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IRA QUEEN — Ira High School senior Celeigh Sterling is crowned by her escort, Eric Dickerhoff, as her dad, Kirby, looks on Saturday night after the Bulldogs rolled over Trent for a 50-0 homecoming win. (SDN Staff Photo)

Al-Qaida blamed for attack in Indonesia

BALI, Indonesia (AP) — Indonesia's defense minister blamed al-Qaida and its extremist allies today for the massive bomb attack that killed more than 180 people at a nightclub on the resort island of Bali.

"We are sure al-Qaida is here," Matori Abdul Djalil said after a Cabinet meeting in Jakarta. "The Bali bomb blast is linked to al-Qaida with the cooperation of local terrorists."

The leader of Jemaah Islamiyah, a group linked to Osama bin Laden's terror network, denied involvement and implicated the United States.

The defense minister's statement was the first time that a top government official had implicated al-Qaida in Saturday's attack, the worst of its kind worldwide since the Sept. 11 attacks in America. Until now, police investigators have said they had few clues and no suspects in the blasts that tore through the Kuta Beach nightclub district.

FBI and Australian detectives joined the hunt for the killers while forensic experts painstakingly tried to identify bodies. Indonesian government officials said 181 people had died, though hospital workers put the figure at 190.

Many of the victims were tourists from Australia, where hundreds of burned, bandaged and bruised survivors arrived in Sydney today to tearful reunions with family and friends. Other victims were from Britain, the Netherlands, France, Germany, Ecuador and Indonesia.

Two Americans were killed, the U.S. State Department said, and three others were among more than 300 people injured. Dozens of foreigners remained unaccounted for.

Among the missing was Jake Young, a former University of Nebraska football player who had been working as an attorney in Hong Kong for a London-based firm. The 34-year-old was traveling in Bali with his rugby team, and had not contacted his family since the blast.

"We're clinging to a thin ray of hope that he's going to be found alive," his father, Jacob Young, said Sunday night from Midland.

The U.S. Embassy in Jakarta, often the target of bomb threats, ordered all nonessential staff and dependents to leave Indonesia, the world's most populous Muslim country. However, American businesses in Indonesia declined to follow suit, saying they did not feel the situation warranted drastic moves.

A bomb threat shut down the embassy's club for a second day. The Australian school in Jakarta closed as a precaution.

In Washington, President Bush condemned the attack as "a cowardly act designed to create terror and chaos" and offered U.S. help in finding the perpetrators.

Fearing that terrorists could strike again, thousands of stunned tourists thronged Bali's airport, desperately looking for flights. Many vacationers camped overnight on beaches, shunning built-up areas in case of more attacks.

"We just want to go back to our families," said Carima Sebba, 26, from the Netherlands. "I'm scared, I won't be back for a long time."

Stocks tumbled in Jakarta by more than 9 percent today.

Snyder ISD...

Trustees target goals

Snyder ISD board of trustees convened Saturday morning for a three-hour goal-setting session to discuss the school district and issues relevant today and in the near future.

Interim superintendent Jim Kirkland led the discussion in the first part and compared critical education issues across the state with the local district.

Kirkland listed more teachers retiring, a decrease in persons certified to teach, an increase in academic standards and increased safety concerns, among others.

Also discussed were new technology, aging facilities, limited traditional funding sources, more "at-risk" children, changes in the traditional family unit, and the increase in students that speak a language other than English.

"This is a state-wide list," said Kirkland.

"How many of the items on this list are critical issues in Snyder," Kirkland asked the board.

Trustees agreed that every item applied to Snyder, as well as other districts across the state.

"The only way to face these critical issues is to address them head on," said Kirkland, adding that the trustees should encourage the district's new superintendent to start strategic planning as soon as one is hired.

Board president Mark McCormick asked Kirkland, who has been in the interim superintendent's post for about two months, what he viewed as the key issues locally.

"The state of the facilities is an issue," replied Kirkland. "At some point in time they will have to be addressed with a bond issue. You just can't keep patching them."

Kirkland said funding remains a problem, as nothing is going down in price.

"There's only two ways to get more money," said Kirkland. "An increase in enrollment or higher property values."

"Snyder ISD has experienced declining enrollment in recent years, and funding goes up and down with the oil industry," he added.

The closing of a campus would be one way to save money, Kirkland said.

"That's not a pleasant thought, but it could save some money," he said, noting several other communities in West Texas, including Lubbock and Abilene, have closed campuses recently.

Curriculum alignment between grades is another issue Kirkland brought to the board.

Trustees listed student safety as one of their primary goals and they were briefed on past safety audits.

The board also discussed what the school district could do to support the county in receiving a $500,000 grant to make improvements to the community's parks.

"We directed the administration to search all avenues in determining what new facilities at the parks the district could use in educating our children," said McCormick.

The board president said uses could range from drama students using the planned amphitheater, to the special education students using the handicap play area.

"We also directed the administration to pursue some kind of character education for our students," said McCormick. "This could be by using some outside source or by developing an in-house program to teach students character, ethics, and honesty. This is done on each campus to some extent, but we're looking at a district-wide program.

"And we always have the goal of raising all our campus ratings to exemplary," added McCormick.

McCormick presided at the meeting and board members present were Glenn Clarady, Luann Burleson, Richard Chambers, Mike Levens and Doug Neff. Cathy Peoples was absent. Also present were the two assistant superintendents, Karen Waller and Dr. Melissa Jones.

Local Demo office to open

The Scurry County Democratic Party will open its local headquarters at 6 p.m. Tuesday in the H & R Block building on the east side of the square.

Jerry Gannaway, county chairman, said the public is cordially invited to attend the opening.

Insurance on WTC agenda for tonight's board meeting

Western Texas College board of trustees will discuss property and casualty insurance when it convenes at 7 tonight and will be presented with some positive news, according to Patricia Claxton, director of fiscal services.

The college received notification recently that its current insurance provider, Fireman's Fund American, is increasing premiums or dropping schools entirely.

"We can sign up to a three-year renewal contract as long as there is less than a five percent increase," Claxton said. "Fireman's answered our request for bids, but there was a large increase. So we'll probably go with a combination of carriers this year."

Claxton expected a large cost increase for insurance this year and added $20,000 for the hike in next year's budget. Thankfully though, that amount won't be needed.

"I was beginning to worry that I may not have included enough in the budget for an increase, but it turns out we're only going to see our premiums rise by about $2,500 this year," she said.

Claxton will present the board with a proposal of $61,385, up from $58,615 this year.

"Our consultant said that is by far the lowest increase he's seen at a college," Claxton reported.

In other business, the board will consider a small-class report and also personnel matters, including the resignation of Terry Stephens, director of workforce education.

An executive session is scheduled to discuss personnel. Items on the agenda for information and discussion include an education report from John Gibson, dean of vocational instruction. Also to be discussed is pre-bid consideration for vehicles, space allocation on campus and Fall Fest scheduled for Oct. 31.

NEW GYM DEDICATION — Ira Independent School District officially named the new gym as the Roy Sallee Gymnasium during Saturday's afternoon homecoming activities. Sallee, who died on Jan. 21, 2001, was a longtime Ira coach, teacher and superintendent. Members of the family who attended the dedication include from left, front row, Natalie Sallee of Snyder, widow; Cheyenne Sallee, granddaughter, and Stephen Sallee, son, both of Broken Arrow, Okla; middle row, Pamela and John Fenton of Snyder, daughter and son-in-law; Melanie Sallee of Broken Arrow, Okla., granddaughter; back row, Andrew Poe of Snyder, grandson; Heather Sallee of Broken Arrow, Okla., granddaughter; and Stacey Poe of Snyder, granddaughter. Not pictured is another grandson, Robert Sallee of Lubbock. (Staff Photo by Shirley A. Gorman)

Ira's board to consider fuel cost settlement

Ira ISD's board of trustees will discuss a settlement over disputed fuel prices from past years when it meets this evening at 6:30 in the school's administration office.

Trustees also will consider moving the monthly board meetings to the community center, and hear reports from Supt. James Bible on building conditions, insurance bids, student transfers and the superintendent search.

Principal Mike Duke will give his monthly report, including discussion on locating the Ira Bulldog/Exemplary School sign.

An executive session to discuss personnel also is listed on the agenda.

ASK US

Q—Is a chili cook-off still held in Terlingua?

A—Yes. The annual event is set for Oct. 31-Nov. 2.

MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR

Elizabeth Gray...

...is an assistant at Scurry County Library and has lived in Snyder for 20 years. She is married to Don, an employee at Snyder Concrete, and the couple has two children, a son Wyatt, 5, and a daughter Willow, 4. She enjoys reading, attending concerts and helping people.

TODAY'S THOUGHT

Play is a vital part of life.
—Dinah Shore

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events

WHAT'S UP?

ONGOINGS

Bible study tapes

Bible videos air each week on Channel 2. To be shown at 7 p.m. today is "The Responsibilities of a Father," followed by "Can God Really Forgive Me?"

Bible college choir concert

The Apostolic Faith Bible College Choir will hold a concert at 7 p.m. today at The Apostolic Faith Church, 2510 25th St. Vernon Groce, pastor of the Snyder Church of God, will be the speaker. A carry-in dinner will follow, and the public is invited.

Support groups

Adult family violence support group and children's family violence support group meets at 6:30 p.m. each Monday at Gateway Family Service. For information call 573-1822.

Alzheimer support group

The Alzheimer support group will meet at 6 p.m. Tuesday in the library at Colonial Hill Baptist Church.

Emmaus community meeting

Mesquite Country Emmaus community meeting will be held at 7 p.m. Tuesday at The Word is Life Deliverance Church, 312 Coliseum Drive. Babe chicks meet at 6 p.m.

AARP board

The AARP board will meet at 8:15 a.m. Wednesday at Rudy's.

District auxiliary meeting

Cogdell Hospital auxiliary will host the District 6A and 6B of the Texas Association of Hospital Auxiliaries convention starting Thursday at Martha Ann Woman's Club.

FSA producer meeting

The Scurry County Farm Service Agency will hold a producer meeting at 1:30 p.m. Thursday in the Fine Arts Theatre on the WTC campus. An update on the new farm program will be given.

FBC services televised

First Baptist Church services are televised on channel 2 at 3 p.m. each Thursday.

Heart Walk

The American Heart Association annual Heart Walk in memory of Dr. W.B. McSpadden will be held Saturday starting at 9 a.m. at American State Bank. Sponsors and walkers are needed. Call Dee Chasteen at 573-2913 for more information.

Ennis Creek reunion

Ennis Creek reunion will be held Saturday at the home of Chuck and Velma Lou Lear, 8558 N. Ennis Creek Road. For more information call 573-8335 or 573-9478.

Hobbs Baptist 80th anniversary

Hobbs Baptist Church will have it 80th anniversary Saturday. Ex-pastors will speak, there will be "dinner on the ground" and an "old-time" gospel sing is planned. All ex-members and other interested persons are invited. RSVP by Friday to Carla Guinn Bavousett at 573-8948 if you will be there for the meal.

Hobbs ISD homecoming

Hobbs ISD homecoming is also Saturday. Registration is from 9-10 a.m., following by a business program from 10 a.m. until noon, and the luncheon will be from noon until 2 p.m. Meal is $10 per person. Reservations are appreciated for the luncheon and may be made by calling Pat Porter at 735-2322 (day), or 735-3337 (night).

WTC Lions Club fundraiser

The new Western Texas College Lions Club is selling $5 chances on a new Gateway 500S computer with printer. The drawing will be held Oct. 26. For more information, call 573-8511, ext. 230.

Northside Baptist Church concert

Toney Brothers will be in concert at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, Oct. 30 at Northside Baptist Church. No admission will be charged but a love offering will be accepted.

WTC changes

The gym, pool and weight room at Western Texas College will close at 5 p.m. on Oct. 31 for the WTC United Way Fall Fest to be held on campus.

Junior high yearbook

The Snyder Junior High yearbook is on sale through Nov. 26 in room 110. Price is $16 with a deposit of $8 required when ordering. No extra copies will be available.

Adult basic education classes

Adult basic education classes at WTC are held Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 8 a.m. until noon, and from 6-9 p.m. on Tuesday and Thursday. Classes include E.S.L., GED and refresher courses. Certified teachers and Spanish-speaking aides teach these classes. Call 573-8511, ext. 322. GED tests will be administered on next Friday. Pre-registration will be held on Thursday.

WTC pool, gym hours

The WTC pool and gym are now open Monday through Thursday. The gym is open from 6:30 a.m. to 9 p.m. The pool is available from 6:30 to 8 a.m., noon to 1 p.m. and 7 to 8:50 p.m. The gym closes at 4 p.m. on Friday and the pool is open only in the morning and at noon on Fridays. Memberships are $50 per semester or visits are $2. Contact Christy Cerecedes for information at 573-8511, ext 290.

Sr. citizen swimnastics

Swimnastics for senior citizens is held from 10-11 a.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Call the senior center at 573-4035 for more information.

Football T-shirt sale

SHS student council will sell football t-shirts before home games at the front stadium gate. Shirts also are available by calling Christy Smith at 573-6301.

27.4 million pounds of cooked sandwich deli meat is recalled

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Poultry processor Pilgrim's Pride is recalling 27.4 million pounds of cooked sandwich meat after warnings of possible contamination from the listeria bacteria — the largest meat recall in U.S. history.

The company recalled 295,000 pounds of turkey and chicken products from a suburban Philadelphia plant on Wednesday, but expanded the recall over the weekend after tests came back positive for a strain of the potentially fatal bacteria, the company said Sunday.

The nationwide recall covers deli meat sold under the company's Wampler Foods brand. The meat was processed at the company's plant in Franconia, Pa., from May 1 through Oct. 11.

The discovery followed an investigation of a listeria outbreak in eight Northeast states since early summer that caused at least 120 illnesses and 20 deaths, the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Food Safety and Inspection Service said.

