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Nine people dead in atomic accident

MOSCOW (AP) — Mikhail S. Gorbachev told the nation nine people had died in the Chernobyl atomic accident, and called on Washington to join the Kremlin in banning nuclear tests to avert the "far more horrible" threat of atomic war.

In an apparent attempt to still foreign criticism over Moscow's handling of the April 26 nuclear power plant accident, Gorbachev also used his Wednesday television speech to propose better international cooperation to warn of future atomic power mishaps.

The Communist Party leader mixed concern for his fellow Soviets with outrage at foreign reaction to the disaster.

He also thanked foreign specialists who had helped the Soviets, and mentioned Drs. Robert P. Gale and Paul Terasaki, who along with a third American and an Israeli doctor have operated on victims.

In his 25-minute address, he revealed for the first time that nine people were now dead and 299 still hospitalized because of the accident in the northern Ukraine.

Gorbachev did not explain the increase in the number of people reported hospitalized since a Soviet official told a May 6 news conference that 204 were admitted for care.

Gorbachev said radiation at the Chernobyl plant, 80 miles north of Kiev, as well as in the immediate vicinity, was still at dangerous levels, but stressed that courage and concern on the part of many had averted a catastrophe.

An explosion in the plant's No. 4 reactor, Gorbachev said, was triggered by a sudden power surge and a buildup of explosive hydrogen. But, he told the Soviet people, "The worst is now behind us."

Declaring that Chernobyl had sounded the alarm about the dangers of nuclear technology, Gorbachev said the accident had prompted the Kremlin leadership to renew its unilateral mortatorium on nuclear testing until Aug. 6.

Last month, Gorbachev had said that because of continued U.S. nuclear testing, he would abandon the ban which had been in effect since last Aug. 6, the 40th anniversary of the atomic bombing of Hiroshima, Japan by the United States.

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Ask Us

Q. — In a vehicle front seat there are three grown adults. The owner of the vehicle has their seat belt fastened. The other two do not. Does the owner get a ticket?

A. — The law does not address who owns the vehicle, but who is driving the vehicle. Drivers will be ticketed if there is an individual ages 4-14 riding in the front seat without their seat belt buckled. If the driver is buckled and a second individual older than age 15 is not, the second person gets the ticket, not the driver.

Twisters continue to strike

By the Associated Press

A school and a dozen houses were destroyed, at least four people were injured and 66 miles of high tension power line towers toppled like dominoes as a rash of storms and tornadoes rumbled over the Plains Wednesday, authorities said.

It was the second consecutive night of severe storms in Texas. At least eight tornadoes occurred in the Abilene-Sweetwater area of West Texas on Tuesday night.

Four residents of Windthorst, about 30 miles south of Wichita Falls, were taken to Archer County Hospital in Archer City, hospital administrator Dan Powell said.

He said one man was in stable condition with head cuts. Nursing supervisor Carol Crowley said the man suffered the injuries when a tornado hit his mobile home "and it literally exploded."

Three other men were cut by flying debris, Powell said.

Midway School, a kindergarten through 12th grade school about 15 miles west of Henrietta, was destroyed, said Joe Clements, safety education officer for the Department of Public Safety in Wichita Falls.

"One wall is left standing," he said, adding that the school was unoccupied at the time.

High-tension, 345,000-volt power lines along a 65-mile route between Wichita Falls and Graham were downed by high winds, said George Hedrick, public communications manager for Texas Electric Service Co.

When the lines fell, he said, the metal towers supporting the lines fell.

"There was a domino effect where some of the frames fell down and pulled others down," he said.

Hedrick said he did not know exactly how many towers fell, but he said there is an average of nine or 10 towers a mile. Several highways in Jack and Clay counties were blocked for a while by the downed lines. Hedrick said some of the towers will be repaired and some will be replaced.

He said no service was interrupted because the lines did not service homes and businesses. Instead, he said, the lines ran from a generator in Graham to substations in Wichita Falls.

'TUNA' TONIGHT — Glenn Polk and Mike Dennis will use quick costume changes to play 10 male and female roles in the dinner theatre production of "Greater Tuna" on the campus of Western Texas College. Thursday will mark the first of six scheduled performances of the show. Tickets, to include a meal at 7 p.m. and the show at 8 p.m., are priced at $13. (SDN Staff Photos by Noble B. Young)

Sesqui 'train to stop

Snyder missed the first pass of a state-approved Sesquicentennial wagon train, but local residents will have a second chance next Sept. 17.

On that date, the Lone Star Sesquicentennial Wagon Train is scheduled to make an overnight stop in the city.

According to Morris Ray, public relations manager for the effort, the state's Sesquicentennial Committee has sanctioned two trains.

The first, the Texas Sesquicentennial Wagon Train, began Jan. 2 and is scheduled to end its journey July 3.

On July 5, the Lone Star train is to leave from Weatherford for a five-month journey.

"The train now going is taking a wide outside loop of the state. We'll be crisscrossing the interior," Ray said.

He said project planners hope many members of the current train will fall in with their line of wagons. "We really expect our train might be bigger since we'll be traveling during the summer months."

He noted that while the two trains have been organized separately and are not connected, "They've been friendly and have given us good advise based upon their experiences."

He noted the two trains will cross similar stops at only two points throughout the state.

The organizer for the Lone Star train is A.N. Graham of Taylor.

The Scurry County Sesquicentennial Committee will be making plans for the local visit. Heading up this effort is John Gayle.

He said plans to greet the travelers are now in the works.

The local wagon train visit will

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2 political parties slate conventions

Representatives from both political parties with gather here Saturday for county conventions.

The Democrats will conduct their's beginning at 2 p.m. at the meeting room of The Shack restaurant.

Republicans will meet beginning at 7:30 p.m. at West Elementary.

The main thrust of both gatherings will be to name delegates to each party's state convention and to consider resolutions which were submitted at the precinct conventions last May 3.

Committees will be or have been appointed for these jobs.

Resolutions are expected to be adopted by both parities to be submitted at the state convention.

Presiding at both county conventions will be the county party chairmen. For Democrats, this is Gene Bowlin; and for Republicans, Roy Baze.

Delegates named Saturday will attend the state conventions for both parties slated June 27-28. The Democrats will meet in Austin and the Republicans in Dallas.

Pops concert slated at SHS Friday night

The Snyder High School choirs have scheduled their Spring Pops Concert for 7:30 p.m. Friday in Worsham Auditorium.

According to Bill Lyon, choir director, the two-hour program will feature current hits and standards by artists ranging from David Lee Roth to Barbara Streisand. Theme of the music will be the power of love.

Tickets for the concert are priced at $3 each. These will be available only at the door on a first come, first serve basis.

In a change from previous years, tickets will be sold for seating only. No standing room tickets will be available.

The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "Progress is wonderful. A VCR is a device that allows you to sit home and watch a movie that you wouldn't walk across the street to see when it first came out."

A few days ago, Snyder National Bank ran an ad asking for a three-inch rain during the month of May. The newspaper guaranteed results, and it started to rain almost immediately.

To date, one-third of the desired total has fallen according to the official weather station located at the city water treatment plant. So far, the rainfall for the month is 1.08 inches. Of course, some parts of the county have received more, and other parts have received less.

Our deal with the bank is simple. If it doesn't rain, the ad is free. Since we already have received one inch, the bank will at least have to pay one third.

After the ad was published on May 4, a caller said the ad was a riciculous idea, that we should be praying instead. We are praying--that SNB will have to pay full cost of the ad.

That very afternoon it rained. Vicki Brown, a SDN staffer whose husband is minister at the Ave. D Baptist Church, inquired after reading the ad if we had heavenly subscribers.

It's all in fun, but we're still confident that the needed moisture will come in time for planting time at the end of the month. When it does, both the SDN and Snyder National will be more than happy to give proper credit.

Since the U.S. raid on Libya, Khadafy has maintained a low profile. We hope he never understands American foreign policy.

It seems all he'd have to do is to concede defeat and some State Department professionals would send him boatloads of money for reparations and reconstruction.

Bumper sticker that makes sense: "There is no right way to do a wrong thing."

Barbecue place opens on College

A barbecue wagon selling Fuller's Bar-B-Que has opened here, located at 1906 College Ave.

The take-out eatery is owned and operated by Michael and Sherri Fuller, who opened a similar barbecue restaurant in Colorado City two years ago.

The pair, who live in C-City, will continue operations in both places.

The Snyder business will be open from 11 a.m. until 7 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday.

Food items offered will include carryout barbecue sandwiches, dinners and "by the pound." They will cater meals also.

Local

Senior BBQ

Senior Center workers remind individuals planning to attend the barbecue to be held in conjunction with May Day activities that tickets to the meal will not be sold at the door.

Tickets are still available and may be purchased from center volunteers. The meal will be served from 4:30 until 6:30 p.m. Saturday in the coliseum.

Tickets are priced at $5 each.

An auction of some 30 quilts plus other donated items will begin at 6:30 p.m.

Play day

An open play day has been slated at the Sundowners Arena Sunday beginning at 2 p.m.

A jackpot barrel race is set for 4 p.m.

For more information call 573-3216.

Legion night

The Snyder American Legion Post 181 will sponsor a family night Friday at 7 p.m.

A meal will be served and ladies are asked to bring a covered dish or desert. A dance will follow.

To college

A $2,000 scholarship has been donated to Western Texas College from the Panhandle-South Plains Fair Association.

The gift was presented Wednesday in Lubbock by Joe Baldridge, fair board president.

It is to be offered to ag majors at WTC. This is the second year the college has received the scholarship.

Toys needed

Toys are still solicited here for distribution to youngsters under 11-years-old affected by the Sweetwater tornado.

These may be turned in at Ben Wilson Supply through Saturday and the toy distribution is planned Sunday. It is estimated up to 200 children are in need.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Wednesday, 97 degrees; low, 64 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Thursday, 64 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1986 to date, 3.10 inches.

West Texas: Widely scattered thunderstorms late tonight and Friday east and southeast spreading into the Panhandle Friday. Otherwise fair and warm. Lows tonight 48 mountains and 52 Panhandle to 68 Concho Valley. Near 70 Big Bend valleys. Highs Friday 86 Panhandle and near 90 mountains to 97 Permian Basin. Near 105 Big Bend valleys.

TREE PLANTING AT STANFIELD–The Stanfield fifth grade students in Bobbie Taylor's class have planted this pecan tree in honor of the Texas Sesquicentennial. Students are Sheila Buchanan, Houston Cromwell, Dane Farley, Todd Iglehart, Misty Jenkins, Jana Lane, Jarin Lovelady, Joe Bob McCravey, Michelle Morbin, Eric Neves, Jennifer Nitsch, Willie Ray Page, Lynette Sears, Kent Smith, Sheri Srna, Kristi Sturgeon, Jamie Tycer, Justin White, Amy Williams, Jennifer Williamson, Chris Winter. (SDN Staff Photo)

Bela Bartok, the Hungarian pianist and composer, was born in 1881.

