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Ask Us

Q—How many electorial votes does it take to elect the president?

A—This year, if each state appoints the number of electors to which it is entitled, the total electors will be 538. Therefore, 270 votes are needed to declare a victor. Should the Electoral College fail to reach a majority, the House of Representatives elects the president and the Senate selects the vice president.

Local

Ira school

Ira school students will have a holiday Monday.

Pep rally

A pep rally has been scheduled this evening at Tiger Stadium following the freshman football game.

The game begins at 5 p.m. and is expected to end about 6:45.

Noah

An open house for the expanded office of the Noah Project, 2707 College Ave., is planned from 1-2 p.m. Sunday.

The Noah Project offers shelter and counseling for victims of family violence.

Girl Scouts

The Snyder Fall City Girl Scout Rally will be held from 6-7 this evening at Snyder Junior High.

All girls and their parents are encouraged. Registration for the year is $6. For more information, call 573-7065.

Class of '57

Snyder High School Class of 57's 35th reunion will be held Friday and Saturday.

A snack supper following Friday's football game and a Saturday morning brunch are scheduled at Willow Park Inn.

Northeast

Northeast Elementary will host an open house this evening at 6:30, beginning with a musical program in the auditorium.

Introduction of the faculty and classroom visits will follow the program. An Outreach Library demonstration for parents of first graders will be conducted.

Ira School

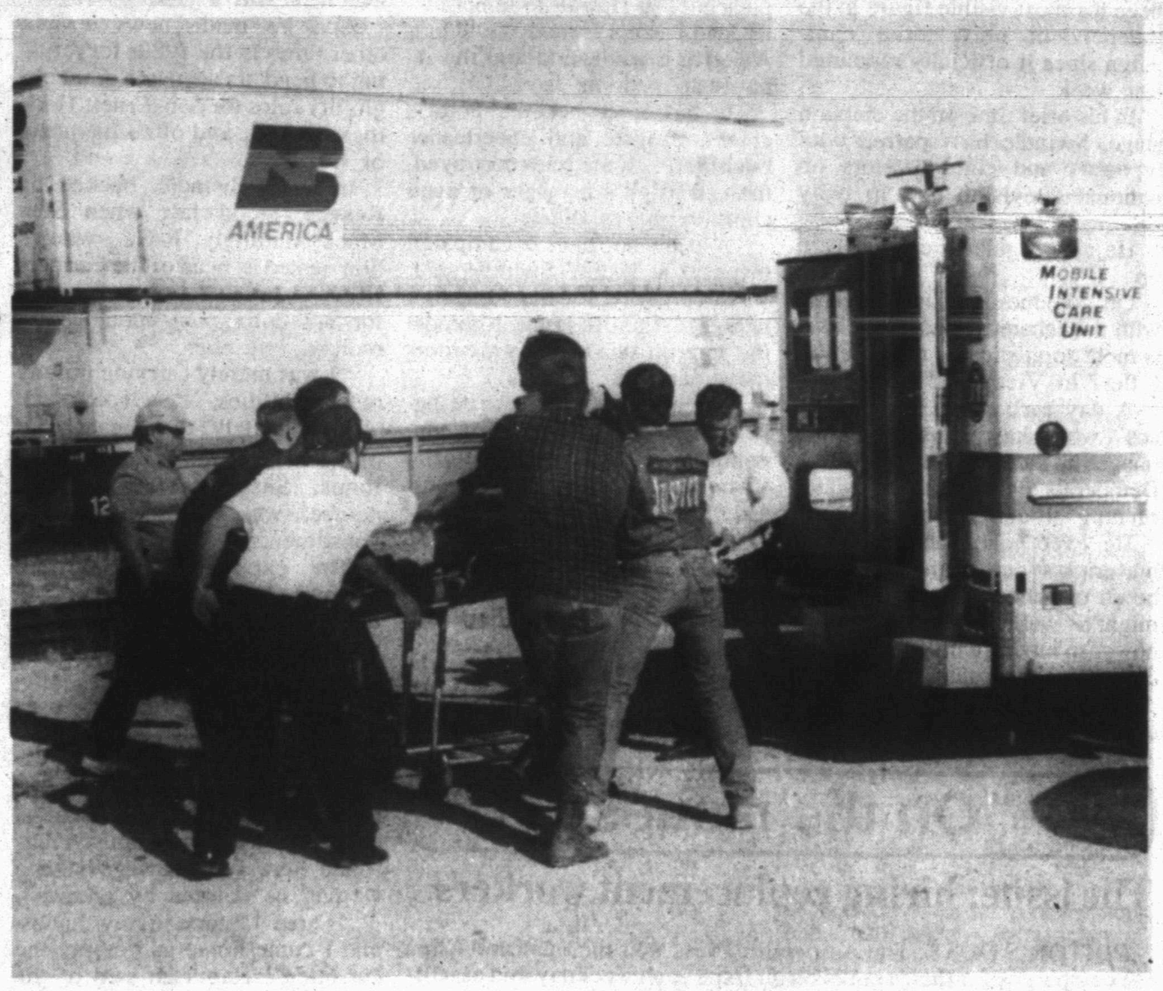
In observance of the 500th anniversary of Christopher Columbus' discovery of America, Ira School has planned a special ceremony to begin at 9 a.m. Friday at the football field. The Pledge of Allegiance will be recited and the Combo will perform patriotic songs. Everyone is invited to attend and all are encouraged to wear red, white and blue.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Wednesday, 78 degrees; low, 36 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Thursday, 37 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1992 to date, 23.82 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, clear. Low in the mid 40s. South wind 5-15 mph. Friday, sunny and warmer. High around 80. South wind 10-20 mph.

Almanac: Sunset today, 7:20. Sunrise Friday, 7:42. Of 281 days in 1992, the sun has shone 261 days in Snyder.



CRITICAL INJURIES — J.C. Watson was critically injured when the pickup he was driving collided with a westbound train here Wednesday afternoon. He was transported to St. Mary of the Plains Hospital in Lubbock. (SDN Staff Photo)

Pickup/train wreck...

Local man critical following accident

A 69-year-old Snyder man is in critical condition in a Lubbock hospital after the pickup he was driving collided with a westbound train Wednesday afternoon.

J.C. Watson suffered multiple skull fractures and injuries to the right side of his chest in the accident, which occurred at the College Avenue railroad intersection about 4:50 p.m.

According to police reports, the 1990 Dodge Dakota pickup which Watson was driving was traveling north on College Avenue when ran through a crossing arm and struck the side of the moving train. The pickup was carried 585 feet west of the point of impact.

Watson, of 2310 Merrill, was transported to Cogdell Memorial Hospital emergency room where he was stabilized. He was airlifted to St. Mary of the Plains Hospital in Lubbock by Lubbock Aerocare at 7:15 p.m.

Officials at the hospital in Lubbock said Watson is in criticial condition in the intensive care unit. His vital signs were stable this morning.

Schools trustees to consider change in local board policy

Snyder public schools trustees will consider a revision of a local policy for calling special meetings and discuss renovation of the ag farm during their October board meeting this evening.

The meeting is set for 7 in the administration board room.

Board President Billy Bob McMullan has requested that the board consider changing a local policy which states the number of trustees necessary to call a special meeting. Under current policy, either the president of the board or three or more trustees may call a special meeting. The new policy, if approved, would require either the president or four or more members to call a board meeting.

The issue came up recently when trustees Terry Martin, Ann Walton, Luann Burleson and Glen Clarady called a special meeting for Sept. 24. That meeting was subsequently canceled when it was learned that McMullan, Geraldine Parker and Charles Anderson were not notifed of the meeting 72 hours in advance.

Walton, Burleson and Clarady then called a second special meeting on Tuesday, Sept. 29, which was held.

Both meetings were set to discuss a junior high soft drink and candy fund audit, which revealed a shortage of deposits exceeding $7,800 over a two-year period.

In the Sept. 29 meeting, the board voted 4-3 not to pursue further an investigation into the monies. Since that time, however, a county grand jury has asked the Texas Rangers to make an inquiry into the monies.

A request will be made to the board for $5,788 to make repairs to the district ag farm, located southeast of the city on Highway 208. The repairs included fencing, wire, pen construction, rain gutters and concrete ramps.

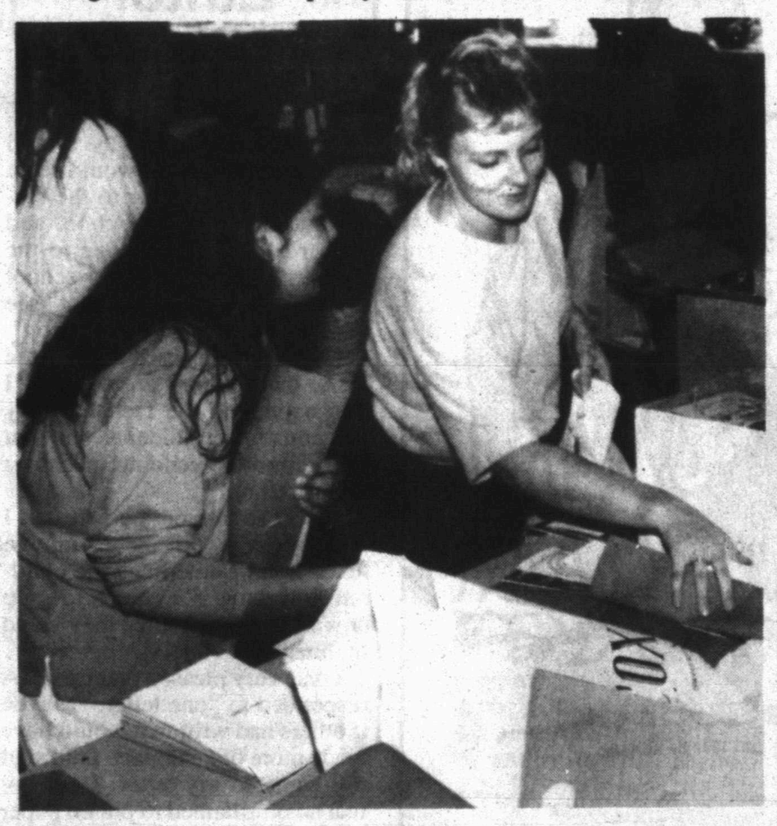
West Elementary parents have obtained 90 signatures asking for another crossing guard, who would direct children from the bus stop across El Paso Avenue to Colonial Hill Baptist Church. That request will be made during tonight's meeting.

A request in regards to supplemental pay will be made by Dorothy Kayser, president of the Snyder Teachers Association.

In other business, the board will consider approval of the annual performance report for 1991-92 and an interregional agreement with Education Service Center, Region 14.

The board will also consider bids for a pickup for the maintenance department.

Approval of a textbook committee and payment of bills are also on the agenda.



LIFESTYLE PRIZES — Snyder FHA members Margarita Garcia and Maggie Wright, left to right, stuff prize bags to be given away at this evening's Lifestyle program, set for 7 o'clock at Snyder High School's Worsham Auditorium. (SDN Staff Photo)

'Lifestyles' program tonight at auditorium

Doors will open at 6:30 for this evening's Lifestyle program, a homemaker's school which will offer an evening of fun and food ideas for area residents.

The show is scheduled for 7 p.m. in Worsham Auditorium at Snyder High School. Tickets are $2 per person, and may be purchased at the door.

Lucinda Kahny, Homemakers School home economist, will present new recipe ideas in tune with today's fast-paced lifestyle.

Easy to prepare recipes for the microwave and conventional oven, plus everyday and company fare will be part of the program. Dishes prepared by Kahny will be included in the door prize drawing for some lucky winners to take home.

Local sponsors, in cooperation with the Snyder Daily News, are hosting the homemaker's school.

Clay Jacobs will be the emcee, and will be responsible for drawing winners for over 50 prizes, which have been donated by local businesses. Those attending will receive a gift bag with the 1992 Lifestyle cookbook, coupons, recipes and more.

Members of the local FHA chapter, who will receive a portion of the proceeds, will be selling tickets at the door.

Authorities arrest 5 indicted by jury

Five more people indicted on charges by a Scurry County grand jury Monday have been taken into custody by county deputies.

Mary Arnold Jones, 64, of Route 1 Box 133 was arrested after being indicted on Dec. 5, 1991 charges of delivery of a controlled substance. Jones was released on $15,000 bond.

Indicted on unrelated charges of delivery of a controlled substance was 31-year-old Rosario Antonio Carreon of Route 1 Box 68B. Carreon was released on $15,000 bond.

Twenty-one-year-old Daniel Wayne Beck, of 3002 Ave. X was released on $5,000 bond after being indicted on Sept. 14 charges of burglary of a habitation.

Being held in Scurry County Jail on $3,000 bond is 27-year-old Rudy Ornelas Martinez of 1000 13th St., who was indicted on charges of failure to stop and render aid in connection with a Sept. 25 automobile accident.

Juan Estrada, 38, was released on $2,000 bond following his arrest on an indictment for Sept. 7 felony driving while intoxicated charges.

A total of 13 indictments were handed down by the grand jury on Monday. Two of the 13 subjects have not been arrested at this time.

SISD to hold staff workshops Friday

Snyder students will have a holiday Friday while teachers participate in staff development.

Across the district from 8 a.m. until 3:40 p.m., faculty members will meet to review and formulate campus goals and objectives in finalizing their campus improvement plans for 1992-93.

Ellen Grace, a national consultant for Silver Burdette Publishing Co., will present mathematics inservice for teachers of grades 1-3 from 10:45 a.m. until 12:45 p.m. Teachers of grades 4-6 will attend their mathematics inservice from 1:30 to 3:30. Both sessions will be held in the West Elementary cafeteria.

The Silver Burdette student book for teaching mathematics is currently being adopted by Snyder

(see TEACHING, page 8)

Cogdell board oks purchase of strider

Cogdell Memorial Hospital board of managers approved $500 in funds toward the purchase of equipment for cardiac rehabilitation during an accounts payable meeting this morning.

Hospital CEO Tim Lancaster told the board that the hospital has an opportunity to purchase a NordiCare Strider for about $300 less than retail, or $1,700. Exxon has donated $1,000 for the equipment, which will be used for cardiac rehabilitation. Local civic leader Roy Baze is donating $200, which would leave the hospital's cost at about $500. Baze was also instrumental in securing the donation from Exxon, Lancaster said.

The board unanimously approved purchase of the strider.

In other business, Lancaster informed the board that the Texas Department of Health conducted an unannounced inspection of the hospital's home health agency recently. He said the agency received "glowing reports" with no deficiencies listed.

