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THURSDAY

Snyder Daily News

Ask Us

Q—Why does the city allow a four-wheeler to be used as transportation for meter reading?

A—According the the water department, using a four-wheeler is much faster than any other means. It currently takes only 12 working days to read all the city's meters, whereas before, it took almost the entire month. Also according to the water department, the vehicle stays mainly in alleys and only uses main roads to get from one alley to another. It is also equipped with turn signals and back up lights.

Local

Genealogy

Scurry County Genealogical Society will sponor a workshop from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday in the Senior Center.

8th graders

A party will be held for eighth graders from 7-11 p.m. Friday at St. Elizabeth's Catholic Church.

Admission will be $3. Any parents who would like to help are to call 573-8187.

Boys Club

Snyder Boys Club board will meet at 7 this evening in the chamber of commerce board room.

Debra Brown, executive director of TAP IN, will speak. The board will also discuss Saturday's fundraiser featuring the Dallas Cowboy Hoopsters.

Band concert

The Snyder Junior High band concert will be held at 7:30 this evening in Worsham Auditorium.

Featured will be the stage band and the 7th and 8th grade bands. Selections will include "In The Mood," Briarwood Overture," "Theme From Dinosaurs," "America The Beautiful" and more. Admission is free.

Ira ISD

Swearing-in of new board members and reorganization of the board are among the agenda items listed for Ira public school trustees, who meet at 7:30 this evening.

Also on the agenda is adoption of the 1993-94 school calendar and bids for fuel, food service, athletic, instructional, janitorial and office supplies for the coming year.

Weather

Snyder Area Forecast: High Wednesday, 74 degrees; low, 50 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Thursday, 54 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1993 to date, 5.53 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, clear. Low in the mid 50s. Southeast wind 5-10 mph. Friday, sunny. High near 90. South wind 5-15 mph.

Almanac: Sunset today, 8:31. Sunrise Friday, 6:49. Of 132 days in 1993, the sun has shone 125 days in Snyder.

CURTAIN OPENS TONIGHT — The Ritz Community Theatre's musical production "Annie Get Your Gun" begins tonight at 8 at Western Texas College's Fine Arts Theatre. These seven cast members are rehearsing a song number from the show. Front row, from left, Kelly Fishel, Dayton Robertson, Tim Dea and Patti Fishel; back row, Emily Hataway, Robert Adams and Doug Fishel. (SDN Staff Photo)

'Annie' opens at arts theatre

The Ritz Community Theatre's opening night production of the musical "Annie Get Your Gun" is tonight at 8 in the Western Texas College Fine Arts Theatre.

Other performances are scheduled the 14, 15, 20, 22 and 24 at 8 p.m. and at 2 p.m. on Sundays, May 16 and 23. Tickets are still available for all performances.

Reservations can be made by calling the box office at the Senior Center at 573-4035 between 2-5 p.m. Tickets are $6 and will be available at the door for performances, including tonight's, that are not sold out.

"Annie Get Your Gun" is the third production of the Ritz Theatre and the final show of the season. Both of the first productions, "Steel Magnolias" and "The Best Christmas Pageant Ever," were sellouts.

Emily Hataway is appearing as Annie Oakley. Doug Fishel is acting the part of Frank Butler, Dayton Robertson as Charlie Davenport, Patti Fishel as Dolly Tate, Robert Adams as Buffalo Bill, Donnie Burk as Pawnee Bill and Foster Wilson, and Tim Dea as Chief Sitting Bull. The roles of Annie's siblings will be played by Jed Martin, Erin Cooley, Johnna Ferris and Kelly Fishel.

Other members of the cast are Victor Means as Mac, Herb Aikin as the conductor, Ralph Trevey as the footman, Glenda Hollingsworth as Mrs. Schuyler Adams, John Hollingsworth as Mr. Schuyler Adams, Terry Green as Ernest Henderson, Dorothy Peterson as Mrs. Ernest Henderson, Kelley Copeland as Mrs. Sylvia Potter-Porter, Ricky Fritz as Dr. Percy Fergason, Jo Sterling as Mrs. Fergason and Carolyn Osborn and Donna Smith as waitresses.

Members of the ensemble are Sammie Jarrell, Donna Smith, Rebecca Thornton, Jennifer Beard, Dorothy Peterson, Ralph Trevey, Sara Cave, Taylor Lowrance, Lindsey Stansell, Carolyn Osborn, Joanna Burk, Josh Ortegon, Herb Aikin, Nicholas Means and Victor Means.

Members of the staff are Ellie Dryden, director; Elaine Byrd, chorographer; Thomas Fogleman, musical director; John Hollingsworth, stage manager; Jeff Levens, lighting and Clay Fuqua, sound.

House no pass, no play vote 'good,' says athletic director

From local, wire reports

Nearly a decade after adopting it, the Texas House has voted to ease the state's controversial no pass, no play rule.

The House today gave its final approval to a bill that could halve six-week student suspensions from sports and other extracurricular activities.

House members argued that six weeks is too strict, discourages many students and keeps some from attempting more challenging courses.

Teachers heavily involved in extracurricular activities, such as Snyder ISD Athletic Director David Baugh, say the move is a good one.

"I think it's a good idea. It gives a kid an incentive to still try to pass," said Baugh. "When there are only a few weeks of the season left, students know they can't make it back, and so there is no incentive to try. If they have a shot, however, that's incentive."

Baugh said the notion that extracurricular activities aren't incentives for some students is not realistic.

"Regardless of what is said about athletics, they do provide an incentive for kids to perform better in the classroom, just like drama does or band does or choir does or other activities do. If a kid is extremely interested in band, it's an incentive. When you take that away, you take away some of the incentive."

Rep. Mark Stiles, D-Beaumont, offered the option of rolling back suspensions to three weeks in an amendment to a larger bill designed to reduce state requirements on schools.

A move to kill his amendment was rejected, 117-26, and sponsors of the larger bill then accepted Stiles' proposal. The full bill today won final House approval on a 138-0 vote. It now goes to the Senate for consideration.

Stiles' amendment would give campus principals the option of lifting suspensions after three weeks if students make no grades lower than 70 out of 100 during that period. If a student did receive a grade below 70 in any class, the suspension would continue for the

(see NO PASS, page 8)

Hermleigh's top students named

Hermleigh High School has named three honor students for the 1992-1993 school year.

Amanda Olsen is the valedictorian, Stephane Gannaway the salutatorian and Billy Smith the high-ranking boy.

Olsen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Martin Olsen.

She has a grade point average of 91.72, has been on the honor roll all four years and the National Honor Roll as a senior. She has been listed in "Who's Who Among American High School Students" for the past three years and as a senior was selected Miss HHS.

Olsen participated in UIL academic events at the district and regional level and has been active in FHA, where she served as vice president and as sweetheart her senior year.

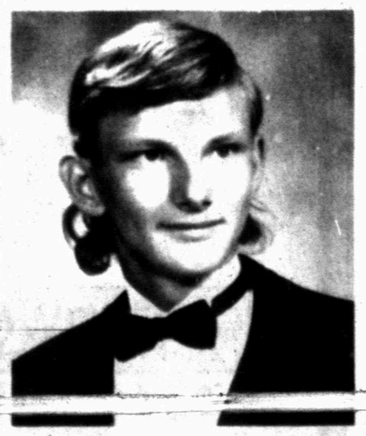
She is a member of the Beta Club, is the annual staff editor, head of the drill team and has served as class secretary the past three years.

Olsen has participated in basketball and softball, as well as

(see HERMLEIGH, page 8)

AMANDA OLSEN

STEPHANE GANNAWAY



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Talking Newspaper Poll

Should U.S. troops be sent into Bosnia ?

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SISD board to get new voices tonight

Snyder public school trustees will swear in three members and reorganize the board during their May meeting, set for 7 this evening in the administration board room.

Trustees will also recognize out-going board members and consider personnel resignations and recommendations.

Newly elected trustees Janet Stribling, Place 5, and Mark McCormick, Place 4, will be sworn in. Also to be sworn in for a second term is Place 1 trustee Glenn Clarady.

Out-going trustees to be recognized are Ann Walton and Billy Bob McMullan.

The board will consider 12 resignations and recommendations to hire two teacher/coaches for positions at the high school.

Other items on the agenda include:

—Consideration of bids for cafeteria furniture and the sale of two pickups, a Suburban and a van.

—A request to advertise for an outside auditor.

—Appoint a delegate and an alternate to the Texas Association of School Boards delegate assembly.

—Discussion of graduation ceremonies.

—Recognition of UIL participants.

—Approval of bills and previous minutes.

Bob Travis, principal of Stanfield Elementary, will give the campus report this month.

CMH board approves bills

Cogdell Memorial Hospital board of directors met this morning to approve accounts payable and discuss a change in meeting dates for the summer.

The board, which routinely meets two times a month, is planning to meet once monthly during the summer. June's meeting has been scheduled for 7:30 a.m. on the 24th.