The European Common Market was set up by the Treaty of Rome in 1957.

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House may seek tax increase too

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House, finishing work on its fiscal 1987 budget, appeared poised to join the Senate in calling for a tax increase and a sharp cut in President Reagan's proposed military buildup.

Despite administration lobbying, lawmakers of both parties said the $994 billion spending plan drafted by the Democratic-controlled House Budget Committee would win, and a Republican alternative somewhat closer to what Reagan requested would lose.

"This is going to be a Democratic vote, and they are going to take the responsibility for it," said Rep. Delbert L. Latta of Ohio, senior Republican on the budget panel, who opposed the measure. "They've got them (the votes) pretty well lined up."

The budget committee adopted the Senate's decision to add $7.3 billion in taxes to the $6 billion Reagan submitted in February.

Recruits exposed to virus

WASHINGTON (AP) — The rate at which military recruits are testing positive for exposure to a virus associated with AIDS remained almost constant during the first three months of the year, a new Defense Department report shows.

The Pentagon has now identified 458 recruits who tested positive for exposure to the virus.

Moreover, the same prevalence rate of roughly 1.5 cases per 1,000 recruits is showing up in the first results from testing men and women who are already on active duty, Pentagon sources said Wednesday.

The new report, obtained late Wednesday by The Associated Press, shows that since last October the Defense Department has refused to admit 431 men and 27 women into active service because they tested positive for exposure to the virus.

The report also shows that the Middle Atlantic region continues to lead the nation in positive test rates for recruits and that the older the recruit, the greater the chances of a positive test.

The new report covers from Jan. 1 to March 31.

Teen count declines

WASHINGTON (AP) — It may not be time for MTV to add Lawrence Welk to its stars, but marketers will want to study new Census figures showing the number of teen-agers is declining sharply, while the middle-aged and elderly make up a vastly bigger share of Americans.

MTV, the channel offering nonstop rock music, has found its audience among young people, a segment of society that has dominated all sorts of marketing for years, but is now dwindling in strength.

Yet to be seen is how that giant post-World War II Baby Boom generation will change its tastes in music, food, clothing and other products as it surges into middle age.

But however these people react, they are a bulge in the puzzle of American society that is currently boosting the 35-to-44 age group into first place in national growth.

That age group jumped 23.9 percent to nearly 32 million people between 1980 and 1985. Their growth of 6.1 million people accounted for half of all the nation's population increase over that period.

The younger brothers and sisters of that group followed close behind, accounting for a 13.3 percent increase in Americans aged 25 to 34 between 1980 and 1985.

But the second-fastest growing group, by percentage, was the "old old," those 85 and over, who increased 21 percent to 2.7 million over the five years.

Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren

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Fight Over Wedding Plans Puts In-Laws on the Outs

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: Our son is getting married in September. When "Evelyn," the bride's mother, called to tell me of the wedding plans, I was floored! They are having the reception at the most expensive hall in Boston. Abby, these are young kids who have nothing.

I was informed that our share would be $4,500. I told Evelyn we didn't have that kind of money, that $1,000 was our limit. She hung up on me.

I called a few days later and asked how many guests we could invite to the reception. "For $1,000," she said, "one couple." I was furious and went right to her house to talk to her. She said I was living in the dark ages if I thought the parents of the bride still paid for the whole wedding with no help from the groom's side. She repeated, our share was $4,500. I said, "People who put on showy weddings they can't afford are four-flushers." Then the father of the bride threw me out of the house!

Now there's bad feeling on both sides. Should we make a loan?

MAD IN MASSACHUSETTS

DEAR MAD: No. The parents of the bride should have had a meeting with you before they planned a wedding that was beyond their means. Having committed for it, they have no right to "bill" you. They may have to make a loan, which will be their problem, not yours.

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DEAR ABBY: I am a high school dropout, but few people know it because my verbal skills are very good. I have a fairly good job, but I want to go to college. How does a high school dropout get into a college?

Someone suggested I look into the "G.E.D." program. What is it? I was ashamed to ask. Thanks for any help you can give me.

OHIO DROPOUT

DEAR DROPOUT: "G.E.D." stands for General Education Development test. Contact your local high school administration office and ask when and where to take the G.E.D. test. It is designed for people such as you. If you pass the test, you will be certified as having a high school education, and you will qualify for college as a high school graduate. You may also apply for jobs that require a high school diploma.

This test is known in some parts of the country as the High School Equivalency test.

Good luck, and thanks for asking because this information is valuable to many other readers.

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DEAR ABBY: My 16-year-old son wrote a letter to his grandparents who live in California. It wasn't a routine "thank-you" letter, but a spontaneous, friendly "keep-in-touch" letter.

Yesterday he received a response from my mother. When he showed it to me, I was furious! She had corrected three misspelled words, explaining in a footnote that she did it out of "loving concern."

My son just shrugged his shoulders, but I am angry. What do you think?

FURIOUS IN DULUTH

DEAR FURIOUS: Your mother rates an "A" for good intentions, but an "F" for tact and diplomacy. Tell her that out of "loving concern" for her grandson's feelings, in the future she should resist the temptation to correct his letters.

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CONFIDENTIAL TO P.C.L. IN WATERBURY, CONN.: Having a baby is easy. It's being a parent that's difficult.

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(Every teen-ager should know the truth about sex, drugs and how to be happy. For Abby's booklet, send your name and address clearly printed with a check or money order for $2.50 and a long, stamped (39 cents) self-addressed envelope to: Dear Abby, Teen Booklet, P.O. Box 38923, Hollywood, Calif. 90038.)

Duplex housing now available for WTC students

Campus housing in duplex apartments is available for summer students at Western Texas College.

Rent is $330 per month for summer students and a $110 property deposit is required. Call 573-8511 for more information.

Registration for summer classes at WTC will be held May 27. Classes for day and evening students will begin May 28.

Russia's Peter the Great died in 1725 and was succeeded by his widow, Catherine.

The repatriation of American prisoners of the Vietnam War began in 1973 when a plane left Hanoi Feb. 12 with the first POW's to be released.

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8:00 "Company B"
8:30 "Hazel Snake"

Saturday - May 17, 1986
11:00 Emily Hataway
11:30 Colonial Hill Baptist Church
12:00 Colonial Hill Baptist Church
12:30 Kenny Robinson
1:00 Stacey Hillis
1:30 E.L. Hill
2:00 Debbie Martinez
2:30 Richburgs
3:00 Glenda Hollingsworth
3:30 Hackfield-Robinson
4:00 Maurice Rosas
4:30 Dorothy Ratliff
5:00 Malone-Neill
5:30 Western-in-Betweens
6:00 Bryan Thrower
6:30 Darrell Collins
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7:30 Cindy Hataway
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NURSES HONORED — Volunteers with the Cogdell Memorial Hospital Auxiliary honored the facility's nursing staff with a tea to celebrate National Nurses' Week, May 4-10. Auxiliary member Vera Baize pins a corsage on Yvette Sickler, RN and inservice director, and Becky Craig, LVN at the event which drew approximately 130 nurses, doctors, and guests. (Auxiliary Photo)

PERFECT ATTENDANCE AWARDS PRESENTED — Members of Beta Sigma Phi received perfect attendance awards during the group's recent banquet. Pictured (from left) are Sue Sewell, one year; Marie Boone, two years; and Dena Ellis, 10 years. (SDN Staff Photo by Shirley A. Gorman)

SEVERAL WIN AWARDS — Several Beta Sigma Phi members received awards during the group's recent banquet including (from left) Marie Boone, Valentine Queen; Jackie Buckland, Mrs. Congeniality; Mickey Baird, President's Award; and Sue Sewell, Girl of the Year. (SDN Staff Photo by Shirley A. Gorman)

SPECIAL HONOR — Glenn Polk received a Beta Sigma Phi mug and Sue Sewell was awarded a crystal Beta Sigma Phi tray in recognition for outstanding service to the local chapter. (SDN Staff Photo by Shirley A. Gorman.)

Awards given B.S.P.

Beta Sigma Phi members and their guests celebrated Founder's Day with a banquet May 2 in the Snyder Country Club.

Entitled "Celebrate Texas, 1936-1986," the banquet commemorated the founding of the group in Abilene, Kan., on April 30, 1931. A traditional Texas barbeque buffet dinner was served at tables decorated with wooden Texas cut-outs, red geraniums and red, white and blue ribbons.

President Sue Sewell served as toastmistress for the event with Jacalyn Lowrance presenting the Opening Ritual and the Beta Sigma Phi Grace. Mona Bryan gave the Founder's Day Pledge and Jeanne Johnson read the traditional Message from International.

The Girl-of-the-Year Award, the chapter's most prestigious honor, was presented to Sue Sewell in recognition for her efforts as president. She also received a crystal presidential tray from Carolyn House.

Other awards presented during the event included Marie Boone, Valentine Queen, Sue Sewell, one year perfect attendance; Marie Boone, two-year pin; Beverly Mitchell, three-year pin; and Dena Ellis, 10-year pin. Ellis also received the Ten-Year Award from Barbara Bills.

Program of the Year honor was awarded to Beverly Mitchell with Jackie Buckland named Mrs. Congeniality. Mickey Baird earned the President's Award.

Glenn Polk received a Beta Sigma Phi commemorative mug in recognition for his outstanding contribution to the chapter.

Scrapbook chairman, Jackie Buckland, presented the scrapbook to the chapter. Glenn Polk concluded the program with chapter highlights of the 1985-86 year. Mickey Baird announced the 1986-87 theme, "Share the Dream."

A dance followed in the grand ballroom.

Co-chairmen for the event were Carolyn Limmer and Brenda Hedges. Committee members Barbara Bills, Bette League, Jacalyn Lowrance, Cindy Edwards and Dena Ellis assisted.

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James Jacoby

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Opening lead ♠ 6

Plan the play in no-trump

By James Jacoby

What are the rules for playing no-trump contracts? You generally play the suit that will provide you with enough tricks to make your contract. Or you play the suit in which the defenders have a top winner or two that must be forced out. Part of the fun of bridge is the unexpected — there are exceptions to all rules.

On the lead of the spade six against three no-trump you win the 10 after playing low from dummy. The easy play is to now finesse the queen of diamonds. If successful, that finesse will give you enough tricks for your contract, and in any event you will eventually have to play the suit. All true. But if that finesse loses and East returns a spade, what then? You will lose your contract whenever West has the ace of clubs and started with five spades headed by the king.

To guarantee your contract, you must make sure of a club trick before going after diamonds. If the opponents do not take their club trick immediately, you can switch back to diamonds and assure yourself of at least nine tricks. The point is that you will have already scored one club trick and need no longer fear that the defenders will establish their spades and win the race for tricks.

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Every human breath holds a trillion trillion atoms, reckons National Geographic.

Community Calendar

THURSDAY

Alateen; for the children of alcoholics; Trinity United Methodist Church; 6 p.m. For more information, call 73-2101.

