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TUESDAY

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Ask Us

Q—Where can I call to get information about new addresses issued under the 911 system?

A—Persons with questions concerning 911 addresses should contact Jerry Beard after 5 p.m. at 573-6151.

Local

Masons

Scurry Lodge will be working on the Entered Apprentice Degree at 6:30 this evening.

Choir club

Snyder High School Choir Booster Club will meet at 6:30 this evening in the high school choir room.

Center supper

Snyder Nursing Center will have a family supper at 7 p.m. Thursday.

All family members are urged to attend and bring a vegetable, salad and dessert.

BCD

Scurry's Board of County Development will meet at noon Wednesday in the chamber of commerce board room. The board will discuss the recent economic development research trip and TDCJ appreciation day.

DCOS

The Development Corporation of Snyder met last night with no business conducted due to a lack of a quorum. The board will meet again at 6 p.m. Dec. 14.

Present at Monday's meeting were John Jarrell and Bill Seale.

Ira annuals

Reservations for the Ira 1993 Bulldog annuals will be taken until Wednesday. The cost is $17, including a name on the cover.

Only a limited number will be ordered and anyone not reserving a book may not be able to purchase one when they come in.

Alliance

Scurry County Ministerial Alliance is sponsoring a community Thanksgiving service Sunday at 7 p.m. at Colonial Hill Baptist Church.

The guest speaker will be Congressman Charles Stenholm of the 17th Congressional District.

The 65-member youth choir from Colonial Hill will be featured. All pastors and church staff members will be introduced.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Monday, 71 degrees; low, 52 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Tuesday, 55 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1992 to date, 23.82 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, mostly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of showers. Low around 55. South wind 10-15 mph. Wednesday, cloudy and cooler with a 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. High in the mid to upper 60s. South to southeast wind 10-20 mph.

Almanac: Sunset today, 5:44. Sunrise Wednesday, 7:14. Of 321 days in 1992, the sun has shone 301 days in Snyder.

CAREER DAY — Western Texas College Drama Instructor Mike Endy speaks to students this morning concerning careers in acting and theatre during Snyder High School's annual Career Day. More than 100 business persons and educators spoke to students during the event. (SDN Staff Photo)

Defense rests in assault trial

Closing arguments were to begin this afternoon in the 132nd District Court trial of the State of Texas vs. Kenneth Wayne Scott, charged with the July 15 assault of correctional officer Hector Nieves at the Texas Department of Criminal Justice Price Daniel Unit.

Possible charges were to be read to the 10-woman, 2-man jury before closing arguments began. The prosecution is suggesting charges of assault of a correctional officer, which would have a maximum sentence of 20 years. The defense is requesting that an option for self defense be included in the charge.

Both the prosecution and defense rested during this morning's action, following testimony from defendant Kenneth Wayne Scott, an inmate at the Daniel Unit, in which he said he "acted in self defense."

In testimony Monday afternoon, Nieves testified that the attack occurred during a routine cell search being performed on Scott's cell on the afternoon of July 15.

According to Nieves, an officer in the control pod of his building assigned him five cell searches, including the cell where Scott was housed. The searches are done to search for contraband, such as weapons, clothing, food or any other item that an inmate is not allowed to have in a cell, he said.

Nieves told the court that during his search, he found a pair of state issued long johns, an onion and extra bed sheets in Scott's cell.

When questioned about the occurrances of July 15, Nieves said that he informed Scott and the other inmate in the cell that he was to search the cell, and instructed them to step out and go downstairs to the day room.

Nieves said Scott was "belligerent" and did not want to go to the day room. When ordered out of the cell, Scott stepped outside but did not go to the day room.

Nieves then said that he called the control pod and said he was going to lock the door while he was searching because he "was not sure what the inmate would do." According to Nieves, officers are required to search lockers under the inmate's beds, and are sometimes on the floor with their backs facing the door.

After the search, Nieves had the officer in the control pod unlock the door, which Scott swung open. Scott then came into the cell, took the items from Nieves, and put them back in his locker. According to testimony, Nieves did not remember any words being exchanged between the two.

"I stepped outside the cell and called for assistance on my radio," said the officer. "He was very mad and I wasn't sure what he might

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Smokeout planned Thursday

Many Snyder residents will be "lightening up" instead of lighting up during the annual Great American Smokeout, scheduled this Thursday.

Locally, the event is sponsored by the Scurry County unit of the American Cancer Society.

Last year, more than one out of every three smokers participated in the event, according to the American Cancer Society.

The Great American Smokeout encourages tobacco users to quit for 24 hours by offering them encouragement and incentives. Area ACS units are targeting schools, hospitals, corporations and the general public.

Locally, smokeout materials and more information can be obtained through Debra Hester, smokeout chairman, at Li'l Rascals on the south side of the courthouse square.

Audits are 'political deal,' claims area superintendent

From local, wire reports

A plan to audit all school districts in Texas for potential waste is a "put-up, political deal" performed by auditors who know "absolutely nothing about education," according to an area school administrator.

The continuation of public school audits was requested Monday by Governor Ann Richards, Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock and lame duck Speaker Gib Lewis. It comes on the heels of a report by the state auditor's office which covered audits of 55 school districts.

The report recommends changes to the public education system in Texas and projected savings to the state of $649 million annually by 1997. Most of the savings would come from some type of consolidation of smaller school districts.

"The whole thing is a put-up, political deal," said Hermleigh ISD Superintendent Jerry Church.

Church said the sample audit keyed on schools which had glaring irregularities and that many of the auditors who performed them know little about education.

"They have listed some things that can be done. There are things we could do to make it cheaper, but you can't always do them and adhere to all the mandates. And they're not aware of that," said Church.

The audits, revealed last week, charged that some of the 55 districts spent money on items including alcoholic beverages and entertainment.

"I'm the first to admit that some districts might have problems and I don't have any problem with the state auditing us," said Church. "But the examples they are using are distorted. The educational world is aware that this was a witch hunt."

Johnny Veselka of the Texas Association of School Administrators also said his group welcomes more audits. But he noted that much of the $642 million in potential savings in the recent audit was tied to consolidating and reorganizing school districts.

Veselka said his group doesn't think the Legislature should mandate consolidation. But Richards predicted more lawmakers would push the idea if the Legislature can't agree in this special session on a way to achieve court-ordered school funding reform.

"Since that audit's been done, a number of legislators have mentioned to me that there has to be some forced consolidation of these small districts," Richards said.

"It may be that in some places where you have a school every five miles that consolidation might work," said Church. "But not out in West Texas."

The audit report suggests that small schools don't prepare their students for college as well as larger schools do.

"I resent that strongly," said Church. "Our kiddos are scoring better on the test they're using than these larger schools. Our dropout rate is less. We have fewer problems with students."

Church said those who are pro-consolidation aren't considering the whole picture.

"It may be you could save a little money by consolidation. You'll save a superintendent and a business office. But you're going to be out a lot of money in transportation and buildings."

He said it is also not economically sound for West Texas.

"One question you have to ask is what is it going to do to outlying

(see AUDITS, page 8)

Council sets Bell workshop

Snyder City Council will discuss the city's telephone franchise agreement during a workshop at 6:30 this evening at City Hall.

The council will meet to discuss the franchise agreement between the city and Southwestern Bell Telephone, which expires at the end of the year.

Terms of the current contract will be discussed by the council, as well as any changes the city feels need to be made in the agreement.

The city has scheduled a second workshop for Nov. 23. During that meeting, representatives of Southwestern Bell will be present to discuss the renewal of the contract with city officials.

The second meeting is scheduled for 7 p.m., also at City Hall.

Guitar concert slated Wednesday at college

The public is invited to a free concert featuring two acclaimed classical guitarists Wednesday at Western Texas College.

The concert is scheduled for 7 p.m. in the Fine Arts Theatre.

Performing will be James Bogle, director of the guitar program at Texas Tech University, and Uros Dojcinovic, a leading Yugoslavian guitarist.

Their program will include new works composed especially for them by Russian, Yugoslavian and American composers.

Bogle and Dojcinovic played their first duo concert tour in Yugoslavia and Hungary during August of 1991. They performed a feature concert at the International Guitar Festival in Esztergom, Hungary.

In Belgrade, Yugoslavia, they recorded a compact disc entitled "Classical and Romantic Music for Two Guitars." They also performed a tour through Arizona, New Mexico and Texas in August of 1991.

They plan to record another compact disc soon.

Lighted parade...

Deadline to enter floats draws near

Friday is the deadline for individuals and organizations planning to enter a float in the 1992 lighted "Celebrate Christmas Parade."

The parade is scheduled for 6 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 5. Boy's Club director Jack McGlaun is grand marshal for the event.

First place traveling plaques will be awarded for best theme, best use of lights and most unique floats. There is no entry fee.

Registration forms are available at the chamber of commerce and Humble-Smith School.

Groups can still register a float for the parade after Friday. However, the float will not be eligible for awards.

Last year, the parade boasted 14 lighted floats. Organizer Pat Cunnington said she is hoping for more entries this year.

Anyone may enter the parade, and entries are not limited to floats. However, all groups who enter are encouraged to register so that a parade line-up can be made in advance. The parade will be formed in Snyder Shopping Center.

In addition to entries, volunteers are still needed to help with decorations and to line up the parade on Dec. 5. Anyone wishing to help with costumes for parade walkers or to draw and cut out figures such as a sleigh and reindeer are encouraged to contact the chamber or Cunnington at Humble-Smith School.

The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "The best thing about all the candidates in an election is we only get one of them."

TV personality Art Linkletter became famous by repeating what kids would say. "Kids say the darndest things..."

They still do, but a recent article claims some of what they are saying is not so funny, it's downright frightening.

An article in the Wall Street Journal recently reported that educators across the nation are expressing concern about the language of students — some even as young as kindergarten.

The article said that vulgarities once heard mainly in bar rooms and barracks are now commonplace in many classrooms. As a result, an elementary school principal in Tampa, Fla., is making home visits to parents, confronting them with a long list of smutty words.

In the comfort of the parents' living room, the principal unrolls a poster on which he has written four-letter, five-letter and 12-letter obscenities. He tells astonished parents that the words came straight from the mouth of babes — their own children.

Some blame the problem on stress in the home as well as the media, movies and video. A newsletter that tracks profanity, sex and violence in films reports that the word "S---" was used in nearly three-quarters of the movies rated PG-13, as well as nearly half of those rated PG. The newsletter concluded, "It's conversation to the characters in the movie, so kids see it as conversation to them."

The principal showing the poster to parents says, "We really have a tremendous number of children today who have not been taught manners or respect for others."

If the homes won't do it, maybe the schools could budget a little lye soap.

Final night for 'Hound'

The final performance of "The Hound of the Baskervilles," Snyder High School's fall drama production, is scheduled tonight in Worsham Auditorium.

The performance begins at 8 o'clock. Tickets are $3 for general admission and $5 for reserved seating.

The play is based on the famous novel by Conan Doyle and is considered one of the greatest of the Sherlock Holmes adventure stories.

Although the play is a mystery thriller, it is suitable for all ages, said director Jerry Worsham.

Tilton admits praying over computer lists

TULSA, Okla. (AP) — Televangelist Robert Tilton concedes computers handle much of his correspondence, sending personalized letters to his followers and issuing lists of names that he sometimes prays over en masse.

His comments came in a deposition given in late August to attorneys representing ex-followers who are suing Tilton, alleging misrepresentation. Tulsa attorney Gary Richardson released tapes of the deposition Monday in Tulsa, after introducing them in court in Dallas on Friday.

Asked during the deposition about his seemingly personal responses to people who write his ministry, Tilton said they are "personalized by computer."

He told Richardson he sometimes prays over computer lists rather than over individual letters from followers.

"You don't tell the public when you communicate to them on television and in your correspondence that you are praying over computer lists, do you, Mr. Tilton?" Richardson asked.

"No," Tilton said, adding that God speaks to him about people generically, not person by person.

Richardson asked the evangelist where the anointing oil he sends people comes from and about a report that his holy bread comes from Tulsa groceries.

"I would say it makes no difference to me if it's old crankcase oil. It's oil," Tilton said. "I have no knowledge to where the bread comes from except I bless it."

Tilton's lawsuits from former members of his television ministry came after a national news show alleged Tilton workers in Tulsa went through mail collecting contributions and throwing away the accompanying letters unread.

Grand jury indicts store clerk in slaying in shoplifting event

RICHMOND, Texas (AP) — A Fort Bend County grand jury has indicted a store clerk on a murder charge in the shooting death of a man during a shoplifting incident.

Hung Nguyen, 18, a high school senior who is free on a $150,000 bond, was indicted on a murder charge in the death of Eric DeLeon Hicks, 22, of Houston.

Nguyen has maintained that he was acting in self-defense when he shot Hicks in the back on July 24.

Defense lawyer Don Bankston accused the grand jury and a prosecutor of having political motives in returning the indictment. He noted that the previous grand jury considered the shooting three times and could not agree on a course of action.

"Ultimately, this kid won't be found guilty, and they ought to give him a medal for what he did," Bankston said.

Controversy in the Nguyen case arose after the earlier Fort Bend County grand jury heard testimony without taking action. Some black leaders contended that the grand jury's racial makeup and the fact it was two short of the usual 12 members led to the inaction.