Board members also heard an in-service report on admissions from Brenda Muerer, and approved previous minutes.

Muerer also told the board that the hospital telephone system is in the process of being updated. At some time in the near future, it will be possible for callers to dial various departments and individual patient rooms, instead of calling in to one number and being transfered, as is presently required.

Present for today's meeting were board members Sue Mize, Doug Foster, Bill Wilson III, Ted Crenwelge and G.A. Parks Jr. Jim Palmer was absent.

The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "Thousands of people are experts on religion, but not nearly that many people practice it."

The 1969 yearbook from Snyder High School borrowed a quotation from Hawthorne: "Every individual has a place to fill in the world, and is important in some respect, whether he chooses to be so or not."

In 1969, that bit of deep philosophy probably didn't make much of an impact on the 224 graduating seniors. And perhaps nobody envisioned that three members of the Class of 1969 would be holding down important positions in Snyder's city government.

When Paul Zeck is sworn in today as mayor, he will make the third individual from the SHS Class of '69 in a city leadership role. The others are Police Chief Lannie Lee and Fire Chief Terry Don McDowell.

As you might suspect, Zeck was pictured last in the senior class section. When your name starts with the last letter of the alphabet, you grow accustomed to being last. That didn't change, even at [illegible] was working on his degree in engineering.

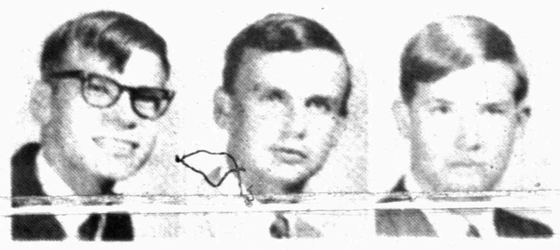
Zeck, president of Y-Z Industries, was elected Snyder mayor on May 1. McDowell has been Snyder fire chief since 1982 and Lee returned to Snyder from Midland to become chief of police in July, 1991.

A look at the 1969 yearbook, Tigers Lair, revealed that Paul was active in the band. A twirler in the band was Pam Patterson who later changed her name to appear at the end of the alphabet.

Bill Hood was superintendent, Ted Crenwelge was president of the school board, Ben Brock was principal and Horrace Bostick was vice principal.

Among the senior class sponsors were Ned Underwood, Dorothy Rosson, Jerry Worsham and Wallace Combest.

Typical of all yearbook pictures more than 20 years old, none of the three looked like future city leaders.



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FRESHMAN CHEERLEADERS — Snyder High School freshman cheerleaders recently elected are from left, front row, Lisha Leatherwood, Sha Marricle, Molly Wilson; back row, Elyse Merritt, Keri Kemp and Meeghan York. (SDN Staff Photo)

Late Branch Davidian leader owes back taxes in Colorado

PUEBLO, Colo. (AP) — Branch Davidian cult leader David Koresh, who died in the flaming ruins of his compound last month in Waco, Texas, left a debt to Pueblo County.

He hadn't paid taxes on 160 acres of prairie northeast of the Pueblo Memorial Airport since 1990.

Thelma Wiley of the Pueblo County assessor's office discovered the fact late Wednesday when she was looking at a returned notice of valuation letter with "deceased" scrawled on the envelope.

"I saw 'deceased,' then I saw 'Branch Davidians' on the address," she said. "Then 'Waco.' Then I saw the name 'Vernon Howell,' and realized that was David Koresh's real name. I had cold chills running down my back."

Koresh and many of his followers died in a fire at their Waco compound after a 51-day standoff with federal authorities.

The Colorado land was deeded to the sect in August 1953.

Present appraised value of the land is $1,460.

The Davidians paid their 1990 property taxes, which came to $33.

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Dr. Gott By Peter Gott, M.D.

Question doctor about chest pain

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I have osteoporosis and am taking 1,500 mg of calcium daily. Also, for nearly two years, I've suffered from chest pain at night. A chest X-ray and mammogram were negative. Could this have anything to do with the large amount of calcium I take daily?

DEAR READER: Absolutely not. You are taking an appropriate dose of supplemental calcium. This should help retard osteoporisis, the age-related loss of calcium from bones, without adversely affecting your health.

Nonetheless, I am concerned about your chest pain, which could reflect heart disease or problems with your intestinal tract. For example, some forms of angina (heart muscle cramping from lack of oxygen) occur at night, as does chest discomfort that is caused by peptic ulcer or hiatal hernia.

I suggest that you badger your doctor about your chest pain. In addition to the tests you've had, I recommend a cardiogram and an upper GI series of X-rays, at the least.

Continue with your calcium supplements and, at the same time, address the chest pain, which I believe is unrelated.

To give you more information, I am sending you a copy of my updated Health Report "Osteoporosis." Other readers who would like a copy should send $1.25 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to P.O. Box 2433, New York, NY 10163. Be sure to mention the title.

DEAR DR. GOTT: Please explain the permanent effects of pneumonia on a 12-year-old who has had it three times in five years. What, if anything, can strengthen her resistance toward it?

DEAR READER: It's always troublesome when children suffer repeated attacks of lung infection. Could the child have a problem with her immune system? Or, perhaps, a mild form of cystic fibrosis, an inherited condition that predisposes children to pneumonia?

Her pediatrician is the best resource. Her general state of health can be assessed with blood tests. Also, the pediatrician is in a good position to identify any environmental factors that might play a role: For instance, do her parents smoke?

Without knowing the reason for the repeated bouts of pneumonia, I can't advise anything to strengthen her resistance. Providing she recovers uneventfully from each attack, I do not believe that she will suffer permanent effects from the pneumonia itself.

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Senate rejects amendments

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas Senate has rejected proposed changes to a criminal justice reform package after the House added amendments to make sodomy a crime and allow residents to carry concealed weapons.

The Senate on Tuesday appointed a conference committee to negotiate with House members on a penal code overhaul and a new state jail system.

Senators, however, did accept minor changes to a proposed $1 billion bond issue for the construction of prisons and mental health facilities.

Those bonds cannot be sold unless approved by voters in November.

Sen. John Whitmire, D-Houston, author of the criminal justice proposals, said numerous House amendments added onto the package last week will upset the balance in the bill.

He said the legislation is designed to divert non-violent offenders into less restrictive state jails, thus freeing up maximum security facilities for violent offenders.

Whitmire said he opposed the proposal that would authorize the Texas Department of Public Safety to issue licenses for carrying concealed handguns. He has also vehemently opposed a provision to make sodomy a crime.

Under state law, sodomy is a crime in same-sex relationships. It has been declared unconstitutional in two lower courts. The state has appealed to the Texas Supreme Court.

"OF MICE AND MOZART" PLAY — Donna Farley's fifth grade presented "Of Mice and Mozart" recently for classmates and parents at Northeast Elementary. On the front row, left, are Canary, played by Wade Ashby; Dog, Layne Scott; mice are Laura Canada, Duane Allred, Adrian Gonzales, Stevie Salas and Jessica Blevins. Other participants on the third row are Trey Gorman, Kevin Taylor, Jennifer Mayer, Lacey Kidd, Jon Hensley, and Wesley Gilbert. On the top row are Cara Best, Erin Kirk, Jodi Dennis, Sally Barham, Jana Himes and Chad Lancaster. (SDN Staff Photo)

Jackpot numbers drawn Wednesday

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Here are results of Lotto Texas winning numbers drawn Wednesday by the Texas Lottery:

1, 10, 28, 31, 37, 50

(one, ten, twenty-eight, thirty-one, thirty-seven, fifty)

Estimated Lotto Texas jackpot: $3 million

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DKG meets

"Enriching Our Delta Gamma Heritage: Review of Chapter History," was presented by Vanessa Taylor at the Zeta Lambda Chapter of Delta Kappa Society's recent meeting at the woman's club. She was introduced by June McGlaun who presented gifts of recognition to charter members Vestal Maner, Ruby Anderson and Rita Carter, former member.

Two past presidents, Maydelle Burns (1961-62) and Virginia Grove (1962-64) sent letters giving a short review of Zeta Lambda history from during their leadership.

Mrs. Taylor led a panel consisting of Helen Mock, Georgene Galloway, Carter and Maner who gave brief reviews of progressive history of the chapter.

Yearbooks from 1961 to the present were displayed along with emblems of initiation.

Following the program, an analysis of the constitutional amendment features concerning the upcoming election of the school finanace bills were presented to the society, both positive and negative aspects for consideration and study.

Margaret Presswood presided over the meeting.

Local inacuve cnarter members are Laura Holladay, Lida Rhoades and Eva Nelson.

DKG CHARTER MEMBERS — Zeta Lambda Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society International for women teachers met recently at the Martha Ann Woman's Club. Pictured from left are charter members Vestal Maner, Ruby Anderson and Rita Carter. (SDN Staff Photo)

Noah Project will sponsor barbecue

Preceding this evening's opening performance of "Annie Get Your Gun," a barbecue supper has been set for 5 to 7:30 p.m. in the museum at WTC.

