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Ask Us

Q—We have read that a number of school districts are going to or considering year-round schools on a single-track or multi-track system. What are "single-track" and "multi-track" systems?

A—In a single-track system, all students observe the same school calendar. In a multi-track system, groups of students are on staggered calendars.

In Brief

Clinton gains

WASHINGTON (AP) — Bill Clinton is in a statistical dead heat with President Bush, and both are ahead of Ross Perot, according to a new nationwide poll of likely voters.

The New York Times-CBS News poll, published in today's editions of the Times, shows Clinton trailing Bush by 3 percentage points, 33 percent to 30 percent, with undeclared candidate Perot coming in at 25 percent.

The findings were consistent other recent polls indicating a tight three-way race.

Local

Chamber

The Snyder Chamber of Commerce board was to meet at 4 p.m. today in the chamber board room.

Water off

Hermleigh residents are advised that their water will be shut off at 8 a.m. Tuesday. Crews replacing water lines will turn off the water to hook in to the main line. The water will be turned back on as soon as possible.

Crusade

The Scurry County Encounter Crusade will continue nightly through Thursday at 7:30 at Scurry County Coliseum. Rudy Hernandez is evangelist for the crusade, with music led by Fritz and Shirley Smith.

A Children's Bible Club for grades one through six begins at 7:15 each night at East Elementary.

Testing

The Texas Assessment of Academic Skills and Texas Educational Assessment of Minimum Skills tests will be given Tuesday through Thursday in the high school cafeteria.

Those taking either the TAAS or TEAMS test should arrive at the cafeteria by 8:30 a.m. with a letter of admission and a photo identification.

Testing will begin at 9 a.m.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Saturday 92 degrees; low, 72 degrees; high Sunday, 93 degrees; low 70 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Monday, 70 degrees; trace of precipitation; total precipitation for 1992 to date, 18.37 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, partly cloudy. Low in the lower 70s. Southeast wind 5-15 mph. Tuesday, partly cloudy. High in the mid 90s. Southeast to south wind 10-20 mph.

Almanac: Sunset today, 8:51. Sunrise Tuesday, 6:49. Of 194 days in 1992, the sun has shone 174 days in Snyder.

SUNDAY DRIVE — Four-year-old Nikki Howell and her dog, Snuggles, strap on their seatbelts and get ready for a ride around the driveway Sunday afternoon in Nikki's battery-powered Jeep. (SDN Staff Photo)

Local man drowns at Lake Champion

COLORADO CITY — A 28-year-old Snyder man drowned Sunday afternoon in a boating accident at Lake Champion in Mitchell County.

Pronounced dead at the scene by Peace Justice Keith Ruddick was Santos Ortiz, an eight-year employee of Snyder Co-op Gin.

Mitchell County sheriff's department received a call about 5:20 p.m. Saturday from the residence of Ortiz' brother-in-law, Roland Elrod, at Lake Champion.

Authories said Ortiz was working on a cable-driven boat ramp. Ortiz was at the end of the ramp when the cable apparently broke, causing the trailer to slide down the ramp and knock him into the water.

The victim was found about 55 minutes later. The mishap remains under investigation and an autopsy was ordered.

Services for Ortiz have been set for 3:30 p.m. Wednesday at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church. Burial will follow in the Hillside Memorial Gardens.

Rosary for Mr. Ortiz will be held at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at Bell-Cypert-Seale Chapel.

Born July 8, 1964 in Rotan, Mr. Ortiz had moved to Snyder from Rotan in 1986. He was the recorder for the Knights of Columbus chapter in Snyder and was also secretary of the Family Society.

Survivors include his wife, Kathleen Ortiz; his mother, Mrs. Manuel Ortiz of Rotan; three brothers, Manuel Ortiz of Rotan, Lupe Ortiz of Rotan and Martin Ortiz of Abilene; four sisters, Jessie Guzman of Snyder, Juanita Munoz of Rotan, Trina McGough of Rotan and Maria Mize of Colorado City.

Snyder man hurt in one-car mishap

A 19-year-old Snyder man is in stable condition at University Medical Center in Lubbock following a one-vehicle accident north of Snyder Sunday morning.

Pedro Gonzales of 805 28th Street was taken to Cogdell Memorial Hospital by Snyder EMS at 7:50 a.m. Sunday, where he was treated for fractures to the left ankle and foot, a fracture to the right leg and multiple contusions and abrasions. He was later transported to Lubbock UMC by ambulance.

According to Department of Public Safety reports, the 1991 Pontiac driven by Gonzales was traveling north on County Road 137, two miles north of Huffman. The vehicle came to a dead end at the intersection of County Road 137 and 148, crashed through a marker post and came to rest on its right side.

Snyder EMS and fire department personnel worked for over an hour to free Gonzales from the vehicle.

The cause of the accident is still under investigation.

Abilene DPS reported a one-vehicle accident two miles south of Hermleigh on U.S. Highway 84 at 3:30 p.m. Sunday.

According to reports, a south bound late-model Ford sedan driven by 28-year-old Ruby Ann Garza of Dallas went out of control and overturned in a field.

Garza and three passengers in the vehicle, seven-year-old Christopher Garza, eight-year-old David Garza and 16-year-old Angel Chavez of Levelland, were uninjured in the accident. All four were wearing safety belts.

DPS troopers attribute the accident to rain-slick roads.

WTC trustees to consider $6.1 million '92-93 budget

Western Texas College trustees will consider a $6.1 million budget for 1992-93 during their July workshop, scheduled for 5:45 this evening in the administration building.

The board will also consider hiring a special populations coordinator, the appointment of a member to the Scholarship Foundation Board, and the resignation of men's basketball coach Kelly Green.

The 1992-93 budget expected to be approved by trustees contains no funds for a men's basketball program. By a 4-3 vote on June 22, the board directed administrators to take the $100,000 earmarked for the program and put it into other areas.

Dr. Harry Krenek, college president, said some travel expense funds which had been cut out of the budget were restored. He said the budget includes in excess of $100,000 in contingency funds.

Green's announcement last month that he would be leaving the college was a contributing factor in the board's decision to cancel the program for next year. Some trustees felt that with such a late recruiting start a new coach would not be able to field a competitive team.

Krenek pointed out that by keeping funds in contingency, the college would be in a position to revive the men's basketball program next year if trustees choose to.

The 1992 budget also includes about $24,000 in merit raises, the president said.

The budget revenue includes $1,871,380 in taxes based on an advalorem tax rate of 22.76 cents per $100 valuation. The tax rate is the same as the effective tax rate for 1992-93.

In other business this evening, trustees will seek to adopt a student guarantee policy, assuring students that courses will be accepted by another college or university for transfer. If the four-year school rejects the course, the student may take tuition-free alternative courses at WTC which are acceptable to the school.

Also, the board will consider the naming of a campus street in order to better facilitate mail delivery and will study bids for plumbing repair.

During information and discussion, the board will hear a report on summer enrollment and review funding for the GED program.

Tonight...

Barrel racing opens week of rodeo events

West Texas Barrel Racing Association open racing gets a week of rodeo underway this evening at the Scurry County Rodeo Association Arena.

Tuesday is the only "day off" for rodeo goers, who can enjoy barrel racing tonight, a stockholder's roping Wednesday and 57th Annual Scurry County Rodeo action nightly Thursday through Saturday. The arena is located west of Snyder on Gary Brewer Road.

This evening's barrel racing begins at 6:30 and will feature all barrel racing classes.

The stockholder's roping begins at 6 p.m. Wednesday There is no admission charge for the barrel racing or roping. Concessions will be available at all events.

The traditional Scurry County Rodeo parade will take place at 4 p.m. Thursday. The parade will form at Avenue Z and 26th Street and will circle the square, then go south on College Avenue to 30th Street.

Rodeo performances will begin at 8 o'clock each evening, Thursday through Saturday. Advance rodeo tickets are $4 and are available at Bar-H-Bar Western Wear. Children under 12 are free. Box seats are $50 and $75.

Featured rodeo events will be bareback and saddle bronc riding, bull riding, calf roping, team roping, barrel racing and breakaway roping. Special events will include a calf scramble for children 12 and under, the 7-and-under mutton bustin' and the merchants' steer saddling.

A dance, featuring Jody Nix and the Texas Playboys, will begin each night following the rodeo.

Organizers note that barrel racing books will open at 5:30 today. For more information, contact Jenny Voss at 573-5441 or 573-4865.

Wednesday's stockholders' event gets underway with calf roping. Team roping will follow. Books for the roping are currently open at Scurry Ag Center.

Rodeo books are open from 9 a.m to 5 p.m. today and Tuesday. Entrants may register by calling 573-8952.

Convention opens...

Democrats hope unified stand will push Clinton to the front

NEW YORK (AP) — Democrats open Bill Clinton's crowning convention tonight minus their traditional internal warfare, hoping a unified front propels the Arkansas governor to a summer lead in this year's confounding three-way presidential race.

After a turbulent, triumphant primary season and weeks of build-dup, Clinton's moment is at hand: Some 4,288 delegates will crowd Madison Square Garden beginning tonight for a four-day parley that will send him off to battle President Bush and Ross Perot.

For a party known best for its bitter feuds, all was remarkably calm.

Clinton's choice of Tennessee Sen. Al Gore as his running mate was panned by some liberals, but for the most part was cheered for its moderate, generational message. Jesse Jackson's endorsement was tepid, but delivered.

Jerry Brown was the sole Clinton primary rival withholding his backing. and Clinton held out hope the former California governor would join the fold.

Brown said today the party should not worry about "a verbal fig leaf of endorsement from me" but should instead show more concern for ordinary people and "the 4 million Americans who voted for me" in the primaries, lest they defect to Bush or Perot.

Asked on ABC's "Good Morning America" whether he would endorse Clinton this week, he said merely that he had talked with Clinton, had felt a positive reaction and "I'm hopeful, this week, next week, sometime in the next couple of months we'll be on the same track here."

Gore, on NBC's "Today" program, declared the party more unified than it has been in years and said he expected Brown to support the ticket.

"We have a winner," party chairman Ronald Brown said Sunday, a day before he was to bring down the gavel to open the festivities. "That winner is Bill Clinton. We need to get behind him and support him."

Clinton was practically out of sight on convention eve, attending church before returning to his hotel to work on his acceptance speech for Thursday. Today, he planned more speech work plus a morning visit to a century-old program that provides health care and other services to the poor.

Tax appeals set during 2-day period

Scurry County Appraisal District Review Board will hear and determine taxpayer and taxing unit appeals Tuesday and Wednesday.

Those filing protests must have already done so. Scurry County Appraisal District received 51 oil protests and 24 real estate protests. According to the district office, most have already been resolved.

The review board will convene at 8:30 a.m. both days in the county appraisal district offices, 2612 College Ave. The board will be in session until all tax appraisals have been equalized and approved and all timely filed appeals are heard and resolved.

The board will also examine and equalize the appraisal records of the chief appraiser.

Perot wants debate on economics

NEW YORK (AP) — Ross Perot's campaign chairman said today the undeclared presidential candidate is putting the finishing touches on his economic blueprint and wants a debate with his rivals on the issue once he is through.

Republican adviser Charles Black said President Bush was "itching" for a debate but would not schedule one for the time being. Bill Clinton's campaign manager, Mickey Kantor, suggested finalizing a debate schedule on the spot as the three advisers appeared on CBS' "This Morning."

Perot campaign Chairman Tom Luce said, "the critical issue in the presidential campaign is our economic future."

Luce said it was impossible to forecast "the day or the hour" when the Perot would unveil his economic plan but indicated that this would not be the appropriate week.

"This is the week when I think eyes are focused on New York," he said. "I think this is Bill Clinton's week and it should be."

Convention role puts Richards in spotlight

NEW YORK (AP) — Texas Gov. Ann Richards, catapulted to national prominence at the 1988 Democratic National Convention, remains a media favorite four years later.

Since arriving in New York on Friday for this year's national convention, Richards has been dogged about any possible presidential ambitions she may harbor.

As she has for months, Richards told reporters Sunday that she has every intention of running for reelection in 1994.

"I love my job," she said. "I've got a lot of work in Texas to do and that is a preoccupation with me above and beyond any politics that you could name."

Richards, who is a recovering alcoholic and follows a 12-step program, also told reporters she doesn't focus on an election that's four years away.

"I live a philosophy of one day at a time. I do it for a lot of reasons," she said. "I do it because it keeps me sane and it keeps me sober."

What about the vice presidency?

Richards, whose name was mentioned as being on Democratic nominee Bill Clinton's list, said she didn't consider herself a "viable candidate."

"It was nothing more than media hype," she said. "I can't just make it any more complicated or uncomplicated."