Weight Watchers of West Texas; basement of First Presbyterian Church; 6:30 p.m. New members welcome and should register at 6 p.m.

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Winston Park Building, off 37th St. in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-4870 or 573-1357.

FRIDAY

Story Time for Preschoolers, Scurry County Library, 10 a.m.

Duplicate bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.

Alcoholics Anonymous; Avenue K and 13th St.; Chapel of Roses; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-2101.

Al-Anon; Chapel of Roses, Avenue K and 13th St.; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-8325 or 573-2101.

SATURDAY

Diamond M Museum, open from 1-4 p.m.

People Without Partners, 42 at Inadale Community Center; 6:30 p.m.

Narcotics Anonymous, Winston Park building, off 37th St. in Winston Park; 8 a.m. For more information, call 573-6604 or 573-1357.

SUNDAY

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Winston Park building, off 37th St. in Winston Park; 10 a.m. For more information, call 573-4870 or 573-1357.

Duplicate bridge, Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.

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

Diamond M Museum, open from 1-4 p.m.

Duplicate Bridge Club, Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.

Stolen cars

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — Every 29 seconds an automobile is stolen in the United States, according to National Car Rental, which adds that only about 50 percent of these are ever recovered.

Stolen vehicles are often taken by thieves directly to illegal operations called "chop shops," where they are stripped and reduced to untraceable parts. The parts are then sold individually for sums considerably greater than could be gotten for a whole and unaltered stolen vehicle.

National, which has a fleet of about 110,000 cars, says it has now begun marking its cars in many cities with vehicle identification numbers, both to prevent their theft and to facilitate their recovery.

Queen Elizabeth II took the oath of accession to the throne Feb. 8, 1952, following the death two days earlier of her father, King George VI.

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2:00 p.m. All Booths Open
3:30-4:15 Browning Band
4:30-5:15 Scurry County Pioneers Country & Western Band
5:30-6:15 Cindy Hataway
4:30-6:30 Bar-B-Que Dinner Served

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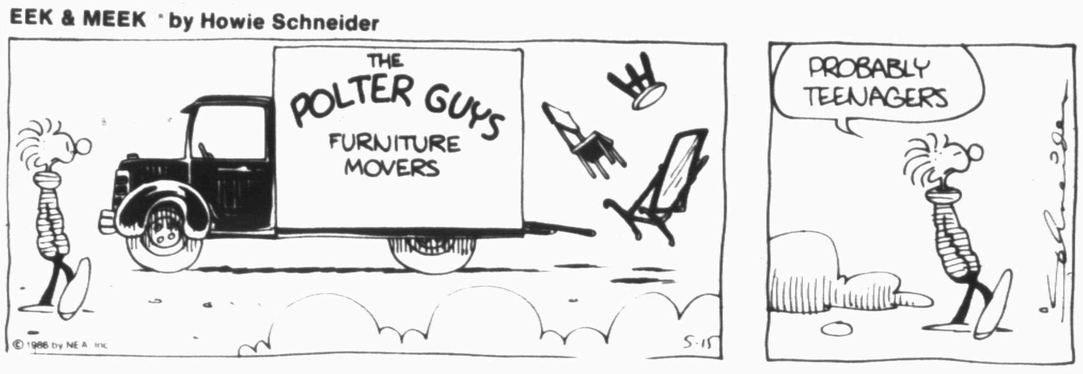

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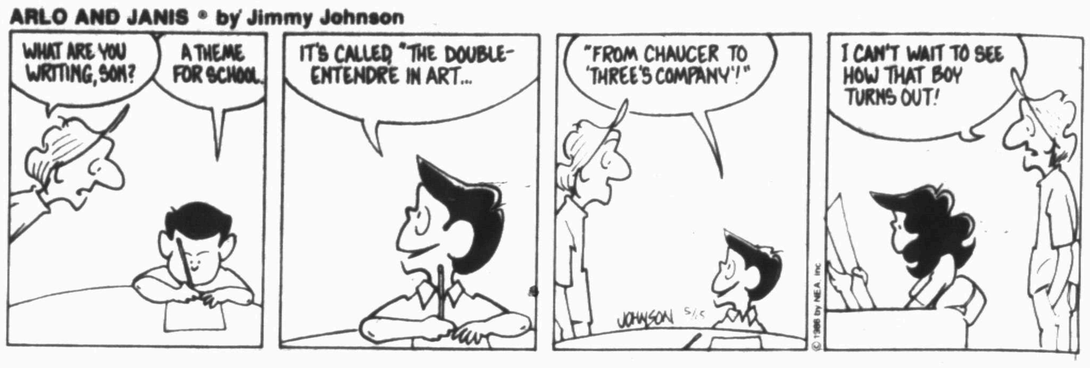

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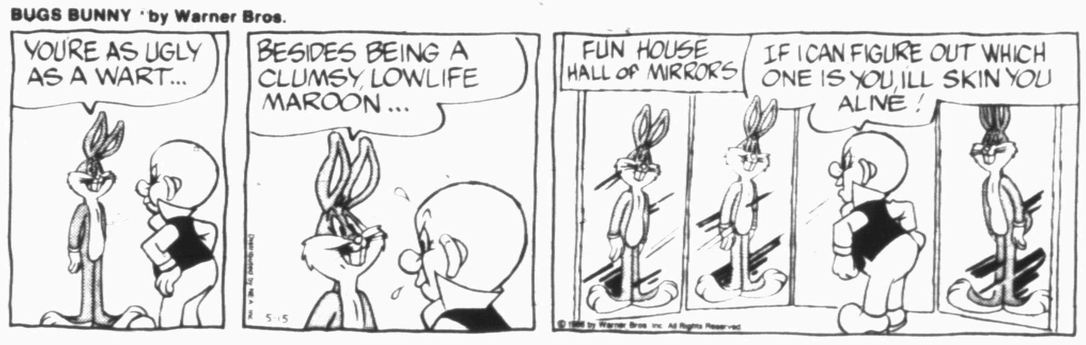

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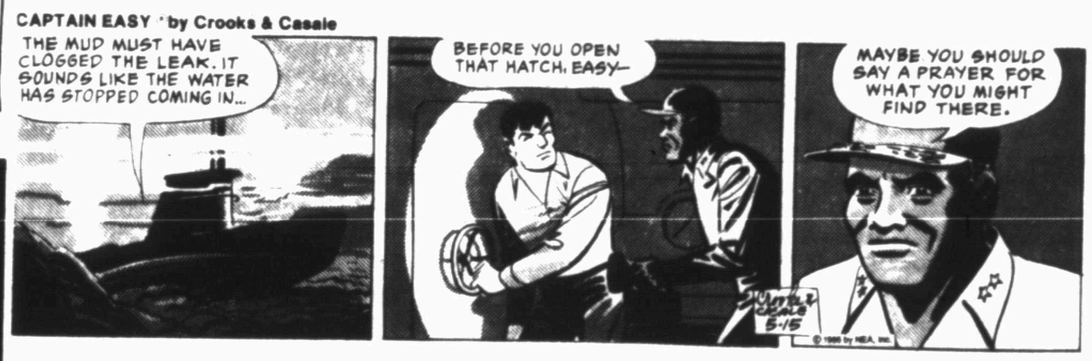

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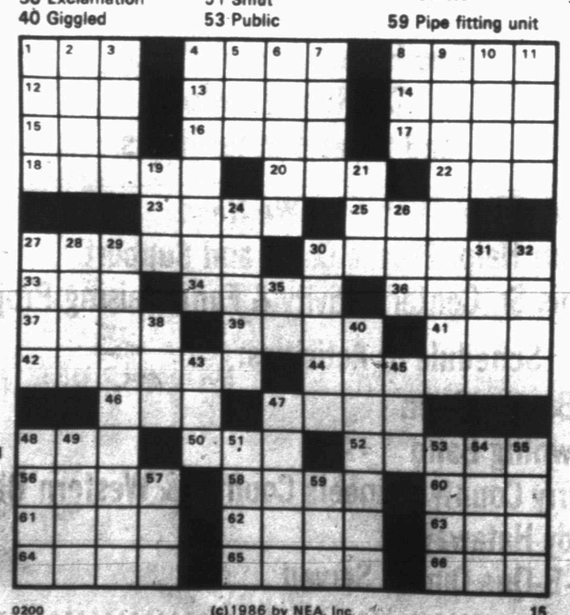

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Space station work will need 14 flights

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — Fourteen space shuttle flights will be required for a new, scaled-down manned space station that NASA plans to construct in orbit in the 1990s with the help of its closest allies.

The first assembly flight is planned for late 1992 or 1993 and the station, the size of a football field, should be completed by 1996, said NASA's project director, John Hodge.

The revised plan, unveiled at a news conference Wednesday, initially will have five major pressurized modules instead of the seven originally planned, and it is designed so a permanent crew does not have to be aboard from the beginning, which had been the earlier plan.

Hodge said budget constraints dictated the new design and pushed back the date for permanently manning the station from 1992 until 1994. The structure still will be built for $8 billion, he said, the amount President Reagan set in 1984 when he committed the United States to develop a permanent station.

The United States will build modules for living and for logistics and microgravity research; the European Space Agency, a consortium of 10 nations, will supply a life sciences module; Japan will provide an advanced technology module, and Canada will develop a mobile satellite servicing and repair center.

The modules will be clustered inside giant metal trusses to which are attached solar panels, power stations, antennae, shuttle docking ports and experiment and equipment bays. The service center will move about the complex on rails.

There also are plans for four free-flying platforms, two provided by the United States and two by the Europeans.

Contractors will be selected to build the station, which will accommodate up to eight people, in about a year, Hodge said.

Fourteen shuttle flights will be needed to build the station, Hodge said. The first U.S. module could be in place with the sixth flight, in 1993. Crews then periodically will work there until the ninth flight, when all three U.S. modules will be in place and the station can be occupied permanently, he said.

He said the Japanese and European modules and the Canadian service center would be added by 1996, and that eight to 10 shuttle flights would be required each year to change crews and to resupply and maintain the station.

The station "will be the cornerstone of our endeavors for the foreseeable future," said James C. Fletcher, NASA's new administrator, who also was at the news conference, held in Washington.

Dr. Gott

Peter Gott, M.D.

Don't ignore 'night sweats'

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT — My doctor seems reluctant to tell me why I have drenching night sweats. At present I am taking Hydrochlorothiazide, Persantine, Lanoxin, and am being withdrawn from Prednisone. I have had four or five transient ischemic attacks. Do you have any idea of what might be causing the night sweats?

DEAR READER — Drenching night sweats may result from many types of infection that can be serious. Prednisone can mask infections, so during the time you are stopping the medicine, manifestations of inflammation (such as night sweats) can become evident.

Rather than being reluctant to discuss this problem with you, your doctor may simply not know why you are having night sweats. That's unfortunate, because I think you need to know. I suggest you sit down with the doctor and express your concerns. If he or she seems unenthusiastic about investigating your problems, ask for a referral to a specialist in internal medicine. Night sweating is a symptom that should not be ignored.