The meal includes barbecued brisket, potato salad, cole slaw, pinto beans and various cheesecakes for dessert. Adult tickets are $5, ages 6-12, $3; and children under 5 free.

Cheesecake and coffee will be available for $2 during intermission of the performance in the Fine Arts Theatre.

The Noah Project-West is a local family violence and trauma center.

Snyder Duplicate Bridge Scoreboard

Dot Casey directed six tables of bridge at the Snyder Country Club.

1. Ann Davis, Anita Talbott.
2. Dot Casey, Louise Thompson.
3. Dorothy Rosson, Sue Carter.
4. Bessie Collins, Barbara Yorgesen.
5. Jane Hinton and Billie Sue Stuard.

SUNDAY

Four tables of bridge were directed by Dot Casey.

1. Louise Thompson, Dot Casey.
2. Polly Ballard, Nona Morrison.
3. Billie Sue Stuard, Jane Hinton.
4. Charles Blakey, Dora Blakey.

TUESDAY

Jane Hinton directed five tables.

1. Margaret Birdwell, Jane Hinton.
2. TIE: Monte West, Linda West; Anita Talbott, Barbara Yorgesen.
3. Rube McKinley, Louise Thompson.
4. Pat Floyd, Robbie Floyd.

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Community Calendar

THURSDAY

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

Scurry County Sheriffs Posse; Posse Clubhouse; 7:30 p.m.

New Horizons Alcoholics Anonymous (closed); in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For information, call 573-3308 or 573-1141.

FRIDAY

Storytime for 4 and 5 year olds; Scurry County Library; 10 a.m.

Snyder Jaycees; noon luncheon; Golden Corral.

Free blood pressure clinics; Senior Citizens Center, 9:45-11:45 a.m.; Cogdell Memorial Hospital emergency waiting room; 1-2:30 p.m.

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

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

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

Genealogy workshop for researching Alabama, Louisana and Mississippi, sponsored by Scurry County Genealogical Society; Senior Center Bldg; fee includes salad lunch; for information, call 573-7039 or 573-5353.

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

"Tickling the Ivories," recital by Mrs. Billy Tune's piano students; recital 1 at 6 p.m. and recital 2 at 7 p.m.; Martha Ann Woman's Club; public invited.

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.

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

Bridge By Phillip Alder

NORTH 5-13-93
♠ Q 6 5
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♦ 10 7 5 4
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♣ 8 7 6 4 2

SOUTH
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♥ A K Q
♦ A J 8 6 3
♣ A K J

Vulnerable: Neither
Dealer: South

South	West	North	East
2 NT*	Pass	3 NT	All pass

*22-24 points

Opening lead: ♥ 5

How difficult is advanced?

Ron Klinger's book "Playing to Win at Bridge" contains 72 declarer-play and defense problems in three sections: elementary, intermediate and advanced. The new edition, published by Houghton Mifflin, is available for $10.45 from The Bridge World, 39 West 94th Street, New York, NY 10025-7124. Previous editions were published in England by Gollancz, and in Australia.

How difficult is advanced? Well, today's deal is the last in the book; move into the East seat and judge for yourself.

Your partner leads his fourth-highest heart. After winning with the king, declarer continues with the ace and another diamond. West wins with the queen; you discard the club two. Now West switches to the spade jack: queen, king, four. How should you continue?

You have two options: to lead a low spade, playing partner for the spade 10, or to cash the spade ace, playing partner for four spades, with or without the 10. Which is correct?

Count the high-card points. From trick one, declarer is marked with the A-K-Q of hearts. He is known to have the A-J of diamonds. That's only 14 points, so South must have the A-K-J of clubs to get up to 22.

How many diamonds does South hold? The way he played the suit marks him with five. With A-J-x-x, he would have entered the dummy and led a diamond toward his jack. This means South has only two spades, so you must continue with the spade ace. Then remember to congratulate your partner on his excellent play of the spade jack. If he had led a low spade, the contract would have made.

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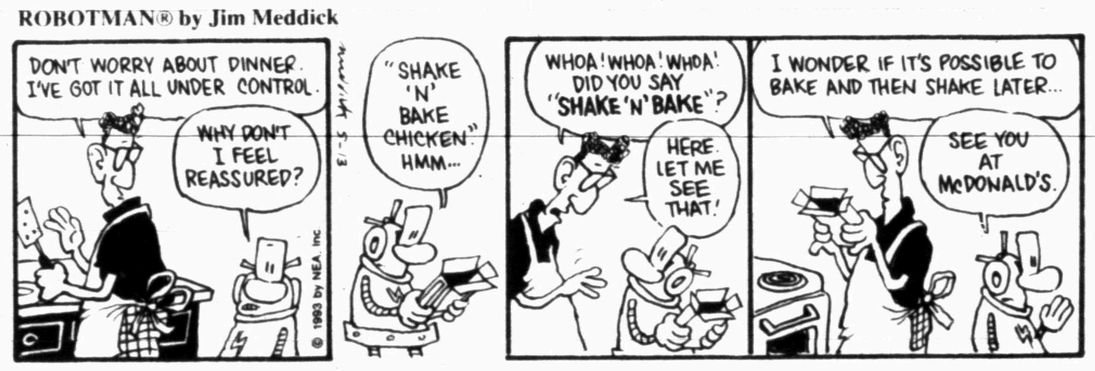

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A former boxer and casino croupier, crooner ***Dean Martin*** was performing at ***New York's Glass Hat Club*** in 1944, on the same bill as comedian ***Jerry Lewis***. The two struck up a partnership that soon made them ***America's*** top comedy team, starring in movies like ***"Hollywood or Bust"*** and commanding $50,000-a-week salaries. At the height of their fame, the relationship soured, ***Martin*** resenting his dwindling role in their act. In 1956, his confidence bolstered by earning a gold record for ***"Memories Are Made of This,"*** he quit the duo to concentrate on his solo career.

1. Name the secret agent ***Martin*** played in ***"The Silencers."***
2. In which 1964 ***Billy Wilder*** movie did ***Martin*** star as singer called ***Dino Martini***?
3. In which movie did ***Lewis*** co-star with ***Robert De Niro***?

Answers: 1) Matt Helm. 2) "Kiss Me, Stupid." 3) "The King of Comedy"

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1 — porridge
6 Food holder
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21 That woman
22 And others (2 wds.)
24 Ancient
25 Singer — Campbell
26 Basement
28 Exit
30 Careless
31 Wide shoe size
32 Abounded
35 Dealer in cloth (Brit.)
38 — Major
39 — de cologne
41 Anatomical tissue
42 Parcel of land
43 Gem
45 Rodent
46 Between NB and ND
47 Sadden
49 — plus ultra
50 Antenna
52 Piece of dinnerware
54 Short song
55 Swagger

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1 Sense of taste
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9 Thanks, in Britain
10 Engraves with acid
11 Violin's ancestor
13 Paradises
16 Become firm
19 Highest
21 Pullman car
23 South American animal
25 The — Gatsby
27 Cutting implement
29 Neighbor of Fr.
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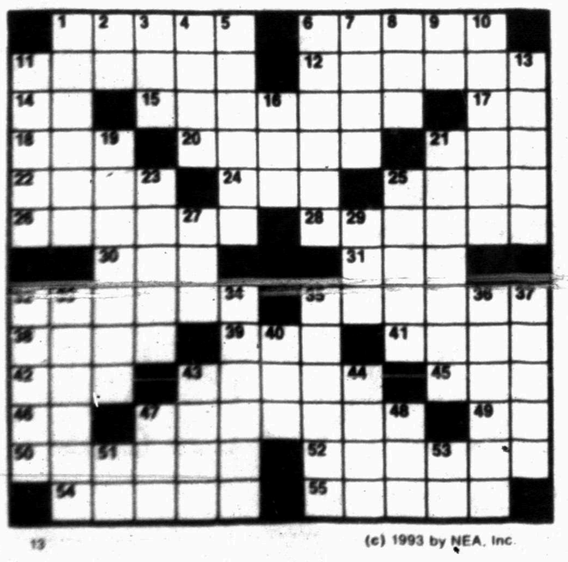

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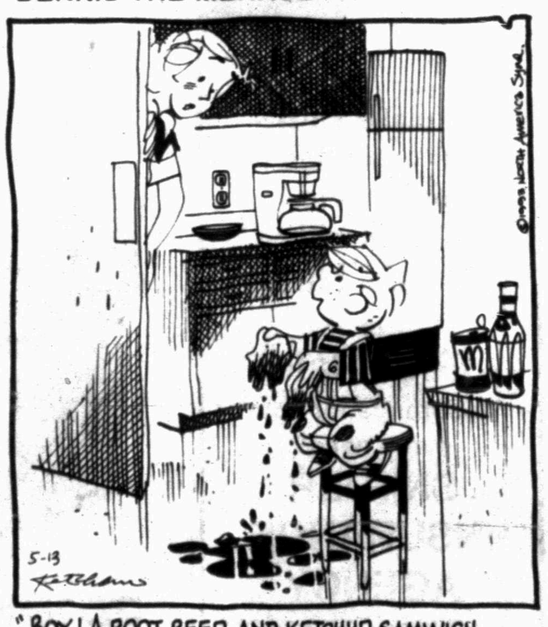

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Beat Rockets 111-100...