Hicks was black, and Nguyen is Vietnamese. The first grand jury had nine whites and one Hispanic. A black who moved to Louisiana and a Hispanic who is not a U.S. citizen were disqualified.

The remaining panelists on that grand jury resigned after questions arose about whether they could legally act without 12 members.

The new grand jury, appointed by state District Judge Brady G. Elliott, has six blacks, five whites and one Hispanic.

The clerk said he was clerking in the store when Hicks drove up with two passengers who went inside and shoplifted several cans of beer.

Nguyen told authorities he was clerking in his sister's gas station.

Employees followed the men outside, and a fight ensued with one employee hitting Hicks with a golf club, police said. Hicks was shot after he disarmed the employee and chased him back into the store.

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Astrograph

By Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

Nov. 18, 1992

Enterprises you'll be involved in that promote progressive procedures or products should work out quite well for you in the year ahead. This could be especially true with something you conceive yourself.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Success is likely today, provided you have the courage of your convictions. If you are fainthearted where you should be bold, this could be just be another ordinary day. Scorpio, treat yourself to a birthday gift. Send for Scorpio's Astro-Graph predictions for the year ahead by mailing $1.25 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) You could be quite fortunate today in a situation where you have a chance to take something that another has initiated and enhance it with your personal touch.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Your best asset today is your unique talent for putting deals together between people who don't quite know how to bind loose threads together.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Try to be flexible today where your objectives are concerned; your original plans may be improved upon by brighter alternatives you may later conceive.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Not only are your ideas rather ingenious today, but you should be able to figure out ways to make them produce mutual advantages for yourself and others.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Later in the day, you might be able to function more independently. Earlier, though, it could prove to be more to your advantage to involve yourself with others for mutual interest.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Don't dodge making a difficult decision today, especially one that requires courage. You have what it takes to do what's right.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Don't depart from your essential routine today, but keep an eye peeled for a way to improve your financial position. Something out of the ordinary may pop up.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) People in general will find you magnetic and attractive today. However, your personality could be most appealing to members of the opposite gender.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) This can be a very productive day for you — if you give priority to family matters instead of involvements with outsiders. What you do now could have long-lasting and favorable effects.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Even though you're likely to be very imaginative today, your best idea could come from a friend regarding something in which your participation is desired.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Your financial aspects look very encouraging for both today and tomorrow. If there is something you feel could be meaningful to you moneywise, work on it.

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Catherine Crier to join '20/20'

NEW YORK (AP) — Catherine Crier is leaving her anchor chair on CNN to become a correspondent on ABC's "20-20" news magazine.

"She's a great communicator, a dynamic presence and a widely respected journalist," "20-20" executive producer Victor Neufeld said Monday. Ms. Crier will join the show in early 1993, he said.

Ms. Crier joined Cable News Network in October 1989 as co-anchor of CNN's evening newscast. She also co-anchored CNN's "Inside Politics '92."

Before joining CNN, Ms. Crier presided over a Dallas County district court for five years.

Herbert Clark Hoover, the 31st president of the United States, was born in West Branch, Iowa, in 1874.

Traffic deaths linked to drivers not prosecuted on DWI charge

WHARTON, Texas (AP) — Five people have been killed since May in traffic accidents involving people who were arrested on charges of driving while intoxicated but never prosecuted in Wharton County, the Victoria Advocate reported today.

Melissa Jeanne Chambers, 19, was the latest victim when she died Sunday after being injured in a traffic accident at a highway intersection in Wharton County on Saturday.

The driver of the other car, Ramiro Veliz Garcia, 33, of Wharton, sustained minor injuries, authorities said.

He later was arrested and charged with driving while intoxicated, involuntary manslaughter and failure to stop and render aid.

Garcia has been arrested for suspicion of public intoxication three times and for suspicion of driving while intoxicated five times during the past 10 years, authorities said.

He had a valid Texas driver's license with a 1996 expiration date at the time of the accident, authorities said.

Garcia also has been linked to a Wharton County Grand Jury theft indictment against David Gaitan of Wharton, a former investigator for the county attorney's office.

The indictment is part of an ongoing 11-month investigation into alleged DWI ticket-fixing and public-official corruption.

In the indictment, Gaitan is accused of pocketing a $200 cash payment from Garcia on Dec. 8, 1989, after Garcia was arrested by the Wharton County Sheriff's Department for suspicion of driving while intoxicated on Nov. 4, 1989.

Court records indicate Garcia was not prosecuted in that case, nor for a sheriff's department arrest for suspicion of DWI on Aug. 19, 1990.

An employee at the county clerk's office said only one of the two DWI cases against Garcia was ever filed. That case was filed on Aug. 19, 1990 and was dismissed on Dec. 10, 1990 for insufficient evidence.

Repeated attempts to discuss the cases with the Wharton County attorney's office were unsuccessful, the newspaper reported.

El Campo Police Chief Jim Elliott said Monday the circumstances which led to Chambers' death also were to blame for the deaths of four other people since May.

Two of the victims had previously been arrested for suspicion of driving while intoxicated but never prosecuted, he said.

He said on May 31, an intoxicated Gregory Tovar Jr., 27, of Wharton, who had been arrested in El Campo and charged with DWI four times between November 1987 and October 1991, crashed into a vehicle driven by George Willie Mitchell, 69, of Angleton.

Mitchell, his 68-year-old wife, Frances, and Tovar all were killed.

"Tovar was intoxicated and died with a beer between his legs," Elliott said.

The other fatality occurred Sept. 2, when Abel Abelar, 23, of El Campo, was killed when his car missed a curve and crashed into a ditch.

Abelar was arrested for suspicion of driving while intoxicated in El Campo on June 18, 1990 and again, the case was never prosecuted, Elliott said.

A grand jury indictment alleges Gaitan was paid $199.50 by Abelar on Oct. 1, 1990.

A special Wharton County Grand Jury investigating the cases was scheduled to meet again today.

Dairies in bid-rigging schemes still eligible for fed contracts

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Agriculture Department is allowing dairies convicted or indicted on charges of rigging bids for school milk contracts to keep bidding on new contracts for school programs, federal investigators say.

The USDA's Food and Nutrition Service says it doesn't have the expertise to suspend or bar dairies from supplying school cafeterias, according to a report by the General Accounting Office.

Although the milk contracts are awarded locally, USDA subsidizes the cost of the milk and in fact does have the authority to bar or suspend suppliers.

The Justice Department's bid-rigging probe has spread to at least 21 states and has uncovered conspiracies involving dozens of dairies. Three-dozen corporations and 35 individuals have been convicted of federal antitrust violations and have paid fines and civil damages exceeding $33 million.

Phil Shanholtzer, a spokesman for the Food and Nutrition Service, said the agency also has not seen any reason to ban the convicted dairies because they have reimbursed losses caused by bid-rigging.

"Our position is that as long as they make it up to the state programs, that's the greatest interest we have. We're not interested in using this as a punitive measure," he said.

But GAO said the threat of losing access to government contracts is only a deterrent if "those dairies that improperly bid-rig have a reasonable expectation that, if caught, they will be suspended or debarred from federally funded programs."

Since the Justice Department began investigating in 1988, it has brought 73 federal antitrust cases against 39 corporations and 48 individuals in 10 states.

Federal grand juries in 21 states continue to investigate the scandal, which has implicated some of the best-known names in the business, among them Flav-O-Rich and Pet Dairies. Both companies pleaded guilty and settled their cases with fines totaling $13 million for Flav-O-Rich and $2 million for Pet.

Nationwide, the cases largely involve milk contracts for schools, but investigators also have found bid-rigging on contracts to supply milk and dairy products to military installations.

In a typical bid-rigging conspiracy case, the Justice Department said, dairies in an area decide which one will get the milk contract for a particular school district. The others then submit higher bids to ensure the chosen dairy wins the contract, at an inflated price.

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TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1734, Colonial printer and journalist John Peter Zenger was arrested for libels against the governor. He was later acquitted, an important step toward freedom of the press.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Lee Strasberg (1901-1982), director-teacher-actor; Isamu Noguchi (1904-1988), sculptor-designer; Rock Hudson (1925-1985), actor; Bob Mathias (1930-), track and field star, is 62; Gordon Lightfoot (1939-), singer-songwriter, is 53; Martin Scorsese (1942-), director, is 50; Lauren Hutton (1943-), model, is 49; Danny DeVito (1944-), actor-director, is 48.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1956, Jim Brown scored 6 touchdowns and kicked 7 extra points to account for an NCAA record 43 points as Syracuse defeated Colgate, 61-7.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "The loss of liberty in general would soon follow the suppression of the liberty of the press. ..." — John Peter Zenger

TODAY'S WEATHER: On this day in 1927, a tornado tracked 17 miles from southwest of Alexandria, Va., across Washington, D.C., and northeast to East Riverdale, Md. Much damage, but no deaths.

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TODAY'S MOON: Last quarter.

TODAY'S BARB
BY PHIL PASTORET
In politically correct jargon, "I'm experiencing follicle failure" means "I'm going bald."

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TUESDAY

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

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

Art Guild Study Club; hostesses, Clara Tate and Katherine Ervin; MAWC; 6:30 p.m.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

WEDNESDAY

Scurry County Penwomen; 1:30 p.m.

Cosmorama Study Club; MAWC; "Inspiration of Theater," by Gertrude Hale, Kristina Reneau and Donna Smith; 4:15 p.m.

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

THURSDAY

Honey Do's Extension Homemakers Club; 9:30 a.m.

Cogdell Memorial Hospital Auxiliary; board room; all members are urged to attend; 10 a.m.

Diabetes Support Group; Senior Center; noon.

Upper Colorado SWCD meeting; Country Club; noon.

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

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

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

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

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

Snyder Chapter No. 450 Order of the Eastern Star; Masonic Hall, 1912 35th; 7:30 p.m.

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

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

FRIDAY

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

Snyder Jaycees; noon luncheon; Golden Corral.

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

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

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

Hermleigh Community Center Famil Night; 6:30 p.m.

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

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

SATURDAY

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

SUNDAY

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

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

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

Two added to life members

The Martha Ann Woman's Club board of directors met Nov. 9 to plan future events and announce two new life memberships, Christy Thompson, current president; and Elizabeth McCloskey.

Spokesman for the group, Gussie Gray, expressed appreciation to everyone having a part in the successful recent garage sale.

Christian Women's Club has joined MAWC and its meetings will be held every second Wednesday of each month.

Margaret's style show has been canceled due to illness.

The next event will be Nov. 18, game day and luncheon beginning at 11:30; next, members will participate in decorating the clubhouse on Nov. 30 for many upcoming holiday activities.

Due to Christmas holidays, the monthly game day and luncheon is scheduled for Dec. 19.

Seventeen members attended with Mrs. Thompson presiding.

XI AAT meets

The XI Alpha Alpha Theta met for its semi-monthly meeting at the Snyder Country Club on Oct. 20 with Jackie Buckland presiding.

In lieu of a guest speaker, Wanda Early read from the book of Beta Sigma Phi. The social committee discussed a social to be held in the home of Harold and Dena Ellis.

Hostesses for the meeting were Carolyn House and Mickey Baird.

Miss Baird at DAR

Josie Baird of Rotan was the guest speaker at the Martin Preuitt Jr. Chapter of DAR which met at the Snyder Country Club for its November meeting.

Baird spoke on the geneological research services offered by the National DAR Library and Research Center located in Washington, D.C.

Baird was instrumental in helping organize the local chapter in 1977 along with Virginia Clark, for whose ancestor the chapter is named.

Twenty members attending represented Gail, Fluvanna, Colorado City and Snyder.

Suggestions for new baby

By The Associated Press

Toddle no more than a half-dozen paces down a baby aisle in a store and you could go gaga at the myriad garments, gewgaws and goods.

There are rompers, rattles and rash ointments. You'll find Mickey Mouse, the Little Mermaid and other cute characters clinging to blocks, bottles, booties, cradles, cribs and bibs.

Many items are fun. Many are enticing. But how many are necessary?

For example, you won't need shoes, highchairs and teething rings until later. You can also save money by using good hand-me-downs from friends and relatives and by shopping for good, quality items at garage sales.

— Baby's Clothes: Start with only enough clothes for now; you can add to the wardrobe as the child grows and the seasons change. Buy big. Newborn sizes may fit for only days, if at all. Your baby may quickly be ready for 3-month sizes, or you can buy 6-month sizes that will be roomy at first but will provide the most wear.

Also, select clothing based on convenience, not cuteness. Choose clothes that snap or zip open for easy diaper changes and that can be pulled on and off easily. Buttons can be bothersome.

Starting essentials: three receiving blankets, six to seven jumpsuits, one sleeping sack, two sweaters and caps (or one bonnet for summer babies), eight 6-month-size T-shirts, three pairs of socks, one snowsuit (for winter babies). You'll need infant-size diapers — about 90 per week. If you plan to use cloth diapers, you'll also need safety pins and at least three plastic pants.

Baby's Room: Much of the room preparation, such as painting and window treatments, should be done before you bring your baby home. However, you can delay buying such decorative things as wall hangings or shelves.

