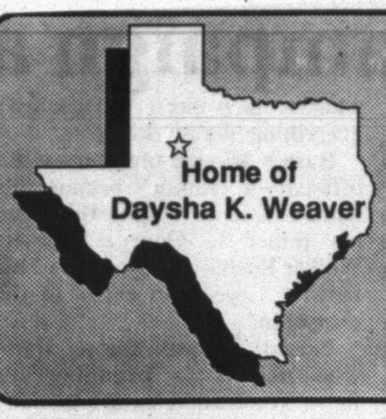
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Ask Us

Q—Has the County Education District met this year? If not, why?

A—The board has not met. The board will meet as soon as taxable values from all five counties involved in the CED have been tabulated.

In Brief

Unruly crowd

DALLAS (AP) — There were no serious injuries reported after a raucous crowd of about 200 people converged on police officers, pelting squad cars with rocks and bottles, authorities say.

The incident occurred about 11:30 p.m. Saturday as a small group of officers struggled to control a raucous party at a house in east Dallas.

Officers had been called to the house several times throughout the night by neighbors complaining about noise.

Decertified

AMARILLO, Texas (AP) — Two Pantex Plant employees who allowed an explosive weapons component to drop almost 2 feet from a work stand have been decertified by the U.S. Energy Department, a newspaper has reported.

Energy Department officials are investigating the May incident because the workers failed to follow proper dismantlement procedures, the Amarillo Globe-News reported Sunday.

Local

Boosters

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

Genealogy

Scurry County Genealogical Society will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday in the chamber of commerce building.

Case settled

A worker's compensation case scheduled this morning in 132nd District Court was settled out of court before a jury was seated. Details of the settlement were not disclosed.

The case was Juan Garcia vs. Texas Employer's Insurance Association of Dallas. Garcia was represented by Javier Alvarez of Lubbock. TEIA was represented by E.F. Lohmann III of Abilene.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Saturday, 94 degrees; low, 68 degrees; high Sunday, 96 degrees; low, 70 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Monday, 70 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1992 to date, 19.28 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, a 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms, otherwise mostly cloudy. Low in the upper 60s. East wind 5-15 mph except stronger near any storms. Tuesday, partly cloudy. High in the lower 90s. East to southeast wind 5-15 mph.

Almanac: Sunset today, 8:43. Sunrise Tuesday, 6:58. Of 208 days in 1992, the sun has shone 188 days in Snyder.

Probe of Reagan, ex-aides steps up

WASHINGTON (AP) — Iran-Contra prosecutors are intensifying an investigation of a possible cover-up involving former President Reagan, who insists there's no evidence he's done anything illegal.

The prosecutors — and Reagan — objected Sunday to a Washington Post story saying that independent counsel Lawrence Walsh will decide within 10 days whether to initiate legal moves that could lead to indicting Reagan and three ex-aides.

The Post identified the three as former Attorney General Edwin Meese III, ex-Secretary of State George Shultz and Reagan's chief of staff, Don Regan.

Walsh's office said the Post story "sounds like speculation by defense lawyers. No one knows the true status of this investigation except people who work in this office. None of us is commenting on such matters."

And Reagan spokeswoman Catherine Goldberg said "there is no evidence that President Reagan has violated any law or has been anything less than completely forthcoming. ... Any suggestion to the contrary is false."

She said the Post makes the "false and unfounded allegation" that Reagan is a target in the Iran-Contra probe. "Target" is a legal term applied to a person facing probable indictment. The Post story makes no such allegation.

The pace of Walsh's investigation quickened after last month's indictment of former Defense Secretary Caspar Weinberger.

Several ex-Reagan administration figures have been questioned as prosecutors look into a possible November 1986 conspiracy to conceal the U.S. role in arms shipments to Iran the year before, say non-government sources close to the investigation.

Weinberger, accused of concealing notes he made in 1985 that referred to the Iran arms sales, has testified that he knew nothing about the deliveries of 508 TOW anti-tank missiles and 18 Hawk anti-aircraft missiles from Israel to Iran.

"Go For The Gold" Olympic Coverage Page 4

Preparations complete for youth rodeo finals

Cowboys and cowgirls throughout Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma are brushing up on their rodeo skills in preparation for next week's 17th annual AJRA National Finals Rodeo. The annual World Champion 8-and-under Barrel Race will unofficially kick off the rodeo at 1 p.m. Sunday in the coliseum.

On Monday, AJRA team roping finals will begin a 10 a.m. The day will conclude with the racing slack at 7:30 p.m. Slack performances will continue the rest of the week through Friday. Slack events Tuesday through Friday will begin at 9 a.m. each day.

Admission to the champion barrel race and all slack performances will be free.

The official opening of the finals begins Tuesday and performances will run nightly through Saturday. Each performance will open with a grand entry at 8 p.m.

Box seats are still available at the chamber of commerce for $6 each. General admission ticktets will be $4. Tickets for youngsters age 6-12 will be $2 and those under 6 will be admitted free.

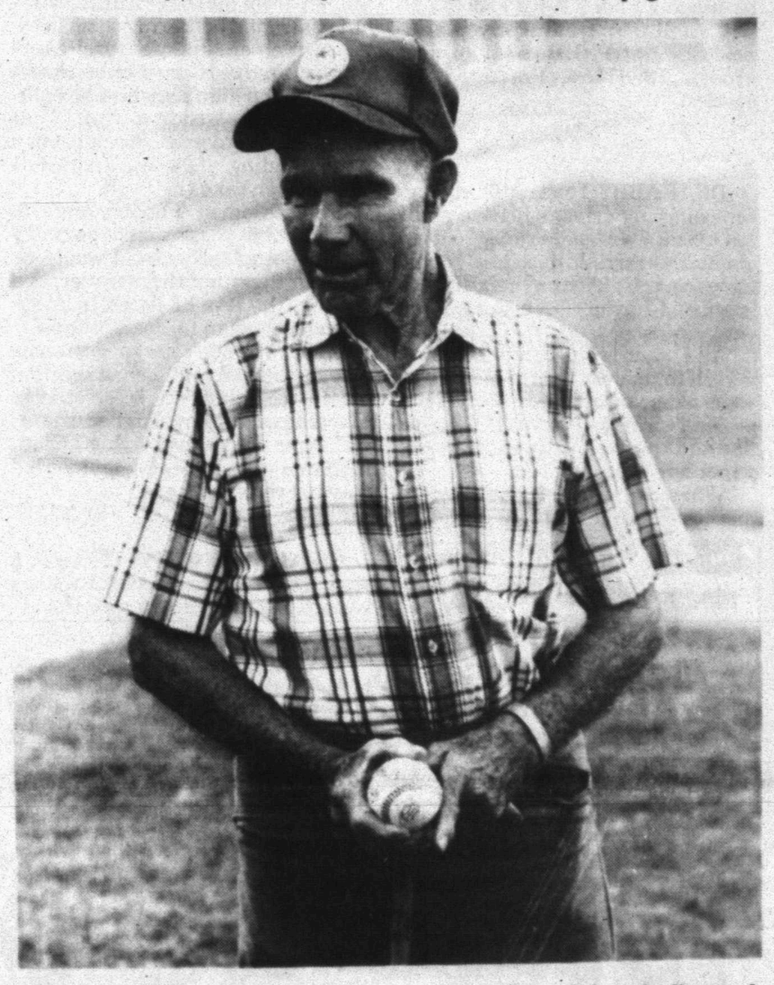
Tuesday night, 1992 AJRA cap-wearers will be able to see the rodeo for $2 per ticket. Senior citizens can take advantage of discounts at the Wednesday night performance. Tickets will be $2 and the discount must be requested at the ticket office.

Veteran announcer Bob Tallman will return for another year as the voice of the AJRA National Finals Rodeo. Bullfighters and rodeo clowns will be Snuffy Chancellor, Leon Coffee and Rick Chatman.

The Cowboy's Fellowship of Christian Athletes will meet on Wednesday at 2:30 p.m. in the arena. The meeting will include special music.

Current Miss AJRA queen Lorissa Edmodson of McCaulley and outgoing president of AJRA Leddy Lewis of Snyder will present the new Miss AJRA on Friday night. Queen canidates are Chrissi McCormick of Eldorado, Chey-

(see RODEO, page 9)



FIRST PITCH — Former Snyder High School baseball coach "Speedy" Moffett prepares to throw out the first pitch this morning to signify the opening of the District 1 Junior Teenage League baseball tournament. In early action, Rotan defeated Winters 12-2 and will take on Snyder at 7 this evening. (SDN Staff Photo)

Cautious Japanese voters support conservative party

TOKYO (AP) — With their economy sagging and their country struggling to define its post-Cold War role, Japanese voting in a nationwide parliamentary election backed the conservative party that has governed since the mid-1950s.

Unofficial final results reported by all Japanese media today showed Prime Minister Kiichi Miyazawa's Liberal Democratic Party winning 68 of the 127 seats at stake in Sunday's election for half of parliament's upper house.

Miyazawa, who became prime minister in November, appears to have stabilized his position for the time being with the strong showing.

But the election was also a sharp rebuke for a scandal-plagued political system. Voter turnout plummeted to a record low of 50.7 percent of Japan's 93.7 million eligible voters. The worst previous turnout was 57 percent in 1983.

"A severe distrust toward politics among voters can be seen," the national Mainichi newspaper said. That may be why the Japan New Party, which urged voters to dump entrenched politicians, won a respectable four seats despite being formed only two months ago.

The Liberal Democrats rebounded sharply from a disastrous election in 1989 for the other half of the 252-seat upper house. In that balloting, they lost their majority for the first time because of voter anger over a new sales tax and an influence-buying scandal involving top politicians.

While the Liberal Democrats did not regain their majority on Sunday, they will be able to pass legislation with support from centrist opposition. Legislation must pass both houses of parliament, with the 512-seat lower house having final say on the budget and selecting the prime minister.

The Socialists, the main opposition group, won just 22 seats after a campaign that sought to tap the nation's rich pacifist vein by criticizing a new law allowing Japanese ground troops to go overseas for the first time since World War II. The troops will take part in U.N. peacekeeping missions.

Miyazawa told reporters today that voters "generally understood" the law, which was pushed through parliament by the Liberal Democrats last month.

"What we see as the most basic political issue is that the world is undergoing a great transition that occurs perhaps once in centuries," he said. "And if we do not fail in our response, the change could lead to peace."

Liberal Democratic leaders also claimed that voters were unwilling to turn to opposition parties that have never governed to deal with the sluggish economy.

Japan's stock and real estate markets have plunged, bankruptcies have soared and many companies have announced sharp drops in profits. In a move to prop up the economy, Japan's central bank cut its key lending rate today.

Hospitalization, tax collection bids before city

Snyder City Council will consider awarding of bids for employee health insurance and property tax collections for fiscal year 1992-93 at a special meeting today.

The meeting is set for 6:30 p.m. at City Hall.

City officials recently elected to advertise for bids for hospitalization coverage for city employees. The decision was made following a proposed 45 percent increase from the present insurance carrier for employee coverage in 1992-93.

The proposed rates would also include a 10 percent increase over last year's rate for dependent coverage.

The council will consider proposals from the Scurry County Appraisal District office and the County Tax Collector's office for collection of city ad valorem taxes for fiscal year 1992-93.

Also on the agenda is a request from the chamber of commerce for hotel/motel tax money to help fund this year's AJRA National Finals Rodeo, to be held Aug. 4-8.

400 animals exhibited at Best of Texas event

Over 400 animals were exhibited at Scurry County Coliseum over the weekend as Snyder hosted the Best of Texas Steer and Lamb Show for the third consecutive year.

A lightweight Maine steer shown by Colby Christie of Summerfield took home grand champion honors in Sunday's steer division. Reserve champion of the show went to the middleweight AOB exhibited by Jon Hogg of O'Donnell.

In Saturday's prospect lamb division, grand champion honors went to the heavyweight Medium Wool exhibited by Heather Moore of Kingwood, with reserve champion awarded to Jimmy Barton of Christoval for his heavyweight Finewool Cross entry.

Grand champion for the progress lamb show went to the lightweight Finewool Cross exhibited by Jimmy Barton of Christoval. The heavyweight Finewool Cross exhibited by Chad Thomas of San Angelo was named Reserve Champion progress lamb.

Donors for the 1992 Best of Texas Show were Snyder National Bank, Bar-H-Bar Western Wear, City of Snyder, Board of County Development, Harrell Cattle Company, Eddie and Lois Eicke and West Texas State Bank.

Complete results of the steer show are as follows:

Steers

Grand Champion — Colby Christie, Summerfield.

Reserve Grand Champion — Jon Hogg, O'Donnell.

British — 1. Shane Knight, Crane; 2. Jansen Churchwell, Plainview.

Exotic: Lightweight — 1. Reagan Renner, Spearman; 2. Tracy Crawford, Seminole; 3. Craig Leatherwood, Snyder; Mediumweight — 1. Tommi Latto, Spearman; 2. Vicki Franklin, Midland; 3. Sheryl Webb, Loraine; Heavyweight — 1. Tabor Francis, Plainview; 2. Jennifer Williams, Merkel; 3. Jared Floyd, Seagraves; Breed Champion — Francis, Plainview; Reserve — Latto, Spearman.