DEAR DR. GOTT — A year ago I was in the hospital for tests for amaurosis, having had what my doctor said was a light stroke. I still have the blurs and objects appear over my field of vision. What is my next step to clear my vision?

DEAR READER — The term "amaurosis" refers to visual disturbances, including black spots and loss of certain visual fields, from causes outside the eyes themselves. Amaurosis can be due to diseases of the optic nerve or brain from alcoholism, diabetes or kidney diseases; it has been reported to occur after emotional shock and may be inherited.

If your doctor believed you had a stroke, you probably had amaurosis fugax. This results from blood clots that are carried to the brain or optic apparatus. The condition can be treated with anticoagulant drugs.

You may need to have an angiogram performed. This X-ray dye study enables the doctor to assess whether there are narrowed segments in the arteries of your neck. If these narrow arteriosclerotic portions are present, they can be the source of blood clots that can break off, be carried to the brain and cause strokes and blindness. I suspect that your doctor will want to refer you to a vascular specialist.

DEAR DR. GOTT — For several years I used aspirin for rheumatoid arthritis, but had to stop because of an irritated stomach. The non-aspirin-based drugs I've tried do not seem to help the pain and joint swelling as well as aspirin. Are there any that might reduce the inflammation?

DEAR READER — There are available today many nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drugs (NSAIDs) that are stronger than aspirin and useful for arthritis. Ask your doctor to suggest one for you.

Unfortunately, all these drugs have a similar and troublesome side effect. They break down the gastric mucous barrier and open the way for heartburn and peptic ulcers to develop. Therefore, they are best prescribed and monitored by a physician who is familiar with your arthritis and can anticipate any drug side effects that may occur.

To give you more information, I am sending you a free copy of my Health Report on UNDERSTANDING OSTEOARTHRITIS. Other readers who would like a copy should send $1 plus their name and address to P.O. Box 2597, Cincinnati, OH 45201. Be sure to mention the title.

Send your questions to Dr. Gott in care of this newspaper at P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101. Due to volume of mail, individual questions cannot be answered. Questions of general interest will be answered in future columns.

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FLAG CLEANING OFFERED — Dave Wickline, owner of Snyder Laundry and Dry Cleaning, will be offering free flag cleaning to all Snyder area residents and businesses May 19-23 as a Memorial Day service. Pictured with one of a number of City of Snyder owned flags currently in for cleaning are (from left) Rhonda and Dave Wickline, Mayor Rod Waller and Mayor Pro-Tem Troy Williamson. (SDN Staff Photo)

Many Texas cities are briefed on rate reduction proposal

PORT ARTHUR, Texas (AP) — Attorneys representing coastal cities briefed municipal officials on the "short-term benefits and long-term costs" of a rate reduction proposal by Gulf States Utilities Co.

Attorneys and council members from area cities met in a two-hour closed session on Wednesday at the Port Arthur Civic Center.

The cities must approve the rate case settlement before the state Public Utility Commission will enact it, and Port Neches is the first municipality to have a scheduled council meeting to consider it.

"The cities have to decide whether they want a long-term gain or short-term gain," said Don Butler.

Purple Sage Motel listed in Mobil Travel Guide

The Purple Sage Motel has been listed in the 1986 edition of "Mobil Travel Guide," Art and Helen Feinsod, owners, announced recently.

Over 20,000 restaurants, hotels, motels, motor motels, inns and resorts are listed and rated on a one to five star basis in the seven volume "Mobil Travel Guide," which has been compared to travel experts to the famed Guide-Michelin. The Purple Sage Motel has been awarded two stars for 1986.

To be listed in the guidebook, the establishments must be personally inspected by an impartial, trained inspector, who is employed by a completely independent organization, which has instituted a set of standards for listings and ratings.

Each edition provides information on local history, sightseeing, amusements, sports and recreational facilities, in addition to the star-rated food and lodging listings. Also included are regional road atlases and detailed maps of major cities, special auto tour routes and advice to travelers.

New features introduced with the 1986 edition include discounts for restaurants, a symbol indicating senior citizen discounts, and $1 publisher's rebate coupon. Books for the region (Arkansas, Colorado, Kansas, Louisiana, Missouri, New Mexico, Oklahoma, and Texas) are available at the Purple Sage Motel Gift Shop. Other editions are found at the bookstores, Mobil Service stations, and other places where books and magazines are sold.

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Jackson gets another homer but California stumbles, 8-5

by The Associated Press

Reggie Jackson moved up another notch on the home run ladder, only to see the Boston Red Sox climb right past his California Angels with a powerful late-inning rally.

Jackson hit a two-run homer in the first inning Wednesday night, lifting him past Mickey Mantle and into sixth place on the all-time list with 537 home runs. He also singled and scored the tying run in the eighth inning after California blew a 4-0 lead.

But the Red Sox got three runs in the ninth to beat the Angels 8-5 and keep Roger Clemens' record spotless at 6-0.

"I'm not up there trying to hit homers," Jackson said. "I'm trying to swing the bat good and be a quality player. I've had a good six weeks, but that doesn't make a season.

"I've said it a hundred times, Mickey Mantle is baseball. He's America. I guess I'm a part of it, somehow.

"I feel grateful, but not winning the game tarnished it a little bit."

Elsewhere in the American League, it was Chicago 3, New York 2; Kansas City 5, Cleveland 0; Detroit 8, Texas 2; Milwaukee 9, Seattle 6, Baltimore 8, Minnesota 3, and Oakland 9, Toronto 4.

Tigers 8, Rangers 2

Homers by Chet Lemon, Lance Parrish and Darrell Evans paced the Tigers' attack, while Walt Terrell went the distance for the third time this year.

Terrell is 4-1.

White Sox 3, Yankees 2

Chicago had only three singles off Bob Shirley and trailed 2-0 entering the ninth. But Carlton Fisk and Bobby Bonilla singled, Shirley was lifted for Brian Fisher, and Greg Walker singled in a run. With two outs, Ozzie Guillen's two-run triple down the left-field line won it.

Royals 5, Indians 0

Mark Gubicza won his first game after four defeats this season and he did it in style, holding Cleveland to three hits and striking out eight. The Indians had won their last seven road games.

George Brett, suffering through an early-season slump, drove in three runs and became the Royals' all-time leader in RBI with 993, surpassing Amos Otis' 992.

Brewers 9, Mariners 6

Charlie Moore was moved up to the second spot in the lineup and it paid off as he reached base five times, scored three runs and drove in two to help Milwaukee snap a three-game losing streak. With the two hits Moore raised his average to .319 this year.

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Expos' Dawson puts on show as Montreal tags Atlanta, 3-2

by The Associated Press

A few years and a few knee operations ago, Andre Dawson was considered one of the best all-around players in major-league baseball. There are still games, though, where Dawson shows what made him so good.

On Wednesday night, Dawson blended the five basic skills for an everyday player - hitting for average, hitting for power, running, throwing and fielding - in leading the Montreal Expos over the Atlanta Braves 3-2.

Dawson homered and stole home in giving Montreal the lead, and threw out two runners from right field and made a shoestring catch to keep the Expos ahead.

"It was certainly Dawson's night," Atlanta Manager Chuck Tanner said. "He put on quite a show out there."

In other National League games, Houston beat New York 6-2, Philadelphia rallied past Cincinnati 8-6, San Diego bopped Pittsburgh 10-4, San Francisco trounced Chicago 11-3 and Los Angeles downed St. Louis 8-3.

Dawson, 31, in his usual manner, steered away from his performance and instead directed attention to the Expos' 10th victory in the last 11 games.

"It takes an effort from everybody to win this game. I'm just one-ninth of the team out there," Dawson said. "I'm just trying to do my part to contribute."

Astros 6, Mets 2

Bob Knepper tossed a five-hitter and became the first seven-game winner in the major leagues as Houston beat New York at the Astrodome.

Knepper, 7-1, struck out five and walked one in his third complete game of the season. Knepper avenged his only loss of the season, which came May 6 in New York.

Kevin Bass rapped three hits, including two doubles, and drove in two runs in helping pin the loss on Bob Ojeda, 5-1.

Phillies 8, Reds 6

Mike Schmidt, out of the starting lineup because of a cracked rib, hit a pinch-single with the bases loaded in the eighth inning, triggering a four-run rally that led host Philadelphia past Cincinnati.

The Phillies trailed 6-4 in the eighth before loading the bases on a single by Steve Jeltz and a pair of walks by John Franco, 0-1.

Ted Power relieved Franco, and Schmidt hit a drive off the center-field fence. The runners held up waiting to see if Eddie Milner would catch the ball, but second baseman Ron Oester's wild throw on the relay cleared the bases and allowed Schmidt to reach third. Juan Samuel hit a sacrifice fly that drove in Schmidt.

Dodgers 8, Cardinals 3

Fernando Valenzuela pitched five-hit ball for eight-plus innings and delivered a pair of singles as Los Angeles pounded out 17 hits in beating error-plagued St. Louis.

Valenzuela raised his record to 5-2.

The host Cardinals committed five errors, the most they've made in one game since April 15, 1981.

Padres 10, Pirates 4

Steve Garvey hit a two-run homer, Bruce Bochy had a solo shot and Tony Gwynn went 4-for-5, including a triple, powering San Diego past Pittsburgh.

The Padres rapped 14 hits and put the game away with five runs in the ninth.

Dave Dravecky, 3-3, got the victory and Rich Gossage picked up his sixth save.

Giants 11, Cubs 3

Jeffrey Leonard and Dan Gladden connected for three-run homers, highlighting a 16-hit attack that led San Francisco over Chicago at Wrigley Field.

Leonard hit his sixth of the season in the third inning off Rick Sutcliffe, 1-6. Gladden's first of the season, against Matt Keough, capped a six-run sixth.

Baseball glance

By The Associated Press

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Boston	21	12	.636	—
New York	21	12	.636	—
Cleveland	18	13	.581	2
Baltimore	17	14	.548	3
Milwaukee	17	15	.531	3½
Detroit	15	16	.484	5
Toronto	14	20	.412	7½

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
California	19	16	.543	—
Texas	16	15	.516	1
Oakland	18	17	.514	1
Kansas City	15	16	.484	2
Minnesota	13	20	.394	5
Seattle	13	22	.371	6
Chicago	11	20	.355	6

Wednesday's Games

Oakland 9, Toronto 4
Milwaukee 9, Seattle 6
Chicago 3, New York 2
Detroit 8, Texas 2
Baltimore 8, Minnesota 3
Kansas City 5, Cleveland 0
Boston 8, California 5

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	21	7	.750	—
Montreal	19	11	.633	3
Philadelphia	13	16	.448	8½
St. Louis	13	17	.433	9
Pittsburgh	12	16	.429	9
Chicago	13	18	.419	9½

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Houston	19	12	.613	—
San Francisco	20	14	.588	½
San Diego	17	16	.515	3
Los Angeles	16	19	.457	5
Atlanta	14	18	.438	5½
Cincinnati	8	21	.276	10

Wednesday's Games

Los Angeles 8, St. Louis 3
San Francisco 11, Chicago 3
Montreal 3, Atlanta 2
Philadelphia 8, Cincinnati 6
San Diego 10, Pittsburgh 4
Houston 6, New York 2

Golf tournaments around the area

SNYDER

Snyder Country Club will hold its annual Pro-Member Tournament on Monday.

