constructed the campaign fund safety net.

WINS DRAWING — Gale Titus, manager of Snyder Lumber Co. congratulates Sandra Browning for winning the wheel barrow in a drawing at the recent Home Show, sponsored by Snyder Savings & Loan. (SDN Staff Photo)

Astro-graph By Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

Tuesday, April 25, 1995

There could be considerable material improvements for you in the year ahead. You are now entering a favorable cycle for growth and accumulation.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Things should work out to your satisfaction today in arrangements with persons you've had success with previously. Unknown quantities could be a different matter. Know where to look for romance and you'll find it. The Astro-Graph Matchmaker instantly reveals which signs are romantically perfect for you. Mail $2.75 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 4465, New York, NY 10163.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You can achieve an important objective today, but it might not come on the first try. Shrug off disappointments, regroup your forces and charge again.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Friends who request your advise today aren't apt to ignore your suggestions, so do not treat them indifferently. You might learn something from teaching.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) There could be an unexpected shift in your career conditions today. It might disappoint an associate, but it should be good news for you.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) If negotiating an important matter today, it could be to your advantage to let the other party suggest the initial terms. Inequities can be corrected later.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) You might become increasingly more aware of hidden benefits in a present endeavor. This knowledge could motivate you towards greater efforts.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Treat everyone in a friendly, thoughtful fashion today. Contacts you establish socially could help you in other areas, too.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Put work and duty above the pursuit of pleasure today. Important developments are indicated through industrious activities.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) A situation that you've been dreading could turn out to be very manageable and rewarding today. Surprise, surprise.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) This would be a good day to put the finishing touches on several tasks you've left undone. Start with the most difficult assignment and work your way down.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) As of today, you can establish a better rapport with someone you've been having trouble getting through to. Mutual benefits could result.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Positive steps can be taken today to strengthen your financial position. Although your measures might be small, they'll be significant.

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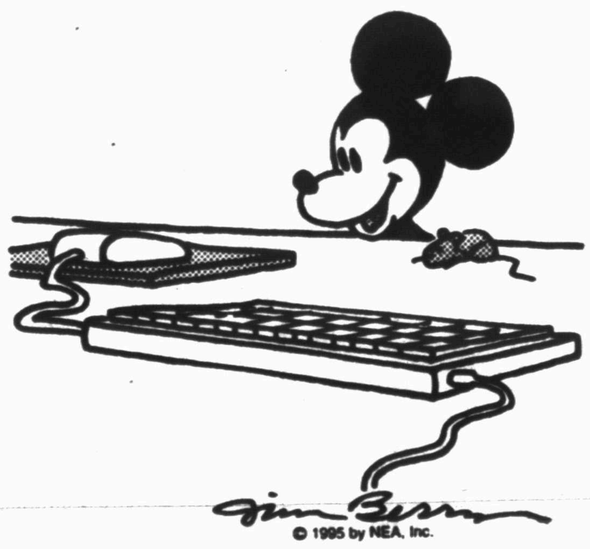

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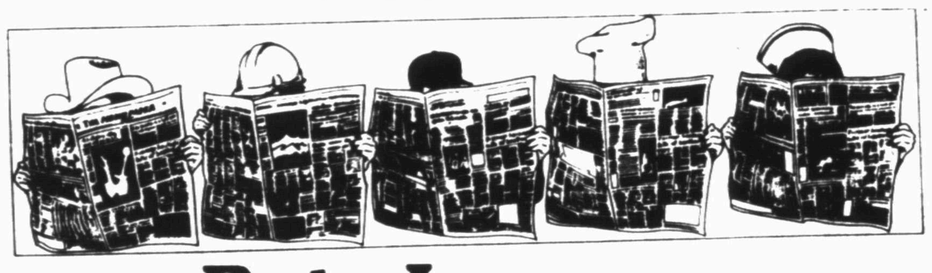

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Gibbons' role changed when GOP took over

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WASHINGTON (AP) — Like today's aggressive House Republican freshmen, Rep. Sam Gibbons cut quite a swath when he was young and new. He was only in his second term when President Johnson made him a general in the War on Poverty.

Nearly 30 years later, the Florida Democrat is completing a circuitous journey back to center stage. But he's not in the role he anticipated as he waited, and waited, and waited.

