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Arms Sale Weighed

WASHINGTON (AP)-Top administration officials, formally opening their campaign to convince Congress that U.S. warplanes should be sold to Saudi Arabia, Egypt and Israel, today called the sales "vitally important" to U.S. middle East policy.

"Failure to proceed with the sales will seriously undercut the American role in the peace process," Secretary of State Cyrus R. Vance told the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

Defense Secretary Harold Brown followed Vance and told the committee that sale of the aircraft is "essential" to assure the survival and vitality of U.S. security interests in the Middle East.

Carter Goes West

WASHINGTON (AP)-President Carter is headed off on a fence-mending tour of four Western states that voted for Gerald Ford in 1976, carrying the message that the White House listens to the problems of voters there.

Rex Granum, Carter's deputy press secretary, told reporters many Westerners "believe their voices aren't heard in Washington" and that the president wants to "show that we are in fact concerned."

Evidence of Carter's concern, Granum said, will show in a series of federal announcements judged to be of local interest as he moves through Colorado, California, Oregon and Washington during the three-day journey.

Warning Leaked Too

WASHINGTON (AP)-The Army is ordering new restrictions to plug leaks of internal studies that could influence policy. But the warning was itself leaked within a day of its distribution.

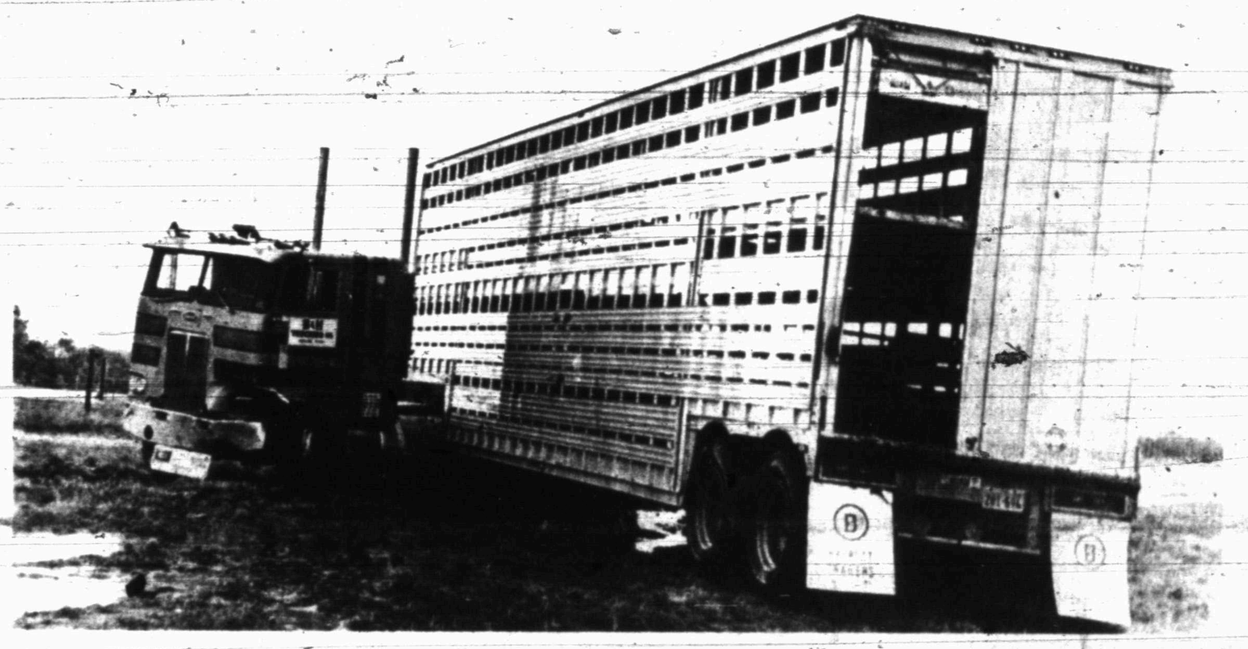
A copy of the memo was handed to a reporter, without comment, on Tuesday by a person presumably unhappy with what it had to say.

Budget Defense Set

WASHINGTON (AP)-With just 12 days left to adopt a tentative federal budget, House members are bracing to defend their $501.4 billion plan from challenges from both sides-those wanting more in the name of human needs and those seeking cuts for the sake of economy.

The fiscal plan, written for the House by its budget committee, produces a $58.1 billion deficit, about $1.5 billion less than the one calculated by President Carter.

KERRVILLE MAN INJURED-High winds and a slick highway were blamed for causing a south bound truck to swerve across the median and hit this north bound car on U.S. Highway 84 a mile and one-half North of the city yesterday. Shot Allen, wrecker driver, approaches the car as the truck driver (center) and Highway Patrolman Bob Clark examine the car in which the lone occupant was injured.



UN Troops On Red Alert In Lebanon

By FAROUK NASSAR
Associated Press Writer

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) - All U.N. troops in south Lebanon were put on red alert today following a series of ambush and mortar attacks by Moslem extremists in which two French paratroopers, a Senegalese soldier and a Palestinian were killed, U.N. sources reported.

There were conflicting reports on the number of U.N. troops injured in the incidents.

Capt. Jean Menegeux, press officer for French troops, said 12 U.N. soldiers were wounded and that most were French.

Menegeux said the bodies of the three dead U.N. soldiers were recovered and that French troops previously reported missing were found wounded. The wounded troops were flown by helicopter to clinics in Naqoura, a Lebanese village, and Haifa, Israel.

The U.N. sources said the U.N. peacekeeping force of nearly 4,000 French, Senegalese, Iranian, Nepalese, Swedish and Norwegian troops was ordered to return fire from any source and forcefully prevent guerrilla infiltration across its lines toward territory still occupied by Israel to the south.

French forces in the biblical port of Tyre were hit Tuesday night by three ambushes and a mortar barrage against their barracks on the outskirts of the city. It was the most serious challenge so far to the U.N. force and raised the total number of peacekeepers killed to six since the arrival of the force in late March to replace the Israeli invasion army.

Yasser Arafat's Palestine liberation Organization and Dr. George Habash's radical Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine said the attacks were made by the Lebanese Popular Resistance Front in retaliation for the killing of two Lebanese militiamen at a French roadblock Sunday.

Both the PLO and the Popular Front said no Palestinians were involved in the attacks. The PLO officer who was killed was accompanying Salvan to try to arrange a ceasefire.

America Marks First Sun Day

By The Associated Press

Led by early risers who turned out for dawn services, Americans celebrated "Sun Day" today, with fairs and other festivities designed to show the potential of solar energy.

President Carter planned a speech at the Solar Energy Institute in Colorado and several Cabinet departments joined in programs in Washington, D.C., but there was criticism of the federal government for not moving fast enough in the solar field.

"We're here to celebrate the dawning of the solar age and bring the administration kicking and screaming into it," said Rep. Richard L. Ottinger, D-N.Y., addressing a crowd at the top of Cadillac Mountain in Maine, one of the spots where the sun's rays first strike the United States each day.

About 1,500 persons followed Ottinger and Rep. James Jeffords, R-Vt., up the 1,530-foot mountain near Bar Harbor, Maine, early this morning. Ottinger and Jeffords said that the federal government was dragging its feet on solar energy, which they described as renewable, cheap, safe and non-polluting.

The Maine hikers had cloudy weather. But diplomats and others who turned out for a celebration that began at 5:57 a.m. outside the U.N. headquarters building in New York had better luck-clear skies and bright sun.

"Solar energy works," said actor Robert Redford to a crowd of about 1,500. "It won't pollute our air and it won't foul our rivers."

"Sun Day" is sponsored by Solar Action Inc., a nonprofit group based in Washington and is being run at the local level by organizations including consumer activists, environmentalists, educators, businessmen, politicians and labor leaders.

About 300 persons gathered at sunrise at the Lincoln Memorial in the nation's capital for the beginning of a day of solar-oriented activities.

The SDN Column

This is "Sun Day," although you would have a tough time convincing many West Texans that a sunny day could be more desirable than a cloudy day, especially if the clouds were dropping moisture on the land.

But Sun Day is another one of those special observances which we are told have been promoted to focus attention on a major resource. In this case, the sun, the source of all energy for our planet is the honoree.

The sun and the wind offer possibilities for much greater service to mankind than the human race as witnessed so far. This is a fact that has been well-known for many years. The problem is encountered when efforts are made to harness the powers of the sun and the wind.

The wind's potential has long been apparent to certain elements of civilization, specifically those who have depended on the windmills of the Netherlands and in the great Southwestern region of the United States. A lot of water for livestock has been brought to the surface by windmills on American cattle ranches in the so-called arid section of this country.

Also, there are those who remember the windcharger, a device which harnessed the stiff breezes and converted their power into electricity to charge batteries and thus bring usable power to remote regions before the high lines reached the hinterlands. It wasn't always dependable, but when it worked, it provided a welcome service.

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But what about the sun? So far as practical, everyday use of solar power in the home and ordinary business is concerned, we clearly have only scratched the surface. Every youngster who has ignited a piece of paper by focusing the sun's rays through the thick glass from the bottom of a Coke bottle knows that.

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The cactus patch philosopher says wives are different from fishermen. They brag about the ones that got away and complain about the one they caught. -WACIL McNAIR.

Scurry Area Soaks Up Its Best Rain Of Year

Snyder area residents shivered in 40-degree, damp weather this morning after a huge storm system produced the best rains since last August and sent the thermometer tumbling to an useasonal low.

The offical gauge at the Snyder water plant recorded 1.76 inches of rain during the 24-hour period which ended at 7 a.m. today. That made an overall total of 1.81 since the storm system moved into the area Monday night. It increased the total for the year to 3.81, still far below normal for the stage of the season.

High winds and rain were blamed for a traffic crash north of Snyder which sent a Kerrville man to the hospital at about 12:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Rufus Maxwell of Abilene, driver of an empty cattle truck, said high cross winds caused him to lose control of his truck. The vehicle crossed the median on U.S. Highway 84 about 1½ miles north of Snyder and collided with a car driven by Stephen Cofield of Kerrville. Cofield was taken to Cogdell Memorial Hospital by Galyean Ambulance Service for treatment of head injuries. His condition was listed as satisfactory.

The car was heavily damaged and the truck sustained moderate damage.

Rainfall ranging from a little over an inch to two inches apparently was general over much of Scurry County. Some unofficial gauges in and around Snyder had two inches, and 1.25 and 1.50 was reported to the east. Also, rains of more than an inch were reported in the Fluvanna area.

The rainfall at the Lake Thomas dam totalled 1.20. Although good showers were reported in Borden County, no appreciable

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Over 500 Cast Absentee Votes

A strong turnout of voters is expected here Saturday for the primary elections, based on absentee voting which closed Tuesday.

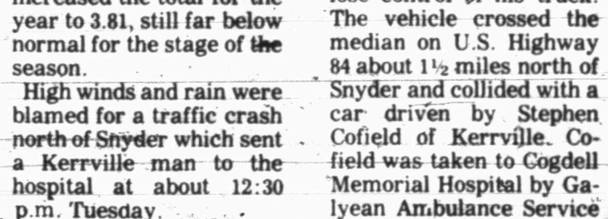
When the deadline passed Tuesday afternoon, 472 persons had cast Democratic primary absentee ballots at the county clerk's office, while some 20 mailed ballots had been returned and 31 ballots requested by mail were still out. Mailed ballots will be counted if they are returned by election day. Thus, the absentee total could run more than 520 in the Democratic Party primary.

In addition, 12 absentee ballots had been cast in the Republican Party primary.

Absentee voting continued in the liquor election set for Monday in the City of Snyder. The potential vote in that election is less than for the primary elections since only the qualified voters who live inside the city limits are eligible.

The liquor election absentee vote total this morning had reached 368, with 20 out in the mail. The deadline for voting absentee in the liquor election is 5 p.m. Thursday.

The Democratic Party primary, which is expected to attract the greatest number of voters, will have all regular polling places in operation Saturday. The liquor election Monday will have the five county polling places located inside the city in operation.



SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High Tuesday, 51 degrees; low, 40 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. today, 42 degrees; precipitation, 1.76; total precipitation for 1978 to date, 3.81.

West Texas-Chance of light rain most sections today. Ligh rain possibly mixed with snow northern Panhandle this morning. Considerable cloudiness tonight becoming partly cloudy Thursday. Continued very cool today and tonight. Warming trend Thursday. Highs today from the 40s north to the 70s extreme southwest. Lows tonight mid 30s Panhandle to the middle 50s Big Bend. Highs Thursday near 60 north to about 80 extreme southwest.