Cradles and bassinets are outgrown quickly, so you could simply use a crib. Changing tables are convenient, but not vital. Stuffed animals will probably collect more dust than hugs until the baby is older. Other items you can add later include a dresser, playpen, swing, rocking chair, toy box, monitor and walker. Starting essentials: diaper pail, crib and crib bumper pads.

Baby's Bath: You can bathe your newborn in a sink, or you can use a plastic tub. Rubber ducks and bath toys won't be needed until the baby is older.

Starting essentials: three hooded towels, four baby washcloths, baby soap, baby shampoo, powder, baby nail clippers, baby comb and brush, cotton balls or swabs, zincoxide cream for diaper rash, moistened baby wipes.

Other Baby Gear: You won't be able to drive away from the hospital unless you have an infant car seat. Some hospitals will rent them, or you can buy your own that can also fit the baby as a toddler.

Starting essentials: car seat, rectal thermometer, bulb syringe, two bottles, nipple brush, small supply of formula, nursing pads and shields. When the baby grows older, you can add a bib, highchair, baby plates and cups.

WELCOMING CEREMONY — Daisy Troop 313 had its welcoming ceremony recently at the Scout Hut and members received beginning certificates and pins. Following the ceremony, Daisey Girl Scouts, their parents and leaders had refreshments. From left are, first row, Lesli Jackson, Traci Jordan, Shannon Burdett and Kiki Bocanegra. On the top row are Erin McCowan, Katherine Johnson and Heather Burns. Leaders are Lucindy Johnson, Carol Schattel, Trisha Jordan and Lucy Flores. (SDN Staff Photo)

Bridge By Phillip Alder

NORTH 11-17-92
♠ 7 6 4 3
♥ A Q 9 4
♦ 10 9
♣ Q 10 6

WEST
♠ K Q J 9 8
♥ 8 3
♦ 7 6 3
♣ 8 7 2

EAST
♠ 10
♥ J 10 6 2
♦ A 5 4 2
♣ A J 9 5

SOUTH
♠ A 5 2
♥ K 7 5
♦ K Q J 8
♣ K 4 3

Vulnerable: Neither
Dealer: South

South	West	North	East
1 NT	Pass	2 ♠	Pass
2 ♦	Pass	2 NT	Pass
3 NT	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: ♠ K

Thinking in straight lines

By Phillip Alder

One new book, "All 52 Cards" ($10.95, C&T Bridge Supplies, 800-525-4718), isn't so new. The author, Marshall Miles, has revised the 1963 edition by adding more examples and updating the content.

The text explains declarer-play and defense with deals that are of about the same difficulty as those used in this column. The reader is set a problem and asked to work out the solution. The explanations are well-written and lucid, the deals excellent. My main complaint is about the lack of a full diagram after an answer. Almost always you are given only the key opponent's hand. I think that printing all of the full diagrams, despite adding to the cost, would have produced a better book.

Today's deal gives you a good idea of what to expect. Being shown only the North-South cards, you are in three no-trump. West leads the spade king, which you duck, and continues with the spade queen, East discarding a low diamond. How do you proceed?

Overbidding has put you into a bad contract. You must assume East has both minor-suit aces. So, after winning trick two with the spade ace, you lead the diamond king. East wins and returns a diamond. Win in the dummy and play a club to your king, which East must duck. Now cash the diamonds, throwing spades from the dummy. Finally, try to run the hearts. If they are 3-3, you have nine tricks. But when East turns up with four, just endplay him with the fourth heart. He must concede your ninth trick to dummy's club queen.

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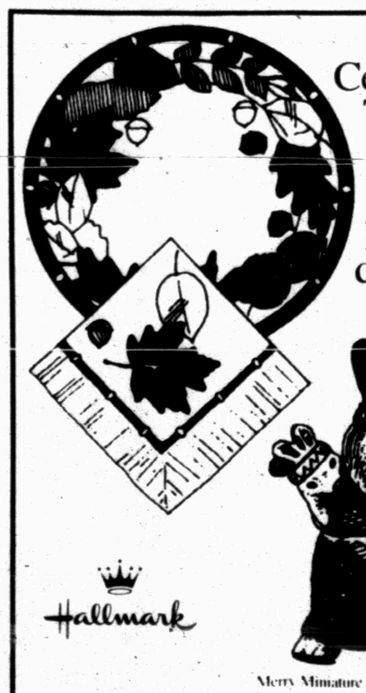
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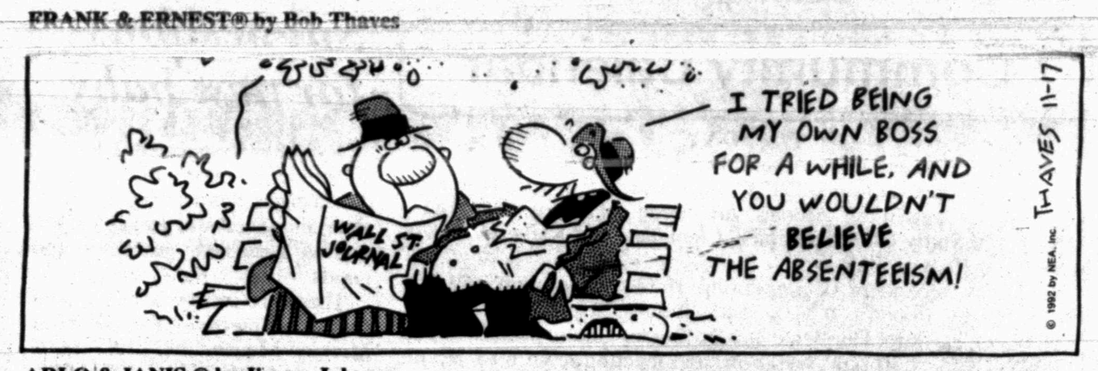

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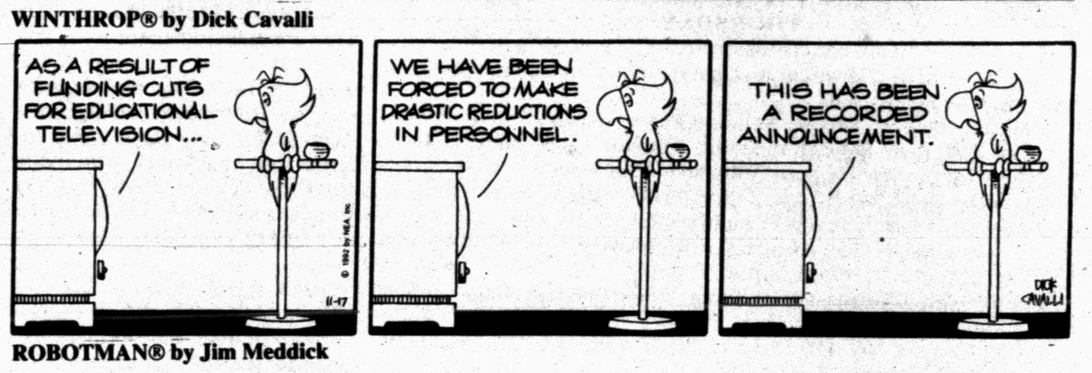

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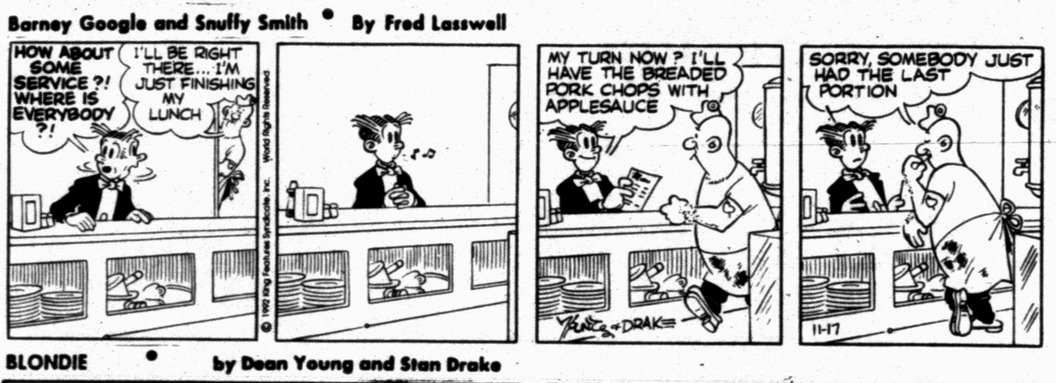

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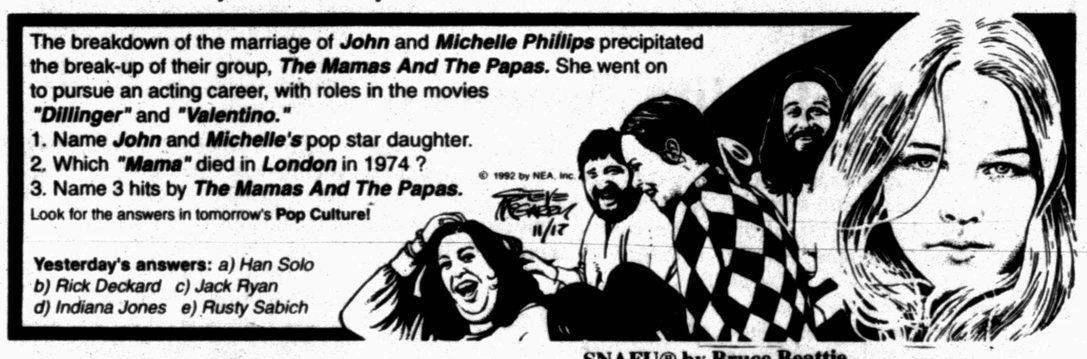

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1 Joint
6 WWII event
10 Small hole
12 New
14 Deliver
15 Fishing gear
16 Ear (comb. form)
17 Colorado Indian
19 Snakes
20 Endless
23 Egypt's — Sadat
26 Believer in an ism
27 In the past
30 Sudden attack
32 Pressed
34 Phonograph inventor
35 Inclined
36 Soak (flax)
37 Dentist's deg.
39 Facing glacier's origin
40 Small balls
42 Actress — Delany
45 Look at
46 Chemical suffix
49 Extended periods
51 Legal
54 Small carvings
55 Steals
56 Experiment
57 Business-woman — Lauder

DOWN

1 Of aircraft
2 Russian veto word
3 Relative of bingo
4 College deg.
5 Wide shoe size
6 Genetic material (abbr.)
7 Of a nobleman
8 Questions
9 Utter a shrill cry
11 Real
12 Tool
13 — Moines
18 Bi plus one
20 Food (sl.)
21 Kind of vacuum tube
22 Not moving (2 wds.)
23 Jacob's son
24 Knob
25 Judicial order
27 — Domini
28 Commands to a horse
29 Betting factor
31 Infinite
33 Kind of grain
38 Foxy
40 Walks
41 Skinny fishes
42 After Nov.
43 — — on the back
44 Seaport in Alaska
46 — — first you don't ...
47 Atomic weapon
48 Other
50 Fiery
52 One (Scot.)
53 Film director — Craven

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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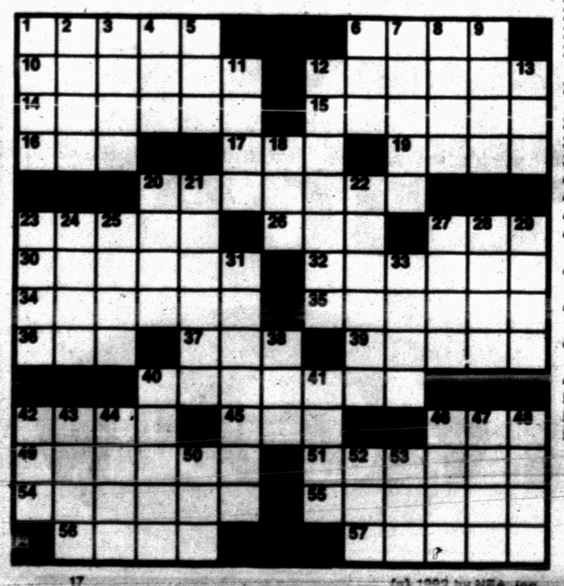

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"Things have been quiet for some time in your line of work."

"We're prepared if the power goes out. Each of our figures is also a candle."

DENNIS THE MENACE

Lady Tigers open basketball season

The 1992 basketball season begins today for the Snyder Lady Tigers and first-year coach Jerry Tucker, when they travel to San Angelo to battle the Lake View Maidens in a non-district contest.

Tucker will attempt to turn around the Lady Tigers' fortunes in '92.

After going without a District 2-4A win in two seasons, Tucker hopes to make an impact through his players.

"It's up to these girls," he said in a recent interview. "They have to want to change things.

"These girls will never lose, as long as they give the effort," the coach said. "If we lose, it's the fault of the coaching staff."

Among coach Tucker's list of returnees from last season's team are last season's defensive player of the year Kristen Huff, Kristen Claborn, Jessica Eicke, Marcy Gemes, Annie Ragland, Shayna Crow, Melanie Duncan, Stephanie Fambro and Jennifer Yruegas.

Returning All-District honorable mention point guard Deana Ball has been limited thus far, with back spasms.

Ball will be able to play, but the spasms, combined with her missing workouts with the injury, may limit her minutes, especially in the early part of the season.

A trio of move-ins are also expected to help the SHS program along.