"We want consumers to be aware of the recall because of the potential for foodborne illness," said Dr. Garry L. McKee, the inspection service's administrator.

No Wampler products have been linked to that outbreak, said David Van Hoose, Wampler's chief executive officer. The genetic strain that caused the outbreak is different from the strain found at the plant, officials said.

"We don't have any scientific evidence at this point that there is a connection, but our analysis of sampling in that plant is not complete," inspection service spokesman Steven Cohen said.

The national recall is the largest in the history of the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Cohen said.

Each package being recalled bears the plant number P-1351 inside the USDA mark of inspection and a production date. Wampler officials said the recall didn't include fresh turkeys, and that it should have no effect on the holiday season.

The deli products were sold in retail groceries, delicatessens and food service distributors. Customers are being asked to return the meats to where they were purchased for a refund.

Listeria can cause high fever, severe headache, neck stiffness and nausea, according to the USDA. It can be fatal in young children, the elderly and people with weak immune systems and can cause miscarriages and stillbirths.

The meat being recalled makes up roughly 6 percent of the company's total poultry production, Van Hoose. The company didn't say how much revenue it would lose as a result of the shutdown.

Pilgrim's Pride is the nation's second-largest poultry company behind Tyson Foods.

The largest previous meat recall in U.S. history was in 1997, when Hudson Foods recalled 25 million pounds of ground beef after 15 people in Colorado fell ill from E. coli after eating hamburger from its plant in Columbus, Neb.

The Wampler recall comes less than three months after ConAgra Beef recalled nearly 19 million pounds of ground beef because of E. coli contamination at its plant in Greeley, Colo.

On the Net:
USDA Food Safety and Inspection Service:
http://www.fsis.usda.gov
Wampler:
http://www.wampler.com
Recalled Products:
http://headlines.net/wampler-foods/02—products.html

For more information:
Consumers with questions can call the company at toll-free at 877-260-7110 or the USDA Meat and Poultry hot line at 800-535-4555.

FINAL PERFORMANCE — Snyder High School's junior varsity drama students will present the final performance of *Brighton Beach Memoirs* at 7 tonight at Worsham Auditorium. Players will include Sarah Carpenter and Adrian Brooks who are pictured rehearsing a scene. Tickets are $5 for adults and $4 for students. (Staff Photo by Shirley A. Gorman)

Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren

Dad kindles son's dislike of ex-wife's new flame

DEAR ABBY: I am recently divorced from my husband of 17 years. There is someone special in my life now, and my ex-husband is trying to cause problems where my kids are concerned. I have tried to talk to him about keeping his distorted thoughts and opinions about my boyfriend to himself; however, he can't seem to do it.

My daughter is 13 and has a mind of her own. My son is 6, and he acts according to things he has heard my ex-husband say. This is affecting my relationship with my son because I have tried to teach him to be respectful to all adults, no matter who they are. I keep reminding my son that my boyfriend has done nothing to him and deserves to be treated nicely.

Please help. I love this man and want my kids to be a part of our lives. — **HOPEFUL IN N.C.**

DEAR HOPEFUL: Since your husband refuses to cooperate, the only other choice is to try to make the children less susceptible to his brainwashing. The next time your son acts out, take him aside and ask him why he's doing it. If he repeats something that his father told him, say, "You know, your daddy is very angry right now — and sometimes we all say things we don't mean when we're angry." Point out that the boyfriend has always been good to you and to him.

You say at 13 your daughter has a mind of her own. If that means she likes your boyfriend, enlist her help in convincing her brother that the man is not as bad as their father says he is.

If that doesn't work, make an appointment with a child psychologist, and good luck.

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DEAR ABBY: I am 48 and have been married 21 years. My husband is the only person I have ever had sex with. For most of our married life, we have had sex three to seven times a week. We had our share of minor sexual problems, but lack of desire was never one of them until a few years ago. I just lost interest. My husband would do everything a loving husband could possibly do to spark romance, to no avail. He would give me wonderful, long massages, my favorite prelude to sex in the past — and I would just fall asleep.

One night a few months ago, my husband and I were out on a "date." We had just finished dinner, and the next showing of the movie we wanted to see was in two hours. My husband joked that we should go somewhere and park — and I got a sudden urge I hadn't felt for some time. We found a secluded spot and parked. It was the first time either of us had ever gotten completely naked anywhere outside of a bedroom, and it was the best sex I have had in years. Abby, we had so much fun I didn't want to go to the movie.

We have had some great sex since then, but only when we park somewhere or do it outside our house. I still can't get turned on at home. What is wrong with me? Have you ever heard of this? — **J.D. IN CALIFORNIA**

DEAR J.D.: There is nothing "wrong" with you. It appears you are one of those who need an element of "danger" (for instance, the possibility of getting caught) to spark your libido. Warning: Having sex in public is most likely against local, state or federal statutes, so I urge you to be very careful. I have always subscribed to the adage that what goes on between two consenting adults and hurts neither one is OK with me.

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Archer admits he broke prison rules

LONDON (AP) — Novelist and former politician Jeffrey Archer has admitted he disobeyed prison rules by publishing a diary that identified other prisoners by name.

His admission during a hearing Thursday at Lincoln Prison resulted in two minor penalties regarding his allowance and shopping privileges at the high-security prison.

It appeared to permit Macmillan, his publisher, to continue selling copies of the diary, which went on sale last week, and the Daily Mail newspaper to print more excerpts from it, officials said.

Based on Archer's experiences over the last few weeks at Belmarsh Prison, "A Prison Diary," contains comments from him and other prisoners about the poor conditions there.

Archer's punishment includes the suspension of his small wages at the prison for two weeks.

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Oil Patch News

Howard County

Lackey Oil and Gas will drill the No. 4-21 Bond, an 8,200-foot wildcat located four miles southwest of Coahoma. Location is in Section 21, Block 31, T1S, T&P survey.

Fisher County

Sinclair Oil will drill the No. 1 Ballenger Strawn unit in the Rough Ride field, 11 miles southwest of Roby. Planned for a depth of 7,000 feet, location is in Section 56, Block Y, T&P survey.

Boyd and McWilliams Energy Group will drill the No. 1 Ferguson in the Pardue field, seven miles northwest of Hamlin. Planned for a depth of 6,100 feet, drill site is in the W.E. Kaye survey No. 1.

Nolan County

Clear Fork Inc. will drill the No. 2057-B Boyd in the EVB field, three miles northwest of Nolan. Planned depth is 6,900 feet, and location is in Section 57, Block X, T&P survey.

Sham-Jam Operating has completed the No. 6002 Fox in the Estaban field, three miles southeast of Roscoe. The well was completed to produce 167 barrels of oil and 30 barrels of water. Perforations were from 6,362-429 feet, and location is in Section 60, Block 23, T&P survey.

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Noted composer and bandleader dies at 85

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Ray Conniff, the Grammy Award-winning composer and bandleader whose arrangements epitomized the Big Band sound while spawning such albums as "S'Wonderful" and "Somewhere My Love," has died. He was 85.

Conniff died Saturday at Palomar Medical Center in Escondido after falling down and hitting his head, San Diego medical examiner's investigator Angela Wagner told The Associated Press. He had suffered a stroke in April.

Conniff had more than 100 recordings and produced 25 Top 40 albums for Columbia Records. He rendered such classics as "Besame Mucho" and "New York, New York," in a career that spanned six decades.

His most memorable song may have been "Somewhere My Love." The song was adapted from French composer Maurice Jarre's "Lara's Theme" from the film "Dr. Zhivago." It rose to the top of the pop and easy-listening charts and won Conniff a Grammy in 1966.

Conniff produced 10 gold and two platinum records. He won CBS Records' Best Selling Artist for 1962 for the recording, "We Wish You A Merry Christmas."

The Ray Conniff Orchestra and Singers typified the lounge-singing style of the 1950s and 1960s with a mix of wordless vocal choruses and light orchestral accompaniment.

Though he got his start as a trombone player in the Big Band era playing with Bunny Berigan, Bob Crosby and Artie Shaw, Conniff broke out as a solo artist after being hired as a house arranger with Columbia Records in 1951.

He was responsible for Johnny Mathis' "Chances Are," Frankie Laine's "Moonlight Gambler," Johnnie Ray's "Just Walking in the Rain," and Guy Mitchell's "Singing the Blues." He also did arrangements for Frank Sinatra, Rosemary Clooney and Marty Robbins.

It was Conniff's arrangement of "Band of Gold" for singer Don Cherry that hit the first high note of both men's careers. The song made No. 5 on the Top 40 and was widely thought to be Cherry's hottest recording.

In 1956, Columbia decided to try out Conniff as a featured performer with a big-band mix that included guitarists Al Caiola and Tony Mottola. His debut album, "S'Wonderful," in which he combined a chorus of four men and four women with a traditional big band mix of 18 instruments, stayed on the Top 20 charts for nine months.

MSN, AOL: Titans unveil latest strategies

SEATTLE (AP) — Even Microsoft Corp. can play the role of David to someone else's Goliath.

With 9 million subscribers to its MSN Internet service, Microsoft places a distant second to America Online and its 35 million subscribers worldwide. MSN is battling a company that, for many, is almost synonymous with the Internet.

Still, Microsoft's got a pretty big slingshot. And the Redmond, Wash.-based software giant is loading it with its biggest stone yet — MSN 8.

The new redesign of its browsing and Internet access service will launch just nine days after America Online rolls out AOL 8.0 on Tuesday, as the two ratchet up a big-bucks battle to grab new customers.

Although Microsoft has spent billions developing and marketing MSN — including $500 million creating the new version and $300 million on an advertising campaign — the 7-year old service has yet to make a profit.

But Microsoft sees a future for MSN that will someday justify the costs.

"We believe that this is going to be a very very big business, a business the size of Windows or the size of Office in the future," said MSN marketing director Bob Visse, referring to Microsoft's two largest revenue-generating products, the Windows operating system and Office suite of business software. "It's something that consumers will come to rely on in their everyday lifestyle."

Across the country in Dulles, Va., AOL executives face the challenge of reconnecting with customers, analysts said. Company officials are optimistic that users will take to the redesigned AOL 8.0.

"It's clearly our best effort at delivering real value, real features and functionality and experiences that connect people with the other people in their lives," said David Gang, AOL's executive vice president for product marketing. "This is the biggest step forward."

Although the big two are drawing most of the attention, other competitors are hoping to snare customers as well, from No. 3 provider EarthLink to Yahoo's new high-speed Internet access service, offered through a partnership with SBC Communications.

Microsoft's newest MSN focuses on improving filtering of "spam," or junk e-mail, and beefs up its e-mail program, one of Microsoft's advantages over AOL, analysts said.

The company also honed in on an AOL strength — parental controls that allow adult supervision of children on the Internet.

Microsoft has made its new browser more customizable, and is throwing in exclusive content from the network's Money pages and other sites.

AOL is letting users include more customization and has greatly enhanced its e-mail program, which still trails Microsoft's but represents a big improvement, said David Card, a senior analyst with Jupiter Research.

Card doubts either company's latest version will significantly change the competitive landscape, but others say AOL is vulnerable.

"It's almost as if MSN is for grown-ups and AOL is for kids," said Mark Anderson, founder of Strategic News Service, a technology newsletter. "MSN is for more mature economic transactions while AOL is more for media content" such as pictures of pop stars like Britney Spears.

The question remains whether MSN can keep the customers it lures.

According to a June report by Forrester Research, MSN retained 43 percent of its subscribers from 2000 to 2001, while 79 percent of AOL's members stayed.

Microsoft disputes Forrester's methodology but clearly hopes MSN improves the numbers. Microsoft also plans to beat AOL on price.

MSN subscribers will pay monthly fees of $9.95 for a "bring your own access" plan — connecting through another Internet service provider — $21.95 for a dial-up connection; and between $39.95 and $49.95 for broadband connections, depending on users' location.

AOL will charge monthly fees of $14.95 for bring your own access, $23.90 for dial-up and $54.95 for broadband.

On the Net:
http://www.msn.com
http://www.aol.com

Today's chuckle

Skunks an endangered species?

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. (AP) — If you've seen a skunk — or smelled one — in the last five years, Florida wants to know.

"I haven't seen a dead skunk on the road for a while," said Henry Cabbage, spokesman for the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission.

Neither have the agency's biologists. They wonder whether the skunk population is taking a plunge, so they are asking the public for help.

Skunks aren't protected by state law. The black and white animal, about the size of a house cat, is sometimes killed for its shiny fur.

But if the numbers don't look good for the skunk, the state could decide to protect the species.

Wildlife commission biologist Kristen Nelson, who is collecting the information, said last week that she's been taking some kidding for the skunk search.

With their stinky spray, which they can shoot up to 15 feet, skunks have an image problem. She doubts anybody will form a "Save the Skunk" Society.

But Nelson isn't fazed.

"Every creature has some sort of importance in the ecosystem, even if we don't know what that importance is," she said.

