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FRIDAY
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Ask Us

Q—Has the date for the Texas Cowboys Rodeo Association Finals been scheduled?

A—Yes, the TCRA Finals are set for Sept. 15-18 in Scurry County Coliseum. Incidentally, the Scurry County Rodeo, set for July 15-17, is also a TCRA-sanctioned event.

Local

Ira ISD

Ira public school trustees will convene in a special meeting at 7 a.m. Saturday to consider an employee contract.

Class of '68

Snyder High School Class of 1968 will hold a dance for class members and friends at 9:30 p.m. Saturday at the country club.

SHS reunion

All former teachers and friends of Snyder High School Classes of 1952 and '53 are invited to attend a reception set for 2 p.m. Saturday at Willow Park Inn.

Early delivery

The Weekend Edition of the Snyder Daily News will be delivered to subscribers Saturday morning instead of the normal afternoon delivery. The SDN will resume a regular schedule on Monday, July 5.

Holiday

Most county and city offices will be closed Monday in recognition of Independence Day. Among those closing will be:

—City Hall;
—Western Texas College;
—Scurry County Museum;
—County courthouse;
—West Texas State Bank, American State Bank, Snyder National Bank, Snyder Savings & Loan and AmWest Savings;
—Scurry County Library;
—ASCS and SCS offices as well as county agricultural offices;
—Senior Citizens Center;
—County Health Unit;
—and SISD Administration Building. However, summer classes will be held at East Elementary and Snyder High School.

No mail will be delivered Monday by the U.S. Post Office.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Thursday, 93 degrees; low, 76 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Friday, 76 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1993 to date, 9.41 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, a 20 percent chance of thunderstorms. Partly cloudy in the evening becoming mostly cloudy after midnight. Low in the mid 70s. South wind 10-20 mph. Saturday, becoming partly cloudy. High in the lower 90s. South to southeast wind 10-20 mph. Remainder of Fourth of July weekend, partly cloudy. A slight chance of thunderstorms on Independence Day. Lows in the mid 70s. Highs in the mid 90s.

Almanac: Sunset today, 8:52. Sunrise Saturday, 6:44. Of 182 days in 1993, the sun has shone 175 days in Snyder.

Towle Park Schedule Of Events

FRIDAY, JULY 2
5:00 ..... Food, activity booths open
..... Art Show opens at Barn
..... Crafts show opens at Armory

SATURDAY, JULY 3
9:00 ..... Bike decorating at Moffett Field
..... Food, activity booths open
..... Art Show opens at Barn
..... Crafts show opens at Armory
..... Horseshoe, washer pitching signup
..... Volleyball Tournament
9:30 ..... Parade lineup at Moffett Field
10:00 ..... Parade begins
1:00 ..... Horseshoe, washer pitching begins
2:00 ..... Towle Park Pool opens
7:00 ..... Duck Race at park Pond
..... Art Show closes
8:00 ..... Street Dance, near park Pool
9:00 ..... Booths close
..... Fireworks begin

Events Held Elsewhere

SATURDAY, JULY 3
7:30 ..... Prayer Breakfast, Coliseum
1:00 ..... Celebrity Showcase, Dermott School
4:00 ..... Celebrity Showcase ends

SUNDAY, JULY 4
1:00 ..... Celebrity Showcase, Dermott School
..... 'Lighting the Way' exhibit, Museum
4:00 ..... Celebrity Showcase ends
..... 'Lighting the Way' exhibit ends

Music on Stage

FRIDAY, JULY 2
4:00 ..... History of Music
5:00 ..... Solo Singers
6:30 ..... Highway 208
7:45 ..... High School Choir
9:00 ..... Cindy Sanders
10:00 ..... Highway 208
..... Laser Light Show

SATURDAY, JULY 3
11:00 ..... History of Music
12:30 ..... Silver Spur Band
1:30 ..... Gospel Show
2:30 .... High School Students
3:30 ..... High School Choir
4:00 ..... Highway 208
5:00 ..... Silver Spur Band
6:00 ..... Gospel Show
6:45 ..... Highway 208
7:45 ..... High School Choir
9:00 ... Star Spangled Banner
9:30 ..... Highway 208
..... Laser Light Show





Food, fun & fireworks

Annual county celebration about to begin

Try your hand at washer pitching, tennis, volleyball? Maybe a lighter activity such as a balloon throw, dunking booth or duck racing? How about browsing through an art show, crafts booths or just lying back and listening to some good music?.

Interest you in a turkey leg, burrito, barbecue or fajitas? Ice cream or cotton candy? After a ride on the ferris wheel, maybe.

There's something for just about everyone at the annual July 4th Celebration this weekend, all topped off, of course, with a spectacular fireworks show Saturday night.

Festivities will begin at 4 o'clock in Towle Park this afternoon with music on the newly constructed stage, followed by the opening of arts and crafts booths in the Armory, food and activity booths, and the 14th Palette Club art show in the park Barn.

Musical entertainment will continue until late in the evening. At the stage, visitors may register for a bicycle to be given away Saturday evening.

Saturday's fare begins with the traditional Prayer Breakfast in the county coliseum. Retired Gen. Ralph Haines Jr. will be the guest speaker. Serving begins at 7:30 a.m. Tickets are $6 each at the door.

A children's bicycle decorating contest begins at 9 a.m. at Moffett Field. At the same time, a volleyball tournament will start in the park.

The annual parade will get underway at 10 a.m. from Moffett Field.

Registration for the horseshoe and washer pitching contests will be held all morning at a booth near the Armory. The contests are to start at 1 p.m. in the park.

Across town, at the Dermott School, a Celebrity Showcase will be held to honor past and present Scurry Countians. Hours are from 1-4 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.

Visitors will also see a display of ladies' millinery in the

(see JULY 4TH, page 8)

Park celebrating 40th anniversary

Visitors coming to Towle Park in celebration of the nation's 217th Independence Day anniversary might be interested in another historical fact — on Saturday, the park will be 40 years old.

The park history actually dates to June 7, 1952, when Scurry County residents approved a $350,000 bond issue for construction on 192 acres donated by Mrs. H.G. Towle.

The land was given in honor of her husband, Dr. H.G. Towle.

Dedication ceremonies were held July 3, 1953 with the Rev. Ronald Hubbard, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, as master of ceremonies. Among the local dignitaries in attendance were the mayor, Forest Sears; the county judge, Edgar Taylor; and the mayor pro-tem, Malven Stevenson.

Towle Park Barn was one of the first facilities completed in 1953. It was first built as a livestock show arena.

Also constructed that year were the pavilion and swimming pool. They were joined by two lighted baseball fields, three restrooms, playground equipment, drinking fountains, barbecue pits and picnic tables, tennis courts and a croquet court.

In addition, Towle Park Pond was enlarged.

The March of 1956, the Roscoe, Snyder & Pacific Railroad Company donated its last steam engine, Engine No. 5, to the park.

Prairie Dog Town was established in 1964, with Mackenzie Park of Lubbock supplying the animals.

Other more recent additions have included a windmill, and Kiddie Park, which was constructed by Snyder Jaycees.

More baseball and softball fields have since been added, and Moffett Field — named after former longtime successful Snyder Tiger baseball coach Speedy Moffett — has been renovated.

Thousands of local and area residents use the picnicking facilites, enjoy the recreation equipment, take a dip in the pool, or fish at the pond annually.

Scores of families plan their reunions at the pavilion, Towle Park Barn, or down in the main park area.

Each spring through summer, literally hundreds of baseball and softball games take place at the six ballparks located at the west end of the park. Many state youth league tournaments and high school playoff games have taken place there.

Not surprisingly then, Towle Park is the center of activities for the annual July 4th Celebration in Snyder. Many people pitch their tents and sleep overnight, ready to enjoy the festivities, food, fun and fireworks.

This weekend...

Be wary of the heat, health officials warn

Scurry County health officials remind July 4th Celebration goers to be careful of the heat this weekend.

The scortching temperatures associated with summer can do hazardous things to the body. Anything from mild discomfort to a life-threatening heatstroke can occur.

There are three degrees of heat stress that can be clearly recognized and prevented.

Heat cramps are the mildest form of stress caused by the heat. Painful muscle spasms and sweaty skin are both symptoms. In order to relieve these cramps, find a cool area to rest for awhile. Be sure to drink cold water and stretch cramped muscles as well.

When heat stress causes excessive fluid loss, heat exhaustion occurs. Symptoms included nausea, vomiting, aching muscles, rapid pulse, headache, dizziness, excessive thirst and pale or clammy skin. If heat exhaustion is mild, relief can be found through the same as for heat cramps. If vomiting or headache continues, apply wet towels and call for emergency aid.

Heat exhaustion can quickly turn into heatstroke, where the temperature regulating center in the brain quits. Confusion, staggered walk and agitation are symptoms, as well as hot, dry skin (no sweating) and a body temperature of 105 degrees or more. Someone having a heatstroke should be moved to a reclining position in a cool place and emergency help should be called immediately.

Remember, drink plenty of fluids, wear light, loose clothes and avoid long periods in direct sunlight. Find a shady place and take time to relax periodically.

The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "Life is like a 10-speed bike. There are gears we never use."

Keeping tabs on our neighbors:

As the Independence Day weekend approaches, the role of government in a free society is on the minds of many people. Rules and regulations, even though often an overkill, sometimes protect the interest of the masses at the expense of individuals.