Rachel Crawford, a 5-8 swing player from Bowie, Meriah Worthen, a 5-7 guard from Levelland and Jamie Prather, a 5-6 talent from Hamlin will take the floor for SHS this season.

The SHS-Lake View JV matchup tips off at 6 p.m. today, followed by the varsity game at 7:30 p.m.

The Lady Tigers visit Abilene High Friday, then Abilene Cooper Nov. 23 before getting a chance to play in front of their home fans on Nov. 24 against Sweetwater.

Snyder begins District 2-4A competition Jan. 11 against defending district champion Levelland.

Women's juco basketball...

Dusters drop Lady Wranglers

By PHIL RIDDLE
SDN Sports Editor

Freshman Ayesha Howard scored eight straight second-half points to lift Western Texas College to an 80-72 non-conference basketball victory over Cisco JC Monday at Scurry County Coliseum.

Howard slammed home a three pointer to break a 67-67 tie with 2:18 to play, then added a 12-foot jumper and another three to put the Dusters ahead to stay.

Western Texas had beaten Cisco by 20 points just a week ago. WTC coach Ron Jones thought the difference in the two games was his team's execution.

"Well, I think the biggest difference was that we didn't play as quick or as fast or as well as we did in Cisco," the coach reported. "The first half at Cisco we played very, very well.

"They have a good team. They knew what we were going to do.

"We keep everything real simple," Jones continued. "If we're running the ball, then they can't set up the defense.

"Tonight we just weren't getting up and down the floor, so that caused our problems.

"What we do on offense is very simple. If we're running our break, we don't even run an offense.

"I think what it came down to is that we wanted it more than they did."

The Lady Dusters took a 7-6 lead about four minutes into the game, but a Tina Thomas field goal, a bucket by Julie Williams and Erma Carter's deuce put the Lady Wranglers on top, 12-7.

The Dusters whittled at the lead, moving even, 17-17, when Paulita Murrell grabbed an offensive rebound and sank it.

An ensuing 9-0 run, capped by a 3-point rainbow from Jenny Crowell, lifted WTC to a 26-17 advantage.

The lead grew to 11 at the end of the first half when Karyn Gabriel connected on both ends of a 1-and-1.

However, a 5-point flurry by CJC, including a three from Jill Dexter and Tera Alexander's hoop with :16 to go in the half, pulled the Lady Wranglers to within six, 38-32, at intermission.

Cisco battled back to a 46-all tie with 13:20 to play in the game when Alexander banked in two unanswered baskets.

Her third straight bucket gave Cisco a 2-point lead that stretched to eight on a Carter hoop at 9:51.

Western Texas went on the offensive and took the lead back, 61-59, with under five minutes to go when Murrell again slammed an offensive board in for two.

The teams traded scores until Howard got hot late in the half, ending Cisco's chances for a road win.

Howard scored 14 points, all in the second half, on six baskets, two from 3-point range.

WTC sophomore Allison Garcia led all scorers with 18 points. Also in double figures for the Dusters was freshman Jenny Crowell, who was good on four baskets, two threes, and was perfect in four shots from the stripe for 14.

Cisco's offensive attack was led by Tina Lester, who scored 16 before fouling out late in the second half.

The win lifts the Lady Dusters to an 8-1 season mark. Cisco falls to 6-3.

The two teams will meet again this weekend at the Howard Hawk Queen Classic in Big Spring.

Thursday's tourney opener pits Western Texas against Blinn JC at noon at the Dorothy Garrett Pavilion on the campus of Howard College.

The Dusters take on Cisco at noon on Friday, then battle Grayson County JC at noon Saturday.

The Lady Dusters' next home appearance is set for Dec. 5 when they tangle with Howard in a WJCAC game.

WTC 80, Cisco JC 72

CISCO — J. Williams 2 5-6 9; DeSpain 3 2-2 8; Alexander 5 2-2 12; Dexter 1 0-0 3; Menefield 3 1-1 7; Thomas 4 0-0 9; Carter 2 2-2 6; Moore 1 0-0 2; Lester 8 0-3 16; TOTALS 29 12-15 72.

WTC — Gabriel 1 3-3 5; Hauptman 0 1-3 1; Garcia 6 3-5 18; Howard 6 0-1 14; Isom 1 3-4 5; Huseman 3 0-0 6; Decker 2 0-0 6; Kearney 2 0-0 4; Crowell 4 4-4 14; Murrell 3 1-2 7; TOTALS 28 15-22 80.

Halftime score: WTC 38, Cisco 32. **3-point goals:** WTC 9 (Garcia 3, Howard 2, Decker 2, Crowell 2); Cisco 2 (Dexter 1, Thomas 1). **Total fouls:** WTC 15, Cisco 22. **Fouled out:** Cisco-Lester, Alexander. **Records:** WTC 8-1, Cisco 6-3.

Cards, Lady Cards host Southland

The Hermleigh Cardinals and Lady Cardinals begin the 1992 basketball season today, facing the Southland squads in non-district action at HHS.

The girls' game tips off at 6 p.m. followed by the boys' tilt.

Hermleigh will travel to Abilene Christian for games Saturday then will host ACHS on Dec. 1.

District play starts Jan. 5 when Blackwell visits.

Ira opens the cage season with home games against Klondike, Tuesday, Nov. 24.

SHOGUNS — Snyder Soccer Association's Under-8 Shoguns took third place in the recently completed fall season. Team members are, back row from left, Zack Cain, coach Rick Martin, Patrick Alderete and Leeann Hensley. Front row from left, Jed Martin, Justin Stoker, Kyle Dortch, Marcus Villareal and Chase Rushing. (Contributed Photo)

Buffalo takes 26-20 win over Dolphins

MIAMI (AP) — Bruce Smith kept closing in on Dan Marino, Jim Kelly stayed away from Louis Oliver, and the Buffalo Bills pulled ahead of the Miami Dolphins in the AFC East.

Smith led a relentless pass rush that sacked Marino four times in Buffalo's 26-20 victory Monday night. Kelly directed an error-free attack that contrasted with a 37-10 loss to Miami last month, when he had three passes picked off by Oliver.

The Bills (8-2) gained three games on Miami (7-3) by winning their last four games. Because of the NFL's tiebreaker system to settle playoff slots, Buffalo in effect has a two-game lead because it has two fewer losses than the Dolphins within the division.

"We're thrilled with the victory, but we know we've got a lot of season left," coach Marv Levy said. "We know we can only be thrilled for a short time."

"We could be in a lot better shape," Marino said, "but we're still not out of it."

The Bills had Marino on his heels — or his back — much of time after Miami took a 14-3 lead on its first two possessions. Smith, Darryl Talley, Marvcus Patton and Jeff Wright sacked Marino for losses totaling 35 yards.

"We knew we wouldn't get a great deal of sacks on him," Smith said. "But we got a lot of pressure on him, and that was important."

"He had to move around all the time," Miami coach Don Shula agreed.

Kelly, meanwhile, directed scoring drives on six of seven possessions midway through the game. The only failure came on a blocked 53-yard field goal attempt at the end of the first half.

"We didn't turn the ball over any," Kelly said. "That's why we won."

Buffalo took advantage of two Miami turnovers in the third period. Cornelius Bennett recovered a fumble by Mark Higgs, Henry Jones picked off a pass that slipped through Keith Jackson's hands and Buffalo converted both mistakes with Steve Christie's short field goals for a 26-17 lead.

Christie also kicked two field goals in the first half, including a team-record 54-yarder.

Jones' interception was his seventh of the year, most in the NFL.

Rockies, Marlins set for draft

NEW YORK (AP) — Toronto and Atlanta, the best teams in baseball, figure to be the first to lose players in today's expansion draft.

Braves pitcher David Nied, of Duncanville, Texas, was expected to be taken by the Colorado Rockies as the first pick, and Toronto outfield prospect Nigel Wilson was expected to go to the Marlins on the second pick.

"From what I understand, Nied already has taken a flight out to Denver," said Casey Close, who represents Braves teammate Kent Mercker. "That's what Kent found out. That's what he told me."

Nied's agent, Steve Pierce, said he wasn't sure.

"I've heard so much speculation," Pierce said. "I think there's going to be the biggest mass movement in the history of baseball."

Colorado started baseball's big week Monday by signing free agent first baseman Andres Galarraga to a $500,000, one-year deal with the chance to earn another $600,000 in performance bonuses. Galarraga became only the second of 153 free agents to sign and the first to switch teams.

"Galarraga is a veteran," Rockies manager Don Baylor said. "He's been around the National League for a couple of years."

Each team will draft 36 players, and plenty of big names are available. Lee Smith and Shawon Dunston and Jose Lind may be drafted and dealt just after the picking ends at 9 p.m. EST. Lind is widely rumored to be heading to the Los Angeles Dodgers.

Danny Tartabull, Jack Morris and catchers Mike LaValliere, Don Slaught, Greg Olson and Damon Berryhill were among the others left off 15-man protected lists. Each existing team can lose just one player per round, and can protect additional players after each round ends.

Nied, 24 next month, was 3-0 with a 1.17 ERA for Atlanta this season, and was 14-9 with a 2.84 ERA for Class AAA Richmond.

7th graders split games

BIG SPRING — Melanie Kidd scored 12 points to lead Snyder seventh grade A girls' basketball team to a season-opening 27-17 victory over Big Spring Monday.

Jamie Brown and Kristi Bolliger each added four, Marissa Wilson, Lila King and Erin Maytubby were each good for two and Halea Huestis hit a free throw for Snyder in the win.

The seventh grade B team fell to Big Spring, 18-12.

April Fletcher hit four points for the Lady Tigers. Teammates Mandy Heaton, Lisa McNair, Amanda Scott and Katy Walker each chipped in a bucket.

The seventh graders will be back in action Monday, Nov. 30, when they visit Colorado City.

Big Spring trips SJHS

BIG SPRING — Snyder eighth grade girls were swept by Big Spring in Monday's season-opening basketball games.

Snyder's A squad fell, 22-15, in spite of Sha Marricle's six points, and the SJHS B squad was topped, 29-19 by Big Spring, even though Rachel Wemken scored 10.

Others scoring for Snyder in the A game were Monie Pena, who had four, Shawna Huddleston and Jessica Perkins, each with two, and Monica Saenz with one.

For the Snyder B team, Shelly York contributed three and Brandy Roberge, Samantha Trevino and Maribeth Dillaha each canned two.

The eighth graders' next game is scheduled for Monday, Nov. 30, at Colorado City.

AP cage poll

The Top Twenty Five teams in the Associated Press' preseason college basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, 1991-92 record, total points based on 25 points for a first place vote through one point for a 25th place vote and last season's final ranking:

	Record	Pts	Pvs
1. Michigan (23)	25-9	1,536	15
2. Kansas (19)	27-5	1,513	2
3. Duke (15)	34-2	1,504	1
4. Indiana (6)	27-7	1,489	5
5. Kentucky	29-7	1,341	6
6. Seton Hall (2)	23-9	1,300	19
7. North Carolina	23-10	1,171	18
8. Memphis St.	23-11	1,158	—
9. Florida St.	22-10	1,089	20
10. Arizona	24-7	1,053	10
11. Iowa	19-11	738	—
12. Georgetown	22-10	631	22
13. Louisville	19-11	618	—
14. Georgia Tech	23-12	573	—
15. Oklahoma	21-9	545	23
16. Connecticut	20-10	470	—
17. Tulane	22-9	469	—
18. Syracuse	22-10	392	21
19. Iowa St.	21-13	374	—
20. Michigan St.	22-8	326	14
21. Cincinnati	29-5	320	12
22. UNLV	26-2	275	7
23. Massachusetts	30-5	260	17
24. UCLA	28-5	245	4
25. Nebraska	19-10	242	—

Others receiving votes: Texas 171, New Mexico State 158, Illinois 127, N.C. Charlotte 98, California 91, Brigham Young 84, Ohio State 84, Auburn 80, Utah 62, Wake Forest 61, Florida 60, Arkansas 55, Purdue 45, Georgia 44, Alabama 43, Boston College 43, Evansville 36, Oregon State 26, Tennessee 26, Missouri 19, George Washington 16, Southern Illinois 16, Arizona State 10, Mississippi State 8, Minnesota 7, Oklahoma State 4, Vanderbilt 4, Rice 3, Virginia 3, Temple 2, Xavier, Ohio 2, Marquette 1, Miami, Ohio 1, Pepperdine 1, Princeton 1, West Virginia 1.

Snyder frosh top Lamesa

Coach Robin Turner' SHS freshmen girls' basketball team opened the 1992-93 season Monday with a 41-38 home victory over Lamesa.

Jodi White led the Lady Tigers with 13 points. Mendy Winter and Kelly Clay each added eight, Jamie Brown chipped in six, Edwina Brooks had a bucket and Sharon Gulseth and Vena Clay each contributed one.

The SHS frosh will be back on the court this weekend, facing Abilene High, there, Friday at 6 p.m. then visiting Odessa Permian Saturday at 11 a.m.

Ira JH girls rip Highland

ROSCOE — Ira's junior high Lady Bulldogs began the basketball season Monday with a 28-17 win over Highland.

Kasey Calley led the Lady Bulldogs' charge with 11 points. Cory Rosas and Amy Harless each added four.

