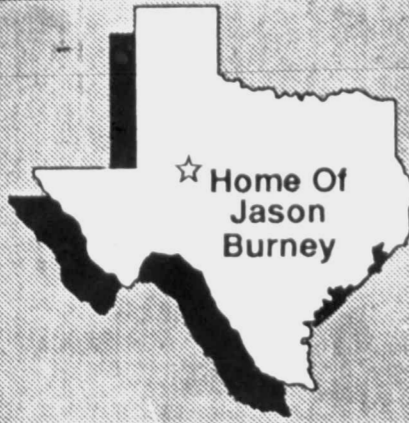


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THURSDAY

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Ask Us

Q.-If Snyder were to withdraw from the Colorado River Municipal Water District, where would the city get its water?

A.-That question has never officially been considered. The water wells which once were owned by the city became the property of CRMWD when Snyder joined more than 40 years ago. A lake is being built at Justiceburg, but it may be years before water is impounded, even if Lubbock made it available to other cities.

Local

Snyder Oaks

The Benny Benitez Band will play at Snyder Oaks at 7 p.m. Friday.

SNS board

Snyder Neighbors Sharing board will meet at 5:15 p.m. today at 1926 26th St. Anyone interested in helping with SNS is encouraged to attend.

Youth center

A meeting of the Scurry County Youth Center board will be held at 7 this evening at the CADA office, 2513 College.

Stanfield

Stanfield Night Out will from 5:30 until 7:30 this evening at Reta's. The event will feature all-you-can-eat spaghetti.

Ira annuals

The 1995 Ira Bulldog annuals are on sale through Nov. 11 at the principal's office or from sponsor Becky Hudgins. The price is \$20 with a name on the cover or \$18 without a name.

Skate night

Skate night, sponsored by the Noon Kiwanis Club, will be held from 6 to 9 p.m. Saturday at Scurry County Coliseum. All ages are welcome; skaters must bring their own skates. Admission is \$2 for skaters and \$1 for others.

Holiday fete

Holiday Extravaganza, an annual event sponsored by Beta Sigma Phi, will be held at 6:30 p.m. Oct. 25 at Martha Ann Woman's Club. Included will be a light buffet supper and a holiday style show along with holiday delights. Tickets are \$10 and may be reserved by calling 573-5970 or 573-2852.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Wednesday, 84 degrees; low, 55 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Thursday, 66 degrees; 0.2 of an inch precipitation; total precipitation for 1994 to date, 10.47 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, mostly cloudy with areas of fog after midnight. A 30 percent chance of showers or thunderstorms. Locally heavy rain possible. Low 60-65. Southeast wind 5-10 mph. Friday, areas of morning fog, otherwise mostly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of showers or thunderstorms. High 80-85. South to southwest wind 5-15 mph.

Almanac: Sunset today, 7:06. Sunrise Friday, 7:50. Of 292 days in 1994, the sun has shone 285 days in Snyder.



REMINISCING SCENE — Emily Hataway as Lucille, and Sue Pulattie as Doris, (from left) all three portraying widows in the Ritz Community Theatre production of "The Cemetery Club," disagree on dates when acquaintances were buried. The comedy opens at 8 p.m. Friday in the North Elementary auditorium. (SDN Staff Photo by Jo Ann Nunley)

Forum: challengers pledge better job than incumbents

In an informative but predictable forum Wednesday morning, incumbents for county office said they were doing their best to keep cost down while their opponents inferred that they, if elected, could do more.

The forum was sponsored by Western Texas College and held at the Fine Arts Theatre on campus. Ten candidates addressed the audience.

Elois Pruitt, incumbent candidate for district clerk, outlined her duties and noted her 17 years of experience within the office. She

is seeking her second full term. She said her "experience, willingness to work" and accessibility to the public have earned her the voter's choice for another term.

Her opponent, Republican Polly Wadleigh Echols, also voiced her desire to be available to the public, and questioned whether Pruitt might retire before a full term.

She also criticized the policy of the district clerk's office of closing during the noon hour, saying the office should be open all day. In questioning at the end of the

forum, Pruitt said she has no intention of retiring or resigning before serving a second full term, if elected, and said the clerk's office is closed during the noon hour at the advice of local law enforcement.

Precinct 2 Commissioner Roy Idom told the forum that a commissioner needs to use sound business practices when considering county finances and stated that he had put into practice the platform he had campaigned on when he was first elected.

"I believe in zero-base budgeting where we have to justify what we ask for," said the incumbent commissioner, a Republican.

Idom said the main problem that all governmental bodies face now is unfunded federal mandates.

"The federal government tells us what to do but they do not provide us with the funds to do it," said Idom.

Both Idom and his Democratic opponent, Wayland Huddleston, mentioned a declining tax base as a problem that is not getting any better.

"There may come a time when some services may have to be cut," said Huddleston. "There are some tough decisions to be made because every program is important to someone."

Huddleston said he is running (See POLITICAL, Page 9)

2nd airport rules hearing set tonight

The second public hearing to consider new rules and regulations at the airport will be held at 7 tonight in the District Courtroom in the Scurry County Courthouse.

The first meeting was held on Sept. 27 and the question of whether to require liability insurance for free-lance operators seemed to be the major unanswered question following that meeting.

Some in attendance at the September meeting questioned whether liability insurance is

needed by free-lance operators, and if the requirement would result in higher repair costs for aircraft owners.

In addition to the liability issue, the public also is invited to make comments on other rules and regulations pertaining to operation of the county-owned airport.

In Monday's commissioners' court meeting, County Judge Bob Doolittle emphasized that tonight's meeting is to receive input and that no action will be taken.

DCOS board to mull varied agenda tonight

Development Corporation of Snyder directors, meeting this evening, will consider giving the executive director authority to seek options on real estate to be used for economic development projects.

The meeting is set for 5 o'clock in DCOS offices at American State Bank.

DCOS directors are expected to extend for one year the \$47,000 loan made to Golden Terrace Village which was used to purchase land for a new senior housing project.

At last week's meeting, J.B. Tate Jr., president of Golden Terrace Village, said the project has received funding from the Farmers Home Administration and that as soon as a construction contract is approved, the DCOS loan will be paid.

Also on the agenda is review

and consideration for approval of a statement of intent and agreement, and lease agreement for the Hermleigh Gin site.

The DCOS has been working with a prospect to process paper pellets at the site. In addition, the agreement will address lease of available office space at the gin. Hermleigh Water Works is considering use of a portion of that space for an office in exchange for upkeep of the property and use of a small grant.

An executive session to consider acquisition of land to be used as a potential industrial park is also on the agenda. The item has been discussed in executive session on three previous occasions, but no action has been taken.

The board will also consider a by-law amendment relating to the signing of DCOS checks.

Cogdell approves reinstatement of retiree insurance

Cogdell Memorial Hospital board of directors this morning approved reinstatement of insurance benefits to qualified retirees under age 65, accepted appointments to the Foundation Advisory Committee and heard an encouraging financial report for September.

The board also approved a

physician contract revision and agreed to combine November's board meetings into one session on the 17th.

In past years, Cogdell Hospital had provided insurance benefits for qualified employees who retired before the age of 65. However, that practice was stopped in 1992. After lengthy discussion, the board reinstated the practice, effective immediately. The pre-1992 policy, as well as the reinstated one, will also include a retiree's dependents.

Qualified employees are those who have given 30 years of service, 10 years by age 60 or where their age plus years of service equals 80.

CEO Jeff Reecer told the board that the potential number of retirees and their dependents over the next 10 years could be as few as seven and as many as 22.

Reecer proposed that, as with the pre-1992 policy, benefits for retirees should end at age 65, when medicare coverage begins.

Board member J.B. Tate Jr. made a motion to approve reinstating the policy, with the stipulation that it cover any qualified employee who retired between 1992 and the present date. His motion was unanimously approved by the board.

It is believed that no hospital employee under the age of 65 has retired since 1992.

In other business, Bill Murphy, Jane Crenwelge and John Reed were named to the Foundation Advisory Committee. Two of the appointments were made to fill vacancies on the committee; the other added another position.

The financial report indicated a net income to the hospital of \$143,237 for September. That figure compares to a loss of \$143 for September of 1993. At present, the year-to-date net income for the hospital stands at \$648,638.

September's average daily census was 12.5 patients and the long term census was 32. There were 1,219 home health visits, 102 surgeries, 17 newborns and 644 emergency room visits.

Board members also approved a contract revision with Dr. Tom Kerr. The revision pertains to his duties in the emergency room and was made to avoid conflicts in contracts with the hospital's emergency care provider group, said Reecer.

The board took no action following an executive session to discuss a pending civil rights lawsuit filed in U.S. District Court by Ferris L. Bell, a former employee who claims he was wrongfully terminated in 1992. The board met with its attorney to receive information on the suit.

Present this morning were board members Tate, Bill Wilson III, Sue Mize, Jimmy McMillan and G.A. Parks Jr. Ted Crenwelge was absent.

Ritz play to debut

The Ritz Community Theatre will launch its third season on Friday with the heartwarming comedy, "The Cemetery Club" by Ivan Menchelle.

The story involves the lives of three candid and colorful Jewish widows and a Jewish widower, all of whom are struggling to adjust to life after losing a long time spouse.

Lucille, trying to be sophisticated and sexy in order to attract a man, is played by a newcomer to the Ritz stage, Jane Neeley.

Doris, the acid-tongued martyr, spends a great deal of time at the cemetery talking to her dead husband. This role is played by Sue Pulattie, who was in the cast of "The Solid Gold Cadillac" last spring.

Ida, the practical one and often the peace maker, is portrayed by veteran actress, Emily Hataway.

In addition to the Ritz productions of "Steel Magnolias," "Annie Get Your Gun" and "Amahl and the Night Visitors," Emily has starred in numerous productions at the Colorado City Playhouse and the Garza Theatre in Post. Her most recent role was Eva June in the WTC production, "Nice People Dancing to Good Country Music."

Sam, the widower and the neighborhood butcher, meets the ladies at the cemetery while visiting his wife's grave and a romance ensues.

Another newcomer to the Ritz stage is Carol Iglehart, who portrays the talkative, gum-chewing, bubble-headed Mildred.

Ellie Dryden directs, Sammie Jarrell is the assistant director and James Aaron is the stage manager.

Janet Hall is the prop mistress while Dee Kemp is the wardrobe mistress. Melissa Dea is the make-up specialist while Jack Haley is the lighting technician. Andy Poe serves as the sound technician and Frank Miller is in charge of set construction.

