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Ask Us

Q—What is the status of Dorsey Lee Johnson?

A—Johnson, who has been scheduled twice for execution by lethal injection for the murder of a Snyder convenience store clerk in 1986, remains on death row in Huntsville. According to the state attorney general's office, his case is pending in federal court. Any new execution date will be set after the case is returned to 132nd District Court in Snyder.

Local

Civil defense

Snyder's civil defense sirens will be tested at noon Monday, weather permitting.

Band boosters

Snyder Band Boosters will be taking pictures for photo buttons at the high school band hall at 5 o'clock today.

Video series

"What Husbands Need to Know," part of a marriage enrichment seminar conducted by Drs. Carl Brecheen and Paul Faulkner, will be shown at 7 p.m. Monday on Cablevision Channel 2.

Fund-raiser

Union Baptist Church will hold an auction at 10 a.m. Sept. 10 as a fund-raiser. Donation of items to the auction are being accepted by calling 573-0498 or 573-6814.

Bethel

Frank Conard, with Christian Fellowship of Colorado City, will minister at Bethel Baptist Church here in special services set for 10:30 a.m. Sunday. The church is located at 1708 Ave. E.

Ratite

Gary Nassiff, with Ratite Products, Inc., will address the Snyder Ratite Association at 7:30 p.m. Sept. 10 at Martha Ann Woman's Club. Everyone is welcome.

Car bashing

Snyder High School Publications Club is sponsoring "Beat the 'Stangs" tonight at 6:30 in the parking lot north of Tiger Stadium. Participants can pay $1 to bash a vehicle representing the Tigers' opponent, the Andrews Mustangs.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Thursday, 77 degrees; low, 68 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Friday, 71 degrees; .03 of an inch precipitation; total precipitation for 1994 to date, 7.90 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, partly cloudy. Low in the upper 60s. Southeast wind 5-15 mph. Saturday, partly cloudy. High in the upper 80s. Southeast to south wind 10 15 mph. Rest of the Labor Day weekend, partly cloudy. Lows in the upper 60s. Highs 90-95.

Almanac: Sunset today, 8:06. Sunrise Saturday, 7:20. Of 244 days in 1994, the sun has shone 237 days in Snyder.



RECEPTION — State Rep. David Counts (center) attended a reception at Western Texas College on Thursday to present the Lady Westerners basketball team with a flag which flew over the state capitol building. Pictured visiting with Rep. Counts are Lady Westerners' coach Brenda Welch-Nichols and WTC President Dr. Harry Krenek. (SDN Staff Photo)

Fall elections can go on under same plan, panel states

HOUSTON (AP) — The November elections in Texas can proceed under the current congressional district plan but the Texas Legislature must redraw three districts next year that were ruled unconstitutional, a federal court panel said today.

In a brief order, the three-judge panel said legislators must complete the new boundaries for the 18th, 29th and 30th congressional districts by March 15, 1995 and then submit the new plan to the judges for approval.

The ruling today stems from a decision last month when the same three judges found the three districts — two in Houston and one in Dallas — were drawn to boost minority representation and thus were unconstitutional.

U.S. District Judges David Hittner and Melinda Harmon and 5th U.S. Circuit of Appeals Judge Edith Jones said in their ruling that the new district plan will be developed during the legislature's regular session, which begins Jan. 10, 1995.

Last week, the Texas attorney general's office had asked the judges let the election proceed under the current lines and allow the Legislature to redraw them next year.

The attorney general's office argued that ordering new elections "would be a wrenching effort which would work great upheaval and harm to the democratic process."

But the plaintiffs in the case had wanted the lines redrawn before Nov. 8 in a special legislative session.

The plaintiffs last week submitted revised district maps for the three districts ruled unconstitutional by the judges.

Protestant extremists answer IRA truce with gunfire, death

BELFAST, Northern Ireland (AP) — Protestant extremists answered an IRA truce with a burst of gunfire and claimed responsibility today for killing a Roman Catholic man in Belfast.

John O'Hanlon, 32, was shot to death while repairing a car Thursday night, on the first day of the IRA's open-ended truce, called after 24 years of violent resistance to British rule in Northern Ireland.

The outlawed Ulster Defense Association confirmed today that it fired the shots and also admitted shooting at a Catholic taxi driver, who escaped unhurt.

Gerry Adams, the president of the Irish Republican Army's political wing, Sinn Fein, appealed to his supporters to be calm in the face of Protestant provocation.

"The IRA is a disciplined force and will not be provoked by anyone who is trying to wreck the peace process," Adams said at a news conference in Dublin.

The Protestant attacks came just hours after Prime Minister Albert Reynolds of Ireland appealed to Northern Ireland's Protestant majority to join their Catholic neighbors in the moves toward peace.

Protestant hard-liners have condemned the peace process as an invitation to civil war, but more moderate Protestants who favor British rule don't want their side to be seen as the only source of violence.

"The violence can only damage the cause of unionism at this difficult time," said Jim Wilson, general secretary of the Ulster Unionist Party, the largest party in Northern Ireland.

"These attacks explode the myth once and for all that the loyalists are reacting to IRA violence," said Alban Maginness, a Belfast city council member from the Social Democratic and Labor Party, the main Catholic party.

An opinion poll published today in The Belfast Telegraph found that only 30 percent of those questioned — and only 9 percent of the Protestants — believed the IRA cease-fire is permanent.

But the poll of 1,000 adults, conducted Thursday by Marketing Research Consultancy Ireland (Ltd.), found that 54 percent of the Protestants would support a "power-sharing" local government that guaranteed a role for Catholics. No margin of error was given, but the sampling was consistent with a margin of plus or minus 3 percent.

Pope John Paul II added his support to the peace moves, saying in a message to Irish Cardinal Cahal Daly today that Catholics and Protestants "are now being challenged earnestly to implement the Gospel demands of love, forgiveness and reconciliation."

In a speech televised Thursday throughout the Irish Republic and into many homes in Northern Ire-

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MIDWEST DIRECTORS — Midwest Electric Cooperative board of directors are, left to right, standing, John Ward, Bobby Gruben, Mike Herron, Jerry Upshaw, and seated, Carl Williams, James Beaver and Mickey Sterling. (SDN Staff Photo)

Midwest holds annual meeting

Polar area resident John Ward was elected to represent Place 4 on the Midwest Electric board of directors Thursday evening as the cooperative held its annual barbecue and membership meeting at Scurry County Coliseum.

Re-elected to Place 3 was James E. Beaver, cooperative president. Beaver is from Fluvanna.

Ward, a rancher, was elected over incumbent Melvin Clements, a retired farmer who lives near Rotan. Ward received 206 votes to Clements' 193.

In winning his re-election, Beaver defeated Weldon Lloyd, a sales representative who resides near Dermott. Beaver received 287 votes while Lloyd had 118.

Filling out the board are Carl Williams, vice president; Mike Herron, treasurer; Jerry Upshaw, secretary; Mickey Sterling; and Bobby Gruben.

Internationally known Western and Christian artist Kenneth Wyatt was master of ceremonies for the event, attended by some 529 members. Barbecue was served to 1,700 persons.

Midwest officials presented the annual report, noting that the cooperative has not lost money since 1943. Comparative stats listed in the 1994 annual report showed only an increase of $10 for the average monthly bill.

The Imitation Stats provided the entertainment.

State poison control center linked with 9-1-1 emergency

Scurry County residents who need emergency medical information relating to a poison can get help by calling 9-1-1.

On Thursday, the Texas Poison Center Network became operational. The network provides citizens statewide toll-free 24-hour accear to poison centers. When the 9-1-1 calltaker transfers a call from an individual, the system will route the call directly to a poison center serving the region.

"It's handled like any other emergency, when time is of the essence. A person with an emergency calls us and we can immediately connect them with a poison control center," said Norma Martinez, a Scurry County dispatcher and 9-1-1 calltaker.

The caller, 9-1-1 dispatcher and poison control center will be able to all talk with one another through a three-way hook up.

Poison centers (poison control answering points, or PCAPs) are located in Temple, Dallas, Galveston, El Paso and Amarillo. A sixth PCAP will open in San Antonio in January.

While 60 percent of all calls to poison control centers involve infants or young children, access to these centers can alleviate the need for ambulance response or hospital care by providing quick access and vital information on treatment guidelines to citizens, said Sue Smith, 9-1-1 director with the West Central Texas Council of Governments.

Because the 9-1-1 calltaker can remain on the line, local emergency services can also be dispatched quickly, if it is determined that is necessary.

Funding for the poison control programs was created by the 73rd Legislature with a .3 percent charge assessed against intrastate long-distance charges on customers' monthly telephone bill. This became effective last January.

The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "A good neighbor is one who does not run out and buy things you can't afford."

Keeping tabs on our neighbors:

Wacil McNair, former Snyder editor who now lives in Gilmer, told a story relating to the major league baseball strike.

It seems that a player's wife got fed up and walked out on him. If she doesn't get a half million a year, she vows to become a free agent.

McNair recalls the "good ole days" when readers went to the sports pages to escape life's problems. McNair, however, does see one bright spot for Ranger fans. "Their team has a chance to go for a few days without a loss."

Up in Levelland, the school superintendent is starting his second year. The Levelland school chief recently spoke to the noon Rotary Club and was able to joke about the first "honeymoon" year.

"My first year was like taking a duck to a cock fight and needing to bet on the duck to win."

"It was like the Aggie who was told to climb out on a branch since he's the new branch manager."

Walter Buckel, in the Lamesa Press-Reporter, suspects that Gov. Ann Richards hopes that the baseball strike ends soon.

"Guv. Ann would love to have a total collapse in George Bush's face in the closing weeks.

O.G. Nieman, in the Hereford Brand, says there's a little-known provision in the federal crime bill. "It calls for a five-day waiting period before you can buy a congressman."

Court upholds restriction on school prayer content

McALLEN (AP) — The 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals has upheld the McAllen school board's restriction on the content of student-led prayers at graduation ceremonies.

The appeals court's ruling Thursday upheld a decision in January by U.S. District Judge Ricardo Hinojosa of McAllen.

At issue was a school board policy, adopted in December 1992, allowing high school seniors to elect a student to deliver a "non-sectarian, non-proselytizing" invocation or benediction at commencement.

Three students sued the district, arguing that the policy violated free speech rights because it restricted them to giving a "generic" prayer that excluded the name of Jesus.