Brahman: Lightweight — 1. Amber Lawrence, Anton; 2. Ashlee Worley, Midland; Heavyweight — 1. Jon Hogg, O'Donnell; 2. Stacy Franklin, Seminole; 3. Rawley Mims, Stanton; Breed Champion — Hogg, O'Donnell; Reserve — Lawrence, Anton.

Brangus — 1. Vanessa Lepard, Anson; 2. Vanessa Lepard, Anson; 3. Jamie Standlee, Seminole.

Santa Gertrudis: Lightweight — 1. Ashlee Worley, Midland; 2. Casey Adams, Ft. Davis; 3. Dwight Foote, Seminole; Heavyweight — 1. Allison Worley, Midland; 2. Cory Newton, Hereford; 3. Lee Ann Floyd, Seagraves; 4. Riley Ann Tatum, Snyder; Breed Champion — Worley, Midland; Reserve — Ashlee Worley, Midland.

Angus: Lightweight — 1. Michael McMillan, Lamesa; 2. Aaron Kiser, Munday; 3. Josh Howard, Seagraves; Heavyweight — 1. Jansen

(see BEST, page 9)



BEST OF TEXAS — Heather Moore of Kingwood exhibited the grand champion prospect lamb in Saturday's Best of Texas show held at Scurry County Coliseum. Over 400 steers and lambs were entered in the two-day event. (SDN Staff Photo)

Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren

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New Booklet Is a Treasury Of Readers' Favorite Gems

DEAR ABBY: My day isn't complete until I've read "Dear Abby."

Thank you for the help you gave my daughter, Karyn, when she was planning her wedding. Your booklet on wedding planning was invaluable.

I have a suggestion for you. You seem to get so many requests to run an item again. Why don't you put all those poems, essays and special letters in a separate booklet and call it "Abby's Favorites"? I would be the first to buy one.

Keep up the good work.

KATHLEEN SCHULTZ,
DEEP RIVER, CONN.

DEAR KATHLEEN: You must have been reading my mind. I have finally put together a booklet containing the most requested poems, essays and letters I've published over the years. I'm calling it "Dear Abby's 'Keepers.'" It is now available: Send a long, business-size, self-addressed envelope with a check or money order for $3.95 ($4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby "Keepers" Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054. (Postage is included.)

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DEAR ABBY: I just returned from renewing my driver's license and I am upset. Can't something be done about the terrible pictures people have to put up with on their driver's license? I haven't seen a good one yet.

All I want is a decent likeness of myself that doesn't make me look 20 years older, and magnify every blemish and wrinkle I have. If I looked like that picture, I'd wear a brown paper bag over my head.

What can I do to get a decent picture from the Motor Vehicle Department?

No name, please. The picture is bad enough.

DOUBLE UGLY
IN BOYNTON BEACH, FLA.

DEAR DOUBLE: Most I.D. pictures look as though they should have numbers under them. I think the title of Erma Bombeck's recent book says it best: "When You Start to Look Like Your Passport Picture, It's Time to Go Home."

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DEAR ABBY: I am always reading letters in your column from women who complain that they can't find a man. What do these women expect us men to do? Read their minds? How are we supposed to know which women want us to approach them, and which ones don't want to be bothered?

Some women have written to complain because they can't go into a bar, sit down and have a drink without some man bothering them. How are gentlemen supposed to tell these women apart? It used to be that a woman who didn't wish to be bothered wore a wedding ring. That doesn't work anymore. Single women wear wedding rings, and some married women take theirs off.

These women who complain to you probably pass by men every day who are unattached and would be right for them, but the more decent a man is, the less likely he is to approach a woman he doesn't know.

Abby, why don't you suggest some way for women and men to communicate that they are interested in knowing each other? Too bad women no longer drop handkerchiefs. Both men and women need a non-verbal way to break the ice.

FRENCHY

DEAR FRENCHY: There is a way. It's been around for a very long time. It's called a smile.

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By popular request, Abby shares more of her favorite prize-winning, easy-to-prepare recipes. To order, send a long, business-size, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for $3.95 ($4.50 in Canada) to: More Favorite Recipes by Dear Abby, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054. (Postage is included.)

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Bush's son is also campaign adviser

WASHINGTON (AP) — He has no campaign title. But his name is George W. Bush and when he talks, people at the Bush-Quayle campaign listen.

"Nobody blows off anything George Junior says," one Republican official says, speaking on condition of anonymity. But campaign aides are quick to dispel any notion they are merely pandering to the president's eldest son because of who he is.

They say he is a quick study, with astute political instincts that would merit attention anyway.

"He is the number one trouble shooter, the number one political antenna, the number one confidant of his father, the number one problem fixer," said Mary Matalin, a top Bush campaign political strategist who works closely with the younger Bush. "He sits in on whatever he wants to. ... He knows everything we're doing."

Bush's 46-year-old son — not officially a "Junior" because his name is George Walker Bush and his father is George Herbert Walker Bush — is considered his father's "eyes and ears" at the campaign.

Indeed, he was among those who helped to organize his father's reelection team, and many on the top campaign staff owe their positions at least in part to him.

Beyond that, "Junior," as he is known to the political operatives, is viewed as a strong political strategist in his own right.

"He knows people all over the country. He's got a good sense of what's going on out there. ... He functions just like the others who are the principal strategists," said Bush campaign adviser Charlie Black.

Feisty and energetic, the younger Bush's role has deepened since the 1988 campaign when he focused more on the campaign speaking circuit.

From his home in Dallas, where he is managing partner of the Texas Rangers baseball team, he is in almost daily telephone contact with campaign officials in Washington. He visits Washington about once a month and is expected to come more often as the election nears.

Last month, he took a leave of absence from his job as director and consultant to Harken Energy Corp., trying to avoid any conflicts of interest with his campaign work. Critics already had suggested the firm had won foreign drilling rights due to Bush's political connections — an allegation that the son denies and that investigations have failed to substantiate.

GOP officials insist that the son's agenda, unlike many other political aspirants around Bush, is solely to advance the president's interests.

Campaign counselor Jim Pinkerton calls him "an effective advocate for his father's best interest."

He is said to offer advice on everything from strategy to personnel to state coalitions.

His closeness to the president makes him a sounding board for the campaign to get a reading on which way his father might lean on a given policy or strategy.

"If we're going down the wrong path, or the president would not like it, he'll say forget it, or drop it," and that advice is heeded, said one campaign official.

SISD offers variety of special ed services

Over the years services provided under the "umbrella" of special education services have increased significantly to provide for those students who struggle in the academic arena.

Texas has the second largest student population in the nation of students eligible for special education services. Texas serves approximately 389,000 students in special education programs.

Snyder ISD presently serves approxmiately 509 students in various instructional arrangements throughout the school district. The 1991-92 school year reflected a significant increase in the number of students identified and served through special education services.

Every child who is identified as being an "individual with a disability" is entitled to a "free appropriate public education" mandated by state and federal law. A child may be eligible for special education classes if he or she has a physical, mental, emotional or academic involvement that requires special services in place of, or in addition to, instruction in the regular classroom. The emphasis for the program is for the student to remain in the regular classroom with program modifications to meet the student's identified needs.

The Snyder ISD adheres to a philosophy of early intervention as being crucial to a child's optimal development. Early intervention remediation provides the greatest success. If a child is deaf or blind, special education services are available to eligible children on the day of their third birthday.

Eligiblity is determined following a referral for indepth assessment and a determination of need addressed by an admission, review and dismissal (ARD) committee. Children may be eligible to receive services in the areas of speech and language therapy, cognition, social, emotional, gross and fine motor perceptual skills development and related services such as physical therapy, occupational theray, counseling, transportation or other as may be recommended by the ARD committee.

Federal and state guidelines are strictly adhered to for determination of eligibility. Parent and student rights of confidentiality are strictly enforced.

Snyder ISD employs two educational diagnosticians to assess the needs of a student experiencing difficulty in the school environment. Daisy Lewis and Mary Brownlee fulfill this very important role. Two pathologists, Barbara Bigham and Louise Taylor provide an invaluable service for speech and language delayed students. Special education services are provided for students on every Snyder ISD campus. The services vary from campus to campus. Highly trained, certified, sensitive special education teachers and aides are employed on each campus.

If you know of a child who may be eligible for special education services, please contact your campus principal or Barbara Granato, director of special programs, at 573-9364.

Astrograph

by Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

July 27, 1992

Several critical changes could be in the offing in the year ahead. Some you will personal initiate, while others will be dictated by the flow of events. Regardless of their origin, they're apt to be for your ultimate good.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Usually, you're the one who likes to be where the action is. But getting off by yourself to indulge in a little solitude today could help you sort out your thoughts. Major changes are ahead for Leo in the coming year. Send for Leo's Astro-Graph predictions today. Mail $1.25 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Associating with the right friends today could prove to be a pleasurable experience. Don't select companions at random; choose those with whom you have much in common.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) You're not apt to push yourself too hard today — unless you're confronted by challenging developments. Tests will either bring out your best or your worst.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) You're not likely to dictate to others how they should live their lives. Nevertheless, if someone requests your counsel today, you'll have much to say that is constructive.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) An endeavor you're presently involved in that appears to be insignificant can be transformed into something quite worthwhile. Don't accept the status quo.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) In partnership arrangements today, your counterpart might have better ways of doing things than you do. But if you fail to hear this individual out, you won't know whether this is true or not.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Use your common sense today in matters that pertain to your health and welfare. Don't do anything that you know from experience could adversely affect you in these areas.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) In order to appease others today, there's a chance you might do something that doesn't serve your best interests. If you yield and give in, you'll regret it later.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You'll appreciate arrangements today where you can exercise your custodial influence. Doing nice things for those you love can make this a very enjoyable day.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Select activities today that challenge your mental attributes rather than your physical skills. Your imagination will be restless and vigorous, while your muscles might be a little sluggish.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Follow your instincts in financial and commercial dealings today. Your perceptions regarding what is the most profitable and advantageous should be right on target.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Projects you originate today have good possibilities, provided you're the one who calls the shots. Don't delegate unless you have no other choice.

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Oil Patch News

Scurry County

Anadarko Petroleum Corp. will drill the No. 33-MA L.M. Wilson in the Diamond M field, 12 miles southwest of Snyder. Planned for a depth of 3,400 feet, location is in Section 183, Block 97, H&TC survey.

Anadarko Petroleum will drill the No. 12-MA L.M. Wilson in the Diamond M field, 12 miles southwest of Snyder. Planned depth is 3,400 feet, and drill site is in Section 183, Block 97, H&TC survey.

Anadarko Petroleum will drill the No. 31-MA L.M. Wilson in the Diamond M field, 12 miles southwest of Snyder. Also set for a depth of 3,400 feet, location is in Section 183, Block 97, H&TC survey.

Partee Drilling Inc. will drill the No. 1 Echols, a 3,600-foot wildcat located two miles east of Dunn. Drill site is in Section 65, Block 3, G&HN survey.

French M. Robertson Oil Co. will drill the No. 6-R First National Bank of Snyder in the Sharon Ridge field, 4.5 miles west of Ira. Planned depth is 2,400 feet, and location is in Section 129, Block 97, H&TC survey.

HAT Oil and Gas Inc. will drill the No. 1 ROC Hound in the Kelly-Snyder field, three miles west of Snyder. Contracted for 6,900 feet, location is in Section 191, Block 97, H&TC survey.

Lunar Oil Co. will drill the No. 1 C.D. Jones, a 5,100-foot wildcat re-entry, two miles southeast of Fluvanna. Location is in Section 485, Block 97, H&TC survey.

Borden County

Fagadau Energy Corp. has completed the No. 1-1-22 Clayton-Johnson in the Clayton Ranch north field, 14 miles north of Gail. The well was finaled to produce 90 barrels of 42 gravity oil.

Gas-oil ratio was 500-1 with perforations from 5,684-704 feet. Location is in Section 22, Block 31, T&P survey.

Texaco Exploration and Production Inc. has completed the No. 6,314 Jo-Mill unit in the Jo-Mill field, 16 miles southwest of Gail. The well was finaled to produce 54 barrels of 39.6 gravity oil and 370 barrels of water.

Gas-oil ratio was 389-1 with perforations from 7,296-355 feet. Location is in Section 34, Block 33, T4N, T&P survey.

Petrotex Inc. will drill the No. 1-A Coates, a 7,500-foot wildcat located 10 miles southeast of Gail. Location is in Section 14, Block 17, H&TC survey.

Mitchell County

Bright and Co. will drill the No. 1 Ellwood, an 8,200-foot wildcat located 14 miles south of Westbrook. Drill site is in Section 2, Block 17, SPRR survey.

Kent County

Maralo Inc. has completed the No. 6-B Connell in the Polar northeast field, 5.5 miles northwest of Polar. The well produced 50 barrels of 39.8 gravity oil. Perforations were from 7,282-286 feet, and location is in Section 53, Block 5, H&GN survey.

Garza County

WJC Inc. has completed the No. 1 C.E. Basinger, a wildcat located a half mile southwest of Southland. The well produced three barrels of 38 gravity oil and 15 barrels of water. Perforations were from 3,824-849 feet, and location is in Section 1,267, J.H. Gibson survey.

George R. Brown Partnership will drill the No. 77 Post Estate in the Garza field, two miles southwest of Post. Planned for a depth of 3,400 feet, location is in Section 9, Block 5, K. Aycock survey.