Curtain time is 8 p.m. on Fridays and Saturdays, Oct. 21-22 and Oct. 28-29.

Matinees, which will be presented on Sundays on Oct. 23 and 30, will begin at 2:30 p.m.

The production will be staged at North Elementary Auditorium and reservations may be made from 2-5 p.m. Monday through Friday by calling 573-4035.

Tickets will be available at the door if all seats are not reserved.

The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "There are more rewards for strongly believing in something than in debating about something."

School officials up in Vernon got quite a shock the other day. Right after tax statements were mailed, the school got a bill from the gas company.

The school business office did a double take. The current amount due, for the high school, was just under \$15 million.

It represented a 10,000 percent increase from the \$454 bill paid the previous month. The superintendent called the gas company, and it offered to re-read the meter.

If Snyder schools were to ever get a similar invoice, Supt. Gayle Lomax would have to install oxygen in business manager Lee McNair's office.

It won't happen, but some folks in Washington want to "protect" us.

A presidential advisory panel is looking at two proposals that have little chance of ever being adopted.

One is to tell families how many cars they could

own. The second would force elderly drivers to give up their licenses.

The White House Car Talks panel, including members of the Clinton Administration, the auto industry, economists and environmentalists, is trying to cut pollution.

The panel's report will form the basis for the administration's policy on auto emissions. Other options discussed were higher taxes on gas-guzzling vehicles, higher age for licensing and alternative driving days.

Car rationing is an idea that will never get on the freeway. Even folks in West Texas and Detroit can agree on this one.

An update: Money does talk. Amarillo's Economic Development Corp. has been deluged with calls seeking to cash in on the city's offer to pay as much as \$8 million for new jobs.

Since the national ad campaign started, the city has received some 200 inquiries. One prospect has visited. A telemarketing operation that would employ 50 people would get a half million based on the city's offer.

HISD's Fall Carnival slated this Saturday

Hermleigh's annual Fall Carnival is planned for this Saturday at the high school. Events will get underway at 5:30 p.m. and conclude with 9 p.m. drawings. Plenty of games, a variety of food items and drawings promise something for everyone, regardless of age. Chances are priced at 25 cents to \$1.

Activities will include Dave, the airbrush T-shirt artist, who is sponsored by the senior class. T-shirt costs will range from \$11 to \$27, depending on design.

Customized T-shirts cost \$15 to \$45, depending on design.

For more information contact Charlie Sweatt, president of the senior class, at 863-2310.

Other activities and the grades sponsoring them include hayride, first grade; cake decorating and face painting, second grade; cotton candy sales, 12th grade; buried treasure, third grade; elephant grab and duck pond, kindergarten.

Others include cake walk and

jail, 10th grade; dart throw and washer pitching, 9th grade; bowling and ring toss, seventh grade; dart throw and ring a cardinal, sixth grade; tic tac toe throw, fifth grade; and Sega game and football throw, eighth grade.

Food booths will be operated by juniors and seniors. The Booster Club will also sell Coke and popcorn. The juniors will sponsor a car bash at the Northwest Corner of the gym under the night light.

Items to be given away during the drawings will include \$20 in gas from McD's, sixth grade; sweatshirt, fifth grade; quilt, first grade; odds and ends, kindergarten; money, second grade; \$50 savings bond and sweatshirt, fourth grade; and waterboy, 11th grade.



PRIZES — Hermleigh's Fall Carnival, slated Saturday, offers something for everyone including chances to win lots of prizes. Hermleigh students pictured with a few of the items to be given away are from left, Toni Martinez, Brittany Kelley, Joshua Baldwin and Ben Barrera. The carnival gets underway at 5:30 p.m. and drawings for prizes will begin at 9 p.m. (SDN Staff Photo)

Astrograph

By Bernice Bede Osol



Friday, Oct. 21, 1994

In the year ahead you might experience an improvement in general conditions. Just because things may be getting better, however, doesn't mean you can simply coast.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Promoters who dangle a carrot in front of you today might be more interested in something other than gratifying you. Analyze their motives. Get a jump on life by understanding the influences which govern you in the year ahead. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today by mailing \$1.25 to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 4465, New York, N. Y. 10163. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) In a joint effort today you might feel you're the one doing the lion's share. However, if all the contributions were carefully weighed, the opposite might prove true.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) The key to being effective today is not to attempt things beyond your talents and skills. Do the very best you can within your niche.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) In competitive developments today, believe in your abilities without foolishly underestimating your competition. If you keep your perspective, you'll make a good showing.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) It's best not to involve relatives or outsiders in sensitive domestic matters today. Their intentions might be good, but their input might compound problems.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Boasting or exaggerating today could lead to embarrassment. There's a possibility you might tell a big fish story to a guy who has a ruler in his pocket.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Be certain you have your head on straight today in financial dealings. Indifference or a lack of awareness could cause you to lose something that you've recently gained.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Carefully examine the motives of persons who make you grandiose promises today. What they say they're going to do for you may actually be what they are hoping to do for themselves at your expense.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Your self-discipline in your personal affairs could be too lax for your own good today. Your chart indicates several undeveloped opportunities.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Be straightforward in a conversation with a close friend today, even when discussing an extremely sensitive matter. Honesty is the best policy.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Success could be denied you today if you nurture self-doubts. If you don't think like a winner, you won't act like a winner and the results could be unimpressive.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) The way you perceive things today is likely to be accurate, but you could be influenced away from your views by putting too much credence in the opinions of associates.

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Forty-three areas flunk air quality tests

Hollywood's dark side

NEW YORK (AP) — George Lucas says Hollywood has turned to the dark side.

"The system will only accept certain things now," the filmmaker said. "The only pictures that are 'go' pictures are ones that a lot of intelligent directors look at and say, 'Well, this is a piece of junk, but I've got to work.'"

Lucas fled Hollywood years ago for a secluded Victorian-style ranch in Marin County, north of San Francisco.

He has done post-production work on such films as "Jurassic Park" and "Quiz Show," produced the new "Radioland Murders," and plans another "Star Wars" trilogy. He says movies like "Star Wars" endure because they transcend age.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Air quality is improving, but 43 metropolitan regions, home to nearly 100 million Americans, still have smog-causing pollution that flunks federal health requirements, the Environmental Protection Agency says.

Many of those regions will not bring their air into federal compliance until the middle of the next decade, but EPA officials said other cities with less severe pollution may begin to meet federal health standards in the next few years.

The EPA's annual assessment of urban air pollution, released Wednesday, showed that 48 of 91 regional areas singled out in 1990 as having unacceptable air because of ozone have since come into federal compliance.

But in 43 regions, ozone levels continued to be detected in excess of 0.12 parts per million, violating federal health standards. Nearly 100 million people live in the areas found in violation, the EPA estimated.

Under federal law, most of these cities and counties have two to 13 years to come into compliance, depending on the severity of the pollution. Seven regions in the "marginal" pollution category failed to meet a 1993 deadline and are likely to get an extension. The Los Angeles Basin is the only area where pollution is so bad that it has until 2010 to meet the federal standards.

Ground-level ozone, a major component of smog, causes respiratory problems as well as irritation of the eyes and mucous membranes. Carbon monoxide when entering the blood stream reduces the delivery of oxygen to the body.

EPA Administrator Carol Browner said the trend toward cleaner air, nevertheless, showed that pollution control efforts — tougher automobile emission controls and curbs on industrial pollution — "are yielding real results."

Since 1990, the number of Americans exposed to dirty air declined from 140 million to just under 100 million, according to the EPA.

Mary Nichols, head of the agency's air pollution-control office, said that while dozens of cities and counties still fall short of meeting the federal standards, it is "extremely remarkable there were so many successes."

A growing number of cities in the "marginal" and "moderate" categories came into compliance and others are likely to do so soon, officials said. Air quality also is expected to improve in the regions with the worst air pollution — cities such as New York City, Chi-

cago, Philadelphia and Houston — because of the required use of a cleaner-burning gasoline beginning next year.

Still, none of these cities — all with "severe" air pollution problems — is expected to meet federal standards until 2005 or later.

Nitrogen oxide, like ozone, is a component of urban smog.

The agency said that from 1984 to 1993, ground-level ozone levels dropped by 12 percent, carbon monoxide levels by 37 percent, nitrogen dioxide levels by 12 percent, sulfur dioxide levels by 26 percent and lead levels by 89 percent. The dramatic drop in lead stems from the phaseout of lead in gasoline.

2 SISD teachers to help with TAAS development, training

Mrs. Laurie Brown, a fifth grade teacher at Northeast Elementary School, has been invited to participate as a member of the Grade 5 reading committee in developing test items to be considered for future administrations on the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills (TAAS) tests.

The selection of members for this committee has been based upon recommendations by Education Service Centers, districts and

other divisions with the Texas Education Agency.

Also Mrs. Marsha Krenek, a science teacher at Snyder Junior High School, will be involved in staff development sessions to be a trainer for Professional Development in the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills. She will be a trainer for schools in Snyder's Education Service Region 14.

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Lotto Texas

AUSTIN (AP) — Here are the Lotto Texas winning numbers drawn Wednesday by the Texas Lottery:

17-21-23-25-29-39
(seventeen, twenty-one, twenty-three, twenty-five, twenty-nine, thirty-nine)

Estimated Lotto Texas jackpot: \$18 million

Pick 3

AUSTIN (AP) — The Pick 3 winning numbers drawn Wednesday by the Texas Lottery, in order:

0-3-5
(zero, three, five)

The German philosopher Georg Wilhelm Friedrich Hegel was born in 1770 in Stuttgart.

Berry's World

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Anna N. Smith files lawsuit

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Anna Nicole Smith thinks she was trashed by New York magazine. Smith filed a \$5 million lawsuit against the magazine Wednesday, claiming it duped her into posing for an unflattering cover photo to go with an Aug. 22 article on "White Trash Nation." The picture shows the former Playboy model squatting in a short skirt and cowboy boots and eating junk food.

Smith claims she agreed to be photographed in an evening gown.

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DECEMBER BRIDE-TO-BE FETED — LaFon Williams, bride-elect of Glenn Daniel, was given a shower recently in the home of Ned and Polly Underwood. Miss Williams and Daniel plan their vows for Dec. 17 at 2 p.m. in the First Baptist Church. Pictured from left are Georgia Tefer-tiller, grandmother of the future bride; Patsy Beasley and Joyce Bell, cousins of the bride-elect

from Temple; Jessie Etheredge, maternal grandmother of the prospective groom; Jean Daniel, the future groom's mother of Little River Academy; Miss Williams, honoree; Jo Ann Williams, her mother; and Laura Mae Williams, her paternal grandmother. (SDN Staff Photo by Jo Ann Nunley)

Local author gives club program

Deanie F. Mills, author of suspense fiction books and literary work in many publications, presented the program at Athenium Study Club recently at the Martha Ann Woman's Club.