Nick Quezada, school board president, expressed relief with the ruling.

"The board's position is that the case has been closed," he said.

But plaintiff Renee Shawhan, a 1993 Memorial High School graduate now in college, said she still believes her rights were violated.

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Dr. Gott by Peter Gott, M.D.

Disease disrupts copper metabolism

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: My 44-year-old son has Wilson's disease and no one around here seems to know much about it. Can you discuss this issue?

DEAR READER: Wilson's disease is a rare inherited disorder marked by a serious disruption in copper metabolism.

The disease initially causes liver inflammation that leads to cirrhosis and liver failure. Concomitant with this is progressive brain disease, marked by tremors, behavioral abnormalities, weakness, poor coordination, and other signs.

The reason that the liver and brain are so affected by Wilson's disease is that these organs are especially susceptible to the toxic effects of excess levels of copper, the hallmark of the affliction. The diagnosis is made by blood tests.

Wilson's disease is, unfortunately, fatal unless timely, life-long, uninterrupted treatment is begun. Penicillamine is the therapy of choice because, as a chelating agent, it avidly combines with copper and carries the mineral out of the body.

Your son's physician (or a gastroenterologist) should be able to give you answers to your specific questions, or you can obtain further information from any standard medical textbook that is available in your local hospital's library.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I suffer from migraine headaches that have increased in intensity. The standard medication Fioricet is no longer effective.

DEAR READER: Migraine, intense periodic headaches often preceded by disturbances in vision, may vary in intensity. The reasons for this are unknown, although some patients note that their headaches are worsened by stress, fatigue and the use of food additives, such as the flavor-enhancer MSG. Also, some women experience variations in the severity of their migraines, depending on their menstrual cycles.

Some forms of migraine can be prevented by the daily use of beta-blockers (such as Inderal) or calcium-channel blockers (such as Verapamil).

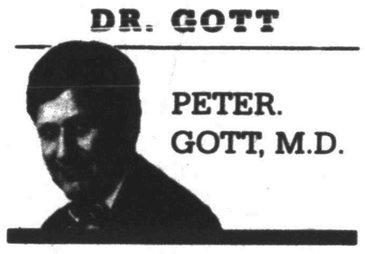
The traditional therapy for a migraine in progress has been analgesics, in particular those containing codeine. You may be interested in learning about a new product called sumatriptan. It is a self-administered injection that shows great promise in alleviating migraine.

Ask your doctor about the preventive strategies I mentioned. If they are unsuccessful, he might be willing to try sumatriptan.

To give you more information, I am sending you a free copy of my Health Report "Headaches." 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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DR. GOTT



PETER. GOTT, M.D.

First killer executed in 35 years

LINCOLN, Neb. (AP) — Harold LaMont Otey went to his death early today calm, composed and smiling, without admitting guilt in the rape and murder of a woman 17 years ago.

Nebraska's last execution was 35 years ago, when Charles Starkweather died in the same electric chair.

"I love you, I love you, I love you," Otey mouthed to each of his three chosen witnesses after he was strapped into the chair. Sweat poured off his head and soaked his shirt.

Minutes later, four 2,400-volt jolts of electricity coursed through Otey's body. After the third jolt, smoke rose from his left leg and a large blister appeared.

He was pronounced dead at 12:33 a.m., about 10 minutes after the switch was first thrown.

Otey, 43, made no final statement.

Earlier, he waved from his prison window to death penalty opponents gathered outside. The crowd of supporters and opponents swelled to about 2,000 before the execution.

Otey was convicted of raping and murdering Jane McManus, an Omaha photography student. He confessed in gruesome detail, but later recanted.

In his confession, Otey said he killed McManus in a panic after she confronted him during a robbery. She was stabbed 15 times and beaten with a hammer.

He told The Associated Press in 1991 that he confessed because he didn't want "to face southern justice," and said he had "a flair for the dramatic ... a big mouth."

The U.S. Supreme Court rejected Otey's final appeal for a stay 6-2 on Thursday.

"It's over now and we're all very relieved," said Joan McManus, the victim's mother. "It's an unfortunate thing to know that there was another death out there because of this. I'm sorry that the other family had to experience the pain tonight, but so be it."

Starkweather killed a gas station attendant in December 1957, and six weeks later killed the mother, stepfather and 2-year-old sister of his girlfriend, 14-year-old Caril Ann Fugate.



PARK SERVICE — "Big Country Boys" will perform special music during services of the First Baptist Church Sunday night in Towle Park. Following hamburgers and homemade ice cream at 5:30 p.m., the program will begin at 6:15. "Big Country Boys" was formed in 1993 and debuted at the pastors conference of the Abilene Baptist Association. The group also performed in Snyder last month at the start of school convocation. Quartet members are Lance Reed, Chuck Sims, Mike Collier and Dick Jackson. (Contributed Photo)

Report gives details of man's past problems with insurance

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — Bob Rogers, the Democratic insurance commissioner candidate, has had insurance companies he controlled seized three times in the past 22 years, but denies any wrongdoing.

"I did nothing wrong in any of that," Rogers told the Dallas Morning News for a story in today's editions.

Rogers, who finished first in balloting in the Aug. 23 primary, faces Carroll Fisher in the Sept. 20 runoff.

His insurance license was revoked in 1993 by Insurance Commissioner Cathy Weatherford. Rogers characterizes the revocation as political retaliation by Ms. Weatherford, a claim she denies. Ms. Weatherford declined to run for a full four-year term in office.

The revocation order said Rogers "failed to remit premiums over which he had full control to the respective parties and misappropriated and converted to his own use monies belonging to policy holders and insurers he received in the course of the insurance business" in violation of state law.

Radio station KTOK said previously three insurance companies that Rogers controlled in Oklahoma, Texas and Arizona were placed into receivership. Two eventually were closed as being insolvent, the station said.

The station cited documents it obtained as showing that:

— on Sept. 24, 1972, Liberty Investors Life Insurance Co. of Oklahoma was placed in receivership.

— on June 23, 1989, Christian Brotherhood Life and Health Insurance Co. was placed in receivership in Texas.

— on May 31, 1972, the Arizona commissioner of insurance accepted surrender of the license of International Bankers Life Insurance Co., the survivor of a series of mergers that began with Mercantile National Life Insurance Co. of Oklahoma, later of Arizona.

Rogers controlled Liberty Investors, the station said. It said he appealed the seizure, but the Oklahoma Supreme Court rejected his appeal in 1975 as groundless.

Christian Brotherhood, which was controlled by Rogers and his wife, was declared insolvent and closed Aug. 23, 1990, Texas records show. KTOK said documents allege Rogers and his wife took more than $200,000 annually from the company before it was declared insolvent.

The station said a copy it has of a resume for Rogers lists him as having been a president and director of the company.

The resume also listed Rogers as a president and director of Mercantile National Life.

Rogers has consistently denied any wrongdoing and did so again Thursday.

Pick 3

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

4-4-4

(four, four, four)

Laredo family claims share of 'Lotto' prize

AUSTIN (AP) — A Laredo family has claimed the final share of winnings from the state's second largest Lotto Texas jackpot.

Jose and San Juana Diaz on Thursday received the first installment of a $19.5 million payoff from the $58.3 million jackpot drawn on Saturday.

Two other winners who split the jackpot, Ralph Townsend of Garland and Edgar "Bubba" Groce of Cleveland, each picked up their winning checks earlier this week.

Diaz, 52, a mechanic, and his wife thanked God for their good luck.

"I asked for a little and we got a lot," said Mrs. Diaz. "You have just got to have faith because it's true. It's real. It's not a fantasy."

The store where the family normally buys its lotto tickets closed early last Friday, and Mrs. Diaz said she and her husband barely got to another outlet before the 9:45 p.m. deadline to buy five tickets for the 10 p.m. drawing.

After realizing they had picked the winning numbers — 1, 22, 35, 37, 41 and 47 — the Diaz family began planning to build the house of their dreams.

"I was so nervous, I couldn't even drive. I had to walk home," Mrs. Diaz said.

Texas Lottery officials presented the Diaz family with a check for $974,819.94. They will receive a check for $973,000 annually for the next 19 years.

Earlier this year, the Lotto jackpot reached an all-time high of $77.1 million.

Houston-area smog worsens

HOUSTON (AP) — Air pollution appears to be getting worse over some parts of Houston after three years of consistent improvement, and state air quality officials said they are not sure why.

The smog appears to be worse in areas west of the city, they said.

"We suspect it's weather-related," said Doyle Pendleton, director of air monitoring at the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission.

"We have no reason to believe there's been an increase in emissions," he added. "Really, the only thing we can say for sure is that we're kind of starting to have a bad year."

The eight-county Houston-Galveston region has the worst air pollution in Texas and the second worst in the nation.

However, Pendleton says his concern stems from readings at monitoring stations in Aldine and northwest Harris County.

Smog levels exceeded the federal air pollutions standards on 11 days in Aldine and 12 days in northwest Harris County, according to state records. Those are the most violations recorded at the stations since 1990.

However, state and local officials say they still are encouraged.

Houston has improved consistently since 1990, with excessive-smog days decreasing from about 15 to five at monitoring stations in the city.

"What we have today is super compared to what we used to have," said Gene McMullen, the city's assistant chief of air quality control.

Officials blame a lack of wind for the problem.

