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Ask Us

Q—In what way are ballots which are cast during early voting secured at the SISD administration building?

A—The votes are secured by two Master locks and a seal. The early voting clerk has a key to one of the locks; the sheriff's office is custodian of the key to the other lock.

Local

SNS board

Snyder Neighbors Sharing board of directors will meet at 5:15 p.m. today at 1926 26th St.

Bake sale

Bethel Baptist Church will hold a fund-raising bake sale from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. Saturday at Wal-Mart.

Music

The Benny Benitez Band will perform at Snyder Healthcare Center at 7 p.m. Thursday. The public is invited.

Roundup

Snyder public schools Spring Roundup continues, pre-registration for kindergarten and the four-year-old program.

Registration will be held at Central on Thursday and Stanfield on Friday. Registration is from 8 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. each day.

CMH board

Approval of a hospital mission statement and a plan for nursing care are on the agenda for Cogdell Memorial Hospital board of managers, which meets at 7:30 a.m. Thursday.

Other items include the March financial statement, approval of previous minutes and a report from the Development Corporation of Snyder.

Breakfast

Word is Life, Deliverance Church will sponsor a West Texas Country Breakfast from 6 a.m. until noon Saturday in the East Elementary cafeteria.

Tickets are $5 for adults and $3 for senior citizens and children 6-9 years old. Five and under eat free. The menu includes all you can eat pancakes, eggs, bacon, sausage and toast or biscuits.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Tuesday, 90 degrees; low, 50 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Wednesday, 53 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1994 to date, 1.40 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, partly cloudy with 30 percent chance of showers or thunderstorms. Low in the lower 50s. Variable wind 5-15 mph. Thursday, partly cloudy. High in the upper 70s. West to southwest wind 10-15 mph.

Almanac: Sunset today, 8:20. Sunrise Thursday, 7:02. Of 116 days in 1994, the sun has shone 109 days in Snyder.



THE WIZARD OF OZ — Featured performers in Snyder Junior High School's "The Wizard of Oz" include from left, Joey Steakley as the Tinman; April Baker as Dorothy; Melanie Kidd as the Scarecrow; and Reid Johnson as the Cowardly Lion. The three-night run begins Thursday at 7 p.m. Tickets are on sale or $3 for children and students and $4 for adults. All tickets sold at the door will cost $4 each. (SDN Staff Photo)

Early voting at slow pace

Early voting in six May elections has been relatively slow, despite a number of contested races and a controversial bingo referendum.

Early voting began April 18 and runs through May 3 at the entity calling the election — Snyder, Hermleigh and Ira ISD business offices, Western Texas College administration building and City Hall. Early balloting in the bingo election is being held on the third floor of the county courthouse.

As of mid-morning today, 244 early ballots had been cast in the bingo election. All registered voters residing in Justice of the Peace Precinct 1 are eligible to cast a ballot. This includes virtually all of Scurry County except for Hermleigh.

Drawing the most attention among the school board races is Place 2 on the Snyder ISD board, where incumbent Geraldine Parker is being challenged by write-in candidate Phil Ragland. At mid-morning today, 104 ballots had been cast in Place 2.

Some 54 ballots have been cast in the race for Place 3, where Pam Zeck and Richard Chambers are opposing each other.

To cast a ballot in the SISD elections, voters must reside within the school district and the single-member district, either Place 2 or Place 3. Early voting is being held at the SISD Administration Building on 37th Street.

Sixty-four ballots have been cast in the Hermleigh ISD board election, where seven people are running for three full-term seats and three others are vying for an unexpired term.

On the ballot for the full terms are Brian Blair, Jay Roemisch, Andres Rodriquez Jr., John Williamson, Rex Glass, Chip Roemisch Jr. and incumbent Jimmy Hudgins. Blair is moving from the district and has said he will not campaign.

Running for the unexpired term are Carole Haynes, Jesse Rios and Larry F. Bridges.

Early voting is held in the Hermleigh ISD administration office. All seats are at-large and any registered voter within the Hermleigh school district may cast a ballot.

Only eight ballots have been cast in the Ira ISD board election, where Place 5 incumbent Sid Wall is being challenged by Dirk Dunn.

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'New era' begins in So. Africa

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — With a new flag heralding the birth of democracy, Nelson Mandela cast the first vote of his life in an election expected to make him the country's first black president.

Hours later, police announced the arrest of 31 people in connection with bombings that killed 21 people in an apparent attempt to derail the vote. Today, a bomb injured 18 at Johannesburg's international airport.

Those arrested included a policeman and members of an extreme right-wing movement, said national police chief Gen. Johan Van der Merwe. "Such people must now realize that using violence to achieve their aims is not only futile and pointless, but will ultimately lead to their own destruction," he told reporters.

Right-wing extremists have vowed to wage war rather than live under a black government. Today's bombing was a reminder of the obstacles facing Mandela's African National Congress if, as expected, it wins the election.

Polling was peaceful Tuesday, the first day of voting, and blacks impatient for their first taste of democracy arrived at polls in wheelchairs and even wheelbarrows in some rural areas. At hospitals, they roused themselves from sickbeds and hobbled to hospital polls wearing their nightclothes.

"It is the beginning of a new era," Mandela said after dropping his ballot into a simple brown box outside a school founded by John Dube, one of the first ANC leaders. "It is a realization of our hopes and dreams — the dreams of a South Africa which represents all South Africans."

SISD board expected to name new superintendent Thursday

Snyder public schools trustees have called a special board meeting Thursday morning to name the new district superintendent.

Late last week, Snyder school board trustees interviewed the finalists, Dr. Larry Butler and Gayle Lomax. The two men were selected from a group of 40 applicants and were among six semifinalists interviewed by the board during the course of the superintendent search.

Thursday's announcement is expected shortly after 8:30 a.m. in the administration board room.

Dr. Butler was reared in Hamlin and received his bachelor's degree from McMurry University, his master's from Sul Ross State University and his EDD from California Coast University.

He taught school for two years and was a graduate assistant at Sul Ross before taking his first administrative position as principal at Hamlin ISD in 1972. He served there until 1979 when he was named assistant superintendent at Vidor. He was at Vidor ISD until 1982 when he was named superintendent at Clyde. He later served as superintendent at Spearman from 1985 until 1993, when he was named superintendent at Groesbeck.

Lomax was reared in Amarillo and received his bachelor's degree and master's degree from Abilene Christian University. He taught and coached in Manville, N.J. from 1966 until 1969, when he became high school guidance counselor at Abilene Cooper.

He served as counselor until 1974, when he was named assistant high school principal at Abilene High.

In 1977, he accepted the position as junior high principal at Denton for a year, then served as high school principal at Abilene High until 1985. He has served as assistant superintendent for personnel with Abilene ISD since that time.

Assisting Snyder ISD trustees in their search has been a consulting team from the Texas Association of School Boards.

The new superintendent will replace Dalton Moseley, who is retiring at the end of the current school year.

One of the first duties of the new superintendent will be to hire a replacement for Assistant Superintendent Dr. Tom Scannicchio, who earlier this month also announced his retirement.

Line three miles long to view Nixon casket

YORBA LINDA, Calif. (AP) — Presidents and other dignitaries gathered for Richard Nixon's funeral today, but the night belonged to ordinary people who stood for hours in chilly, damp weather to say goodbye.

Mourners waited up to eight hours in a line three miles long to file past the flag-draped mahogany casket of the 37th president, borne home with fanfare Tuesday to the place of his austere childhood.

"You're standing out there for hours in the cold. You don't know what to expect. But those five minutes made the whole thing worth it. It was worth every minute," said a tearful Barbara Casey, 46, of Westminster.

Nixon's body was carried home aboard the same blue-and-white jet that brought him back to California after he resigned in disgrace 20 years ago. He died Friday in New York at age 81 after a stroke.

An estimated 25,000 people had filed past the closed casket at the Richard Nixon Library & Birthplace by early today, waiting for hours as temperatures fell below 50 degrees. The viewing was to continue nearly until noon, with the funeral this afternoon.

Six hours before the viewing ended, officials were discouraging people from getting on the line's end because they wouldn't make it through before the 11 a.m. closing time. But the crowd showed no signs of letting up.

Visitors during the day Tuesday waited through intermittent rain and hail. Some wore Nixon campaign buttons. Some wept quietly. One woman crossed herself.

The SDN Column — By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "The way to tell the difference between young flowers and weeds is to pull up everything. If they come up again, they're weeds."

According to the calendar, today is secretary's day. You may think the boss didn't remember. Likely, however, he was trying hard to be politically correct.

According to a nation-wide survey, secretary's day is an observance that a majority of office workers would just as soon forget.

A secretary in St. Louis, for example, says she is dreading the annual delivery of roses. This is her 21st year. She says she is considering a national organization to do away with the observance.

Rather than showing appreciation, some secretaries say the day merely trivializes their job. They say flowers wilt as quickly as the appreciation and even lunch with the boss is uncomfortable.

Secretaries Day was started in 1952 by Professional Secretaries International, a Kansas City, Mo., organization.

One manager says he avoids the "secretary thing" because he's not sure who needs to be included. One manager in Dallas said the entire secretarial pool spent the rest of the workday trying to reassure one young lady that it was merely an oversight that she didn't get flowers like everybody else.

The national survey reveals that less than 10 percent want to be fussed over on a special day. Rather, they would like a pat on the back more often.

Since managers are trying to be politically correct, strike "pat on the back." Gotta be careful with lunch, too, somebody might get the wrong idea.

Most bosses know that everybody in the office is important. Good bosses hire good people.

A good boss is like the flea riding on the elephant's ear. The elephant, being a dedicated employee, crossed a wooden bridge which wobbled and almost collapsed.

When the flea and the elephant were safely on the other side, the flea said, "Wow, didn't we shake that bridge."