Astro-graph

By Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

Tuesday, Oct. 15, 2002

The year ahead is shaping up to be a more active one for you than usual. The influences will increase your social involvements and enable you to do a fair amount of traveling if you choose.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) — There is a bit of a gambler in you, and today this urge might be more in evidence. Don't take any unreasonable risks, but you could be a bit luckier now than usual in harmless situations. Trying to patch up a broken romance? The Astro-Graph Matchmaker can help you understand what to do to make the relationship work. Mail $2.75 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 167, Wickliffe, OH 44092.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) — Simply being in the company of your loved ones or persons with whom you have close, personal ties will go a long way toward contributing to your feelings of well being today.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) — It may not be by accident that someone you've had connections with previously is on your mind today. Make an effort to communicate with him or her; something good is meant to come of it.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — You're likely to fare better in your financial dealings today than usual, so see what needs doing, and don't dally in taking care of it. Strike while the iron is hot.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) — There's a possibility you could be exposed to some type of inspirational message today that will fuel your inner being with a plethora of positive thinking. It could have a profound affect on your affairs.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) — Something might be brought out into the open today about developments that have been taking place behind the scenes. You'll be pleased by the news, because it will affect you.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) — The cooperative mood you're in today will serve you well. It'll encourage friends and associates alike to support and appreciate your aims and desires.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) — Erase bad history from your mind today and regroup to make a second effort toward reaching a goal that was previously unattainable. The conditions have changed in your favor.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) — If there is something that is near and dear to you that hasn't been running as smoothly as you'd like, today is the day to take matters in your own hands and reorganize them to your satisfaction.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) — Something advantageous is developing for you today from a situation another has initiated. You'll be getting the opportunity to run it, and will do so more effectively than the other person has.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) — Should you find the need today to brainstorm an idea or seek advice from a person whose judgment you respect, don't hesitate to do so. This person will be an enormous help.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — Your possibilities for personal gain are exceptionally promising today, particularly in any arrangement where you're performing a service for another. Roll up your sleeves and go to work.

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Date Book

Monday, Oct. 14, 2002

Today is the 287th day of 2002 and the 23rd day of fall.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1947, American pilot Chuck Yeager became the first person to fly faster than the speed of sound.

On this day in 1962, U.S. spy planes flying over Cuba spotted ballistic missiles, offering evidence that there were Soviet-made intermediate-range missiles stationed in Cuba, only 90 miles from the U.S. coastline. This set off the Cuban Missile Crisis, which brought the United States and the Soviet Union to the brink of nuclear war.

On this day in 1979, the first national gay rights march took place in Washington, D.C. More than 200,000 people showed up to demand "an end to all social, economic, judicial and legal oppression of lesbian and gay people."

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Dwight D. Eisenhower (1890-1969), U.S. president; John Wooden (1910-), basketball coach, is 92; C. Everett Koop (1916-), U.S. surgeon general, is 86; Roger Moore (1927-), actor, is 75; Ralph Lauren (1939-), designer, is 63.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1964, Billy Mills won the 10,000-meter footrace at the Tokyo Summer Olympics.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "I hate war as only a soldier who has lived it can, only as one who has seen its brutality, its futility, its stupidity." — Dwight D. Eisenhower

TODAY'S MOON: Between first quarter (Oct. 13) and full moon (Oct. 21).

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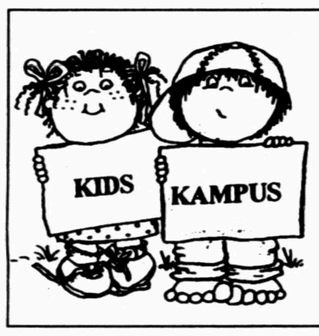

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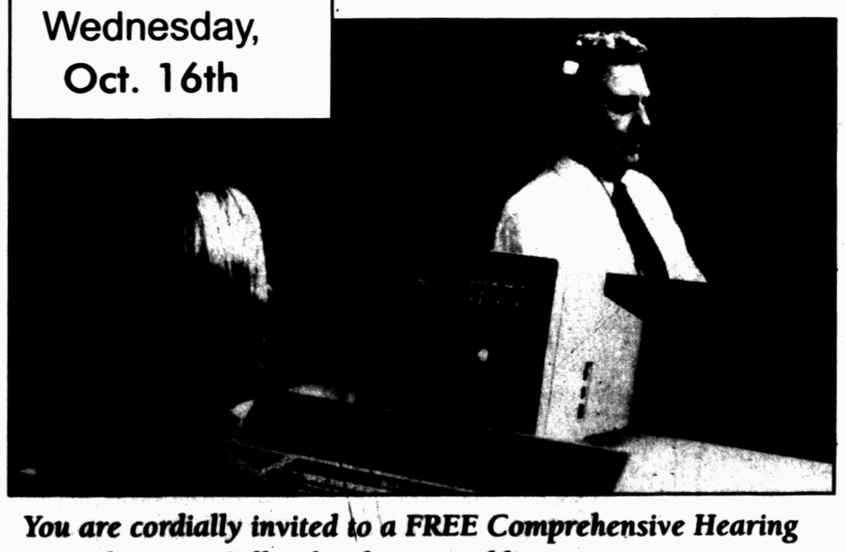

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SPORTS

After 41 years, Angels win first AL pennant

ANAHEIM, Calif. (AP) — Sixteen years later, the Anaheim Angels got that last out.

So now, after 41 years of heartbreak and losing, they'll be playing in their first World Series.

Gene Autry, Hollywood's "Singing Cowboy" and the team's founding owner, won't be around to enjoy what he wanted so much.

But he's certainly on the minds of those who will, including his widow, Jackie.

"He would be very pleased about this team," an emotional Mrs. Autry said after the Angels beat the Minnesota Twins 13-5 on Sunday to win the AL championship series in five games. "This was a goal of Gene's all of his life in baseball, and the fact that he's not here to see it personally, I know he's watching it from somewhere."

If that's true, Autry would have a difficult time believing how it came about.

Oh, the 13 runs the wild-card Angels scored were no major surprise, considering the way they manhandled the New York Yankees in the division series, hitting a postseason-record .376.

"I can't really explain it," said Kennedy, who has 23 homers in 1,652 at-bats over 470 regular-season games. "Opportunity came, and it was big today. "This will go down as one of the best days of my life."

The Twins took a 5-3 lead in the seventh against Rodriguez, who relieved Brendan Donnelly with the bases loaded and one out and allowed all three baserunners to score before retiring the side.

"Oh, man. This is tremendous," said Kennedy, the series MVP despite going 1-for-10 without an RBI in the series' first four games. "We worked hard the last few years to bring it all together and we finally got it done."

Born as an expansion team in 1961, the Angels blew past the Yankees to win their first-round series 3-1, then beat Minnesota four straight times after a series-opening loss.

They humbled the Twins in the seventh inning of the finale, sending 15 batters to the plate against Johan Santana, J.C. Romero, LaTroy Hawkins and Bob Wells.

Kennedy got it started with his third homer — a three-run shot on an 0-2 pitch from Santana — to give the Angels a 6-5 lead.

And that was only the beginning.

"They're on a roll," Twins manager Ron Gardenhire said. "Those guys, they just keep playing. And they keep swinging. Goodness gracious, I don't know if I've ever seen an inning like that."

The Angels tied postseason records with the 10-run inning and six consecutive hits — something they also managed against the Yankees.

The Angels will play in their first World Series game Saturday when they open at home against the San Francisco Giants or St. Louis Cardinals. A picture of Autry was hanging throughout the weekend on a banner behind home plate and no doubt will be there next weekend.

When David Eckstein caught Tom Prince's popup for the final out, he ran over to Kennedy and tapped gloves, then danced with Tim Salmon.

The Twins, who made the playoffs after surviving the attempt by baseball owners to fold them, had had won six straight postseason games when facing elimination, including two in the first round against Oakland.

Trailing 2-0, Kennedy started the comeback with a third-inning homer off Game 1 winner Joe Mays, and Spiezio's homer tied it leading off the fifth. One out later, Kennedy put the Angels ahead with a drive into the right-field bleachers.

Spiezio and Bengie Molina singled to open the seventh. Kennedy bunted the first pitch foul — perhaps the biggest break for the Angels all day — and fouled another pitch with a swing before hitting a hanging curveball from Santana over the wall in right-center.

Kennedy became only the fifth player to homer three times in a postseason game, joining Babe Ruth, who did it twice, Reggie Jackson, Bob Robertson and George Brett.

Carter leads 'boys to last second win

IRVING (AP) — Quincy Carter didn't miss Antonio Bryant for the game-winning touchdown this time. He even hit him in a crowd.

A week after overthrowing Bryant streaking down the field wide open, Carter found the rookie receiver for a much tougher 24-yard TD with 56 seconds left Sunday to complete the Dallas Cowboys' dramatic 14-13 comeback over Carolina.

"The best thing is that everybody kept a positive attitude," Bryant said. "Everybody kept saying you didn't get it last week, but you're going to make the connection. It came down to the last second, and it felt great."

Bryant made a juggling catch after he cut between two defenders, the game-winner on fourth-and-14 coming just three minutes after a lucky 80-yard TD pass to Joey Galloway.

"I still don't know exactly what happened," said rookie defensive end Julius Peppers, whose first-quarter interception set up Carolina's only touchdown. "We went from being ahead 13-0 to losing the game. We never saw it coming."

Carter, on his birthday he shared with Cowboys owner Jerry Jones, directed his second comeback win in three weeks.

After overshadowing a mostly poor performance two weeks ago against St. Louis with a last-minute drive that led to the game-winning field goal, Carter almost did it again against the New York Giants before overthrowing Bryant.

Against the Panthers, Carter went 9-of-22 for 77 yards over the first 55 minutes. But he was 6-of-10 for 148 yards the final two drives with the 80-yarder, the longest pass of his career.

On the TD pass to Galloway, Carter scrambled out of a sack and steadied himself with his free hand. The pass was nearly intercepted by Deon Grant, but instead he deflected it — straight to Galloway.

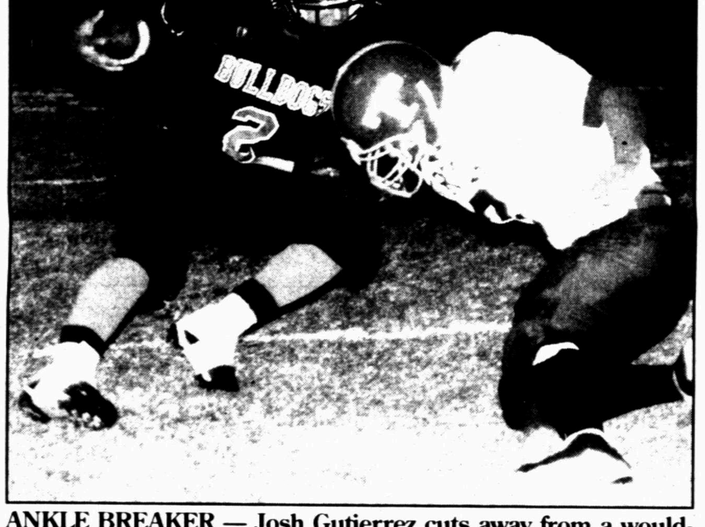
Before that, the Cowboys (3-3) had just 174 yards and appeared on the way to their first shutout loss at home since 1991.

"This is one of the craziest wins I've been involved in," said Emmitt Smith, whose 59 yards got him within 175 of overtaking Walter Payton as the NFL's career rushing leader.

Carolina (3-3) went three-and-out after Galloway's TD. Carter then kept the game-winning drive alive with a 10-yard completion to Darnay Scott that converted a fourth-and-6.

While the Cowboys continued their lose-win cycle, Carolina lost its third straight game. Since a 3-0 start, the Panthers have lost their last three by a combined seven points, and all in the closing minutes.

"To be in such control of the game and have a couple of fluke plays happen is a shame," said Panthers coach John Fox.



ANKLE BREAKER — Josh Gutierrez cuts away from a would-be Trent tackler during Saturday's homecoming game. Ira rolled 50-0. (SDN Photo by Christi Williams)

AP Top 25

The Top Twenty Five teams in The Associated Press college football poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through Oct. 12, total points based on 25 points for a first place vote through one point for a 25th place vote and previous ranking:

	Record	Pts	Pvs
1. Miami (65)	6-0	1,841	1
2. Oklahoma (9)	6-0	1,776	2
3. Virginia Tech	6-0	1,675	4
4. Ohio St.	7-0	1,608	5
5. Georgia	6-0	1,555	6
6. Oregon	6-0	1,463	7
7. Notre Dame	6-0	1,403	8
8. Texas	5-1	1,235	3
9. Iowa St.	6-1	1,146	11
10. Washington St.	6-1	1,116	12
11. Michigan	5-1	1,114	13
12. Florida St.	5-2	1,032	9
13. N.C. State	7-0	980	14
14. LSU	5-1	914	18
15. Iowa	6-1	830	17
16. Tennessee	4-2	639	10
17. Kansas St.	5-1	619	19
18. Air Force	6-0	583	21
19. Southern Cal	4-2	506	20
20. Penn St.	4-2	435	15
21. Mississippi	5-1	358	25
22. Washington	4-2	354	22
23. Colorado	4-2	213	—
24. Alabama	4-2	165	—
25. Bowling Green	5-0	83	—

Others receiving votes: Florida 81, UCLA 79, Marshall 57, Nebraska 30, South Carolina 26, Arkansas 24, Colorado St. 22, Minnesota 18, Louisville 13, Auburn 9, Texas Tech 9, Boston College 8, California 8, Wisconsin 7, Pittsburgh 5, Virginia 5, Texas A&M 4, Arizona St. 1, Boise St. 1.

Rams get first victory in handing Raiders first loss

By the Associated Press

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Unbeaten vs. winless was no contest.

St. Louis got its first victory of the season thanks to third-stringer Marc Bulger, who threw three touchdown passes and ran for another score to lift the Rams past previously unbeaten Oakland 28-13 Sunday.

Marshall Faulk, who was slowed by back spasms against the 49ers last week, showed his familiar form by running for a season-high 158 yards. His darting 32-yard run, which followed Damione Lewis' interception of Rich Gannon's pass, put the ball at the Oakland 1 with 11:20 left.

Bulger, a sixth-round pick in 2000 who started in place of injured second-teamer Jamie Martin, scored on the next play to give the defending NFC champions (1-5) a 28-6 lead.

Warner, who's out with a broken finger, was the first person to hug Bulger as he trotted off the field.

The Raiders (4-1), who entered the game leading the NFL with 40.5 points and 461.5 yards a game, had only two field goals and 229 yards through the first three quarters.

On his 40th birthday, Jerry Rice caught seven passes for 133 yards.

