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Cotton's assessment yields $2,700 to date

Scurry County cotton growers were told Monday that the half cent a pound assessment on locally grown cotton approved in last fall's referendum election had produced approximately $2,700 in total revenue to date.

The figure was part of a report on the activities of the Scurry County Cotton Board — established late last year to collect monies to finance and coordinate future pest control programs for cotton. It was given during the annual meeting of the Scurry County Producers Association.

Larry Schwarz — president of the cotton board — estimated that given the current rate of return from the assessment, it will be about five years before the cotton board collects enough money to stage or assist with financing an extensive weevil control spray program.

For the 1984 crop year, the board received only two requests for refunds of money paid in under the assessment. More requests are said still a possibilty, however.

May 20 cotton date okayed

Members of the Scurry County Producers Association voted Monday evening to set May 20 as the Uniform Delayed Planting Date for county cotton this year.

The May 20 planting date — which local cotton producers are asked to voluntarily observe — was adopted on the recommendation of County Entomologist Deanna Myers.

At Monday's annual membership meeting of the association, she also reported on the county boll weevil population observed to date.

According to Myers, the 1985 growing season should be a relatively good year in terms of boll weevil infestations.

She told the producers that results from the fall trapping and scouting program had yielded very few weevils.

That would indicate that the first hatching this spring should be small.

Even though the 1985 spring populations will be small, Myers recommended continuing with the delayed date for this year as a means of suppressing weevil population growth for future years.

In principle, the delayed planting works by creating a situation where boll weevils which hatch early in the normal cotton growing season starve to death for lack of food. By thinning out the first hatch, future generations are also reduced.

Even with a small weevil hatch in the spring, Myers reminded the producers that other conditions — such as an abnormally wet July — could still create a weevil problem in August and September.

During Monday's annual meeting, members of the Producers Association also elected eight directors, heard an update regarding the at the gin assessment on cotton implemented this past harvest season and heard a program on increasing cotton yields (see related stories).

PRODUCERS ASSOCIATION MEETING — Members of the Scurry County Producers Association elected eight directors, set the 1985 uniform delayed planting date for Scurry County and heard a program on increasing cotton yields at their annual meeting Monday evening. Pictured are newly elected directors (from left) Lonnie Blackard, Bill Houston, E.E. Shifflett, along with Dr. Dan Krieg of Texas Tech University, and directors Ralph Trevey and Fred Cross. John Short, Rodney Glass and Wayland Huddleston were also elected as directors of the association but could not attend Monday's meeting. (SDN Staff Photo)

Producers association names four new directors

Four new members were elected to positions on the board of directors for the Scurry County Producers Association at the organization's annual membership meeting Monday.

With two director positions open for each precinct of the county, association members elected new directors John Short and Rodney Glass from Pct. 3 along with Bill Houston and Lonnie Blackard from Pct. 4.

Short and Glass replace former Pct. 3 directors C.D. Gray Jr. and Jerry Wemken whose terms of office expired this year.

For Pct. 4, Houston and Blackard will be replacing Butch Nachlinger and David West, who had served terms on the board through 1984.

In Pct. 1, producers re-elected directors Fred Cross and Ralph Trevey for the coming three years.

Also winning re-election were Pct. 2 directors E.E. Shifflett and Wayland Huddleston.

That precinct produced the only contested directors race with Max von Roeder nominated from the floor as a third candidate.

After the nomination, however, Von Roeder told the membership he did not wish to serve and those present representing the precinct voted to re-elect Huddleston and Shifflett.

Special guest for the 1985 annual meeting was Dr. Dan Krieg, plant physiologist at Texas Tech University. He presented a 30 minute program on recent research directed at increasing cotton yields.

Among recommendations offerd by Krieg were the use of heat unit calculations to plan planting times for maximum boll maturity along with the use of fertilizer through the growing season.

Krieg also told the cotton growers that his research had shown that increasing the growing space allowed each cotton plant by switching to narrower row spacing with the same number of plants per acre.

Second in a series...

Banquet ag award honors land owner

The annual Snyder Chamber of Commerce award which rewards achievement in agriculture was begun in 1974 to honor Scurry County land owner Harrie Winston.

The latest recipient of the honor will be revealed Thursday during the annual Snyder Chamber of Commerce Banquet, set to begin at 6:30 p.m. in the Scurry County Coliseum.

Winston passed away on Jan. 19, 1974 — only some two weeks prior to the annual spring banquet for that year. On Jan. 27, chamber officials announced the first annual Harrie Winston Memorial Award.

Winston and his brother Wade were among early benefactors for Scurry County facilities, donating the land for Winston Field airport which was formally dedicated here on Sept. 27, 1953.

During his life, he was an active chamber supporter, serving as its second president. Overall, his work with the chamber dated over a half century.

On Feb. 2, 1974, the first memorial award was presented to Snyder High School FFA sponsor and ag teacher Billy Bob McMullan.

Criteria for the honor includes persons engaged in farming or ranching who demonstrate leadership and progressiveness.

Since 1974, those who have received the award include Bentley Baize, 1975; Don Gray and Morris Light, 1977; Carl Williams, 1978; Milton Stephens, 1979; Johnny Richardson, 1980; Tommy Pate, 1981; Billie Earl Roach, 1982; David Kattes, 1983; and Donald Pate, 1984.

Leave interpretation closes court's door

County commissioners closed the court to discuss a request for an interpretation of the county's vacation policy Monday afternoon.

The closed session — not previously posted as an agenda item — began at 2:05 and ended at 2:55 p.m.

Shari Patrick, a secretary in the county attorney's office, resigned last Friday due to her husband's transfer to Hobbs, N.M. Employed by the county since February 1984, she had taken one week's vacation after working six months.

The county's policy states that an employee is due two weeks vacation after the first year. Patrick asked the court to determine how many additional days she was due in vacation time not taken.

The final decision from the court — made while still in closed session — was to grant three days pay for vacation time to her. The minutes indicate the motion was made by Eldon Perry, Pct. 1, and seconded by C.D. Gray Jr., Pct. 3.

According to County Judge Preston Wilson, two days Patrick took for business in Hobbs were counted as vacation days.

To address future questions similar to the one considered Monday, the court also instructed County Auditor Bernhard Bartels to draw up a county vacation policy and to submit it to the commissioners on April 1.

County Attorney Gary Terrell sat through the proceedings Monday.

The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "Enthusiasm without knowledge is like running in the dark."

Tim Farmer of Snyder said his most embarrassing moment came a few years back when he was still driving a truck.

"I was making deliveries in Corpus Christi and it was late in the afternoon, so I decided to spend the night before I headed back to Snyder.

"It was 3 or 4 in the afternoon when I checked into the motel, so I decided to take a little nap before I went out for supper. When I woke up, it was dark and the clock said 6:00. I thought I must have been more tired than I thought and slept right through the night.

"So I packed my bags and went to check out. The clerk kept asking me if something was wrong or why I was leaving so soon, I kept saying I just needed to get back to Snyder.

"I then went to the cafe and ordered breakfast. They, too, looked at me funny, but brought my eggs anyway. I got in my truck and headed back to Snyder. A funny thing happened about 45 miles outside of Corpus when I noticed it was getting darker instead of lighter.

"I turned on the radio, and you guessed it. It was only about 7:30 p.m. and I had only slept a couple of hours. Since I had already paid for one night's room, I had to go back to the same motel where it took all the courage I had to walk in there and asked the same clerk if I could have my room back.

"We all had a good laugh and I finally got a good night's sleep."

Thaba McMillan of Hermleigh says when her two youngest boys were real small, one was out in the yard doing something he shouldn't.

"There was a small wooden keg that had fallen apart nearby. I picked up a stave from it and gave him a couple of paddles with it. That night at prayer meeting, we were discussing discipline and punishment for children.

"In a very solemn, slow voice, this child said, 'My mother whips us with a barrel stave.' I tried to slide under the pew in front of me."

Ask Us

Q. — When is the current session of the state legislature to end?

A. — Texas legislators were sworn in Jan. 8 and they are scheduled to meet until May 31.

In Brief

Baghdad blast

BAGHDAD, Iraq (AP) — A pink flash lit the dawn sky in Baghdad today and seconds later a powerful blast shook buildings in the Iraqi capital. Iran reported the explosion was caused by a ground-to-ground missile that hit the industrial district of Dora.

Local

Ira meets

Ira School trustees met Monday night in regular session.

Trustees amended the 1984-85 school calendar in order to make up for for the Feb. 1 snow day. Students will attend classes on May 17 and the teacher in-service day has been moved to May 18.

Trustees also approved the 1985-86 school calendar. Classes will begin Sept. 3 and let out on May 29.

In addition, renewed contracts for teachers and aides were approved.

WTC judging

An 8 p.m. awards ceremony is scheduled Tuesday to conclude the second livestock and land judging contest hosted here by Western Texas College.

Registration for the event was to be from 4 until 4:30 p.m. in the ag annex of the coliseum.

The awards ceremony will be in the science lecture hall on campus.

Blood needed

Tuesday's blood drive will continue through 8 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Center. It was to begin at 1:30 p.m.

It is sponsored locally by the Cogdell Memorial Hospital Auxiliary and the advisory council for United Blood Services of Lubbock.

After Tuesday's drive, the period between efforts will go to 10-week periods, prompting drive sponsors to note a need for additional donors.

Food day set

Surplus food will be distributed Wednesday at the Senior Citizens Center, 2603 Ave. M.

Individuals who qualify are asked to observe a pickup scheduled based upon the first letter in their last name. Those with A through L should come between 9 and 11:30 a.m. Those M through Z should come between 1 and 4 p.m.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Monday, 64 degrees; low, 36 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Tuesday, 44 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1985 to date, 2.74 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight a 60 percent chance of rain. Low in lower 40s. South wind 10 to 20 mph. Wednesday cloudy with a 30 percent chance of rain. Not as warm with high in low 60s. Wind northwest 15 to 25 mph and gusty with lake wind advisories required.

Summit meeting successful

QUEBEC (AP) — Prime Minister Brian Mulroney says he hopes his successful "Shamrock Summit" with President Reagan means Canada won't be ignored any more in Washington.

Reagan flew home Monday after completing a 24-hour visit full of treaty signings, scenic backdrops and St. Patrick's Day showmanship in Quebec City, the historic capital of French Canada.

In his meetings with Mulroney, Reagan made progress on the sticky issues of acid rain and trade barriers, while signing deals on West Coast salmon fishing, legal cooperation and a new radar network in the Canadian arctic.

After seeing Reagan off at the Quebec City airport — and kissing Nancy Reagan on both cheeks — Mulroney said he made a direct appeal to the American president for sustained attention.

"I told him, I know you have a lot of fish to fry when you get back to Washington," Mulroney said. "I just want to make sure we never again get lost in the shuffle."

Mulroney's Progressive Conservative Party ousted the Liberals six months ago in a landslide election victory, largely on the promise to nurture closer ties with the United States. But not all critics have been stifled.

"It might have been called the Shamrock Shuffle," Ed Broadbent, leader of the socialist New Democratic Party, said of the meeting. "We've had President Reagan, regrettably I think, calling the tune."

Mulroney brushed aside all criticism, saying Reagan's visit "marks a new era in relations between Canada and the United States."

Every detail of the friendly encounter between the two leaders, both of Irish descent, was reported widely in Canada, often live on national television and usually favorably.

A commentator on the Canadian Broadcasting Corp. described the summit as "twenty-four hours of mutual praise and admiration."

In three speeches, Reagan even ventured brief comments in French — the majority language in Quebec — getting smoother with practice and winning applause from his audience.

For all the picturesque staging, there was enough substance to rebut criticism that the affair was all show — including a joint declaration pledging reduction in trade barriers and the appointment of high-ranking envoys to handle acid rain, often called the chief irritant in U.S.-Canada relations.

The two leaders also signed a treaty, the product of more than 15 years of negotiations, covering the salmon catch of the Pacific Coast, where many fish are spawned in one country but are caught by fishermen in the other's waters.

At the same ceremony — conducted behind the thick stone walls of a fortress built to defend Quebec from a possible American attack in the 1800s — the two sides signed an agreement to build what Mulroney called a "state-of-the-art" radar system to replace the Distant Early Warning line in northern Canada.

Defense Secretary Caspar Weinberger sparked some concern when he said in a televised interview Monday morning that Canada could be the site of missiles intended to shoot down incoming Soviet cruise missiles detected by the new radar.

But other American officials said Weinberger's comments were hypothetical and Canadian Foreign Secretary Joe Clark said, "I have no reason to believe it might be necessary."

White seeks more drug war money

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov. Mark White says the federal government is not doing all it can to protect the Gulf states from drug trafficking.

"If we cannot stop a DC3 coming across the Mexican border (with drugs) how can we stop an ICBM from another country?" the governor told the Texas Daily Newspaper Association.

"Our federal government is not doing all it can to protect us. I cannot understand how we can spend as much as we do and get so little protection," said White who has taken part in recent anti-drug conferences with other governors in New Orleans and Miami.