While many folks in Snyder may believe that all the problems are confined to the borders of Scurry County, a sampling of exchange newspapers reveals that misery has plenty of company.

Remember when public monies got tight? One solution was to close down the public swimming pool. The newspaper in Lamesa reported that its city made a similar decision, received much the same public outcry and reversed the decision after the county decided it could make a financial contribution.

In Vernon, city commissioners delayed a decision on approval of a proposed contract for collection and disposal of solid waste. The city council earlier had voted to close the city landfill and contract with a private company. The president of the Industrial Foundation expressed concern because the move was a negative in the eyes of industrial prospects.

Brownfield city council was pouring over environmental regulations trying to determine how to afford a new landfill. The results will be increased garbage rates. Sound familar?

The city of Levelland closed its landfill and has approved a contract with the city of Lubbock to insure a place to put Hockley County's trash.

The cost of operating a landfill has caused the Hereford city council to close their's and seek alternative means of disposal. The city manager reported that the number of landfills in Texas has decreased from 1,200 to 417.

And water is always an important subject. After a face-to-face meeting, the city of Post has agreed to drop its protests concerning water rates charged by the White River Water District.

Said one public official: "We know the problems, what we need is solutions."

Dr. Gott by Peter Gott, M.D.

The wonders of chemical balance

DEAR DR. GOTT: Please address chemical imbalance problems.

DEAR READER: This is such an immense subject that whole textbooks have been written about it. Problems with chemical balance lead to serious illness, including vascular collapse, coma and death. However, I'll give you what I hope is a concise answer — with a twist.

The most amazing feature of the chemical balance within our bodies is that it exists at all. Any living biological system has to deal with hundreds, probably thousands, of chemicals. The fact that we are able to do so — and do it automatically — is a miracle.

For example, if you hold your breath, oxygen levels in the bloodstream fall and carbon dioxide rises, leading to a highly acid condition in the system. In order to combat this, reflexes are set in motion: the urge to breathe, obviously, but also the kidneys begin to excrete a more acid urine.

Similarly, if a person ingests a substance that causes a chemical imbalance, the body employs many different mechanisms to neutralize or detoxify the substance. Even dehydration, which causes many chemical imbalances, promotes a host of defense reactions.

Therefore, a persisting chemical imbalance indicates that the body's normal defenses aren't functioning properly, either because of a deficiency (diabetics are very susceptible to acid conditions) or because the imbalance is too severe to be neutralized (drug overdose, for example).

To complicate matters further, all the reactions in the body are chemical — from digestion to the effects of hormones to the consequences of medicines. So, the biological system has to have, literally at its fingertips, innumerable checks, balances and counter-reactions.

Finally, human beings maintain a remarkably regulated internal environment, despite the complexities of our world. For instance, we don't function well in atmospheres that are too hot, too cold or contain too many or too few nutrients (including water and air). Variations in any of these factors can upset all our chemical balances.

This fact is no surprise to chemistry students who are well aware that certain chemical reactions only occur at specific temperatures and pressures. A major part of the body's success in maintaining balance is the buffer systems. These are like molecular blotters that soak up small quantities of disruptive chemicals to maintain the system's neutrality.

Yes, it's an amazing scheme — all the more so because it works.

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Happy Birthday Eddie Thornburg
Who Is
39
Years Old Today!!

Volunteer firefighter charged with arson

BLOOMINGTON (AP) — A volunteer firefighter who has confessed to setting fire to five structures says he reported all but one of the fires and helped extinguish some of the blazes.

Randy Robles, 27, was charged Thursday with arson in one case, said Victoria County Sheriff Mike Ratcliff. However, Robles has confessed to setting fire to two abandoned homes and three hay barns, police said.

A sixth suspicious fire, which caused $60,000 damage when it gutted out a third abandoned home, is still under investigation, Ratcliff said.

Robles, a volunteer at the Bloomington Fire Department, was in custody late Thursday at the Victoria County Jail, the Victoria Advocate reported.

In a four-page statement, Robles said he didn't know why he set the fires, "but I have a drinking problem and I also like to watch fires burn."

Astro-Graph

By Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

Saturday, July 3, 1993

Strive to be better equipped than your associates in your chosen field of endeavor in the year ahead. Your path to success in career matters will be determined by your preparation.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) This might not be a good day for you and your spouse to make a decision on a very important matter. Neither you nor he/she may be exercising your best judgment. 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 and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 4465, New York, N.Y. 10163.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Let your common sense prevail where health matters are concerned today. If there is something you know you shouldn't eat or drink, pass it up and do what's best.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Be alert today because you might be drawn into a situation where a friend is playing politics and using you as a pawn. The manipulation could make you look bad.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) You won't mind being of assistance to others today unless you feel it is demanded of you. If this occurs, it may be hard to hold your resentment in check.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Today you might have to deal with someone who is diametrically opposed to your political or philosophical positions who feels equally as strong about issues as you do. Don't bump heads.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Manage your resources with extra care today. If someone is handling them for you, also keep a very close eye on this individual. This could be a problem area.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) If the majority disagrees with your way of doing things today, there's a possibility they may not all be wrong. Reexamine your motives and purposes.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Upon occasion you sometimes leave important matters up until the last moment. This may be one of those days when you jam things up for yourself and others.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) If you get involved in friendly, competitive activities with your peers today, don't complicate the events by betting on their outcome. This could cause trouble.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Don't treat with indifference any situations today that could tarnish your image or reputation if they should misfire. There's a pretty good chance this might occur.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) In an important discussion today there is a possibility that both you and the party to whom you're talking might be so interested in your own thoughts you'll not hear what the other has to say.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) If someone offers you a business proposition today, don't react impulsively, regardless of how good it sounds. Allow yourself time to investigate it in detail.

DATE BOOK

July 2, 1993

Today is the 183rd day of 1993 and the 12th day of summer.

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TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1881, President James A. Garfield was shot as he entered the Washington, D.C., railway station. He died of his wound on Sept. 19.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Hermann Hesse (1877-1962), novelist; Thurgood Marshall (1908-1993), U.S. jurist; Imelda Marcos (1931-), Philippines politician, is 62; Richard Petty (1937-), auto racer, is 56; John Sununu (1939-), U.S. politician, is 54; Cheryl Ladd (1952-), actress, is 41; Jose Canseco (1964-), baseball player, is 29.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1975, Baltimore's Don Baylor hit three home runs against the Detroit Tigers, which gave him four home runs in successive at-bats.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "If you hate a person, you hate something in him that is part of yourself. What isn't part of ourselves doesn't disturb us." — Hermann Hesse

TODAY'S WEATHER: On this day in 1989, Alamosa, Colo., reached a record low of 35 degrees only a day after registering a record high of 90 degrees.

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TODAY'S MOON: Day before full moon (July 3).

TODAY'S BARB BY PHIL PASTORET

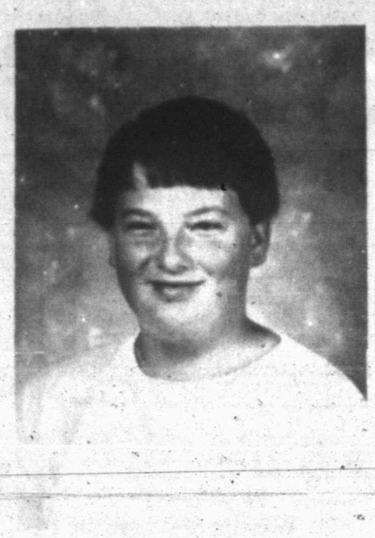
People who pepper their conversation with "you know" almost always haven't the foggiest idea of what they're talking about.

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Arson suspected

CATHEDRAL CITY, Calif. (AP) — Pompeii's Nightclub, a 36-year-old hangout for stars from Frank Sinatra and Lauren Bacall to Vanna White, has been gutted by a fire that authorities blame on arson.

The club's management said they planned to rebuild. No injuries were reported in the fire Wednesday.



CODY B. CRIBBS

Cribbs receives academic honors

Cody B. Cribbs, a Snyder Junior High School student, has received two United States Achievement Academy All-American Scholar awards.

Scott Lambert, history teacher, nominated him for the history award and Theresa Vest, math instructor, nominated him for the mathematics award.

Cribbs is also the recipient of the Presidential Academics Fitness Award for recognition of special achievement. He received a certificate and letter from President Bill Clinton. Vest also nominated him for this award.

Cribbs is the son of Barry and Marsha Cribbs. His grandparents are Pat and Beverly Ainsworth of Fluvanna; and Lavera Cribbs of Albany.

Co-star marries

UPPER MONTCLAIR, N.J. (AP) — At the end of rehearsal for the play "The Trip to Bountiful," actress Ellen Burstyn performed at the wedding ceremony for her co-star.

This time Burstyn wasn't acting. She was performing her real-life role as an ordained minister.

Burstyn performed the ceremony Thursday for co-star Barbara Sims and Walton Wilson of Brooklyn, N.Y.

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July 3rd, & 4th, 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.
Dermott School
(Located On Coliseum Grounds)
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Sixteen of Scurry County's Own
who have distinguished themselves
through their achievements
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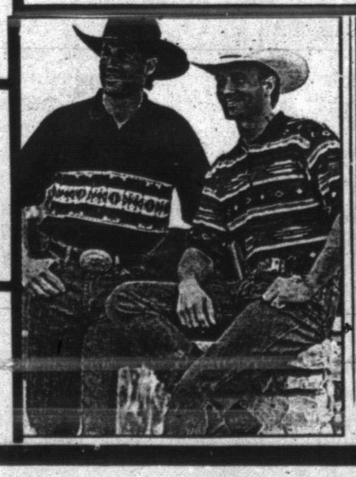
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Community Calendar

FRIDAY

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

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

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous (closed); Park Club in Winston Park; For information, call 573-8626, 863-2348 or 573-1141. (Last Friday of the month is the birthday meeting); 8 p.m.