Packers 28, Patriots 10

FOXBORO, Mass. (AP) — Brett Favre outplayed New England's Tom Brady, throwing three touchdown passes to lead the Packers to their fourth straight victory.

Favre now has 301 TD passes for his career, moving him past John Elway into third place on the career list. Only Dan Marino (420) and Fran Tarkenton (342) have more.

Favre also made his 163rd straight start, a record for NFL quarterbacks.

The Packers (5-1) became the fourth straight team to have a player run for at least 100 yards against the Patriots (3-3), as Ahman Green gained 136 yards. He also scored his first two TDs of the season — on an 8-yard reception and a 1-yard run.

Brady threw three interceptions and was just 24-of-44 for 183 yards. Favre was 17-of-27 for only 147 yards, but he didn't throw an interception.

Chargers 35, Chiefs 34

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Drew Brees threw a 2-yard touchdown pass to rookie Reche Caldwell with 14 seconds left as the Chargers overcame five turnovers and beat the Chiefs with a wild finish.

The victory wasn't secured until linebacker Donnie Edwards — who was cut by Kansas City in March — intercepted Trent Green's desperation pass at the Chargers 2-yard line as time expired.

San Diego (5-1) has committed eight turnovers in the last two games, but they finally stopped the blunders and, trailing 24-14 entering the fourth quarter, scored three TDs to overtake the Chiefs.

Brees finished 28-of-41 for 319 yards and two TDs. Green threw for 236 yards, three TDs and two interceptions for the Chiefs (3-3).

Dolphins 24, Broncos 22

DENVER (AP) — In one of the wildest finishes of the season, two of the NFL's best kickers traded long field goals.

Olindo Mare made a 53-yarder with 6 seconds remaining for Miami after Denver's Jason Elam had given the hosts the lead with a 55-yarder with 45 seconds to go. It was Elam's fifth field goal of the game.

Ricky Williams rushed for two touchdowns for Miami (5-1), which led by nine before the Broncos (4-2) went on an 80-yard drive to Mike Anderson's 1-yard TD reception. After stopping Miami, the Broncos set up Elam's big kick, only to be upstaged by Mare.

Colts 22, Ravens 20

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Mike Vanderjagt kicked his fifth field goal from 38 yards out with 4 seconds left, but the Colts' defense did much of the heavy lifting.

The unit held Jamal Lewis to 75 yards rushing, forced three turnovers and sacked Baltimore quarterback Chris Redman five times to help Indianapolis (4-1) win its third straight.

The Ravens (2-3) committed a pass-interference penalty that allowed Peyton Manning to rally the Colts on the game's final drive.

With a little more than a minute left and the Colts facing fourth-and-10, Baltimore cornerback Gary Baxter plowed into Qadry Ismail, putting the ball at the Ravens 42.

Vikings 31, Lions 24

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — Moe Williams clinched Minnesota's first victory of the season on a 2-yard run with 2:12 to play, and Daunte Culpepper turned the Metrodome boos to cheers with 295 yards and two TDs.

National Football League

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At A Glance
By The Associated Press
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AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Miami	5	1	0	.833	180	120
Buffalo	3	3	0	.500	194	204
New England	3	3	0	.500	152	134
N.Y. Jets	1	4	0	.200	75	162
South	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Indianapolis	4	1	0	.800	114	90
Jacksonville	3	2	0	.600	118	95
Tennessee	2	4	0	.333	130	173
Houston	1	4	0	.200	66	123
North	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Baltimore	2	3	0	.400	87	101
Pittsburgh	2	3	0	.400	110	112
Cleveland	2	4	0	.333	127	134
Cincinnati	0	6	0	.000	51	181
West	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
San Diego	5	1	0	.833	146	98
Oakland	4	1	0	.800	175	118
Denver	4	2	0	.667	146	120
Kansas City	3	3	0	.500	205	193

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Philadelphia	3	2	0	.600	165	92
Dallas	3	3	0	.500	88	120
N.Y. Giants	3	3	0	.500	86	98
Washington	2	3	0	.400	106	137
South	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
New Orleans	5	1	0	.833	186	145
Tampa Bay	5	1	0	.833	143	56
Carolina	3	3	0	.500	102	75
Atlanta	2	3	0	.400	100	84
North	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Green Bay	5	1	0	.833	173	145
Chicago	2	3	0	.400	112	132
Detroit	1	4	0	.200	109	169
Minnesota	1	4	0	.200	130	165
West	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
San Francisco	3	1	0	.750	87	60
Arizona	3	2	0	.600	99	87
Seattle	1	3	0	.250	84	87
St. Louis	1	5	0	.167	102	138

Sunday's Games

Buffalo 31, Houston 24
Dallas 14, Carolina 13
Atlanta 17, N.Y. Giants 10
Indianapolis 22, Baltimore 20
New Orleans 43, Washington 27
Green Bay 28, New England 10
Minnesota 31, Detroit 24
Pittsburgh 34, Cincinnati 7
Tampa Bay 17, Cleveland 3
St. Louis 28, Oakland 13
Tennessee 23, Jacksonville 14
San Diego 35, Kansas City 34
Miami 24, Denver 22
Open: N.Y. Jets, Arizona, Philadelphia, Chicago

Monday's Game

San Francisco at Seattle, 9 p.m.

Sunday, Oct. 20

Chicago at Detroit, 1 p.m.
Buffalo at Miami, 1 p.m.
Carolina at Atlanta, 1 p.m.
Minnesota at N.Y. Jets, 1 p.m.
Seattle at St. Louis, 1 p.m.
Denver at Kansas City, 1 p.m.
San Francisco at New Orleans, 1 p.m.
Jacksonville at Baltimore, 1 p.m.
Houston at Cleveland, 4:05 p.m.
San Diego at Oakland, 4:05 p.m.
Dallas at Arizona, 4:15 p.m.
Washington at Green Bay, 4:15 p.m.
Tampa Bay at Philadelphia, 4:15 p.m.
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Monday, Oct. 21

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SPORTS

Ira homecoming...

Bulldogs rout Gorillas, 50-0

The Ira Bulldogs waited until the final play of the first half to seal the deal on homecoming night.

Jess Wall caught a 26-yard touchdown pass as time expired to give the Bulldogs a 50-0 victory over Trent.

Eric Dickerhoff rushed for two scores, caught two touchdown passes from Wes Kellner and threw the game winner to Wall.

"They showed us some different looks tonight," head coach Toby Goodwin said. "But we made adjustments, and our kids all did their jobs."

Dickerhoff put the Bulldogs on top early with a 37-yard touchdown run. He fumbled the ball on the pitch, but picked it up then sprinted his way in less than a minute into the contest.

Dickerhoff put the Bulldogs up by two scores midway through the opening quarter on a an 8-yard run, and one minute later, Josh Gutierrez blocked a Gorilla punt in the end zone that Michael Allen pounced on to put Ira up 22-0.

On Trent's next possession, Jake Barnes forced a fumble, and Allen once again fell on the pigskin to give Ira the ball.

Kellner then hit Dickerhoff for a 9-yard score, and two minutes later, Gutierrez rushed in from 15 yards out to give Ira a 34-0 edge at the end of the first quarter.

Kellner hit a 44-yard field goal, then hit Dickerhoff with a 57-yard bomb to give Ira a lopsided 44-0 advantage.

Tim Huddleston recovered a fumble on the Gorillas' next possession, and Goodwin went for the win.

Dickerhoff took the pitch from Kellner, then threw a 26-yard touchdown pass to Wall as time expired to finish off Trent 50-0.

Ira will get its first test since Whitharral when it plays host to rival Westbrook Friday.

Goodwin said the health of his team was key against Trent, and no Bulldog suffered any major injuries in the contest.

"Staying healthy is the key to the season," Goodwin said. "We have a big game coming up, and we need to keep the focus and intensity at the level it has been."

FOLLOW THE LEAD BLOCK — Ira's Josh Gutierrez (2) waits for the lead block from Jake Barnes (45) on his way to a 15-yard touchdown run in the first quarter of Saturday night's homecoming game against the Trent Gorillas. The Bulldogs routed Trent 50-0 in only one half of play. (SDN Photo by Christi Williams)

Sports Briefs

Gray wins city championship

Stafford Gray shot a two-round score of 149 to take the Snyder city championship over the weekend.

The first round took place at the WTC golf course, with the second round at the Scurry County golf course on Sunday.

Gray shot a 77 in the first round before shaving five strokes off that total Sunday to win the title.

Tommy Baker won the senior title with a 169 for the tournament, and Jeral Beard captured the super senior title with 153, after shooting 74 in the opening round and a 79 in the final round.

Baseball booster club

The baseball booster club will meet Monday night at 7 in the film room.

Basketball booster club

The boys basketball booster club will meet Monday night at 7 at the student center.

Men's league basketball

Men's league basketball sign-ups are underway, with play to begin in the middle of this month. For more information or to sign up, call Bryan at 573-3916.

Ladies play day

The SCGA will host a ladies play day every Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the Scurry County golf course. Format this week is queen of the hill playoff.

Giants lose Hamilton for the season

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — Keith Hamilton, the force in the middle of the New York Giants' defensive line, will miss the rest of the season after tearing his right Achilles' tendon against the Atlanta Falcons.

Miami No. 1 for 19th straight poll

Miami has itself a record-setting streak — most consecutive weeks ranked No. 1 in The Associated Press college football poll.

The Hurricanes, who extended the nation's longest winning streak to 28 games with a 28-27 win over Florida St., remained in the top spot.

Spikers sweep Cooper

LUBBOCK — The Lady Spikers gave Lubbock Cooper the first six points of the match Saturday, before settling down to take the match 15-5, 15-8.

Shelley Fisk

Sarah Crawford had nine blocks and the final kill of the match for the team, which improved to 4-3 in the district, and 11-12 overall on the season.

"Sarah did a good job at the net," head coach Laura Moses said. "Everybody did a really good job."

Shelley Fisk had another outstanding game, notching eight assists, three kills, four blocks and four service points, including an ace.

Afton Schwertner and Chaeyln Robinson added big kills for the spikers, who host Seminole Tuesday.

Kelsi Johnson led all scorers with seven points, Aaryn Stewart added five points with an ace, and Kelby Drum pumped in six points and four assists.

Moses said the team will be trying a new defensive alignment against Seminole, as the team's other opponents have not run an offense conducive to trying out the defense.

One area of concern is the continued absence of Ashley Tuttle, who has battled an illness and a sprained ankle that has kept her sidelined.

Moses said Tuttle will likely not play Tuesday, but should be in game shape by Saturday's meet with mighty Denver City.

In junior varsity action, the JV handled their Cooper counterparts 15-5, 15-11.

Heather Zajicek had 11 service points and Courtney Cox had some key spikes, as the JV played a complete match.

Coach Wendi Parks said the girls all played well.

"They moved their feet on defense and did a good job of working together," she said. "The girls did not make many mistakes."

The freshmen squad gave Snyder the trifecta, winning in three sets, 8-15, 15-6 and 15-1.

Glyn Wright led all scorers with 10 points, and Teddi Crenwelge and Jessica Taylor added nine points for the winners.

All three teams play Seminole Tuesday, with first served scheduled for 5:30 p.m.

WTC takes 3rd at Vernon rodeo

The Western Texas College Men's rodeo team finished in third place in this weekend's rodeo in Vernon.

Sam Spreadborough rode his way to second place in saddle bronc in the short round with a 79, and finished second in average in the event.

Justin Foltyn and Steven Turner each finished in third place, with Foltyn scoring a 73 in the short round in the bareback riding competition, and Turner earning a 79 in bull riding.

The men's team now sits in second place in the region, a few points shy of Vernon Regional JC.

"This is really the first rodeo where we have stubbed our toe," coach Greg Rhodes said. "We left some points on the table, but they have done a great job all year. I can't complain with the performances."

Rhodes said the women's team continued to struggle, as the short round "fell apart," Rhodes said.

The women did well enough to split third in the rodeo, which left them in fourth place in the region.

"Our men's team is in good shape," he said. "They are chipping away at first place, and are putting it all together for the (Texas) Tech rodeo."

The rodeo team has an off week, before heading to Lubbock Oct. 25 for the final rodeo of the season.

Giants beat Cards, one win away from pennant

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Barry Bonds is one win away from walking right into his first World Series.

With St. Louis manager Tony La Russa unwilling to let Bonds beat the Cardinals, it was the other San Francisco Giants who came through in the clutch.

Benito Santiago followed an unconventional intentional walk to Bonds by hitting a tiebreaking two-run homer with two outs in the eighth inning, leading San Francisco to a 4-3 victory Sunday night in Game 4 of the NL championship series.

"I was so excited they walked Barry Bonds," Santiago said. "I wanted them to pay again."

Bonds scored the tying and go-ahead runs — both after walks. That's been a common theme this year. Bonds was walked a record 198 times this season, including 68 intentionally.

"If they walk him, then they want to be beaten not by the best but by someone else," Giants shortstop Rich Aurilia said. "Tonight it was Benito."

Bonds' brilliance has made the unheard of routine — intentionally putting the tying or go-ahead run on base.

But the move only succeeds if the pitcher can get the next hitter out.

"Strategy is judged on whether it works. So it didn't work. Bad strategy," La Russa said.

Robb Nen nearly blew it in the ninth, throwing a third-strike wild pitch to the leadoff hitter and allowing a one-out RBI single by Jim Edmonds.

But with runners on first and third, Nen recovered to strike out Albert Pujols and J.D. Drew for his third save in the series.

The Giants can win their first NL pennant in 13 years with a win at home Monday night and set up baseball's first all wild-card World Series. Anaheim won the AL championship earlier Sunday.

Kirk Rueter, who won the opener for the Giants, will pitch Game 5 against Matt Morris.

Much of the drama in this series has surrounded Bonds, who is trying to put his past postseason struggles behind him and make it to baseball's biggest stage for the first time.