White told the daily newspaper editors and publishers that the current Legislature has problems "because our revenues have not grown as much as expected and we have a very significant shortage."

He said the continued decline in the growth of oil and gas revenue has convinced him and legislative leaders of one thing.

"The most important purpose we have in government is to build a broader base of revenues," White said "and I predict we will be able to do this."

He stressed the fast-growing cooperation between the state's established industries and the new high-tech electronics.

"We have to move faster than we ever have in the past," he said.

White also said a major concern of the Legislature and his administration is water. "We cannot let it deteriorate further without taking action," White said referring to the package of water bills pending.

Another problem is taking care of criminals, he said.

"Prisoners are more violent than they used to be," White said. "And behind each violent prisoner you find the subject of child abuse or drug abuse or alcohol abuse, or all.

"We have got to try to go upstream on the problems and try to divert them before they reach our prisons," he said. "That's what we are committed to do."

Sir Winston Churchill was buried in 1965 at Bladen after funeral services in St. Paul's Cathedral in London.

Philippine President Ferdinand Marcos enjoyed a victory in 1980 when his New Society Movement won the country's first election after seven years of martial law.

Did You Know?

Your Hospital
Cogdell Memorial

On any one day for any one patient a nurse must sign entries in the chart on an average of 12 times.

Astro-Graph

Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

March 20, 1985

Trends will develop in the year ahead whereby your authority over others will be considerably expanded. Don't be afraid to accept responsibility.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) You'll have no difficulty winning debates today if you use your common sense and logic. Pressing points emotionally will defeat your purposes. Major changes are in store for Pisces in the coming year. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today. Mail $1 to Astro-Graph, Box 489, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) In your financial dealings today follow the dictates of your intuition, especially if a warning signal is sounded. Be wary, too, not to accept things at face value.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Seek associations today with people who share interests similar to yours. Individuals who don't operate on your wavelength will make you feel uncomfortable.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Guard against tendencies today to make things tougher for yourself than they need be. Don't force round pegs into square holes.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Your friends will be more appreciative of you today if you accept them as they are and not try to remake them in your image. Avoid critical remarks.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Timing is extremely important today. If you push projects prematurely before laying proper foundations, your castles in the air could crumble.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Be patient and tolerant today with companions who do not grasp the essence of situations as quickly as you do. Help them, don't harass them.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Problems will result today if you want a bigger slice of the pie than that to which you're entitled in things you do collectively with others.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Be careful how you conduct yourself in your dealings with others today. If they feel you're trying to manipulate them, they'll do the opposite of what you want.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) You might have some difficulties with which to contend today but if you're persevering, you'll come out victorious in the end. Draw upon your staying power.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Don't permit yourself to be caught in the middle of petty politics with pals today. If you take a position, you could catch it from both sides.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) People for whom you feel responsible might require your prtection today. Keep an eye on things if they're involved with someone whose motives you suspect.

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Dr. Lamb

Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

Impotence has several causes

By Lawrence Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB — I sent for your Health Letter 18-6, Help for Impotence, about a year ago. I read and re-read it. I finally made an appointment with a urologist, since my own doctor told me that my impotence was all in my head.

The urologist reviewed my case and, as a result, I had a penile implant.

I'm 49 and in good health. If I hadn't sent for your letter, I might never have gone to a specialist. Thank you very much.

DEAR READER — I'm delighted that you found a solution to your problem. I include your letter here because it points out a problem that still exists — the old idea that impotence is all in your head. This was a wrongheaded notion to begin with and was caused by ignorance about impotence. It is true that impotence can be caused by psychological factors, but that is more likely to occur in an inexperienced male who lacks self-confidence.

Anyone who has impotence deserves a careful medical examination and an effort to find the cause. If the impotence is permanent — meaning that an erection is not possible — then an implant is certainly in order, particularly in a young man who has no medical problems that would contraindicate such a procedure.

I hope that any impotent man whose doctor just assumes that the problem is entirely psychological will insist that his doctor read The Health Letter 18-6. Anyone who wants this issue can send 75 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it to me in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

DEAR DR. LAMB — I have been diagnosed as having carpal tunnel syndrome. Does this require surgery? Will it improve without surgery or will it continue to get worse if not treated?

The symptoms in my hands and wrists are very similar to what I am having in my left leg. Is it possible for carpal tunnel syndrome to occur there, and is it treatable?

DEAR READER — Carpal tunnel syndrome refers to the problem of pressure on the nerves that pass through a narrow space in the wrist called the carpal tunnel. There is a group of small wristbones that joins the forearm bones. A fibrous band encircles them like a watchband, and the space between the band and the wristbones is an anatomical tunnel. The blood vessels, the nerves to the hand and the tendons that curl the fingers all must pass through this tunnel. When swelling occurs for any reason, the space may be too small, which puts pressure on the nerves. This may cause symptoms in the hand, or even in the elbow and shoulder.

One solution is to cut the fibrous band around the wrist or any other structures that are compressing the nerve.

The swelling can be caused by a variety of diseases, including bursitis. The little sac-like bursa that surround the tendons to the wrist may be inflamed. In that case, when the bursitis clears and the swelling from it is gone, the pressure will end. Whether one needs surgery or medical treatment depends upon the cause.

There is a comparable tunnel in the ankle called the tarsal tunnel, which can produce a similar problem. If one has the same symptoms in different locations, then the cause might be a disease that may affect different joints throughout the body, such as rheumatoid arthritis.

(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

Leaders cool on Bullock's ideas

AUSTIN (AP) — Legislative leaders are not enthusiastic about Comptroller Bob Bullock's suggestion that a $3.4 billion "bowl of gravy" held locally by state colleges and universities can be used to ease the state's financial crisis.

"There's a lot of different factors involved and several scenarios that were not taken into consideration in his comments," said Speaker Gib Lewis.

Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby said his staff was looking into the matter but he felt that colleges and universities should keep at least a part of their local funds.

Bullock told the Texas Daily Newspaper Association Monday that state budget writers should take a close look at the local funds held by the 48 state colleges, universities and institutions before raising college tuition or thinking about new taxes.

"These schools have their noses in a $3 billion bowl of gravy which is in their local bank accounts and which the Legislature never sees," Bullock said. He added: "I was for a tuition increase until I got into this, but I was wrong."

Gov. Mark White, who also talked to the TDNA, told reporters he was "somewhat surprised" at Bullock's remarks.

He said he thought the Legislature had the responsibility "to see to the direction of these funds and that they are well spent on our priorities."

Rep. Wilhelmina Delco, D-Austin, head of the House Higher Education Committee, said she thought Bullock "was mixing apples and oranges."

"He's talking about local funds that are generated for causes for which the state will not pay and mixing them with causes that the state does pay," she told reporters.

Bullock said the $3.4 billion the schools got from the assorted programs, business enterprises and gifts almost equals the $3.8 billion the Legislature gave higher education over the past two years.

"In other words, the Legislature's appropriations to higher education are only half the picture," Bullock said.

He said the local funds cannot be included in the comptroller's revenue estimate.

"It is money that never goes through the state treasury. It is money that isn't accountable to the Legislature. How it is raised and how it is spent rests solely in the hands of college officials," Bullock said.

He said income from these outside enterprises is growing by as much as 17 percent a year. Despite the schools' spending from the funds, there is now a balance of $2 billion remaining from the 1983-84 period, Bullock said.

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1 P.M. to 6 P.M. — Weigh In for Local Hunters Only
SATURDAY, MARCH 23 — Round Up Headquarters, Howard County Fair Barns
10 A.M. to 6 P.M. — Weigh In for Local and Out Of Town Hunters
10 A.M. to 6 P.M. — Poisonous Snake and Other Reptile Exhibits
10 A.M. to 6 P.M. — Handling demonstrations of live domestic poisonous snakes featuring educational exhibitions of Western Diamondback Rattlesnakes by Pit Masters. Milking demonstrations and educational program by Dr. John Perez and researchers from Texas A & I, using snake venom in Cancer Research.
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Food & Beverages will be available during show hours Saturday & Sunday!
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2nd Place — $100.00 & Trophy
3rd Place — $50.00 & Trophy
Heaviest Snake Contest
ENTRY FEE — Snake secured in burlap bag, tagged with hunters name and phone number. All entries must be in before 3:00 P.M. Sunday, March 24th. Judging will begin Sunday after 3:00 P.M. All entries will be weighed. Trophies & Cash Prizes will be awarded at 5:00 P.M. No Refund On Entry!
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All Venom Collected is being Donated to Texas A & I Cancer Research Center

Revival
Daniel Vestal, preaching
Ralph Gibson, music
First Baptist Church
Snyder
March 24-28
12:00-1:00 p.m. Noon Bible Study
Evening Services 7:00 p.m.

Can garner excellent ideas while looking

By BARBARA MAYER
AP Newsfeatures

The well-decorated model homes and apartments found in every area of the country are an often overlooked source of creative ideas for home decoration.

According to Beverly Trupp, whose Los Angeles firm decorates models in many areas of the country, some people make a regular outing out of visiting the new models locally. Builders are aware that much of the Sunday traffic consists of lookers, not buyers. But, she adds, they also know that people fall in love with a house and before they know it, they become buyers, not lookers.

In the meantime, one can garner excellent ideas on how to improve the present home – perhaps so that it can be disposed of and a new home purchased.

One can learn how to place furniture in a room to create a more welcoming atmosphere and a better traffic pattern, how to make a dull room more interesting, and how to use color either to lend drama or to unify space, according to Ms. Trupp.

In a well-decorated model home, the visitor's attention is immediately drawn to a room's best feature. If there is a fireplace and this is an important selling point, then furniture will be grouped around it. If there is a good view or an attractive bow window, then these will be decorated so one's eye registers the special feature.

When the room has no special attributes, decorators create them, perhaps with dramatic lighting or by painting, papering or paneling one wall, or by installing architectural detailing such as double mouldings on a wall, then placing a picture inside the mouldings.

The major selling points in model homes often are not the basic plan, but the accessories that personalize the house. That's why Ms. Trupp's firm, Color Design Art, always creates an imaginary family with names, hobbies and interests before choosing the decorations. She suggests individuals can make their own homes more interesting by choosing accessories that reflect basic interests and hobbies. In children's rooms, a budding ballerina can be treated to framed dance posters on the walls, a sports enthusiast to wallpaper with a sporting theme.

In small open plan homes (as many are nowadays), decorators generally employ the same basic color scheme throughout. Vibrant colors may be used on a single wall in a few of the rooms, but an overall color makes the home seem more spacious than it actually is.

If the living room cannot accommodate a seven-foot sofa, the decorator will furnish it with a small armless loveseat. Instead of bulky end tables, she will choose floor lamps or wall-mounted lamps on fixtures.

Built-ins are among the most popular "extras" in new homes. Built-in bookcases, wine racks and shelves to accommodate home entertainment components are so attractive to visitors that the decorator often sees people snapping pictures of them.

Ms. Trupp, who travels extensively to create model rooms and to observe consumer reaction to them, said that some best-selling built-in ideas which would work well in existing homes include the following ideas.

—In a dining room or area that is too small to comfortably accommodate a full buffetserver, mount a 10-inch wide shelf at buffet height along one wall. Mirror the wall above and below the shelf. The result will be an apparent expansion of the room and a useful surface that can take the place of the buffet.

—In a small el or along a short wall, build in shelves to accommodate stereo equipment or a collection of art objects, books and photographs.

—In a kitchen too small for a dining table and chairs, build in banquette seating in one corner and then add a table.

Ms. Trupp has found that model homes across the country tend to be going in the same direction. In the category builders call "affordable housing" (by which they mean whatever is the lowest priced house on the market in the area) homes are getting smaller. However, perhaps in compensation, there are more special features such as microwave ovens, oversize bathtubs and skylights.

Builders are also targeting homes to appeal to particular income and social groups. The differences between "affordable" housing and a luxury model one or two miles away in the same city may be greater than the differences between two affordable homes at opposite ends of the country, she said.

BLOOMING VEST DEMONSTRATION — County extension agent Kathryn Roberts (on the left) presented a "Blooming Vest" demonstration to members of the Stargazers Extension Homemakers Club Thursday in the Texas Electric Reddy Room. Helping her were Lori Galvan and Glenda Treat. (Club Photo)

Stargazers learn how to make a "Blooming Vest"

County extension agent Kathryn Roberts presented a program entitled "Blooming Vest" to seven members of the Stargazers Extension Homemakers Club.

Roberts explained to the group meeting last Thursday in the Texas Electric Reddy Room that the blooming technique is created with six layers of prewashed, 100 percent cotton material. Called "puffing out," the method dates back to the 18th century. Wall hangings, purses, jackets, blouses, pillows, afghans and pockets can be made using the technique.

A business session, led by Kaye Clawson, followed the program.

Roberts announced that nutrition specialist Mary Sweeten will speak on "Special Food Needs Related to Health" on Wednesday at 2 p.m. in the Texas Electric Reddy Room.