Republicans may not be her party of choice, but Ann Richards likes the money they will be bringing to Houston next month during the Republican National Convention.

Richards, appearing on CNN's "Both Sides With Jesse Jackson" program, expressed amazement when New York Mayor David Dinkins said the Democratic National Convention now in progress could mean up to $500 million for his city.

"Is that right? I didn't know Democrats had that much money," she told Dinkins during the taping Saturday.

Asked by Jackson who would have more fun, Richards replied: "It depends on who spends the most money."

And, she added, "I hope they have a real good time and I hope we (in Texas) can look good on TV."

Minister arrested on Texas theft charge

CEDAR CITY, Utah (AP) — A man who was hired three weeks ago as minister of a small southern Utah Baptist congregation has been arrested for felony theft.

John West was arrested Thursday on a warrant issued out of Fort Worth. He was released on $50,000 bail.

"Someone in the church put the bail up," said Iron County Sheriff Ira Schoppman. "He says he hasn't done anything wrong."

But members of the congregation in Sansom Park, near Fort Worth, don't agree. They said West took off with church property and money when he left the area.

But West told a Salt Lake City television station the Texas congregation had disbanded. He said he kept a record of everything he sold to pay bills for the church and would show that to authorities.

Ben Davidson, a trustee of the First Baptist Church in Cedar City, said the incident is just a misunderstanding. News of the arrest caught the 80-member congregation off guard.

"As I understand it, who ever is making such a big deal out of it doesn't have a clue," Davidson said.

West could not be reached for comment. Davidson said his telephone has not been hooked up yet and a phone message left at the church was not returned.

On Sunday, members of the congregation in Sansom Park held the first service in their church since West left. They told a local television reporter they want "the darkest event in the church's 40-year history behind them."

Davidson said he was told the congregation hadn't disbanded, but several members had left.

"It's typical in an area like that. People get upset over something and they just pick another church three blocks down the road and go there," he said.

West will have to answer to the theft charges in Tarrant County,

Toyota to purchase parts from Chrysler

TOKYO (AP) — Toyota Motor Corp. confirmed today it is planning to buy auto parts from Chrysler Corp. of the United States as part of its efforts to boost foreign purchases.

Toyota spokeswoman Junko Yamamoto said the purchase, if completed, would be Toyota's first purchase of auto parts from Chrysler. She said Toyota was also talking with Ford Motor Co. about buying auto parts, but she refused to give specifics.

Yamamoto said the company plans to use a charcoal cannister produced by Acustar Inc. and is currently conducting tests on the part. Acustar is a Chrysler division based in Troy, Mich.

She said the part would be used in Toyota Camrys made in the United States and in a similar model produced in Japan.

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Dear Abby

Irritated Readers Unleash Pet Language Peeves

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR READERS: I recently wrote a column on the misuse of words, grammatical goofs and assorted speech irritants, and invited my readers to send me their pet peeves concerning same. Well, here's Collection No. 2:

The most annoying speech irritant is still all those "you knows?" and a close second is beginning every sentence with "basically." People who say, "I could care less" mean to convey that they care so little they could *not* care less — which is what they should have said in the first place.

Most people, even those in the jewelry business, pronounce "jewelry" as "jool-ree" instead of "jool-uh-ree." And many people in the real estate business pronounce "realtor" as "reel-a-tor"; it's "reel-tor," really it is!

If you think "epitome" means the ultimate, the tops or the height of — go stand in the corner. "Epitome" means a person or thing that is typical of, or possesses to a high degree the features of a whole class.

The word "arthritis" is correctly pronounced "arth-right-us" (three syllables); so why do so many people insist on pronouncing it "arthur-ritis"? The same for the word "athlete" — not "ath-a-leet."

My pet peeve is the lawyer or journalist who uses the word "gentleman" as follows: "According to the police report, a masked gentleman knocked the elderly woman to the ground and fled with her purse." (Some "gentleman"!)

The word "nauseous" is often misused, even by well-educated professionals, instead of the word "nauseated." Here's a way to remember the distinction: If you are nauseated, you are sick. If you are nauseous, you make other people sick.

Regardless of what you read in the ads, "Where it's at" is incorrect. "Where it is" is correct. Forget the "at."

Do you know what an asterisk is? Of course you do. It's the little star-like symbol used in print to indicate the omission of letters or words. (It looks like "*.") But why do most people pronounce it "ass-trick"?

The confusion with "lie" and "lay" is still baffling to many. I explained that people lie down and chickens lay eggs. A reader now informs me, "People lay money on the counter, dogs lie by the fire, and magazines are found lying on the table. All last summer, I lay in my hammock and didn't produce a single egg."

Prominent newscasters have said "most unique" and "partially destroyed." "Unique" and "destroyed" are absolute terms and cannot be qualified, any more than "pregnant" or "dead."

Please do not confuse "momento" and "memento." A momento is a unit of time (Spanish: "uno momento"). A memento is a souvenir, a memory.

Finally, the misplaced "only" is a common gaffe. For example, the one-time popular song, "I Only Have Eyes for You" is meant to say, "I have eyes for you only." For a lover to croon, "I only have eyes for you" is to say: "I have no lips, no arms, or anything else — only eyes — for you," which would be a grave disappointment for both of them.

Never say, "It's a true fact." If it's a fact, it's true. Also, forget "old antique." If it's an antique — it's old.

In closing, for heaven's sake — never say, "for heaven's sakes." Some people do, so for heaven's sake, watch your language. And, if you have a pet peeve I haven't mentioned, please send it to me.

* * *

This one's for everybody, from teens to seniors! To purchase Abby's new booklet, "The Anger in All of Us and How to Deal With It," send a business-size, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for $3.95 ($4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, Anger Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054. (Postage is included.)

State urged to enforce access for handicapped

AUSTIN (AP) — Thousands of merchants selling Texas lottery tickets have failed to comply with the part of the law that requires access to the handicapped says the leader of a group called the Coalition of Texans With Disabilities.

Judy Wingard-Westbrook said she doesn't like the lottery. But she feels strongly that the state should enforce a requirement that all stores selling lottery chances be accessible to people with disabilities. Ms. Wingard-Westbrook uses a wheelchair.

"I have a hesitancy about the lottery, but everyone should be able to get into a store to buy a ticket," she said.

She and her colleagues in the coalition — an umbrella organization of 80 advocacy groups for disabled people — have started a public campaign to hold state officials accountable for enforcing the part of the lottery law that ensures access to the mobility impaired.

The lottery, which gives purchasers of a $1 ticket a chance to become millionaires, is regulated by Texas Comptroller John Sharp and is expected to bring $510 million to the state during the current two-year budget period.

To be able to sell the tickets, a retailer is required by state law to comply with the Americans With Disabilities Act of 1990, known as ADA.

The federal law says stores must be equipped with doors, ramps and other facilities that make their goods and services accessible to mobility impaired customers.

Belinda Gilzow-Carlton, executive director of the Coalition of Texans with Disabilities, believes many lottery outlets are not fulfilling the law.

"I think a lot of business owners are ignorant of the requirement of the lottery law," she said. "Others are willfully not obeying the ADA portion of the Texas lottery laws because they feel there will be no penalty."

She said coalition member Edwin Rosario, a Houston consultant on compliance with the disability law, recently inspected 150 of the 2,226 retailers in the Houston area who have licenses to sell lottery tickets.

Only 30 of the 150 were in compliance with the accessibility requirements, Rosario said.

Andy Welch, a spokesman for Sharp, said the comptroller is serious about seeing that lottery vendors comply with the federal law, parts of which took effect in January.

Currently, 16,000 retail lottery vendors in the state are selling tickets under a temporary license. Permanent licenses will be issued after background checks are made of the vendors by the Department of Public Safety.

Bridge

By Phillip Alder

NORTH 7-13-92
♠ K 9 5
♥ 8 6 2
♦ J 9 6 3
♣ A K J

WEST
♠ Q J 10 7 6 4
♥ K 5 4
♦ K
♣ 9 5 3

EAST
♠ 8
♥ Q 7 3
♦ Q 8 7 5
♣ Q 10 7 4 2

SOUTH
♠ A 3 2
♥ A J 10 9
♦ A 10 4 2
♣ 8 6

Vulnerable: Both
Dealer: South

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

*13-15 points

Opening lead: ♠ Q

Playing bridge over the continent

By Phillip Alder

Are you ever at home wishing you could have a game of bridge? Perhaps you need fret no more. Matthew Clegg, a computer expert from La Jolla, Calif., has written a program called Okbridge, which permits four people who live anywhere in the world to play bridge together. All each needs is a computer with a modem and access to Internet, a network that mostly connects universities. Details are available from Clegg at 619-558-3408.

The play is a little slow, but you may fill the gaps by "talking" to the other players.

I "held" the North cards of today's deal in New York. South was Conroy Lee in Boston. The defenders were Clegg, West, in San Diego and Richard Beigel in New Haven, Conn.

West led the spade queen. Declarer won with dummy's king and took an immediate heart finesse, losing to West's king. Back came the spade jack, East discarding a club. Things were looking grim. The club finesse was surely losing, and it might prove impossible to keep West off the lead.

Declarer won trick three with the spade ace, led a club to dummy's king, took a second heart finesse and cashed the heart ace. I imagined his sigh of relief when hearts split 3-3. On the 13th heart, West and dummy threw spades and East a club.

South led a club and finessed dummy's jack, but East won with the queen and returned a diamond. South correctly went up with his ace, dropping the singleton king. (Even if East had underled the K-Q of diamonds, declarer would still have made the contract.) Declarer drove out the diamond queen and claimed 10 tricks.

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Oil Patch News

Scurry County

Anadarko Petroleum Corp. will drill the No. 4-R L.M. Wilson in the Diamond M field, 12 miles southwest of Snyder. Planned for a depth of 3,400 feet, location is in Section 183, Block 97, H&TC survey.

RUWCO Oil and Gas will drill the No. 3 Connie in the Tri-Rue field, 4.5 miles northeast of Ira. Planned depth is 7,000 feet, and location is in Section 171, Block 97, H&TC survey.

Partee Drilling Inc. will drill the No. 1 Cotton, a 3,600-foot wildcat located two miles east of Dunn. Location is in Section 46, Block 3, H&GN survey.

Kent County

The McBee Co. has plugged and abandoned the No. 1 McArthur, a 6,500-foot wildcat located 10.5 miles southwest of Spur. Location was in Section 15, Block B, PSL survey.

Sojourner Drilling Corp. has plugged and abandoned the No. 1-67 J.B. Morrison, a 6,999-foot wildcat located 12 miles northwest of Clairemont. Location was in Section 67, Block 1, H&GN survey.

Garza County

Canyon Exploration Co. will drill the No. 1 Sanders, a 9,300-foot wildcat located seven miles west of Post. Location was in Section 1,308, W.C. Young survey.

Rocker A. Operating Co. will drill the No. 1-B J.C. Dorward in the Dorward field, seven miles southeast of Justiceburg. The reentry project is planned for a depth of 2,200 feet, and drill site is in Section 114, Block 5, H&GN survey.

Western Reserves Oil Co. will drill the No. 1 Tufbow in the Tufbow field, three miles northeast of Justiceburg. Contracted for 7,670 feet, location is in Section 952, Block 97, H&TC survey.

George R. Brown Partnership will drill the No. 59-A Post Estate in the Garza field, 2.5 miles south of Post. Planned for a depth of 3,100 feet, location is in Section 6, Block 5, K. Aycock survey.

Borden County

Nearburg Producing Co. will drill the No. 1-26 Key, an 8,900-foot wildcat located five miles north of Gail. Location is in Section 26, Block 30, T&P survey.

Howard County

Cobra Oil and Gas will drill the No. 1-G Gaskins Double, a 9,100-foot wildcat located four miles north of Knott. Location is in Section 43, Block 33, T3N, T&P survey.

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Renovation committee has funds for 15 rooms at Cogdell Hospital

RENOVATION COMMITTEE — Verline Calley, JoAn Stewart, Suzy Reed, Bob Stewart, Carolyn Greene, and Julie Sentell (standing from left) and seated, Carol Davis and Sue Mize, met recently at Cogdell Memorial Hospital to discuss renovating 15 patient rooms. On the committee, but not pictured are Cynthia Jackson and Durelle Gorman. (SDN Staff Photo)

Carol Davis and Sue Mize, co-chairmen of Cogdell Memorial Hospital Foundation Patient Room Renovation Committee, announced that the Foundation has received funds or pledges to complete the renovation of 15 patient rooms on the third and fourth floors of the hospital. There are 25 patient rooms on each floor.

Members are contacting families who provided funds to furnish the rooms when the wing was completed in 1981, and are encouraging others in the community to participate in this special project.