Sonics claim two-game lead

SEATTLE (AP) — Eddie Johnson hit from midcourt and thrust his arms high in the air as if to say, "It's over."

For the Houston Rockets, it was.

"If you throw it up, anything can happen," Johnson said after his momentum-building 3-pointer to end the third quarter helped the Seattle SuperSonics to a 111-100 victory Wednesday night in Game 2 of the Western Conference semi-final series.

"I was lucky. I'd miss that nine of the next 10 times. But it was a backbreaker. We really got rolling in the first six minutes of the fourth quarter."

Sam Perkins picked up where Johnson left off, hitting four 3-pointers and scoring 15 of his 23 points in the final quarter as the Sonics took a 2-0 lead in the best-of-7 series.

The Seattle Coliseum crowd of 14,732 chanted "Eddie, Eddie, Eddie" when Johnson made his 47-footer.

"We got [illegible] shot," Sonics coach George Karl said. "It got the crowd into the game."

The chant turned to "Sweep, Sweep, Sweep" after the Sonics made it five victories in six games against Houston this season.

The next two games are Saturday and Sunday at The Summit in Houston.

The Sonics hope to get a split in Texas and then wrap up the series in Game 5 in Seattle on Tuesday night.

"We're not in the driver's seat yet," Johnson said. "We have an opportunity to get a game down there. If we can do that, we're in control."

The Rockets believe they need to win the next two games to get back into the series.

"We have to hold serve at home to stay alive," Rockets coach Rudy Tomjanovich said.

[illegible] Kenny Smith's fastbreak dunk with 1:47 left in the third quarter. From that point, the Sonics went on a 19-2 run, getting the last seven points of the third quarter and then outscoring Houston 12-2 in the first 3:59 of the fourth.

The Rockets admitted Johnson's shot was critical.

"A lot of people lost their composure," Tomjanovich said.

"When you're only down by two points, you can't lose focus," Kenny Smith said. "But we did."

Garv Payton scored 22 and Michael Cage had 14 rebounds — both career playoff highs — for the the Sonics.

Hakeem Olajuwon [illegible] points on 13-of-24 shooting, 13 rebounds and five blocked shots for Houston, and Vernon Maxwell scored 25 points, nine in the fourth quarter.

Youth baseball results

LITTLE LEAGUE

Athletics 15, Rangers 5

The Athletics scored 13 runs in the top of the fourth inning Saturday to claim a 15-5 win over the Rangers.

Jacob Smith had four hits, including a double, and winning pitcher Eric Lang slapped a single and a two-bagger for the A's. Stephen Burton and Dee Newberry each laced a pair of hits and Bebos Martinez and Trey Roemisch knocked a single apiece.

Five of the Rangers six hits went for extra bases including two doubles by Toby Zalman and a double each by Jared Hester, Cody Holt and Robert Garza. Brian Beights added a base hit.

Ralph Ramon was the loser.

White Sox 5, Cardinals 2

Josh Ward punched a double and two singles and Jacob Hodges and Jacob Rodriguez each rapped a two-sacker as the White Sox trimmed the Cards Saturday.

Joe Squires doubled to pace the Cards. Duane Allred, Richard Wilkins, Trevor Thompson and Jerek Brown chipped in a single apiece.

Cubs 10, Giants 7

Eric Gard hammered four doubles and Cory Mandrell popped an extra-base hit Saturday to lead the Cubs past the Giants in a game made up from April 29.

Allen Smith, Caleb Callaway and Justin McNair were each credited with a single.

Justin Rosson doubled twice, Randall Price ripped a two-bagger, Jason Bates had two hits and Tyler Warren and Seth Rosson each singled for the Giants.

FARM LEAGUE

Rangers 10, Athletics 5

The Rangers scored five fourth-inning runs to break a 5-all tie and claim the Saturday Farm League victory.

Jim Collins smacked a pair of doubles, Reid Johnson and Chase McJimsey drilled a double and a single apiece, David Thames doubled, Craig Bowen and Justin Pechacek each ripped two hits and Thomas Rinehart and Adam Lucero got a single apiece.

Mario Gonzales hammered a triple, Clay Graves doubled and singled, Corey Knipe slammed a two-bagger and Michael Fennell singled for the A's.

White Sox 19, Cardinals 13

Joey Rocha blasted two homers and two singles and scored four times to lead the White Sox past the Cardinals Saturday.

Nicholas Barbosa tripled, Chris Stahl doubled and James Villareal managed a pair of hits for the Sox.

Jason Fisk had a three-base hit to pace the Cards. Damen Wood singled and doubled and Robert Martinez and Keith McClain each thumped a single.

8-9 YEAR-OLD LEAGUE

Cardinals 22, Indians 10

The Cardinals pounded 27 hits, including a homer and two singles by Zach Starnes, to post a 12-run victory Saturday.

Jeremy Autrey added a pair of doubles and a single, Clay Williams had three hits, including one for an extra base, Brady Reed singled and doubled, and Dustin Olsin and Tanner Beard knocked three hits apiece.

Also, Kory Joe Roberts, Wade Pinson and Jonathan Guy laced two hits each, and Stafford Gray, Shawn Adkins, Josh Knox and T.J. Jones popped a single each.

Ryan Coffey punched a double and a single, Tyson Kubena and Jesse Luera got a double each, Colter Brown, Case Hardy, Garrett Arney and Jonathan Beaird each lashed two hits and Brandon Carnes singled for the Indians.

Giants 5, Cubs 3

The Giants scored a pair in the last of the fifth to ease past the Cubs in a Saturday battle.

Brandon Simon slammed a home run and a single, Wes Martin doubled and Jon Medrano and Jason Williams had two hits each for the Giants. Larry Delapaz, Tyler Frey, Joshua McGahay and Brandon Cox each singled.

Josh Mendoza had a round-tripper, Andrew Bane doubled and singled and Manuel Tarango accounted for two hits for the Cubs. Patrick Alderete, Daniel Medrano, Tommy Hull and Adrian Perez nailed a single each.

Tennessee played a 10-game season in football in 1939 without allowing a point.

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All Times EDT
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Wednesday, May 12
New York 105, Charlotte 101, OT, New York leads series 2-0
Seattle 111, Houston 100, Seattle leads series 2-0

Thursday, May 13
Cleveland at Chicago, 8 p.m.
San Antonio at Phoenix, 10:30 p.m.

Friday, May 14
New York at Charlotte, 8 p.m.

Saturday, May 15
Phoenix at San Antonio, 1 p.m.
Chicago at Cleveland, 3:30 p.m.
Seattle at Houston, 9 p.m.

Sunday, May 16
New York at Charlotte, 1 p.m.
Phoenix at San Antonio, 3:30 p.m.
Seattle at Houston, 9 p.m.

Baseball glance

By The Associated Press
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AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Detroit	20	12	.625	—
Boston	19	15	.559	2
New York	18	15	.545	2½
Toronto	16	17	.485	4½
Milwaukee	14	16	.467	5
Baltimore	13	19	.406	7
Cleveland	13	20	.394	7½

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Chicago	20	12	.625	—
California	18	13	.581	1½
Texas	17	14	.548	2½
Seattle	17	17	.500	4
Minnesota	14	18	.438	6
Kansas City	13	18	.419	6½
Oakland	12	18	.400	7

Wednesday's Games
Chicago 6, Seattle 5
Minnesota 5, California 2
Cleveland 6, Kansas City 2
Milwaukee 4, New York 1
Detroit 13, Toronto 8
Boston 2, Baltimore 0
Oakland 8, Texas 7

Thursday's Games
Kansas City (Pichardo 2-1) at Cleveland (M.Young 0-0), 1:35 p.m.
Texas (Nen 1-1) at Oakland (Welch 4-2), 3:15 p.m.
Milwaukee (Eldred 4-3) at New York (Abbott 1-5), 7:30 p.m.
Detroit (M.Leiter 1-1) at Toronto (Stewart 0-0), 7:35 p.m.
Only games scheduled

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Philadelphia	24	8	.750	—
Montreal	17	15	.531	7
St. Louis	17	15	.531	7
Chicago	16	16	.500	8
Pittsburgh	16	16	.500	8
Florida	15	18	.455	9½
New York	11	20	.355	12½

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
San Francisco	21	13	.618	—
Houston	19	14	.576	1½
Atlanta	20	16	.556	2
Cincinnati	15	18	.455	5½
Los Angeles	14	19	.424	6½
San Diego	13	19	.406	7
Colorado	11	22	.333	9½

Wednesday's Games
Los Angeles 9, Chicago 3
Florida 10, Montreal 7
Cincinnati 3, San Diego 2, 5 innings, rain
Atlanta 5, Houston 2
San Francisco 8, Colorado 2
Philadelphia 4, Pittsburgh 1
St. Louis 6, New York 5

Thursday's Games
San Diego (Eiland 0-1) at Cincinnati (Smiley 0-5), 12:35 p.m.
New York (Schourek 1-3) at St. Louis (Cormier 1-2), 1:35 p.m.
San Francisco (Burkett 5-0) at Colorado (Ruffin 1-1), 5:05 p.m.
Florida (Armstrong 3-3) at Montreal (J.Jones 4-1), 7:35 p.m.