Ira's junior high boys were topped by Highland in their opener Monday, 36-21, in spite of a 10-point night by Adam Davis.

Teammates Todd Collom and Max Perez put in six and five points, respectively, for the 'Dogs.

The next outing for the IJHS squads will be at Saturday's Ira Tournament.

NFL glance

AMERICAN CONFERENCE	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
East						
Buffalo	8	2	0	.800	260	169
Miami	7	3	0	.700	250	177
Indianapolis	4	6	0	.400	133	223
N.Y. Jets	3	7	0	.300	163	202
New England	1	9	0	.100	138	257
Central						
Pittsburgh	7	3	0	.700	196	139
Houston	6	4	0	.600	230	178
Cleveland	5	5	0	.500	154	159
Cincinnati	4	6	0	.400	184	229
West						
Denver	7	3	0	.700	175	183
Kansas City	6	4	0	.600	204	158
San Diego	5	5	0	.500	158	165
LA Raiders	4	6	0	.400	152	171
Seattle	1	9	0	.100	59	194

NATIONAL CONFERENCE	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
East						
Dallas	8	2	0	.800	247	152
Philadelphia	6	4	0	.600	208	134
Washington	6	4	0	.600	175	167
N.Y. Giants	5	5	0	.500	214	202
Phoenix	3	7	0	.300	174	225
Central						
Minnesota	7	3	0	.700	259	161
Chicago	4	6	0	.400	224	244
Green Bay	4	6	0	.400	151	215
Tampa Bay	4	6	0	.400	184	227
Detroit	2	8	0	.200	177	216
West						
San Francisco	8	2	0	.800	292	172
New Orleans	7	3	0	.700	191	138
Atlanta	4	6	0	.400	186	265
LA Rams	4	6	0	.400	190	206

Sunday's Games

New York Jets 17, Cincinnati 14
Pittsburgh 17, Detroit 14
Houston 17, Minnesota 13
New England 37, Indianapolis 34, OT
Green Bay 27, Philadelphia 24
Atlanta 20, Phoenix 17
San Diego 14, Cleveland 13
Kansas City 35, Washington 16
Los Angeles Rams 27, Dallas 23
Tampa Bay 20, Chicago 17
San Francisco 21, New Orleans 20
Los Angeles Raiders 20, Seattle 3
Denver 27, New York Giants 13

Monday's Game

Buffalo 26, Miami 20

NBA glance

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EASTERN CONFERENCE	W	L	Pct.	GB
Atlantic Division				
New York	4	2	.667	—
Miami	3	2	.600	½
Orlando	3	2	.600	½
New Jersey	3	3	.500	1
Boston	2	4	.333	2
Philadelphia	1	3	.250	2
Washington	1	5	.167	3
Central Division				
Chicago	5	1	.833	—
Milwaukee	4	2	.667	1
Indiana	3	2	.600	1½
Cleveland	3	3	.500	2
Atlanta	2	3	.400	2½
Detroit	2	3	.400	2½
Charlotte	2	4	.333	3

WESTERN CONFERENCE	W	L	Pct.	GB
Midwest Division				
Utah	3	2	.600	—
Houston	2	2	.500	½
Minnesota	2	3	.400	1
Dallas	1	3	.250	1½
Denver	1	4	.200	2
San Antonio	1	4	.200	2
Pacific Division				
Portland	5	0	1.000	—
Phoenix	4	1	.800	1
Seattle	4	1	.800	1
Sacramento	4	2	.667	1½
LA Lakers	3	3	.500	2½
Golden State	2	4	.333	3½
LA Clippers	2	4	.333	3½

Monday's Games

Phoenix 117, Seattle 108
Portland 109, New York 94

Tuesday's Games

Utah at New Jersey, 7:30 p.m.
Boston at Washington, 7:30 p.m.
Golden State at Miami, 7:30 p.m.
Dallas at Charlotte, 7:30 p.m.
Denver at Indiana, 7:30 p.m.
Milwaukee at Atlanta, 8 p.m.
Chicago at Minnesota, 8 p.m.
Sacramento at Houston, 8:30 p.m.
Cleveland at San Antonio, 8:30 p.m.
New York at Seattle, 10 p.m.
Detroit at LA Clippers, 10:30 p.m.

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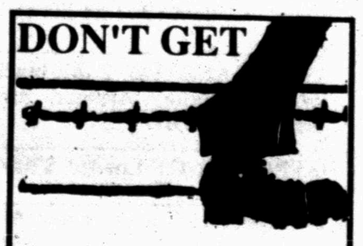

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Gubernatorial candidate returns to Mexico

MATAMOROS, Mexico (AP) — Mayor Jorge Cardenas Gonzalez playfully nuzzled his wife's neck and laughed as the couple waited at the prison gate.

Noticing a reporter's interest, Cardenas admonished: "Now don't print that." Then he turned away chuckling Monday, apparently unconcerned whether his command was heeded or not. His attention was focused once again on the iron-barred door with its peeling paint.

A while later he slipped inside to visit with followers who had been jailed last week following an election protest that became a riot.

But he showed no outward signs that he had apparently lost the Tamaulipas governor's race to a ruling party opponent he says cheated, that he had been questioned by federal authorities investigating the riot, that his son was hiding in Texas, a fugitive from Mexican justice.

Outwardly, he remained composed. Except when he spoke.

"I know this is a political thing," Cardenas said.

"We are not stopping our protests of electoral fraud."

Cardenas, who stepped down from his mayoral position to run for governor of Tamaulipas, made his pledge on his first day back in City Hall following the elections.

He presided over a City Council meeting, dealing with mundane items ranging from drainage problems to refurbishing a city theater.

Afterward, addressing the city during a live broadcast on his radio station XEEW, he said the fight continues.

"It was a terrible fraud. The biggest in the ... history of the official party," Cardenas said.

"I insist that the elections be annulled."

Coalition supporters last week sacked and burned the election commission headquarters in Matamoros. Federal police subsequently began a crackdown on riot suspects.

Police note burglary, several cases of theft

Snyder police began investigations into a burglary and several cases of theft Monday. They also closed one burglary.

At 8:54 a.m., Steve Bell notified police that someone had entered a building used as a flea market at 406 Coliseum Drive and taken a number of miscellaneous items. A report for burglary of a building was filed.

Geral M. Greene notified police at 3:35 p.m. that someone had stolen a toolbox from the back of his pickup while it was parked at 2409 31st St. A report for Class B theft was filed.

Tonya Warren came to the police department at 3:38 p.m. to notify police that a leather jacket, a black leather bag containing college books and some clothing was stolen from another person's vehicle while it was parked in the 2800 block of 34th Street. A report for Class A theft has been filed.

Officers closed a burglary which had been reported on Nov. 31 at 2104 41st St. Taken in the burglary were household items. Police identified a suspect and have forwarded the case to the district attorney's office. No arrest has been made.

Police arrested a 37-year-old man at 5:08 p.m. in the intersection of 33rd Street and Avenue D on outstanding DPS warrants out of Austin for speeding and failure to appear.

At 1:47 a.m. today, police were notified that a man was pacing back and forth in the Plaza Cafe parking lot. Officers investigated, and according to the police report, the man was seeing people in his car "that other persons could not see." Officers talked with the man and eventually followed him to a relative's residence where he was to stay overnight.

Police also worked two minor traffic accidents Monday. Officers investigated a two-vehicle mishap at 12:38 p.m. in the 1600 block of Coliseum Drive. Involved were a 1987 Ford driven by Novalie Marcelle Jones of 53 NW Ave. D in Hamlin and a 1991 Ford driven by Christopher Edward Stiles of 4509 Regalridge in Fort Worth.

At 4:59 p.m. police worked an accident at 30th Street and College Avenue. Involved were a 1975 Oldsmobile driven by Ellis Eubanks of 1312 28th St. and 1992 flatbed trailer which was towed by a 1988 Silverado pickup driven by John McKinney of 705 30th St.

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Ex-wife of admitted courthouse gunman seeks more money

FORT WORTH (AP) — The former wife of George Lott, who confessed to a shooting melee in a courthouse this summer, has asked a judge for $312,000 in child support payments she says is needed for counseling for their son.

Margo Livesay on Monday requested that Judge Bill Burdock require Lott to double his payments to $2,000 per month and pay her in lump sum, plus her attorney fees. A ruling is expected next week.

Ms. Livesay, an assistant college professor in Peoria, Ill., testified that their five-year-old son needs professional counseling because he was sexually abused by Lott and panics when he is away from his mother.

Lott, a one-time practicing attorney, defended himself Monday and accused Ms. Livesay of abusing the child.

But she said an Illinois court found Lott the abusive parent.

Lott, who appeared in court wearing green coveralls and his feet shackled together, testified that he has more than $400,000 in life insurance and liquid investments.

Lott also is representing himself on a capital murder charge and three related charges from the July 1 incident at the Tarrant County Courthouse.

He is accused of killing Assistant Tarrant County District Attorney Chris Marshall, 41, and Dallas lawyer John Edwards, 33. Two judges and another prosecutor were injured when a gunman entered a courtroom and started shooting randomly.

Lott objected Monday when opposing an attorney referred to the shootings by charging Lott with leaving "a trail of tragedy in his wake," but he was overruled by Burdock.

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do."

Nieves said he instructed the inmate, who was coming toward him, to calm down, but Scott was very agitated and kept coming toward him.

Nieves testified that he moved away from the stairs, which were being blocked by Scott, who punched him on the side of the head, knocking him to the floor.

He said Scott then kicked him in the side of the head. Nieves said he got up and tried to get through a door to get away from Scott. Before he could get through the door, however, Scott grabbed him around the neck and tried to strangle him, Nieves testified.

He said that Scott then tried to throw him over the second floor railing, but was unsuccessful because he grabbed the rail. Another officer finally arrived, taking Scott away from the area.

Nieves was treated for cuts to the head and arm at the Price Daniel Unit infirmary. Pictures of the injuries sustained by Nieves were submitted as evidence in the case.

Assistant District Attorney Dana Cooley is prosecuting the case. Scott is represented by James D. Pruitt of Huntsville. Gene Dulaney, 132nd District Judge, is presiding.

2 injured in blast

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas (AP) — Two men have been seriously injured and about 60 people evacuated from their homes following a pipeline explosion, officials said.

Officials said the explosion occurred Monday evening at a site where Tennessee Pipeline Construction Co. employees had been working on the Valero Gas Co. pipeline in the northwest portion of the city.

Tennessee and Valero officials said they did not know what caused the explosion, but Fire Chief J.J. Adame said a backhoe may have hit the gas line and ruptured it.

He said the cause of the fire most likely would not be determined until the fire was out. The fire had nearly burned itself out this morning.

Two Tennessee Pipeline employees injured in the explosion were listed in serious but stable condition today at Memorial Medical Center. They were transferred to the hospital's burn unit after they were taken to the emergency room at 6:10 p.m. Monday, said Gretchen Benkendorfer, a hospital spokeswoman.

Audits

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communities. Overall, the economic effect on the county will be bad, I think. If the school goes, within five years the town will go.

"I don't think it's a good idea from an educational standpoint. I know it is not a good idea from an economic standpoint," Church said.

The Texas Supreme Court has given lawmakers until June 1, 1993, to change the current funding system, which transfers local property tax money from wealthier to poorer school districts within counties or groups of counties. It was an attempt to meet a court order for equalized school funding.

A proposed constitutional amendment proposed by leaders and approved by the Senate would authorize statewide redistribution of local property tax money.

A two-thirds vote of the Legislature is required to put a proposed constitutional amendment before Texas voters. Lewis said there currently is not enough support in the House to approve an amendment.

"The whole plan is designed to let the people pick it up (school funding) and let the state back out," said Church. "The state is not wanting to put any more money into this thing."

Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS: Alfonsina Alarcon, 2305 Ave. M; Eris Guynes, 2601 El Paso; Ora Murray, Snyder Oaks Care Center; Herlinda Gutierrez, 1915 Coleman No. 2; Antonio Zamarripa, 3908 Muriel Dr.; Thelma Gressett, Snyder Oaks Care Center; Emily Harding, 2112 O'Neil; Willie Jones, 3412 Ave. M.

DISMISSALS: Lucy Garcia, Helen Hodges, Margaret Chick, Eva Fallis, Margaret Molina, Ora Westmoreland, Shannon Flanagan and baby, Tom Elam, Herlinda Gutierrez and baby.