"The outlook for Cogdell Memorial Hospital is very good, and we see the necessary room renovation as part of an on-going plan. We want to be able to provide not only the best care possible to patients and family members, but to also provide this care in pleasant surroundings," commented Davis.

Patient room renovation total cost is $3,500, which includes new draperies, wall covering, paint, bedspread, reupholstering of existing chairs, and new floor covering. A commemorative plaque will be placed on the patient room door, recognizing the gift.

Additional recognition will be given to contributors in categories of $25 to $99; $100 to $499; $500 to $999; $1,000 tp $3,000. Contributions may be accrued in these categories. Gifts to Cogdell Memorial Hospital Foundation Room Renovation Fund can be made as a direct payment or as a pledge to be paid monthly, quarterly, semi-annually or annually. Many gifts are made as memorials or in honor of loved ones and family members.

All donatons to this fund are promptly acknowledged.

The Cogdell Memorial Hospital Foundation is a non-profit corporation. All donations are tax deductible. For more information, contact Davis or Mize, or any committee member.

Lubbock pathologist is arraigned on new charges

LUBBOCK (AP) — Lubbock pathologist Ralph Erdmann has been arraigned on charges of falsifying the autopsy of a 14-year-old hit-and-run victim.

Erdmann, who was indicted in February by a Hockley County grand jury for falsifying the autopsy of a 41-year-old man, was arrested late Sunday night by Lubbock County Sheriff's deputies and arraigned on new charges in Dickens County by Magistrate David Hazlewood.

Erdmann is charged with tampering with a government record and theft in connection with his autopsy of 14-year-old Jesse Land of Spur.

Erdmann was released from Lubbock County Jail after midnight today after posting $10,000 bond, $5,000 for each count.

"I'm just surprised that all this is happening," the doctor said when Hazlewood asked him if he understood the nature of the charges.

The Associated Press reported Friday that Erdmann had been charged in two sealed indictments returned by a Dickens County grand jury.

Johnny Carson agrees to help network to develop new shows

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Johnny is marching home again.

Johnny Carson has agreed to generate new programs for NBC, which employed him for 30 years as host of "The Tonight Show," the network's entertainment president said Saturday.

Warren Littlefield announced the agreement in a speech to television reporters. Details of a multi-year contract have not been finalized, he said.

Carson, who retired in May from the talk show, had been thought to be unhappy with NBC and its parent company, General Electric Co. He had been aiming increasingly barbed jokes at GE in his last months on the show.

Littlefield also announced an infusion of new talent. Development deals have been signed with Dana Carvey, a "Saturday Night Live" regular, former "Happy Days" star Henry Winkler, and "Uncle Buck" film star John Candy.

NBC slipped from the No. 1 spot last year for the first time in six years. The poor performance was blamed in part on its aging schedule.

"We were a network that was growing old," Littlefield said. "What I had to do was evaluate shows and decide if I wanted to hang onto shows that were past their prime."

Canceled this spring were "Matlock," "In the Heat of the Night" and "The Golden Girls." All three have been picked up by competing networks.

Negotiations continue with an unhappy David Letterman, whose contract expires next year. Letterman has said he may leave the network over several displeasures, including not being chosen as Carson's "Tonight Show" successor.

Littlefield said he wasn't allowed to comment on reports that GE is trying to sell NBC.

Wind shears target of warning system

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla. (AP) — Nearly two decades after wind shear was first identified as a weather hazard for low-flying aircraft, the government is testing airborne warning gear that would let pilots avoid the vicious gusts.

The most famous crash blamed on wind shear felled a Delta Air Lines L-1011, killing 137 people near Dallas in 1985. Wind shear was defined meteorologically after a New York crash in 1975, and the deceptive push-me-pull-me storms have claimed more than 500 lives since 1964.

Wind shear has long been detectable on the ground, and 117 airports are to receive equipment soon that will make it easier for them to know when flying would be dangerous. But for pilots in the air, the problem has endured.

"Pilots at the moment are dependent on other pilots who say, 'I detected wind shear at the west end of the runway,'" said Karen Tripp of Rockwell-Collins, an aviation concern in Cedar Rapids, Iowa. "They have no way to accurately see it, predict it. They only know when they're in it."

In weather terms, wind shears are the result of microbursts, which endanger takeoffs and landings with lightning, rain and telltale downward gusts, when pilots have little time or room to maneuver.

Takeoff problems are simple to solve — delay the flight. Landings are the big worry.

"You get suckered," said Chuck Hall, Rockwell's chief pilot, who has more experience with wind shear than most anyone. In one day last year over Denver, he flew a specially outfitted Sabreliner corporate jet into 12 wind shears.

Flying through a microburst takes about 20 seconds, but actually getting through them is another story.

"Every second of advance warning pays big dividends in terms of survival," said Roland Bowles, the wind shear program chief for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

Births

Doris and Wade Sands announce the birth of their baby girl born at 5:49 a.m. on July 11 at Cogdell Memorial Hospital. She weighed seven pounds and 14 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel R. McCommon of Midland are the parents of a son, Joel Conner, born at 7:19 a.m. July 12 in Midland Memorial Hospital. He weighed 8 lbs., 14 ozs.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. M. McCommon Sr. of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dillard of Andrews.

THE WORLD ALMANAC DATE BOOK

July 13, 1992

Today is the 195th day of 1992 and the 24th day of summer.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1960, Massachusetts Sen. John F. Kennedy was named the Democratic Party's presidential candidate.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Sidney Webb (1859-1947), socialist-economist; Edward Flanagan (1886-1948), Catholic priest; Jack Kemp (1935-), U.S. politician, is 57; Harrison Ford (1942-), actor, is 50; David Thompson (1954-), basketball star; Spud Webb (1963-), basketball player, is 29.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1897, exactly one year after his four inside-the-park-home-runs game vs. Chicago, Ed Delahanty went eight for eight in a doubleheader against Louisville.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "We must change the system in our inner cities and pockets of poverty that rewards self-destructive behavior and welfare dependency while punishing individual dignity, initiative, productive work effort and the family structure." — Jack Kemp

TODAY'S WEATHER: On this day in 1980, all-time record high temperatures were set at Memphis, Tenn. (108 degrees), Macon, Ga. (108 degrees), and Atlanta (105 degrees).

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TODAY'S MOON: Day before full moon (July 14).

TODAY'S BARB
BY PHIL PASTORET

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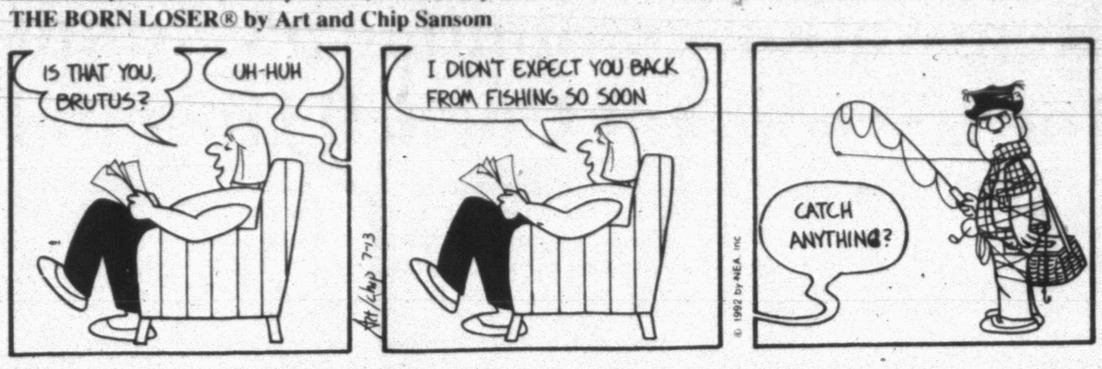

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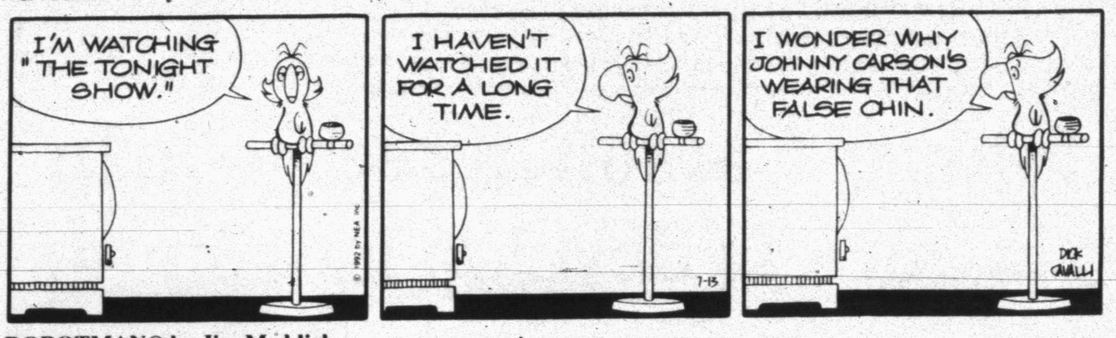

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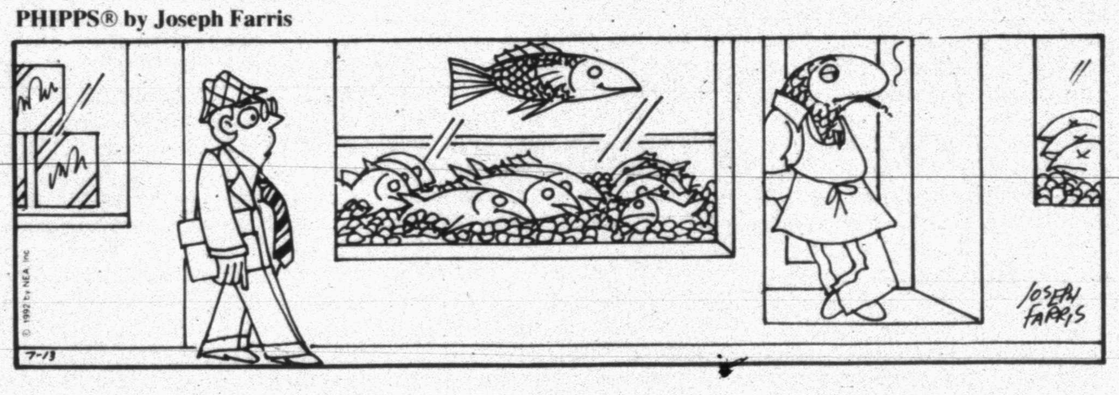

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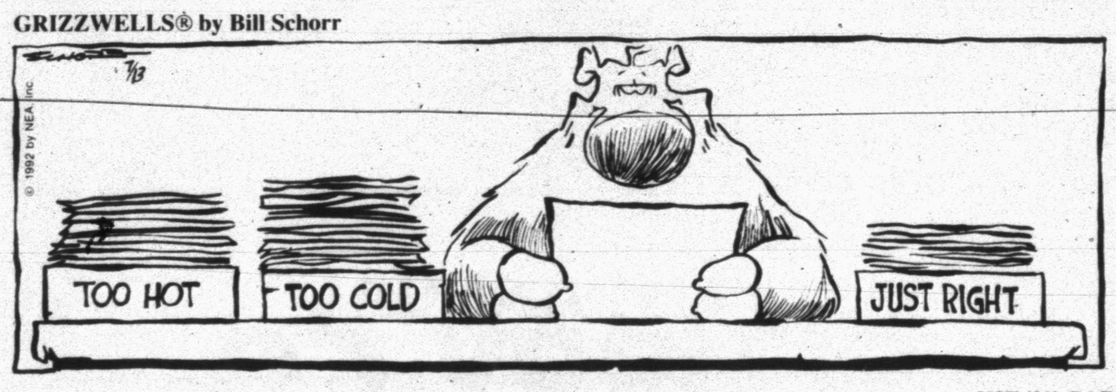

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8 Insecticide
11 Newsstand, e.g.
12 Enthusiastic applause
14 Businesswoman — Lauder
15 Young hare
16 In no manner
17 Most precious
19 — — about
21 Cricket positions
22 Hissing sound
25 Spring festival
28 Comedian — Philips
29 Moslem sacred book
32 Tightened
34 Aviator — Earhart
36 Calendar numbers
37 Carpet
38 Fungus-and-alga combination
41 Epochs
43 Greek letter
44 Bird class
48 Type face
51 Arab garment
52 Earthworm, e.g.
54 Praise
56 Flower of buttercup family
57 Goodnight, —
58 — Lingus (airline)
59 Food fish
60 Like a swamp