College graduation set Friday evening

Western Texas College will hold graduation exercises Friday evening at the central courtyard on campus.

Some 82 students are expected to take part in the ceremony, which will begin at 7:30.

The graduates include 38 earning an associate in arts degree, 36 earning an associate in applied science degree and 10 students earning certificates in vocational programs.

Student speakers will be Carla Yvonne Sanchez, earning an associate in applied science degree in general business; and Marla Ezzell Buchanan, earning her associates in arts degree.

The faculty response will be given by Dr. Jim Durham, president of the WTC Faculty Association.

Dr. Harry Krenek, college president, will make introductions and offer a special recognition. The degrees and certificates will be awarded by Bettie McQueen, dean of instruction, assisted by John Gayle, president of the board of trustees.

A reception will be held in the Student Center following the ceremony.

Berry's World



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1994 acreage reports due at local ASCS

The Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service is currently accepting acreage reports for the 1994 farm programs. Farmers have until May 2, to report the sizes and intended uses of their wheat, oats, barley, rye and other fall-seeded small grains.

Small grain crops that are not reported by this deadline will be ineligible for program benefits.

Before reporting, farmers can request that ASCS measure their program acreage. The measurements are furnished at cost, and guaranteed for the crop year. Measurement service is not only valuable to program participants, but to any farmer who desires an accurate acreage for any reason.

Farm program participants are required to correctly certify their entire farm after planting, to be eligible for price support loans, deficiency payments and other benefits. The reports contain crops and acreage planted, the uses to be made of these crops, acreage removed from crop production to the acreage conservation reserve (ACR), and conservation use acres for payment.

Producers who have not certified their fall-seeded crops need to do so before the May 2 deadline.

Pick 3

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

6-8-3

(six, eight, three)

Clarification

In a shower picture in the April 26 issue of the Snyder Daily News, Elizabeth Brinner was named great-grandmother of the future groom, Ron Baker. She is his grandmother.

Dr. Gott by Peter Gott, M.D.

Is self-esteem linked to attraction?

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: Do you know of any evidence that would substantiate the claim or statement that the only type of man who would engage in a relationship with a female who has been promiscuous (six or more partners) is one with low self-esteem? I heard a statement to that effect on the radio and am looking forward to the opinion of an impartial party.

DEAR READER: I don't believe this claim. For one thing, it's far too general. Although some men with low self-esteem might be attracted to promiscuous women, many would — in my view — prefer inexperienced women.

Also, I'm troubled by your definition of "promiscuous" as indicating six or more partners. While some women might fall into this category (if they have sex with multiple partners with whom they avoid emotional attachment), in this age of sexual permissiveness well-adjusted women may have had a half dozen different sexual encounters by the time they reach middle age.

It seems to me that low self-esteem would be manifest in other ways: for example, by addictive behavior, such as alcohol abuse. Therefore, each case should be judged on its own merits. A man who consistently chooses to pay to have sex clearly has a problem with self-image.

On the other hand, a male who enjoys a satisfying life with a woman who has "been around" may be experiencing a loving relation that is unrelated to self-esteem. As has been said before: Never generalize.

DEAR DR. GOTT: My sister has been diagnosed with breast cancer. This brings several questions to mind. Are the rest of us in the family more likely to have this problem than if there were no family history? I had a mammogram two years ago and perform self-examination as often as possible. Is this properly done standing or while lying down?

DEAR READER: There appears to be a statistical tendency for breast cancer to occur in certain families. If, for example, your mother, maternal aunt and sister had breast cancer, you would be considered to be in an extremely high risk category. Were only your mother to have had breast cancer, your risk is also increased, but not to such a degree.

I do not believe that you need to worry about an isolated case of breast malignancy (your sister), in the absence of a more compelling family history.

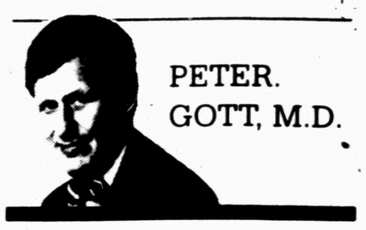
Nonetheless, you should continue to be checked with an annual mammogram. In addition, you should perform self breast-examination every month or so.

Proper breast self-examination is done in both the standing (or sitting) and lying positions. In the first instance, you must examine your breasts in the mirror to discover any asymmetry, dimpling or other irregularity. Then, while supine, you should carefully palpate each breast in an organized manner, section by section. Follow your doctor's instructions about breast examinations and suitable monitoring.

To give you more information, I am sending you a free copy of my Health Report "Breast Cancer and Disorders." Other readers who would like a copy should send $2 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to P.O. Box 2433, New York, NY 10163. Be sure to mention the title.

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Volunteers help displaced pets return home

LANCASTER (AP) — Residents and business owners weren't the only ones displaced by heavy rains and tornados that hit North Texas the last few days. Their pets were, too.

That's why the Denton County Animal Rescue League has sprung into action.

For the first time, the all-volunteer group is responding to a natural disaster to make sure displaced pets return home.

"We have a crew down there rounding up either stray or lost animals that have been either disoriented during the storm or have gotten out," volunteer coordinator Lance Shurtleff said Tuesday night.

Word spread quickly about their efforts. Many people have contacted the group to say they found animals and want to give them homes. Others are calling trying to find their pets.

The biggest problem is pets without tags, Shurtleff said.

"All we have to go by are descriptions, markings and where they were found," he said.

Shurtleff said if this debut into the disaster relief effort is a success, they may consider making it part of their services.

"It very much could be," he said.

For lost or found animals, the Denton County Animal Rescue League can be reached at 214-699-5758.

WTC names 8 Who's Who

Eight Snyder students were among those chosen for Who's Who Among American Junior College Students and announced Tuesday during ceremonies at Western Texas College.

Chosen from Snyder were Ginger Alexander, Joyce Buchanan, Marla Buchanan, Jeffrey Corkran, Joe Gordy, Christopher Kemp, Mathias Lies and Trevlyn Pitner.

Also selected were Brandye Bitters of Mineral Wells; Debra Burke of Ira; Jodie Ellis, Tommy Jones and Carolyn Redwine of Colorado City; and Santiago Flores of Sanderson; Katherine Hobbs of Vanderpool; Christopher Rogers of Canyon; Vanlora Scott and Cheryl Veal of Sweetwater, and Fletcher Tigner of San Antonio, N.M.

Bybel to give demonstration at Palette Club

Janet Bybel of Levelland will give a demonstration in transparent oils to members and guests of the Snyder Palette Club.

The meeting will be held from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the airport terminal building on W. 37th Street.

Swaggert to pay

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — God loveth a cheerful giver. Jimmy Swaggart, start smiling.

The TV evangelist agreed to pay $1.85 million to end his mud-slinging battle with fellow preacher Marvin Gorman.

Gorman sued Swaggart for defamation, seeking $90 million, after the two swapped sexual misconduct allegations in the 1980s.

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Dear Abby

by Abigail Van Buren

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Visitors Try the Patience Of Many a Hospital Patient

DEAR ABBY: Having been a patient in various hospitals, I have learned that very few people know how to visit the sick and comfort them. They usually come at the wrong time and sit in positions that make it awkward for the patient to see them. Some visitors thoughtlessly sit on the bed, or jiggle it, disregarding the possibility it may be painful for the patient.

Some visitors will recall having known someone who had exactly what the patient has and, after suffering for a long time, finally died!

Abby, you are in a position to provide some sensible guidelines for your many readers. Please do.

THE REV. ROBERT M. LORIS,
ST. JOSEPH PARISH,
YAKIMA, WASH.

DEAR MR. LORIS: What a fortunate coincidence. I received the following letter today:

DEAR ABBY: I wish you would print a set of rules for people to follow when they visit someone in the hospital. When my mother had surgery last year, friends and relatives flocked to the hospital to see her. They wore her out! She had a "No Visitors" sign on her door to which nobody paid any attention. My poor mother didn't get a decent night's sleep until she went home.

ANONYMOUS, PLEASE

DEAR ANONYMOUS AND MR. LORIS: How's this?

— No one (including relatives) should visit a hospital patient without telephoning first to inquire if the patient can receive visitors.

— Visiting hours should be respected, and there should be a limited number of visitors in the patient's room at one time. (Have you noticed that there are usually only two chairs for visitors beside each patient's bed? Regard that as a subtle hint.)

— Visitors should keep their stay brief and their voices low. Some visitors feel that because they have traveled a great distance, they are entitled to stay for several hours — or longer. Fifteen or 20 minutes should be the limit.

— Some hospitals have signs saying "No Children." (Children include babes-in-arms, toddlers and children under 10 years of age.) Respect the rules. The hospital is teeming with germs that small children have trouble fighting.

— Smoke only in designated smoking areas. Do not smoke around oxygen!

— Do not eat the patient's meals. The nurses must check to see how much the patient has eaten when the trays are returned to the kitchen. And never bring a patient anything to eat or drink without first clearing it with a nurse. Do not "sneak in" any homemade goodies the patient "just loves." Ditto, alcohol, cigarettes or medicine. If you feel you cannot show up empty-handed, bring a large box of candy — for the nurses and kitchen help.

— Visitors should wash their hands after using the bathroom. (The Mayo Clinic has a slogan: "The 10 Greatest Carriers of Germs Are the Fingers.") It's the best way to prevent infection.

— Visitors should keep their conversation cheerful. Hospital patients do not need to know who just died.

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

Community Calendar

WEDNESDAY

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

THURSDAY

Snyder Palette Club; airport terminal bldg. on W. 37th St.; 9 to 4.

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

Scurry Charter Chapter ABWA; MAWC; 7 p.m.

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

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

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

FRIDAY

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.

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

SATURDAY

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

Alateen; Park Club at Winston Park, 37th & Ave. M; for more information, call 573-8971 or 573-2101; 4:30 p.m.