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Oakland nips Rangers, 8-7

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) — Jose Canseco failed to catch a well-hit double by Brent Gates with two outs in the bottom of the ninth, allowing former teammate Troy Neel to score the winning run.

The Oakland rally came against Texas relief ace Tom Henke (1-1), who blew his first save in 25 opportunities. It also ruined a Texas rally in the top of the ninth off Dennis Eckersley (1-1), who blew a save for the fourth time this year — once more than he had all of last year when he won the Cy Young Award.

Atlanta trips Houston, 5-2

HOUSTON (AP) — Steve Avery evened his record and Mike Stanton remained perfect in 13 save chances as Atlanta topped Houston, 5-2.

Otis Nixon stole four bases, got two hits, scored two runs and made a running catch in center field for the Braves.

With the score tied at 1 in the seventh inning, Terry Pendleton and Ron Gant hit RBI singles with two outs.

Avery (2-2) pitched 6 1-3 innings and Stanton worked the ninth. Greg Swindell (4-4) lost his third straight decision.

Fishermen set meeting

Snyder Bass Club's May meeting is set for today at 7:30 p.m. at Snyder National Bank.

Among the items up for discussion will be the May 15-16 Club Tournament at Lake Thomas.

Fishing hours this weekend will be from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday.

Winners of the April tourney were Tommy Hood, who checked in with a 5.40-catch, which was also the big bass, David Mayes, who took second with a 3.40-pound stringer and Billy Kirkpatrick's 1.95, good for third place.

Snyder Bass Club Top 10

1. Billy Kirkpatrick 322.4; 2. David Mayes 300.4; 3. Tommy Hood 256.0; 5. K.D. Heard 246.0; 5. Rick Howard 204.0; 6. Ron Clark 198.0; 7. Gay Hickman 175.0; 8. Robert Kiser 157.6; 9. Johnny Spruell 148.8; 10. JoAnn Clark 103.0.

Sport Shorts

Pumpjack tourney slated at SCC

The Annual Snyder Country Club Men's Pumpjack Partnership [illegible] and Sunday, not Friday and Saturday as was reported in Wednesday's SDN.

Shotgun starts at 8:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. both days will begin action in the 2-man scramble.

The tournament will be pre-flighted by total handicap with a 7-shot maximum differential between partners.

Also included in this year's Pumpjack is a Senior Flight. Golfers 60 years and older will compete in a low net format on Saturday, then will come back and play low ball net on Sunday.

For more information, contact Snyder Country Club professional Rick Mammolite at 573-7101.

WTC rodeo boosters set roping

Western Texas College Rodeo Booster Club will sponsor the 12th Annual Scurry County Roping and Team Penning Saturday at Scurry County Rodeo Association Arena on Gary Brewer Road.

Calf roping begins at 11 a.m. Team roping is scheduled to start at 1 p.m. followed by 3-man team penning. A 2-man penning event will wind up the roping.

Cost to enter is $50 for three head in the calf roping, $100 per man in the 3-head progressive team roping, and $20 for both penning events.

Boosters ask that all registrations be in by Friday afternoon.

For more information, call Brewster's Saddle Shed at 573-7175.

Summer bowling league organizing

An organizational meeting for the summer Triple Threat Bowling League is scheduled for today at 7 p.m. at Snyder Lanes.

All interested bowlers are urged to attend.

For more information, contact Snyder Lanes at 573-2811.

Kiwanis tourney set Saturday

The Snyder Noon Kiwanis Club is sponsoring a golf tournament to benefit the Hubert and Mary Cargile Scholarship Foundation Saturday at Western Texas College.

The Cargile Foundation is for area students who plan to attend WTC.

Entry fee is $25 per person or $100 per team for the 4-man scramble. Tee-off time is 8 a.m.

Prizes will be awarded.

For more information, call 573-7594.

TOP FEMALE ATHLETES — Ira athletic boosters named the school's top female athletes at the annual awards banquet recently. Named were, from left, Brandy Owen, basketball; Judy Sanchez, track; and Jamie Bray, golf. (Contributed Photo)

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

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Gays in military, abortion aid vex current Congress

By Walter R. Mears
AP Special Correspondent

WASHINGTON (AP) — So far, all Congress has done on the question of homosexuals in the military is talk about it — and

AP analysis

that's been enough to start the shouting. It is a dispute certain to escalate, with President Clinton's deadline for an order rescinding the ban on gays two months away.

So, too, is the congressional struggle over his effort to end restrictions on the use of federal funds for abortions.

Difficult, divisive and often intensely personal, the social issues are the kind most resistant to compromise, the congressional way out with no hard feelings. These are the questions that guarantee hard feelings.

Clinton is confronting two at the same time as he seeks to deliver on his campaign promises to end the 48-year bar on military service by homosexuals, and to rescind the law against federal spending on abortions for needy women receiving government medical assistance.

The abortion dispute is complicating Clinton's budget program, and could put an extra burden on his coming health care proposal, which presumably will offer coverage for abortions. "I don't want to do anything that would upset the present pattern of health care coverage, that's for sure," he said.

The first votes on abortion spending will come up later this spring as the House begins acting on the appropriations bills that will implement the budget. There's some doubt among top Democrats that they will have the votes to rescind the spending restriction in the House.

Abortion is an issue Congress has been debating for two decades, with no settlement in view. While there are shadings of opinion among both advocates and opponents of abortion rights, when it comes to a vote the argument is among absolutists.

While the debate over gays in the military is new to the legislative agenda, the lines are as sharply drawn, and compromise as elusive.

To advocates of repeal, the terms that have been advanced as a possible settlement — letting homosexuals serve so long as they didn't declare their sexual preference — is no compromise. Gay activists protested when Clinton agreed to essentially that formula temporarily, for the six months he gave the Pentagon to prepare an executive order.

The talk of making that the permanent arrangement has been among opponents of eliminating the ban, not between the two sides. Still, Congress has the power to keep the ban in place, so advocates of the policy that Sen. Sam Nunn has described as "don't ask, don't tell" could vote it into effect.

Clinton settled for that holding action, pending congressional hearings and the Pentagon study, rather than risk being overruled on an immediate order to rescind the ban.

It is a high-tension issue; even witness lists and procedures have stirred angry disputes in both the Senate and House Armed Services committees. Those same, divided panels will have to deal with legislation on the issue. Nunn, D-Ga., the Senate chairman, opposes outright repeal of the ban. Rep. Ronald Dellums, D-Calif., the House chairman, wants it lifted as the mark of "a mature, intelligent, egalitarian society."

That broader social point adds to the political strain. The change Clinton seeks is not, after all, a politically popular cause. The president has said so himself. He also said it is right.

"We are not arguing any kind of conduct, but about whether people can acknowledge ... being a homosexual," he said Monday in Cleveland. "It is not asking the American people to approve a lifestyle, to embrace it, to elevate it, anything else."

At House hearings on May 4, Republican Rep. Floyd D. Spence of South Carolina argued that gay activists are using the issue to promote their agenda. "Whether or not individual homosexuals want nothing more than to serve with honor, homosexual activism will demand more," Spence said, "turning the military into a legal, social and cultural battleground for years to come."

Clinton said the interim policy in which recruits no longer are questioned about homosexuality solves most of the problem. Perhaps it does, but the next step will be more difficult, and he is committed to take it so that declared homosexuals can serve in the military.

EDITOR'S NOTE — Walter R. Mears, vice president and columnist for The Associated Press, has reported on Washington and national politics for more than 30 years.

Williams to step down

BOSTON (AP) — John Williams is looking forward to holding a golf club instead of a baton when he steps down as conductor of the Boston Pops.
composer is leaving the podium in December after 13 seasons.
December after 13 seasons.

"I would love it if my golf handicap could be 12, not 20," he said Wednesday before a gala concert marking the start of his final season.

The show, taped for broadcast on PBS on July 9, included a medley of Williams' film scores, including music from "Jaws," "Star Wars," "Raiders of the Lost Ark" and "E.T."

Williams plans to continue composing for movies — his next project is Steven Spielberg's Holocaust drama "Schindler's List" — and serve as a guest conductor with various orchestras.

Williams replaced the legendary Arthur Fiedler, who had conducted the Pops for 50 years before his death 1979.