Chief of Staff Dr. Paul Thompson told the board that the hospital's specialty clinics are coming along well. He said the hospital

(see COGDELL, page 8)

The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "There are two kinds of people in the world — those who lift and those who lean."

Elvis was nowhere to be found, but everybody got to see Snyder's Jack Denman.

Jack and wife, Frances, along with Mr. and Mrs. Myron Roe, recently traveled to Branson, Mo., and attended some of the shows in the growing country and western entertainment center.

The two couples also drove to nearby Eureka Springs to attend a concert by Anita Bryant.

Denman said Bryant's performance was one of the best he'd ever attended, but Denman could be a little prejudiced.

It seems that Anita's style includes mingling with the audience. She sings, walks and shakes hands with folks enjoying her show.

As she approached, Denman said he stood up to shake her hand. She went on up the aisle. When she returned, she had Jack stand up again and gave him a big hug.

She then guided Denman back to the stage where he sang a duet with her. Mr. Roe testified that it was an unusual rendition of "Paper Roses."

When finished, Anita planted a giant kiss on Jack's expanding forehead. You may want to check to see if Jack has ever washed off the three layers of lipstick.

We love to hear coaches comment on their teams.

One of the best observations this season came from Florida State's Bobby Bowden. Commenting on quarterback Charlie Ward, who had nine interceptions in four games, Bowden said:

"Charlie will be the best QB in the country as soon as he learns to distinguish jersey colors."

Ex-Reagan Republican answer's Perot's call

DALLAS (AP) — Orson Swindle says Ross Perot is a hero, George Bush is out of touch and Bill and Hillary Clinton seem like Ken and Barbie in their TV ads.

He also thinks Bush spokesman Marlin Fitzwater looks funny in a safari hat.

Anyone who asks is bound to catch some of Swindle's blunt-as-Perot view of the political world.

A former Vietnam prisoner of war and Reagan administration political appointee, Swindle emerged in August as the leader of Perot's volunteer army and has been the most visible figure in the independent presidential campaign since it officially re-started last week.

In his brief time on the election stage, Swindle has sparred with reporters and commentators on national television and in daily briefings.

He also regularly cracks them up.

On Wednesday, he fidgeted with a mechanical podium. "This is more sophisticated than the F-8 I flew in Vietnam," he said.

A day earlier, he said Perot's ads "won't have Ken and Barbie images up there as you get with the Democrats or Indiana Fitzwater running around in his hat."

He even jokes about Perot's maverick style: "This is going to be an unorthodox campaign. We might as well all accept that right now. I'm having a little bit of difficulty accepting that myself."

Swindle came to Dallas with other state volunteer leaders two days after Perot withdrew from the race in July, hoping Perot would reconsider. Swindle came out of the second day of meetings as the volunteers' designated spokesman.

A few weeks later, Swindle left his job as the executive of a large preschool in Hawaii to temporarily lead Perot's United We Stand, America organization and the final state petition drives.

He has since become Perot's chief surrogate and cheerleader but is not, as sometimes portrayed, the campaign's manager or even close to the candidate.

"We do not have a campaign manager as such," Swindle said. "I'm certainly not the campaign manager. I am first and foremost the interim head of a grassroots movement."

But Swindle, 55, is a true believer in Perot's message of economic and government reform. "I'm on a mission. I'm on a crusade," he said.

It began years ago when, as chief of the Commerce Department's Economic Development Administration under President Reagan, Swindle took on some daunting foes.

He is recognized by many as the first to blow the whistle on House Speaker Jim Wright's attempts to promote the interests of a business partner, charges that ultimately led to Wright's 1989 resignation.

"He's a jerk," Swindle said of Wright. Told that Wright is a friend of Perot's, Swindle said, "That's all right. I'm a friend too and he's still a jerk."

And he made news several other times in the 1980s for refusing to bend his agency's grant eligibility rules for Sen. Ernest Hollings, D-S.C., and other members of Congress.

In 1981, Swindle, backed by Reagan, stood fast when Sen. Mack Mattingly, R-Ga., wanted him ousted as head of the Farmers Home Administration in Georgia for not doling out enough loan money.

"I was merely carrying out my responsibilities," Swindle said. "Unfortunately, that meant a lot of farmers weren't going to get loans. Senator Mattingly, of course, was hearing from his constituents."

The experiences convinced Swindle that government needs to be overhauled.

When he heard Perot sound a similar alarm last spring, Swindle began collecting ballot signatures for the Dallas billionaire in Hawaii, where he has lived since 1989. The two men had met in 1973 when Swindle returned from six years' captivity in Vietnam.

"People out there are restless, disgusted, fed up with politics as usual. They want a piece of their country back," Swindle said.

Although Swindle believes Bush abandoned Reagan's conservative principles, he remains a Republican and if he can't have a President Perot, he'll take Bush over Clinton.

But Swindle said, "Mr. Perot needs to be president of the country. We need some leadership. We don't have it and Clinton is certainly not an improvement over Bush."

Dear Abby

Victor in Battle of Bulge Now Wages War of Self-Esteem

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: You recently published a letter in your column from a 50-year-old widow who had undergone a radical mastectomy and was concerned about men's reaction to her disfigured body.

Well, my inhibitions are of a different sort. I am 40 years old, divorced and a mother of four children. I have stretch marks from my pregnancies and from being overweight. I have lost 160 pounds and am now working on toning and firming, but I still have sagging skin on my arms, stomach and thighs. I, too, want to start dating. I look pretty terrific with clothes on, but I am afraid to wear a swimsuit, etc.

I find most men to be very visual. A pretty face is not enough. They also want a woman to have a pretty body. I, too, am inhibited and embarrassed and afraid to start any kind of a serious relationship. I am afraid to get emotionally involved with a man because once he sees my body he will give me the heave-ho.

INHIBITED AND EMBARRASSED II

DEAR I AND E, II: Few women of 40 have the skin tone of a woman of 20, it's true. But fewer women of 20 have the depth of perception and wealth of life experience that make a woman of 40 appealing.

Nobody has everything, so if the men in your life have given you the message that you are less than acceptable because after winning a battle with 160 extra pounds you now have some sagging skin — I urge you to upgrade the quality of the men in your life.

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DEAR ABBY: Our 30-year-old daughter lives with us in our modest home. She has her own room, pays her way, and is a rather private person. She has a very good job and leaves home looking like she has just stepped out of a fashion magazine. So what's the problem? The condition of her room is disgusting!

Everything (including cobwebs) is covered with a layer of dust and body powder so thick the furniture looks white!

There are heaps of clothing on the floor along with newspapers, magazines, shoes, cans, bottles ... I could go on and on!

If she lived in her own home, her sloppiness would be none of my business, but since she lives in my home I feel it is very much my business. She flatly refuses to allow me in her room to clean it up. (I have seen the mess through the open door.) I don't want to make an enemy of her as she is my only daughter and life is too short. To add insult to injury, the one-woman office she runs is spotless! How can I get her to clean up her room?

LONG-SUFFERING MOTHER

DEAR MOM: Since apparently you never bothered to insist that she clean up her room — and keep it clean — she probably assumed you didn't notice, or didn't care. Nothing will change unless you demand it. Tell her that enough is enough, and you can no longer tolerate her making a pigpen out of a room in your home. (Cans? Bottles? Do you have cockroaches and mice yet?)

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DEAR ABBY: I thoroughly enjoyed your column on the misuse of words. My greatest pet peeve is the misuse of "like" instead of "as." Millions of dollars were spent in advertising "Winston Tastes Good Like a Cigarette Should."

Winston should be ashamed.

EMIL HONIG, WEST PALM BEACH, FLA.

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This one's for everybody, from teens to seniors! To purchase Abby's new booklet, "The Anger in All of Us and How to Deal With It," send a business-size, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for $3.95 ($4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, Anger Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054. (Postage is included.)

On the issues

The issue: hiring replacement workers

EDITOR'S NOTE: The Associated Press asks the Bush and Clinton campaigns for their stands on an issue each weekday and assembles their responses. Ross Perot's views are adapted from his campaign book, "United We Stand."

WASHINGTON (AP) — Here are the views of the presidential candidates on the question: Should the government prohibit companies from hiring permanent workers during strikes?

Bush: "I do not support legislation that would prevent employers from 'permanently replacing' workers during a strike. Such legislation, I am convinced, would threaten our nation's competitiveness, result in fewer job opportunities, disrupt the flow of commerce, create hardship for small and struggling businesses, and encourage confrontation in the workplace."

Clinton: "Yes. As president, I would sign the Workplace Fairness Act to ban permanent replacement of striking workers and preserve the collective bargaining process. I am committed to the rights of working men and women to organize and bargain collectively."

Ross Perot: Has not stated a position on this issue.

Berry's World

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Hamlisch finds love, marriage

NEW YORK (AP) — After two flops and a bout with loneliness, composer Marvin Hamlisch has found love and marriage with a woman he courted by phone.

"Three Oscars in my hands, and I come home and empty the cat litter," Hamlisch said of the night in 1974 when he won Academy Awards for best song and score from "The Way We Were" and for adapting Scott Joplin's ragtime.

"I had thought that success would make me happy, but it didn't," he said in the latest edition of People magazine.

Unhappiness was followed by the failure of two shows in the 1980s.

At 48, Hamlisch is returning to Broadway with a musical version of Neil Simon's "The Goodbye Girl," and his memoirs, "The Way I Was," are due out Oct. 19.

Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor:

I am disappointed in the outcome of the decision of the school board and the TEA. It would seem the injustice was done to the students at the Jr. High School and further injustice was done to the people of Snyder. The school board assumes we cannot see through their course of action!

Unless someone else wrote the TEA, that letter was from me. I also expressed the fact that they not punish the students but that they return the vending machines to the school.

Also I addressed the fact that I was unhappy with the 30 minute lunch hour. Sometimes the children only have 5 minutes to gulp down their lunch after they stand in line.

I was very pleased that the TEA responded to "one letter." Maybe if others had written it would have made more of an impact. I did sign my name to my letter. I am not fearful or ashamed to put on paper what I feel or believe to be right.

Whether there was wrongdoing or not, I do not know. A person should always keep receipts to cover their tracks.

There is another course to pursue. If we, as one person or group of people, do not stand up for what we believe, we will lose what freedom we have. We must stand up for our freedom and gain control of our country — our schools and our rights.

Jean O'Connor
Snyder, Texas

Astrograph

By Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

Oct. 9, 1992

Before embarking on new ventures in the year ahead, finish the ones you have already begun. The payoff is closer than you think.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) If you fail to shoulder your portion of the burden today, co-workers will become disenchanted with you. Be a producer, not a procrastinator. Get a jump on life by understanding the influences governing you in the year ahead. Send for Libra's Astro-Graph predictions today by mailing $1.25 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Relax and enjoy yourself today, but strive to do everything in moderation. Your self-discipline might not be operating, and there's a chance you could overindulge.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) You might have to contend with someone today who is spoiled and accustomed to having things done one way. You'd be wise to call a halt to this pattern when dealing with this individual.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Be optimistic today but also be realistic. It may take more than wishful thinking to bring your aspirations into being.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Before making a major purchase today, carefully examine both the merchandise and the proposition. What looks like a good deal at first glance might be anything but.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) An agreement is only as good as the intent of both parties involved. If the individual you are negotiating with is bending over backward to be fair, it would be appropriate for you to do the same.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Beware of the inclination today to find ways to dodge responsibilities that require your immediate attention. Avoidance could compound problems.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) You're likely to be in a sociable mood today, but it might be wise to spend your time with familiar friends rather than trying to impose yourself on a new group.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Take nothing for granted in competitive developments today, especially those that pertain to your career. You might feel you have the edge, yet this could be a miscalculation.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) It's best not to exaggerate today nor pretend you're knowledgeable about an issue which, in truth, you know very little about. Your ploys will be unmasked.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) If you're not in a financial position to do so without inconveniencing your present lifestyle, try not to take on long-term fiscal obligations at this time.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Think for yourself today rather than let an associate, whose judgment you find questionable, impose decisions on you. You could regret your silence at a later date.

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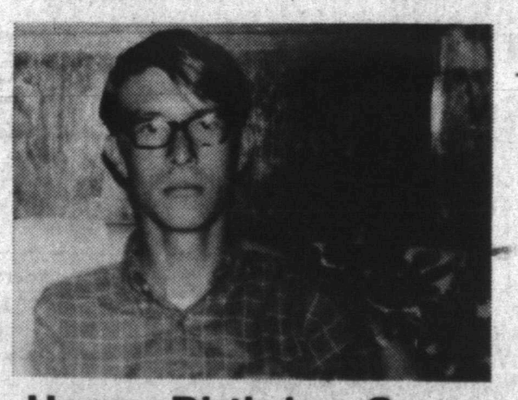