SUNDAY

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous (Open); Park Club in Winston Park; for more information call 573-1141, 863-2349, or 573-8626; 10 a.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.

Beginners Alcoholics Anonymous and Narcotics Anonymous (Open); Park Club at Winston Park, 37th & Ave. M; 7 p.m.

Astro-graph

By Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

Thursday, April 28, 1994

In the year ahead you might become more closely involved with a friend who has a reputation for being luckier than most. Your pal will show you some of his/her tricks.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Your mode of behavior will score points with friends today if you focus on their qualities instead of their failings. Conversely, they'll view you through the same lens. Trying to patch up a broken romance? The Astro-Graph Matchmaker can help you to understand what to do to make the relationship work. Mail $2 and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Matchmaker, P.O. Box 4465, New York, N.Y. 10163.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Instead of being intimidated by adversity and opposition today, these forces might stimulate you to try harder. If so, major achievements will be reachable.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Your best asset today could be your ability to neutralize negative thoughts and conditions, whether they be your own or associates. Gear yourself to think "win" and you will.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Several opportunities may orbit around you today which will not be of your making. Lady Luck might use an intermediary to connect the circuits.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Today you might become involved with an old, dependable ally on a new partnership endeavor. This arrangement could produce equal benefits for both parties.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Involvements which up until now have either been unproductive or unprofitable might undergo a transformation starting today. The change will be something you'll relish.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Focus on cementing better bonds with close friends today, because this may help you realize something for which you've been hoping. It could come about in a rather unusual way.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Regardless of how situations start off today, don't let conditions dilute your belief in positive conclusions. You're a stretch runner who can make your move when it really counts.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You might be tempted to withhold some critical information today when dealing with a friend, but you'd be wise not to do so. Lay everything out on the table.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) There are indications you could be luckier than usual today in both your material affairs and where your status and reputation is concerned. You've been dealt a hand loaded with trumps.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Unless it is absolutely essential, do for yourself today instead of depending on others. Your success is linked to your assertiveness and your positive, personal touches.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) In commercial involvements it is usually unwise to play your hunches and perceptions. Today, however, could be an exception and it might pay to take a chance.

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HIV couple blame AF for son's death

TOLEDO, Ohio (AP) — Charity Krouse blames the Air Force for killing her son, who died of AIDS in her arms at the family's west side apartment.

"He was so young, an innocent child who went through hell," she said Tuesday. "How can a 2-year-old child deserve going through that? I just don't understand."

Mrs. Krouse, 20, held her husband's hand as they sat in the living room of their tiny apartment, the walls adorned with pictures of Christopher's first birthday, his baptism and a Christmas.

"You can't imagine what we've gone through," said Douglas Krouse, 21, trying to hold back tears. "For the rest of my life, when people ask me how I got this virus, I'll tell them I got it in the Air Force. That is what I truly believe."

The two have the AIDS virus, but deny being intravenous drug users. They said sexual partners they had before getting married tested negative for the virus.

The family blames an immunization Krause took in 1991 with about 125 other Air Force recruits, some of whom were bleeding after getting the shots from an air-injection device.

Irene Witt, an Air Force spokeswoman, would not discuss the Krouse case or say whether any soldiers made similar allegations. She called the devices safe and said all military branches use them.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention in Atlanta said there are no documented cases of anyone getting HIV from the device, which uses air pressure to push vaccine through the skin.

"As long as these guns are used properly, there is very little or no risk at all for any type of transmission of HIV," spokesman Kent Taylor said.

When Krouse enlisted in July 1991, a mandatory Air Force blood test for the virus was negative. He started basic training and received the usual military immunizations.

He volunteered in August to donate blood at Lackland Air Force Base in San Antonio where he was stationed. In December, the Air Force told him that his blood was infected.

Christopher was born March 24, 1992, and two months later tested positive for the virus. He died Sunday.

Mrs. Krouse filed a $16 million administrative complaint against the Air Force in August 1992. A few months later, Krouse received an involuntary discharge.

The Air Force settled the complaint in February by giving the couple $200,000 for Christopher's treatment and $100,000 in damages.

Jeff Jones, the couple's lawyer, said the Air Force settled because it knew Krouse was carrying the virus in August, but waited four months to tell him.

"They accepted no responsibility for Doug having contracted AIDS. ... But they did know at a time when Charity was in her first

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By Phillip Alder

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Vulnerable: North-South
Dealer: South

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1 NT	Pass	2 ♥	Pass
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3 NT	Pass	Pass	Pass

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The exception to the rule

By Phillip Alder

Yesterday I mentioned that if one side thinks it is right to play on a suit, it isn't right for the other side to play on the same suit — but not always.

Today's deal occurred during a challenge match held last December in New York. An Italian television producer, Leandro Burgay, put up $50,000 to back his claim that his methods of responding to a one-no-trump opening are superior to anyone else's. An American team of Eric Rodwell, Jeff Meckstroth, Bobby Goldman and Paul Soloway won the match; but it proved nothing, for there were few deals in which method counted.

South was Frenchman Alain Levy. After his compulsory opening bid, showing 16-18 points and any 4-3-3-3 or 4-4-3-2 distribution, North, Herve Mouiel, described in three bids a game-forcing 4-1-4-4 shape. South's first two rebids were forced.

The apparently hopeless contract was kept alive by the low heart lead round to South's nine. Levy played a low club: nine, 10, jack.

To defeat the game, East must cash one or both of his top clubs. But following the principle alluded to above, East returned a heart. West took declarer's jack with his queen and exited with the spade 10, won by South's king.

Levy cashed the K-Q of diamonds and spade queen before playing a spade to dummy's ace. After cashing the 13th spade and the diamond ace, Levy exited with dummy's last diamond. West won with the nine and cashed the heart ace, but he had to concede the last trick — declarer's ninth — to the heart king.

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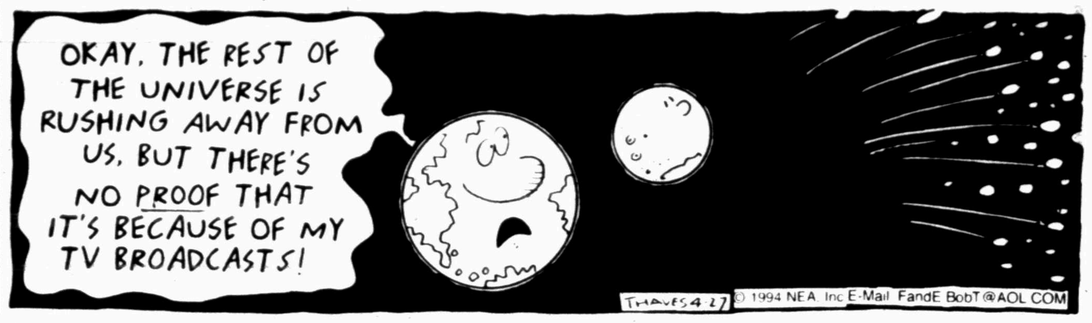
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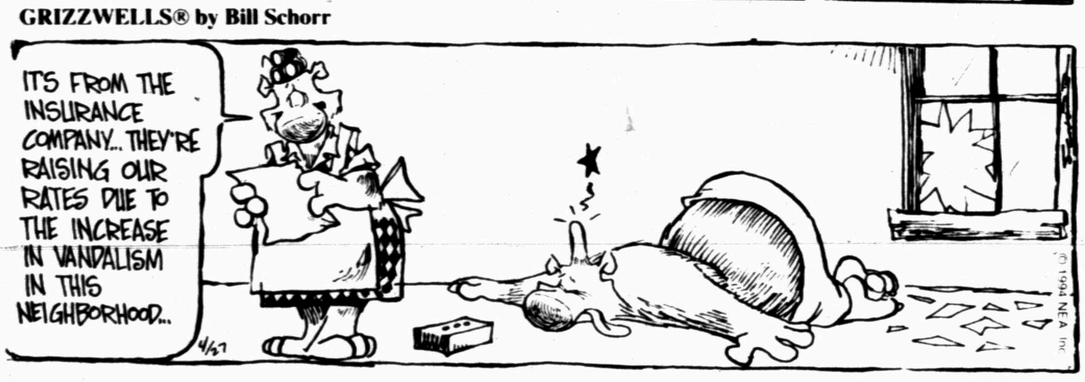
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21 Heavy weight
22 In addition
23 V.I.P.
26 Leaning
30 Revelers' cry
31 Ireland
32 Feather scarf
33 Conducted
34 Art deco illustrator
35 Farewell signal
36 Musical vibration
38 December song
39 Compass pt.
40 Saloon
41 Cottage cheese lumps
44 Type of pudding
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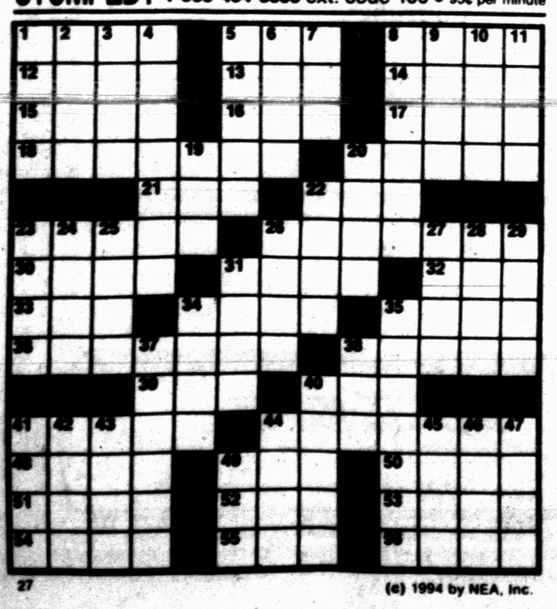
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SHS girls bound for state tourney

SAN ANGELO — The Snyder Lady Tigers are headed to the state Class 4A golf tournament.