Members voted to contribute to the Aubrey Russell Scholarship Fund, a fund established in home extension district two to provide a scholarship to an individual in the district majoring in home economics at Texas Tech University or Lubbock Christian College.

Community Calendar

TUESDAY

Plainview Extension Homemakers Club; Northeast Community Center; 2 p.m.

Atheneum Study Club; MAWC; 4:15 p.m.

Art Guild Study Club; MAWC; 6:30 p.m.

If you are interested in losing weight, meet with TOPS 56; Texas Electric Reddy Room, 2301 Avenue R; weigh at 6:30 p.m., meeting at 7 p.m.

Amitie Study Club; Texas Electric Reddy Room; 7 p.m.

Hermleigh Eastern Star; Masonic Lodge; 7:30 p.m.

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

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

WEDNESDAY

Cosmorama Study Club; MAWC; 4 p.m.

THURSDAY

Movie Time; Scurry County Library; 9:30 a.m.

Honey Do's Extension Homemakers Club; home of Ethel Head, W. 37th St.; 9:30 a.m.

Cogdell Memorial Hospital Auxiliary; board room; 10 a.m.

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

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

Order of the Eastern Star Snyder Chapter 450; Masonic Hall; 7:30 p.m.

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; behind Humble Smith School, 3106 37th St.; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-0476 or 573-5337.

FRIDAY

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

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

Foster Parents Orientation for all interested persons; First United Methodist Church parlor; 7 p.m.

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

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

Narcotics Anonymous; Humble Smith School; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-5271.

SATURDAY

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

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

SUNDAY

Scurry County Museum, open from 1-4 p.m., WTC campus.

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

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

Putnam sets homecoming

Registration and a coffee at 9 a.m. will kick off events for the Putnam Homecoming set for Saturday, April 6.

Activities will begin in the City Hall Annex with lunch at noon in the Putnam Community Center. Homer Taylor will serve as master of ceremonies for the general session which will begin at 2 p.m.

Homecoming officers plan to honor former teachers and conduct business during the session. Others on the program include G.W. Weeks, invocation; Mary Helen King, welcoming address; Cindy Hess, response; and Roy Lee Williams, school song. The earliest Putnam graduate and the student traveling farthest to attend will be recognized.

Oscar's of Cisco will cater the meal with the price set at $4.50 per plate. Interested persons should send a check or money order and a self-addressed envelope to Margie Weeks, Putnam, 76469 or call her at (915) 662-3298. Individuals may also contact LaVerne Rutherford at the post office. All reservations must be made by April 4.

The Putnam Homecoming is held every two years. Officers for 1985 are Calvin King, president; Gertrude Riffe, vice president; and LaVerne Rutherford, secretary-treasurer.

Ted Bigham
Photography
573-3622

BEAUTY BRIEFS

Special hair tips

Apply conditioner lotion to your hair before swimming as a protection against salt water or pool chlorine. Style your hair with a gel, as gels contain sun-protective PABA.

Technical consultant Albert Shansky of the Seligman & Latz salon chain also recommends chilled carbonated soda mixed with a little lemon juice as a rinse just before using a mildly acidic shampoo to aid the hair's normal pH-balance.

He also advises air drying because hot air robs the hair of moisture needed in summer.

Hair removal

Hair doesn't grow faster because of shaving, but blunt ends feel coarse because you cut them at the skin surface. Although less quick than shaving, cream depilatories don't give that stubble feeling.

They dissolve hairs, but some skins are sensitive to them. Waxing may be irritating, but is done less often. Removing the hardened wax pulls the hair out from below the skin.

Lighten makeup

Change your facial foundation to a water-blended formula in skin tone, and apply lightly. Summer sunlight shows up heavy makeup easily.

BRIDGE

James Jacoby

NORTH 3-19-85
♠ A J 10 8
♥ 7 6 3
♦ 9 8 5 3 2
♣ Q

WEST
♠ 6 5 3
♥ Q J 10 8 5
♦ J 4
♣ A 10 8

EAST
♠ K
♥ A K 4 2
♦ K 10 7
♣ J 9 7 4 3

SOUTH
♠ Q 9 7 4 2
♥ 9
♦ A Q 6
♣ K 6 5 2

Vulnerable: East-West
Dealer: East

West	North	East	South
		1♠	1♠
Dbl.	4♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

Opening lead: ♥Q

I'm often asked about the decision to play "for the drop" as opposed to finessing against a missing card. When the missing card is the king, it is correct to finesse even with a 10-card fit. Although today's declarer knew his percentages, he was able to demonstrate an even sounder axiom — that it is silly to finesse through an opponent who cannot have the missing honor.

The double of one spade by West was negative, promising at least four hearts and values to compete in the auction. North's jump to four spades was a strategy based on the favorable vulnerability. North feared that East-West could make a game if left to their own devices. Although this was not so, his daring bid became a winner when South played the hand "lights out."

West led the heart queen, which held the trick. West next cashed the club ace and continued with a heart. Declarer ruffed and played a trump. When West followed small, declarer called for dummy's ace. The king appeared and all was well. The diamond king was onside, and declarer could either ruff his two losing clubs in dummy or set up the diamond suit for club discards.

Why didn't declarer make the normal play of finessing in spades? Although East did not need the spade king to open the bidding, the action by West was the tip-off. He surely would have doubled four spades for penalties with the guarded king of spades, the club ace, the Q-J of hearts, and a partner who had opened the bidding.

Of such stuff are winners made.

(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

County extension office to sponsor nutrition program

Nutrition specialist Mary Sweeten will present a program entitled "Special Food Needs Related to Health" on Wednesday at 2 p.m. in the Texas Electric Reddy Room.

A native of Big Spring, her work experience includes serving as therapeutic dietitian in Chicago Wesley Memorial Hospital, assistant chief of dietetics for Veterans Administration Hospital in Big Spring and administrative dietitian for Veterans Administration Hospital in Oklahoma City. She is currently employed as a nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service at Texas A&M University.

Sponsored by the County Extension Office, the program is open to the public.

MARY SWEETEN

Post art show set for April

POST — The Post Art Guild will host its Spring Art Show on April 30 through May 5 at the Algerita Arts Center located at 131 E. Main Street.

Over $2500 in awards and purchase pledges will be offered in oil, acrylic, watercolor, mixed media, pastel and graphics drawings and paintings, in sculpture from any media and in photography.

Officials will accept only original work not previously entered in the show. Photographs must be at least eight inches by 10 inches and all work must be prepared for hanging.

Entry fee has been set at $4 for each item with a 15 percent commission on all sales. Entries may be submitted on April 30 and until noon on May 1.

Judging will be held May 2 with Wayne Baize of Ft. Davis as judge of paintings, sculpture and drawings and Ashton Thornhill, associate professor of photography at Texas Tech, as photography judge.

The show will be open to the public on May 3-4. Awards presentation is scheduled for 3 p.m. May 5.

Interested persons are asked to contact Nancy Childers at (806) 495-2472, Lil Conner at (806) 495-3207 or Algerita Arts Center at (806) 495-4000.

Genie Awards

The Academy of Canadian Cinema offers its Genie Awards only to Canadians. To qualify, films must be Canadian-made, actors and actresses must be Canadian citizens or landed immigrants starring in a Canadian film. Last year's award for best picture went to "The Terry Fox Story."

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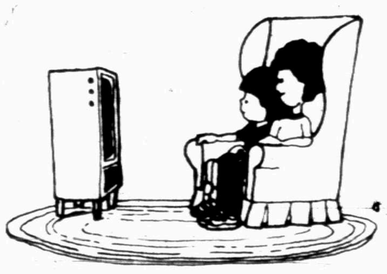

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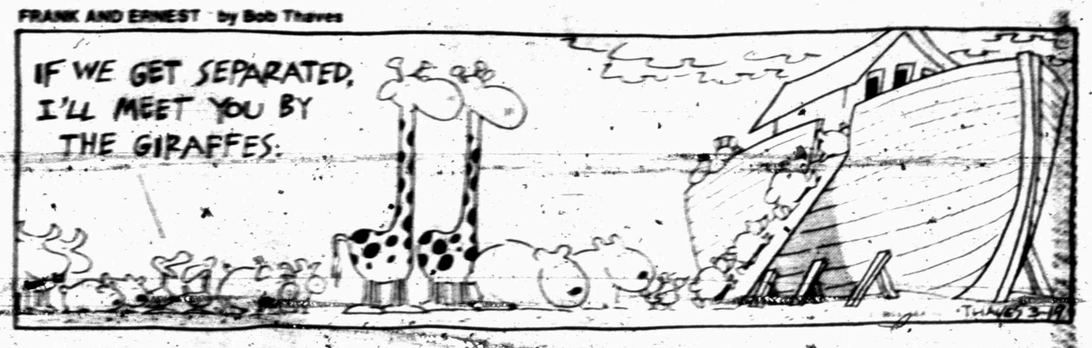

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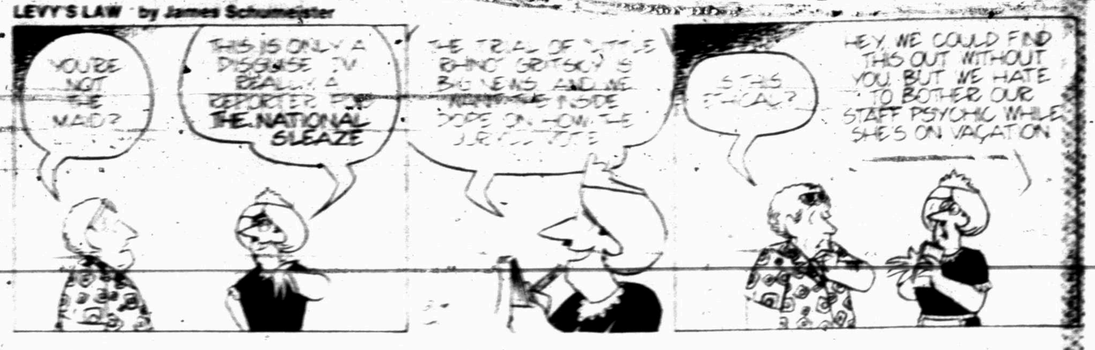

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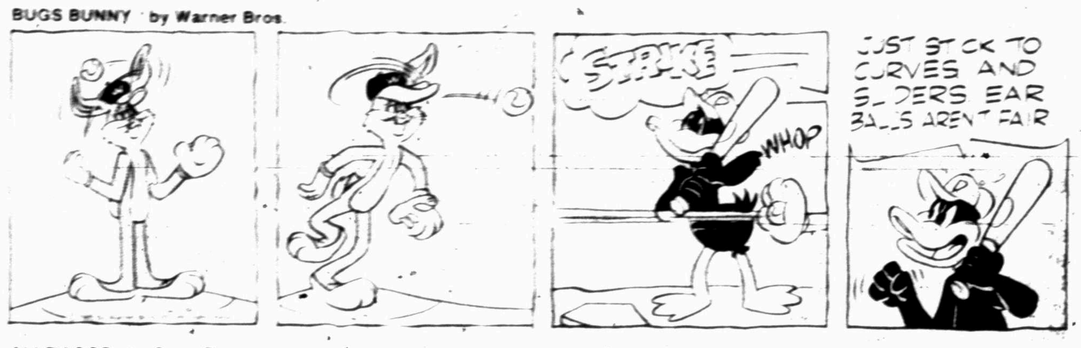
WINTHROP by Dick Cavalli

BUGS BUNNY by Warner Bros.