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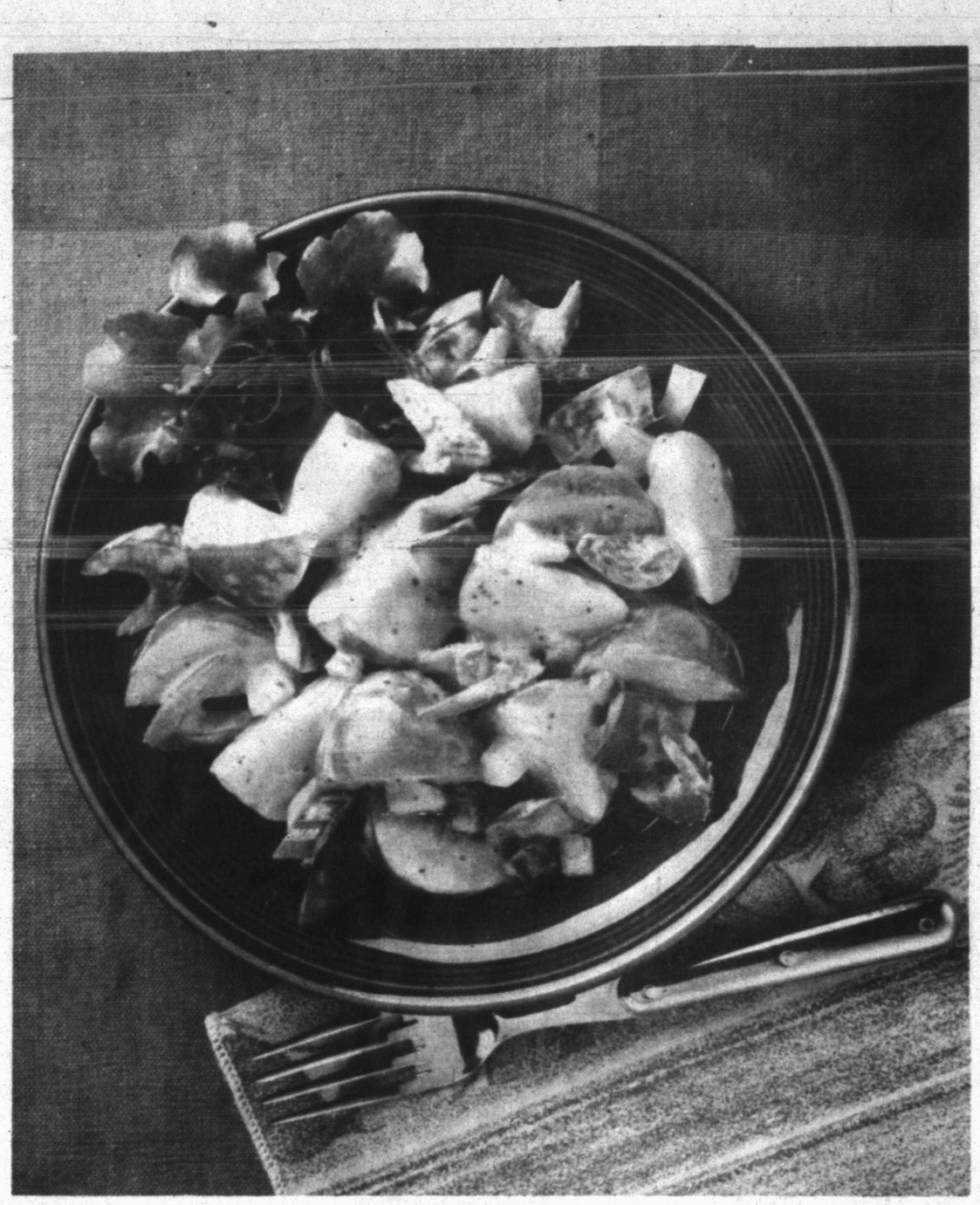

Tasty and nutritious recipes for salads and snacks for busy cooks

Mention a homemade potato salad to most and they think of painstaking and time consuming preparation. Since potato salad has been a favorite for so many years, the food professionals at the KRAFT Creative Kitchens have developed a microwave potato salad that is fast and flavorful. Flavor enhanced thanks to KRAFT MIRACLE WHIP Salad Dressing.

Lucinda Kahny, Homemakers Schools home economist, points out the ease of preparing the microwave potato salad by highlighting the 20 minute preparation time. She begins by simply boiling the potatoes in the microwave for 14-16 minutes. When the potatoes are cooked she adds MIRACLE WHIP Salad Dressing, onions, pickles, celery, green pepper, mustard and spices. After mixing lightly, the potato salad can be chilled to a desired temperature.

Pasta salad has joined potato salad as an American favorite that is delicious to eat and is easy to prepare for friends and family. The professionals at KRAFT Creative Kitchens suggest the use of MIRACLE WHIP Salad Dressing mixed with a variety of favorite McCORMICK/SCHILLING Seasonings for perfect pasta salads. MIRACLE WHIP Salad Dressing coats each and every piece of pasta instead of clinging to the bottom of the bowl, allowing for that wonderful tangy zip taste in every bite.

To give pasta salad an Italian accent, mix a colorful array of broccoli, cucumber, carrot slices and red pepper strips with MIRACLE WHIP Salad Dressing and season with McCORMICK/SCHILLING Italian Seasoning and Garlic Salt. MIRACLE WHIP brings out the very best in each vegetable as well as the pasta, especially when blended with this combination of ingredients will produce a salad that is not only colorful, but delicious to eat.

Traditionally MIRACLE WHIP Salad Dressing has been used as an ingredient in sandwich spreads and salads, but by attending LIFESTYLE 1992 you will receive more versatile recipe ideas. This Homemakers School presentation will be held at the Jerry P. Worsham Auditorium tonight beginning at 7 p.m.

MICROWAVE NEW POTATO SALAD

2 pounds new potatoes, sliced ¼-inch thick (about 6 cups)
⅓ cup water
1 cup MIRACLE WHIP Salad Dressing
½ cup each, chopped onion, celery slices, chopped sweet pickle, chopped red OR green pepper
1 tablespoon prepared mustard
½ teaspoon McCORMICK/SCHILLING Celery Seed
½ teaspoon salt

Combine potatoes and water in 2-quart glass casserole; cover. Microwave on HIGH 14 to 16 minutes or until tender, stirring after 7 minutes. Drain. In large bowl, stir together remaining ingredients. Add potatoes; mix lightly. Chill. 6 servings.

ITALIAN PASTA SALAD

1 cup MIRACLE WHIP Salad Dressing
1¼ teaspoons McCORMICK/SCHILLING Italian Seasoning
½ teaspoon McCORMICK/SCHILLING Garlic Salt
¼ teaspoon McCORMICK/SCHILLING ground black pepper
3 cups (8 oz.) rotini, cooked, drained
2 cups broccoli flowerets
1 cup sliced carrot
1 cup chopped cucumber
½ cup red bell pepper strips

Mix salad dressing and seasonings until well blended. Stir in remaining ingredients. Cover; refrigerate. Makes 16 servings.

Variation: Substitute MIRACLE WHIP LIGHT Reduced Calorie Salad Dressing OR MIRACLE WHIP FREE Nonfat Dressing for regular Salad Dressing.

LAYERED APRICOT SNACKING BARS

1⅓ cups (10-oz. package) vanilla milk chips, divided
1 package (6-oz.) dried apricots, cut into ¼-inch pieces
1 cup boiling water
½ cup margarine, softened
⅓ cup granulated sugar
¼ cup packed light brown sugar
1 teaspoon pure vanilla extract
1 cup plus 2 tablespoons all-purpose flour, divided
¼ teaspoon baking soda
¼ teaspoon salt
½ cup wheat germ
2 tablespoons honey
1 egg white
½ teaspoon shortening

Heat oven to 350 degrees. Measure ⅓ cup vanilla milk chips for glaze; set aside. In small bowl, stir together apricots and boiling water; cover. Let stand 5 nutes; drain. Meanwhile, in la mixer bowl, beat margarine, granulated sugar and brown. sugar until well blended. Blend in vanilla extract. Add 1 cup flour, baking soda and salt; blend well. Stir in remaining 1⅓ cups vanilla milk chips; press evenly into 8-in. square pan. Spread softened apricots over cookie base. In small bowl, stir together wheat germ, remaining 2 tablespoons flour, honey and egg white until blended. Crumble over apricots. Bake 30 minutes, or until wheat germ is lightly browned. Cool. In small microwave-safe bowl, stir together reserved ⅓ cup vanilla milk chips and shortening. Microwave at high (100%) 30 seconds; stir. If necessary, microwave at high an additional 15 seconds or until chips are melted when stirred. Using tines of fork, drizzle melted vanilla milk chips over cooled base; let stand until glaze is firm. Cut into squares. 16 servings.

Under Muslim rule in the early 10th century, Spain's Cordoba became the largest city in western Europe and one of the great cultural centers of the world.

Bridge

By Phillip Alder

NORTH 10-8-92
♠ K J 7 6
♥ A 6 4 2
♦ A 10 9
♣ 5 3

WEST
♠ 2
♥ J 10 9 3
♦ Q 7 5 4 3 2
♣ 10 8

EAST
♠ 8 5
♥ K Q 7 5
♦ 6
♣ A Q J 9 6 4

SOUTH
♠ A Q 10 9 4 3
♥ 8
♦ K J 8
♣ K 7 2

Vulnerable: Both
Dealer: North

South	West	North	East
		1 ♦	2 ♣
2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
4 ♦	Pass	4 ♥	Pass
4 NT	Pass	5 ♥	Pass
6 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: ♣ 10

All bridge players below the expert level would do well to emulate William Blake, who wrote about using his arrows of desire and not ceasing from Mental Fight. Clearly he wouldn't have balked at counting out a hand when it became necessary. For him, the need to count to 13 would have been but the work of a moment when compared with his goal of trying to build Jerusalem in England's green and pleasant Land.

Today's slam contract is easy to wrap up without any guesswork if you take the right steps.

When North was willing to cooperate by cue-bidding the heart ace, South used Blackwood and bid the slam. West led the club 10, East winning with the ace and returning the queen to South's king.

Declarer saw that he needed to find the diamond queen to make his slam. Rather than blithely assume it was in the hand of the overcaller, he tried to get a count of the hand. After winning with the club king, South led a heart to dummy's ace and ruffed a heart in his hand. He drew two rounds of trumps ending in the dummy; then he ruffed another heart. A club ruff and a third heart ruff followed.

Now South had all the evidence he needed. East was known to have started with two spades, four hearts and six clubs. Ergo, he had only one diamond. Declarer cashed the diamond king, which drew only low cards. Then he tabled his cards with a flourish, saying that he would take the guaranteed diamond finesse through West.

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Fashion film is sorority program

Xi Alpha Alpha Theta of Beta Sigma Phi met at the Snyder Country Club for its bi-monthly meeting with Dena Ellis presenting a program on fashions.

Jackie Buckland was the presiding officer.

A film, "Tacky to Terrific in 10 Easy Steps," was shown by Mrs. Ellis. A discussion followed on flattering styles, use of scarves, shoes, belts and jewelry.

Plans for a social, "Together We Hunt," will be held at the gazebo on the south side of the courthouse at 7:30 p.m. on Oct. 24. The group will travel to Brenda and Byron Hedges following the festivity.

The group's previous social was a dinner and games held at Snyder Lanes.

A regular meeting is set for 7:30 p.m. at the country club on Oct. 20 where Mickey and Carolyn House will be hostesses. A program, "Only Vicky Knows," will be given by Vicky Bell.

PACKAGES TO VICTIMS — Beta Delta Phi members Cari Limmer and Lynn Lancaster, from left, recently prepared care packages to send to victims of Hurricane Andrew in Florida and Louisiana. (Contributed Photo)

Community Calendar

THURSDAY

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

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

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

Scurry County Sheriffs Posse; Posse Clubhouse; 7:30 p.m.

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

FRIDAY

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

Snyder Jaycees; noon luncheon; Golden Corral.

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

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

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

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

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

SATURDAY

Defensive Driving; Snyder Savings & Loan Community Room, 27th & College; 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

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

SUNDAY

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

Open House, Noah Project; 2707 College Ave.; 1-2 p.m.

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

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

Winning awards not all fun says Alabama

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Winning awards breeds contempt, say members of the band Alabama. And they would know.

The band was the Country Music Association's entertainer of the year in 1982, 1983 and 1984 — the only group to win three times.

After such a feat, "you can't even get a sandwich in this town without a dirty look," Alabama drummer Mark Herndon told CMA's Close Up magazine.

Lead singer Randy Owen added in the October issue: "It got to the point where you wanted to go to these award shows, but you knew when you got there that you had to put up with all the animosity from so many people. A very unfriendly situation to be put into."

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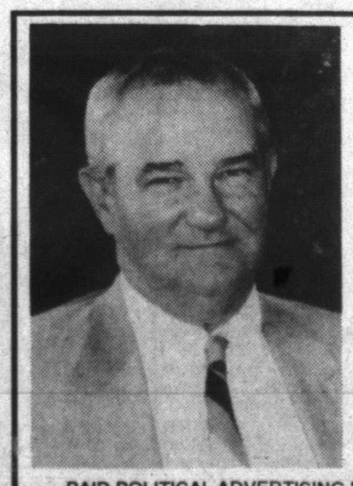

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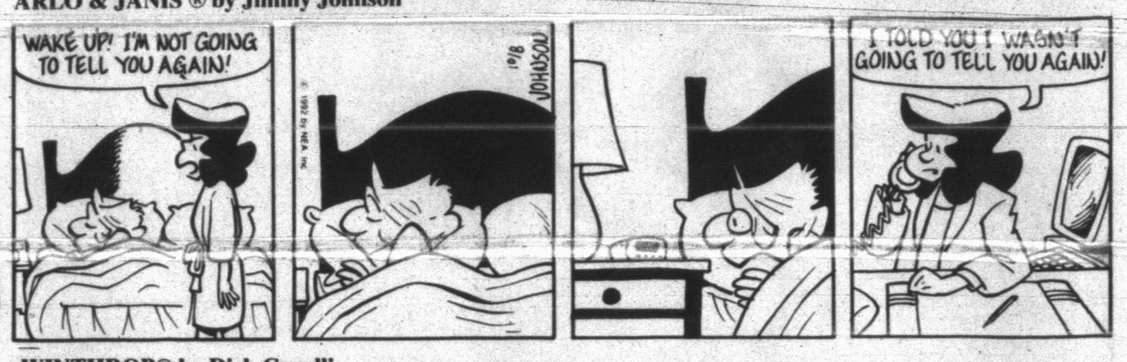

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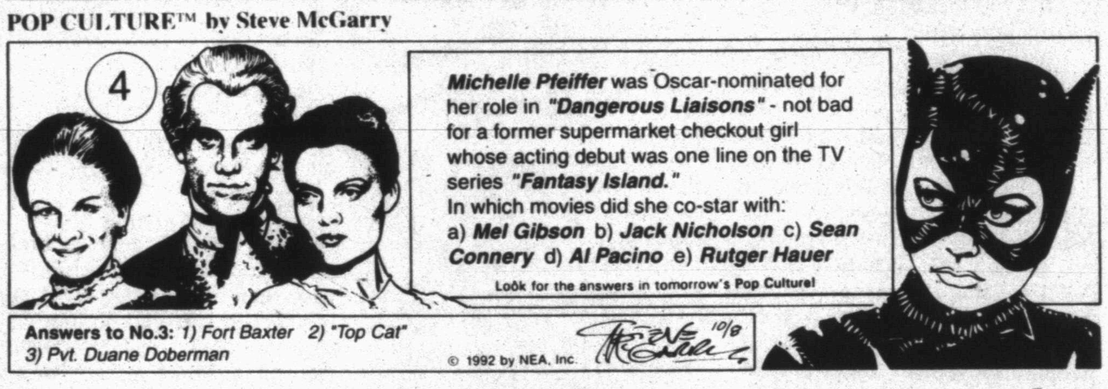

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53 Obligations
55 Idle
56 Naval petty officer
57 Sailors
58 Actress — May