Rocker A. Operating will drill the No. 7-A J.C. Dorward in the Dorward field, 8.5 miles southeast of Justiceburg. Planned for a depth of 2,500 feet, drill site is in Section 114, Block 5, GH&H survey.

Rocker A Operating Co. will drill the No. 8-A Dorward in the same field, 8.5 miles southeast of Justiceburg. Also planned for 2,500 feet, location is in Section 114, Block 5, GH&H survey.

J.C. Steher will drill the No. 9 K Stoker in the Garza field, three miles southeast of Post. Planned for a depth of 3,600 feet, location is in Section 31, Block 5, GH&H survey.

Nolan County

JVA Operating will drill the No. 2-A Price, a 7,500-foot wildcat located 12 miles southwest of Maryneal. Location is in Section 220, Block 1-A, H&TC survey.

Rand Oil and Gas will drill the No. 1 Bear, a 7,300-foot wildcat located three miles northeast of Maryneal. Drill site is in Section 113, Block X, T&P survey.

Lone Star Gas will drill the No. KCRA-20, a 650-foot wildcat located .66 of a mile south of Maryneal. Drill site is in the H&TC survey.

Howard County

Matador Operating will drill the No. 1 Fleeman in the Wildhorse field, six miles southwest of Vincent. Planned for a depth of 8,125 feet, location is in Section 37, Block 27, H&TC survey.

Trend Exploraion will drill the No. 3,401-R Sterling Trust, an 8,500-foot wildcat located three miles southeast of Vincent. Location is in Section 34, Block 26, H&TC survey.

Rogers Hornsby, Hank Aaron and Mike Schmidt each led the National League in runs-batted-in four times.

Berry's World



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Community Calendar

MONDAY

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

Rebekah Lodge 294; Lodge Hall; 7:30 p.m.

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

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

TUESDAY

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

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.

Sport Card Swap Club; Willow Park Inn, for information call 573-1961; 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.

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

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

THURSDAY

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

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

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

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

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

FRIDAY

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

Snyder Jaycees; noon luncheon; Golden Corral.

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

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

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

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

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous (closed); Park 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.

Europe overwhelmed by war refugees

VIENNA, Austria (AP) — Old women sit stoically on cots and portly men sweat in the heat, oblivious to the youngsters at play around them. This camp for Bosnian refugees is in Vienna but could be almost anywhere in central Europe.

The 400 people crammed into a Vienna gymnasium are just a tiny part of the nearly 2.5 million Serbs, Croats and Slavic Muslims who have fled the bloody dismemberment of Yugoslavia.

More than 500,000 of these refugees have fled Yugoslavia's past and present republics, presenting Europe with its worst refugee problem since World War II. Thousands of camps have been set up to absorb the displaced. Scores of public buildings have been converted into shelters.

With no resolution to the war in sight, the tidal wave of refugees is showing no signs of cresting and the doors to most countries are closing as the limits of tolerance are stretched. Most governments now demand visas and make exceptions only on a case-by-case basis.

Germany, more humane than most of its neighbors, cracked its door open a bit further Sunday, allowing 5,000 new displaced Bosnians to stay temporarily. It already harbors more than 200,000 — the most outside Yugoslavia and its former republics.

No one seems to have a solution to the crisis.

"Unless we do something about it immediately, there is a danger of a permanent refugee population in the heart of Europe," said Sylvana Foa, spokeswoman for the U.N. High Commissioner for Refugees. "The hate is so deep and the desire for revenge so obvious that the refugees will be terrified of going home for a long time."

The Geneva-based U.N. agency is hosting an international conference on the crisis starting on Wednesday. It appealed for $142 million for the effort in mid-May, but just half of that amount has been raised.

Ms. Foa said "the appeal isn't even worth the paper it's written on because the situation is much more dramatic now."

"We're scared about winter," she added. "We have no money for blankets or insulated tents, which we need to start ordering now. We are completely overwhelmed."

In Austria, as elsewhere, the relief of reaching safe haven evaporates quickly.

"My three sons are back home fighting the Serbs," said Jozo Jovic, his lined 71-year-old face reflecting the hardships of a 12-day odyssey from Bosnia. "Will I ever see them again? Will I ever see my house and my fields again?"

No less anguished is Aida Beganovic, in a refugee camp in Stockerau 20 miles north of the Austrian capital.

"I would like most to go back home," said the 27-year-old from the Bosnian town of Zvornik. "We are just a burden on others here. But it will be terribly difficult to return ... impossible for some."

Refugees still in one of the republics of the former Yugoslavia — Serbia, Croatia, Bosnia-Herzegovina, Slovenia — or further away in central or western Europe share such agonizing concerns.

The 12-nation European Community has agreed to spend $75 million on refugees, but coordination meetings have ended in exasperation.

President Thomas Klestil of Austria, whose country has taken in an estimated 50,000 refugees, expressed the common dilemma:

"On the one side, we feel duty-bound to help these war-tested people," he said. "At the same time, we by no means can lose sight of ... the stability of our country."

Bridge

By Phillip Alder

NORTH 7-27-92
♠ A Q J 2
♥ J 9 8 3
♦ 8 4 3
♣ 6 4

WEST
♠ 8 5
♥ Q 10 6
♦ J 10 5
♣ K Q J 9 2

EAST
♠ 10 9 7 6
♥ K 7 4 2
♦ Q 9
♣ 10 8 3

SOUTH
♠ K 4 3
♥ A 5
♦ A K 7 6 2
♣ A 7 5

Vulnerable: North-South
Dealer: South

South	West	North	East
1 ♦	Pass	1 ♥	Pass
2 NT	Pass	3 NT	All pass

Opening lead: ♣ K

Try to keep him at bay

By Phillip Alder

Ambrose Bierce was a particularly pessimistic individual. For example, he said: "Calamities are of two kinds: misfortunes to ourselves, and good fortune to others." It sounds like the Unlucky Expert syndrome. But if you study the deals of players who claim to be unlucky, you will normally find that they misplayed.

Today's deal is a good example. Against three no-trump, West led the club king. Declarer saw that he had eight top tricks: four spades, one heart, two diamonds and one club. He realized that a 3-2 diamond break would allow him to generate the extra trick he needed.

Correctly, South held up his club ace until the third round. Then, incorrectly, he crashed out three rounds of diamonds. West won the last of these with the diamond jack and cashed two club tricks to defeat the game.

"Just my luck!" grumbled South. "West has five clubs *and* three diamonds. Do you know the odds against that, partner?"

"Not exactly," replied North.

He maintained a polite silence, but he knew that the game should have been made. Declarer should attempt an avoidance play in diamonds.

At trick four, play a spade to dummy's jack. Then lead a low diamond toward hand, winning with the ace when East plays low. Take your three remaining spade tricks, discarding your low heart, and then play a second diamond. If the queen doesn't appear, win with the king and play a third round, hoping for the best. But when East's queen does appear, play low from hand. When West follows and East switches to a heart, claim an overtrick.

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North American free trade talks inch almost complete

MEXICO CITY (AP) — The North American free trade talks are inching toward completion with an agreement on agriculture, but negotiators from Canada, Mexico and the United States say some thorny issues remain unresolved.

Canadian Trade Minister Michael Wilson, Commerce Secretary Jaime Serra Puche of Mexico and U.S. Trade Representative Carla Hills hailed 'substantial' progress during weekend talks, the sixth round of discussions on setting up the world's largest tariff-free zone.

They planned a seventh meeting next week, at a location to be announced later — probably Washington, D.C.

A cornerstone of President Bush's economic policy, the North American trade area, a market of 360 million people stretching from the Yukon to the Yucatan, would provide the United States with a counterweight to the European Community and the emerging Japan-led bloc in East Asia.

Bush, who met with President Carlos Salinas de Gortari of Mexico on July 13 in San Diego, is pushing for an agreement by Aug. 3 to bolster his sagging re-election campaign. He must give Congress 90 days to deliberate the treaty.

Bush said in San Diego that the talks were in "their ninth innning."

However, the three trade negotiators have refused to act hastily, saying they wanted to avoid concluding an "incomplete accord." Disagreement remains on trade in financial services, cars and textiles.

"There will be no artificial deadlines, not Aug. 3, not Aug. 14 ... and if we are still at the bargaining table by the end of August so be it," Ms. Hills said Sunday.

"But we do want to capture the momentum, you can't stay at the top of the ninth forever," she said. "We made progress this weekend."

Ms. Hills declined, however, to specifically outline the areas in which progress has been made.

Mexican officials said Sunday that Canada and the United States have agreed to give Mexico 15 years to eliminate its subsidies on corn, beans and dairy products, and to allow it access to their markets for citrus fruits and vegetables.

Mexico's heavily protected farming and ranching industries are fearful they will be crushed by far more efficient competitors in the United States and Canada.

"It's practically done in that area, few small details remain," said Luis Tellez, a Mexican agricultural official involved in the talks.

Canadian and U.S. automakers oppose any provisions that could allow Japanese companies to circumvent voluntary export restraints by opening assembly plants in Mexico.

Elm trees on Mall cause controversy

WASHINGTON (AP) — In this city, where debate is a way of life, not even trees are beyond the reach of politics.

These particular trees line the Mall — that grassy, museum-lined park that stretches about a mile between the Capitol and the Washington Monument. Sometimes called the nation's front yard, it's the city's most popular tourist attraction and an irresistible backdrop for political demonstrations and cultural events.

But the U.S. Park Service says such activity is slowly killing the 550 American elm trees that provide shade and beauty along the edges of the Mall.

The constant stress of about 23 million visitors a year has compressed the soil around the trees' roots to an almost brick-like consistency, say Park Service soil scientists.

The Park Service would like to restrict activities on the Mall, particularly the annual Folklife Festival sponsored by the Smithsonian Institution.

"If we can eliminate large-scale activities from the panels and let people casually picnic, that would go a long way towards the revival of the elm trees," said Arnold Goldstein, the Park Service's superintendent for the parks and monuments in the downtown area.

But the Smithsonian, whose museums line the Mall, has resisted limitations on where it can locate the summertime festival, which each year focuses on different cultures and their foods, crafts, homes and hobbies. This year, there was even a Mexican rodeo ring.

Both sides have bolstered their point of view with scientific studies that support opposite conclusions about the health of the elm trees.

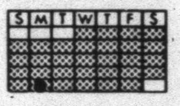
In 1989, the Park Service commissioned a study from the State University of New York at Syracuse that concluded that compressed soil around the elms' roots is weakening the trees.

"There is certainly a very high increase in the mortality of those trees," said Phillip J. Craul the SUNY soil scientist who wrote the study. "Because there are so many events, it's almost to the point where it's out of hand."

THE WORLD ALMANAC DATE BOOK

July 27, 1992

Today is the 209th day of 1992 and the 38th day of summer.



TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1694, the Bank of England was incorporated.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Alexandre Dumas (1824-1895), dramatist-novelist; Leo Durocher (1906-1991), baseball manager; Keenan Wynn (1916-1986), actor; Norman Lear (1922-), producer-director, is 70; Peggy Fleming (1948-), figure skating great, is 44.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1983, Pete Rose passed Ty Cobb to become baseball's all-time singles leader.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "Business. It's quite simple. It's other people's money." — Alexandre Dumas

TODAY'S WEATHER: On this day in 1984, in Alvsbyn, Sweden, 5.63 inches of rain followed the previous day's mark of 5.51 inches. The figures are unprecedented because Alvsbyn lies just 61 miles south of the Arctic Circle.

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TODAY'S MOON: Between last quarter (July 22) and new moon (July 29).

TODAY'S BARB
BY PHIL PASTORET

Look at it this way: If there were no Congress, whom could we blame for everything that goes wrong?

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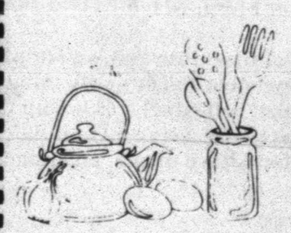
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1992 Summer Olympic Games

Swimmer earns first Olympic gold medal

BARCELONA, Spain (AP) — An American flag wrapped rakishly over his shaved scalp, three earrings piercing his lobes, the Olympic symbol tattooed boldly on his hip, Nelson Diebel wore the jaunty look of a pirate who had plundered gold.

It was the first U.S. gold of these Summer Games, and the unlikeliest of swimmers swiped it in Olympic-record time in the 100-meter breaststroke on a day of improbable triumphs and sudden tragedy, odd slips and fierce disputes.

One of the most graceful athletes, world champion gymnast Kim Zmeskal, shockingly fell from the balance beam in her first event, and is in danger of not qualifying for the all-around finals.

But, thanks to teammate Shannon Miller, the U.S. women still have a chance of winning the team medal by upsetting the heavily favored Unified Team.

The Dream Team made its debut in a predictable laugher, the levity of a 116-48 romp over Angola marred only by a little roughness from Charles Barkley that drew a stern warning from Michael Jordan.

The Americans were up 38-7 when Barkley elbowed Angola's Herlander Coimbra in the chest after they tangled briefly. That got Barkley an intentional foul, and Coimbra converted the free throw for the only point in a 46-1 run.

"He hit me and I hit him," Barkley shrugged after leading all scorers with 24 points. "It's a ghetto thing. It's part of the physical play of the game."