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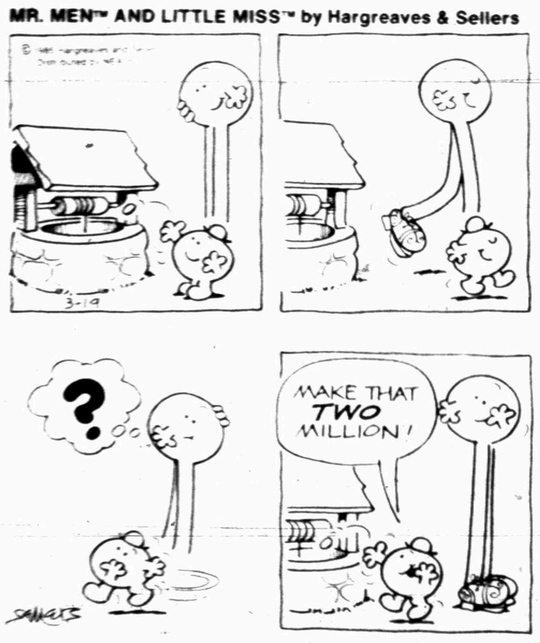

PUZZLE NEA

By Dean Young & Mike Gershe

BLONDIE

ACROSS

1 Table supports
5 Latvian
9 Tavern
12 Forget
13 Eye amorously
14 Fair grade
15 Easter flower
16 Confederate
17 Printer's measures
18 Siamese coin
19 Poetess Lowell
20 Mexican coins
22 Silkworm
24 Honshu bay
25 Walked in water
27 Made hole
31 Farm animals
32 Thin
33 Actress Balin
34 Made of (suff.)
35 Greensward
36 Son of Jacob
37 Dull
39 Female's
40 Append
41 3, Roman
42 Fibbing
45 Bank payment (abbr.)
46 Business abbreviation
49 Noun suffix
50 Indian of Peru
52 Animal's den
53 Wheel projection
54 Noble gas
55 Curved molding
56 Period of historical time
57 Auctioneer's word
58 Allure

DOWN

1 Actress Albright
2 Throw off
3 Type of book page (comp wd.)
4 Filthy hut
5 South American beast of burden
6 Slippery
7 Far (pref.)
8 Proteinase
9 Glazes
10 Verne hero
11 Loch
19 Collaborate
21 Long fish
23 Thing (Lat.)
24 Oil exporter
25 Atom
26 First-rate (2 wds.)
27 Condenses
28 Spoke untruthfully
29 Jealousy
30 Podium
32 Eulogize
35 Housing
36 Medieval poem
38 Author Fleming
39 Lighted
41 Pointless
42 Parasites
43 Vintage
44 "____ La Douce"
45 Holy image
46 Othello villain
47 Belgian town
48 Indian
51 New (pref.)
52 Homesite

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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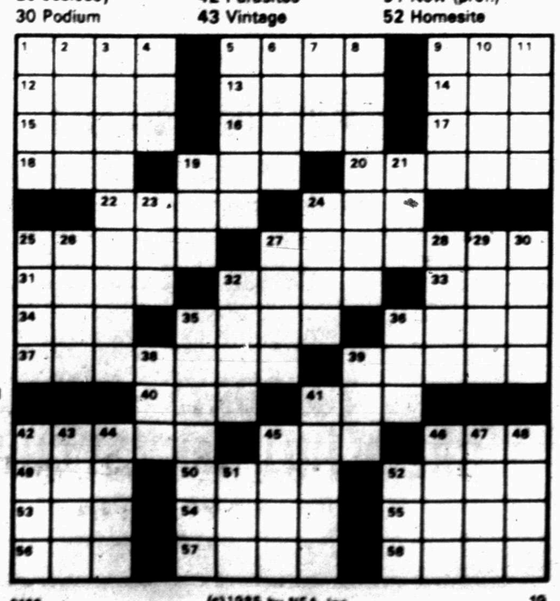

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LAFF-A-DAY

"Well, we've got some good pike around Walden's Creek but there's a 65 percent chance of getting some 12-inch trout in Red Feather Pond."

DENNIS THE MENACE

"I GUESS YOU'RE NEVER OLD ENOUGH TO KNOW BETTER, HUH, DAD?"

MOVIN' DOWNFIELD – Soccer continues in Snyder through mid-April, with playoff games scheduled April 20-27 and the tournament finals set for May 4. Action Monday, featured the Flames and the Cubs from the age 4-5 division. Pictured are, left to right, Nolan Lewis, Flames; Melissa Peatt, Cubs; Wesley Neely, Cubs; David Smith, Flames; Benjamin Cook, Cubs; Justin McNair, Flames and Eric Pesina, Flames. (SDN Staff Photo by Donny Brown)

Baseball roundup...

Enatsu tough for Milwaukee

By The Associated Press

Major-league life may be about to begin at 36 for Yutaka Enatsu.

After 18 years pitching for Hanshin, Nankai, Hiroshima, Nippon and Seibu in the Japanese League, the 36-year-old Enatsu is trying to hurl his way onto the Milwaukee Brewers this spring.

On Monday, he became a winner for the first time in the United States in a 4-2 exhibition victory over the Seattle Mariners when the Brewers overcame a 2-1 deficit with a two-run sixth inning. Enatsu gave up one hit in two innings of scoreless relief and is unscored upon in four innings.

"I think he's got a good chance," said Manager George Bamberger. "He's pitched as well as anybody else. What did I say his chances were - 50-50 last week? Well, it's 60-40 now."

Ted Simmons, who did the catching for the Brewers, was impressed with the 5-foot-11, 185-pound left-hander.

"The man is a big-league pitcher, plain and simple," Simmons said.

Another group of Brewers lost to the Chicago Cubs 6-3 as Ryne Sandberg, the National league's Most Valuable Player in 1984, collected three hits, including his first home run of the spring. The victory, coupled with a split-squad 6-2 victory over the Cleveland Indians, improved the Cubs' spring record to 8-3, surpassing their victory total for all of last spring when they finished 7-20.

Fernando Valenzuela displayed midseason form, yielding one hit - Dave Hostetler's second-inning single - in five innings and Pedro Guerrero homered as the Los Angeles Dodgers blanked the Montreal Expos 2-0.

The New York Yankees, who lost their first six games, made it four victories in a row against major-league opposition by edging the Boston Red Sox 2-1 on Andre Robertson's eighth-inning homer.

Mike Laga belted a two-run homer and Chris Pittaro had four hits to lead the Detroit Tigers over the Philadelphia Phillies 8-6.

Ron Jackson, a non-roster player, slammed a two-run homer to give the St. Louis Cardinals a 3-1 victory over Toronto and hand the Blue Jays their first loss in 10 exhibition games.

Buddy Biancalana singled home the tie-breaking run in the 12th inning and scored on a double by Mike Brewer as the Kansas City Royals beat the Baltimore Orioles 8-6.

Home runs by Luis Salazar, Harold Baines and Daryl Boston powered the Chicago White Sox to a 6-2 victory over the New York Mets.

Dan Gladden and Chili Davis hit solo home runs to lead the San Francisco Giants over the San Diego Padres 4-1.

San Diego outfielder Carmelo Martinez underwent surgery Monday to repair a damaged bone in his left hand and probably will miss the season opener. Martinez injured the hand playing winter ball and apparently aggravated it during spring training.

The California Angels pounded Oakland's Mike Warren for seven runs in the second inning and three in the third en route to a 14-5 victory over the A's. Reggie Jackson hit his first spring homer and drove in three runs for the Angels.

First baseman Daryl Sconiers finally showed up in the Angels' camp and told team officials he had a "substance problem." Sconiers and the Angels agreed he should meet with Dr. Gerald Roznasky of the Life Start Program at Centinela Hospital in Inglewood, Calif., to determine if he needs further help.

Paul O'Neill's three-run homer highlighted a four-run seventh inning that carried the Cincinnati Reds to a 7-4 victory over the Houston Astros.

Wayne Tolleson squeezed home Tommy Dunbar to cap a two-run ninth-inning rally that gave the Texas Rangers a 4-3 triumph over the Atlanta Braves.

Exhibition baseball

Exhibition Season

AMERICAN LEAGUE	W	L	Pct.
Toronto	9	1	.900
Detroit	8	3	.727
Baltimore	7	3	.700
Chicago	9	4	.692
California	4	2	.667
Cleveland	6	3	.667
Kansas City	5	5	.500
Seattle	3	4	.429
New York	4	6	.400
Oakland	3	5	.375
Texas	3	5	.375
Boston	4	7	.364
Milwaukee	4	7	.364
Minnesota	4	7	.364
NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Cincinnati	7	2	.778
Chicago	8	3	.727
Los Angeles	6	3	.667
Montreal	5	4	.556
San Francisco	5	4	.556
St.Louis	2	3	.400
New York	3	5	.375
Atlanta	4	7	.364
Philadelphia	2	5	.286
Houston	3	9	.250
Pittsburgh	1	5	.167
San Diego	1	6	.143

NOTE: Split-squad games count in standings

Monday's Games

Chicago White Sox 6, New York Mets 2
Cincinnati 7, Houston 4
San Francisco 4, San Diego 1
Chicago Cubs (ss) 6, Milwaukee (ss) 3
Chicago Cubs (ss) 6, Cleveland 2
Texas 4, Atlanta 3
Kansas City 8, Baltimore 6
Milwaukee (ss) 4, Seattle 2
New York Yankees 2, Boston 1
Los Angeles 2, Montreal 0
Minnesota 5, Pittsburgh 1
California 14, Oakland 5
St. Louis 3, Toronto 1
Detroit 8, Philadelphia 6

BIG CATCH – Bill Martin hooked this 42-inch, 42-pound catfish at Lake Thomas recently.

Chaps vie Wednesday

HUTCHINSON, Kan. -- Midland College, a two-point winner over Laredo in bi-region playoff action last weekend, will take on an Arkansas squad at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday in the National Junior College Athletic Association's National Basketball Tournament here.

High school baseball poll

LAREDO, Texas (AP) - Here is the Texas High School Baseball Coaches Association-Laredo Morning Times baseball poll of teams across the state through March 18.

CLASS 5A

1. Abilene Hastings 7-0-1
2. Abilene Cooper 11-1
3. Dallas Thomas Jefferson 9-2
4. Spring Westfield 6-2
5. Houston Spring Woods 7-0
6. Houston Bellaire 5-2
7. Ft. Worth Arlington Heights 6-0
8. Lubbock Monterey 8-2
9. North Garland 9-0-1
10. Laredo Nixon 9-0

CLASS 4A

1. Austin Westlake 11-1
2. Flour Bluff 6-0
3. De Soto 7-4
4. Waco Midway 8-0
5. Brazosport 5-2
6. Bay City 4-2
7. New Braunfels Canyon 8-2
8. Brenham 7-4
9. Snyder 10-2
10. Liberty-Eylau 6-0

CLASS 3A

1. Lufkin Hudson 6-0
2. Linden-Kildare 10-1
3. Graham 6-1
4. Refugio 3-0
5. Hooks 10-0
6. Gilmer 9-1
7. Pollock Central 5-1
8. Bellville 5-0
9. Commerce 5-1
10. Iowa Park 3-0

CLASS 2A

1. Leonard 5-0
2. Clifton 4-0
3. Holliday 3-0
4. Frankston 5-1
6. Riviera 5-1
6. Weimar 4-1
7. Nocona 5-2
8. Ore City 4-2
9. New Diana 5-3
10. Palmer 4-3

CLASS 1A

1. Prosper 2-0
2. Lago Vista 2-0
3. Central Heights 2-1
4. Colmesneil 3-2
5. Apple Springs 3-2
6. Fayetteville 3-3
7. Sabine Pass 2-2
8. Valley Mills 0-0
9. Runge 0-0
10. High Island 1-2

NCAA tourney

By The Associated Press

East Regional

Semifinals

Thursday, March 21

At Providence, R.I.

Georgia Tech, 26-7, vs. Illinois, 26-8

Georgetown, 32-2, vs. Loyola, Ill., 27-5

Championship

Saturday, March 23

At Providence, R.I.

Georgetown or Loyola, Ill. vs. Georgia Tech or Illinois

Southeast Regional

Semifinals

Friday, March 22

At Birmingham, Ala.

Maryland, 25-11, vs. Villanova, 21-10

North Carolina, 26-8, vs. Auburn, 22-11

Championship

Sunday, March 24

At Birmingham, Ala.

North Carolina or Auburn vs. Maryland or Villanova

Midwest Regional

Semifinals

Thursday, March 21

At Dallas

Louisiana Tech, 29-2, vs. Oklahoma, 30-5

Boston College, 20-10, vs. Memphis St., 29-3

Championship

Saturday, March 23

At Dallas

Louisiana Tech or Oklahoma vs. Boston College or Memphis St.

West Regional

Semifinals

Friday, March 22

At Denver

North Carolina St., 22-9, vs. Alabama, 23-9

St. John's, 29-3, vs. Kentucky, 18-12

Championship

Sunday, March 24

At Denver

N. Carolina St. or Alabama vs. St. John's or Kentucky

The Final Four

At Lexington, Ky.