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7 Hornet
8 Business-woman — Lauder
9 Sgt.
10 Nobleman
11 Fencing sword
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19 Be in debt to
21 Japanese-American
22 Kings
23 Young socialites
24 Bomb shelter
25 Whistle sound
28 Glossy fabric
29 Star Wars princess
30 Jacob's son
32 Come all — faithful
33 Santa —, New Mexico
37 Young woman
38 Horned animal
39 Fabric-coloring method
42 The ones here
43 Barbarous
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52 Male cat
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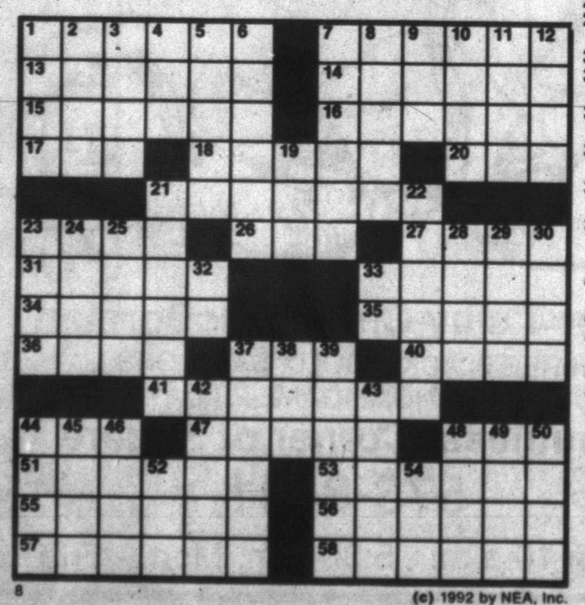

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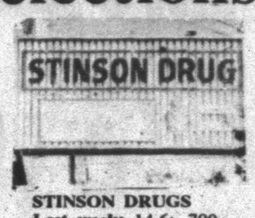
Coffee drinker's sideline selections



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Levelland at Snyder	Snyder	Snyder	Snyder	Snyder
Lamesa at Estacado	Estacado	Estacado	Estacado	Estacado
Frenship at Plainview	Plainview	Plainview	Plainview	Plainview
Hermleigh at Borden County	Borden County	Borden County	Hermleigh	Borden County
Ira at Highland	Ira	Ira	Ira	Ira
Trent at Loraine	Trent	Loraine	Loraine	Trent
Baylor at TCU	Baylor	Baylor	Baylor	Baylor
SMU at Rice	Rice	Rice	Rice	Rice
Texas vs. Oklahoma	Oklahoma	Oklahoma	Oklahoma	Oklahoma
Texas Tech at NC State	Texas Tech	NC State	NC State	NC State
Atlanta at Miami	Miami	Miami	Atlanta	Miami
Buffalo at LA Raiders	Buffalo	Buffalo	Buffalo	Buffalo
NY Jets at Indianapolis	Indianapolis	Indianapolis	NY Jets	NY Jets
Seattle at Dallas	Dallas	Dallas	Dallas	Dallas
Houston at Cincinnati	Houston	Houston	Houston	Houston
Philadelphia at Kansas City	Philadelphia	Philadelphia	Philadelphia	Philadelphia
Phoenix at NY Giants	NY Giants	NY Giants	NY Giants	NY Giants
LA Rams at New Orleans	New Orleans	New Orleans	New Orleans	New Orleans
Pittsburgh at Cleveland	Pittsburgh	Cleveland	Cleveland	Cleveland
San Francisco at New England	San Francisco	San Francisco	San Francisco	San Francisco

District grid season kicks off

By PHIL RIDDLE
SDN Sports Editor

District 2-4A grid teams are finished with the niceties and are scheduled to start beating up on each other this week as the loop schedule starts Friday with Levelland at Snyder, Lamesa at Estacado and Frenship at Plainview.

District teams finished the non-district slate at 16-13-1, led by Plainview's 5-0 mark, 4-1 records from Snyder and Lamesa, Frenship's 2-3 effort, a disappointing 1-3-1 from Estacado and an 0-5 start for Levelland.

Preseason picks gave the loop crown to Estacado in a walk, but things have changed a lot in five weeks.

After posting five consecutive victories, three over 5A competition, including a 21-16 win over Palo Duro last week, Plainview has emerged as the team to beat.

Other results from last Friday's final non-district games include Snyder outslugging Dumas in the northland, 49-38; Lamesa trimming Littlefield, 22-16; Estacado falling to Roswell, N.M., 9-7; Coronado hammering Frenship, 41-17; and Levelland slipping to Hereford, 23-7.

Levelland (0-5) at Snyder (4-1)

Snyder will be trying to earn a third straight trip to the Class 4A playoffs this year.

In spite of recent roster shakeups, including injuries and a key move-away, the Tigers are playing solid football.

The SHS offense struck last week for 428 total yards including the first 100-yard game by a Snyder quarterback this season.

Junior Matt Cave completed four of nine tosses for 170 yards and two touchdowns.

Also standing out for the SHS offense is fullback Gilbert Orosco, who topped the century mark a week ago for the second game in a row, with 162 yards and two TDs on 20 carries.

The Tiger defense is on pace to set a team interception record. Snyder has grabbed 12 oskies, thus far, icluding one each by cornerbacks Barretta Collins and John Clinkinbeard against Dumas.

Levelland has been having its troubles lately, giving up 139 points on the year, while scoring only 39.

The Lobos are led by senior quarterback Kelly Ramsey, who has passed for over 800 yards this year.

Levelland's offense has been rolling up 309 yards a game, but the defense has been giving up over 370.

Lamesa (4-1) at Estacado (1-3-1)

Don't let the record fool you. Estacado has a good football team. The Mats have lost to Class 5A Palo Duro, New Mexico defending state champion Clovis, then to the top ranked N.M. team this year, Roswell.

Don't forget how they spanked Big Spring, 25-6, in week two of the season.

It will be interesting to see how the Matadors come out against Lamesa on the heels of a three-game tailspin.

EHS quarterback Zebbie Lethridge, a senior three-year starter, leads the Mats with his 737 yards on the year.

The Estacado defense has uncharacteristically given up over 900 yards rushing, but again, to quality opposition.

Lamesa is gaining momentum after an upset win over Canyon Randall two weeks ago and last week's victory over Littlefield.

The Tors' top offensive weapon is the running game featuring senior Tony Brown, who ran for 68 yards against the 'Cats Friday, and Garland Flemeing, who had a 200-yard rushing game in his debut against Pecos in early September.

Frenship (2-3) at Plainview (5-0)

Plainview is about to really start enjoying last spring's UIL realignment that brought the Bulldogs down to District 2-4A from District 3-5A.

Plainview, behind standout runners Damien Nails and preseason all-state candidate Kevin Polk, has rushed for over 1400 yards this season.

Frenship's hopes of winning this game are connected to the passing arm of junior quarterback Shane Stewart. Stewart has thrown for 422 yards this year, but could only accumulate 66 in a five-of-12 night against Coronado last week.

District 2-4A

Team		Season		District		
Plainview	5	0	0	0	0	0
Snyder	4	1	0	0	0	0
Lamesa	4	1	0	0	0	0
Frenship	2	3	0	0	0	0
Estacado	1	3	1	0	0	0
Levelland	0	5	0	0	0	0

Friday, Oct. 2

Snyder 49, Dumas 38
Hereford 23, Levelland 6
Lamesa 22, Littlefield 16
Roswell, N.M. 9, Estacado 7
Plainview 21, Palo Duro 16
Coronado 41, Frenship 17

Friday, Oct. 9

Levelland at Snyder
Lamesa at Estacado
Frenship at Plainview

Braves scalp Bucs to take 2-0 margin

ATLANTA (AP) — Before the Pittsburgh Pirates worry about their bats and arms, they have to take care of their heads.

They return home trailing 2-0 in the NL playoffs following Atlanta's 13-5 victory Wednesday in Game 2, and the first thing on their minds is preventing a rout.

"We've been getting our heads beat in and we've got a headache," Andy Van Slyke said. "We're in the emergency room and we hope we're not in intensive care by Friday."

The series resumes Friday night with rookie knuckballer Tim Wakefield pitching against Atlanta's Tom Glavine.

"It seems like the weight of the world is on their shoulders and they probably feel like they have to carry the whole team," Game 2 winner Steve Avery said.

By the time Pittsburgh finally stopped Avery's playoff scoreless streak at 22 1-3 innings, the game already was a blowout. The Braves scored four runs in the second off Danny Jackson and Ron Gant's grand slam in the fifth made it 8-0.

"We were embarrassed," Pirates manager Jim Leyland said. "We're in an uphill climb and it's not a good situation to be in."

Avery blanked the Pirates for six innings. He had pitched an NL-record 16 1-3 scoreless innings in beating the Pirates twice in the postseason last year. The streak ended when Pittsburgh scored four times in the seventh.

"It was fun while it lasted," Avery said. "It came to a quick halt, though. When I got the big lead, I may have lost my concentration a little bit."

Pittsburgh scored on run-scoring double by Lloyd McClendon, Jose Lind's two-run triple and a wild pitch. The previous record for scoreless innings was set by Ken Holtzman, who did it in 1973-74 for the Oakland Athletics.

"That might have been a case of being too fired up and losing a little bit with the big lead," Avery said. "With the big lead, I don't think I was concentrating as well as I was earlier."

Avery allowed two hits in the first six innings, struck out three and walked one.

After winning 5-1 Tuesday night, the Braves got 14 hits against seven pitchers. Atlanta's Mark Lemke had three hits and raised his two-game average to .625. Gant homered and singled and scored three runs. Damon Berryhill and Terry Pendleton had two hits apiece, while Pendleton and David Justice each had two RBIs.

"I didn't expect all those runs," Atlanta manager Bobby Cox said. "We hit some heavy artillery today."

Pittsburgh, meanwhile, still can't find its big shots. Barry Bonds is 1 for 6 in the two games and Van Slyke is 1 for 9. Overall in postseason play, Bonds is 8 for 51 (.157) and Van Slyke is 11 for 68, (.162).

"There's nothing you can say to anybody, really," Leyland said. "The only good thing about it is that it's over. We had a real tough day."

The 13 runs by Atlanta tied the playoffs record set by the New York Yankees against Oakland in the 1981 AL playoffs and matched by the Chicago Cubs against San Diego in 1984.

The 18 runs scored by both teams set a playoff record. The previous record of 17 was achieved twice. Atlanta lost to the New York Mets 11-6 in 1969 and Baltimore beat California 9-8 in 1979.

WTC 'pokes ride in Vernon rodeo

Coach Bob Doty's Western Texas College rodeo team will try to make it two in a row this week at the Vernon Regional Junior College NIRA Rodeo, following a first-place finish a week ago at Sul Ross State University.

The Westerners' 325-point effort was led by a six-man sweep of the bareback riding's long go, featuring eventual event winner Eric Mouton, who carded a two-head 149, including a rodeo-best 75 in the first round, and Troy Thomson and Travis Whiteside, who wound up tied for second with identical 136 scores.

Western Texas' roughstock mastery carried over into the bull riding at Sul Ross. Trey Griffin grabbed first-place points for the Westerners with his 151 combined score.

Perfomances at the VRJC Rodeo will be held nightly through Saturday at 8 o'clock. Sunday's finals, featuring the top 10 qualifiers in each event, will start at 1 p.m.

Western Texas has last week's first and a season-opening second-place finish at Eastern New Mexico University to its credit for the fall campaign.

Following the Vernon event, WTC cowboys will be off until the season-ending Nov. 5-7 Texas Tech Rodeo.

Playoff glance

By The Associated Press
All Times EDT

PLAYOFFS

American League

Wednesday, Oct. 7
Oakland 4, Toronto 3, Oakland leads series 1-0

Thursday, Oct. 8
Oakland (Moore 17-12) at Toronto (Cone 4-3), 8:37 p.m.

Saturday, Oct. 10
Toronto (Key 13-13 or Guzman 16-5) at Oakland (Darling 15-10), 3 p.m.

Sunday, Oct. 11
Toronto at Oakland, 4:10 p.m.

Monday, Oct. 12
Toronto at Oakland, 3:07 p.m., if necessary

Wednesday, Oct. 14
Oakland at Toronto, 3:07 p.m. or 8:26 p.m., if necessary

Thursday, Oct. 15
Oakland at Toronto, 8:37 p.m., if necessary

National League

Tuesday, Oct. 6
Atlanta 5, Pittsburgh 1

Wednesday, Oct. 7
Atlanta 13, Pittsburgh 5, Atlanta leads series 2-0

Friday, Oct. 9
Atlanta (Glavine 20-8) at Pittsburgh (Wakefield 8-1), 8:37 p.m.

Saturday, Oct. 10
Atlanta at Pittsburgh, 8:37 p.m.

Sunday, Oct. 11
Atlanta at Pittsburgh, 8:37 p.m, if necessary

Tuesday, Oct. 13
Pittsburgh at Atlanta, 8:37 p.m., if necessary

Wednesday, Oct. 14
Pittsburgh at Atlanta, 8:26 p.m., if necessary

Oakland powers past Toronto

TORONTO (AP) — The hurdles keep coming, and the Oakland Athletics keep rising above them.

Losing a 3-0 lead Wednesday night was a mere nuisance, considering all they'd been through. Harold Baines simply flicked it away with a game-winning solo homer in the ninth inning.

The A's beat the Toronto Blue Jays 4-3 in the American League playoff opener, continuing their determined course through a tumultuous season.

Dave Stewart, despite his second straight subpar regular season, was superb. His hitters, despite the loss of slugger Jose Canseco, were smashing. His fielders, not as sure-handed as in past seasons, were slick.

And his team, which survived an injury epidemic and faces the loss of talented free agents, kept winning.

"I think maybe people don't give us the respect we deserve," Stewart said after Oakland's seventh straight playoff victory. "I don't think it should be a surprise."

"We showed we could come back," Toronto's Dave Winfield said. "A first-game win is important for many reasons, but one loss in a best-of-7 series is not a catastrophe. We're not going to lose any sleep."

Stewart was staked to a 3-0 lead on Mark McGwire's two-run homer and Terry Steinbach's solo shot on consecutive at-bats in the second inning.

Toronto blasted back with homers by Pat Borders in the fifth and Winfield in the sixth that made the score 3-2.

Stewart left after Winfield's two-out double in the eighth, and reliever Jeff Russell was greeted by John Olerud's game-tying single.

Then Baines, whose .253 batting average was the lowest of his 13 major league seasons, epitomized his team's year by shrugging off that adversity with his leadoff homer.

