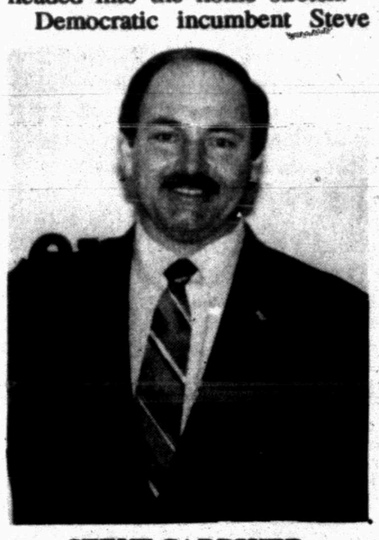
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Carriker, Haywood comb district for votes

Both candidates expressed optimism Friday as the campaign for state senate from District 30 headed into the home stretch.

Democratic incumbent Steve Carriker of Roby is being challenged by Republican Tom Haywood of Wichita Falls, one of the top races on Tuesday's general election ballot.



STEVE CARRIKER
...democrat

"Things look real positive for me," Carriker said in sizing up the campaign, "but I don't want voters to get the idea that we're taking a victory for granted."

Haywood was equally upbeat. "There is no doubt that we're coming on very strong. There is no quantitative measure, but in meeting as many people, I feel like things are coming together."

Haywood, who calls his opponent a career politician, says his efforts are being helped by the gains made by President Bush in the last 10 days. "The enthusiasm is better and the contribution list is well over 1,000, more like 1,500."

Carriker, a Roby cotton farmer who first served as District 78 State Representative, says his knowledge of the district and his demonstrated concerns for the rural areas of his district are two major reasons to re-elect him.

After redistricting, five counties — all rural — were added to the 30th District. "Your state representative (David Counts) and I battled on the Sunset commission and introduced an amendment to create a division in the Department of Commerce to assist small and rural communities."

Carriker noted there are declining job opportunities for young people in rural Texas. "At best there will only be four of 31 senators from a county of less than 100,000 population, and nobody else but Steve Carriker is going to stick up for them."

Haywood said the issue in the campaign is not Democrat or Republican. "I'm a small business person compared to a career politician who believes in the business-as-usual approach, more government and more tax."

Carriker said his travels in the district have convinced him that the status of the economy is the center of concern for most voters. "The governor and lieutenant governor have made strong statements that we must get by without any tax increase. That means some reductions in areas that are not popular, but I have also committed to no additional taxes."

Haywood said he has proposed to eliminate the corporate franchise tax which he called an income tax on business."The state will have a $600 million surplus, and the franchise tax brings in $500 million, so we would still have had a $100 million surplus without it. It is so clear that the tax was not even needed."

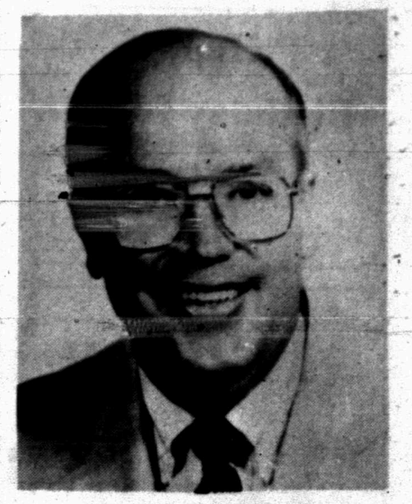
Haywood said he is committed to a balanced budget, but not at the expense of higher education. "If Tom Haywood is there, my first priority are things that will help grow the economy, and education is in that category."

Carriker said higher education is vunerable in budget cuts, but he said it is unfair to compare the Universty of Texas and Western Texas College. "UT is spending on things they can put off, but on the other hand, schools like WTC has a basic set of programs and fixed costs." Carriker said he would continue to fight for priority funding for basic programs.

While the campaign has been viewed as low-key in the western part of the vast 32-county district, the dialogue and spending for TV spots has been observed as much heavier in the populated part of the district — Wichita, Grayson and Denton counties.

Earlier, Haywood challenged Carriker to return PAC money. Carriker said he returned $9,000 in contributions but said Haywood refused to return his contributions. "This is not an issue," Haywood

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TOM HAYWOOD
...republican

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Ask Us

Q—How many people voted absentee in the last presidential election?

A—There were 1,820 early votes, which shattered the previous high of 800 absentee votes.

In Brief

Civil defense

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

Tiger boosters

The Snyder All-Sports Booster Club will meet at 7 p.m. Monday in the student center at the high school.

Band boosters

. Snyder Band Boosters will meet at 7 p.m. Monday at the SHS band hall. The club will be making signs for marching contest.

Company G

The annual reunion of Company G will be held in Snyder Nov. 5-7. Saturday's meeting will be at 9 a.m. at the Woman's Club. For more information, call Robert Swint at 573-9846.

Golden K

Golden K Kiwanis Club's annual Turkey Dinner will be held from 11 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. Sunday at the Senior Citizen's Center.

Children under 6 may eat free. All carry-outs are $5.

Homecoming

Residents, former residents and friends are invited to the Dunn Homecoming on Saturday, Nov. 14 at Dunn Community Center.

Registration will begin at 1 p.m. Those attending are asked to bring sandwiches to be shared at a 5 p.m. supper. Mrs. E.M. Ashley is homecoming chairman.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Friday, 77 degrees; low, 46 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Saturday, 50 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1992 to date, 23.82.

Snyder Area Forecast: Sunday, mostly sunny and cooler. High in the mid 70s. Northwest wind 10 to 20 mph and gusty.

Almanac: Sunset Saturday, 6:05. Sunrise Sunday, 7. Sunset Sunday, 6:05. Sunrise Monday, 7:01. Of 304 days in 1992, the sun has shone 284 days in Snyder.

Bush closes poll gap

By The Associated Press

President Bush is being haunted by new questions about Iran-Contra and Bill Clinton faces a shrinking lead as some new polls suggest the presidential race is a dead heat with just three days to go.

CNN-USA Today, Newsweek and ABC polls accorded Clinton a statistically insignificant edge, though a fourth, for CBS, said the Democrat was ahead of Bush by 10 points. Ross Perot was a poor third in all the polls.

Bush said the Iran-Contra issue, which resurfaced with new evidence that seemed to refute Bush's insistence he was "out of the loop" on the arms-for-hostages deal, was being politicized by a "frantic governor of Arkansas."

But Clinton, at a town hall meeting Friday night in Detroit, said the new evidence gives the lie to a president who has "done a lot of loose talking about trust."

All three major candidates faced brutal weekend schedules as they entered the home stretch

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Dusters start play Monday

Coach Ron Jones takes his Western Texas College Lady Dusters against Weatherford College 7:30 p.m. Monday as college basketball returns to the Scurry County Coliseum for the 1992-93 season.

Jones, who became the Dusters' coach last spring following the resignation of Kelly Chadwick, is optimistic about his squad's chances in the upcoming cage season.

"In our scrimmages, we've pretty much held our own against most of the junior colleges," he said. "We've been improving all along."

Jones plans to use a crowd-pleasing up-tempo offensive style and a full-court pressure defense.

"I hope people will come out and see us," he said. "We're going to have a lot different style of play from last year's team. We'll be a lot more intense and the pace of the game will be faster."

Monday is 50-cent Night at the county coliseum, with fans getting in for half-a-dollar each.



SENIOR CARNIVAL — Scurry County Senior Center worker Norma Laywell, right, helps Frances Black with the dart throw Friday during the center's Halloween carnival. Also included at the carnival were a candy corn toss, fishing booth and cake walk. (SDN Staff Photo)

Murder case goes before grand jury

Five cases, including one murder charge, are expected to be heard by a Scurry County grand jury when it convenes Monday in 132nd District Court.

Expected to be presented is a case against 31-year-old Rosario Antonio Carreon, who is charged with the Oct. 10 shooting of Delbert Dean Ostrander, who died 11 days later at University Medical Center in Lubbock.

Carreon was charged with attempted murder at the time of the shooting, which took place at 1917 Coleman, in Ostrander's apartment. The charge was upgraded to murder following Ostrander's death Oct. 22.

According to police reports, Carreon came to Ostrander's apartment, where the two had a verbal exchange and Ostrander was shot in the abdomen with a .380 caliber semi-automatic handgun.

Police and Snyder EMS were called to the scene at 8:52 p.m. following a 911 call from Mrs. Ostrander. Carreon left the residence before officers arrived, but later turned himself in at the sheriff's office.

Ostrander was transported to Cogdell Memorial Hospital and was later airlifted to University Medical Center by Lubbock Aerocare.

Carreon is being held in Scurry County Jail on $100,000 bond.

Early vote total shows big interest

If early balloting is any indication, Tuesday's general election voting could set a record.

At the close of the early, no-excuse voting perod which began Oct. 14, a total of 2,169 residents had already been to the voting booth. In addition 45 mail ballots were still out.

Cogdell to sponsor second health fair

A health fair, offering an array of health-related information and numerous free screenings, is planned next Saturday at Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Healthfest '92, described as "a gift to all our good neighbors," will be held from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. on the first floor of Cogdell Hospital.

In addition to information, there will be free screenings and other medical tests available designed to check the health of the entire family.

Balloons with Cogdell's logo and stadium cups will be given away to everyone who registers. In addition there are many other giveaway items from suppliers and friends of Cogdell Hospital.

Area health related agencies have also been invited to participate.

Free screenings will include hearing, glaucoma, lung capacity, blood pressure and pulse, height and weight, percent of body fat, dental care, strength, balance and flexibility.

Blood draw screenings will also be offered at a discounted fee of $5 and $10. A Health Profile, a $50 value, is offered for $10. A Hemogram blood count, a $25 value, will be $5. These discounts are made possible through cooperation of medical supply companies and employees who volunteer their time.

Visitors to the Healthfest may also tour Lubbock Aerocare helicoper and Snyder EMS ambulance.

Entertainment will be provided by the Senior Center Kitchen Band. Other activities include a drawing for three free mammograms, and third grade classes in Scurry County schools have been invited to participate in a poster contest. Posters will be on display at the hospital.

Cogdell Hospital Auxiliary will serve refreshments to fair visitors, and they will also conduct a drawing for a Health-O-Meter adjustable hydraulic stair climber.

Wilma Dillard, Healthfest coordinator, said, "The health fair is an effort to showcase what we can offer right here, some of the best of modern medicine and technology plus the diversity and skills of dedicated professionals, and most important, the caring, humane quality of our healthcare providers. It is a way for us at CMH to give something back to our community."

More than 400 people attended the health fair last year, and hospital employees are planning on an even bigger turnourt this year.

Commissioners to have light agenda

County commissioners will accept bid proposals for a used truck for Precinct 4 and be presented with 911 maps as the court convenes at 10 a.m. Monday.

Commissioners voted to advertise for bids for a used tandem-axle truck to be used in precint 4 at an Oct. 19 meeting.

Mike Taylor of the Texas Highway Department is scheduled to present the court with maps of the county 911 system, which went into effect earlier this year.

Approval of bills and minutes from the Oct. 26 meeting are the only other items on the agenda.

The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "If a consensus decision doesn't come easily, it may not be the right one."

In any association or endeavor, loyalty is important. National leaders expect and demand it from their staffers.

Tom Johnson, now president of CNN, worked in the White House during the administration of Texan Lyndon Johnson. We liked his story about loyalty.

He told about President Johnson calling for author John Kenneth Galbraith. The maid who answered the telephone explained that Galbraith was busy writing and could not come to the telephone.

Johnson insisted that Galbraith be interrupted. "This is the president calling," growled LBJ. "Tell him I want to talk to him right now."

The maid was polite, but firm. "No sir," she said. "I work for him, not for you." With that she hung up.

When Galbraith finally returned the call to the Oval Office, Johson said he wanted to know the maid's name. Galbraith asked why.

"I'll tell you why, I want to hire that woman."

Speaking of politics, we heard about the Texan who went to Washington, D.C., and parked his car near the capitol.

As he stepped out, he said to a man in a business suit standing nearby, "I'll only be a few minutes, if you're gonna be here, would you keep your eye on my car?"

"Do you realize I'm a member of Congress?" said the insulted bystander.

"That's okay," said the Texan, "I'll trust you anyway."

High School Football Scores

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Jayton 45, Guthrie 14
Bronte 43, Roby 8
Permian 31, Cooper 30
Dumas 28, Randall 26
Greenwood 43, C-City 8
Rotan 34, Winters 14
Roscoe 21, Robert Lee 13

Pennzoil has drop in earnings

HOUSTON (AP) — Pennzoil Co. said Friday it made $9.5 million during the third quarter, showing a 70 percent drop when compared with $32.1 million it earned during the same period a year ago.

The Houston-based energy company reclassified all its earnings reports to reflect Tuesday's announcement that Pennzoil will sell its filtration products subsidiary, Purolator Products Co., as part of a proposed public offering.

The latest profit report translates into earnings of 23 cents a share.

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TU RECEPTION — A reception was held in the Reddy Room to honor six retiring TU Electric employees. Those retiring include Jack Smartt, Maurice Scott, Gene Bowlin, Leon Huddleston, Franklin Bryant and John Partain. Pictured center is Bill Moss, principal of the Windham School in the Price Daniel Unit, making a presentation of golf clubs to Jack Smartt, retiring TU manager. At left is Frank Beights, TU superintendent. (SDN Staff Photo)

Area code 210 to serve greater San Antonio

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas will soon have its ninth area code, 210, which will serve greater San Antonio and the Rio Grande Valley area.

"We've been working on this conversion for over two years, and all systems are go," said Oscar Saucedo of Southwestern Bell Telephone.

The 512 area code formerly served all of South Texas and north as far as Lampasas. The 210 area code will be operating Sunday.

The Austin and Corpus Christi metropolitan areas will continue to use 512. The 210 area code will be used by the remaining area, which includes San Antonio, Laredo and the Rio Grande Valley.

The division of the 512 area was necessary because of South Texas growth and the depletion of available telephone number exchanges to meet continued growth forecasts, Southwestern Bell said.

For six months, until May 2, 1993, whether a customer dials the new area code or continues to use the previous area code designation, the call will automatically reach the intended party.

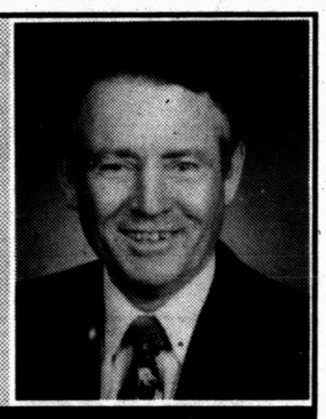
After that time, long distance calls placed to the 210 area code that are not dialed properly will be directed to a recording.

Southwestern Bell mailed letters, put inserts in phone bills and use advertisements to inform customers of the change.

Long distance rates are not affected by the area code change.

North and Northeast Texas was split about two years ago to include the 903 area code that serves the East Texas region, including Tyler and Texarkana. The Dallas area uses the 214 area code.

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Morales confident of signing

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas Attorney General Dan Morales said Friday he believes a federal judge will release the state prison system from court supervision.

U.S. District Judge William Wayne Justice of Tyler is considering a proposed settlement of the two-decade-old lawsuit over state prison conditions.

Justice held a hearing on the proposal Wednesday. He warned state officials that if they reneged on the agreement he would haul them back into court.

"If I do approve this final judgment, I hope it's not a sand castle on a beach, subject to the first wave of politics that strikes it," Justice said.

Morales on Friday said the state is ready to take the responsibility of running a safe, humane and constitutional prison system.

"I am here to make a pledge to the judge, to make a pledge to the citizens of our state, that we will not allow our prisons to again fall into unconstitutional disrepair," he said.

Self-esteem program set on Tuesday

Claudia Fields, director of Noah Project, will be the guest speaker at the monthly Family Support Program on Tuesday at 7 p.m. at East Side Church of Christ, 201 31st. The meeting is sponsored by the Scurry County Mental Health Center. There is no charge.

Field's topic will be, "Self-esteem: Choice Not Chance." Fields in a graduate of North Texas State University and has a teaching certificate from the University of Texas at Tyler.

Stan Paregien, director of the Scurry County Mental Health Center, said, "Self-esteem is, at the core, what you hold as your opinion about yourself. People who have low self-esteem blame others for their mistakes, give up easily when they face obstacles, and discount their own abilities and even their potential for achievement."

There is no charge for this meeting, and it is open to anyone who is caring for a person who has low self-steem.

For more information on the Family Support Program, contact Paregien at 573-4947.

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Last Thursday, six employees of the Snyder office were honored with a retirement reception, representing a total of 224 years with TU Electric. Collectively, the six employees have given 189 years to Snyder and Scurry County.

Snyder is home to these people, and Snyder National Bank is pleased to have them retire here as we all continue to work together to make our town even better in the days and years ahead.

Those retiring are Maurice Scott, 38 years; Jack Smartt, 40 years; Franklin Bryant, 37 years; John Partain, 33 years; Leon Huddleston, 36 years. Not pictured is Gene Bowlin, 40 years.

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HALLOWEEN FUN — Kids Kampus' preschool class dressed up and enjoyed a Halloween party on Thursday. Children pictured are, from left, back row: Tomas Arietta, Jessica Odom, Stuart Ellerbee, Willy Bob Green, Tylor Courtney, Taylor Courtney and Roman Romero; middle row: Kathy Green, Adrian Sosa, Joe Carrizales, Michelle Yregas, Adrianna Sosa and Josey Hefner; front row: Blake Mayo and Henry Michael Ramos. Brandon Hagins and Roxie Scott are not pictured. Connie Dickerson is the teacher and Sandy Hernandez is the classroom aide. (SDN Staff Photo)



DRESSED UP — These Kids Kampus prekindergarten students dressed up for Halloween Friday. Back row, from left, are Jeremy Ruiz, Caden Herridge, Brent Burleson, David Kirk, Kristy French, Tara Kubena, Heather Fields, Jennifer Green and Casey Toland. Middle row: Kimberly Rodriguez, Erica Little, Wesley Price, Dusty Thomas, Luke Riddle and Tyler Chase Zalman. Front row: Jessica Calvert, Amanda Murray and William Banks. Connie Dickerson is their teacher and Sandra Hernandez is the classroom aide. (SDN Staff Photo)

Pulse of America poll: Bush battling back

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP) — President Bush's barometer city says the president is battling back.

According to the latest Pulse of America poll, a monthly survey of 400 Lubbock area residents picked at random, folks in this windswept West Texas city are leaning toward Bush.

The results were released Friday by Southwest Research Associates of Lubbock, which conducts the polls and sends them to the White House, said Southwest spokeswoman Jane Anne Stinnett.

When asked whom they would vote for if the presidential election was held today, 50 percent of those surveyed said Bush; 26 percent said Democratic candidate Bill Clinton; 11 percent said independent candidate Ross Perot; and 13 percent were undecided or had no answer. The election is Tuesday.

The pulse poll was conducted Oct. 27-29 and has a margin of error of plus or minus 5 percent. Ninety-seven percent of the poll participants claimed to be registered voters.

The poll in Lubbock, where Bush once called a friend to find out how people in mainstream America viewed the world, shows an improvement for the president.

A similar study in June showed South Plains voters backing Perot, who later withdrew his name from consideration before officially joining the race.

The Pulse of America poll was born shortly after March 1989.



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KEVIN TATE

Tate receives scholarship

Kevin Tate has received the Bert E. Mosier Memorial Scholarship from Abilene Christian University's industrial technology department.

The award goes to a student based on academic achievement and service in Sigma Tau Epsilon, the industrial technology student organization.

Tate, the STE president at ACU, won the STE student service award as a junior. He is a senior industrial technology major who works part-time for Barr Roofing.

Tate is the son of J.B. Jr. and Kathryn Tate, and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Tate Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Karlvin Helm of Roscoe.

Joint bazaar set in Rotan

ROTAN — The Rotan Volunteer Fire Department and Ladies Auxiliary are sponsoring a joint bazaar and barbecue dinner Saturday, Nov. 7, at the RVFD fire house from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Booths consisting of arts and crafts, ceramics, antiques, wookworking, purses, decorated shirts, knife and scissor sharpening and Christmas decorations are expected.

Admission is free.

Rushdie cancels

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Author Salman Rushdie, who has spent three years hiding from a death sentence proclaimed by Islamic militants, canceled an appearance in Pittsburgh when word of the trip leaked out.

Rushdie was to have spoken Nov. 15 at The Carnegie Music Hall with authors Norman Mailer and William Styron, said The Carnegie Library, which arranged the appearance with Article 19, a Rushdie support group.

The library announced Friday the appearance had been canceled because word of it had leaked in England.

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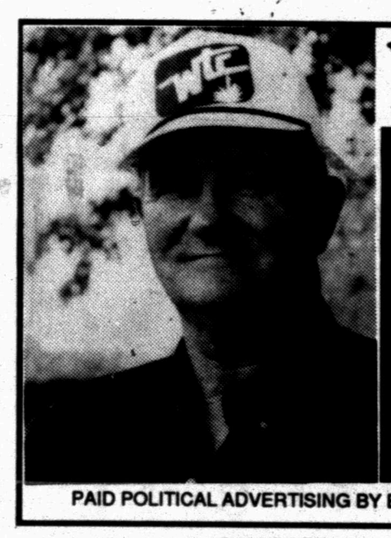
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- Promotes giving condoms to teenagers in public schools? (Violates Exodus 20:12, Colossians 3:5. See also Romans 1:28-32)

Bill Clinton is openly promoting rebellion against God's Laws. In our desire for change, do we really want as a president and a role model for our children a man of this character who supports this type of behavior?

But what about the economy?

Yes, we are in tough economic times, *but God forbid that we sell out our most sacred beliefs for the hope of financial gain.* Furthermore, how can we expect God to bless our economy if we plummet down a path of immorality? (Deut. 28)

The Bible warns us to not follow another man in his sin, nor help him promote sin—lest God chasten *us.*

(See Deuteronomy 13, Jeremiah 23, Proverbs 4:14; 11:21; 16:5, I Timothy 5:22)

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Taxpayers paid for Quayle's scuba lessons

HOUSTON (AP) — Records show U.S. taxpayers paid for scuba lessons for Vice President Dan Quayle, his wife and three children, a newspaper has reported.

The 1990 expenses included four dive watches totaling $1,529 as well as $977 for 10 Nike warm-up suits, the Houston Chronicle reported in Saturday editions.

Officials with the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration gave scuba training not only to the Quayle family but also to an undisclosed number of Secret Service agents, who had to give the family underwater protection.

The record, obtained through the U.S. Freedome of Information Act, did not give a full price list of the Quayles' equipment.

However, a Houston dive-shop operator estimated the cost per Quayle family member at about $2,500, according to an inventory of the gear released to the Chronicle.

"Each (warm-up) suit was embroidered with the wearer's name and had a NOAA emblem sewn over the Nike logo," the records show.

Also billed to the government was the $566 charge to repair a trainer's underwater Rolex watch. He claimed the watch was damaged when it became entangled in the vice president's scuba gear.

NOAA declined to comply with a Commerce Department recommendation that Secret Service pay for training their agents, the Chronicle reported.

Because the agency did not bill the Secret Service, NOAA spokesman Reed Boatright said the agency could not estimate the cost of the training, although he conceded there were expenses to send employees to Florida and Hawaii to train the Quayles.

Commerce Department Inspector General Francis D. DeGeorge said his office investigated the services and deemed them proper. But he did not list security as a reason for providing the training.

"I guess you have to start making some judgments as to where and ... what you want the vice president to do or be trained in," he said. "That's not my decision."

Jeff Nesbit, a Quayle spokesman, said the Secret Service forbade the family from taking lessons at a commercial school, insisting that all equipment be government purchased to prevent tampering.

While the Quayles pay for some of their vacation costs, such as ski-lift tickets, they did not reimburse the government for any of the scuba-related expenses, Nesbit said.

DeGeorge suggested Quayle received the scuba training to know more about NOAA's "estuarial environmental responsibilities."

As for Quayle's wife and children receiving training, "I don't know any reason why it wouldn't be (legitimate). I mean, he is the vice president of the United States."

Among the documents withheld from the Chronicle for reasons of executive privilege were two legal opinions on the matter.

"We're basically happy to provide the training as we do for loads of other people who go off our boats in our marine sanctuaries," said Boatright, who said a number of officials from groups such as state environmental agencies have been trained.

One affidavit said the lessons were given at the request of the White House. In another, Rear Admiral Francis D. Moran said there was no documentation of the request.

"There was no discussion on the costs of the training or of possible reimbursement," Moran said, adding that he asked a superior, " 'Who is going to pay for this?' He said, 'You are.' "

Sophia Loren plans to visit Somalia

GENEVA (AP) — Sophia Loren will visit Somalia and Kenya next month as a U.N. goodwill ambassador to focus world attention on the refugee crisis in the Horn of Africa, the U.N. High Commissioner for Refugees said.

Ms. Loren will travel in the East African countries for six days starting Nov. 21, and will visit hospitals, feeding centers and an orphanage, High Commissioner Sadako Ogata said Friday.

"Sophia Loren has expressed great concern for the situation in the Horn of Africa," Mrs. Ogata said.



PROCEEDS FROM DANCE — Doris and Ford Spikes, co-chairmen of the annual Scoot-A-Boot dance, recently presented a check for $3,120.43 to H.W. Cargile, treasurer of the Scurry County Unit of the American Cancer Society. The dance, held at Pam and Billy Ray Browning's home, is an annual event benefitting the ACS. (Contributed Photo)



KIWANIAN OF THE YEAR — The Golden K Kiwanis Club recently named Ben Odorizzi Kiwanian of the Year. A Kiwanian for the past four years, Odorizzi currently serves as second vice-president. (SDN Staff Photo)

Financial Focus

Mail-order shopping is becoming the American way. People today buy clothes, furniture and even food from catalogs and 800 numbers.

Likewise, living-trust information often reaches investors by way of advertisements or direct mail. The fact is, though, that reputable attorneys seldom promote living trusts to the general public because, like any legitimate estate-planning tool, they are structured to individual needs.