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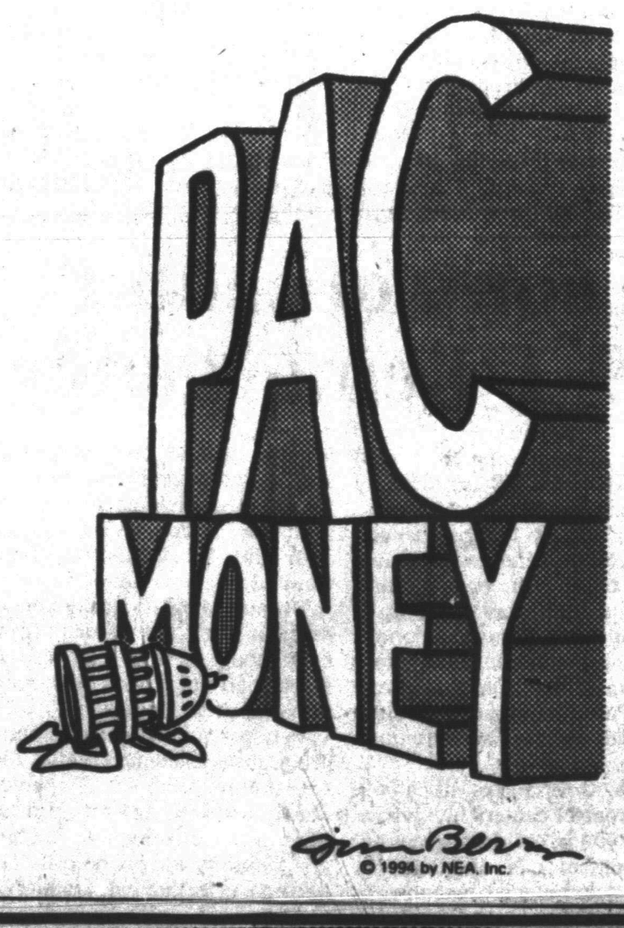
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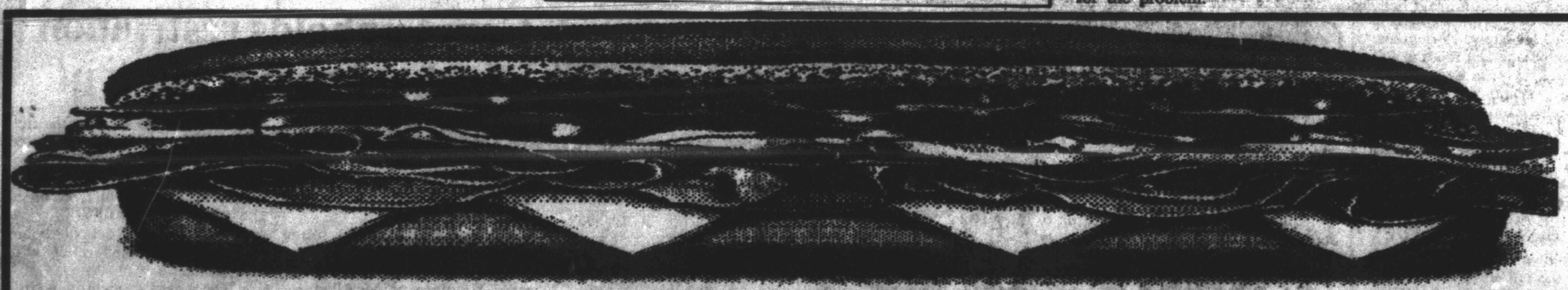
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Dear Abby



Daughters' Cleanup Leaves Widow Nothing but Memories

by Abigail Van Buren

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(EDITOR'S NOTE: Dear Abby is on a two-week vacation. Following is a selection of some of her favorite past letters from the early 1970s.)

DEAR ABBY: A few weeks ago my husband died, and right after the funeral, my children insisted that I go visit my sister in another town to get away for a while.

Today I came home to an immaculate, but very empty house. I have two wonderful daughters and I love them dearly, but sometimes I wish they wouldn't be so helpful.

They came and cleaned my house from top to bottom. Every closet, every cupboard, every shelf had been scrubbed. My house shines from one end to another.

But what bothers me most is that they disposed of all their father's belongings! There is not a trace of him in this house. It's as though he never lived here. There are no socks to darn, no buttons to sew. My sons-in-law even divided up his tools. I suppose they did this so I wouldn't feel so bad sorting through his things and doing it myself.

I could say something, but the deed is done, however well-meaning it was. But now I have nothing to do except dust and wash my own few dishes.

Thanks for listening, Abby. I feel a little better now.

LOST AND LONELY

DEAR LOST: I understand your feeling of uselessness, but I assure you your daughters meant well. They spared you what is usually the most painfully heartbreaking task a widow must face.

* * *

DEAR ABBY: Something has been bugging me for a long time, and I would like to get it off my chest. (Please don't disclose my name or town if you print this.)

I resent having to kitty in for a Christmas present for the "big boss" every year. He is a rich man who has more than he needs, but every year the secretary or the office manager goes around and hits up everybody in this company for donations so the "big boss" can have a Christmas gift.

I am not cheap, and I don't mind contributing toward a gift if there is a need for it, but chipping in to buy an expensive present for this tycoon just rubs me the wrong way.

How do you feel about it?

BUGGED

DEAR BUGGED: Same as you. But don't discount the possibility that the boss has nothing to do with it. I do think, however, that "big bosses" who disapprove of such annual gifts should make their thoughts known.

* * *

DEAR ABBY: My daughter is 18. She is marrying the boy she went steady with all through high school. He is 19. We are managing the wedding but must limit the number of guests to 125 because my husband has been out of work, and we are not in very good shape financially.

I told the groom's mother that she could invite 63 people and we were inviting 62. She said that wasn't nearly enough for her, as she is presently separated from her husband and wants to invite her boyfriend and his family, which is very large. I told her in a nice way that she could invite whomever she wanted but not more than 63 people, as we had to hold down the expense.

Guess what she said: "Either I have as many people as I want, or I'll refuse to sign for my son!"

Abby, he is only 19 and can't get married unless she signs for him. So what do I do now?

SAD MOM

DEAR MOM: Don't let her blackmail you. In some states, the signature of only one parent (or guardian) is sufficient. Look into it. Also tell the lady (?) that if she wants to pay for her own guests, she may have as many as she wants.

* * *

What teens need to know about sex, drugs, AIDS, and getting along with peers and parents is in "What Every Teen Should Know." To order, send a business-sized, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for $3.95 ($4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, Teen Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054-0447. (Postage is included.)

Man who captured attacker arrested

DETROIT (AP) — Fame quickly became Mario Jefferson's misfortune.

On Wednesday, Jefferson was hailed as a hero for wrestling down a man suspected of attacking civil rights pioneer Rosa Parks and holding him until police arrived. On Thursday, the FBI arrived — for Jefferson.

He had just finished a live television interview when agents arrested and handcuffed him as the cameras rolled again.

A July 26 indictment accuses Jefferson of participating in a 1991 plot to steal $65,000 from an automatic teller machine at a suburban bank. The teller arranged for another man to rob her as she filled the ATM, and Jefferson drove the getaway car, authorities said.

He was arraigned on federal embezzlement and aiding and abetting charges, then released on $20,000 bond.

FBI agents recognized Jefferson, 27, after seeing him on television.

"These are allegations, they are not for certain," he said as he left the courthouse.

"They said I was a fugitive. If I was a fugitive, why would I show my face all over national TV?"

Jefferson recognized Parks' assailant from a police sketch. He and a friend stopped the suspect and kept him in a car until police arrived.

Joseph Skipper, 28, is charged with breaking and entering, and police expect to file assault charges. Parks was beaten Tuesday and robbed of $53. She was treated at a hospital and released several hours later.

Parks, 81, helped ignite the civil rights movement in 1955 by refusing to relinquish her seat on a Montgomery, Ala., bus to a white man. Her defiance sparked a 381-day boycott, led by the Rev. Martin Luther King, that desegregated the buses.

Parks was unconcerned by Jefferson's arrest. "I'd like to see them get into a position where they can be good citizens," she said.

Parks viewed a lineup Thursday, but didn't identify Skipper, a police official said.

"She picked somebody out. It was the wrong guy," said the official, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

Skipper has been a suspect in at least two other break-ins and assaults on elderly women in Parks's neighborhood, Deputy Chief Benny Napoleon said. Two other elderly women who looked at the lineup identified Skipper as their attacker, police said.

Al Capone, the notorious Chicago gangster, acquired his permanent nickname, "Scarface," from a razor slash on his left cheek — from ear to lip — suffered in a fight in a Brooklyn dance hall.

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Bridge

By Phillip Alder

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Vulnerable: Both
Dealer: South

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

Opening lead: ♥6

More speed, more errors

It is difficult to edit your own copy, especially when you are facing deadlines. Perhaps that explains the error I spotted in this deal, set in a magazine as a single-dummy problem for "average players."

Looking only at the North-South cards, how would you plan the play in three no-trump? West leads the heart six and East plays the jack.

If West has five hearts and East the guarded club queen, you must duck the first trick. After East returns a heart and West ducks your honor, you play a third heart immediately. If you are a squeeze aficionado, you should be able to read the endgame.

However, since you don't want to look silly if the hearts are 6-2, let's assume you win the first trick. Now you must struggle to keep East off the lead. So you should continue with dummy's top clubs. Here, the queen drops and you have 11 tricks. But if the queen doesn't drop, you lead another club, hoping that either West wins the trick or the hearts are 4-4.

The author, though, recommended trying the spades first. If they break 3-3, you have nine top tricks. He continued, "When spades do not break, you should still play clubs from the top, since if West holds the club queen, he is welcome to it." Does anything strike you?

Right — if West has the guarded club queen, you have established a couple of club winners in the dummy, but with the spade honors gone, how do you get to them? Unless an endplay is possible, you have only eight tricks: three spades, one heart, two diamonds and two clubs.

Watch your entries like an eagle.

Community Calendar

FRIDAY

Cornelius-Dodson House; open by appointment; 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 and Ave. M; for more information, call 573-3956, 573-2101; 8 p.m.

SATURDAY

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; for more information call 573-1141, 863-2349, or 573-8626; 10 a.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.

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

More than a vaccine needed to defeat AIDS

WASHINGTON (AP) — It will take safe sex and other changes in behavior to bring AIDS under control and an overconfidence in a vaccine could even make the epidemic worse, researchers said today.

In a study in the journal Science, experts warn that an AIDS vaccination campaign — when a vaccine becomes available — should be conducted carefully so it will not create a false sense of safety and encourage people to take more risks.

"We could have a reverse outcome if risk behavior increases as a consequence of a vaccine being available," said Sally M. Blower, an epidemiology specialist at the University of California, Berkeley. "You could end up with a more severe epidemic."

Blower and Angela R. McLean, an Oxford University epidemic expert, used the gay community in San Francisco as a model for what would be required to wipe out HIV, the virus that causes AIDS. They concluded that the final answer does not lie in vaccinations alone.

AIDS is a disease that is principally spread through sexual intimacy, or the sharing of needles among intravenous drug users. Safe sex and clean drug needles are known to reduce the spread of the disease and are key to conquering AIDS, said Blower.

"It is unlikely that vaccines alone will be able to eradicate HIV," said the researcher. "You are going to have to have a behavioral change."