This was Gibbons' year to finally assume full leadership of the House Ways and Means Committee — the powerhouse panel that handles taxes, welfare, trade, Social Security and Medicare. But with his party's fall from power, he has become a battering ram instead.

Some of the most raw, dramatic moments of the first 100 days of the Republican Congress came courtesy of Gibbons, a 75-year-old populist with a long institutional memory and an acid tongue.

Many TV-viewing Americans caught their first glimpse of the jug-eared gentleman from Florida as he tried to shout down boisterous Republicans during the chaotic welfare debate last month on the House floor.

"Will you get these highly paid members to sit down and shut up? You all sit down and shut up. Sit down and shut up," Gibbons bellowed as he geared up for a trademark "I am outraged" speech.

"They were stealing my debate time," he said indignantly last week in a phone conversation fired by rhetoric as hot as his floor speeches. From his home in Tampa, Gibbons charged that the GOP agenda is garbage and those promoting it are selfish.

"They're mean and they don't know they're mean. This is the country-club set that is running America now," he said.

Three decades ago, Johnson chose Gibbons to be the floor manager of crucial bills creating Head Start, Job Corps and other Great Society programs. "He could vote Northern and talk Southern," Johnson said when asked why he picked such a junior lawmaker.

Ever since, Gibbons' associates have been predicting he would one day head the Ways and Means Committee. In 1981 Gibbons was so sure Illinois Rep. Dan Rostenkowski would run for a caucus leadership job that aides were drafting plans for a Gibbons chairmanship.

But Rostenkowski chose the Ways and Means post and became synonymous with the committee, eclipsing numerous powerful personalities. The most senior was Gibbons, who had parachuted into Normandy in the D-Day invasion and is no shrinking violet.

When Rostenkowski was indicted last year and had to step aside, few could imagine the committee without him. Gibbons, who had developed into a leading free-trade expert, became acting chairman and surprised everyone by producing a comprehensive health-reform bill against all odds.

Rostenkowski lost his reelection race last fall, setting the stage for Gibbons finally to become chairman in his own right. But that's when Republicans captured control of the House for the first time in 40 years.

"He has basically grown old with this thing always being just within reach, but never quite getting there," said one former associate, speaking on condition of anonymity.

Some suggest Gibbons — independent, stubborn, outspoken and sometimes impatient — is more naturally suited to his current role as senior Democrat on the committee in a House led by Republicans. Gibbons himself says he's enjoying it and was well prepared.

"I've been surrounded by hostile Germans. I fought in a hostile state legislature for 10 years. And on the trade issues in Congress I was in the minority until recently. I know how to be a minority," he said.

He knows all too well, in the eyes of some committee Republicans surprised at Gibbons' passion and pugnacity as a leader of the loyal opposition.

Gibbons expects to work with Ways and Means Chairman Bill Archer, R-Texas, this year on a plan to replace the tax system, perhaps with a value-added tax. But so far he's been in a confrontational mode — suggesting some members are ignorant, scolding a GOP leader, making cracks about out-of-touch millionaires and telling more than one Republican to shut up.

Gibbons says he adjusted to the new political landscape within five minutes of learning Democrats had lost the House. "I don't feel sorry for myself. I'm not down in the dumps," he said.

As for those verbal explosions, he's unrepentant: "There are going to be a lot more of them until they get the message."

EDITOR'S NOTE — Jill Lawrence covers Congress for The Associated Press.

ACCEPTS DONATION — Dee Wilson, service area director for Noah Project-W, left, accepts a monetary gift from part of the proceeds from the Seventh Annual Snyder Wheels Region Swap Meet held here recently. Bettie Greene, treasurer of Snyder Wheels, made the presentation. (SDN Staff Photo)

California lawmakers hold fund-raisers

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) — California lawmakers have sent Gov. Pete Wilson exactly one bill nearly halfway through the 1995 session, yet have held more than 100 fund-raising events, an Associated Press review found.

The typical asking price for a breakfast, lunch, cocktail party or dinner with a lawmaker is $500 per person, though some run up to $1,000 a head.

"Our elections have become a money marathon that corrupts the political process and creates a government beholden to the wealthy interests that have the resources to finance the race," said Ruth Holton, executive director of Common Cause's California branch.