A common misconception about trusts is that they will keep creditors at bay or will enable a person's estate to avoid inheritance taxes and legal fees.

Basically, like most trusts, a living trust enables you to shift assets to a trustee who oversees and distributes the assets according to the guidelines written in the trust. Because those assets are no longer part of your estate, they will avoid probate and may help lower the cost of settling your estate. A living trust enables you to retain nearly total control over the assets while you're alive.

Another benefit of a trust is that it can give you more control over the distribution of your estate. With a will, the assets of an estate are immediately distributed to the heirs unless specific provisions are made. With a trust, however, you can designate the amount and timing of each heir's distributions. For example, one heir could receive 50 percent of his or her distribution at age 21 and the rest at age 25, while another may receive 100 percent at age 30.

A living trust can also increase the privacy of your estate. Issues involving probate are matters of public record. Because a living trust bypasses probate, the details of your estate can remain confidential. This prevents anyone from having access to information such as your estate's value, the names of heirs and any debts attributed to the estate.

One potential drawback to a living trust is its typically higher start-up costs compared to other estate-planning tools, such as wills. Because an attorney is involved, and the trust itself is a lengthy document prepared to your individual specifications, it costs a little more to establish. However, the extra cost may be worth more to you in future estate savings.

If you're in the market for a living trust, remember that each is tailored to an individual's needs and is usually best drafted by a qualified estate-planning attorney.

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Senior Center activities listed

The Senior Citizens Center will begin activities for this week with Game Day on Monday. Bingo will be the featured game, with play starting at 10 a.m. A pool tournament is also scheduled Monday morning.

Musical entertainment in the center and several musical programs are on the regular schedule. Hoss Clayton's band will play in the dining room at 11 a.m. Tuesday. The Kitchen Band will be performing at 10 a.m. Wednesday at the center and on Nov. 7 during Cogdell Memorial Hospital's Healthfest.

The Local Yokels will perform in the center at 11 a.m. Thursday and the Sunshine Choir will practice at 10 a.m. Friday. Both the band and the choir perform at local care centers on a regular basis and for community activities.

Everyone is invited to a Sing Along starting at 11:30 each Friday morning.

Quilting is an important program in the Senior Center and more quilters are needed. Persons who are not senior citizen age are invited to join the group to learn how to quilt or to help put in the many stitches required to turn out a quilt. The quilts are sold at the May Day auction to provide money for the center's operating fund.

The Senior Center also draws on memorial gifts and honorariums for funds. Anyone interested in making a donation as a memorial or in honor of such occasions as anniversaries and birthdays is invited to contact the center for details. The center will send cards announcing the gift.

Nine concerts set

SAN RAFAEL, Calif. (AP) — The Grateful Dead plan to return to the road for the first time since Jerry Garcia's illness earlier this year, with nine shows in December in three western states.

The plans announced Friday on the Grateful Dead telephone hotline include shows Dec. 2 and 3 in Denver, Dec. 5 and 6 near Tempe, Ariz., and five shows in mid-December in Oakland.

In August, the veteran acid-rock band canceled more than 20 concerts when Garcia, the 50-year-old lead guitarist and singer, fell ill with exhaustion and other health problems.



MAYOR BUYS FIRST POPPY — Mayor Troy Williamson purchases the first poppy from Amanda Bayer, Shelly Hembree and Kimberly Adams, from left. Also pictured is Peggy Proctor, poppy chairman for American Legion Unit 181. (SDN Staff Photo)



SPOOKY DECOR — The boys dorm at Western Texas College had a scary atmosphere after residents completed the decorations for the Halloween decoration contest held Friday. (SDN Staff Photo)

Sidney Poitier asked to tell where dignity comes from

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va. (AP) — It was a simple question from a teacher of mostly poor, black children, the last question to actor Sidney Poitier during his tribute at the Virginia Festival of American Film.

The answer brought Poitier back to his boyhood, and the audience to its feet when he finished answering Thursday night.

"Where does that dignity come from?" asked the teacher who did not identify herself.

Poitier, 65, said it didn't come from this country.

"I grew up in the Caribbean and had a chance to develop a sense of self before the onslaught," Poitier said, referring to the racial prejudice he encountered when he came to America in 1944 as a 16-year-old.

His parents were farmers in a place where blacks were in the majority.

"I had the circumstance to develop a feeling of self without having to deal with racism that early," he said. "I felt good about myself, so I was able to survive without too much damage."

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Poppy sale set Wednesday

The local American Legion Auxiliary will begin poppy sales Wednesday.

The red paper poppies sold by the organization are made by disabled veterans in VA hospitals. Some of the money is used for needy veterans.

The history of the the poppy dates back to the First World War. In 1919, amidst complete devastation, poppies bloomed in abundance on the battlefield of France where so many men had fallen in battle. A replica of the poppy became the memorial flower for the American Legion and Auxiliary.

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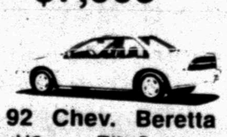

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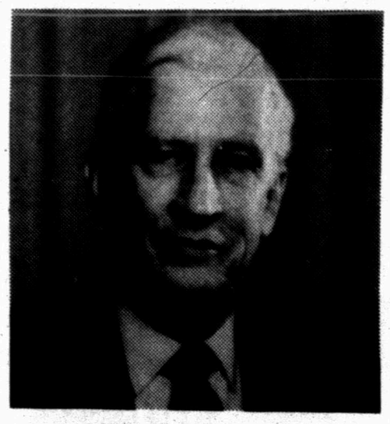

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SPORTS

'Dogs hand Trent 68-36 district loss

IRA — Senior quarterback Mike Hughes rushed for 223 yards and passed for 222 more, running back Bryan Luna scored four touchdowns and Coy Henderson added three TDs as the Ira Bulldogs ripped the Trent Gorillas, 68-36, in District 6 6-man football action Friday.

"We played a pretty good game," said coach Mike Cook of Ira. "The defense, I thought, had a real good game.

"They got as close as 46-30 in the third and our boys showed a lot of grit, just taking the game over in the fourth quarter."

Hughes, who scored twice, started the ball rolling with a 12-yard run in the first quarter. Luna's first touchdown followed as the IHS senior snagged a Hughes toss and went 48 yards. A pair of Wyatt Webster PAT kicks put the Bulldogs in front, 16-0.

David Sanford, who scored three times for the Gorillas, put Trent on the board with a 27-yard pass from Brett Sipe. Mark Payne's extra point kick left Ira with an 8-point advantage.

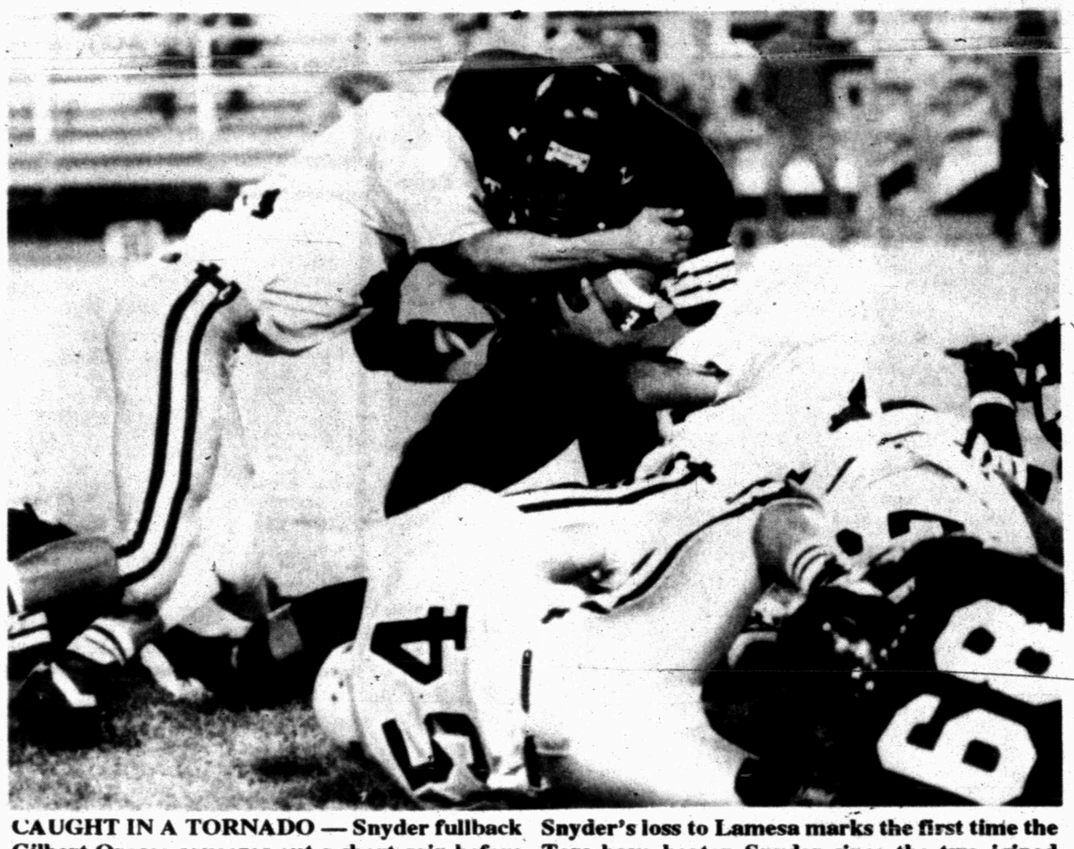
Hughes closed out the first-period scoring with a 36-yard run.

The 'Dogs went ahead 39-8 before the half on Henderson's 15-yard scoring pass from Hughes, Webster's kick and a 1-yard blast by Luna followed by the coversion pass from Hughes to Cole Sterling.

Henderson's second TD, a 13-yard jaunt, came in the third, just before Trent rallied for scores from James Robinson, who rolled for a 5-yard score, and Sanford, who picked off a Hughes pass and rambled 32 yards for a touchdown.

Luna scored twice in the fourth on a 9-yard run and a 15-yard pass, and Henderson added a touchdown when he recovered a fumbled kickoff return by Trent in the end zone.

Ira can clinch its third straight playoff berth Friday with a win over Loraine, a 48-13 loser to Borden County Friday night.



CAUGHT IN A TORNADO — Snyder fullback Gilbert Orosco squeezes out a short gain before being brought down by the Lamesa defense in Friday's 23-14 loss. Orosco was the Tigers' leading gainer, picking up 87 yards on 15 carries. Snyder's loss to Lamesa marks the first time the Tors have beaten Snyder since the two joined District 2-4A three seasons ago. The loss eliminated the Tigers from playoff contention. (SDN Staff Photo)

Lamesa upsets Tigers

Tigers ousted from 2-4A playoff contention

By PHIL RIDDLE
SDN Sports Editor

Wait 'til next year.

That's about all there was left to say following Snyder's 23-14 upset loss to District 2-4A rival Lamesa Friday.

"Aw, we're out of it," said SHS head coach David Baugh, speaking of the Tigers' playoff chances, which were slim at the start of Friday's battle.

Snyder needed to win its last two games and to get some help from other district teams to make the post-season for the third straight year.

"We had our chances," coach Baugh said. "We didn't have any enthusiasm, we didn't have any fire. I don't know why. I guess we've lost our enthusiasm for the game. I don't know, too hard a schedule, or what, I don't know."

Baugh had said earlier in the week that the Tigers had to execute on both offense and defense to be able to keep the Tornadoes at bay.

Both units had their problems in Friday's loss.

"We just didn't execute our defense very well," Baugh said. "It came down to blocking and tackling and we couldn't tackle them."

The usually stingy Tiger defense was burned for 305 rushing yards by the Tors Friday, led by senior halfback Tony Brown, who gathered 96 yards and scored the game's final points on a 3-yard TD run with 3:43 left in the game.

On the ensuing drive, Snyder offensive miscues killed any chances for a late comeback.

On first down at Lamesa's 27, tailback Ben Wilson threw a pass to a wide-open John Clinkinbeard, who couldn't handle the toss in the end zone.

Three plays later, following a 17-yard run by Snyder QB Matt Cave and an incompletion to tight end Chris Stansell, Lamesa's Corey Kelly stole a Cave pass and sealed the victory, Lamesa's first over the Tigers since joining District 2-4A three seasons ago.

"We were down nine," Baugh said of the late offensive troubles. "We'd have had to scored and gotten an onside kick, but, if you don't make the plays, you ain't gonna win."

The Friday loss marked the first time since becoming a part of the loop that Snyder has lost back-to-back district games.

Lamesa got on the board first when quarterback Cole Adams bolted the last 24 yards of a 63-yard march on a keeper with 6:00 to play in the first quarter.

Snyder answered with a 9-play 66-yard drive, capped by Gilbert Orosco's 7-yard blast.

Orosco was Snyder's leading rusher Friday, picking up 87 yards on 15 carries.

The Tors regained the lead with just 26 seconds left in the first half when Edward Fernandez booted a 31-yard field goal.

The Tigers came out of the dressing room at the end of the intermission trailing 10-7.

Snyder drove 71 yards in the third period for its final tally, highlighted by a 21-yard Cave-to-Stansell pass for a TD. the score was set up by Greg McAden's 27-yard burst on an inside handoff o first down, gains of five and six by Wilson and Orosco and two more carries by Orosco totalling 15 yards.

Lamesa took the lead for good with just under five minutes to play in the third.

Speedy Corey Kelly got around the Tigers' right side for 15 yards and a score, putting the Tors on top, 16-14, at the end of a 46-yard drive.

The Tors' scoring thrust was set up when Kelly took a fumbled kickoff from five yards deep in the end zone 59 yards to Snyder's 46.

The loss drops Snyder to 5-4 on the season and 1-3 in district games. Lamesa moved to 6-3 overall and evened its league mark at 2-2.

Snyder will wind up its season Friday at Frenship. Lamesa hosts Plainview in its regular-season finale Friday.

NFL glance

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East	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Miami	6	1	0	.857	188	125
Buffalo	5	2	0	.714	190	122
Indianapolis	4	3	0	.571	99	132
N.Y. Jets	1	6	0	.143	104	147
New England	0	7	0	.000	80	176
Central						
Houston	5	2	0	.714	179	120
Pittsburgh	5	2	0	.714	138	77
Cleveland	4	3	0	.571	107	101
Cincinnati	2	5	0	.286	109	174
West						
Denver	5	3	0	.625	121	154
Kansas City	4	4	0	.500	153	128
San Diego	3	4	0	.429	104	136
LA Raiders	3	5	0	.375	122	137
Seattle	1	7	0	.125	53	158

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East	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Dallas	6	1	0	.857	167	112
Washington	5	2	0	.714	136	105
Philadelphia	5	2	0	.714	143	77
N.Y. Giants	3	4	0	.429	150	161
Phoenix	1	6	0	.143	113	177
Central						
Minnesota	5	2	0	.714	173	127
Chicago	4	3	0	.571	169	155
Tampa Bay	3	4	0	.429	136	152
Detroit	2	5	0	.286	144	135
Green Bay	2	5	0	.286	90	151
West						
San Francisco	6	1	0	.857	216	125
New Orleans	5	2	0	.714	117	82
LA Rams	3	4	0	.429	121	133
Atlanta	2	5	0	.286	133	179

Sunday, Nov. 1
Green Bay at Detroit, 1 p.m.
Houston at Pittsburgh, 1 p.m.
Los Angeles Rams at Atlanta, 1 p.m.
Miami at New York Jets, 1 p.m.
New England at Buffalo, 1 p.m.
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Cleveland at Cincinnati, 4 p.m.
Indianapolis at San Diego, 4 p.m.
Philadelphia at Dallas, 4 p.m.
San Francisco at Phoenix, 4 p.m.
New York Giants at Washington, 8 p.m.
OPEN DATE: Denver, Kansas City, Los Angeles Raiders, Seattle.

Monday, Nov. 2
Minnesota at Chicago, 9 p.m.

District 6-A(6)

Team	Season		District	
Borden Co.	8	1	4	0
Loraine	6	3	3	1
Ira	6	3	3	1
Hermleigh	3	6	1	3
Trent	1	8	1	3
Highland	0	9	0	4

Friday, Oct. 30
Borden County 48, Loraine 13
Ira 68, Trent 36
Hermleigh 58, Highland 18

Friday, Nov. 6
Borden County at Highland
Trent at Hermleigh
Ira at Loraine

District 2-4A

Team	Season			District		
Plainview	8	1	0	3	1	0
Estacado	4	4	1	3	1	0
Levelland	3	6	0	3	1	0
Snyder	5	4	0	1	3	0
Lamesa	6	3	0	2	2	0
Frenship	2	7	0	0	4	0

Friday, Oct. 30
Levelland 29, Frenship 22
Lamesa 23, Snyder 14
Estacado at Plainview

Thursday, Nov. 5
Levelland at Estacado

Friday, Nov. 6
Snyder at Frenship
Plainview at Lamesa

Head-to-head

SNYDER		LAMESA
18	First Downs	17
207	Yards Rushing	305
21	Yards Passing	28
1 of 8	Passes Completed	1 of 3
0	Intercepted From	1
1-1	Fumbles-Lost	2-1
2 for 10	Penalties-Yards	3 for 35
4 for 35.8	Punts-Average	2 for 35.5

Score by Quarters

Snyder	07	00	07	00	-14
Lamesa	07	03	06	07	-23

Individual Statistics

RUSHING: Snyder-Ben Wilson 7 carries for 51 yards; Gilbert Orosco 15 carries for 87 yards, 1 TD; Wayland Harrison 2 carries for 5 yards; Matt Cave 9 carries for 30 yards; Greg McAden 5 carries for 34 yards; Lamesa-Tony Brown 18 carries for 96 yards, 1 TD; Corey Kelly 19 carries for 74 yards, 1 TD; Cole Adams 7 carries for 61 yards, 1 TD; Ralph Uresti 10 carries for 72 yards; Carl Jackson 1 carry for 2 yards.

PASSING: Snyder- Matt Cave, 1 of 8 for 21 yards, 1 int., 0 TD; Lamesa-Cole Adams 1 of 3 for 28 yards, 0 int., 0 TD.

RECEIVING: Snyder-Chris Stansell 1 catch for 21 yards, 1 TD; Lamesa- Corey Kelly 1 catch for 28 yards. Records: Snyder 5-4, 1-3; Lamesa 6-3, 2-2

Scoring summary

LAM — 1st Q. 6:00, Adams 24-yard run. PAT Fernandez.
SNY — 1st Q. 1:53, Orosco 7-yard run. PAT Parker.
LAM — 2nd Q. 0:26, Fernandez 31-yard FG.
SNY — 3rd Q. 8:14, Stansell 21-yard pass from Cave. PAT-Parker.
LAM — 3rd Q. 4:53, Kelly 15-yard run. PAT Fernandez.
LAM — 4th Q. 3:43, Brown 3-yard run. PAT Fernandez.

Cards' offense erupts in 58-18 6-man victory

ROSCOE — Chris Velasco scored twice and rushed for 179 yards, teammate Jay Hardy rolled up 141 yards and hit paydirt twice and Daniel Hermosillo added two TDs Friday as the Hermleigh Cardinals plastered Highland, 58-18.

The win was Hermleigh's first District 6 victory in four tries this year. The Cardinals move to 3-6 overall in coach Mark Minor's first season at HHS.

Highland, a former 6-man state championship program, is mired in last place in the loop, winless in nine starts and facing district leader Borden County Friday, here.

Hermleigh's season-ending matchup is scheduled for Friday, as well, against Trent at Cardinal Stadium.

Coyotes clinch share of district grid crown

GAIL — Clint Wills has had a good season just in the last three weeks.

The Borden County senior running back has picked up over 900 yards rushing in his last three games, including 239 on Friday when he led the Coyotes to a playoff-clinching 38-13 win over District 6 6-man rival Loraine.

Wills started the fireworks early, scoring from 44 and 45 yards away in the first quarter.

Coyote teammate Clay Miller recovered a fumble in the end zone to give Borden County a 21-0 lead after one period.

Wills added a 45-yard scamper in the third and threw TD passes of 50 yards, to John Paul Harris, and 40 yards, to Kirk Jones.

Jones went in from 22 yards for the Coyotes' final score.

Arthur Garcia supplied almost all of the Bulldogs' offense, scoring on runs of 13 and five yards.

Borden County is assured of at least a share of the district championship. The Coyotes are 8-1 overall and 4-0 in loop battles. They face 0-9 Highland Friday in their regular-season finale.

Loraine slips to 6-3 on the year, 3-1 in district games. The Bulldogs will entertain Ira Friday, with the winner earning a spot in the 6-man playoffs.

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Snyder girls set for campaign

SHS Lady Tigers begin 1992-93 basketball season Nov. 7

By PHIL RIDDLE
SDN Sports Editor

Coach Jerry Tucker, first-year girls' basketball coach at Snyder High School, tries to accentuate the positive.

"The most positive thing I can see is that the people in Snyder, Texas want basketball," he said, "and they want a good program.

"I look at this as a big challenge, but also as the best job in the state of Texas right now."

Pretty enthusiastic talk from a man who took over a team that went 2-26 in 1991-92 and hasn't posted a District 2-4A victory since UIL realignment placed Snyder in that district in 1990.

"I've always been the type of person who wants to build something and see it grow," he said. "I don't look for a job where the program is already built.

"My main purpose is to help these kids. I watched them play ball last year, and they had a lot of desire.

"We've got a great Little Dribblers' program here that teaches these girls to play the game, and the people here just love athletics.

"There's no better place to be than right here."

Tucker says that changes in the fortunes of the SHS girls' basketball program will have to come from his players.

"I don't want to change," he said, "I want to make an impact. It's up to these girls, they have to want to change things.

"These girls will never lose," Tucker philosophized, "as long as they give the effort. If we lose a game, it's the fault of the coaching staff."

While the number of players is down, Tucker has a core of a dozen players, including three transfers, expected to pull the majority of the weight for the Lady Tigers.

Returning from last season's SHS squad are senior Kristen Huff, last season's defensive player of the year, juniors Kristen Claborn, Jessica Eicke, Marcy Gemes, Haley Patterson, Annie Ragland and Jennifer Yruegas and sophomore Shayna Crow.

Claborn has been tagged with the nickname "Wimp" by Tucker.

"She told me she never got hurt and she's been hurt twice in practice," he said. "But, she's never missed practice. She dislocated her finger once and went over and let (SHS trainer Steve) Krueger put in back in place, and the next day she was back at practice.

"All the girls have really been putting out the effort and taking up the challenge."

Eicke and Gemes, both 5-10 players, are expected to share time in the middle with Patterson, 5-9, and Ragland, at 5-6, will play what Tucker calls a corner in his offense.

Move-ins expected to make an impact for Snyder include senior Rachel Crawford, a 5-8 swing player from Bowie, junior Meriah Worthen from Levelland, and Jamie Prather, a sophomore from Hamlin.

Crawford may play guard or post for the Lady Tigers.

"She's a good enough ball handler to play outside," Tucker reported, "and she's got the size to play inside."

Worthen comes from the storied program of coach Dean Weese at Levelland. "She was to move up to the varsity there," Tucker said. "She's a real determined young lady. Her attitude is excellent. She is that serious spoke on the floor that really wants to get after it, and that's good."

Prather, currently running on the SHS cross country team, also drew praise from Tucker.

"She's got an excellent attitude," the coach said, "and she's a real worker."

Tucker will be without seniors Dena Ball and Shalawn Smith, both honorable mention All-District 2-4A last season when the campaign tips off.

Ball, a 5-4 point guard, is suffering from back spasms and Smith, a 6-0 post, has left the team for personal reasons.

"I've never headed into a season and lost two all-district players to start with," Tucker stated. "We're losing leadership and we're losing height. I don't know what's going to happen, but It's going to be exciting.

"My philosophy," he explained, "is that whenever someone gets hurt or becomes academically ineligible, that just gives someone else a chance to shine."

Tucker hopes to put an aggressive team on both ends of the floor when the season starts.

"We want to go 100 miles-an-hour on defense, under control, and 90 miles-an-hour on offense," he said. "We want a fast-paced game and we want to force the pace on defense. We want to make them play up from what they're used to and, on offense, get the ball up the court quick and into the basket, if it's there.

"If it's not, we'll go into our half-court motion offense. We're working on transition right now and we're getting better. I'm sure we'll look a little sloppy in our first few scrimmages, but I think we'll win."

"I'm counting on winning," he said, "because I sure don't like to lose. The girls aren't ever going to lose a game, but I can, so I've got a lot at stake here."

Tucker has coached basketball for the last 20 years, mostly in an assistant capacity. He was head girls' coach at Spur in 1984, and for one season at Brownfield Union.

"That was way back when the girls played three-on-three half court," Tucker remembered.

He was also the head tennis coach and assistant boys' cage coach at Ozona for seven years before coming to Snyder in 1991 to coach tennis.

He promptly led the Tigers to a team tennis district title before taking over for girls' basketball coach Laurie Welch, who left SHS after two seasons before the start of the current school year.

"I missed basketball so much last year," he said, "that whenever this job came open my mouth started watering. I love basketball and I want to help these girls."

Being new to the basketball scene in 2-4A, Tucker is not committing to a preseason pick for loop champion.

"I don't know much about any of the teams," he said. "From what coach Weese has told me Frenship is supposed to be much improved. they're bringing a lot of people back. Everybody will, of course, pick Levelland and Plainview, and I'm sure they're both making playoff reservations, but I really don't worry about it.

"I'm just going to go out there and put our system in and not worry about how we're ranked."

The Lady Tigers begin competition Nov. 7 with the Black and Gold intrasquad scrimmage at SHS. Nov. 10 and Nov. 14 scrimmages against Big Spring and Roscoe follow with the regular season opener slated for Nov. 17 at San Angelo Lake View.

The Lady Tigers will compete in three tournaments this season, the San Angelo Tournament Dec. 3-5, the Abilene Key City Tournament Dec. 10-12, and the Slaton Tournament Dec. 28 and 29.