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Obituaries

Bonnie Lyons

1904-1993

Service for Bonnie E. Lyons, 88, [illegible] Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home Chapel. Officiating will be the Rev. Buck Hatfield and Mr. James Wesson. Burial will follow in the Snyder Cemetery.

Mrs. Lyons, a life-time resident of Scurry and Kent Counties, died at 12:17 p.m. Tuesday in Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Born in Kent County, she married Charlie Martin Lyons on Jan. 16, 1926 in Clairemont. He died in 1967.

Mrs. Lyons was a homemaker and a Baptist. She worked for 10 years in the North Elementary School cafeteria. She was a graduate of Draughon's Business College in Abilene.

She was preceded in death by three children — Charlene Lyons, Floyd Dale Lyons and Marx Roger Lyons.

Survivors include a son, Charles Ray Lyons of Onalaska, Tex.; a daughter, Bonita Floyd of Onalaska; a daughter-in-law, Barbara Lyons Cornelius of Snyder; a sister, Eula Clanton of Mineola; eight grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren; a sister-in-law, Willie Ford of Polar; and many nephews and nieces.

Jimmy Snowden

1905-1993

Graveside services were set for 4 p.m. today in the Snyder Cemetery for James G. "Jimmy" Snowden Jr., 87, who died at 12:50 a.m. Wednesday in an Odessa nursing home. The Rev. James Bishop, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church in Odessa, was to officiate.

Mr. Snowden was a long-time resident of Snyder until moving to Odessa several years ago. Prior to his retirement, he was a groundskeeper at Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Born on Sept. 15, 1905, in Bailey, Miss., Mr. Snowden married Ellna Benton on Jan. 5, 1929 in Scurry County. She died in 1954.

Survivors include a daughter, Wanda Jean Freeman of Odessa; two sons, James G. Snowden III of Belton and Larry Wayne Snowden of California; two brothers, Marvin Snowden of Wolfforth and Leland Snowden of Meridian, Miss.; two sisters, Carrie Watts of Meridian, Miss., and Ruby Shannon of Mobile, Ala.; and numerous grandchindren and great-grandchildren.

Mary Belle White

1931-1993

PINEVILLE, La. — Mass is set for 1 p.m. Monday in the Scared Heart Catholic Church in Pineville, La., for former Snyder resident Mary Bell (Carrell) White, 61. Burial will be in the Alexandria National Cemetery in Pineville. Rosary will be held at 6 p.m. Sunday in the Hixon Funeral Home Chapel.

Mrs. White, a 1952 graduate of Snyder High School, died Tuesday in Rapids General Hospital.

Born July 5, 1931 in Brooklyn, N.Y., she married Robert D. "Snookie" White III in Snyder in July of 1955. She was office manager for Shepherd Center in Pineville.

Survivors include a daughter, Delia White of Hollister, Calif.; three sons, David White of Memphis, Tenn., Douglas White and Dennis White of Pineville; three grandchildren, Lori Lynn, Jacob and Sarah White of Pineville; two sisters, Jean Anne Edmiaston of Snyder and Helen Hoffer of San Antonio; and one brother, John Craig Carrell of Akron, Ohio.

Jerry Anderson

1949-1993

AMARILLO — Graveside services were held at 10 a.m. today in the Llano Cemetery for Jerry Don Anderson, 43, who died Tuesday. Officiating was the Rev. Bill Wright, pastor of St. Paul United Methodist Church.

Born in Pampa, Mr. Anderson had lived in Amarillo since 1968. He was a Marine Corps veteran of the Vietnam War and in 1967 was wounded in action. He was awarded the Purple Heart and the Bronze Star with the Combat "V."

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Ameritech	74	73 5/8	73 5/8	-3/8
Amoco	56 1/8	55 1/2	55 7/8	+5/8
AndarkPtr	39	38 3/8	38 7/8	-1/2
Arkla	10 1/8	10	10	-1/4
ArmcoInc	7 3/8	7 1/8	7 3/8	+1/8
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Chrysler	42 3/4	42 1/2	42 5/8	-3/8
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Medtronic	69 1/4	68	68	—1
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Xerox Cp	76 1/4	75 3/4	75 3/4	-3/4
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Senate passes school funding plan

AUSTIN (AP) — With a deadline looming to reform school finance, Gov. Ann Richards wants to talk directly to Texans in a live broadcast tonight.

"The future of Texas' children is at stake. We don't have time for partisan games and political posturing," Richards said Wednesday. "We must meet this court order or face the eventual closing of our schools."

Lawmakers have a June 1 court deadline to pass a plan to even out funding available to school districts of differing property wealth, or face an order cutting off state education aid.

School districts rely on state aid and local property taxes. Property wealth differences historically have resulted in large funding disparities.

"We have two and a half weeks to meet the court order," Richards said. "I want the people of Texas to understand how serious the situation is."

In the effort to meet the deadline, the Texas Senate on Wednesday approved a plan that would shift $40 billion in business property from the tax rolls of the state's richest school districts to its poorest.

"We have taken the biggest step that the state of Texas has ever taken to try to give them (poor school districts) the same access to funds that other school districts in Texas have," said Senate Education Committee Chairman Bill Ratliff, R-Mount Pleasant, after his measure was approved 27-4.

The bill, which affects a portion of the $600 billion in statewide property wealth, was sent to the House. A [illegible] consolidation proposal has been developed in the House, but leaders there postponed that measure while awaiting the Senate bill.

Four GOP senators voted against Ratliff's measure Wednesday: Jane Nelson of Flower Mound, J.E. "Buster" Brown of Lake Jackson, Don Henderson of Houston and John Leedom of Dallas.

"I think you are going to have some angry business people, and not just business people, but communities who have worked so hard in the area of economic development to attract those businesses to those areas," Ms. Nelson said.

Some of the business community had been "nervous" about his proposal, Ratliff said. But he said he had met with leading business organizations and believed he had allayed most of their fears.

Ratliff said his plan would get the state out of its court battle over school funding. He said 99.6 percent of Texas' 3.4 million students would be in an equalized system under his bill.

Cars, school bus hit by air gun fire

HOUSTON (AP) — Police say they are investigating a rash of shootings, including one unconfirmed report today, in which at least one motorist has been injured along a busy 15-mile strip of Interstate 10.

A school bus window was shot out by someone wielding a small-caliber gun Wednesday in one of the attacks on I-10 drivers, police spokesman Robert Hurst said. No students were aboard the bus.

Only one person had been injured in perhaps 10 to 12 shootings, and authorities were unsure how many of the attacks are related.

Police said they received one unconfirmed report today that a man's car window was shot out during the morning rush hour.

Nancy Zakrewski on May 4 became the first apparent target and the only person wounded in the attacks. She was shot as she drove east on an access road along the freeway in bumper-to-bumper traffic.

"I had my window half way open and something hit me in the head, and it burned very severely for a moment," Ms. Zakrewski said. "I sat there a moment, and I felt my head, and it was all wet, and I looked in the mirror, and there was blood running down my face."

A doctor told her she had a BB lodged beneath her scalp.

Police received four reports of sniping Monday night and at least 15 calls Tuesday night, Hurst said.

"We're going to have to do some investigation to see if those are similar incidents. It's hard to determine," he said.

Police have increased patrols and continued their search for the shooter. A $1,000 reward for information was offered.

Some victims have given sketchy reports of seeing two men in a red Chevrolet pickup truck, a 1990 model or newer, Hurst said.

The shooter has targeted moving vehicles usually on the inbound lanes of I-10, also called the Katy Freeway, from the Interstate 610, Houston's West Loop, to beyond Texas Highway 6.

Until Wednesday, the attacks usually occurred between 5 p.m. and 8 p.m. and targeted utility vehicles such as Ford Explorers and Chevrolet Suburbans, Hurst said.

No pass, no play vote

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full six weeks.

"No pass, no play in its present form does not promote success for students," Stiles said. "All I'm asking for today is a modification so if a child is passing, they can participate."

Baugh agreed.

"It has to be approved by the principal and I think that's good because he's responsible for academics on that campus. Understand, this doesn't do away with no-pass, no-play, it just fine tunes it a little, in my opinion, to make it better."

"Many of the important values of life are taught in extracurricular activities. With the breakdown of the family in Texas, one of the few places left that kids have the opportunity to learn important values — the reward for hard work, the reward for sacrifice, the reward for discipline — are extracurricular activities," said Rep. Steve Ogden, R-College Station.

The overall bill would allow schools to exceed required 22-to-1 student-teacher ratios in the lower grades under some circumstances, shorten the school year and make other changes in state-ordered public education requirements.

"The purpose of the bill is to make the life of teachers simpler ... and eliminate many mandates that school boards don't need to make their life easier," said Rep. Bernard Erickson, R-Cleburne.

One provision would shorten the minimum school year from 180 days to 175. The additional five days could be used either for staff development or additional instructional time.