Mills gave a synopsis of her writing career stating that the desire to write overcomes the hard work, difficulties and rejections. She credits her husband and two teenagers for supporting her. "Trap Door," her most recent work, has been released in hard

back in Great Britain and Australia and will soon be released in paperback back in the U.S.

She travels extensively promoting her books and for autograph sessions and doing her own research. Books she has written include "Dark Room," "Deadline," "Losers Weepers," "Spellbound," "Freefall," and "Trap Door," and are available at the Scurry County Library. Mills is now working on

"Jigsaw Man."

During a brief Athenium business meeting, yearbooks were distributed to members. MAWC representatives asked club members to participate in a garage sale to be held Oct. 28, 5-8 p.m. at the clubhouse.

LaDean Rhodes was welcomed as a new member. Shirley Jones and Susie Miller were hostesses to ten members and five guests.

Bridge

By Phillip Alder

NORTH 10-20-94			
▲K 9 3	♥J 4		
♦K Q 10 9 7	♠A 3 2		
WEST	EAST		
▲J 2	♥A 10 8 7 4		
♥10 8 6 5 2	♥K 9 7		
♦A 2	♦6 5		
♠10 8 5 4	♠J 9 6		
SOUTH			
▲Q 6 5	♥A Q 3		
♥J 8 4 3	♦K Q 7		
Vulnerable: North-South			
Dealer: North			
South	West	North	East
3 NT	Pass	Pass	Pass
Opening lead: ♠J			

The key number

Antonin Artaud, the French theater producer, actor and theorist, said, "I have myself spent nine years in a lunatic asylum and have never suffered from the obsession of wanting to kill myself; but I know that each conversation with a psychiatrist in the morning made me want to hang myself because I knew I could not strangle him."

Guess the value of the critical card in today's deal!

How should South plan the play in three no-trump after West leads the spade jack in answer to his partner's overcall?

I much prefer a two-spade cue-bid by South. If North, for example, has K-x in spades, no-trump should be played by him, not by South. And if North doesn't rebid in no-trump, South can continue with three no-trump, expressing doubt about that contract.

At first, South thought he had nine easy tricks: one spade, one heart, four diamonds and three clubs. But there was a danger the defenders would get five first. Declarer had to try to stop East from establishing his spade suit. Luckily, South didn't overlook the power of dummy's spade nine. He called for dummy's spade king. East won with the ace but couldn't return spades without giving declarer two tricks in the suit. Instead, East switched to a heart. However, South went up with the ace (in case West had the king and East the diamond ace) and played on diamonds. The contract was home whatever the lie of the cards.

What if West has the J-10 doubleton of spades? Then, when East returns a spade at trick two, South just ducks. The suit is blocked and the contract is still safe.

Blacque adopts 11 kids

LITHONIA, Ga. (AP) — Tauran Blacque might need some detective skills to keep up with his adopted children — all 11 of them.

The bachelor, who played Detective Neal Washington on "Hill Street Blues," began adopting nine years ago when a black adoption festival asked him to be its celebrity spokesman. He now has eight boys and three girls ages 3 to 16.

Hanks, Norwood present musical program at ABWA

Nine members of Deep Creek Chapter ABWA, dressed in Halloween costumes, met at the Golden Corral recently with Dexter Norwood and Dorothy Hanks presenting a musical program.

Cheryl Chance won the prize for the "most original," dressed as a cow. Pam Dortch, dressed as a witch, won the "most scary" costume and Stella Bailey won the "cutest" prize dressed as a queen. Bonnie Carroll was spotlighted in the organization's recent newsletter. She also received a friendship pin for sponsoring three new members.

Carroll and Hanks were hostesses. The next meeting will be Nov. 1 at 6:30 p.m. at the Golden Corral.



ABWA PROGRAM — Dorothy Hanks and Dexter Norwood presented a program at the recent Deep Creek Chapter of American Business Women. (Contributed Photo)

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Community Calendar

THURSDAY

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

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

Codependents Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 37th & Ave. M; for more information call 573-7358; 7 p.m.

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

New Horizons Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park, 37th & Ave. M; for information call 573-3308 or 573-2101.

Bilingual Group of Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club Addition in Winston Park; for more information call 863-2349 or 573-8626; 8 p.m.

FRIDAY

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

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

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

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

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; for information call 573-8626, 863-2349; (Last Friday of the month is the birthday, open meeting); 8 p.m.

Al-Anon; Park Club in Winston Park, 37th & Ave. M; for more information call 573-3956 or 573-2101; 8 p.m.

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

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Sports

Lamesa looks for a little respect

Hopes to avoid the big play

By TODD STANLEY
SDN Sports Editor

It doesn't matter when, where or in what conditions the Lamesa-Snyder game is played. It is always going to be a tough, physical encounter.

The matchup has also taken on a life of its own in some respects. Tracing the Snyder-Lamesa

history since 1990, a picture is painted of upsets and district title races.

LAMESA GOLDEN TORNADES

Colors: Black and Gold
Head Coach: Gary Yoder
Basic Offense: Wishbone
Basic Defense: 5-2
1993 record: 0-10 (0-5 Dist. 2-4A)
1994 record: 2-5 (0-2 Dist. 5-4A)
Last week: 47-6 (L) Estacado
Next week: at Sweetwater
Enrollment: 785
Last playoff appearance: 1972
Stadium: Tor Stadium (4,900)

Junior John Anderson (6-1, 200) will be another key element to the Lamesa defense. Anderson plays the left defensive tackle position, which will find him matched up against the likes of Snyder guards Timmy Humphrey and Chris Post.

"John (Anderson) has been pretty steady throughout the year," Coach Yoder said. "He is the one who, week-in and week-out, makes the plays for us."

Offensively for the Golden Tornadoes the key, according to Coach Yoder, has to be consistency.

"When we play consistently, we win games," he said. "The problem is when we start making mental mistakes and putting the ball on the ground."

Lamesa operates from the wishbone, a ground-oriented attack that relies solely on the decisions made by the quarterback to work correctly.

Robby Trevino (6-0, 170) will be the Tors' quarterback, and with an average of 5.7 yards per carry and eight touchdowns, he seems to have made some good decisions.

"In our offense, the quarterback must play within himself and not try to get the big play on every down," Yoder said. "If he makes the right reads and decisions, we will do well."

Also contributing to the Lamesa ground attack are halfbacks Ernie Morales (5-6, 160), Fonzie Jenkins (6-2, 190) and fullback Jason Grantham (5-7, 160).

"We don't have just one back that carries our offensive load," Yoder said. "We have three kids running the ball and each one has had good games at different times."

Coach Yoder considers his best group of players on the team to be his offensive linemen.

"Whenever we have won, it's been because our line has performed well," he said. "Our offensive success lies directly on how well the line plays."

The Golden Tors and the Snyder Tigers square off tomorrow night at Tor Stadium in Lamesa. Kickoff is scheduled for 7:30 p.m.

Six-man poll

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP) — The Lubbock Avalanche-Journal's weekly high school six-man football poll of Texas sportswriters with records, first-place votes in parentheses, total points and last week's rankings. Polls are tabulated on the basis of 10 points for a first place vote, nine for a second, etc.:

- Guthrie (6) 6-0-0 77 1
 - Mullin (1) 7-0-0 70 2
 - Sands 6-1-0 61 4
 - Milford (1) 7-0-0 58 5
 - Gordon 6-0-1 45 16
 - Balmorhea 6-0-0 43 16
 - Amherst 6-1-0 22 3
 - Zephyr 4-2-1 17 8
 - (tie) May 6-1-0 16 9
 - Grady 6-1-0 16 10
- Other teams receiving votes: Samnorwood 12, Trinidad 2, Covington 1.



A TIGER AND HIS PREY — Senior defensive tackle Derek Freeman gets up after a big hit on Levelland running back James Fortner. Freeman and his teammates will face another good running team in the form of the Lamesa Golden Tornadoes Friday at Tor Stadium in Lamesa. (Photo by Maria Quiros)

LAMESA		SNYDER	
FULLBACK #46 Jason Grantham 5-7, 160, Jr.	LEFT END #89 Ray Garcia 5-7, 155, Sr.	RIGHT CORNERBACK #24 Matthew Fambro 6-0, 150, So.	PUNTER #35 Chris Mitchell 5-9, 195, Sr.
RIGHT HALFBACK #45 Ernie Morales 5-6, 160, Sr.	LEFT TACKLE #75 Rey Solis 6-0, 230, Sr.	STRONG END #60 Gabriel Castillo 5-9, 190, Sr.	STRONG SAFETY #22 Jeremiah Johnson 5-9, 140, So.
QUARTERBACK #12 Robby Trevino 6-0, 170, Sr.	LEFT GUARD #55 Shaan Gotsby 5-9, 200, Jr.	RIGHT TACKLE #72 Timmy Humphrey 6-0, 220, Sr.	STRONG INSIDE LB #33 Roy Tavaraz 5-9, 150, Sr.
LEFT HALFBACK #24 Fonzie Jenkins 6-2, 190, Sr.	CENTER #57 John Ramon 5-7, 180, Sr.	NOSE GUARD #54 Jeremy Perkins 5-11, 210, Sr.	WEAK INSIDE LB #7 L.S. McClain 5-8, 170, So.
PLACE KICKER #60 Adrian Arredondo 6-1, 190, Sr.	RIGHT GUARD #76 Raul Baltazar 5-10, 230, Sr.	LEFT TACKLE #76 Derek Freeman 6-0, 245, Sr.	FREE SAFETY #32 Wayne Brazier 5-9, 150, Jr.
	RIGHT TACKLE #74 John Anderson 6-1, 200, Jr.	WEAK END #85 Jeff Hobbs 6-1, 180, Jr.	LEFT CORNERBACK #47 John Clinkibeard 5-9, 160, Sr.
	RIGHT END #35 Johnny Jones 5-11, 170, Jr.		