"If you give up on yourself, you could defeat the purpose," he said.

Instead, he defeated the Blue Jays and their big-game pitcher Jack Morris.

"They beat me fair and square," said Morris, who is now 7-2.

Stewart, 5-0 in the AL playoffs, was the other half of the matchup of money pitchers and stayed cool despite getting himself into some hot spots. He retired the side in order in only one inning.

"The pitch count was up, but I had good stuff," he said.

SJHS spikers thump C-City

COLORADO CITY — Snyder's seventh and eighth grade Black teams claimed junior high volleyball wins in a Monday visit here.

The eighth grade took a 15-6, 15-5 decision while seventh graders won, 15-4, 15-9.

In other action Monday, SJHS eighth grade Gold team fell, 5-15, 15-12, 10-15.

The eighth grade Black win was led by MVP Bianca Sims and Brandy Cortez, each with five service points. Sarah Knowles and Angie Rodriguez each accounted for four, Nicole Lyons and Mary Beth Dillaha punched three each, Elyse Merritt and Keri Nachlinger were credited with two apiece and Shelly York and Dotty Vanderpool slammed one each.

The defensive MVP for Snyder was Shawna Huddleston.

Misty Curry put in seven to lead the seventh grade Black Monday. Daysha Weaver contributed five, Latecia Anderson and April Fletcher nailed four each, Priscilla Tovar had three, Kasey Cole wound up with two and Lisa McNair, Misty Davidson, Shanna Fisk, Julie Vaca and Marissa Wilson finished with one apiece.

Curry and Weaver were named MVPs and Kristy Bollinger was cited for outstanding defensive effort.

Snyder Junior High teams will host their own tournament Saturday, beginning at 9 a.m. Seventh grade teams will play at Travis Gym, while eighth graders compete at SJHS.

Fishing report

THOMAS: Crappie fishing good up to 1½ pounds on minnows; white bass fair trolling; blue catfish fair; balck bass and yellow catfish slow. Water temperature 70 degrees.

FORT PHANTOM HILL: Water clear, 75 degrees, normal level; black bass are good to 5 pounds on buzz baits and spinners; striper are poor; crappie are fair to 10 fish per string on minnows; white bass are poor; catfish are poor.

HUBBARD CREEK: Water clear, normal level; black bass are fair to 5.83 pounds on artificials; striper are slow; crappie are good to 2 pounds on minnows up the rivers; white bass are slow; catfish are slow.

O.H.IVIE: Main lake clear, upper end murky, 73 degrees, lake full; black bass are excellent to 20 inches on worms and buzz baits in 2 to 20 feet of water in the upper end around 1929 bridge and along the ridges and points either trolling or casting, some boats released up to 90 fish per boat per day with good numbers caught all over the lake; small mouth bass are good in number; crappie are good to 11/2 pounds on minnows in 10-20 feet of water along brushy ridges; channel and blue catfish are good to 5 pounds on trotlines and rod and reels on the flats and up rivers; yellow catfish are fair to 15 pounds up river on trotlines with live bait.

PROCTOR: Water a little murky, 3 feet above normal level; black bass are improving to 2 pounds on plastic worms; striper are poor; crappie are fair to 15 fish per string on minnows; catfish are slow.

SPENCE: Water clear, 77 degree, 23 feet low; black bass are hitting around the mouth of Paint Creek, biggest fish were in the 5-6 pound range and were caught on plastic worms; striper are good to 14 pounds on slabs, cut bait; crappie are slow; catfish are good on trotlines to 6 pounds on shiners and nightcrawlers.

Sport Shorts

Hughes honored

Ira senior deep back Mike Hughes was named honorable mention in this week's Abilene Reporter-News High School Football Players of the Week picks.

Hughes rushed 22 tmes for 191 yards and passed for 258 yards on an 11-of-20 night and added four kickoff returns for 154 yards, including one for a touchdown, in Ira's 56-37 six-man win over Meadow Friday night.

Other honorees listed were Colorado City quarterback David Castillo, who threw three TD passes in the Wolves' 25-14 win over Muleshoe, and Roscoe running back Edward Acebedo, who led the Plowboys to a 68-0 tromping of Miles with 203 rushing yards and three TDs in 18 carries.

Mosses win SCC Turkey Shoot

Bill and Judy Moss were the winners in last weekend's Sunday Couples Turkey Shoot golf tournament at Snyder Country Club.

Dutch and Donna Stehley took runner-up honors, Bear and Peggy Hardin finished third and Jack and Kaye Cypert and Norma Thompson and Mike McLeod tied for fourth place.

Closest to the Pin winners were Anita Talbott and Howard Sterling.

The event was the final couples tournament of the season at the club.

September winners announced

The Ladies' Golf Association at Snyder Country Club announced its September winners today, including Doris Gard, Carolyn Greene and Anita Talbott in the group's Sept. 9 Low Score on Even Holes tourney.

Suzy Reed, Finnie Seale, Kaye Cypert, Esther Guelker, Stacy Reed, Gard, Becky Knipe, Randy Hood and Holly Sarefield were winners in the Queen of the Hill event, held Sept. 15.

Play the Pro top honors from Sept. 22 went to Guelker, Stacy Reed, Jo Sterling, Juanita Hester, Gard, Knipe, Norma Thompson, Donna Stehley, Marie Dollins, Cypert and Martha Fagin.

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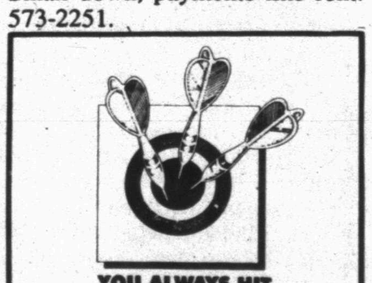
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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS OF PROPOSED TEXAS HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE WORK

Sealed proposals for: Mowing Highway Right-of-way; Highway: Various; County(ies): Various; will be received by the Texas Department of Transportation located at: 4250 N. Clack, Abilene, Texas until Respective Bid Opening Time: Monday, October 26, 1992 then publicly read.

All Prospective Bidders are encouraged to attend the Pre-Bidders' Conference which will be held at the Texas Department of Transportation's District Office at: 4250 N. Clack, Abilene, Texas. Time & Date: 10:30 A.M.; Thursday; October 8, 1992.

Bidding proposals, plans and specifications will be available at the District Maintenance Engineer's Office at: 4250 N. Clack, Abilene, Texas, Telephone (915) 676-6851.

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TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS

You are hereby notified of the opportunity to request a public hearing and/or submit written comments concerning construction permit applications No. 20660 and No. PSD-TX-795 by MOBIL PRODUCING TEXAS AND NEW MEXICO, INC., to construct a CO2 injection facility in Kent County, Texas. The proposed location is 6 miles northeast of the intersection of U.S. Highway 380 and Texas FM 1081 in Kent County, Texas. The proposed CO2 injection facility will emit the following air contaminants in amounts significant enough to require a Prevention of Significant Deterioration permit: nitrogen oxides, carbon monoxide, and volatile organic compounds. In addition, the proposed CO2 injection facility will emit: sulfur dioxide, particulate matter including PM10, and hydrogen sulfide. No other pollutant emission increase will result from this construction.

The Executive Director of the Texas Air Control board (TACB) has determined that the proposed CO2 injection facility will not violate any state or federal air quality regulations and will not have any significant adverse impact on soils, vegetation or visibility. All air contaminants have been evaluated and "best available control technology" has been addressed for the control of these contaminants. He, therefore, has made the preliminary determination to issue these permits.

The degree of PSD increment predicted to be consumed by the proposed facility and other increment consuming sources in the area is as follows:

Nitrogen Dioxide
Averaging Time: Annual; Maximum Increment Consumed (ug/m3): 24.7; Maximum Allowable Increment (ug/m3): 25

A copy of the administrative record, including all materials submitted by the applicant and additional information, are available at the office of Ms. Winona Henry, Regional Director, Texas Air Control Board, Abilene, Regional Office, at 1290 South Willis, Suite 205, telephone number (915)698-9674 and at the Texas Air Control Board at 12124 Park 35 Circle, Austin, Texas 78753. Interested parties may inspect these materials during regular business hours (8-5, M-F) and submit written comments and/or request for hearing to the Executive Director of the TACB. Any person who may be affected by emissions of air contaminants from the proposed facility may request a hearing from the Board. Requests for hearing must be in writing and shall state the nature of the issues proposed to be raised in the hearing. Comments should be limited to the air pollution aspects of the proposed project and should not concern land use aspects which are beyond the jurisdiction of the TACB. All air pollution related comments and requests for a public hearing must be received in wiritng by November 9, 1992. All written comments submitted to the Executive Director shall be considered in determining whether to issue or not to issue the permits. All comments will be available for public inspection at the TACB ofice in Austin.

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Environmentalists fear dangers from free trade accord

MATAMAROS, Mexico (AP) — The leaders of Canada, Mexico and the United States may laud their new trade deal as universally beneficial, but environmentalists fear dark consequences.

Critics say a burst of new industry in Mexico spurred by the North American Free Trade Agreement could be responsible for tragedies like those that have overtaken Hermilio Mata and Ricarda Martinez, Mexicans who live in this industrial border town just south of Brownsville, Texas.

Both are recent parents of babies born without brains. Thousands of other families on both sides of the U.S.-Mexican border have suffered the same affliction, and nobody knows why.

Speculation on causes range from nutrition, genetics, viral infections, drug abuse and — increasingly — industrial pollution.

The babies are stillborn, or die shortly after birth. Though no link has been proven between industrial pollution and such births, environmentalists are worried that new industry in northern Mexico could combine with lax enforcement of environmental laws to bring a wide range of harmful effects.

House Majority Leader Richard A. Gephardt wants the trade deal renegotiated to better protect health.

"It's clear that the U.S. and Mexican governments are doing all they can to promote this agreement and to obscure any information that calls into question the benefits for our people and the effects of this agreement on their health," the Missouri Democrat told The Associated Press.

Mexican environmental laws, on paper, are exemplary. But some are seldom enforced. For instance, maquiladoras, as foreign plants in the area are known, are required to return toxic waste to the United States. Mexico estimates that up to 60 percent of it gets left behind.

At a time when Mexico, the United States and Canada are all praising the trade agreement, some people fear environmental concerns are being swept under the rug.

Babies born without brains or with severely underdeveloped brains are known as anencephalic, a condition caused by the failure of the spinal column to close during early pregnancy. Statistics show a recent increase in cases, and some speculate the numbers still underreport the phenomenon.

"There's political pressure to minimize the problem and it has to do with the free trade agreement," says Dr. Timothy Thurber, a Brownsville pediatrician.

"Even if it is never proven that industrial pollution is causing this, there certainly is circumstantial evidence. But it is hard to prove," he said.

For Mexico's part, however, Health Secretary Jesus Kumate says "there is no epidemic" of anencephaly in Mexico. "This disease has been around for centuries."

An official document suggests that Mexico, which strongly favors the treaty, is not interested in finding pollution-related problems.

"Finding ourselves on the eve of the free trade treaty, it's imperative to totally dispel all doubts concerning the country's sanitary infrastucture, such as the control of toxic waste," reads a Health Ministry memorandum issued at the start of an investigation into anencephaly in Ciudad Juarez, south of El Paso, Texas.

Some 3,300 anencephalic babies are born every year in Mexico, a rate of 18.4 per 10,000 births — the world's highest.

These figures do not include babies without death certificates, if only one parent appears on the certificate, or if the parents have no address, eliminating single mothers and thousands of families who erect shacks on streets with no names or numbers.

The United States has a low rate of anencephaly — three per 10,000 — but the rate is nearly four times that along the border.

A document by Mexico's Registry of Malformations obtained by The Associated Press shows rises in many border cities.

Ciudad Juarez went from three cases per 10,000 in 1988 to 23 per 10,000 in 1990; Ciudad Acuna's rate rose from nearly zero per 10,000 in 1988 to 28 per 10,000 in 1991; in Reynosa the rate climbed from 11 per 10,000 on 1988 to 19 per 10,000 in 1990.

Dr. Romeo Flores de la Fuente, director of a hospital in Ciudad Acuna, reported six cases out of 800 births so far in 1992, or 75 per 10,000 births.

Anencephaly grabbed headlines in April 1991, after three cases at Brownsville's Valley Regional Medical Center appeared within 36 hours.

In Cameron County, which surrounds Brownsville, there have been 70 cases since 1986 — 46 in the past three years, virtually the same figure as for Matamoros.

A study by the Texas Health Department says brain development could be affected by folic acid, found in green leafy vegetables. Folic acid capsules will be distributed to women of childbearing age in Cameron County.

Key facts about the trade pact

WASHINGTON (AP) — Here are key facts about the North American Free Trade Agreement that would link the United States, Mexico and Canada economically.

—WHAT IT DOES: Tariffs and other barriers to the movement of goods, services and investment among the three countries would be eliminated, creating the world's largest and richest trading bloc, covering 360 million people.

—TIMING: The pact, which must be approved by the legislatures of all three nations, would take effect Jan. 1, 1994. Congress is not scheduled to begin consideration of the proposal until next spring at the earliest.

—TARIFFS: All tariffs would be eliminated over a 15-year period, with industries that suffer the most from import competition getting the longest time to adjust. About half of all U.S. exports to Mexico would be eligible for duty-free treatment within five years. Currently, U.S. tariffs on Mexican products average less than 4 percent, while Mexican tariffs on American products average 10 percent.

—ENVIRONMENT: The agreement states that national and state laws protecting the environment, health or safety cannot be overruled by the pact. Environmentalists have expressed concerns that the agreement would increase pollution along the U.S.-Mexico border unless Mexico beefs up its enforcement.

—JOB PROTECTION: The Bush administration has pledged that U.S. workers who lose their jobs because of the trade pact would be eligible for retraining assistance either through existing or expanded federal programs.

—AUTOS: To qualify for duty-free treatment, the North American content of cars, now set at 50 percent, would have to reach 62.5 percent after eight years. This would prevent a country such as Japan from shipping parts to Mexico for assembly into cars destined for the United States.

—AGRICULTURE: U.S. farmers would be given 15 years to adjust to added competition from Mexican producers of such crops as peanuts, broccoli, cauliflower, onions, orange juice concentrate, melons, sugar and asparagus. Mexican import licenses, which cover about 25 percent of U.S. exports, would be dropped immediately.

—FINANCIAL SERVICES: U.S. and Canadian banks, virtually shut out of Mexico at present, would be allowed to establish wholly owned subsidiaries in Mexico.