Snyder's girls fired a 338-345--683 at the Region 1-4A tournament Monday and Tuesday, good for second place and the runner-up berth to the state event.

"I'm on Cloud Nine," said SHS coach Matt Glenn, who has guided the Lady Tigers to three straight district crowns. "We had a pretty good regional tournament. I'm proud of every one of the girls."

Snyder was led by junior phenom Brooke Lowrance, the 3-time district medalist who shot a first-place 145 on the Bentwood Country Club course.



BROOKE LOWRANCE

"Brooke is our team leader," said Glenn. "She had a super tournament. She shot a 74 on Monday in just terrible weather conditions. There was a lot of wind and dust. It was awful, but she played through it. Then she came back with a 1-under on Tuesday.

"She played great, but it's really impressive the [illegible] when you consider she was competing with some of the best golfers in the state of Texas."

Lowrance led the All-Region 1 team, which also included SHS players Kayla Drain, who shot a 175 here on rounds of 88 and 87; Kelli Lacik, who wound up with an 88-92--180; and Mandy Baker, who finished at 88-95--183.

Snyder's other score was a 92-105--197 by Brooke Kubena.



KAYLA DRAIN

"When you get four out of five team members on the all-region team, you know you've done pretty well in the regional tournament," Glenn bubbled."

Andrews' A team, led by third medalist Tori Hester's 73-81--154, won the tourney with a 36-hole 661.

Stephenville's 752 was a distant third, followed by Borger's 759 and a 764 from Andrews' B team.

Dumas' Jamie McInturff finished in second place individually, with her 75-74--149.

The top two individual qualifiers at regionals, as well as the top two teams, will compete in the May 12-13 state Class 4A tournament in Austin.



KELLI LACIK

Girls' Region 1-4A golf
Bentwood CC, San Angelo
Final results, 36 holes

Team scores: 1. Andrews 321-340--661; 2. Snyder 338-345--683; 3. Stephenville 377-375--752; 4. Borger 381-378--759; 5. Andrews B 383-381--764; 6. Burkburnett 399-370--769; 7. Lamesa 394-381--775; 8. Hereford 389-390--779; 9. FW Arlington Heights 415-435--850; 10. Justin Northwest 439-456--895; 11. Granbury 388-DNF.

Medalists: 1. Brooke Lowrance, Snyder, 74-71--145; 2. Jamie McInturff, Dumas, 75-74--149; 3. Tor Hester, Andrews, 73-81--154.

Other Snyder scores: Kayla Drain 88-87--175; Kelli Lacik 88-92--180; Brooke Kubena 92-105--197; Mandy Baker 88-95--183.



MANDY BAKER



BROOKE KUBENA

Gomez, Hart power Frenship to 5-0 loop win over Snyder

By PHIL RIDDLE
SDN Sports Editor

James Gomez and Donnie Hart spoiled Snyder baseball coach Albert Lewis' home finale Tuesday, leading the Frenship Tigers to a 5-0 shutout of SHS in a key District 2-4A matchup at Moffett Field.

Gomez, Frenship's starter, kept the home Tigers on their heels all night, striking out seven, walking only one and limiting the usually-potent Snyder offensive attack to just three hits.

Hart supplied the loop-leading FHS squad with its punch Tuesday, getting three hits in four at-bats, including a first-inning RBI double.

"They are so tough," said Lewis, in his final season at Snyder High. "Gomez was really on. He kept us guessing all night.

"And Hart...Man, we have a hard time getting him out. We finally did get him his last time up."

Tuesday's loss puts Snyder in a must-win situation in its last two encounters, at Plainview on Friday and at Estacado on May 3, for a shot at the district's runner-up slot in the playoffs.

Hart's double in the first drove in Shane Stewart, who had singled off SHS left-hander Reagan Key, to give Frenship a 1-0 advantage.

The visitors added two runs in the third on an RBI double by Stewart, who was also 3-for-4, a base hit by Hart and a ground out by Chad Reynolds that scored Stewart to make it a 3-0 game.

The final runs of the contest came in the top half of the fifth when Stewart tripled and tagged home on a single by Hart.

Hart was the final tally Tuesday, scoring on a sacrifice by Buddy Drake after stealing second and taking third on a passed ball.

Snyder, which came into the game averaging eight runs an outing, never got a runner to third base.

The most serious scoring threat for SHS came in the third when Chris Mitchell and Craig Lang punched back-to-back singles with no outs.

However, Gomez fanned Bryan Lickey, got John Clinkinbeard to fly out, then coaxed a ground ball out of Bryant Roberson to get out of the jam.

The only other hit by Snyder was a seventh-inning single by DH Gene Pollard.

Key went the distance Tuesday, giving up nine hits and striking out five.

The loss drops SHS to 14-11 on the campaign and 5-3 in district games, tied for third with Plainview.

Frenship's win gives the defending champions a 16-9 overall mark and a 6-1 loop slate.

Frenship	**102**	**020**	**0**	**-5**	**9**	**2**
Snyder	**000**	**000**	**0**	**-0**	**3**	**3**

Key and Hart; Gomez and Drake; WP: Gomez (7-2); **LP:** Key; **2B:** Frenship — Davis, Reeves, Hart, Stewart; **3B:** Frenship — Stewart; **Records:** Snyder 14-11, 5-3; Frenship 16-9, 7-1.

2-4A baseball

Team	Season		District	
Frenship	16	9	7	1
Estacado	15	10	6	2
Snyder	14	11	5	3
Plainview	14	12	5	3
Lamesa	13	12	1	7
Levelland	10	14	0	8

Tuesday, April 26
Frenship 5, Snyder 0
Plainview 5, Levelland 2
Estacado 7, Lamesa 3

Friday, April 29
Snyder at Plainview
Estacado at Frenship
Lamesa at Levelland

Tiger golfers fire 632 for 8th at 1-4A event

SAN ANGELO — Snyder shaved eight shots off its first-round score Tuesday to finish the Region 1-4A boys' golf tournament with an eighth-place 632.

The District 2 runner-up Tigers fired a 320 on Monday, then came back with a 312 in Tuesday's final round at Bentwood Country Club.

"I'm proud of the way we came back and improved our score," said SHS coach Bob O'Day, who has taken the Tigers to three straight regional tournaments.

"I'm already looking forward to next year. We've got four of our five players coming back."

Andrews, District 3 champion, and District 2 winner Plainview earned the regional slots to the state 4A tourney in Austin with scores of 600 and 612.

Andrews fired a first-round 303, then followed with a 297 on Tuesday, led by tourney medalist Derrick Pursley's 73-70--143.

Plainview's 304-308--612 was paced by Ramey Kimbrough and Chad English, who both finished with 36-hole 151s.

Snyder sophomore Carl Strelecki led the Tiger attack with a 150, including a first-round 73. Strelecki's total tied him for fourth place in the individual standings, and earned him a place on the all-region squad.

SHS sophomore Page Patterson turned in an 81-80--161; Jeff Armstrong, the lone senior on the team, fired a 79 on Tuesday to go with his Monday 82 for a 161 total; sophomore Matt Parker chipped in an 84-78--162; and junior Bryan Word was good for a 162 on rounds of 84 and 78.

"What really hurt us," said O'Day, "was the back nine on the first day.

"We played the front side of the golf course at 10-over as a team. Then we turned around and played the last nine holes at 24-over. We were in second place at the turn.

"We came back and played the back side as well as anyone on Tuesday."

Jonathan Moseley, a single player from Stephenville, carded a second-place 145 to claim an individual berth at the state tourney. Pampa's Fred Barnabe was third in the medalist's chase, carding a 73-75--148.

The top two teams and the top two individual qualifiers will compete at the state event, May 12-13 in Austin.

Region 1-4A boys golf
Bentwood CC, San Angelo
Final results, 36 holes

Team scores: 1. Andrews 303-297--600; 2. Plainview 304-308--612; 3. Borger 304-311--615; 4. Pampa 307-308--615; 5. Justin Northwest 310-308--618; 6. Burkburnett 311-309--620; 7. Granbury 313-314--627; 8. Snyder 320-313--632; 9. Monahans 322-311--633; 10. FW Arlington Heights A 329-327--656; 11. Brownwood 332-324--656; 12. FW Arlington Heights B 410-368--778.

Medalists: 1. Derrick Pursley, Andrews, 73-70--143; 2. Jonathan Moseley, Stephenville, 72-73--145; 3. Fred Barnabe, Pampa, 73-75--148.

Snyder scores: Page Patterson 81-80-161; CArl Strelecki 73-77--150; Jeff Armstrong 82-79--161; Matt Parker 84-78--162; Bryan Word 84-78--162.



COACH HONORED — Snyder coach Albert Lewis, right, was honored by the 1994 SHS Tigers with a plaque commemorating his 30 seasons with the Tiger baseball team. The presentation was made Tuesday, prior to the start of the Snyder-Frenship game at Moffett Field. Lewis has announced his plans to retire from coaching at the end of the current season. (SDN Staff Photo)

WTC in 4th at regionals

HOBBS, N.M. — Monnie Soto shot a 69 in Monday's second trip around the Ocotillo Country Club layout to lead Western Texas College to a 36-hole 594 two-thirds of the way through the NJCAA Region 5 golf tournament.

Soto's 3-under tally came after a first-round 80, giving him a 149 on the day.

Western Texas shot a 301 in the first round, then improved eight shots for a 293 Tuesday afternoon.

WTC's team total is just one stroke behind Odessa's third-place 593, and just three off host NMJC's second-place 591.

Midland College leads the tournament with a 573 heading into today's final 18 holes.