PLAY SCENE - Scott Marlar, Donna Browning and Jeanne McCormick in a "school room singing" scene from "The Corn Is Green," Snyder High School's state finals one-act-play. Marlar and Miss Browning were selected to the honorable mention all-star cast at the regional contest in Odessa, while Miss McCormick was named to the all-star cast.

Drama Group Off To State Contest

Snyder High School's one-act-play cast and crew will leave for Austin tomorrow morning to compete in the state one-act-play contest. This will be the fourth trip in a row to the state contest for the Drama Department at Snyder High School.

The local group will perform in position No. 5 out of the eight plays entered in Class AAA from across the state. Their performance time is 7:30 p.m. at Hogg Auditorium on the campus at the University of Texas. Other schools entered in the state contest are Friendswood of Houston, Smith High School of Carrollton, Iowa Park, Sinton, Little Cypress-Mauriceville, New Braunfels and Canyon.

Following Friday evening's competition in Austin, the cast of the play, their parents, and patrons attending from Snyder will be entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Heath of Austin, former residents of Snyder. Heath was manager of the Chamber of Commerce in Snyder before they moved to Austin.

Local performances of "The Corn is Green" will include a public performance on Tuesday even-

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bureaucrats and menus

A handfed dog forgets how to hunt. So an old saying goes.

It's natural. Same thing happens to people. They forget how to take care of themselves, when they succumb to the beguiling promises of government agencies, eager to perpetuate the agency.

The able-bodied (as distinguished from those in real need) on the take are assured they're only getting their share from the pickets of the greedy. Degeneration sets in. The more they get, the more they want. These become the ruling poor. A cruel fate.

One of the biggest protectionist deals today is "Truth-in-Advertising." Everybody is for it, just as everybody was for protecting the environment until the extremists took over with their own definition of what should be protected. And that might include the haunt of the chigger (insect division) and the bitter fennel (plant division) that, consumed by a dairy cow makes her milk unpalatable.

Bruce Jenner really does eat Wheaties. It took a threatened lawsuit to establish that fact. The truth-in-advertisingers in San Francisco claimed that Jenner ads were false because he didn't eat the product. The suit was dropped. Now we may all relax about our breakfast cereal, assured that the athlete star of stars really dines on same. Would Bruce Jenner ever lie?

But gentlemen, hush! The truth-in-advertisingers have come up with a new target, and it promises to be a riot.

Would you believe the new program is truth in restaurant menus? It's set to go in New York City. The City Counsel's Consumer Affairs Committee wants tougher regulations prohibiting menu misrepresentation. Like promoting chuck to prime, for example, or listing as fresh something that was taken out of a freezer when your waiter got back to the kitchen to place your order. Some of the best of them do.

Some of the descriptions of meatloaf ought to be edifying if not appetizing. Come to think of it, however, the restaurant man is not going to take any chances. That kind of advertising he can do without. Suppose he doesn't put the contents of the bill of fare. Just lists "meatloaf." (Maybe with mushroom sauce.)

In that case we will be forced to rely on our taste, not the opinion of the consumerists, as to what we like. They won't like that. It's a principle with them that we should be forced to rely on their judgment. The more handfed dogs they've got in the kennel the more secure their jobs.

korea no showpiece

In the beginning was Syngman Rhee, scholar, patriot and keeper of the flame of Korean independence through 40 years of prison and exile.

Half of his long dream was realized with the defeat of Japan and establishment of the South Korean republic, of which he became first president and rapidly much more.

Rhee assumed dictatorial powers, purged the opposition, executed its leader and ruled with a fist until a student uprising in 1960 forced him once more into exile.

A nine-month experiment with parliamentary democracy followed, but the subsequent South Korean story is evidence that history does to an unfortunate extent tend to repeat itself.

In the South Korean elections to take place later this spring, the winner is already known.

It is Park Chung Hee, leader of the 1961 military coup and winner of successive presidential elections in 1963, 1967 and 1971.

Park rules under a constitution he wrote in 1972, which permits him an unlimited number of terms and which prohibits criticism of him. Consequently, there will be no opposition candidate.

One-third of the seats of the National Assembly will be filled from a slate of candidates nominated by the president of the National Council for Unification--Park.

And just in case anyone still misses the point, Park has warned that he will not permit political activities in any way to impair the national unity and stability.

It is only fair to note that South Korea has registered progress in some areas under Park. Economic growth is accelerating and the country is one of Asia's new rich. Political and economic relations with Japan have been normalized and, reversing the rigid policy of the preceding regimes, contact is maintained with North Korea.

Also, to those still keeping faith with the principle of collective security, Korea is evidence of what democratic societies can do in taking common action against agression.

But for all that South Korea is today as an economic success story and an international symbol, politically it has succeeded in 30 years of independence only in advancing from dictator to dictator.

It is not what one might consider a showpiece of the free world.

Barbs

By PHIL PASTORET

Our drinking neighbor reminds us of an old, old, wine — his cork's loose.

There are just as many fairy tale authors as ever — it's just that these days they're employed writing real estate ads.

For a bang-up birthday party, try blowing out the candles after a few gargles of 100-proof vodka.

When you were 20, you'd think nothing of walking a couple of miles; after 40, it doesn't even bear thinking about.

thoughts

"We looked for peace, but no good came; for a time of healing, but behold, terror." — Jeremiah 8:15.

"Peace is not absence of war. It is a virtue, a state of mind, a disposition for benevolence, confidence, justice." — Benedict Spinoza, Dutch Jewish philosopher.

at wits end

by erma bombeck

I got a letter recently from a young reader in California who wrote, "As you are a mother, perhaps you could define the phrase, 'Someday you'll thank me for this.' When I confronted by Mom with this question she replied with that age-old cliche, 'You're too young to understand. Wait until you grow up and have kids of your own.'

"Somehow, I can't conceptualize mayself ever thanking my Mom for wrenching a jelly donut out of my mouth and throwing it into the neighbor's yard. I can picture the neighbor's cocker spaniel thanking her, but not me." - Sincerely, Gayley S. (San Francisco)

How we mothers love it when you ask questions. You exhibit the kind of spirit that got my kids eight-hour naps when they were 17. (But then I never had kids who used language like conceptualize.)

Now, indulge me, Gayley, while I give you a little background. The phrase "Someday you'll thank me" was uttered by a housewife in Des Moines, Iowa, Aug. 6, 1934, who had one of those kids you couldn't discipline and get a reaction out of. She'd send him to his room, take away his desserts, withhold his allowance, make him wear hard shoes in the summer. Nothing. Finally, one day after she had exhausted every threat she knew, she socked him on a chair and shouted, 'One of these days, you'll thank me for punishing you.'

The child looked up, stunned. Now he knew what he was dealing with - an incoherent, irrational, weird mother who had inhaled too much laundry bleach and sucked on too many wet shoestrings. He never misbehaved again.

The phrase is a last resort for mothers. It is never used lightly or indiscriminately, but only when reason fails. It is reserved for those moments when a child is about to have a wonderful time and a mother is about to put a stop to it. At a time when she is about to inflict pain on your backside and feels there's a dead space in the conversation. It makes a mother feel forgiven for what she is about to do.

Thanks to that housewife from Des Moines, Gayley, there are 18 million mothers sitting around by their phones today waiting for their children to call in their thanks. Frankly, it's not the avalanche we had hoped for, but people like yourself are still searching for the answers.

Believe me, Gayley, someday you'll thank me for my vagueness in answering your reply. You may call collect. The number is 555-9990. After 6 p.m., 555-8224. I'll be waiting.

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my turn

by jo ann nunley

Store windows and advertisers on radio, TV and newspapers begin to remind us to remember our mothers on their day, May 14.

When Mother's Day was first mentioned in our home, a song came to mind I learned as a child.

M-is for the million things she gave me
O-means only that she's growing old
T-is for the tears you shed to save me
H-is for her heart of purest gold
E-is for her eyes with love light shining
R-is for right and right she'll always be

Put them all together, they spell mother, the word that means the world to me."

I must confess I had to have help remembering some of the words. My children were no help for they couldn't ever remember hearing it.

Erma Bombeck's description of a mother is someone with 180 moveable parts - all replaceable - runs on black coffee and leftovers...has a kiss that can cure anything from a broken leg to a disappointed love affair...eyes in the back of her head to see what she shouldn't but what she has to know...and someone that feeds a family of six on one pound of hamburger.

If you have a mother or know someone you think would be a good nominee for Mother-Of-The-Year, the Daily News would like to hear about her. Write a letter to SDN, Box 949 with the name and address of the person you wish to nominate. Tell the reasons you think this mother should be Scurry County's mother of the year. The deadline is May 8. The SDN will feature the winner in the Mother's Day issue.

Singapore To Improve Port

SINGAPORE (AP) - The Singapore government says it is going to spend $250 million in the next five years to improve port facilities.

in washington

martha angle and robert walters

WASHINGTON (NEA) - For most law-abiding Americans, the idea of the Central Intelligence Agency conducting a five-year-long secret investigation into their personal lives is a notion relegated to the it-can't-happen-here category.

It certainly shouldn't happen here because the National Security Act of 1947, the law that created the CIA and defined its legal authority, specifically states that "the agency shall have no police, subpoena, law enforcement powers or internal security functions."

Nevertheless, Gary A. Weissman went through just such an ordeal, ostensibly part of a background check, at a time when the CIA says it was thinking about employing him in some undefined capacity.

However, Weissman never applied to the agency for a job, was never told he was being considered for any CIA position and was never even offered employment by the CIA.

"From 1958 through 1963, they interviewed dozens and dozens of people about me, but never identified themselves as being from CIA," says Weissman, who was a student at the University of Wisconsin during the investigation.

"They probed into some things that could not have even a remote connection, including things that occurred in my family before I was born," adds Weissman, now a state government employee living in Minneapolis.

Weissman's experience is pertinent today for two reasons. First, he filed a civil suit seeking access to the information the CIA had gathered in its probe, and that litigation produced a landmark decision from the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia.

When Congress established the CIA, "It had no intention of making the mistake of creating an American 'Gestapo,'" the court said early last year in a sharply worded opinion that reached these conclusions:

"Congress was well aware that such activities create a potential for abuse, and chose to limit the agency's activities to intelligence gathering abroad. It was unwilling to make it a policeman at home.

"The agency (was) prevented from using its enormous resources and broad delegation of power to place United States citizens living at home under surveillance and scrutiny.

"A full background check within the United States of a citizen who never had any relationship with the CIA is not authorized and the agency has no authority under the guise of law enforcement to make such a background check."

The Weissman case also is significant because within a few months after that court decision was rendered, members of President Carter's National Security Council (NSC) began drafting a new charter for the nation's intelligence agencies, supposedly designed to eliminate the threat of future abuses.

Ignoring both the law and the appellate court decision, the CIA pressed the NSC for broad authority to collect information not publicly available relating to United States citizens, organizations and corporations.

Specifically, the agency sought the power to engage in covert domestic intelligence gathering to identify potential recruits. CIA Director Stansfield Turner reportedly told the NSC that a prohibition against recruiting-related probes would result in a loss of work for 400 agency employees now engaged in such activities.

The final version of the charter, issued by Carter earlier this year, as an executive order, allows the CIA to gather "information concerning...applicants for employment and "persons who are reasonably believed to be potential sources or contacts, but only for the purpose of determining (their) suitability or credibility."

That language would not prevent a recurrence of the abuses that surfaced in the Weissman case. It represents one of the many loopholes in Carter's guidelines that Congress should close during its current consideration of a new statutory charter for the CIA.

john cunniff

board blasted

NEW YORK (AP) - The Federal Reserve Board, say the nation's savings and loan associations, has usurped the powers of Congress, endangered the booming housing market and violated the laws of the land.

"We'll sue, no question about it," said a savings and loan spokesman of the Fed, which this week voted to permit automatic transfer from savings accounts to checking accounts.

"Our lawyers have been meeting since yesterday," said a spokesman for the U.S. League of Savings Associations. "They're deciding where to file, when to file, the wording."

Has the Fed, that august, austere, proper body that determines the nation's monetary policy, actually violated the law? Can the Fed, powerful enough to challenge the President, be forced to retract?

And why the fuss over what appears to be little more than another convenience for depositors in commercial banks?

The first question is for the courts to decide, but the people at the Savings and Loan League say the language of "12 U.S. Code Sect. 371 A" is clear. They read it:

"No member bank of the Federal Reserve system shall, directly or indirectly, by any device whatsoever, pay any interest on any deposit which is payable on demand."

But The Fed decision, say the savings and loans, would contravene the law and usurp the powers of Congress by permitting anyone to keep his money in a savings account, draw interest, and write checks as well.

This, they insist, would be destructive competition by the already powerful commercial banks, in that it would threaten to attract money from the savings and loans. It might also endanger housing markets.

Home mortgages, the associations remind us, are supported largely by the thrift industry, made up of S&Ls and mutual savings banks. If thrifts don't have the money to lend, they warn, housing might tumble.