District play begins Jan. 8 when the Lady Tigers visit Lamesa.

Girls basketball
Varsity cage schedule

Nov. 17	Lake View	T	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 20	Abilene High	T	7:45 p.m.
Nov. 23	Abilene Cooper	T	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 24	Sweetwater	H	6:30 p.m.
Dec. 1	Seminole	T	6:30 p.m.
Dec. 3	San Angelo Tournament		
Dec. 4	San Angelo Tournament		
Dec. 5	San Angelo Tournament		
Dec. 8	Coahoma	H	6:30 p.m.
Dec. 10	Key City Tournament (Abilene)		
Dec. 11	Key City Tournament (Abilene)		
Dec. 12	Key City Tournament (Abilene)		
Dec. 17	Sweetwater	T	6:30 p.m.
Dec. 18	Big Spring		7:30 p.m.
Dec. 28	Slaton Tournament		
Dec. 29	Slaton Tournament		
Jan. 2	Midland High	T	12:00 noon
Jan. 5	SA Central	H	6:30 p.m.
Jan. 8	*Lamesa	T	8:00 p.m.
Jan. 11	*Levelland	H	8:00 p.m.
Jan. 15	*Frenship	H	6:30 p.m.
Jan. 19	*Plainview	T	6:30 p.m.
Jan. 22	*Estacado	T	6:30 p.m.
Jan. 26	*Lamesa	H	6:30 p.m.
Jan. 29	*Levelland	T	6:30 p.m.
Feb. 2	*Frenship	T	6:30 p.m.
Feb. 5	*Plainview	H	6:30 p.m.
Feb. 9	*Estacado	H	6:30 p.m.

*-District 2-4A game

WTC golfers improve 34 shots at Texarkana

TEXARKANA, Ark. — Western Texas College golfers improved their Thursday score by 34 shots in the final round of competition at the Texarkana College Invitational Tournament Friday at Texarkana Country Club.

Sweetwater's Chris Rogers, one of five freshmen representing WTC, had one of the day's low scores with a 73 in cold and rainy conditions, leading the squad to a team total 317.

Teammate Shane Weatherbee shot an 80 followed by 82s from Neal Ray Davis and Jimmy Flores, and a 92 by T.A. Brooks.

Western Texas finished the 36-hole tourney with a 351-317--668.

The Westerners' rank of finish at the tourney was not available at press time Saturday. Defending national champion Midland College led the event after 18 holes with a Thursday 307, followed by Lon Morris College at 314.

Coach Milton Ham's Westerners have one tournament remaining on their fall schedule, the 54-hole Shootout at Sugartree in Dennis Nov. 8-10.

Lady Dusters set 50-cent Night

Western Texas College has announced 50-cent Night for the Lady Dusters Basketball opener, scheduled for Monday at 7:30 p.m. at Scurry County Coliseum.

Admission to the game, pitting WTC against Weatherford Junior College, has been set at 50 cents per person.

The game will mark the debut of first-year Duster coach Ron Jones.

Minor shoots hole-in-one at WTC

Jeff Minor made a hole in one while golfing at Western Texas College Monday.

Minor aced Hole No. 6, a 127-yard effort, with a 7-iron.

Witnesses were Nolan Von Roeder and Larry Bufkin.

LGA sets season's last meeting

The Ladies Golf Association at Snyder Country Club will hold its final meeting of the season Tuesday at the clubhouse.

After nine holes of golf, members will gather for lunch and a business meeting.

This will be the last chance for members to pay their dues. Anyone not able to attend Tuesday's meeting should mail their dues to Lou Keeble, P.O Box, 815, Snyder.

WTC boosters to gather Monday

Western Texas College athletic boosters will meet for a noon Dutch-treat lunch on Monday at Golden Corral.

Anyone interested in sports at WTC is invited to attend.

Mavs seek trade for Kings' Tisdale

DALLAS (AP) — The Mavericks appear to be shopping for a front court scorer in California, namely the Sacramento Kings' Wayman Tisdale, The Dallas Morning News has reported.

In Saturday editions, The News quoted unidentified league sources who said Tisdale, who never has shot lower than 50 percent in a full NBA season, is being targeted for trade discussions.

Snyder spikers battle Dumas in playoff tilt

The Snyder Lady Tigers' bi-district volleyball playoff match against Dumas has been tentatively scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at Wayland Baptist University's Hutcherson Center.

The Lady Tigers will be making their third straight trip to the Class 4A playoffs.

Their first-round opponent in each trip has been Dumas.

"I never get to see them play," said SHS coach Patty Grimmett of the Demonettes. "I do know, though, that they have a great winning tradition, there."

Dumas claimed the District 1-4A crown, its third consecutive, going 10-0 within the loop and 25-4 overall.

Snyder, runner up in District 2-4A, posted a 14-14 regular-season mark and a 4-2 slate in league contests.

New York City Marathon

Recent winners of the five-borough race

Year	Winners (country)	Times
1991	Salvador Garcia (Mexico)	2:09:28
	Liz McColgan (Scotland)	2:27:32
1990	Douglas Wakihuri (Kenya)	2:12:39
	Wanda Panfil (Poland)	2:30:45
1989	Juma Ikangaa (Tanzania)	2:08:01
	Ingrid Kristiansen (Norway)	2:25:30
1988	Steve Jones (Wales)	2:08:20
	Greta Waitz (Norway)	2:28:07
1987	Ibrahim Hussein (Kenya)	2:11:01
	Priscilla Welch (England)	2:30:17
1986	Gianni Poli (Italy)	2:11:06
	Greta Waitz (Norway)	2:28:06
1985	Orlando Pizzolato (Italy)	2:11:34
	Greta Waitz (Norway)	2:28:34

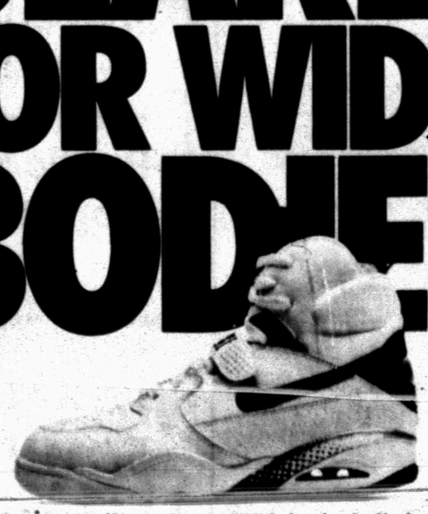
Source 1992 Sports Almanac — NEA Graphic

When the 1992 New York City Marathon begins, thousands of runners representing dozens of countries will head across the Verrazano Narrows Bridge from Staten Island to Brooklyn. By the time they reach the finish line some 26 miles away in Central Park, they will have passed through Queens, the Bronx and Manhattan. Alberto Salazar, who was victorious in 1980, '81 and '82, is the last American to win the New York City Marathon.

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High school football scoreboard

By The Associated Press

Class 5A

Abilene 12, Odessa 0
Aldine 24, Humble Kingwood 14
Alief Elsik 36, Rosenberg Terry 6
Amarillo Tascosa 21, Lubbock Coronado 12
Arlington Lamar 9, Irving MacArthur 0
Austin Crockett 34, Pflugerville 14
Beaumont Central 27, PA Jefferson 7
Beaumont West Brook 29, Baytown Sterling 15
Brownsville Rivera 35, Brownsville Porter 0
Burleson 25, Keller 12
CC Carroll 40, Victoria Stroman 7
CC Miller 24, Alice 13
Canutillo 29, New Mexico Military 12
Cleburne 35, Weatherford 0
Conroe McCullough 14, Klein Forest 6
Converse Judson 48, SA Lee 27
Dallas Carter 59, Dallas North Dallas 0
Dallas Kimball 25, Dallas Sunset 2
Dallas Skyline 42, Dallas Spruce 24
DeSoto 28, North Garland 21
Denton 31, The Colony 0
EP Bowie 52, El Paso 0
EP Burges 27, EP Jefferson 0
EP Coronado 35, EP Andress 0
EP Eastwood 28, EP Montwood 0
EP Hanks 40, EP Del Valle 10
EP Irvin 34, EP Austin 18
EP Parkland 21, Fabens 0
EP Riverside 35, EP Ysleta 14
Edinburg 21, Rio Grande City 14
Edinburg North 49, Pharr-San Juan-Alamo-North 12
Euless Trinity 21, Grand Prairie 7
FW Southwest 26, FW Paschal 7
FW Western Hills 26, FW Trimble Tech 0
Flower Mound Marcus 13, WF Rider 0
Fort Bend Kempner 22, Pearland 13
Harlingen 47, Brownsville Pace 29
Houston Jones 40, Houston Reagan 6
Houston Madison 59, Houston Bellaire 0
Houston Memorial 14, Houston Spring Woods 12
Odessa Permian 31, Abilene Cooper 30
Plano 27, Richardson Berkner 21
Plano East 27, Carrollton Turner 25
Richardson 35, Carrollton Smith 13
Richardson Lake Highlands 35, Richardson Pearce 10
Round Rock 31, Austin Bowie 28
Round Rock Westwood 42, Austin High 19
SA Brackenridge 30, SA Jefferson 0
SA East Central 33, SA McCollum 0
SA Harlandale 21, Seguin 14
SA Highlands 36, SA Lanier 0
SA MacArthur 18, SA Roosevelt 0
SA Taft 35, SA Southwest 5
San Angelo Central 35, Midland 7

Class 4A

A&M Consolidated 31, Waller 0
Andrews 17, Monahans 7
Athens 41, Palestine 41 (tie)
Austin Anderson 28, Austin McCallum 7
Austin LBJ 36, Austin Reagan 25
Austin Travis 48, Austin Lanier 14
Austin Westlake 28, Bastrop 21
Azle 25, WF Hirschi 24
Bay City 30, Wharton 7
Belton 21, Waco Midway 21 (tie)
Boerne 46, Smithson Valley 0
Brazosport 17, El Campo 16
Brownwood 55, Mineral Wells 0
Burkburnett 48, Justin Northwest 15
CC Calallen 60, Kingsville 12
CC Flour Bluff 17, Beeville 12
Columbia 28, Port Lavaca Calhoun 0
Dallas Smith 33, Dallas Adamson 8
Denison 49, Greenville 0
Dickinson 27, Channelview 3
Dumas 28, Canyon Randall 26
Edcouch-Elsa 35, Los Fresnos 13
Everman 28, Ennis 0
FW Brewer 21, Joshua 0
FW Poly 35, FW Northside 2
Floresville 34, Pleasanton 0
Hays 42, Round Rock McNeil 0
Hereford 41, Amarillo Caprock 0
Highland Park 21, Coppell 14
Houston Forest Brook 62, Crosby 28
Houston Kashmere 40, Houston Davis 0
Houston Wheatley 12, Houston Purr 7
Jacksonville 47, Whitehouse 0
Jasper 55, Dayton 0
Kerrville Tivy 23, Alamo Heights 21
Kilgore 38, Carthage 14
LC Mauriceville 31, Nederland 17
Lamesa 23, Snyder 14
Lancaster 21, Terrell 0
Liberty-Eylau 41, Paris 21
Lockhart 25, Del Valle 0
Lubbock Estacado 17, Plainview 7
Lumberton 24, Livingston 20
McKinney 48, Garland Naaman Forest 6
Midlothian 31, Cedar Hill 6
Mount Pleasant 10, Texas High 6
New Braunfels 23, Uvalde 13
New Braunfels Canyon 28, Schertz Clemments 21
Palestine 41, Athens 41 (tie)
Pampa 34, Borger 0
Pecos 6, San Angelo Lake View 0
Port Neches-Groves 31, PA Lincoln 7
Raymondville 16, Roma 15
Rockwall 22, West Mesquite 8
Sharyland 27, Mercedes 17
Silsbee 34, Cleveland 25
Stephenville 28, Granbury 10
Sulphur Springs 24, North Lamar 7
Sweetwater 36, Fort Stockton 9
Taylor 7, Georgetown 6
Tomball 15, Brenham 9
Waco University 31, Leander 9
Waxahachie 21, Red Oak 0
West Orange-Stark 54, Bridge City 7
Wichita Falls 28, Boswell 7
Wilmer-Hutchins 34, Mesquite Poteet 24

Class 3A

Alpine 50, Mountain View 24
Alvarado 30, Glen Rose 7
Anahuac 33, Hamshire-Fannett 17
Atlanta 16, Linden-Kildare 7
Ballinger 14, Comanche 12
Barbers Hill 41, Liberty 21
Bellville 42, Columbus 21
Bonham 14, Whitesboro 0
Breckenridge 29, Henrietta 26
Brownfield 34, Lubbock Roosevelt 21
Brownsboro 42, Grand Saline 7
Buna 28, Kirbyville 7
Burnet 41, Austin Lake Travis 7
Caldwell 35, Manor 15
Cameron 23, Marlin 6
Canyon 13, Sanford-Fritch 8
Carrizo Springs 34, Cotulla 7
Center 24, Rusk 20
Childress 20, Perryton 19
Clint 48, San Elizario 7
Coldspring 17, Madisonville 0
Coleman 36, Early 7
Commerce 48, Mineola 0
Connally 33, Lorena 7
Crane 21, Kermit 14
Crockett 31, Corrigan-Camden 6
Daingerfield 26, Gilmer 7
Dalhart 24, Amarillo River Road 14
DeKalb 26, Texarkana Pleasant Grove 15
Devine 28, Bandera 0
Dimmitt 31, Friona 8
Dripping Springs 30, Fredericksburg 29
Eastland 13, Clyde 12
Elgin 26, Giddings 13
FW Lake Worth 24, Bridgeport 6
Farmersville 14, Pottsboro 2
Floydada 24, Littlefield 21
Gainesville 35, Frisco 14
Gatesville 12, Troy 10
George West 29, San Diego 6
Gonzales 25, Cuero 20
Graham 41, Iowa Park 6
Midland Greenwood 43, Colorado City 8

Class 2A

Alto 26, West Sabine 0
Anna 40, Community 18
Archer City 23, Seymour 14
Arp 47, Union Grove 13
Bangs 56, Ranger 0
Bells 42, Whitewright 21
Bloomington 25, Yorktown 17
Boyd 71, Millsap 0
Bullard 27, Winona 6
Canadian 13, Memphis 12
Celina 49, Aubrey 0
Chins Spring 28, Moody 7
Clarendon 49, Wheeler 12
Coshoma 28, McCamey 8
Crosbyton 28, Post 6
Cushing 21, Shelbyville 14
Dublin 14, DeLeon 0
Edgewood 50, Quitman 0
Eldorado 56, Iraan 0
Freer 85, LaVilla 0
Goldthwaite 28, Cisco 13
Grandview 52, Itasca 7
Grapeland 22, Buffalo 0
Hale Center 12, Abernathy 0
Hamlin 20, Haskell 14
Hardin 40, East Chambers 29
Hawkins 35, Big Sandy 2
Holliday 38, Electra 7
Honey Grove 35, Cooper 28
Hubbard 34, Malakoff Cross Roads 0
Hughes Springs 20, Harmony 19
Hutto 34, Lexington 13
Italy 60, Palmer 7

Class 1A

Bartlett 44, Burton 10
Ben Bolt 37, Bruni 0
Bronte 43, Roby 8
Bryson 31, Windthorst 21
Burkeville 48, Apple Springs 6
Celeste 31, Maud 0
Chester 26, Evadale 6
Chico 28, Perrin 6
Chilton 66, Normangee 6
Claude 31, White Deer 0
Colmesneil 43, High Island 6
Coolidge 41, Oakwood 6
Crawford 21, Hico 13
Cross Plains 27, Rising Star 0
Dawson 35, Frost 20
Eden 21, Menard 14
Evant 20, Santo 6
Fort Davis 29, Grandfalls-Royalty 21
Gorman 35, Tolar 7
Gunter 55, Fannindel 6
Happy 49, Booker 6
Hart 28, Farwell 8
Holland 29, Granger 19
Iola 26, Bremond 20
Irion County 27, Miles 6

Six-Man

Abbott 56, Oglesby 28
Amherst 72, Three Way 47
Blanket 62, Sidney 12
Borden County 48, Loraine 13
Buckholts 46, Cranfills Gap 18
Chillicothe 52, Patton Springs 6
Christoval 52, Lohn 6
Dell City 60, Sierra Blanca 6
Follett 49, Miami 0
Fort Hancock 45, Balmorhea 0
Gordon 54, Morgan 6
Grady 49, Dawson 18
Harrold 42, Samnorwood 8
Hermleigh 58, Highland 18
Ira 68, Trent 36
Jayton 45, Guthrie 14
Jonesboro 56, Aquilla 6
Lazbuddie 52, Silverton 16
Lefors 43, Higgins 12
Lueders-Avoca 65, Newcastle 26
May 70, Gustine 24
McLean 92, Groom 53
Moran 69, Paint Creek 44
New Home 65, Wilson 60
Paint Rock 86, Blackwell 7
Panther Creek 52, Novice 6
Rochester 56, Aspermont 34
Ropesville 57, Southland 8
Rule 46, Benjamin 12
Sands 52, Loop 45
Smyer 78, Meadow 66
Strawn 42, Blum 28
Trinidad 56, Bynum 24
Valley 54, Vernon Northside 6

SDN sports week

Monday, Nov. 2
Basketball
WTC Lady Dusters host Weatherford JC at 7 p.m. at Scurry County Coliseum.
Volleyball
Snyder junior high at Lamesa at 5 p.m.

Thursday, Nov. 5
Football
Snyder JV hosts Frenship at 7 p.m.
Snyder freshmen at Abilene Cooper Blue at 7 p.m.
Snyder 8th grade hosts Sweetwater. B game at 5 p.m. A game at 6:30 p.m.
Snyder 7th grade at Sweetwater. B game at 4:30 p.m. A game at 6 p.m.
Basketball
WTC Lady Dusters at South Plains Classic in Levelland.
Rodeo
WTC rodeo team at Texas Tech Rodeo in Lubbock.

Friday, Nov. 6
Football
Snyder Tigers at Frenship at 7:30 p.m.
Ira at Loraine at 7:30 p.m.
Borden County at Highland at 7:30 p.m.
Hermleigh hosts Trent at 7:30 p.m.
Basketball
WTC Lady Dusters at South Plains Classic in Levelland.
Rodeo
WTC rodeo team at Texas Tech Rodeo in Lubbock.

Saturday, Nov. 7
Golf
Snyder boys at Lamesa. Match to be played at Lamesa Country Club.
Basketball
WTC Lady Dusters at South Plains Classic in Levelland.
Snyder girls varsity, JV, freshman, 8th grade and 7th grade Black and Gold games at SHS.
Rodeo
WTC rodeo team at Texas Tech Rodeo in Lubbock.

Bowling News

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Team	W	L
Sonic	23	9
Snyder Paint & Body	22	10
Payne Trucking	20	12
Misfits	19	13
Spanish Inn	18	14
Ezell-Key	17	15
Granite Construction	16	16
K&M Pumping	16	16
Superchargers	14	18
Better N Nuttin	13	19
Great Western	12	20
West Texas State Bank	11	21
Redman Pipe	9	23

High Series: Bob Sealy 532, Bernie Sealy 548. **High game:** Mike Shrimplin 237; Cindy Lindsey 209. **High Handicap series:** Jeff Kellner 644; Teresa Loper 624; Billie Pippin 624.
High handicap game: Bruce Beall 243; Helen Kellner 239.
Converted splits: Joel Loper 3-10; Mike Shrimplin 3-10; Randy somerhaulder 3-10, 5-6; Bob Sealy 6-10; Roger Batchelor 4-5-7; Linda Head 2-7; Daphene Thompson 2-7; Beth Kellner 3-9-10; Roy Thompson 5-7; Bruce Beall 3-10, 2-5-7; Ronnie Clawson 5-10; Jenny Rainwater 3-10; Tracy Boone 4-5; Jimmy Fletcher 5-7; Bobby Flowers 3-10; Raymond Kellner 5-7; Jeff Kellner 3-10; Melissa McCright 7-8; Helen Kellner 3-10.
Most pins over average: Bruce Beall 74; Cindy Lindsey 58. **Most pins over series:** Jeff Kellner 54; Bernie Sealy 59.
200-500: Mike Shrimplin 237; Bruce Beall 203; Cindy Lindsey 209; Helen Kellner 201; Ronnie Clawson 514; Jeff Kellner 524; Linda Head 500; Teresa Loper 537; Tim McCright 506; Ray Kellner 512; Charlie Teague 513; Roger Batchelor 528; Bob Sealy 532; Billie Pippin 516; Billie Jackson 502.

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10-26-92

Team	W	L
Louise's Coffee Shop	22	6
Cogdell	17	11
City Nat'l Bank	15	13
IGA	15	13
E.D. Walton	15	13
Carousel Arcade	14	14
House of Treasures	9	19
B&B Liquor	5	23

High Series: Carousel Arcade 2115; Lynn Maldonado 547. **High game:** Louise's Coffee Shop 713; Sammie Lyle 213. **High handicap series:** Cogdell 2410; Cara Lindsey 681. **High handicap game:** City National Bank 837; Sherry Walker 248.
Week high game: Sammie Lyle 213; Week high series: Norma Shaw 519.
Splits converted: Matilda Olvera 2-7-8; Lujean Eckert 4-5; Gloria Peppers 3-10; Norma Seabourn 4-5, 2-7-8; Elizabeth Featherston 5-10; Daphne Blevins 4-5-7; Bonnie McDorman 5-6; Norma Shaw 5-10; Sylvia Fletcher 5-10, 3-10; Doris Harrison 3-10; Vicky Renshaw 4-5-7; 3-10.

HIS & HERS
10-26-92

Team	W	L
Frito-Lay	16	8
Cogdell's Best	15	9
Toastmasters	14	10
Reef Chemical	12½	11½
Pro Parts	12	12
Mail Center Plus	10	14
Nail Automation	9	15
Snyder Lanes	7½	16½

High Series: Mike Shrimplin 600; Bonnie Hodge 464. **High game:** Mike Shrimplin 232; Zelma Irons 179. **High handicap series:** Greg Hodge 596; Zelma Irons 535. **High handicap game:** Steve Mackey 222; Shirley Daves 216.
Splits converted: Bonnie Hodge 5-7.

COMMERCIAL
10-27-92

Team	W	L
WTP Energy	109	51
Bar-H-Bar	102	58
Key Kennels	81	79
McDonald's	80½	79½
Stephens Ofc Sup	79	81
Wayne's Diesel	72½	87½
Reef Chemical	66	94
Drillers	47	113

High Series: Mike Shrimplin 616. **High game:** Lynn Smith 220. **High handicap series:** J.C. Harrison 663. **High handicap game:** Earl Helton 244.
Splits converted: J.C. Harrison 5-10; Jack Beall 3-10; Butch Giddens 3-10, 2-7-8; Bill Stephens 4-7-10, 9-10; Red Bennett 3-9-10, 3-6-7.

WISHBALL
10-29-92

Team	W	L
Lawrence IGA	60	38
J&S Auto Glass	57	41
A&W Root Beer	55½	42½
The Shack	50½	47½
Snyder Lanes	50	48
Melco	49	49
The Stars	45	53
Wishful Thinking	25	73

High Series: Mike Shrimplin 672. **High game:** Roger Pavlik 211. **High handicap series:** David Lyle 643. **High handicap game:** Paul Sieb 233.
Converted splits: Jack Dodson 3-10, 5-10; Josh Floyd 5-10; Wayne Mooroney 5-6, 2-7.
200-500: Mike Shrimplin 288, 672; Roger Pavlik 211, 512; Rick Mammolite 200, 524; David Lyle 227, 583; Lynn Smith 525; Monte West 522.

Transactions

by The Associated Press

BASEBALL
MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL—Approved the sale of the Houston Astros from John McMullen to Drayton McLane pending approval of final documentation.
COLORADO ROCKIES—Named Don Zimmer bench coach. Signed Balvino Galvez, pitcher; Gilberto Reyes, catcher, and Trent Hubbard, infielder, to minor-league contracts.

FOOTBALL
National Football League
NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS—Activated Tim Gordon, safety, from injured reserve. Waived Craig Veasey, nose tackle.
NEW ORLEANS SAINTS—Activated John Tice, tight end, from injured reserve. Waived Tommie Stowers, tight end.
PHILADELPHIA EAGLES—Activated Roy Green, wide receiver, from the practice squad. Released Floyd Dixon, wide receiver.
PHOENIX CARDINALS—Claimed Robert Williams, defensive back, off waivers from the Dallas Cowboys. Waived Mitchell Price, defensive back.
SEATTLE SEAHAWKS—Re-signed Richard Newbill, linebacker.
TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS—Activated Roger Jones, defensive back, from injured reserve.

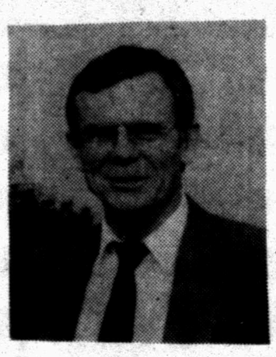
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Obituaries

Glen Bentley

1927-1992

Graveside services are set for 3:30 p.m. Sunday in the Snyder Cemetery for Glen "Curley" Bentley, 65, who died Thursday in Midland. Local arrangements are under the direction of Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday at the First Baptist Church in Kermit.

Born in Olney, Mr. Bentley married Jo Ann White on March 29, 1956 in Snyder.

He had lived in Kermit for 31 years. He was a member of the First Baptist Church, the Fort Stockton Masonic Lodge and a World War II Navy veteran.

Survivors include his wife; one daughter, Mrs. Debbie Marrs of Kermit; three brothers, O.L.Bentley of Electra, Harold Bentley of Big Spring and Doyle Bentley of Wichita Falls; one sister, Laverna Owens of Iowa Park; one grandson, Layton Marrs of Kermit.