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Albtsn	451/4	447/8	451/4	+1/2
AlliedSignal	563/4	56	565/8	+3/4
ALLTEL Cp	467/8	465/8	463/4	
AmStores	411/4	41	41	-1/8
Amer T&T	461/2	457/8	457/8	-3/4
Ameritech	643/4	641/4	641/2	+1/4
Amoco	495/8	493/8	495/8	+1/8
AndarkPtr	291/8	29	29	-1/4
Arkla	10	91/2	93/4	+1/2
ArmcoInc	55/8	51/2	51/2	
AtlRichfld	1085/8	108	1081/8	-1/4
BakerHugh	197/8	195/8	193/4	-1/8
BancTexas	13/8	13/8	13/8	
BellAtl	453/4	451/4	453/4	+1/2
BellSouth	481/4	473/4	481/4	+1/2
Beth Steel	135/8	133/8	135/8	+1/8
Borden	27	263/4	27	+1/4
Caterplr	533/8	523/4	527/8	
Centel	333/4	335/8	335/8	-1/8
CenSoWst s	281/8	273/4	277/8	
Chevron	683/8	681/8	683/8	
Chrysler	28	273/4	277/8	-1/8
Coastal	251/8	25	251/8	
CocaCola s	407/8	401/2	405/8	-1/4
ColgP	59	583/4	59	-1/8
ComlMetl	251/2	251/4	251/4	-1/2
CooperIn	477/8	471/2	473/4	+1/4
CyprusMn	27	263/4	263/4	-1/4
DallSemicn	133/8	131/8	131/4	+1/8
DeltaAirl	535/8	531/8	533/8	+1/8
DigitalEq	337/8	331/8	335/8	-1/8
Dillard s	47	461/2	463/4	+1/2
DowChem	531/8	525/8	525/8	-3/8
DresserInd	181/8	173/4	177/8	
DuPont	463/8	46	461/8	+1/8
EstKodak	401/2	401/8	401/4	+1/8
EljerInd	10	10	10	-1/8
Enserch	151/2	153/8	151/2	+1/4
Exxon	59	583/4	587/8	
FlowerInd	203/4	205/8	205/8	
FordMotor	397/8	393/4	393/4	+1/8
GTE Cp	34	333/4	337/8	
GaDynam	1021/2	1011/8	1013/4	+3/8
GenElct	781/4	777/8	78	
GaMill	671/2	671/8	673/8	-1/8
GenMotors	31	303/8	303/8	-3/4
GenMotrE s	291/4	291/8	291/8	
GaPacif	561/4	553/4	553/4	-1/2
GlobalMar	21/2	21/2	21/2	-1/8
Goodrich	435/8	431/2	431/2	-1/8
Goodyear	693/8	687/8	691/8	+1/2
GtAtlPac	27	253/4	263/8	+1/2
Gulf StaUt	16	157/8	157/8	-1/4
Haliburtn	301/4	297/8	301/4	+3/8
Hanson	171/2	173/8	173/8	-1/8
HoustInd	443/8	441/8	441/4	+1/8
IBM	65	645/8	647/8	
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vjLoneStar	31/2	31/2	31/2	-1/8
Lowes s	203/8	20	20	-3/8
Lubys	191/4	191/8	191/8	-3/8
Maxus	63/4	65/8	63/4	+1/8
MayDSt	721/8	713/4	717/8	+1/8
Medtronic	1033/4	1027/8	1031/2	+3/8
Mobil	601/4	595/8	593/4	
Monsanto	561/8	551/2	56	-1/4
Motorola	971/4	963/8	97	-5/8
Nationsbk	49	483/4	487/8	-1/8
Navistar	2	17/8	17/8	
Nynex	801/2	801/4	803/8	+1/8
OryxEngy	211/8	21	21	
PacTelesis	415/8	413/8	411/2	+1/8
PanhECp	181/4	18	181/8	+1/8
PenneyJC	773/8	763/8	763/8	-1/2
Pennzoil	54	531/2	531/2	-3/8
PepBoys	261/8	253/4	253/4	-1/4
PhelpD s	423/4	421/4	425/8	+1/8
PhilipPet	237/8	233/4	233/4	
PilgrmPrd	61/2	61/2	61/2	
Polaroid s	321/2	323/8	323/8	-1/8
Praxair n	161/4	16	16	-1/4
Primerica	447/8	441/2	443/4	+1/4
ProctGamb s	541/8	537/8	54	-1/8
PubS NwMx	123/4	125/8	125/8	-1/8
SFePacCp	127/8	125/8	123/4	+1/8
SaraLee	597/8	593/8	593/4	-1/2
SearsRoeb	427/8	423/4	427/8	+1/8
SherwinW	287/8	283/4	287/8	+1/8
SmthBck s	395/8	395/8	395/8	
SmthBc eqt s	351/8	347/8	351/8	+1/8
Southern Co	36	353/4	36	+1/8
SwAirl s	251/4	243/4	247/8	-3/8
SwstBell	66	653/8	657/8	+3/4
Sprint	257/8	255/8	253/4	-1/8
SterlingChm	41/8	4	41/8	+1/8
SunCo	247/8	245/8	243/4	-1/8
TNP Ent	211/2	213/8	213/8	+1/4
Tandy	263/4	265/8	263/4	+1/8
TempleInl	485/8	48	48	-1/2
Tenneco	337/8	331/4	333/8	-1/4
Texaco	595/8	59	591/2	-1/8
TexasInd	203/4	205/8	203/4	-1/8
TexasInst	497/8	491/2	491/2	-3/8
Tex Util	417/8	415/8	417/8	+1/8
Textron	393/4	391/2	395/8	+1/2
Tyler	41/4	41/4	41/4	+1/8
US West	36	355/8	36	+3/8
USX-Marathn	163/8	161/8	161/4	-1/8
USX-USS	281/2	281/8	281/4	
UnCarbde	145/8	141/2	145/8	
UnPac	571/4	57	571/8	+1/8
UnitTech	421/4	411/2	417/8	-5/8
Unocal	241/4	24	241/8	
WalMart	613/4	611/2	613/4	+3/8
WstnGasRs	241/8	237/8	24	
WestghEl	12	117/8	117/8	-1/4
WinnDixie	721/4	72	721/4	-1/8
Woolwth	321/4	32	32	-1/4
Xerox Cp	775/8	771/8	771/2	+1/8
ZenithE	55/8	51/2	51/2	

Births

Isidro and Herlinda Gutierrez of Snyder announce the birth of a six-pound, 10-ounce daughter born at 3:02 a.m. on Nov. 13 at Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

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Security Council authorizes naval blockade on Yugoslavia

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — Although the Security Council has voted to tighten economic sanctions on Yugoslavia with a naval blockade, it is not clear to what extent governments are willing to get involved in enforcement.

The council voted for a naval blockade on the Danube River and the Adriatic Sea as a way of stepping up pressure on Yugoslavia to end the fighting in Bosnia-Herzegovina.

The world community widely considers Serb-led Yugoslavia as the prime aggressor in the 8-month-old war. Serbian forces have seized about 70 percent of Bosnia. Most of the rest is held by Croat militias, with only Sarajevo and a few other towns still held by the Muslim-led government.

The U.N. imposed economic sanctions on Yugoslavia on May 30 but provided only a weak enforcement mechanism.

Violations have been frequent; the shelves of stores in the Yugoslav capital, Belgrade, are filled with imported goods this week.

In the new measure, the Security Council cited Chapter 7 of the U. N. Charter, which it has used to enforce embargoes and bans on international weapons trade with Iraq and Libya.

The resolution prods Bulgaria and Romania to patrol the Danube, which flows along their border to the Black Sea after passing through Yugoslavia. But there was no immediate word from the countries, which are struggling with their own post-Communist domestic problems, on whether they would take action.

The resolution also authorizes inspections of ships in the Adriatic that are headed for Yugoslavia.

4 officers charged in fatal beating of black motorist

DETROIT (AP) — Charges against four police officers in the beating death of a motorist have opened new wounds on Detroit's battered visage, already bloodied by corruption scandals and one of the nation's highest murder rates.

But this time, Detroit leaders are being praised for swinging back at a case that some fear could touch off the kind of violence that gutted parts of Los Angeles following the Rodney King verdict in the spring.

Two officers were charged with murder, one with manslaughter and one with assault Monday in the Nov. 5 beating death of Malice Green.

Three other officers, also suspended without pay after Green's death, were not charged due to insufficient evidence.

"I feel justice is done," said the victim's father, Jessie Green Jr., who had urged calm in the days after his son's death. "I think they handled it very well."

Green, 35, who was black, died of head injuries after being bludgeoned with flashlights on an inner-city street near a suspected drug house.

Witnesses say the beating occurred after Green and police argued as he dropped off a passenger, and that Green refused to open his clenched hand.

Officers Larry Nevers and Walter Budzyn, both white, were charged with second-degree murder. They could get life in prison if convicted.

Budzyn, 42, was named an Officer of the Year by his union in 1990 for making 31 arrests and recovering six stolen cars. He and Nevers, 52, have been named in 25 citizen complaints and five lawsuits.

Sgt. Freddie Douglas, 44, who is black, was charged with involuntary manslaughter, with a maximum 15-year sentence, and willful neglect of duty, punishable by one year in prison. Douglas, the ranking officer on the scene, is accused of doing nothing to stop the beating.

Officer Robert Lessnau, 32, who is white, was charged with assault with intent to do great bodily harm, which can bring 10 years imprisonment.

As the four were arraigned, a dozen people gathered at the site of the beating to urge strong punishment of the officers.

Smokers' hearts are starved for blood, new study finds

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Smokers' hearts are starved for blood during times of physical and emotional stress because of previously unsuspected damage done by smoking to tiny blood vessels, a study shows.

The condition does not show up on conventional heart tests, however. That means smokers could be wrongly told they are healthy when in fact they are at increased risk of a heart attack, the study's author said Monday.

A combination of smoking and stress pushes the already elevated heart attack risk of smokers even higher, said Dr. Robert L. Minor of the Iowa Heart Institute in Des Moines.

He and his colleagues at the University of Iowa found that life-saving blood flow to smokers' hearts through tiny blood vessels called arterioles falls well below the flow to nonsmokers' hearts at times of stress.

That's true even when a smoker is not smoking, and it gets worse when a smoker lights up, Minor reported at the American Heart Association's annual scientific meeting.

"Smoking may lead to severe limitations of blood supplied to the heart — particularly during exercise or emotional stress — and make it easier for a heart attack to occur," Minor said.

Minor threaded an ultrasound probe into the arteries of 31 smokers and 28 nonsmokers to estimate the amount of blood flow to the heart through arterioles, which are too small to be seen in conventional examinations.

When the heart is stressed, arterioles can open up and quadruple the amount of blood they normally carry to the heart. But the flow through smokers' arterioles is 30 percent less than that of nonsmokers.

When a smoker lights up a single cigarette, the blood flow through the arterioles decreases by another 20 percent, Minor said.

Drugs are available to open the arterioles, but Minor's prescription to smokers is: quit.

Ten years after quitting, a smoker's heart disease risk is about the same as that of a nonsmoker, he said.

What is not known is whether the damage to the arterioles clears up.

Victim's sister settles lawsuit

AUSTIN (AP) — The sister of a child abuse victim whose beating death led to changes in the handling of child abuse cases in Texas will receive more than $600,000 as a settlement of a lawsuit filed against the Texas Department of Human Services.

The lawsuit was filed on behalf of Jennifer Wohlers, now 7. Christopher Wohlers, her brother, was 2 years old at the time of his death in 1990.

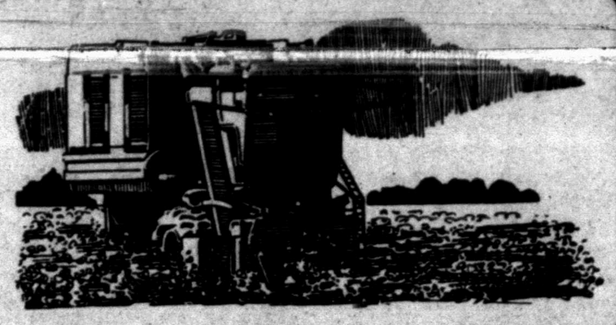
The lawsuit, settled Monday in state District Court, alleged that the state agency charged with protecting children from abuse had botched the Wohlers case and contributed to his death.

The girl will receive the money in payments that will continue until she is 40. The human services department did not admit any wrongdoing, but Wohlers' attorney said the agency never would have agreed to the settlement had it felt there was no wrongdoing by its employees.

The death touched off a firestorm of protests directed at the agency because it had several opportunities to remove the child from his home, but postponed a decision.

LIBRARY FIELD TRIP — First United Methodist Church's Children Day Out's Discovery School pre-kindergarten class, listens intently to Sherry Brynat read original poetry in the children's room of Scurry County Library. (SDN Staff Photo)

Scurry County Country



Town & Country Topics

By Kathryn Roberts
County Extension Agent

GROWING OLDER CAN PLACE YOU AT NUTRITIONAL RISK

In less than 20 years from now the first of the baby boomers will officially reach the "senior citizen" mark, swelling the ranks of those 65 and over to 39 million.

By the year 2000, when the youngest of the baby-boom set has celebrated their 65th birthday, that number will have reached 66 million — more than one out of five people in the United States.

Older adults are in fact the fastest growing segment of the population. Even today, people 69 and older number 30 million, accounting for more than one in nine of us. Thus, chances are if you're not an older American, you know someone who is.

Unfortunately, chances are also relatively high that the nutritional well-being of many of those who have reached their "golden years" has been compromised; the elderly are the single largest demographic group at risk of malnutrition.

One reason is that the body's ability to correct itself from nutritional imbalances declines with age. Consider that when a young adult takes in too little of a particular vitamin or mineral over time, absorption of that nutrient may increase in the gastrointestinal tract to make up the deficit or the body tissues may be able to adapt by using the nutrient more efficiently.

An older person's body may not have as good a balancing mechanism so that a decrease in nutrient intake won't necessarily be made up for by a concomitant increase in absorption or efficiency of use.