Semifinals

Saturday, March 30

East Champion vs. West Champion

Southeast Champion vs. Midwest Champion

Championship

Monday, April 1

Semifinal winners

NIT glance

By The Associated Press

Second Round

Tuesday, March 19

Richmond, 21-10, at Indiana, 16-13

St. Joseph's, 19-11, at Virginia, 16-15

Marquette, 19-10, at Cincinnati, 17-13

New Mexico, 19-12, at Fresno St., 22-8

Nebraska, 16-12, at UCLA, 17-12

Wednesday, March 20

South Florida, 18-11, at Louisville, 17-16

Southwestern Louisiana, 17-13, at Tennessee 19-14

Tn.-Chattanooga, 23-7, at Lamar, 20-11

Quarterfinals

Saturday, March 23

Sites and pairings TBA

Semifinals

Wednesday, March 27

At New York

Championship

Friday, March 29

At New York

NBA glance

By The Associated Press

EASTERN CONFERENCE	W	L	Pct.	GB
Atlantic Division				
x-Boston	54	14	.794	—
x-Philadelphia	51	16	.761	2½
Washington	34	33	.507	19½
New Jersey	34	34	.500	20
New York	23	45	.338	31
Central Division				
x-Milwaukee	47	20	.701	—
Detroit	36	31	.537	11
Chicago	33	35	.485	14½
Cleveland	27	40	.403	20
Atlanta	26	42	.382	21½
Indiana	20	48	.294	27½
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
Denver	43	25	.632	—
Houston	39	28	.582	3½
Dallas	38	31	.551	5½
San Antonio	34	35	.493	9½
Utah	33	36	.478	10½
Kansas City	25	43	.368	18
Pacific Division				
y-L.A. Lakers	49	18	.731	—
Portland	32	36	.471	17½
Phoenix	31	37	.456	18½
Seattle	29	39	.426	20½
L.A. Clippers	24	46	.343	26½
Golden State	19	49	.279	30½

x-clinched playoff berth
y-clinched division title

Monday's Games

Denver 113, Dallas 111
Utah 136, Golden State 125
L.A. Clippers 136, Detroit 116

Tuesday's Games

Philadelphia at Cleveland
Washington vs. Atlanta at New Orleans
Chicago at Houston
New Jersey at Milwaukee
San Antonio at Dallas
L.A. Lakers at Phoenix
Detroit at Portland

Sukova avoiding upset bug so far

NEW YORK (AP) - Czechoslovakia's Helena Sukova called it luck that she escaped the upset bug that swept through the opening night of play in the $500,000 Virginia Slims Tennis Championships at Madison Square Garden.

Seeded fifth in the season-ending tournament, Sukova edged her doubles teammate, Claudia Kohde-Kilsch 7-6, 7-6 to advance to the second round of this elite 16-woman field where she will face Catarina Lindqvist of Sweden.

"It was maybe more luck on my side," Sukova said. "You miss a few shots and it's over."

Lindqvist began the upset parade by knocking off fourth-seeded Wendy Turnbull of Australia 3-6, 6-2, 6-2. Then Kathy Rinaldi advanced with a 6-3, 6-2 victory over No. 8 Carling Bassett of Canada.

Tonight, Chris Evert Lloyd, the No. 2 seed, takes on Kathy Jordan and third-seeded Hana Mandlikova of Czechoslovakia plays Andrea Temesvari of Hungary. The winner of Sunday's best-of-five-sets final - unique in women's tennis - pockets $125,000, the largest purse on the women's tour.

The defending champion and top seed, Martina Navratilova, will see her first-round action on Wednesday when she faces Lisa Bonder. The first round will be completed that night as No. 6 Manuela Maleeva of Bulgaria plays Pam Shriver and No. 7 Zina Garrison meets West Germany's Sylvia Hanika.

Tar Heels surprising

CHAPEL HILL, N.C. (AP) - Michael Jordan left early for the pros. Sam Perkins and Matt Doherty graduated. So, there is North Carolina, left with a lot of young players and still challenging for the national collegiate basketball title.

That challenge was supposed to have occurred last season, when Jordan, Perkins, Doherty and a good supporting cast were to have waltzed into Seattle's Kingdome for the NCAA Final Four. Indiana cut short the dance in the East Regional semifinals, yet Coach Dean Smith is convinced the No. 1 ranking his Tar Heels took into the tournament was deserved.

"If we were not the best team, Georgetown and us were the best teams in the country," Smith said. "Although we did have some injuries at the end of last year, we hit Indiana when they played a super game."

With his three top players gone, expectations were not high for 1985. Yet, Smith and the 26-8 Tar Heels are headed into the semifinals of the Southeast Regionals, where they will face Auburn.

"We're delighted to have won 26 games," said Smith. "I think you can point to young talent which has gained experience."

Smith draws no comparison between the 1984 team and the 1985 team.

"This team has its own chemistry," Smith said.

Brad Daugherty, the 6-foot-11 junior center, is the veteran among the starters at age 19. Sophomore point guard Kenny Smith missed the stretch run last season with a broken wrist.

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Senators debate, depositors organize

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — The state Senate today rejected a House-approved bill to help 69 savings and loan associations reopen with federal protection, while angry depositers questioned Gov. Richard Celeste over the failure of Home State Savings Bank.

Celeste, who on Friday ordered the savings and loans closed for three days to protect them against a run by depositors, on Monday extended the so-called bank holiday for 48 hours to give lawmakers time to work.

The state House then approved 85-2 a bill that would force the thrifts to become part of the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corp. But the Senate adjourned early today after lawmakers couldn't agree on whether to make FSLIC membership mandatory.

Celeste ordered the state's 70 privately insured thrifts shut down after a run triggered by the Cincinnati-based Home State's March 8 closing in the wake of revelations it could lose millions in the failure of ESM Government Securities Inc. of Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

The run jeopardized the assets of the Ohio Deposit Guarantee Fund, which provides private deposit insurance to state-chartered S&Ls. About 125 federally insured institutions are not affected and remain open.

One of the 70 closed institutions, Columbia Savings and Loan Co. of Cincinnati, opened Monday as a member of the FSLIC.

The governer took heat for the Home State situation during his monthly statewide radio call-in program Monday night. He tried to reassure depositors of the closed S&Ls he was doing everything he could to get them re-opened.

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Port's lawyer says teen's trial unfair

HOUSTON (AP) — The attorney for an 18-year-old man found guilty in the murder of a female mail carrier says he will seek a new trial for his client because the first court proceeding was not fair.

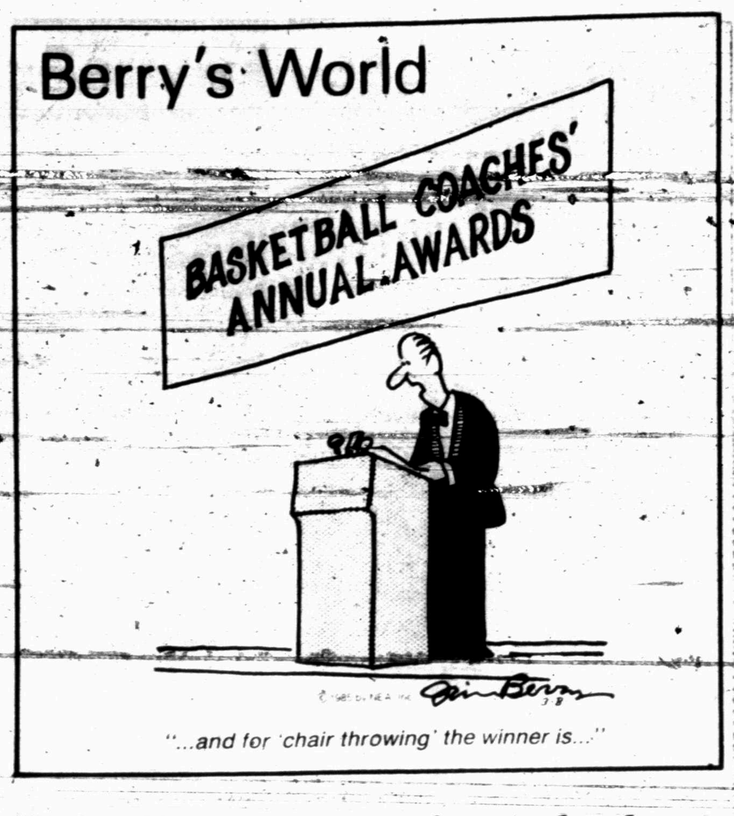
Houston lawyer Jack Zimmerman said Monday if the new trial is refused, he will then appeal David Port's conviction if his client's family agrees.

Port was convicted of fatally shooting Debra Sue Schatz, 23, as she delivered mail on June 7 in the fashionable west Houston neighborhood where the teenager lived with his parents.

The case drew national attention because the father and stepmother were jailed in Houston for refusing to testify against David Port before a grand jury. The parents were jailed for contempt of court while their son was free on a $2,000 bond. Both parents were later released.

The trial was moved from to New Braunfels on a change of venue after state District Judge I.D. McMaster ruled the extensive publicity surrounding the case made it impossible to seat an impartial jury in Houston.

In a pretrial hearing, McMaster decided to allow into evidence a police officer's report of an oral confession young Port allegedly made.



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Wife of businessman shot to death

BROWNWOOD, Texas (AP) — The wife of a prominent West Texas businessman has been shot to death, police said today.

The woman, whose first name was not immediately avaialble, was the wife of James R. Beadel, former prinicpal owner of the JRB grocery store chain, said Lt. Dwayne Pluckhahn. He said the woman was shot in the left shoulder about 8:45 p.m. Monday.

A police spokesman said a news conference would be held today by the police chief. Officers would not even disclose the victim's first name or her age.

Justice of the Peace Joe Bob Morgan ordered an autopsy.

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MEAGAN HILL and Shahala Marricle, students at Kellye's School of Dance and Gymnastics, practice on the gymnastics duet they will perform at the East Elememtary Talent Show. (SDN Staff Photo)

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Kellye's School of Dance and Gymnastics, located at 1817 25th Street, specializes in tap, ballet, jazz, modern, gymnastics and ladies exercise classes.

Kellye Luera, owner of Kellye's School of Dance and Gymnastics, has been involved in dance for 17 years. She began her training at age 6 in Ft. Worth and attended Texas Women's University in Denton where she majored in dance education. She began student teaching at age 16 and has nine years teaching experience. Her specialty is tap, but she also has a special interest in modern.

On March 23 and 24th, Kellye will be in Lubbock attending a Dance Masters Convention and will be taking her test to become a member.

Kellye took four students, Cecilia Meek, Mecca McCowen, Melissa Jones and Kimberly Mitchell to the Joe Tremaine Dance Convention in Dallas February 15th, 16th and 17th. They attended the students and advanced students workshops while she attended the teachers classs. Many top name teachers such as Joe Tremaine, Doug Caldwell, Jimmy Taylor, Larry Rosenberg and Fred Walton held the workshops.

This year began with Kellye working with the high school drama department and doing much of the choreography for the production of "Grease." She will also be choreographing some of the moves for the junior high Pop's Concert after the spring break. Two of her students, Christy Quintela and Jennifer Lancaster, will be auditioning to perform advance numbers in that concert.

Quite a few of Kellye's students will be performing in a talent show at East Elementary on April 15th. Kay Porter, the gymnastics teacher will be working with 6th graders, Jamie Beck and Jennifer Rios, on their gymnastics duet routine. Kellye is working with 4th grader Neika Porter and 6th grader Katrina Carrasco on solo gymnastic routines, Shahala Marricle and Megan Hill, kindergarten students, on a dance and gymnastics duet and Tabitha Dunham on a dance and gymnastics solo.

On June 1, at 7 p.m., Kellye's School of Dance and Gymnastics will have an annual spring recital at the coliseum. The public is invited to attend and there is no admission charge. The recital will consist of many different dance and gymnastics routines. This year Kellye has a few guys that are helping her out in a piece that is very modern. The piece is titled "Shapes in Motion" and is considered more modern dance than jazz. The dancers will be moving through some very interesting shapes on stage.

Births

A baby boy weighing 5 lbs. 7 ozs. was born to Rhonda and David Wickline of Snyder on Feb. 18 in Lubbock Methodist Hospital. He has been named Chad Hunter. His grandparents are Tommy and Billie Bumpass of Snyder and Charles and Norma Wickline of Elkview, W.Va.

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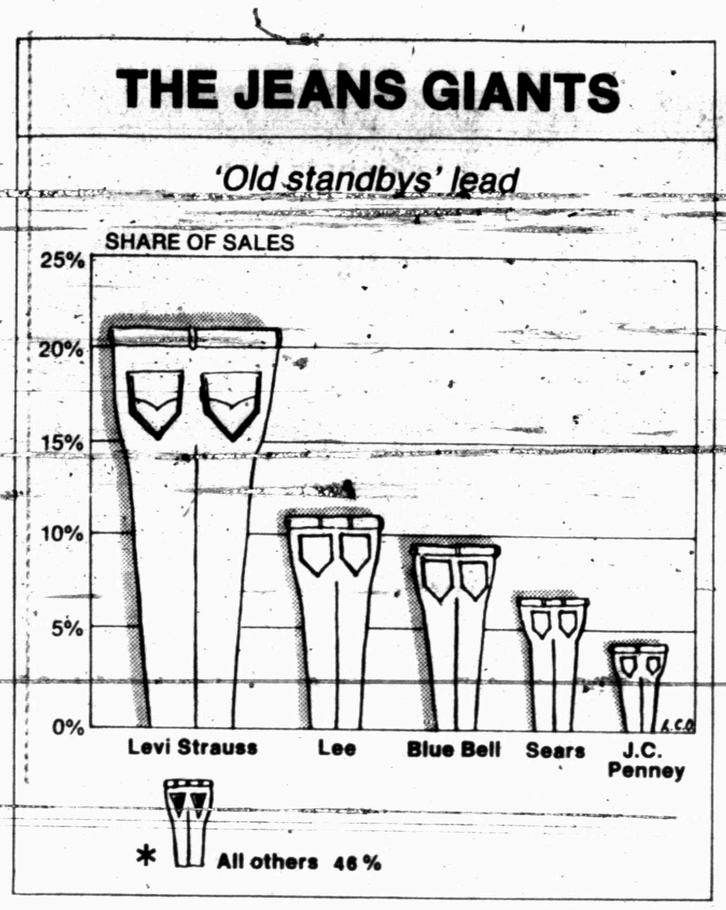

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The Franco-Prussian War came to an end in 1871 with the surrender of Paris, marking the end of the first all-out clash between the newly-united Germany and its traditional enemy.