It doesn't matter to the associations that the commerical banks already have encouraged regulators to permit the thrifts to do the same thing - offer interest-bearing checking accounts.

The assocations don't want them, and they don't want the commercial banks nosing into their territory either. They fear it's part of a plot to make all financial institutions look alike.

If the commercial banks succeed in forcing such accounts (now permitted in New England only) on the associations, it is argued, they will then seek a quid pro quo.

And that, the associations say, would involve their prized differential.

The differential as much as any one thing separates the thrifts from commercial banks. It is a one-quarter of 1 percent interest advantage the thrifts are permitted to offer on savings accounts. It is prized.

Remove that differential, they say, and the thrifts, committed by law to financing the home mortgage market, would be unable to compete for money with the various attractions of the powerful commercial banks.

Letters to Editor

To The Snyder Daily News:

Recently, the biggest issue in Snyder has been the wet-dry election. Although, I feel very strongly about this subject, I would like to comment on a more important subject - the subject of togetherness.

I was born in Snyder. I grew up in Snyder and have always been proud to call it home. Snyder is a place where nearly everyone in town knows everyone else. When someone new moves into town, the people of Snyder make them at home. When someone needs help, the people of Snyder are there to depend on. It is a town that cares. Why then have the people of Snyder allowed the liquor election to divide them?

It has been said that Snyder is ruled by its wealthy inhabitants. I have also heard it said that Sndyer is a church-oriented town. Whatever the case or cases, it is evident that Snyder is split between the "wets" or the "drys."

The behavior of the adults involved in the "wet" and "dry" competition is unbelievable to me. It appears to be a contest or I might even say a war to prove who has power over Snyder. Along with war, this competition has the same rules - none at all. Both sides appear to stop at nothing.

I would like to remind the people of Snyder that we are all Snyderites - not the "wets" and the "drys." After the election, Snyder will either remain dry or liquor will be sold for off premises consumption. Also, after the election, the "wets" and the "drys" will still live in the same town; one-half will not move away because of defeat. We will be forced to live next door to "the other side." We will still have to do business with "the other side," go to church with "the other side;" our children will go to school with "the other sides" children. My question is do we want to let this happen to Snyder?

I would simply like to say to the "wets" and "drys" that I understand your wanting to fight for your side, but you are only causing yourselves embarrassment and hatred through your propaganda. Voting is a personal decision, and in the liquor election is one in which most people's mind was already decided at first and cannot be altered. So as the saying goes, "What ever will be will be," but we still have to live with each other.

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LOVERTA LOVELL

Local Artist To Exhibit Work

Laverta Lovell, local artist, will present an exhibit of her sculpture, oils and watercolors at the Martha Ann Woman's Club on Saturday, May 6, and Sunday, May 7.

Under the sponsorship of the board of directors of MAWC, the exhibit may be seen by club members at the brunch honoring founders and life members at 10 a.m. Saturday, May 6. In addition, the board will hold an open house on Sunday, May 7 from 1:30 to 3:30 at which time the public is invited to view the exhibit.

Ms. Lovell works in oil, watercolor, acrylic and bronze sculpture. She studied art at Texas Tech University and West Texas State University. She has had instruction under Helen Van Wyk of Rockport, Mass.; Ken Gore of Glouchster, Mass.; Jan Herring of Clint, Texas and Cloudcroft, N.M.; Ronald Thomason of Weatherford; Lonnie Mason of Lubbock; Dick Cheatham of Lubbock; Conny Martin of Lubbock, and numerous others. She has taught creative appreciation art classes to children and adults, held workshops and seminars throughout the state, and maintained a private studio of commercial design.

A native of Snyder, Ms. Lovell is now associate director of Snyder Chamber of Commerce. She resides at 206 38th Street with her son, Jeff, a junior at Snyder High School. Another son, Bo, has a BS in biology and chemistry and is currently associated with Texas A&M Extension Service.

Canned fruit cocktail and instant pudding mix can make a delicious dessert in minutes. When preparing the pudding, flavor with nutmeg and rum extract to taste. Chill in individual dishes. Just before serving, top with well-drained fruit cocktail.

SHS Graduate Honored With Dinner

Rita Eicke, a 1978 graduate of Snyder High School was honored with a formal dinner in the home of Arlie Eicke April 29.

Guests seated at individual tables ate by candlelight. The tables were covered with white lace cloths and centered with candles surrounded with English ivy and pastel polyester flowers. A silhouette wearing a mortarboard decorated the entrance stereo.

Special guests were the honoree's mother, Mrs. Seabourn Eicke, and her sister, Teka. Attending were Marca Parham, Lori McCormick, Jana Wesson, Shelly Nutt, Cindy McCormick, La Donna Benson, Rissa Head and Jeanne McCormick.

Another special guest was Liri Lestari, the American Field Service student from Indonesia.

Hostesses were Mrs. Arlie Eicke and Mrs. Johonnas Eicke, the honoree's sisters-in-law.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

ELEMENTARY

THURSDAY

Grilled Cheese Sandwich
w-Vegetable Beef Soup
Fresh Fruit Wedges
Peanut Butter Cookie
Milk

FRIDAY

FOOD FOR THOUGHT: If at first you do succeed, try something harder.
Snoopy Dog in a Boat
Fluff's Brown Beans
Linus French Fries
Woodstock's Fruit
Schroder's Piano Drink

SECONDARY

THURSDAY

Deep Fried Fish Sticks
w-Catsup and Tarter Sauce
French Fries
Creamy Cole Slaw
Orange & Apple Wedges
Peanut Butter Cookie
Cornmeal Rolls
Milk

FRIDAY

Manager's Choice

Much of the vanilla that is commercially available is a product of the V. planifolia, which is native to southeastern Mexico, but is also cultivated in tropical countries such as Reunion, the Seychelles, Madagascar, Tahita and Java.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY

Cosmorama Study Club; Spring social; Jo Ashley, Patsy Williams and Neomi Harlin, hostesses.

Sparkle City Squares; National Guard Armory; workshop, 8 p.m.; lessons, 8:30 p.m.

Iota Psi Sorority; Jo Terrell, hostess.

THURSDAY

Northeast Parents Club; school auditorium; 7 p.m. Dr. Gil Fleer will be guest speaker.

Firemen's Auxiliary; Central fire station; 7:30 p.m.

Snyder Writer's Guild; Garnet Quiett and Opal Brown, program leader; 7 p.m.

Snyder Garden Club; Martha Ann Woman's Club; Tour of Ranch Headquarters, Texas Tech; luncheon at Harrell House, Lubbock; 9 a.m.

Weight Watchers of West Texas; Trinity Methodist Church, 7 p.m. New members welcome.

Lambda Kappa Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi; Martha Ann Woman's Club; 7:30 p.m.

Newcomers Club salad luncheon; home of Janet Moseley, 4501 Garwood. For nursery reservations call Mrs. Thom Moore at 573-0363.

FRIDAY

Game Night at Union Community Center. Everyone welcome. 6:30 p.m.

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

SATURDAY

Founders and Life Members Brunch; martha Ann Woman's Club; 10 a.m.

SUNDAY

Scurry County Museum on WTC campus will be open 1-5 p.m.

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

Class of '58 reunion meeting; Snyder Savings and Loan; 2 p.m.

BRIDGE

Oswald Jacoby and Alan Sontag

Avoid a useless finesse

	NORTH ♠ 7 5 3 ♥ K J 6 ♦ A K 8 6 4 2 ♣ 8	5-3-A
WEST ♠ Q 4 ♥ 10 9 ♦ Q J 7 3 ♣ Q 10 9 7 4		EAST ♠ J 10 9 8 2 ♥ Q 8 7 ♦ 10 5 ♣ 6 5 3
	SOUTH ♠ A K 6 ♥ A 5 4 3 2 ♦ 9 ♣ A K J 2	

Vulnerable: North-South
Dealer: West

West	North	East	South
Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
Pass	3♦	Pass	3♠
Pass	4♥	Pass	6♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead: ♥ 10

By Oswald Jacoby and Alan Sontag

The final contract was totally sound and was reached through a relatively scientific auction. Even though South had 19 high-card points opposite an opening bid, he did not make a strong jump shift of two hearts. The suit was too weak.

The rest of the bidding was an investigation by South of whether the best contract was six or seven hearts. He stopped at six because North was unable to exude sufficient enthusiasm over the three-spade cue bid.

West, confused by the flurry of bidding and afraid to make an attacking lead (although most experts recommend an attacking lead against a small slam), chose the 10 of trumps. Accidental though it was, it gave the defense a chance.

If declarer finesses wtih dummy's jack at trick one, the queen from East's hand will force the ace. And later, when declarer ruffs his two club losers in dummy, the defense will have promoted an extra trump trick, setting the contract.

If declarer can foresee this, and he should, he wins the first trick with the king in dummy. This simple play assures the contract if trumps break normally, and the chances are almost 68 percent they will break 3-2.

Declarer must win the first trick with the king to preserve dummy's jack-six of hearts to be used later for ruffing the club losers. Declarer's spade loser (the six) will be discarded on one of dummy's diamond honors.

There is a great temptation to finesse. A finesse in this situation, however, is clearly hopeless, because West would never have led away from the queen of trumps against a small slam contract.

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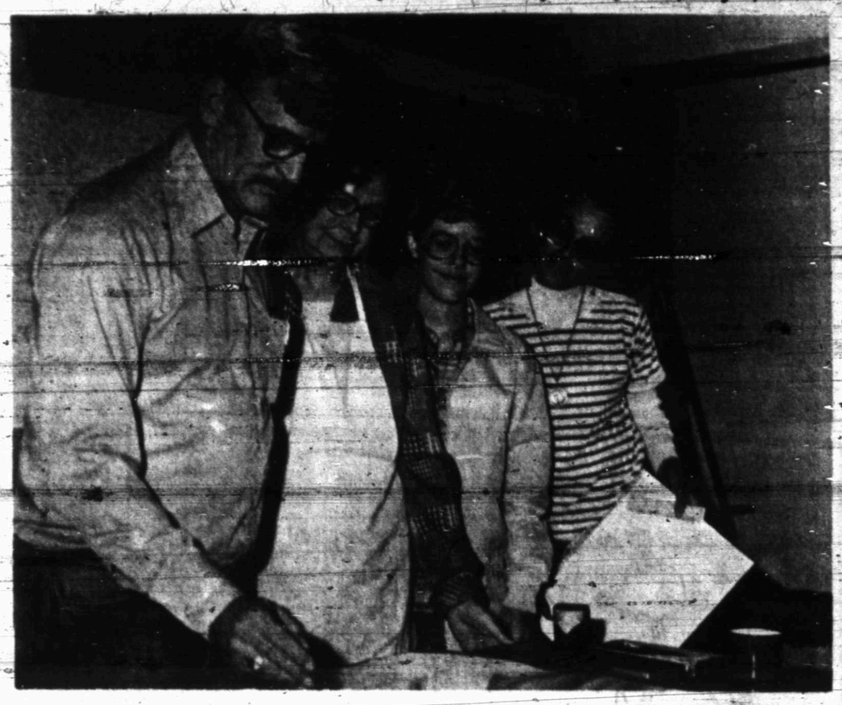
DENIM SHORTS and blouson top with rolled-up sleeves feature khaki trim on the pockets and collar. By Tom Boy of California.



WATERCOLOR WORKSHOP - Robert Aldrich Gartland is conducting a watercolor workshop for the Palette Club this week at the airport terminal building. Gartland was a staff artist at the American Museum of Natural History from 1952 to 1962 where he completed several murals as well as illustrations for Natural Hstory Magazine. Some of his work includes freelancing for Life Magazine, as well as illustrations for children's books. He has won 60 first place and Best Of Show awards. Gartland won first prize with his painting "Wichita Morning" in the Snyder annual March show in 1976. Palette Club members shown with Gartland are (l to r) Ethel Mae Sturdivant, Donna Holt and Effie Lou Meadows. (SDN Staff Photo)

BRIDE-TO-BE HONORED - Cathy Dunlap, bride-elect of Thomas G. Murphy was given a shower in the Ira Community Center Sunday afternoon. The couple will be married May 27 in the home of the groom's parent, Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Murphy, Ira. Pictured above are (l to r) Mrs. W.H. Murphy, mother of the future groom, the honoree, Mrs. Ed Murphy, sister-in-law of the prospective groom. Hostesses were Mmes. Ju Sterling, Leona Wiggins, Randa Sterling, Jean Sterling, Estell Murphy, Nora Lee Clark, Lou Crowder, Donna Kruse, Doris Byars, Deen Haddox, Evelyn Holladay, Grace Bryant, Agnes Sorrells, Lucille Sterling, Betty Murphy, Mary Clements, LaJuana Solomon, Wanda Autry, Emogene Sterling, Raye Sterling, Sherry Bryant, Edie Chenoweth, Verline Calley and Carolyn Barbee. (SDN Staff Photo)

Fashion, Beauty Tips For Women

Far-sighted eyes are exaggerated by eyeglasses, so be careful not to apply too much eye makeup, which may appear heavy.