Auditions set for Ritz Christmas

Auditions for the Ritz Community Theatre Christmas production, "The Best Christmas Pageant Ever," will be held Monday and Tuesday from 7-9 p.m. and on Wednesday from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m.

Auditions will be held at North Elementary auditorium. There are parts for four men, six women plus eight boys and nine girls ranging in age from 7 through 13.

Those interested in trying out should be familiar with the story by Barbara Robinson. Production dates are Dec. 17-20.

FD responds to mobile home fire

Units of the Snyder Fire Department responded to a mobile home fire Friday in Hermleigh, caused by a gas heater.

Firefighters were called to the mobile home, owned by Sylvia Sanchez, at 7:37 p.m. after a heater being used in the home caught fire.

According to reports, the fire was extinguished before it spread and was confined to the heater. No one was injured in the incident.

'Batman' wins

LOS ANGELES (AP) — "Batman" star Michael Keaton won $3,500, a saddle and a belt buckle by finishing first in a rodeo-style "cutting horse" contest.

Keaton took the top prize Thursday in the Winning $20,000 Amateur category, for horses that have won less than $20,000, said his publicist, Paul Bloch.

The sport is a rodeo-style competition in which riders guide their horses as if they were herding cattle.

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HALLOWEEN SPIRIT — Local beauty operator Jackie Nail worked on Frances Sizemore's hair Friday as employees of Hair Haven Beauty Salon got into the Halloween spirit for their annual Halloween party. (SDN Staff Photo)

Bush closes margin on Democrat Clinton

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to Tuesday's showdown. The Democratic and Republican camps targeted the same toss-up states and hopscotched the country. Both, for instance, put Wisconsin and its 11 electoral votes on their map today.

Perot had rallies in Tampa, Fla., and Kansas City today, with more on tap Sunday.

"Our sense is we're turning around" again, Clinton said in Detroit when asked about a race that's gone from showing him with double-digit leads just days ago to neck-and-neck, according to at least some polls.

Bush and Clinton kept up their duel over economics, with Bush calling his rival's plan "trample-down economics" and Clinton saying Bush would just give America "four more years of trickle-down economics, declining incomes, rising unemployment."

But Bush was again consumed by Iran-Contra when former Defense Secretary Caspar Weinberger was named in a fresh indictment that contradicts Bush's claim that he didn't know that the Reagan administration was trading arms for hostages in Lebanon.

The indictment, based on Weinberger's handwritten notes, said then-Vice President Bush attended a Jan. 7, 1986, meeting where President Reagan and aides did discuss such a deal with Iran. "VP favored," Weinberger's notes said, contradicting previous Bush denials.

The Democrats jumped on the indictment. Clinton said it "diminishes the credibility of the presidency" and running mate Al Gore called it the "smoking gun."

But Bush, appearing Friday night on CNN's "Larry King Live," said that "if there is a smoking gun out there, I'd have been hauled up by one of those Senate committees" or the Iran-Contra prosecutors long before.

Two business burglaries are reported in Snyder

Two business burglaries were worked by the Snyder police department.

The first was reported at 8:13 a.m. Friday at Howard Gray Motors. Employees at the dealership said someone had entered the building and taken a variety of tools.

At 4:15 a.m. Saturday, a second burglary of a business was reported at G&G Grocery. Miscellaneous items were taken, and both break-ins are still under investigation.

Two arrests were also made during the 24-hour period which ended at 7 a.m. Saturday. The first came at 6:31 p.m. Friday in the 1800 Block of U.S. 84. A 30-year-old male was arrested for driving while intoxicated. At 3:36 a.m. Saturday, a 59-year-old male was arrested for outstanding DPS warrants out of Abilene. Both were taken to the Scurry County Jail.

At 1:19 p.m. Friday, a case of criminal mischief was reported by George Alvarado who said a tire on his auto was cut at 103 Elm. Bobby Nolan, 507 17th, reported the theft of a ladder from his residence. Gerald Snyder of 2809 39th St. reported the theft of a girl's 20-inch Huffy bike.

Officers also investigated a hit and run at 4:23 p.m. at 38th and Denison. An auto that left the scene struck a 1969 Midgett driven by Brandi Michelle Doyle of Rt. 3, and a 1977 GMC pickup driven by Dakota Wayne Wunderlich of 3008 41st. Damage was minor.

A gas drive off, involving $7.69, was reported at 2:48 p.m. Friday at Skinny's on 37th St. At 2:56 a.m. Saturday, a possible theft was reported at the Plaza Truck Stop. Officers made contact with a subject who returned items, and the business declined to file charges.

Officers also responded to a variety of calls, including six motorists who locked keys in their vehicles. Police also were told of three incidents of eggs being thrown at a residence, answered three disturbance calls, and escorted one juvenile home who had been reported missing.

Senate

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said. "The issue is whether we do permanent ethics or not and reform the election process."

Carriker said his knowlege of agriculture and policies, most which come from the federal government, makes him the best choice.

Haywood, however, points to his endorsement by the Texas Farm Bureau and his endorsement by Texas Ag Commissioner Rick Perry, also a Republican.

Carriker said he was "very encouraged" by progress being made in rural health care, and Carriker is credited with legislation that enabled establishment of rural health clinics and a cooperative scholarship program to educate physicians for rural areas.

8th largest bank failure

WASHINGTON (AP) — Federal regulators announced late Friday that they had seized control of First City Bancorporation of Texas in what they said was the eighth largest bank failure in U.S. history.

The takeover of the large chain of Texas banks was announced at a hastily called news conference in Washington by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. and the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency.

Federal regulators denied any political influence in the timing of the closure, which came just four days before the presidential election.

"We determined the lead bank, First City of Houston, was insolvent. When we find banks are insolvent, we close them," said Acting Comptroller Stephen R. Steinbrink.

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By Homer Anderson

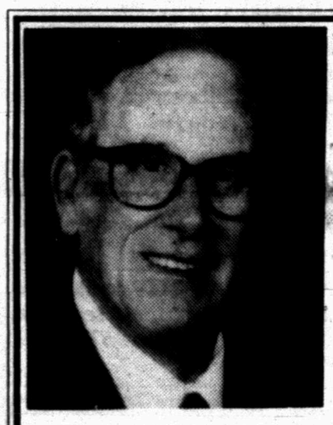
After the first conversions on Pentecost, it was not long before a vigorous persecution arose in the city of Jerusalem. Many of those who obeyed the Gospel on Pentecost and subsequent to that first day of the church were forced to leave Jerusalem. They did not leave their new-found faith behind, "They that were scattered abroad went everywhere preaching the word" **(Acts 8:4)**.

Philip went among the despised Samaritans, and his preaching of this new covenant between God and man met with tremendous success, "When they believed Philip...they were baptized, both men and women" **(Acts 8:12)**.

In Caesarea, Peter preached to Cornelius and a group of friends that this Roman soldier had invited to his home. At the conclusion of his sermon, Peter "commanded them to be baptized in the name of the Lord" **(Acts 10:48)**.

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I. Job Description
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B. Graduation from a standard senior high school or equivalent, including or supplemented by courses in business practices, typing and stenography.

C. Ability to maintain records and prepare reports; to make mathematical computations with speed accurancy; to compose letters and memorandum; to understand and follow moderately complex oral and written instructions; to assign and supervise subordinates; to make minor decisions in accordance with agency laws and regulations and apply them to work problems; to maintain confidentiality; and to establish and maintain effective working relationships with other employees and the public.

ALL INTERESTED APPLICANTS MUST FILL AN APPLICATION FOR EMPLOYMENT AND AN APPLICATION FOR A POSTED POSITION. COPIES CAN BE OBTAINED BY CONTACTING MIKE UTLEY CONTRACT CONSTRUCTION-P.O. BOX 99, HUNTSVILLE, TEXAS 77342-9987 (409-294-6924; FAX 409-294-6951) THIS MUST BE RECIEVED PRIOR TO 4:30 P.M., NOVEMBER 10, 1992.

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2704 Ave W-3-1½ -1 2 lots 43T.
2809 Denison-3-2-2 shop 70's.
126 Milburn-3-2-2c/p $17,500.
2400 27th-MH 3-2-2c/p 28T.
SE 5Acres-3-2-2c/p 80's.
1201 20th-2-1-1 19T.
North 50Acres-3-2-2 60's.
Colonial Hill-4-2-2 65T.
4200 Lubbock-3-2-2 shop 66T.
3709 Sunset-3-1-2 39T.
4304 Lubbock-3-2-1 $57,500.
1804 39th-3-1 32T.
2811 Ave Z-3-2-2 60T.
3706 Ave U-3-2 53T.
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4014 Eastridge-2-2-2, 20's.
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Lake Thomas-frontage, 3-2-screened porch, 20's.
Country-5A, W-3-2-den, 60's.
3100 Hill-3-2-1-2cp 40's.
2204 44th-3-2-2cp 40's.
3821 Highland-2-1-2 30's.
406 33rd-3-1 20's.
2303 Ave M-18T.
3111 El Paso-Brick 2-1 20's.
Country-Appx 7 acres, 2-1 20's.
30's-414 35th, 2108 42nd, 2315 42nd, 212 36th Pl, 3206 Hill, 3711 Noble.
Bassridge-2705 48th, 3-2-2, pool 90's.
2501 48th-3-2½ -2-pool, 125T.
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2206 29th-2-1-, only $9,000.
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5506 Cedar Creek-3-2½ -2-pool.
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4507 El Paso-3-2-2-$69,900.
Colonial Hill-corner lot $95T.
2006 Towle Park-$97,500.
2807 Dension-3-2-2-$69,500.
2501 48th-3-2-2-RV Gar.
2502 30th-2-1-CP-$35T.
4502 Lubbock-3-2-2-$59,500.
3709 Sunset-3-1-2-$39T.
2233 Sunset-3-1-1-$29T.
3006 42nd-3-1-CP-$38T.
3111 El Paso-Owner fin. $29T.
2704 Ave W-3-1½ -1 $43,000.
4108 Eastridge-3-2-2 $35T.
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3782 Avondale-3-2-CP-assume.
4501 Denison-3-2-CP $51,500.
3405 44th-3-2-2-$55T.
Camp Spg Rd-Lg home $55T.
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OUTSIDE CITY, Gary Brewer Road, 3-2-2, 30x30 shop, large den, FP, fenced yard, 70's. Agent, call after 6:00, leave message, 573-9943.

010 LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO BIDDERS: The Scurry County Commissioners Court will receive bids on Friday, November 13, 1992, before 5:00 p.m. to sale one (1) John Deere Model 850 LT Crawler Dozer with less than 1,000 hours. Any bid received after this time and date will be returned to Bidder. Bids will be opened on Monday, November 16, 1992 at 10:00 a.m. and Dozer will be delivered on Tuesday, December 1, 1992. Dozer may be seen by contacting any one of the four (4) Commissioners at (915)573-6571.

NO. 5009
IN THE ESTATE OF STERLING WHITFILED WILLIAMS, DECEASED
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF SCURRY COUNTY, TEXAS
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of STERLING WHITFILED WILLIAMS, Deceased, were issued on September 29, 1992, in Docket No. 5009, pending in the Probate Court of Scurry County, Texas, to GLADYS WILLIAMS.

The residence of the Independent Executor is in Scurry County, and the post office address is: c/0 H. Alan Carmichael, McCLESKEY, HARRIGER, BRAZILL & GRAF, L.L.P., P.O. Drawer 6170, Lubbock, Texas 79493.

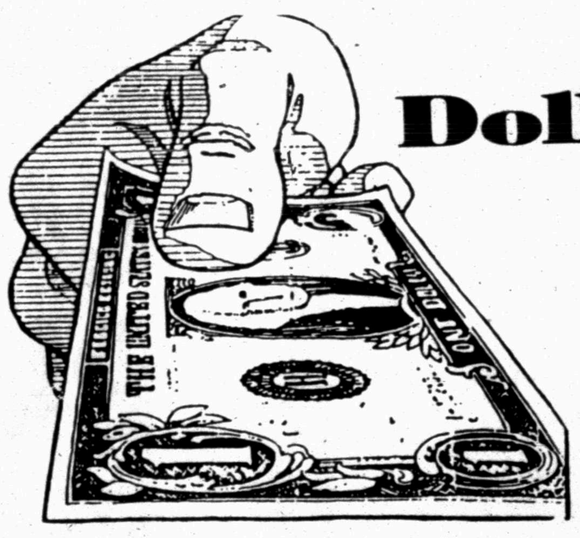
All persons having claims against the Estate which is currently beign administered are required to present them withing the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

DATED the 28th day of October, 1992.

Respectfully submitted,
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BARDERA, Somalia (AP) — The weakest children sobbed and wailed when they could not push their way to food brought in Friday on the first U.N. relief flight to reach this town in more than a week.

Somalis helping to distribute the food shouted and waved sticks to maintain order, keeping hundreds of people seated while 20 or 30 at a time pressed forward, holding out bowls for a watery porridge.

Before Friday, only one U.N. relief flight had reached Bardera since Oct. 13, when one clan warlord seized the town from another. That plane, which arrived Oct. 23, was fired on by a rocket-propelled grenade, and U.N. relief flights were suspended.

Aid workers say 200 to 300 people have been dying daily in Bardera, 180 miles west of Mogadishu and one of the towns hardest hit by Somalia's famine.

Drought and war have killed more than 100,000 people throughout Somalia this year, and another 2 million are on the verge of starvation.

"It's difficult to know exactly the number," said Dr. Daniel Pacoud, 38, a French physician. "You have problems from malnutrition and from epidemic diseases, that's why the death rate is so incredible."

Caroline Tanner, a nutritionist with the U.N. Children's Fund, said she took a 15-minute walk and saw six dead bodies.

Ms. Tanner was supervising the boiling of water Friday in about 20 cut-off barrels, to make a porridge of grain and cooking oil that is all the stomachs of the malnourished can handle.

The only water available came from a polluted river nearby. "The best we can do is boil it for 20 minutes," Ms. Tanner said.

She said 3,000 to 4,000 people would eat that day at feeding centers set up by CARE and the International Committee of the Red Cross, and in Bardera's rundown hospital. The Red Cross brought in one planeload of rice and oil on Thursday afternoon.

The hungry Somalis sat under a U.N. shelter covered with a blue plastic sheet. The thinnest ones seemed all bones, covered with a thin layer of flesh. Their shoulders, ribs and hip bones nearly protruded through their skin, their cheek bones were prominent on their shrunken faces.

Most townspeople have fled Bardera because of the clan warfare, and now the 16,000 inhabitants are mostly refugees from the surrounding countryside, which has been devastated by famine and fighting.



BEST DECORATIONS — Central Supply was the winner of this year's Halloween decorating contest sponsored by Cogdell Memorial Hospital. Shown with some of the winning decorations are, back row from left, Iva Haywood and Annette Grady; and front row, Shelley LaRoux and Sandy Ward. Judges for the contest were Ricky Fritz and Clay Jacobs. (SDN Staff Photo)

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Sludge suit dismissed; MERCO plan continues

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — A federal judge in Midland ruled Friday that federal laws do not prohibit the spreading of sludge from New York City at a site near here.

Judge Lucius Bunton dismissed the lawsuit filed by Texas Attorney General Dan Morales to stop MERCO Joint Venture from spreading 240,000 tons of sludge on a ranch outside Sierra Blanca, about 70 miles southeast of El Paso.

The suit, filed this summer, named MERCO and its officials and the Environmental Protection Agency.

In a summary judgement, Bunton ruled that the National Historical Preservation Act and the National Environmental Policy Act did not apply to the sludge project, a law clerk said.

MERCO officials were in Midland and could not be immediately reached.

"With today's ruling, the environment has triumphed over politics," said EPA Region 6 administrator Buck Wynne. "The project is environmentally sound, adequate safeguards are in place, and the decision-making process at EPA was sound and in the public interest.

The ruling effectively clears the way for MERCO to spread sludge at the 130,000-acre Sierra Blanca Ranch.

MERCO has a six-year, $168 million contract to import the sludge from New York City, which it began doing in July.

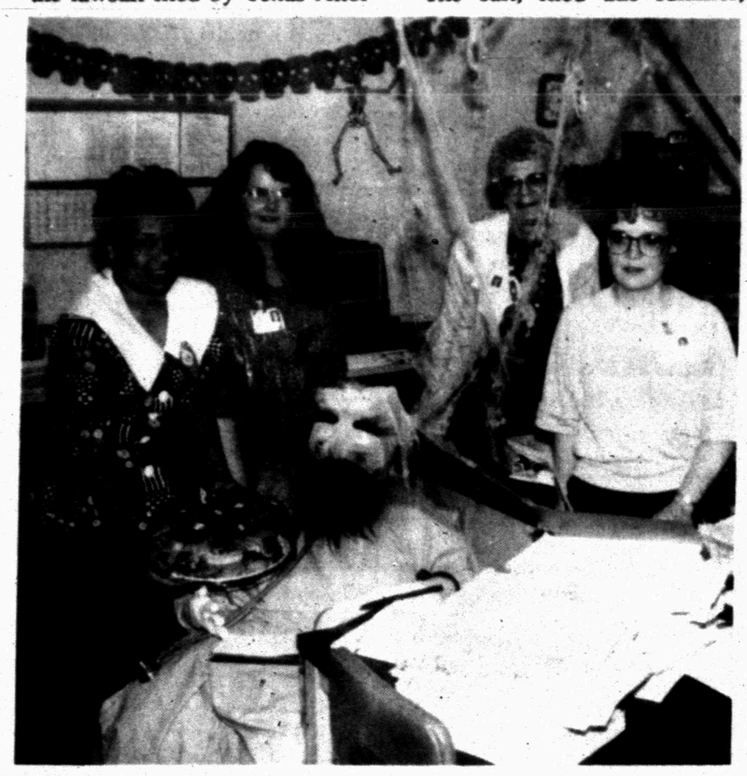
Sierra Blanca resident Bill Addington, who has been the project's most vocal opponent, said the decision has left him feeling disappointed and sad.

"I was very encouraged (when Morales filed the lawsuit). I thought the laws were on our side from the little bit of research that I had done," Addington said. "I just cannot see why Judge Bunton would not look at the lawsuit and hear it. It looks to me like a federal judicial system protecting the EPA ... We had no public hearing, nothing and that's not the way laws are set up."

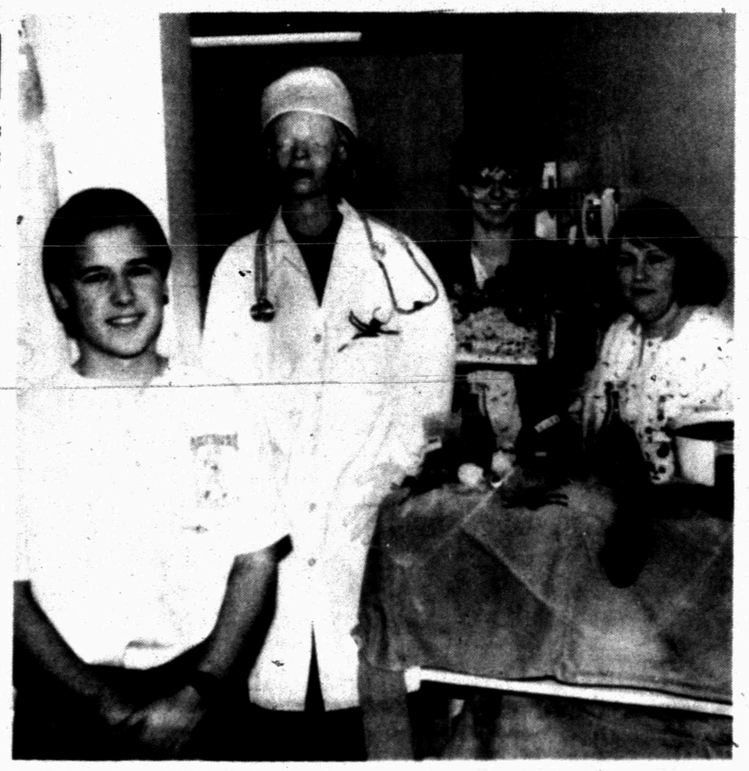
Morales and opponents alleged the sludge, a byproduct of wastewater treatment plants, could be harmful to the environment because it contains heavy metals and pathogens. They also charged MERCO was destroying the rangeland with digging and other methods it was using to integrate the sludge and said the firm had not done proper archaeological studies.

The attorney general also accused the EPA of failing to follow its own rules when it allowed MERCO to begin spreading the sludge while it processed a permit for the company. Last month, the EPA changed its mind and said a permit was not needed for the project.

"The judge dismissed the lawsuit because the EPA decided on Oct. 2 that it was not going to require MERCO to have a permit, to apply for a permit and that it was not going to allow public comment as part of the permitting process for this sludge application," said Ron Dusek, spokesman for the attorney general. "The EPA intentionally and deliberately turned its back on the citizens with the intention of getting this lawsuit dismissed."

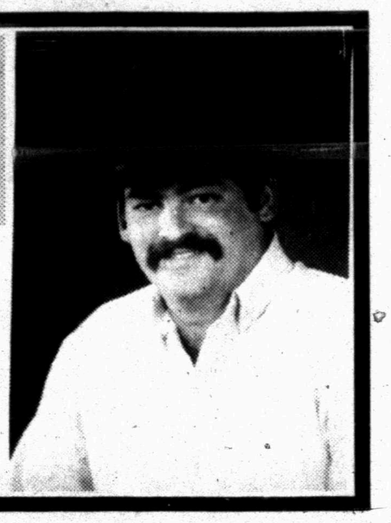


SECOND PRIZE — Second place in Cogdell Memorial Hospital's Halloween decorating contest was awarded to the medical records department. Pictured left to right are Alessa Fabre, Jerri Riley, Duffy Small and Starla Kubena. (SDN Staff Photo)



PRIZE WINNERS — Respiratory Therapy was awarded third prize in the Cogdell Memorial Hospital Halloween decorating contest. Pictured left to right are Shane Terry, Melanie Hildreth and Patsy Parmer. (SDN Staff Photo)

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ANSWER: NO!

Article V, Section 7a of the Texas Constitution requires the State to reapportion trial court judicial districts for the first time in 1993. The State Legislature is re-districting all judicial districts in the State.

Because of this re-districting, present plans are for all district judges in the state to run again in 1994. Whomever is elected judge of the 132nd District Court in 1992 will serve for two years only. A new election will be held in 1994. No appointments will be made!

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Scurry County Folks

By Shirley A. Gorman

His first day as a mail carrier in 1966, Charles Thornton was bitten by a dog. A superstitious person might have deemed that as a bad omen and opted for another career choice, but Thornton chose to remain with the U.S. Postal System.

It's a decision the former Snyder Postmaster has never regretted.

Thornton, who retired last month, first donned the postal uniform at Rotan when he started the city's first delivery route 26 years ago.

He was named postmaster at Rotan in 1976, and held that position until he transferred to Snyder in April of 1988.

Thornton recently said he "always enjoyed the challenge of my job as well as the opportunity to work with people" during his years with the post office.

"It was always challenging to try and serve as many people as possible the best I could do," he said. "That was a good motivator."

Thornton said that postal employees aren't really allowed a margin of error because "errors mean unhappy customers."

Besides the security and benefits of a government job, Thornton said he always liked working for the postal service because "it is a unique organization and postal people are like a big family. We're all comrades and special to each other."

He never received a college degree, but in actual training hours — 557 — he earned much more than the equivalent of a degree.

He underwent three weeks of training in Memphis shortly after becoming the Rotan postmaster. Training sessions throughout the years were all geared toward specific topics.

As postmaster, Thornton had to deal with every type of problem from human relations to customers and vehicles. Each problem had to be handled individually, he said.

In addition to serving as postmaster, Thornton also served on a variety of review teams, all designed to help the postal service become a more efficient operation.

These model teams would check clerk hours and work methods plus help set budgets for post offices in both small and larger cities in Texas.

"Our job was to look for ways to help the post office become a more efficient operation," he said. These teams were called into service as needed and consisted of five members, including someone at either the postmaster or management level.

The union management teams consisted of two members of management and two union members. Their job was to settle labor disputes. And in some instances, the workers had to decide if they wanted to be represented by a union.

Since a postal rule is that there be no vacancy in office beyond 30 days, Thornton occasionally became temporary postmaster in other cities. Prior to retiring, he spent five weeks in Abilene.

During that time, Bobby McLeod, who was named interim postmaster when Thornton retired, served as the local officer-in-charge.

For 26 years, Thornton "performed a service that touched everyone's life" and that is something he will always be able to look back on with pride and a sense of accomplishment.

A native of Brisbee, Ariz., Thornton and his family moved to Rotan when he was a small child. The day after Pearl Harbor, his dad wanted to move the family closer to East Texas where he had been born because he thought he was going to be drafted. He wasn't, but Texas became the family's new home anyway.

Thornton's first job with the Rotan Post Office began in 1959 when he was a senior in high school, working as a "summer relief" (now called casual employee).

He said he enjoyed the work and in 1965 took the required examination. He had been working for the John Deere dealership but, at $2 an hour, the post office was offering the best paying job in Rotan.

By then Thornton was married and raising a family and he knew that he needed something with a future. Besides, he added, "the work was easier."

Today, Thornton said persons delivering mail can protect themselves from dogs by using mace. But in 1966, he had no such defense.

Nevertheless, Thornton remained with the postal department and when Snyder's postmaster position became open he decided to take it because "the higher level post office meant more pay and a 'promotion' of sorts."

Throughout the years, Thornton had seen a number of changes, beginning with the reorganization of the postal department to a quasi governmental corporation in 1972. That occurred when Congress told the postal system to "break even."