DOWN

1 American buffalo
2 Gambling game
3 Bring into play
4 Made do with
5 Capable of flying
6 Tilt too far
7 Whitecap
8 Grimiest
9 Deer
10 Explosive (abbr.)
11 Relative of bingo
13 Mrs. Dick Tracy
18 Dawn
20 Genuine
23 Diving duck
24 Covers with turf
26 Indigo dye
27 Advise
29 Glacial ridge
30 Actor Sharif
31 Lawyer's fee
33 Zola heroine
35 Transportation company
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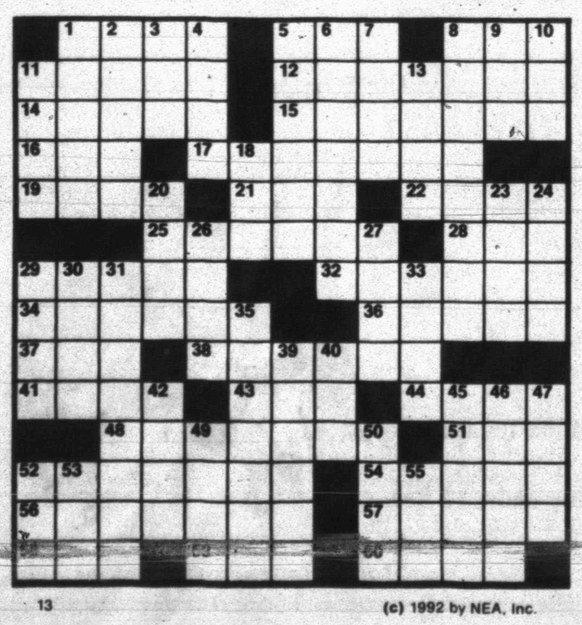

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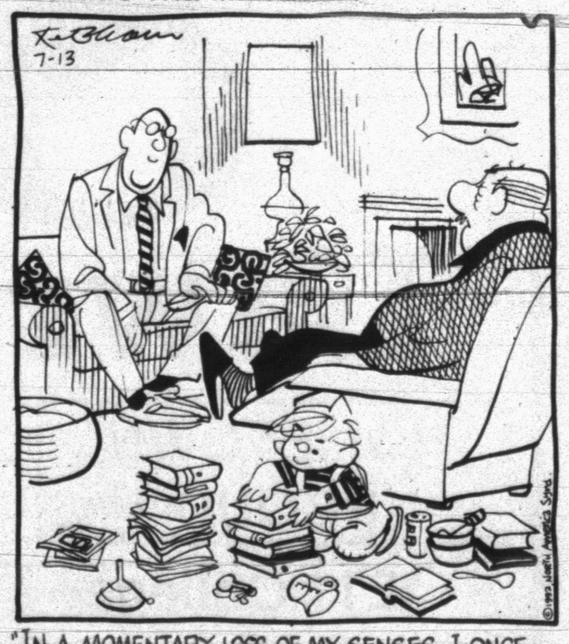

"IN A MOMENTARY LOSS OF MY SENSES, I ONCE TOLD THE KID TO MAKE HIMSELF AT HOME."

Laoretti claims Open after Stockton falters

BETHLEHEM, Pa. (AP) — Cigar-chomping Larry Laoretti snatched the lead after 54 holes of the U.S. Senior Open on Saturday as second-round leader Dave Stockton collapsed with five bogeys in a seven-hole stretch.

Laoretti, who started the third round seven strokes behind Stockton, shot a 4-under 67 to lead the field by one stroke with a 6-under 207. Stockton fell apart with a 6-over 77 and an overall 210.

Laoretti rolled in five birdie putts and only once lost a stroke to par as the leaders emulated the mass retreat of last month's U.S. Open at Pebble Beach.

It seemed like the only mistake Laoretti made was misjudging the length of his cigar. Ashes fluttered in the air when he tried to put his hat back on after tipping it to spectators following his final putt.

A club pro, Laoretti never played on the PGA tour. He joined the Senior group in 1989, He celebrated his 53rd birthday Saturday with the lead in the Senior Open.

Al Geiberger shot a 5-under 66 to take the runnerup spot with a 5-under 208. Gibby Gilbert was another stroke back at 209 after a 73, snapping at eight his string of sub-70 rounds.

Then came Stockton, Gary Player and Jim Colbert at 210. Player shot 71 and Colbert 73. Charles Coody was at 211 after a 73.

Beat Hamlin, 23-3...

Snyder All-Stars capture title

By PHIL RIDDLE
SDN Sports Editor

COLORADO CITY — Snyder's Little League All-Stars easily defended their Area 2 baseball crown Saturday with a 23-3 victory over Hamlin in the tournament final.

Snyder center fielder David Smith highlighted a nine-run third inning with two homers, a leadoff solo shot, and a two-run blast later in the inning that drove in Tommy Fields, who reached on a fielders' choice.

Also in the same inning, Snyder third baseman Paul O'Connor slammed a dinger and first baseman Toby Delce ripped a round-tripper.

In all, Snyder scored their 23 runs on 11 hits.

Winning pitcher Kyle Beck went five innings before Hamlin officials conceded the game. Beck struck out 10, walked three and allowed three hits, including a two-run homer by Hamlin's Colby Freeman.

Four Hamlin pitchers, Merl Pryor, Brian Hodnett, Jason Terrell and Freeman, were shelled by Snyder hitters. The quartet gave up 11 hits and walked nine while striking out just four.

Eight of the nine Snyder hitters that were issued walks wound up scoring and six more runs came in on seven defensive errors by Hamlin.

Snyder scored seven runs in the last of the fourth inning on just one base hit, a single by Beck, who walked four times in five at-bats.

Top hitters for Snyder included Smith, who was 2-for-5 with a pair of homers and three RBI; Delce, who had an RBI single to go with his home run; O'Connor, who homered, doubled and drove in three runs; Eric Gard, who was 2-for-2 with an extra-base hit and Kelly Gentry, who rapped a pair of hits in two at-bats.

Snyder made its way through the tournament undefeated, and mostly unchallenged, beating host Colorado City 5-2 in their opener before knocking off Rotan 9-2 in the quarterfinals.

The locals then hammered Hamlin 28-6 on Thursday before Saturday's 20-point win.

Snyder now advances to the bi-area round of the playoffs and will take on Area 3 champion, Clyde or Cisco, Thursday in Merkel.

Clyde and Cisco, each carrying one loss in the double elimination area round of play, tangle tonight with the winner facing Snyder on Thursday.

Also on Thursday, Sweetwater West, without any losses thus far in tournament play, will face Area 1 champ, Abilene Key City or Abilene Lone Star. Sweetwater's opponent will be decided in games today and tomorrow.

Snyder's game time Thursday is 6 p.m., followed at 8 p.m. by the Abilene Area champ against Sweetwater.

A win by Snyder on Thursday would put the local All-Stars in the District championship battle. An upset by the Area 3 entry would force a second, and deciding game, Friday, also in Merkel.

The District championship game, pitting the winners of the two semifinal contests, is tentatively planned for Monday, July 20.

All-Star Baseball Tournament
Colorado City
Double Elimination
First Round
Monday, July 6
Anson 20, Stonewall-Kent 6
Snyder 9, Rotan 2
Colorado City — bye
Hamlin — bye
Second Round
Tuesday, July 7
Hamlin 12, Anson 6
Snyder 5, Colorado City 2
Wednesday, July 8
Colorado City 21, Stonewall-Kent 0
Rotan 6, Anson 3
Thursday, July 9
Colorado City 2, Rotan 1
Snyder 29, Hamlin 6
Friday, July 10
Hamlin 7, Colorado City 1
Saturday, July 11
Championship
Snyder 23, Hamlin 3

AREA CHAMPIONS — Snyder's Little League All-Stars hoist their trophies following Saturday's 23-3 championship win over Hamlin in the Area 2 baseball tournament. Team members include, manager Grady Gafford, coach Jay Cumbie, Kyle Beck, Johnny Pena, Kelly Gentry, Dustin Fish, Toby Delce, Tommy Fields David Smith, Ian Hobbs, Clay Berryman, Eric Gard, Paul O'Connor, Cory Mandrell, Eric Hill and Cory Trujillo. (SDN Staff Photo)

Houston tops NY, 3-1...

Henry, Astros hold off Mets

HOUSTON (AP) — Lots of questions surrounded Butch Henry just one month into his first major league season. Most had to do with whether he could get the ball over the plate for a strike.

The Houston Astros pitcher has been coming up with the right answers. Sunday, he scattered six hits and struck out a career-high six in seven innings, leading his team to a 3-1 victory over the New York Mets.

More important, he walked only one batter while picking up his third victory of the season against six losses.

"Walks tend to hurt me a lot. But today, I had my control and gave up only one. I tried to make them hit it, and luckily, when they did, they hit it right at somebody," Henry said.

"The key was getting good defense after I got them to hit the ball."

Little more than a month ago, Henry was in trouble. He had gone 0-4 during his first eight starts of the season, then won a game and lost two more. He appeared close to being sent down to Tucson, the Astros' Triple A farm club, for seasoning.

"It was no secret I was on the bubble. I told myself then that I was tired of pitching defensively. I was just basically tired of pitching poorly," he said.

"I knew I had to throw strikes instead of pitching defensively. I had to make them hit the ball. Now, everything seems to be on the upswing."

Henry hasn't lost a game since June 15. Since then, he has notched two victories to go with three no-decisions.

"Today was a big effort for him," manager Art Howe said. "The last time out, he pitched a heckuva game, too. He's done pretty well lately. Maybe he's starting to come into his own and finding out he can pitch in this league."

The Mets found out he could pitch when they managed only Eddie Murray's solo homer in the fourth off Henry.

"That pitch was a mistake. I was trying to throw a slider inside, and it got out over the plate," Henry said.

Howe called the pitch Henry's only mistake.

"The key for Butch is to throw strikes. He changes speeds well. It's just a matter of consistency in the strike zone for him," Howe said.

Ken Caminiti's RBI triple keyed a 2-run first inning that gave Henry all he needed. Luis Gonzalez later tripled and scored on Casey Candaele's sacrifice fly to center to end the Astros' scoring in the second.

Mets manager Jeff Torborg said he also is happy with the way his team is playing. The Mets have won six of their last 10 games.

"We've just got to play a whole lot better baseball the second half," Torborg said, while arguing that his club is still in the race.

"I don't know. A lot of stuff has to fall in place (for them to get back in the race). But I think we can do it. We certainly haven't achieved close to the potential we expected."

The Mets hope to get some production in the second half from such stars as pitcher Bret Saberhagen, outfielder Vince Coleman and reliever John Franco, who have been on the disabled list.

"The second half is when you've really got to play. We should have all of our gus back, and hopefully nobody else will break down then," New York outfielder Bobby Bonilla said.

"I'm happy with our effort. I just don't like the execution we've had," Torborg said.

"The pitching has been real good the first half, but the offense wasn't, and we didn't have the kind of defense we should have had either."

Baseball glance

By The Associated Press
All Times EDT

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Toronto	53	34	.609	—
Baltimore	49	38	.563	4
Milwaukee	45	41	.523	7½
Boston	42	43	.494	10
New York	42	45	.483	11
Detroit	41	48	.461	13
Cleveland	36	52	.409	17½

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Minnesota	53	34	.609	—
Oakland	51	36	.586	2
Texas	48	42	.533	6½
Chicago	43	43	.500	9½
Kansas City	37	50	.425	16
Seattle	36	53	.404	18
California	35	52	.402	18

Saturday's Games
Boston 11, Chicago 2
California 2, Detroit 1
Oakland 3, Toronto 1
Seattle 5, New York 3, 12 innings
Minnesota 6, Baltimore 5
Milwaukee 5, Kansas City 1
Texas 5, Cleveland 1

Sunday's Games
Boston 3, Chicago 0
California 5, Detroit 4, 10 innings
Oakland 8, Toronto 0
Seattle 7, New York 6
Minnesota 9, Baltimore 4
Kansas City 5, Milwaukee 1
Cleveland 6, Texas 3

Monday's Games
No games scheduled

Tuesday's Game
All-Star game at San Diego, 8:35 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Pittsburgh	49	39	.557	—
St. Louis	44	43	.506	4½
Montreal	44	44	.500	5
New York	42	46	.477	7
Chicago	40	47	.460	8½
Philadelphia	36	52	.409	13

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cincinnati	51	35	.593	—
Atlanta	49	37	.570	2
San Diego	47	42	.528	5½
San Francisco	43	44	.494	8½
Houston	41	47	.466	11
Los Angeles	39	49	.443	13

Saturday's Games
San Francisco 3, Montreal 0
St. Louis 4, Los Angeles 1
San Diego 3, Philadelphia 2, 11 innings
Pittsburgh 9, Cincinnati 3
Atlanta 3, Chicago 1
New York 8, Houston 2

Sunday's Games
Pittsburgh 7, Cincinnati 6, 10 innings
Atlanta 7, Chicago 4, 10 innings
Houston 3, New York 1
Los Angeles 9, St. Louis 0
San Francisco 4, Montreal 0
San Diego 8, Philadelphia 2

Monday's Games
No games scheduled

Tuesday's Game
All-Star game at San Diego, 8:35 p.m.