Is your environment relatively pollution-free? And are you more inclined to read a book than jog? If so, your body won't require a daily bath during the winter, unless you feel compelled to give it one. Remember, cold weather dries the skin, which can be aggravated by too much cleansing.

Creamy makeup works best on dry skin, but if you prefer a powder blusher, apply it after you've moisturized your face.

If your eyes are red or irritated, keep away from eye makeup until they calm down.

Use a white flounced skirt as a petticoat under a dirndl skirt for a romantic, new look.

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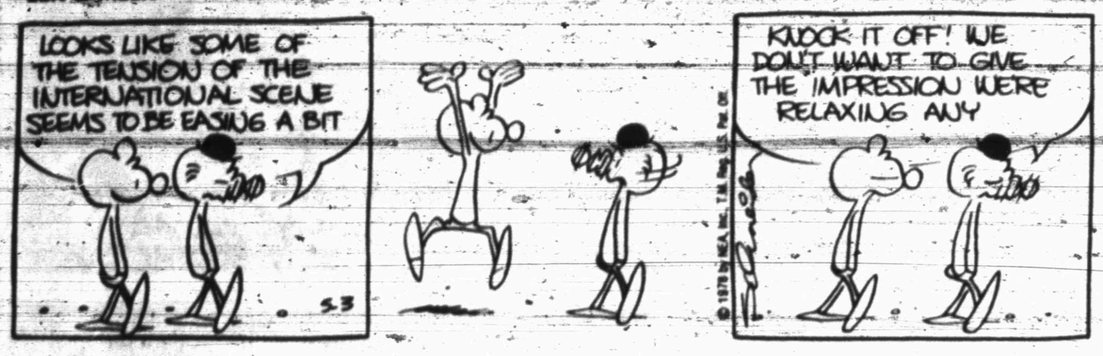

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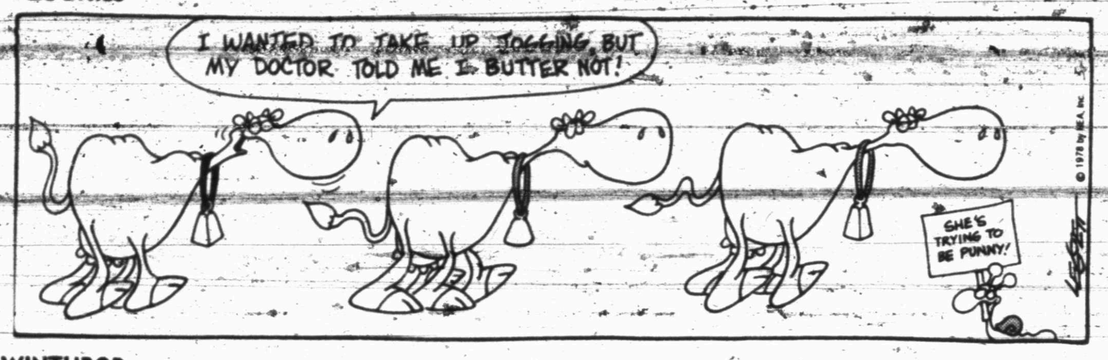

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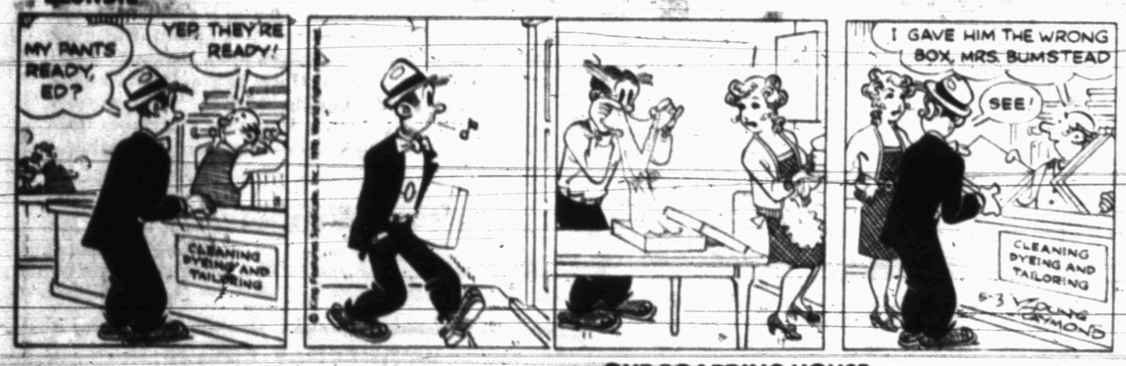

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OUR BOARDING HOUSE

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FUNNY BUSINESS

PRISCILLA'S POP

DENNIS THE MENACE

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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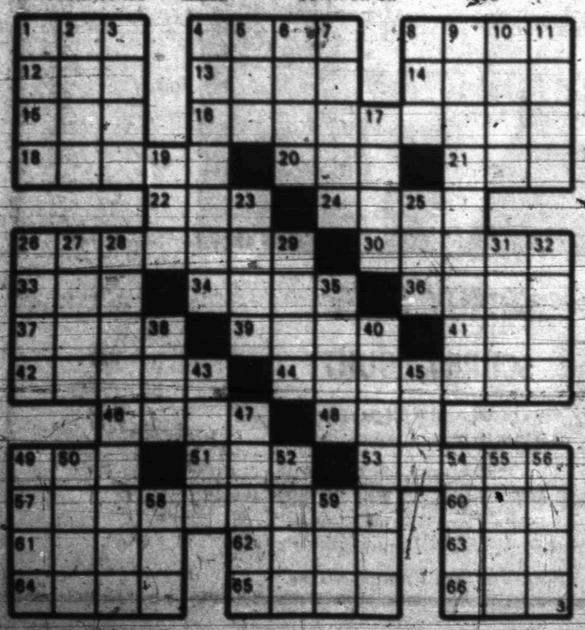
ACROSS

1 Drug agency (abbr.)
4 One time only
8 Actor Sharif
12 Tax agency (abbr.)
13 Sea
14 Nevada city
15 Fastidious man
16 Drying agent
18 English derby town
20 Female saint (abbr.)
21 Our (Fr.)
22 Recent (prefix)
24 Winter moisture
29 Inexperienced person
30 Nevada lake
33 Tree
34 Adorn
36 Western
37 Escaped
39 Break short
41 Hawaiian garland
42 365 days (pl.)
44 Wholehearted
46 "Auld Lang ____"
48 Eenie, meenie, miney, ____
49 Federal investigating body
51 Gridder Jimmy ____
53 Silesian
57 Kiss anew
60 Sunshine state (abbr.)
61 Lioness in "Born Free"
62 Musical work
63 Rugged rock
64 Feminine (suffix)
65 Communists
66 Ideal gas condition (abbr.)

DOWN

1 Band instrument
2 Show a decline
3 Snakes
4 Scrap
5 By birth
6 Singer Mama ____
7 Corrects errors
8 Killer whale
9 In the interim
10 ____ Domini
11 Crumbles
17 Penny
19 Single
23 Yours and mine
25 Simpleton
26 Questionable
27 Aswan's river
28 Oiliest
29 One (Ger.)
31 Bravos (Sp.)
32 Throw off
35 Madame (cont.)
38 Towel
40 Proceeding
43 Snooty person
45 Nose (Fr.)
47 Flyspeck
49 Gratis
50 Cincture
52 Assault
54 Newts
55 Coagulum
56 Dwell on unduly
58 Actress West
59 Cow's chewed food



CHOICES
Karen Blaker Ph.D.

Same-sex friends

By Karen Blaker, Ph.D.

DEAR DR. BLAKER — I started therapy last summer because I was having serious problems with men. I was 23 years old and had never been out on a date.

Even though I feel a lot better about myself and even have a steady boyfriend, things aren't going very well. Now my best girlfriend and I seem to be drifting apart.

Lately she has started criticizing me for being too analytical. She says I am always looking for hidden meanings in everything.

She also thinks I should confide only in my boyfriend, not in her, if I want to keep him. That really upsets me because I value her as a friend. What's her problem?

DEAR READER — Her problem — and yours — is that you are both very insecure about your friendship.

She probably feels jealous about the changes you have made in therapy and rejected because of the time you spend with your boyfriend. Before therapy you were certainly more available. She may need a lot of reassurance from you — reassurance that you still want her as a friend.

You no doubt feel insecure in the friendship because she is being more critical than usual. Rather than blaming the whole problem on her, why not take a closer look at your behavior?

Has therapy changed the way you communicate? It is very common for a patient to unknowingly take on some of the characteristics of his or her therapist.

If you ARE talking like a therapist, your friend may feel you are acting in a superior manner. Ask her to let you know when you are being overly analytical.

Once you know what you are doing that is so annoying, discuss it with your therapist.

Analyzing everything can be a way of distancing yourself. You may be unconsciously trying to push your friend away. At the risk of sounding overly analytical, that may be based on feelings that you don't deserve both male and female relationships at the same time.

While you are thinking about all this, do not discount the possibility that you have changed to the point that you and your girlfriend are not as compatible as you once were. If so, you may both want to develop new friendships.

But whether you work things out with her or find other friends, remember that having a same-sex friend is essential.

In fact, two or three are even better than one. Although few people have the time and energy for that many close friends, a deep involvement in two or three other lives lends a certain perspective to one's own limited time on this earth.

Because of our conditioning about the nature of male-female relationships, they can rarely provide the closeness of same-sex friendships.

My last bit of advice is that things will probably never be perfect. The trick is to continually strive for growth and change while maintaining a feeling of satisfaction with how far you have come.

It sounds like you have come a long way.

Write to Dr. Blaker in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 489, Radio City Station, New York, N.Y. 10019. Volume of mail prohibits personal replies, but questions of general interest will be discussed in future columns.

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Solar Power To Supply Electricity

PHOENIX (AP)-Solar power will supply some electricity for a nuclear power plant being built west of here, says Arizona Public Service Co.

APS President Keith Turley said Tuesday that a solar cooling and heating unit will be installed by fall for the information center of the Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station. He said the center will be "among the first in the nation to have 100 percent of its heating and cooling demands met by a sunpowered unit."

1.8 Million May Vote ...

Turnout Estimate Hiked

By The Associated Press

There could be 1.8 million voters in the Democratic primary alone this Saturday based on absentee voting statewide.

Secretary of State Steve Oaks raised his estimate of the turnout Tuesday by 50 percent.

Oaks had predicted a 1.2 million turnout, but said he now thinks the primary will draw 1.8 million voters - more than cast ballots in 1976.

"From five working days ago until now, we've had a dramatic turnaround in absentee voting," Oaks explained.

Oaks said the GOP primary turnout should be between 110,000 and 150,000.

Gov. Dolph Briscoe stepped up his attack on Attorney General John Hill concerning fiscal issues. He told a news conference in Austin that Hill's promises to beef up state spending on education would cost more than $3 billion in the next two years.

Hill recently said he favors raising state aid to education from 60 percent to 85 percent of the total cost.

"Not in his wildest imagination can he fulfill those promises without a state income tax. The only alternative would be to double the sales tax," Briscoe said.

Briscoe also disclosed he will vote against legalizing horse race betting, a non-binding referendum issue on the primary ballot.

Hill told a news conference in Houston that Briscoe was borrowing money from banks at the rate of $100,000 a week to finance "his bogus income tax scare campaign in a desperate stop-Hill move."

He also stumped in the lower Rio Grande Valley, where Santa Rosa High School students cheered Hill and later booed when they were told they had to return to class.

"I'd rather be here in Santa Rosa looking into the faces of our future citizens than be where the present governor was yesterday in some fancy club in a big city ridiculing John Hill," he said.

Attorney general candidate Mark White said he was "dismayed" by opponent Price Daniel Jr.'s stance that there is no legal ground for a lawsuit challenging Montana's 30 percent coal tax.

He said the tax would cost Texas electric power consumers $400 million in 25 years and applauded the Lower Colorado River Authority and Austin for suing to strike down the levy.

White said in a news conference at the LCRA building that if elected, he would join the suit.

A Daniel supporter, Rep. Ron Coleman, D-El Paso, said White was guilty of "demagoguery" on the issue.

"The remote chance of a successful challenge of Montana's tax would call into serious question Texas' own severance taxes on oil and gas and other natural resources," Coleman said.

Daniel said at a Capital news conference he was so sure of winning he was cutting back spending to leave enough for a general election campaign against Republican Jim Baker.