With two outs and nobody on in a tie game in the eighth, Bonds strolled to the plate and La Russa never hesitated, putting four fingers in the air for an intentional walk.

"Bonds is the most dangerous hitter in the game right now, and it's tough to walk in that clubhouse with giving him a chance to get the hit to beat you," La Russa said. "Santiago has been very tough, but it's a little easier to take."

With a sellout crowd of 42,676 pounding their orange Thunder-Stix, Santiago worked the count full.

He then drove a pitch from Rick White into the left-field seats. Santiago pumped his fist and tossed his bat before rounding the bases.

Postseason Schedule

Postseason Baseball
All Times EDT
LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES
American League
Tuesday, Oct. 8
Minnesota 2, Anaheim 1
Wednesday, Oct. 9
Anaheim 6, Minnesota 3
Friday, Oct. 11
Anaheim 2, Minnesota 1
Saturday, Oct. 12
Anaheim 7, Minnesota 1
Sunday, Oct. 13
Anaheim 13, Minnesota 5, Anaheim wins series 4-1

National League
Wednesday, Oct. 9
San Francisco 9, St. Louis 6
Thursday, Oct. 10
San Francisco 4, St. Louis 1
Saturday, Oct. 12
St. Louis 5, San Francisco 4
Sunday, Oct. 13
San Francisco 4, St. Louis 3, San Francisco leads series 3-1
Monday, Oct. 14
St. Louis (Morris 17-9) at San Francisco (Rueter 14-8), 8:19 p.m.
Wednesday, Oct. 16
San Francisco at St. Louis, 4:19 p.m., if necessary
Thursday, Oct. 17
San Francisco at St. Louis, 8:19 p.m., if necessary

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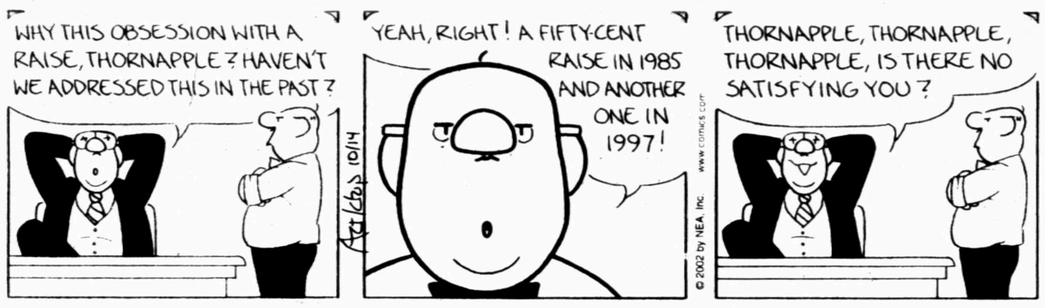

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13 Baby buggy, in London
14 Airport info
15 Complexion problem
16 Kal Kan rival
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18 Clips sheep
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27 Talked back
30 Orange vegetables
31 Has to
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34 Santa Fe hrs.
35 Screenwriter James —
36 Loony
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40 Morticia's cousin
41 — -relief
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45 Fossil resins
49 Cry of delight
50 Tooth
53 Whitish gem
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55 Nautical position
56 Agrippina's son
57 Koppel of the news
58 Phoenician deity
59 Feast

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2 "Ow!"
3 Corn —
4 Pang
5 Web addr.
6 Lid
7 Patient-care gp.
8 Try again
9 Like — — of bricks
10 Old horses
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19 Rodent
20 Some, in Paris
22 Assuage
23 Concorde
24 Workout locale
25 Coarse file
26 Tsp. and oz.
27 Entreats
28 Jacket style
29 Mince
31 Execs
33 Food fish
35 PC key
36 Portuguese port
38 Run a fever
39 Actress — Dawber
41 Hard roll
42 Rhyme maker
43 Think positive
44 "If — — a Hammer"
46 Fencing weapon
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48 Job opening
50 Marvy
51 Crimson Tide st.
52 Teachers' org.

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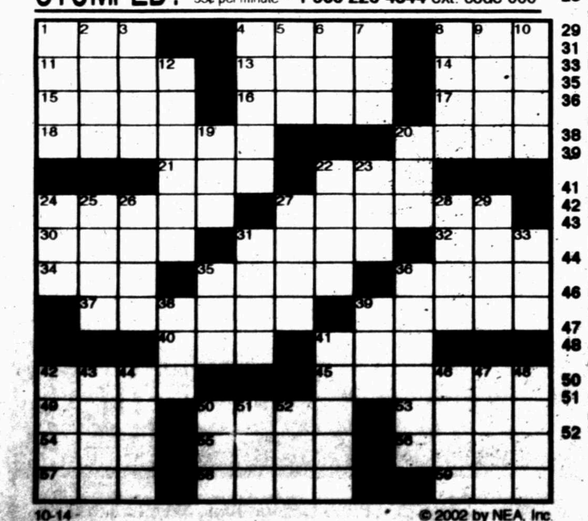

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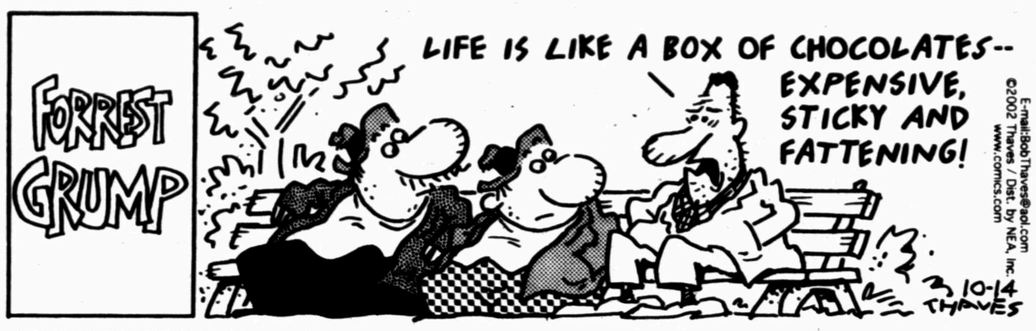

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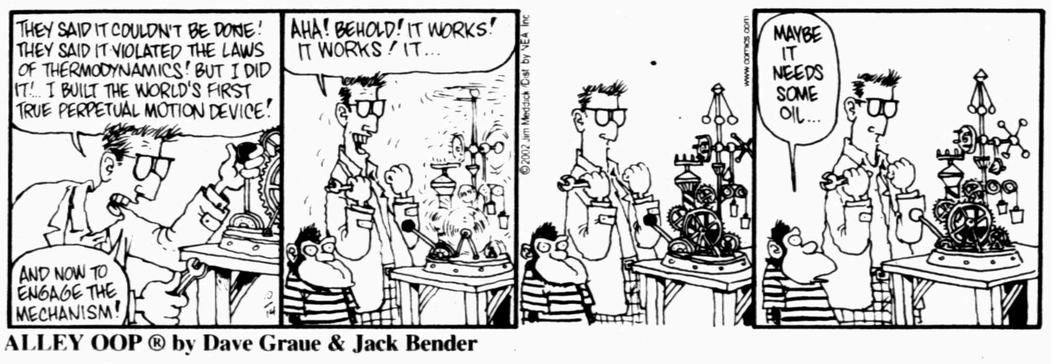

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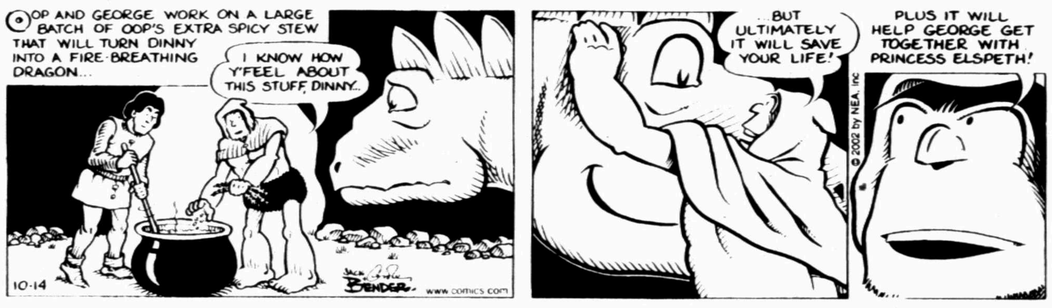

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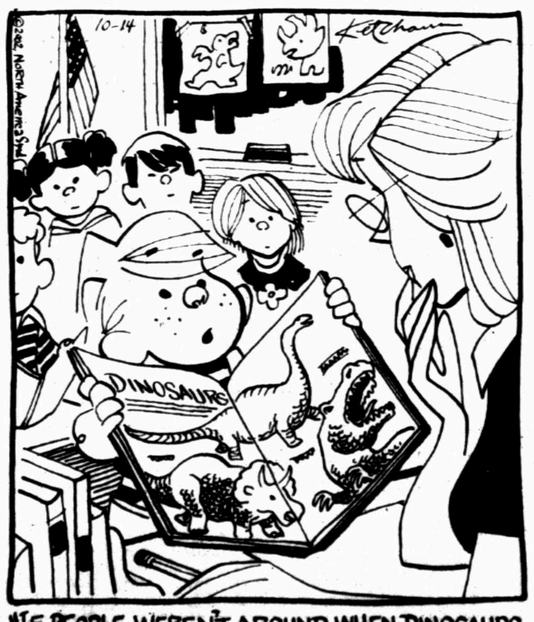

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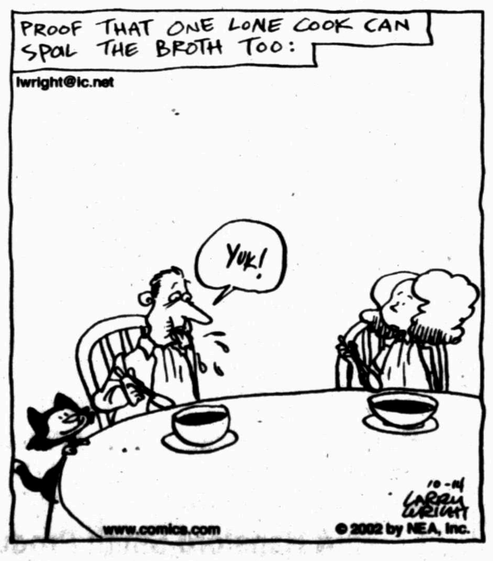

One year after fall, Enron shadow of former self

HOUSTON (AP) — A year after Enron Corp.'s facade as a thriving global energy behemoth began to crumble publicly, only remnants remain of the heady days in the 50-story headquarters where the rich and powerful once ruled.

No one uses former chairman Kenneth Lay's corner office on the top floor with its view of the city skyline — including the Houston Astros ballpark that has dumped the name of the disgraced energy company.

The 2,000 workers left in a building that once housed 7,500 are consolidated on half-empty floors. The Starbucks in the lobby is still kicking, but lines of java lovers are rare. Most of Enron's now-14,000 workers worldwide are at pipelines and power plants.

The cavernous board room for 15 directors is too spacious for the current slate of just four directors, none of whom were around for the financial sleight of hand which led to Enron's demise.

Interim chief executive Stephen Cooper, a restructuring expert, uses former CEO Jeffrey Skilling's office, which faces Enron's smaller twin building. Intended to showcase its once-envied trading operation, the bankrupt company last week sold the tower for less than half its $240 million construction cost.

"It's not the same company," spokeswoman Karen Denne said.

But what was No. 7 on the Fortune 500 two years ago retains its image of corporate malfeasance since Oct. 16, 2001, when it revealed a $618 million loss and eliminated $1.2 billion of shareholder equity.

Those revelations opened the door to an elaborate knot of partnerships and off-balance-sheet debts that quickly fueled Enron's failure.

"It would have been unthinkable to imagine the events that were about to take place," said John Abraham, a former executive with the company's broadband unit.

Enron admitted that its financial statements had been wrong for years, in what turned out to be the first in a string of corporate and accounting scandals involving companies such as Adelphia Communications, Global Crossing and WorldCom Inc. The company filed for bankruptcy in December, six weeks after the financial schemes were disclosed.

"Enron started to open the Pandora's box of all sorts of other evils, and Enron was certainly the mother of all other frauds," said Sanders Morris Harris analyst John Olson, whose skepticism of Enron — rare among analysts before the October earnings release — drew ire from the former energy trading giant.

The collapse sparked investigations by at least 14 regulatory agencies and 11 congressional committees, and shareholder lawsuits. At least three books on the collapse have been published and CBS will air a movie, "The Crooked E," based on former trader Brian Cruver's account of the implosion.

Criminal charges against some alleged participants have been filed since mid-June, after Enron's former auditor, Arthur Andersen LLP, was convicted of obstruction of justice for shredding and doctoring Enron-related documents. Andersen is to be sentenced Wednesday. David Duncan, Andersen's former top Enron auditor who pleaded guilty to obstruction, has an Oct. 25 sentencing date.

Former Enron chief financial officer Andrew Fastow, as well as three London bankers, are charged with creating or investing in partnerships to scam Enron shareholders while they pocketed millions. Fastow, who said he was following orders, is free on $5 million bond.

Former federal prosecutor Robert Mintz, now a partner at McCarter & English in Newark, N.J., said Enron watchers may be frustrated at the pace of the criminal probe, particularly in contrast to the speediness of criminal charges filed against former WorldCom and Adelphia executives.

"The reality is that the stakes here for the government are enormous," Mintz said. "Prosecutors have to be immune from the pressure that politicians and the public in general may bring on them. It's the federal prosecutors who are standing in court who have to prove those cases."

Meanwhile, Enron is seeking bids this month for its 12 most valuable assets, including the Portland General Electric utility in Oregon and its stakes in three pipelines. Last month, Enron held the first of several surplus property auctions.

Even Enron's Web site has slimmed down, but a message with a list of milestones since the company's 1985 inception recalls the pre-scandal days:

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New York mayor vows to snub parade today

NEW YORK (AP) — If Uncle Junior and Dr. Melfi don't come, neither will the mayor.