Barkley may have seemed the bad guy, but Diebel was a most pleasant pirate, a Princeton man, really, no longer the wayward youth who nearly destroyed himself with booze and pot from 12 to 16. He's a reformed two- pack-a-day smoker who still calls himself "way too hyper."

And he summed up for all Olympic champions the feeling of clutching a gold medal:

"I was happy, I was sad, I was freaked out. It was awesome. It's like a drug, you know. It's the best high you can ever get."

Diebel would know because he's been through it all, and when asked why he could conceivably be sad after winning in 1 minute, 1 50 seconds, .10 off his own American record, he replied, "It's over. It's a great rush to have done it and gotten the gold and everything. I wish I could do it all over again."

His triumph was tempered by a deeper sadness, though. Less than 16 hours earlier, teammate Ron Karnaugh learned his father had died of a heart attack while fondly watching him march in the opening ceremonies.

Ron, 26, learned of the death at 3:30 a.m. when he was awakened by coach Terry Stoddard and taken to a U.S. Olympic Committee office. His mother, Jean, and sister, Debbie, were waiting. His mother broke the news.

"He has confirmed that he is going to swim and swim well" Friday in the 200-meter individual medley, Stoddard said.

Peter Karnaugh wanted more than anything to see his son, the world's top-ranked swimmer in the event, race in the Olympics. Friends and neighbors in Maplewood, N.J., who raised $27,000 for the Karnaughs' trip to watch Ron, were in agony.

Jenny Thompson wished she could race again, acknowledging, "I just choked big time coming home," after finishing second in the women's 100-meter freestyle to China's Zhuang Yong.

Summer Sanders had no such complaints, though she finished third in the 400 individual medley behind Kristina Egerszegi of Hungary and Lin Li of China. Sanders led after 100 meters and was second with 50 meters to go.

"When you're that close to a gold medal there is some disappointment," said Sanders, who, like Thompson, has four more chances at winning a gold. "I'm so happy that I did a best time. I knew that would be my toughest race."

China's big splash on the first day — one gold and three silvers to lead all countries in total medals — continued its emergence as a sports power while it bids to be host of the 2000 Games.

Zhuang, whose time of 54.64 seconds beat the Olympic record of 54.69 set by Thompson in the morning heat, snapped at a suggestion that China's remarkable improvement has been, in part, the result of drugs that have eluded detection.

"I've heard people saying this. It's absolutely wrong," she said. "I can just say it doesn't exist and totally deny it."

China's centrally planned sports system deserves credit at least for turning out ever better, ever younger champions while the rest of the communist world's athletic factories have been eviscerated along with their economies.



EASY VICTORY — The Dream Team, the United States representative in the Olympic Games, routed Angola, 116-48, Sunday. The team is pictured around Chuck Daly of the Detroit Pistons. The U.S. men's basketball team plays Croatia today. (AP Photo)

Croatia is tougher opponent, maybe...

BARCELONA, Spain (AP) — Maybe not a game, but a challenge for the U.S. men's basketball team.

Team USA vs. Croatia will be the Dream Team's first chance to dominate a team with designs on an Olympic medal.

And it is certain to be a tougher opponent than Angola, which had the hapless task of being the first draw for the U.S. team, playing for the first time in the Olympics with NBA players.

The Angolans, who at times seemed in something of a dream-like state themselves, went down 116-48 on Sunday.

"We were just getting ready for Croatia because it's going to be a tough one," said Charles Barkley, whose intentional foul in the first half put a blot on the victory and drew criticism from Michael Jordan.

Croatia, a 93-76 winner over Brazil later Sunday, has Drazen Petrovic of the New Jersey Nets and Stojko Vrankovic of the Boston Celtics on the roster. In addition, Toni Kukoc and Dino Radja are NBA draft picks who have been offered millions of dollars to move to America.

"They have two NBA players and a few others who think they could play in the NBA, so they have to be pretty tough," said Barkley, who scored 24 points in his Olympic debut.

Jordan, a six-time scoring champion, and Scottie Pippen, both from the two-time NBA champion Chicago Bulls, have a special reason to keep up their intensity against the Croats.

Kukoc, after being drafted by the Bulls, was courted by general manager Jerry Krause with multimillion-dollar offers.

Olympic briefs

BASKETBALL

U.S. men's team routed Angola 116-48. Charles Barkley's 24 points and Magic Johnson's 10 assists were tops.

SWIMMING

Nelson Diebel, who has Olympic rings tattooed on his hip, gave United States its first gold medal, winning 100-meter breaststroke in Olympic record 1:01:50. But powerful U.S. women swimmers Jenny Thompson and Summer Sanders settled for silver and bronze, respectively.

VOLLEYBALL

Lucky bounce off player's head allowed U.S. men's team to survive a match point as it defeated Japan. But International Volleyball Federation upheld Japanese protest that U.S. player should have been ejected at earlier decisive moment for yelling at officials. Federation officials meet Monday to discuss the case.

SOUTH AFRICA

Black boxer Fana Thwala, among the first South Africans to compete in Olympics in 32 years, lost 9-0 to Spain's Rafael Loranzo in 106-pound class.

MEDALS

Yeo Kab-soon, 18, of South Korea won first gold medal of Barcelona Olympics, for shooting. Yugoslavia's Aranaka Binder, competing under Olympic flag because of sanctions against her country, won bronze.

After first full day, China led with four, a gold and three silvers. United States had a gold, silver and bronze. Unified Team led with two golds.

QUOTEBOOK

The Dominican Republic baseball team "should be very proud that they lost only 8-0." — Cuba's Victor Mesa, who hit a two-run homer in the contest.

"The game should have ended at that time and we should have won. We prepared a lot for these Olympics and this silly thing should not happen at the Olympics." — Japan volleyball coach Seiji Oko, after U.S. player Bob Samuelson was given a second yellow card for yelling at officials. The ejection would have meant a technical point for Japan and the match.

Medal chase

Olympic Medals Table
By The Associated Press
Through Sunday, July 26
(9 medals)

	G	S	B	Tot
China	1	3	0	4
United States	1	1	1	3
Unified Team	2	0	0	2
Bulgaria	1	1	0	2
Hungary	1	1	0	2
Australia	1	0	1	2
Germany	1	0	1	2
France	0	1	1	2
Sweden	0	1	1	2
South Korea	1	0	0	1
Italy	0	1	0	1
Finland	0	0	1	1
Netherlands	0	0	1	1
Romania	0	0	1	1
Yugoslavia	0	0	1	1

On TV

Barcelona '92

Monday, July 27

7-10 a.m.: Gymnastics — men's team competition; **Swimming** — men's 100 butterfly qualifying, women's 200 breaststroke, men's 400 individual medley, men's 800 freestyle relay.

6:30 p.m. — 10 p.m.: Gymnastics — men's team competition; **Swimming** — men's 100 butterfly, women's 200 butterfly, men's 400 individual medley, women's 200 breaststroke, men's 800 freestyle relay; **Diving** — women's platform final; **Basketball** — USA men's game.

11:35 — 1:05 a.m.: Boxing; Weightlifting — bantamweight final; **Wrestling** — Greco-Roman matches.

Tuesday, July 28

7-10 a.m.: Swimming — women's 400 freestyle, men's 100 freestyle, women's 100 backstroke, men's 200 backstroke, women's 400 freestyle relay; **Diving** — men's springboard; **Rowing.**

6:30 p.m. — 10 p.m.: Gymnastics — women's team final; **Swimming** — women's 400 freestyle, women's 100 backstroke, men's 200 backstroke, women's 400 freestyle relay; **Diving** — men's springboard; **Boxing.**

11:35 — 1:05 a.m.: Men's Volleyball — USA vs. Canada; **Boxing; Weightlifting** — featherweight final; **Wrestling** — Greco-Roman finals.

Today's action

U.S. men's basketball team plays Croatia.

Women's platform diving final.

Medals awarded in judo, shooting, diving, cycling, weightlifting and swimming.

Top Americans in action: World record holders Pablo Morales in men's 100-meter butterfly, Anita Nall in women's 200-meter breaststroke; Jenny Thompson in the women's 200-meter freestyle.

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GOLD MEDAL — U.S. swimmer Nelson Diebel gave the United States its first gold medal Sunday in the 100-meter breast stroke. Pictured here is U.S. swimmer Dan Jorgensen who will compete in the 400-meter freestyle. (AP Photo)

Buffs host Rotan tonight in tourney

Rotan's Michael Montez hurled a two-hitter to pace the Fisher County diamond crew to a 12-2 victory over Winters this morning in the opening game of the District I Junior Teenage League Tournament at Moffett Field.

Mark Dieke was the losing pitcher, being tagged for seven hits.

Rotan will now face host Snyder in a game set for 7 p.m. today. Snyder drew a first-round bye. Eastland was to play Ranger at 2 p.m. today.

Tuesday's games include Winters facing the loser of the Eastland-Ranger contest starting at 9 a.m. Winner of the Eastland-Ranger tilt will challenge the winner of the Snyder-Rotan tilt at 2 p.m. Tuesday, while the loser of the Rotan-Winters game will meet the loser of the Snyder-Rotan contest at 7 p.m. Tuesday.

Texas Teenage League
District 1 Tournament
Moffett Field
Monday's games
Game 1 — Rotan 12, Winters 2.
Game 2 — Eastland vs. Ranger at 2 p.m.
Snyder — Bye
Game 3 — Snyder vs. Rotan at 7 p.m.
Tuesday's games
Game 4 — Winters vs. Eastland-Ranger loser at 9 a.m.
Game 5 — Eastland-Ranger winner vs. Game 3 winner at 2 p.m.
Game 6 — Game 4 loser vs. Game 3 loser at 7 p.m.
Wednesday's games
Game 7 — Game 5 loser vs. Game 6 winner at 9 a.m.
Game 8 — Game 5 winner vs. Game 7 winner at 2 p.m.
Game 9 — (necessary only if loser of Game 8 has one loss) Game 5 winner vs. Game 7 winner at 7 p.m.

Members of the Snyder team are Mark Bullard, John Clinkinbeard, Timmy Humphrey, Greg McAden, Trent Owen, Curt Rinehart, Wayne Braziel, Jeremy House, Matt Parker, Luke Green, Kevin Lacik, Gene Pollard, Scott Sanders, Reagan Key, Nathan Zalman and Lee Idom.

The Snyder Buffs, making their fourth consecutive appearance in the district tourney, are managed by O.D. Brewer. In opening ceremonies Monday morning, retired SHS baseball coach Speedy Moffett tossed out the first ball.

Assistant coaches are Larry Braziel and Ricky Hunter.

Dent wins seniors

NEWPORT, R.I. (AP) — Jim Dent shot a final-round 68 to win the $60,000 Newport Cup for the second time in four years.

Dent, 53, capitalized on a late collapse by Jimmy Powell Sunday for his seventh Senior Tour victory. Powell shot a 73 on Sunday, coming in one stroke behind Dent overall at 205.

Jim Albus and Tommy Aycock tied for third at 206.

"Jimmy was good to me today," Dent said. "I didn't really do a good job on the par 5s, that's my strongest suit, and I had 33 putts, although I hit all 18 greens today, so I didn't putt well."

Dent, 53, won in 1989 en route to earning rookie of the year honors on the Senior Tour. He tied for second in 1990 and 1991 before winning this year with a 54-hole score of 12-under-par 204.

Dent had rounds of 67 and 69 the first two days, but trailed Powell by four strokes going into the final round.

Sheehan putt forces playoff

OAKMONT, Pa. (AP) — Patty Sheehan, mounting one of the great comebacks in golf history, gave herself a second chance at her fourth chance.

"I can't believe I did it," an emotionally drained Sheehan said after a birdie-birdie finish Sunday brought her from two shots down with two holes to play and forced an 18-hole playoff today against Juli Inkster for the U.S. Women's Open title.

"I didn't give up. I don't give up," said Sheehan, who three times before has had an opportunity to win this title — the one she most dearly covets — and let all three slip away.

And, moments before the siren sounded halting play in the face of an approaching thunderstorm, it appeared she had done it again.

Big training table

AUSTIN (AP) — Dallas Cowboys players say the training camp food at St. Edward's University is less than great, but you wouldn't know it by the quantities they're consuming.

The St. Edward's food services department is feeding 350 Cowboys players, coaches and media, and a look in the pantry shows officials are prepared.

The cafeteria is stocked with 150 pounds of prime rib, 90 pounds of turkey tenderloins, 60 pounds of salad, 30 pounds of pasta and eight gallons of sauces.

A daily menu may include 40 pounds of sliced turkey, 80 pounds of bananas, 25 pounds of ham, 15 pounds of roast beef, 12 dozen garlic bread rolls, six to eight large watermelons, and one case of cantaloupes and honeydew melons.

To handle the food and its preparation, St. Edward's increased its food services staff from 30 to 40 members and added a semi-trailer to be used as a refrigerator and freezer.

Moon agreement near

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Houston Oilers owner Bud Adams says the club is close to reaching a contract agreement with quarterback Warren Moon.

"It's fairly imminent," Adams said. "We've had excellent dialogue with Warren's agent (Leigh Steinberg). I think we're going to get an agreement, but it's not just something you can do overnight."