He said he would vote against horse race betting because it "does open the door a little" to organized crime and because it hurts most those "who can least afford it."

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OBITUARIES

J. C. Willis

Jack Claude Willis, 56, who lived at 3726 Avenue V, died at 1:40 a.m. today in Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

The body was to be taken today from Bell-Seale Funeral Home here to Clark Funeral Home in Neosho, Mo., where funeral rites will be held at 2:30 p.m. Friday. He was a native of Springfield, Mo.

Surviving are his wife, Bette of the home; a son, Jack N. Willis of Snyder; two sisters, Mrs. Howard Stagner and Mrs. C.R. McInturff, both of Dumas; a brother, Douglass Willis of Houston, and one grandchild.

Mrs. Allen

Mrs. Gladys Allen, 68, of Midland died Tuesday at her home. She was born Sept. 7, 1909, in Alabama. She was reared at Rotan and had been a resident of Midland since 1960. She had also lived in Levelland and Sweetwater.

Services are set for 2 p.m. Thursday at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel in Midland. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park, under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home. Rev. Jimmy Stovall will officiate.

She was wed to J. O. Allen in Rotan on Dec. 24, 1926. He survives.

Other survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Hershel (Pat) Hinshaw of Snyder and Mrs. Marvin (Carole) Rasco of Midland; a brother, Harry Adair of Los Angeles, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. Ethel Lambert and Mrs. G. G. Jones, both of Ft. Worth and four grandchildren.

Mrs. Dabney

Hallie Lee Dabney of Dallas, aunt of Virginia Grove of Snyder, died early today in Dallas.

Miss Grove, a teacher at Snyder High School, left for Dallas to attend the funeral service, which will be held at 3:30 p.m. Friday at Restland Funeral Home.

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Party Pledges Clemency For Moro Release

ROME (AP)-The ruling Christian Democrat Party, in an indirect appeal to the Red Brigades, promised "generosity and clemency" for prisoners Wednesday if the terrorist gang releases the kidnapped Aldo Moro.

Despite the new flexibility, the party reiterated its refusal to negotiate with the kidnappers for the former premier's freedom. The party statement came at the end of a meeting convened after Red Brigade leaders on trial in the northern city of Turin blasted Italian prison conditions.

RAIN

(Continued from page 1)

runoff into the lake had been reported. Reports indicated that the rains in Borden County were lighter than those in Scurry.

The weather system which produced the rainfall here brought snow to the Texas Panhandle. The low reading in Dalhart was reported at 32 degrees, and up to two inches of snow fell in that area.

Meanwhile, a tornado blasted through a nine-block of Beaumont at 1 a.m., causing some roof and power line damage, but no injuries were reported.

TOO MUCH RAIN - Unaccustomed as this tree was to rainfall, the supply from the elements Tuesday apparently was too much for it and it fell over after the rains softened the ground. (SDN Staff Photo)

April 29 Mishap Is Reported

A car-pedestrian accident occurring April 29 was belatedly reported to police yesterday.

According to the reports, 6-year-old Kevin Michael Burgess of rural Snyder was taken to Cogdell Memorial Hospital where he was treated for a broken left collar bone and abrasions.

Also involved in the mishap, reports indicate, was a 1972 Toyota driven by Alvin Selmon Sr. of 3305 Ave. M.

The accident occurred at 3901 Muriel Dr.

Stenholm Due Here Tomorrow

Charles Stenholm, Democratic candidate for the 17th Congressional District will visit in Snyder from 9-10 a.m. Thursday. He will visit in the downtown area, said his local campaign manager, Sonny Lee.

Albania is located on the southeast coast of the Adriatic Sea.

ABC Is Back In Top Spot

NEW YORK (AP) - With half of the top 10 shows, ABC returned to its accustomed top spot in the prime time television ratings last week, according to the latest A.C. Nielsen figures.

But Tuesday's figures indicated that an NBC show with former President Gerald Ford discussing foreign policy was the last of 65 shows rated by Nielsen for the week ending April 30. The network paid him a reported $1 million for an unspecified number of programs.

The first three programs were "Three's Company," "Vegas" and "Laverne & Shirley," all on ABC, which plans to make "Vegas" into a series about a detective.

With "Holocaust" now history and no show higher than 15th, NBC plummeted to a third-place average in the national ratings of 14.8. CBS was a close second, with a 14.5, to ABC's 17.9.

These represent 13 million households for ABC, 12.7 for CBS and 10.8 for NBC.

"Three's Company," a 28.7 rating or 20.9 million homes; "Vegas," 26, or 18.9 million; "Laverne & Shirley," ABC, 25.6 or 18.6 million; "Alice," CBS, 24.8, or 18.1 million; "Happy Days," ABC, 23.9, or 17.4 million; "All in the Family," CBS, 23.8, or 17.3 million; "One Day at a Time," CBS, 23.7, or 17.3 million; "Charlie's Angels," 23.2, or 16.9 million; National Collegiate Cheerleading Championship, 22.6, or 16.5 million, and "Dallas," CBS, 21.8, or 15.9 million.

The next 10 shows were "Starsky and Hutch," ABC; "Incredible Hulk," CBS, tied with "Love Boat," ABC; "60 Minutes," CBS; "Quincy," NBC; "Lou Grant," CBS; "Siege," the CBS Wednesday night movie; "Project U.F.O.," NBC; "Go West Young Girl," ABC's Thursday night movie, and "Joe and Valerie," NBC.

DRAMA

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ing, May 9, at 8 p.m. and a performance for Snyder Area Teachers on Thursday evening, May 11 at the annual Texas State Teachers Association Awards Banquet. Both events will be held in the Snyder High School Auditorium.

While in Austin, the local actors will be staying at the new Marriott Hotel, 6121 North IH-35. They will return to Snyder about 5:30 p.m. on Sunday.

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By The Associated Press

	High	Low	Last
Alcoa	46⅛	46	46
Am Airlin	12¼	12	12⅛
Am Motors	4⅛	4	4⅛
AmTT	63¼	63	63¼
Armco St	29⅞	29⅝	29⅝
AtlRichfl	50⅝	50⅜	50⅝
Beth Steel	23⅛	23	23
Boeing	46⅛	43⅝	46⅛
Borden	28⅛	28	28⅛
Brit Pet	14⅞	14⅜	14⅝
Burl Ind	19	18⅞	19
CaterpTr	54⅛	53⅝	54⅛
Celanese	39⅝	39	39⅝
Chrysler	12	11⅞	11⅞
Cities Svc	49⅝	49¼	49¼
Coca Cola	41¾	41⅛	41½
Cont Oil	27⅛	27	27⅛
DowChem	25¼	24⅞	25⅛
duPont	116	115½	115⅝
EG&G Inc	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛
EastnAirL	9¼	9⅛	9⅛
East Kodak	53⅛	53⅛	53⅛
ElPaso Co	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛
Exxon	48	47⅝	47⅞
Fairch Cam	32⅛	31⅞	32⅛
Firestone	14⅝	14½	14⅝
FordMot	50⅛	50⅛	50⅛
Gannett Co	43¼	42⅞	43¼
Gen Elec	52⅛	52⅛	52⅝
Gen Food	29⅞	29⅝	29⅝
Gen Motors	65⅛	65	65⅛
Gen Tel & El	30	29⅝	30
Gen Tire	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛
Goodrich	22⅛	22⅛	22⅛
Goodyear	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛
GtAtlPac	9	8¾	9
Gulf Oil	24⅛	23⅞	24
Gulf StaUt	13⅜	13⅛	13⅛
HarteHnks	37⅞	37⅛	37⅞
Honeywell	52	51⅝	52
HoustInd	30⅛	30	30⅛
IBM	265⅞	266⅛	265⅞
Int Paper	42⅞	42⅛	42⅛
Johns Manv	32⅛	31⅞	32⅛
Johnsn John	75⅛	75⅛	75⅛
Kmart	24⅛	24	24⅛
Kennecott	24	23⅞	24
Litton Ind	19⅛	18⅞	19
Marathn Oil	46⅛	46⅛	46⅛
Martin M	28⅜	28	28
Mobil	66⅛	66	66⅛
Monsanto	53⅞	53⅛	53⅛
Penney JC	41⅛	40⅞	41
PhillipsPet	33⅛	33⅛	33⅛
Polaroid	31⅞	31⅛	31⅝
Proct Gamb	84⅛	84⅛	84⅛
PubS NwMx	20⅝	20⅛	20⅛
RCA	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛
Safeway Str	41	41	41
SantaFe Ind	39	38⅝	38⅝
SearsRoeb	24⅞	24⅛	24⅝
Sony Corp	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛
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StdOilCal	43⅛	43⅛	43⅛
StdOil Ind	52	51⅝	51⅝
SunComp	42	41⅝	42
Texaco Inc	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛
TexCom Bn	39⅞	39⅝	39⅞
Texas Inst	78	77	77⅛
Tex Util	20	19⅞	19⅞
Texasgulf	18⅞	18⅛	18⅛
TimeInc	46⅛	46⅛	46⅛
TransW Air	19⅛	19	19⅛
Tyler Corp	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛
UAL Inc	26⅝	26⅛	26⅛
Un Carbide	40⅛	40⅜	40⅜
Uniroyal	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
UtdNucl	27⅞	27⅛	27⅞
U S Steel	28	27⅛	27⅛
Westgh El	20⅛	20⅛	20⅛
Xerox Cp	49⅛	49⅛	49⅛

Grain

CHICAGO (AP) - Wheat No 2 hard red winter 2.98n. Wednesday. No 2 soft red winter 2.88n. Corn No 2 yellow 2.48¾n hopper 2.39n box. Oats No 2 heavy 1.6n. Soybeans No 1 yellow 6.90n.

No 2 yellow corn futures sold at 2.50 hopper and was quoted at 2.49¾n hopper 2.40¾n box.

Two Trucks In Mishaps

Randy Corby, 23, of Dallas, was picked up by Galyean Ambulance Service last night and transported to Cogdell Memorial Hospital where he was treated and released following a one truck traffic accident.

Reports filed by investigating troopers of the Department of Public Safety indicate Corby was driving a 1969 International truck that was traveling south on U.S. Highway 84 when the vehicle spun out of control, careened across the road, and became stuck in roadside mud. Only minor damages were reported.

The mishap occurred about 16 miles north of Snyder at 10:20 p.m. Tuesday.

In a separate traffic accident involving an International truck, the driver escaped unharmed, but the truck overturned.

That mishap, DPS troopers reported, took place about 10.3 miles south of Snyder on U.S. Highway 84.

Involved in it, they reported, was a 1974 International driven by Charlie Kingston, 26, of Roscoe. The vehicle overturned about 9:30 p.m. Tuesday on the rain-slickened road.

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San Antonio Tower Loses Power In Storm

SAN ANTONIO (AP) - A thunderstorm packing 80-90 mph "hurricane force" winds lashed the 675-foot Tower of the Americas Tuesday night, shattering a window, knocking out power and forcing the evacuation of about 150 persons from the tower restaurant.

Three persons suffered minor cuts from flying glass, but there were no major injuries, authorities said.

The winds at the 620-foot restaurant level, called "hurricane force" by one official, shattered a 10-foot square plate glass windows. The winds blew down a chandelier in the restaurant and threw dishes and utensils across the room.

The power was knocked out for about 20 minutes. Most of the diners walked off their dinner by trudging down the 1,200 steps to the base of the tower, escorted by fire department personnel.

Others, however, were taken down in elevators powered by emergency generators.

The tower was closed for the remainder of the night and officials began surveying the damage today. There was no immediate damage estimate.

"It (the tower) swayed back and forth and I started to get sick to my stomach," said Ruby King, one of those in the tower. "I thought this is it and maybe I panicked. I just wanted to get out of there."

"The tower was swaying back and forth and I was getting nauseous," said Shirley Mann, a tourist from Hutchinson, Kansas.

Ray Lopez, acting division fire chief, said the evacuation was orderly.

The thunderstorm, spewing high winds, rain and hail, was one of many that rumbled across Central Texas Tuesday night. The San Antonio area was placed under a tornado warning after witnesses spotted a twister in nearby Castroville.

Authorities said, however, the winds that hit the tower were not a tornado.

The downtown tower was constructed for Hemisfair '68, a world's fair hosted in 1968 by San Antonio.

Patty's New Lawyer Mum

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)- Patricia Hearst's new lawyer won't comment on what plans he may have to keep the newspaper heiress out of prison on her 1976 bank robbery conviction.

San Francisco attorney George Martinez was named Monday to replace Al Johnson as Miss Hearst's chief lawyer.

Johnson said he would continue to handle Hearst family legal matters and also would represent Miss Hearst in certain specialized areas. He did not elaborate.