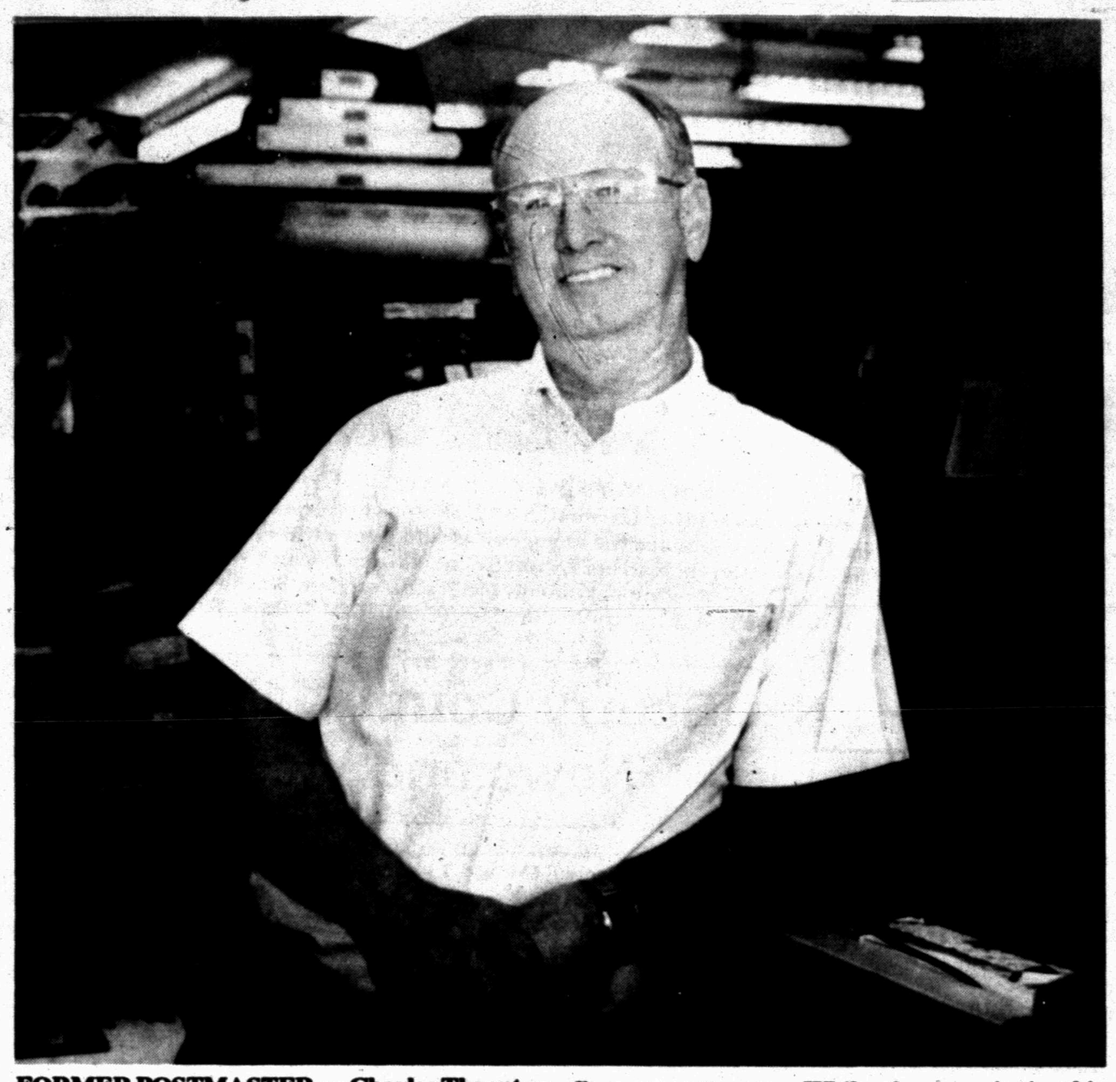
When he started, the postmaster general was a member of the Cabinet.

Eventually, walking routes became motorized routes as the age of automation revolutionized the postal service. Clerks now use computers and, once a day, a daily record of local business is "down loaded" to a computer in Fort Worth.

One of the latest advances is bar coded or automated mail which goes directly to the carriers.

Thornton said some 25 percent of mail being delivered to Snyder is bar coded and the ultimate goal is to have all mail be bar coded by

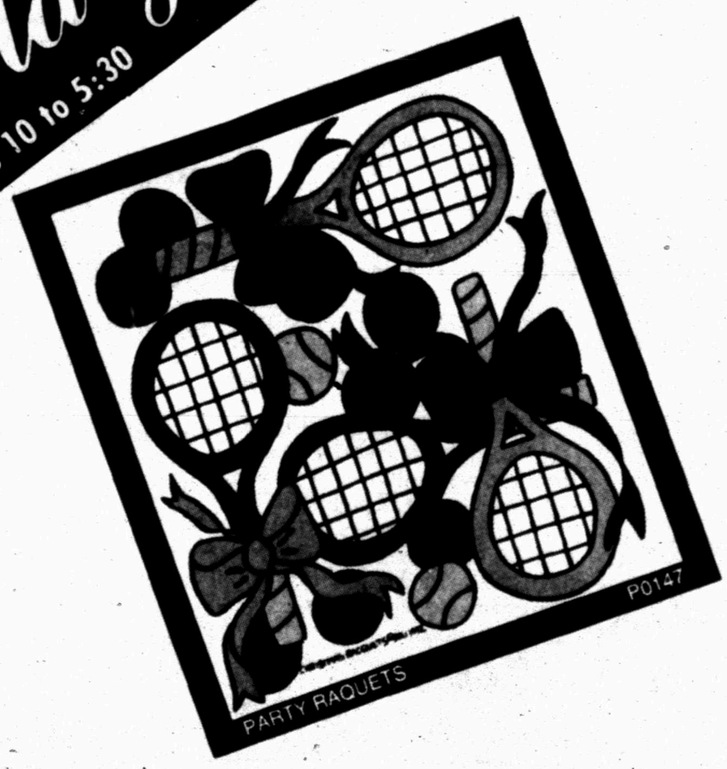
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FORMER POSTMASTER — Charles Thornton enjoyed a long association with the U.S. Postal Service before retiring last month. Starting as a city mail carrier in 1966 in Rotan, Thornton went on to serve both the Rotan and Snyder post offices as postmaster. While always enjoying his work, Thornton recently said that he looked forward to taking a break before deciding what he wanted to do next. (SDN Staff Photo)

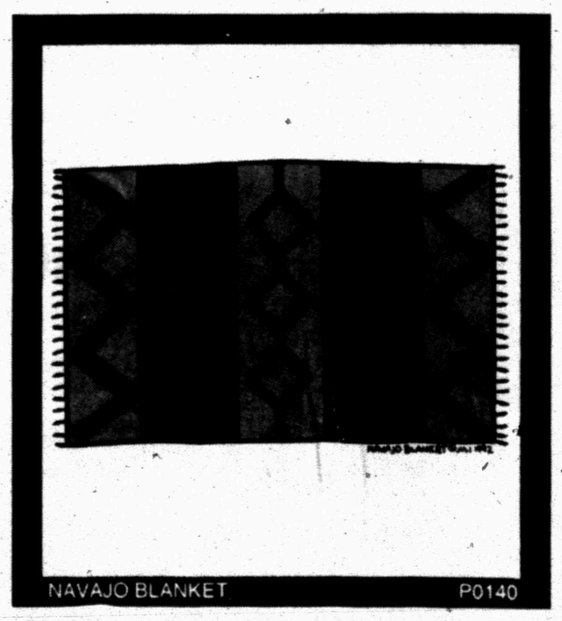
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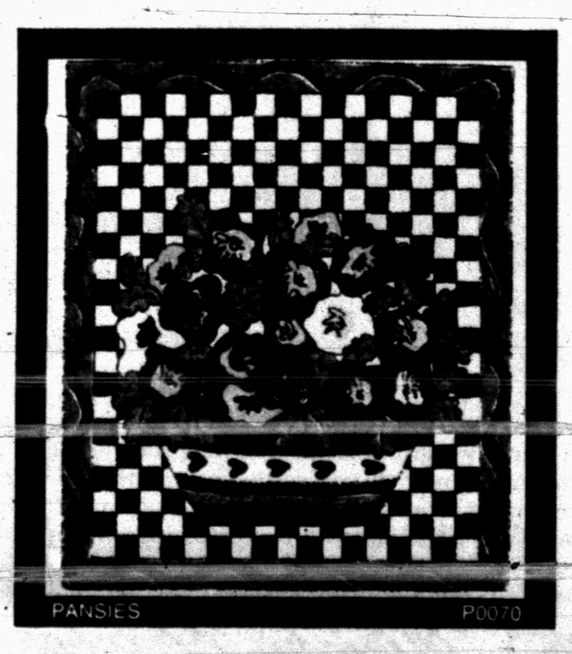




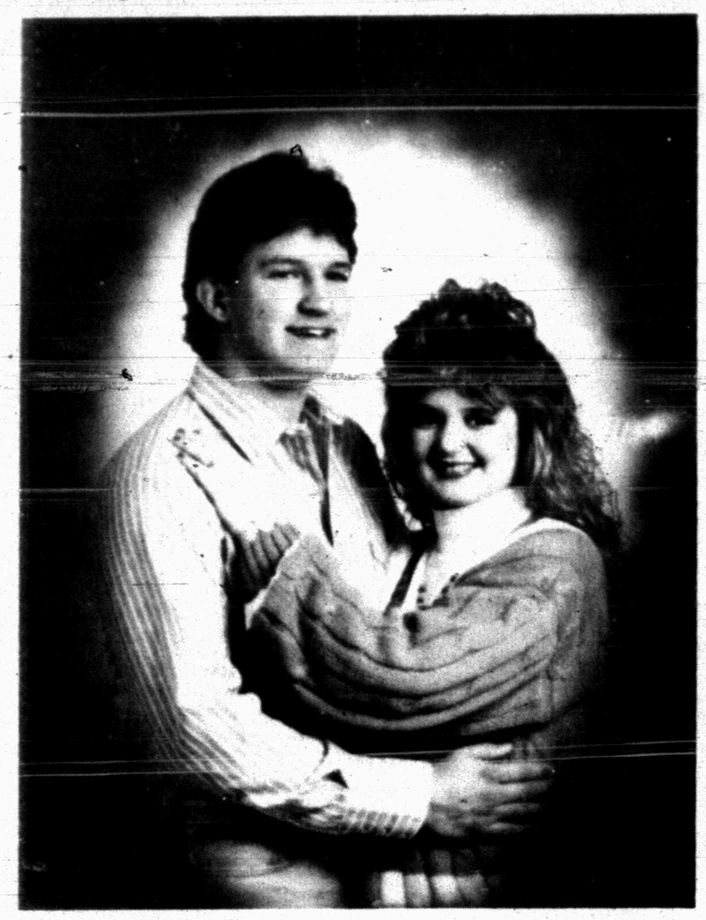








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DECEMBER WEDDING SET — Dr. and Mrs. David Petrash of Sherman and Mr. and Mrs. Von Reynolds of Brookston announce the engagement of Wendy Gwen Petrash of Sherman to Vance Lee Reynolds of Hermleigh. The wedding is set for 2 p.m. on Dec. 5 at the East Post Oak Missionary Baptist Church in Detroit, Tex. (Contributed Photo)



JANUARY NUPTIALS PLANNED — Dr. Rex L. and Katherine Reynolds of Hermleigh and Thomas and Norma Ledbetter of Tulia announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their children, Katrina Lyvon Reynolds and Breland Wayne Ledbetter. The wedding is planned for 7 p.m. on Jan. 8 at the Colonial Hill Baptist Church in Snyder. (Contributed Photo)



NOVEMBER VOWS PLANNED — Mr. and Mrs. Danny Williams of Snyder announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Julie Denise Williams, to Michael Shane Bearden, son of Charles Bearden of Abilene and La Nell Bearden of Snyder. The wedding is set for Nov. 25 at the First Baptist Church Chapel. (Contributed Photo)

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THURSDAY
Buttered Toast
Jelly
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FRIDAY
Biscuits-n-Gravy
Orange Juice
Milk

LUNCH
MONDAY
Pizza
Green Beans
Applesauce
Choice of Milk

TUESDAY
Burrito
Buttered Corn
Tossed Salad
French Dressing
Chilled Pears
Choice of Milk

WEDNESDAY
Steak Fingers
Cream Gravy
Whipped Potatoes
English Peas
Hot Roll
Choice of Milk

THURSDAY
Barbecue Rib-on-a-Bun
Potato Salad
Black-eyed Peas
Orange Slices
Choice of Milk

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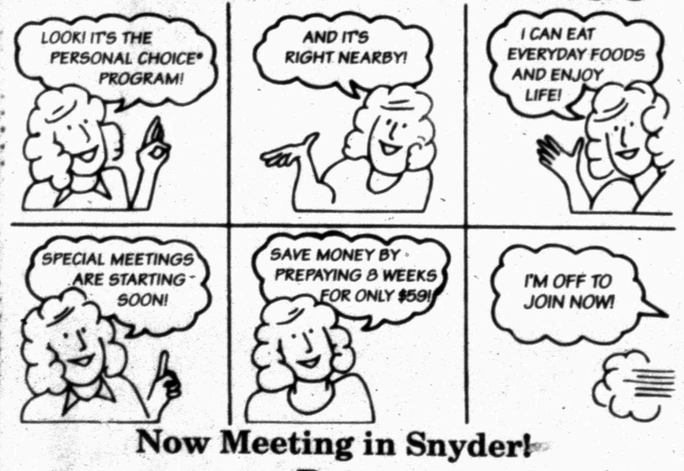
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BOOK FEATURE

Stand Up and Be Counted: The Volunteer Resource Book, by Judy Knipe.

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Though Thornton has enjoyed working for the postal department, he said he took advantage of the early retirement option because he was beginning to experience "job burnout."

And with the future of the postal service uncertain due to the continued changes, he said it was time for him to make a change in his own life. While Thornton said he believes "good will come from these changes," he just wasn't sure that he wanted to make them.

He intends to take some time off and relax before deciding what he wants to do with his retirement years.

Thornton likes to play golf, do woodwork and metalwork, hunt and fish. He and his wife, Jan, have two children and three grandchildren. A son, David, lives in Abilene, and a daughter, Jenna Hayes, lives in Canyon.

They are members of the Rotan Church of Christ. Thornton and his family chose to continue to live in Rotan while he commuted to work.

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25 years later, trolls are back and they're still ugly

By The Associated Press

After going into hiding for 25 years, troll dolls are back.

The elflike creatures with wild hair that defies styling are being snapped up by children whose parents — and sometimes grandparents — once collected them.

And they're still ugly.

"They're so ugly, they're cute," says Karen Parkison, assistant manager of Mr. Bulky's in Northpark Mall in Joplin, Mo. "Everybody is buying them. Young kids, older people, even teen-age boys."

Trolls were first introduced in the United States around 1960. (Thomas Dam of Denmark produced "Dam" dolls, which several competitors copied.) Trolls were popular until the mid-1960s. Though the fad faded, trolls remained on the market without much success — until recently.

Russ Berrie and Co. of Oakland, N.J., one of the biggest troll makers, expects to do nearly $150 million in sales in trolls this year, nearly 40 percent of its project overall sales of $400 million. The company has more than 500 troll or troll-related items in its lines.

"One little girl walked in and bought two $20 trolls," said Mr. Bulky's manager Patricia Roerig. "I sold three to one lady. People will pay $30 and not bat an eye."

Roerig says some Mr. Bulky franchises in bigger cities are selling $15,000 to $20,000 in trolls each month. Trolls account for 5 percent to 15 percent of the shops' total sales, she said.

The new breed of trolls comes in a variety of sizes and styles — foreign trolls, professional trolls and holiday trolls. Some are scented. Some carry signs or wear banners. Some stick out their tongues.

Know a new bride? A wedding party of trolls is on the market. Troll lovers can also choose from witch trolls, farmer trolls and rock 'n' roll trolls. They can buy 1-inch trolls and trolls that are more than a foot tall. Prices range from about $1 to $85.

Longer than the wait for Godot

NEW YORK (AP) — Some authors wait a long time for their first novels to be published — but 60 years?

That's how long ago Irish-born playwright and novelist Samuel Beckett wrote his first novel, which has just been published.

For the last 30 years of his life, Beckett, who died in 1989, had entrusted the manuscript to a Dartmouth College professor, and later to the school.

The semiautobiographical work, titled "A Dream of Fair to Middling Women," is published by Dublin-based Black Cat Press.

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Choice of Milk

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Creamed Potatoes
Green Beans
Rolls
Plain Cake
Choice of Milk

WEDNESDAY
Tacos
Vegetable Salad
Corn
Brownies
Crackers
Choice of Milk

THURSDAY
Pinto Beans
Fried Okra
Spinach
Corn Bread
Peach Cobbler
Choice of Milk

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BABY SHOWER — Bradley Davis Frederick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Frederick, was given a baby shower Oct. 24 at the Martha Ann Woman's Club. From right are Ashley Frederick, his sister; Bradley and his mother, Sandra; Nicole Wright of Mason, his cousin; and Jerry Wright of Mason, his aunt. (Contributed Photo)

Report on foam home, reasons for headache

Foam Home?

You've heard of brick houses, wooden houses and even glass houses. But plastic foam houses?

They've been around for years, says builder Walter Feuchs. And these foam homes are cheap, energy efficient and sturdy.

Feuchs says plastic foam houses are "four times stronger" than wood frame homes. "They can even withstand hurricane-force winds."

His basic one-room "World House" costs only $2,500. Once the foundation is ready, it's a snap to put together.

"All the pieces are pre-made," Feuchs says. "They snap together like Legos. It only takes 10 minutes to put the house up." Plumbing and electrical units also snap into the walls.

The foam home is great at saving energy, too. It runs on solar power and has a recyclable water system. Feuchs says the foam, sandwiched between wood chip panels, keeps the house cool in the summer and warm in the winter.

Feuchs says his World House could help solve the homeless problem. "It's cheap, solid housing," he says. And that could make a world of difference!

How Do You Get a Headache?

BOOM. BOOM. BOOM. You've got a splitting, pounding headache. You cry, "My brain hurts!"

The fact is, your brain can't feel pain. It only relays messages from other parts of your body that are in pain. What you feel is pain in your head's muscles or blood vessels.

If you're mad or worried, or even if you're just working long and hard on a project, muscles can start to pull tightly, or contract. When the muscles in your jaw or scalp tighten up too long, they send out pain signals — and you've got a headache!

Some headaches are cries of pain from blood vessels in your scalp. Some food chemicals make vessels widen, or expand, which makes them hurt. Many people avoid certain foods, such as chocolate, so that they don't get this kind of headache.

You can also get a headache if your eyes are tired, or your nose is stuffed or you have a fever.

Many people take medicine to stop headaches. These painkillers block pain signals from reaching your brain. But if you have a headache, listen to your body. It's saying, "Relax, take a break. Take a nap. Use your head!"

Where's Waldo now?

NEW YORK (AP) — Waldo, that lanky lad in blue pants, candy-striped sweater and stocking cap, has a new hiding place. It's on a series of silk neckties retailing for about $35.

The ties, available at specialty stores nationwide, are made by Schreter Neckwear of Baltimore under a licensing agreement with British illustrator Martin Handford. Handford created Waldo as a children's book character four years ago.

The books, four to date, take readers on a search for Waldo, who is always lurking somewhere on the densely illustrated pages.

Hermleigh School Menu

BREAKFAST

MONDAY
Juice
Buttered Oatmeal
Toast
Milk

TUESDAY
Fruit
Cheese Toast
Milk

WEDNESDAY
Juice
Blueberry Muffins
Milk

THURSDAY
Fruit
Buttered Rice
Toasted Rolls
Milk

FRIDAY
Juice
Dry Cereal
Toast
Milk

LUNCH

MONDAY
Burrito, Chili, Cheese
Spanish Rice
Relish Cup
Pink Applesauce
Milk

TUESDAY
Lasagna
Mixed Vegetables
Hot Rolls
Plum Crisp
Milk

WEDNESDAY
Barbecued Pork Patties
Buttered Potatoes
Pea Salad
Hot Rolls
Peanut Butter Bars
Milk

THURSDAY
Fish Nuggets
French Fries
Cole Slaw
Corn Bread
Pudding Pops
Milk

FRIDAY
Stromboli
Tater Tots
Tossed Salad
Fruit Jello
Milk

Snyder Duplicate Bridge Scoreboard

FRIDAY
Dot Casey directed.

N-S
1. Ann Davis, Louise Thompson.
2. Margaret Birdwell, Dot Casey.
3. Bessie Collins, Frances Stevenson.

E-W
1. Marjorie Brown, LaVerne Hood.
2. Verdi Kimbro, ElWanda Nall.
3. Rogene Spruell, Malven Stevenson.

SUNDAY
Dot Casey directed.
1. Frances, Malven Stevenson.
2. Bessie Collins, Jane Hinton.

TUESDAY
Dot Casey directed.
1. Frances Stevenson, Malven Stevenson.
2. TIE: Dot Casey, Jane Hinton and Charlie Blakey, Dora Blakey.

About 1,500 Cuban exiles launched the disastrous Bay of Pigs invasion of Cuba on April 17,

Community Calendar

MONDAY

Patchwork Squares Homemakers Club; 2006 37th St.; 9:30 a.m.

Retired Teachers; Senior Citizens Center; noon.

Canyon Reef 4-H Club; Senior Citizens Center; 7 p.m.

Open duplicate bridge; Colorado City bridge room; 7 p.m.

Ladies Auxiliary of VFW; VFW Hall; 7:30 p.m.

Overeaters Anonymous; Morning Side Baptist Church fellowship hall; 7:30 p.m. For information call: JoAnn at 573-9839; Dorothy at 573-6712; Anne at 573-8322; or Shirley at 573-8881.

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 863-2348, 573-8626, 573-9924 or 863-2349.

TUESDAY

Ladies Golf Association; Snyder Country Club; 9 a.m. tee time.

Sparklers Chamber of Commerce Volunteers; The Shack; noon.

Scurry County Chapter of American Heart Association; The Shack; noon.

20th Century Study Club; Mrs. Bernhard Bartels, hostess; 3 p.m.

Alpha Study Club; MAWC; "Celebrating the Holidays With Music," program; 3 p.m.

Weight Watchers; First Assembly of God; 5:30 p.m.

Parenting Support Group; 2513 College Ave.; for more information, call Snyder Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse at 573-1141.

Hobbs Co-Dependent 12-Step group; Hobbs school gym; call Sharon or Jimmy Prayton at 735-3640 (Rotan); 7 p.m.

ACBL Open Pairs Duplicate Bride; Snyder Country Club; 7 p.m.

TOPS TX56; 5:30 p.m. weigh-in and meeting from 6 to 7 p.m.; 2501 35th. For information, call Jean Yearwood at 573-9444.

Snyder Police Auxiliary; Snyder National Bank Community Room; 7:30 p.m.

Beta Sigma Phi; Snyder Country Club; 7:30 p.m.

Scurry Lodge 706; AF and AM degree classes; 7:30 p.m.

New Horizon Alcoholics Anonymous (closed); Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-9924, 573-5867.

Al-Anon; 8 p.m.; Park Club in Winston Park. For more information, call 573-3956, 573-2101, or 573-8626.

WEDNESDAY

Snyder Christian Women's Club Prayer Coffee; home of Nova Greenlee; 9:30 a.m.

Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-3961 or 573-8885.

THURSDAY

Rotary Club; Martha Ann Woman's Club; noon.

Advanced Duplicate Bridge; Colorado City bridge room; 1:30 p.m.

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

Deep Creek Chapter of ABWA; Golden Corral; 6:30 p.m.

Snyder Fire Dept. Auxiliary; Central Fire Station; 7 p.m.

Volleyball for singles, divorced or widowed people; multipurpose building of First Baptist Church; 7 p.m.

Tumbleweed Toastmasters meeting; American State Bank conference room; 7 p.m.

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

New Horizons Alcoholics Anonymous (closed); in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For information, call 573-3308, 573-9924 or 573-5867.

FRIDAY

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

Snyder Jaycees; noon luncheon; Golden Corral.

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

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

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

Al-Anon; 8 p.m.; Park Club in Winston Park. For more information call 573-2101, 573-8626, or 573-3956.

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous (closed); Park Cub in Winston Park; For information, call 573-8626, 863-2348 or 573-9924. (Last Friday of the month is the birthday meeting); 8 p.m.

SATURDAY

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

SUNDAY

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 10 a.m. For more information call 573-2349, 863-2348, 573-8110 or 573-6820.

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

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

Bridge

By Phillip Alder

NORTH 10-31-92
♠ K J 6 5 4 3 2
♥ 9 2
♦ 6 2
♣ 3 2

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

EAST
♠ 8
♥ Q 8 4
♦ A 7 4 3
♣ Q 10 8 7 6

SOUTH
♠ A 10
♥ K 6 5
♦ K Q 9 8
♣ A K J 5

Vulnerable: East-West
Dealer: East

South	West	North	East
			Pass
2 NT	Pass	4 ♥	Pass
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: ♣ 9

Opening the attack

By Phillip Alder

One of the facts of bridge life is that it is impossible to find the best opening lead on all hands. However, there are some guidelines that, if followed, will give you a good success rate.

What would you lead from the West hand in today's diagram? The auction has told you that South has a balanced 20-22 points and that North has game values with at least six spades.

North's transfer bid showed long spades and either just the values for game or, if he bid again, strong slam interest. With only mild slam interest, North would have used a transfer bid at the three-level and then raised to game.

The deal arose during the NEC World Team Olympiad. The "normal" lead is the diamond jack. Here that works well. East wins with the ace and — if in mid-season form — switches to a heart. Now, to make the contract, South has to take an inspired view in the trump suit. When you hold nine trumps missing the queen, the percentage play for no loser is to cash the ace and king, not to take a second-round finesse.

If West's *only* consideration is to score a trick with the spade queen, then the lead of the club nine has a lot going for it. Leading from a doubleton when one is holding Q-x-x of trumps isn't recommended, so the declarer is unlikely to read it.

Here, though, the club nine is a disastrous lead. Declarer wins trick one with the club jack, cashes two top trumps and plays off the A-K of clubs, discarding a heart from the dummy. He loses just three tricks: one spade, one heart and one diamond.