Other scores for the Westerners include Charlie Garcia's 73-74--147, tops on the team; Chris Rogers, who shot a 149 on rounds of 75 and 74; Isabel Soto, who also carded a 149 Tuesday, shooting a 73 and a 76; and Corey Stone, who registered an 81-76--157.

NJCAA Region 5 golf
Ocotillo CC, Hobbs, N.M.
Results after 36 of 54 holes

Team scores: 1. Midland College 573; 2. NMJC 591; 3. Odessa 593; 4. Western Texas 301-293--594.

WTC scores: Monnie Soto 80-69--149; Corey Stone 81-76--157; Isabel Soto 73-76--149; Chris Rogers 75-74--149; Charlie Garcia 73-74--147.

Baseball glance

Tuesday's Games
Montreal 7, San Francisco 3
Cincinnati 8, Chicago 2
San Diego 6, New York 3
St. Louis 2, Colorado 1
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Loraine tops Bulldogs 11-1

IRA — The Loraine Bulldogs slapped 15 hits on their way to an 11-1 District 4-A baseball victory over Ira Tuesday.

Loraine's big inning was the third, when five runs scored.

IHS freshman Eddie Brasuel was the loser. Loraine hurler Josh Rico earned the win.

Top hitters included Craig Finley, who doubled for LHS, and Cole Sterling, who rapped an extra-base hit for Ira.

The loss to Loraine breaks a 4-game winning streak by Ira.

Loraine, the defending district champion, improves to 15-5 on the season and 5-0 in district games.

Ira carries a 4-1 loop slate and an 8-4 overall record.

The two teams will square off in their rematch May 6 at Loraine.

4-A baseball

Team	Season		District	
Loraine	15	5	5	0
Ira	8	4	4	1

Tuesday, April 26
Loraine 11, Ira 1

Friday, May 6
Ira at Loraine

Youth baseball results

LITTLE LEAGUE
Giants 5, Cardinals 4

The Giants scored the winning run in the last of the sixth inning Tuesday, breaking a 4-4 tie.

Andy Parker fanned eight batters for the win and Seth Rosson slammed a double and single for the 4-1 Giants. Matthew Grimmett added an extra-base hit, Marcus Diaz singled twice, and Brandon Gentry singled.

The Cardinals ripped nine hits, including a Duane Allred double, two hits each by Chris McLeod, Eric Perez and losing pitcher Jerek Brown. Johnny Alaniz and Jason Hall each lifted a single.

Brown was credited with 12 Ks in the loss.

White Sox 4, Rangers 3

The Rangers rallied for three runs in the top of the fifth, but still came up one short in Tuesday's battle with the White Sox.

Justin Parker led the Sox charge with a triple and a single. Winning pitcher Josh Ward slapped two hits, including a double, and Toby Trammell and David Sutton each lashed a single.

The Rangers' top hitter was Trey Shirley, who punched a two-bagger and a single. Riki Dorsett, J.J. Vasquez and losing pitcher Jared Hester each contributed a hit.

The White Sox improve to 3-2. The Rangers slip to 3-1-1.

FARM LEAGUE
Cardinals 17, Giants 6

The Cardinals remain undefeated after Tuesday's blowout of the Giants.

Jase Olvera tripled and Angel Vasquez drilled a pair of hits to pace the 5-0 Cards. Tyler Pollard, Kacey Burton, Jeremy Autry and winning pitcher Rudy Martinez each chipped in a single.

The Giants, 1-4, could muster only four hits, two singles by Logan Hill, and one each from Justin McBroom and Brady Reed.

Clay Williams was the loser.

White Sox 18, Rangers 11

The White Sox scored eight runs in the last of the third to get past the Rangers Tuesday night.

Jeremy Brady slammed a homer, Zach Burns doubled, Bradley Bynum rapped two hits, including a two-sacker, and Lyndell Lee and Justin Cline each added a single for the Sox.

The Rangers wound up with four hits, a Josh Levens triple, and a triple and two singles from Johnny Martinez.

Michael Fennell was the winner. John David Chandler took the loss.

8-9 YEAR-OLD LEAGUE
Cubs 15, Indians 14

The Cubs, led by Josh Kemp's triple and two singles, a triple and a base hit by Jessie Hernandez, a triple and a double from Trey Jenkins, and a double and a single each by Zach Cain and Justin Squires, slipped past the Indians Monday.

Garrett Arney chipped in two hits, as did Tucker Early, Cory Longorio and Bobby Sands. K.J. French, Michael Varnell and Chad Martin were good for a hit apiece.

The Indians were led by a Jacob Rodriguez homer, a triple and two doubles from Isaac Ramon, a triple apiece by Tyler Myers, Jordan Dea and Aaron Lindsey.

Other hitters for the Indians were Colter Brown, Caleb Dickerson and Justin Guynes, who each laced a double and two singles, Brandon Graves, who had two hits, including a double, and Israel Franco and David Rodriguez, who each bagged a hit.

Yankees 7, Cardinals 6

Jake Barnes slammed a homer, Jess Wall tripled and singled, Casey Martinez ripped a double and a base hit, and Tony Perez knocked a two-bagger to help the Yankees nip the Cardinals on Monday.

Cody Wall, Nathan Wilkins, Boicy Martinez and Trey Loyola each chipped in a single.

The Cards' were paced by Bryan Huddleston, who smacked a triple and a single. Randal Rich, Justin Boyd, Clinton Blume and Jessie Snyder laced a double and a single each.

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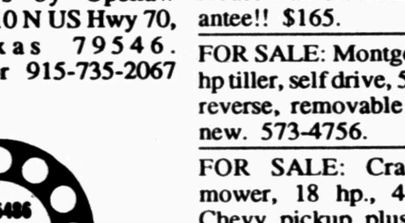
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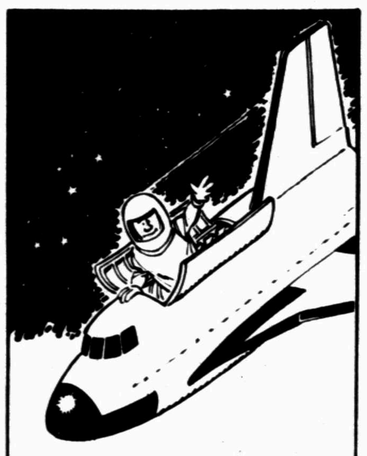
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WTC TOP AWARDS — Awards Day 1994 was held at Western Texas College Tuesday naming outstanding male and female students, Tommy Gale Jones of Colorado City, center, and Carla Sanchez of Ira. Dr. Harry Krenek, college president, is shown congratulating the pair. Following the awards ceremony, a reception was held in honor of all students receiving awards. (SDN Staff Photo)



NOMINEES — In awards ceremony Tuesday at Western Texas College, Maria Buchanan, Pat Stirling, Carla Sanchez, and Nikki Broyles, from left, were outstanding female nominees. Not pictured are Tommy Gale Jones and Scott Gibson who were male nominees. Presentations were made in the Fine Arts Theatre Tuesday. (SDN Staff Photo)

Cancer study may be taken away from university staff

BETHESDA, Md. (AP) — A $17 million cancer study tainted with false data may be opened to competitive bids next year, a plan that could take the project away from the University of Pittsburgh.

National Cancer Institute officials told an advisory committee on Tuesday that they want to open bidding on the National Surgical Adjuvant Breast and Bowel Project (NSABP) next year as a result of the disarray uncovered in an investigation of the fraud.

Dr. Bruce Chabner, who is in charge of contracted research programs at the National Cancer Institute, said the program coordinated by the University of Pittsburgh has been so damaged that restoring public confidence in cancer research could require a new competition for the grant.

Open bidding for the grant could lead to another institution being awarded leadership of the project, said Chabner.

"There are others interested," he said at a meeting of the Board of Scientific Counselors at NCI.

The board, which would have to approve the plan, deferred action on Chabner's proposal, but a decision is expected to be made in June.

Chabner said two instances of fraud discovered among the 17 institutions that took part in a breast cancer study disclosed weaknesses in the project as it is run at the University of Pittsburgh.

Among the problems were a poor monitoring of research standards, a failure of project officials to quickly report fraud uncovered at two hospitals in Montreal, and a refusal to reanalyze and publish correct reports on the studies tainted by the falsified data.

Dr. Ronald Herberman of the University of Pittsburgh told the advisory committee that the project was being reorganized to correct the deficiencies uncovered in the fraud investigation. He said the new plan calls for closer auditing of research so that fraud can more quickly be detected and reported.

Chabner said he felt Pitt "should be given a chance to reorganize" under terms of its grant, which expires in 1997.

But the NCI official repeatedly called for a decision at the June board meeting on opening bids for the project grant, which has been held by Pitt for more than 20 years.

"I personally think it would be a good idea," said Chabner. "The review will give us the best insight into whether this group should carry on."

Officials learned of falsified data at St. Luc's hospital in 1990, but waited eight months to report it to NCI. After an investigation confirmed the fraud, Chabner said project officials failed to expunge false data from research published from 1991 to 1994, which means some of the results were based, in part, on phony studies.

DATE BOOK

April 27, 1994

Today is the 117th day of 1994 and the 39th day of spring.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1973, FBI Acting Director L. Patrick Gray resigned in the midst of the burgeoning Watergate scandal.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Mary Wollstonecraft (1759-1797), writer-feminist; Samuel F. Morse (1791-1872), inventor; Ulysses S. Grant (1822-1885), U.S. president; Rogers Hornsby (1896-1963), baseball great; Jack Klugman (1922-), actor, is 72; Coretta Scott King (1927-), civil-rights leader, is 67; Anouk Aimee (1932-), actress, is 62; George Gervin (1952-), basketball player, is 42.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1983, Houston's Nolan Ryan fanned Montreal's Brad Mills, allowing the pitcher to pass Cy Young's previous record of 3,508 career strikeouts.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "It is justice, not charity, that is wanting in the world." — Mary Wollstonecraft

TODAY'S WEATHER: On this day in 1942, a violent tornado tore through the wartime boom town of Pryor, Okla.; 52 were killed, and some 500 buildings were damaged or destroyed.