SNYDER		LAMESA	
FULLBACK #26 Greg McAden 5-6, 160, Sr.	SPLIT END #25 Marlowe Riggins 5-10, 145, So.	RIGHT CORNERBACK #81 Chris Marquez 5-7, 140, Sr.	PUNTER #89 Ray Garcia 5-7, 155, Sr.
TAILBACK #35 Chris Mitchell 5-9, 195, Sr.	QUICK TACKLE #54 Jeremy Perkins 5-11, 210, Sr.	STRONG END #24 Fonzie Jenkins 6-2, 190, Sr.	STRONG SAFETY #25 Max Kelly 5-7, 150, Jr.
QUARTERBACK #3 Matt Parker 6-0, 165, Jr.	QUICK GUARD #75 Chris Post 6-0, 190, So.	RIGHT TACKLE #69 Justin White 5-8, 190, Sr.	STRONG INSIDE LB #5 Kenny Jackson 5-8, 190, Jr.
FLANKER #47 John Clinkibeard 5-9, 160, Sr.	CENTER #51 Robert Nic 5-11, 200, Sr.	NOSE GUARD #72 Wes Borella 6-2, 235, Jr.	WEAK INSIDE LB #28 Matt Duncan 5-10, 170, Jr.
	STRONG GUARD #72 Timmy Humphrey 6-0, 220, Sr.	LEFT TACKLE #74 John Anderson 6-1, 200, Jr.	FREE SAFETY #15 James Stewart 6-0, 160, Sr.
	STRONG TACKLE #71 Adrian Salazar 5-10, 240, Sr.	WEAK END #88 Jesse Caso 5-9, 150, Sr.	LEFT CORNERBACK #10 Tony Barrera 5-7, 140, Jr.
	TIGHT END #81 Mark Love 6-0, 185, Sr.		

SHS spikers battle Lamesa tonight

Win over Lady Tors tonight cinches Lady Tiger playoff berth

By TODD STANLEY
SDN Sports Editor

The 1994 season has really turned around for Snyder head volleyball coach Patty Grimmert and her Lady Tigers.

At the beginning of the year, Snyder faced some tough opponents in tournaments throughout the area, and their record proved it.

With both their losses coming to Levelland in District 5-4A play, the Lady Tigers have positioned themselves into second place and a realistic shot at the playoffs.

However, one team stands in Snyder's path, the Lamesa Lady Tornadoes.

Lamesa sits right behind Snyder in the district standings with their only losses at the hands of Levelland and Snyder.

There is only one way that the Lady Tors can leapfrog Snyder in

the standings — beat Snyder tonight and beat Levelland on Saturday.

With the return of Junior Lindsay Griffin to the lineup, the Lady Tigers contain more pop in their hitting game. Griffin, who was the newcomer of the year for the Lady Tigers last year, missed two-thirds of the season with a stressed rotator cuff.

Her return, along with the continued outstanding effort from Kelly Clay and Edwina Brooks, should only make the team better.

Sterling Cave, the Lady Tigers' leading server, has improved as the season progressed, and her 17 service point winners against Estacado proved that.

The Lady Tigers' defense is led by senior Bianca Rocha. Coach Grimmert is impressed with her play.

"She has made some incredible

plays for us throughout the year," Grimmert said. "I think that her play in the Levelland game really boosted our confidence."

"Bianca was diving after every ball and hustling to get the ball up in the air."

The Lady Tigers and the Lady Tors do battle tonight starting at 5:30 p.m. in Lamesa.

Volleyball District 5-4A

Team	District			All Games		
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
L'land	5	0	1.000	19	5	.791
Snyder	4	2	.666	15	14	.517
Lamesa	3	2	.600	8	10	.444
S'water	2	4	.333	10	14	.417
Estacado	0	6	.000	0	19	.000

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Rangers select Oates

ARLINGTON (AP) — Johnny Oates knows pitching and defense. It will test his skills to the limit to teach those attributes to the power-prone Texas Rangers, his new employers.

"I think Texas is very close to being a winner," Oates said Wednesday after signing a two-year contract for an undisclosed sum. "I know I was certainly intimidated at times by their offense. But there is more to baseball than just offense."

Former Baltimore manager Oates didn't talk rebuilding, either.

"Our goal is to win the World Series next year," said Oates. "There is a great deal of talent here, enough to win."

Oates said he wasn't overly concerned by the poor Texas pitching staff.

"What is important is attitude," he said. "The better defense you have, the better pitching you will have and the less offense you will need. We can learn to play defense and to pitch. We have a chance to be very good."

Oates replaced Kevin Kennedy, who was fired by new general manager Doug Melvin last week and then beat out Oates for the Boston Red Sox manager's job. Melvin replaced Tom Grieve, who transformed the Rangers into a power hitting team that was last in the major leagues in defense. The pitching staff had a five runs plus per game average.

"What this ballclub needed was a manager that had experience and also had a winning percentage of managing in the big leagues. The man to my right here, Johnny Oates, brings both of those qualities to the ballclub," Melvin said at an afternoon news conference.

"It's a wonderful opportunity for my family and myself," Oates said. "I can't wait to get started."

Oates, 48, becomes the fourth Rangers manager in 29 months and the 14th full-time manager in club history. He is the first with previous major-league experience since Darrell Johnson served as interim manager for Don Zimmer at the end of the 1982 season.

"I think one of the big reasons I was hired was because of my experience," Oates said. "I learned a lot at Baltimore. I was driven to be better and I developed a thick skin. I'm thankful for my new start. The atmosphere here is great."

Oates was fired as Orioles manager in September after Baltimore finished second in the AL East at 63-49. Oates finished at Baltimore with three consecutive winning seasons and a 291-270 record overall.

Oates' 237-199 record for the last three seasons is third-best in the American League for that span. Chicago's Gene Lamont (247-190) and Toronto's Cito Gaston (246-193) rank ahead of Oates.

Oates wouldn't comment on his dispute with Orioles management other than to say "there was no problem. It turned out to be one of my best years in baseball. I grew a lot."

The move to Texas again joins Oates and Melvin, whose relationship began with the New York Yankees in 1980. Melvin was a combination batting-practice pitcher and scouting-report coordinator, and Oates was playing out his career.

Melvin, as Baltimore's assistant general manager, hired Oates as manager with Class AAA Rochester in 1988. Oates joined Baltimore's major league staff a year later and replaced Frank Robinson as manager during the 1991 season. Oates had a 54-71 record that season, his only losing mark in seven years of managing at all levels.

Oates became the front-runner for the Texas job after Phil Regan took his old job at Baltimore.

Oates said although he and Melvin are friends "I have to win or our friendship is not going to mean anything."

Oates and Melvin began an immediate review of the Rangers roster.

"I want to talk to all the players," Oates said. "It's too early for me to say what kind of trades we may or may not make."

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Adams' season may be over

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas receiver Mike Adams said he will miss Saturday's game against Southern Methodist and may be out the rest of the season after ag-

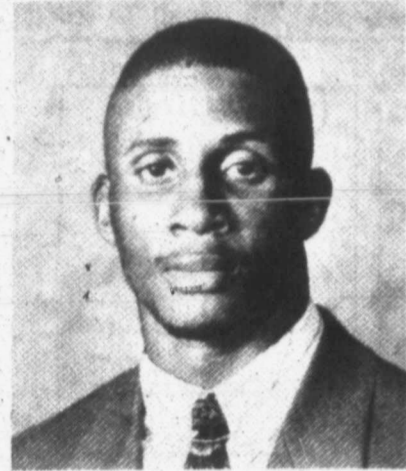
gravating a knee injury. Adams told The Dallas Morning News in Thursday's editions that he might seek a medical red-shirt, which would give the junior an additional year of eligibility.

"I thought my knee felt good, but it just didn't happen," he said. Adams, the No. 13 Longhorns' leading receiver last year, has played in just two games this season after being suspended from the first game for accepting the use of a free rental car.

Adams and six other players were suspended from the Longhorns' 19-17 upset loss to Rice on Sunday night. Adams was reprimanded for staying out too late last Friday, when he apparently fell asleep while driving and crashed his car into a photography studio about 5 a.m.

He and the six other suspended players were reinstated to the team Monday by Texas coach John Mackovic.

Texas (4-2, 1-1 Southwest Conference) faces SMU (1-6, 0-3) at noon Saturday in Austin.



Mike Adams

NBA exhibition...

Mavs fall to Cavs, 108-107

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — Michael Cage made a short bank shot with five seconds left to give the Cleveland Cavaliers a 108-107 exhibition victory over the Dallas Mavericks on Wednesday night at Ohio State's St. John Arena.

Cage's shot, off a baseline pass from Tyrone Hill, kept the Cavaliers perfect at 4-0 in the preseason. The Mavs dropped to 0-2.

After Cage's basket, Mavericks rookie Jason Kidd missed an off-

balance, left-handed spin shot and former Ohio State star Jim Jackson also missed.

Jackson scored 26 points in his first game at Ohio State since he left the school after his junior year in 1992, and Jamal Mashburn had 25. Kidd, the second player taken in last June's college draft, finished with 10 points.

Roy Tarpey, back with the Mavericks after being banned for three seasons for substance abuse, did not play because of a bruised

knee. The Cavs led 95-92 with 6:28 left, but Dallas ran off the next 10 points as Jackson scored four points.

Terrell Brandon hit a 12-foot jumper, then made a steal and layup to get Cleveland even at 106 with 36 seconds left.

Mashburn hit the second of two free throws with 19.1 seconds left to give Dallas its final lead.

Brandon had 23 points and Bobby Phillips 16 for the Cavs.



TRAVELING EAST — Students from West Texas Tae-Kwon-Do are scheduled to compete in the 14th annual Fort Worth Invitational Tae-Kwon-Do championships Saturday. The team is led by George Rocha and Chris Thornhill under the instruction of Master Greg Gafford. The team members are from left to right, back row, Shelly Englert, Shelly Grinslade, Dwawne

Riggs, Eldon Scott, second row, Keisha Gafford, Amanda Hicks, Jared Thornhill, Trace Dennis, Trey Castaneda, third row, Andrew Bane, Randy Herrera, Thomas Heffner, Melissa Jones, Bradley Price, bottom row, Chris Thornhill, Greg Gafford and George Rocha. (Contributed Photo)

Big 12 proposed season schedule

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — The proposed Big 12 Conference football schedule for the years 1996-2006, with opponents and sites (dates and the order of games will be determined later):

1996, 2000, 2004

Iowa State: Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska, at Kansas State, at Colorado, Texas A&M, at Baylor, at Oklahoma State.
 Kansas State: Nebraska, Iowa State, at Kansas, at Colorado, at Missouri, Oklahoma, at Texas A&M, Texas Tech.
 Colorado: Kansas State, Iowa State, at Missouri, at Nebraska, at Kansas, Texas, Oklahoma State, at Texas A&M.
 Kansas: Colorado, Kansas State, at Iowa State, at Nebraska, at Missouri, at Oklahoma, Texas, Texas Tech.
 Missouri: Colorado, Kansas State, Kansas, at Nebraska, at Iowa State, at Texas, at Baylor, Oklahoma State.
 Nebraska: Colorado, Kansas, Missouri, at Iowa State, at Kansas State, at Oklahoma, Baylor, at Texas Tech.
 Baylor: at Texas, Oklahoma, at Texas Tech, at Oklahoma State, Texas A&M, Iowa State, Missouri, at Nebraska.
 Texas A&M: Texas Tech, at Baylor, Oklahoma, at Oklahoma State, at Texas, at Iowa State, Kansas State, Colorado.
 Texas Tech: Baylor, Texas, Oklahoma State, at Oklahoma, at Texas A&M, at Kansas State, at Kansas, Nebraska.
 Oklahoma State: Oklahoma, Texas A&M, Baylor, at Texas, at Texas Tech, Iowa State, at Colorado, at Missouri.
 Oklahoma: Texas, Texas Tech, at Baylor, at Oklahoma State, at Texas A&M, at Kansas State, Kansas, Nebraska.
 Texas: Texas A&M, Oklahoma State, Baylor, at Texas Tech, at Oklahoma, at Colorado, at Kansas, Missouri.