SATURDAY

Celebrity Showcase, Dermott School and Cornelius-Dodson House on the Scurry County Coliseum grounds; refreshments, tickets $2 each; 1-4 p.m.

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

SUNDAY

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 10 a.m. For more information call 573-1141, 863-2348, 863-2349 or 573-8110.

Celebrity Showcase, Dermott School and Cornelius-Dodson House on the Scurry County Coliseum grounds; refreshments, tickets $2 each; 1-4 p.m.

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

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

New law raises questions

AUSTIN (AP) — Lawmakers and the governor's staff are countering concerns about a new conflict-of-interest law that the Texas Association of School Boards says might put many trustees' posts in jeopardy.

"It's a good piece of legislation," said Chuck McDonald, spokesman for Gov. Ann Richards.

The measure "addresses two very specific problems that were occurring with school boards around the state," McDonald said Thursday. He cited board members seeking positions with school districts, and districts contracting with trustee-owned companies.

The school board group has said thousands of trustees might find their positions threatened because of their jobs or stock holdings under the new law.

The group is looking at options for overturning the measure or narrowing its potential effect, said Margaret LaMontagne, director of governmental relations for the association.

Lawmakers have said they didn't intend for the measure to be as broad as some say it may be interpreted.

The law prohibits trustees from soliciting employment with their school district until their term is up or they resign and a successor is picked.

And in a provision that has drawn concern, it says a school board may not contract with a business in which a trustee, or a trustee's spouse, has a "significant interest."

The board must wait until the trustee's term expires, or the trustee has resigned and a successor been chosen.

The measure could be interpreted to mean that if someone serves on a school board and his or her spouse owns enough stock in a computer company, the school district could not contract with that company, Ms. LaMontagne said.

The association also has said if a trustee works for the local telephone company, the school district could be prohibited from doing business with it.

In another example, a question could be raised where a school board member also is editor of the county's only newspaper, because districts must publish competitive bidding and tax notices, Ms. LaMontagne said.

"Potentially thousands of school board members may be affected by this provision," she said.

But she added, "As far as we can tell, they (lawmakers) didn't intend to pass anything that had this much of a broad-brush effect."

While school board members shouldn't rush into resigning, Ms. LaMontagne said, her group is advising school boards not to enter into significant contracts with businesses in question while the matter is pending.

But a sponsor of the law said the school board group is overreacting.

"I think they're stretching their imagination," said Rep. Jerry Johnson, D-Nacogdoches. "I don't think it's going to affect but a very few" board members.

The provision was added by Rep. Ciro Rodriguez, Johnson said, to "clean up any undesirable deals where school board members were getting the big end of the stick on selling to schools."

Rodriguez, D-San Antonio, said, "I don't see why they're upset about good ethics." He said the provision is meant to address those who may get a direct benefit from a contract, such as a commission.

McDonald, Richards' spokesman, suggested that a school board could decide in individual cases what constitutes a significant interest.

"It could be addressed without these mass resignations that they suggest will take place," McDonald said.

The Texas Education Agency plans to ask for a legal opinion from the state attorney general about the law, said agency spokeswoman Della May Moore.

Berry's World



Dear Abby



If You Can't Get a Job, You're in Good Company

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: Many people are depressed today because they are unemployed. They shouldn't take it personally. Some companies today wouldn't hire Moses, Jesus or Abraham Lincoln because they had beards.

Some companies wouldn't hire George Washington or Thomas Jefferson because they'd be considered troublemakers.

Some companies wouldn't hire Benjamin Franklin, Thomas Edison or Henry Ford because they weren't "educated."

Some companies wouldn't hire Franklin D. Roosevelt because he was "too old."

Some companies wouldn't hire Colin Powell because he's black.

Some companies wouldn't hire Margaret Thatcher because she's a woman.

Some companies wouldn't hire Albert Einstein because he was a Jew.

Competent, qualified people get turned down every day. So, don't take it personally — it's not your fault.

JOE ZELOOF, EDISON, N.J.

DEAR MR. ZELOOF: Most of the people you mentioned above were not alive to enjoy protection under anti-discrimination statutes. But today, people who believe they have been discriminated against because of their age, color, religion, gender or appearance should report the offending company to the EEOC (Equal Employment Opportunity Commission) for discriminatory hiring practices.

* * *

DEAR ABBY: I know that lots of cat lovers read your column, but I must disclose this current information:

The Washington Department of Wildlife has published the following facts in its newsletter for Spring 1993:

— A four-year study done in Wisconsin estimated that the number of songbirds killed by domestic cats (in that state alone) was 19 million, and the number of game birds killed by domestic cats was approximately 140,000.

— Much cat-hunting is not witnessed because cats hunt at night — usually in a neighbor's back yard.

— Collar bells on cats won't work because birds and other wildlife do not associate the ringing with being stalked or attacked.

— Declawing a cat does not provide safety either: The feline merely bats down its prey.

— Confining the cat works best in deterring it from destroying wildlife. An outdoor cat lives an average of three to five years — whereas confined cats can reach 17 years or longer.

Neutering and spaying help cut down the cat population. Ordinances should be developed requiring spaying and neutering, as well as confinement, because some cat owners are not convinced of the great amount of damage their pet is causing.

GENE DERING, ANACORTES, WASH.

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WORTH REMEMBERING: "The reason that fiction is more interesting than any other form of literature to those of us who really like to study people is that, in fiction, the author can tell the whole truth without hurting anyone — or humiliating himself too much."