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TODAY'S MOON: Between full moon (April 25) and last quarter (May 2).

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McDonald's going smoke free Sunday

The local McDonald's will become smoke free on Sunday, manager Joel Hook said today.

"We've had some concern by parents of small children about the health risk and have decided to go smoke free," Hook said.

Currently, the restaurant provides separate areas for smokers and non-smokers.

Blame

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trimester of pregnancy and they never notified him," he said.

The couple used the $31,000 left after paying legal and other fees to take Christopher to Disneyworld and buy him a dog.

"They told us in the hospital that he wouldn't have long to live," Mrs. Krouse said. "He loved Mickey Mouse. We just wanted him to enjoy himself one last time. We just wanted to make him as happy



WHY ME? — Max von Roeder was the recipient of a pie in the face at the recent Lion's Club meeting because he was the captain of the losing team in the annual mop and broom sale. Throwing the pie was the winning captain, Mac McCown. (SDN Staff Photo)

Civil rights groups look to Congress following decision

WASHINGTON (AP) — Civil rights activists are putting the onus on Congress to adjust the Civil Rights Act of 1991 after a Supreme Court decision making it inapplicable for thousands of job-discrimination suits that were filed before the law was passed.

The high court ruled Tuesday that the law, which overturned a series of 1989 high court rulings on employment bias, can't be applied to cases that were pending on Nov. 21, 1991, the date President Bush signed the law.

"Congress is going to have to do something about this, if they want to make sure some people who have been victimized by discrimination get proper remedies," said Ted Shaw, chief of litigation for the NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund.

But help is not likely to come on Capitol Hill. Congress balked at extending such protection three years ago — Democrats wanted retroactive protection, Republicans did not — and the law came out vague.

The law's vagueness was at the core of a decision written by Justice John Paul Stevens, who said Congress "has the power to amend a statute that it believes we have misconstrued."

"It may even, within broad constitutional bounds, make such a change retroactive and thereby undo what it perceives to be the undesirable past consequences of a misinterpretation of its work product," Stevens wrote.

"We thought Congress had made it clear," said Ralph Neas, executive director of the Leadership Conference on Civil Rights. "I'm confident there will be meetings on Capitol Hill, with Clinton administration officials, to look at this decision and make legislation to make it clear."

But the debate continued Tuesday.

"As a matter of simple justice, workers subjected to such acts whose cases were still pending at the time the law was enacted should have the benefit of the law," Rep. Don Edwards, D-Calif., said Tuesday. He had been one of the law's principal sponsors.

But Sen. John Danforth, R-Mo., the law's principal Republican author, said the question of retroactivity "was not answered in the final bill with complete clarity." He said he was "gratified" by the court's ruling.

Wade Henderson, lobbyist for the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, said he doubted whether Congress would make the statute clearer.

"The reason the statute wasn't more clear-cut in the first place is because we couldn't satisfy that political fight," he said.

Other civil rights activists had a more ambitious pursuit: pressing President Clinton to appoint a fervent civil rights advocate to the Supreme Court.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

On December 1, 1992, TU Electric filed an application with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) to make a refund of the estimated reduction in TU Electric's 1993 state franchise tax liability resulting from tax legislation passed during the 72nd Texas Legislature. This refund was made using an interim refund factor that was applied monthly beginning January 1993 and which continued until the effect of the tax legislation was permanently included in TU Electric's base rates on August 3, 1993.

As required by Commission Substantive Rule 23.21 (d), the interim refund factor is subject to additional refund or surcharge to the extent it differs from the factor finally set by the Commission based upon TU Electric's actual reduction in 1993 state franchise taxes. Through the interim refund factors, TU Electric refunded a total of $8,102,278. However, for the period January 1, 1993 through August 3, 1993, TU Electric's reduction in state franchise tax was only $7,636,852. Thus, there was an overrefund of $465,548. Under the Commission's Rules, this overrefund, including interest at the rate set by the Commission, is subject to surcharge by TU Electric.

TU Electric has proposed that the overrefund, including interest, either be included in the next fuel refund/surcharge proceeding to be filed pursuant to the Commission's Rules, or be included in Commission Project No. 12497, involving the refund of bonded rates in Docket No. 11735.

This matter has been assigned Docket No. 11632. The deadline for intervention in this proceeding is June 20, 1994. Persons who wish to intervene in or comment upon these proceedings should notify the Commission by June 20, 1994. A request to intervene or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Austin, Texas, 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission's Public Information Office at (512) 458-0256, or (512) 458-0221 for text telephone.

TU ELECTRIC

Cleanup continues after Texas twisters

GAINESVILLE (AP) — Frank Mangrum stood on the ceiling of his upside down trailer, patiently sorting what few dry clothes he owned.

His mind was already on the future — not the tornado that flipped his home as it crashed through the northeast section of Gainesville Tuesday.

"I guess I'll have to start over," Mangrum said, observing the damp debris around his feet. "But I'd rather put this back together than put a family back together."

The Gainesville tornado, which injured about a dozen, was the second major North Texas twister in two days.

On Monday, a tornado touched down twice in the south Dallas suburbs of DeSoto and Lancaster, killing three and damaging more than 500 homes. A fourth man had a fatal heart attack in nearby Mesquite as storms passed through there.

Dozens were hurt and Lancaster's business district was left in ruins. Hundreds were left homeless, and were forced to spend two nights in cots at Lancaster High School.

"I think there's a lot of hard days ahead, a lot of them," said Lancaster Police Chief Mac McGuire.

Another tornado touched down Tuesday about five miles east of De Leon in eastern Big Country, and hail pounded Dublin and the Stephenville area. De Leon police said the tornado caused no damage, but cars, windows, roofs and trees were damaged by the hail.

The Gainesville twister damaged nearly all the trailers at Sunset Trailer Village and Park, where Mangrum lived. It demolished 15 trailers and scattered trees, fences, roofs and personal items throughout the park.

No one was killed and the number of injuries was kept low in part because the twister touched down at about 3:45 p.m., when most people were at school or work.

"You can't stop it from hitting, so they may as well not be here," said Marilyn Dowling, manager of the trailer park.

The tornado also overturned several cars and 18-wheelers on Interstate 35 and damaged several businesses along the interstate. Other destruction included several houses, a nearby area with about 10 more trailers and an exploded transformer.

"It came out from the southwest of us and pretty well demolished the Comfort Inn motel next door and our restaurant," said Denny's manager Jackie Voyles. "It just turned real black. I was watching the Exxon sign across the highway and when it bent over, we all went in the big walk-in refrigerator."

A nearby apartment complex and a nursing home were evacuated.

Officers note four arrests

Snyder area law enforcement officers made four arrests Tuesday and early this morning and investigated a burglary and a minor accident.

Twenty-seven-year-old Jimmy Cain was arrested at 2:34 a.m. today in the 2800 block of Avenue X for felony driving while intoxicated. A 24-year-old man was also arrested at the scene for public intoxication.

At 10:35 p.m., officers arrested a 13-year-old boy at 25th Street and Avenue M for probation violation. The juvenile was later released to a parent.

At 9:46 p.m. Tuesday, officers arrested a 27-year-old man in the 2900 block of Avenue J for Class B assault/family violence.

A man contacted police at 8:39 p.m. Tuesday to complain that he had been assaulted by his brother. A report for assault/family violence was filed.

Officers also filed a family violence report after responding to a disturbance in the 1000 block of 31st Street at 7:47 p.m. Tuesday.

Snyder police are investigating the burglary of a storage building at ABC Storage. The report came in at 5:14 p.m.

At 2:11 p.m. Tuesday, a subject contacted police in reference to a man in his late 20s carrying a rifle wrapped up in a blanket. The 38-year-old man was located at Sparkle City Pawn a short time later. It was determined that he had been carrying pool cues, not a rifle.

Officers also worked a two-vehicle accident at 11:46 a.m. Tuesday at 40th Street and College Avenue. Involved were a 1991 Geo driven by Patricia Olivarez of 222 29th St. and a 1987 Ford pickup driven by Harold Robbins of 5511 Cedar Creek.

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Negotiators agree on lower penalties for blocking access

WASHINGTON (AP) — Congressional negotiators agreed on prison sentences of up to 18 months for abortion protesters who block or damage clinics or intimidate patients or staff.

The maximum federal penalties for blocking access to clinics were considerably lighter in the compromise bill than those the House had approved.

Negotiators on Tuesday resolved differences between the House and Senate versions of the bill, both passed last November. Last month, in a series of procedural votes, abortion-rights activists in the House beat back attempts by anti-abortion lawmakers to derail the legislation.

The compromise now returns to the House and Senate for final votes.

The compromise was reached as an Oregon woman who admitted shooting an abortion doctor outside his clinic last summer drew a sentence of nearly 11 years from a judge in Wichita, Kan. The judge refused a prosecution request to double the time that Rachelle Shannon spends in prison.

The bill would make it a federal offense to block a clinic entrance or damage a clinic. It also imposes federal penalties on those who intentionally intimidate, injure or interfere with clinic staff or patients by using force, threatening force or physically blocking their way.

Negotiators adopted a proposal, similar to one advanced by Sen. Orrin Hatch, R-Utah, that would set a maximum fine of $10,000 and six months in prison for a first offense and a maximum penalty of $25,000 and 18 months in prison for a subsequent offense.

The House bill had called for fines of up to $100,000 and one year in prison for a first offense and up to $250,000 in fines and three years in prison for a second offense.

"I don't think there's any question that this is an issue regarding violence in our society and also constitutional rights," said Sen. Edward Kennedy, D-Mass.