1997, 2001, 2005

Iowa State: at Kansas, at Missouri, at Nebraska, Kansas State, Colorado, at Texas A&M, Baylor, Oklahoma State.
 Kansas State: at Nebraska, at Iowa State, Kansas, Colorado, Missouri, at Oklahoma, Texas A&M, at Texas Tech.
 Colorado: at Kansas State, at Iowa State, Missouri, Nebraska, Kansas, at Texas, at Oklahoma State, Texas A&M.
 Kansas: at Colorado, at Kansas State, Iowa State, Nebraska, Missouri, Oklahoma, at Texas, at Texas Tech.
 Missouri: at Colorado, at Kansas State, at Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa State, Texas, Baylor, at Oklahoma State.
 Nebraska: at Colorado, at Kansas, at Missouri, Iowa State, Kansas State, Oklahoma, at Baylor, Texas Tech.
 Baylor: Texas, at Oklahoma, Texas Tech, Oklahoma State, at Texas A&M, at Iowa State, at Missouri, Nebraska.
 Texas A&M: at Texas Tech, Baylor, at Oklahoma, Oklahoma State, Texas, Iowa State, at Kansas State, at Colorado.
 Texas Tech: at Baylor, at Texas, at Oklahoma State, Oklahoma, Texas A&M, Kansas State, Kansas, at Nebraska.
 Oklahoma State: at Oklahoma, at Texas A&M, at Baylor, Texas, Texas Tech, at Iowa State, Colorado, Missouri.
 Oklahoma: at Texas, at Texas Tech, Baylor, Oklahoma State, Texas A&M, Kansas State, at Kansas, at Nebraska.
 Texas: at Texas A&M, at Oklahoma State, at Baylor, Texas Tech, Oklahoma, Colorado, Kansas, at Missouri.

1998, 2002, 2006

Iowa State: Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska, at Kansas State, at Colorado, at Texas, at Oklahoma, Texas Tech.
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 Colorado: Kansas State, Iowa State, at Missouri, at Nebraska, at Kansas, at Oklahoma, Texas Tech, Baylor.
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 Oklahoma: Texas, Texas Tech, at Baylor, at Oklahoma State, at Texas A&M, Colorado, at Missouri, Iowa State.
 Texas: Texas A&M, Oklahoma State, Baylor, at Texas Tech, at Oklahoma, Iowa State, at Kansas State, at Nebraska.

1999, 2003, 2007

Iowa State: at Kansas, at Missouri, at Nebraska, Kansas State, Colorado, Texas, Oklahoma, at Texas Tech.
 Kansas State: at Nebraska, at Iowa State, Kansas, Colorado, Missouri, at Texas, Baylor, at Oklahoma State.
 Colorado: at Kansas State, at Iowa State, Missouri, Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma, at Texas Tech, at Baylor.
 Kansas: at Colorado, at Kansas State, Iowa State, Nebraska, Missouri, Baylor, at Texas A&M, at Oklahoma State.
 Missouri: at Colorado, at Kansas State, at Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa State, at Oklahoma, Texas Tech, Texas A&M.
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 Texas A&M: at Texas Tech, Baylor, at Oklahoma, Oklahoma State, Texas, Kansas, at Missouri, at Nebraska.
 Texas Tech: at Baylor, at Texas, at Oklahoma State, Oklahoma, Texas A&M, Colorado, Iowa State, at Missouri.
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 Baylor
 Texas
 Texas A&M
 TCU
 Colorado
 Princeton
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 Kansas City
 Denver



Plaza
 Last Week: 11-9, .550
 Overall: 85-55, .607
 Snyder
 Hermleigh
 Borden County
 Estacado
 Sweetwater
 Abilene Cooper
 Midland High
 Fort Stockton
 Big Spring
 Monahans
 Baylor
 Texas
 Texas A&M
 TCU
 Colorado
 Harvard
 Dallas
 Philadelphia
 Kansas City
 San Diego



Golden Corral
 Last Week: 14-6, .700
 Overall: 93-47, .664
 Snyder
 Hermleigh
 Borden County
 Estacado
 Freshrip
 Abilene Cooper
 Midland High
 Andrews
 Big Spring
 San Angelo Lake View
 Texas Tech
 Texas
 Texas A&M
 TCU
 Colorado
 Princeton
 Dallas
 Philadelphia
 Kansas City
 Denver



Bell-Cypert-Seale
 Last Week: 14-6, .700
 Overall: 88-52, .629
 Snyder
 Hermleigh
 Borden County
 Levelland
 Sweetwater
 Abilene Cooper
 Odessa High
 Andrews
 Big Spring
 Monahans
 Texas Tech
 Texas
 Texas A&M
 TCU
 Colorado
 Princeton
 Dallas
 Philadelphia
 Kansas City
 San Diego

Hamelin wins American League Rookie of the Year

NEW YORK (AP) — Bob Hamelin, who inherited the Kansas City Royals' designated hitting job from George Brett and became one of the league's best sluggers, was an easy winner Wednesday as AL rookie of the year.

Hamelin was the first DH to win the rookie award, and the first Royals player to earn it since Lou Piniella in 1969. The honor, now named the Jackie Robinson Rookie Award, was first presented in 1947.

Hamelin hit 24 home runs, drove in 65 runs and batted .282. He led AL rookies in homers, RBIs, runs (64), hits (88), doubles (25), walks (56) and games (101) when the players' strike started Aug. 12.

Hamelin, 26, broke Bo Jackson's rookie Royals record of 22 home runs set in 1987. Hamelin's biggest homer was a two-out, three-run shot in the bottom of the 12th inning off Chicago reliever Roberto Hernandez on July 25 for a 6-4 victory that kept alive Kansas City's eventual 14-game win-

ning streak. Helped by the string, the Royals closed within four games of the AL Central-leading White Sox when the strike started. Hamelin also became a fan favorite at Kauffman Stadium, earning the nickname "The Hammer." After the All-Star break, many fans showed up at the park

waving toy hammers when he came to the plate.

Hamelin ranked ninth in the AL in home runs, fifth in slugging (.599) and fourth in home-run ratio, connecting once every 13 at-bats.

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ATHLETES OF THE WEEK

<p>Joey Sanchez Hermleigh Football</p> <p>Joey rushed for 160 yards and three TDs, caught a 5 yard TD pass and scored on a 52 yard interception return as the Cardinals beat Borden County 35-8.</p>	<p>Bianca Rocha Snyder Volleyball</p> <p>Bianca has been the Lady Tigers' defensive spark throughout the entire year. Her play against Levelland helped keep Snyder close despite the loss.</p>										
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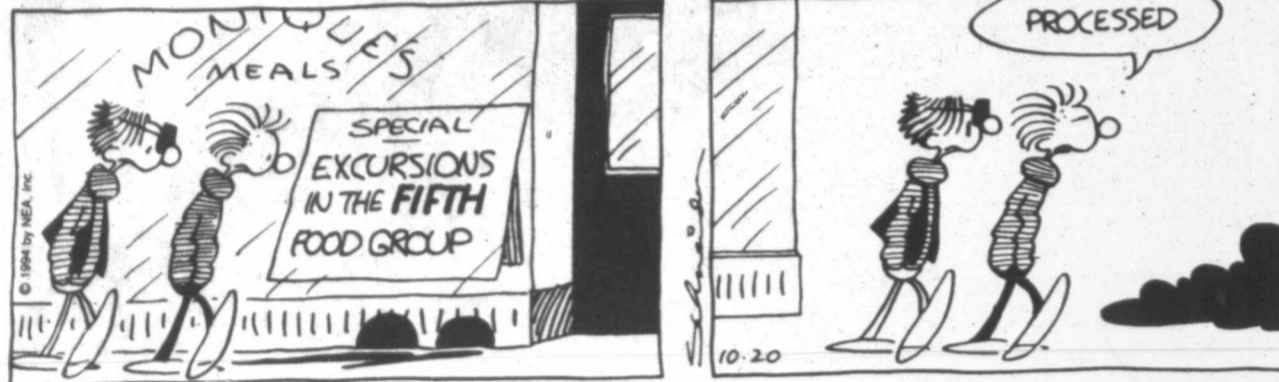


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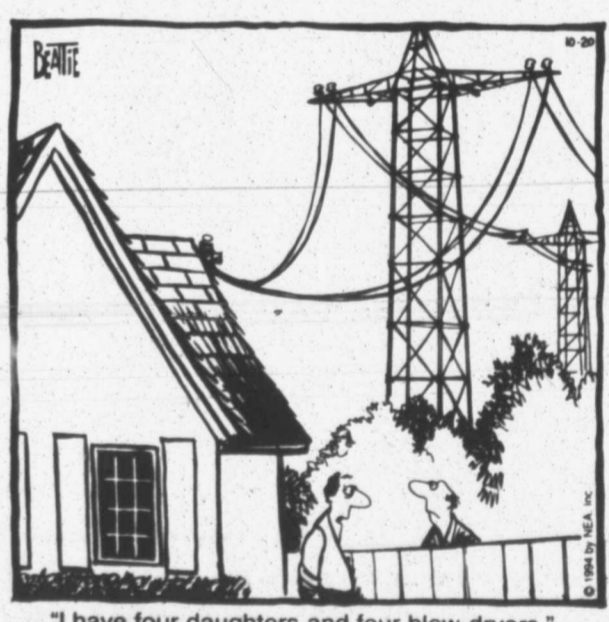
Ralph Fiennes made his screen debut in the acclaimed British miniseries "Prime Suspect," playing the bereaved boyfriend of a murdered girl. He went on to play the lead in the TV movie "A Dangerous Man: Lawrence After Arabia" — a performance that caught the eye of Steven Spielberg, who cast Fiennes as the murderous SS commandant Amon Goeth in "Schindler's List."