There are a number of HIV vaccines now in development and some have been tested on small groups. None has been released in the United States for widespread tests of effectiveness, however, and the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases recently decided to delay such tests until there's more study

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USDA wants parents to teach children to eat well in school

WASHINGTON (AP) — Kids are what they eat, too.

So as America's youngsters belly up to steam tables in school cafeterias, the Agriculture Department hopes they'll make wise nutritional choices.

On Thursday, the department unveiled "A Parent's Guide for Healthy School Meals" — 10 steps parents can take to try to ensure their kids aren't bypassing the broccoli to feast on french fries and ice cream.

"USDA wants to give parents some back-to-school supplies," Ellen Haas, assistant secretary of food and consumer services, said at a news conference.

The parent guide — along with magnets to stick them onto refrigerators — will be distributed through 27,000 PTA chapters nationwide, Haas said.

The 10 steps were written to get parents more involved in talking about nutrition with their youngsters and their schools, she said.

Ginny Markell, chairwoman of the National PTA Health and Welfare Commission, said her group hopes to distribute copies to its 7 million members.

"Parents and educators share a common concern," Markell said. "We know those eating habits are established early."

The guide is part of USDA's proposal to overhaul the school lunch program, requiring its meals to follow the government's guidelines for proper nutrition. The department has proposed changing its regulations to require school cafeterias to cut the fat in lunches by the 1998-99 school year.

The government guidelines say people should get no more than 30 percent of their total daily calories from fat, and no more than 10 percent from saturated fat, the bad kind that can clog arteries and cause heart attacks.

Among the tips in the guide are a suggestion that parents eat a meal at school with their children to see what they like and don't like. Then, it advises, talk to other parents, the school principal and the cafeteria staff.

Copies of the guide may be ordered from: USDA's Team Nutrition, 3101 Park Center Drive, Room 802, Alexandria, Va. 22302.

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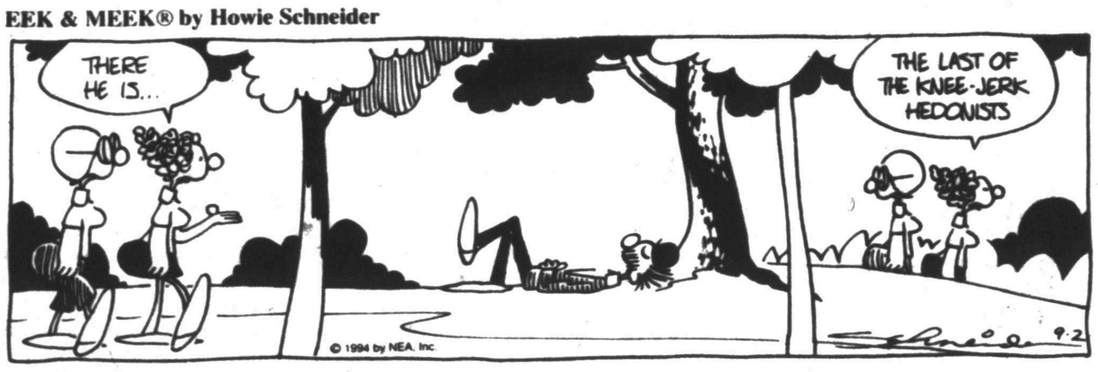
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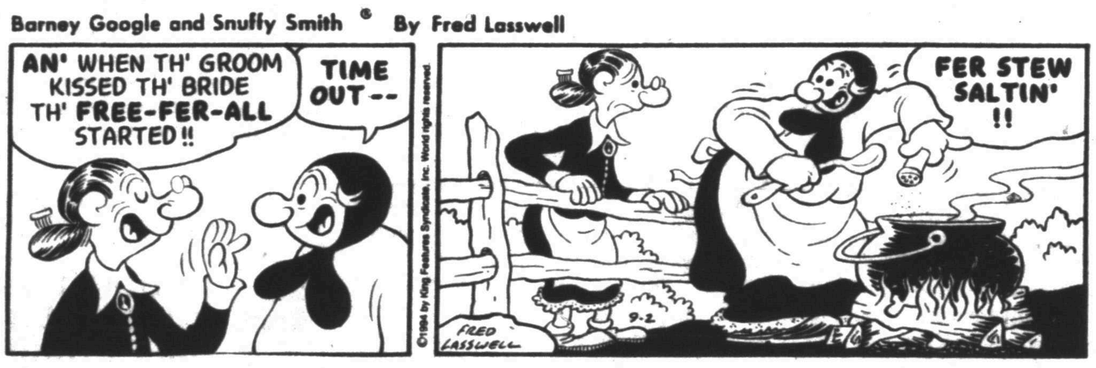
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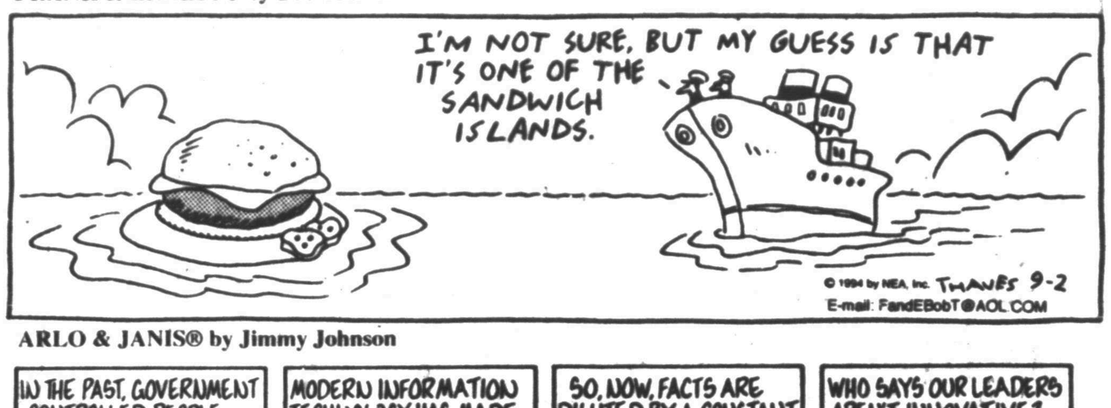
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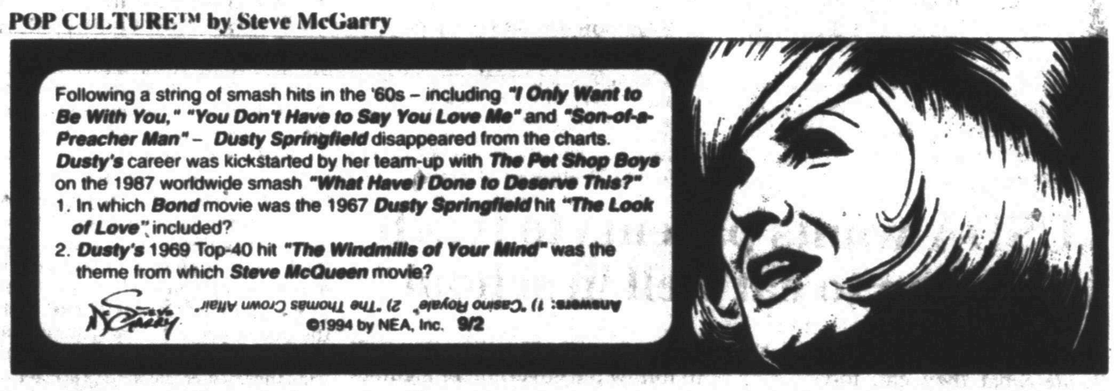
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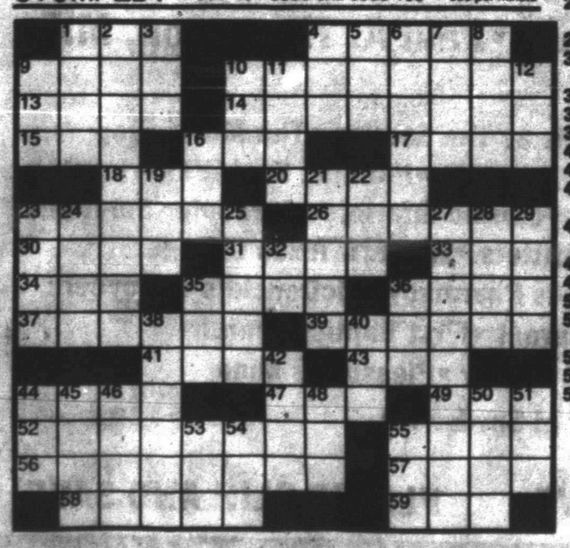
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"CAN I GET A TATTOO IF IT SAYS 'MOM'?"

Snyder looks to tame Ponies

Possession time is key statistic

by Todd Stanley
SDN Sports Editor

The clock has started to tick on the 1994 football season and the Snyder Tiger varsity team is like a bomb ready to explode.

Expect the explosions to start at 7:30 tonight at Tiger Stadium against the state-ranked Andrews Mustangs.

An upset victory could be a catalyst for Snyder to build on during the remainder of the season.

Andrews brings an 11th Class 4A ranking into the season opener and the Mustangs are a 26-point favorite.

Coaches say the key to a Snyder upset will be in the Tigers' offensive ability to control the ball.

The Tigers, coaches say, have a good chance to win if they can keep the potent Mustang offense off the field.

Snyder head coach David Baugh's greatest fear is that Andrews will hold onto the ball and grind out both yardage and time off the clock.

"If we are to win this game, we must control every aspect of the clock," he said. "We might need to hold the ball for eight minutes a quarter."

There is a big difference, though, in trying to hold onto the ball and actually doing it.

Andrews' head coach Mike Lebby utilizes a wishbone offense that can run time off the clock and also strike for the big play.

However, do not expect the Mustangs to gain their yardage through the air.

According to Coach Lebby, Andrews threw a total of four passes in their two pre-season scrimmages.

The key to Andrews' offensive success depends on nimble running back Kevin Lawrence, a threat for whom Coach Baugh has much respect.

"He (Lawrence) is one of the premier runners in West Texas," he said. "Although he's not overly powerful, he is elusive and he has great vision."

Most of the state's pre-season hype surrounding the Mustangs was focused on Lawrence and returning All-West Texas linebacker Chase Gore.

Lawrence will be suited up, but do not even expect to see Gore anywhere near Snyder.

Gore, a senior, was kicked off the team for the entire season for disciplinary reasons.

The loss of Gore may leave the middle of the Mustang defense susceptible to a running game aimed between the tackles.