The legislation is partly a response to the fatal shooting a year ago of Dr. David Gunn outside the abortion clinic where he worked in Pensacola, Fla. The man who shot him, Michael F. Griffin, was recently sentenced to life in prison, with no chance of parole for 24 years.

Opponents of the bill have argued that it singles out anti-abortion activists for punishment, and therefore threatens their right to free speech.

"This is the first time I've seen us punishing nonviolent civil disobedience," Hatch said.

Rep. Henry Hyde, R-Ill., leader of anti-abortion forces in the House who had tried to expand the bill to cover labor disputes and other conflicts, said, "Equal protection of the law ought to apply to everybody, everybody, even if they're against killing unborn children."

Vote

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Place 4 incumbent Bo Robinson is uncontested. Early voting is in the Ira administration office. Any eligible voter residing in the school district may cast a ballot.

There are four Snyder City Council seats up for election and all are contested; however, one District 4 candidate, Wylie "Buff" Hearn, will be moving from the district and is not campaigning. That leaves incumbent I.E. Martin as the only active candidate for the seat. To date, 19 ballots have been cast in District 4.

In District 1, incumbent Vernest Tippens is being challenged by Lynn Gardenhire, and six votes have been cast. In District 2, Jerry Webb and Robert Sanders are candidates; 25 votes have been cast. In District 3, Kenneth Gibson II and Kenny R. Gambrell are both first-time candidates. Seventeen votes have been cast.

Early voting in the city council election is being conducted at City Hall. Citizens must live within the designated district to cast a vote.

Twenty-two votes have been cast in the WTC board of trustees election, where all three seats are uncontested. Candidates are, for Place 5, Lee Presswood; for Place 6, incumbent R.C. Patton; and for Place 7, Eddie Peterson.

Early voting is at the WTC Administration Building. All registered voters residing within the junior college district are eligible to cast a ballot.

Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS: Amy Ash, 4014 Eastridge; Renea Hernandez, 3008 Ave. U; Lucille Valles, Westbrook; Jana Price, 4031 Pleasant Hill Road.

DISMISSALS: Grace Groves, Sue Griffin.

Census: 51 (Med.-8, Long-Term Care-33, CCU-2, OB-4, Nursery-4).

Births

Valerio and Renea Hernandez of Snyder announce the birth of their daughter born at 10:28 a.m. on April 26 in Cogdell Memorial Hospital. She weighed seven pounds, 2½ ounces.

Amy Ash of Snyder announces the birth of her eight-pound, 13-ounce daughter born at 12:03 p.m. on April 26 in Cogdell Hospital. She weighed eight pounds, 13 ounces.

Lucille Valles of Westbrook announces the birth of her daughter born at 8:23 a.m. on April 26 in Cogdell Memorial Hospital weighing seven pounds, 10 ounces.



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Obituaries

Mattie Fox

1906-1994

Services are set for 2 p.m. Friday in the Johnson Funeral Home Chapel in San Angelo for Mattie Fox, 87, of Snyder. David Conrad, pastor of San Angelo's Trinity Methodist Church, will officiate. Entombment will be in Lawn Haven Mausoleum, San Angelo.

Mrs. Fox died at 2:45 a.m. today in Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Born on May 31, 1906, in Petty, she married Marvin Fox on Oct. 19, 1924, in Honey Grove. He died on Jan. 18, 1990. Mrs. Fox had lived in Snyder for the past year, moving from San Angelo where she was a housewife and charter member of the San Angelo's Trinity Methodist Church.

Mrs. Fox will lie in state at Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home in Snyder until 1 p.m. Thursday, and then at Johnson Funeral Home in San Angelo from 3 p.m. Thursday until service time Friday.

She was preceded in death by a son, Wesley Fox.

Survivors include a daughter and son-in-law, Annette and Rod Waller of Snyder; one brother, Joe Ware of Paris, Tex.; two sisters, Nadine Nicholson of Paris and Johnye Burke of Tow; one foster son, Kent Elliott of San Angelo; four grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and two foster grandchildren.

Nina Rollins

1905-1994

Graveside services are set for 10 a.m. Friday in Hillside Memorial Gardens for Nina Rollins, 88, of Marshall, formerly of Snyder. Jerry Speer will officiate.

Mrs. Rollins died Tuesday in the Marshall Manor, in Marshall, following a lengthy illness.

Born Oct. 25, 1905, in Collin County, she married I.M. "Pud" Rollins on Nov. 1, 1929, in Waurika, Okla. He died on Dec. 28, 1964. Mrs. Rollins was a former, longtime Snyder resident prior to moving to Marshall. She was a member of the local First Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by a grandson, Ulon O. "Bo" Lovell in 1984.

Surviving is one daughter, LaVerta Lovell Burhans of Marshall; one sister, Ruth Harber of Lake Elsinore, Calif.; one granddaughter, Amy Rawls Lovell Britton of San Angelo and her husband, Del; one grandson, Jeffrey C. Lovell of Marshall and his wife, Cherie; one great-granddaughter; and two great-grandsons.

Otis McBride

1907-1994

BIG SPRING — Services are set for 10 a.m. Friday in the Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel for Otis (Toad) McBride, 86, of Vealmoor. Burial will follow in Trinity Memorial Park. The Rev. Jim Mosley of First Baptist Church in Westbrook and the Rev. Myron Crawford of Mineral Wells, retired Baptist minister, will officiate.

Mr. McBride died Tuesday in a Big Spring hospital.

Born on July 2, 1907, in Camp, Ark., he married Edith Clanton on Sept. 7, 1928, in Mammoth Spring, Ark. She died on March 5. Mr. and Mrs. McBride moved to Borden County on the Miller Ranch in 1936, and later moved to Vealmoor in 1944. He was a farmer and rancher.

He was also preceded in death by a daughter, Donna Kruse; one grandson, Perry Kruse; and 11 brothers and sisters.

Survivors include a daughter, Kay Leek of Vealmoor; two sisters, Faye McGuffey of Flint, Mich., and Zana Hall of West Plains, Mo.; two brothers, Bill McBride of Flint, Mich., and Tom McBride of Salem, Ark.; a son-in-law, Corky Kruse of Ira; four grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to Borden County EMT, Gail, or Hospice of the Southwest, P.O. Box 14710, Odessa, 79768-4710.



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Hermleigh ISD candidates for full term



Name: Jay Roemisch

Age: 37

Address: 8057 CR 465, Hermleigh

Occupation: Service technician for ESP, Inc.

Civic, fraternal, church or other affiliations: Central Baptist Church of Hermleigh, Little League manager.

Prior board experience? Hermleigh ISD board, five years ending in 1987.

1. What do you consider the most pressing problem facing your school district today? Outline the solution to this need.

Finances. We need to make sure to provide a good education with no unnecessary spending.

2. If you are required to make a decision to either raise taxes or limit services which would you choose? Or, do you have an idea to bridge the problem?

I think each decision would have to be considered thoroughly and then act accordingly.

3. State any specific goals you would like to see accomplished within the school district.

To make sure we provide a good education with a good extra-curricular program.

4. Define briefly the role of a school board member.

The role of a board member is to make sure we adhere to all state guidelines and board codes, and to represent the community to the best of one's abilities.



Name: John David Williamson

Age: 32

Address: 985 German St., Hermleigh

Occupation: Owner of Rural Refuse

Civic, fraternal, church or other affiliations: Member of Central Baptist Church in Hermleigh and vice president of Hermleigh Booster Club.

Prior board experience? None.

1. What do you consider the most pressing problem facing your school district today? Outline the solution to this need.

The most pressing problem is the rising cost for education. A solution to this problem is to evaluate the educational system and to educate ourselves on ways to reduce these costs.

2. If you are required to make a decision to either raise taxes or limit services which would you choose? Or, do you have an idea to bridge the problem?

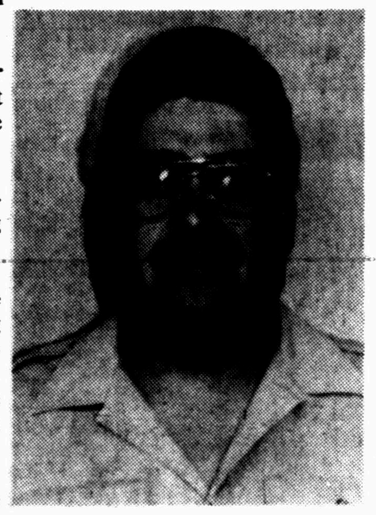
The decision to raise taxes would depend on whether you are raising taxes for a decline in property value or for added revenue. The first step should always be to see if any services could be scaled back or taken out without disrupting the learning process of the individual student.

3. State any specific goals you would like to see accomplished within the school district.

Goals that I would like to see accomplished are to continue to provide a good learning environment for our students. This is important in maintaining a high ranking in the state's evaluating system. Another goal is to encourage all parents to take a more active role in their child's education.

4. Define briefly the role of a school board member.

The role of a school board member is to represent the community and to keep updated on the issues that pertain to the educational process of all students.



Name: Andres Rodriguez

Age: 32

Address: P.O. Box 64

Occupation: SJS, Inc., inside sales and warehouse supervisor.

Civic, fraternal, church or other affiliations: St. John's Catholic Church in Hermleigh.

Prior board experience? Hermleigh ISD board from 1989-1991.

1. What do you consider the most pressing problem facing your school district today? Outline the solution to this need.

The most pressing problem is the financial status.

2. If you are required to make a decision to either raise taxes or limit services which would you choose? Or, do you have an idea to bridge the problem?