Legislative candidates raised $89.1 million during the 1993-94 election cycle, 14 percent more than in the previous two years, Common Cause says.

The group found the biggest legislative fund-raisers in 1993-94 were Democratic Assembly Speaker Willie Brown at $6.8 million; Democratic Senate President Pro Tem Bill Lockyer at $3.9 million; and Assembly GOP leader Jim Brulte at $2.2 million.

"Unfortunately most businesses fail because they are undercapitalized and most campaigns fail because they are underfinanced," Brulte said.

Special interests are spreading more money around because of the uncertain leadership in the Assembly, where Brown remains speaker because of a deadlock, said political analyst Sherri Bebitch Jeffe of the Claremont Graduate School.

"You can't just contribute to Willie Brown as an investment in lining up a majority," she said. "He can no longer deliver a majority."

At the same time, while lawmakers have introduced more than 3,500 bills, constitutional amendments and resolutions only one bill, a school breakfast measure, has reached Wilson's desk. He signed it Friday.

The Assembly's nearly two-month leadership fight contributed to the sluggish start, and term limits are having an impact as well, as legislators bail out for new jobs and leave vacancies to be filled in special elections.

Efforts to limit donations and campaign spending have either died in the Legislature or been vetoed by the governor, despite the imprisonment of five legislators on shakedown charges since 1990.

In 1988, voters approved two ballot measures to limit donations. The one that got the most votes took effect, but most of its provisions were thrown out by federal courts on the grounds that they favored incumbents.

Bruce Willis attends grand opening

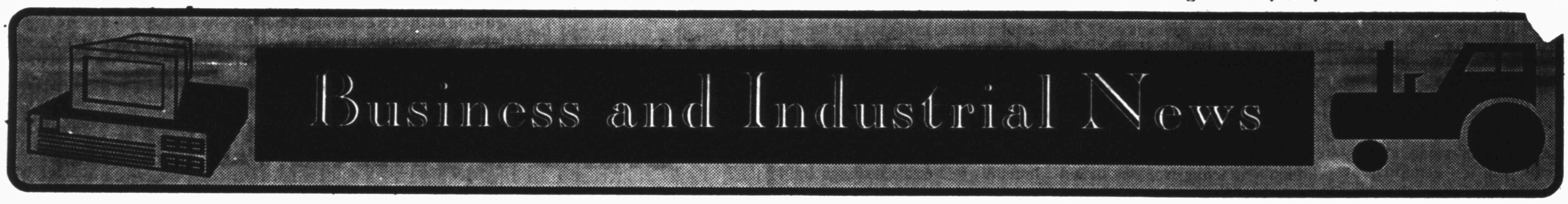
ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. (AP) — Bruce Willis said he didn't have to be dragged to the opening of the latest Planet Hollywood.

"I dig A.C. I used to run around Atlantic City a lot," said Willis, a native of southern New Jersey.

Willis and his wife, Demi Moore, played with his band, The Accelerators, on the Boardwalk for about 10,000 fans and chatted with local dignitaries, including WBA heavyweight champion Bruce Seldon, an Atlantic City native.

Moore attributes the nightclubs' success to the desire among fans to make a personal connection with the glamour of Hollywood.

"This celebrates the magic of movies by bringing the things people see at a distance closer to them," she said. "It makes them part of the whole scene."



Nolan Electric: experience and quality

In July 1977, Bobby Nolan started operating his own business: Nolan Electric. Bobby has been doing electrical work since he was in high school and has been a master electrician for 20 years. Today, Bobby has accumulated a total of 39 years of electrical experience.

Bobby and Kim's home was the first location of their business. Later they opened a shop at 1010 25th street and are still at that location. In earlier years, the whole family helped out in the business. The children have since grown up and away, but Bobby and Kim are still actively involved in all phases of the business. Bobby does a lot of estimating and bidding these days, but still gets to do some of the actual physical labor involved in the electrical business. Kim works in the office and does most of the purchasing. Another aspect of Kim's part in the business is lamp repairs. She keeps a supply of lamp parts and works on all types of lamps: table, floor and touch lamps. Just take your lamps to the shop for repairs.