According to Snyder coach Joe Granato, the middle might be weak but the Mustangs' left side of the defensive line is solid because of junior tackle Brian Valenzuela (5-11, 195 pounds).

"Their left defensive tackle (Valenzuela) is a terror," Granato said. "He is fast, aggressive and he plays hard.

"The coaching staff has watched the film and we haven't seen him get blocked."

Something Snyder fans should look for is the play of junior Jeff Hobbs, coaches say.

Hobbs will start both ways tonight in his first-ever varsity game.

Defensively, Hobbs is expected to shore up the weakside of the line at outside linebacker.

Hobbs' play at linebacker is all important because of the option style of offense run by Andrews.

On the flip side of the ball, Hobbs will carry a huge load at tight end. Not only is he a primary receiver in most routes (because of his size) but he must also, on occasions wrestle with Valenzuela.

Snyder coach Jack Dorsett hopes that his offensive line can come together as a unit.

"I've seen vast improvement in the line during this week of practice," he said. "In the scrimmage against Slaton, we had a lot of missed assignments.

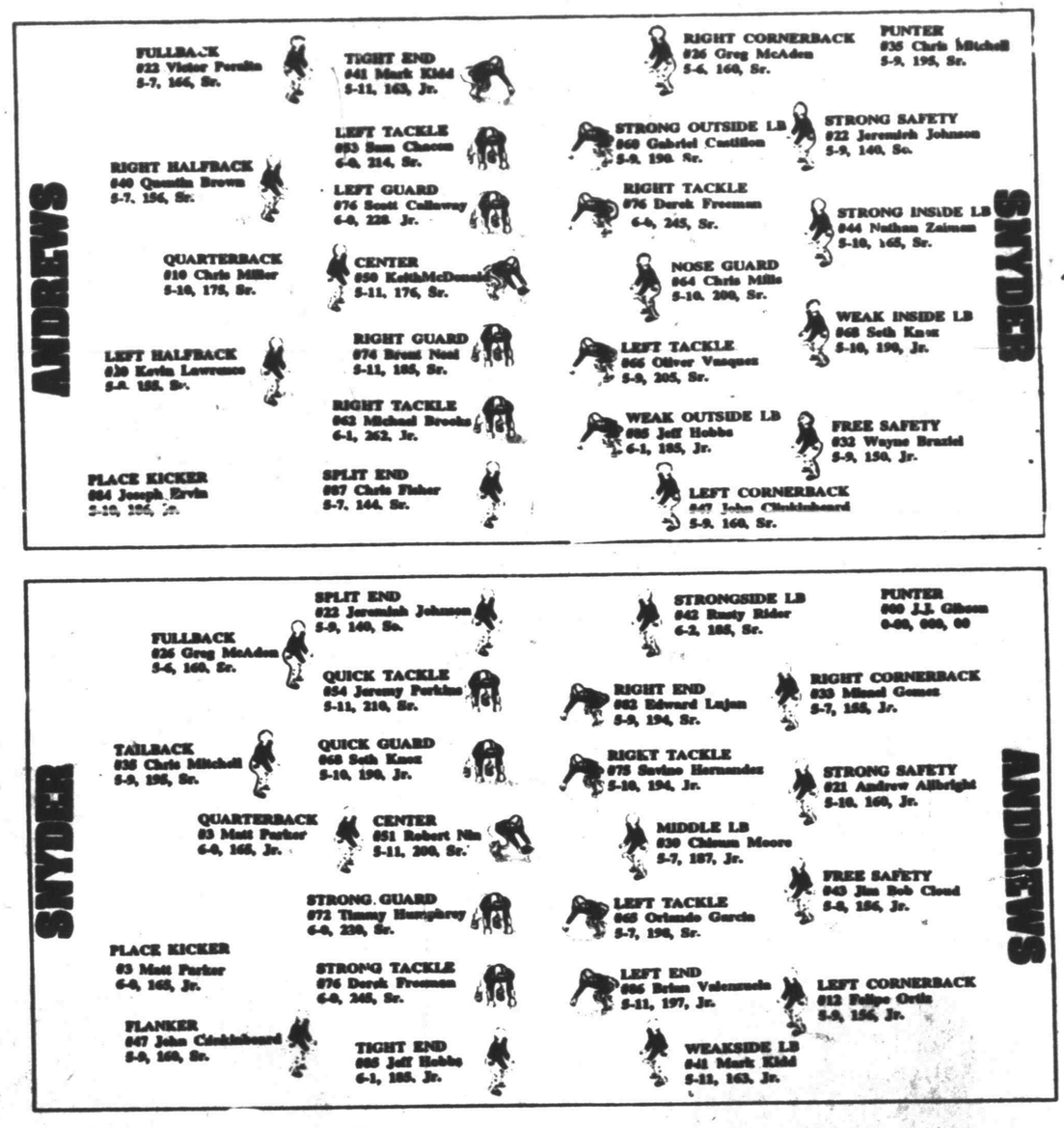
"Now we have the running backs more involved in the blocking schemes."

Snyder can win this game if the Tigers are able to capitalize on quarterback Matt Parker's arm on passing downs, get strong interior running from senior Chris Mitchell and provide a stern defensive stand.

Along with those ifs, put in clock management and special teams. Those are a lot of ifs, but if they are able to materialize, prepare for a big upset in the first game of the season.



GETTING STARTED — Junior quarterback Matt Parker hopes that the pass blocking is strong and his passing lanes are wide open in his first varsity football game. The Tigers host the eleventh ranked Andrews Mustangs tonight at 7:30. (Photo by Todd Stanley)



Cowboys are ready for Steelers

IRVING, Texas (AP) — The Dallas Cowboys figure to be most vulnerable up the middle, against the run, so it's something they'd better be prepared for — particularly in the season opener Sunday in Pittsburgh.

The Steelers have one of the NFL's top runners in Barry Sanders, who played his high school football in Duncanville, a south Dallas suburb.

"Pittsburgh is going to turn Barry Foster loose on us," defensive end Jim Jeffcoat said. "The ability to run against us is a big key. What Pittsburgh is going to do is going to be the game plan of everybody we play. You run the ball, you control the game."

The Cowboys are missing runstopper Tony Casillas in the defensive line, Ken Norton at linebacker, and sure-tackling safety Thomas Everett, all of whom succumbed to the temptations of free agency.

Replacing them will be Leon Lett at tackle, Robert Jones at linebacker, and James Washington at safety.

That's enough, Washington said.

"Everybody knows what Leon lett can do," said Washington, who was runnerup to Emmitt Smith as MVP in a 30-13 victory over Buffalo in Super Bowl XXVIII. "Also, everybody forgets Robert Jones was the starting linebacker two years ago when we won a Super Bowl.

"Everybody says we don't have depth but Chad Hennings can come into the defensive line and he's the strongest guy on the team. The only thing he lacks is experience."

Pittsburgh will unleash a "north-south hammer offense," Switzer warned his team.

"It will be Robert Jones' true test, and we'll see if he can handle it," Switzer said.

The Dallas defense isn't going to fall off much, Washington said.

Junior high spikers fall to Lamesa Tors

by Todd Stanley
SDN Sports Editor

Snyder junior high teams were swept in their season opening volleyball matches at home against the Lamesa Golden Tornados.

Lamesa handed the Lady Tigers consecutive defeats on Thursday afternoon.

The Snyder eighth grade A team played well but eventually fell 15-13, 15-11 and the SJHS eighth grade B team struggled in their 15-1, 15-11 loss.

In seventh grade play, the Snyder A team fell victim to Lamesa 15-8, 15-12 and the B team came up short 15-9, 15-2.

The eighth grade A team was paced by service point winners from Keila Helms who had eight, Bradi Johnson with seven, Leslie Daniell had four, Amy Church served three winners and Shannon Hall and Amy Ricks each had one point.

Eighth grade B team service winners were led by Brittany Drummond who had six points, Darcee Purcell with two and Jessica Brown, Tamara Anderson, Tynia Nelson and Reneae Hall who had one point each.

The seventh grade A team scored big with Lindey Nicholson who had nine service point winners, Vannessa DePaz who had three, Christina Holder and Leslie Rollins combined for two each, and D'N Hager, LaShundra Collins, Christy Tomlinson, Janetta Allen all had one point.

Seventh grade B team service winners were led by Wendy Loper's seven points, Kennetha Johnson's two points and one point from both Tara Tucker and Kasey Nachlinger.

Eighth grade head coach Armanda Herrera felt that the best is yet to come from her teams.

"We will have a stronger team as the season goes along," she said. "The team must work harder on their serves."

The seventh grade B team plays at 4:30 p.m. with the A team playing at 5:30 p.m.

Eighth graders begin play at 6:30 p.m. for the B team and 7:30 p.m. for the A team.

SJHS's volleyball teams play at Colorado City on Tuesday.

District 5-4A

	Season			District		
Team	W	L	T	W	L	T
Snyder	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sweetwater	0	0	0	0	0	0
Estacado	0	0	0	0	0	0
Frenship	0	0	0	0	0	0
Levelland	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lamesa	0	0	0	0	0	0

Friday, Sept. 2
Andrews at Snyder, 8 p.m.
Pecos at Lamesa, 8 p.m.
Levelland at Caprock, 7:30 p.m.
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Eighteen four-person teams paid the $100 entry fee to compete. Proceeds benefit the Snyder High School boys' and girls' golf programs, according to SHS Coach Bob O'Day.

Team prizes are $300 for first place, $250 for second, $200 for third and $150 for fourth place. Fifth-place team will receive $100 and sixth place will collect $80.

Team prizes may be waived for an autographed football from Baugh, a charter member of the NFL Hall of Fame who quarterbacked for 16 years with the Washington Redskins.

There will be individual prizes as well, including closest to pin and longest drive.

In addition, there will be a closed bid for a Washington Redskin jersey signed by Sammy Baugh. The minimum is $500. Bids should be delivered to O'Day at 4502 El Paso. Bids will be opened at the tournament.

Labor Day scramble at SCC

Snyder Country Club will hold its annual Labor Day scramble Monday. All flights will tee off at 8 a.m.

SDN sports week

Friday Sept. 2

Football

Snyder varsity hosts the Andrews Mustangs. Kick-off is at 7:30 p.m.

Borden County varsity plays host to Dawson. Kick-off is at 7:30 p.m.

Hermleigh varsity at Loop. Kick-off is at 7:30 p.m.