ELEANOR ROOSEVELT

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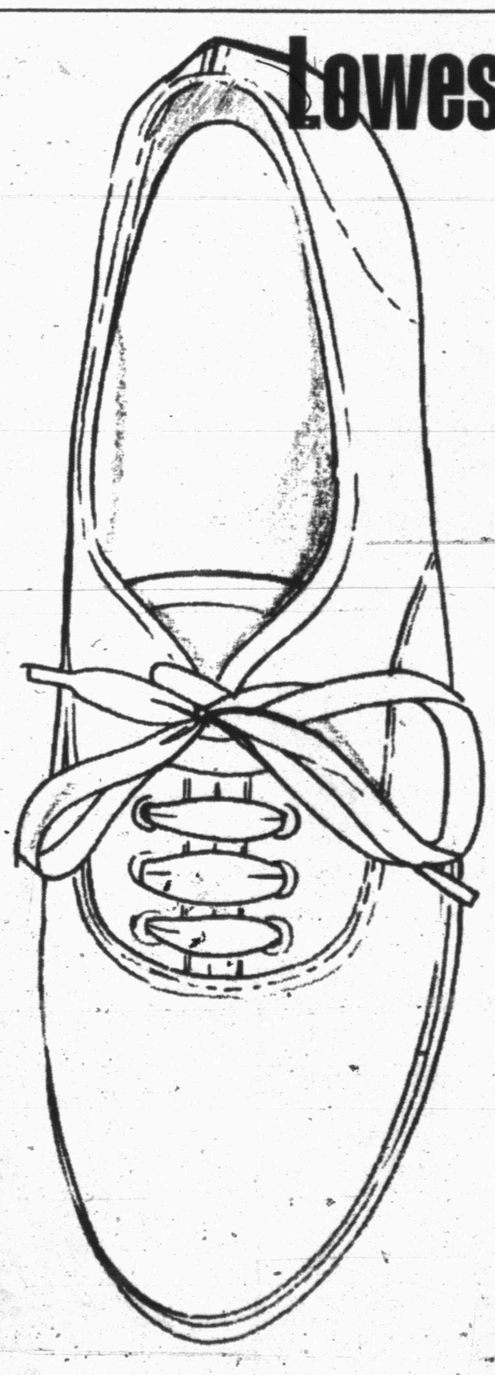
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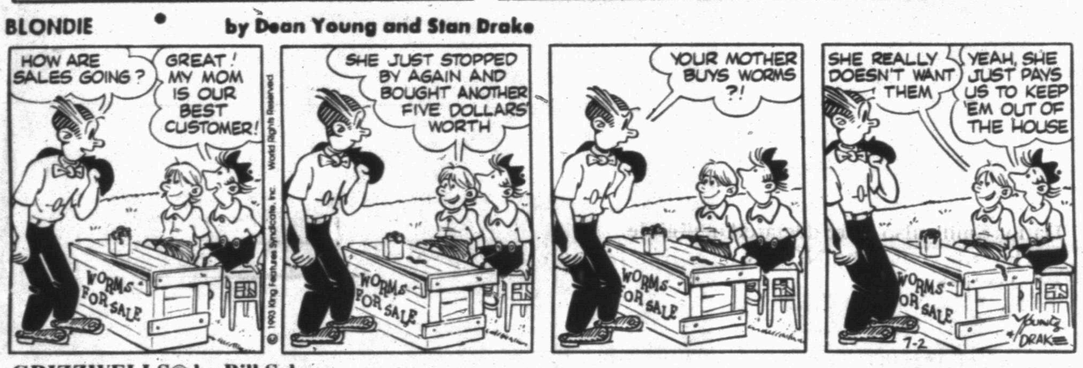
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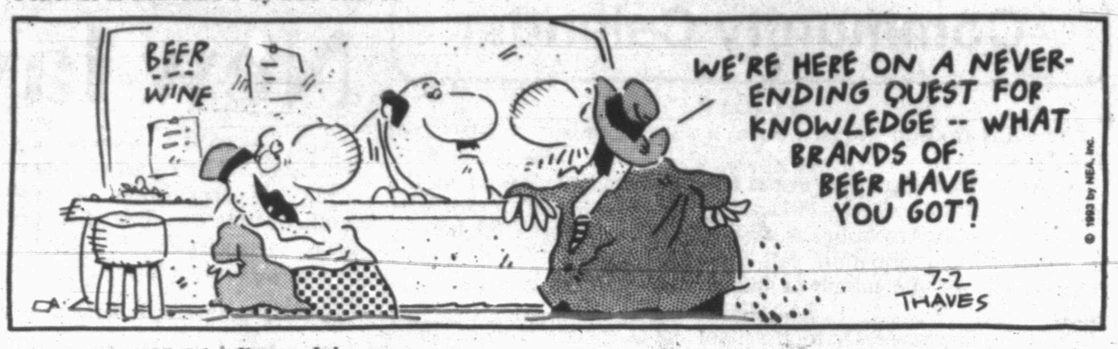
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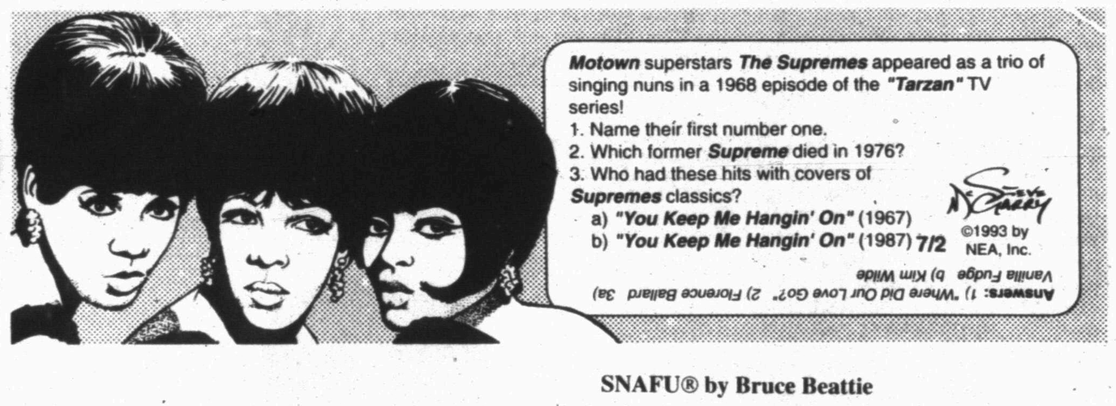
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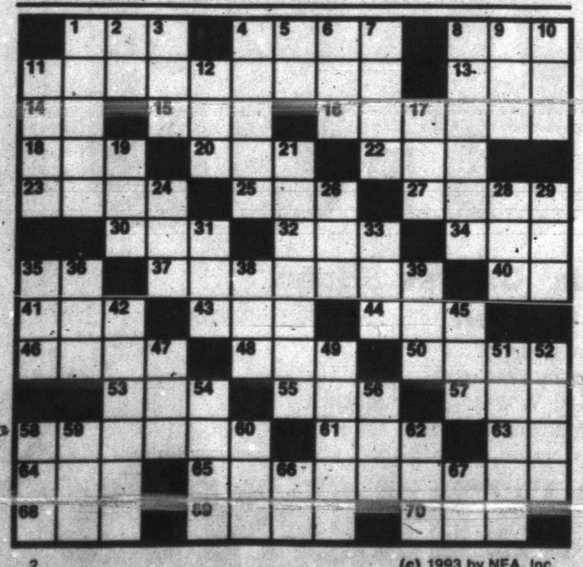
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TEE-BALL CHAMPIONS — The Astros captured the title of the Boys' Club Tee-ball League recently. Team members are, back row from left, coach June Wall, coach Beth Evans, Marcus Villareal, coach Allan Floyd, Jake Barnes and coach Patti Barnes. Middle row from left, Robert Hazlewood, Marshall Johnson, Clayton Floyd, Nathan Wilkins and Boicy Martinez. Front row from left, Chance Squires, Kyle Dortch, Darrell Cook, Cody Wall, Isaac Ramon and Jess Wall. (Contributed Photo)



DIVISION III HONOREES — Snyder United Girls' Softball Association named all-stars in all four divisions at closing ceremonies Tuesday. Named to the Division III squad were, back row from left, coach Roy Gill, manager Vicki White and coach Larry White. Middle row from left, Bridget Moore, Connie Payne, Amy Vaughn, Jodi White, Brandy Gill and Joanie Wemken. Front row from left, Jessica Rocha, Amanda Huff, Stephanie Hernandez, Samantha Trevino and Raechele Wemken. The Snyder Stars will compete in the July 16-20 UGSA National Tournament in San Angelo. (SDN Staff Photo)

Defense lifts Rangers to 8-5 win

DETROIT (AP) — In hockey, basketball and football, it's said that while offense wins games, defense wins championships.

That might be just as true for baseball.

Texas and Detroit gave clear examples of how important defense can be, and it led to the Rangers handing the Tigers their 10th straight loss, 8-5 Thursday.

Texas made several outstanding defensive plays, including two run-saving, diving catches by third baseman Dean Palmer.

On the other hand, the Tigers made four errors, and failed to convert two other key plays.

Palmer's first play came with two out in the first inning and Texas leading 2-0. He dived to take a hit away from Cecil Fielder, ending the inning with a runner on third.

In the same situation in the third inning, this time with the score 3-3, Palmer robbed Dan Gladden to prevent Detroit from taking the lead.

"I think defense is more important than anything, especially in close games," Palmer said. "If you can make plays that will save a run or two, it will win you some games."

While Palmer's gems came at key moments, so did the Tigers' miscues. Texas' third run came when Ivan Rodriguez reached on shortstop Travis Fryman's error, then scored when a routine single skipped past right fielder Rob Deer.

The Rangers won the game with a five-run fifth and more inadvertent help from the Tigers.

After a leadoff single, Juan Gonzalez's grounder between short and third skipped off third baseman Alan Trammell's glove and into short center for a fluke double.

After starter John Doherty (7-4) hit Rodriguez with a pitch, Dan Peltier's routine grounder went under Mickey Tettleton's glove at first base, allowing two runs to score.

The next batter, Palmer, hit a line shot to center that Gladden couldn't run down, and that ended up as a two-run triple.

"The way we played doesn't bother me at all," Detroit manager Sparky Anderson said. "If they had done that on purpose, that would bother me. This is just baseball, and baseball never surprises me anymore."

All three defensive mistakes in the fifth inning came from players out of position. Trammell had never played anywhere but shortstop before this year; Tettleton is a natural catcher; and Gladden normally plays left field.

"You can't win without defense, and I really think that cost Detroit the game tonight," said Mike Schooler (1-0), the second of five Texas pitchers. "We played solid defense, and they didn't. That was the difference."

Detroit stranded 13 runners, leaving runners on third in five of the first six innings, and leaving the bases loaded three times.

"We used every pitcher we had except for Tom Henke, and he's pitched the last two nights," Rangers manager Kevin Kennedy said. "We just kept battling, and we got some big outs. I think the biggest was when Todd Burns struck out Tettleton with the bases loaded in the sixth. He was down 2-0 and came back with three strikes. That was big."

It also doomed Detroit to its first 10-game losing streak since a 12-game slide by the 59-103 Tigers of 1989.

Men's softball

Team	Record	
Fast Oil Change	16	2
Snyder Iron & Metal	14	4
E.D. Walton	12	6
West Texas State Bank	9	9
Bad Boys	2	16
Price Daniel Unit	1	17

Thursday's games

E.D. Walton 16, Snyder Iron & Metal 12
West Texas State Bank 13, Bad Boys 2
Fast Oil Change 26, Price Daniel Unit 9

Baseball glance

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Toronto	48	31	.608	—
New York	46	33	.582	2
Detroit	43	35	.551	4½
Baltimore	42	36	.538	5½
Boston	38	39	.494	9
Cleveland	36	42	.462	11½
Milwaukee	32	44	.421	14½

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Chicago	39	37	.513	—
Kansas City	38	38	.500	1
Seattle	39	40	.494	1½
California	37	39	.487	2
Texas	36	40	.474	3
Oakland	32	41	.438	5½
Minnesota	32	43	.427	6½

Thursday's Games

Seattle 6, Minnesota 1
Oakland 6, California 3
Texas 8, Detroit 5
Baltimore 1, Chicago 0
Only games scheduled

Friday's Games

Texas (Brown 6-6) at Detroit (Gullickson 4-4), 7:35 p.m.
Milwaukee (Eldred 9-8) at Minnesota (Deshaies 9-5), 8:05 p.m.
Baltimore (Mussina 9-3) at Chicago (Fernandez 8-4), 8:05 p.m.
Toronto (Guzman 7-1) at Kansas City (Pichardo 4-4), 8:35 p.m.
Cleveland (Kramer 3-2) at California (Sanderson 7-8), 10:35 p.m.
Boston (Viola 4-7) at Seattle (Hampton 1-2), 10:35 p.m.
New York (Wickman 8-1) at Oakland (B.Witt 7-5), 10:35 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Philadelphia	52	26	.667	—
St. Louis	46	31	.597	5½
Montreal	42	36	.538	10
Chicago	37	38	.493	13½
Pittsburgh	37	40	.481	14½
Florida	35	42	.455	16½
New York	23	53	.303	28