The U.S. Supreme Court refused last week to review the conviction and Johnson has not announced what the next step will be. Miss Hearst, sentenced to seven years for her part in the holdup, has served 14 months and would have to serve 14 more before being eligible for parole.

B.W. HASKINS

Exxon Honors B. W. Haskins

MIDLAND—A luncheon honored B. W. Haskins recently as he observed his 30-year service anniversary with Exxon Co. U.S.A.

He is assigned as associate systems analyst, engineering, Mid-Continent Production Division, Midland.

A native of West Texas, Haskins joined the company in 1948 in Wink. Clerical assignments followed in Snyder and various West Texas locals and in 1970 he moved to Midland. He and his wife, the former Mary Russell, are parents of two daughters.

Haskins was presented service awards by Weldon R. Shuck, division supervising engineer, at the luncheon.

HEALTH

Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

Low back pain

Lawrence Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB — Recently I developed low back pain, involving spasm of the large supportive muscles along the spine and causing stiffness. It hit me upon getting out of bed one morning. The first two days I could hardly move about because of the pain and spasms.

I believe it was caused by too much forward bending from the waist during the preceding few days. Can you recommend an exercise program that will help prevent reinjury by strengthening the muscles. I am 70 years old. I've found out that many of my friends are also bothered by low back pain.

DEAR READER — You are right, low back pain is a common problem and you don't have to be 70 to get it either.

Anyone who has such an attack should be examined by a physician. There are many causes for low back pain. You could have a ruptured disc between two vertebrae; the material leaked out of the disc is very irritating. The irritation sets up spasm causing the low back pain. Pain can even be a sign of a bone tumor or spread of a hidden cancer. That is why a person can't fool around with such problems on a do-it-yourself basis. It is important to know first what you are treating.

If the back pain is a complication of weak muscles then you can use exercises to help, also a good exercise program for everyone helps to prevent such frequent problems.

What kind of exercise do you need to do? The most important ones are to strengthen your abdominal muscles. When we sit the abdominal muscles are slack — particularly if you are leaning over a desk typing as I am doing now. Office workers commonly develop weak abdominal muscles which has something to do with the tendency to develop a large abdomen.

I am sending you The Health Letter number 3-7, Girth Control: Avoiding the Big Middle, not because you have a big middle but because the exercises described there are good to help maintain your abdominal muscles, but do see your doctor before beginning an exercise program. Others who want this issue can send 50 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope to me for it in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

The strong abdominal muscles help maintain pressure in your abdominal cavity and literally splint the back. If they are weak the back must provide all the support and it may get a little sore as a result. Sitting is the worst of all positions as a cause of back strain.

You need to do modified leg lifts to strengthen the lower abdomen and sit ups to strengthen the upper abdomen. I am sorry to say that level walking will not use the abdominal muscles and won't help much.

Many back problems are related to chronic unrecognized conditions. If a person has one leg significantly shorter than the other it will tilt the pelvis and cause a realignment of the spinal vertebrae. The resulting abnormal position causes a constant see-saw effect and [illegible] muscles. The stressed muscles go into spasm to splint the back and cause pain. When this or other chronic conditions are present correcting the basic defect is just as important as treating the muscle spasm. Proper shoes, proper furniture that fits you and prevents strain are important features of managing back pain problems.

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Quadracycle Is Ultimate Bike

RIVERSIDE, Calif. (AP)-Buddy Alvis, 17, peddling barefoot with six companions, says his quadracycle is "the ultimate bike."

The four-wheeler, built by patching together nine bike frames, was constructed by Buddy, his brother, George, their grandfather, George Paulin, and a friend, Ken Stevens, 16.

Despite some early problems, Buddy says the experiment has proven worthwhile because "women love the bike."

On one trip, the bike, with its seven test pilots, came down a hill so fast the sprocket grease caught fire and "then the rim folded just like that."

"We had to bring it home on a station wagon," Buddy said.

ASTRO-GRAPH

Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

May 4, 1978

Some uplifting and inspirational conditions should start to come into play for you this coming year. A more versatile you will emerge. You'll be able to develop plans that can better your financial status.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) In your work today follow procedures familiar to you. Allowing another to pressure you into doing things his way could cause problems. Having trouble selecting a career? Send for your copy of Astro-Graph Letter by mailing 50 cents for each and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, P.O. Box 489, Radio City Station, N.Y. 10019. Be sure to specify birth sign.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You won't have to reply in kind to one who treats you rudely in front of friends today. She'll be appropriately judged by the others.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) You'll gain the admiration you're looking for by thinking of others before yourself today. Don't let someone's foolishness sidetrack you from helping.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Before you give a person who has been bugging you a piece of your mind, try the soft approach one more time. The results will please you.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Don't squander your money today on things you think you need for your home. If you do, you'll later have a severe case of buyer's remorse.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Show another how harmony is maintained by setting an example today. Demonstration says much more than words.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) You'll be inspired on ways to accomplish your work today, but get things done early. Disruptive conditions get in the way later.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Even though your inner voice might be talking loudly now, it's not necessarily practical. Evaluate sensibly all you do today.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) If you don't make unreasonable demands on others today, things could work out quite satisfactorily. Expect the opposite if you're too self-absorbed.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Share your plans today only with those who will fully appreciate them. The know-it-alls have only a hatchet job to offer.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) An issue could arise today where you'll have to make a choice between your material and idealistic goals. Do that which brings the greater honor.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Be philosophical when you are denied cooperation you were expecting from another. You can handle everything yourself if you remain calm.

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LET'S TAKE A LITTLE TEST

(T) (F) TAXES WILL INCREASE IF SNYDER VOTES WET?
Taxes will increase whether Snyder is wet or dry. Last year you paid more taxes than ever before. As the oil production continues to decline, you are going to pay even more. Voting "Wet" will ease the burden.

(T) F OVER 96 PER CENT OF TEXANS LIVE IN WET AREAS?
(Source: U. S. Census)

(T) F OVER 98 PER CENT OF ALL NEW INDUSTRIAL PLANTS LOCATED IN TEXAS LAST YEAR WERE IN WET AREAS?
(Source: Texas Industrial Commission)

T (F) CRIME WILL INCREASE IF SNYDER VOTES WET?
There is no proven correlation between crime in wet versus dry areas. There is only direct correlation between population and crime. No one is advocating "No Growth" because of it. Dry Snyder presently has a higher crime rate than wet Sweetwater.
(Source: District Court Records)

T (F) AUTO INSURANCE RATES WILL INCREASE IF SNYDER VOTES WET?
Dry Snyder is presently ranked as having the 10th highest insurance rate out of 40 territories in Texas. Wet Sweetwater has the lowest insurance rate in the state.
(Source: Texas Insurance Commission)

(T) F THE FIVE FASTER GROWING CITIES IN TEXAS ARE WET?
Texas Business population trends as stated last month showed the five fastest growing cities to be Odessa (20 per cent increase between 1970-81), Houston (15.2 per cent), Bryan-College Station (11.8 per cent), McAllen-Pharr-Edinburg (10.4 per cent) and Austin (10.2 per cent).
(Source: Texas Business)

T (F) WELFARE COSTS WILL INCREASE IF SNYDER VOTES WET?
No correlation between wet and dry areas regarding welfare costs. Direct correlation based on population increases.
(Source: TExas Department of Human Resources)

T (F) UNEMPLOYMENT RATES WILL INCREASE IF SNYDER VOTES WET?
No correlation between wet and dry areas regarding unemployment rates. Direct correlation based on regional locale. Unemployment rates in wet Odessa are lower than dry Snyder.
(Source: Texas Employment Commission)

T (F) VOTING WET WILL ENABLE YOUNG PEOPLE EASIER ACCESS TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES?
Merchants in wet areas must be licensed. If caught selling to a minor or any other of a number of violations, the license will be revoked and the establishment closed. No merchant would be foolish enough to risk his investment by selling to a minor. A bootlegger is operating illegally anyway and would not hesitate to sell to a minor.
(Source: Texas Law)

T (F) SNYDER IS PRESENTLY DRY?
Snyder presently has eight private clubs operating within the city limits. For a $2 membership fee, one may drink all he or she wants seven days a week.

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76ers Need Win, Fans

PHILADELPHIA (AP) - The Philadelphia 76ers are faced with a double dilemma tonight.

They have to beat the Washington Bullets in the second game of the best-of-seven National Basketball Association Eastern Division finals or go to Landover, Md., for Games 3 and 4 down 2-0.

In addition, owner Fit Dixon and General Manager Pat Williams would like to see all of those 18,000-plus Spectrum seats filled.

It's had enough that Elvin Hayes scored 28 points, picked off 18 rebounds and blocked six shots in a 122-117 overtime loss on their own court, but the 76ers have not been drawing in the playoffs.

The Sixers sold out 16 times in the best season for attendance in franchise history. But the fans have been cold to the playoffs. There were 7,688 empty seats for the two home games with the New York Knicks, 4,568 for the opener with the Bullets.

By The Associated Press
Quarter-finals
Best of Seven
Western Conference
Series G
Wednesday's Game
Milwaukee at Denver

Semifinals
Best of Seven
Series I
Wednesday's Game
Washington at Philadelphia, Washington leads series 1-0

IRA ATHLETES AWARDED - These athletes received special recognition during the annual Ira All-Sports Banquet held last night. They are, front row, left to right, Paula Clements, basketball; Linda Cooley, track; and Brenda Cooley, basketball; and back row, David Mosley, basketball; Joe Hall, football; and Jimmy Byars, track. (SDN Staff Photo)

Ira Banquet Honors Bulldog Athletes

IRA - Six athletes were awarded with their names on a "Bulldog" plaque during the annual All-Sports Banquet held here last night.

The program, which included the recognition of all athletes from the fifth grade up, was introduced by master of ceremonies Milton Ham.

Receiving special awards were Paula Clements, top guard, basketball; Brenda Cooley, top forward, basketball; Linda Cooley, track, 76 points for season; Joe Hall, football; David Mosley, basketball; and Jimmy Byars, track.

Fan of the Year, a special award presented by the student body, was given to Mr. and Mrs. Leon Huddleston.

In addition, the 1978-79 cheerleaders were named by sponsor Patti Monroe. These included, junior high, Kelly Bryant, Jonni Hughes, Julie Kellner, Kim Withers and alternate Lisa Dunn, and varsity, Linda Cooley, Sandy House, Donna Layne, Shelly Maupin and alternate Brenda Cooley.

Tennis and golf teams were also recognized during the festivities.

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Blue Trade Working Well For A's, Giants

The Vida Blue deal is looking good - from both sides of San Francisco Bay.

Blue, the hard-throwing left-hander who had sought to be traded from the Oakland A's for several years, got his wish this spring when A's owner Charles O. Finley sent him across the Bay to the San Francisco Giants, where he is 3-1 and pitching well.

And one of the players who went the other way, 25-year-old Gary Alexander, has been nothing short of sensational as Oakland's designated hitter.

The 25-year-old Alexander belted his fifth game-winning home run of the season Tuesday night as the A's edged the Toronto Blue Jays 2-1.

Alexander, who appeared in just 77 games the last three years with the Giants but is seeing full-time duty with the A's, has hit seven home runs to lead Oakland to a sizzling 17-5 start - the best record in the major leagues. The A's lead the second place Kansas City Royals by 2½ games in the American League West.

Yankees 4, Royals 2

New York's Catfish Hunter posted his first victory since Aug. 24, allowing five hits over seven innings before giving way to relief ace Sparky Lyle. Hunter allowed successive homers to Hal McRae and Darrell Porter in the fourth inning but otherwise was in complete command, striking out four and walking two.

Orioles 3, Red Sox 1

Dennis Martinez allowed just four Boston hits and struck out five in raising his record to 3-1. Eddie Murray snapped a 1-1 tie with a home run in the seventh inning and the Orioles added an insurance run in the eighth on a double by Larry Harlow and a single by Lee May.

Cubs 5, Dodgers 4

Manny Trillo's 10th-inning double drove in the winning run as Chicago defeated Los Angeles. Bruce Sutter pitched 1 1-3 innings in relief of Cubs starter Rick Reuschel to pick up the victory.