Entry fee for members is $35.

There will be two shotgun starts; one at 9:30 a.m. and one at 2:30 p.m.

Members should sign up at the Pro Shop.

SNYDER

Western Texas College will host a Two-Man Scramble here May 24 and 25.

Deadline to enter is May 21. Entry fee is $100 per team.

Prizes include: 1st place, Wilson Fluidfill irons; 2nd place, Wilson woods; 3rd place, Wilson golf bags; 4th place, two dozen Wilson golf balls.

Shotgun starts will be held each day at 8:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m.

Field is limited to 60 teams and will be preflighted into four flights.

The event includes a barbecue on May 24.

For further information contact Dave Foster at the Pro Shop or call (915) 573-9291.

Experience should aid Tigers as they tee off for state golf tourney

AUSTIN -- As Snyder prepared to tee off in the Class 4A State Golf Tournament today it was with an undergraduate team. They'll all be back next year.

But despite their youth, the Tigers are not without experience. Two of the girls have been here before, in 1984, when Snyder finished runnerup in state.

"Just getting to state is an accomplishment," said Leslie Light, who along with Xalyn Harris played on the 1984 squad. "It takes a lot to get there."

Snyder reached the state tournament by taking second place in District 2-4A and second place in the region; both times behind Andrews.

Light has been a big part of Snyder's success. She has garnered District 2-4A medalist honors the past two years. Naturally, with her success comes added pressure.

"Well, I feel some pressure because if I don't shoot well I feel like I've let myself down and the team down. I know I've got to do it (play well) for them as much as I do for me," she said.

Playing for Snyder here are Light, Harris, Lea Ann Thompson, Michelle Holder and Angie Lay.

The two-day tournament held 18 holes today and will play the final 18 Friday.

Light said having played at state before should be an asset to her.

"When I played at state as a freshman I was scared. I think having played there once will be a help. I know what to expect. There's still a lot of pressure because this is the state tournament and you want to do really well," she said.

She's confident the Tigers are capable of playing well.

"I think we can place in the top two teams there," she said, conceeding that Andrews is probably considered the favorite. "We've beat Andrews individually before and if we all play well I think we can beat them. We'll have to play very well, our best, I think."

Brenham led all state qualifiying teams with a 693 at its regional tournament while Andrews shot a 708 and Snyder a 731 for the third best score.

Other teams here are Fredricksburg, Paris, Carthage, Raymondville and Sulpher Springs. Individuals include Kelly Kifer from Seagoville, Amy McDougal from Dumas, Neisy Rodriquez from Alamo Heights and Monica Diaz from Rio Grande City.

Heavy rains pelted Jimmy Clay Municipal Golf Course today where the tournament was scheduled. The teams were preparing to tee off at 10 a.m. after a two-hour rain delay.

LESLIE LIGHT

Snyder leagues

GIRL'S SOFTBALL

Opening Ceremonies Set

Opening ceremonies for the United Girl's Softball League will be Friday at 5:30 at the girl's softball fields in Towle Park.

All girls, coaches, managers and league officials will be introduced.

May 9, 1986

JUNIOR TEENAGE LEAGUE

Buffs 9, Dodgers 4

Joey Felan slapped a double and a single and Joe Velasquez punched a triple as the Buffs defeated the Dodgers. Also hitting for the Buffs were Bart Morton, a double; Jason West, two singles; and winning pitcher Randy Morris, one single.

The Dodgers got two singles from Ronnie Pruitt and one from pitcher Shane McCarter.

Braves 14, Bullets 4

Winning pitcher Tracy Odom slammed two doubles and teammate Chad Welsh added two singles as the Braves blasted the Bullets recently.

Also hitting for the Braves were Tommy Lane, Terry Snyder, Chris Welsh and Fletcher Davis, one single each.

The Bullets were led by pitcher Tracy Braziel's double. Andy Ramirez and Jonathan Burton hit a single apiece.

Softball action around the area

LAMESA

LAMESA -- The Dawson County Sesquicentennial Men's Slow Pitch Tournament will be held May 17 and 18 at Forrest Park Diamond in Lamesa.

Entry fee is $100; Blue Dot balls. Deadline is May 15.

Trophies include: First through fourth team; first through third individual, 15 all-tournament, golden glove, MVP.

Contact Delbert Wilkerson at (806) 872-2587 or Jack Kelley at 872-2144 (day) or 872-3922 (night).

SWEETWATER

SWEETWATER -- The Klein slow pitch softball tournament has been changed to May 23, 24 and 25 at Jones and Frailey parks in Sweetwater.

Entry fee is $90 plus Blue Dot or Blue Stitch balls. ASA rules will be used.

Trophies include first through fourth place teams, first through third individual team members, 10 all-tournament.

Contact Jerry Morton at (915) 235-2388 after 4 p.m. or Jerry Hulcy at 235-5066.

SNYDER

Town and Country No. 108 will present a Jerry's Kids Softball Tournament June 6, 7 and 8 here.

All proceeds will go towards the Muscular Dystrophy Association.

Deadline to enter is June 1. Entry fee is $100. USSSA rules will apply.

To enter, contact Scott Hendricks at 573-0422 or 573-0229.

Prizes include: First through third place team trophies; First and second place individual trophies; All-tournament team; Home Run King; MVP trophy.

BIG SPRING

BIG SPRING -- The Bandits West Texas Playoffs softball tournament will be held here June 13, 14 and 15.

Entry fee is $150 per team and deadline is May 20.

Awards include a six-foot trophy for first place.

For information, contact Frank Pecina at (915) 263-1251.

Karate event here

James Cummings' Martial Arts Academy will hold a karate tournament and full contact bouts May 24 in Scurry County Coliseum.

Tickets are $5 for general admission, $6 box seats and $7.50 ringside. Children's tickets will be one-half price.

The tournament will start at 11:30 a.m. and will feature forms, weapons forms, point sparing and musical forms until 6 p.m.

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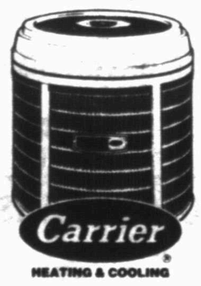

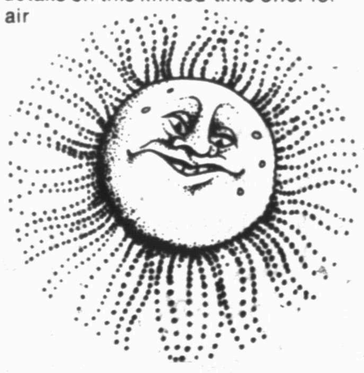
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Lakers need win in Houston to regain playoff momentum

INGLEWOOD, Calif. (AP) - Houston wrested the home-court advantage from the Los Angeles Lakers, but the Rockets are looking over their shoulders as they move to the comfort of the Summit for Game 3 of Western Conference championship series.

"This should give us some inspiration," said Houston's Ralph Sampson. "But the Lakers are the champions. They will come out ready. They've been here before. These are only my second playoffs. They can take the home-court advantage right back."

The Rockets relied on tenacious defense, including 12 blocked shots, to defeat the defending NBA champion Lakers 112-102 Tuesday night at the Forum and even the series at 1-1.

"One time I thought they dropped someone out of the ceiling to block my shot. It was a rough night," Laker center Kareem Abdul-Jabbar said after the loss. Abdul-Jabbar, 39, made only nine of his 26 field goal attempts Tuesday night. Several of his shots were blocked.

The split at the Forum was just what Houston wanted.

"This game gives us a lot of confidence going back to Houston because we can't lose there," said Olajuwon, who had 22 points, 13 rebounds and six blocked shots. "We'll do whatever it takes to win. It's going to be tough, but I know we can do it."

The Lakers, who are trying to become the first NBA team to repeat as champions in 17 years, won the opener of the best-of-seven series 119-107 last Saturday.

The action shifts to the Summit in Houston for the third game Friday night and the fourth game Sunday. The Rockets are 41-5 at home this season, including a perfect 5-0 during the playoffs.

"They definitely have the advantage now," Lakers forward Kurt Rambis said. "We have to get at least one win down there (at Houston). Our work is definitely cut out for us."

Sampson had 24 points, 16 rebounds and five blocked shots and Rodney McCray, the team's other frontcourt starter, had 16 points, six rebounds and 11 assists.

In addition, guard Lewis Lloyd, who scored only four points in the first game of the series, had 24 points.

Earvin "Magic" Johnson led the Lakers with 24 points, 19 assists and eight rebounds. But Abdul-Jabbar, the NBA's all-time leading scorer who had 31 points in the opener, was held to 21 points and four rebounds.

Abdul-Jabbar has been extremely effective against the Rockets since the "Twin Towers" came into being two years ago, but he was frustrated Tuesday night.

"I would beat one of their big men and the other one would come over and block my shot," Abdul-Jabbar said. "The ball would not go down for me."

"We are an experienced team so I think we will come back from this loss."

Taylor will not forget Horned Frog scandal

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) - Gearld Taylor, one of seven players dismissed by Texas Christian University coach Jim Wacker last fall for accepting illegal payments, said he will never forget the scandal.

"You can only put so much behind you," the linebacker said earlier this week. "Every time I think about TCU and football, there's a recurrence."

Wacker notified the NCAA after the seven players admitted to him that they had accepted payments. The NCAA punished the school by cutting 35 football scholarships over two years, banning the team from appearing in a bowl after the 1986 season and fining TCU $340,000 in television revenue earned over two seasons.

"It looks to me like the NCAA came down hard on TCU even though they turned themselves in," Taylor told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram. "I don't know what you're supposed to do now. Just keep quiet I guess."

Taylor signed a free-agent contract with the Chicago Bears, and he spent the early part of the week doing wind sprints to get in shape for a weeklong Bears minicamp.

"It's hot, I'm telling you," Taylor said of conditions on the artificial turf at Amon Carter Stadium. "But I've gotta work on my speed."

Of the other six players - Egypt Allen, Ron Zell Brewer, Kenneth Davis, Marvin Foster, Gary Spann and Darron Turner - four plan to play pro football.

Spann and All-America running back Davis were drafted by the Green Bay Packers. Spann is the only one of the seven still not attending classes.

Allen and Turner also signed free agent contracts with Chicago, and Brewer and Foster have no future football plans.

All declined to comment extensively about their experiences.

"The part about the prostitutes (reportedly used to lure recruits) kind of shocked me," Taylor said. "I had no idea about any of that, if it happened.