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
San Francisco	52	27	.658	—
Atlanta	45	34	.570	7
Los Angeles	40	36	.526	10½
Houston	39	37	.513	11½
Cincinnati	38	41	.481	14
San Diego	29	49	.372	22½
Colorado	26	51	.338	25

Thursday's Games

Montreal 7, Pittsburgh 5
St. Louis 14, Philadelphia 5
Florida 7, New York 5
Houston 8, Cincinnati 1
Atlanta 4, Colorado 0
Only games scheduled

Friday's Games

San Diego (Brocail 2-3 and Benes 8-6) at Philadelphia (Mulholland 9-5 and DeLeon 3-0), 2, 4:35 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Z.Smith 0-2 and Wakefield 4-7) at Cincinnati (Smiley 3-9 and Pugh 3-9), 2, 5:35 p.m.
Los Angeles (R.Martinez 6-4) at Montreal (Barnes 2-3), 7:35 p.m.
San Francisco (Wilson 5-4) at New York (Young 0-10), 7:40 p.m.
Florida (Hammond 9-4) at Atlanta (Maddux 7-6), 7:40 p.m.
St. Louis (Magrane 7-6) at Houston (Portugal 5-3), 8:05 p.m.
Chicago (Hibbard 7-4) at Colorado (Henry 2-7), 9:05 p.m.

Novotna derails Navratilova's try for 10th Wimbledon title

WIMBLEDON, England (AP) — Martina Navratilova waved to the crowd with a wistful look and offered a few words to her fans as she walked off Centre Court. Was this goodbye?

"I said, 'I'll be back,'" the nine-time champion told reporters after losing 6-4, 6-4 to Jana Novotna in Thursday's semifinals. "It wouldn't feel right to finish on this note."

Questions about retirement are inevitable these days for the 36-year-old Navratilova. Even though she insisted she has no plans to end her career, the notion did linger in her mind Thursday as she felt the match slipping away.

"Of course, so many thoughts are going through your head," she said. "Is this my last match on Centre Court? I told myself, 'No, it's not.' As I was walking away, I was definitely thinking it was not my last match."

Asked if she might change her mind about returning in 1994, Navratilova said, "It's a long year, but as of now I'm planning to be here."

With Navratilova eliminated, Saturday's women's final will be between Novotna and four-time champion Steffi Graf.

The men's semifinals were set for today, with top-seeded Pete Sampras against No. 4 Boris Becker and No. 2 Stefan Edberg vs. No. 3 Jim Courier. It's the first time since 1927 the four top seeds reached the final four.

Navratilova said she will continue playing as long as she has the desire and the talent.

"Number one: is the heart still there?" she said. "Number two: do I still feel that I can win? I don't think I would play if I don't think I stand a chance to win. I'm not a glutton for punishment. I wouldn't play just to play and get to the round of 16 and look good for a while and then get blown out by somebody later on."

Despite the close score, Navratilova was essentially blown out by Novotna. The 24-year-old Czech, who beat Navratilova for the first time in eight meetings, controlled the match with an all-court game that kept her opponent on the defensive throughout.

"Age is not why I lost today and that's not why I can't win anymore, but it certainly makes things more difficult," Navratilova said. "Things just didn't click for me. I was on my heels the whole match."

Most people assumed Graf and Navratilova would meet in the final. Even Graf, who beat Conchita Martinez 7-6 (7-0), 6-3, said she regretted that she would not be facing her long-time rival.

"Yes, I'm kind of disappointed," Graf said. "She's somebody everybody treasures. We have always had exciting matches. We have both been in the finals so many times. Everybody was hoping for it, including myself a little bit, too."

Volleyball tournament planned

A volleyball tournament has been planned for Towle Park during Saturday's Independence Day celebration.

Cost to enter the tourney is $40 per team. Rosters will consist of six players, including at least one female.

Deadline to enter is 9 p.m. today. Opening-round games will begin at 9 a.m. Saturday.

For more information, contact Justin Hester at 573-2962, or Paul Jaramillo at 573-2652.

A&M scholarships not renewed

COLLEGE STATION, Texas (AP) — The scholarships of seven Texas A&M players who have been declared ineligible for accepting improper payments from a booster were not renewed, football coach R.C. Slocum says.

Slocum told the Bryan-College Station Eagle Thursday that he will consider renewing the scholarship at the conclusion of the school's investigation into the matter, which he said should come before the start of the 1993 football season.

All of the players, including star running back Greg Hill, have admitted they were paid for work not done from Dallas booster Warren A. Gilbert Jr.

The other players included two other starter, wide receiver Brian Mitchell and linebacker Jessie Cox.

Reserves James Brooks, Billy Mitchell, Percy Singleton and Darius Smith also were declared ineligible.

Thursday was the NCAA deadline for annual renewal of scholarships.

The decision is not a declaration of guilt, Slocum said.

DE Haley suffers back injury

IRVING, Texas (AP) — Charles Haley won't be carrying the Dallas Cowboys on his back this season.

Haley joins quarterback Troy Aikman with back injuries, suffered during offseason weight training.

The Cowboys announced Thursday that Haley is resting in his Gladys, Va., hometown after injuring his back while lifting weights on June 22. Haley suffered a lower back strain, officials said.

Aikman, who also injured his back lifting weights, is recuperating in Dallas following herniated disc surgery. He is scheduled to begin rehabilitation Monday in Los Angeles.

While the start of the season is in question for the Dallas quarterback, Haley, a defensive end, is expected to be ready for the start of training camp July 15.

Dr. William Hazel, an orthopedic surgeon at the Franklin Clinic in Herndon, Va., has examined Haley and said surgery would not be needed.

"I believe non-operative treatment is the best for him," Hazel said. "I wouldn't want to make a rash judgement on when he'll be ready to play, but at the rate he's progressing now, July 15 should be about right."

Cowboys head coach Jimmy Johnson downplayed the injury. "We don't want to totally discount anything, but we don't think this is anything of significance."

Astros end road trip with 8-1 win at Cincy

CINCINNATI (AP) — The Houston Astros went home happy, although they weren't very satisfied.

Pete Harnisch gave the Astros a happy ending to their 10-game road trip Thursday night by pitching eight solid innings for an 8-1 victory over the Cincinnati Reds. Houston broke even on a trip that started with a flourish and ended with a flurry of hits.

The Astros started the trip in fourth place in the NL West, 10½ games behind San Francisco. They took 3 of 4 in Los Angeles to open the trip, then only two of the last six in Atlanta and Cincinnati.

The net result? Still in fourth place, now 11½ games back.

"It is a solid road trip, especially with the three cities we went to," manager Art Howe said. "But when you start 3-1, you have higher expectations."

"We've got to be satisfied with 5-5, to an extent," said Harnisch (7-5), who broke out of a three-game losing streak Thursday.

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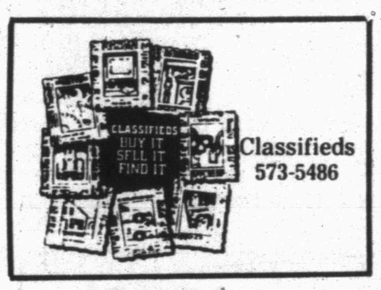
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3782 Avondale 3-2-2, $46T.
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3003 40th 3-2-1, $29,500.
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4501 Denison, 3-2-CP, $49,500.
1507 20th, 3-1-CP, A, $33T.
1901 Scott, 3-2, $29,500.
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3507 Houston, brick, 3-2-2, $57,500.
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2609 35th, 3-2-2. lg. den, liv., sunporch.
NW, country, 10A, 3-1-2, Lo $50's.
3505 Irving, assumable, rear garage & shop.
Seller will help w/costs-3789 Dalton, 4-2-1-cp, $30's and 201 36th, 2-1, $20's.
3728 Austin, 3-2-1, nice, $40T.
3003 40th, Exc. buy, 3-2-1, $20's.
1902 Gilmore, doublewide mobil, 2 lots.
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213 37th, brick, 3-2-2, $55T.
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3750 Avondale 3-2, CH/A.	34T
North side of square.	46T
NW 1.9 A, lg. home.	55T
10 Unit Apt. Complex	35T
3012 Ave. W	39.5T
6 mi. W 3-2, 5A.	69.5T
3707 Noble Dr. 3-2-1.	38T
3732 Austin 3-1, CH/A.	38.5T
105 36th New Listing	30T
3733 Avondale 3-2 + apt.	49.5T
3003 40th 3-2-1.	29.5T
Ave. U 3-1-cp, CH/A.	25T
3505 44th 3-2-2.	53T
3507 Houston 3-2-2.	57.5T
Comm. lot on College.	40T
Office bldg. N College.	30T
3001 39th 3-1, den.	36T
Polar 360A, some min.	108T
4306 Lubbock 3-2-2, FP.	57T
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Blocking programs pondered

WASHINGTON (AP) — Television viewers should be able to block out violent programs by a push of a button, according to members of Congress who say the industry's plan to warn about programs that contain violence ought to be only a first step.