Jim Mattox: no problem with image

AUSTIN (AP) — Attorney General Jim Mattox, insisting his acquittal on a commercial bribery charge left him stronger politically, says he has nothing to fear from the public.

"The trial was something I did because I was not guilty of anything. I did not violate the law and I would not ... I think the people out there understand that," Mattox said Monday.

Although stopping short of announcing that he will seek re-election, Mattox said he was ready for anyone the Republican Party might run against him next year.

"The political campaign trail has been strewn with the bodies of Republicans that thought they could unseat me. I suspect I'll have opposition. Tell them to put up their money," he said.

Mattox also ridiculed a pledge from state Republican Party chairman George Strake of Houston, who said the GOP will have a solid candidate to challenge Mattox.

Noting that Strake lost a bid for lieutenant governor in 1982, Mattox said, "The people of Texas have already spoken what they think of Mr. Strake and his capabilities toward state government. I'm not at all concerned about it."

In the trial, Mattox was accused of threatening to withhold his [illegible] prepared by the Fulbright & Jaworski law firm unless one of its lawyers, who represented Mobil Oil Corp. in an oil rights [illegible] his sister.

Mattox said Monday he is convinced his legal troubles were due to the efforts of Mobil and [illegible] lawyer to win that oil rights suit. The case was settled last year, with Mobil returning nearly 15,000 acres of land to the state,

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Law authorities working together

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Last year, an estimated 87,781 motor vehicles were stolen in the state, compared to 82,522 in 1983, according to figures released last week by the Texas Department of Public Safety.

"Houston, Dallas, San Antonio and their collar communities accounted for 74.21 percent of the state's total (vehicle) thefts," Paul W. Gillilan, president of the National Automobile Theft Board, told the Texas City Sun.

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New construction takes big plunge

WASHINGTON (AP) — Housing construction, hurt by a steep drop in apartment building, plunged 11 percent in February, the sharpest decline in almost a year, the government reported today.

The Commerce Department said that construction of new homes dropped to a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 1.64 million units last month, down from a rate of 1.84 million units in January.

The decline, the sharpest since housing starts fell 23 percent last March, came despite the fact that construction of single-family homes rose 5.3 percent during the month.

That gain was offset by a 36.7 percent drop in construction of apartment developments with five or more units. Construction of apartment projects with two to four units fell 12.4 percent.

Michael Sumichrast, chief economist for the National Association of Home Buildees, said there could be concern about rising interest rates.

LEGAL NOTICES 010

CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 8.069 miles of Widen Grading, Structures, Flexible Base and 2 CST from 17.1 Mi. SW of View to 19.7 Mi. SW of View and from 11.6 Mi. SW of View to 17.1 Mi. SW of View on Highway No. US 277, covered by FR 1169(1) in Taylor County, will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, until 9:00 A.M., April 4, 1985 and then publicly opened and read.

This contract is subject to all appropriate Federal laws, including Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by Law are available for inspection at the office of Joe Higgins, Resident Engineer, Abilene, Texas, and at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction Division, D. C. Greer State Highway Building, 11th and Brazos Streets, Austin, Texas 78701. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder.

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NOTICE OF HEARING, CITY OF SNYDER, PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION

NOTICE Is hereby given that a public hearing will be held Tuesday, March 26, 1985 at 5:15 p.m., at the City Hall, 1925 24th Street, Snyder, Texas, to review and discuss the following items.

Review Special Use Case No. SU-008, request of Virginia Edwards to operate a dog grooming salon in her home at 507 32nd Street. T.N. Nunn Addition, Lot 4, Block1.

Special Use Case No. SU-009, request of Rhonda Cox to operate a beauty shop in her home at 3707 Ave. U, Section 182, Block 3, H&GN Railroad Co. Survey.

Zone Case No. 256, request of C.S. Cochran to rezone Lots 1,2, & 3, Block 36, A.C. Wilmeth Addition, located at 610 26th St., from an existing R-3 Zone to an C-1 Zone.

Zone Case No. 257, request of David Strunk to rezone Lots 7 thru 12, Block 6, of the Noble Heights Addition, located in the 1500 block of 39th St. from an existing R-1 Zone to an R-3 Zone.

After review by the Planning and Zoning Commission, this request shall be forwarded to the City Council for their review at the earliest date available.

Rick Conner
City Engineer

Body found Monday at Borden County site

The body of a 77-year-old San Angelo man — whose whereabouts had been unknown since March 8 — was found in far southern Borden County Monday afternoon.

Found dead at the scene was William Harden Reed. He was discovered approximately ½ mile from his pickup, apparently abandoned after he experienced a flat tire.

Indications are he may have been dead for several days. An autopsy has been ordered, but no foul play is suspected, according to Borden County Sheriff "Slick" Sneed, who assisted other area law enforcement officers during a search for Reed.

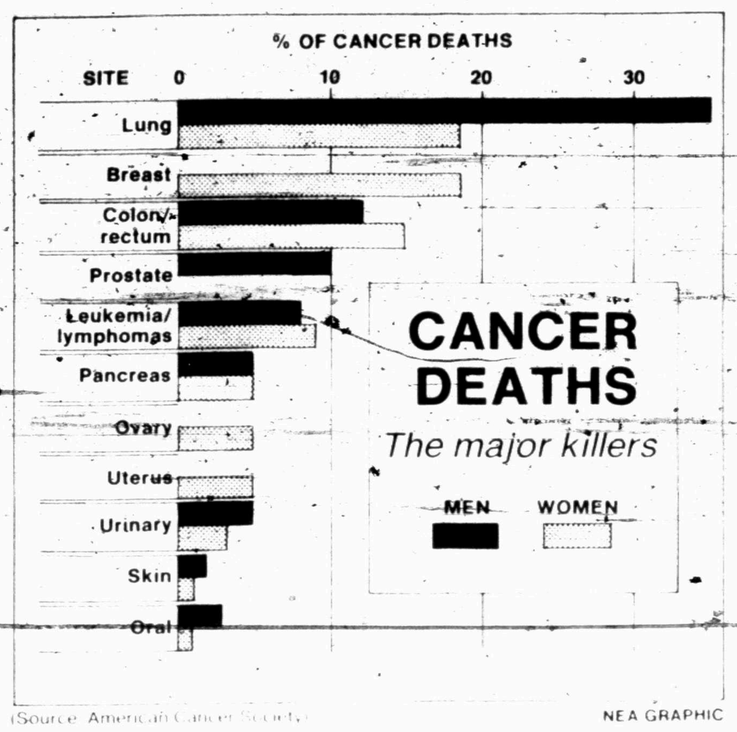
Aiding in the search was Snyder-based Texas Ranger David Byrnes.

Reed's pickup was found abandoned around 9:20 a.m. Monday by a Big Spring highway patrolman. It was found beside FM 1050 some 15 miles north of Vealmoor — which is just over the Howard-Borden County line.

Reed's body was then spotted around 3:45 p.m. by Byrnes, who was among searchers flying over the area in a Department of Public Safety helicopter.

According to reports, Reed was last seen March 8 near Mathis Field, an airport southwest of San Angelo. A witness who assisted him at that time indicated he appeared disoriented.

This has led officers to speculate he may have been suffering from the effects of a slight stroke.



(Source: American Cancer Society) NEA GRAPHIC

Lung cancer is the chief cause of cancer deaths among men, with 35 percent of the total. Among women, lung cancer and breast cancer are No. 1 with each causing 18 percent of those cancer deaths.

People encouraged to consume less meat

WASHINGTON (AP) — Spring arrives on Wednesday, March 20, which also is National Agriculture Day and the first Great American Meatout.

According to the Washington-based Farm Animal Reform Movement Inc., "thousands of Americans" across the nation will observe the arrival of spring "by kicking the meat habit" at least for the day.

"The Great-American Meatout (patterned after the Great American Smokeout campaign) is designed to reduce the national consumption of meat and thereby to mitigate the destructive effects of intensive animal agriculture on consumer health, world agricultural resources, environmental quality and animal welfare," the movement said in its announcement.

"Raising animals for food consumes up to 90 percent of our agricultural resources, depletes our topsoil and groundwater, pollutes our lakes and streams, destroys forests and other wildlife habitats, and causes intense suffering to six billion animals annually."

The six billion animals include billions of poultry, including about four billion broilers that are slaughtered each year.

A spokeswoman for the American Meat Institute, which represents the meat packing and processing industries, called the plan and claims by the group "really quite ill-founded and illogical."

The institute's Mary Burnette said Monday that the movement's allegations cannot be supported by evidence, particularly those claims that meat is in some way harmful to those who eat it.

"Our contention is that red meat is really a significant contributor to the nutritional well-being of Americans, and anything that implies anything other than that is really quite misleading and does the public a disservice," she told The Associated Press.

Gene Hemphill, an aide to Agriculture Secretary John R. Block, said he had not heard of any Agriculture Department participation or recognition of The Great American Meatout. Block's family farm in Illinois produces hogs, for the pork market.

The movement's announcement said "meatout supporters" will be distributing thousands of small folders detailing "the major problems with meat production and consumption" and providing tips on how to quit eating meat.

New vaccine may be few years away

WASHINGTON (AP) — A new vaccine may be only a few years away to control coccidiosis, an intestinal disease which costs the U.S. poultry industry $300 million a year, says Agriculture Secretary John R. Block.

Block said Monday that scientists have produced "a genetically engineered antigen" or protein which helps produce disease-fighting antibodies in fowl.

Although the protection against coccidiosis is not complete, Block said the results are "highly encouraging" because the new antigen offers the first potential shield against the disease without inducing actual infection in order to develop immunity.

The department's Agricultural Research Service used spleen cells from mice that had been injected with coccidia, the parasites that cause the disease.

Roger Mize is named to board

Roger B. Mize, president of Snyder National Bank, has been appointed to the Investment Advisory Committee of Teacher Retirement System of Texas by the TRS Board of Trustees.

The Retirement System which provides retirement, death and disability benefits for public school employees in Texas serves over 470,000 active members, and 89,000 annuitants and has assets of over $10 billion. It is the fifth largest public pension fund in the nation.

The Investment Advisory Committee advises the Board of Trustees with respect to investment policy, planning and evaluation of investments. Mize is a former member of the TRS Board of Trustees and served for two years as chairman.

Shifflett reception is slated Sunday

A reception honoring Laura Shifflet, the first Girl Scout in the West Texas Girl Scout Council, to earn a Gold Award, is slated for 2 p.m. Sunday at the First United Methodist Church. The public is invited.

The Gold Award will be presented locally during the reception. Laura is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Shifflett.

Medical expense rule reduces deductions

WASHINGTON (AP) — More than 12.5 million couples and individuals have lost their tax deduction for medical expenses because of a congressional attack on the federal deficit.

The Internal Revenue Service says 9.6 million couples and individuals claimed a medical deduction on returns filed last year, a drop of 56.2 percent. Total medical deductions fell by almost 18 percent, to $17.9 billion.

However, because the changes voted by Congress in 1982 eliminated many smaller medical deductions, the average writeoff almost doubled in 1983, to $1,852.

Under the old law, a person who itemized could take a separate deduction of up $150 for half the premiums paid for medical insurance. Other medical expenses were deductible only to the extent they exceeded 3 percent of adjusted gross income. As part of the deficit-reduction effort, Congress took away the separate medical-insurance writeoff and raised the deductible threshold to 5 percent.

A change in the deduction for non-business casualty and theft losses produced even more dramatic results. The number of couples and individuals claiming that deduction dropped by more than 90 percent in 1983, to 191,000. Claimed losses fell from $2.8 billion to $800 million.

Under the new law, only losses exceeding 10 percent of income may be deducted, and the taxpayer must absorb the first $100 of each loss.

The number of itemizers deducting charitable contributions rose last year by 5.1 percent, to 32 million, and they claimed donations of $37.5 billion, a 12.1 percent increase.

The number itemizing state and local taxes paid and interest deductions continued to rise steadily. Interest deducted totaled $132.5 billion; state and local taxes, $100 billion.

The IRS says 35.2 million people itemized deductions last year, or 36.6 percent of all returns. That was up 5.3 percent.