"In my mind, I can't look back, but it's a hard question as to what would I do if I had it to do all over again," he said.

Turner, meanwhile, said past trials would help his future counseling profession.

"I should be able to tell young people that even though the easy way really looks good, you should never put hard work in the way of easy money," Turner said. "The easy way will soon be your downfall."

Allen, who said he was not surprised about the violations, looks only to the future.

"I've got a chance with Chicago to do what I've always wanted to do," he said. "A lot of free agents make it in pro football and I'm confident I can do the job.

"I've got to go on with plans for the rest of my life."

CHAMPS -- Soccer champions in the 6-7 year old division this season were the Jets. Pictured above for the team are, left to right, front row, Jeremy Fuentes, Tarra Beals, Jim Chisum, Mandy Hess, Matt Rogers, Brady Collier, and second row, Jeannette Waltz, James Shields, Wayne Childs, Bryan Colb, Veronica Williams, Eric Gard. Coaches are Ben Fuentes and Jimmy Hess.

Moncrief will play for Bucks tonight

BOSTON (AP) - Sidney Moncrief is coming to the rescue for the Milwaukee Bucks, but whether he'll be the little Dutch boy with his finger in the dike or a single sandbag against a tidal wave remains to be seen.

The uncertainty centers on the fact that Moncrief won't be the only player on the floor tonight. The powerful Celtics will also be in Boston Garden.

Hobbled by an injury in the heel and arch area of his left foot, Moncrief, Milwaukee's top scorer in the regular season, missed the Bucks' 128-96 loss to Boston in the opener of the NBA Eastern Conference finals Tuesday night.

Milwaukee Coach Don Nelson said Wednesday Moncrief probably would play in Game 2 of the best-of-seven series. What difference would the Bucks' star guard have made in Tuesday's game?

"Certainly not 30 points," Nelson said. "Everybody else has to play better, along with Sidney."

Moncrief has missed five of the Bucks' last eight playoff games. They are unbeaten in those he played, 1-4 in those he sat out. He has been effective despite playing with pain.

"Only time will tell" how much a subpar Moncrief can contribute, Boston guard Danny Ainge said Wednesday.

"We miss Sidney," Milwaukee's Paul Pressey said. "He adds so much to our team besides his talent."

With Moncrief, the Bucks have more flexibility in varying their lineups.

Games 3 and 4 will be in Milwaukee Saturday and Sunday. If a fifth game is needed, it will be here Wednesday night.

Nelson said the Bucks must improve in every facet of the game tonight and can't change their style because of difficulty going inside against Boston's big men, Robert Parish, Bill Walton, Kevin McHale and Larry Bird.

"Our game has to be what got us here," said Nelson.

Boston is looking for its 38th straight home victory and 26th triumph in its last 29 games. But all that success is tempered by the knowledge that just one ' s: tonight will shift the homecou advantage to the Bucks.

"I don't think there's any danger we'll be overconfident," said Boston guard Jerry Sichting. "This is one team that doesn't lack in confidence but we don't have to worry about being over confident."

In antitrust suit...

Rozelle to be first witness

NEW YORK (AP) - NFL Commissioner Pete Rozelle, described by USFL attorney Harvey Myerson as an arch-villain who, along with his "henchmen," plotted the demise of the four-year-old league, is scheduled to be the first witness in the USFL's $1.32 billion antitrust suit against the NFL.

The first verbal exchange in the trial came Wednesday, with opening statements by Myerson and Frank Rothman, the NFL's trial lawyer, who traded vivid tales of intrigue and conspiracy in the multi-million dollar world of professional football.

What follows may be as much as two months of testimony as the USFL tries to prove it is entitled to $440 million in damages - trebled under antitrust law to $1.32 billion. It is also seeking to have the NFL ordered off at least one of the three major television networks.

In his opening statement, the combative Myerson said that much of his evidence will come from the mouths of NFL officials - Rozelle; league counsel Jay Moyer - derisively referred to by Myerson as "Moyer the lawyer" - and Val Pinchbeck, the NFL's director of broadcasting. Similarly, Rothman said he would call the USFL's two commissioners, Chet Simmons and Harry Usher.

Each side spent most of Wednesday's opening pinpointing a villain for the USFL's troubles - an estimated $150 million in losses from three years' play in the spring; franchises that have folded; franchises that have moved, and no television contract for its first fall season that starts in September.

To Myerson, the problems were caused by Rozelle, his "henchmen" and the NFL owners, who, he said are responsible for "one of the greatest wrongs perpetrated under the antitrust laws of this nation."

To Rothman, the villain was Donald Trump, the New York builder who started a wild spending cycle after he bought the New Jersey Generals after the USFL's first season in 1983.

Rothman took issue with Myerson's characterization of the USFL as "an itty-bitty" league describing it instead as "a league of great wealth seeking to make a great killing and maintained that Trump "could buy and sell many of the NFL owners." He said Trump's real goal was a merger with the NFL that could turn his $5 million investment in the Generals into a windfall of $50 million, the estimated value of an NFL franchise.

"That's the way real estate operators often operate," Rothman said. "Spend a little and force your way in to end up with a big piece of the action."

Both lawyers also claimed they had incontrovertible evidence - "smoking guns" in their parlance.

Myerson, using terms like "smoke-filled rooms" and "secret meetings" said he would use two internal NFL memos to prove his contention that the NFL conspired to do away with the USFL.

He said he had three such "smoking guns" - a Harvard Business School presentation to NFL executives on how to do in the USFL; a memo by Moyer suggesting that staying off one network would be an invitation to a new football league, and a memo by Jack Donlan, head of the NFL Management Council, proposing that the NFL try to drive up the USFL's cost of doing business by bidding for some of its players.

NBA playoffs

By The Associated Press

Conference Finals
(Best-of-Seven)

Eastern Conference

Tuesday, May 13
Boston 128, Milwaukee 96, Boston leads series 1-0

Thursday, May 15
Milwaukee at Boston

Saturday, May 17
Boston at Milwaukee

Sunday, May 18
Boston at Milwaukee

Wednesday, May 21
Milwaukee at Boston, if necessary

Friday, May 23
Boston at Milwaukee, if necessary

Sunday, May 25
Milwaukee at Boston, if necessary

Western Conference

Tuesday, May 13
Houston 112, L.A. Lakers 102, series tied 1-1

Friday, May 16
L.A. Lakers at Houston

Sunday, May 18
L.A. Lakers at Houston

Wednesday, May 21
Houston at L.A. Lakers

Friday, May 23
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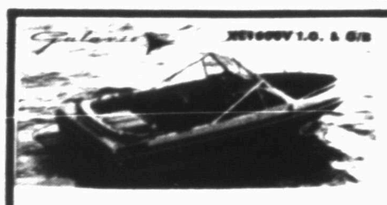

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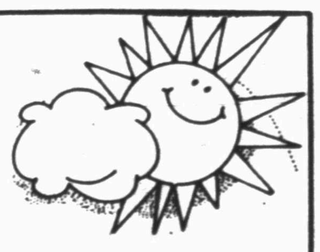

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Climbers search still on

TIMBERLINE LODGE, Ore. (AP) — Specially trained dogs and helicopters with infrared sensors failed to find six teenagers and two adults lost on Mount Hood for a third day today after a blizzard ambushed a school expedition, killing three teens.

An Air Force helicopter with an infrared device that can detect temperature variations of 2 degrees found nothing late Wednesday, said Air Force Staff Sgt. John Harkness.

Rescuers had hoped the climbers had survived in a snow cave, but those hopes diminished as no sign of life was seen Wednesday, when sunny weather and noisy helicopters should have caused survivors to dig out.

"They should have punched their way out," said Clackamas County Sheriff's Lt. Don Vickars. "That's what the general opinion is."

Dogs trained for mountain work were brought from Seattle, but were also unable to find the missing climbers.

Three frozen members of the party, two girls and a boy, were airlifted Wednesday from the slopes of the 11,235-foot mountain, and a medical team of 40 at Portland's Emanuel Hospital worked all day in "a last-ditch effort" to revive them, said spokeswoman Lori Callister.

The heartbeat of Eric Sandvik, 15, was restored for a few hours, but he died, said hospital spokeswoman Paula Anderson. The girls, identified as Erin O'Leary, and Alison Litzenberger, both 15, died earlier.

Helicopters rescued three searchers who fell into a crevasse Wednesday afternoon, said Sgt. Mark Ross of the Air Force's 304th Aerospace Rescue and Recovery Squadron. He said they were uninjured.

"The crevasse opened up and swallowed them. It's getting real touchy up there," said Air Force Technical Sgt. Jeff Murphy.

More than 20 parents gathered in a room in the Wy'East Lodge at this resort as the search continued.

Wayne Litzenberger, 44, said before he learned that his daughter was dead, that the party may have been ill-equipped when it set out from Timberline Lodge on what was intended to be a day-long expedition.

Squatters overrun the area

PHOENIX, South Africa (AP) — Trustees of Mohandas Gandhi's rundown Phoenix Settlement want to restore the historic Indian center as a haven for opponents of race discrimination, but are in a quandary over what to do about a recent wave of black squatters.

Phoenix director Mewa Ramgobin said he fears the squatters will take over the whole 75-acre settlement north of Durban, whose historic buildings were gutted during clashes between blacks and Indians last August.

But if the settlement's trustees call in the police, they could be seen as accomplices in the forced removal of blacks. Several of the trustees, including Ramgobin, are national anti-apartheid leaders.

The squatters, victims of a housing shortage for blacks crowded under South Africa's racial policies into 10 so-called tribal homelands, began erecting shacks 10 days ago and the government has taken no action against them.

Ramgobin said he suspects the government and the Zulu homeland of KwaZulu have tacitly approved the squatting, hoping both to hurt the Indian Congress and to allow expansion of the homeland, which begins across the street from Phoenix.

"It is in the interests of the proponents of apartheid to destabilize stable communities — to separate Indians and Africans," said Ramgobin, a descendant of an Indian immigrant family.

The squatters pledge allegiance to Inkatha, the movement of Zulu Chief Mangosuthu Buthelezi who long has squabbled with the anti-apartheid Natal Indian Congress.

UNION MEN
Top labor leaders' earnings

TOTAL PAY, 1985

	NAME	TITLE	UNION	PAY
1.	Jackie Presser	President	Teamsters	$534,143*
2.	Henry A. Duffy	President	Air Line Pilots	$263,436*
3.	Weldon L. Mathis	Secretary-Treasurer	Teamsters	$214,077*
4.	Thomas W. Gleason	President	Int. Longshoremen's Assoc.	$173,021
5.	Fred A. Hardin	President	Transportation Union	$165,845
6.	William H. Wynn	President	Food and Commodities Workers	$162,600
7.	Edward T. Hanley	President	Hotel and Restaurant Employees	$157,567*
8.	Herman Leavitt	Secretary-Treasurer	Hotel and Restaurant Employees	$142,469*
9.	Gerald W. McEntee	President	State, County and Municipal Employees	$137,200*
10.	Shannon J. Wall	President	Maritime Union	$136,398

* Includes personal-expenses allowance

Source: U.S. Labor Department/Business Week NEA/Whitney Vosburgh

Officers of the Teamsters — the nation's largest union with 2 million members — are well rewarded for their jobs. Two of the three best paid union officials work for that union.