—TEXTILES: Mexico would be able to escape high duties on shipments to the United States and Canada if the clothing is made from yarns and fabrics that come from North America.

—TRUCKING: Mexico would allow foreigners to invest in its trucking firms and buses and truckers with international cargo would be given "open roads" throughout the continent.

Gov. Richards ready for lame-duck session

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas lawmakers likely will be called to a special session on school finance the week after the November election, Gov. Ann Richards says.

She said the lame-duck session would debate a finance plan being prepared by her, Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock and outgoing House Speaker Gib Lewis.

"I expect us to present a unified plan ... Are we going to be successful? I can't tell you that. I don't know. We're going to try very hard," Richards said Wednesday.

The Texas Supreme Court repeatedly has struck down school finance plans, saying the system wasn't equitable to poor districts. The issue has been one of the most bitter and divisive for legislators since the late 1980s.

At least three dozen of the current House and Senate members, including the House speaker, are lame ducks. They won't be returning for the 1993 Legislature because of retirements or primary election defeats.

But Richards said she wants to debate school finance in November rather than waiting until the regular session opens in early January with the new lawmakers.

She said that is because the proposal will include a constitutional amendment that needs to go to voters before the June 1, 1993, court deadline for action.

Any proposed amendment would have to clear the Legislature by Feb. 21 to make the ballot, her aides said. Richards said meeting that deadline would be difficult to do in the first month of a new regular session.

"It's very important to address the issue in November to get a constitutional amendment on the ballot," she said. "I hope very much we can get the 100 (of 150) votes in the House that are necessary for a constitutional amendment. But I can't make you any guarantees at all that that will happen."

Richards said she doesn't plan to reveal details of the school finance proposal until "right before the session."

Her staff and those of Bullock and Lewis have been working for months to craft a plan that passes court muster.

"It's going to be along the lines we've discussed since the beginning — very limited recapture (of money) from a small number of districts to bring equity," said Rafe Greenlee, a spokesman for Bullock.

Richards had discussed calling a special session in May, shortly after she unveiled her own proposal to levy a statewide tax on business property and divide that money among all school districts.

However, legislative support was lacking for the idea, and no session was convened.

Republicans are pushing hard to increase their numbers in the 31-member Senate, where they now hold nine seats. An increase of two would give them more than one-third of the seats.

Looming GM strike threatens livelihoods

ANDERSON, Ind. (AP) — General Motors employee Jeanne Vandergrift counts herself among the survivors toughened by recession and layoffs in this manufacturing city. Now she wonders whether even the survivors will last.

The United Auto Workers are threatening a strike at a GM parts factory that could shut down every one of the company's assembly plants in North America.

Vandergrift and other workers at the plant in Anderson, 35 miles northeast of Indianapolis, fear their jobs are threatened by a cost-cutting program at GM that includes seeking cheaper sources for auto parts.

The Inland Fisher Guide plant in Anderson is crucial to GM production because it supplies dimming equipment, taillights and other outside lights for most GM cars.

GM on Wednesday received the required five-day notice from the union of its intent to strike. A walkout could begin on Oct. 14.

A strike at the Fisher Guide factory could be the biggest challenge yet to GM's plans to close 21 plants and cut 60,000 hourly jobs in the United States and Canada by 1995.

The UAW has gone on strike against GM twice since Aug. 27 over issues involving worker cutbacks. Many employees fear GM will replace them with lower-paid workers in Mexico.

"That's the scary part. No one knows," said Vandergrift, a 14-year veteran.

Fears run deep in this city of 60,000. The 4,300 union workers at the Fisher Guide plant and nearly 7,000 more at the Delco Remy parts plant across town make GM the city's largest employer by far.

City business leaders sought to diversify the economy after unemployment shot up to 21 percent in 1980 as the auto industry suffered a sharp downturn. About 10,000 workers were left jobless.

Since then, Anderson has succeeded in drawing several small service industries, but the city is still vulnerable.

"You can diversify all you want," Mayor J. Mark Lawler said. But GM's continued strong presence "still has a very heavy impact."

Inmate at Price Daniel Unit...

Halcion caused former law officer to kill, lawsuit says

DALLAS (AP) — A former assistant police chief is serving a life prison term for his best friend's slaying because a powerful drug made the law officer violent, an attorney contends.

Jurors heard opening statements Wednesday in a 5.5 million civil lawsuit over Halcion, the world's most widely prescribed sleeping pill.

William R. Freeman, formerly of the Fort Stockton police department, would not be in prison for Donnie Hazelwood's 1987 slaying were it not for what Dallas attorney Randy Johnston called the "killer drug".

"I am convinced that when the evidence is in, you will consider that Mr. Freeman's family deserves to be compensated for the pain, humiliation and tragedy inflicted on them by this drug," he said in his opening statement.

Freeman was sentenced in 1989. The same year, Freeman, his wife and four children filed a lawsuit against Upjohn Co.

Freeman is currently incarcerated in the Price Daniel Unit in Snyder.

Johnston told an eight-man, three-woman jury that Upjohn lied to the U.S. Food and Drug Administration to secure Halcion's approval.

But an attorney for the Kalamazoo, Mich.-based company denied the contention. He added that Halcion wasn't even mentioned to jurors in Freeman's criminal trial.

"They convicted him of murder and sentenced him to life in prison," said Upjohn's attorney, Richard L. Josephson of Dallas. "We are here to undo what another jury did and award a substantial amount of money to a murderer."

Josephson said that Freeman, rather than a victim of Halcion, was a heavy user of other drugs and of alcohol.

"He (Freeman) even took money he was supposed to use for buying his child's milk and bought rum," the attorney said.

But Johnston countered that Freeman drank and took other drugs after a serious back injury, while on police duty in 1984, required surgery.

"The man was in pain, disabled from his job and he drank," Johnston told the 11-member jury.

Freeman received Halcion for more than two years as a result of his injuries, said Johnston said. He said the FDA no longer allows patients to take even half the Halcion dosage that Freeman was prescribed by doctors.

State District Judge John M. Marshall on Wednesday excused a 12th juror whose illness had delayed the trial's start the previous day.

A document filed in the lawsuit, the first involving Halcion to go to trial against Upjohn, said the drug caused Freeman to experience paranoia, memory loss and other abnormal behavior before shooting Hazelwood in the head.

The product liability and negligence case contends Upjohn failed to provide adequate warnings for Halcion and failing to inform Freeman and his doctors, including one in Dallas, of dangerous side effects.

Fitness problems in Texas Army National Guard listed

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas (AP) — There are more than 8,000 soldiers in the Texas Army National Guard who can't be promoted or receive awards because they are unfit, overweight or unable to pass drug tests, a Guard spokesman says.

Lt. Col. Edmond Komandosky, the spokesman, said Wednesday that fitness and drug tests are given to keep soldiers fit for combat or state emergencies.

John Macartney, an associate professor and military policy expert at The American University in Washington. said the figures raise serious questions about the combat readiness of the Texas National Guard.

Komandosky said that soldiers who don't shape up and pass the next text, which will be administered within six months, are supposed to be discharged.

He said that could cause the Guard to lose millions of dollars in federal funding for payroll, training and schooling.

The Guard's management of the physical fitness and weight tests is the focus of ongoing state and federal investigations into alleged racial discrimination.

Some soldiers are allowed to remain in the service after repeatedly failing the tests, while others are removed or prohibited from retaking the test, according to several complaints.

Of the 19,000 enlisted Texas Army Guard soldiers, 8,430 have had their records flagged for failing the physical fitness, weight or drug tests, the statistics show. About 200 of those are for failing the drug test, Komandosky said.

Poet is Nobel winner

STOCKHOLM, Sweden (AP) — West Indian poet Derek Walcott won the $1.2 million 1992 Nobel Prize in literature today, and the Swedish academy hailed his "historical vision, the outcome of a multicultural commitment."

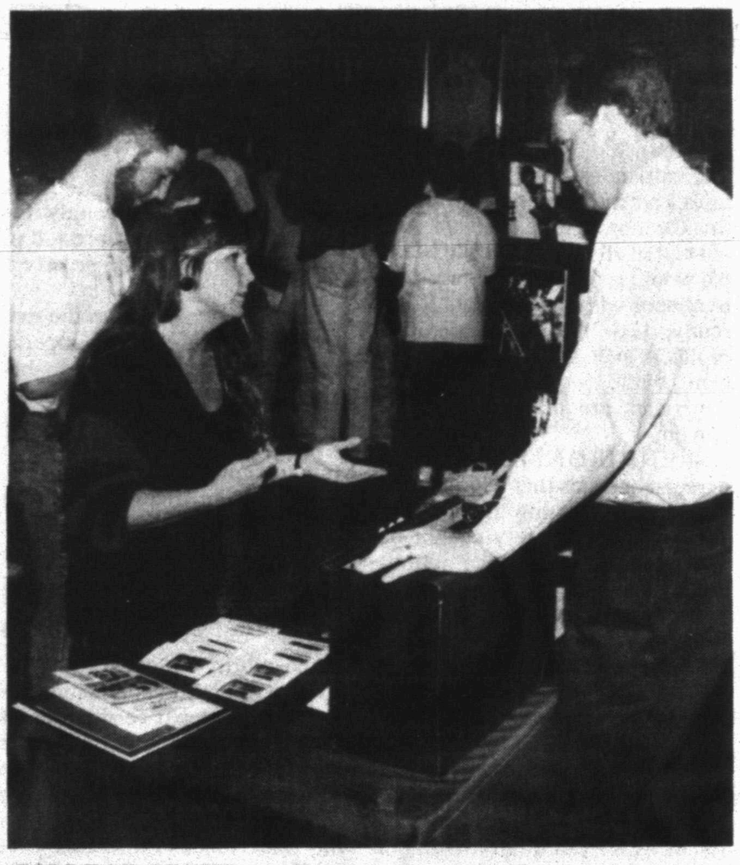
"In him West Indian culture has found its great poet," the academy said of Wolcott, 62. "He has an intense belief in poetry and poets, and he has made this one of his themes."'

Walcott, who was born in St. Lucia, teaches literature and creative writing at Boston University. A poet, playwright, teacher, journalist and painter, he frequently travels to the Caribbean to stay in touch with the environment about which he writes.

Walcott was "honored and moved" when he received the phone call telling him he had won, said academy secretary Sture Allen.

The academy said that in Walcott's latest poetic work, "Omeros," a 64-chapter Caribbean epic, he "weaves his many strands into a whole. We find Homer, Poe, Mayakovsky and Melville" in the work, the academy said. He also quotes the Beatles.

Walcott's metaphors and images are numerous and often striking, the academy said.



COLLEGE NIGHT — Western Texas College student Anita Brown talks with Jerry Dodson, a representative of Howard Payne University in Brownwood, during Wednesday's College Night held at the WTC campus. Also pictured is David Cozart, a Snyder High School graduate who attends Howard Payne. (SDN Staff Photo)

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Mobil Producing Texas & New Mexico, Inc. has made application with the Texas Air Control Board for Permit No. C-20660 and No. PSD-TX-795 to construct a carcon dioxide injection plant at the Salt Creek Gas Plant near Clairemont, Kent County, Texas. The proposed location is 6 miles northeast of the intersection of U.S. Highway 380 and FM 1081. Additional information concerning this application is contained in the public notice section of this newspaper. This notice is to be published on October 8, 1992 and October 9, 1992.

Markets Midday Stocks

NEW YORK (AP)