Managers vote on different starters

SAN DIEGO (AP) — If managers did the voting instead of fans, the starting lineups for Tuesday night's All-Star game would be very different.

Wade Boggs, Jose Canseco and Sandy Alomar Jr. would be riding the bench. So would Ozzie Smith, Benito Santiago and Terry Pendleton.

A survey conducted during the past six days by The Associated Press showed managers agreed with only nine of the 16 starters picked by fans.

Boggs would be replaced as the American League third baseman by Chicago's Robin Ventura, and Alomar would be dropped as catcher in favor of Detroit's Mickey Tettleton. Managers agreed with Minnesota's Kirby Puckett in the outfield, but would replace Canseco and Ken Griffey Jr. of Seattle with Toronto's Joe Carter and Baltimore's Brady Anderson.

National League managers preferred Tom Pagnozzi of St. Louis over Santiago at catcher, Gary Sheffield of San Diego over Pendleton at third base and either Tony Fernandez of San Diego or Barry Larkin of Cincinnati over Smith at shortstop.

Nine of the 14 AL managers responded to the survey, including Bobby Valentine, who answered before he was fired last week by the Texas Rangers. Eight of the 12 NL managers participated. Managers weren't allowed to vote for players on their own teams.

NL managers selected Tom Glavine of the Braves as their starting pitcher, while AL managers split their votes evenly among Roger Clemens of Boston, Juan Guzman of Toronto and Kevin Brown of Texas. The actual starting pitchers were to be announced today by the managers, since fans don't vote for pitchers.

The most striking votes came at third base in the AL, and at shortstop, third base and catcher in the NL. Boggs, hitting .263 with six homers and 27 RBIs, didn't receive a vote. Ventura got five for his .298 average, eight homers and 42 RBIs.

Smith, elected to start in 10 consecutive all-star games, more than any other player since voting was returned to fans in 1970, didn't get a vote, either, while Fernandez and Larkin got four each. Larkin is hitting .287 with four homers and 37 RBIs; Fernandez has a .297 average with two homers and 25 RBIs. Smith is hitting .303 for St. Louis with no homers and 20 RBIs.

Santiago didn't get a vote, not surprising considering he's just coming off the disabled list. He has a .250 average for the Padres with four homers and 24 RBIs, while Pagnozzi — sixth in fan voting — is batting .282 with four homers and 28 RBIs.

Sandy Alomar, hitting .241 with two homers and 23 RBIs for Cleveland, got just one vote for the AL catching spot, while Tettleton, with a .250 batting average, 19 homers and 52 RBIs, got six.

In the AL outfield, managers preferred Carter (.274, 19 homers, 63 RBIs) and Anderson (.286, 15, 57) over Canseco (.253, 18, 48) and Griffey (.285, 15, 50). Canseco is on the disabled list and won't be activated by Oakland before the game, so he will be replaced, anyway.

NL third baseman was a close race, with Sheffield edging Pendleton 5-3. Sheffield is hitting .325 with 18 homers and 62 RBIs, while Pendleton is hitting .296 for the Braves with 13 homers and 51 RBIs.

Indians cool Rangers

ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) - Starter Dennis Cook kept Cleveland in the game long enough to give his batters a shot at a victory.

Mark Whiten and Carlos Baerga did the rest, and the Indians salvaged the finale of a four-game series Sunday night with a 6-3 victory over the Texas Rangers.

"Sometimes you just have to give credit to the other team," said Rangers interim manager Toby Harrah, who suffered his first loss after three wins since replacing Bobby Valentine on Thursday.

Harrah went with reliever Kenny Rogers in two clutch situations, and Rogers was no match for Baerga, who was 3-for-4, and Whiten, who set up one run with his baserunning, then lined the game-winning three-run home run in the eighth.

"Cook kept us in the game and gave our offense a chance to get something going," said Indians manager Mike Hargrove.

Cook held the hot-hitting Rangers to three runs, two earned, over 6 23 innings, before Steve Olin (3-3) pitched two scoreless innings for the victory. Eric Plunk got the last out for his second save.

All benefited from the hitting of All-Star Game selection Baerga, who was 10-for-14 in the series; Whiten, who went 2-for-4 and scored twice, and Albert Belle, who hit a two-run homer, his 19th, in the third.

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Palestinians, Arab leaders invited for talks

JERUSALEM (AP) — Prime Minister-designate Yitzhak Rabin made a conciliatory gesture to old enemies today by inviting Palestinian and Arab leaders to come to Jerusalem to talk peace.

Seeking parliamentary approval of his new government, one of Israel's most moderate ever, Rabin appealed to Palestinians to hold informal talks with him and urged the Arab world to open a new era in Arab-Israeli relations.

In a sweeping, sometimes passionate speech that quoted the Bible and Israel's greatest poets, the Labor leader urged Israelis to embrace the new post-Cold War world and stop thinking that "the whole world is against us."

Rabin's coalition, consisting of 62 seats in the 120-member parliament, was to face a vote of confidence later today. He was then to be sworn in, formally marking the end of 15 years of right-wing rule and the return of his Labor party to power.

Addressing the packed Parliament, the 70-year-old former general said that "to illustrate our sincerity and good will," he would invite the Jordanian-Palestinian delegation at the U.S.-sponsored peace talks to visit him in Jerusalem for "an informal talk."

The purpose would be to "hear their views, make ours heard, and create an appropriate atmosphere for a good partnership," Rabin said.

The outgoing government of Likud leader Yitzhak Shamir, determined to do nothing to recognize the Palestinians as a separate entity, insisted that they negotiate in tandem with the Jordanians.

Rabin has said he will stick with that formula. But his offer marked a departure from past practice. Shamir's government was never known to meet with the Palestinian negotiators outside the formal negotiating framework, even though they live under occupation, an hour's drive or less from Jerusalem.

Rabin also repeated past Israeli invitations to the heads of state of Jordan, Syria and Lebanon to come to Jerusalem for peace talks. "In the service of peace, I am prepared to travel to Amman, Damascus and Beirut today, tomorrow," he added.

Promising "vigorous steps" to end the conflict, Rabin said he would order Israel's negotiators "to step up the talks."

He proposed that the Palestinians in the occupied territories suspend anti-Israeli violence during negotiations for their self-government, the first step of the peace process.

Suggesting room for compromise on autonomy, he told the Palestinians: "You will not get everything you want. Perhaps neither will we."

He urged Palestinians to seize his offer. "Don't lose this opportunity that may never return. Take our proposal seriously," he said.

Rabin said the collapse of the communist bloc required Israel to find a new place in the world.

"No longer are we necessarily 'a people that dwells alone,' and no longer is it true that "the whole world is against us'," he said.

"We must overcome the sense of isolation that has held us in its thrall for almost half a century. We must join the international movement toward peace, reconciliation and cooperation that is spreading over the entire globe these days — lest we be the last to remain, alone, at the station."

Rabin alluded only vaguely to his past pledges to cut back the Shamir government's drive to populate the occupied territories with Jews. He apparently still hopes to broaden his coalition with the right-wing Tzomet party, which supports the settlements.

He promised to "refrain from any steps and activities that would disrupt" peace talks. New settlements built by Shamir were cited by the United States as the biggest obstacle in those talks.

Rabin signed coalition agreements last week with the liberal Meretz bloc, with 12 parliamentary seats, and the religious Shas party, with six. Labor has 44 seats.

Today, Shas was under increasing pressure from some rabbis to back out of the agreement, but its members took their seats in Parliament, and party leader Aryeh Deri said the coalition agreement stood.

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BRAZOS RIVER AUTHORITY
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General Manager

Markets Midday Stocks

NEW YORK (AP) -Morning stocks:

	High	Low	Last	
AMR Corp	647/8	633/4	645/8	+1
Albtsn	421/8	417/8	421/8	+1/8
AlliedSignal	531/4	527/8	531/4	+5/8
ALLTEL Cp	393/4	393/4	393/4	
AmStores	36	357/8	36	
Amer T&T	437/8	431/2	435/8	
Ameritech	663/8	661/4	661/4	- 1/4
Amoco	485/8	481/4	483/8	
AndarkPtr	241/8	24	24	
Arkla	93/4	95/8	93/4	
ArmcoInc	7	67/8	67/8	
AtlRichfld	1091/8	1083/8	1085/8	- 1/4
BakerHugh	203/8	201/8	201/4	+1/4
BellAtl	467/8	465/8	467/8	+1/4
BellSouth	53	525/8	527/8	+1/8
Beth Steel	145/8	141/2	141/2	- 1/8
Borden	303/8	301/4	303/8	
Caterpllr	533/4	531/8	531/2	- 1/4
Centel	293/8	291/4	293/8	- 1/8
CenSoWst s	293/8	29	291/8	- 1/4
Chevron	681/4	68	681/8	- 1/4
Chrysler	201/2	197/8	201/2	+1/2
Coastal	263/8	261/8	263/8	+1/8
CocaCola s	423/4	421/2	425/8	
ColgP	527/8	523/8	521/2	- 1/8
ComlMetl	23	23	23	+1/4
Cooperln	445/8	441/4	445/8	+1/8
CyprusMn	281/2	273/4	277/8	- 5/8
DallSemicn	101/8	10	10	
DeltaAirl	553/4	547/8	555/8	+3/4
DigitalEq	381/4	371/2	377/8	+3/8
Dillard s	341/8	333/8	337/8	+1/2
DowChem	541/8	537/8	541/8	
DresserInd	201/2	201/4	203/8	+1/8
DuPont	49	485/8	49	+1/4
EstKodak	413/4	413/8	413/4	+1/4
EljerInd	75/8	71/4	75/8	+3/8
Enserch	155/8	151/2	151/2	- 3/8
Exxon	613/4	611/4	611/4	- 1/4
FtCtyBcp	1	1	1	
FlowerInd	181/8	173/4	181/8	+1/8
FordMotor	457/8	45	457/8	+1
GTE Cp	327/8	321/8	323/4	- 1/8
GnDynam	74	733/8	733/4	+1/2
GenElct	765/8	763/8	761/2	+1/8
GnMill	69	683/4	683/4	- 1/4
GenMotors	415/8	403/4	415/8	+5/8
GenMotrE s	271/4	27	271/8	- 1/4
GaPacif	56	551/8	551/4	- 3/4
GlobMar	13/4	15/8	13/4	
Goodrich	431/2	431/8	431/2	
Goodyear	67	663/8	665/8	+3/8
GtAtlPac	27	263/4	267/8	- 3/8
Gulf StaUt	153/8	151/4	151/4	
Haliburtn	265/8	261/4	261/2	+1/8
Hanson	197/8	195/8	197/8	
HoustInd	441/2	441/4	441/2	+1/4
IBM	983/4	98	983/4	+11/8
IntlPaper	663/8	653/4	661/8	
JohnsnJns s	467/8	461/2	467/8	
K mart s	231/4	223/4	23	- 1/4
Kroger	15	147/8	147/8	
vjLTV Cp	9-16	1/2	1/2	
Litton s	471/2	471/8	471/2	+1/4
vjLoneStar	31/8	31/8	31/8	- 1/8
Lowes s	193/4	191/2	191/2	+1/8
Lubys	157/8	157/8	157/8	
Maxus	57/8	53/4	53/4	- 1/8
MayDSt	551/4	545/8	551/8	+1/8
Medtrn s	821/4	811/4	811/4	—1
Mobil	627/8	621/2	623/4	+1/4
Monsanto	553/8	55	553/8	+1/8
Motorola	79	773/4	783/4	+3/4
Nationsbk	50	495/8	495/8	- 1/4
Navistar	21/2	23/8	21/2	
Nynex	81	805/8	803/4	- 1/4
OryxEngy	173/8	171/4	171/4	- 1/8
PacTelesis	411/2	407/8	407/8	- 5/8
PanhECp	167/8	165/8	165/8	- 1/4
PenneyJC	715/8	711/8	711/4	- 1/4
PepBoys	23	227/8	227/8	
PhelpD s	477/8	463/8	477/8	+11/4
PhilipPet	265/8	263/8	261/2	- 3/8
PilgrmPrd	73/4	75/8	75/8	+1/8
Polaroid s	281/2	281/8	283/8	
Primerica	393/4	393/8	393/8	- 1/4
ProctGamb s	497/8	495/8	493/4	+1/8
PubS NwMx	127/8	127/8	127/8	
SFePacCp	121/4	121/8	121/4	+1/8
SaraLee	53	521/2	525/8	- 1/2
SearsRoeb	393/8	391/4	393/8	+1/8
SherwinW	273/4	271/4	271/2	- 1/8
SmthBchm	87	861/2	861/2	
SmthBch eq n	79	781/4	781/4	- 1/4
Southern Co	357/8	355/8	353/4	
SwstAirl	427/8	421/4	421/4	- 1/8
SwstAirl wi	22	211/2	22	+1/2
SwstBell	631/2	631/8	633/8	- 1/8
Sprint	22	213/4	22	+1/4
SterlingChm	37/8	37/8	37/8	
SunCo	257/8	255/8	253/4	- 1/8
TNP Ent	205/8	203/8	205/8	+1/8
Tandy	233/4	231/2	235/8	
TemplInl	471/2	463/4	471/4	+5/8
Tenneco	363/8	361/8	363/8	+1/8
Texaco	633/4	635/8	633/4	+1/4
TexasInd	233/8	231/4	231/4	- 1/8
TexasInst	381/2	373/4	383/8	+5/8
Tex Util	403/4	401/2	403/4	+1/4
Textron	391/2	391/8	393/8	+1/4
Tyler	41/4	41/4	41/4	- 1/8
USWst	381/2	381/4	381/4	- 5/8
USX-Marathn	217/8	211/2	213/4	
USX-USS	285/8	283/8	285/8	+1/4
UnCarbde	121/4	121/8	121/4	
UnPac s	497/8	491/2	491/2	- 5/8
UnitTech	513/4	513/8	511/2	+1/4
Unocal	263/8	26	26	- 3/8
WalMart	55	545/8	543/4	- 1/8
WestghEl	177/8	171/2	175/8	- 1/8
Woolwth	27	267/8	267/8	
Xerox Cp	715/8	71	715/8	+3/8
ZenithE	75/8	71/2	71/2	