Adams is willing to buy out the escalator bonus from the last two years of Moon's contract for millions of dollars. Moon makes base salaries of $1.5 million this year and $4 million next year. To buy out the clause and pay it in the form of an extension, Moon probably would get somewhere in the vicinity of $4 million to $6 million.

"I want to do what's right for the Oilers, but something like this takes time," Adams said at a weekend news conference. "I don't know why the paperwork couldn't be done by the time the season starts."

Brad Faxon wins despite erratic play

SUTTON, Mass. (AP) — Want to know what it's like approaching the sixth hole at Pleasant Valley Country Club from the fairway? Don't ask New England Classic champion Brad Faxon.

The 30-year-old Rhode Islander hasn't seen that fairway in days. Fortunately for Faxon, and the scores of friends and relatives who packed the Pleasant Valley gallery on Sunday, it didn't matter.

The 430-yard par-4 sixth hole winds up and over a hill and down to a long, narrow green guarded by a cavernous bunker. There are rocks, gravel and out-of-bounds to the right, deep rough, a fairway bunker and thick woods to the left.

For three days it seemed that Faxon visited nearly all these places. His only routine par on the hole came on the opening round. Yet he was 1-under on the hole for the tournament. And his survivalist play there certainly was one of the keys to his $180,000 victory.

On Friday, Faxon was up in the gravel on the right.

"I got lucky. I drove it in the rocks but got my second up on the green," Faxon said. Saturday, Faxon hit a long pull hook that left him in thick rough near the women's tee on the eighth hole. He slashed his second into the rough on his own hole, 120 yards from the green, knocked his wedge on and holed the par putt.

Sunday, he was 14-under when he hooked his tee-shot into the fairway bunker. The pin was 180 yards away. Faxon caught a six-iron flush and sent it soaring around the trees and 8 feet from pin. He made the putt, then played steady golf, making one bogey and two birdies.

Rangers win 6-2...

Nolan notches fifth victory

BALTIMORE (AP) — It seems as if the media is more interested in the record-setting exploits of Nolan Ryan than he is.

Ryan reached two more milestones Sunday, winning his 319th game to move into sole possession of 12th place on the career list and chalking up his 23rd straight 100-strikeout season, a major-league record.

The 45-year-old right-hander allowed two runs in seven innings to lead the Texas Rangers past the Baltimore Orioles 6-2. He is 5-0 with a 1.65 ERA over his last six starts.

When asked if he derived any satisfaction from the strikeout mark or moving past Phil Niekro on the win-list, Ryan shook his head.

"I wasn't even aware of any of those records," he said. "I just concern myself with each start. I don't set any goals; whatever I accomplish is fine. When it's all over, I'll just look back and see where I stand."

Ryan (5-3), who didn't get his first win until May 28, gave up four hits, struck out five and walked two. It marked the first time he has won five in a row since he won six straight from June 22-July 31, 1990.

His renowned fastball was particularly effective against the Orioles because he had his curveball working to near-perfection.

"Today I had a good curveball early. I established it, started hitters off with it, and I think that made a difference," he said. "That makes my fastball better."

The Texas bullpen, which has lost leads for Ryan five times this year, preserved the decision this time. Floyd Bannister got one out in the eighth and Edwin Nunez finished the five-hitter for his second save.

Joe Orsulak, who got half of Baltimore's hits off Ryan, seemed genuinely pleased to have simply managed to get on base.

"I hit a couple of bloops," Orsulak said. "He pitched well ... he can still pitch."

Juan Gonzalez broke out of a 5-for-40 slump with two homers and four RBIs for Texas, hitting a two-run drive in the fourth and a 450-foot solo shot in the eighth. Gonzalez has 22 homers this year, but hit just two in his previous 24 games.

"I'm looking more towards hitting to right and right-center, except for inside pitches," he said. "I'm trying to pull those balls."

Both homers came off Mike Mussina (10-4), who allowed four runs in eight innings. Baltimore has lost five of six despite batting .310.

"We are straddling the fence of mediocrity," manager Johnny Oates said. "We just haven't played the caliber of ball as a team that you have to play to win."

Gonzalez wasn't the only Ranger to snap out of a skid. Ruben Sierra stopped an 0-for-19 drought with a run-scoring double in the first, his first RBI in 11 games.

28-day road trip starts for Astros

HOUSTON (AP) — It's here. After months of discussions, planning and problem-solving, the Houston Astros have officially started their 26-game, 28-day road trip.

The Astros turned over occupancy of the Astrodome to the Republican Party following Sunday's 8-5 loss to the Chicago Cubs and flew to Atlanta for a three-game series that begins a 9,186-mile odyssey to eight NL cities.

"This thing may beat us up in the short term but it will help us next year and beyond," General Manager Bill Wood said. "This club needs to learn how to win on the road. When you have road problems you have to face them head on."

Owner John McMullen, who agreed Friday to sell the team to Texas businessman Drayton McLane, created a controversy when he permitted the GOP to displace the Astros.

The players' association filed a grievance but it was dropped when McMullen agreed to donate $100,000 to the U.S. Naval Academy, his alma mater, and another $25,000 to New York-area Little League organizations.

He also gave each player a first class round trip ticket to Chicago for the Aug. 13-16 series for a guest's visit at club expense.

"I've been talking to the umpires because they're traveling all the time," second baseman Craig Biggio said. "They told me to bring plenty of toothpaste and deodorant."

The Astros will play at Atlanta, Cincinnati, Los Angeles, San Diego, San Francisco, Chicago, St. Louis and Philadelphia before returning to the Astrodome Aug. 25 to host the Cardinals.

Wood still is concerned about the players' alertness as the trip wears on.

"When it gets to the point where you are anxious to get home and be around familiar surroundings, that alternative won't be available this time," general manager Bill Wood said.

"They'll just have to cope with it. It's basically a standard road trip.

"We just don't get to come home."

Equipment manager Dennis Liborio think's he's prepared.

"The hardest part for me is getting everything out of the Astrodome," equipment manager Dennis Liborio said. "After we get out there I'm ready for anything. If they make a 10-player trade, I'm ready."

Traveling secretary Barry Waters has worked out all the logistics of hotels, buses to and from the hotels, and prepared for extra laundry money. It's all explained to the players in a seven-page travel itinerary, five pages longer than normal.

"We've restricted the players to two bags and relaxed the dress code," Waters said. "We're encouraging them to pack light and we've given them a one-time laundry allowance."

Players can wear slacks and shirt instead of the usual jacket and tie.

McMullen came to regret his decision to allow the Republicans use of the Astrodome.

Baseball glance

By The Associated Press
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AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Toronto	58	40	.592	-
Baltimore	54	44	.551	4
Milwaukee	53	44	.546	4½
New York	47	51	.480	11
Detroit	47	53	.470	12
Boston	45	51	.469	12
Cleveland	42	57	.424	16½

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Minnesota	60	38	.612	-
Oakland	57	41	.582	3
Texas	53	48	.525	8½
Chicago	47	50	.485	12½
California	43	55	.439	17
Kansas City	43	55	.439	17
Seattle	39	61	.390	22

Sunday's Games
Texas 6, Baltimore 2
Cleveland 2, Kansas City 1, 13 innings
Milwaukee 15, Chicago 4
California 4, Detroit 3
Oakland 9, Toronto 1
Seattle 8, New York 5
Minnesota 8, Boston 2
Monday's Games
Texas (Brown 14-6) at Boston (Viola 8-6), 7:35 p.m.
Milwaukee (Navarro 10-6) at Cleveland (Nagy 11-5), 7:35 p.m.
Oakland (Welch 7-5) at Minnesota (Smiley 10-4), 8:05 p.m.
Seattle (Hanson 8-12) at California (Finley 2-9), 10:35 p.m.
Only games scheduled

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Pittsburgh	53	45	.541	-
Montreal	51	47	.520	2
New York	48	50	.490	5
St. Louis	47	50	.485	5½
Chicago	46	51	.474	6½
Philadelphia	42	56	.429	11

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Atlanta	57	38	.600	-
Cincinnati	57	40	.588	1
San Diego	53	46	.535	6
San Francisco	46	51	.474	12
Houston	44	54	.449	14½
Los Angeles	41	57	.418	17½

Sunday's Games
Philadelphia 7, San Francisco 2
San Diego 1, New York 0
Montreal 4, Los Angeles 3
Pittsburgh 5, Atlanta 4
Cincinnati 7, St. Louis 6, 10 innings
Chicago 8, Houston 5
Monday's Games
New York (Saberhagen 3-2) at Philadelphia (Schilling 8-6), 7:35 p.m.
Houston (Williams 3-1) at Atlanta (Smoltz 12-6), 7:40 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Drabek 8-7) at Chicago (Maddux 12-8), 8:05 p.m.
Montreal (Hill 11-4) at St. Louis (Olivares 6-5), 8:35 p.m.
Los Angeles (Candiotti 8-8) at San Francisco (Black 8-3), 9:35 p.m.
Cincinnati (Swindell 9-3) at San Diego (Benes 7-9), 10:05 p.m.

Aikman looks good in scrimmage

AUSTIN (AP) — Dallas quarterback Troy Aikman tossed one touchdown and ran for another on his first two possessions as the Cowboys beat the Houston Oilers 12-to-6 in a scrimmage.

Aikman completed eight of nine passes, with Kelvin Martin hauling in three for 45 yards Sunday night.

The Cowboys played without four starters before a sellout crowd of 15,147 at Burger Center. This is the second of four meetings between the teams, who next play their exhibition openers Aug. 1 in Tokyo.

"Troy was very sharp," Dallas coach Jimmy Johnson said. "This is his fourth year and he's playing with a lot of confidence."

Linebacker Eugene Seale scored the Oilers' lone touchdown when he ran 32 yards after picking up Tony Jordan's fumble. The play came while Houston's second-team defense faced the Cowboys' third-team offense.

"Our second-team defense ... did a good job going to the ball," Houston coach Jack Pardee said.

Sunday's scrimmage was weighted in favor of Dallas' offense after Saturday night's scrimmage between the same teams in San Antonio, which gave the majority of the snaps to Houston's offense.

The Cowboys ran 52 plays to 15 for the Oilers.

Pro Bowl running back Emmitt Smith was held out as a precautionary measure, while offensive starters Michael Irvin, Jay Novacek, and Mark Stepnoski continue their hold outs.

Oilers quarterback Warren Moon sat out with a slightly bruised elbow.

Aikman connected on all five passes he attempted on the opening drive, capping it with a 7-yarder to Darryl Johnston.

Aikman, who is recovering from a knee injury last season, scrambled 15 yards for Dallas' second touchdown.

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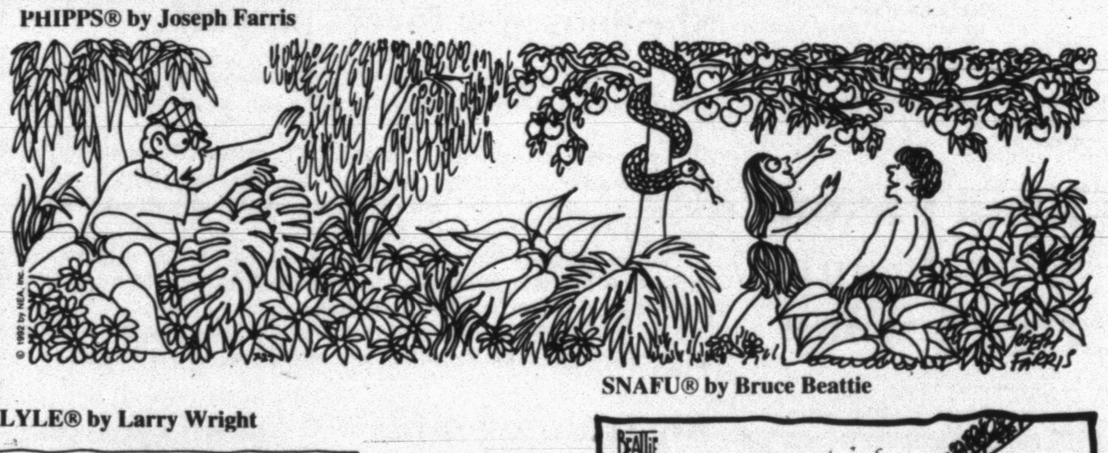
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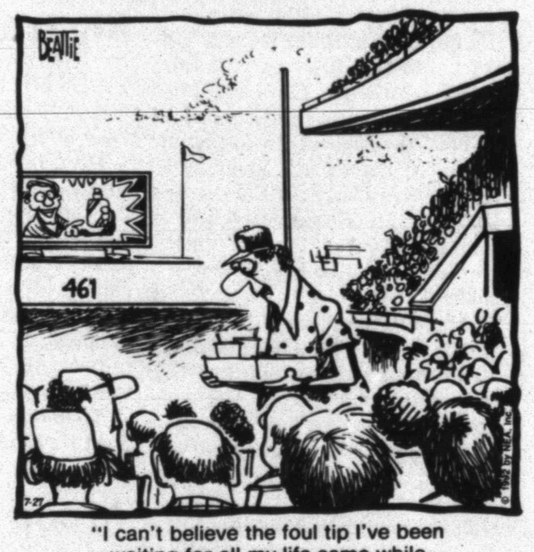
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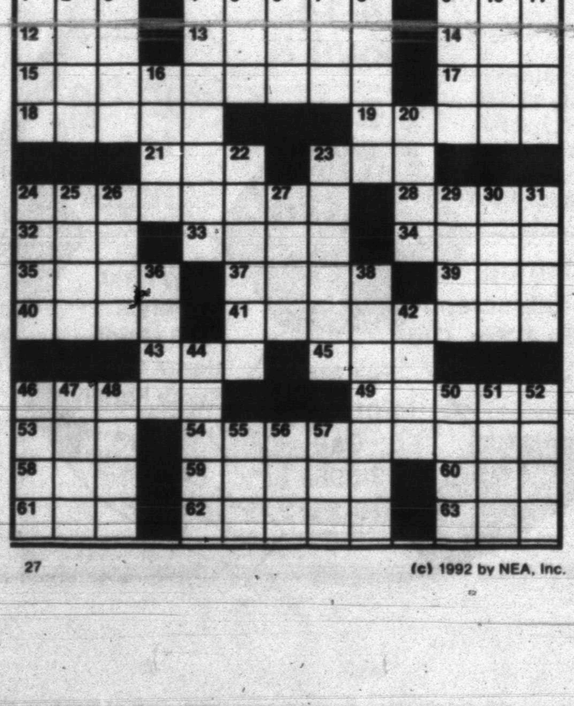
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5 Baseball player Mel —
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20 Organ pipe
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23 Solar system model
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25 Think nothing — —
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27 Slippery
29 The three wise men
30 — St. Laurent
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Shuttle crew becomes haute cuisine when foreigners are onboard

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — When Atlantis' astronauts head for space on Friday, the shuttle pantry will be stuffed with Parmesan and Swiss cheese, Swiss crackers, Swiss muesli and Swiss chocolate.