Mayor Michael Bloomberg has vowed not to march in the Columbus Day parade in Manhattan today if two cast members he invited from the hit HBO show "The Sopranos" aren't allowed to join him.

The Columbus Citizens Foundation had sought a federal court order banning Bloomberg from bringing Dominic Chianese and Lorraine Bracco to the city's main Columbus Day parade. Chianese plays New Jersey mob boss Junior Soprano; Bracco plays psychiatrist Dr. Melfi.

Organizers say the TV show perpetuates negative stereotypes of Italian-Americans.

After both sides last week agreed organizers could invite — or not — anyone they wanted to the parade today, the judge said he had nothing to rule on.

Foundation vice president Frank Fusaro said they still wanted Bloomberg to march — by himself. The mayor said he'd rather lunch with the actors today.

Bloomberg said he invited the pair to march because Bracco acts as a city spokeswoman on environmental issues, and Chianese makes a public service announcement for tourism.

"Everybody should lighten up a little," Bloomberg said Sunday.

Donna Inzano of the Bronx agreed.

"It's a TV series," she said. "They're not really in the mob. They're only actors."

On Sunday, Bloomberg marched in a Columbus Day parade in the Bronx borough. Chianese and Bracco didn't show up.

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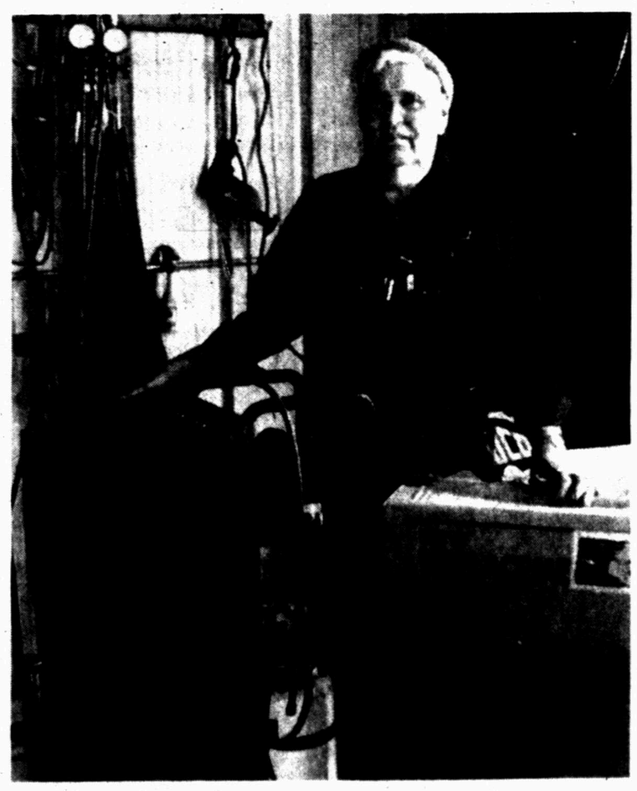

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Dr. Gott

By Peter Gott, M.D.

Are Amalgam fillings dangerous?

DEAR DR. GOTT: Although I am 70 and in excellent health. Well-wishing friends have urged me to have the amalgam fillings in my teeth replaced with composites. Apparently, the mercury present in the silver amalgam can leach out and cause toxicity. Would you recommend the procedure?

DEAR READER: There are few issues that have prompted more vociferous debate than the disagreement about whether the tiny amounts of mercury in silver amalgam can, over time, be released into the body and cause illness.

Many dental experts are convinced that it can. However, equally well-trained professionals dismiss the phenomenon as hogwash. To date, the subject has yet to be conclusively resolved.

If you are concerned, you could certainly have your fillings replaced. As you know, though, the procedure is hideously expensive, and I expect that it would do little to improve your health, which — you stated — is excellent.

Perhaps you might choose another option. Have your physician order a blood mercury level. If it turns out to be normal, as I predict, you can avoid the dental work and go about your business. On the other hand, if the mercury level is high, you can then reconsider replacing your current fillings. Let me know what you decide.

DEAR DR. GOTT: Last winter, while visiting in Indonesia (where medical care is in short supply), I fell on a wet step and injured my right knee. When I returned home, my primary physician ordered an X-ray ("arthritis"), prescribed ibuprofen and referred me to an orthopedic surgeon in my HMO. The specialist did a cursory exam, concluded that arthritis was the problem and prescribed Celebrex (at $2.50 a pill).

Three months later, still in pain and unable to walk without a cane, I insisted on further diagnostic studies. The orthopod reluctantly ordered an MRI. Several days later, I met him in the office, where he embarrassingly admitted that the MRI confirmed the presence of a badly torn cartilage, for which he recommended arthroscopic repair. However, I have no confidence in this doctor and, in my community, patients do not go out of plan. What should I do?

DEAR READER: The doctors who saw you after your injury clearly missed the boat. The orthopedic specialist, who should have known better, failed to make a diagnosis. However, he redeemed himself with two sensible actions: He accepted your insistence on an MRI and, when the results were reported, seemed appropriately contrite. I think that there is hope for him.

All doctors make mistakes. Sometimes these errors are very serious; more often, they are a nuisance (by delaying a diagnosis that is not life-threatening). I am convinced that physicians and surgeons should not be expected to be perfect — but, I am equally convinced, they should 'fess up when mistakes occur. Your orthopedic doctor did this and he is to be complimented for doing so. (Many specialists, in the same situation, would go to great extremes to deny any blame.) Consequently, I suggest that you return to him for further treatment, which will probably consist of arthroscopic repair of the cartilage, the most appropriate therapy.

Also, unless I miss my guess, the guy is going to bend over backwards to please you and ensure that you have a successful outcome. In my opinion, giving him a second chance is both appropriate and — more important — in your best interest.

To give you related information, I am sending you a copy of my Health Report "Medical Specialists." Other readers who would like a copy should send a self-addressed, stamped envelope and $2 to Newsletter, P.O. Box 167, Wickliffe, OH 44092-0167. Be sure to mention the title.

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Modifying Alzheimer vaccine may make it safe, study suggests

WASHINGTON (AP) — A new study suggests it may be possible to modify an experimental vaccine for Alzheimer's disease, making it safe for humans. The vaccine was withdrawn earlier this year because of side effects in test subjects.

A refined form of the vaccine for the degenerative brain disease was effective in mice, raising the possibility it might not produce the inflammation in humans that brought an end to the earlier clinical trials.

But that remains only a possibility, requiring more research, said JoAnne McLaurin of the Centre for Research in Neurodegenerative Diseases at the University of Toronto, first author of the study being published Tuesday in the online edition of the journal Nature Medicine.

In January, the Irish drug company Elan Corp. suspended a 360-patient experiment with the vaccine after 15 patients suffered serious brain inflammation. The company said in March it was abandoning the vaccine, although officials said it plans to continue seeking ways to slow the worsening of Alzheimer's.

Dave Morgan, an Alzheimer's researcher at the University of South Florida, said other groups have also been working on the ways to refine the vaccine.

The problem, Morgan said, is that it is not clear why the patients in the now-halted trial developed brain inflammation — whether immune cells entered the brain to attack the vaccine or if the vaccine provoked a reaction in the brain itself causing the inflammation.

"Before we put any more vaccines in people we need to know what the problem was," said Morgan, who is not part of the Toronto research team.

The goal of the vaccine is to clear away tangles of amyloid-beta protein, called plaques, that accumulate in the brains of Alzheimer's victims.

In tests on mice, the vaccine produced antibodies directed against the AB proteins that cleared the plaques and reversed symptoms of brain degeneration.

McLaurin, who is not connected to the Elan research, explained that her experiments in mice were aimed at finding out what the active antibody is and how it works.

Her team of researchers found a way to produce antibodies against AB protein in mice using a vaccine that included only a small portion of AB rather than the entire molecule.

Police make four arrests

Arrest

Deputies arrested a 17-year-old man at 2 p.m. Saturday on outstanding warrants for minor in possession and failure to appear.

A 36-year-old man was taken into custody early Sunday for warrants, but was released after paying his fines.

At 3 a.m. Sunday, officers arrested a 17-year-old man in the 1200 block of 37th Street on misdemeanor charges of driving while intoxicated.

A 42-year-old man was taken into custody in the Cogdell Hospital emergency room Sunday morning and charged with Class A assault, family violence, a misdemeanor.

Officers arrested a 17-year-old man at the traffic circle Sunday for possession of drug paraphernalia.

Accident

Snyder officers responded to the scene of a two-vehicle accident on College Ave. Sunday afternoon. Involved in the mishap were a 2000 Dodge Ram driven by Joseph Gernentz, 20, of Mission and a 2001 Chevrolet pickup driven by Paula Allen, 39, of 9674 CR 3155. No injuries were reported.

Assault

A woman requested officers at her residence on Ave. T Sunday night after her 16-year-old brother assaulted her. She advised he choked her and hit her with a baseball bat and officers submitted an offense report for felony assault, family violence. The juvenile was escorted to the police department, but released to family.

Snyder officers were dispatched to the VFW at 12:18 a.m. Sunday for a fight in progress and a report for Class C assault was submitted.

At 3 a.m. Sunday, a Cogdell Hospital employee requested officers in the emergency room in reference to an assault victim being admitted and a report was filed.

Juveniles

A woman reported juveniles throwing rocks at houses on 17th Street Sunday and officers advised them of the complaint.

Close patrol

A man requested a close patrol of his property on CR 4124 Sunday after seeing people drive through his fields.

Noise complaint

A woman on 37th Street reported loud music Sunday evening and officers contacted a woman who agreed to lower the volume.

Gas drive off

A clerk at Town and Country North reported a gas drive off Saturday, but provided no other information.

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Bridge

By Phillip Alder

North 10-14-02
♠ 3
♥ A 5 4 2
♦ K 7
♣ A K J 8 7 5

West
♠ A K 10 6 5 2
♥ 9 3
♦ A J 6 5
♣ Q

East
♠ J 8
♥ J 10 8 7
♦ 10 9 2
♣ 9 4 3 2

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

Dealer: North
Vulnerable: Both

South	West	North	East
		1 ♣	Pass
1 ♠	Pass	2 ♥	Pass
3 NT	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: ♠ 6

Monday, Oct. 14, 2002

Good technique is not lucky

By Phillip Alder

Leon Trotsky wrote, "Technique is noticed most markedly in the case of those who have not mastered it." One would like to think that that is true, but I am not convinced.

Today's declarer exhibited excellent technique, and because he was "lucky," the deal has been written up around the globe.

Look at only the North-South hands. How would you try to land three no-trump? West leads the spade six: three, jack, queen.

West's spade lead, into declarer's bid suit, was ominous; clearly West had a long and strong suit.

The declarer, Michal Kwiecien from Poland, had six top tricks: one spade (given trick one), three hearts and two clubs. Playing a diamond was surely tantamount to concession; instead, declarer needed to run the club suit. That meant he had to assume West held the queen. (Playing to drop a singleton or doubleton queen in the East hand is against the odds.) So, some players would lead the club 10 from hand, planning to take a finesse. This works whenever clubs are 3-2 with West holding the queen, or 4-1 with East having a singleton nine. (You won't pick up queen-nine-fourth in the West hand.) However, what if West has a singleton queen?

At trick two, South led the club six. And when the queen appeared, Kwiecien had 10 tricks: one spade, three hearts and six clubs. If West had played a low club, though, declarer would have finessed dummy's jack. Assuming it won, South would have cashed the club ace. Or, if East dropped the club nine under dummy's jack, South would have returned to hand with a heart and run the club 10.

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Markets

Midday Stocks

NEW YORK (AP)