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Obituaries

Ellen McBroom

1922-1992

SWEETWATER — Graveside services are set for 11 a.m. Tuesday in the Sweetwater Cemetery for Ellen McBroom, 70, who died Thursday in a Lubbock hospital.

She was the sister of Mary Lou Forbes of Snyder.

Born in Whitney, she was living in Rising Star and was a former resident of Colorado City. She was a homemaker and a Protestant.

Other survivors include six sons, Joe Pendleton of El Paso, Billy Pendleton of Midland, Everett Pendleton of Riverside, Calif., Cortez Pendleton of Abilene, and Frankie Eugene Pendleton and George Pendleton, both of Needville; four daughters, Ellen Reed of Cisco, Margaret Smith of Cisco, Roberta Baker of Rising Star and Pearl Lee Derring of Gatesville; another sister, Pearlee Atkins of Lake Whitney; 23 grandchildren; and 21 great-grandchildren.

Zelma Shepard

1924-1992

BALLINGFR — Services were set for 10:30 a.m. today in the First Baptist Church for Zelma Shepard, 68, who died Saturday in a San Angelo hospital. Burial was to follow in the Evergreen Cemetery.

She was the mother of Glenn Shepard of Snyder.

A life-long resident of Runnels County, she was secretary for the First Baptist Church in Ballinger for many years. She also worked in the insurance business with her husband.

She and her husband, Charles Shepard, organized the Company C reunion of the U.S. Army 142nd Infantry, 36th Division.

Survivors also include her husband; her mother, Eula Mosley of Ballinger; two daughters, Carolyn Reavis of Barksdale and Dena Porter of Ozona.

Allene Williams

1917-1992

Graveside services were set for 1:30 p.m. today in the Dunn Cemetery for Allene W. Williams, 75, who died Saturday in an Abilene hospital. Services were conducted at 10 a.m. Monday at Elliott-Hamil Funeral Home Chapel in Abilene.

Born in Breckenridge, Mrs. Williams was a graduate of Snyder High School. She received her bachelor's degree from Highlands University in Las Vegas, N.M., and her master's degree from Eastern New Mexico University in Portales.

She retired as a teacher from the Jal, N.M., school district. She was a member of the Pioneer Drive Baptist Church in Abilene and had been a member of the Jal., N.M., Chapter of Eastern Star.

Survivors include her husband, Fenton Williams of Abilene; a daughter, Beverly Ann Valliant of Sonora; a son, Tom West of Seminole; four grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

James Stephens

1927-1992

FORT STOCKTON — Services are set for 2 p.m. Tuesday in the Fort Stockton Funeral Home Chapel for James Lonnie Stephens, 64, who died Saturday in Pecos County Memorial Hospital. Burial will follow in the East Hill Cemetery. The Rev. John Barrett will officiate.

Born Aug. 7, 1927 in Hermleigh, he married Barbara Adams on Dec. 27, 1951, in Salt Lake City, Utah. She survives.

Serving in the U.S. Army from 1946 to 1948, he moved to Fort Stockton from Utah in 1968. He was a seismograph driller.

Other survivors include his mother, Zada Stephens of Snyder; a son, James L. Stephens of Fort Stockton; a daughter, Nancy Evans of Smithville, Tex.; three brothers, Leonard Stephens of Amarillo, Mardell Stephens of Snyder and Milton Stephens of Snyder; four sisters, Daphna Warsham of Long Beach, Calif., Edith Walker of Breckenridge, Mary Boyd of Lometa and Sandra Perkins of Lubbock; and three grandchildren.

David Maddry

1970-1992

SULPHUR SPRINGS — Services were to be held at 2 p.m. today at Murray-Orowosky Funeral Home Chapel for David O'Neil Maddry, 21, of Sulphur Springs. Burial was to follow at Restlawn Memorial Park.

Mr. Maddry died at 4:32 p.m. Saturday at Presbyterian Hospital in Winnsboro.

Born July 14, in El Paso, he was a tankerman of Higman Towing Co. in Orange. He had attended Western Texas College for one year and was an employee at the local Furr's Supermarket.

He was preceded in death by one grandfather, Vernon O'Neil Davis.

Survivors include his parents Mike and Dianne Maddry of Sulphur Springs, formerly of Snyder; a sister, Aimee Maddry, and a brother, Butch Maddry, both of Sulphur Springs; his grandparents, James David and Ola Mae Maddry of Mt. Vernon; a grandmother, Christine Davis of Calion, Ark.; and two great-grandmothers, Alpha Belle Davis of Calion, Ark., and Vadie Lea Duke of Strong, Ark.

Austin makes bid for chip maker

AUSTIN (AP) — Business, community and academic leaders are mounting a campaign to lure Intel Corp.'s proposed new billion-dollar chip-making plant to Austin.

Intel proposes to complete the 1,000-employee plant in the mid-1990s, but the company says it may start preliminary work soon after it buys a site.

Intel's five-person site selection team visited Austin last week. Observers said they came away impressed from a briefing hosted by U.S. Rep. J.J. "Jake" Pickle, the Austin American-Statesman reported.

Austin has successfully pulled together business, community and academic heavyweights before, in successful campaigns to recruit Apple Computer, Applied Materials, and the Sematech and MCC research consortia.

Local business recruiters say Austin is well-suited for Intel's plans because it has an established base of computer chip production.

Motorola, Advanced Micro Devices and Cypress Semiconductor Corp. together employ more than 9,000 people in the area. Austin also boasts plenty of support companies that provide materials and services, access to University of Texas engineering talent and the presence of Sematech, the chip industry's collaborative research project.

Intel, based in Santa Clara, Calif., is the largest and most profitable U.S. chip maker. It has spent heavily to expand production capacity in recent years.

English channel swimmer dies

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP) — Ashby Harper, an educator who set a record when he swam the English Channel at age 65, has died. He was 75.

Harper, of Albuquerque, died Saturday only hours after competing in a one-mile swimming race across a lake in Greenwich, Conn.

A son, Frederick Harper, said his father wasn't feeling well during the race, and afterward went to a hospital. He died later that night, apparently from a blood clot.

When Harper swam across the English Channel in 1982, he was the oldest person to accomplish the feat. Subsequently, Harper also swam 29 miles around Manhattan Island, 26 miles across the Santa Barbara Channel and 21 miles through the cold waters of Lake Tahoe.

Another son, David, said his father was proud when he swam the channel because "at the time there was a lot of talk of mandatory retirement at age 65. I guess he wanted to score a point for the older generation, saying it was possible to achieve such a feat at that age."

Mexico's ruling party admits defeat for only second time

CHIHUAHUA, Mexico (AP) — For only the second time in its 63-year history as Mexico's ruling party, the PRI on Monday admitted defeat without a fight in gubernatorial elections for Mexico's largest, richest state.

Supporters of the main opposition party filled the streets overnight, celebrating the victory of their candidate Francisco Barrio, who claimed the ruling Institutional Revolutionary Party cheated him of victory six years ago.

The results "don't favor us. If the tendency persists, we accept defeat," Mario Tarango Ramirez, PRI's Chihuahua state president, told reporters. "We would look bad to nitpick and fight for something we didn't win."

However, in the Pacific state of Michoacan. the PRI was leading early official returns in that highly contested gubernatorial race. But the opposition accused the PRI of widespread fraud.

The PRI has been in power since 1929, winning virtually all national and state elections, often through electoral fraud. But under President Carlos Salinas de Gortari, who came to power in 1988, it has accepted defeats in governor's races in Baja California and — after a fight — in Guanajuato.

The main opposition National Action Party, or Pan, captured the Baja California governorship in 1989. In a 1991 election in Guanajuato, the PRI candidate resigned admit charges of vote fraud and Salinas named an interim governor from the ranks of PAN, but not its official candidate.

Salinas has sought to modernize Mexico and clean up its image abroad, now that his administration is negotiating a free trade agreement with Canada and the United States. The elections were seen as a test of his party's resolve to hold fair elections and abide by the results.

Initial official results in Chihuahua were expected later today, with final results on Wednesday. But unofficial results announced early today by the ruling party showed that with 1,524 polling stations counted of a total of 3,095, the PAN had 161,148 votes while the PRI had 151,700.

"If this is the opinion of the voters, then it's the Chihuahuans who decide,". Tarango said.

Results announced earlier by the PAN showed Barrio won 60 percent of the vote over PRI candidate Jesus Macias, based on returns from about 700 polling stations in the conservative state bordering Texas.

"This is a triumph for the people of Chihuahua," Barrio told reporters early today as thousands of his supporters poured into the streets of this state capital to celebrate victory.

"Even though the results aren't final, I can definitely say that the victory was ours," he said. "I hope we can establish cordial, respectful relations but I don't know if (the PRI) is ready to become an opposition party."

One group of perhaps 5,000 cheered for hours outside PAN headquarters. "PAN si, otro no!" — "PAN yes, the other no," they chanted as motorists honked their horns in unison. "Barrio si, Macias no."

There was no crowd celebrating outside the PRI office. Macias had no immediate comment.

In Michoacan, the state election commission announced early today that with 23 percent of the polling places counted, PRI candidate Eduardo Villasenor Pena had 58 percent of the vote and the opposition Revolutionary Democratic Party, or PRD, had 30 percent.

PRD President Cuauhtemoc Cardenas, however, immediately accused the PRI and the government of widespread fraud. He said his party's results showed it had won and called for a victory celebration on Tuesday.

PRD candidate Cristobal Arias "is the winner," he told a packed news conference.

Michoacan was Cardenas' stronghold in his 1988 bid for the presidency, which represented the strongest opposition challenge ever to the PRI. Many people believe Cardenas was deprived of the presidency by fraud, allowing Salinas to win.

A heavy turnout was reported among Chihuahua's 1.2 million registered voters, who also cast ballots for candidates to 18 seats in the state legislature, and 67 mayors. Observers said there were many irregularities, but they stopped short of calling it fraud.

Both Barrio, 41, who claimed the PRI stole his bid for governor in 1986, and Macias, 42, are businessmen and former mayors of Ciudad Juarez, across the border from El Paso, Texas.

Michoacan, a largely agricultural state, is a stronghold of the PRD, a breakaway faction of the PRI. But PRI has been concentrating a lot of funds and effort to try to break its rival.

Roman Catholic priests cast ballots for the first time in 79 years, thanks to this year's reform of anti-clerical provisions of the constitution.

Police note six arrests

Snyder police made six arrests and filed a report for attempted burglary over the weekend.

At 7:29 a.m. Saturday, police received a call concerning some suspicious men who had attempted to gain entry into the rear of G&G Grocery at College Avenue and Huffman. Police located the suspects and arrested a 17-year-old man for public intoxication and resisting arrest and a 19-year-old man for public intoxication.