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1. What is the name of the real-life character that Fiennes plays in the movie "Quiz Show"?
2. For his work on "Schindler's List," Fiennes was nominated for the Oscar for Best Supporting Actor — but who actually won the award?
3. Fiennes starred opposite Juliette Binoche in a remake of "Wuthering Heights" — who took the lead roles in the classic 1939 screen version?

Answers: 1) Charles Van Doren 2) Tommy Lee Jones 3) Bette Davis

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- 5 Inquires
- 9 Commercials
- 12 Minute particle
- 13 Zola heroine
- 14 Court
- 15 Statement
- 17 Ancient
- 18 Roman bronze
- 19 Popular gals at the ball
- 21 Bizarre
- 24 S. Afr. fox
- 25 Jacqueline Kennedy —
- 27 Indian tent
- 31 Destroy (sl.)
- 32 This (Sp.)
- 34 Part of a window frame
- 35 Heroic in scale
- 37 Scarlet and crimson
- 39 Revolving machine part
- 40 Scatter

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- 1 Motorists' org.
- 2 — a date!
- 3 — Angeles
- 4 Besmirches
- 5 Emmets
- 6 Capuchin monkey
- 7 Drawer pulls
- 8 Most rational
- 9 Missing soldier
- 10 Senator
- 11 Puts down
- 16 Pee Wee —
- 20 Dregs
- 21 Seeps out
- 22 Not suitable
- 23 South American mammal
- 24 Aft
- 26 Neighbor of Jordan (abbr.)
- 28 Loop on lace
- 29 Raise the spirit of
- 30 — Gantry
- 33 Fruity drink
- 36 Give up
- 38 Make a vow
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- 54 — de France
- 55 Recent
- 56 Dawn goddess

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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Two-year-old keeps vigil over body of slain father

WATERTOWN, Conn. (AP) — For more than a day, little Andrea Scott sat in a pool of blood on her kitchen floor, keeping a vigil over the body of her slain father, a convicted drug dealer who had been shot to death, execution-style.

Day care workers said they found the 2-year-old child caked with blood from head to toe when they went to the apartment Tuesday afternoon.

"She had thrown a blanket over her father's body to keep him warm," said Elizabeth Byrd, a nurse at the Learning Circle Day Care Center.

Friends said Andrew Scott, who was released from prison in 1992 after serving 14 months for selling drugs, was a quiet, reserved man who doted on his daughter. The girl was born addicted to cocaine.

"He was a devoted father who cared deeply for his daughter. I've held that baby in my arms as she suffered the seizures and convulsions of her withdrawal from cocaine. Her father was all she had. ... Now everything's been ripped away from her," said Pegene Watts-Anderson, director of the girl's day care center.

Byrd and co-worker Mary Ann Kellar went to the toddler's home

after she failed to show up at the day care center Monday and Tuesday. Nobody had answered their telephone calls to Scott's apartment in this suburb of Waterbury.

The little girl opened the door when she heard Kellar's familiar voice.

The day care workers found Andrew Scott lying face down on the kitchen floor. Andrea was slightly dehydrated and had a bad diaper rash, Watts-Anderson said.

The day care workers said it appeared that the child had slept beside her father's body. Police said they weren't sure how the child

(See VIGIL, Page 9)



IRA STUDENT COUNCIL — Members of Ira's Brooks; seated: Kasey Calley, Misty Chance and Student Council for 1994-1995 are from left, Jessica Williams, Jacy McCright is not pictured, standing, Dani Barnes, Carla Smith, Lindsey Jo- (SDN Staff Photo) sey, Melissa Brasuel, Marci Avila and Jessica

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Martha Raye dies at age 78

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Martha Raye, the comedian whose cavernous mouth and exclamation "Oh boyyy!" became trademarks on Broadway, the silver screen and wartime stages overseas, has died after a long illness. She was 78.

Miss Raye joined her parents' vaudeville act at age 3 and never quit entertaining. Most recently, she appeared as the "Big Mouth" pitchwoman in television ads for a dental adhesive.

"She represented the kind of talent that is rare today — the all-round entertainment pro, equally at home in movies, on TV, radio and recording," said entertainer Sid Caesar.

"She was always bigger than life," said Bob Hope.

Miss Raye died Wednesday at Cedars-Sinai Medical Center after being admitted on Monday. She had a stroke in 1990, and circulatory problems forced doctors to amputate her left leg below the knee a year ago.

She was one of the first Hollywood figures to entertain U.S. troops overseas during World War II, and continued her service in Korea and Vietnam. Her many citations for those efforts included a special Academy Award in 1969 and the Presidential Medal of Freedom last year.

"She was more popular with the GI's than a weekend pass," said Hope, who shared many stages with her. "They loved her in Vietnam. She was a Florence Nightingale, Dear Abby and the only singer who could be heard

over the artillery fire."

Miss Raye's most notable film role was in the 1947 classic black comedy "Monsieur Verdoux," in which she played the indestructible mate of a wife-killer portrayed by Charlie Chaplin.

Her television work included the 1950s variety series "The Martha Raye Show," "McMillan," "Alice" and innumerable variety show guest spots.

Miss Raye was born Margaret Teresa Yvonne Reed on Aug. 27, 1916, in the charity ward of a hospital in Butte, Mont., where her vaudevillian parents, Pete Reed and Betty Hooper, had been stranded.

At 16, Martha left the family song and dance act in Chicago, changed her name to Raye and began doing songs, comedy and Broadway revues.

She was appearing at the Trocadero night club on Los Angeles' Sunset Strip in 1935 when she was spotted by a director and cast in a Bing Crosby musical, "Rhythm on the Range." Paramount Pictures signed her to a contract and she appeared in a string of musical comedies.

"Then they tried to make a glamor girl out of me," she recalled in 1955. "They tried to emphasize my legs. That was ridiculous. I was no glamor girl; I was a comedian."

She made wartime movies such as "Pinup Girl," "Hellzapoppin'" and "Four Jills in a Jeep," then her film career declined. Her only important film after "Mon-

sieur Verdoux" was the 1962 Doris Day musical "Jumbo."

The entertainer was 75 and in a wheelchair when she married for the seventh time, to her 42-year-old manager, Mark Harris, in September 1991.

Her previous marriages were to makeup artist Buddy Westmore (six weeks), composer Dave Rose (three years), businessman Neal Lang (one year), dancer Nick Condos (five years), dancer Edward Beglev (one year) and policeman Bob O'Snea (nine months).

Ex-lawman sentenced

DALLAS (AP) — An ex-lawman who escaped the death penalty because of a court reporter's errors has been sentenced to life in prison for a 1990 slaying at a roadside stop.

John Yarbrough received a life prison term Wednesday in exchange for pleading guilty to the February 1990 killing of 29-year-old Jerry Lee Shaw of Burleson.

Yarbrough previously had been sentenced to death, but won a new trial last year from the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals, which found a "cornucopia of errors and omissions" in the transcript of his trial.

He had faced retrial in January. Yarbrough, who had lost his job as the Wise County sheriff's chief deputy before the murder, will be eligible for parole after 15 years because he already had credit for serving almost five years behind bars.

"The only thing better than this offer was an acquittal," said defense attorney Shelly Fowler.

Yarbrough, who previously maintained that he did not kill Shaw, pleaded guilty under a law that holds some accomplices responsible for the acts of those who actually committed a crime.

Co-defendant Milton Raymond Brumfield received a 30-year sentence and testified against Yarbrough during his original trial.

Ms. Shaw said Yarbrough has never discussed whether he actually was involved in the killing, except to say that he didn't do it.



WINNERS — Winners in the recent Buffalo Kid and Calico Cutie contest sponsored by the Snyder High School Band Boosters include top photo, Division I girls, 0-2, Alaya Sharp, first place; Amber Baker, second place; Megan Murdock, third place; bottom photo, Division I boys, 0-2, Danny Rodriguez, first; Brennen Gordon, second; and Aaron Palacios, third. Not pictured are Division II Girls, 2-5, winners: Aleecia Head, first; Cassie Cochran, second; and Adison Long, third. (Contributed Photos)



FIRST PLACE — Dustin Murdock won first place in Boys Division II, 2-5, of the recent Buffalo Kid and Calico Cutie contest sponsored by the Snyder High School Band Boosters. Not pictured are Kyle Long, second; and Jerry Grimmett, third. (Contributed Photo)

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School funding proposal announced

AUSTIN (AP) — State Sen. Carl Parker says he will introduce a proposal in the 1995 Legislature to require lawmakers to set aside funds for public schools before budgeting money for any other purpose.

"I have been struck by how easy it is to get money for prisons and how difficult it is to find the funds to establish and maintain a first-class public school system,"

Parker, D-Port Arthur, said Wednesday. "We have got to get our priorities straight."

Parker, former Senate Education Committee chairman, says he believes the proposed constitutional amendment would mean more funding for public schools. Such an amendment requires a two-thirds vote of the Legislature and approval by voters in a statewide referendum.

Democratic Gov. Ann Richards said she supports Parker's efforts "to place education funding as the number one priority of the Texas Legislature. I have always believed that funding for education should be considered first."

Democratic Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock said his proposal "warrants serious consideration."

Republican gubernatorial candidate George W. Bush has spoken

out for making public education funding the state's top priority. "I welcome the governor aboard, but suggest election-eve politics has something to do with it," Bush said.

Bullock and Parker also face GOP opponents in November: Tex Lezar is running for lieutenant governor, and Michael Galloway of The Woodlands is challenging Parker.

Death toll in Texas flooding rises to 11

HOUSTON (AP) — As the sun finally shone on southeast Texas, residents began cleaning out waterlogged homes while swirling floodwaters threatened to dismantle other neighborhoods.

Ron Applebee piled his soggy belongings on sheets of plastic in front of his flood-damaged home in suburban Kingwood. "We've been here 25 years and I feel the neighborhood will survive and rebuild," he said.

The floods have forced more than 10,000 people from their homes, and 53 shelters have been opened in 18 counties across southeast Texas. At least 11 people have been killed since the rains began Sunday and two others were missing.

Three other people who had been described as missing turned up safe, saying their boat had not capsized as rescuers believed.

"They were sitting at home, watching the news, and said 'Hey, they are looking for us,'" said Coast Guard Petty Officer Robert Gulihur.