Officers kept busy Wednesday

Snyder police worked a burglary and an assault case Wednesday.

Police were notified at 9:27 a.m. of a break-in at Snyder Boys Club. Taken was an undetermined amount of currency. A report for burglary of a building has been filed.

Police were called to the 400 Block of 32nd Street at 10:55 p.m.. An 18-year-old male was taken to Cogdell Memorial Hospital emergency room by Snyder EMS where he was treated for multiple abrasions and admitted for 23-hour observation. He has filed Class A assault charges.

Officers arrested a 16-year-old male for public intoxication at the scene. The juvenile was transported to the police department, where, according to police, he became aggressive and was filed on for aggravated assault on a peace officer. The youth was transported to the Lubbock juvenile detention facility.

At 10:12 a.m. Wednesday, police transported a 19-year-old male from Municipal Court to the county jail to lay out fines for public intoxication.

Employees at Lawrence IGA notified officers at 1:05 p.m. that they had a shoplifter in custody. An offense report for Class C theft was filed and a citation was issued to an 18-year-old female for shoplifting.

Furr's employees reported a shoplifter in custody at 1:38 p.m. No charges have been filed against the suspect, who has been asked not to return to the business.

At 8:44 p.m., a man came to the police department to notify officers that he had been threatened. A report for Class C assault, threats, was filed.

At 12:10 a.m. today, police received a 911 call about a possible overdose victim in the 3700 block of Noble Drive. The person was taken to Cogdell Hospital by private vehicle. Police contacted MHMR representatives and filed a report for attempted overdose.

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one-act play during her years in high school. She also participated in the WTC Social Science Contest for two years.

Gannaway is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gannaway.

Gannaway has been class president the past two years and class parliamentarian as a senior. She has been listed in "Who's Who Among American High School Students" for three years and is an active member of FHA.

She received the Hardin-Simmons University top five award and was honored in the KTAB Senior Salute.

She is assistant editor of the annual and participated in baseball, basketball, the drill team and was a cheerleader her junior and senior years. She was honorable mention in basketball and participated in the Six-Man All-Star Basketball Game as a senior.

She has participated in numerous UIL academic events as well as one-act play.

She also participated in the WTC Social Science Contest and has been a consistant honor roll student.

She has a GPA of 90.34.

Smith has made the A-B honor roll the past two years, is the senior class favorite, a member of the Beta Club and was a homecoming nominee. He has a GPA of 89.41.

He participated in football for four years and baseball as a senior. He is on the annual staff and participated in UIL academic events. He also placed in the WTC Social Science Contest and is a former FFA member.

Smith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Smith.

All three students have served as teacher's aides.

Colon-cancer test could save 20,000 lives every year

BOSTON (AP) — Wide use of a $5 screening test could save about 20,000 lives a year by finding colon cancer before it has a chance to spread, researchers reported today.

The simple exam, called the fecal blood test, is already a routine part of physical exams, and the American Cancer Society recommends it be performed annually on everyone over age 50.

Despite its wide use, today's study is the first to show that it actually saves lives. The report found that getting the test annually lowers the risk of dying from colon cancer by one-third.

The study, performed at the University of Minnesota, is the second recent finding in colon cancer, the nation's No. 2 cancer killer. Last week, another team reported the discovery of a flawed gene that is believed to cause about one in seven of all cases.

"We are the first study to have a conclusive result to show that the test is effective for reducing mortality," said Dr. Jack S. Mandel, who directed the latest study, published in the New England Journal of Medicine.

However, the findings are controversial. At issue is the test's accuracy in diagnosing colon cancer. Ominous results almost always turn out to be false alarms.

Overall, 10 percent of those tested are found to have blood in their stool, a possible sign of colon cancer. Fewer than three in 100 actually have colon cancer. Yet the 97 others must undergo costly, unpleasant follow-up tests to prove they are cancer-free.

Because of the high cost of the follow-up tests, mass screening of older Americans could cost more than $3 billion a year, according to one estimate.

Traffic problem at West Elementary

A traffic problem being created along the south side of West Elementary has police asking that parents not block the flow of vehicles.

"We're asking for voluntary compliance, that parents not load and unload their children in the west bound lane of 37th Street on the south side of West Elementary," said Police Lt. Steve Warren.

Warren said some parents are loading and unloading their students in the traffic lane, and causing traffic to be backed up.

He said vehicles unloading and loading children should not stop directly beside the school but may continue further west and find a traffic lane alongside the playground area.

"We've got some people dropping off and picking up kids in the traffic lane, and we're concerned that some youngster may get hurt," said Warren.

Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS: Joseph Burleson, HC 72 Box 83, Ira.

DISMISSALS: Maria Torres, James Wilson.

Census: 58 (Med.-16, Long-Term Care-38, OB-2, Nursery-2).

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Convicted cop killer put to death Wednesday

HUNTSVILLE, Texas (AP) — Last minute evidence that delayed the execution of police killer Leonel Herrera was based on faulty polygraph tests, the Texas Department of Public Safety says.

In a letter to Gov. Ann Richards, released Wednesday, the DPS found that the questions posed by Herrera's attorneys frequently violated polygraph standards.

"Based on the above findings I would recommend that no weight or credibility be given the results of any of these examinations," wrote DPS Capt. William J. Taylor in his letter to Richards.

Herrera, 45, received lethal injection early Wednesday after the four-hour delay. Defense attorneys unsuccessfully tried to use the polygraph tests to convince the federal courts Herrera was innocent. The state contended the tests were flawed and inaccurate.

State attorneys said they were certain Leonel Herrera deserved to be executed Wednesday and dismissed claims by Herrera and his attorneys that he was innocent of killing a South Texas police officer nearly 12 years ago.

"The evidence of his guilt is truly overwhelming," Charles Palmer, an assistant attorney general, said after Herrera's execution took place. "Rarely will one see evidence of guilt as staggering as this case."

Herrera's attorneys presented polygraph tests, not normally allowed as evidence in state and federal courts, from relatives who insisted his brother, Raul, was the man who shot Los Fresnos rookie police officer Enrique Carrisalez during a traffic stop.

The polygraph test also blamed Raul Herrera for killing a state trooper, David Rucker, moments earlier on Sept. 29, 1981. Raul Herrera was gunned down in 1984.

"What's important to note is that this case has been litigated over 12 years in the state and federal judiciary," Palmer said. "Every court that has reviewed his claims has found them to be without merit."

Herrera, characterized by authorities as an enforcer in the Rio Grande Valley illegal drug trade, maintained his innocence even as he was strapped to the death chamber gurney.

"I am innocent, innocent, innocent," he said in a last statement.

"And make no mistake about this. I owe society nothing. I would like to encourage all those who stood by me to continue the struggle for human rights and continue to help those who are innocent, especially Mr. Graham," he said, referring to fellow death row inmate Gary Graham, who is facing execution next month and also is claiming innocence.

"I am an innocent man," Herrera continued. "And something very wrong is taking place tonight."

He was pronounced dead at 4:49 a.m., 10 minutes after the lethal drugs began flowing into his arms.

Prison officials had until sunrise, 6:31 a.m., to carry out the execution.

The legal tussle was similar to one in February 1992, when Herrera's attorneys argued through the night before a reprieve finally was granted just before the death warrant expired at dawn.

His supporters continued to assert his innocence after the execution, saying Herrera was a victim of a system that treats minorities and the poor unfairly and does not provide a way to present new evidence in cases long after a person is convicted.

"We are outraged that this execution took place on last night," the Rev. Jew Don Boney said at a press conference in Houston. "There was no need and no justification for the murder of Leonel Herrera. But there was and still is substantial evidence of his innocence."

"We're more outraged about the fact that there is no process and no procedure, that all the way up until the very last minute, there was no court, no clemency process that would provide a fair, full and impartial hearing of all the new evidence," Boney said.

Wednesday's execution night delay was the longest ever in Texas before the punishment was carried out, a span of 58 executions over more than 10 years.

Outside the prison near midnight, about four dozen death penalty opponents chanted and held candles and signs protesting the execution. Their numbers dwindled to about 20 as the night wore on.

Demonstrators, however, for the first time brought in a huge searchlight that scanned the skies. One of them, Mike Heath, said the light was intended to "search for justice."

Dear Abby

New Volleys Are Fired In Battle Over Smoking

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: That letter from 60-year-old "Al" in Sacramento, who boasted that he is in excellent health despite his regular diet of ham and eggs fried in butter, and plenty of alcohol and cigarettes, could gravely mislead some of the unthinking. Assuming that Al is as healthy as he thinks he is, no one should believe that nicotine, alcohol and fried foods are harmless.

I am a 65-year-old male who has never smoked. I do not drink, and I avoid foods that are high in cholesterol. I've been running five miles a day for 35 years, and have no particular health problems. I am retiring this year, but I could die tomorrow from a stroke or heart attack. Who can say for sure what all the contributing factors in a person's life will add up to?