The technology for viewers to block out certain programming is already available. For example, it is used by the cable television industry to keep adult programs from being watched by children.

"If you have determined that parental discretion is necessary, why wouldn't we want to allow parents to block out the programming?" asked Rep. Edward Markey, D-Mass., chairman of the House Energy and Commerce telecommunications subcommittee.

Markey, at a hearing Thursday on the networks' new rating proposal for violence, said children often watch TV while home alone and parents "need to have the power to exert control with technology based fixes in the TV set."

Even today, viewers could block programs if they were electronically coded by the networks, said Markey, who has been pressing the networks to reduce violence in their programs.

New TVs already are equipped with the block-out technology because it is included on the computer chip that must be in sets to decode captioning for the hearing impaired.

But the networks would have to code their violent programs for the equipment in the TVs to be used as a blocking device. And network executives show little enthusiasm for the idea, noting such

(see BLOCKING, Page 8)

Police note two arrests

Snyder police made two arrests Thursday and early today.

Officers arrested a 23-year-old male at 7:55 p.m. Friday in Towle Park on a warrant for making alcohol available to a minor.

At 1:38 a.m. today, police arrested a 25-year-old male in the 1100 block of 26th Street on a county warrant for criminal mischief and evading arrest.

At 9:55 a.m. Friday, Lawrence Outlaw notified police that a 5,500 btu air conditioner and a Murray 20-inch lawnmower had been stolen from 1914 Coleman. A report for Class A theft was filed.

At 11:26 a.m., Lawrence IGA employees notified police that they had two juvenile shoplifters in custody. The juveniles were released to their parents and no charges were filed.

At 7:55 p.m., police responded to a disturbance south of the Beacon Motel where a male had reportedly assaulted a female. No charges were filed. A report for assault/family violence was filed.

Two fires extinguished

Snyder Fire Department personnel responded to two fires Friday.

At 11:43 a.m., firefighters were dispatched a half mile north on Ennis Creek Road were a 1988 Ford van owned by Flint Construction was on fire. The vehicle sustained heavy damage.

At 9:31 p.m., firemen responded to a grass fire at 15th Street and Avenue K.

Cause of the van fire is undetermined. Fireworks are suspected as having caused the grass fire.

Petroleum prices

NEW YORK (AP) — Petroleum cash prices Thursday as compared with Tuesday's prices.

	Thu.	Wed.
Refined Products		
Fuel oil No. 2 NY bbr bg gl fob	.5135	.5215
Gasoline unl prem RVP NY bbr bg gl fob	.5895	.5985
Gasoline unl RVP NY bbr bg gl fob	.5345	.5445
Prices provided by Oil Buyer's Guide.		
X-prices are for RVP grade of gasoline.		
Petroleum - Crude Grades		
Saudi Arabian light $ per bbl fob	14.45	14.85
North Sea Brent $ per bbl fob	17.05	17.60
West Texas Intermed $ per bbl fob	18.45	18.85
Alask No. Slope del. US Gulf Coast	16.25	16.60
Alask No. Slope del. West Coast	15.15	15.60

High-rise shooting leaves nine dead

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — A man with two pistols strapped to his suspenders, gun in one hand, a bag of bullets in the other, walked into a law firm's high-rise office and opened fire, killing eight people and himself.

Authorities said six people were also injured in the shooting spree Thursday afternoon.

The San Francisco Chronicle and San Francisco Examiner identified the gunman as Gian Luigi Ferri, 55, of Woodland Hills, a Los Angeles suburb. The San Francisco police and medical examiner refused to comment.

Ferri was president of ADF Mortgage and Realty in Woodland Hills, the Examiner said.

His motive was still a mystery.

The gunman and six of his victims were found dead inside the sleek glass skyscraper at 101 California St., in the financial district, Mayor Frank Jordan said. Two others died at San Francisco General Hospital.

The assailant put a gun under his chin and pulled the trigger when he spotted police approaching on a stairwell, a little more than an hour after the shooting began, Jordan said.

Appearing today on ABC's "Good Morning, America," the mayor said of the shootings, "It's one of those things that happens periodically in every major city that has really no explanation.

"The big message here is that this whole proliferation of automatic and semiautomatic weapons should not be in any city across the United States," he said.

Nancy Asbill, an attorney at Pettit & Martin, the law firm on the 34th floor where the gunman began his rampage, was in the bathroom when the man started shooting shortly before 3 p.m.

"We heard the fire alarm," said Asbill, visibly shaken. "We thought it was a fire drill. Then we saw the bullet holes and smelled the smoke. We ran out."

Authorities believe the shooting spree was planned because the gunman was so heavily armed. "We think the individual must have known someone," Jordan said.

The gunman's weapons were semiautomatic and he had a black canvas bag stuffed with "hundreds and hundreds of rounds," Jordan said.

Bodies were found on the 34th, 33rd and 31st floors, police spokesman Dave Ambrose said. The gunman's body was found on a stairway between the 29th and 30th floors.

Wayne Jeffries, a lawyer at Pettit & Martin, said the gunman had been at the firm earlier in the day for a deposition, but details of the case were not immediately known.

The man was described by police as a heavyset, middle-aged white male dressed in dark slacks, a white shirt and suspenders. He carried a California driver's licence, Jordan said.

Defendant admits he told lies

AUSTIN (AP) — The prosecutor in the trial of man convicted of killing a state trooper says defendant Ronald Ray Howard has "many faces."

Howard acknowledged on the witness stand Thursday that he has lied several times under oath to try to protect himself.

Jurors are considering the punishment for Howard, 19, after finding him guilty in June of shooting a state trooper in April 1992 near Victoria.

Defense attorneys are trying to keep Howard from receiving the death penalty by attempting to show the hard-driving, anti-cop "gansta rap" music Howard was listening to moments before the crime contributed to his actions.

Howard testified for 11/2 days.

Under cross examination Thursday, the Houston man said he lied to a Jackson County grand jury about what happened on the night Department of Public Safety Trooper Bill Davidson was murdered.

Davidson stopped Howard, who was driving a stolen car, near Victoria because of a missing headlight.

"I lied some," Howard admitted, "a lot."

County to seek bids for welding

Scurry County commissioners court, meeting in special session Thursday afternoon, authorized the advertisement for welding at the coliseum annex building.

Specifications are available from the county judge's office and bids will be accepted until 5 p.m. July 15. The bids will be opened at 10 a.m. on July 17.

Present for the special court session were Commissioners Jerry Gannaway, Ralph Trevey and C.D. Gray Jr. Absent were Roy Idom and County Judge Bob Doolittle.

Hospital Notes

DISMISSALS: Jack Lewis.

Census: 45 (Med.-4, Long-Term Care-36, CCU--2, OB-2, Nursery-1)

Births

Steve and Mary Rose of Snyder announces the birth of their son, Christopher Bradley, born at 9:20 p.m. on June 30 in Cogdell Memorial Hospital. He weighed eight pounds, five ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Armando Ramos of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Scott of Hobbs, N.M.

July 4th

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Cornelius-Dodson House.

Special guests will include J. Merrill Kayser, retired educator turned author. He will be autographing copies of his book, Mule Tales, on Saturday.

Tickets are $2 each and can be purchased in advance at Eddie Peterson's Pharmacy and at Country Place as well as from members of the sponsoring organizations.

Other activities include swimming at Towle Park Pool beginning at 2 p.m.

A toy duck race will take place at the park pond just prior to the fireworks show Saturday. Ducks can be purchased separately for $2 each or three for $5 and a dozen for $18. First place winner receives $100, second place gets $50 and third wins $25.

Fireworks are set to begin as soon as the sun sets. 3-D fireworks glasses will be available for purchase, as well as glow-in-the-dark necklaces.

Throughout the July 4th Celebration, park visitors may enjoy the Pride of Texas Carnival located adjacent to the Barn and various musical acts on stage. Entertainers will include the high school choir and soloists, Highway 208, the Silver Spur Band, Cindy Sanders and a gospel show.

Southern Knights band is scheduled to play a street dance at Towle Park Pool at 8 p.m. Saturday as a benefit for Noah Project. Those making a donation of at least $1 will have a chance to win drawing for a cellular telephone or a bicycle.