Ira varsity at Dawson to play Three Way High School. Kick-off is at 7:30 p.m.

Volleyball

Snyder varsity plays in the Seminole tournament. Times and teams to be announced.

Saturday Sept. 3

Football

New Mexico University at Texas Tech. Kick-off is at 1 p.m.

Golf

"Slingin'" Sammy Baugh tournament at WTC. Tee times are 8:30 a.m. and 2 p.m.

Volleyball

Snyder varsity plays in the Seminole tournament. Times and teams to be announced.

Snyder junior varsity and freshmen teams host the Snyder tournament. Times and teams to be announced.

District 6-six-man

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Borden Co	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hermleigh	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ira	0	0	0	0	0	0
Highland	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westbrook	0	0	0	0	0	0

Friday, Sept. 2
Dawson at Borden County, 7:30 p.m.
Blackwell at Westbrook, 7:30 p.m.
Landers-Avoca at Highland, 7:30 p.m.
Three Way at Ira, 7:30 p.m.
Hermleigh at Loop, 7:30 p.m.
Klondike at Loraine, 7:30 p.m.

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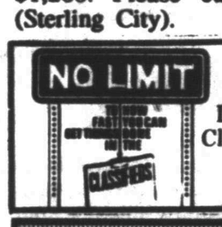
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3001 Crockett, 4-2½ -2cp.
3113 Ave. T, 3-2-2, $39.5.
3908 Eastridge, Reduced.
By Prison, 2-1-2, $32,500.
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3732 Austin, 3-2, $38.5.
3401 Irving, 3-2, Apt., $50T.
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3901 Muriel, 3-2-cp, $30T.
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212 36th Pl., 3-1-1, $19,900.
2711 Ave. O, 3-1-1, $18T.
2218 Sunset, 2-1-1, $23T.
1319 Ave. T & 1307 College.
213 36th, 2-1, $17.9.
316 32nd, 2-1-1, $17,500.

Jackie Buckland	573-8193
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NEAT 3-1-1, 206 33rd, $28T.
Very Nice 3-2-2, in Ira, $59.9T.
NEW LIST 3-2, good loc., clean, $34T.
3-2-2cp, Country, 1A. in $90's.
3718 Highland, 3-1, good condition.
3-2-2cp 102 Elm & 2-1-1cp, 9009 Ave. T.
17 acres, 2-1¼, barns, mobilehome.
3-2, center of Ira, need some repairs.
510 28th, starter home, 2-1, $10T.
3-1-1 on 42nd St. good loc. $30's.
FARM LAND, 30 acres, NE of city.
115 acres w/very nice brick home. Assumable low equity, 2112 28th St.
3 bedroom on Lake Thomas in $20's.
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$20's, 3-2, double wide, 2A, 6 mi. out.
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2201 43rd, 3-1, ch/a.	45T
202 Birch, lg. 4b, own fin.	
313 33rd, Own. Fin.	25T
212 36th Pl, 3bd., den.	19.9T
4116 Eastridge, 3-2-2.	40T
2807 Ave. U, 2-1, O.F.	27.5T
2313 42nd, 3-1, 2 liv.	29.9T
3-2-2, Ira.	75T
2207 43rd, 3-1.	46.5T
3728 Austin, 3-2-1.	40T
3200 Ave. H, lg. 3-1.	30T
Own. Fin., 3bd., 3011 39th.	25T
304 20th, 3-1.	9.9T
40th Pl., 3-2, ws, lg. m/b.	57.5T
2201 43rd, 3-1, CH/A.	45T
2018 37th, 2 stry, 3-3-2, sep. apt.	
2225 Sunset, lg. 2b., ch/a, 2 liv. areas, sunrm. Red. to sell.	
Lg. Country Home, 5 ac.	110T
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MIDWEST BARBECUE — Some 1,700 persons, including 529 members, (top photo) attended Midwest Electric Cooperative's annual meeting and barbecue Thursday at Scurry County Coliseum. The Imitation Stats (bottom photo) provided the entertainment. (SDN Staff Photos)

MATCHING FUNDS — Mark Henson, manager of Wal-Mart, presented a $300 matching funds check Wednesday to Snyder cheerleaders who recently raised $300 in a car wash at the store. Cheerleaders from left are, Mary Higba, Jessica Hall, April Baker, Lisa McNair, Karomy Drum and Jennifer Seabourn. (SDN Staff Photo)



U.S., Cuba agree to second round of talks on refugees

NEW YORK (AP) — U.S. and Cuban officials agreed to a second round of talks today on halting the flood of refugees from Cuba after the first day of meetings ended with no agreement.

The talks at the Cuban mission to the United Nations were to focus on migration issues only, at the insistence of the U.S. delegation. Cuba had wanted to broaden the agenda to discuss easing the U.S. economic embargo and other issues.

"We accepted to discuss migration, but migration is related to many other things," said Ricardo Alarcon, the chief Cuban delegate, in an interview Thursday night with ABC television's "Nightline." "I believe that by not addressing the fundamental issue it will be extremely difficult to find a real solution."

Thursday's meeting concentrated on "what the United States believes is a mutual objective: channeling the desire to immigrate into a legal, safe, orderly predictable and dependable process," said David Johnson, spokesman for the U.S. delegation.

In an interview with CNN after the Thursday talks, Alarcon, a senior adviser to Cuban President Fidel Castro and a former ambassador to the United Nations, said easing the 32-year U.S. embargo against Cuba was critical to halting the exodus.

Michael Skol, head of the U.S. delegation, rejected the Cuban demands.

"I've got a briefing book here, and it is on migration issues only. There's nothing here about embargo, about economics, or about anything else," he said as he entered the U.S. mission, where Thursday's talks were held.

Cuba says the refugees are fleeing for economic and not political reasons. U.S. officials blame Cuba's communist policies for its economic hardships.

Both sides made initial presentations Thursday and the United States focused on migration, law enforcement and returning Cuban criminals in U.S. jails, Johnson said after talks recessed Thursday.

He did not elaborate about the criminals but was apparently referring to the 1,397 Cubans in U.S. prisons and jails who arrived 14 years ago in the Mariel boatlift that brought 125,000 Cubans to the United States.

Unemployment rate steady

WASHINGTON (AP) — America's unemployment rate held at 6.1 percent in August, the government reported today, but an increase in new jobs was the smallest since January as the economy continues cooling off.

The Labor Department said nonfarm payrolls increased a solid 179,000, but that number was considerably less than the most conservative estimates of about 200,000 predicted by some economists in advance of the report. Estimates had ranged as high as 260,000.

"It's further evidence that the economy has moved on to a more subdued growth track, but still a solid growth track," said Robert G. Dederick, chief economist with the Northern Trust Co. in Chicago.

The increase was nearly 40 percent below the average monthly increase for this year of 293,000 new jobs. Only in January, when frigid weather kept workers in the Northeast and Midwest off their jobs and the increase totaled 101,000, was the monthly increase lower. April brought the spring thaw and the creation of 401,000 new jobs.

The slowdown in job creation was expected to be welcomed on Wall Street, where nervous investors have reacted negatively to robust payroll increases all year. Investors worry that swift job growth fuels inflation and reduces the value of their holdings.

The more modest growth signals that Federal Reserve Board interest rate increases are helping to slow down economic growth, as intended.

"There certainly are no signs of inflation. This gives every reason for the Fed to sit on its hands" and avoid another interest rate increase in the near future, said economist Davis Wyss of DRI McGraw-Hill in Lexington, Mass.

Dederick agreed, saying, "The Fed can just enjoy its weekend."

The borrowing-dependent construction industry recorded a net loss of 6,000 jobs. Most conservative estimates predicted an increase of at least 5,000.

Manufacturing grew a healthy 32,000 after posting gains of just over 18,000 in each of the previous three months. The Labor Department said most of the increase came in automobile manufacturing and related industries such as fabricated metals. But the increase largely reflects the return to work by auto workers who were off their jobs in July as plants closed to retool for 1995 models.

Pakistani premier to attend meeting

CAIRO, Egypt (AP) — Prime Minister Benazir Bhutto of Pakistan will attend the U.N. population conference in Cairo next week, over objections of Muslim fundamentalists at home who call it "an American conspiracy to create sexual anarchy."

Ms. Bhutto will be one of just two women premiers at the gathering meant to slow booming world population and foster development in Third World countries. She will address the opening session with Norway's Gro Harlem Brundtland.

Two other women premiers, Tansu Ciller of Turkey and Khaleda Zia of Bangladesh, have already pulled out. Government announcements said the two leaders needed to stay home to deal with parliamentary matters, but conference officials believe they wanted to avoid conflict with their Muslim communities.

The U.N. International Conference on Population and Development, expected to draw some 180 delegations and 15,000 participants to sessions starting Monday, has been torn by controversy even before it has opened.

The Vatican has launched a campaign to try to remove all references in the conference's draft program to birth control and abortion. Fundamentalist Muslims have taken issue with proposals on abortion and provisions they say encourage homosexuality and premarital sex.

Three predominantly Muslim nations — Saudi Arabia, Sudan and Lebanon — announced earlier this week that they would not send delegations.