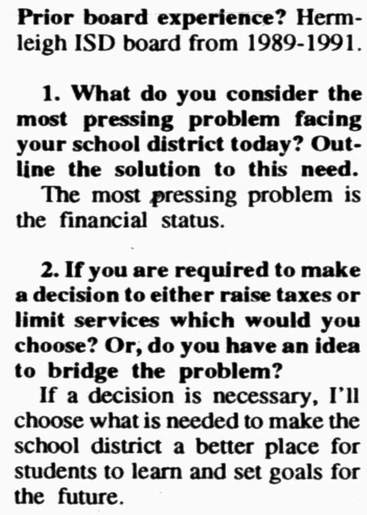
If a decision is necessary, I'll choose what is needed to make the school district a better place for students to learn and set goals for the future.

3. State any specific goals you would like to see accomplished within the school district.

Set new programs for higher education for students. Set renovations to better the atmosphere of the school district. Listen to suggestions or opinions from the community dealing with the school district.

4. Define briefly the role of a school board member.

The role of a board member is to represent the community in the best interest of the students.



Name: Jimmy (Chip) F. Roemisch Jr.

Age: 32

Address: 320 James St., Hermleigh

Occupation: Oil lease operator for Anadarko Petroleum Corp.

Civic, fraternal, church or other affiliations: Central Baptist Church of Hermleigh; Hermleigh Booster Club.

Prior board experience? May 1991-May 1993, Hermleigh ISD board.

1. What do you consider the most pressing problem facing your school district today? Outline the solution to this need.

Financing is probably the most pressing problem. The solution should include cost-cutting wherever possible (without loss of any service to our children).

2. If you are required to make a decision to either raise taxes or limit services which would you choose? Or, do you have an idea to bridge the problem?

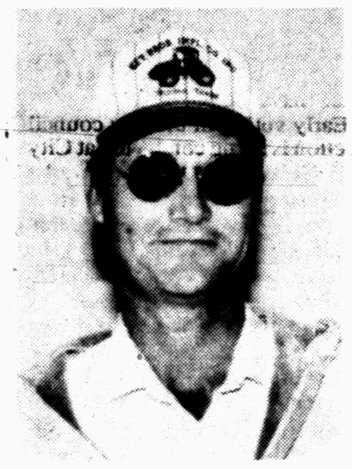
Raising taxes would be the last thing I would decide to do. However, every effort should be made to continue to offer our children every program or service money can buy.

3. State any specific goals you would like to see accomplished within the school district.

I would like to see our students' test scores continue to improve as they have been. Our teachers do a wonderful job and this goal should be easily obtained.

4. Define briefly the role of a school board member.

A school board member's role is to assist (and this is an important word) the administration in the operations of the school district. Not on a day to day or classroom basis, but from a business standpoint.



Name: Jimmy R. Hudgins

Age: 45

Address: 1817 FM 1606, Hermleigh

Occupation: Farmer, owner/operator

Civic, fraternal, church or other affiliations: Hermleigh Church of Christ; 1966 graduate of Hermleigh; USMC 1969-70.

Prior board experience? Previous three years, Hermleigh ISD board.

1. What do you consider the most pressing problem facing your school district today? Outline the solution to this need.

The uncertainty of state funding for public schools. The solution lies in the hands of the legislature.

2. If you are required to make a decision to either raise taxes or limit services which would you choose? Or, do you have an idea to bridge the problem?

Before this situation should arise, all efforts should be made to cut excessive spending.

3. State any specific goals you would like to see accomplished within the school district.

I would like to see improvements in ACT and TAAS scores.

4. Define briefly the role of a school board member.

To work on and approve a budget, set the tax rate, represent the people of the district to the administration, oversee hiring of professional personnel to name a few.

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Name: Rex Glass

Age: 57

Address: 5361 CR4106

Occupation: Farmer

Civic, fraternal, church or other affiliations: Member of Pyron Cemetery Board, Masons, Shrine, Methodist.

Prior board experience? Two terms, Hermleigh ISD Board.

1. What do you consider the most pressing problem facing your school district today? Outline the solution to this need.

Mandates, declining enrollment, rising taxes. Get all of the local control that is possible back in the hands of local citizens.

2. If you are required to make a decision to either raise taxes or limit services which would you choose? Or, do you have an idea to bridge the problem?

Limit services without taking away from basic education needs.

3. State any specific goals you would like to see accomplished within the school district.

To have high level education for the least amount of tax dollars.

4. Define briefly the role of a school board member.

To represent school and all taxpayers where both are treated fairly.

Name: Brian Blair

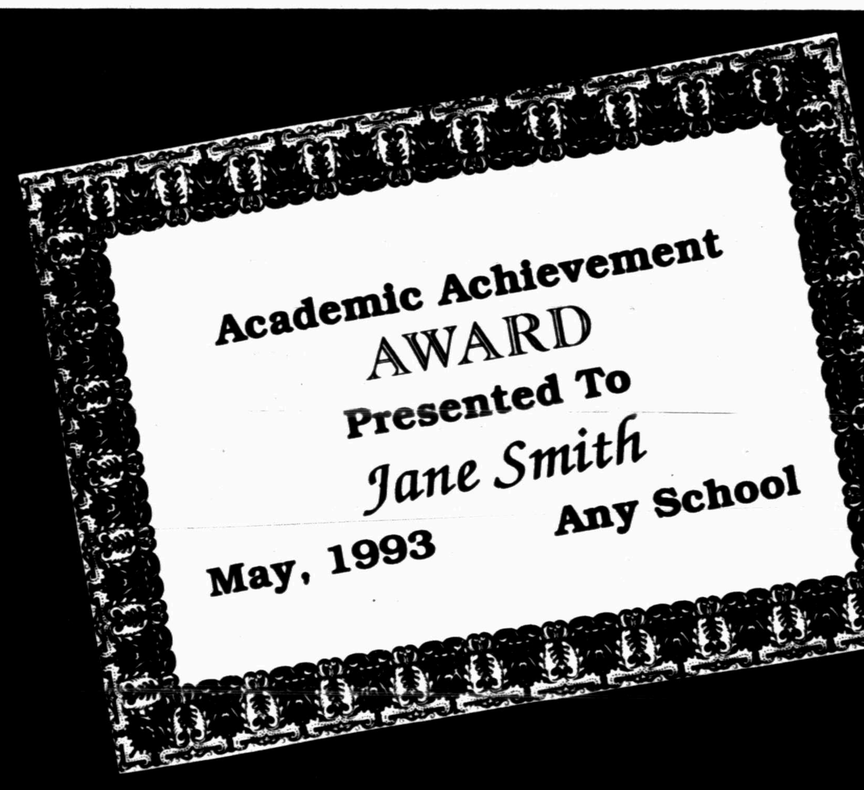
Editor's Note: Mr. Blair is moving from the district and did not participate in the candidate forum.



BEAUTIFICATION PROJECT — Members of the Canyon Reef 4-H Club participated in a workday last Friday on College Avenue near the turn-off to Cogdell Memorial Hospital. They picked up trash and planted flowers in the flower bed prepared by inmates at the Price Daniel Unit. From left, front row are, Shane Robinson, Thomas West, Jennifer Webb, Stacy Perkins and Sally Barham; back row, Kay West, Diane Perkins, Cheyenne Robinson, John Rasmus, Chaelyn Robinson, Stephanie Perkins and Eva Robinson. (SDN Staff Photo)

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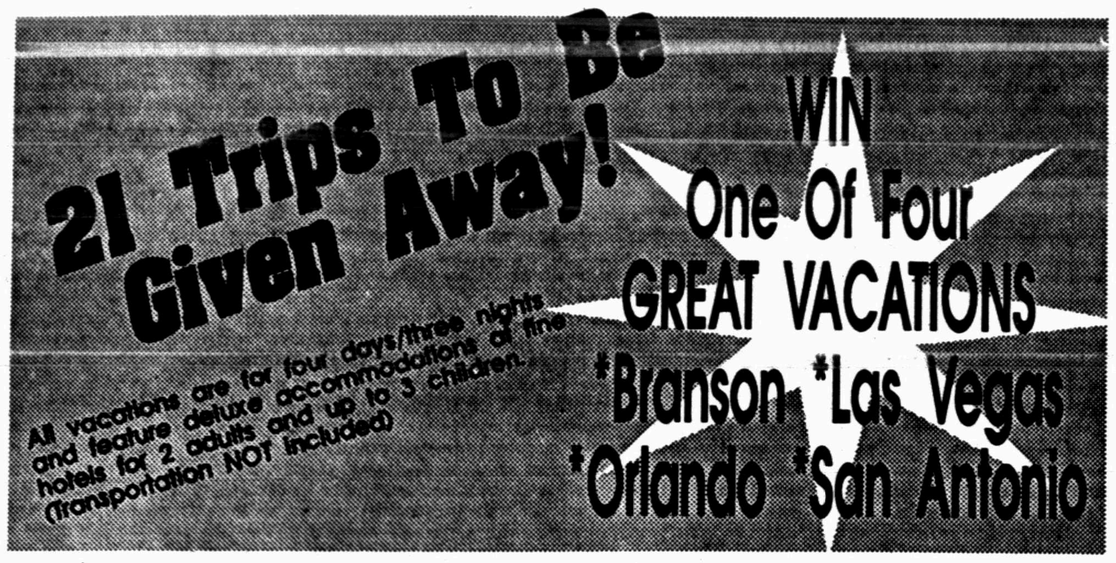
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Roe's
FURNITURE & APPLIANCES
4001 Highland Shopping Center
573-3402

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Everybody's THRIFTWAY
35th & College Avenue 573-6389

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McD's
PHILLIPS 66
3800 College Ave.

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Bib & Tucker, inc.
2517 College Ave. 573-0464

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THE MOVIE STOP
3607 College Ave. 573-4991

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TACO JOHN'S.
4212 College Ave.
"The Good Taste Place"

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Lang Tire Company
1701 25th
573-4031

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WOOD'S BOOTS & Western Wear
E. I-20 COLORADO CITY 728-3722

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McDonald's
3414 College Ave.
573-0459