Oh yes, and truffles anyone?

Shuttle chow becomes haute cuisine, it seems, when foreigners fly. And more and more of them are flying.

Atlantis astronauts Claude Nicollier of Switzerland and Franco Malerba of Italy will be the 11th and 12th non-Americans to fly on a shuttle, and the fourth and fifth this year. They will share the cabin with five Americans who will be snacking on graham crackers and peanut butter.

Nicollier insisted on a box of truffles and other foreign fare for the seven-day mission, during which the crew will release a European scientific satellite and then unreel an Italian satellite connected to the shuttle by 12 miles of electricity-generating cord.

Malerba requested the Parmesan to supplement NASA's freeze-dried fare.

"I'm sure there will be more than one customer for it," said Malerba, who will be the first Italian in space.

The cuisine for the following shuttle flight, in September, is even more exotic, courtesy of Japanese astronaut Mamoru Mohri.

There will be Japanese apples, Japanese mushroom soup, Japanese red rice, Japanese white rice, Japanese rice crackers, tofu, pickled plums, soy sauce, seaweed soup, dried seaweed wrappers and sweet sakura tea.

There also will be seven sets of chopsticks — one per astronaut.

"It could be messy," said shuttle food manager Vickie Kloeris.

In weightlessness, where liquids become floating drops and crumbs flit about like flies, food is a serious affair.

Kloeris and her team of food scientists at NASA's Johnson Space Center in Houston test virtually every morsel before it goes up.

Mohri, for example, had to switch tofu brands for his week-long trip on Endeavour because his first choice had too much liquid in it. The fluid splashed everywhere when the package was opened aboard a NASA plane that provides brief bursts of weightlessness.

Nicollier had to settle for the most heat-resistant chocolate. There is no refrigerator or freezer aboard the shuttle, and the fresh food is kept in lockers. Behind the lockers are electronics that throw off so much heat that the temperature in the pantry is 75 to 79 degrees.

Kloeris has warned Nicollier to eat his chocolate and cheese fast.

Because of the lack of refrigeration, Mohri will have to fly without one of his favorite foods — sushi.

"It was brought up and I just kind of laughed and went, 'No way,'" Kloeris said.

Anything requiring refrigeration is forbidden. So is alcohol, although French astronaut Patrick Baudry smuggled a bottle of French wine aboard Discovery in 1985. The wine was not opened until after the flight.

Baudry didn't go hungry, at least. He dined on pate, crab mousse, lobster in sauce a l'Americaine and jugged hare a l'Alsacienne, all prepared per his instructions and canned for flight.

Indeed, most shuttle meals — whether NASA's or French and Japanese chefs' — are canned or freeze-dried: just add water, pop into the shuttle convection oven and voila!

Reviews are mixed, although everyone agrees it's heaven compared to the early days of space travel. Astronauts in the 1960s squeezed gruel into their mouths from toothpaste-like tubes and gobbled bite-sized meat, bread and fruit cubes coated with gelatin to reduce crumbling.

Nowadays, there's a vacuum aboard for messy eaters.

Researchers: astronauts should start carbo-loading

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — Astronauts soon may have to start eating like marathon runners: lots of bread, pasta and potatoes without butter or gravy.

A researcher has found that muscles lose much of their ability to burn fat for energy in space, while the ability to metabolize carbohydrates stays the same.

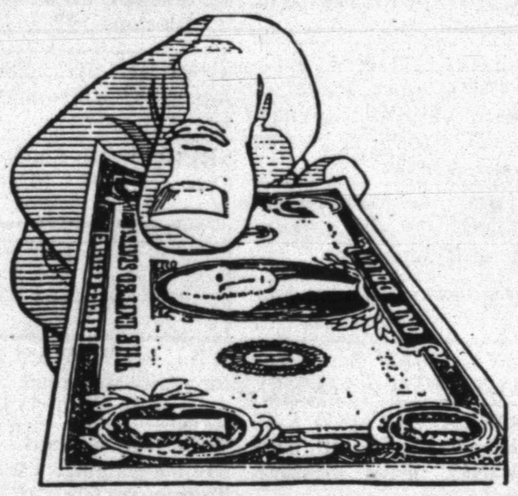
"We should be looking at ways in which we can increase the intake of complex carbohydrates" before and during a flight, said Kenneth Baldwin, a physiologist at the University of California at Irvine.

Shuttle food manager Vickie Kloeris said that if flight surgeons find Baldwin's research conclusive, pasta could be added quickly to the menu.

The typical U.S. diet contains 40 percent fat, 40 percent carbohydrates and 20 percent protein, Baldwin said.

By contrast, marathon runners try to limit their fat intake to 25 percent or less and load up on carbohydrates while training for the 26.2-mile race.

Baldwin studied rats aboard space shuttle Columbia last summer. He announced his findings on Friday.



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Saddam will allow U.N. inspection

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — Under threat of a U.S.-led military attack, Iraq has backed down and eased a tense three-week standoff by agreeing to permit U.N. weapons inspectors to search the agriculture ministry in Baghdad.

While Baghdad's announced compliance appears to lessen the chances of renewed military confrontation, President Bush noted that Iraq's violation of other Persian Gulf War cease-fire terms "continues in other important areas."

"We have just got to look ahead now and see that other inspections go forward and that (Saddam Hussein) complies with these resolutions," Bush said in Washington on Sunday after agreement was reached at the United Nations.

To obtain Iraqi compliance, the U.N. agreed to change the composition of the inspection team so it is predominantly European.

American experts — whom Iraq has accused of spying — will remain outside the building, which U.N. inspectors believe to contain material on Iraq's missile, chemical, biological and nuclear programs.

In Baghdad, the Iraqi president remained defiant, telling officials before the agreement was announced that the "mother of all battles" he promised last year during the gulf war is not over, Iraq's official news agency reported.

Under the agreement, the U.N. special commission charged with eliminating Iraq's weapons of mass destruction will inspect the agriculture ministry on Tuesday, said commission head Rolf Ekeus.

Ekeus said he would go to Baghdad to take part.

Ambassador Abdul Amir al-Anbari of Iraq said Sunday's agreement ensures "full respect for Iraqi sovereignty and national security."

Ekeus said the six U.N. inspectors going into the building on Tuesday would include two Germans, a Finn, a Swiss, a Swede and a Russian.

Markets
Midday Stocks

NEW YORK (AP) -Morning stocks:

	High	Low	Last	
AMR Corp	647/8	635/8	643/8	+5/8
Albtsn	411/4	407/8	411/4	
AlliedSignal	543/4	541/2	545/8	+1/8
ALLTEL Cp	405/8	403/8	401/2	
AmStores	353/8	353/8	353/8	-1/8
Amer T&T	433/8	43	43	
Ameritech	677/8	673/8	675/8	-1/8
Amoco	49	481/2	483/4	-3/8
AnderkPtr	28	275/8	28	
Arkla	101/8	10	10	-1/8
ArmcoInc	63/4	65/8	63/4	-1/8
AtlRichfld	1103/4	110	110	-7/8
BakerHugh	223/4	223/8	221/2	-1/4
BancTexas	17/8	13/4	13/4	
BellAtl	47	463/4	47	+1/4
BellSouth	51	505/8	503/4	
Beth Steel	135/8	131/4	131/2	+1/4
Borden	303/8	30	301/4	+1/8
Caterplr	543/4	541/4	545/8	+5/8
Centel	293/8	291/8	291/4	-1/8
CenSoWst s	29	287/8	29	
Chevron	681/4	675/8	675/8	-3/4
Chrysler	197/8	193/8	195/8	+3/8
Coastal	281/4	277/8	281/8	
CocaCola s	405/8	401/4	401/4	-1/4
ColgP	503/4	501/2	505/8	-1/4
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DallSemicn	95/8	93/8	95/8	
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DigitalEq	401/2	40	401/8	-1/4
Dillard s	357/8	351/2	357/8	+5/8
DowChem	553/8	543/4	547/8	-1/4
DresserInd	21	205/8	205/8	-1/2
DuPont	493/8	49	491/4	+1/4
EstKodak	421/4	413/4	42	+1/2
EljerInd	7	7	7	+1/8
Enserch	145/8	145/8	145/8	
Exxon	621/4	621/8	621/8	-1/4
FtCtyBcp	11/8	1	11/8	+1/8
FlowerInd	17	17	17	+1/8
FordMotor	441/2	433/4	441/8	+5/8
GTE Cp	341/2	337/8	343/8	+3/8
GnDynam	801/8	783/4	79	-3/8
GenElct	755/8	747/8	751/8	+3/8
GnMill	675/8	667/8	675/8	+3/4
GenMotors	393/4	391/8	391/2	+1/4
GenMotrE s	255/8	253/8	255/8	-1/4
GaPacif	515/8	513/8	511/2	+1/8
GlobMar	2	17/8	17/8	-1/8
Goodrich	457/8	455/8	455/8	-1/4
Goodyear	641/2	633/4	64	+1
GtAtlPac	257/8	257/8	257/8	
Gulf StaUt	153/4	153/4	153/4	
Haliburtn	31	30	31	+5/8
Hanson	191/4	19	191/4	+1/8
HoustInd	453/8	451/4	453/8	
IBM	931/4	925/8	927/8	+1/8
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JohnsnJns s	467/8	457/8	467/8	+7/8
K mart s	231/8	227/8	23	
Kroger	133/4	131/4	135/8	+1/8
vjLTV Cp	5/8	9-16	9-16	—1-16
Litton s	473/4	473/8	471/2	-1/4
vjLoneStar	31/4	31/8	31/8	
Lowes s	221/2	217/8	217/8	-1/2
Lubys	157/8	153/4	157/8	+1/8
Maxus	61/4	61/8	61/8	-1/8
MayDSt	577/8	571/4	571/2	+1/4
Medtrn s	763/4	761/4	763/4	+3/4
Mobil	637/8	635/8	633/4	-1/4
Monsanto	541/4	537/8	541/8	
Motorola	833/4	831/4	831/2	-1/8
Nationsbk	451/2	443/4	443/4	-1/2
Navistar	21/2	23/8	21/2	
Nynex	803/4	801/4	805/8	+1/8
OryxEngy	201/8	193/4	197/8	-1/4
PacTelesis	421/4	417/8	42	-1/8
PanhECp	17	17	17	
PenneyJC	701/4	697/8	701/8	
PepBoys	227/8	223/4	227/8	
PhelpD s	503/4	49	50	+3/4
PhilipPet	27	263/4	267/8	-1/8
PilgrmPrd	75/8	71/2	75/8	
Polaroid s	295/8	29	29	-1/2
Praxair n	151/8	145/8	15	+1/8
Primerica	411/2	411/8	411/2	+1/4
ProctGamb s	495/8	491/8	491/8	-3/8
PubS NwMx	127/8	123/4	123/4	
SFePacCp	113/4	115/8	115/8	-1/8
SaraLee	52	503/4	517/8	+7/8
SearsRoeb	381/4	381/8	381/8	+1/8
SherwinW	291/8	281/2	29	+5/8
SmthBck s	435/8	433/8	431/2	
SmthBc eqt s	395/8	391/4	391/2	+5/8
Southern Co	365/8	363/8	361/2	
SwAirl s	215/8	211/4	211/2	+1/4
SwstBell	651/8	643/4	65	+3/8
Sprint	221/4	221/8	221/8	
SterlingChm	4	37/8	37/8	-1/4
SunCo	255/8	253/8	253/8	+1/8
TNP Ent	211/4	211/8	211/4	
Tandy	241/2	241/8	241/8	-1/8
TempInl	473/4	471/2	475/8	+1/8
Tenneco	367/8	361/4	367/8	+1/2
Texaco	631/8	623/4	627/8	-5/8
TexasInd	213/4	213/4	213/4	
TexasInst	401/2	401/4	403/8	-1/8
Tex Util	417/8	411/2	417/8	+1/4
Textron	385/8	383/8	381/2	+1/8
USWst	39	383/4	387/8	-1/8
USX-Marathn	221/2	217/8	22	-3/8
USX-USS	275/8	273/8	273/8	-1/4
UnCarbde	133/4	133/8	131/2	-1/4
UnPac s	501/4	493/4	497/8	
UnitTech	543/8	535/8	54	+1/8
Unocal	251/4	25	251/8	-1/4
WalMart	551/8	543/4	547/8	
WestghEl	163/8	161/4	161/4	-1/8
Woolwth	263/4	263/8	263/4	+1/4
Xerox Cp	731/8	721/2	73	+1/2
ZenithE	77/8	73/4	77/8	

DFW Airport awaiting advanced shear detector

GRAPEVINE, Texas (AP) — The Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport is behind several less-busy airports in line for receiving an advanced radar system to detect wind shear.