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THE WORLD ALMANAC DATE BOOK

Oct. 31, 1992

Today is HALLOWEEN. It is the 305th day of 1992 and the 40th day of fall.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1952, the first atomic fusion (thermonuclear or hydrogen) bomb was detonated in the Marshall Islands.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: John Keats (1795-1821), poet; Chiang Kai-Shek (1887-1975), Chinese statesman-soldier; Ethel Waters (1900-1977), actress-singer; Dick Francis (1920-), mystery writer, is 72; Barbara Bel Geddes (1922-), actress, is 70; Dan Rather (1931-), broadcast journalist, is 61; David Ogden Stiers (1942-), actor, is 50; John Candy (1950-), comedian, is 42; Fred McGriff (1963-), baseball player, is 29.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1925, Red Grange rushed for 363 yards as Illinois defeated Penn, 24-2.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "Works of genius are the first things in the world." — John Keats

TODAY'S WEATHER: On this day in 1984, an exceptional thunderstorm at Al Wajh (on the Red Sea coast north of Saudi Arabia) produced 4.81 inches of rain — more than its total in the previous 10 years.

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TODAY'S MOON: Between new moon (Oct. 25) and first quarter (Nov. 2).

TODAY'S BARB
BY PHIL PASTORET
Why look forward to Thanksgiving, when there's a turkey or two on television every evening?

Nov. 1, 1992

Today is the 306th day of 1992 and the 41st day of fall.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1956, Hungary, in the midst of a revolt, proclaimed its neutrality and withdrew from the Warsaw Pact.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Stephen Crane (1871-1900), novelist-short story writer-poet; Grantland Rice (1880-1954), sportswriter; Sholem Asch (1880-1957), novelist; Betsy Palmer (1929-), actress, is 63; Gary Player (1935-), golfer, is 57; Fernando Valenzuela (1960-), baseball player, is 32.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1924, Montana State freshman Forest Peters kicked 17 field goals in 22 attempts during a college football game against Billings Polytech.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "Eighteen holes of match or medal play will teach you more about your foe than will 18 years of dealing with him across a desk." — Grantland Rice, on golf.

TODAY'S WEATHER: On this day in 1966, Santa Ana winds fanned fires and brought record November heat to parts of coastal California. Monthly records set included Los Angeles Airport (101 degrees), San Diego (97 degrees) and San Francisco (86 degrees).

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TODAY'S MOON: Day before first quarter (Nov. 2).

TODAY'S BARB
BY PHIL PASTORET
Our minister says he'd trade a churchful of do-gooders for just one or two do-betters.

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Halloween trick turns out all right

SAN ANGELO, Texas (AP) — Lonesome George isn't lonesome anymore because of someone's Halloween trick.

Eldon and Daisy Wilson have used "George," a stuffed, homemade dummy at Halloween around their house for years. Each year they place him in comfortable positions around the outside of their house.

"Never the same place," Daisy Wilson said. "One year we had him on the park bench on the front porch. This year we put him in a lawn chair on the carport.

"We dress him up in a checkered shirt, jeans, shoes and gloves so that he almost looks real. A friend of mine, driving by, thought it was my husband. She honked three times before she decided he wasn't going to wave back."

But the trick was on the Wilsons Thursday morning.

"My husband came inside this morning and told me, 'You'd better go out there and see about George. Something's happened,'" Mrs. Wilson said.

Fearing the worst, Mrs. Wilson rushed outside to find a female dummy sitting next to George, with her arm wrapped around him.

"We have no idea where she came from," Mrs. Wilson said. "I've called all my friends, trying to find out, but no one will confess."

Whoever created George's companion went to quite a bit of trouble, she said.

"The face is embroidered, and she's wearing some old-fashioned high-heeled shoes, a sweater, pants and red scarf," Mrs. Wilson said. "I hope whoever left her doesn't come to get her too quickly." Wilson said.

"She's something. And Lonesome George isn't lonesome any more," she said.

Fish center hatchery site announced

AUSTIN (AP) — Athens has been selected by a private foundation as the site of a fish center and hatchery.

The $12 million facility will include the Texas Freshwater Fisheries Center and a hatchery that will produce 4 million Florida largemouth bass per year for release in state waters, officials said Thursday.

"It puts the entire East Texas area on the map as the freshwater fishing center, particularly noted for big bass," said Ed Cox. Jr., chairman of the Parks and Wildlife Foundation of Texas.

The center will house a museum, education center with aquarium exhibits, and the Fishing Hall of Fame. Officials hope to attract more than 100,000 visitors per year.

Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren © 1992 Universal Press Syndicate

Mail Carriers Brave Elements But Still Need a Helping Hand

DEAR ABBY: I am a female mail carrier in a small town. I have a small mail route with only 300 patrons. I try to give them the best service possible, but I would love a little support from them. If anyone is interested, here are a few suggestions:

1. Check your mailbox and make sure it is securely attached to its post.

2. If it is in a group of other boxes, please make sure it is even with the others. (Also, check the height of your mailbox.)

3. Cut all bushes, trees, vines and shrubs from around your mailbox. And, if you have a problem with ants, spiders, roaches or other bugs in the mailbox, keep a few mothballs in there. It really works!

4. Please keep the approach to your box clear. Don't park cars or let the children leave their toys in the area.

5. The little flag on your mailbox is to let the carrier know you have mail to be picked up. Use it only for that purpose.

6. Keep the mailbox door closed. It is very difficult to drive up to a box with the door open.

7. Please, and this is most important, don't let children run up to the mail carrier's vehicle! Be sure they wait until after the carrier leaves to go to the mailbox.

Abby, if people would get into their cars, imagine that they are the mail carrier and drive up to their boxes, I am sure most of them would be shocked at the condition their mailbox is in. Help your carrier out. Carriers work hard; some work six days a week in all kinds of weather, but they still come through.

I am sure this is too long for publication, Abby, but maybe you can condense it and say what needs to be said. Thank you for the many years of enjoyment you have given me and my family.

A MAIL LADY

DEAR MAIL LADY: Your letter was important enough to publish. You are sending a vital message. Everyone wants mail delivered in a timely fashion, and your helpful suggestions will facilitate that. Thank you for writing.

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DEAR ABBY: I am sick of hearing about the "poor addicts." What about their victims whose lives they ruined? What about the elderly who are afraid to go out alone? What about the people who have been terrorized and robbed because some addict had to support a habit he or she voluntarily chose to begin? No one forced them to take drugs — they had a choice. What kind of choice did their victims have? None!

My wife was one of those people who believed she could help a drug addict. For eight years, she stood by this animal — then one day, for all her kindness, he took a hammer and crushed her skull, leaving her to die!

I found her two hours later. She suffered massive brain damage and her entire left side is now paralyzed. So much for trying to help a drug addict. With all the available information concerning drugs, there is no excuse for anyone beginning the habit. These are people who care only for themselves.

My wife was a teacher. She worked with disadvantaged children, but her teaching career ended when she was assaulted. How sad that society lost a woman who had dedicated her life to helping others. She had even taken children into our home to care for along with her own. You may use my name.

ARTHUR M. ROCKWELL JR.,
WYNANTSKILL, N.Y.

DEAR MR. ROCKWELL: What happened to your wife was a senseless tragedy. My heart goes out to you.

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DEAR ABBY: Who changed everything when I wasn't looking? I've noticed lately that everything is farther away than it used to be. It's even twice as far to the corner — and they have added a hill!

I've given up running for the bus; it leaves earlier than it used to. It seems to me they are making the stairs steeper than in the old days, and have you noticed the smaller print the newspapers are now using? And there's no sense in asking anyone to read aloud anymore, as everyone speaks in such a low voice, I can hardly hear them.

The material in dresses is so skimpy now — especially around the waist and hips — it's almost impossible to reach one's shoelaces! Also, the sizes don't run the way they used to. The 12's and 14's are so much smaller.

Even people are changing. They are so much younger than they used to be when I was their age. On the other hand, people my own age are so much older than I am. I ran into an old classmate of mine the other day, and she had aged so much, she didn't recognize me!

I got to thinking about my poor dear friend while I was combing my hair this morning, and in so doing, I glanced at my own reflection.

Really now — they don't even make good mirrors like they used to!

ROSE LA MONICA,
PHILLIPSBURG, N.J.

DEAR ROSE: Beautiful! It's healthy to accept with good humor the fact that we can't kid Mother Nature — nor can we fool Father Time.

Over the years, I've published a variety of versions on this theme.

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DEAR ABBY: Our unmarried 23-year-old daughter had a routine physical that included a Pap test. We were shocked to learn it revealed cervical cancer. It was frightening, but Sara was treated, and her checkups since then show no recurrence.

Abby, she was fortunate! Many women do not have Pap tests, because they think they are "too young" or are not sexually active — but they do need a Pap test. If Sara had not had this test, I shudder to think what would have become of her.

Please, Abby, urge young women to have Pap tests regularly.

A KENTUCKY READER

DEAR READER: Your message is well worth space in my column. A Pap test should be a routine part of a gynecological examination. A woman's physical examination is incomplete without it.

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DEAR ABBY: We hear about how terrible teen-agers are, but I want to share what I saw this afternoon.

While looking for some greeting cards, I noticed two boys about 14 or 15 going through the "cards for all occasions." One boy asked his friend, "What kind of card are you looking for?" The friend replied, "I want to get a card for my mom."

The first boy asked, "How come? It's not Mother's Day."

"My mom is having a bad day," his friend replied, "and I want to find something to cheer her up."

Abby, I could have hugged that kid! He must have been raised by someone very special to have turned out that way.

A.L. REEVES, BRIGHTON, MICH.

DEAR A.L.: What a heartwarming scene you observed. You're right; children learn compassion and sensitivity at their mother's (or father's) knee.

* * *

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

Cleaner fuel required in 39 metro areas

WASHINGTON (AP) — Millions of American motorists will be burning cleaner gasoline this winter and breathing healthier air. The tradeoff may be slightly higher prices at the pump.

It's the first major fallout from the sweeping clean-air legislation that became law two years ago.

Beginning Sunday, service stations in 39 areas of the country, including most major cities, will be able to sell only gasoline that contains a special oxygen additive, allowing it to burn cleaner so car exhaust will put out less carbon monoxide.

"This is the first big program under the Clean Air Act to go into effect," said Dick Wilson of the Environmental Protection Agency. "It's the first thing the public will actually notice."

The new gasoline will be required in cities and metropolitan areas that have yet to meet federal health standards for carbon monoxide, a pollutant that comes largely from motor vehicles and is most severe in winter months when it takes longer to warm engines.

The new gasoline blend must be used over a four-to-seven-month period, depending on the seriousness and length of the pollution problem. The EPA estimates that the cleaner gasoline will cut automotive carbon monoxide emissions by about 20 percent.

In high concentrations, carbon monoxide can be deadly. But even when taken into the blood stream in small amounts, it can inhibit oxygen from reaching vital organs and tissues, causing dizziness, headaches and problems for elderly people with heart conditions.

Government and industry officials say no shortages are expected of the gasoline blend, which uses either ethanol or an oil-based product known as ETBE as the oxygen additive.

But the cleaner gasoline is more expensive to produce, so the price may increase 4 or 5 cents a gallon at the pump, industry representatives said.

Mel Sherbert, president of the Service Station Dealers of America and owner of two Amoco stations outside Washington, said his wholesale price already has increased 4 cents a gallon.

"I don't know if we're going to be hit by another hike," he said.

Because of slack demand this time of year and stiff competition, analysts question whether retailers will be able to pass the higher costs on to their customers.

"We really don't expect much of a price increase at all," said Geoff Sundstrom, a spokesman for the American Automobile Association, which tracks nationwide gasoline price trends each week. The nationwide average price for regular gasoline was $1.158 this week with little change reported in recent months, said AAA.

George Giek, managing director of automotive engineering for AAA, said that if the gasoline is blended properly, motorists should experience no adverse effects on engine wear, performance or startup.

Congressional pensions go up following one more term

WASHINGTON (AP) — More is at stake than power and a $133,600-a-year salary for House incumbents in next week's election. A new two-year term would boost the typical lifetime pension benefit by more than $300,000, a private watchdog group says.

On average, according to the National Taxpayers Union, an incumbent will get an extra $1,000 a month for life just by winning reelection on Tuesday. The average annual congressional pension for these members, now $48,353, would increase to $60,646 with the additional two years of service.

Over a lifetime, the average pension would be worth about $1.9 million, up from about $1.6 million now.

But that is just the average, said David Keating, executive vice president of the conservative taxpayer group, which does research on government spending. "By staying in office just two more years, as many as 18 House lawmakers could boost their lifetime pensions by over $500,000," he said.

Keating estimated that reelection could mean lifetime pensions exceeding $1 million for 186 of the 193 House members who first won election before 1984 and are seeking new terms on Tuesday. He said 68 of the number would be eligible for $2 million or more, 23 could qualify for $3 million and three would be eligible for pension payments totaling $4 million.

The calculations are based on public records, insurance industry estimates for life expectancy and the taxpayer group's projections. The figures assume annual cost-of-living increases of 4 percent.

The study covered only incumbents elected before 1984 because the congressional pension system was overhauled that year.

Members of Congress generally contribute 8 percent of pay to their pensions, but taxpayers chip in considerably more. The pensions are based on a member's three highest earning years and total years of service, including other government and military service.

The taxpayer group found:

—Rep. Nick Joe Rahall, D-W.Va., potentially has the most to gain from re-election. He is 43 years old with 16 years in Congress. If he were to retire in January, his lifetime pension would be a projected $1.9 million. By winning a new term and delaying retirement until 1995, that would almost double, to $3.7 million.

—Rep. Patricia Schroeder, D-Colo., has the fattest potential pension, $4.2 million, which would be $607,000 bigger after one more term than if she retired in January. She has served 20 years, is 52 — and, as a woman, has a life expectancy greater than her male contemporaries.

—Rep. Robert Walker, R-Pa., who is 49 and has served 16 years, would run his pension to $4.1 million.



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Rare KKK material found in farmhouse

FREMONT, Mich. (AP) — Jean Anderson sits in a rocking chair on her front porch, recalling how just two years ago she tried to give away the secrets in her attic.

"Nobody wanted them," the 83-year-old said Wednesday.

But since last week, when the auctioneers she hired to sell off her family estate found an attic full of Ku Klux Klan paraphernalia from the 1920s, Anderson's telephone hasn't stopped ringing.

Thirty-nine white Klan robes and 12 hoods were found folded neatly in 31 numbered leather cases. Some are moth-eaten and stained after decades in the old, gray farmhouse, but many are in good condition and may fetch $500 each, auctioneer Sherri Beyer said.

Also found were several photographs of a funeral showing the faces of costumed Klan members, something extremely rare for the secret organization.

The attic contained the official charter of the Newaygo County Klan No. 29 of the Invisible Empire of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, dated Sept. 9, 1925. There also were minutes of meetings, quarterly reports and membership rolls with names of some of the county's most prominent citizens — including the sheriff, judges and clergymen.

"There were no professions left out," Beyer said.

In all, about 250 Klan-related items will be sold Saturday, along with hundreds of other items from Anderson's 130-year-old farm, Beyer said.

Given the number of calls — many from historians who want the collection for libraries or museums — Beyer said she expects at least 1,000 people at the auction.

The secretive nature of the Klan is what makes such a large finding so rare, said Ken Scheffel, field representative of the Bentley Historical Library at the University of Michigan. He said there was a comparable collection at Central Michigan University in Mount Pleasant that hasn't been widely publicized to protect the privacy of those it identifies.

For similar reasons, neither Anderson nor Beyer have allowed reporters or potential bidders to see the names on their documents.

But it was no secret to Anderson that her late brother-in-law, Ledford, was secretary-treasurer of the Klan chapter and that the group stored its records in the attic of the family farmhouse.

"When they disbanded (in the early 1930s) they didn't have a place to store their stuff, so they dumped it all here," said Anderson, who married Carl Anderson in 1931 and moved into the farmhouse built by her husband's grandfather.

Her husband, who was not a Klan member, died in 1982; Ledford, a bookkeeper who worked at the family's market next door, died in 1986 at age 86.

Anderson doesn't remember any talk of Ledford's involvement in the Klan chapter, whose membership peaked at 679 in 1925, according to records found in the attic.

Until Saturday, the Klan items are being held in a vault at the Sheriff's Department.



NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY — Members of the Ira National Honor Society include the officers, seated, from left, Mike Hughes, president; Justin Box, vice president; Mauricia Rosas, secretary; and Lindsey Northcott, treasurer; and members, back row, from left, Misty Mathis, Emilee Taylor, Brandy Burleson, Lana Lindsey, Kala Gunset, Wendy Wilson, Michelle Gernandt and Lee Haddox. (SDN Staff Photo)

Applications due now for service academies

WASHINGTON D.C. — Congressman Charles W. Stenholm is currently accepting applications from young men and women who are interested in attending one of the United States Service Academies.

Eligible applicants must be at least 17, but not past their 22nd birthday, by June 30, 1993, and must have graduated from high school by that date. They must be single with no dependents and be a legal resident of the 17th District.

Competitive applicants will be in the top 20 percent of their class and have SAT scores above 500 Verbal and 550 math, or ACT scores of 24 English and 26 Math.

Involvement in extra-curricular activities, including school and community organizations and sports, as well as full or part-ime employment is also in the applicant's favor.

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Individuals who wish to attend the Air Force Academy at Colorado Spring, Colo., the military academy at West Point, N.Y, the Naval academy at Annapolis, Md., or the Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point, N.Y. and who wish to serve as a commissioned officer are strongly encouraged to contact Jayne Schoonmaker in Congressman Charles Stenholm's Stamford office.

Any individuals wishing additional information should call (915) 773-3623 or (915) 672-1322 or write to P.O. Box 1237, Stamford, Tex. 79553.

U.S. bishops say...

Wives need not submit to abusive mates

NEW YORK (AP) — The Bible doesn't justify wife-beating, and parish priests should help abused women seek assistance, the nation's Roman Catholic bishops say in their first official statement on spouse abuse.

"Violence in any form — physical, sexual, psychological or verbal — is sinful," the bishops say in "When I Call for Help: A Pastoral Response to Domestic Violence Against Women."

The joint statement of two bishops' committees was proposed in March, and approved last month by the Administrative Committee of the U.S. Catholic Conference.

Lori Beaman-Hall, a Canadian researcher studying religion and wife abuse, said the statement is "a good starting point" to challenge attitudes that the Bible sanctions abuse or that clergy should encourage abused spouses to return home.

"Churches to some extent are very materially supportive, but when it comes to actually sending people to transition houses, they are still not very supportive," the University of New Brunswick researcher said Thursday.

The bishops warned church leaders about biblical passages encouraging wives to be submissive to their husbands, saying they have been taken out of context to justify spouse abuse.

"Abused women say, 'I can't leave this relationship. The Bible says it would be wrong.' Abusive men say, 'The Bible says my wife should be submissive to me.' They take the biblical text and distort it to support their right to batter," the bishops said.

The statement makes clear that violence against women is never justified, and that the parish must be a place where both abused women and men who batter can come for help.

It encourages parish churches to dedicate a weekend to educate parishioners about domestic violence, and to build relationships with police and domestic violence agencies to help abused women seeking assistance.

To further reduce domestic violence, the bishops encourage parishes to work to see that women are well represented in parish leadership positions and to insist that religious education is free of sexual stereotyping.

"Battering thrives on sexism," the statement said.

The statement by the bishops' Committees on Marriage and Family and Women in Society and in the Church was drafted relatively quickly and quietly, in contrast to a controversial pastoral letter on women that the bishops have worked on for nine years, which may be headed for defeat this fall.

The statement was never discussed in an open meeting of the full complement of bishops, as was the unapproved letter, which backs sexual equality but stops short of calling for women priests.

"We wanted to get something out quickly," said Sheila Garcia of the Secretariat for Family, Laity, Women and Youth. "It's been a hidden problem for a long time."

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Jury recommends award in lawsuit

MIDLAND, Texas (AP) — A federal jury has recommended that an Odessa woman be awarded $126,500 for her claim that she was wrongly fired from her hospital job because of her age.

The Midland jury found Thursday that Medical Center Hospital and its administrator discriminated against Claudette Keck, 54. She claimed she was fired as director of human resources in 1990 by hospital administrator J. Michael Stephans because of her age and gender.

U.S. District Judge Lucius Bunton has the authority to double the award because jurors found that the termination was willful.

"Age discrimination is a subtle thing," said attorney Gerald Fugit in his closing argument. "Nobody gets a memo and says 'we've got to get rid of this lady.'"

Fugit asked the four-man, two-woman jury to award Keck more than $760,000 in back and future pay and retirement benefits.

During the two-day trial, MCH attorney Richard Bonner showed that the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission determined Keck's allegations had no merit.

Ms. Keck acknowledged during the two-day trial that she did do some of the things which Stephans cited as reasons for her termination.

Several incidents involving Ms. Keck, a 10-year employee who was being paid $47,500 per year, led to the termination, Stephans testified.

The last incident came when Ms. Keck passed along some information to Stephans about another hospital employee being "crazy." But Stephans learned that the woman whom Ms. Keck supposedly received that information from denied ever talking to Ms. Keck. As he was preparing to fire the woman, she asked to resign, he testified.

Stephans also told jurors that his decision to fire Keck had nothing to do with the woman's age or gender.

No more perks

AUSTIN (AP) — There's no such thing as a free ride for state legislators while in Austin. In fact, there's no more free anything.

The Austin City Council on Thursday ratified the Legislature's ethics bill, passed in the final minutes of their 1991 session, ending traditional freebies for legislators in Austin.

Among the items the lawmakers will need to start shelling out for are parking fees, greens fees at municipal golf courses and public usage fees for city recreational centers.

"Those privileges were granted to further develop the relationship between the city and the Legislature," Mayor Bruce Todd said. "But I know they'd want to remain in compliance with their own law."



STUDENT COUNCIL — Members of the Ira Student Council include officers, seated, from left, Amanda Davis, president; Kristi Sorrells, vice-president; Misty Mathis, secretary; Susan Shoults, treasurer; and members, from left, standing, Billy Mebane, Xandy Hudson, Kasey Calley, Adam Davis, Misty Chance and Jeremy Howard. (SDN Staff Photo)

New anti-Castro law produces euphoria

WASHINGTON (AP) — The mood was exultant a week ago when President Bush, in the company of a thousand or so high rollers in Miami, signed legislation to make the economic noose around Fidel Castro's neck a bit more snug.

"Democracy, Mr. Castro. Not sometime, not someday, but now," Bush intoned.

Hours earlier, the Cuban government had issued a statement asserting that the legislation was the product of "obsessive and vengeful" politicians trying to starve Cuba into submission. A number of government-sponsored demonstrations protesting the legislation also have been held in Cuba.

Few names are more recognizable on the island these days than that of Robert Torricelli, the New Jersey Democrat who crafted the legislation with the enthusiastic collaboration of the anti-communist Cuban-American National Foundation in Miami.

But just how much impact the law will have is a matter of debate. Will it be the final nail in communism's coffin in Cuba? Will it play into Castro's hands? Is it much ado about not very much? All three viewpoints have their advocates.

Torricelli's legislation prevents American subsidiaries operating abroad from doing business with Cuba and bars ships that visit Cuba from docking at U.S. ports for six months.

On the other hand, the measure permits the export of telecommunications hardware to Cuba that will permit the island to upgrade its antiquated telephone system. The goal is to facilitate telephone contact between the two countries.

Torricelli believes the legislation presents Castro "with a dearth of resources and a flood of ideas," a combination the lawmaker hopes will lead to the unraveling of the revolution.

Some in the administration believe that Torricelli and his Miami allies are overselling the impact of the legislation. If U.S. subsidiaries are no longer free to sell to Cuba, Castro can take his business elsewhere, officials note.

Some ships might be deterred from going to Cuba if they can't call at an American port as well, but officials acknowledge that enforcement of this provision will be extraordinarily difficult. There are no plans by the administration to track the movement of foreign vessels to ensure compliance.

As for the sale of telecommunications equipment to Cuba, the Treasury Department is expected to bar some items to prevent Castro from using them to enhance his military communications.

Some of the fiercest opposition to the measure comes from Castro's most dedicated opponents in the United States.

Ernesto Betancourt, a former director of Radio Marti, the Voice of America station beamed at Cuba, says the legislation won't achieve its objective of forcing Castro from power.

"What it does is provide support for Castro's argument to the Cuban people that we are to blame for the hardships they are enduring, rather than his disastrous tropical brew of Marxism-Leninism," Betancourt says.

Ramon Cernuda, a Miami businessman who favors a less pugnacious U.S. policy toward Cuba, says the legislation is an attempt "to starve my people to death."

If nothing else, the legislation proves the clout of the foundation, a high-energy operation that has been able to get the attention of Torricelli and other legislators with generous campaign contributions.

During the Reagan administration, Torricelli was wary about U.S. anti-communist crusades in Latin America but has been downright hawkish since he started doing business with the foundation and its chairman, Jorge Mas Canosa.

Mas Canosa was on hand Friday for the all-Republican ceremony in Miami with Bush but the Cuban millionaire demonstrated once again a few days later his skill at playing both sides of the political street.

In Tampa last Tuesday, Mas Canosa left some Republicans aghast when he and other exiles met with Bill Clinton, who has endorsed the Torricelli legislation, saying, "I believe in it."

Mas Canosa pronounced himself "pleased and satisfied" with Clinton's strong stand in support of a "free and democratic Cuba."

Utility tries to figure out what to do with old potties

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — El Paso Water Utilities officials are trying to figure out what to do with the remains of nearly 2,400 water-wasting toilets they collected from city residents in a program designed to conserve water in the West Texas city.

The toilets are now a pile of crushed ceramic that is about six feet wide, 20 yards long and waist-high.

The utility obtained the toilets in a water-saving recycling program still in effect. Residents can get a rebate of up to $100 for replacing water-wasting toilets with low-flush toilets that use 1.6 gallons or less per flush.