	High	Low	Last	
AMR Corp	3.84	3.51	3.80	+ .10
AOL TimeWrn	11.62	11.10	11.14	—.65
AT&T Corp	11.86	11.63	11.75	—.22
Albertsons	24.69	24.00	24.63	+ .58
Alltel	43.22	42.76	42.85	—.38
AmEl Pw	20.70	18.16	19.69	—1.45
AndarkPtr	46.03	44.92	45.66	+ .63
ATMOS Egy	21.36	20.91	21.31	+ .29
Aviall	8.90	8.75	8.90	+ .05
BP PLC	40.27	39.74	39.79	—.24
BakerHughes	27.94	27.05	27.63	+ .25
Bank of Amer	60.01	58.70	59.76	+ .36
BellSouth	23.55	23.07	23.07	—.30
BurlNoSFe	25.59	24.90	24.90	—.59
Caterpillar	36.35	35.81	35.87	—.71
CenterPoint	7.01	6.66	6.88	—.37
ChevronTex	72.79	71.30	71.67	—.31
Citigroup	30.40	29.65	30.05	—.35
CocaCola	52.30	51.16	51.97	+ .52
ColgatePal	56.65	55.90	56.01	—.39
CmclMetals s	18.42	18.19	18.41	+ .30
ConocoPhill	46.66	45.52	46.21	+ .46
Cooper Inds	30.55	30.00	30.00	—.64
DaimlrChry	33.82	32.32	32.74	—1.07
DeltaAirl	7.76	7.21	7.65	+ .03
Dillards Inc	18.13	17.30	17.83	+ .07
DowChem	26.69	25.96	25.97	—.80
DuPont	39.62	39.00	39.00	—.64
EastmanChem	38.95	37.97	37.97	—.37
EstKodak	28.70	28.30	28.52	+ .06
EDS Corp	13.42	12.76	13.27	—.03
Entergy	40.05	37.55	39.06	—.17
ExxonMobil	34.97	34.23	34.51	—.03
FootLocker	9.51	9.32	9.44	+ .21
GenDynam	81.63	79.62	80.10	+ .15
GenElec	24.70	23.90	24.42	+ .21
GenMills	42.44	41.50	42.10	+ .60
GenMotors	34.84	33.10	33.37	—1.45
GaPacific	12.90	12.54	12.55	—.25
Goodrich	18.23	17.85	17.85	—.28
Goodyear	8.20	8.00	8.00	—.16
GtAtlPac	7.40	6.81	7.36	+ .54
Halliburtn	14.37	13.98	13.98	—.09
Hanson ADS	23.65	23.44	23.62	—.28
HarteHanks s	19.02	18.57	19.01	+ .11
HomeDepot	27.09	25.75	26.82	+ .61
HoneywellIntl	21.35	20.66	21.00	—.48
IBM	63.16	61.54	62.35	—1.57
IntlPaper	34.99	34.06	34.43	—.06
JohnsonJn	57.90	56.70	57.24	+ .54
vjK mart	47	43	44— 03	
KinderMorg	34.95	33.51	34.52	+ .36
Kroger Co	14.05	12.96	13.97	+ .96
LockheedM	62.74	61.00	61.00	—1.45
Lowes Cos	40.18	38.50	39.66	+ .76
Lubys	4.00	3.95	3.95	—.05
LucentTech	.65	.58	.64	+ .06
MarathonOil	21.48	21.04	21.11	—.01
MayDeptStr	24.33	23.00	24.05	+ .61
Medtronic	44.45	43.45	43.50	—.52
Motorola	10.19	9.67	9.94	—.03
NCR Corp	22.20	21.60	21.90	—.21
Navistar	17.36	16.70	17.07	+ .15
PNM Rescs	20.65	19.84	20.07	—.48
Penney JC	17.16	16.26	17.07	+ .73
PepBoys	10.81	10.35	10.77	—.08
PepsiCo	43.00	42.16	42.55	—.12
Pharmacia	41.76	40.65	41.20	+ .45
PhelpDodge	25.46	25.18	25.25	—.50
PilgrmPrd B	6.25	4.50	4.87	—2.14
Praxair	54.67	53.55	53.55	—.97
ProctGamb	90.82	89.73	90.51	+ .27
RadioShack	19.35	18.80	19.02	+ .22
RoyalDut	42.73	42.04	42.11	—.54
SBC Comm	22.47	21.88	22.00	—.45
SaraLee	21.74	21.50	21.62	—.08
Scripps EW	75.50	74.85	75.35	+ .05
SearsRoeb	34.29	31.58	33.75	+ 1.03
SherwinW	23.25	23.01	23.18	—.07
SouthernCo	28.84	27.35	28.52	—.34
SwstAirl	13.09	12.75	12.97	—.03
SprintFON	9.90	9.77	9.87	—.08
SprintPCS	2.41	2.20	2.37	+ .15
Sunoco Inc	29.19	28.25	29.07	—.02
TXU Corp	14.43	10.10	11.72	—7.03
TempleInland	37.75	36.70	36.80	—.23
TexInc	23.63	23.45	23.46	—.14
Texasinst	16.11	14.65	15.66	—.45
Textron	35.65	35.17	35.20	—.98
TrinityInds	15.58	15.41	15.50	—.02
TylerTech	4.05	3.98	3.98	—.12
UnionPacif	59.99	58.85	59.00	—.99
USSteel	11.92	11.65	11.67	—.18
UnitedTech	54.51	53.39	53.40	—1.66
Unocal	30.12	29.49	29.75	+ .25
VerizonComm	35.19	34.40	34.50	—.69
WalMart	55.00	53.57	54.49	+ .66
WellsFargo	47.11	46.41	46.87	+ .02
WstnGasRs	32.66	31.75	32.45	+ .63
WinnDixie	15.90	15.06	15.55	+ .50
Xerox Cp	5.11	5.00	5.04	+ .02
YumBrands s	23.26	22.55	23.00	+ .19

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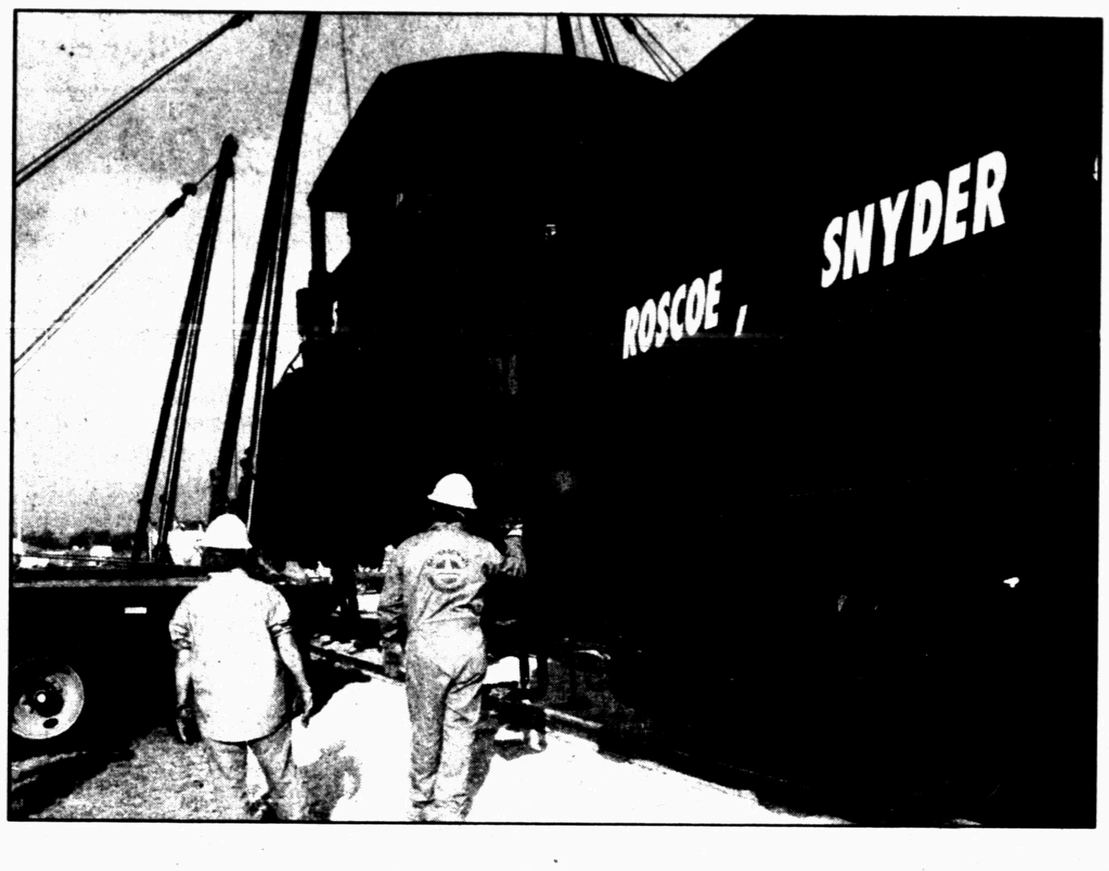

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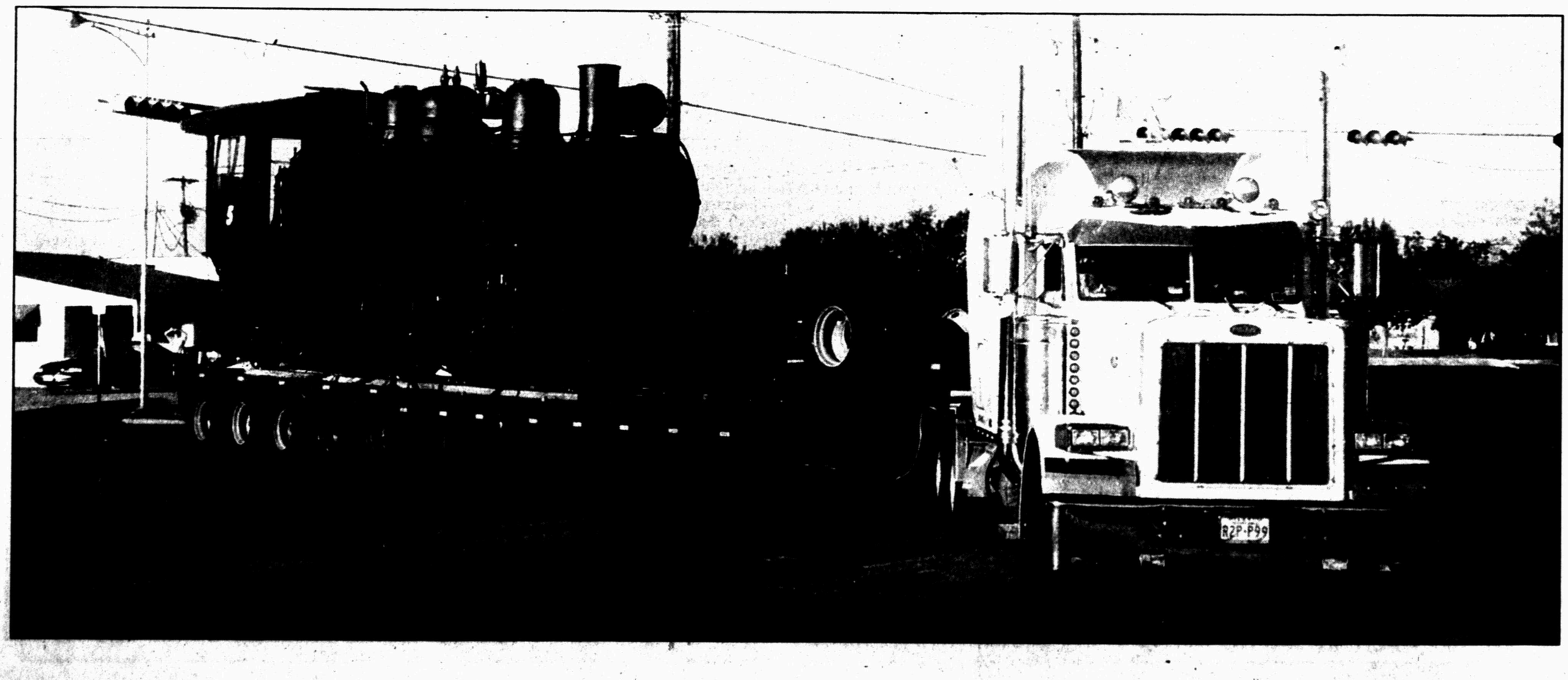

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THE SNYDER DAILY NEWS

No new shootings

BALTIMORE (AP) — The Washington-area sniper again took the weekend off, adding a tiny trait to the personality profile of an assassin who has killed eight people in 12 days.

"He's a weekday warrior. Even snipers have jobs," said criminologist James Alan Fox of Northeastern University in Boston. "They have to make time to kill, and obviously he doesn't have time on the weekends."

"Everything that helps a little helps a lot in terms of finding someone," Fox said Sunday. Other criminologists have suggested the shooter lives in the area and may have a job and work schedule that accounts for the timing and location of the attacks.

This morning's rush hour passed with no reports of shootings, and students went back to class. "People are keeping their kids in school. It's been a very good turnout," said Brian Porter of the Montgomery County school district.

Investigators hunting the increasingly brazen killer have logged some consistencies: the killer favors suburban gas stations; fires a single round.

Obituaries

Melissa Williams

1957-2002

Melissa D. Williams of Snyder died at 3:25 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 12, at her residence following a lengthy illness.

Service for Mrs. Williams, 44, is set for 10 a.m. Tuesday in Faith Baptist Church with the Rev. Larry White, pastor, officiating. Burial will follow in the Snyder Cemetery under the direction of Wright Colonial Funeral Home.

Born Dec. 31, 1957 in Eagle Pass, she married Larry B. Williams on July 13, 1988 in Snyder.

She was preceded in death by her mother, Elizabeth Featherston on Oct. 8, 1999; and her grandparents, Bill and Bernice Featherston.

Survivors include her husband, Larry B. Williams of Snyder; her father, Dwayne Featherston of Snyder; three sisters and brothers-in-law, Debbie and Ricky Williams of Snyder and Coni and Jeff Harris of Greenbush, Mich., and Michelle and Terry Williams of Snyder; a brother and sister-in-law, Jeff and Marcie Featherston of San Angelo; several aunts and uncles and nieces and nephews.

Family visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. today.

Mrs. Featherston

1907-2002

Bernice E. Featherston, 94, died at 3:43 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 12, at her residence in Snyder.

Funeral service is set for 2 p.m. Tuesday at Lighthouse Assembly of God Church. The Rev. Danny Williams, pastor, will officiate. Burial will follow in Snyder Cemetery. Services are under the direction of Wright Colonial Funeral Home.

Mrs. Featherston was born on Nov. 27, 1907 in Whon, in Coleman County. She married William G. Featherston on Dec. 18, 1928 in Coleman County. He died in 1990.

She also was preceded in death by a granddaughter, Melissa Diane Williams, on Oct. 12, 2002.

Survivors include a son and daughter-in-law, Gus Dwayne and Mary Featherston of Snyder; three daughters, Billie Faye Cooley of Snyder, Nancy Freeman and Ann Hough, both of Corpus Christi; a brother, Woodrow Blackwell of Richardson; nine grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

Family visitation will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. today at the funeral home.

Bruce Farmer

1933-2002

Bruce Farmer, longtime Snyder resident and decorated Marine, Ret., died Saturday, Oct. 12, in the VA Medical Center in Big Spring after a lengthy illness.

Graveside service for Mr. Farmer, 69, was set for 4:30 p.m. today in Hillside Memorial Gardens under the direction of Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home. Chaplain Carroll Kohl was to officiate.

Born on Oct. 6, 1933 in Brookston, Tex., Mr. Farmer served over 18 years in the Marine Corp. as a gunnery sergeant. He received the National Defense Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal with five Oak Leaf Clusters, the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, the Vietnamese service Medal with two Oak Leaf Clusters, the Navy Unit Citation, the Vietnam Campaign Medal, Letters of Commendation and Appreciation and the Rifle Marksman Badge.