Markets
Midday Stocks

NEW YORK (AP)

	High	Low	Last
AMR Corp	38⅞	38⅜	38¼
Amer Can	50¼	49⅞	50
Ameritech	82¼	82	82¼
AMI Inc	23½	23¼	23⅜
Am Motors	3⅝	3½	3½
AmStand	30¾	30½	30¾
Amer T&T	22	21⅞	21½
ArmcoInc	9½	9⅜	9½
AtlRichfld	48½	48¼	48¼
BancTexas	4	3⅞	3⅞
BellAtlan	83⅝	83⅜	83½
BellSouth s	36¾	36½	36⅝
Beth Steel	16½	16¼	16⅜
Borden	67⅝	67¼	67¼
CaterpTr	29½	29⅛	29⅜
Centel	40¾	40½	40½
Chevron	33⅞	33⅝	33⅞
Chrysler	34¼	33¾	34
CocaCola	63⅞	63⅝	63¾
Coleman	30⅜	30⅜	30⅜
ComlMetl	17¾	17¾	17¾
DiamShm	18⅛	17⅞	18
DowChem	29	28½	29
DressrInd	20¾	20½	20½
East Kodak	68⅞	68⅜	68½
Enserch	29⅜	28⅝	29¼
EntexInc	18	17¾	17⅞
Exxon	48⅞	48½	48¾
FedlCo	34⅞	34⅞	34⅞
Firestone	18⅛	18	18⅛
FtBcpTex	15⅜	15⅛	15⅜
FordMot	43	42⅝	42⅞
GAF Corp	31	30⅞	30⅞
GTE Corp	43	42⅞	43
GnDynam	72⅜	72	72¼
GenElec	61⅜	61	61¼
Gen Food	60⅞	60⅜	60⅝
Gen Motors	76	75½	75⅞
GnMotr E n	64⅛	63⅞	64
Goodrich	29⅝	29½	29⅝
Goodyear	26⅛	26	26⅛
GtAtlPac	16⅜	16¼	16⅜
Haliburtn	30⅝	30⅜	30⅜
Holiday Inn	50½	50⅛	50¼
HoustInd	22¾	22⅝	22⅝
HughesTl	15⅛	15	15
Interfst	11	10¾	10⅞
IBM	128⅞	128¼	128¾
Intl Harv	9⅞	9¾	9¾
Int Paper	49¾	49⅜	49⅜
JeffPilot s	40½	40⅛	40½
JohnsJn	39⅝	39⅜	39⅝
K mart	32⅝	32½	32½
KrogerCo	39¾	39½	39⅝
LTV Corp	10	9⅞	9⅞
Litton Ind	65¾	65⅝	65⅝
LoneSta Ind	22¼	22¼	22¼
Lowes	27⅜	27	27
MCorp	22¼	22¼	22¼
MayDSt s	44¼	44¼	44¼
Medtronic	31⅜	31¼	31¼
Mobil	29⅜	29⅛	29¼
Monsanto s	42½	42	42
Motorola s	32⅛	31¾	32
NabiscoBrd	57⅜	56⅞	57⅜
NYNEX	81	80¾	80⅞
PacifTel	71¼	71	71
Penney JC	47¾	47⅜	47½
Phelps Dod	18⅜	18	18¼
PhillpsPet	45⅝	42¾	44⅛
PhilPet wd	37¾	37⅛	37⅝
Polaroid	26⅜	26⅛	26¼
ProctGamb	55⅞	55⅝	55⅞
PubS NwMx	24⅜	24⅛	24⅜
RCA	40⅞	40⅛	40⅞
RepBankCp	32⅜	32¼	32¼
Sabine	17	17	17
Safeway	31⅞	31½	31⅝
SFeSouPac	26¼	26	26⅛
SearsRoeb	34⅛	33⅞	34⅛
ShellOil	59	59	59
Singer Co	35	34¾	34¾
Southern Co	19	18⅞	18⅞
Southland	32½	32⅛	32¼
SwstBell	74½	74⅛	74½
Sperry Cp	51¼	50½	51
StdOilInd	63⅜	63	63
StdOilOh	46⅛	46	46⅛
SunComp	49	48¾	48⅞
TNP Ent	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝
Tandy	32	31¾	31¾
Tenneco	39⅞	39⅝	39¾
Texaco Inc	34⅞	34¾	34¾
TexAmBnch	34⅞	34⅞	34⅞
TexComBn	35¾	35¼	35½
TexEastn s	31⅞	31⅞	31⅞
Texas Inst	110¼	109⅞	110⅛
TexasOGas	17½	17⅜	17½
Tex Util	26⅞	26⅝	26⅞
TylerCp	32	31¾	31¾
Un Carbide	37	36⅝	36⅝
UnPacCp	47⅝	47	47⅝
US Steel	27	26⅞	27
USWest	76⅛	75¾	75⅞
UniTel	22⅞	22⅝	22⅞
Unocal	49¾	48½	48¾
WalMart	45	44¾	44¾
WestghEl s	29⅞	29⅝	29⅝
Xerox Cp	42¾	42⅜	42¾
ZenithE	20⅝	20½	20½

Merger won't affect viewers

NEW YORK (AP) — "Dynasty" will still be "Dynasty" and viewers probably will notice no changes after Capital Cities Communications Inc. acquires the larger American Broadcasting Cos. for $3.5 billion, say analysts who see clear sailing for the proposed deal.

The merger, announced Monday, would represent the first time ownership of a major television network has changed hands. The creation of Capital Cities-ABC Inc. must be approved by shareholders of both companies and includes participation by Warren Buffett, one of the nation's richest men.

ABC, which had been a rumored takeover target for months, had been a strong second in prime-time TV ratings in recent years, but slid into third in the current season. However, its daytime TV operations remain highly profitable, analysts say, and it has 214 affiliated stations nationwide.

"I'd be surprised if the viewer is affected at all," Susan V. Watson, a security analyst for Morgan Stanley & Co., said Monday. "This is really more a corporate question. It never shows with the viewer when the (broadcasting) stock goes up or down, and this should be no different."

ABC has television and radio operations and also is involved in publishing, video enterprises, motion pictures and scenic attractions. Capital Cities owns newspapers, TV and radio stations and cable TV systems.

"We just thought it was a natural fit between the two companies," said Thomas S. Murphy, head of Capital Cities, "and we thought we'd have an opportunity to handle the new possibilities coming up in the electronics field better together."

ABC chief Leonard Goldenson said, "I feel that the company I built from scratch is in good hands and that it will be carried on, and that's important to me."

Export ban affecting Chihuahua ranchers

CHIHUAHUA, Mexico (AP) — A government ban on cattle exports imposed to remedy a Mexico City meat shortage threatens a $40 million a year industry in this sprawling border state.

Yet, a federal official here says Chihuahua beef never was shipped to the nation's capital.

"This prohibition will affect Chihuahua more than any other state," says Roberto Valdez Lopez, state head of the federal Agriculture Department's cattle development office.

"Since the 1940s, the focus here has been on exportation," he said. "The problem in Chihuahua is the arid land. We don't produce grains to fatten cattle for slaughter.

Chihuahua, the largest of Mexico's 31 states, is bordered to the north by New Mexico and Texas and is the nation's No. 1 cattle exporter. Nearly half its 154,000 square miles — the portion used largely for cattle raising — is desert land.

Chihuahua ranchers exported about 70 percent of the 238,000 male calves produced last year to the United States — mostly to Texas, California, Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona and Oklahoma — bringing in an estimated $44 million.

Another 25 percent went to Mexico's northern border states of Sonora, Coahuila and Nuevo Leon where land and climate conditions are more conducive to growing feed crops.

The federal government halted cattle exports in early January and authorized the importation of several thousand head of cattle from the United States and Guatemala after residents of Mexico City and some cities in Durango, Puebla, Tabasco and Chihuahua found their meat market shelves bare.

Although the government attributed the shortage to an undersupply of beef, the three-week crisis seemed to stem also from a boycott by meat retailers who complained wholesalers were charging more than authorized price.

In the Mexico City area, 14,000 meat markets went on strike temporarily to protest the high prices.

But Valdez says the ban makes little sense and Chihuahua ranchers are furious with their government for "making a decision without knowing the specific conditions of this state."

Chihuahua's contribution to the Mexico City meat supply historically has been small because ranchers in the states of Chiapas, Veracruz and Tabasco closer to the capital ship fatter cattle over a shorter distance.

And, says Valdez, no one in Mexico City requested Chihuahua beef during the shortage.

As a result, cattle that would have been sold in the United States remain in the pastures where they are threatening to destroy the land's delicate balance.

Vandalism case cleared

Police reported clearing a recent vandalism incident at North Elementary School Monday with the identification of three juvenile suspects.

The three youth are thought to have been involved in the breaking of five windows and damaging of an outdoor light fixture at the school prior to March 11.

No charges are expected to be filed in connection with the incident and school officials were reported to be arranging restitution for damage — estimated at $60 — with parents of the suspects.

In other action, police were dispatched to the area around the 300 Block of 29th St. shortly before 7 p.m. Monday in response to reports of gunshots fired in the area.

Several witnesses reported hearing several shots fired around 6:58 p.m. but a search of the area yielded no suspect in the incident nor signs of damage or injury.

Minor injuries follow accident

Two traffic accidents, one carried as major on city police reports, were reported in Snyder Monday.

Two children — Erin and Joshua Rambo of 3105 41st St. — were reported taken to Cogdell Memorial Hospital for treatment of minor injuries described as cuts and bruises. The 1979 Oldsmobile driven by their mother, Teresa Bannan Rambo, was involved in a collision with a 1981 Chevrolet driven by Lorelei Jones of Rt. 3, Snyder.

The mishap occurred in the 3100 Block of College Ave. at 3:51 p.m.

Both children were treated at the local hospital and released.

Monday's first accident was reported at 8:25 a.m. in the 300 Block of College Ave.

According to reports, Russell Don Radican of 2106 Gilmore Ave. apparently lost control of a 1977 Oldsmobile he was driving and struck a road sign owned by the Texas Highway Department.

Obituaries

Dorothy Rogers

STAMFORD—Services for Dorothy Rogers, 57, of Stamford will be at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday at Solomon Temple Baptist Church. Burial will be at Highland Memorial Cemetery.

She died at 9:15 p.m. Sunday at Stamford Memorial Hospital, following a lengthy illness.

She was the sister of Barbara Davis of Snyder.

She was born Feb. 13, 1928 in Stamford.

She is survived by her mother; nine other sisters; six brothers; and numerous sisters-in-law, nieces and nephews.

Get more from your garden

Tips on starting seeds

By Dick Raymond

People often ask me, "Is it a big deal to start some of my vegetable plants from seed indoors?" I usually reply, "If you have a few empty milk cartons and a sunny window, you're in business."

Here's all you'll need: some flats or containers, a waterproof marking pen, small stakes, a bag of soil mix, ordinary house-plant fertilizer, a watering can and kitchen plastic wrap.

As for containers: Egg cartons, plastic dishes or any household throwaway material you can come up with will do. The container only needs to be about 1 1/2 inches deep, and you must be able to punch drainage holes in the bottom. Remember: This is just for seed starting and sprouting — until the seedlings are an inch or two tall. Then you're going to transplant them into deeper, more substantial containers.

I take soil mix and dump some into a large pail. I prefer a package mix because it has some inorganic material added. This helps to hold moisture. Look for "soil" rather than "pure potting soil." The tiny seedlings aren't going to need (or want) a heavy medium at this point. And packaged mixes have been sterilized to avoid "damping off" due to live organisms (the sorts that are in your backyard soil).

Next, I moisten the mix in a pail. This makes it much easier to fill the containers. Dry, the mix often flies into the air. And then attempting to wet it causes it to flood over the side and make a mess.

I simply sprinkle my seeds over the soil-filled flats, much as you'd shake salt and pepper on food. Then I gently press the seeds into the soil mix with a piece of cardboard or smooth, flat wooden shingle. This makes sure the seeds have firm contact with soil and moisture. The next step is covering the seeds with a handful of pre-moistened soil mix to a depth of four times the diameter of the seeds. (For lettuce, that's about one-quarter inch. Tomatoes and cabbages, closer to a one-half inch.) This covering, too, I press down gently.

Finally, I label the flat carefully. It helps to use just one variety per container, to avoid confusion, because some varieties will sprout faster than others by a few days. Then I place the whole flat inside a plastic kitchen bag or wrap it with plastic food wrap and set it on the fridge — any place away from drafts. (Don't place seeded flats on the windowsill. Sun will dehydrate the soil mix. Seeds trying to sprout need relatively warm, even temperature.)

Once the seeds have sprouted, unwrap the plastic and set the flats in a sunny place. Water as needed, adding regular houseplant fertilizer to the water once a week. Turn the flats every few days, so the plants don't bend toward the light source and get "leggier" than necessary.

When seedlings are a few inches high, it's time to transplant them into deeper containers. This is a great chance to "set them back." I actually bury most vegetables right up to the topmost leaf cluster. This means all that first amount of stem can turn into a root system. The idea is to encourage the best foundation possible for young plants, before they're set out in the garden.

Have your family and neighbors collect half-gallon, quart and pint milk cartons. They're coated with wax, and hold up for many weeks of indoor growing and watering. Lighter containers of cardboard can rot and fall apart.