Markets Midday Stocks

NEW YORK (AP)

	High	Low	Last	
AMR Corp	637/8	625/8	625/8	-3/4
Albertsons	537/8	533/8	531/2	+1/8
Alldsignal	653/4	65	651/2	-3/8
ALLTEL Cp	533/8	531/4	531/4	
ALLTEL Cp wi	263/4	263/4	263/4	
AmStores	453/8	45	451/4	-1/8
Amer T&T	625/8	621/8	621/8	-5/8
Ameritech	80	793/4	793/4	-1/2
Amoco	551/8	547/8	547/8	-5/8
AndarkPtr	401/8	395/8	40	+1/4
Arkla	10	97/8	97/8	-1/8
ArmcoInc	73/8	71/4	73/8	+1/8
AtlRichfld	1151/8	1141/8	1141/8	—11/2
BakerHughes	251/2	251/8	251/8	-1/2
BancTexas	17/8	2		+1/8
BellAtl	581/4	575/8	581/8	+1/8
BellSouth	551/8	545/8	543/4	-3/8
Beth Steel	183/4	185/8	185/8	-1/4
Borden	19	183/4	187/8	
Caterpllr	74	731/4	731/4	-3/4
CenSoWst	327/8	325/8	323/4	-1/8
Chevron	863/4	861/4	865/8	-1/8
Chrysler	463/8	457/8	461/8	-1/4
Coastal	261/2	261/8	261/8	-1/8
CocaCola	431/4	425/8	43	
ColgatePalm	575/8	571/4	573/8	-1/4
ComlMetl	341/8	34	34	+1/8
Cooperin	507/8	501/2	501/2	-3/8
CyprusMn	253/4	243/4	253/8	+1/2
DallSemicn	15	147/8	147/8	
DeltaAirl	483/4	473/8	471/2	—11/4
DigitalEq	413/8	411/4	411/4	-1/4
Dillard	361/2	357/8	36	-1/2
DowChem	561/4	557/8	561/8	+3/8
DresserInd	231/2	231/8	231/2	-1/8
DuPont	471/8	467/8	47	
EstKodak	505/8	50	501/2	+1/8
EljerInd	67/8	63/4	63/4	-1/8
Enserch	18	175/8	18	+1/4
Exxon	651/8	643/4	647/8	-1/4
FlowerInd	175/8	171/2	171/2	-1/8
FordMotor	503/4	50	50	—1
GTE Cp	357/8	351/2	353/4	+1/4
GenDynam	891/2	885/8	89	-1/2
GenElct	961/4	953/8	957/8	+3/4
GnMill	683/8	675/8	681/4	+1/8
GenMotors	433/4	427/8	431/2	-1/2
GnMotr E	29	285/8	287/8	+3/8
GaPacif	607/8	603/8	603/4	-1/4
GlobalMar	43/8	41/8	41/8	-1/4
Goodrich	423/4	421/4	421/2	
Goodyear s	411/2	407/8	41	-5/8
GtAtlPac	321/2	323/8	321/2	
Gulf StaUt	181/2	183/8	183/8	-1/8
Haliburtn	371/4	37	371/8	-1/8
Hanson ADS	171/4	171/8	171/4	
HoustInd	44	437/8	44	
IBM	491/8	48	481/4	—1
IntlPaper	651/4	645/8	643/4	-5/8
JohnsnJns	401/4	393/4	393/4	-5/8
K mart	203/8	201/8	201/4	-1/4
Kroger	175/8	173/8	175/8	+1/4
Litton	637/8	635/8	633/4	-1/4
vjLoneStar	11/2	13/8	13/8	-1/8
Lowes	383/4	381/2	385/8	-1/4
Lubys	213/8	21	213/8	
Maxus	9	87/8	87/8	-1/8
MayDS s	385/8	383/8	383/8	-3/8
Medtronic	66	651/4	651/4	—1
Mobil	74	733/8	731/2	-7/8
Monsanto	593/8	591/8	591/4	+1/8
Motorola s	863/8	851/8	851/4	-3/4
Nationsbk	497/8	495/8	495/8	-3/8
Navistar s	263/4	263/8	261/2	+1/4
Nynex	901/4	90	901/8	-1/8
OryxEngy	201/8	193/4	197/8	-1/4
PacTelesis	483/8	48	481/4	-1/4
PanhECp	253/8	251/8	251/8	-5/8
PenneyJC s	441/2	437/8	441/8	+3/8
Pennzoil	621/2	623/8	623/8	
PepBoys	217/8	213/8	213/8	-1/2
PhelpDodge	461/2	461/8	461/2	+1/8
PhilipPet	283/4	283/8	283/8	-1/2
Polaroid	373/4	37	37	-7/8
Praxair n	153/4	155/8	155/8	-1/8
Primerica s	511/2	503/4	507/8	—1
ProctGamble	517/8	513/8	513/4	
PubS NwMx	137/8	135/8	133/4	
SFePacCp	183/8	18	181/4	+1/4
SaraLee s	241/2	241/4	243/8	-1/8
SearsRoeb	551/8	541/2	545/8	-5/8
SherwinW	321/8	317/8	317/8	-1/8
SmthBch s	323/8	32	32	-3/8
SmthBc eqt s	283/8	281/8	281/4	-1/4
Southern Co	425/8	421/4	421/2	
SwAirl s	441/4	431/8	431/4	—1
SwBell s	391/8	383/4	387/8	-1/4
Sprint	343/8	341/8	341/8	-3/8
SterlingChm	33/4	33/4	33/4	-1/4
SunCo	247/8	243/4	243/4	
TNP Ent	177/8	173/4	177/8	
Tandy	297/8	295/8	293/4	
TempIni	453/4	451/4	451/4	-3/8
Tenneco	503/8	491/2	493/4	-1/2
Texaco	633/8	63	63	-3/4
TexasInd	223/8	223/8	223/8	+1/8
TexasInst	693/8	69	69	-5/8
Tex Util	457/8	455/8	457/8	+3/8
Textron	551/4	543/4	543/4	-1/2
Trinity	503/8	501/8	501/8	-3/8
TritonEngy	333/8	331/4	331/4	-1/8
Tyler	51/8	5	5	
US West	471/4	461/2	465/8	-7/8
USX Delhi g	207/8	203/4	203/4	
USX-Marathn	165/8	161/2	165/8	
USX-USS	40	40	40	
UnCarbde	191/4	19	191/8	-1/4
UnPac	607/8	603/8	601/2	-1/8
UnitedTech	525/8	521/4	521/2	-1/4
Unocal	291/4	283/8	281/2	—1
WalMart s	253/4	251/2	255/8	-1/8
WstnGasRs	353/4	353/4	353/4	+1/4
WestghEl	16	157/8	16	-1/8
WinnDixie	561/4	56	56	-3/8
Woolwth	271/4	271/8	271/8	-1/8
Xerox Cp	78	775/8	777/8	+1/8
ZenithE	73/4	71/2	73/4	+1/8

Muslim stronghold falls to Croats

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina (AP) — Bolstered by the tanks of their new Serb allies, Bosnian Croat troops captured one Muslim stronghold in north-central Bosnia today and advanced on another one.

U.N. officials based in Vitez, 35 miles northwest of Sarajevo, said the town of Zepce fell to a twin-pronged Serb-Croat attack.

Zepce's loss left the Serbs and Croats positioned to attack the city of Zenice, 20 miles to the south and one of the few remaining strongholds of the Muslim-dominated government army. It also isolated Maglaj to the north, leaving Muslims trapped in a new pocket.

The fall of Zepce showed the effectiveness of the newly created Serb-Croat alliance in central Bosnia. Government troops had pushed back lightly armed Croats in recent weeks but were no match for the Serb armored vehicles providing cover for Croat infantry.

A correspondent for the British Broadcasting Corp. in Vitez reported that retreating Bosnian Muslim soldiers were in tears. They described Serb tanks firing indiscriminately on civilian buildings and on white flags of surrender.

Blocking

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a move would reduce advertising rates for programs that might be blocked out.

"With free television totally dependent on advertising revenue, we are concerned by any proposal that targets advertising levels for reductions, no matter how seemingly worthy the objective," testified Peter Tortorici, CBS executive vice president of entertainment.

"The notion that the chip would discourage advertisers from supporting programming containing violence is very troubling," he said.

Tortorici and executives from ABC, NBC, Fox and the motion picture industry urged the panel to withhold judgment on the effectiveness of the parental warnings, coming this fall, until they've been used for awhile.

"We are concerned about being crowded by additional government control," said Thomas Murphy, chairman of Capitol Cities-ABC Inc.

Warren Littlefield, NBC president of entertainment, said not all violence on television is harmful.

Some violence is gratuitous or glamorized and "we will eliminate it from our airwaves," he promised. In other shows with some violence, "we take on socially relevant issues, like incest, date rape, the dangers of maniacal cult leaders."

Obituaries

J.N. Burleson

1904-1993

Services are set for 2:30 p.m. Monday in the chapel of Bell-Cyper-Seale Funeral Home for J.N. "Newt" Burleson, 88, of Ira who died at 9:33 p.m. Thursday in Cogdell Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness. Burial will follow in the Hillside Memorial Gardens.

Homer Anderson, minister of 37th St. Church of Christ, will officiate.

Born on Aug. 9, 1904, in Mineola, he was married to Cleo Beela Greenwood on Sept. 20, 1930, in Carbon. She died on March 25, 1991. A Scurry County resident since 1935, Mr. Burleson was a farmer. He was a Baptist.

He was also preceded in death by a son, Melvin "Mickey" Young Burleson on Jan. 4, 1982.

Survivors include a son, Arlie J. Burleson of Ira; one brother, Travis Burleson of Hermleigh; four grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

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BUSINESS YARD OF MONTH — Betty Browning, manager of McD's 66 on College Ave., accepts the Most Improved Business of the Month sign to be placed in the garden area. Judges for the project were members of the Snyder Garden Club, represented by Patsy Huckabee, left. An ongoing project to beautify Snyder is sponsored by the City of Snyder and the local chamber of commerce. (SDN Staff Photo)

Politics and street signs: no 'slow children' anymore

SPRINGFIELD, Mass. (AP) — Is it a sign of the times? The last word in political correctness?

"Slow Children" signs are falling by the wayside, not to mention from the roadside, across Massachusetts as state officials respond to complaints by offended motorists.

"This is true," said Charles F. Sterling, who is in charge of traffic signs for the state Department of Public Works. "A state representative sent a letter to our commissioner with a petition taking offense and contending the wording was insensitive to retarded and slow children."