At 8:55 p.m. Saturday, police arrested a 20-year-old man for minor in possession of alcohol in the 3400 block of College Avenue.

Officers arrested a 31-year-old man at 12:28 a.m. Sunday in the 3100 block of Avenue V on a warrant for parole violation. They also arrested a 27-year-old woman on a charge of hindering apprehension.

At 5:35 p.m. Sunday, officers arrested a 24-year-old man for driving with a suspended license in the 1900 block of Avenue T.

At 2:39 a.m. Sunday, police responded to an alarm at a Western Auto warehouse at 1805 24th St. They found the front door forced open, but nothing appeared to be missing. An offense report for attempted burglary was filed in the case.

Deputies make four arrests

Scurry County sheriff's deputies made four arrests, including one on a grand jury indictment for aggravated assault, over the weekend.

Thirty-year-old Francis Silva was arrested at 4:50 p.m. Saturday after being indicted by a Scurry County grand jury on July 6.

Silva was indicted on June 4 charges of aggravated assault. She is being held in Scurry County Jail on $10,000 bond.

At 11:40 a.m. Saturday, a 19-year-old female was arrested on 11 warrants for issuance of bad checks.

A 33-year-old male was arrested on five warrants for issuance of bad checks, including four from Scurry County and one from Mitchell County.

Deputies also arrested a 20-year-old male for issuance of bad checks at 1:30 p.m. Saturday.

At 7:15 p.m., Clyde Brown of Ira contacted the sheriff's office to report that a spare tire had been stolen from his 1992 GMC pickup while it was parked at Kmart Saturday.

State says men-only golf tournment out of bounds

BASTROP (AP) — Following a complaint about sex discrimination, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department says a weekly men-only golf tournament is out of bounds.

The tournament has been a summertime tradition at the 9-hole course in the Bastrop State Park.

But the Lost Pines Golf Club, under contract with the state to manage the course, has been sent a letter instructing it to stop denying anyone access to tournaments on the basis of sex, race, color, creed or national origin if the events are conducted when the course is open to the general public.

"I'm sure it goes on at private golf courses," Paul Shinkawa, general counsel for Parks and Wildlife, said of the exclusive tournaments.

"But the difference is that this is a state golf course built by taxpayer dollars," he said. "We don't think classes of citizens should be told they can't play."

The men-only tournament was held each Thursday evening, and any male could sign up, Shinkawa said.

Women-only tournaments on other days are for members of privately-organized groups and are closed to the general public, he said. Those can continue, Shinkawa said.

Shinkawa said the men-only tournament violated state and federal civil rights laws and the lease contract between the golf association and the State of Texas. That contract has been renewed annually since 1960.

Golf Club board member Gilbert Cervantes, who said he has not yet received the department's letter, said such tournaments are common and there was no intent to discriminate.

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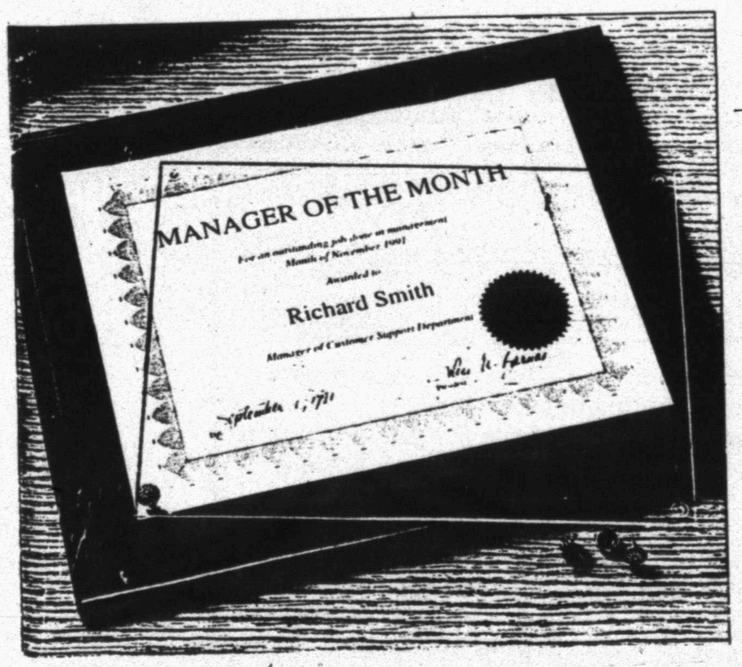

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Small arms hit French planes

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina (AP) — A U.N. official said today that three French planes had been hit by small-arms fire as they brought aid to Sarajevo, underlining the risks of the international effort to help the besieged city.

Mortars, anti-aircraft weapons and heavy artillery bombarded Sarajevo and its airport overnight. Weekend fighting also was reported outside the capital, where a journalist described scenes of burning homes and corpses strewn in the rubble.

France announced today it was postponing sending nine military helicopters pledged to the United Nations in Sarajevo. It was unclear whether the postponement was linked to the shootings of the French planes, which occurred Tuesday, Friday and Sunday. The helicopters were to have left for Bosnia on Wednesday.

Maj. Gen. Lewis MacKenzie, commander of the U.N. force in Sarajevo, said he had informed governments about the attacks on the French planes, but all 17 scheduled flights carrying 207 tons of food landed Sunday and another 17 were expected today.

"It is up to the governments whether to send the planes and up to the pilots whether to land," the Canadian officer said.

The French aircraft were hit by small-caliber bullets that did not penetrate them. All were able to land.

The airport, closed for months because of the fighting, was reopened June 29 by U.N. peacekeepers. The United States and several European countries have since flown in tons of food and medicine.

U.N. civil affairs officer Mik Magnusson said he hoped a planned airlift of seriously ill Sarajevans would begin today with the evacuation of Senada Agic.

The six-week-old girl, born with a heart defect after Sarajevo's siege began, was to be flown to Italy on a special plane carrying a surgeon from Pisa, Italy, Magnusson said.

A U.N. military observer was wounded late Sunday near Velika Kladusa in northern Bosnia when his jeep ran over an anti-tank mine, Croatian defense officials said. Maj. John Brian, 39, of New Zealand suffered serious leg injuries but was out of danger, hospital officials in the Croatian city of Karlovac said.

Bosnian officials say at least 7,500 people have died in the war that began after Bosnia's majority Muslims and Croats voted on Feb. 29 to secede from Yugoslavia. Ethnic Serbs, who want to maintain ties with Yugoslavia, have grabbed about two-thirds of the republic.

Western nations stepped up pressure on Yugoslavia, which has backed Bosnia's Serbs, by deploying eight warships Sunday to the Adriatic to monitor compliance with a U.N. trade embargo on the country, which now is made up of only Serbia and Montenegro.

Radovan Karadzic, the leader of Bosnia's Serbs, spoke out against international intervention, the Yugoslav news agency Tanjug reported today. Foreign intervention would be "disastrous for the civilian population," Tanjug quoted Karadzic as saying.

Croatian President Franjo Tudjman on Sunday had backed repeated appeals by his Bosnian counterpart, Alija Izetbegovic, for an urgent session of the U.N. Security Council and military intervention. So far, the West has rejected appeals for military action.

Sarajevo was quiet today after blasts of mortar and anti-aircraft fire echoed overnight around its suburbs and in the city center. The heavy fighting subsided shortly after midnight, U.N. officials said.

Serbian forces still surrounded the eastern town of Goradze. Bosnian officials accused Serb forces of bombarding Muslim-held town from the air and with tanks during the weekend.

Houses were burning and corpses lay in the streets, or buried under rubble, Enes Musovic, a Bosnian television journalist, reported from the town about 30 miles east of Sarajevo.

Both sides agreed to a brief cease-fire Sunday so the United Nations could truck more than 100 tons of food to Sarajevo suburb of Dobrinja, which has been under siege for 71 days. Fighting resumed in Dobrinja overnight.

$9.6 million fraud case goes to trial

EL PASO (AP) — Federal Judge Lucius Bunton said last spring what had been on many minds after state prosecutors charged a Who's Who list of El Pasoans with setting up a scam that bilked investors of $9.6 million.

Bunton quoted the "Too Fat Polka" when he reluctantly moved the case from state to federal court.

"I don't want her, you can have her, she's too fat for me," Bunton wrote.

The case is thick with a web of allegations and a long list of El Paso heavyweights as defendants. Jury selection is scheduled to begin Monday.

The trial will bring about two dozen lawyers to the courtroom for the defendants and more than 500 witnesses have been identified. The district attorneys office will only bring in two prosecutors. The prosecution already has cost taxpayers more than the $250,000 budgeted for it.

Assistant District Attorney Andrew Thomas said prosecutors have been tossing out some accusations and getting rid of certain defendants to thin the voluminous case.

"We're trying to throw away the need for the girdle," Thomas said.

But he wasn't sure Friday if he was succeeding. State attorneys had arrived at a Midland hotel with 130 boxes of documents, but had to reserve another suite next door for more boxes.

"We're getting a four-inch stack a day of new motions and have been for I don't know how long," Thomas said.

When an El Paso grand jury handed up its indictments last year, they named 11 El Pasoans and 19 businesses. The list now as been whittled to seven major defendants and 11 businesses. The original 32-page indictment is now about 13 pages.

It names such one-time El Paso movers and shakers as financier and former car dealer Maury Kemp, former El Paso Electric Co. chairman Evern Wall and former state GOP chairman Tad Smith. El Paso Electric also is named.

The accusations revolve around Kemp's failed First Service Life Insurance Co. and more than $9 million in annuities it sold. The company was based in the Cayman Islands and not registered in Texas, therefore the annuities — investments that earn interest that is periodically paid to buyers — were not insured.

When First Service Life went belly up, investors, many from Mexico, lost their money. The state alleges investors' money was diverted to risky ventures without investors' knowledge.

The defendants also are accused of conspiring to steal the stock of Triangle Electric Supply Co., an electronics components company in El Paso.

It alleges that in 1986, the law firm Kemp, Smith, Duncan & Hammond prepared documents that put $50 million made from the annuities sales into an escrow account under the name of El Paso Electric.

El Paso Electric is then accused of buying $70 million in First Service Life annuities secured by First Service's ownership in Triangle Electric and $57.2 million in escrow.

Finally the state says First Service Life agreed to siphon the money from other investors to pay El Paso Electric a higher interest rate than its annuities were yielding.

One of the defendants, Marvin Bones, has agreed to cooperate with the government in exchange for immunity. Bones was director in Kemp's First Service Life Insurance Co.

Astrograph

By Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

July 13, 1992

It behooves you to get out and circulate in the year ahead with as many new groups as possible. You're in a cycle where your popularity could help you make contacts who can further both your interests and ambitions.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Listen to the advice of others today, but reserve the right to make the final decision yourself. You're very good at evaluating the best alternative. Major changes are ahead for Cancer in the coming year. Send for Cancer's Astro-Graph predictions today. Mail $1.25 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You could be rather fortunate in material areas today. Although luck will be an important factor, you must still be industrious to generate rewards.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Looking out for the interests of those you'll be involved with today will serve as insurance for fulfilling your own expectations. It's an interrelated network.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Keep uppermost in your mind today the fact that end results are of greater consequence than beginnings. You may not start out too strong, but you could be a dynamite finisher.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) A positive attitude will have a profound effect upon others today. If you are genuinely enthusiastic about a venture, you can easily arouse the interests and support of associates.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Don't be afraid to elevate your sights today, especially in commercial dealings. You could be luckier where big things are a concern as opposed to where the stakes are small.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Maintain a philosophical outlook today. If you do, in situations where you envision yourself to be lucky, you can see to it that things come out in accord with your expectations.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Although you might feel more comfortable calling the shots, you could be rather fortunate today in an arrangement where you actually have little or no control.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) If properly approached, friends will be cooperative and helpful today. This could be especially true with someone you regard as your most influential pal.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You're presently in a trend where rewards for work well done could be more generous than usual — even for mundane tasks that are seldom acknowledged. Perform at your highest level.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Be optimistic regarding competitive involvements today, especially if they're social or sports-oriented. These endeavors could produce peripheral benefits in other areas.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Arrangements with individuals you have strong emotional bonds with could prove mutually beneficial today. Each of you will upgrade the other.

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Dr. Gott

By Peter M. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I've been diagnosed with polymyalgia and my doctor is treating me with prednisone. Since I also suffer from osteoporosis, my doctor doesn't want to give me large doses of the medication. Is my condition temporary or am I stuck with it for the rest of my life?

DEAR READER: Polymyalgia, a rheumatic disease marked by muscle pain, is often associated with an inflammation of the arteries along the side of the head. This inflammation can lead to visual disturbances and blindness. Therefore, experts recommend continuing therapy with prednisone (a type of cortisone) until all symptoms have abated. The cause of polymyalgia is unknown and the disease is not necessarily permanent for every patient.