Downtown Houston, isolated earlier by high water that closed freeway exits, returned to normal Wednesday. Federal authorities, led by Housing Secretary Henry Cisneros, arrived to inspect damage and begin rebuilding efforts.

Forecasters warned of additional rain today. Rising bayou waters threatened subdivisions near Sour Lake, about 60 miles northeast of Houston. In Liberty, 45 miles northeast of Houston, residents braced for a record crest at Lake Livingston.

But elsewhere, as skies cleared for the first time in four days and murky waters began receding, residents returned to their damaged homes by foot, boat or truck.

In Conroe, about 40 miles north of Houston, David and Vivian Webb returned home to find the walls of the first floor of their house caked with mud and the carpets and furniture soaked with slimy water.

"It's a mess, but it could have been a lot worse," said Webb, wearing knee-high rubber boots and struggling to dump a waterlogged blue sofa in his back yard. He was among the fortunate — he was insured.

A few miles south, Montgomery County employees used dump trucks to haul 20 residents at a time through three feet of water to their homes.

"You see that white building sticking out of the water? I live right across the street," said Neva Goff. She and her husband have no flood insurance. They fled Tuesday with only the clothes on their

backs.

President Clinton designated 26 counties as federal disaster areas, making them eligible for federal aid. Nearly twice as many counties have been designated state disaster areas by Gov. Ann Richards. She said it was too early to estimate the damage.

The receding San Jacinto River was at nearly 28 feet Wednesday night — still 8 feet above flood stage, but well below its 32-foot crest Monday night.

The river's 30 mph currents have swept away entire homes and peeled away a three-story condominium complex that once graced the riverfront.

Panel warned of dangers of laser for eye surgery

WASHINGTON (AP) — An experimental laser that zaps cells off corneas could give nearsighted Americans an alternative to the knife for correcting their vision.

Many doctors tout the excimer laser as a better alternative to conventional eye surgery, but others warned a government panel today that it also poses danger to eye patients and should be used cautiously.

The panel, an advisory committee to the Food and Drug Administration, is considering whether the first excimer laser, one produced by Summit Technology Inc., should be allowed for sale in this country.

"It is at least equal to and probably better" than current alternatives, said Dr. Stephen Trokel of the American Society for Cataract and Refractive Surgery, who performed the world's first laser excimer procedure.

But other doctors told the panel that some of the same problems, including a failure to provide 20-20 vision, infection and scarring, do pose a risk. They said that improved versions of the laser to counter such dangers are slowly working their way toward FDA.

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approved?" asked Dr. Craig Beyer, a University of South Florida professor and consultant to a Summit competitor.

"It is going to be a very important tool," said Dr. Keith Thompson of Emory University, who has done 300 experimental laser surgeries. "But it's important that people realize it's not going to be the Holy Grail, it's not going to be as perfect as glasses and contact lenses."

Now, people who want to abandon the glasses or contact lenses that help them see at a distance opt for a surgery called radial keratotomy, or RK.

In RK, a surgeon makes tiny

diagonal cuts on the cornea, the clear tissue covering the eye's iris and pupil. The cuts flatten the cornea to bring vision closer to normal. Some 250,000 Americans undergo RK every year.

The excimer laser flattens the cornea too, using a cold beam of ultraviolet light to vaporize corneal cells. This procedure, called photorefractive keratectomy or PRK, is already used in 40 countries.

"Throughout the world, no one does RK anymore. Everyone does the laser," said Dr. Joseph DeLo Russo, a New Jersey ophthalmologist who performed 600 experimental PRKs.

PLO calls closure 'economic, social war'

TEL AVIV, Israel (AP) — The Israeli Cabinet today approved the indefinite closure of the West Bank and Gaza Strip as part of a crackdown following a bus bombing that killed 21 people. A spokesman for PLO chief Yasser Arafat said the move constituted "economic and social war" on Palestinians.

The measure will keep tens of thousands of Palestinians from jobs in Israel, mainly in construction and agriculture. It also will prevent Palestinians from visiting religious sites in the West Bank and Gaza without a permit.

"The closure will continue until further notice, until security conditions permit it to be removed," Environment Minister Yossi Sarid said.

Marwan Kanafani, an Arafat spokesman, said the Palestinian autonomy government considered the decision "collective punishment" against innocent people.

"I see in these resolutions adopted by the Israeli Cabinet today a declaration of war, an economic and social war against the Palestinian society that will negatively affect the whole process,"

he said. "I do not know how we are going to go ahead with implementation of the peace process with such an attitude."

Israel has tried to avoid harsh, inflammatory measures since signing a peace accord with the PLO in September 1993. Through the agreement, the Gaza and West Bank town of Jericho achieved limited autonomy last May. The PLO too has talked of restraint and

Political forum held at WTC

Continued From Page 1 for office "in order to return the government to the people."

Idom drew one question from the audience when he was asked about county equipment being used for personal use by airport manager Gary Haltom.

David Shifflett told Idom that the minutes of the Airport Board from April, 1994, reflected that the board had questioned Haltom about the use of a tractor and garden hose on his personal property.

At that meeting, Haltom had said he was unaware of the impropriety of using county equipment for personal use and apologized to the commissioners' court and offered restitution to the county.

Idom said that he was aware of that one incident and stated "I feel that the problem has been corrected."

Precinct 4 Commissioner Jerry Gannaway told the group that "the entire commissioners' court is always looking at better ways to serve the citizens with the lowest tax rate possible."

"I want to keep all the good things that the citizens of Scurry County presently enjoy and that includes the hospital, sheriff's office, swimming pool, etc.," said Gannaway.

The Democratic incumbent said he represents Precinct 4 when he is in the precinct and the entire county when the commissioners' court is in session.

Shifflett also directed the airport equipment issue to Gannaway.

"I think the problem is taken care of but if it is still going on, we will take care of it," said the commissioner.

Gannaway's opponent, Charlie Henderson, said his experience in sales, marketing and education

would be a great help in conducting county business.

"I was asked to run for this job by many people and I do not have any other obligations that would interfere with it," said Henderson.

Henderson said that he wants more people to be involved in the county government and suggested holding night meetings and Saturday morning meetings to encourage participation.

County Treasurer Charlie Bell told the audience that the major responsibility of his office is "investments and accounting."

He said he has worked hard to hold the county's investments high despite the declining financial picture. "I work for the taxpayers of Scurry County and treat this office like a business."

Republican candidate Janet Merritt, who is challenging Bell, said her 15 years of accounting and payroll experience plus two years as the chief deputy in the county treasurer's office were her main qualifications for the office.

"I will devote my full time to this office and will be accessible day or night," said Merritt.

In the question and answer period following the forum, Precinct 2 challenger Huddleston was asked about a statement he had made earlier stating that he pledged not to be a party to any "illegal meetings." A member of the audience asked if Huddleston had any proof of such.

He replied that he knew of at least six instances where the commissioners' court had met when he felt they were in violation of the Texas Open Meetings Law.

Speaking earlier Wednesday morning were candidates for county judge, Republican Ricky Fritz and Democrat Bobby Goodwin.

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DigitalEq	31 3/4	31 3/8	31 3/8	+1/8	
Dillard	26 7/8	26 1/2	26 5/8	+1/8	
DowChem	75 1/2	74 3/4	74 7/8	-3/8	
DresserInd	20 1/2	20 1/4	20 3/8	-1/8	
DuPont	59 1/4	58 3/8	59	-1/2	
EastmanCh	53 7/8	53 3/8	53 3/8	-1/2	
EstKodak	49 5/8	48 7/8	49 3/8	-5/8	
EjlerInd	7 3/8	7 1/8	7 3/8	+1/8	
Enerch	137 1/8	133 1/4	133 1/4	-1/8	
Entergy	24 3/8	24	24 1/8	-1/4	
Exxon	59 5/8	59 1/8	59 1/2		
FluorInd	173 1/4	171 1/2	171 1/2	-1/8	
FordMotor	29 3/8	28 7/8	29	-3/8	
GTE Cp	30 5/8	30 1/4	30 3/8	-1/4	
GenDynam	44 1/8	43 5/8	44	-1/8	
GenElec	50	49 1/4	49 1/2	-3/4	
GenMil	57 1/4	56 3/4	56 3/4	-1/2	
GenMotors	46 3/8	44 5/8	45 1/8	-1 3/4	
GenMotors E	37 1/2	37	37 1/8		
GenPac	78 1/8	77	77	-5/8	
GlobalMar	41 1/4	41 1/8	41 1/4		
Goodyear	44 3/4	44 3/4	44 3/4	-1/8	
Goodyear	36	35 1/2	35 1/2	-1/2	
GrATI	26 1/4	25 5/8	25 3/4	-1/2	
Haliburton	31 3/4	31 1/2	31 1/2	-1/2	
Hanson ADS	18 1/2	18 1/4	18 1/4	-3/8	
Houstitl	35 1/8	34	34 1/2	-1/2	
IBM	76 1/8	74 3/4	75	-3/8	
IntlPaper	79 3/8	78 3/8	78 3/4	-1/2	
JohansJns	55 1/8	54 3/8	54 1/2		
K mart	16 1/8	16	16		
Kroger	26	25	25 1/2	-3/4	
Litton	36 1/2	36 3/8	36 1/2	-1/4	
Lowes	39 1/2	38 7/8	39 1/8	-5/8	
Mays	23 5/8	23 1/4	23 5/8	+1/4	
Maxus	41 1/2	40 3/8	41 1/2	-1 1/8	
MayDeptStrs	37 7/8	37 1/8	37 1/8	-3/4	
Medtronic	54 3/8	54 1/8	54 3/8		
Meritor	81 1/2	80 1/2	80 7/8	-1/4	
Motorola	78	77 3/8	77 5/8	+3/4	
Nationsbk	56 7/8	56 1/8	56 1/4	-1/8	
Nationals	50 3/8	49 3/4	50 1/4	-1/8	
Navistar	127 1/8	125 1/8	125 1/8	-1/4	
NoramEngy	61 1/4	61 1/8	61 1/4		
OryxEngy	38 5/8	38 1/4	38 3/8	-1/4	
PacTelesis	14 5/8	14 1/2	14 5/8		
PacTel	31 1/8	30 3/4	30 7/8	-1/8	
PanEBcp	23	22 5/8	22 3/4	-1/4	
Peabody	51 1/2	50 3/4	50 7/8	-5/8	
Pennaco	48 5/8	48 1/2	48 1/2	-1/4	
PerBoys	33 1/8	33	33	-1/4	
PepsiCo	34 3/4	34 1/2	34 3/4		
PhilpDodge	64	62 5/8	63	-1/8	
PhillipPet	34 5/8	34 1/4	34 1/4	-1/8	
PilgrmPrd	10 1/8	10	10		
Polard	34	33 7/8	33 7/8		
Praxair	23 3/4	23 5/8	23 5/8		
ProCambia	64 1/8	63 1/4	63 1/4	-1/4	
PubSrvMx	12 1/4	12 1/8	12 1/4	+1/8	
RoyalDutch	112 7/8	112	112 3/8	-1/8	
SFEpac	14 5/8	14 3/8	14 3/8	-1/4	
SaraLee	23	22 3/4	22 7/8	-1/8	
SearsRoeb	48 1/8	47 1/8	47 3/4	-1/2	
SherwinW	32 1/2	32 3/8	32 3/8	-1/4	
SmithBchA	34 1/8	33 7/8	34 1/8	+3/8	
SmithBc	31 1/8	30 7/8	30 7/8	+1/8	
SouthCo	19 5/8	19 3/8	19 5/8	+1/8	
SwtAirlines	22 3/8	21 5/8	22 1/8	-1/4	
SwBell	41 3/8	40 3/4	40 3/4	-5/8	
Sprint	37 5/8	37 1/4	37 3/8	-1/4	
SterlingChm	12 1/2	12	12 1/4	-1/4	
SuaCo	30 3/4	30 1/2	30 5/8	+1/8	
Tandy	44 1/4	43 7/8	44 1/4	+1/4	
Templin	52 5/8	51 7/8	52 1/8	-3/8	
Tenneco	44 5/8	44	44 1/4	-1/4	
Texasco	63 3/4	62 1/2	63 5/8	+3/8	
TexasInd	31 3/4	31 5/8	31 5/8		
TexasInt	70 3/4	69 3/4	70		
Telcel	32 5/8	32 1/4	32 3/8	-3/8	
Tetra	49 5/8	49 1/2	49 5/8	-1/4	
Travelers</					