I hope "Al" continues to enjoy excellent health for years to come, although, considering his lifestyle and diet, I wouldn't bet on it. Ask "Al" to write to you again in five years, when he's my age — if he's still alive.

BEN. B. IN PORTLAND, ORE.

DEAR BEN: I'll put this in my follow-up file for 1998, and let you know how "Al" is doing — if he's still alive.

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DEAR ABBY: I am a smoker. It's not something I'm proud of, and yes, I am aware of the damage I may be doing to my health. I also live with the guilt of possibly hurting others with my secondhand smoke.

I am an intelligent person, but I'm also a tobacco addict. My addiction was once socially acceptable, but that's no longer the case. However, I don't cheat on my taxes, shoplift, practice unsafe sex, drive under the influence, or knock over little old ladies for a seat on the subway. I've never been in jail, or killed anyone either.

Abby, most smokers are caught in a bind — we know smoking is not good for us, but it's a very difficult habit to overcome. All we ask is a little understanding, not an across-the-board condemnation for being weak-willed and self-destructive.

CHRIS IN RIVERDALE, N.Y.

DEAR CHRIS: Thanks, I needed that. We non-smokers should keep reminding ourselves that nicotine addiction in some ways is more difficult to overcome than a cocaine habit.

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DEAR ABBY: I just read the letter from the man who says he's glad he smokes. He sounds just like my dad. He always insisted that he didn't inhale, so it didn't matter.

He is now 84, and has had chronic emphysema for the past 10 years. I don't know how many times we've had to rush him to the hospital because of his lung problems. He now sits in his chair with the oxygen machine running 16 hours a day.

It's no wonder people are proposing taxing cigarettes at $2 a pack; Medicare has to pick up the tab for millions of people like my beloved dad.

I'm signing my name, but please don't use it; I don't want to embarrass my father.

HIS DAUGHTER,
GLENDALE, ORE.

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Astrograph

By Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

May 14, 1993

In the year ahead, you might become involved in a self-improvement program that could completely revise your attitude and philosophy in new and advantageous ways.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Your wit and humor are quite keen today when it comes to poking fun at others, but not if you're the butt of the joke. Be prepared to get what you give out. Get a jump on life by understanding the influences which are governing you in the year ahead. Send for Taurus' Astro-Graph predictions today by mailing $1.25 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 4465, New York, NY 10163. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) This might not be a good day to try to negotiate a complicated arrangement. There's a chance that everyone may not put all their cards on the table, including you.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) You are likely to be in a sociable mood today, but in order to maintain your high spirits, you'll have to avoid domineering friends. Seek less-serious companions.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) There is a very thin line today between assertiveness and aggressiveness, which might be difficult for you to discern. If you focus on the latter, your efforts will be counterproductive.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Something you might propose today could still need further study to iron out the kinks. You might have to deal with a person who has a similar problem, and neither is apt to give ground.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) A business matter could offer you both possibilities and problems today. It must be evaluated logically, not emotionally, in order to accurately assess its worth and frailties.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Important agreements must be spelled out in detail today, or else both you and the other party may later assume something which was not intended.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) In order to receive proper remuneration for your productivity today, you must be careful not to put yourself in the position where you will be poorly compensated for your hard work.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You will be a welcome addition to a social gathering today, provided you don't compete with others in trying to monopolize the spotlight. Let everyone have a little stage time.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) This is one of those days when you might fail to finish what you start if the going gets a bit tough. Unfortunately, this may occur in a matter of considerable importance.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) If you pretend to be knowledgeable today about a certain subject which, in reality, you know little or nothing about, your ploy will be quickly discovered. It could cause you embarrassment.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) If anyone helps you in a special way that in turn leads to personal gain, strive to repay the favor, or at least make a commitment to share with this person later in some manner.

DATE BOOK

May 13, 1993

Today is the 133rd day of 1993 and the 55th day of spring.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1907, legislation establishing universal suffrage was passed in Sweden.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Maria Theresa (1717-1780), monarch; Sir Arthur Sullivan (1842-1900), composer-conductor; Georges Braque (1882-1963), painter-sculptor; Daphne Du Maurier (1907-1989), novelist; Joe Louis (1914-1981), boxing legend; Beatrice Arthur (1936-), actress, is 57; Stevie Wonder (1950-), singer-composer, is 43.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1983, Reggie Jackson became the first player to strike out 2,000 times in his career.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "Every man's got to figure to get beat sometime." — Joe Louis

TODAY'S WEATHER: On this day in 1986, lightning hit the two-way radio antenna of a Kentucky state trooper's car as he was on patrol near Carrollton.

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TODAY'S MOON: Last quarter.

TODAY'S BARB BY PHIL PASTORET

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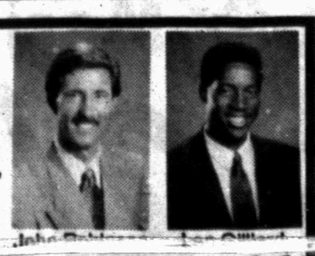

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For first time in nine years, Russia has used veto power

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — A funny thing happened in the U.N. Security Council the other day: a Russian hand was raised to cast a veto.

Had the council's 15 diplomats been flung back a few years by a time machine? Were we now back in the Cold War era, when the superpowers routinely traded "no" votes.

The consensus among diplomats was that those days of confrontation were over, that Tuesday's veto by Russia was an aberration, a minor bump on the road to the new world order.

Russia's "no" vote, its first in nine years, came on a resolution that would have spread the cost of the U.N. peacekeeping force in Cyprus among all U.N. members.

Russia's stated reason was a preference for maintaining the practice of voluntary contributions, whereby the countries providing the peacekeepers foot the $47 million bill.

And its ambassador went out of his way to say he had no intention of reviving the veto.

"This was a one-time veto and not a precedent for other peacekeeping issues," Ambassador Yuli Vorontsov told reporters on Tuesday after the vote.

Russia's Foreign Ministry spokesman was also doing damage control.

Sergei Yastrzhembsky told a briefing Wednesday in Moscow, "No political strings were attached to this move, which was motivated by financial considerations only."

Despite the low price tag of the Cyprus operation for Russia — $1.9 million — Yastrzhembsky said Russia was merely exercising fiscal responsibility.

He noted that Russia has had to defer debt payments and review the terms of credits granted for the purchase of foreign grain. He also cited Russia's costs for domestic peacekeeping in Moldova, Tajikistan and Georgia.

Russia, like the United States, has had trouble paying its U.N. peacekeeping bill. At the end of April, Russia's arrears amounted to $396 million. U.S. arrears for peacekeeping totaled $520 million.

Since Mikhail Gorbachev began cooperating with the West in the mid-1980s, the Soviet Union and its U.N. member successor, Russia, have tried to reach a consensus in the Security Council.

That way, the council avoids vetoes by its five permanent members — Russia, the United States, China, Britain and France.

Problems are generally ironed out before resolutions are put to a vote, and if any of the five permanent members has reservations, it generally abstains rather than casts a veto.

REVIEW MAPS — Students at Stanfield Elementary explored the stars inside a portable planetarium, an inflated polyvinyl dome, from the Science Spectrum in Lubbock. Following the 30-minute program by presenter Terri Byrne, Chas Stroud, Zachry Starnes and John David Chandler, from left, located constellations on their maps. (SDN Staff Photo)

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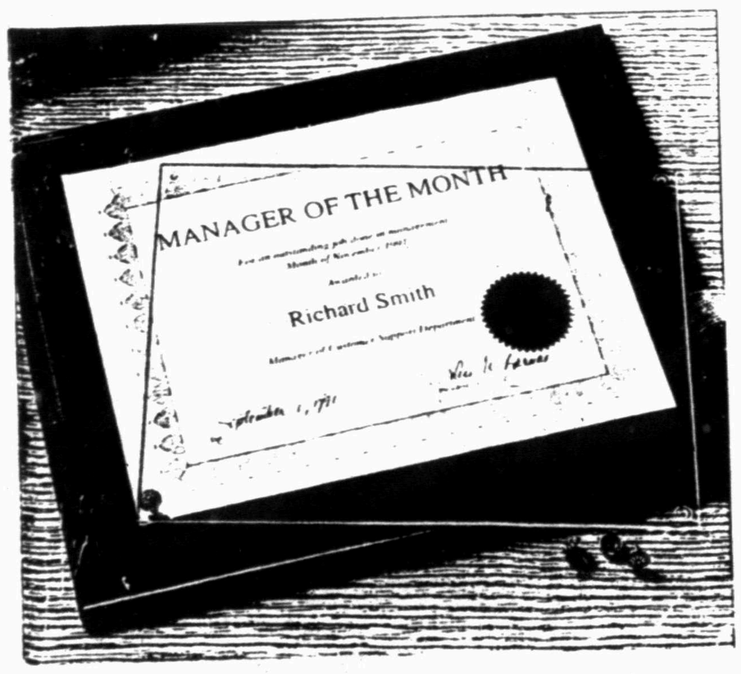

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