The crushed ceramic material was supposed to be given to one of two crushing operations in town to be used as road base.

But officials determined that because they are buying the toilets, they are municipal property and state law prevents municipal property from being given away.

"When I checked, our counsel indicated it is our property and I can't (give it away)," utility purchasing agent Bill Bostick said Thursday. "This was after we had already started collecting (the toilets)."

Bids went out for the useless former fixtures, but nobody bid on the asking price of 10 cents per receptacle.

"I don't know what other possible uses there are, unless someone wanted to be creative," John Sutton, water conservation manager for the utility, told The El Paso Times.

Officials say that the collection of the 2,398 toilets from 1,300 households since mid-September could save about 21.7 million gallons of water each year.

Although Sutton isn't sure what will become of the crushed ceramic material, two options have been ruled out.

"They're not going to be put back in use as toilets and they're not going to be put into a landfill," Sutton said.

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Action in District Court

In the marriage of June Alice Thomas and John Hilliard Thomas, divorce granted.

In the marriage of Vera Farr Foree and David Marvin Foree, divorce granted.

In the marriage of Keith Nicholas Karr and Shellie Lynn Carr, divorce granted.

In the marriage of Karen Ray Chandler and David Carrol Chandler, divorce granted.

In the marriage of Kelly Lisa Williams and David Leon Williams, divorce granted.

In the marriage of Mickel Lynn Davis and Carla Gayle Davis, divorce granted.

Mortgage Guaranty Insurance Corporation vs. Sarah L. Carne, judgment for plaintiff.

Wisconson Mortgage Assurance Corporation vs. Mark Alan Worden, judgment for plaintiff.

Warranty Deeds

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Economics reportedly religious issue

NEW YORK (AP) — A survey finds most Americans feel a presidential candidate's approach to the economy is more important than his religious views, but the distinction may not be what it seems.

Religious leaders regularly insist that religious teachings are directly relevant to economics, a point that was emphasized in the survey's findings.

"Economics are profoundly a religious issue," said the Rev. Tex Sample, a United Methodist of St. Paul's School of Theology in Kansas City, Mo. "My faith teaches me to pray for daily bread," he said.

Rabbi David Saperstein of Washington, co-director of the Religion Action Center of Reform Judaism, said economics pose the "moral test of what is done to the least of us" — the deprived, hungry and homeless.

"Where we put our resources tells what kind of nation we are morally," said Barbara Reynolds, a Pentecostal and columnist for USA Today.

The comments came from a panel of religious experts recently in a telecast on VISN, the Vision Interfaith Satellite Network, on the role of religion in the presidential race.

The intermixture of religion and politics surfaced in other findings of the survey, which was sponsored by the network in association with Religious News Service.

Sixty-nine percent said they could not vote for a presidential candidate who didn't believe in God. Only 28 percent said they could and the rest weren't sure.

Of those considering belief a prerequisite, 38 percent favored President Bush, while 36 percent favored Arkansas Gov. Bill Clinton. But among those not insisting on belief, Clinton led 57 percent to 18 percent.

Although the Constitution forbids any test for public office, church historian Martin Marty of the University of Chicago said that "in America's heart there seems to be some of that" — insistence on belief.

The Rev. James Wall, editor of the ecumenical weekly, Christian Century, agreed. "Given the nature of the country's spiritual concerns, people don't want to elect someone without spiritual values," he said.

Bush, a Republican, is an active Episcopalian. Clinton, a Democrat, is a Southern Baptist, while independent Ross Perot is Presbyterian.

The survey of 718 registered voters, made by the opinion research firm of Blum & Weprim, with an error margin of 4 percentage points, found that 74 percent put the economy ahead of religion in determining how they would vote.

Only 10 percent put religion first. Yet a majority — 51 percent — said it was important for the candidate to support prayer in public schools. Only 10 percent disagreed, while 37 percent said it was not an issue.

On abortion, 17 percent said they wouldn't vote for Bush because of his anti-abortion stance. Twelve percent said they wouldn't vote for Clinton because of his pro-choice stand. Sixty percent said their votes would not be affected by the issue and the remainder were unsure.

The survey taken Oct. 8-9, gave Clinton an overall 11 percent lead over Bush.

While Bush has particularly courted conservative evangelicals (those who believe the Bible word-for-word), they were found almost evenly divided between Bush, 36 percent, and Clinton, 37 percent.

The survey also found voters almost evenly split on which candidate would do most to support family values — 38 percent said Clinton, while 35 percent said Bush. Six percent named Perot.

Police defend name-taking in parks in Dallas gay areas

DALLAS (AP) — Gay leaders and civil rights advocates say police officers have no right to collect information cards on park visitors in a predominantly gay area if the people aren't considered crime suspects or witnesses.

"That, in my opinion, is poor police practice and a violation of individual liberties," said Joe Cook, the northern regional director of the American Civil Liberties Union of Texas.

"They should not be keeping a list of those people. Unless the people witness a crime that has been committed, their names should not be there," he said.

For two months, Dallas police have been collecting the information cards. Deputy Chief John Chappelle said Thursday that the practice was used during an undercover operation intended to stem robberies and public sex in three Oak Lawn parks.

The cards listed the names, addresses and other information, and were supposed to be used to collect potential witnesses to a rash of muggings in Reverchon, Lee and Dean parks, police said.

"It feels more like gay-baiting to me, given the fact that they also put quite a bit of staff in position to arrest people for public lewdness," said Deb Elder, president of the Dallas Gay and Lesbian Alliance.

The cards reportedly have been filed away and have not been used in any investigation. Chappelle said he doesn't know how many cards were filed and said they have not been misused.

"The only people we told that they could use the cards were individual robbery detectives," he said.

Cook said that collecting such information violates people's civil rights.

Many people may not know it is within their rights to refuse to give officers their names, he said.

Gay leaders have criticized the undercover operation, which police dubbed Operation Safe Parks. The leaders say they suspect that plainclothes officers have tried to entice people into breaking the law instead of preventing violent crime. Police deny such allegations.

Ms. Elder and former alliance president Bruce Monroe learned of the information cards when meeting with Chappelle late Wednesday to discuss concerns over the undercover operation.

When Operation Safe Parks ends soon, Chappelle said, the cards will be shredded. Officers have not filed any new cards recently, he said.

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CIA 'old boys' observe George's trial

WASHINGTON (AP) — The old boys of The Agency, the retired case officers and station chiefs who could spin thrilling tales of espionage, come every day to the Iran-Contra trial of former CIA spy chief Clair George.

They could tell tales, but most of them won't. Not these veterans of the Cold War, the jungles of Africa and Asia and the intrigue of the Middle East.

"It's a very close group of people who shared a lot of troubled and good times," said Dick Stolz, who must have sensational tales from service in the former Soviet Union, Bulgaria, Turkey, Yugoslavia, Italy and Germany.

"Sorry," he replied, when the subject got around to his life in the agency. "I just got back from a trip. I can't focus on that right now."

They look like distinguished retired bureaucrats in their conservative suits and neatly combed gray hair. They watch the proceedings on wooden court pews with a reserve that must have pulled them through many close scrapes.

But inside, they say, they are seething with indignation that Independent Counsel Lawrence E. Walsh brought criminal charges against George, the retired CIA deputy director of operations. A first trial ended in a hung jury last summer. The old spies sat through that one, too.

George has pleaded innocent to charges that he lied to Congress and a grand jury about his knowledge of key players in the Iran-Contra affair: the U.S. arms sales to Iran and the military resupply of the Nicaraguan Contras when the U.S. government was barred from sending lethal aid. Both operations were coordinated by former White House aide Oliver L. North.

"An effort to break down the organization brings people together," said Jim Potts, a 30-year agency veteran of the Middle East, Europe and Africa who takes copious notes of the testimony.

Potts becomes much less talkative when asked what he did for the agency.

"An active operation may be over, but I don't think the security should be breached," he said.

Al, who wouldn't give his last name but has 29 years with the agency, put it this way: "Everybody's on a need-to-know basis. Your lips are sealed forever on certain things. I can tell people I was there at the agency, but I can't talk about anything. I never did, and I never will, not even to my wife."

The retirees are doing more than just showing the flag for George and at least two others involved in Walsh's investigation. They've started a legal defense fund that has collected about $330,000 from some 2,500 contributors, said John Waller, one of the trustees.

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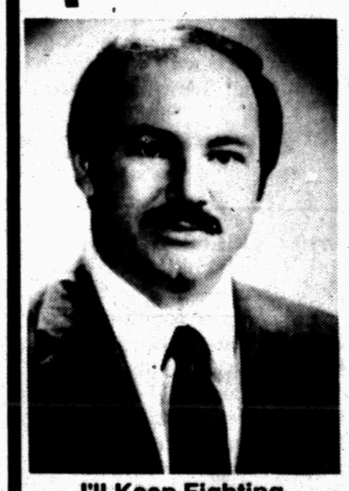
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I want to keep working as your Senator. I ask for your vote, your support, and your prayers in this effort. Together, we can build a brighter future for all Texans.

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Vote Tuesday...

Tuesday is election day, and there has been talk about wasting votes and the importance of votes. A vote is never wasted, it always means something.

Voting is a right, and it can only be thrown away by not using it. If some of the debates and dialogue has turned you off all the candidates, and you're considering not voting, you might review these facts:

--In 1645, one vote gave Oliver Cromwell control of England.

--In 1649, one vote caused Charles I of England to be executed.

--In 1776, one vote gave America the English language instead of German.

--In 1845, one vote brought Texas into the Union.

--In 1865, one vote saved President Andrew Jackson from being removed from office.

--In 1875, one vote changed France from a monarchy to a republic.

--In 1876, one vote gave Rutherford B. Hayes the presidency of the United States.

--In 1923, one vote gave Adolph Hitler leadership of the Nazi Party.

--In 1941, one vote saved Selective Service — just weeks before Pearl Harbor was attacked.

Your vote is important!

Editorial Roundup

Houston Chronicle on Perot

Ross Perot has overstepped the bounds of responsible behavior for a candidate for president. Perot's charges of a Republican conspiracy of "dirty tricks" to disrupt his daughter Carolyn's wedding last August, to create an altered photograph of her to circulate in the nation's tabloid newspapers and to wiretap his Dallas offices, are bizarre.

Perot admits that he is unable to substantiate the allegations, which he says he began to give credence after hearing them from three sources. And yet, the Dallas billionaire is more than willing to circulate what amount to rumors in order to smear an opponent in the closing days of a hard-fought election campaign....

The kindest thing that can be said about this entire episode is that it appears to be totally off the wall....

If there is any benefit in this late-October vignette, it may be in further confirming that Perot is unfit to be president. A president must have the presence of mind to separate truth from fantasy and to act quickly and decisively when necessary. This episode reveals Perot as conspiracy-minded, thin-skinned and unpredictable. Those are not reassuring qualities in a man who is asking to be considered for president.

Pecos Enterprise on term limits:

There is something very important that is not on the ballot in this year's general election, at least not in Texas. It is in 15 other states.

What is missing is a constitutional amendment limiting terms for those elected to serve in various offices in Texas, all the way from local offices such as city council, school board, county commission to state offices including judgeships and congressmen and senators from Texas.

This is an idea whose time has come. We encourage state legislators attending the upcoming legislative session in Austin to put that on the ballot for the next general election.

Valley Morning Star on waste:

If Bill Clinton is elected president, he will ask certain Americans to dig a little deeper into their pocketbooks to help the federal government pay its bills. But rather than sock wealthy Americans with higher income tax rates, as Clinton has promised to do, the next president would do better to mount a serious attack on government waste. ...

The next man to sit in the White House should commit himself to rooting out fraud and waste .... By recovering a half-billion dollars here and there from wasteful programs ... the federal government just might be able to balance its books.

S.A. Light on disgruntled voters:

The most important message to emerge from this election year comes from the candidate least likely to win.

Ross Perot's campaign, whatever one thinks of Perot and his off-again, on-again candidacy, is enticing the prodigal voter back to the electoral fold. Elected officials and party leaders must court the missions of disenfranchised voters tapped by Perot's candidacy. ....

Perot's candidacy, voter registration drives and early voting promotions by the parties and election administrators have doubled advance balloting in San Antonio, Fort Worth and Houston in the first week of early voting.

But without some determined action by the two major political parties, the prodigal voters could easily slip away again, this time to form a solid third party.

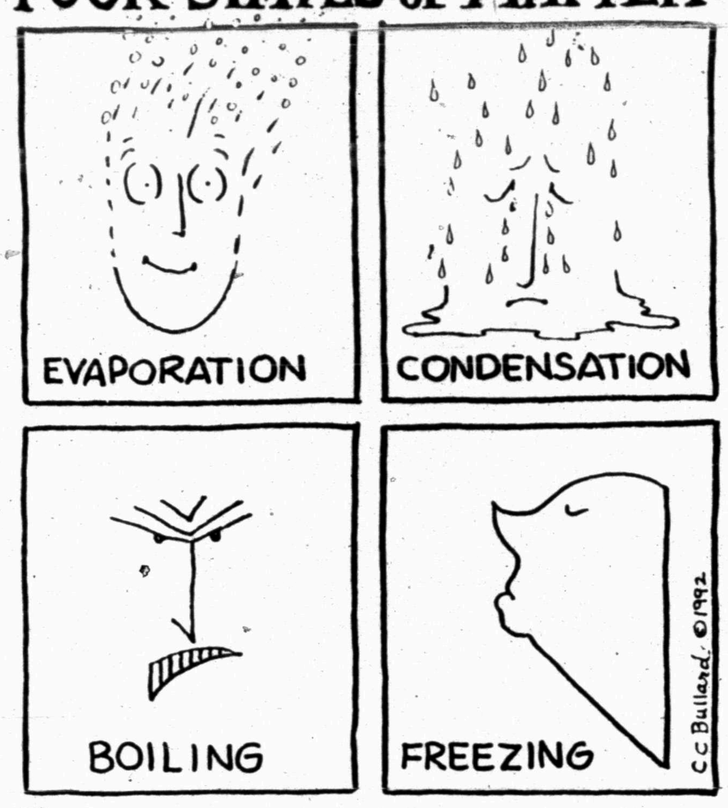
Express-News on Libertarians:

.... Why didn't the bipartisan commission on presidential debates let (Libertarian presidential candidate Andre) Marrou join the other three major candidates on stage for all Americans to see? ...

To some degree, that splinter-group status is what kept Marrou out of the debates, even though both parties have been happy to borrow Libertarian ideas — such as school choice in its various incarnations — just as mainstream parties once fed off Populist and Progressive parties platforms.

Yet, unlike the Libertarians, Populists and Progressives commanded more widespread support and serious consideration because their platforms called for positive government action to give individual citizens more control over their individual destinies and to help endow their collective lives with a greater sense of community and common purpose.

That doesn't justify excluding Marrou from the debates, but it helps to explain why there has not been a great and popular uproar over his being left out.



Country Life

By Deanie Francis Mills

This is a letter of apology to my mother and daddy. Granted, Daddy is gone now, but Mother will understand. I must say, apologies to parents don't come too easily to us boomers. Rebellion was our calling card, right? We were supposed to fight anything the Establishment said, as a matter of principle.

I wasn't too bad, as rebels go. In fact, I was hopelessly conservative; my friends will tell you I'm more liberal now than I ever was as a member of the "Never Trust anyone over 30" generation.

But there was one thing my parents told me that I really hated, and that was, "Find a good man to take care of you."

What a crock it was, I thought, to tell your daughters to find a good man to take care of them — look how many get abandoned or beaten or neglected by their husbands, and what if this good man should drop dead at the age of 45, like my own daddy did? What do you do then if you've never learned how to take care of yourself?

Actually, we were both right. It's a good thing for a woman to know how to take care of herself; to educate herself and know how to support herself; to have a credit rating of her own; to understand the family finances and maintain a joint power over those finances; to share in the decision-making processes of marriage; and to hold equal respect in the eyes of the children. (None of this, "Just wait 'til your father comes home," business.)

But, concerning what my parents were trying to say, well, I think I missed the point. And I'm writing this letter, not just to the parents out there who are nodding sagely, but to their grown-up sons, because it seems that, while parents are swell at telling their daughters to find good men to take care of them, and to take care of their families as well; it seems that, somewhere along the line, a lot of men are not being taught by their parents what it means to take care of someone. It's so much more than just bringing home a paycheck, and it took years of sharing husband stories over coffee or lunch or a beer for me to fully realize that.

Friends gape, for example, when I confess that our phone bill runs over $300 most months. This is because my husband normally travels a great deal, and he calls home ever single night, talking to each one of us at length, checking to see how our days went, as we do his. Some husbands, I've learned, don't bother to call at all, or they call once to leave a number and may not call again for a week or two. On the other hand, I know of one husband whose job takes him overseas, but he calls home once every week for a full thirty-minute conservation — or more if there's a problem they need help with. He's taking care of his family, you see, even if he can't be there with them.

My husband also calls if he thinks he's going to be a great deal late; sometimes from a phone booth on the road. Some husbands, I've been told, never give their wives any idea when they may be expected. Sometimes they show up for dinner and sometimes they don't, which makes it very difficult to establish any sort of family routine.

And although I'm a big enough girl to take care of my own automobile, my husband used to fret and fret over that old clunker of ours, because he wanted to make sure I knew someone to call if I got into a jam. He was taking care of us.

There are all sorts of little ways I get taken care of around here. I'll awaken with pain raging through my arms and shoulders, and I'll discover that something heavy has been moved out of my way without my having to ask. I'll be racing out the door, hair flying, leaving on some business trip or other, and I'll hear, "Did you pack a jacket?" I'll be dragging around on a down day, and the phone will ring around lunch time, and I'll hear, "I just wanted to check and make sure you were all right."

The thing is, I knew when I got married that this was a totally unromantic guy. There would be, I knew, few flowers, candles, or love notes. Like most young people, I didn't realize that there's so much more to being taken care of that hasn't got anything to do with romance, and everything to do with love.

Because every time my husband does some little thing, like call home just to say, "Do you need me to bring home milk?" ... Or make himself a sandwich with good cheer because he knows I'm working too hard, or am too tired, to cook ... Or fold a load of laundry while he's watching the football game ... Or hang around the office three hours after everyone else went home in order to pick up a kid from play practice — to save me having to make the 20-mile trip ... Every time my husband does one of a thousand little things to take care of me; he's telling me that he loves me, and the message gets through loud and clear.

So, Mother, you were right. Only, in deference to the nineties, I think I'll tell my own son and my daughter this: "When you find the right person, never stop taking care of each other."

Letters

Dear Editor:

I am a concerned Christian.

I believe it's time we take a stand for our Lord and our rights. Please read Mark 8:38. If we don't do something, things can only get worse.

There is talk of (In God We Trust) being taken off our money. Not only has prayer been abolished from our schools but I learned that the directors of the Senior Citizen Centers are not allowed to take part in prayers at meal time.

The Bible version of creation has been replaced with garbage in our textbooks.

Folks! The writing is on the wall, because the laws of church & state, I can not mention the church's name, but they stand behind me on this. I am starting a petition to be signed by all who want to. It will state: We as Christians want our rights restored, we want prayer back in schools and their functions and anywhere else, and we want the Bible's version of creation in our textbooks.

I need volunteers from all churches in Snyder to help. I am writing letters to the editors in newspapers throughout Texas, and asking Christians in their cities to start petitions.

I need Snyder business men and women who will allow petitions to be left in their place of business for people to sign. If we bombard the president with petitions, it might make a difference, after all it just took one woman to have our rights abolished. If you will help please call me, 573-8520.

Shirley Davis
Snyder

Dear Editor:

Four years ago George Bush asked us to read his lips. Two years later, when he broke his pledge he invited us to read his lips as he jogged away from the issue. What part of his anatomy is he going to ask us to read next?

Trickle down economics has been, for the middle class, like getting a chamber pot emptied on our heads. We are forced to carry a heavier tax burden while reaping none of the benefits. The President doesn't seem to be able to propose an economic policy that has no new scheme to benefit the wealthy.

In 1988, George Bush promised 15 million new jobs in 4 years. He fell 14 million short. He blames this shortfall on the global economic recession. Twelve years ago when the Republicans took office the per capita average annual income of the United States was the highest of any country in the world, today it is thirteenth. We have been passed by Germany, Japan, etc. The same countries involved in the global economic recession.

What we have here is a failed president with failed policies, policies he would like to inflict on us for four more years. He is once again running a fear and smear campaign, but we won't be fooled, we can't afford it. The time has come for us to read his lips, as we send him walking slowly into retirement.

Shaun Terrell

Pd. Pol. Adv. paid for by Shaun Terrell, Scurry Coordinator for Clinton Gore, Rt. 2, Box 259, Snyder, TX 79549.

Dear Editor:

In a few days we will be able to exercise a right that carries an enormous amount of responsibility. The right to vote. I am not writing to persuade someone to cast that vote for any one party or candidate. I am writing to encourage everyone to make the effort to vote.

This right was fought for, and many times died for, by our ancestors, friends and family. Some fought physically, with guns and blood and the loss of those they loved. Others fought with the pen writing out our basic laws and guidelines for a nation that has withstood the test of time. They have laid at our feet the best of the best, America. We must ensure that these sacrifices were not in vain.

There are many things wrong with our system now. The system itself doesn't so much need an overhaul. Those that use the system for themselves, not the people, need replacing. When employees do not perform their duty, and they do work for us, you fire them. You don't let them continue, give themselves raises, exempt themselves from the very laws they pass, retire under a retirement plan that we can not possibly afford for ourselves, and still draw social security when many of our senior citizens live day to day. We must do that now, at every level of government, but we must be very careful! The stroke of a pen has a powerful impact. We must be sure that what we get in return is not worse than we had to start with.

This election may have the largest turnout in some time. I hope this is true. I have listened to many people complain that things are not as they should be, but they do not vote. Why? Most every ballot, every decision, is made by a minority of registered voters. This is not a true reflection of what the public wants. It is a reflection of those that take the time to vote. If the majority of our community and nation were to turn out and exercise our right that has been paid for, literally, in blood, sweat and tears, can you imagine how our lives would be now?

I urge every citizen, no matter what party or affiliation, to vote election day. Go early, late, take off work! It is your right to have the opportunity to vote and your responsibility to do so. Your employer will work with you. Make the effort and let the halls of government rock with our response. We must all live with the results.

Sincerely yours
Bob Hanks
Snyder

Look Back

By JoAnn Nunley

5 YEARS AGO

Bandy Rollins, Stanfield first grader, placed first in the local fire prevention contest sponsored by the Snyder Fire Department Auxiliary.

Municipal Court Judge Tommie J. Mills announced plans to begin a monthly session of "night court" for individuals facing misdemeanor charges, including traffic fines, in his court.

The Cogdell Memorial Hospital board of managers voted unanimously to accept the offer from St. Mary of the Plains Hospital officials in Lubbock to act as management consultants for the facility.

10 YEARS AGO

Vern Beasley, Leona Wiggins, Dorothy Dortch and Vivian Cochran attended the national convention for American Business Women's Association.

Snyder High School band earned a first division rating for the 29th consecutive year. Drum majors were Randy Martin and Linda Walker.

Curtis Tate of Hermleigh was selected for a role in "The Crucible," an Abilene Christian University production.

15 YEARS AGO

Festus (Ken Curtis) the folksy deputy in the Gunsmoke television series appeared at the Billionth Barrel of Oil Celebration and was the headliner for the annual banquet of Texas Cowboy Artists Association held at the coliseum.

Kathleen Utsman of Colorado City, freshman, was Western Texas College's second homecoming queen. Other contestants were Stacy Hoover of Spur, Patricia Edwards of Girard, Becky Westbrook of Kermit, Frankie Ellis of Sweetwater, Linda Vann of Rotan, and Snyder girls, Barbara Brooks and Rachel Phillips.

J.M. Kayser found a young Inca dove, six inches in length. Mature birds of that species usually measure 11-13 inches. Rare sightings of the Inca dove had been reported in Big Spring and San Angelo, but it was the first one to be identified this far north.

20 YEARS AGO

Scurry County voters approved a proposal to establish a Board of County Development in a Tuesday general election. Taxpaying property owners approved the proposal by a count of 2,034 to 1,371 according to the complete, unofficial returns.

Electoral College hampers 3rd-party candidate

WASHINGTON (AP) — Ross Perot says he can win, but what he said in July remains the hard truth: The nation's Electoral College system stacks the odds mightily against any presidential candidate outside the two major parties.

Perot conceded he couldn't win an outright Electoral College victory, much less hope to emerge the victor if a three-way deadlock were left to a Congress.

He since has recanted that reasoning as his motivation for bowing out of the White House race, saying now he quit the race because of alleged GOP dirty tricks that would embarrass his daughter, Carolyn. And in the last two days, he has declared not only that he can win the campaign outright, but do so in all 50 states.

But he's trailing in all national and state polls, and the electoral system poses obstacles as well.

Voters don't elect the president. Instead, they choose the electors who do — one for every House member and senator in each state, plus three for the District of Columbia, or 538 in all. If a majority — 270 — go for one candidate, he's elected.

If not, the contest is thrown to the House of Representatives, where each state gets a single vote, and the president is selected from the top three finishers in the Electoral College. In that case, the edge goes to the candidate whose party controls Congress. And a candidate without a congressional party base has no edge at all.

Moreover, the non-aligned candidate has no guarantee that his own slate of electors will vote for him, regardless of the popular vote that qualified them to participate in the Electoral College balloting.

Some Perot electors are already bailing out.

"I'm not for him any longer," said New Jersey Perot elector Candice Brearly.

Electors are chosen from lists of individuals submitted by the political parties or independent candidates. These people are chosen at state party conventions or are designated by independent candidates.

The exceptions are Maine and Nebraska, which select two electors by statewide popular vote and the remainder by the popular vote in each congressional district.

On Election Day, voters choose electors by casting ballots for president and vice president. Don't expect the ballot to tell who these electors are; many states refer to them as "Electors for ..." rather than listing them by name.