The dangerous downdrafts are blamed for the crash of a Delta jet that seven years ago killed 137 people at DFW, the world's second-busiest airport.

The DFW Airport Board considering purchasing the instruments from private sources soon after Delta Flight's 191 crash on Aug. 2, 1985.

When that option proved impractical, the board decided to wait until the Federal Aviation Administration developed and installed a system.

But difficulties during the construction of a site for the Terminal Doppler Radars near the Dallas airport slipped it from among the first scheduled to receive the system to the middle of the pack.

DFW may get it in September 1994 at the earliest, despite handling more than 2,000 flights a day, The Dallas Morning News reported Sunday.

Of 47 U.S. Airports in line for the Terminal Doppler Radars, DFW is around 25th, FAA officials told The Morning News. DFW once was fifth, the newspaper reported.

The FAA said it took about four years to research and test the instrument, two years were needed to take bids on it, and four years for the final development of the radar.

The first two are being installed at airports in Houston and Memphis, and should be functional this fall — 10 years after research began on wind shear and nearly 20 years after wind shear was first identified as a serious threat.

Best of Texas results

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Churchwell.

Red Angus: Lightweight — 1. Brent Carlson, Hereford; 2. Lendon Stovall, Midland; Heavyweight — 1. Roye Stephens, Breckenridge; 2. Tye Baca, Dimmitt; 3. James O'Brien, Midland; Breed Champion — Stephens, Breckenridge; Reserve — Carlson, Hereford.

Hereford: Lightweight — 1. Tyson Covington, Crosbyton; 2. Keith Wright, Seminole; 3. John Wright, Seminole; 7. Riley Ann Tatum, Snyder; Middleweight — 1. Vicki Franklin, Midland; 2. Kaley Ensor, Seminole; 3. Brandy Oliver, Colorado City; 4. Katy Voss, Hermleigh; Heavyweight — 1. Jessica Eicke, Snyder; 2. Chad Rogers, Dimmitt; 3. Rad Eicke, Snyder; 4. Jessica Eicke, Snyder; 6. T'Leah Eicke, Snyder; 7. Randi Reed, Snyder; Breed Champion — Jessica Eicke, Snyder; Reserve — Franklin, Midland.

Polled Hereford: Lightweight — 1. Stacy Knight, Crane; 2. James O'Brien, Midland; 3. Lee Ann Floyd, Seagraves; Heavyweight — 1. Casey Minier, Seminole; 2. Katrina Rains, Rotan; 3. Jason Foote, Seminole; Breed hampion — Knight, Crane; Reserve — O'Brien, Midland.

Shorthorn: Lightweight — 1. Stephanie Armstrong, Pecos; 2. Marti Kay Mims, Stanton; 3. Ryan Jones, Ackerly; Middleweight — 1. Michael Carlson, Hereford; 2. Cory Rains, Rotan; 3. Katrina Rains, Rotan; Heavyweight — 1. Randie Renner, Spearman; 2. Leanna Francis, Plainview; 3. Brad Reese, Graham; Breed Champion — Carleson, Hereford; Reserve — Renner, Spearman.

Chianina: Lightweight — 1. Michael Carlson, Hereford; 2. Stephen Bezner, Texline; 3. Casey Antilley, Robert Lee; Mediumweight — 1. Colby Christie, Summerfield; 2. Kasey Beam, Lamesa; 3. Clay Hurst, Friona; Breed Champion — Carlson, Hereford; Reserve — Colby, Summerfield.

Charolais: Lightweight — 1. Kimberly Crow, Loop; 2. Roye Stephens, Breckenridge; 3. Mandy Vernon, Spearman; Middleweight — 1. Amber Lawrence, Anton; 2. Jansen Churchwell, Plainview; 3. Tonya Rogers, Midland; Breed Champion — Lawrence, Anton; Reserve — Crow, Loop.

Limousin: Lightweight — 1. Tabor Frances, Plainview; 2. Wendy Merrifield, Bronte; 3. Kip Ragsdale, Seminole; Mediumweight: 1. Megan McIlwain, Seminole; 2. Jamie Chastain, Midland; 3. Cliff Harkey, Abernathy; Breed Champion — Frances, Plainview; Reserve — McIlwain, Seminole.

Maine: Lightweight — 1. Colby Christie, Summerfield; 2. Jared Floyd, Seagraves; 3. Emily Ensor, Seminole; Mediumweight: 1. Kristi Wall, Hamlin; 2. Sheryl Webb, Loraine; 3. Coleman Vestal, Baird; Heavyweight — 1. Paige Marshel, Lorenzo; 2. Leanna Francis, Plainview; 3. Tommi Latto, Spearman; Breed Champion — Christie, Summerfield; Reserve — Marshel, Lorenzo.

Simmental: Lightweight — 1. Chris Jones, Midland; 2. Lori Jones, Ackerly; 3. Wade Harkey, Abernathy; Middleweight — 1. Kevin Williams, Spearman; 2. Stacy Knight, Crane; 3. Megan McIlwain, Seminole; Breed Champion — Williams, Spearman; Reserve — Knight, Crane.

AOB: Lightweight — 1. Shane Knight, Crane; 2. Mandy Vernon, Spearman; 3. Misty Morrow, Hamlin; Middleweight: 1. Jon Hogg, O'Donnell; 2. Kasey Beam, Lamesa; 3. Stephen Bezner, Texline; Heavyweight — 1. Jina Wallace, Graham; 2. Brandy Stewart, Mansfield; 3. Matt Berrwinkle, Plainview; Breed Champion — Joh Hogg, O'Donnell; Reserve — Jina Wallace, Graham.

Clinton seeks pro-change vote in California, avoids strategy

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Bill Clinton's strategy for going after what he calls the crucial "pro-change" vote in California and other big states involves, to a large degree, not talking about the strategy.

The Democratic nominee more and more is shying away from what his aides call "frivolous" queries about polls, politics and the process of waging a White House race.

"It's not good for my health," Clinton joked Sunday night while campaigning in California.

The Arkansas governor said he was trying to keep the spotlight on issues such as jobs, education and health care — areas in which he believes he's got the upper hand over President Bush.

But he's also clearly trying to appear the non-politician.

In an interview on C-Span broadcast Sunday night, Clinton complained that Republican "plastic surgeons" sent to attack him are merely trying to bog down the debate and keep it off the issues.

"Well, I got news for them," he said. "This campaign's going to be about the problems of America and the promise of America, and we're not going to let it be about their bad-mouthing."

In weekend campaign appearances in Washington state and California, Clinton pushed his "people-first" economic plan and asked voters to have the courage to break with the past when choosing a president.

He was scheduled to address a National Urban League convention today in San Diego and had stops in San Jose and San Francisco before heading to Chicago on Tuesday.

He said Sunday that he'd been offered a national security briefing by the Bush administration — a common courtesy by incumbents to opposition candidates — and said he was trying to arrange it.

Quayle says stepping down from GOP ticket 'closed issue'

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (AP) — Public opinion polls and statements by some Republicans aside, Vice President Dan Quayle says he's confident he'll be on the GOP ticket in November.

Quayle did some politicking Sunday at two favorite Southern institutions — a church and a stock car track — but was dogged by questions about his political future.

"This is a closed issue," Quayle insisted several times as reporters pressed him on the subject outside Briarwood Presbyterian Church, where he attended morning worship services with wife Marilyn and their two sons.

Later, Quayle and his family flew to Talladega Superspeedway about 45 miles east of Birmingham to watch part of the Diehard 500.

The vice president was visiting a region that's considered a key battleground in the fall campaign and a state that has voted Republican in every presidential election but one since 1960.

However, with the all-Southern Democratic ticket enjoying an upsurge in popularity, two leading Alabama Republicans have suggested that Quayle step down to help President Bush.

"The president has never wavered on this issue, in public or in private," Quayle said. "This is simply a diversion by my enemies. It's time to get on to the real issue in this campaign: Who's the most qualified to lead this country."

Obituaries

Jervis H. Bullard

1921-1992

Services are pending at Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home for Jervis H. Bullard, 71, of Snyder who died at 2:41 a.m. today at University Medical Center in Lubbock.

Born on May 10, 1921, in Parker County, he and his family moved to Snyder that same year. He had lived in Snyder all his life with the exception of his return to Parker County from 1929 to 1937, and in 1942 when he served in the U.S. Air Force.

Mr. Bullard was a member of the Masonic Lodge and the Church of Christ. He had worked for Johnston and Merchant Motor Lines and was an agent for Sunset Motor Lines. He also farmed.

Survivors include his wife, Oretha of the home; two sons, Jerris Bullard and Jerald Bullard; two daughters, Jerva Reeves of West Palm Beach, Fla., and Tina Stephens of Nashville, Tenn.; and a stepson, Kelly Kirkpatrick of the home.

Faynell Spears

1920-1992

Services are pending at Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home for Faynell Spears, 72, of Snyder who died Sunday of a lengthy illness at the Baptist Memorial Hospital in San Angelo.

She was born on June 27, 1920 in Scurry County. She was a member of the First Baptist Church and a homemaker.

Survivors include a son and daughter-in-law, John Spears II and Claudia of Kona, Hawaii; a sister, Irene Smyth of Snyder; a grandson, Jessie Lee Spears; and two nieces, Patty Hotchkiss of Sierra Vista, Ariz., and Milijon Crowell of Dallas.

Small fire extinguished

Snyder firefighters responded to a residence at 3601 Hill Ave. Sunday where they extinguished an air conditioner fire.

According to reports, probable cause of the small fire was a short in a relay unit. The call came in at 11:16 a.m.

Damage was confined to the air conditioner.

The residence is owned by Wendy Hicks.

Officers note quiet weekend

Snyder police worked a couple of bicycle thefts and a minor accident during an unusually quiet weekend.

Officers responded to a disturbance report at 9:31 a.m. Saturday in the 3000 block of Avenue K. According to the report, one man shot another man's 1981 Ford pickup with a shotgun during an argument. The owner of the vehicle refused to file charges.

At 12:38 p.m. Saturday, Gerald Snyder of 2809 38th St. reported his son's bicycle had been stolen. It was recovered at 4:33 p.m. in the 3100 block of Avenue T.

Diane Vasquez notified police at 2:03 p.m. that her son's bicycle had been stolen from 1711 8th St. An offense report for Class B theft was filed.

At 7:15 p.m. Saturday, a woman came to the police department to complain that she had been assaulted during a family disturbance. A report for Class C assault was filed.

Officers worked a minor traffic accident at 12:58 p.m. Sunday in the 1000 block of 25th Street. Involved were a 1991 Toyota driven by Tina Cromeens of 2108 35th St. and a parked, unoccupied 1991 Acura owned by Paul Zeck of P.O. Box 890.

Deputies work two assaults

Scurry County sheriff's deputies investigated two assault cases over the weekend. No arrests were made and no charges were filed.

At 10:45 p.m. Saturday, deputies were informed that a man had assaulted his wife near Fluvanna. The 21-year-old woman was transported to Cogdell Memorial Hospital emergency room by Snyder EMS where she was treated for superficial abrasions and released.

At 11:20 p.m. Sunday, Cogdell employees contacted the sheriff's office concerning a woman who said she had been assaulted by her son. The altercation took place 2½ miles west of Snyder along Highway 180. The 49-year-old woman was treated for a scalp laceration and released from the emergency room.

Rules of war

The Geneva Conventions are four international treaties designed for the protection of civilians in time of war, the treatment of prisoners of war, and the care of the wounded and sick in the armed forces. The first convention was in 1864, the second in 1906, the third in 1929, and the fourth was signed at Geneva, Switzerland, on Aug. 12, 1949.

Hospital Notes

DISMISSALS: Barbara Bowen, Allie Appleton, Teresa Diaz.

Census: 36 (Med.-5, Long-Term Care-31).

'My Guy' Motown star Mary Wells dies of cancer at 49

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Mary Wells, who tried to sell Motown Records a song she had written and wound up a singing star with Top 10 hits that included the bouncy "My Guy," has died of cancer at 49.

Wells, who underwent surgery for cancer of the larynx in 1990, died at a hospital on Sunday. Diana Ross, Bruce Springsteen and other stars had helped pay her medical bills because she had no health insurance.