	High	Low	Last	
AMR Corp	567/8	561/4	561/2	
Albtsn	441/8	435/8	437/8	+3/8
AlliedSignal	521/2	513/4	513/4	-5/8
ALLTEL Cp	431/8	427/8	43	-1/4
AmStores	405/8	401/4	401/2	+7/8
Amer T&T	417/8	411/2	413/4	+1/4
Ameritech	661/4	657/8	661/8	+1/2
Amoco	51	501/2	51	+1/2
AndarkPtr	293/4	291/2	291/2	-1/4
Arkla	101/2	101/4	103/8	+1/8
ArmcoInc	53/8	51/4	53/8	+1/8
AtlRichfld	117	1165/8	1163/4	-3/8
BakerHugh	231/8	225/8	23	+3/8
BancTexas	15/8	11/2	11/2	-1/8
BellAtl	465/8	463/8	463/8	+3/8
BellSouth	511/4	507/8	51	+3/8
Beth Steel	103/4	105/8	103/4	+1/4
Borden	27	265/8	267/8	+1/4
Caterplir	493/8	487/8	49	+1/8
Centel	317/8	313/4	317/8	
CenSoWst s	285/8	283/8	283/8	
Chevron	74	735/8	737/8	+3/4
Chrysler	225/8	223/8	221/2	+1/4
Coastal	293/8	291/8	291/4	-1/4
CocaCola s	377/8	371/8	371/2	
ColgP	571/4	561/2	571/4	+3/4
CooperIn	51	507/8	51	+1/4
CyprusMn	271/4	265/8	27	-3/8
DallSemicn	117/8	115/8	117/8	+1/4
DeltaAirl	561/8	551/2	553/4	
DigitalEq	361/4	353/4	353/4	+1/8
Dillard s	371/2	365/8	363/4	+3/8
DowChem	541/2	54	541/8	+1/8
DresserInd	19	183/4	187/8	+1/8
DuPont	457/8	455/8	453/4	+1/4
EstKodak	431/8	423/4	427/8	-1/8
EljerInd	10	97/8	10	
Enserch	151/4	151/8	151/4	+1/8
Exxon	623/8	617/8	623/8	+1/2
FtCtyBcp	1	1	1	
FlowerInd	181/8	177/8	177/8	+1/8
FordMotor	367/8	363/8	363/4	+1/2
GTE Cp	333/8	331/8	331/4	-1/8
GnDynam	913/4	901/2	911/2	+13/8
GenElct	741/2	74	741/2	+3/4
GnMill	657/8	65	657/8	+7/8
GenMotors	30	293/4	297/8	-1/8
GenMotrE s	291/4	291/8	291/8	
GaPacif	491/2	49	493/8	+3/8
GlobalMar	25/8	21/2	21/2	-1/4
Goodrich	411/2	413/8	411/2	+1/8
Goodyear	607/8	60	603/8	+1/4
GtAtlPac	221/2	221/4	221/4	
Gulf StaUt	163/8	161/4	161/4	
Haliburtn	321/4	317/8	317/8	
Hanson	183/8	181/4	181/4	
HoustInd	427/8	425/8	425/8	+1/8
IBM	793/8	781/2	791/4	+7/8
IntlPaper	603/8	595/8	595/8	-3/8
JohnsnJns s	461/4	453/4	461/4	+3/4
K mart s	241/4	233/4	237/8	-1/8
Kroger	121/4	117/8	117/8	-1/8
vjLTV Cp	5/8	9-16	9-16	
Litton s	403/4	393/4	393/4	—1
vjLoneStar	27/8	27/8	27/8	
Lowes s	181/2	183/8	181/2	+1/4
Lubys	153/4	155/8	153/4	+1/8
Maxus	71/4	71/8	71/8	-1/8
MayDSt	641/2	635/8	633/4	-1/8
Medtronic	961/4	94	953/4	+11/8
Mobil	621/2	621/8	623/8	+3/8
Monsanto	525/8	521/8	521/8	-5/8
Motorola	907/8	891/2	907/8	+11/8
Nationsbk	427/8	423/8	425/8	+1/4
Navistar	2	17/8	17/8	
Nynex	813/8	803/4	811/4	+1/4
OryxEngy	241/8	237/8	237/8	
PacTelesis	433/4	431/8	433/8	+1/4
PanhECp	19	185/8	19	+1/2
PenneyJC	723/4	711/4	713/8	-1/2
PepBoys	251/8	25	25	
PhelpD s	437/8	427/8	431/4	—13/8
PhilipPet	263/8	26	26	-3/8
PilgrmPrd	53/4	53/4	53/4	-1/8
Polaroid s	307/8	305/8	303/4	+1/8
Praxair n	161/8	157/8	157/8	
Primerica	431/2	431/4	433/8	+3/4
ProctGamb s	495/8	491/4	495/8	+5/8
PubS NwMx	123/4	123/4	123/4	+1/8
SFePacCp	113/8	111/4	111/4	
SaraLee	557/8	553/8	551/2	+1/8
SearsRoeb	421/2	421/8	421/8	+1/8
SherwinW	275/8	271/2	271/2	+1/8
SmthBck s	421/4	42	42	
SmthBc eqt s	373/4	373/8	371/2	-1/4
Southern Co	373/8	371/8	371/4	
SwAirl s	235/8	231/2	235/8	+1/2
SwstBell	651/2	647/8	647/8	-3/4
Sprint	243/8	241/4	241/4	
SunCo	233/4	235/8	233/4	+3/8
TNP Ent	193/8	191/4	193/8	+1/8
Tandy	267/8	265/8	263/4	+1/8
TempIlnl	453/8	45	45	
Tenneco	341/4	337/8	341/4	+3/8
Texaco	627/8	621/2	625/8	-1/8
TexasInst	441/8	433/4	44	+1/2
Tex Util	413/8	411/4	413/8	+1/8
Textron	36	355/8	36	+1/8
Tyler	41/2	41/2	41/2	
USWst	381/8	373/4	373/4	
USX-Marathn	171/2	171/4	173/8	+1/4
USX-USS	233/8	23	23	-1/4
UnCarbde	127/8	121/2	125/8	-1/8
UnPac	52	511/2	511/2	-5/8
UnitTech	471/8	463/4	463/4	
Unocal	255/8	251/8	255/8	+1/2
WalMart	583/8	577/8	581/4	+7/8
WstnGasRs	281/4	26	26	—23/4
WestghEl	153/8	143/4	15	-7/8
WinnDixie	611/4	603/4	611/8	+3/8
Woolwth	321/4	317/8	317/8	+1/8
Xerox Cp	775/8	771/4	771/2	+3/4
ZenithE	57/8	53/4	53/4	-1/8

Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS: Carolyn Potts, 700 E. 37th #118; Dorothy Kennedy, P.O. Box 403.

DISMISSALS: John Sneed.

Census: 38 (Med.-10, Long-Term Care-27, OB-1).

Cogdell

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plans to expand its specialty clinics and that neurology will probably be the next area to be considered.

Board members heard an in-service report on managed care contracts from Susan Neves and approved accounts payable and previous minutes.

A request for the purchase of carpet was deferred to a later meeting.

Lancaster said the hospital's annual capitation contract with the Texas Department of Criminal Justice is still being negotiated. The contract is ongoing unless a 90-day notice is given.

He told the board that the prison health administrator from the Preston E. Smith Unit in Lamesa will coming to Snyder next week to discuss Cogdell's involvement with the TDCJ and how the Lamesa staff can prepare to serve their health care facility.

Present were board members Sue Mize, Bill Wilson III, Jim Palmer and G.A. Parks Jr., board chairman. Ted Crenwelge and Doug Foster were absent.

Teaching

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teachers in grades 1-6.

Stanfield Elementary teachers will receive their Positive Action Program kits for review and be presented training for Site-Based Management.

East and Central Elementary teachers will preview the Positive Action Program and make recommendations for use in the classroom. Central teachers will also hear a report from the ESC "Grading" Workshop and discuss use of certain instructional equipment for the classroom.

A Site-Based Decision Making Committee meeting will be the focus of in-service at the junior high. In addition, faculty and departmental meetings will be held.

In-service at the high school includes departmental and campus improvement meetings. A session on critical and higher order thinking will be included.

Obituaries

John M. Sealy

1951-1992

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif. — Memorial services are set for Oct. 16 at the Horizon House in Denver, Colo., for John M. Sealy, 41, of Denver.

Mr. Sealy died Sunday in Horizon House, a hospice, following a lengthy illness.

Born in San Diego, Calif., on March 15, 1951, he had lived in Snyder in 1976 and was employed by the Leisure Lodge Nursng Home, now known as Snyder Nursing Center. He was a professional florist in Denver, Colo.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Ramon D. Sealy in 1978.

Surviving are his parents, Marge Sealy and Bob Sealy, both of Snyder; his sister, Lori Decker of Big Spring; a niece, Leah Sealy of Snyder; his aunts and uncles, Mr. and Mrs. A.B. Sealy of Las Vegas, Nev., Mr. and Mrs. Don Sealy of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sealy of Aurora, Colo., and Russell Miller of Akron, Ohio; and many cousins.

The family suggests memorials to the Horizon House, 3601 S. Allison, Denver, Colo., 80235.

EXCEPTIONAL MUSICIANS — Karomy Drum and Emily Zeck, from left, were named bandsmen of the month for September by Snyder Junior High School instructors, Cathi McFall and Melissa Minton. Karomy, percussionist, is a seventh grader and Emily, a saxophonist, is an eighth grader. (SDN Staff Photo)

Slick thieves give police fits

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas (AP) — Slick thieves are at work in cities across Texas, authorities say, stealing large quantities of used grease from fast food restaurants.

"I laughed when I first heard about it, but this is big business," said police Sgt. Gary Hill, a Corpus Christi theft investigator. "I'm told they can make $12,000 a week doing this."

Fast food restaurants use a mixture of animal fat and vegetable oil to prepare their food. Afterward, instead of throwing it away, they pour it into metal bins for resale at 11 cents a pound to companies who recycle it to make cosmetics, cattle feed, soap and even plastic explosives.

Pilfering grease doesn't sound like a major criminal enterprise, but officials with the companies that collect grease say they are losing thousands of dollars a week.

"We've had a terrible rash of thefts beginning in Houston, San Antonio and Corpus Christi. It was just unbelievable. They're cleaning us out," said Larry Findley, chief security officer for Griffin Industries, a rendering company based in Cold Springs, Ky.

Findley, a 13-year San Antonio police veteran, was hired four years ago to help nab the slippery bandits.

The company contracts with 500 customers in the Corpus Christi area to collect grease. It has 188 bins in Corpus Christi alone and thousands more in the 22 states it serves.

Two years ago, Griffin began documenting losses of about $8,000 a week in Houston, and $2,500 to $3,000 in Corpus Christi to grease thieves, Findley said.

John Steckler, general manager of Wommack Grease in Houston, said his company has been having similar problems in Texas cities.

"We pay them for the grease, and if we don't pick it up because it's been stolen, of course we don't pay it," Steckler told the Corpus Christi Caller-Times. "In a roundabout way, their profit drops. If we pay for all the grease, they'd see a substantial increase in the amount of their checks."

Findley and Steckler said such thefts have occurred for more than a dozen years, but the problem has recently become a costly one, especially in Texas.

In Louisiana, Florida and Alabama, Findley said, he's helped police nab grease bandits. Usually, the problem stops after a few arrests.

But in Texas, the problem is so widespread that Findley suspects the thieves are working for an unscrupulous grease collector.

Findley said he thinks that thieves in Austin, San Antonio, Beaumont, Houston and Corpus Christi are taking their grease to a dealer who buys the product for 5 cents a pound. The grease collector takes it to a recycler in Houston, where he sells it at about 11 cents a pound, he said.

Based on the amount of grease that's being stolen, Findley estimates that a dealer takes home at least $10,000 a week.

Rodney Perrin, manager of a Popeye's Famous Fried Chicken in Corpus Christi, said the thefts have become commonplace. The Griffin-marked metal grease bin behind his eatery was locked when Perrin left Tuesday night, he said. On Wednesday morning, the lock was gone.

"We just lose the resale value of the shortening. They (Griffin) have a lot of personnel and equipment invested in this," Perrin said. "With us, it's getting to be a habit where we're almost writing it off."

Dr. Gott by Peter Gott, M.D.

Removing the pain of heel spurs

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I have heel spurs, for which my doctor has suggested heel cushions or cortisone. I decided against the cortisone but, obviously, the cushions are not a long-term remedy. Since you're both sensible and practical, I'm requesting your views for control of this annoying problem.

DEAR READER: Heel spurs, which are outcrops of calcium from the heel bone, can irritate the tendons and sensitive soft tissues of the heel. The first (and least expensive) step is cushions, which may relieve much of the pressure on the spurs, hence on the tissues, too. If the cushions don't work, a cortisone injection (to reduce irritation) is a logical next step.

Because podiatrists deal exclusively with foot problems, I suggest you see one. Orthotics (special insoles) might prevent future problems. A podiatrist can advise you.

DEAR DR. GOTT: Several years ago my wife had a 90 percent blockage of the aorta. Her physician did bypass surgery and a bilateral sympathectomy at the same time. Since then, she has had no sexual desire of any kind, and we remember him asking if we had all the children we wanted. Just what was done to her?

DEAR READER: During the operation your wife required (to bypass the aorta and to sever certain nerves causing arterial construction), the surgeon probably damaged some of the nerves necessary for sexual arousal. If I'm correct in this assessment, the situation is permanent. In my opinion, you should have been informed of this potential consequence before surgery.

I suggest you ask your family doctor to find out (from operative reports and hospital records) what exactly the surgery entailed. He can then discuss this with you and explain the specifics about which you are concerned.

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

DEAR DR. GOTT: Has there been a compilation of your articles in book form and if not, do you plan on having one? I'm sure I am one of your many fans who likes your column and compiles regular articles.

DEAR READER: I published a collection of essays in 1986 called "No House Calls." The book was released by Simon and Schuster, later by Pocket Books. Unfortunately, it's out-of-print now, so it might be difficult to find a bookstore that stocks the book.

Thanks for writing.

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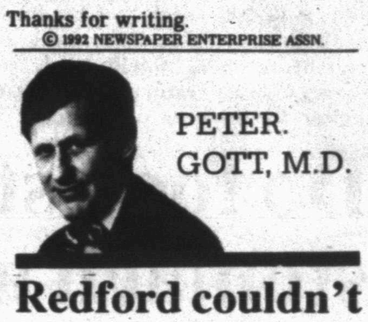

PETER. GOTT, M.D.

Redford couldn't use the river

NEW YORK (AP) — Robert Redford says the timber industry has caused so much damage that Montana's Blackfoot River, the subject of his new movie, "A River Runs Through it," could not be used for location shooting.

Clear-cutting and erosion have made it "a dying river," Redford, the film's producer and director, said in the next issue of USA Weekend. "We would have been there if it had been possible, but the river is too shot."

Instead, Redford used the state's Yellowstone and Gallatin rivers.

Federal review of death terms sought on claims of innocence

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Supreme Court is being asked to let federal judges stop an execution when a state court refuses to hear an inmate's new claim of innocence.

Innocence is a "paramount value" that entitles an inmate to a new federal hearing after all other appeals are exhausted, attorney Talbot D'Alemberte told the high court Wednesday. He represents Leonel Herrera, who was convicted of killing a Texas policeman in 1981.

But assistant Texas attorney general Margaret Griffey said late claims of innocence are "inherently suspect" and often are based on unreliable evidence. Clemency granted by a governor is the proper way to keep the truly innocent from being executed, she said.

Herrera was convicted in 1982 of fatally shooting Los Fresnos police officer Enrique Carrisalez, who stopped Herrera for speeding. Herrera also pleaded guilty to killing state police officer David Rucker earlier that night.

State and federal courts upheld Herrera's conviction and death sentence in the Carrisalez killing. But in 1990 he filed a new claim contending that his brother, Raul — who was killed in 1984 — actually shot the two police officers.

The Herreras and Rucker were involved in illegal drug trade, the 1990 claim said. Raul Herrera's son, Raul Jr., swore that he saw his father kill the two officers. Raul Herrera's lawyer and two other men also said he had confessed to them.

State courts refused to give Herrera a hearing on his new claim. Texas law requires claims of new evidence to be made within 30 days of a trial.

A federal judge granted Herrera a hearing, but the 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals reversed that ruling. The appeals court said a claim of innocence did not warrant a new look at Herrera's case if he otherwise had received a fair trial.

"One of the most fundamental miscarriages of justice ... would be the execution of an innocent person or the execution of a person who has a colorable claim of innocence," D'Alemberte argued Wednesday. "Many times we don't learn until many years later of actual innocence."

Even if there were no trial error, Herrera should be given a new hearing under the Constitution's protection against cruel and unusual punishment and due-process guarantee, D'Alemberte said.

Justice Antonin Scalia questioned whether granting such hearings would lead to a flood of new evidence claims by death row inmates.

"The burden this would put upon a system of justice is enormous," Scalia said.

Justice Sandra Day O'Connor said that Herrera's case is not that of an obviously innocent person facing execution. Carrisalez identified Herrera as his assailant before he died, as did an eyewitness who was riding with the officer.

"He comes to us as a guilty defendant," O'Connor told D'Alemberte, the immediate past president of the American Bar Association.

But Justice Anthony Kennedy wondered aloud what would happen if an inmate was innocent.