Markets Midday Stocks

NEW YORK (AP)

	High	Low	Last	
AMR Corp	593/8	587/8	587/8	-3/8
AT&T Corp	545/8	543/8	541/2	+1/8
AirTouch n	285/8	283/8	281/2	+1/2
Albtsn s	291/8	29	29	+1/8
Alldsignal s	38	371/2	373/4	
Alltel	281/8	277/8	277/8	-1/8
AmStoress	25	243/4	247/8	-1/4
Ameritech	415/8	407/8	41	-3/8
Amoco	58	571/2	571/2	-1/4
AndarkPtr	471/8	463/4	47	+1/8
ArmcoInc	61/2	63/8	63/8	
AtlRichfld	106	1043/4	1043/4	—1
ATMOS Egy s	167/8	163/4	163/4	
Aviall n	101/2	101/8	101/8	-3/8
BakerHughes	191/8	19	19	
BancTexas	1	1	1	
BellAtl	547/8	541/8	543/8	-1/4
BellSouth	593/8	583/4	59	+1/8
BethSteel	223/4	221/4	223/8	+1/4
Borden	121/4	117/8	121/4	+1/4
BritPet	771/8	767/8	77	+11/8
Caterpllr	1153/8	1133/4	114	-3/8
CenSoWst	221/8	213/4	213/4	-1/4
Chevron s	431/2	423/8	431/8	+1/8
Chrysler	48	471/2	471/2	+1/8
Coastal	303/8	301/8	301/8	-1/4
CocaCola	463/8	46	461/8	+1/8
ColgatePalm	573/8	571/8	571/8	-3/8
ComlMetl s	265/8	261/2	265/8	-1/8
CooperIn	401/8	391/2	395/8	-1/2
CyprusAmax	321/8	313/4	313/4	-1/8
DalSemicn	153/8	151/4	153/8	+1/8
DeltaAirl	491/2	483/4	49	-1/8
DigitalEq	245/8	24	241/8	-1/8
Dillard	277/8	273/8	271/2	-1/4
DowChem	751/4	743/4	743/4	+1/8
DresserInd	201/8	197/8	201/8	+1/4
DuPont	603/8	591/2	591/2	-3/4
EastmnCh s	523/4	521/2	521/2	-1/8
EstKodak	501/4	493/4	497/8	-1/8
EljerInd	73/8	71/4	71/4	
Enserch	16	155/8	153/4	-1/4
Entergy	243/4	243/8	241/2	-1/8
Exxon	597/8	591/2	591/2	
FlowerInd	171/4	171/8	171/4	+1/8
FordMotor s	301/4	293/4	297/8	-1/8
GTE Cp	313/8	313/8	313/8	-1/8
GenDynam s	461/2	46	463/8	+3/8
GenElec s	503/8	497/8	501/8	-1/8
GenMills	537/8	531/2	531/2	-3/8
GenMotors	503/4	501/8	501/4	-1/8
GenMotors E	363/8	361/4	363/8	+1/8
GaPacif	747/8	741/4	741/2	+1/4
GlobalMar	41/8	4	4	
Goodrich	48	471/8	471/8	-3/4
Goodyear s	365/8	357/8	361/8	+1/4
GtAtlPac	237/8	231/4	231/4	-1/4
Haliburtn	301/2	301/4	303/8	+1/4
Hanson ADS	197/8	195/8	195/8	-1/8
HoustInd	341/2	341/8	341/8	+1/8
IBM	68	663/4	67	-7/8
IntlPaper	763/4	753/8	755/8	-3/4
JohnsnJns	501/2	501/8	501/4	-1/4
K mart	171/4	171/8	171/4	+1/8
Kroger	251/4	25	25	-1/8
Litton	383/4	383/8	383/8	-5/8
Lowes s	367/8	363/8	363/8	
Lubys	231/8	227/8	23	-1/8
Maxus	51/8	5	5	
MayDeptStrs	407/8	401/2	401/2	-1/4
Medtronic	981/4	961/4	963/4	—1
Mobil	833/4	833/8	831/2	-1/8
Monsanto	821/8	813/8	813/8	-1/2
Motorola s	523/4	521/4	523/8	-3/8
Nationsbk	555/8	55	55	-3/8
Navistar	165/8	163/8	163/8	
NoramEngy	7	67/8	67/8	
Nynex	385/8	381/4	381/2	+1/4
OryxEngy	143/4	145/8	145/8	
PacTelesis	33	325/8	323/4	
PanhECp	22	213/4	213/4	-1/4
Penney JC	525/8	521/8	521/8	-1/8
Pennzoil	511/4	503/8	503/8	-1/2
PepBoys	343/4	341/2	341/2	-1/8
PepsiCo	333/4	333/8	331/2	+1/8
PhelpDodge	633/8	63	631/4	-1/8
PhilipPet	331/2	331/4	333/8	-1/8
PilgrmPrd	9	9	9	+1/8
Polaroid	351/8	347/8	347/8	-1/4
Praxair	225/8	221/2	221/2	-1/8
ProctGamble	605/8	60	60	-5/8
PubSNwMx	121/2	123/8	123/8	-1/8
RoyalDutch	1133/4	1131/4	1135/8	+5/8
SFePacCp	223/8	221/8	221/8	+1/4
SaraLee	223/4	221/4	223/8	+1/8
SearsRoeb	475/8	471/4	471/4	-1/8
SherwinW	323/4	323/8	321/2	-1/4
SmthBchADS	341/4	341/4	341/4	
SmthBc eqt	311/4	311/8	311/8	
SouthCo s	183/4	183/8	183/8	-1/8
SwstAirlines	267/8	265/8	265/8	-1/4
SwBell	415/8	411/4	413/8	+3/8
Sprint	391/4	387/8	391/8	-1/8
SterlingChm	113/4	113/8	113/8	+1/4
SunCo	273/8	27	27	-3/8
TNP Ent	137/8	133/4	133/4	
Tandy	417/8	411/8	411/2	
TempleInl	563/4	56	56	-5/8
Tenneco	49	485/8	485/8	-3/8
Texaco	613/4	611/2	611/2	
TexasInd	36	36	36	+1/4
TexasInst	771/2	753/4	757/8	—11/4
TexUtil	321/8	313/4	317/8	-1/8
Textron	541/4	53	531/4	—1
Travelers	37	363/4	363/4	-1/8
TrinityInds	34	337/8	337/8	-1/8
TritonEngy	317/8	315/8	315/8	-1/4
Tyler	45/8	45/8	45/8	-1/8
US West	403/8	401/8	401/8	
USX Delhi	141/2	143/8	141/2	+1/8
USX-Maratha	171/4	171/8	171/4	+1/8
USX-USS	411/4	411/8	411/8	+1/2
UnCarbde	333/4	331/2	331/2	+1/8
UnPac	577/8	575/8	575/8	+1/8
UnitedTech	631/4	63	63	+1/8
Unocal	283/4	281/4	281/4	-3/8
WalMart	247/8	241/4	241/2	-1/8
WstnGasRs	221/4	221/4	221/4	+1/8
WestghEl	141/8	14	14	
WinnDixie	535/8	533/8	533/8	+1/8
Woolworth	163/8	161/8	161/8	-1/8
XeroxCp	108	1073/8	1071/2	-3/8
Zenith	103/8	101/3	101/8	-1/8

Obituaries

Richard Hodge

1940-1994

COLORADO CITY — Services are set for 2 p.m. Saturday in the Kiker-Seale Funeral Home Chapel for Richard Mack Hodge, 54, who died Saturday at his home in El Reno, Okla. Burial will follow in the Westbook Cemetery.

The brother of Elaine Byrd of Snyder, Mr. Hodge was a former resident of Brownwood. He was born in Slaton, was a U.S. Navy veteran and worked in the real estate mortgage business in El Reno.

He married Doris Dunn in 1987 in Brownwood, and he was a member of the General Assembly and Church of the First Born in Tahoka.

Survivors include his wife, Doris Hodge of El Reno; four sons, David Hodge of Houston, Rick Hodge of Midland, and Roy Andrews and John Andrews, both of Brownwood; two daughters, Kimberly Hodge of California and Terrsa Smith of Brownwood; his father, Alvin Hooper Hodge of Lubbock; a brother, Terry Don Hodge of Midland; and three grandchildren.

President Andrew Johnson sparked a move to impeach him when he defied Congress in 1887 by suspending Secretary of War Edward M. Stanton.

IRA

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land, Reynolds, the Irish premier, said the IRA cease-fire "is not a continuation of war by another means."

"It is an open door for decency, for normality, and for rediscovering each other as human beings," Reynolds said.

The IRA declared its cease-fire in the hope that is legal wing, Sinn Fein, will secure through negotiations what IRA violence could not: Britain's commitment to withdraw from Northern Ireland. That, they hope, would clear the way for the north's eventual reunion with the predoinantly Catholic south.

Reynolds maintained that the IRA had pledged itself to a permanent truce and was offered nothing concrete besides the chance for negotiations.

"There are no hidden agreements," Reynolds said.

Police note four arrests

Area law enforcement officers made four arrests Thursday.

Police took a 34-year-old man into custody at 7:50 a.m. in the 1200 block of 28th Street for assault/family violence and resisting arrest.

At 5:24 p.m., police arrested a 19-year-old woman in the 2900 block of College Avenue on warrants for failure to appear.

Police were called to a disturbance in the 2200 block of 27th Street at 8:21 p.m. where they arrested a 40-year-old woman and a 50-year-old man for assault/family violence.

Officers also responded to complaints of loud music, 9-1-1 hang-up calls and aided stranded motorists. No other reports were filed.

Prayer

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"I had people pulling me aside and telling me how to pray, and that if I used the name of Jesus I would be in trouble," Ms. Shawhan said.

"No matter if it was a Christian, a Mohammed, a Buddhist or a Satanist, I felt the student who was voted by the other students should be allowed to pray how their conscience led them," she said.

Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS: Christina Arnold, 2804 33rd; Elvin Curtis, 1607 8th; Leroy Hessler, 4502 Garwood; Patsy Sitton, 3749 Rose Circle; Katy Phipps, 1913 17th.

DISMISSALS: Joni Kincheloe, Lupe Anguiano, I.A. Joyce, Eva Mills, Ann Taylor and baby, Patsy Sitton.

Census: 38 (Med.-6, Long-Term Care-30, CCU-1, OB-1).

Cargo ship docks with Mir station

MOSCOW (AP) — After two failed attempts that put the Russian manned space program in jeopardy, a cargo ship loaded with fresh food and supplies docked today with the Mir orbiting station.

Space officials said the tricky, remote-controlled maneuver went off without a hitch shortly after 5:40 p.m. Moscow time (9:40 a.m. EDT).

The Mir's 32-year-old commander, Yuri Malenchenko, was at the controls of both ships and the pressure was immense. The fate of the manned space program, a source of pride for Russia throughout its turbulent post-Soviet transition, hung in the balance.

The Progress cargo ship failed twice this week to dock by automatic pilot, at one point apparently bumping into the 130-ton space station several times before sliding past.

The cargo ship is carrying 2.6 tons of food, water and research equipment for joint missions with the European Space agency in October and the United States in March.

Since there is no backup cargo ship ready and only enough food for a few weeks on board the Mir, Malenchenko and his two shipmates would have had to return to Earth if the docking failed.