From 1961 to 1964, Wells hit the Top 10 on the pop charts with "The One Who Really Loves You," "You Beat Me to the Punch," "Two Lovers" and her signature song, "My Guy," all written or co-written by fellow Motown star Smokey Robinson.

Wells left Motown in 1964 after a contract dispute following the release of "My Guy."

"She didn't make a dime off of it," said her manager, Thomas "Beans" Bowles.

Like many artists of the time, Wells was naive about the business end of the music, her friend Maye James said. "They were beat out of a lot of money, Mary included. They were just signing contracts, they were so happy to be making music," she said.

Wells was born in Detroit and began singing at 10 in local clubs and talent contests. At 16 she approached Motown Records founder Berry Gordy hoping to sell a song and found herself signed as a performer.

"She wanted Berry Gordy to get someone to sing her song," said Esther Gordy Edwards, Wells' manager at Motown. "He said she could sing it, and she says, 'Oh, I can't sing.'" But she did, and "Bye, Bye Baby" became a hit.

Later she toured with the Beatles.

When Wells was diagnosed with cancer, the two-pack-a-day smoker had no medical insurance, and she lost her modest home in Los Angeles.

The Rhythm and Blues Foundation in Washington raised more than $50,000 to pay her medical bills. Ross gave $15,000, Rod Stewart and Springsteen $10,000 apiece, and the Temptations $5,000.

"People say this is a cruel business — and it is," she said after surgery in 1990. "But a lot of people in the business do have hearts."

She is survived by four children and a brother.

Rodeo

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enne Wimberly of Canutillo, Ashley Looney of Del Rio, Shanna Owens of Rankin, Tina Sherrod of Garden City and Christi Sultemeier of Melrose, N.M.

A dance is scheduled in the annex building each night at 10:30. Admission to the dance will be $3 and music will be provided by Hi-Fi of Lubbock. Thursday night's dance will be open to AJRA members only.

An awards ceremony for the end of the AJRA year will be held Saturday at 10 a.m.

Eagleburger: Baker switch to Bush campaign nonsense

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of State James A. Baker III will remain in his current job a long time and reports that he will step down soon to guide President Bush's campaign is a "bunch of nonsense," says the State Department's No. 2 official.

Lawrence Eagleburger dismissed recent speculation that Baker would resign his post to run the campaign for the faltering Bush-Quayle ticket, which trails the Democrats by a 2-to-1 margin in most polls.

"I will wager you that, for some time to come, I will be the deputy secretary of state and Jim Baker will be the secretary," Eagleburger said Sunday on the ABC-TV program "This Week With David Brinkley."



Happy 12th Birthday Daysha Kay Weaver

Commercial flights would have been cheaper

WASHINGTON (AP) — Forest Service officials have used agency planes to attend a retirement party, wilderness trail dedication, rafting trip and meetings in cities where it would have been cheaper to drive or fly commercially, investigators say.

Agriculture Department investigators say it isn't always clear whether administrators are conducting official business when they fly on agency aircraft because flight justification reports are rarely prepared.

The investigator's audit, obtained by The Associated Press under the Freedom of Information Act, found that flight justifications were not filed for 91 percent of the 2,515 administrative trips taken on agency-owned or contracted aircraft from Oct. 1, 1989, to July 1991.

Although the agency's fleet generally is used for forest fires or pest control, officials are allowed to use the aircraft for "administrative" reasons.

Forest Service spokesman Andy Fisher said the agency has followed the auditors' recommendations to strengthen flight documentation requirements.

Sen. Wyche Fowler, D-Ga., said he's considering a hearing to look into "these questionable practices."

"At a time when every federal dollar has to be carefully allocated, we can't afford to let government officials misuse taxpayer money for unjustified trips or to pick a more expensive route, when an acceptable alternative is readily available," said Fowler, chairman of the Senate Agriculture subcommittee on forestry.

The auditors compared the costs of 1,919 administrative flights and found that in 401 cases there were cheaper forms of transportation that would have saved the government $162,500. Many were to locations within driving distance or served by commercial airlines.

Agency administrators said tight work schedules required them to use some of the Forest Service's aircraft — 41 planes and one helicopter. But investigators said flight plans were often filed days or weeks ahead of the trip.

The audit cites an official who flew from Atlanta to Alexandria, La., to speak to the Society of Louisiana Foresters. An agency plane was used to ferry the sole passenger, at a cost of $1,979. A commercial ticket would have cost $432.

On the flight justification form, the official checked the box that states: "The urgency of the situation made use of this aircraft advantageous to the government."

Investigators said the aircraft flight plan was completed 44 days before the trip and "we found no documentation of an 'urgent situation.'"

Investigators also questioned six flights in which spouses or non-official passengers were taken along.

Workers: plants get advance notice of OSHA inspections

HOUSTON (AP) — Daily operating policies of federal safety investigators gives manufacturers time to fix hazards and circumvent regulations, critics say.

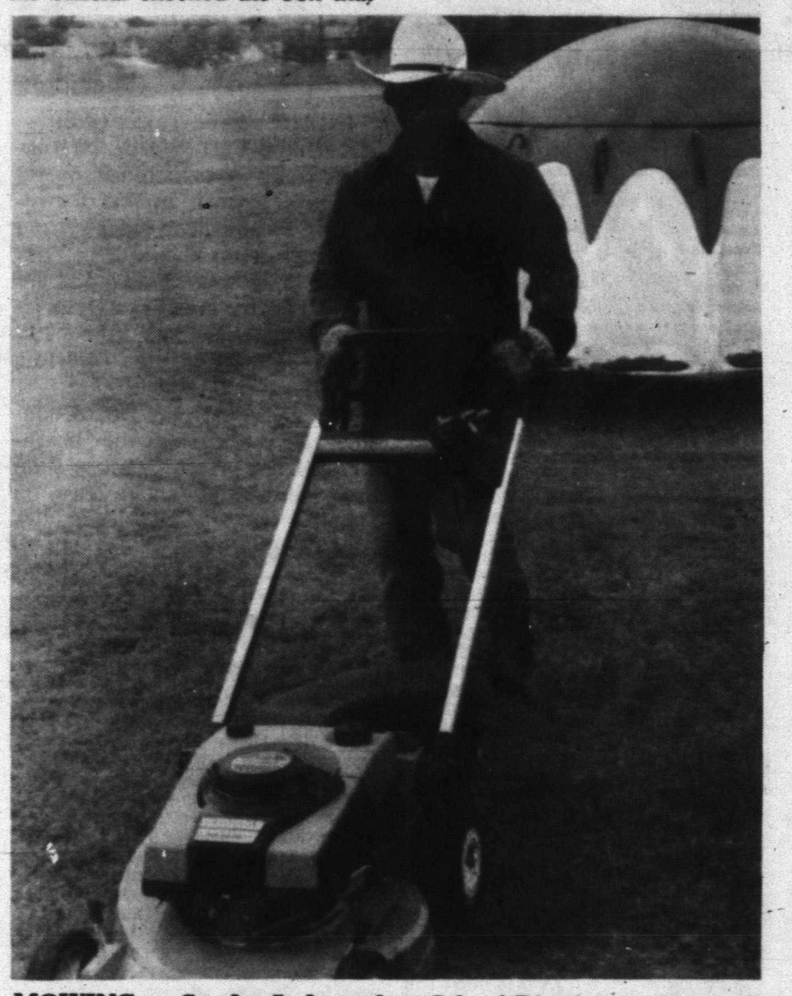
Federal law prohibits the Occupational Safety and Health Administration from notifying companies of an upcoming inspection. But OSHA can give up to 24 hours' notice to ensure the presence of a company representative or schedule an after-hours inspection.

And OSHA's day-to-day operating policies permit the agency to delay inspections up to five days while a company summons key employees or while inspectors prepare to take samples, according to OSHA's operating manual.

"Sometimes it's burdensome and a hassle," said Gil Saulter, OSHA regional administrator.

Saulter added that sometimes it's easier for inspectors to return the next day — provided there is no imminent danger — rather than to wait several hours for a company delay. If there is a lengthy delay, he said the agency will refuse the company's request and apply for a search warrant to begin an investigation.

"No question that anyone who provides advance notice should be shot at sunrise," said Joseph Kinney, executive director of the National Safe Workplace Institute in Chicago.



MOWING — Snyder Independent School District employee Albert Guzman mows the playground at Stanfield Elementary in preparation for classes starting Aug. 12. (SDN Staff Photo)

Dr. Gott By Peter Gott, M.D.

Go to a teaching hospital for tests

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I'm a faithful reader of your column and would like your advice. The least little exertion makes me weak, short of breath and completely washed out. My blood pressure drops about 20 systolic points and 10 diastolic. My pulse races to over 100. My doctor says my heart is fine. An angiogram and cardiac ultrasound were negative. I'm not on any medication, nor am I ready for a rocking chair.

DEAR READER: There are many possibilities for your symptoms, including thyroid disorders, blood diseases, undiagnosed heart ailments and lung problems. These need to be sorted out.

Ask your doctor to refer you to the diagnostic clinic in a teaching hospital. Apparently, you've had some of the testing that needs to be performed — but you need more, such as pulmonary function studies and special blood tests.

DEAR DR. GOTT: My husband is 70 years old, and we've been married just six weeks. There are times when, during his sleep, he stops breathing for 10 to 15 seconds. Is there anything that can be done to correct this problem? Please rush an answer.

DEAR READER: Your husband appears to have sleep apnea, a common but potentially dangerous condition that often affects older men.

As we age, the tissues in the throat become too relaxed and flaccid. During sleep (especially on one's back), these tissues fall back in the throat and block the upper trachea, literally causing asphyxia. Once breathing stops and carbon dioxide builds up in the blood, the person becomes restless and changes position (or snores), thereby relieving the obstruction. This cycle can continue all night, causing a poor sleep pattern in the patient and extreme anxiety in the bedmate.

Because people with sleep apnea have a higher incidence of stroke and heart attack, your husband should be examined by an otolaryngologist. Such an ear-nose-and-throat specialist should be able to identify the problem and, if appropriate, recommend surgery to remove the offending tissues.

To give you more information, I am sending you a free copy of my Health Report "Sleep-Wake Disorders." 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.

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BUSINESS AND INDUSTRIAL NEWS

House of Antieks also repairs, refinishes

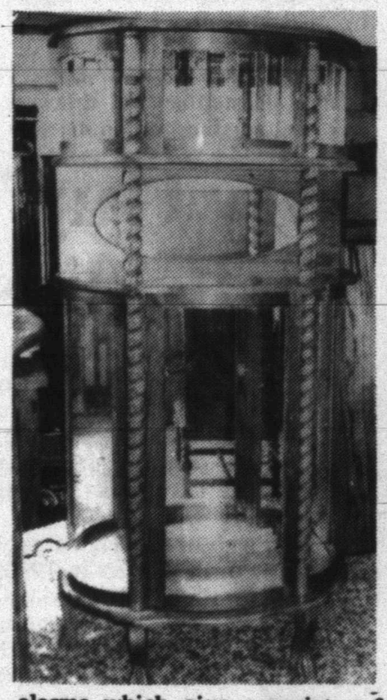
When you look at the complex at 4006-4008 College Ave., House of Antieks, you know they must be doing something right — when you look inside and see all those beautiful refinished antiques plus some new items — all ready for your home — all guaranteed and all hardwoods — no particle board.

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"If you are looking to purchase a clock or just looking, this is the place", said David.

The House of Antieks has a multitude of American Brand names including Howard, Seth Thomas, Ansonia, Waterberry, Welch, New Haven, Sessions, H.B. Horton, and B.B. Lewis. Watch brands include Howard, Waltham, Illinois, Elgin, Seth Thomas, Hamilton, Ball, Hampden, etc.

At the House of Antieks, the Fishers guarantee all the clocks that they sell, new or old, for as long as you own the clock, provided you don't work on it yourself or let someone else work on it.

Another speciality is the repair and polishing of new and old lamps and modifying lamps. "We can change your lamp to use oil or electricity without putting holes in the lamp — holes devaluate lamps," they said.

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Bill has a finish for wood that he put together about sixteen years ago. He said "after it dries, you can spill anything on it that you put in your mouth to eat or drink and it will not waterspot."

Bill and David refinish all clocks, furniture, telephones or whatever to its original condition. "We don't change anything", said David.

For beautiful, refinished, solid hardwood furniture, go see for yourself the kind of work they do at the House of Antieks complex. Every item is ready for your home — no work on your part.

"Remember, the antiques you buy today can only grow in value tomorrow", said Bill.



They accept cash, checks, bank cards, Discover and you can charge it or put it on lay-a-way. They have gift certificates and they will pick up and deliver.

You owe it to yourself to go and see all the beautiful merchandise, many gift items and rare pieces at the House of Antieks. There is also hassle-free shopping at 4006-4008 College or just give them a call at 573-4422. There are always lots of instore prices reduced to fit your budget.

Account given

NEW YORK (AP) — John F. Kennedy Jr. says he and three friends left their city comforts for some laughs, some thrills and a few sea stories kayaking off Finland.

In an account in Sunday's The New York Times, the 31-year-old New York prosecutor said he was "resident naturalist, cook and — since I brought the maps — navigator by default" during the recent voyage in the Baltic Sea.

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