Padres 2, Pirates 1

Bob Owchinko scattered nine hits and Derrel Thomas scored two runs to lead San Diego over Pittsburgh. Pittsburgh starter Jon Candelaria suffered his fourth loss in five decisions this season. Owchinko raised his record to 2-2 with his first complete game in five starts.

baseball summary

By The Associated Press

American League

East

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Detr	14	5	.737	-
NY	12	9	.571	3
Bost	12	10	.545	3½
Clev	9	11	.450	5½
Balt	9	12	.429	6
Milw	9	12	.429	6
Toro	8	14	.364	7½
West				
Oakl	17	5	.773	-
KC	14	7	.667	2½
Cal	14	8	.636	3
Tex	9	10	.474	6½
Chi	7	12	.368	8½
Minn	8	16	.333	10
Seat	8	19	.296	11½

Tuesday's Games
Baltimore 3, Boston 1
New York 4, Kansas City 2
Chicago 5, Milwaukee 3
Oakland 2, Toronto 1
Detroit 10, California 2

National League

East

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Phil	11	7	.611	-
Mont	11	8	.579	½
Chi	12	9	.571	½
Pitt	10	10	.500	2
SLou	10	12	.455	3
NY	10	14	.417	4
West				
LA	13	8	.619	-
Cinc	13	9	.591	½
SFran	11	11	.500	2½
Hous	10	12	.455	3½
SDie	8	13	.381	5
Atla	8	14	.364	5½

Tuesday's Games
St. Louis 9, San Francisco 0
Chicago 5, Los Angeles 4, 10 innings
Houston at Montreal, ppd., cold weather

How Texas Fared In the Draft...

Pros Pick Four From A&I

By The Associated Press

The only person more surprised than Doug Greene when St. Louis drafted him in the third round Tuesday was the Atlanta coach who had made a special trip to check out the Texas A&I safety as the Falcons' prospective fourth-round pick.

Greene was one of four players from the small NAIA powerhouse to be selected in Tuesday's first six rounds of the National Football League draft.

Ace running back Larry Collins, who galloped for more than 5,300 yards in four years for the Javelinas, was a third-round selection by Cleveland and linebacker Johnny Barefield was picked by the Cardinals in the second round.

A&I wide receiver Glenn Starks went in the sixth round to Seattle.

Atlanta assistant coach Jerry Glanville arrived in Kingsville Tuesday afternoon for a final check on Greene's speed over 40 yards. The Falcons considered Green a sleeper in the draft and felt no other team would draft him early, Glanville said.

"If he showed anything at all like a 4.6, we were going to draft him in the fourth round," said Glanville.

Glanville said the Falcons had traded safety Ray Brown earlier Tuesday with Greene in mind as a possible replacement.

But as they were leaving the athletic department to head for the football field, Greene, a 6-2, 195-pounder, got a long distance phone call from the Cardinals.

Of course, Heisman Trophy winner Earl Campbell of Texas and his $1.3 million contract with the Houston Oilers hogged the spotlight in the NFL draft.

The Oilers, who acquired Tampa Bay's No. 1 draft choice, made Campbell the NFL's first pick.

Arkansas kicker Steve Little, who was picked by St. Louis, was the only other Southwest Conference player to be selected in the first round. He was the 15th player picked.

Texas-Arlington, never considered to be a fertile hunting ground for the NFL, had two players - running back Derrick Jensen and defensive tackle Dwight Carey - selected in the first five rounds.

Campbell's teammate, All-American defensive tackle Brad Shearer, was the 18th player selected in the third round, going to the Chicago Bears.

Glue-fingered Texas Christian wide receiver Mike Renfro was the Oiler's No. 4 pick.

The Dallas Cowboys used their No. 4 choice on running back Alois Blackwell of the University of Houston, while Texas Tech running back Billy Taylor was taken in the fourth round by the New York Giants. The Giants then took Texas Tech defensive tackle Jim Krahl in the fifth round.

Texas Tech defensive back Eric Felton was a fifth-round pick by New Orleans, while Texas A&M offensive tackle Frank Myers was a fifth-round selection by Baltimore.

West Texas State offensive tackle William Fifer went to Detroit in the fourth round and Arkansas guard Leotis Harris was Green Bay's No. 6.

Jensen was the first player selected in the third round and went to Oakland. The Kansas City Chiefs drafted Carey in the fifth round.

Tigers Welcome Lamesa Thursday

Snyder High School baseball team, 21-5 on the season, will host Lamesa at Moffett Field, 4 p.m. Thursday.

The District 3-AAA contest, originally scheduled for Tuesday, was postponed due to adverse weather.

The Tigers will travel to Brownfield on Saturday for a 1 p.m. game as the season continues.

Byron Nelson Classic Set

DALLAS (AP) - Gary Player will try to start a new streak and Lon Hinkle will try to build his first one this week in the Dallas $200,000 Byron Nelson Golf Classic.

"It was a great thrill winning three in a row and trying to win four," said Player, whose streak was snapped by Hinkle last weekend in the New Orleans Open.

"I'd love to try it again," the South African said.

But neither he nor the hard-hitting Hinkle was optimistic about their chances in the 72-hole test that begins Thursday on the revamped, 6,983-yard, par-71 Preston Trail Golf Course.

"I know how hard it is to win one," said Hinkle, who scored his first career victory in New Orleans. "I can't imagine how tough it must be to win two or three in a row."

Jerkens At Derby Now

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) - Training horses for Triple Crown events usually isn't Allen Jerkins' thing. But his presence at Churchill Downs makes unbeaten Sensitive Prince one of the leading contenders for Saturday's 104th running of the Kentucky Derby.

Jerkens has built an outstanding reputation over the last 28 years, mostly masterminding the Hobeau Farm of Jack Dreyfus and pulling upsets over the likes of Forego, Buckpasser, Kelso and Secretariat.

Now he faces the task of attempting to win the Derby from the more highly regarded Alydar and Affirmed.

"I'd give up my 10 percent share if I could win it," said Jerkens Tuesday. In his only other appearance here he saddled Round Stake, who finished 11th to 1975 winner Foolish Pleasure.

College Hardship Cases

NEW YORK (AP) - University of San Francisco teammates Windred Boynes and James Hardy headed a group of five undergraduate basketball players who renounced their college basketball eligibility to become eligible for the National Basketball Association's college draft.

Joining Boynes and Hardy on the hardship list are: Reggie Theus, University of Nevada-Las Vegas; Frank Sanders, Southern University, and James Holley, Schenectady County Community College.

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PANAMA CANAL FIGHT

CREWS McCULLOCH

"The Panama Canal Treaty is not a dead issue," said Crews McCulloch, candidate for the 17th District Congressman, at an airport press conference in Abilene on April 26, 1978. "The Senate vote on the treaties does not reflect the wishes of the American people and was a visible example of a few maneuvering the thinking in government and imposing their will on many."

"Are we going to continue to send men to run our country who forget they are there to represent us?" he asked. The treaties must be implemented by action in both the House and Senate. McCulloch pledged to fight vigorously against implementation of the treaties should he be elected to Congress. He said, "we still have some options in running our Federal Government and those options start with who we elect to represent us."

Crews McCulloch is considered by many political observers to be the "DARK HORSE" in the race. He is experienced in farming, ranching, industry, business, national defense and foreign affairs. He is a highly decorated combat veteran and has fought to build his own successful business. He has rejected campaign funds from special interest groups so that he may represent all the people and not just a few wealthy individuals and special groups. You can help return your Federal Government to the people by electing a man who is well qualified to represent you and not afraid to step out and fight.

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Final Action Near On Two Farmers' Aid Bills

By BRIAN B. KING
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP)— Two bills aiding financially troubled farmers are drawing close to final congressional action and their expected signing by President Carter.

Senate and House conferees are expected to meet soon and easily resolve the differences between a package of changes in rural and farm credit programs the Senate adopted Tuesday on a 92-to 0 vote. The House passed its version last week.

The House has scheduled the final vote for Thursday on a second measure. It would allow the president to raise the federally guaranteed rates of return on wheat, feedgrains, cotton and rice whenever he asks growers to idle cropland as a way to boost their market prices.

The Senate approved that product of House-Senate conferees Tuesday on a voice vote with two minutes' discussion by the four senators present. The conferees' earlier and more extensive proposal, backed by the American Agriculture protest group, was attacked by Carter and killed by the House on April 12.

Carter has said that he would accept the authority to change prices since present law requires that the congressionally set "target prices" be adjusted only by a fixed formula.

But he has said only the wheat target would be raised this year, from $3 to $3.40 a bushel, a $600 million budget addition if the average post-harvest market price is $3.

The Agriculture Department pays eligible farmers the difference between the target and a lower average.

"This is a modest bill that provides limited help to the nation's farmers," said Sen. Herman E. Talmadge, D-Ga., chairman of the agriculture committee. "It is far short of what I think is needed to restore vitality to the agricultural economy. But it appears to be the best farm legislation attainable under existing circumstances."

"This is the best we can accomplish," said Sen. Bob Dole, R-Kan., prime author of the defeated bill. "We are at the mercy of the administration."

The credit bill has three parts. One raises the limits on traditional ownership and operating loans to reflect the larger farms prevalent today. It also opens the programs to corporations and partnerships principally involved in farming.

The second sets up a 20-month program under which up to $4 billion in federally guaranteed or insured loans of up to $500,000 each would be available to proven farmers who need to refinance existing debts or face bankruptcy because of "economic stress." The House has a $400,000 limit.

The third raises from one-half to three-fourths the amount of a rural water or sewer project that can be paid for through a grant from the Farmers Home Administration.

Both credit measures, three years in the making, have general administration approval.

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Westbrook Names Honor Students

WESTBROOK — Valedictorian of the 1978 graduating class of Westbrook High School is Pamela Parsons, while the salutatorian is Roy Geiger.

Miss Parsons, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Parsons of Texas Electric Village, Colorado City, has a four-year grade average of 90.78. Geiger, the son of J. A. Geiger of Westbrook has a grade average of 88.38.

Valedictorian of the 8th grade class is Jeff Boon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Boon of Lake Colorado City, who has a grade average of 92.9. The eighth grade salutatorian is Darren Henderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Henderson of Westbrook, with a grade average of 90.5.

Graduation exercises have been set for 8:15 p.m. Tuesday, May 16, in the high school auditorium.

Thirteen seniors will graduate from Westbrook High School and nine 8th graders will graduate into high school.

Miss Parsons was vice president of her sophomore class, was junior class secretary and junior class favorite. She is a member of the National Honor Society, is 1978 FHA president and student council president. She played basketball three years, participated in track three years, in golf one year and volleyball three years. She was named 1978 Miss Westbrook High School.

Geiger is senior class favorite, a member of Who's Who, was on the student council and annual staff and has been in Future Farmers of America, serving on a judging team four years. He also is a member of the National Honor Society.

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Vietnam Agrees On Repayment

TOKYO (AP)—After two years of negotiations, Vietnam has agreed on terms for repayment to Japan of $68 million in low-interest loans to the former South Vietnamese government, and Japan has agreed to aid Vietnam with $17.8 million to buy textiles, fertilizers and other Japanese products, the foreign ministry announced.

The Japanese government insisted on repayment of the loans as a condition of continued economic cooperation.

Signs Indicate Haiti Repression Is Easing

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti (AP)-Foreign diplomats here claim to see signs that the harsh repression prevailing in Haiti for decades is gradually easing up under the leadership of the son of the president who set it all in motion.

"Haiti is moving toward democracy, but only very gradually," said one of the diplomats, who asked to remain anonymous. "We should not expect anything dramatic. We won't see Haiti as a democracy in the U.S. sense in the foreseeable future."

Nevertheless, there is a momentum, the diplomats maintained, and they pointed to these signs:

-Formation of a human rights organization.

-Public trials and convictions of two security "volunteers" and an army lieutenant.

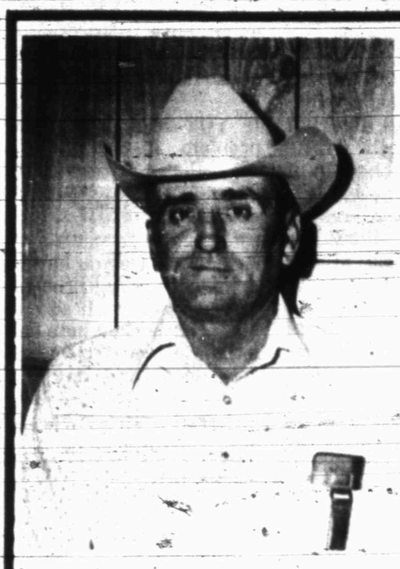
-Newspaper articles critical of some authorities.

This poorest country in the Western Hemisphere is still a nation of one-man rule, or at least rule by a very few, where people shy away from criticizing the government or its programs or even discussing politics with foreigners.

But diplomats say 26-year-old Jean-Claude Duvalier, who became president for life on the death of his father seven years ago, has ended the beatings, midnight disappearances and other intimidation during the reign of Francois "Papa Doc" Duvalier.

Max du Plessy, organizer and head of the 20-member Human Rights League of Haiti, said its purpose is to see that "no human rights violations are committed in Haiti without punishment for those who commit them."

At present, the former Supreme Court justice continued, "there is no real recognition of the concept of human rights, of the sovereignty of justice."