Obligingly, the Highway Department commissioner at the time, James Kerasiotes, wrote to each city and town recommending replacing "Slow Children" with "Watch Children." It cost towns about $100 per sign.

Jodi D'Urso, a spokeswoman for Kerasiotes, now state Transportation secretary James Kerasiotes, said cities and towns were told to post the "Watch Children" version only when installing new signs.

But "Slow Children" disappeared fast.

"So far we have received reports from four out of five (department) engineers that their district has been cleared of 'Slow Children' signs," Sterling said. "The other is still checking."

"They did?" gasped John Driscoll, an aide to state Rep. Robert Hawke, R-Gardner.

Driscoll said Hawke had just forwarded a letter of complaint about the signs from a Fitchburg State College professor. Hawke didn't take sides himself, Driscoll said, and had no idea that it would lead to such a sweeping change.

Local officials say they have heard complaints about sign phraseology for years.

"It's nothing new. ... And when a politician thinks they may get a few votes out of it they can't bring themselves to say no," said George Teso, who has overruled more than one trendy suggestion in the 24 years he has headed the city of Cambridge's traffic and sign department.

"Fortunately, the city councilors can only request we look into something," Teso said. "If they had the chance, we'd probably have purple stop signs."

This week, Pittsfield Public Works Commissioner William J. Forestell declined a request from a city councilor that he replace the "Dead End" sign on a street that goes nowhere, because a constituent wanted something more upbeat.

Jury convicts teen-age girl

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — A 13-year-old girl has been convicted of aggravated sexual assault and aggravated robbery in connection with the gang rape of another 13-year-old girl last year.

A San Antonio jury deliberated for just over an hour before returning a verdict Thursday against Priscilla Ambriz.

Ms. Ambriz was accused of holding down and beating a girl while she was raped by eight to 10 gang members outside a mobile home park Dec. 29. Ms. Ambriz also was accused of stealing the victim's necklace and earrings after the attack.

She faces up to 40 years in prison. Under the law, she may be transferred from a youth facility to a state prison after her 18th birthday.

Earlier Thursday, Ms. Ambriz testified that the victim was a willing participant in the incident. She said she heard the victim encourage the males to have sex with her.

"I said, "Well, I guess she wants it and I can't do nothing"" to stop the event, Ms. Ambriz said.

In closing arguments, defense attorney David Hutton Jr. said his client was not involved in orchestrating the incident and should not be found guilty for merely being present at the scene.

"I'm not saying she's a choir girl," Hutton said. "I'm saying she was in the wrong place at the wrong time."

But Assistant District Attorney Priscilla Garcia called the defendant "an evil little girl" who recruited males to commit the rape, encouraged them to repeatedly assault the victim and then lied about it in court.

Ms. Garcia cited the testimony of the victim, who tearfully told jurors Wednesday that she thought the gathering was being held to initiate the defendant into a gang.

In other testimony Thursday, Larry Salazar, a co-defendant who agreed to testify in exchange for a more lenient sentence, admitted that he raped the victim after being recruited by the defendant at a nearby convenience store.

Salazar, 16, said he felt sorry for the victim, but did nothing to stop the assaults.

37th St. Church of Christ sets 40th anniversary, homecoming

A homecoming to celebrate 40 years in Snyder will be observed this weekend by the 37th St. Church of Christ.

The 400-member congregation had its beginning shortly after the discovery of the Kelly-Snyder oilfield in 1949. The oil boom attracted a flood of new residents, and by 1952, the Church of Christ congregation meeting on 25th St. was bursting at the seams.

Leaders of the Snyder Church of Christ were faced with the prospect of adding to existing facilities or providing a second meeting place. The 25th St. congregation (now East Side) appointed a committee to select a site for the new church building and the present location on west 37th Street was chosen. The committee consisted of Claude McCormick Sr., Earl McDow and Gordon Smith. All three are deceased.

Next came the appointment of a building committee, including the same three men in addition to the late J. L. (Broadway) Browning and the late John Voss.

Cost of the new building was some $130,000 and consisted of a 59x95-foot auditorium which seated about 600. The first service in the new building was held July 6, 1953, after seven months of construction. Warder K. Novak of Hamlin was chosen as the first minister and preached at the first service.

The appointment of elders was given priority in establishment of the new congregation. The first eldership included Ennis Floyd, Jude Hale, Alfred Lieb, Earl McDow and Jay Rogers. Lieb and Floyd are still members of the congregation, but no longer serve in a leadership role.

Others who have served as elders of the congregation are Clifton Tankersley, Clifford Terry, Frank Taylor, Broadway Browning, I.E. Martin and Frank Pruitt.

Current elders are Charles Anderson, Dan Cotton, E.H. Dever, Willie Masters, Bob Watlington, Wallace Combest, Eddie Peterson and G.A. Parks.

The late C. Dale Brooks followed Novak as minister. A 1960 church directory lists Bobby Williams as assistant minister. Bill Looney who retired from full-time work in 1991, returned to Snyder in 1981 to serve as associate minister.

Others serving as pulpit ministers were Durward Boggs, Maxie Boren, Pat Abbananto, Charlie Garner, Randall Gray, Rick Cunningham and Larry Mitchell. Homer Anderson has served the congregation for the past two years.

In 1983, a new Family Center with classrooms was built north of the auditorium. The congregation also oversees Christian Student Center activities on the campus of Western Texas College. Roy Rosson is campus minister, and Bill Looney currently heads up a prison ministry.

On Saturday morning, members are invited to play golf at the WTC course, and a coffee for women will be held at 10 a.m. in the Family Center.

Sunday includes worship at the regular times. Bible study is at 9:30 a.m., followed by worship at 10:30. Evening worship is at 6 p.m. At noon, those attending homecoming are invited to a luncheon in the Family Center, followed by singing to begin at 1:30 p.m.

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Bridge

By Phillip Alder

NORTH 7-2-93
♠ 9 2
♥ 7 4 3
♦ A K 7 6 2
♣ 8 6 2

WEST
♠ K J
♥ J 9
♦ Q 10 9 3
♣ J 10 9 7 5

EAST
♠ Q 10 8 6 3
♥ Q 10 8 6 2
♦ J
♣ 4 3

SOUTH
♠ A 7 5 4
♥ A K 5
♦ 8 5 4
♣ A K Q

Vulnerable: East-West
Dealer: South

South	West	North	East
2 NT	Pass	3 NT	All pass

Opening lead: ♣ J

Be thorough, be triumphant

By Phillip Alder

Confucius said that the cautious seldom err. This is certainly true at the bridge table. Those who think things over carefully at trick one will usually do much better than those who just plunge in without proper perception and preparation.

South showed 20-22 points with his opening bid, in the modern style. West naturally led the top of his sequence in clubs.

South won with the queen and exhibited good technique, ducking a diamond immediately. Yet when East won with the jack and continued with another club, South fell from grace. He won and played a diamond to dummy's king. East's discard was a bad shock. However South chose to wriggle, he couldn't come to more than eight tricks.

South started with eight top tricks: one spade, two hearts, two diamonds and three clubs. Clearly the diamond suit provided the best chance for a ninth trick. But the key point was that South was looking only for a ninth trick, not for a ninth and 10th. After ducking a diamond and winning the club return, South should have ducked another diamond, keeping communication with the dummy and guaranteeing his contract.

Note that the defenders could have done better. East can switch to the spade six at trick three. If South ducks, West wins with the *king* and then returns the jack. If South wins the first spade with the ace, West unblocks the king. Both lines put the defenders in a position to cash a fatal number of spade tricks, so declarer can't afford to duck a second diamond. But if a pair defends like that against you, pick easier opponents next time.

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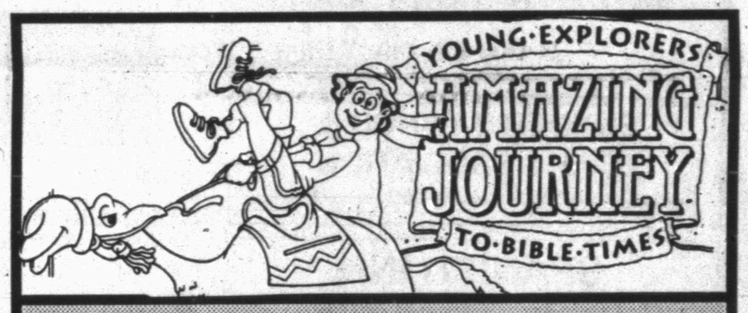
Street dance will benefit Noah Project

Southern Knights will play a street dance to benefit Snyder's Noah Project starting at 8 p.m. Saturday near the swimming pool in Towle Park.

The dance will stop for the fireworks display and then will resume until midnight. Admission is free but donations will be accepted.

Those making a donation of at least $1 will have a chance to win a drawing for a cellular telephone donated by Permian Communications or a bicycle donated by Kmart in Snyder.

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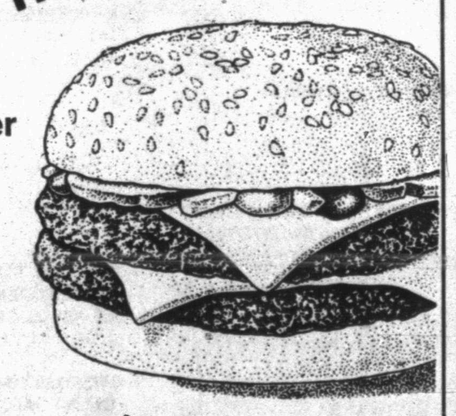
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