"Suppose you have a videotape that conclusively shows the person is innocent" and the inmate was entitled to no further appeals, he said to Griffey. "Wouldn't it violate the Constitution to execute that person?"

"It would not violate the Constitution," replied Griffey. She said the proper step in that unlikely event was to appeal to the governor for clemency.

Students expelled; teacher suspended

HOUSTON (AP) — Houston's school superintendent says officials are "doing everything that can be done" to ensure children are safe in the wake of three separate cases of sexual assault involving Houston students.

The cases have prompted the expulsion of seven middle school students, the suspension of a teacher and the reassignment of another teacher and a janitor.

Officials of the Houston Independent School District, including Superintendent Frank Petruzielo, met Wednesday night to discuss their response to the attacks.

"I think that what we have here is unfortunate, but unavoidable," Petruzielo said. "I think that we are doing everything that can be done in order to ensure as safe an environment as possible."

During the meeting, a women's rights group demonstrated outside the HISD administration building. Members of the Women's Action Coalition played drums and chanted, urging school officials to take action in the assaults.

Seven teen-age boys accused in the alleged gang rape of a 13-year-old special education student at O.E. Smith Middle School have been expelled, the superintendent said Wednesday.

The students have already been sent home, where they are being given at-home instruction, Petruzielo said.

Initially, Smith administrators recommended expelling three of the boys for three weeks, but Petruzielo said that was not severe enough.

The superintendent said it is up to the Houston Police Department to determine if a rape occurred at Smith and if any charges will be filed against the boys.

L. Mickele Daniels, a Houston lawyer representing the girl and her mother, said seven boys ranging in age from 13 to 15 pulled the girl into the boys' bathroom during school hours in late September. The girl said three of the boys held the girl down while the other four raped her.

A custodian reportedly summoned a physical education teacher, but the incident was not reported until the girl's special-education teacher notified campus administrators the next day, police said.

Jerald Steven Macklin, 34, was charged Wednesday night with failure to report child abuse, a misdemeanor. Macklin, whose bond was set at $500, has been transferred to an area administrative office and is subject to dismissal if convicted, Petruzielo said.

The girl said Macklin ordered the boys to get dressed and allowed them to leave after they promised they would not do it again. She said some of the boys threatened after school to kill her if she told.

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Today is the 282nd day of 1992 and the 17th day of fall.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1871, the Great Chicago Fire began; 250 died and nearly 100,000 were left homeless.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Eddie Rickenbacker (1890-1973), aviator-airline executive; David Carradine (1936-), actor, is 56; Jesse Jackson (1941-), U.S. politician-clergyman, is 51; Chevy Chase (1943-), comedian-actor, is 49; Sigourney Weaver (1949-), actress, is 43.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1956, Don Larsen pitched the only perfect game in World Series history as the New York Yankees defeated the Brooklyn Dodgers, 2-0.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "George Bush has met more heads of foreign states than I have. But a substantial number of them were dead." — Jesse Jackson in 1988, referring to Vice President Bush's dutiful appearance at state funerals.

TODAY'S WEATHER: On this day in 1974, 2.09 inches fell on Winslow, Ariz., in 35 minutes. Wind-driven hail (gusts to 54 mph) also accompanied the storm and drifted to 3 feet in places.

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TODAY'S MOON: Between first quarter (Oct. 3) and full moon (Oct. 11).

TODAY'S BARB BY PHIL PASTORET

Somehow, it just doesn't mean very much when someone says, "Whatever you hear from him should be taken with a grain of salt substitute."

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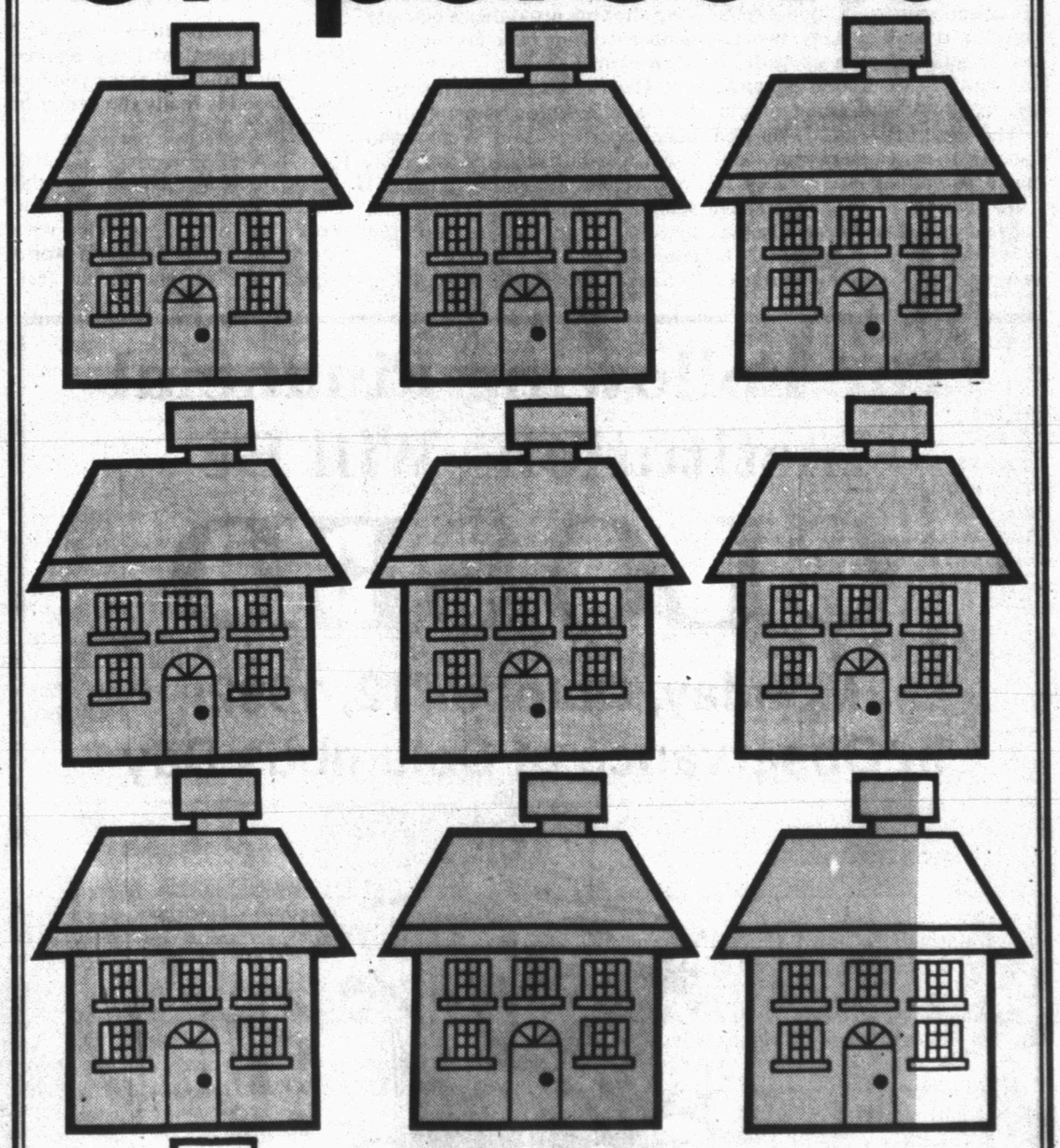

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DONATION OF ROYALTIES — Author D. F. Mills, left, presents a $1,000 check to Claudia Fields, outreach coordinator of Noah Project West. The check represents 10% of the royalties from Mills' book, "Spellbound," some of which were purchased by Scurry County residents. Mills is a past board member of the local shelter for victims of domestic violence. (SDN Staff Photo)

Chieftain gets life term without parole

LIMA, Peru (AP) — Behind closed doors on a heavily guarded island, hooded military judges have convicted the man behind the hemisphere's most violent insurgency of treason and sentenced him to life without parole.

Many Peruvians applauded the decision to put Shining Path leader Abimael Guzman permanently behind bars. The rebellion he launched in 1980 has cost some 25,000 lives and billions in damage.

Authorities hope Guzman's imprisonment will precipitate the downfall of the Shining Path. But the rebels, who have promised revenge, have shown no immediate signs of weakness.

Just hours before the sentencing at a naval base on San Lorenzo island two miles offshore, rebels killed four airmen and two police officers in separate attacks in the capital.

"It's a genocidal group," the military said in a communique announcing the tribunal's verdict. "Abimael Guzman has converted his followers into beings without conscience, capable of indiscriminate killing."

Even with Guzman behind bars, experts say it could take up to 10 years to eliminate political violence in Peru.

The rebels, who emphasize political indoctrination over military strikes, can continue to feed on the desperation of the poor — more than half of Peru's 22 million residents live in extreme poverty.

Their movement has drawn on the resentment of Peru's generally impoverished indigenous peoples for the descendants of European conquerors who have long run the country.

Security was extremely tight for the 10-day trial.

The bearded Guzman, 57, was held in a cage throughout the proceedings and judges hid their faces behind hoods as part of a new strategy by President Alberto Fujimori to discourage reprisal.

Guzman's attorney, Alfredo Crespo, called the trial a farce and planned to appeal. He said he saw Guzman only twice, each time briefly, during the trial.

Crespo failed to return Wednesday from San Lorenzo island and his secretary said she feared for his safety. Crespo belongs to a legal association accused of links to the Shining Path.

The government said such secrecy was necessary.

Before Fujimori initiated new secrecy rules after dissolving congress last spring, hundreds of rebel suspects were released by judges who either feared for their lives or accepted bribes.

Ten other rebel leaders also were convicted of treason and received life sentences Wednesday, according to the Supreme Military Tribunal, Peru's highest military court. It said charges were lodged against another 11 alleged Shining Path cadres, including three acting as spokesmen in Europe.

Guzman and others were fined $25 billion, more than the $22 billion in damages attributed to guerrilla actions.

Peruvian law ruled out the death penalty for Guzman.

Historic free trade pact still far from receiving approval

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — George Bush says the United States, Canada and Mexico are at a "turning point" in their history with the completion of negotiations for the world's largest free trade zone. But it could turn out to be a very long corner.

Trade ministers from the three nations initialed the final text of the 2,000-page North American Free Trade Agreement on Wednesday with Bush and the leaders of Canada and Mexico looking on. But there still are a number of hurdles to get past before the agreement can take effect.

The legislatures of all three countries have yet to vote on the pact and the outcome in the United States and Canada is far from certain.

The ceremony in San Antonio was to initial the trade agreement, not sign it. Under the U.S. law that governs the ratification process for trade agreements, Bush is barred from actually signing the document until Dec. 17, 90 days after he first notified Congress that negotiators had finished their work.

During this period, the administration is required to work with Congress to draft the legislation that actually will implement the agreement. Once the agreement is formally signed by the president and the legislation is submitted, Congress has 90 working days to vote on it — a period that could stretch up to six months.

Under the fast-track procedure governing the agreement, Congress does not have the power to amend the legislation. It will win approval with a simple majority vote up or down in both the House and Senate.

If the legislatures in all three countries approve the pact next year, it is scheduled to take effect on Jan. 1, 1994, beginning a 15-year process in which all tariffs and other barriers to the flow of trade, services and investment between the three countries would be eliminated.

But a very big complicating factor in the United States could be the outcome of the presidential election.

Democratic candidate Bill Clinton came out in favor of the pact on Sunday but in an 18-page speech he laced that support with a number of qualifications.

Bush, expressing exasperation with Clinton's lukewarm endorsement of the pact, said Wednesday night that he still did not know where his opponent stood on the matter.

Gen. Douglas MacArthur said farewell in Congress in 1951 after being relieved of his command in Korea by President Harry Truman. Said MacArthur: "Old soldiers never die; they just fade away."

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Do food studies give you a stomach ache? Take heart

WASHINGTON (AP) — Milk is good, but then milk is bad. Margarine was good, now it's bad. Red meat is fatty, fish uninspected and chicken carries salmonella.

Saturated? Hydrogenated? Can you eat it? Don't you hate it?

In the latest piece of nutritional revisionism, a preliminary Agriculture Department study Wednesday said margarine increases blood cholesterol levels, a risk factor in heart disease. Last week we heard that milk may be bad for some children.

If all this is more than you can stomach, take a tip from some food specialists.

"Have a positive attitude toward food," says Claude Mallinger vice president of Washington's upscale Sutton Place Gourmet food stores. "Food is a philosophy. The stomach is the center of your life."

Don't read while you eat and don't believe everything you read about eating, says Robyn Webb, nutritionist and cooking instructor, because keeping up with all the warnings about food can make your head spin and stomach ache.

The latest USDA study showed that oils found in margarine, vegetable shortening and processed foods such as cookies and chicken nuggets may cause heart disease.

When food manufacturers convert vegetable oils to margarine or shortenings that are solid or semi-solid at room temperature, the process creates something called trans fatty acids.

Although there are indications that trans fatty acids are similar to saturates in raising blood cholesterol, USDA said available information does not show if such elevation results from the same physiological effects or mechanisms.

This study follows a doctors' report last week that's been disputed by the dairy industry, saying milk sometimes can be dangerous.

"Read your studies and make your own analysis," advises Webb. "Don't ignore it, but look for further research."

She says, for example that "oat bran is wonderful, but whether it reduces cholesterol, we don't know for sure."

She points out, however, that plenty of research has been conducted to link overconsumption of fat to heart disease and cancer. And she concurred that trans fatty acids have long been known to be a problem.

"They've been trying for years to make nutrition general. It is very specific," said Webb, who teaches exclusively low-fat cooking at her "Pinch of Thyme" school in Alexandria, Va., and provides individual nutrition counseling to clients.

She advises people to minimize the amount of fat in their diet and strive for the satisfaction that comes from "dining" rather than just "eating."

"The art of dining has died," she said.

If you don't pay attention to what you eat because you're watching television, reading or driving the car, you won't be satisfied with your meal, says Webb.

Mallinger agrees and frowns on snacking. "Eat three or four meals a day, but none of those snacks people are always keeping in their drawers at the office."

He says he doesn't worry about eating meat, butter, eggs or dairy products, despite the various health warnings, but eats moderately sized, balanced meals and insists on fresh ingredients.

"Banish fried food and all these canned products with chemicals and preservatives," he said. "Nothing is wrong with meat as long as you don't eat a pound of it."

"You have to know yourself," said Mallinger, advising against food you know will make you feel bad. "Food is really the center of our life."

The first dance marathon in the United States was held in New York City in 1923. It ended with Alma Cummings setting a world record of 27 hours on her feet.

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