Rancher denies cattle prod use

KERRVILLE, Texas (AP) — A Hill Country rancher denied he used an electric cattle prod on hitchhikers and forced them to work for him, a Texas Ranger testified in the rancher's organized crime trial.

Ranger Joe Davis also testified in state district court he found a cattle prod and several weapons at a ranch belonging to Walter Wesley Ellebracht Sr.

Davis' testimony Wednesday came in the state's case against Ellebracht, his son Walter Wesley Ellebracht Jr., and ranch worker Carlton Robert Caldwell.

They are accused of conspiring to abduct and torture to death Anthony Warren Bates, a one-eyed drifter from Alabama.

The state claims Bates, like other hithchikers, was lured to the Ellebracht's ranch north of Kerrville with the promise of work, then forced to stay against his will.

Prosecutors allege Bates was tortured with a cattle prod for several days until he died. His body then was doused with gasoline and burned.

Davis testified he went to the ranch for the first time March 29, 1984, after he had received a report of a person missing from property.

When he arrived, Davis said the elder Ellebracht said he could talk to any of the ranch workers.

The ranger said he talked to a Robert King, who indicated he wanted to leave the ranch. Davis said he took King to his office in Kerrville, and the man gave him a statement.

In his statement, King said he saw three other hitchhikers chained up at gunpoint. He said he was told the three were forced to dig ditches and were shocked with a cattle prod.

One of those hitchhikers apparently was Travis Boyd, who testified Monday he was shocked, forced at gunpoint to dig ditches and was threatened with hanging before he was released from the ranch.

Davis said he returned to the ranch April 3 and met with the senior Ellebracht.

"He said they were not forcing anyone to work. He said they had no handcuffs on the place except toy handcuffs, and that they had not shocked anyone," Davis said.

After that visit, the ranger said, several workers left with him. They were identified as Darryl Hunsaker, Howard Bailey, Marshall Van Scoyk, Pete Johnson, Paul Harvey Hicks, Mark Hamilton and his wife.

Hunsaker has been charged with murder in the case. Van Scoyk, Hicks and Hamilton are charged under the organized crime indictment. None has gone to trial.

Davis said Hunsaker, the first to mention Bates' name, showed him a burned out spot on the ranch where Hunsaker said a body had been burned.

Obituaries

ALVIN BOTTS, JR

Alvin Botts, Jr.

FT. STOCKTON–Services for Alvin Ray Botts, Jr. 16, of Ft. Stockton, formerly of Snyder, were to be at 2 p.m. Thursday in Ft. Stockton with the Rev. David Haladay of Snyder officiating. Burial was to be in the Ft. Stockton cemetery.

He died Wednesday morning following a bicycle-car accident. He was born Nov. 10, 1969 in Snyder. He was a sophomore at Ft. Stockton High School.

He is survived by his father, Alvin Botts, Sr. of Snyder; his mother, Patsy Badgett of Ft. Stockton; his twin brother, William David Botts and another brother, Tommy Carl Botts, both of Ft. Stockton; two sisters, Beverly Ann and Stacy of Snyder; one step-brother, Jay Lewis of Snyder; his paternal grandmother, Lella Botts of Snyder; his maternal grandparents, Bill and Kathy Ellington of Snyder; his great-grandmother, Dovie Ream of Electra; and numerous aunts, uncles, and cousins of Snyder.

Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS: Debra Hayes, 2501 32nd; Linda Mize, 2206 42nd; Barbara Boen, Rt. 3 Box 318; Fay Everett, Arah Rt.; Kathlene Glover, 2300 Ave. A.

DISMISSALS: Michael Grace, Johnnie McNew, Angie Dooley, Ellis Eubanks, Rubin Harrell, Velma Wemken, Lisa Garza and baby boy, Adrian Almanza, Miller Robinson, Linda Mize, Sally Ballard and baby girl, Mildred Johnson, Lettie Martin.

Births

A baby girl weighing seven pounds was born to Walter and Barbara Boen of Rt. 3, Box 318 May 13th at Cogdell Hospital. She was born at 9:01 p.m.

David and Deloras Ornelas of Snyder are parents of a baby girl, Nichole De'Ann, born May 4th at 9:46 a.m. at Lubbock Methodist Hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Gregory and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ornelas, all of Colorado City.

Kent County event Saturday

Kent County is planning a get-together Saturday at the Kent County Show Barn and Cafeteria. Events get underway at 10 a.m.

Those attending are asked to bring their own food, but coffee, tea and bread will be furnished.

An arts and crafts show will be held at the old Clairemont courthouse.

A country and western dance will be held Saturday night.

Afternoon entertainment will be provided by Aspermont Senior Citizens.

Dryness hurting ranchers

ODESSA, Texas (AP) — This year is shaping up to be one of the driest on record in this area, and West Texas ranchers say the lack of rangeland feed might force them to sell their herds.

From January to April, the National Weather Service at Midland Regional Airport recorded 0.44 of an inch of rain compared with an average rainfall of 2.35 for the period, meteorologic technician Ron Brown said.

And May normally is the second-wettest month in West Texas, with an average of 2.05 inches, Brown said. So far this month, 0.2 inch has fallen.

Upton County rancher Marshall Nevill said that, if it doesn't rain in the next few weeks, he will have to sell his 200 head of cattle.

"So far, I'm all right," Nevill said. "But it's starting to get to be the hot and dry season — and it has already been hot and dry."

Brown said it's too early to tell whether 1986 will come close to the driest 12 months on record. In 1951, only 4.24 inches were recorded, he said.

Records show the wettest month in West Texas normally is September, with an average of 2.08 inches of rainfall.

In Pecos County, Rod Richardson, who has been ranching since he graduated from Texas A&M in 1947, said dry weather in the 1980s has forced more and more ranchers to sell off stock.

"I've had 24 or 25 inches in the last 53 months," said Richardson, who operates a sheep ranch of 92 sections — or 58,800 acres — about 90 miles south of Odessa.

"This is the driest it has been, which is too bad, because the market for sheep is pretty good right now."

During wetter stretches, Richardson said, he could allow as many as 80 sheep to graze on a section. Today, a section can sustain grazing by only 25 sheep, he said.

Options facing ranchers include taking animals to a feedlot, to slaughter or to out-of-state pasture land, Pecos rancher Charles Stanford told the Odessa American.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture has estimated that a federal plan to buy surplus dairy cattle could add as much as 450 million pounds of beef to the nation's meat supply during the next 18 months.

Opponents are challenging the dairy purchase in court, but Stanford said the announcement this spring nevertheless sent beef prices tumbling.

In Big Spring, a Colorado River Municipal Water District representative said April water sales set a record. For the first time in its 37-year history, the district, in April, recorded 2 billion gallons in water sales in a month before June.

Big Springs's consumption was up 28 percent; Midland, 6 percent, Odessa, 5 percent; and Stanton, 53 percent, district figures indicate.

Brown said the long-range forecast for West Texas calls for above-average temperatures and above-average rainfall. But he tempered the outlook.

"Weather is one of the most unperfected sciences there is," he said.

FFA study noted

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Federal Aviation Administration says it's ferreting out unsafe airline practices aggressively and better than ever, but some critics say the agency is playing for headlines while others see its airline inspection program as too weak.

A congressional study released Wednesday concluded that the FAA inspection system is in such a state that the agency "cannot say with assurance" that airlines are obeying safety regulations — a contention quickly disputed by senior FAA officials.

"The FAA heaquarters doesn't know what inspections are being done, who's doing them, which airlines are being inspected, what kind of inspections are going on and what are the violations," Herbert McLure of the General Accounting Office told a House aviation subcommittee.

The GAO, Congress' investigative arm, has been examining the FAA inspection program for more than a year.

The report listed a variety of problems with the way the FAA monitors the airlines, including poor inspector training.

HELPED GET DRIBBLER TOURNAMENT – A number of community-minded people helped bring the Girls' Little Dribbler National Tournament to Snyder, including, left to right, standing, Tim Riggan, Dennis Ball, Bruce Kallemeyn, and seated, Dennis Chisum, Brenda Hedges and Jack McGlaun. The tournament, scheduled for June 4-7, is expected to bring some 1,800 visitors to the city. (SDN Staff Photo)

Apprentice meat cutter is executed for knife slaying

HUNTSVILLE, Texas (AP) — Jay Kelly Pinkerton, convicted of a brutal slaying committed when he was 17, was put to death by injection early today after desperate last-minute appeals failed to win him a fourth stay.

"I want you to know that I'm at peace with myself and with my God," he said before the lethal drugs were injected into his arms. "I bear witness to Allah. I ask your forgiveness ... and I return unto you."

Pinkerton's father, Gene, witnessed the execution with little emotion, holding tightly to an aluminum rail in the death chamber just a few feet from his son. He was wiping tears from his eyes as he emerged from the prison.

"Say goodbye to Mom," Pinkerton said to his father. "Keep your spirits up for me."

"Bye, Jay," his father said. He replied, "I love you, Dad."

He was declared dead at 12:25 a.m.

Prison spokesman Phil Guthrie said Pinkerton willingly climbed on the gurney as officers prepared him for the injection.

Pinkerton had told prison officials late Wednesday he was certain he would receive a reprieve.

The Supreme Court last August halted the execution just 26 minutes before Pinkerton was to be taken into the death chamber. In November, the court spared him 10 hours before his scheduled death.

But on Wednesday, the high court voted 7-2 to refuse to postpone the execution, with only traditional death penalty opponents William J. Brennan and Thurgood Marshall backing Pinkerton.

Then a district judge, a federal appeals court and the Supreme Court quickly denied Pinkerton's personal second appeal Wednesday, hand-delivered to a federal judge by the convict's mother.

Pinkerton, a Muslim, fasted throughout the daylight hours of his final day, eating a fish sandwich, french fries and milk after sundown.

The apprentice meat cutter was sentenced to death for the fatal stabbing of an Amarillo woman, Saran Donn Lawrence, in October 1979. He also was convicted of capital murder in a second similar slaying of Sherry Welch, also of Amarillo.

Pinkerton denied killing either woman.

His attorney, Dean Roper, contended Pinkerton's trial jury was not asked the proper questions during the punishment phase. The second appeal Wednesday contested trial procedures and evidence.

No state or federal courts, however, agreed.

Gov. Mark White, who also could have halted the execution, called the slayings "two of the most brutal and heinous crimes imaginable." In a departure from past executions, White's statement came before the Supreme Court had completed its review of the last-minute appeal.

"After years of litigation, Mr. Pinkerton's case has been scrutinized in detail and no errors have been found," White said. "It is time that the state be allowed to carry out its lawful punishment."