Royal row could last for a very long time

LONDON (AP) — Still throwing books at each other but with no immediate plans for divorce, Prince Charles and Princess Diana could keep their royal row going for years.

It's an alarming prospect to some, because unless they divorce Diana automatically becomes queen when Charles' 68-year-old mother dies.

"That would look very peculiar," said Vernon Bognador, an Oxford university professor of government.

Diana, 33, flew to New York on Wednesday where she was to meet her close friend, Lucia Flecha de Lima, who is married to the Brazilian ambassador to the United States, Brazilian Embassy spokesman Pedro Borio said. They were expected to go on to Washington Thursday.

The princess was greeted Wed-

nesday evening by an unidentified young woman on the tarmac at Kennedy Airport. The two women were seen laughing as they got into the back seat of a Lincoln Town Car and were whisked away in a motorcade.

Diana left behind a national debate over whether she will get divorced, how badly all this is affecting the children and who's the most to blame.


The prospect of a prolonged and increasingly acrimonious separation alarmed some royal watchers. The couple's lawyers denied reports they had agreed to divorce.

If they are still married when Charles succeeds Queen Elizabeth II, Diana is crowned queen.

Most constitutional experts say a divorce would not affect Charles' succession rights to the throne,

Dear Abby

by Abigail Van Buren
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Thanks and Remembrance Mark Anniversary of Soldier's Death

DEAR ABBY: Exactly 25 years ago today, the young man I had been dating was killed in Vietnam. He had just turned 19. I was devastated.

Since we were going steady, we had exchanged rings. I had no idea how to approach his mother about this, so I wrote to you. In your wisdom, you told me to be patient — that his mother was probably still in shock.

A few weeks later, she called and invited me to her home. We spent a lovely afternoon looking at all the pictures her son had sent home. She returned the class ring I had given him, and I gave her his class ring, which he had given me just before

he left for Vietnam.

Abby, I still read your column every day. I thank the Lord that there is no more draft — and no Vietnam — and that my sons (I have two) can be here with me.

Thanks for listening. It's been a long time, but like my mom always says, "Better late than never."

MARY FORD, HILLSIDE, N.J.

DEAR MARY: Thank you for writing. And please greet your mother for me; she is a wise woman.

Gravesite being repaired

NEW YORK (AP) — It's no illusion — workers are repairing Harry Houdini's vandalized gravesite, thanks to the magic of a \$10,000 donation from David Copperfield.

Houdini's mausoleum, with its Gothic benches and ornate headstones, was vandalized five months ago.

"I was shocked by the senselessness of the incident," Copperfield said Wednesday by phone from Den Haag, Holland, where

DEAR ABBY: Our oldest daughter (I'll call her Sue) is 30 years old. She has been going with "Bob" for five years. He is 50 and has never been married. Neither has Sue.

My husband and I, and our entire family, feel that Bob is not the right person for Sue. She is quite successful on her own and owns some valuable income property. She is attractive, fun-loving and well-liked.

Bob is the type you can know for years but still not "know" him. He is

in the financial field. For years, Bob has disappeared over Christmas holidays, offering various excuses — none of them very convincing.

Our instincts tell us that Bob is not what he presents himself to be. Sue is very closemouthed about their relationship. They both like to travel and often take trips together.

How can we find out if there is any future in Sue's relationship with Bob? You can't ask a 50-year-old man if his intentions are honorable. Or can you?

CONCERNED PARENTS

DEAR PARENTS: From your description of Sue, she seems quite capable of looking after herself.

My advice to you: Relax, and don't fret about Sue's future. In other words, "If it ain't broke, don't fix it."

DEAR ABBY: I used to date a guy who still likes me a lot more than I like him. He is also very nosy. He asks me questions that are none of his business. Lately he has been showing up at all the places he knows I frequent. This is happening too often for it to be coincidental.

He has been stopping by my house, unannounced and uninvited, and I have a hard time getting rid of him. This is beginning to irritate me. How should I handle this? He gives me the creeps.

NEED MY SPACE

DEAR NEED: There's a name for this guy's irritating behavior — it's called "harassment," and there are laws prohibiting it.

Inform this pest that if he doesn't stop harassing you, you will report him to the local police. And if he continues to stalk you, make good on your threat.

Abby shares more of her favorite, easy-to-prepare recipes. To order, send a business-size, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for \$3.95 (\$4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, More Favorite Recipes, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054-0447. (Postage is included.)

Dr. Gott by Peter Gott, M.D.

Does bowel disorder lead to cavities?

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I'm experiencing cavities and problems with my teeth. My dentist informed me that part of my problem could possibly be from the saliva and acidity in my stomach. I do have irritable bowel problems and am curious if there is a connection.

DEAR READER: There is ordinarily no connection between dental disease and irritable bowel syndrome, a chronic condition marked by poor digestion, gas, constipation and/or diarrhea.

There is, however, a relation between dental disease and eating disorders, especially bulimia, which is characterized by binge eating followed by self-induced vomiting. The gastric acid in the vomit will cause deterioration of dental enamel, leading to cavities.

Therefore, unless you vomit periodically (in which case you need medical attention), follow your dentist's advice about suitable oral hygiene and the use of fluoride to strengthen your teeth.

To give you more information on your irritable bowel problems, I am sending you a free copy of my Health

Report "Irritable Bowel Syndrome." Other readers who would like a copy should send \$2 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to P.O. Box 2433, New York, NY 10163. Be sure to mention the title.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I'm a 56-year-old male and never had a reaction to poison ivy until six years ago. The reaction seems to get more severe each year. What changes occur after 50 to cause this to happen? Is there a treatment for poison ivy?

DEAR READER: Although increasingly severe reactions to poison ivy are not related to age, they can be devastating, because with each bout of blisters your body becomes more sensitive to the juices of the ivy plant.

You should ask your doctor about desensitization injections with a product called Poison Ivy Extract. You initially would receive three injections, spaced a week or so apart, followed by a booster every spring. Such a program will markedly diminish your reactions to poison ivy.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I've been on a low dose of prednisone for the past couple of years. I'm in my 30s. My doctor has suggested I get a flu shot each year because of my chronic disease

and my daily intake of prednisone. However, the last time I had my prednisone refilled, the instructions at the pharmacy were to avoid vaccines while taking the drug. Now I'm really confused.

DEAR READER: Because prednisone (a cortisone drug) inhibits the immune system, people taking this medicine should avoid "live" vaccines (those containing living microorganisms). Vaccines such as flu shots that contain killed microorganisms are safe to use.

Follow your doctor's advice; your pharmacist is merely being properly cautious.

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DATE BOOK

Oct. 20, 1994

Today is the 293rd day of 1994 and the 28th day of fall.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1944, General Douglas MacArthur, true to his famous "I shall return" promise, returned to the Philippines.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Christopher Wren (1632-1723), architect-astronomer; Arthur Rimbaud (1854-1891), poet; Charles Ives (1874-1954), composer; John Dewey (1859-1952), philosopher-educator; Art Buchwald (1925-), writer, is 69; Mickey Mantle (1931-), baseball star, is 63; Jerry Orbach (1935-), actor, is 59; Tom Petty (1952-), musician, is 42.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1968, American high jumper Richard Fosbury took the gold at the Mexico City Olympics, employing his unique "Fosbury Flop."

TODAY'S QUOTE: "Every great advance in science has issued from a new audacity of imagination." — John Dewey

TODAY'S WEATHER: On this day in 1991, a small brush fire picked up fuel from strong Diablo winds and destroyed over \$1 billion worth of property in and around Oakland, Calif.

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TODAY'S MOON: Day after full moon (Oct. 19).

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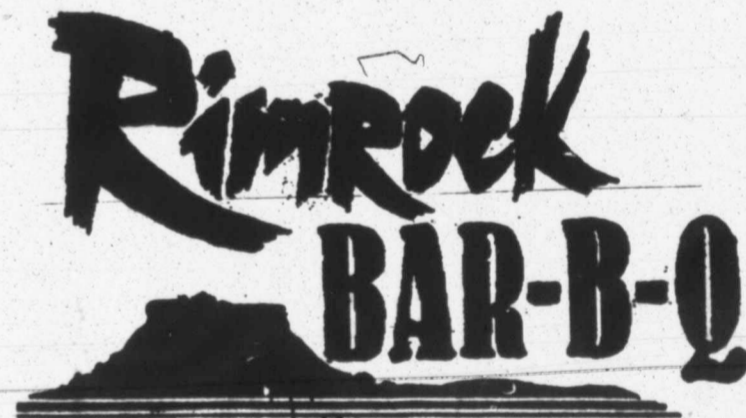
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