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Three-month birth control shot nears

WASHINGTON (AP) — Women who choose to use the newly approved birth-control drug Depo Provera will have an injection only once every three months, but the Food and Drug Administration says there can be serious side effects.

The FDA on Thursday approved the use of the drug as a contraceptive, but warned that side effects can include weight gain and menstrual irregularities. It also said the drug, expected to be available in January, can leave women tired, weak, dizzy and nervous and can cause headaches and abdominal pain.

Despite the possible problems, the Planned Parenthood Federation of American praised the government action.

"We're really delighted that it got FDA approval as a contraceptive," said Dr. Michael Policar, Planned Parenthood's vice president of medical affairs. "We've been wanting to use Depo Provera in Planned Parenthood affiliates for years."

Policar said the organization was ready to start using it as soon as it's available. He estimated it will cost $25 per injection.

The manufacturer, Upjohn Co., said that although the drug already is available for cancer treatment, the birth control version is a different formulation. The company plans a formal launching of that version in January.

About one-quarter of the women of childbearing age in the United States use birth control pills that must be taken every day.

The FDA's decision followed the unanimous recommendation last June by an outside panel of scientists that the drug be allowed as a contraceptive. It already is used for that purpose in 90 countries.

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11-3		Election Day	
11-4	9:30-3:30	Small Business Development Center	Chamber Board Room
11-5	10:00 a.m.	Scurry County Ministerial Alliance	Willow Park Inn
11-5	10:00 a.m.	Tourism	Chamber Board Room
11-6	7:30 p.m.	Snyder vs Frenship	Frenship
11-9	4:00 p.m.	Chamber Board Meeting	Chamber Board Room
11-10		Snyder High vs Sweetwater	Coliseum
11-13	12:00 noon	Goldcoat Luncheon	
11-18	9:30-3:30	Small Business Development Center	Chamber Board Room
11-18	12:00 noon	BCD Meeting	
11-26		THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY	
11-26-27	All Day	Chamber Office Closed in Observance of Thanksgiving	

The Board of County Development and The Chamber of Commerce would like to take this opportunity to thank all those involved with the TDCJ Appreciation Day. Once again it was a success and we could not have done it without the help of the Gold Coats and the Economic Development Committee.

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Scurry County Fair

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CENTURY II LEADERSHIP

A class is now forming for the 1993 Century II Leadership Scurry County. This class is aimed at developing and maintaining a pool of well informed and well motivated men and women qualified to assume present and future leadership roles in Scurry County. The program seeks to develop community knowledge on local economy, local government, quality of life in Snyder, and local health care and education. Program resources will come from citizen leaders and specialists in various fields. Applications may be obtained through the Chamber of Commerce office 2302 Avenue R, 573-3558. Tuition fee for each participant is $225 and includes all materials and program expenses.

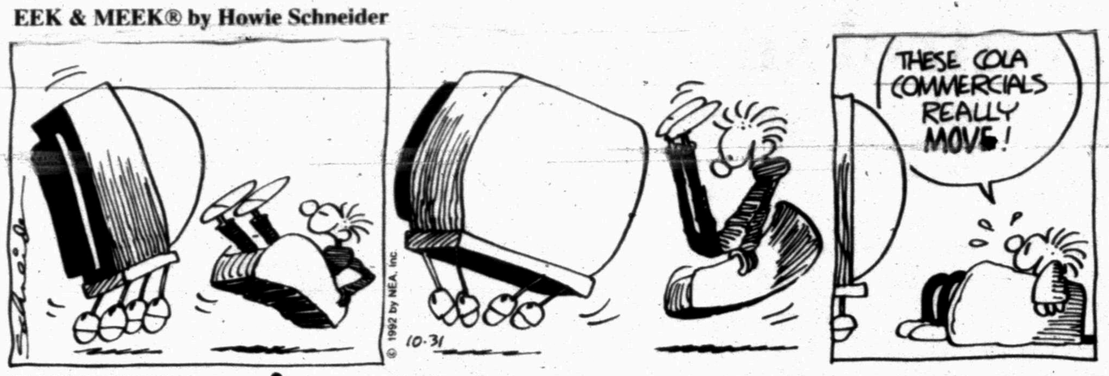
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"Alphabet soup *a-g-a-i-n*?!"

"I'M WIPED OUT! I HAVEN'T BEEN THIS GOOD SINCE LAST CHRISTMAS."

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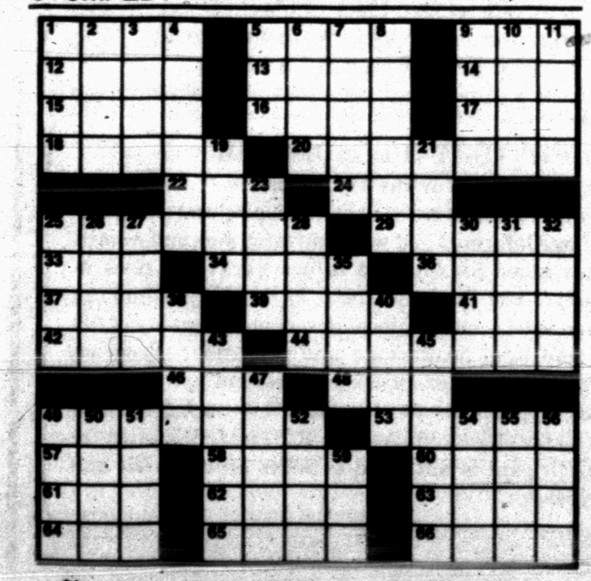
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Answer to Previous Puzzle

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Your Birthday

Nov. 1, 1992

You might reap benefits in the year ahead from several individuals with whom you have an established relationship. They will be lucky for you and you, in turn, will be lucky for them.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) You're inclined to be prophetic today. Your hunches regarding the outcome of events could be more accurate than usual. Utilize these insights constructively. Scorpio, treat yourself to a birthday gift. Send for Scorpio's Astro-Graph predictions for the year ahead by mailing $1.25 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Don't let yourself think in limited terms today. Elevate your sights and try to visualize what is the very best that could happen and begin from there.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You could be luckier than usual today, both financially and where your career is concerned. Make these your primary areas of operation, and play to win.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Endeavors you originate or manage today have a better-than-average chance for success. Be imaginative and expectant, and believe in your conceptions.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) If a friend wants to confide in you today, be an attentive listener. You might be told something beneficial that this individual wouldn't reveal to others.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Companions you share your time with today will have a strong influence over your attitude. Therefore, select individuals who are striving for something better.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Something, which at first might appear to be a sparse opportunity, is actually more substantial — if viewed from another angle. Don't restrict your perspective.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You are presently in a cycle where events and circumstances could help you enlarge your social circle. New friends could usher in new opportunities.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) It's important today that you establish meaningful objectives. Lady Luck will be working on your behalf to help produce gratifying results.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Associates will appreciate dealing with you on a one-to-one basis today; instinctively, you'll put yourself in the other guy's shoes and behave accordingly.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) It's to your advantage to put forth your best effort today, no matter how small the assignment. Even tasks that appear insignificant could produce a big yield.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) This is one of those days when you won't have to be an extrovert in order to get attention. You won't go unnoticed, regardless of the group in which you'll be involved.

Your Birthday

Nov. 2, 1992

Determination and persistence can bring you the rewards you'll be seeking in the year ahead. Don't eliminate yourself from objectives you previously thought were out of reach. They won't be in the months ahead.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) An opportunity might develop today that will enable you to change a negative situation into something rewarding — for yourself and for someone with whom you have strong emotional ties. Major changes are ahead for Scorpio in the coming year. Send for Scorpio's Astro-Graph predictions today. Mail $1.25 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Merely being active or busy won't suffice today. For true gratification, you must find productive outlets for your time and talents.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) When the final score is tallied today, you should be the one on the profit side of the ledger. However, your gains might be due more to others than to yourself.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Instead of spending time with an unfamiliar group today, pal around with long-standing friends. You'll be happiest with buddies who know and understand you.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) In critical situations today, you're likely to be the one who can be relied upon in a pinch. You have the ability to sort out complications that overwhelm others.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You're a retentive student today, and you might be able to learn an important lesson from a personal experience. File away this significant knowledge so, later, it can be used effectively.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) If bravado is required today, use it, but be sure you also use discretion. In achieving your objectives, strive to be bold without being foolhardy.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) If you have a problem today that you aren't able to resolve, seek the counsel of someone you trust. Collectively, you might be able to arrive at the proper solution.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) If you are serious about developing an additional channel for earnings, your possibilities look good at this time. However, it will be up to you to to initiate the procedure.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Earnest agreements you enter into today should prove mutually beneficial. In fact, the aspects indicate they could continue to grow stronger with time.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) You have a marvelous gift today that could enable you to bring order into other people's lives through constructive intervention. Use it where needed.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) A venture you may be involved in today could turn out to be successful, provided you are a diligent manager. Personally supervise every significant detail.

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Dr. Gott By Peter Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I suffer from excessive intestinal gas that seems to get worse each day. It doesn't matter what I eat or drink — even a simple glass of water or cup of coffee causes symptoms. What's my problem?

DEAR DR. GOTT: Some forms of poor digestion will cause intestinal gas. For example, lactose intolerance (the inability to digest milk sugar) often causes severe bloating and gas. I think you should check this out with your doctor, because testing — such as a breath test for lactose intolerance — might provide the answer you seek.

To give you more information, I am sending you a free copy of my Health Report "Digestive Gas." Other readers who would like a copy should send $1.25 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to P.O. Box 91369, Cleveland, OH 44101-3369. Be sure to mention the title.

DEAR DR. GOTT: You recently stated that aspirin can damage the stomach, yet my doctor says I should take one a day for my arteries and other conditions associated with my heart. How can one segment of our medical society say it's dangerous and the other recommend it?

DEAR READER: You've got to remember the risk/benefit ratio. I've harped about this topic before but maybe it bears repeating.

Everybody who takes aspirin regularly has some intestinal bleeding. That's right, everybody. Usually, the bleeding is inconsequential, no more than you'd lose if you nicked yourself shaving. However, large doses of aspirin (six to eight tablets a day) over long periods can lead to peptic ulcer, gastritis and significant intestinal hemorrhage.

Many doctors recommend a half to one aspirin a day for patients who have had strokes, heart attacks and other problems with blood clots. The aspirin is a mild anticoagulant and is quite safe at such a low dose. The benefits (prevention of stroke or heart attack) outweigh the risks (trivial intestinal bleeding).

On the other hand, I know patients who take several aspirin a day because they think it makes them feel less tired, perkier; they sleep better. This is a placebo effect — in the mind, not in the pill. And the risks of bleeding far outweigh the benefits, in my opinion.

So, while I did say aspirin is not innocuous and can damage the stomach, I did not say it is necessarily dangerous. When properly used, it is a useful compound.

As you can see, my statements and your doctor's approach are entirely compatible. Now get ready for a short, open-book quiz on the risk/benefit ratio.

To give you more information, I am sending you a free copy of my Health Report "Consumer Tips on Medicines." Other readers who would like a copy should send $1.25 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to P.O. Box 91369, Cleveland, OH 44101-3369. Be sure to mention the title.

An astounding number of medications can affect sexual functioning in both men and women. In men, loss of libido (interest in sex), impotence, delayed (or absent) orgasm, failure of ejaculation and priapism (continuous erection) are common consequences of psychiatric drugs and anti-hypertension medicine. Women are less often affected but can experience loss of libido, inhibition of orgasm or lack of orgasm from these, and other, medicines.

Unfortunately, many patients blame "old age" for diminishing sexual abilities, when, in truth, the problem may be a direct consequence of a prescribed drug. Because sexual functioning often improves when the offending drug is discontinued or changed, authorities recommend that patients address this issue openly with their physicians, if the physicians don't volunteer this information at the start of therapy.

Medication-induced sexual problems are now beginning to achieve widespread attention, if not notoriety. In fact, the topic was recently reviewed in The Medical Letter, a publication that is the gold standard for drugs and therapeutics. I have adapted the following partial list from the Aug. 7 issue.

DRUG	ADVERSE EFFECT
Alprazolam (Xanax)	decreased libido, delayed orgasm
Amiodarone (Cordarone)	decreased libido
Amitriptyline (Elavil)	impotence, loss of libido
Amphetamines	no orgasm (men and women)
Atenolol (Tenormin)	impotence
Chlorpromazine (Thorazine)	decreased libido, impotence
Chlorthalidone (Hygroton)	impotence, decreased libido
Cimetidine (Tagamet)	impotence, decreased libido
Clofibrate (Atromid-S)	impotence, decreased libido
Desipramine (Norpramin)	painful orgasm, decreased libido
Diazepam (Valium)	difficult erection, no orgasm in women
Digoxin (Lanoxin)	impotence, decreased libido
Disulfiram (Antabuse)	impotence
Famotidine (Pepcid)	impotence
Fluoxetine (Prozac)	no orgasm, spontaneous orgasm, decreased libido
Gemribrozil (Lopid)	impotence, loss of libido
Haloperidol (Haldol)	impotence, painful orgasm
Hydralazine (Apresoline)	impotence, priapism
Indapamide (Lozol)	impotence, decreased libido
Indomethacin (Indocin)	impotence, decreased libido
Labetalol (Trandate)	impotence, decreased libido
Leuprolide (Lupron)	impotence
Levadopa (Dopar)	increased libido
Lithium (Lithobid)	impotence, decreased libido
Lorazepam (Ativan)	loss of libido
Methyldopa (Aldomet)	impotence, decreased libido and orgasm
Metoclopramide (Reglan)	impotence, decreased libido
Metoprolol (Lopressor)	impotence
Mexiletine (Mexitil)	impotence, decreased libido
Naproxen (Naprosyn)	impotence, no ejaculation
Nifedipine (Adalat)	priapism
Omeprazole (Prilosec)	painful nocturnal erection
Phenytoin (Dilantin)	impotence, decreased libido
Primidone (Mysoline)	impotence, decreased libido
Propanolol (Inderal)	impotence, decreased libido
Ranitidine (Zantac)	impotence, decreased libido
Spironolactone (Aldactone)	impotence, decreased libido
Tamoxifen (Nolvadex)	priapism
Thiazide diuretics	impotence
Verapamil (Calan)	impotence

Drug-induced sexual problems are not rare and can often be helped by stopping or changing medicine. People who experience these problems should not hesitate to initiate discussions with their doctors.

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Bloodsucking parasites can be deadly

WASHINGTON (AP) — Efforts to control cattle fever ticks have created a new wave of the bloodsucking parasites capable of resisting chemicals once deadly to them, say scientists.

Consequently, experts with the U.S. Agriculture Department and the Mexican government are coordinating studies on new ways of tackling the tick problem.

"In the early 1980s, tick control programs began using low doses of organophosphates against Boophilus microplus, more commonly known as the southern cattle tick," said entomologist John E. George, leader for tick research at the Knipling-Bushland U.S. Livestock Insects Laboratory operated by USDA's Agricultural Research Service at Kerrville, Texas.

"As a result of their continued exposure to these organophosphates over the years, the ticks have genetically changed to resist the chemicals," he said.

In the past, cattle fever ticks nearly ruined the U.S. cattle industry, according to a USDA news release this week announcing the cooperative efforts with Mexico. Since 1960, however, outbreaks of cattle fever ticks have been confined to Texas, it said.

The ARS has funded new research on the resistant ticks through a cooperative agreement with Mexico.

"What's needed are field detection kits that let cattle ranchers know immediately if ticks are resistant to organophosphates," George said. "Our objective is to develop such kits in the next four years.

"Developing a means of identifying resistance in individual ticks won't solve the problem of resistance," he said. "But it is the first step toward development of a resistance management technology, and finally transferring that technology to producers."

Cattle shipped from Mexico are monitored by USDA's Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service.

To review suit

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — An internist's lawsuit challenging a hospital's tax-exempt status has drawn the attention of state prosecutors who want more details on the charity institution.

The head of the Texas attorney general's charitable trust division planned to meet next month with Dr. T. Lane Scott, the Bedford internist.

"We are interested in that case and will look at it," Ann Kitchen, the trust division's head, said Thursday.

Scott sued Harris Methodist H.E.B. and local taxing authorities in August, contending that the 314-bed hospital does not provide adequate charity care to qualify for its tax-exempt status.

Judge sets date, time limits for trial

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — A federal judge has set Nov. 5 as the trial date for prominent businessman M. Douglas Jaffe Jr. and two associates accused of violating federal election laws.

Chief U.S. District Judge Lucius Bunton on Thursday also labeled the government's case against the defendants "political," and gave each side only five hours each to present their cases.

Bunton held the pre-trial hearing in Midland. The trial will be in San Antonio. Bunton denied a motion to dismiss the charges.

The charges stem from a grand jury's influence-peddling investigation that has lasted more than three years and reportedly targets U.S. Rep. Albert Bustamante, D-San Antonio.

Bustamante has not been charged with any wrongdoing. He says the investigation is politically motivated.

Jaffe and associates Mary Ella McBrearty and Patricia Pozza as well as the Jaffe Group Inc. were charged in July with criminal conspiracy to violate federal election laws. Ms. McBrearty and Ms. Pozza are attorneys who work for the Jaffe Group.

A three-count indictment returned in July alleged the three were responsible for illegal corporate campaign contributions made to Democratic candidates and political action committees.

If convicted, each defendant could face up to five years in prison and fines of up to $250,000 on each count.

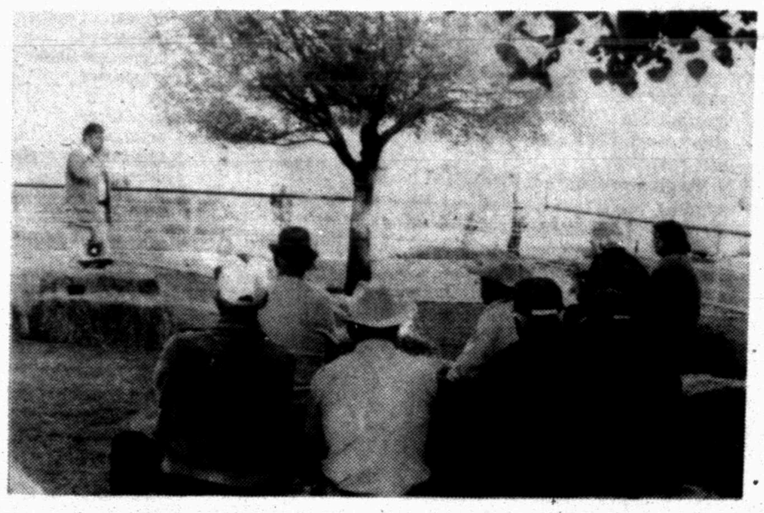
Mississippi civil rights leader Medgar Evers was shot to death in 1963 near his home.

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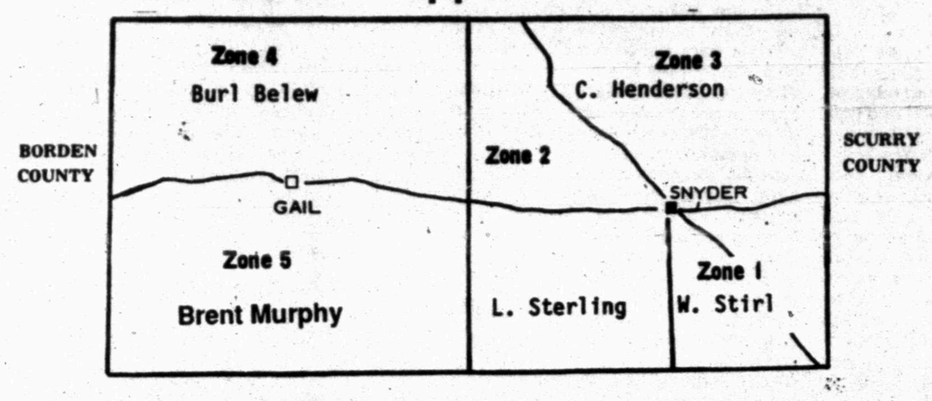
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UPPER COLORADO SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT 1992 ANNUAL REPORT



RANCH BREAKFAST—Dr. Buddy Aldridge, veterinarian from Sweetwater, spoke at the April Ranch Breakfast held in April at the Max Drum Ranch.

Report Sponsored by the Directors of the Upper Colorado SWCD



Regular monthly meetings are held on the third Thursday at noon at the Snyder Country Club, Snyder, TX., Phone 573-6317 for additional information.

The Upper Colorado Soil and Water Conservation District is a legal subdivision of the State of Texas, governed by five elected directors. Our self-governed district has a working agreement with the Soil Conservation Service to provide technical assistance for planning, application and management of conservation practices.

The Upper Colorado Soil and Water Conservation District wishes everyone a happy and prosperous year in 1993. Our sincere thanks go out to each person, business, organization and unit of government who helped us in our effort to make the district a more satisfying place in which to live and work. A special thanks to the Snyder Field Office staff of the Soil Conservation Service for providing the technical assistance necessary for us to carry out our objectives. District Conservationist, Terry Hefner, Range Conservationist, Mike Squires; and SCS Technician, Mark McDaniel, have helped make our accomplishments in conservation possible.



(Left) SWC employees, Mark McDaniel and Mike Squires, with Chris Thornhill and W.C. Hart, watch as the Snyder Fire Department checks the dry hydrant that Hart installed at his ranch in early spring.



(Right) CONSERVATION PRACTICES—The Wayland Huddleston farm has implemented windstrips to help control soil erosion.



(Left) Charlie Henderson, left, presents Scurry County Judge, Bob Doolittle, with four dry hydrants. Plans are to install a hydrant in each of the 4 county precincts.

(Right) Collier Dairy, assisted with ACP funds, began installation of a Waste Management system. The System was designed by SCS engineers and Snyder field office technician.



UPPER COLORADO SWCD FINANCIAL REPORT
FISCAL YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 1992

	STATE FUND	LOCAL FUND	TRUSH FUND
Balance September 1, 1991	$2.341.26	$3.809.71	$2.248.69
REVENUE	$	$	$
Equipment Rental			$920.00
State Grants & Reimbursements	$8,053.53		
Contributions			$2,778.00
Interest Earned	.28	95.28	14.73
Transfer between funds		($1.200.00)	$1.200.00
TOTAL REVENUE	$8.053.81	($1.104.72)	$4.912.73
EXPENDITURES	$	$	$
Salaries	$6,424.75		$730.00
General Administration	$139.70		$1,806.48
Promotion & Education	$240.64		$5,348.43
Association Dues	$210.00		$927.00
Equipment Repair			$322.20
Inter-fund Transaction	$1.500.00		($1.500.00)
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$8.515.00	$ - 0 -	$7.634.11
Balance August 31, 1992	$1,879.98	$2,704.99	$472.69

ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF THE UPPER COLORADO SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT IN 1992

Provided a soil and water conservation booklet to each sixth grade student in the district.

Co-sponsored, with Ezell-Key Grain Co., two Ranch Breakfasts.

Co-sponsored, with Western Texas College, a Land Judging contest.

Sponsored a booth at Ag Day & the Scurry County Fair.

Sponsored a Poster & Essay Contest for district students.

District and West Texas State Bank, through Big Country RCD, donated 4 dry hydrants to the Scurry County Commissioner's Court.

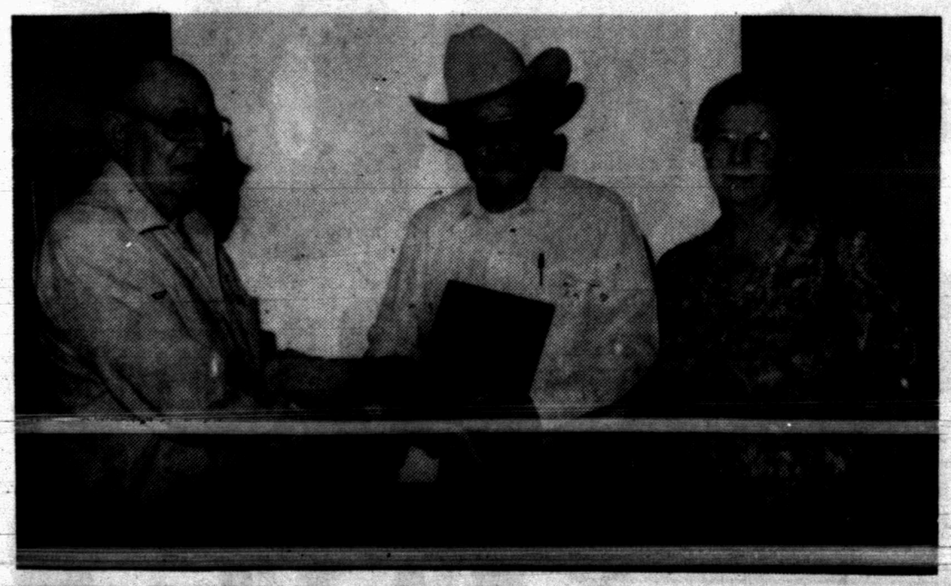
Held an Awards Banquet in April honoring contest winners, Farmer of the Year, Rancher of the Year and two (2) Teachers of the Year.

SUMMARY OF UPPER COLORADO SWCD DOLLAR CONTRIBUTIONS TO LOCAL ECONOMY IN FISCAL YEAR 1992

FEDERAL COST SHARE MONIES	
Annual Conservation (ACP)	$33,754
Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) Cost Share	$159,429
Great Plains Conservation Program	18,445
Long-Term Agreement (LTA's)	5,607
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SOIL CONSERVATION OFFICE EXPENSE	$9,454



CONSERVATION RANCHER—Bill Blankenship and his wife, Dean, accept the Conservation Rancher Award from Upper Colorado SWCD Chairman Charlie Henderson (left) during the conservation district's annual banquet.



CONSERVATION FARMER—L.D. Smith is presented an award for the Upper Colorado SWCD Conservation Farmer of The Year by district board member Burl Belew (left). Pictured with Smith is his wife, Juanita. The presentation was made at the annual conservation banquet. (SDN Staff Photo).