Pinkerton spent most of the day preparing the brief carried to court by his mother, Margie.

"I figured that," he said after the first appeal was rejected. He had no comment after the second denial was issued.

Pinkerton's closest brush with death, last August, came after the Supreme Court decided to consider whether it was unconstitutional to exclude people opposed to the death penalty from capital murder juries. The high court last month upheld state statutes allowing those exclusions.

Randy Sherrod, the Randall County district attorney who prosecuted Pinkerton, said the appeals were merely attempts to gain time for the condemned man.

Sherrod said there never was any question that Pinkerton broke into Ms. Lawrence's home and killed her.

"He's violent," Sherrod said. "He's the kind that would be a constant threat to anyone. If the death penalty is meant for anyone, it's meant for him."

Mrs. Lawrence was raped, stabbed as many as 50 times, had her throat slashed and body mutilated during a burglary of her home.

Theft reported, second cleared

Police are investigating a theft of several items from the Cogdell Hospital Auxiliary office reported Wednesday morning.

Hospital officials reported the incident at 11:42 a.m. Investigators were told a small amount of money, some postage stamps and a Polaroid camera were taken apparently Tuesday night.

In another criminal investigation Wednesday, detectives said they identified two additional suspects in a motorcycle theft cleared Tuesday.

The April 26 theft of a motorcycle owned by Brian Spencer was cleared Tuesday with the recovery of the machine and the arrest of a 16-year-old suspect.

Additional suspects in the case identified Wednesday include two male juveniles ages 15 and 14.

Cases against all three have been referred to the dictrict attorney's office.

In other action Wednesday, officers took a report for misdemeanor assault following a call to a domestic disturbance in the 1900 Block of Coleman Ave. shortly before 11 p.m.

Three suspects were jailed also on alcohol-related charges in separate incidents through the evening.

Two of those were charged with public intoxication and the third with driving while intoxicated.

Wagon train to stop here

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be on a Wednesday. The week of Sept. 14-20, the train will be in Lenorah (Sunday, Sept. 14), Big Spring (Monday, Sept. 15), Vincent (Tuesday, Sept. 16), Snyder (Wednesday, Sept. 17), Colorado City (Thursday, Sept. 18), Roscoe (Friday, Sept. 19) and Sweetwater (Saturday, Sept. 20.

It is scheduled to end its trek Nov. 28-30 in Austin.

Hit-and-run wreck reported

One minor hit-and-run traffic mishap was reported in Snyder Wednesday.

Elfie Mahurin Nobles of 2111 O'Neil Ave. filed that report at 9:34 p.m.

She told officers that her 1979 Ford had apparently been struck by an unidentifed vehicle while parked at the C&W Food Store on the Lamesa Highway earlier in the evening.

Grass fires occur

Units of the Snyder Fire Department extinguished two grass fires Wednesday.

The first was reported southeast of Ira near Sheppard's Crossing at 2:47 p.m. and the second at the intersection of 22nd St. and College Ave.

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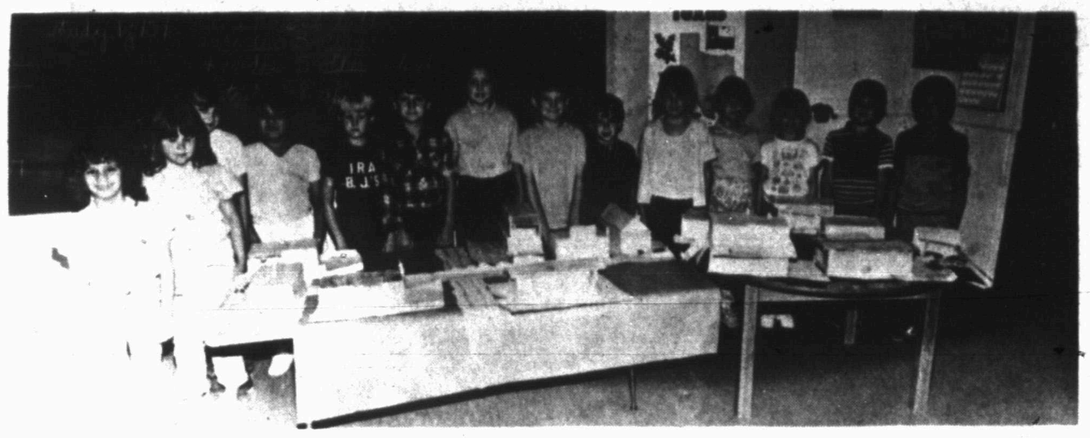

EARLY IRA DISPLAY--Ira second graders in Sandra Gardner's class have been studying about early day Ira. In conjunction with their studies they built this replica of early day Ira. Students pictured are Kellie Broker, Misty Chance, Karen Elam, Catalina Gonzales, Wesley Haddock, Robert Holden, Jennifer Lathem, Johnathan Lee, Damon McFarland, Jody Rankin, Jennifer Rigsby, Scott Strong and Louis Sanchez. (SDN Staff Photo)

BABY CHICKS--Ira's third grade students in Mary Ann Wright's class were successful in hatching four bantam eggs on April 24. Their names are Fluffy, Donald, Cutie and Blondie. The students were able to view the hatching and help in nurturing the bantams into healthy little feathered friends. Students pictured are left to right, back row: Judy Hernandez, Edna Nunez, Travis Collom, Tommy Moss, Billy Mebane, Ricky Stroud, Justin Donelson, Brian Garmer; front row: Jay Nettles, Joshua Darrieulat, Jenny Rankin, Laura Baze, Kristi Sorrells, Susan Shoults. (SDN Staff Photo)

Lucas agrees with hoax report

HUNTSVILLE, Texas (AP) — Convicted killer Henry Lee Lucas says he gave bogus confessions to law enforcement officers in an attempt to show that authorities are willing to convict innocent people.

And Lucas said some 600 murderers are walking the streets of America because "that's how many I confessed to." He now insists he really killed only one person — his mother in Tecumseh, Mich., in 1960.

On Wednesday, Lucas repeated his contentions that he confessed to the slayings around the country to show the ineptness of law enforcement officers.

"They want to clear cases that have been on the books and then they get recognition for clearing them," Lucas said in an interview outside the Texas death row. "I wasn't trying to make fun of them. I was just trying to prove a point. Every place I'd been, they were willing to convict an innocent person."

Detectives would show him pictures of crime scenes and then take him to the places of the crime, Lucas said.

"They'd give you the whole case," he said. You take that, put it together and give it back to them.

"I went along with it. It was wrong."

He continued to confess, Lucas said, because "I started out to commit legal suicide. I was tired and fed up with the system."

Lucas, 49, said he agreed with a report from the Texas attorney general that law enforcement officers accepted dozens of bogus confessions from him in order to clear unsolved murder cases.

"I was tired of being pushed," Lucas said. "I'm willing to go along with anything.

"I enjoyed it for a while. I don't enjoy it now. I didn't think about how I could hurt the families involved and the law enforcement officers."

Astro-Graph

By Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

May 16, 1986

In the year ahead, you will have a larger number of opportunities than you've had in the past. Handle what develops wisely so you can achieve a dramatic rise in status.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) You're going to be let in on some good news shortly. It will be more for the benefit of the family as a whole than for any one individual. Major changes are ahead for Taurus in the coming year. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today. Mail $1 to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, Box 1846, Cincinnati, OH 45201. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Be careful today not to negatively judge situations in advance. This could cause you to view something as a loser that in reality has possibilities.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Today if you get involved in a special activity with friends, don't feel it's up to you to pay the lion's share of the expenses. Split cost equally.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Others will appreciate you more today if you melt into the group instead of trying to run the whole show. Give it a try; see for yourself.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Guard against tendencies today to overrule your better judgment and do things your common sense tells you not to.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) People who are not directly involved must be kept out of your financial or commercial affairs today. Kibitzers will gum things up.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) You're an extremely capable and self-sufficient person, so if anything important needs doing today, do it alone. Don't cart along any dead weight.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Seize the initiative today at work. Do things without having an authority remind you.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) This is not a good day to risk your hard-earned funds on unfamiliar ventures. Before jumping in, do more investigating.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Your domestic relationship will run rather smoothly today if neither you nor your mate rehash an old unresolved issue. Keep the hatchet buried.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Everyone has shortcomings, including yourself. Focus on the good qualities in others, and they'll focus on the good qualities in you.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) General conditions are favorable for you today, but, in material matters, you might not use your best judgment.

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Berry's World

"'...blame the Chernobyl situation on Reagan' — I like it."

Texas officials say recent TECAT test was not biased

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas education officials insist the recent teacher competency exam wasn't racially biased, although a higher percentage of minorities failed than whites.

"We tested to see whether people could read and write or whether they could not. Each and every child deserves to be taught by someone who can read and write," said Education Commissioner William Kirby.

"We think that we have absolute certainty that bias is not a factor in this," he said.

Kirby's comments Wednesday came after the state's largest teacher group, the 97,000-member Texas State Teachers Association, announced it will challenge the exam in a lawsuit being filed in federal court at Tyler.

Under the school reform law of 1984, teachers must pass the Texas Examination of Current Administrators and Teachers to keep their jobs. The lawsuit will ask that test results be voided.

Of the 202,084 teachers who took the test March 10, 96.7 percent passed. The 6,579 who failed get a second chance June 28.

But Charles Beard, TSTA president, said the results indicate the exam discriminated against minorities. Only 1.1 percent of white teachers failed, while 18.4 percent of blacks and 6 percent of Hispanics failed.

"This test illegally discriminates against black and Hispanic educators, and we are formally filing that charge tomorrow," Beard told a news conference.

Beard and TSTA general counsel Karen Johnson said the lawsuit being filed today will argue that the test violates: the U.S. Constitution's guarantee of equal protection under the law; U.S. District Judge William Wayne Justice's 1971 order desegregating Texas schools; the Civil Rights Act and federal laws prohibiting discrimination in enforcing contracts.

A complaint also is being filed with the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission office in Dallas, Beard said.

With black and Hispanic failure rates running so much higher than whites, Beard said, "TECAT has obviously had a disparate impact on different classes of people, leading us to believe ... it is inherently biased."

Some teachers have said the age and academic background of those who failed may have affected the results. Older blacks who were forced to attend segregated public schools and colleges may have gotten a poorer education than did white teachers, they say.

Beard also argued that while his organization doesn't want inept teachers in classrooms, a single pencil-and-paper test can't determine competence.

Such decisions should be made based on an expanded evaluation of all necessary skills, he said.

"The idea that TSTA wants teachers in the classroom who can't read and write is nonsense. We've said all along that a strong evaluation process is the way to change behavior in the classroom," Beard said.

Kirby said state officials took every possible step to guard against racial bias.

An advisory committee was consulted as questions were prepared, he said, and the committee included a higher percentage of blacks and Hispanics than does the Texas population.

Also, a UCLA educator who reviews such exams for the federal Equal Employment Opportunity Commission studied all questions for signs of bias, Kirby said.

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