Mary Higba, hair, Karomy (Staff Photo)

Astrograph

By Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

Saturday, Sept. 3, 1994

Increased activities where your social life is concerned is indicated for the year ahead. The influence of new friends may interest you in things that never piqued your curiosity previously.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) An endeavor in which you're involved needs someone stronger at the helm today and you may be the person to fulfill the requirements. Be a leader rather than a follower. 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 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 4465, New York, N.Y. 10163.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Today, if you have to negotiate a matter of importance, be both fair and tolerant, even if you must deal with a hard bargainer. Kind tactics will win him/her over.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Bright lights and happy people might have a special appeal for you today. You'll want to go where the action is and so will your friends. You're the catalyst who can get them moving.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Gratification can be attained by doing something constructive that puts you in front of the public. Your ego needs acknowledgment and accolades from others today.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Do not be intimidated by competitive developments today, because you may need some outside factors to give you a little push to bring out the bolder aspects of your personality.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Trade on the know-how of a well informed associate today. He/she might perceive a way of doing something that could be for your collective benefit.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) If you're reluctant to make decisions today, someone with whom you're involved might call the shots for you. This could have its advantages and disadvantages.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Instead of just lulling your hours away today, try to do something productive. You might have to push yourself a bit, however, because you may not be easily motivated.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Try to be more of a participator than an observer today when attending a social function. If you're gregarious, you may make a new friend.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Domestic matters are likely to be given top priority today. This might not be due to demands, but because you'll want to exert your energies in this area.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) If circumstances permit, try to focus on mental activities rather than physical ones today. You should be good at brainwork, but not so hot where brawn is needed.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) If you've been thinking about experimenting with a new budget, this is a good day to put your ideas into action. You may come up with some clever concepts for making or saving money.

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DATE BOOK

Sept. 2, 1994

Today is the 245th day of 1994 and the 74th day of summer.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1864, Union general William T. Sherman entered Atlanta after a four-week siege.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Cleveland Amory (1917-), writer, is 77; Marge Champion (1923-), dancer-actress, is 71; Terry Bradshaw (1948-), football great-commentator, is 46; Mark Harmon (1951-), actor, is 43; Jimmy Connors (1952-), tennis star, is 42; Eric Dickerson (1960-), football star, is 34.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1964, Norman Manley hit two holes-in-one in succession, on the seventh and eighth holes at Del Valle Country Club in Saugus, Calif.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "You cannot qualify war in harsher terms than I will. War is cruelty, and you cannot refine it." — William T. Sherman, in a letter to Atlanta's mayor, September 1864

TODAY'S WEATHER: On this day in 1990, lightning struck and killed a motorcycle-rider and injured his passenger in Las Vegas, Nev.

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TODAY'S MOON: Between last quarter (Aug. 29) and new moon (Sept. 5).

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IRS agents seize tycoon's records

FORT WORTH (AP) — Federal tax agents have seized tax records belonging to businesses owned by oil magnate W.A. "Tex" Moncrief Jr. and his family.

About two dozen Internal Revenue Service agents hauled two truckloads of file cabinets and boxes from the Moncrief Building.

Marty Sheil, supervisor of the Fort Worth criminal investigation division of the IRS, would not comment on the purpose of the Thursday raid.

11-year-old murder suspect found slain

CHICAGO (AP) — Solemn neighbors gathered around the sticky pool of blood, left when two bullets were fired into the head of an 11-year-old murder suspect. Adults walked young children under the railroad overpass — as a warning.

"This is our problem," Valerie Jordan said at the spot where Robert Sandifur was found early Thursday. "The authorities and the system have failed. This is our child."

Not yet 5 feet tall, not quite 70 pounds, the boy whose grandmother called him "Yummy" for his love of cookies was suspected in two shooting sprees Sunday that killed a 14-year-old girl and injured two other teens.

Robert was suspected of having gang ties, and two gunshot wounds — one to the back of the head, one to the top — led police to believe fellow gang members had killed him. Authorities were looking for a suspect.

"Here's a perfect example of someone who apparently was doing the bidding of gangs and finds himself then, because he is expendable, becoming a victim of the gangs himself," said Police Superintendent Matt Rodriguez. "That's quite a bit of conjecture on my part, but I'll stand behind it."

Standing in front of Robert's blood, Edward Jones said it was ironic that the boy died "thinking he'd found a family" with a gang.

As Jones talked, a cocky boy not older than 12 stepped in the blood as he walked toward the light at the end of the viaduct.

"That's what you should get a picture of," Jones said, pointing to the boy. "That's what it's all about."

But that picture may be the hardest to accept, and it's the story of Robert's short life.

In the past two years, Robert was prosecuted at least eight times for felonies including robbery, car theft, arson and burglary. He was convicted twice and got probation. One judge sentenced him to three weeks of detention for probation violations.

When Robert was eight, an investigation by the state's child welfare agency found scars on his face, cord-like marks on his abdomen and leg, and cigarette burns on his buttocks.

Robert was taken from his mother and placed with his grandmother. Complaints that she was not supervising him led to his placement in a juvenile facility in 1993, but he ran away. In July a judge returned Robert to his grandmother until the boy could be put in an out-of-state facility that doesn't have Illinois' restriction on locking in or physically restraining children.

"This kid got missed a number of times in the system," said Dr. Elva Poznanski, chief of child psychiatry at Rush Presbyterian St. Luke's Medical Center in Chicago. "It points out the fact that there is just simply not enough placement available for kids."

Poznanski said she is seeing more and more violence among young children, many the products of abusive homes.

"When you have kids that have their parents just literally throw them out on the streets. ... If you don't provide some way to raise these kids to be useful citizens you're going to spend a hell of a lot of money on the other end," she said.

Robert's grandmother, Janie Fields, became hysterical before she shut the door on reporters.

"I really can't say what I'm going through," she said. "But I know my baby's not here anymore and I can't say, 'I love you, Robert,' anymore."

War said expensive, but so is peace

By DONALD M. ROTHBERG
AP Diplomatic Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Peace costs money. Whether it's in the Middle East, the Balkans or Northern Ireland, every peace plan comes with a hefty price tag. But the money isn't always easy to find.

Palestinians have seen very little of the more than $2 billion the world promised to provide over five years. Billions were promised to the states that emerged from the rubble of the Soviet Union. There's no clear accounting of how much got there and what happened to the money that did.

Now there's promise of a cease-fire in Northern Ireland and talk of finding money to make it stick.

Down the road is the likelihood of action to oust the military leaders of Haiti. The restoration of democracy to the island nation is certain to require action to create a viable economy.

Foreign aid has taken a far different tack in the 1990s.

There once was a time when the best road to financial stability for a nation seemed to be to declare war on the United States. The best examples were Germany and Japan, which received billions in U.S. help to rebuild their economies after World War II.

Then came the Cold War when a pledge of anti-communism would unleash a flow of dollars, sometimes to regimes with no more fondness for democracy than the Kremlin.

In today's world, if old enemies are willing to shake hands and lay down their guns, the United States and its allies are ready to pledge their help for economic development.

The Clinton administration greeted the news of a cease-fire in Northern Ireland this week with a promise to look at ways to "facilitate and encourage the peace process ... including facilitating economic development."

No specific pledges were made, but the impression was, particularly in Ireland, that dollars would be available.

The same was true a year ago when Israel and the Palestine Liberation Organization signed a peace agreement. Within days nations pledged to provide more than $2 billion over five years to help the Palestinians.

Nine months later, the Palestinians had seen only a trickle of that money.

Sen. Patrick Leahy, D-Vt., chairman of the Senate subcommittee that would deal with any request for additional funds for Northern Ireland, said Thursday there was no chance Congress would act this year.

"There's money already in the pipeline," said Leahy. "There's no urgency."

He pointed out that the United States already is the largest contributor at nearly $20 million annually to the International Fund for Ireland. Leahy said that after a rocky start the international fund was doing effective work providing jobs and opportunities.

"Before any more money could go to Ireland, we'd have to determine what other part of the world we'd cut it out of," he said.

EDITOR'S NOTE — Donald M. Rothberg covers international affairs for The Associated Press.

Agency has problems with study of aquifer

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service has criticized a recent study that suggests Edwards Aquifer springs in New Braunfels and San Marcos can be artificially maintained with pumped water.

In a draft document issued in early August, scientists with the University of Texas Center for Research in Water Resources found six alternatives for supplementing the spring flows.

Spring augmentation could be feasible under certain conditions, the study concluded, and it recommended further study on the most favorable alternatives.

Researchers have until Sept. 30 to print a final report on the study. However, federal officials already are skeptical.

"We have deep problems with it," said Sam Hamilton, state administrator for the wildlife service. "Basically, what we are saying is that the data in the draft report does not support the conclusions."

Earlier, officials at the San Antonio River Authority, which joined with the Edwards Underground Water District and the Nueces River Authority in sponsoring the study, also voiced similar concerns.

"It almost reaffirms our earlier conclusions that augmentation would be a tremendous risk to the endangered species (living in the springs) and that there is no data to show that we should go forward with it," Hamilton told the San Antonio Express-News Thursday.

A long and bitter dispute has been triggered by competing claims on the water from the aquifer.

The cool, clear waters from the springs are home for several species of water animals in danger of going extinct if the springs stop flowing. That prompted a 1991 lawsuit to control pumping.

On Aug. 13, voters rejected for a second time a proposal to build the Applewhite reservoir to provide San Antonio with an alternative water source.

A federal judge ruled in 1993 that overpumping of the aquifer threatens to dry up the springs. Augmentation is seen by some as a way of keeping the springs going during long droughts.

"In general, the document fails to address issues of water quality and physical attributes (including temperature) that are essential habitat factors for the species of concern," Hamilton wrote in a cover letter accompanying his agency's comments.

Only one of the six alternatives suggested in the study draft shows any sign of feasibility, Hamilton said. That is the $791 million proposal to boost the amount of water that recharges the 176-mile-long aquifer. The recharge process involves the percolation of rain water into the ground from ground level.

But Hamilton said even that proposal may not be worthwhile because of the amount of water that would be produced.

"There may be some limited number of possibilities to look at, with regard to recharge dams. On the other hand, they are terribly expensive and provide very little recharge for the cost.

"The deep well injection strategies and the underground retention dams are unsupportable. We think we need to put these ideas to rest and we need to get on with more tangible and more substantive water planning," Hamilton said.

"We should get on with some real serious water conservation strategies," he said.

Judge denies Heard custody

NEW YORK (AP) — John Heard was denied custody of his son by a judge who cited the actor's history of physically abusing the boy's mother.

Heard, who played Macaulay Culkin's father in the "Home Alone" movies, "lacks temperament in parenting skills" to raise 7-year-old John Matthew, state Judge Phyllis Gangel-Jacob said Thursday.

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