Another concern for older Americans is that an estimated 45 percent take multiple prescription drugs, which can also adversely affect the body's absorption and use of various nutrients as well as suppress appetite.

The decline in the number of taste buds on the tongue that occurs with age can diminish appetite as well by taking away from food's appeal. It's the same with the sense of smell. That too, diminishes over the years, increasing still more the possibility of decreased satisfaction with food and a decrease in appetite and eating.

Making things worse is that if malnutrition does occur in an older person, or in any adult for that matter, it may occur gradually, so that by the time it's recognized it is often a full-blown medical problem rather than merely a lifestyle issue that can be corrected with some simple steps.

4-Hers must make entries

4-H members planning to exhibit livestock at the county and major state livestock shows will need to come by the extension office on Friday, Nov. 20 to make entries.

Diversified

By Mike Morrow, County Extension Agent

A Pesticide Applicator Workshop will be held on Wed., Dec. 16, at the Texas A&M University Research & Extension Center in Lubbock. Five Continuing Education Units (CEU's) will be offered to license holders.

The Center is located just north of the Lubbock airport on the Shallowater road. Registration will be from 8 to 8:30 a.m. The program will be from 8:30 a.m. until 4 p.m. Participants may attend part or all of the program.

The Texas Department of Agriculture currently recognizes four types of applicator licenses: 1) Certified Private; 2) Licensed Private; 3) Commercial; and 4) Non-Commercial. Certified Private Applicators must obtain 15 CEU's prior to Dec. 31, 1995. Licensed Private Applicators must obtain 15 CEU's within the five-year license period. Commercial and Non-Commercial Applicators must obtain 20 CEU's every three years with at least five CEU's being obtained each year.

If these recertification requirements are not met, the license will expire and the applicator must retest and pay the license fee.

This training will be one of the last opportunities for applicators to obtain CEU's in 1992. For further information, contact the County Extension Office at 573-5423 or call Dr. Harold Kaufman at the Texas A&M University Research and Extension Center in Lubbock at 806-746-6101.

Feb. 18-19 in Lubbock...

Seminars planned for women

COLLEGE STATION — Women who are interested in learning more about managing their farm/ranch business, regardless of their current role, will have a rare opportunity to do so in early 1993. The Texas Agricultural Extension Service will offer the first annual sessions of a new program, "Women in Agriculture: Management Development Seminars" in January and February.

Many educational programs dealing with farm management are attended primarily by men. "Women may not feel comfortable attending, much less asking questions about the basic of topics covered," said Danny Klinefelter, extension service economist and management specialist.

"This program is designed with those women in mind," he said. "Younger and older farm wives, women landowners and those who run the business on their own will all benefit from this exciting new educational event."

Women in Agriculture: Management Development Seminars will be held in two locations in 1993. The first conference will be Jan. 12-13 in San Antonio at the Wyndham San Antonio. The second seminar will be Feb. 18-19 in Lubbock at the Sheraton. A third location will be added in 1994 in the Dallas area.

These two-day conferences will begin with registration at 9 a.m. on the first day and conclude after lunch on the second. Information will be presented by keynote speakers, in smaller workshop settings and in informal sharing sessions.

There will be a wide variety of workshop topics, ranging from financial management, record keeping and marketing to those more family oriented. Each workshop will be repeated. Workshop topics will include:

- Managing Family/Business Relationships
- Your Farm/Ranch in the Year 2000: How Big?
- Basic ASCS Information
- Understanding and Working With Lenders
- Thinking Globally and the North American Free Trade Agreement
- Agriculture and Environmental Regulations
- Developing a Management Information/Record-keeping System
- Understanding Financial Statements
- The Essentials of Labor Laws
- Estate Planning
- Protecting Your Farm & Your Future: The Role of Insurance
- Marketing Basics

Participants in the Women in Agriculture: Management Development Seminars can expect to learn practical management and marketing skills, gain confidence in participating in new roles on the farm and meet other women with similar interests.

The cost of the conference is $95, which includes three meals, breaks and all conferene materials. The Wyndham San Antonio is on I-10 just north of the loop. The Sheraton in Lubbock is located at the Civic Center. For more information, or to register, contact your local county agent or call Junice Baldwin at (409) 845-7171.

Sweetwater cattle auction

The market was steady on a run of 1,136 head for the Nov 11 sale. Feeder cattle fully steady with good stockers steady and plain stockers some cheaper. Packer cows $1 higher with bulls steady.

—Lightweight stocker steers, 95-107.
—Mediumweight stocker steers, 84-93.
—Feeder steer yearlings, 78-83.
—Lightweight stocker heifers, 84-90.
—Mediumweight stocker heifers, 77-83.
—Feeder heifer yearlings, 72.50-76.
—Good bred cows, 600-700.
—Old and plain bred cows, 400-555.
—Good cow/calf pairs, 650-750.
—Old and plain pairs, 550-600.
—Good packer cows, 47-53.
—Low-yielding packer cows, 40-47.
—Good packer bulls, 55-62.
—Low-yielding packer bulls, 53-55.

Upper Colorado SWCD

By Connie Robbins

You are all aware of the federal agency USDA-Soil Conservation Service; however, are you familiar with Upper Colorado Soil and Water Conservation District #115?

Conservation districts began in the 1930's when Congress, in response to national concern over mounting erosion, floods and horrible dust storms that swept across the country, enacted the Soil Conservation Act of 1935. Conservation districts are local governmental subdivisions established under state law to carry out programs for the conservation, use and development of soil, water and related resources, through Soil Conservation Service.

The Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board was created by the Texas Legislature in 1939. The state board has the responsibility for planning, implementing and managing programs and practices for reducing agricultural and silvicultural (forestry) nonpoint source pollution.

Passage of the Texas State Conservation Law made it possible for local landowners to organize their own districts. Long-range plans of operations and programs are developed by each local district. These district programs and plans of work are updated regularly to recognize and evaluate changes in agriculture, economy and pollution.

Producers wanting to use a conservation program on their land receive assistance through their local district. The landowner's interest and the district's commitment of assistance is formalized by both parties signing a cooperative agreement. At that time, a conservation plan for each individual farm is developed.

Our earliest records indicate the first Upper Colorado SWCD meeting was held June 5, 1941. Board of directors A. Johnston, chairman, H.M. Murphy, Giles W. Bowers, and Nolan von Roeder, supervisors, attended. It is noted that the fifth member of the board "was unable to be at the meeting on account of muddy roads." Newly elected board members took their oath of office. Luke Ballard explained the duties of the board and the regulations of the law.

Various agencies such as AAA, Farm Credit Administration, Texas Extension Service, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, Vocational Agricultural Service, Texas State Board of Health, Soil Conservation Service, Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission and Farm Security Administration were invited to the next meeting on June 18, 1941, to help lay out a plan of work for the welfare of the district.

As a result of the establishment of the SWCD, USDA-SCS was allowed to establish a field office in Snyder to assist the district in working with land managers, local government agencies and other local interests. Work varies from district to district, depending on conservation needs.

The Upper Colorado SWCD is comprised of Scurry and Borden counties. There are over 200 soil and water conservation districts in Texas. Each are political subdivisions of state government; however, they have no authority to tax or take property for public use.

Each district is governed by a five-member elected board. The district directors must be actively engaged in farming or ranching in order to serve on a board. Each director represents zone within the district and must live in and own land in that zone. From the board, a chairman, vice-chairman and secretary/treasurer are elected.

In District 115, Scurry and Borden counties, the board of directors include Brent Murphy, chairman; Leon Sterling, vice chairman; Charlie Henderson, secretary/treasurer; and Burl Belew and Walter Stirl, members. Board members do not receive salaries. Connie Robbins is the district clerk and does receive a salary as clerk.

The district has its own office equipment and other assets. Because of the close association with Soil Conservation Service, Robbins shares space in their office at 5309 Big Spring Highway. You have probably noticed that she does assist SCS in certain duties, including answering the phone and "holding down the fort" when all the SCS personnel are in the field, at meetings or elsewhere.

USDA-Soil Conservation Service is the only federal agency from which the soil and water district can receive funds. This occurs when agreement contracts are made between the soil and water districts and SCS.

The State of Texas funds districts through matching funds and technical assistance funds. Matching funds are limited to $3,200.00 and technical assistance funds are limited to $5,868.31 annually (for the Upper Colorado SWCD). These amounts are set through the Soil and Water Conservation State Board. The State Legislature appropriates funds annually to the State Board.

Funds eligible for matching are contributions and gifts, income from rental of district owned equipment, federal and local grants, and proceeds from local district activities (banquets, tours, field days) not including area and regional activities.

Benefits of applied conservation plans by many of you can be seen throughout the Upper Colorado SWCD. Perhaps the biggest visible proof is the lack of blowing dirt and sand. The horrible, sky-blackening dirt storms of as few as 5 to 10 years ago have disappeared. Though we still have some blowing dirt at times, it in no way resembles the type storms of the 1930s, 40s, 50s, 60s and 70s.

Better range management through mesquite, cedar and cactus eradication; controlled burning; shaping and sodding of waterways that were once unsightly gullies and washouts of needed pasture; range seeding — all of these practices have increased grazing areas that are greatly needed in our West Texas area. Terrace systems have greatly improved cultivated lands by eliminating loss of precious top soil.

You are invited to attend monthly meetings, held the third Thursday of each month, at the Snyder Country Club at noon.

Please call and let us know if you plan to attend any meeting so that we can arrange for adequate seating (and Dutch treat lunch, if you'd like).

The local board needs your input and suggestions, as well as active support. Community involvement is needed. Whether you farm, or ranch, are employed or manage a non-ag establishment, "butcher, baker, candlestick maker."

We wanted to bring your attention to the Upper Colorado Soil and Water Conservation District and its benefits to Scurry and Borden Counties. Our 1992 annual report was recently published in the Snyder Daily News and the Borden Star. If you would like additonal information, talk to the district director in your area, come by the Soil Conservation Service office or call for an appointment at 573-6317.

Thank you for taking the time to read this. We hope that it has furnished you with information of which you were unaware.

We especially hope that it has made you aware of the district, its importance to the farming and ranching communities (as well as non-agricultural entities and people), and its associaton with soil conservation service and other federal, state and local agencies.

We are here for you. Working together, we can make a difference in area conservation problems.

Plum pox virus now being tested in West Virginia

WASHINGTON (AP) — Plum trees have been planted at a test site in West Virginia after a new gene was inserted in them that scientists hope will protect them from a virus damaging orchards throughout Europe.

"The potential increase of travel and exchange of goods between the United States and Eastern Europe and the former Soviet Union heightens the risk of this disease striking our orchards," said Ralph Scorza, an Agriculture Department horticulturist at the Appalachian Fruit Research Laboratory in Kearneysville, W.Va.

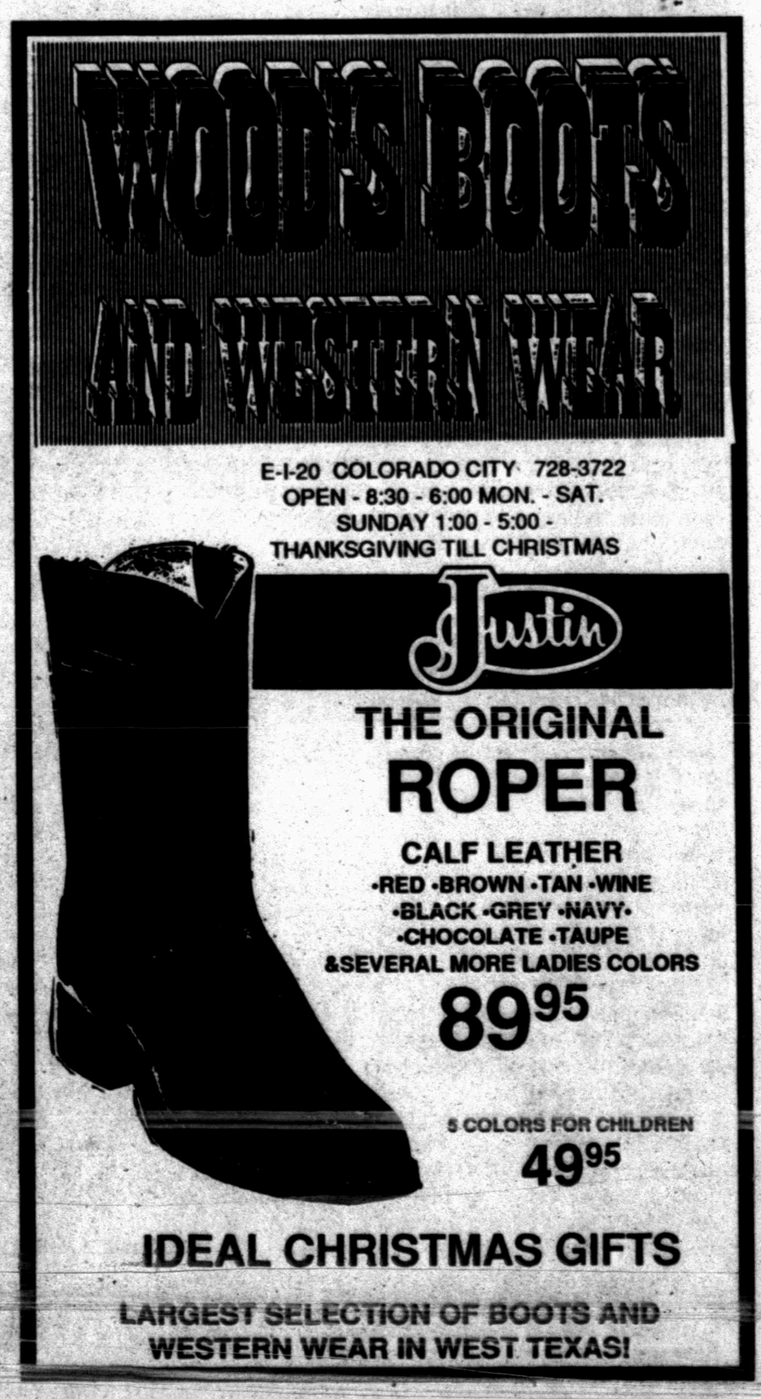
If the new gene works in the 36 plum trees planted this month at the laboratory, Scorza said, "we may have future insurance against the virus, should it appear."