Nolan Electric does both commercial and residential electrical wiring. From remodels and add-ons to new construction, they are involved in all these areas of electrical wiring. They also work on repairs of electric water heaters.

Do you need to have lighting on a sign repaired? Their two sizes of bucket trucks allow them to work on most lighted signs. They keep a supply of lamps and sign ballasts to do these repairs.

Troubleshooting and service work make up a large part of Nolan Electric's work. If you have an electrical problem, they have two service trucks that are on call during the week. They do their best to serve their customers as quickly as possible.

A good inventory of electrical supplies is an important asset to them. Plugs, switches, fuses, breakers, panels, conduit, conduit fittings, lamps, ballasts: these are all well stocked items. And if they don't have it, they usually can get most well-known items right away. "We have a large variety of electrical suppliers and a truck runs every day of the week except Wednesday," says Bobby.

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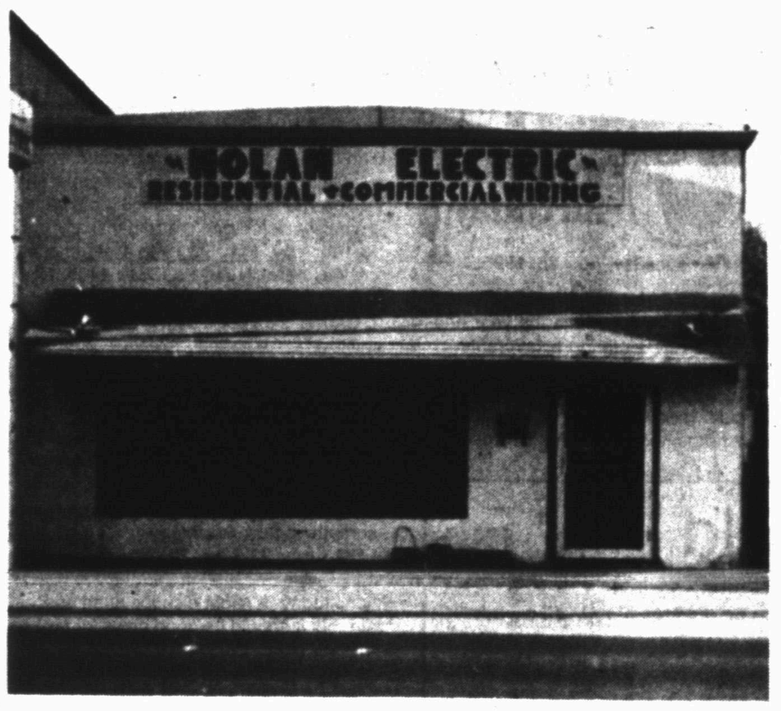

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Diagnosis still leaves family of little girl without answers

ODESSA (AP) — A little girl is fighting back from an extremely rare childhood disease that has run up $1 million in medical costs and required frequent trips across the Mexico border for medicine.

Hollie Arnold, 5, has alternating hemiplegia of childhood, a syndrome only 67 other Americans are known to have, said her mother, Rhinda Arnold.

"Symptoms may include episodes of paralysis, abnormalities of motor movement control, epilepsy, mental retardation and developmental delays.

"It's such a challenging and interesting condition. It's like they had a stroke, but they recover from it," said Hollie's physician, Dr. Harry Chugani of the Children's Hospital at Detroit Medical Center.

Alternating hemiplegia of childhood was identified in 1971 as a rare syndrome characterized by many different symptoms, said Stephen Hurley of Melrose, Mass., founder of the IFAHC.

"Children with AHC usually live a nightmare of varying lengths before they're diagnosed properly," Hurley said.

Some doctors have said Hollie will grow out of it; others say it will worsen during puberty. And some doctors say she'll eventually go into an episode and never come out.

"The doctors really don't know what causes it or why they get it," Mrs. Arnold told The Odessa American.

"A lot of doctors know of this, they've heard of this. But they do not know about it. Knowing of it and knowing about it are two different things," she said.

Hollie's father, Scott, and mother noticed the problem when Hollie was 3 months old.

"Her attacks, she goes limp on one side or another or completely limp," she said. "One day she could feel great, and the next day she could be completely limp and not moving."

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