On the other hand, osteoporosis — loss of bone calcium — is permanent. As you pointed out, prednisone itself accelerates loss of bone calcium, hence it is contraindicated in the presence of osteoporosis. Nonetheless, you seem to have little choice at this point, since you need therapy for polymyalgia and prednisone is the most effective treatment for this condition.

I think your doctor is appropriately handling the situation, by being cautious about prednisone therapy and by informing you of the perils of treatment. If everything goes well, the prednisone can be discontinued in a few weeks. Meanwhile, your doctor might consider ways to treat your osteoporosis, such as estrogen therapy (if you're a woman) or calcitonin, a hormone that retards calcium-loss from bones.

To give you more information, I am sending you a free copy of my 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 91369, Cleveland, OH 44101-3369. Be sure to mention the title.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I need your advice on whether to go to a bone doctor. I have extensive pain from my left shoulder down to the elbow. X-rays were negative. Cortisone shots and medication were unsuccessful. Now my doctor wants me to see an orthopedic specialist. I'm leaning toward a non-medical practitioner.

DEAR READER: Because your diagnosis is in doubt, I believe you should see an M.D. trained in diseases of the musculo-skeletal system — in short, an orthopedic surgeon. Shoulder pain often reflects inflammation of tendons and other structures, an affliction that may not show up on X-rays, for which special treatment (such as physical therapy and ultrasound) may be necessary. Under the circumstances, I believe an orthopedic consultation is your best bet.

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News briefs

Man wanted in robberies nabbed

IRVING (AP) — A man wanted in connection with 54 robberies in New York City, including one involving four priests, was arrested in Irving on Sunday and ordered jailed on $1 million bond.

Joseph Harris, 28, was arrested early Sunday morning at an apartment complex near Beltline Road in the northwest Dallas suburb of Irving, said Police Lt. James Sendlay.

Sendlay said Harris was being held on two warrants, one out of Mineda, N.Y., for robbery and the other from New York City for possession of stolen property.

Details surrounding his arrest weren't immediately known.

Harris was arraigned Sunday morning and was being held on $500,000 bond for each count, Sendlay said.

Four St. John's University priests were the suspect's latest victims Friday night, according to New York City police. Police said the robber used the same technique in that robbery as he did in 53 others since Jan. 31: he walked up to people standing outdoors, pulled his gun, pistol-whipped one victim and took whatever they had.

Underwater wedding

AUSTIN (AP) — Skyler Chapman and Carol Mitchamore were serious about taking the plunge when they decided to get married.

The Austin couple, both diving instructors, exchanged rings and a wedding kiss 40 feet beneath the surface of Lake Travis last weekend.

Chapman said the underwater wedding was a sign of how devoted he and his bride are to diving.

"We just fell head over heels with (the sport). Getting married, diving — it just all seemed to fit in place," he said.

The two on Saturday exchanged vows before District Judge John Wisser and 50 others on a ledge at Barstow's Landing. The judge, wedding party and about 20 guests then hit the water for the ceremony's culmination on an underwater platform.

Families of the bride and groom waited on shore during the underwater portion of the ceremony, but they didn't seem to mind.

"It's sort of consistent with the way they look at life — differently," said Ron Chapman, father of the groom.

Patricia Chapman, the groom's mother, wasn't immediately taken in by the idea of a wet wedding.

"I said, 'This is really ridiculous. This is too hokey,'" she said.

Memorial planned in Odessa

ODESSA (AP) — A group of Vietnam War veterans is attempting to raise $500,000 to construct a bronze and marble monument honoring 200 West Texas residents who died in the conflict.

The Permian Basin Vietnam Veterans Memorial Committee hopes to raise the money by November and complete the memorial by March 1993.

"I don't think it would ever be too late to remember those people killed in Vietnam," group member Sam Gray said.

Gray said the group started with a pricetag of $150,000 for the project.

"After we had to move the site two or three times and eventually buy the land where the memorial will stand, we are looking at needing $500,000," he said.

As of this month, the veterans had raised about half that total, including $30,000 through about a dozen fund-raisers.

Hospital Notes

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DISMISSALS: Penny Cochran and baby, D.D. Shelburne, Teresa Courtney, Jo Ditt Williams and baby, Basera Chowdbury, Sharon Garrett.

Census: 43 (Med.-5, Long-Term Care-30, OB-4, Nursery-4)

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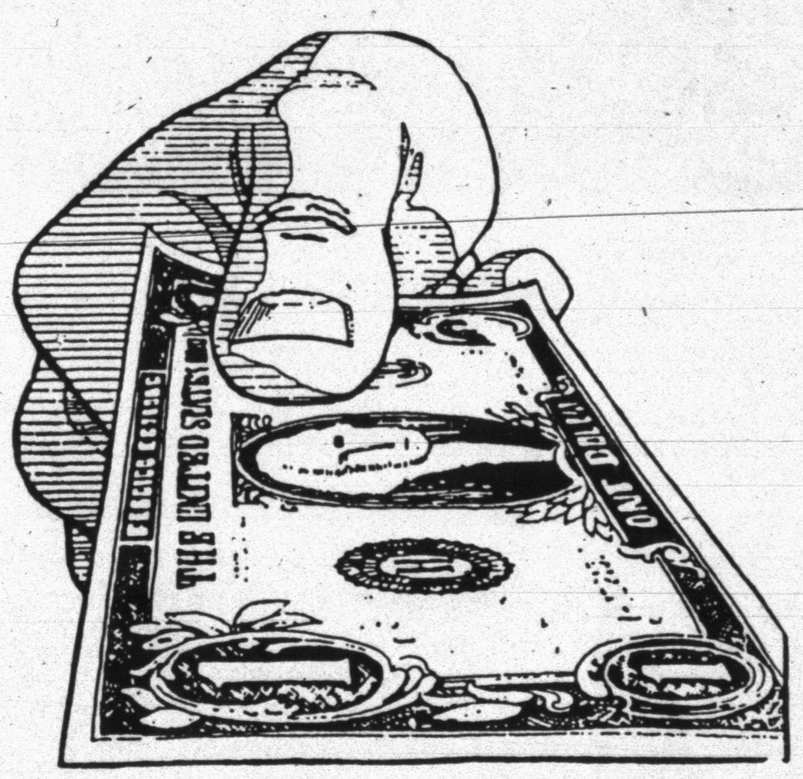
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Pope John Paul II in hospital for medical tests

ROME (AP) — Pope John Paul II was undergoing medical tests today and may face surgery for an intestinal problem that could be related to his shooting 11 years ago.

After an overnight fast, diagnostic tests began this morning at the Gemelli Clinic. Gemelli is the same Catholic hospital where the pope had been rushed for surgery when shot in the abdomen by a Turkish gunman in St. Peter's Square on May 13, 1981.

Vatican spokesman Joaquin Navarro said no details on the pope's condition were expected until the tests were completed, probably Tuesday. The tests were to include a CAT scan, a sophisticated X-ray of internal organs.

The pope's hospitalization forced postponement of a visit by President Rodrigo Borja of Ecuador, who is seeking papal mediation of a border conflict with Peru.

The 72-year-old pontiff announced the hospitalization himself, during his traditional Sunday appearance at a window of the Apostolic Palace overlooking the square. The announcement was seen as a way to dispel alarm and any air of secrecy over the health problem.

"I would like to tell you something confidentially. This evening I'm going to Gemelli Clinic for some diagnostic tests. I ask your prayers so that the Lord is near to me with his help and with his support," the pope said to the surprise of the tourists and pilgrims crowding the square.

Navarro said that if tests showed a need for surgery, the operation would be done while the pope was in the hospital, two miles north of the Vatican.

"I'm optimistic, but I'm speaking as the spokesman for the Holy See and not as his doctor," said Navarro, who holds a medical degree.

Navarro said it would likely be two or three days before a decision is reached on how to treat what he called a "dysfunction," or ailment, in the small intestine which possibly might be related to the old bullet wound.

The pope had been set to start a 10-day vacation in the Italian Alps on Wednesday, but that will have to be put off for now, Navarro said.

Hospital spokesman Giuseppe Pallanch said the pope would have a private room and a study, and two rooms would be used by the pope's Polish secretary and other staff. The Polish nuns who cook for him would also be in the hospital, Pallanch said.

Nurses snapping photographs, visiting relatives and some patients — including one in a wheelchair and another with an intravenous needle in his arm — welcomed the pope when his black Mercedes convertible rolled up in front of the hospital Sunday evening.

Except for the 1981 gunshot wound and a subsequent infection and followup surgery, the pope has enjoyed remarkably good health and stamina in his nearly 14-year-old papacy.

He is still planning long trips. On Saturday he announced that "God willing" he was going to the Baltics in 1993.

His daily agenda is thick with appointments and his pace is almost as fast as it was when the cardinal from Krakow, Poland, ascended to the papacy in 1978 at age 58. He has since visited 104 countries.

Courtroom gunman had checkered past

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — Accused courthouse gunman George Lott at one time developed a computer game in which the object was to pull "dirty tricks" on people, authorities say.

During his 1990 divorce trial, when asked if the game included any elements of the legal system, Lott said, "Yes, there is a courthouse."

Two years after that testimony, Lott rose from the back row of the 2nd Court of Appeals at the Tarrant County Courthouse and began shooting.

Lott blamed the July 1 shootings that killed two and wounded three others on the treatment he received during the 1990 trial and child custody hearings, at which he was accused of sexually abusing his son. But court records show that Lott's fits of rage began long before, the Fort Worth Star-Telegram reported Sunday.

Lott, 45, is being held without bail in the Tarrant County Jail. He is charged with capital murder, assault on court participants, and firearms violations. Lott acknowledged he was the gunman in a television interview shortly after the shooting spree.

According to testimony during his divorce trial, Lott once witnessed an automobile accident and, while on the phone with police, said he hoped the victims would die.

Other testimony indicated that Lott:

—In 1988 was convicted of intentionally damaging a woman's car in a Fort Worth parking lot. Lott said the woman had parked too close to his vehicle.

—Threatened motorists while traveling at high speeds and attempted to run luxury cars off the road.

—Pulled at the penis of his infant son and in 1987, yelling, "Look, he's deformed; he'll never be right."

—Put sugar in salt shakers after a cafeteria worker was not immediately able to give the price of a food item.

Town hopping over three-eared bunny

JOHNSON CITY (AP) — The tale of the three-eared jack rabbit has some residents of this Blanco County community on the bunny trail.

Two visitors reported seeing the rabbit late last month on a county road, the Austin American-Statesman reported Monday. Johnson City is west of Austin.

Cynthia Smith wrote up the story in her column in the local weekly, the Johnson City Record Courier. Since then, she said, "Everybody out there has been looking just like crazy."

Brother shoots boy choking his sister

HOUSTON (AP) - A 12-year-old boy defended his 10-year-old sister by shooting to death a 12-year-old boy who was choking her, police said.

Officers said Ung Ho, of Los Angeles, who was visiting relatives in Houston, died in Ben Taub Hospital Sunday.

The 12-year-old victim and the young girl were fighting over who would use a computer, officers said.

The suspect's parents could become the first held accountable for their child's use of a weapon under a new city ordinance, officers said.

Homicide Sgt. George Alderete said that Ho was visiting the home of his mother's friend when he began fighting with the suspect's 10-year-old sister over use of a computer.

"She told him to get off the computer so she could see it, and he didn't want to," Alderete said. "He started shoving her and then knocked her on the floor and started choking her."

The girl's brother then found the keys to his parents' truck and grabbed a .32-caliber semiautomatic pistol from inside.

Officers said that when the boy returned to the house, he and Ho struggled. The weapon then discharged, striking Ho once in the head.

Ho apparently resided with his father in California and was in Houston visiting his mother who lives down the street.

The suspect's mother had left the children alone around 5 p.m. to get dinner, police said.

The boy was taken into juvenile custody, but charges were unlikely, Aldrete said.

Aldrete said he would discuss the possibility that the boy's parents could be charged under the ordinance approved by City Council last spring in an effort to stem the number of shooting deaths involving children.

But the officer said he was not sure that the ordinance would apply in this case because the boy's parents had made a reasonable attempt at keeping the weapon secured.

The city enacted the new ordinance after 35 juveniles were shot to death last year in Houston.

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No evidence of POWs found

MOSCOW (AP) — A search of KGB files has turned up no evidence that American POWs from any previous war might still be alive in Russia, the ITAR-Tass news agency said today..

Experts searched for clues to the whereabouts of 3,752 American servicemen in the archives of the Russian Security Ministry, formerly the KGB, but found no evidence on their fate, ITAR-Tass

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