Watering tip: Set flats in a large tray, and water from the bottom. This prevents knocking the tender seedlings over into the mud.

If you follow these steps, you should have great success. Keep in mind: Those seeds are pretty tough characters. They contain a lot of energy directed at producing the plant, so once they get loose soil, moisture and light, they're hard to stop.

Do you have any gardening questions? Write to Dick Raymond Family Gardens, R.D. North Ferrisburg, VT 05473.

Dick Raymond is the author of "The Joy of Gardening" and star of "The Joy of Gardening," a nationally syndicated television gardening series.

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Dear Abby

Son Who Marches to Different Beat Is Too Far Out of Step

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: We have a family problem: In May, my stepson will be graduating from medical school, and our family is having a reception in his honor.

My husband and I have a 15-year-old son who has a spiked Mohawk haircut and wears unconventional clothes, such as orange T-shirts, army jackets and jeans. We always encouraged "Steve" to be an individual while he was growing up; for this reason he feels it's his right to look as he wishes.

My husband refuses to allow Steve to attend his stepbrother's reception with his hair in a Mohawk and punk-rock attire. He says he would be embarrassed by Steve's appearance, and others might find it offensive. Steve refuses to attend unless he can come as "himself" (especially since he's not crazy about being with all those adults anyway).

I say it's my husband's problem or that of our guests if they can't accept Steve as he is.

What do you think would be a fair solution to this problem?

CAUGHT IN THE MIDDLE

DEAR CAUGHT: Since you and your husband always encouraged Steve to be an individual as he was growing up, nobody should be surprised if he isn't conforming to convention now.

If Father won't let Steve attend the reception in his punk attire, and Steve refuses to attend unless he can be "himself," that settles it.

Since Steve isn't crazy about attending anyway, he's off the hook. If Steve isn't there, Father won't be embarrassed and the guests won't be offended. So as I see it, no solution is necessary because there's no problem.

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DEAR ABBY: On St. Valentine's Day you had a whole paragraph telling people to be "sweethearts" by doing nice things for others.

It was fine until I came to the last part, which read: "Forgive an enemy. Pray for your friends. Donate some blood. Pay your doctor bill. Listen to your teen-ager. *Tip the cook in addition to the waitress.*"

Abby, you must be kidding! Why tip the cook? Don't you know that the cook is the highest paid employee in the restaurant! In fact, in the better restaurants the cook has more money than most of the people who eat there.

BEVERLY HILLS WAITER

DEAR WAITER: Sorry. I should have said, "*Compliment* the cook if the food is exceptional."

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DEAR ABBY: I was reared to say, "No, ma'am," "Yes, sir," etc. regardless of the person's age.

I recently made a purchase at a bookstore, and when the young lady who waited on me asked if I wanted to pay cash, I replied, "Yes, ma'am."

She jumped down my throat and said, "I'll have you know I'm younger than you, and I don't appreciate your insinuating that I am older!" I was shocked at her rudeness.

This morning on a TV game show, a young contestant was asked if he was married. He replied, "No, sir." Later on, the young man won a trip to Hawaii for two, so the host asked if he had someone to go with him, and the contestant replied, "Yes, sir."

When the host was signing off, he said, "... And please don't call me 'sir' anymore, as it makes me feel old!"

Abby, is it still correct to say ma'am and sir in today's society? Or am I out of step?

TECUMSEH, OKLA.

DEAR TECUMSEH: Yes, sir, it is still correct!

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(Do you hate to write letters because you don't know what to say? Thank-you notes, sympathy letters, congratulations, how to decline and accept invitations and how to write an interesting letter are included in Abby's booklet, "How to Write Letters for All Occasions." Send your name and address clearly printed with a check or money order for $2.50 (this includes postage) to: Dear Abby, Letter Booklet, P.O. Box 38923, Hollywood, Calif. 90038.)

'Star Wars' designer honored

AUSTIN (AP) — It will take the Soviet Union years to catch up on technology for the "star wars" nuclear defense, says the University of Texas professor honored for work that includes a key building block for the proposed system.

"It's the part of star wars that no one else has — including the Russians," said H. Grady Rylander, who won the 1985 Leonardo da Vinci award from the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.

"By the time they figure out how to copy it, we'll still be 10 years ahead of them. We know where the blind alleys are. The possibility that they could make it work right away is remote," Rylander said.

The award represents design work Rylander has done throughout his career. But the engineering society expressed particular interest in the generator, for which he holds major patents, by displaying a model of it at a meeting last week.

"It's one of the major keys to making President Reagan's program work," Rylander said of the generator he and other UT engineers developed with funds from the U.S. Defense Department.

"As far as I know, it's the only generator in the world with the power to run these star wars countermeasures. It stores energy and zaps it real quick," Rylander said.

Star wars is the popular term for the strategic defense initiative, a research effort to find a non-nuclear defense against Soviet missiles.

Rylander, 63, is a Pearsall native who helped design the dams at Marble Falls. For nine years, he has been chairman of the mechanical engineering department at UT and head of the center for electromechanics in the department.

The generator technically is called a homopolar generator. The device took five years to develop. It is used to produce hundreds of millions of watts in brief pulses of power lasting a second or less.

"It can be used to run electric guns, laser weapons and so forth," Rylander explained.

Rylander said the defense department wants the generator to fire supercharged electric guns mounted on unmanned satellites orbiting the Earth.

The orbiting guns could defend U.S. intelligence satellites against attack as well as shoot down nuclear missiles, he said.

Rylander said the generator also has numerous industrial uses — such as rapid welding of oil pipeline — and was partially funded by private industry.

Government involvement "undoubtedly is slowing down some of our peaceful purposes for the generator. But they are funding more breakthroughs with even greater civilian applications," Rylander said.

Rylander said UT expects to receive $10 million this year in defense contracts to continue development of the generator. Defense officials recently announced $19 million in grants for star wars research at five other universities, including UT-Arlington and Texas Tech University.

"They got the publicity. But we continue to get the lion's share of the money," Rylander said.

ABC buy shouldn't have big impact

FORT WORTH (AP) — Texas properties owned by Capital Cities Communications Inc. should not feel a major impact from the corporation's purchase of American Broadcasting Cos. Inc., officials said.

"We don't see anything dramatic happening here because we're in such a strong position," said Jim Masucci, vice president and operations manager for Houston's KTRK-TV Channel 13, one of four ABC television affiliates owned by Capital Cities.

"I guess if you were coming from behind the pack someplace you might see it differently."

The merger "just helps the Communications Commission.

KTRK is the only Texas television station owned by Capital company grow larger," said Tom Cronk, publisher of the Arlington (Texas) Citizen-Journal, a semi-weekly newspaper owned by Capital Cities.

The New York-based company announced its plan to buy the much larger ABC for more than $3.5 billion on Monday. The deal still must be approved by stockholders and the Federal Cities. The company's other Texas properties include the Citizen-Journal, the Fort Worth Star-Telegram newspaper, and radio stations WBAP-AM and KSCS-FM in Fort Worth.

Capital Cities also publishes Cable Connection magazine out of Fort Worth, and owns cable television systems in Aransas Pass, Bonham, Denison, Lampasas, Lufkin, Odessa, Port Lavaca and Sherman under the Southwestern Division of Capital Cities Cable Television.

Phillip J. Meek, president and publisher of the Star-Telegram, said he thought it was "fortunate that a major network would join a company like Capital Cities that has such a consistent, demonstrated record of local autonomy."

Nationwide, Capital Cities also owns ABC affiliate television stations in Philadelphia, New Haven-Hartford, Conn., and Buffalo, N.Y. The company holds licenses for 12 radio stations, and owns more than 50 cable television systems.

It produces 72 different publications, including Women's Wear Daily.

The FCC limits the number of stations that can be owned by a single company in one area. Cronk said the FCC rules could affect some of Capital Cities' properties or ABC affiliates in the Dallas-Fort Worth area.

But since the proposed merger agreement is not expected to be completed until January, Cronk said "we'll have time to get these things negotiated."

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Open containers, seat belt bills approved by committee

AUSTIN (AP) — A senate committee has approved bills that would prohibit drivers in Texas from drinking and require them and all front-seat passengers to wear seat belts.

The Senate State Affairs Committee vote Monday on the seat belt bill came after several senators said they don't appreciate the federal government dictating state law.

The bills now go to the full Senate for consideration.

Democratic Sen. Bill Sarpalius, D-Canyon, won 11-1 committee support for his bill that would make it a $200 fine for drinking while driving. A similar "open container" law failed in the 1983 Legislature.

Under Sarpalius' bill, drivers cannot have alcoholic beverages in their possession. The law would not apply to passengers. In the original bill, open containers were prohibited if they were in the driver's reach.

"The main objective is to stop drinking and driving. It is very important that we emphasize whether it's being consumed or had it in their possession," Sarpalius said.

Legislation requiring drivers and front seat passengers to wear seat belts gained committee approval on an 8-5 vote.

The mandatory seat belt bill introduced by Sen. Ted Lyon, D-Mesquite, excludes large trucks. A so-called "Bubba amendment" that excluded pickup trucks was dropped from the bill.

Lyon said includiigateepvq9z wade the bill stronger.

Sen. Don Henderson, R-Houston, tried to add an amendment that would have allowed for the use or non-use of a safety belt to be admissable evidence in a civil trial. The amendment failed 8-4.

The amendment had received critcism from some lawyers.

"The only people in the state that this provision will benefit are the plaintiff's trial lawyers who will continue to be enriched with money they make off of these people's injuries," said John Golden, president of the Texas Association of Defense Counsel.

Sen. Chet Edwards, D-Duncanville, urged his colleagues to vote against the bill and send a message to Washington.

"I think when we ban drinking while driving we're saying innocent people should not be jeoparidized by those wanting to drive while intoxicated. However, when we vote to force an individual to wear a seat belt, we're saying the government should tell someone to protect his or herself," Edwards said.

He said the same logic used to back the bill would lead to laws banning cigarette smoking and hand guns.

Henderson also said he did not like the federal government telling states what do.

The U.S. Department of Transportation has said it would make air bags mandatory if states that include two-thirds of the nation's population don't make seat belt use mandatory.

Sen. Roy Blake, D-Nacogdoches, said he considered the seat belt law similar to the mandatory safety helmets which the Legislature passed one session only to repeal the next.

Sen. Chet Brooks, D-Pasadena, said, "I don't think the message is going to Washington, D.C. but rather to Detroit and we're going to pay for it. It's coming back in the form of a more expensive automobile."

Snyder woman completes training in management

Judy Scoggins of Snyder has just returned from three days of intensive management training in sales, recruiting and product knowledge in San Antonio. The specialized courses were designed to equipment the top achievers of Mary Kay's independent sales force for greater success in 1985.

Focal point of this year's management conference was the introduction of Mary Kay's Awareness products. The new, consumer-tested makeup shades have been grouped according to skin tone and wardrobe colors to simplify makeup choices for women.

Mary Kay officials also updated the company's new Very Important Performer (VIP) incentive program. Since the program began in June of 1984, more than 1,200 Mary Kay independent beauty consultants have been awarded the use of Oldsmobile Fireanzas by qualifying as VIPs.

Scoggins joined Mary Kay Cosmetics in 1981. Prior to joining Mary Kay, she worked as an executive secretary. Areas of interest in the community include coordinating the Newcomers Club.

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A 230-pound gorilla named Koko has been taught to use more than 500 signs regularly and knows some 500 others in Ameslan, the hand language of the deaf, reports National Geographic.

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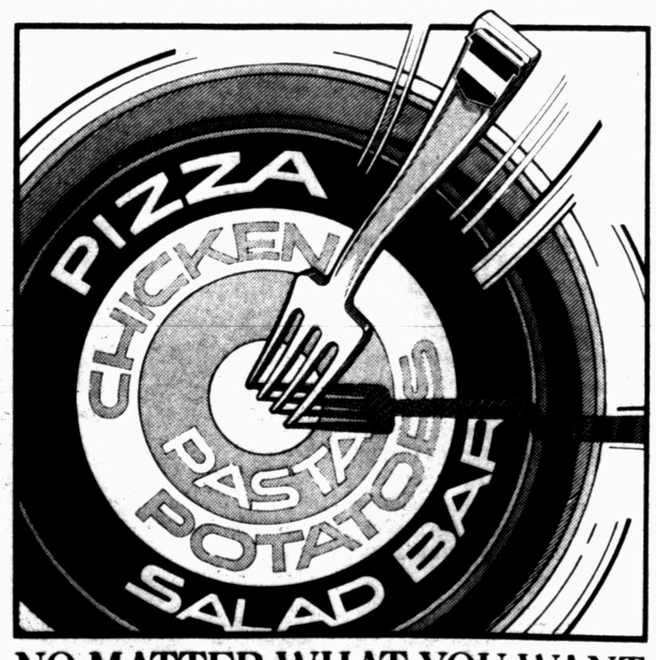

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