A coating of protein usually surrounds a virus. Scorza and colleagues inserted in the plum trees a gene from the protein coat of the papaya ringspot virus. This gene has been used in other crops to protect them against other viruses.

"It's this protein that we're looking for in the new plum trees," said Scorza, who is with USDA's Agricultural Research Service.

Scientists at Kearneysville will periodically test for the presence of the virus coat protein in different parts of the trees throughout the growing season, he said. Productivity and fruit quality will also be measured.

"These experimental trees will not be infected with the plum pox virus," Scorza said. That part of the research will be done by cooperating scientists in France.



Dear Abby

Group Helps Blended Families Learning to Cope With Change

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR READERS: In recent years, the mail from stepchildren, stepparents and steprelatives has increased at an alarming rate. Perhaps it's due to the fact that divorce and remarriage have become more popular and less stigmatized in the last 20 years.

Take heart — there is help out there for stepmothers, stepchildren, stepfathers and all manner of steppeople. It's called the Stepfamily Association of America. The group was founded in 1979. It offers information and advocacy for stepfamilies: self-help programs through local chapters, educational resources, a quarterly bulletin, annual national conference, and chapter start-up information.

You need not send a self-addressed envelope to receive information. Simply write to: Stepfamily Association of America, 215 Centennial Mall South, Suite 212, Lincoln, Neb. 68508. The toll-free telephone number is 1-800-735-0329 (U.S.A. and Canada).

This organization provides helpful information for people contemplating becoming stepparents, and those already involved with a blended family — who are having a difficult time dealing with her kids by her first husband, his kids by his first wife, or the new set of grandparents who find competing with biological grandparents more than they bargained for. The association offers some intelligent guidelines that will make those new steppeople less threatening and more welcome. Trust me.

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DEAR ABBY: My husband was married before and has a 12-year-old daughter who lives with her mother in a distant state. I'll call my stepdaughter "Carla." My husband can afford to fly Carla here only twice a year. My husband and I also have a daughter of our own who will soon be 3 years old. The problem is that we would like to have a family portrait taken and can't decide whether Carla should be in it or not.

I do not dislike Carla, but we see her so seldom, it's hard for me to consider her part of the immediate family. I would hate to hurt her feelings, but I also don't want to pretend to be a family because actually we are not. When Carla visits us, she is more like a guest.

Should we have the portrait taken with just my husband and me and our baby, and hide it when Carla visits? Or should we wait several months for her next visit to have the family portrait taken?

Abby, how important would it be for your readers who are stepchildren (grown or otherwise) to have been included in their absent parent's new family portrait? Maybe it wouldn't mean anything to Carla. Am I making a big deal out of nothing? Sign me ...

UNSURE STEPMOM

DEAR UNSURE: Please do not have a picture taken that you will have to hide when your stepdaughter visits. Better to include her in the family portrait whether it will mean anything to her or not than to exclude her and risk hurting her.

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DEAR ABBY: If your readers are beginning to make Christmas lists and are wondering what to give the "old folks," here's a suggestion:

How about a once-a-month cleaning person? Many "old folks" are able to handle the daily chores of dusting, vacuuming, laundry, grocery shopping, cooking, cleanup, etc., but when it comes to heavy-duty cleaning, they can't manage it.

They would like to remain independent (if they are lucky) until they drop dead, and a little assistance of this sort would make their remaining years easier and more comfortable.

There are a lot of us out there. Think about it!

"OLD FOLKS"

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Here's an excellent guide to becoming a better conversationalist and a more attractive person. To order "How to Be Popular," send a business-sized, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for $3.95 ($4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, Popularity Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054. (Postage is included.)

Official wants to ban obscene bands

IRVING, Texas (AP) — A city councilman wants to pull the Texas Stadium welcome mat out from under Madonna, 2 Live Crew and other performers some think specialize in smut.

But Morris Parrish's idea for a ban on obscene bands isn't winning much support.

"I do think Morris is kind of alone on this," said Mayor Pro Tem Harry Joe.

Mayor Roy Brown called trying to prevent obscenity at the city-owned structure "an exercise in futility."

Brown and statium officials promise that concerts will continue.

"I want them to promote the stadium," Brown said of Texas Stadium Corp., which leases the structure. "I want them to make money .... because it increases our cut, for one thing."

Parrish has asked the council to pressure stadium officials to quit bringing what he considers raunchy acts to the stage. Songs packed with obscenity and descriptions of violence glorify criminal behavior, he says.

"My strong belief is there is a problem with child abuse and wife abuse in society," Parrish said. "A source of that may be the type of programs that's put out...in the music industry."

Bruce Hardy, vice president and general manager of Texas Stadium Corp., said that turning away one band could make the stadium untouchable.

"We are a sports facility and an entertainment facility," he said. "We are not a censorship facility."

Irving last year passed an ordinance that prohibits youths under 15 from attending an obscene show, such as a concert or play, unless they are with a parent or guardian. The ordinance defines "obscene" shows as those with references to sex that include violence and bestiality. Those who allow youngsters into sheriff's Police Department decided that the Guns N' Roses concert did not violate the obscenity ordinance, said Doug Damon, legal adviser for the Police Department.

shows can be arrested.

Nancy O'Teter, chairwoman of the Youth Protection and Safety committee for the Irving school district, was among those who registered complaints after the Sept. 5 Guns N' Roses concert.

Ms. O'Teter stood outside the Texas Stadium turnstiles taking pictures as children who she says were as young as 10 handed over their tickets and walked inside.

Staffers in City Hall and the Irv-

In fact, Guns N' Roses' singing was too loud and muffled to make out any obscenities, said Brown, who watched from a box seat.

U.S. Supreme Court rulings prohibit limiting access to a band based on its reputation or what it is expected to play, said City Attorney Don Rorschach.

Donations sought for Pediatric AIDS Foundation

NEW YORK (AP) — Supermodel Linda Evangelista's latest billboard isn't a pitch for clothing or cosmetics, but a fund-raising plea for the Pediatric AIDS Foundation.

The group's founder, Elizabeth Glaser and actress Susan Sarandon unveiled the new billboard Monday in Times Square.

It also will be going up on donated space in Los Angeles, San Diego, San Francisco, Detroit, Houston, Chicago, Newark, N.J., Denver, Miami, Atlanta, Philadelphia, the Washington, D.C., area, Minneapolis and Little Rock, Ark.

"We can't afford to lose one more," says the caption under the black-and-white photo of Evangelista, holding hands with a group of children.

Glaser, wife of actor Paul Michael Glaser, contracted the HIV virus from a contaminated blood transfusion after the birth of her daughter, Ariel. The virus was passed to her daughter and her son, who was born three years later. Ariel died of the disease in 1988.

Potential donors are asked to call 1-800-488-5000 or Ticketmaster.

Thatcher speaks at dedication in Israel

JERUSALEM (AP) — Margaret Thatcher, who has likened herself to a tigress, says Golda Meir, the late Israeli leader, "had the heart of a lioness."

The former British prime minister, in Israel on a private visit, spoke Monday at the dedication of The Margaret Thatcher Day Care Center in Sderot.

She took the opportunity to praise Meir, "who in fact showed us that even at great times of trial and difficulty and danger a woman prime minister had the heart of a lioness."

In 1989, Thatcher defended her own confrontational style, saying: "It is the tigress and the lioness in you which tends to defend when attacked."

Thatcher also met with Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin, who briefed her on the Arab-Israeli peace talks.

Dr. Gott By Peter Gott, M.D.

What are side effects of medication?

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I suffer from hypoglycemia for which my doctor prescribed one capsule of Proglycem every four hours. What are the side effects of this medication, and would you advise me to take it or something else?

DEAR READER: Proglycem (diazoxide) is a drug that rapidly raises the level of blood sugar by inhibiting the release of insulin. The manufacturer recommends its use only for cases of untreatable cancer of the pancreas (and other malignancies), which can lead to periodic, uncontrollable attacks of hypoglycemia, marked by weakness, sweating and loss of consciousness.

Proglycem may cause diabetes, the opposite of hypoglycemia. Additional side effects include: nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, palpitations, low blood pressure, headache, bleeding tendencies, kidney damage and others.

I would not advise you one way or another about this medication. Rather, you should return to your physician for a discussion of your concerns and problems. He or she knows your medical history and will be able to answer these questions as they relate to your specific case.

To give you more information, I am sending you a free copy of my Health Report "Hypoglycemia." Other readers who would like a copy should send $1.25 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to P.O. Box 91369, Cleveland, OH 44101-3369. Be sure to mention the title.

DEAR DR. GOTT: Please discuss temporal arteritis.

DEAR READER: When the lining of either artery at the temples become inflamed, the patient usually develops severe headache that may be associated with a one-sided loss of vision. This "temporal arteritis" is a serious component of a syndrome called polymyalgia rheumatica, which is marked by fever, malaise, loss of appetite, weakness and stiffness. The affliction is associated with stroke, heart attacks and, as I mentioned, blindness.

The diagnosis is suspected by blood tests, especially the sedimentation rate, and confirmed by a biopsy of the affected temporal artery.

Treatment with cortisone should start immediately, even before the biopsy results are known, in order to prevent irreversible damage. In temporal arteritis, the response to cortisone and related drugs is miraculous: The headache disappears and vision returns, usually within 48 hours. Low-dose therapy must be given for several months to prevent relapse.

The cause of this disorder is unknown; it is believed to be an auto-immune disease.

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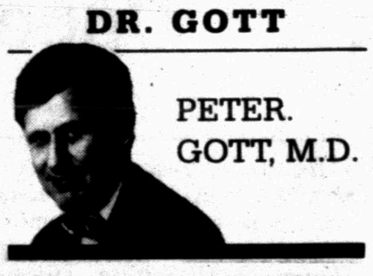

PETER. GOTT, M.D.

After all the hype, 'Malcolm X' slated

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The making of "Malcolm X" inflamed naysayers, frustrated a studio, gratified merchandisers, worried police and transfixed the media. All that remains is the only important test: pleasing moviegoers.

After months of nonstop hype and director Spike Lee's one-man publicity blitz, the epic-length film about the slain black activist arrives Wednesday in about 1,200 theaters nationwide.

If the three-hour, 21-minute "Malcolm X" does not debut strongly, it almost surely will be swept aside. It faces stiff competition from "Bram Stoker's Dracula," which set box-office records its opening weekend, and the upcoming "Home Alone 2: Lost in New York" and "The Bodyguard."

One thing is certain: the $42 million "Malcolm X" is among this year's most anticipated releases. Based on "The Autobiography of Malcolm X," the film took 26 years coming to the screen.

Academy Award-winner Denzel Washington stars as the charismatic civil rights leader whose life story is largely unfamiliar to millions of Americans.

"Some people know part of his life, but not the real meaning," said Jasmond Anderson, a senior at Dallas' Lincoln High School.

Tobias Price, 17, who lives in St. Louis, always wears at least one article of clothing marked with Malcolm's X. He plans to wait in line as long as it takes to see "Malcolm X" on opening night.

"I'm counting on the movie to show me what was going through his head, what kind of man he was, how did he do things and how he fired up so many people," Price said.

Malcolm X evolved from a drug abuser, petty thief and convict into a disciple of the Nation of Islam who urged black power "by any means necessary." But after a pilgrimage to Mecca, he moderated his views, split with the Nation of Islam and founded the Organization for Afro-American Unity in 1964.

He was assassinated by Nation of Islam followers at a 1965 Harlem rally. He was 39.

Warner Bros. hopes its multimillion-dollar marketing campaign will broaden the film's appeal to audiences of all races. The studio says the film's length — almost twice the average movie — means it can be shown only three times a day, compared to five showings daily for most titles.

Robert Friedman, head of marketing for producer Warner Bros., said "Malcolm X" should perform as well as the studio's 1991 release "JFK," another lengthy epic which eventually earned $70.3 million at North American theaters.

"Malcolm X" was enveloped in controversy ever since Lee ("Do the Right Thing" and "Jungle Fever") replaced Norman Jewison ("In the Heat of the Night") two years ago as the film's director.

Warner Bros. clashed with Lee repeatedly over the film's budget, content, running time and legal clearances.

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