Mr. Farmer moved back to Snyder from California in 1975. He was a truck driver for several years and had worked at the Plaza Truck Stop.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Doyle Farmer.

Survivors include two daughters, Kathryn Ferher and Betsy Jane Farmer, both of California; one sister, Anita Farmer of Snyder; two brothers, Tim Farmer of Lake Whitney and Herman Farmer of Santo, Calif.; and one granddaughter, Jessica Farmer of California.

James Patterson

1916-2002

Services for James R. Patterson, longtime Snyder resident, are pending at Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home.

Mr. Patterson, 86, died Sunday, Oct. 13, in Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Born on Oct. 8, 1916, Mr. Patterson owned and operated Patterson Used Cars for many years in Snyder.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Virginia Nell Carlton Patterson, and a son, James William Patterson in 1996.

Survivors include a sister, Laura Exa McCord of Cross Plains; and two nephews, Charles McCord of Plano and Carl McCord of Richardson.

T.S. Thomas

1923-2002

T.S. Thomas, longtime Snyder resident, died Friday, Oct. 11, in Gracey Woods Nursing Center in Austin after a lengthy illness.

T.S. Thomas

Service for Mr. Thomas, 79, was held at 10 a.m. today in Ave. D Baptist Church with the Rev. Charles Day, minister, and the Rev. Miller Robinson, retired Baptist minister, officiating. Burial followed in Hillside Memorial Gardens under the direction of Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home.

Born June 19, 1923 in Electra, he married Frances Jaco on Dec. 24, 1944 and she died in June of 1976. He married Jodie West on Jan. 17, 1987 in Snyder.

Mr. Thomas was retired as a pumper from Texaco where he worked for 35 years. He was a member of Ave. D Baptist Church.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Charlie Thomas.

Survivors include his wife, Jodie Thomas of Snyder; a son and daughter-in-law, Robert and Melba Thomas of Austin; two stepdaughters, Loy Forbes of Lubbock and her husband, Bill, and Jimmie Fern Day of Snyder and her husband, James; one stepson, Jackie Lee West and his wife, Sid; a sister, Phoebie Faubin of Amarillo; a brother and sister-in-law, Milford and Jo Ann Thomas; a sister-in-law, Dorthy Thomas of Pampa; two granddaughters and seven step grandchildren; and numerous great-grandchildren.

Rosetta Brandon

1932-2002

Rosetta Brandon, 69, of Snyder died Saturday, Oct. 12, at Covenant Medical Center in Lubbock.

Service for Mrs. Brandon is set for 2 p.m. Wednesday in Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home Chapel. The Rev. Jessie Benson will officiate. Burial will follow in Hillside Memorial Gardens.

She was born on Oct. 26, 1932 in Moscow, Ark., and married James Brandon in February of 1954 in Snyder. He died in 1996. Mrs. Brandon was a housekeeper. He was a member of the Allen Chapel AMF in Snyder.

Surviving are a daughter, Katherine Kidd of Fort Worth; a son, James Earl Brandon of Fort Worth; and a brother, Howard Smith of Snyder.

Jimmy Bridges

1934-2002

Jimmy Frank Bridges of Snyder died Saturday, Oct. 12, in SCCI Hospital in San Angelo.

Service for Mr. Bridges, 68, is set for 10 a.m. Tuesday in the First Baptist Church in Hermleigh. Dr. Rex Reynolds, pastor, will officiate. Interment will follow in Pyron Cemetery under the direction of Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home.

Born on Feb. 4, 1934 in Chickasha, Okla., he married Belma Glass on Aug. 23, 1956 in Snyder. She died May 2, 1986. Mr. Bridges was a longtime resident of Scurry County and a retired farmer.

Survivors include a daughter and son-in-law, Belinda and Barry Alwine of San Angelo; two sons and daughters-in-law, Glen and Loretta Bridges of Robert Lee and Larry and Kim Bridges of Coahoma; two brothers, George Lee Bridges of Katy and Ben Bridges of Vernal, Utah; one sister, Betty Aaron of San Francisco; six grandchildren, Marshall Bridges, Cody Bridges, Crystal Bridges, Courtney Bridges, Andy Alwine and Stasey Alwine.

Adam Orosco

1976-2002

Adam Tovar Orosco, 26, of Snyder died from injuries sustained in a two-car accident in Sweetwater Friday, Oct. 11.

Service for Mr. Orosco was set for 2 p.m. today in the Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will follow in Hillside Memorial Gardens.

Adam Orosco

Born on Oct. 4, 1976 in Snyder, he had lived in Snyder all his life and was employed by the TDCJ at the Ware Unit in Colorado City as a correctional officer for the past seven years. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his father and mother, Benjamin and Irene Orosco of Snyder; a brother and sister-in-law, Martin and Jennifer Orosco of Snyder; a sister, Amanda Anne Orosco of Snyder; his paternal grandmother, Josephine Orosco of Snyder; his maternal grandmother, Manuela Tovar of Ozona; and a niece, Ashton Nicole Orosco of Snyder.

Edward Bridges

1950-2002

HIGHLANDS — Edward Harrell Bridges, 51, of Highlands died Friday, Oct. 11.

Graveside service was held at 10 a.m. today at White Cemetery in Highlands with the Rev. Tim Edwards officiating. Sterling White Chapel in Highlands was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Bridges, born on Oct. 27, 1950 in Texarkana, Ark., was transportation foreman for Mammoet Transportation. He also owned Bridges Barn.

His father, Edward Dean Bridges, preceded him in death.

Survivors include his wife, Brenda Bridges of Highlands; four daughters, Sally Bridges of Highlands, Rebecca Whitley of Dayton, Abigail Maris of Baytown and Emily Bridges of Highlands; a son, John Bridges of Highlands; his mother, Mavis Carrell of Foreman, Ark.; a brother, Ray Bridges of Foreman; a sister, Debra Bivins of Foreman; and three grandchildren.

DCOS sets meeting Tuesday at Rudy's

The Development Corporation of Snyder board of directors will hold a meeting at 7 a.m. Tuesday at Rudy's Restaurant.

Support for the Scurry County parks system will be one item of discussion, along with the monthly financial reports.

Executive Director John DeLille will give his monthly financial report, and will lead a discussion in closed session concerning economic development negotiations.

Producer meeting slated on Thursday

Scurry County's Farm Service Agency will hold a producer meeting at 1:30 p.m. Thursday in the Fine Arts Theater on the campus of Western Texas College.

The meeting will review additional details of the new farm program.

"There are several significant changes to the program brought about by new legislation," said Joe Hefner of the Farm Service Agency.

Hefner said one of the changes includes an opportunity for farm owners to update their crop acreage bases and payment yields based on an average of the 1998 through 2001 farm history.

Today's Weather

Local 3-Day Forecast

Tue 10/15	Wed 10/16	Thu 10/17
66/46	72/49	71/48
Mostly sunny early, then becoming partly cloudy later in the day. High 66F.	Mix of sun and clouds. Highs in the low 70s and lows in the upper 40s.	Chance of showers. Highs in the low 70s and lows in the upper 40s.
Sunrise 7:48 AM, Sunset 7:11 PM	Sunrise 7:48 AM, Sunset 7:09 PM	Sunrise 7:49 AM, Sunset 7:08 PM

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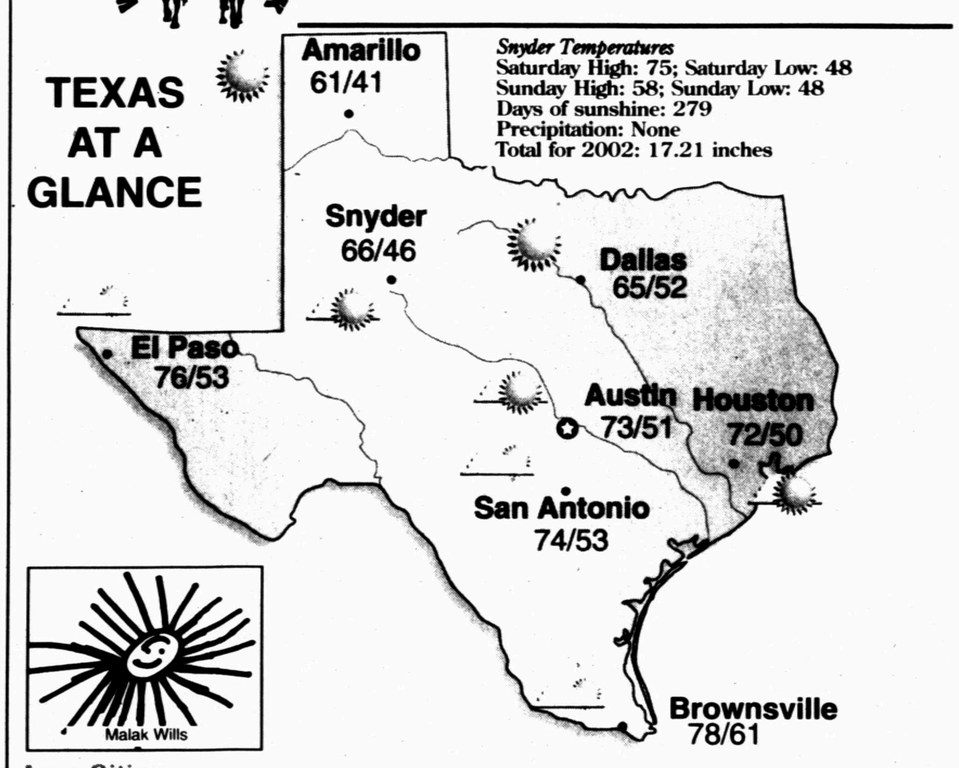

Snyder Temperatures
Saturday High: 75; Saturday Low: 48
Sunday High: 58; Sunday Low: 48
Days of sunshine: 279
Precipitation: None
Total for 2002: 17.21 inches

Malak Wills

Area Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Abilene	65	50	sunny	El Paso	76	53	pt sunny	Midland	71	51	mst sunny
Amarillo	61	41	sunny	Fort Stockton	72	51	mst sunny	Raymondville	79	56	pt sunny
Austin	73	51	mst sunny	Gainesville	64	45	sunny	Rosenberg	73	49	mst sunny
Beaumont	71	49	pt sunny	Greenville	64	46	sunny	San Antonio	74	53	pt sunny
Brownsville	78	61	pt sunny	Houston	72	50	mst sunny	San Marcos	73	50	sunny
Brownwood	70	48	sunny	Kingsville	79	54	pt sunny	Sulphur Springs	65	46	sunny
Corpus Christi	76	56	pt sunny	Livingston	70	46	mst sunny	Sweetwater	67	47	mst sunny
Corsicana	68	49	sunny	Longview	67	47	mst sunny	Tyler	67	51	sunny
Dallas	65	52	sunny	Lubbock	66	46	sunny	Weatherford	64	46	sunny
Del Rio	77	58	mst sunny	Lufkin	69	48	sunny	Wichita Falls	66	46	sunny

National Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond
Atlanta	57	48	rain	Houston	72	50	mst sunny	Phoenix	91	70	pt sunny
Boston	53	48	mst sunny	Los Angeles	72	56	pt sunny	San Francisco	66	51	pt sunny
Chicago	58	37	pt sunny	Miami	84	73	t-storm	Seattle	66	48	pt sunny
Dallas	65	52	sunny	Minneapolis	42	24	pt sunny	St. Louis	63	38	pt sunny
Denver	57	33	mst sunny	New York	58	53	cloudy	Washington, DC	57	53	rain

Moon Phases

First	Full	Last	New
Oct 13	Oct 21	Oct 29	Nov 4

UV Index

Tue 10/15	Wed 10/16	Thu 10/17
High	High	Moderate

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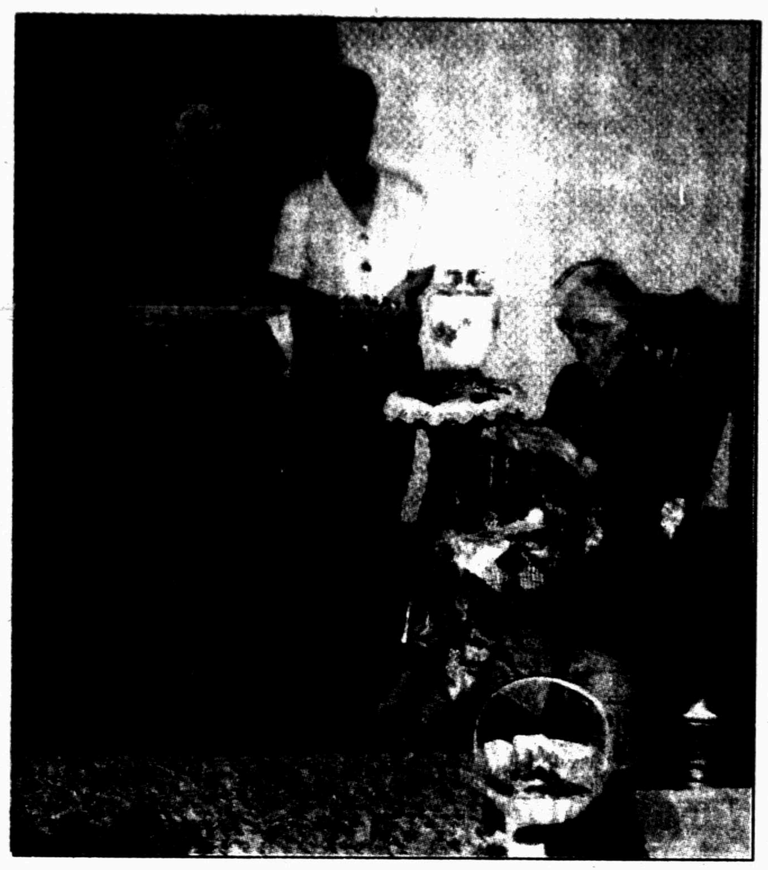

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