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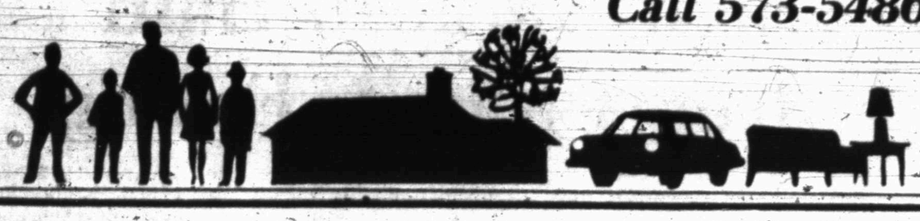

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OLD WEST..large home with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths..den.. new built in kitchen..two double car garages..Austin stone..equity buy..
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Most people start with a home like this. 2 Bdr and den, or use as 3 Bdr. 1 Bth, one car garage. Fenced yard with large pecan tree. Low 20's Highland Park.
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This is the one. Peach, plum and apricot. 2 Bdr. sep. dining room, garage, new carpet. In nice neighborhood. Mid teen's.
UNUSUAL DESIGN
Will have to see to appreciate. Large 2 Bdr., 2 Bth, living room and dining combined with fireplace. Kitchen has built-ins and separate utility room. Brick on 2 acres and only 3 years old.
MAKE AN OFFER
On this pretty and neat brick home in Southwest location. 3 Bdr. 1 Bth. large kitchen. Fenced yard with covered patio.

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Brewer Using Solar System

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (AP)-Anheuser-Busch, the nation's largest brewer, is using a solar energy system to pasteurize bottled beer at the company's brewery here.

The system, which was dedicated Tuesday, consists of an array of solar collectors on the brewery roof. Energy is stored in special capacitors and transferred to a heat exchange near one of the plant's seven pasteurizers. It is then used to heat water that is sprayed on bottles of beer in the pasteurizer heating zone.

During that period, the bottles are sprayed with water heated to approximately 146 degrees Fahrenheit for more than five minutes, raising the temperature of the beer to approximately 143 degrees and pasteurizing it.

The German humanist Konrad Peutinger was one of the first to publish Roman inscriptions and his name is still associated with the "Tabula Peutingeriana," a map of military roads of the western Roman empire, discovered by Konrad Celtes.

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Painkiller Claim Is Challenged

By Robert M. Andrews
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP)-A scientific research team's conclusion that heavy, prolonged use of a popular aspirin substitute may trigger cataracts in some humans was challenged today by a drug manufacturer and a laboratory chief of the National Eye Institute.

The report is contained in this week's issue of Science, the journal of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

It said experiments on laboratory mice indicated that "long-term administration of high doses of acetaminophen may contribute to cataract formation," a clouding of the lens or lens capsule of the eye that causes partial or total blindness.

Acetaminophen is an over-the-counter pain reliever and fever reducer sold under such brand names as Tylenol and Datril. The makers of Tylenol, the top-selling aspirin substitute, estimate their product accounts for 21 percent of all non-prescription analgesic sales.

The report in Science said that although the laboratory mice were given very high doses of acetaminophen, "our ophthalmologic findings may be important clinically to certain patients receiving either a single large overdose of this drug or high doses over a long period."

Dr. Hitoshi Shichi, of the federally supported National Eye Institute's laboratory of vision research, said in a telephone interview from Sarasota, Fla., that this referred to patients with "suicidal tendencies" or elderly patients who take large quantities of acetaminophen for relieving pain or arthritis.

Shichi defined a long period as six months to a year or more.

The report added that cigarette smoking, eating of charcoal-broiled foods and exposure to hydrocarbon pollutants in the air "might be important in assessing differences in genetic susceptibility to drug-induced cataract formation."

Dr. Thomas Gates, medical director of McNeil Laboratories at Fort Washington, Pa., said, "There is no basis in fact in that report. There has been not a single reported case of cataracts due to acetaminophen in the entire world's medical literature."

A scientific advisory panel told the Food and Drug Administration last July that both aspirin and acetaminophen were safe and effective, but recommended that products containing acetaminophen carry labels warning that excessive doses can cause liver damage.

At the time, the makers of Tylenol announced they would voluntarily add a precautionary label warning about possible liver damage.

Bill Promotes Solar Energy

WASHINGTON (AP)-The House has approved legislation to promote solar engery through a $75 million loan program for small businesses that make, distribute, install and service solar equipment.

The House's 375-17 vote Tuesday sent the bill to the Senate.

Backers of the solar loan bill said the 500 or so companies in the field are starved for capital to expand production and services.

Under the legislation, the Small Business Administration would be authorized to make direct loans of up to $350,000 at 6.5 percent interest, and to give government backing to loans of up to $500,000 made by banks at interest up to 10 percent.

Body Found With 15 Vicious Dogs

SYDNEY, Australia (AP)-Police found the remains of 53-year-old Mervyn Sallows and 15 starving, vicious dogs when they broke into a Sydney house today. The police said the man apparently had been dead for about a week.

The police went to the house after the local mailman reported he had not seen Sallows for several days. The coroner ordered an autopsy to determine the cause of death, and the dogs were taken to a pound.

He's Got His Wife's Number

By Abigail Van Buren
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DEAR ABBY: Recently I attended a 30-year reunion of my high school graduation class in a small town in California. My husband came along and I introduced him as "No. 5." My former classmates treated me as though I had leprosy.

Abby, not everybody marries their high school sweethearts, and many of us have not remained in an unhappy marriage just to save face. I grew up in an era when it was taboo to live with someone before marriage, and a sin to try someone out in bed. So consequently I made four mistakes in a row. Luckily I kept looking, and I found my present husband to whom I have been married for 10 years. I've never been happier.

I'm not saying that being married five times is something to be proud of. What I am saying is, it's nothing to be ashamed of either. And aren't we all entitled in this life to our own pursuit of happiness? Sign me...

FIFTH TIME AROUND

DEAR FIFTH: I see your point, but when you introduce you husband as "No. 5," you give the impression that you're proud of it.

Don't be defensive. Just introduce your husband by his name—not his number—and you won't need an antidote for leprosy.

DEAR ABBY: I have a boyfriend and we were kissing. Right in the middle of it he said, "Boy, you sure do kiss good, but not as good as Carol or Cindy." What would you do if your boyfriend compared you with other girls?

JUST TURNED 12

DEAR JUST: I'd either get another boyfriend, or I'd try to improve my kissing.

DEAR ABBY: With the Catholic Church becoming so liberal these past few years, can you tell me whether the church now permits its members to join the Masonic Order? Or is it the Masons who won't take Catholics?

CURIOUS

DEAR CURIOUS: The general prohibition against Catholics joining the Masonic Order remains in force under the present law of the church. I am told that Masons would accept Catholics—if the Catholic Church would permit them to join.

DEAR ABBY: Re SUSPICIOUS who found hidden in his wife's closet six beautiful sheer nightgowns which he had never seen before: This appears to be a sheer case of negligee!

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WEST
STANFIELD SCHOOL–3-1–quick possession–3 in this area, all nice.
LOVELY "OLDIE". Mint condition 4-2-2, Ref. air, Basement, trees galore.
CORNER LOT-3001 32nd, total electric, built-ins, cellar, covered patio.
CEDAR CREEK DRIVE–Beautiful area, beautiful home, call to see, also dream home being built, overlooking golf course and several choice lots available in the same area.
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NEW HOMES–Good financing-3 bed, 2 bath, East $27,500 and $28,500.
MOBILE HOME-3-2, lg. lot, storage, garden.
RESIDENTIAL BUILDING LOTS–MINATURE GOLF COURSE–APARTMENTS–COMMERCIAL BUILDINGS AND COMMERCIAL LOTS.

SUPERKIDS INFORMATION - Getting information about the May 6 Superkids event during a visit by Jaycees to Stanfield Elementary School were, from left, Steve Parker, Amber Adams, Jay Parker and Lesa Barkowsky. Students aged 6-18 are eligible to enter the Superkids competition and they are being offered registration forms through their schools through today.

Contest Awards Go To Local, Areas Winners

Local and area Western Texas College students and faculty have been named winners in WTC's first creative writing contest, sponsored by the student services division.

Glenna Garrett, Colorado City freshman, received $35 for first place in student short story. Her entry, entitled "Togetherness," was cited as "very good, professionally done and entertaining."

Frances Weston, Snyder freshman, won second and a gift certificate for two Spanish Inn specials. Her entry, "Night March," was cited for presenting "a vivid picture with good details and characterization."

Dr. Shelby Hillis, associate professor of science, received $35 for first place in faculty-personnel short story. His entry, entitled "Visitors," was rated as "very good, entertaining and full of suspense."

Linn Bryant Taylor, Sweetwater extension center English instructor, won second and also a gift certificate at the Spanish Inn. His entry, "Balancing Accounts," was cited for "beautiful symbolism, a frightening picture effectively presented."

Russell Ash, Robert Lee freshman, received $35 for first place in student poetry. His entry, "Rotation," was rated good by the judges.

Linda Vann, Rotan sophomore, won second place and a gift certificate provided by The Shack. Her entry, "My Special Place," also was rated good.

Taylor also won first place and a $35 prize for faculty-personnel poetry. His entry, "What They Expect," was cited for "deep thoughts, excellent metaphor."

Jerry Baird, director of guidance and counseling, won second place and a gift certificate from The Shack. His entry, "Chief," was described as "Good narrative."

Judges for the poetry entries were Opal Brown, Ina Fargason and Garnet Quiett, members of the Snyder Writer's Guild.

Judges for short story were Janelle Burk, Dorothy Cox and Jean Everett, also members of the Snyder Writer's Guild.

Assisting with the contest were Reva Ferguson and Laurel Mebane, both of Snyder, editors of WTC's literary magazine, and Mike McBride, associate professor of journalism.

All contest entries submitted are eligible for publication in Unity this semester, however, short stories and poems not included in the contest are also eligible.

Dr. Duane Hood, dean of student services, thanked those restaurants providing gift certificates.

"It was a success, too, because of the interest shown by all who submitted short stories and poems," McBride said. "We hope this is the start of something new and a second annual contest may be held next year.

Two Out Of 100 Letters Missent

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WASHINGTON (AP) - Two of every 100 letters dropped in the nation's mailboxes are delayed because they're routed to the wrong post office, an internal Postal Service study says.

Assistant Postmaster General Pete Dorsey related the survey's findings to the service's governing board on Tuesday when he said the routing errors arise from mechanical and human mistakes, as well as improper ZIP codes.

"Oh, yes," Dorsey replied when a board member asked him if there were fewer routing errors before machines replaced human hands at the sorting table.

As an example, he said, "a letter from New York City to Washington might wind up in Cleveland. You then have to send it from Cleveland to Washington. It will be at least one day late."

He said routing errors are a main factor in service's inability to live up to its delivery standards.

"Mail used to be sorted twice, and that gave you two chances to catch errors. Now, you only have one shot at it," he explained.

With machines, a device brings one letter to a position in front of a postal worker. The worker has one second to punch the five digits of the ZIP code into a keyboard on the machine. The numbers punched tell the machine where in that city or to which other city the letter should go. The device then shoots the letter into the appropriate mailbag.

If the clerk punches a wrong number the letter ends up in the wrong location. Sometimes the machine will make a mistake by itself.

The machines enabled the Postal Service to eliminate jobs.

"I don't think the public is ready to handle a million people on our payrolls," Postmaster General William F. Bolger said.

Buffalo Bet On Sunshine

SALIDA, Colo. (AP)-The Chamber of Commerce is betting one buffalo-valued at about $600-that this small Rocky Mountain community has more days of sunshine than any other place in Colorado.

So far only the Chamber of Commerce in Gunnison, 50 miles west, has taken the Salida promoters up on their offer. Gunnison's stakes in the wager have not yet been determined.

The sunshine comparison will be made for a set period, probably one year, beginning next week, officials said.

"We not only have a large number of sunny days, we also have unusually fine, mild weather compared to communities surrounding us," said Val Bergman, executive director of the Salida chamber.

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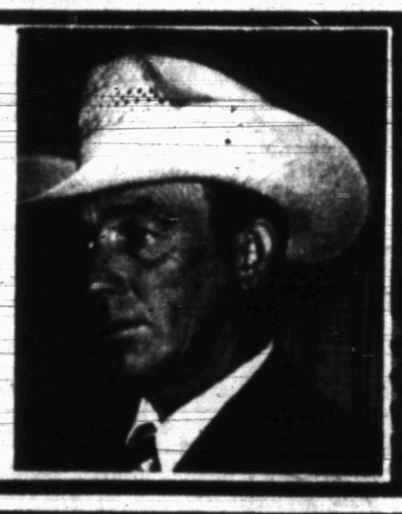

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